GBR 1: Churchwardens and Overseers Committee Book, Parish of Berwick-upon-Tweed. Summary catalogue entries

LEVEL	REF	TITLE	DESCRIPTION	DATE
Volume	GBR 1	Berwick Parish – Churchwardens and Overseers Committee Book.	The volume contains the records of meetings of the committee which oversaw the administration of poor relief in the parish of Berwick-upon-Tweed. The Old Poor Law, which operated prior to 1834, set in place a system of poor relief organised at parish level. (In 1834 the Poor Law Amendment Act introduced a system which was overseen at national level.)	February 1791 – 2 May 1819.
Item	GBR 1/1	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on [26] February 1791.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Trotter; Robert Charters; Johnson Patterson; Ralph Brody. Overseers: William Thompkins; John Robson; Ralph Thompson; John Ewart. Trustees: William Dickson; George Richardson; John Sanderson; William Thompson; Robert Chartres.  Ordered that the Overseers of the Poor pay to Gurdie the sum of [?] shillings [?], and pay to William Heslop the sum of 2s per week.	26 Feb. 1791
Item	GBR 1/2	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 March 1791.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Johnson Pattison. Overseers: William Thompson; John Robson; Ralph Thompson; John Carse. Trustees: John Moffat; John Sanderson; Samuel Fenton.  Ordered that William Moffat may be admitted into the House [Workhouse] if he is so inclined.	6 March 1791
Item	GBR 1/3	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 April 1791.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: William Phorson; John Evans. Trustees: William Dickson; Ferrow Marshall; John Sanderson; Alexander Moffat.  No minutes recorded.	3 April 1791
Item	GBR 1/3	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 May 1791.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Johnson Pattison. Overseers: James Bigbie; John Forster; John Wilson, Trustees: Ralph Thompson; Richard Reavely; Samuel Darling; John Robson; Adam Steel.	1 May 1791

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			This day Samuel Darling appointed chairman of the [?]. Ordered that Isabel Brown be admitted to the House [Workhouse], and that the Overseers pay to Roger Turnbull 6s per week.	
Item	GBR 1/4	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 June 1791.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Trotter; Robert Chartres. Overseers: James Bigbie; John Pringle; John Forster. Trustees: Alexander Stephens; William Phorson; John Evans; Jordan Steel; John Robson.  Ordered that William Moffat be paid 6d per week, and 1s per	5 June 1791
			week to [name illegible].	
Item	GBR 1/5	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 July 1791.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Joseph Foreman; William Lilley. Overseers: James Bigbie; John Pringle; John Aitchinson; John Forster. Trustees: John Wilson; Jordan Steel; Christopher Mitchelson.	3 July 1791
			Ordered that Margaret Moffat be admitted into the Workhouse, if she is so inclined.	
Item	GBR 1/5	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 August 1791.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Joseph Foreman; William Lilley; William Bowring Button. Overseers: James Bigbie; John Forster; John Pringle. Trustees: Christopher Mitchelson.	7 Aug. 1791
Item	GBR 1/6	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and trustees meeting held on [?] September 1791.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Joseph Foreman; William Bowring Button. Overseers: John Pringle; John Forster. Trustees: Samuel Darling; William Phorson; Jordan Steel.  Ordered that [James Carridoward's] orphan may have 3s per week paid to them by the Overseers, and that widow Hogg's children may have 2s per week paid to them, and George Davidson's wife and two children are paid 2s per week, and Edward Young's widow 6d per week.	Sept. 1791

Item	GBR 1/7	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 October 1791.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Joseph Foreman; William Bowring Button; William Trotter. Overseers: James Bigbie; John Forster; John Pringle. Trustees: William Phorson; Christopher Mitchelson; John Robson; Richard Reavely; Jordan Steel; Samuel Darling.  No minutes recorded.	2 Oct. 1791
Item	GBR 1/7	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 November 1791.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Joseph Foreman; William Bowring Button. Overseers James Bigbie; John Wilson; John Pringle. Trustees: Ralph Thompson, William Phorson.  No minutes recorded.	6 Nov. 1791
Item	GBR 1/8	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on [5 December] 1791.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Joseph Foreman; William Lilley; William Bowring Button. Overseers: John Aitchinson; James Bigbie; John Forster; John Pringle. Trustees: William Phorson; Samuel Darling, Jordan Steel; Christopher Michelson; Richard Reavley.  Ordered that the Overseers pay to [Adam ?] the sum of 1s per week.	5 Dec. 1791
Item	GBR 1/9	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 January 1792.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Joseph Foreman; William Bowring Button; William Lilley. Overseers: John Atchison; John Forster; James Bigbie; John Pringle. Trusties: Samuel Darling; Christopher Mitchelson; Richard Reavley; Ralph Thompson.  Ordered that the Overseers pay John Dodds and Edward Evans each 1s per week, and [John Rolahan?] 2s per week.	5 Jan. 1792
Item	GBR 1/10	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 February 1792.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Joseph Foreman; William Lilley; William Bowring Button. Overseers: John Forster; John Pringle; James Bigbie. Trustees: Christopher Mitchelson; William Phorson; Jordan Steel; John Robson.	5 Feb. 1792

			Ordered that the Overseers pay to Isabel McFinlay the sum of 1s per week.	
Item	GBR 1/11	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 8 March 1792.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Bowering Button; Joseph Foreman. Overseers: John Forster; John Pringle; James Bigbie. Trustees: Christopher Mitchelson; Richard Reaveley; Jordan Steel; Samuel Darling.  Ordered that William and Mary How, children of Thomas How, be admitted into the Workhouse, and that the Overseers pay 1s to Dorothy Wilson per week.	8 March 1792
Item	GBR 1/12	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 April 1792.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Lilley. Overseers: John Pringle; James Bigbie; John Atkin; John Forster. Trustees: Richard Reavely; Christopher Mitchelson; Jordan Steel; John Robson; William Thompson; Samuel Darling. Ordered that the Overseers pay Aaron Jeffrey 2s per week.	1 April 1792
Item	GBR 1/12-13	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 May 1792.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: [illegible/damaged]. Overseers: John MacKenzie; Robert Wilson. Trustees: George Richardson; Alexander Moffat; John Pringle; John Forster.  This day George Richardson was chosen as Chairman of this meeting for the year ensuing.  Ordered that the Overseers pay to Mary Purdie 2s per week, and 1s per week to widow Hogg as well as 3/6s to Catherine Brown, and that William Shaun, a poor child, be admitted to the House Workhouse].	6 May 1792
Item	GBR 1/14	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 June 1792.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Lilley; Joseph Forman. Overseers: John McKenzie; Robert Wilson; Thomas Gilchrist. Trustees: George Richardson; John Graham; John Landles; John Pringle; James Graham.	3 June 1792

Item	GBR 1/15	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 July 1792.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Bowring Button; William Lilley; Joseph Forman. Overseers: John McKenzie; Robert Wilson; Thomas Gilchrist. Trustees: James Graham; Alexander Moffat  No minutes recorded.	1 July 1792
Item	GBR 1/15	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 August 1792.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Bowring Button; Joseph Forman. Overseers: Robert Wilson; Thomas Gilchrist; John McKenzie; John Watson. Trustees: George Richardson; Alexander Moffatt; John Forster; James Graham.  Ordered that the Overseers pay [Mary Lohettie] 1/6s per week, and Isabel Horely, widow, the sum of [illegible].	5 Aug. 1792
Item	GBR 1/16	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 September 1792.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Thomas Hindmarsh. Overseers: Robert Wilson; John McKenzie; John Watson. Trustees: John Forster; Alexander Moffat; John Pringle. No minutes recorded.	2 Sept. 1792
Item	GBR 1/17	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 8 October 1792.	Present at the meeting: Thomas Hindmarsh. Overseers: Robert Wilson; John Wilson; John McKenzie. Trustees: George Richardson.  Ordered that the Overseers pay Robert Walker 2s per week, and 2s to William Smith's widow, as well as he sum of [illegible/damaged] to Elizabeth Watson, widow.	8 Oct. 1792
Item	GBR 1/18	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on [?] November 1792.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Alexander Richardson; Ralph Carr. Overseers: John McKenzie; Thomas Gilchrist. Trustees: Alexander Moffat; John Pringle.  No minutes recorded.	Nov. 1792
Item	GBR 1/18-19	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ralph Carr. Overseers: Robert Wilson; John McKenzie; Thomas Gilchrist. Trustees:	Dec. 1792

		and Trustees meeting on [?] December 1792.	George Richardson.  Ordered that the Overseers pay to Mary Russel 2s per week, and to John Davidson's wife the sum of 1/6s per week.	
Item	GBR 1/19-20	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held in January 1793. [No date given].	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Thomas Hindmarsh; Alexander Richardson; Ralph Carr. Overseers: John McKenzie; Thomas Gilchrist. Trustees: George Richardson; [John Brings]; James Graham.	Jan. 1793
			The following was ordered to be carried out by the Overseers: pay to Alice Proctor the sum of 1s per week, and to [Wed Lee] 4 s per week, and to widow Weatherburn 4s per week, and to Parker [no first name stated] 1/6s per week, and to Elizabeth McHinlass 1s per week, and to the wife of [Hennoth McKenzie] the sum of 2/6s per week.	
Item	GBR 1/21-22	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held in February 1793. (No date given).	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Thomas Hindmarsh; Ralph Carr. Overseers: John McKenzie; Robert Wilson; Thomas Gilchrist; John Watson. Trustees: George Richardson; John Pringle; John Bigbie; James Graham; John Forster. Ordered that the Overseers pay James Calder 2s a week, and [Jeble Hartley] and sister 2s per week, and Parker [no first name] the sum of [damaged] per week, and Jane Luke 1s a week.	Feb. 1793
Item	GBR 1/22-23	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held in March 1793. (No date given).	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ralph Carr; Thomas Hindmarsh; Patrick Hogg. Overseers: John McKenzie; Thomas Gilchrist; John Watson. Trustees: George Richardson; John Graham; John Pringle; Alexander Moffat; James Graham; John Landles.	March 1793
			Ordered that the Overseers pay to the following: James Gearman 2s per week. Elizabeth Hort's child 1s per week. Thomas McLain 3s per week. Jane Weatherburn 1/6s per week. Ann Old 2s per week. Bell [no first name] 2s per week, and that	

			Elizabeth Stratham be admitted to the House [Workhouse]	
Item	GBR 1/24-25	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held in April 1793	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: [none]. Overseers: Anthony Forster junior; William Scott; William Smith; Matthew Bell. Trustees: John McKenzie; Thomas Gilchrist; Ferrow Marshall; George Thompkins; Thomas Waite; Robert Wilson.  This day Ferrow Marshall was chosen chairman of this meeting for the ensuing year. Ordered that the Overseers pay John Marchbanks 2s per week and 5s to widow Cowen per week, and that Jane Murray, [Jane Crane] and Mary Logee be received into the Workhouse.	April 1793
Item	GBR 1/25-26	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held in May 1793. [No date given].	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Thomas Hindmarsh; Ralph Carr. Overseers: Anthony Forster; William Scott; William smith. Trustees: Ferrrow Marshall; Thomas Gilchrist; John McKenzie; James Mills; [Robert H rest of name damaged]; George Thompkins.  The Overseers were ordered to: pay William Frazer 6d per week. And Mr Walker [no first name] 2/6s per week, and James Bannister's wife 2/6s per week, and Mrs Lugat [no first name] 2s per week, and Mrs Bell [no first name], widow, 1s per week. Also ordered that Jane Richardson, a poor child, be received into the House [Workhouse].	May 1793
Item	GBR 1/27	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 June 1793.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Thomas Hindmarsh. Overseers: Anthony Forster; Matthew Bell; William Scott; William Smith. Trustees: Ferrow Marshall; Ralph Brody; Robert Home; George Thompkins; James Mills; Thomas Waite.  The following was ordered to be carried out by the Overseers: that the orphan of Forsyth be allowed 1s per week, and that Jane McKay be paid such relief as they shall find proper, and to pay the Slater's orphan 1/6s per week and W Cheap 2s per week for one month and 1s per week afterwards	2 June 1793

Item	GBR 1/28	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held 0n 7 July 1793.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Thompkins; [David Elliot]; Robert Carr. Overseers: Anthony Forster; Matthew Bell; William Scott; William Smith. Trustees: Ferrow Marshal; George Thompson; John McKenzie; Robert Wilson; Thomas Waite.  Ordered that the Overseers pay to the wife of [William ?] for her child 2s per week until further notice.	7 July 1793
Item	GBR 1/29	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on [7] July 1793.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Robert Carr. Overseers: Matthew Bell; William Scott; William Smith. Trustees: Ferrow Marshall; William Thompkins; John McKenzie.  Ordered that Christian McLane be received into the House [Workhouse].	7 July 1793
Item	GBR 1/29	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 September 1793.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Thompkins; Robert Carr. Overseers: Anthony Forster; Matthew Bell; William Scott. Trustees: Ferrow Marshall; George Thompkins; Robert Wilson.  Ordered that the Overseers pay Michael Anderson and family 2s per week till further ordered, and the family of Jonathan James 3s per week till further ordered, and that Mary Clackston be received into the House [Workhouse].	1 Sept. 1793
Item	GBR 1/30-31	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 October 1793.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Thomas Hindmarsh. Overseers: Anthony Forster; Matthew Bell; William Smith; William Scott. Trustees: [? Thompkins]; James Bigbie; James Mill; Robert Wilson; John McKenzie.  Ordered that the Overseers pay the wife of [James Mowton] and family 5s per week till further ordered, and 1s be paid to Mary Clackston per week till Thursday month.	6 Oct. 1793

Item	GBR 1/31-32	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 November 1793.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Robert Carr; William Thompkins. Overseers: Matthew Bell; William Smith; William Scott. Trustees: Ferrow Marshall; Thomas Gilchrist; George Thompkins; Thomas Waite.  Ordered that the Overseers pay to Elizabeth Turnbull 2s per week till further ordered, and to [?] the sum of [1d?] per week till further ordered., and to James Frazer 2/6 s per week till he recovers from his present illness, and to Gradon's widow 2/6s per week till she recovers from her present illness, and to the wife of William Young 2s per week till her husband returns home., and to George Howrie 3s per week for two children of Miller and one of [Bell's] children, and to the widow of William Herriot 1/6 per week till further ordered, and to pay to [El both White?] the sum of 1s.	3 Nov. 1793
Item	GBR 1/33	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 December 1793.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Thompkins; Robert Carr. Overseers: Anthony Forster; Matthew Bell; William Scott; William Smith. Trustees: George Thompkins; John McKenzie; Thomas Waite; Thomas Gilchrist; Robert Home.  Ordered that the Overseers receive the wife of William White into the Poorhouse, as well as Betty Scot, a child, and also the [Packer's] wife and family into the House {Workhouse].	1 Dec. 1793
Item	GBR 1/34	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 January 1794.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Thompkins; Robert Carr. Overseers: Anthony Forster; William Scott; William Smith; Matthew Bell. Trustees: Ferrow Marshall; William Thompkins; John McKenzie.  Ordered that the Overseers pay James Henderson and family 2/6s till further ordered, and to Elizabeth Robertson 6d per week, and that Margaret Allan be received into the Workhouse.	5 Jan. 1794
Item	GBR 1/35	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Thomas Hindmarsh; William Thompkins; Robert Carr. Overseers: Anthony Forster	2 Feb. 1794

		and Trustees meeting held on 2 February 1794.	junior; Matthew Bell; William Smith; William Scott. Trustees: Ferrow Marshall; Robert Home; William Thompkins; Matthew Bell; Thomas Waite.  Ordered that the Overseers pay to Bennet's widow 3s per week till further ordered.	
Item	GBR 1/36-37	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 March 1794.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Thomas Hindmarsh; William Thompkins. Overseers: Matthew Bell; William Scott; William Smith. Trustees: Ferrow Marshall; John McKenzie; George Thompkins; Thomas Waite.  Ordered that the Overseers pay to Bennet's widow and family 4s per week, and to Mary Wilson 1s per week, and to Margaret Allan 6d per week, and that the Overseers for the future only pay to [?] Allen's widow 2s per week. [next entry damaged], and to pay to [?] 2/6s till further ordered.	2 March 1794
Item	GBR 1/37	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 April 1794.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: none. Overseers: Matthew Bell; William Scott; William Smith.  No minutes recorded.	6 April 1794
Item	GBR 1/37-38	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 May 1794.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: William Lilley; John Davidson; John Smith. Trustees: Matthew Bell; William Scott; James Bigbie; Mark Young; Joseph Foreman.  This day James Bigbie was chosen [?] Chairman of the meeting for the ensuing year.  Ordered that Ralph Alder receive for [?] 1/6s till further ordered, and George Turnbull 1/6s per week till further ordered, and Bartram's widow to receive 2/6s till further ordered, also ordered that James Guthrie for the future have no allowance while they reside outside the Parish, and that Mary Bruce be paid 6d per week for a daughter of Peter Gibons, and that the son be taken	4 May 1794

			into the House [Workhouse], and that Thomas Liddle's family be allowed 2s per week.	
Item	GBR 1/39-40	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 June 1794.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Robert Charters. Overseers: William Lilley; John Davidson; William Archbold; John Smith. Trustees: James Bigbie; Mark Riddle; Joseph Foreman; William Smith; Jordan Steel.  Ordered that the Overseers pay [James Weather?] 3s per week, and to Crosswell 2/6 per week, as well as 2s weekly to	1 June 1794
			week, and to Crosswell 2/6 per week, as well as 2s weekly to widow Taylor, and to the family Johnston 2s till further ordered, [next entry damaged], and to widow Brown's family 3s per week	
Item	GBR 1/40	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held in July 1794. [No date given].	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Richardson; Walter Rowland. Overseers: William Lilley; John Davidson; John Smith. Trustees: James Bigbie; William Scott; Joseph Foreman; Mark Young.	July 1794
			No minutes recorded.	
Item	GBR 1/41	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held in August 1794.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Richardson. Overseers: William Lilley; John Davidson; John Smith. Trustees: Joseph Foreman; Jordan Steel; Mark Young.	Aug. 1794
		[No date given].	Ordered that the Overseers pay Elizabeth Ewart 1/6s per week.	
Item	GBR 1/41	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 September 1794.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Walter Rowland; William Richardson. Overseers: John Davidson; John Smith; William Lilley. Trustees: Joseph Foreman; Jordan Steel.  Ordered that the family of John Wood, ship carpenter, who has	7 Sept. 1794
			at present deserted them, be allowed 4s per week till [?] and that such steps as the law [demands?] to be taken against Wood to punish him for deserting his family.	
Item	GBR 1/42-43	Minutes of Berwick	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: John	5 Oct. 1794

		Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 October 1794.	Davidson; William Archbold; William Lilley. Trustees: James Begbie; William Smith; Jordan Steel; Joseph Foreman.  Ordered that the Overseers pay Mary Graham 1/6 s per week, and 1s to widow [Cl?] per week.	
Item	GBR 1/43	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 November 1794.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: John Davidson; William Archbold; John Smith. Trustees: James Begbie; Joseph Foreman.  Ordered that the family of [? Archbold] be taken into the Workhouse, and that the Overseers pay William Gray 1s per week.	2 Nov. 1794
Item	GBR 1/44	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 December 1794.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Robert Chartres. Overseers: John Smith. Trustees: Mark Young; Joseph Foreman; William Smith; William Scott.  Ordered that [Mary ?] be take into the House [Workhouse], and that Robert Douglas be paid 1s per week, and that Thomas Weatherby's widow be paid 1s per week during the winter months, and William Gray be paid 2s per week.	Dec. 1794
Item	GBR 1/45	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 January 1795.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: John Davidson. Trustees: Jordan Steel; Joseph Foreman.  No minutes recorded.	4 Jan. 1795
Item	GBR 1/45	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 February 1795.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: John Davidson; John Smith; William Archbold. Trustees: Richard Reavley; Joseph Foreman; William Scott.  Ordered that Margaret Ferguson be paid 1s per week.	1 Feb. 1795
Item	GBR 1/46	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held in	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: William Lilley; John Davidson; William Archbold. Trustees: Matthew Bell; William Scott; William Smith.	March 1795

		March 1795. [No date given]	No minutes recorded. [NO APRIL MEETING RECORDED].	
Item	GBR 1/46-47	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 May 1795.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Robertson junior; James Clunie. Overseers: Robert Home; William Walker; Burnet Roger Grieve. Trustees: John Smith; [two more names damaged and illegible].  This day John Smith was chosen and appointed Chairman of this meeting for the ensuing year.  The following people to be paid the stated amount till further order: Thomas Skinner, 6d per week; widow Johnson 1s per week; Margaret Hogg 1s per week; Arthur Smith and family 4s per week., and [Ellis'] widow 2s per week.  Bonnet's widow only to be paid a further 3s per week and her children to go to the Poor House school.	3 May 1795
Item	GBR 1/48-49	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 June 1795.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: William Walker; John Embleton. Trustees: John Sanderson; John Davidson; William Cunningham.  Ordered that William Forster be taken into the Poor House, and that widow Cockburn be allowed a small allowance for the time she was confined in childbirth, and that Wait be allowed 2/6s till further ordered, and that William Home be allowed 1/6s weekly and [Grey?] widow be allowed 4s weekly and Jane Anderson 1/6s till she recovers, and William Gray 3s weekly, and Mary MacDonald 3s weekly till further ordered.	7 June 1795
Item	GBR 1/49	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 July 1795.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: None. Trustees: John Smith; John McDough; John Sanderson; William Lilley; William Cunningham.	5 July 1795

			No business done on account of the non-attendance of the Overseers and Churchwardens. [1/4 past?] [reference to time?].	
Item	GBR 1/50-51	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 August 1795.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: Robert Home; B R Grieve [Burnet Roger Grieve]; William Walker. Trustees: William Lilley; John Smith; Thomas Cockburn; John Sanderson; Christopher Mitchelson; William Cunningham; John Davidson; William Morrison.	2 Aug. 1795
			Payment to the following was ordered: Alice Proctor, widow, 1s per week; Margaret Smiles, widow, 1/6s per week till further order; Barbara King 3s per week till further order; Sarah Wynn 2s weekly; Alex McGregor 1/6s per week till further order; William Grey 4s till further notice; James Stuart's wife 1s weekly; Ann Barker 3/6s weekly and that her children be sent to the Parish School; Elias MacTavish 1/6 per week; [Martha Trainer] 1s per week.	
Item	GBR 1/51-52	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 September 1795.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Robertson. Overseers: Robert Home' Trustees: Christopher Mitchelson; John Sanderson; John McDougal; William Lilley; William Cunningham.	6 Sept. 1795
			The following payment was ordered till further order: Adam's widow, 1s per week; Dod's widow 1s per week;; Clara Nielson 1s per week	
Item	GBR 1/52-53	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 October 1795.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: William Walker. Trustees: John Smith; William Lilley; Thomas Rutherford.	4 Oct. 1795
			The following payments were ordered till further ordered: Alexander Lyon 1/6s weekly, and [Isabel Sheriff] 6d, the boys of James Thompson 6d weekly, and widow McKinley 1s weekly, and David Curry 1/6s weekly for himself and boys.	

Item	GBR 1/53-54	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 November 1795.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Robertson junior. Overseers: Burnet R Grieve [Burnet Roger Grieve]; John Embleton. Trustees: John Smith; Christopher Mitchelson; John Sanderson, John McDougle.  The following payments were ordered: Mary McDonald 2s weekly for four weeks above her present allowance, and widow Thompkins 1s weekly, and Janet McKenzie 1/6s weekly both till further ordered, [Mary Beltram], widow [9d] weekly till further ordered, and William Smith allowed 5s weekly during his present disposition, and 1s to Robert Johnston during his present disposition.	7 Nov. 1795
Item	GBR 1/54-55	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on [8] December 1795.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: William Walker; B R Grieve [Burnet Roger Grieve]. Trustees: John Sanderson; John McDougle; William Cunningham; George Bogue.  The following payments were ordered: David Curry 1s additional weekly during his wife's indisposition, and the following weekly allowances granted till further order to Margaret Learmont, widow, 2/6s, and Jane Payne, widow 1/6, and Jane Hartland, widow, 1s, and Jane Masterton, widow, 6d and Edward Collins be allowed 1/6	8 Dec. 1795
Item	GBR 1/55-56	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 January 1796.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: John Embleton; B R Grieve [Burnet Roger Grieve]. Trustees: John Smith; William Cunningham; John Sanderson; John McDougal.  The following payments were ordered till further ordered: William Smith to be paid the usual allowance of 5s for this week only and a pair of new shoes should be bought for him, and that William Hume be paid 2s a week, and Jane Morrison, widow, 1s per week, and Agnes Sanderson 3s per week.	3 Jan. 1796
Item	GBR 1/56-57	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: James Clunie. Overseers: Robert Home. Trustees: John McDougle; John	7 Feb. 1796

		and Trustees meeting held on 7 February 1796.	Sanderson; William Cunningham.  The following weekly payments were granted till further order :Margaret Hume 1/6,. [She being a parishioner having been first proved by James Bigbie], and widow Anderson at Ford 1/6s, and Ann Marshall, widow, 3/6s for herself and three children, and John Sanderson 1/3s for Agnes Sanderson's poor child, and Roger Bell 1/6s, and Alexander Purdie be allowed 1/6s for his daughter Ann who is non compos.], and Jane Payne, widow, an additional 6d weekly during her present indisposition, and William Knox be allowed 1/3s for Coulson's boys, and John Henderson's widow be allowed 1s additional weekly during the winter months.	
Item	GBR 1/58-59	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 March 1796.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: James Clunie; John Robertson junior. Overseers: B R Grieve [Burnet Roger Grieve]. Trustees: John Smith; John Sanderson; John McDougle; William Cunningham.  The following weekly payments were ordered: William Weddell's child be allowed an additional 6d till further notice, and W Hay be allowed 1s till her son, who has been taken prisoner by the French, returns, and Janet Cockram, widow, be allowed 1s weekly till further order, and that Elizabeth and Isabella Ellis, two poor children, be admitted into the House [Poor House}, and Margaret Gowans be allowed 2s till further order, and Margaret Motherwell be allowed 1s till further order, and Elizabeth Gibson, widow, be allowed 9d weekly till further order.  Also recorded that Isabella Whitley applied for relief for a bastard child of Dunlop's, for whom William Walker is bound. It is recommended to the Overseers to relieve her and prosecute Walker for the same.	6 March 1796
Item	GBR 1/59-60	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: B R Grieve [Burnet Roger Grieve] junior; John Embleton. Trustees: Thomas Oswald.	3 April 1796

		3 April 1796.	This day William Dickson was chosen and appointed Chairman of the meetings for the ensuing year.  The following weekly payments were ordered till further ordered: Elizabeth Coulston allowed 1s per week and Ann Scott 1/6s, and William Gray 5/6 per week, and Isabel Wright 2s per week, and Elizabeth Sheriff be allowed 1s per week.	
Item	GBR 1/60	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 May 1796.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: Mark Riddell; James Brown; John Miller Dickson. Trustees: William Dickson; James Bigbie; Thomas Oswald.  The following transactions were ordered: 1s to be deducted from William Forster's son's allowance, and 6d per week be deducted from William Grey's weekly allowance, and Ann Old, widow, be allowed 2/6s weekly for two children, and John Jordan be allowed 5s interim relief.	1 May 1796
			[NO MEETING RECORDED IN JUNE].	
Item	GBR 1/61	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 July 1796.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ralph Forster. Overseers: Mark Riddell; John Miller Dickson. Trustees: None. Ordered that an additional 6d per week be paid to John Peache's widow.	3 July 1796
			[NO MEETING RECORDED IN AUGUST].	
Item	GBR 1/61	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 September 1796.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: Mark Riddell. Trustees: William Dickson.  Ordered that 1s per week be paid to Robert Douglas.	3 Sept. 1796
Item	GBR 1/62	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ralph Forster junior. Overseers: Mark Riddell; Burnet Roger Grieve; John Miller Dickson. Trustees: William Dickson; James Bigbie; Thomas	Oct. 1796

		[?] October 1796.	Oswald.	
			The following payments were ordered: David Curry and wife allowed 1s per week in addition to the 1/6s now allowed them, and William Reed and wife allowed 6d per week in addition to the 2s now allowed them, and Christian Mill's child be allowed 2/6s per week.	
Item	GBR 1/62	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 November 1796.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ralph Forster junior. Overseers: Mark Riddell; Burnet Roger Grieve; James Brown; John Miller Dickson. Trustees: Robert Home.  Ordered that George Dodd's wife be allowed 6d per week till further order.	6 Nov. 1796
Item	GBR 1/63	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 November 1796.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ralph Forster junior. Overseers: Mark Riddell; Burnet Roger Grieve; John Miller Dickson. Trustees: None.  No minutes recorded.  [NO MEETING RECORDED IN DECEMBER].	4 Nov. 1796
Item	GBR 1/63	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on [?] January 1797.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: None. Trustees: Robert Home.  No business done on account of the non-attendance of the Overseers and Churchwardens. ½ past 5 o'clock.  [NO MEETING RECORDED IN FEBRUARY].	Jan. 1797
Item	GBR 1/64	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 March 1797.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: J M Dickson [John Miller Dickson]. Trustees: William Dickson.  No minutes recorded.	5 March 1797
Item	GBR 1/64	Minutes of Berwick	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: Mark	2 April 1797

		Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 April 1797.	Riddell; J M Dickson [John Miller Dickson].  Ordered that Edward Collins be allowed 6d per week in addition to the 1/6s now allowed him, to commence 20 March last.	
Item	GBR 1/64	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 May 1797.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens [damaged]. Overseers: James Clunie; Adam Aitchison; John Robertson; Robert McCay. Trustees: None.  No minutes recorded	7 May 1797
Item	GBR 1/65	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and 4 Trustees meeting held on 4 June 1797.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: John Robertson; Adam Aitchinson; Robert McCay. Trustees: John Sanderson; William Scott; William Cunningham.  This day John Sanderson was chosen and appointed Chairman of this meeting for the ensuing year.  The following payments were ordered: James Brown allowed 1s a week in addition to the 6d now allowed him, and that Jane Masterton allowed 1s per week till further order, and Martha Taylor be allowed 6d a week in addition to the 6d allowed her now.	4 June 1797
Item	GBR 1/65	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 July 1797.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ralph Forster. Overseers: James Clunie; John Robertson. Trustees: John Sanderson; George Richardson; William Cunningham; John Graham.  The following payments were ordered: Ann Anderson be allowed 1/6s in addition to the 1s now allowed her, and that James Skinner be allowed 6d per week, and Ann Jeffreys be allowed 1 per week, and Esther Bowie be allowed 6d a week in addition to the 1s a week now allowed., and Ninian Hartley be allowed 6d per week in addition to the [?] now allowed.	1 July 1797

Item	GBR 1/66	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 August 1797.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Matthew Bell. Overseers: John Robertson; Adam Aitchinson. Trustees: J M Dickson [John Miller Dickson]; George Richardson.  The following payments were ordered: David Cuirrie allowed 1s per week in addition to the 2s now allowed him, and Ann Fraser be allowed 1/6 per week, and William Todd 1/6s per week.	6 Aug. 1797
Item	GBR 1/66-67	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 September 1797.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: James Clunie; Adam Aitchison; Robert McCay. Trustees: John Sanderson; William Scott.  The following weekly payments were ordered: Widow Allison be allowed 1/6s, and Eleanor Davidson's child be allowed 2s, and Allison Brown be allowed 1s, and Margaret Motherwell be allowed 1s, and Clara Nelson be allowed 6d in addition to the 6d now allowed.	3 Sept. 1797
Item	GBR 1/67	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 October 1797.	Present at he meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: James Clunie; Adam Aitchison; Robert McCay. Trustees: George Richardson; John Sanderson; William Scott.  Ordered that Robert Brown be allowed 1s per week and that Sarah Frazer be allowed 6d per week in addition to the 6d now allowed.	1 Oct. 1797
Item	GBR 1/68	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 November 1797.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Matthew Bell. Overseers: John Robertson; Robert McCay; Adam Aitchinson. Trustees: None.  The following weekly payments were ordered: Sarah Ainslie be allowed 1s, and Betty Clark's child be allowed 2s, and Phillis Salby be allowed 6d in addition to the 1s now allowed, and Dolly Wilson be allowed 6d in addition to the 6d	5 Nov. 1797

			now allowed, and widow Gibson be allowed 6d in addition to the 6d now allowed.	
Item	GBR 1/68-69	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 December 1797.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Matthew Bell. Overseers: Robert McCay; John Robertson. Trustees: John Sanderson; George Richardson.  The following weekly payments were ordered: William Todd be allowed 6d in addition to the 1/6 now allowed, and Alice Wood be allowed 6d in addition to the 1s now allowed, and Betty Carson be allowed 1s, and James Carr be allowed 1s, and Weatherburn [no first name] be allowed 1/6.	3 Dec. 1797
Item	GBR 1/69	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 January 1798.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: Robert McCay; John Robertson. Trustees: John Sanderson; George Richardson; William Cunningham; William Scott.  The following weekly payments were ordered: Widow Isabel Johnson be allowed 6d, and Mary Davidson, widow, be allowed 6d in addition to her present allowance, and Jane Jeffreys, widow, be allowed 1s in addition to her [former?] and that 1s allowed Isabella Bertram be discontinued, and that Robertson, widow, be allowed 6d in addition to her present allowance, and Elizabeth Sheriff be allowed 6d in addition to her present allowance, and widow Henderson be allowed 6d in addition to her present allowance.	7 Jan. 1798
Item	GBR 1/70	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 February 1798.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Matthew Bell. Overseers: Robert McCay; Adam Aitchinson. Trustees: George Richardson; John Sanderson; William Scott.  The following weekly payments were ordered: Widow Colwart be allowed 1s, and William Richardson's wife be allowed 6d in addition to the 1s now allowed, and Mr Hutson's wife be allowed 2/6s, and Mrs Honeyman 1s	4 Feb. 1798

Item	GBR 1/70-71	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 March 1798.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Matthew Bell. Overseers: John Robertson; Robert McCay; Adam Aitchinson. Trustees: John Graham; George Richardson; William Cunningham; John Sanderson.  Ordered that Thomas Paxton be allowed 1s per week in addition to the 1s per week now allowed until further order, and that George Murray's wife be allowed 2s per week.	4 March 1798
Item	GBR 1/71	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 April 1798.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Matthew Bell. Overseers: Robert McCay; John Robertson. Trustees: George Richardson; William Cunningham.  Ordered that George Murray be allowed [amount not mentioned] in addition to the 2s now allowed till further order.	1 April 1798
Item	GBR 1/71	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 May 1798.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Matthew Bell. Overseers: John Clay; John [surname damaged]. Trustees: Ferrow Marshall; Jordan Steel; John McKenzie; William Cunningham; Walter Rowland; John Sanderson.  Ordered that Thomas Paxton be allowed 1/6s in addition to the 1s per week now allowed till further order, and that George Murray's wife be allowed 2s per week.	6 May 1798
Item	GBR 1/71	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 May 1798.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Matthew Bell. Overseers: John Clay; John [surname damaged]. Trustees: Ferrow Marshall; Jordan Steel; John McKenzie; William Cunningham; Walter Rowland.  Ordered that [John Rennalls] be allowed 2s per week, and that Mary McKay be allowed 1s per week, and Mrs Carole, who was allowed 2s, in the future receive no more.	6 May 1798
Item	GBR 1/72	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Matthew Bell. Overseers: George Bogue; John Bird; George Patterson.	3 June 1798

		and Trustees meeting held on 3 June 1798.	Trustees: John Robertson; Robert McCay; Alexander Moffat; Ferrow Marshal; Jordan Steel; John Cockburn; William Brown.  Ordered that Peter Dick's child be allowed 1s per week till further order.	
Item	GBR 1/72-73	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 July 1798.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Matthew Bell. Overseers: George Bogue. Trustees: Ferrow Marshall; Robert McCay; Robert Home; William Cunningham; John McKenzie; Alexander Moffat; John Cockburn.  Ordered that Mary Hurkley be admitted into the House [Workhouse], or if she is not, to be allowed only 1s instead of the 1/6 now allowed, and that Mary Cleghorn be allowed 1s per week till further order.	1 July 1798
Item	GBR 1/73	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 August 1798.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Matthew Bell' Overseers: George Bogue; George Patterson. Trustees: Ferrow Marshall; Robert Home; Jordan Steel; William Cunningham; John Robertson.  The following payments were ordered: Catherine Daglish be allowed a further 6d in addition to what is now allowed her for her child, in all 2s, and that Griffin's oldest girl leaving the House [Workhouse] be allowed 8s to purchase clothes, and Jane Stafford be allowed 1/6s till further order, and Elizabeth Scott's child be admitted into the House [Workhouse].	5 Aug. 1798
Item	GBR 1/74	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 September 1798.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Matthew Bell; William Robertson. Overseers: John Bird; George Bogue; George Patterson. Trustees: Robert McCay; William Cunningham; Alexander Moffat; Robert Home; William Brown; John Cockburn.  No minutes recorded.	2 Sept. 1798

Item	GBR 1/74-75	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 October 1798.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Ford junior; William Robertson; Matthew Bell. Overseers: John Clay; George Patterson; George Bogue. Trustees: Ferrow Marshall; John McKenzie; William Cunningham; Robert McCay; John Robertson.  The following payments were ordered: James Skinner be allowed only 6d instead of 1s now allowed him, and that Barker's family be struck off, and John Herriot be allowed 6d in addition to the 1s now allowed, and that widow Cockburn be in future paid 2/6s instead of 3s now allowed, and widow Easterly be allowed 1s per week till further order. Further ordered that the Overseers use their endeavours in removing the Scotch poor to the neighbouring parishes.	7 Oct. 1798
Item	GBR 1/75	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on [?] November 1798.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Matthew Bell; William Robertson; William Ford. Overseers: John Bird; John Clay; George Patterson. Trustees: Ferrow Marshall; John Robertson; John McKenzie; William Cunningham; James Cockburn Ordered that widow Middleton's child be received in to the House [Workhouse].	Nov. 1798
Item	GBR 1/76	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 December 1798.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Matthew Bell; William Ford. Overseers: John Clay. Trustees: Ferrow Marshall; William Cunningham.  No minutes recorded.	2 Dec. 1798
Item	GBR 1/76	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 January 1799.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Matthew Bell; William Robertson. Overseers: John Bird. Trustees: Ferrow Marshall; Robert McCay; William Cunningham; William Brown; James Clunie; John McKenzie; John Robertson; John Cockburn.  The following payments were ordered: Arthur Smith had applied for an increase to his allowance having	6 Jan. 1799

			only 2s for himself and his wife. Allowed a further weekly sum of 6d till further order, and that Jane Masterton be allowed 15s to carry her to Hexam, and Jane Hall, who had fallen down and put her shoulder out, be allowed 1s per week until she has recovered, and that Robert Dodd's widow be allowed 1s per week till further order.	
Item	GBR 1/77	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 February 1799.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Robertson; William Ford; Matthew Bell. Overseers: John Bird; George Bogue; John Clay. Trustees: Ferrow Marshall; Jordan Steel; John McKenzie; William Cunningham; William Brown.  Ordered that John Scott's child be allowed 5s for clothes, and that widow Carens be allowed 6d per week in addition to the 2s now allowed her	3 Feb. 1799
Item	GBR 1/77	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 March 1799.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Robertson; William Ford; Matthew Bell. Overseers: John Clay; George Bogue. Trustees: Ferrow Marshall; Jordan Steel; William Cunningham; John Cockburn; John McKenzie.  Ordered that widow Carr be allowed 1s instead of the 6d now allowed her.	3 March 1799
Item	GBR 1/78	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on [7] April 1799.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Matthew Bell; William Robertson. Overseers: George Paterson; John Clay; John Bird; George Bogue. Trustees: Rice Paxton; John Sanderson.  This day John Sanderson was appointed Chairman of this meeting for the ensuing year.  Ordered that widow Dodds be allowed 6d a week in addition to the 6d now allowed her, and that widow Jeffrey be admitted into the House [Workhouse].	7 April 1799
Item	GBR 1/78	Minutes of Berwick	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Robertson.	5 May 1799

		Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 May 1799.	Overseers: Philip Redpath; Joseph Todd. Trustees: John Clay; George Bogue; George Patterson; William Cunningham; John Bird.  Ordered that Arthur Smith and wife be allowed 6d per week in addition to the 2s now allowed them.	
Item	GBR 1/79	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 June 1799.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Ramsay. Overseers: Thomas Grieve. Trustees: William Robertson; Matthew Bell; George Bogue; William Cunningham; John Sanderson.  Ordered that widow Purvis be allowed 3d in addition to the 9d now allowed, and that William Hume be allowed 6d in addition to the 2s now allowed.	2 June 1799
Item	GBR 1/79	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 July 1799.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Ramsay. Overseers: William Chartres; Philip Redpath. Trustees: John Bird; William Cunningham; William Robertson.  Ordered that Catherine Daglish's child being a great 'object' be allowed 6d in addition to the 2s now allowed till further order.	7 July 1799
Item	GBR 1/80	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 August 1799.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: Philip Redpath. Trustees: John Sanderson; William Cunningham; Matthew Bell; John Bird.  Ordered that James Finlay and wife be allowed 6d in addition to the 2s now allowed.	4 Aug. 1799
Item	GBR 1/80	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 September 1799.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Richard Reavley. Overseers: Philip Redpath. Trustees: William Cunningham; George Bogue; John Sanderson.  Ordered that William Nesbitt be only allowed 1s instead of the 2s now allowed, and that Alice Paxton be allowed 6d per week.	1 Sept. 1799

Item	GBR 1/80-81	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 October 1799.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Richard Reavley. Overseers: Philip Redpath. Trustees: William Robertson; William Cunningham.  Ordered that George Murray receive no more allowance, and that Margaret Motherwell is allowed 1s per week, and that George Knox's wife and family be allowed 3s per week till after her lying-in.	6 Oct. 1799
Item	GBR 1/81	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 November 1799.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Riddell. Overseers: William Chartres. Trustees: Matthew Bell. No minutes recorded.	3 Nov. 1799
Item	GBR 1/81-81	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 December 1799.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Riddell; Richard Reavley; George Ramsay. Overseers: Thomas Grieve; William Chartres. Trustees: John Sanderson; John Clay; Matthew Bell; William Cunningham; Rice Paxton.  The following weekly payments were ordered: Mrs Honeyman be allowed 6d in addition to the 1s now allowed, and Baldy Atkinson's wife be allowed 3s during her illness, and Alice Wood and Dorothy Wilson be allowed 6d in addition to the 1s now allowed during the high price of provisions, and Ann Robinson be allowed 6d in addition [the rest damaged], and that George Nesbitt not allowed any more at present, and Alice Proctor, Arthur Smith's wife, Peggy Collins, Isabel Curry, Mary Turner and Mary Oliver be allowed 6d additional, and that Mary Graham be allowed 1s until further order, and Miss Brown be allowed 2/6s  Further ordered that widow Nesbitt and Ann Barker be admitted into the House [Workhouse].	1 Dec. 1799
Item	GBR 1/82-83	Minutes of Berwick	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Richard Reaveley;	5 Jan. 1800

		Churchwardens, Oversees and Trustees meeting held on 5 January 1800.	George Riddell; John Landles. Overseers: William Chartres; Thomas Grieve. Trustees: John Sanderson; John Bird; Matthew Bell; John Clay; George Paterson.  The following payments were ordered: Additional pay of 6d to: John Alexander; Isabel Curry; widow Forsyth; Phillis Selby; widow [Neivens]; Sarah Riddle; Jane Carr; John Black's wife; widow Lee; Matthew Sanderson; Matthew Allen and widow Cockburn Mary Young to be allowed 1s a week, and James Barlow's family be allowed 1s in addition to the 5s now allowed, and Thomas Bartram allowed 1s per week, and James Finlay 6d per week in addition to the 2/6s now allowed.	
Item	GBR 1/83-84	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 February 1800.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Landles. Overseers: Thomas Grieve; William Chartres. Trustees: [illegible].  The following weekly payments were ordered: Additional pay of 6d to: the child Scott; Edward Collins; Margaret Hog; James Mason.  Margaret Harker be allowed 1s till further order, and Weatherburn's child to receive 6s in clothes, and Richard Mason be allowed 2s till the weather gets better, and Roger Howard's child be allowed 6d, and John Spain's child be allowed 1/6s and [Morfy's] family allowed 2s, and Jane Weis be allowed 18d and Mr [D] to write to Mr Turnbull, Dunse, on her behalf, and Allison's widow be allowed 1s, and Jane Englis allowed 1/6s and that enquiry be made about her husband in London	2 Feb. 1800
Item	GBR 1/85	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 March 1800.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Richard Reavley. Overseers: William Chartres. Trustees: William Cunningham; Rice Paxton; Matthew Bell; George Paterson. The following weekly payments were ordered:	2 March 1800

			William Heslop be allowed 1s additional during his illness, and Sergeant Burton's widow's family be allowed 3s and Benjamina Clark be allowed 1s and William Guthrie's widow and family be allowed 5s and Nelly Neal 1/6s.	
Item	GBR 1/85-86	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 April 1800.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Landles. Overseers: William Chartres. Trustees: John Sanderson; William Cunningham; [last name illegible].  The following weekly payments were ordered: Mrs Trotter and family and William Smith be allowed 3s, and widow Anderson be allowed 1s and Jane Lawson allowed 1s during her illness, widow Anderson allowed 1s or be admitted to the House [Workhouse] and Andrew Murton, being blind, be allowed 1s	6 April 1800
Item	GBR 1/86	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 May 1800.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Richard Reaveley; George Riddell. Overseers: Henry Johnson; George Smith; James Rankin. Trustees: James Mills; James Turnbull; John McKenzie; Thomas Grieve.  This day James Turnbull was appointed Chairman of this meeting for the ensuing year. The following payments were ordered: Additional pay of 6d to: William Reed; Mary Davidson, till further order; John Morrison's youngest child till further order; and Margery Ferguson. John Herriot's family be allowed 2s per week.	4 May 1800
Item	GBR 1/87	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 June 1800.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: James Rankin. Trustees: James Turnbull; John McKenzie; William Wilson; John Evans.  Ordered that John Purdy be allowed 3 guineas in order to keep his family off the Parish during the present state of provisions, and that William Richardson be allowed 6d per week additional	1 June 1800

			to the 2s now allowed, and [Mary Smibert] be allowed 6d a week additional.	
Item	GBR 1/87-88	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on [?] July 1800.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: James Rankin; Henry Johnston. Trustees: James Turnbull; James Begbie; John Dunlop; Richard Reavley; John McKenzie.  The following weekly payments were ordered: Ordered that John Knox's wife be allowed 1s additional till further order, and Edward Collins be allowed 6d additional, and that [Thomas Garliesh's] widow be allowed 1/6s, and Molly Ord be allowed [damaged], and widow Edgeley be allowed 1/6s, and widow Lee 6d till Michaelmas, and Jane Thompkins be allowed 6d in addition to the 1s now allowed, and that James Thompson be taken into the Poorhouse.	July 1800
Item	GBR 1/88	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 August 1800.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Dunlop. Overseers: John Richardson; Henry Johnson; James Rankin. Trustees: James Turnbull; James Berbie; John Graham; James Graham.  The following weekly payments were ordered: Mrs Davidson's allowance be reduced to 1s, and Mrs Riddell be allowed 1s, and widow Henderson1s, and that [Matthew Allan's] allowance be reduced to 2s.	3 Aug. 1800
Item	GBR 1/89	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held in September 1800.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Rowland' Overseers: Henry Johnson. Trustees: John McKenzie; Ralph Brodie; James Turnbull.  The following weekly payments were ordered: Catherine Taylor be allowed 3/6s till she gets better, and widow Forster be allowed 6d additional, and Ralph Cook be allowed 2s during his illness ,and Robert Nesbitt be allowed 2s.	Sept. 1800

Item	GBR 1/89	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 October 1800.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Richard Reavley. Overseers: George Smith. Trustees: Andrew Jameson; Robert Wilson; Ralph Brodie; Jordan Steel.  Ordered that Alex McGregor be allowed 6d a week additional, and that George Murray's wife be allowed 2s a week.	5 Oct. 1800
Item	GBR 1/89-90	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 November 1800.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Rowland. Overseers: John Richardson; James Rankin. Trustees: None.  Ordered that William Miller be allowed 1/6s a week till he gets better, and that Margaret Purves and Margaret Errol be allowed 6d a week additional.	2 Nov. 1800
Item	GBR 1/90	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 December 1800.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Richard Reavley; Robert Graham. Overseers: Henry Johnson; George Smith; James Rankin. Trustees: James Begbie; John Richardson; Robert Wilson.  The following weekly additional payments were ordered: Lesly's child 6d, Murray's wife 2s, and Elizabeth Gibson 6d, and Mathias Allan 1s per week.  The following weekly payments were also ordered: Robert Robertson of Methuen in Scotland be allowed 3s, and Richard Mason, Ann Bell, Sarah Selby and John Hudspith 1/6s, and James Smith be allowed 1s and [Agnes] wife and family be allowed 3s, also that John Snowdon be allowed 1/6s to carry him to his parish of Stokesby in Yorkshire	7 Dec. 1800
Item	GBR 1/91-92	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 January 1801.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Richard Reavley. Overseers: Henry Johnson. Trustees: James Begbie.  The following weekly additional payments were ordered: Ann Bell 6d, Mary Ord 3d per week, John Redpath and Robert Nesbit t6d. Also ordered weekly that Margaret Ramsay, widow	4 Jan. 1801

			of Ramsay, baker, be allowed 2s, and that Margaret Scott be furnished with a pair of shoes, and Hannah Garlich be allowed 6d, and Arthur Smith be allowed a cart-load of coal, and James Lambert's daughter be allowed 2s, and Sarah Todd 6d per week, and that Philip Henderson be allowed 1/6s, and John Robertson's two children allowed 3s, and Betty Martin be allowed [illegible], and that Betty Martin be allowed 6d for a month, and Jane MacDonald be allowed 1s, further ordered that William Smith's daughter be clothed and the sum of £4 be advanced.	
Item	GBR 1/92	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 February 1801.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Dunlop. Overseers: George Smith; John Richardson; James Rankin. Trustees: James Mills; Jordan Steel; James Begbie; John Evans; [Major McLean].  The following weekly additional payments were ordered: William Cay 1s; Jonathan James' four children 2s; Mary Redpath's child 6d; Christian Henderson 6d; widow Young 6d per week; widow Skinner 6d; widow Sheriff 6d and Mary Johnson, Golden Square 6d Payments also ordered to: Widow Hogg and three children allowed 4s per week; William Johnson and children be allowed 3s per week and Margaret Gilchrist [6d] per week for one month.	1 Feb. 1801
Item	GBR 1/93	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 March 1801.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Graham; John Dunlop. Overseers: George Smith; James Rankin; John Richardson. Trustees: Jordan Steel; John McKenzie; James Mills.  The following additional payments of 6d were ordered to: Widow Barlow and family; Jane Henderson; Allison Smith; widow Garlick; widow Sheriff; Mary Davidson; Nelly Farmer and William Reid. Robert Gresham and his wife be allowed 1s per week. Weekly Payments also ordered to: Widow Henderson, widow of the late Andrew Henderson be	1 March 1801

			allowed 1/6s; and Elizabeth Kinross be allowed 2s until she gets better; and Mary Bruce be allowed 1s per; and Palmour's grandchild be allowed 2/6s and Thomas Paxton be allowed 4/6 and John Best and wife 3s.	
Item	GBR 1/94	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 April 1801.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: James Rankin; George Smith. Trustees: James Turnbull; James [illegible]; Jordan Steel.  Ordered that corporal Murphy's widow be allowed £3 1s to carry her family and two children to Belfast in Ireland. The following payments were ordered: Mary Young be allowed 6d additional per week, and Arthur be allowed a cart of coals, and Archbold Ingles be allowed 2s per week until next monthly meeting, and Elizabeth Elliot be allowed 6s to buy clothes for Clark and Howard, two children maintained by her, and that [Margaret Edmeston] be allowed 6s to buy clothes for NInian and [?], two children maintained by her.	5 April 1801
Item	GBR 1/94-95	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 May 1801.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: [damaged]. Overseers: John Morrison; William Dickson. Trustees: George Thompson; John Dickson; James Rankin; John Paxton.  Ordered that Mary Baxter's children be allowed 2s per week until her husband comes home, and that Archbold Ingles be allowed 2s per week until next monthly meeting, and Elizabeth Bruce be allowed 1/6s per week.	3 May 1801
Item	GBR 1/95	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 June 1801.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: John Morrison; Robert Marshal; George Ramsay; William Dickson. Trustees: John Dunlop; George Thompkins; John McDougle.  The following weekly payments were ordered: Jane Purves be allowed 1/6s additional, and [Catherine Bowhannam] be allowed 1s for taking care of Jane Purves, and James Templeton be allowed 2s, and Jane Anderson 1s, and	7 June 1801

			George Turnbull 6d per, and Margaret Stanfield's child be allowed 2s, and George Lyon's child 1s.	
Item	GBR 1/96	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 July 1801.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: George Ramsay; John Morison; William Dickson. Trustees: George Thompkins; Henry Johnson.  The following additional payments were ordered: [Tunnel's] child 6d, Alice Proctor 6d, and John Herriot 1s and Robert White 6d and widow Simson 1s.	5 July 1801
Item	GBR 1/96-97	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 August 1801.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: R Reavley [Richard Reavley]; John Alexander; Robert Ewart. Overseers: G Ramsay [George Ramsay]. Trustees: John Dunlop; John McDough; J Brown [James Brown]; George Thompkins.  The following weekly payments were ordered: Ann Wedderburn be allowed 3s [illegible] till further order, and that Sarah Selby be allowed 3s and that the surgeon be ordered to visit her and report he state she is in to the Overseers, and that Ann Riley be allowed 2/6s till further order, and William Storrie be allowed 1s till further order, and Radcliff be allowed 1/6s for Nesbit's child till further order, and Waddel be allowed 3s for two children of Thomas Abram's, in regiment of Militia.	2 Aug. 1801
Item	GBR 1/97-98	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 September 1801.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Henry Richardson. Overseers: G Ramsay [George Ramsay]; Robert Marshal. Trustees: George Thompkins; John McDougle; Thomas Grieve; George Smith.  Ordered that William Story be allowed 1s additional, and that Patrick Muller's wife be allowed 3/6s per week.	6 Sept. 1801
Item	GBR 1/98-99	Minutes of Berwick	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Robert Ewart.	5 Oct. 1801

		Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 October 1801.	Overseers: George Ramsay; John Morison. Trustees: J Brown [James Brown]; George Thompkins.  The following was ordered: That [Jane Tennar] be allowed 2 guineas to carry herself to Exeter, she being burdensome to the parish having no legal claims upon it, and that Robert Ord be paid 2s as temporary relief and that he be removed to the Parish of Ancroft having made his first year's service with Mr Ancrum, and that Ann Knowles be allowed temporary relief at the Overseers' discretion until further order, and that [James Dishington] be allowed 1/6s per week till further order, and that Scott be allowed a pair of shoes.	
Item	GBR 1/99	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 November 1801.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Robert Ewart; Henry Richardson. Overseers: Robert Marshall; William Dickson. Trustees: G Thompkins [George Thompkins]; John McDougle; John Dunlop.  The following payments were ordered: Mary Bulgar's allowance be increased form 1/6s to 3s per week, and Ann Riley's allowance be increased from 2/6s to 3/6s per week, and Ann Culthen be allowed 2/6 per week.	1 Nov. 1801
Item	GBR 1/100	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting [NO DATE OR MONTH STATED].	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Robert Ewart. Overseers: William Dickson; John Morrison. Trustees: George Thompkins.  The following payments were ordered: Ann Dunlop's allowance be increased to 1s per week, and widow Fisher be allowed 4s per week, widow McLachlan [?] per week, and widow Motherwell 2s per week.	No date [Nov. 1801-Jan. 1802]
Item	GBR 1/101	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers	Present at the meeting : Churchwardens: Henry Richardson; Robert Ewart; John Alexander. Overseers: William Dickson;	No date [Nov. 1801-Jan.

		and Trustees meeting. [NO DATE OR MONTH STATED].	Robert Marshall. Trustees: George Thompkins; James Turnbull.  The following payments were ordered: Mrs Todd being in great distress to be advanced £2 upon her granting a note upon Mr A Johnson who has her stint payable 25 March [?], and that Alexander Ford be allowed an additional 6d per week, and John Elliott be allowed 1s per week until he is able to work, and that Elizabeth Hills be allowed 2/6s weekly till further order for maintenance of her two children, and that Margaret Boyd be recommended for relief, and George Middleton's family be allowed 2/6s per week until he returns, and John Clark's widow be allowed 2s per week	1802]
Item	GBR 1/102	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 February 1802.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Richard Reavley; Robert Ewart; John Alexander; Henry Richardson. Overseers: Robert Marshal; William Dickson. Trustees: James Brown; John Dunlop; John McDougal; George Thompkins  The following weekly payments were ordered: Widow Taylor be allowed 5s on account of present sickness, and John McKenzie be allowed 2/6, and that John Reid and wife continue to receive 1s, and Jane Baxter to get an additional 6d, and widow Anslie an additional 1s, and Ann Hewit 1/6s, and widow [Adgley?] be allowed 1s, and Mrs Tunnell 2s. Also ordered that Arthur Smith be allowed temporary relief at the discretion of the Overseers, and that Jane Bushie be allowed some relief at the discretion of the Overseers, and that Robert Davidson's widow be visited by the surgeon who will report his opinion to the Overseers, and the surgeon will also attend Mary Bulger's child.	7 Feb. 1802
Item	GBR 1/103	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 March 1802.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Robert Ewart; Henry Richardson. Overseers: William Dickson; Robert Marshall. Trustees: George Thompkins.  Ordered that widow Janet Davidson be allowed 2/6s per week, and Betty Hugh 1s per week.	7 March 1802

			Also ordered that a full meeting of the Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees be held on 24 March to make enquiry into the present condition of the paupers.	
Item	GBR 1/103	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 April 1802.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Richard Reavley; Henry Richardson. Overseers: George Ramsay. Trustees: George Thompkins; James Rankin; John McDougle; William Brown; Thomas Gilchrist.	4 April 1802
			Ordered that Catherine Taylor be allowed and additional 1s per week and that Mrs Adams be allowed 1s per week.	
Item	GBR 1/104	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 May 1802.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Robert Ewart; John Alexander; Henry Richardson. Overseers: William Ainslie. Trustees: Robert Marshall; George Ramsay; John Evans; John Sanderson; George Richardson; John McKenzie	2 May 1802
			This day George Richardson was chosen and appointed Chairman of the meeting for the ensuing year.	
			Ordered that Elias Allan be allowed additional 1/6s per week, and that Walter Thompson's widow's case be enquired into by Mr White and for him to decide whether he sees proper to reduce her allowance from 6s to 4s per week.	
Item		Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 June 1802.	Resent at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Robertson; John Knox. Overseers: Adam White; William Ainslie; Joseph Todd. Trustees: John Sanderson; James Begbie; Jordan Steel; George Richardson; John McKenzie.	6 June 1802
			The following weekly payments were ordered: Elizabeth Duggon be allowed 2s, and Janet Blyth and four children be allowed 4s until further order. She served Mr Ruskin, grocer, High Street, Edinburgh, for 1 ½ years 14 years ago, and that John Hales and his wife and four children be allowed 2s per, and William Patterson an additional 6d, and Ann Gregory be	

			allowed [rest illegible], and widow Knox be allowed 1/6s for Sanderson's child. Also ordered that the Overseers call upon the Magistrates respecting [Jane Messerig].	
Item	GBR 1/106- 107	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 July 1802.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: Adam White; Joseph Todd; John Dunlop. Trustees: James Begbie; John Bird; John Sanderson; Jordan Steel.  The following weekly payments were ordered: That Mrs Anderson and her sister Caroline receive 5s in consequence of their giving up their meadow and stint to the Parish, and that Mrs Hogg be allowed 2s, and that Janet Herriott be allowed and additional 6d, and Margaret Alderdays be allowed 2s until the return of her husband, and that [Taylor's] rent be paid [?], and widow Cockburn be allowed 3s in addition [rest damaged], and widow Smith and her son be allowed 4s on account of present sickness, and Sarah Harkley be allowed 3s until her husband returns. Also ordered that Ralph Reilies' wife's allowance be taken off her.	4 July 1802
Item	GBR 1/107	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 August 1802.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Laing. Overseers: Adam White; William Ainslie; Joseph Todd. Trustees: George Richardson, Chairman; John Bird; John Sanderson.  The following payments were ordered: That Francis Hunter be allowed 1/6s per week until her pension becomes due. At that time he is to return the money he has received to the Parish, and that John Hales be allowed an additional 1s per week until his pension becomes due, at which time he is to return he money he has received to the Parish, and that John Bellmair be allowed 6d weekly on account of present sickness, and Alex Purvis be allowed 2s per week and Mrs Lesalle's weekly allowance be taken of her. [An entry at the bottom of the page damaged].	1 Aug. 1802

Item	GBR 1/108- 110	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 11 August 1802.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: Adam White; James Todd; John Dunlop. Trustees: [first name illegible]; John Sanderson; Jordan Steel; John Bird; Robert Marshal; James Begbie.  The following weekly reductions and changes in payments were ordered: John Fairwell's allowance of 3s be continued during the sickness of his children and afterwards to be reduced to 2/6s, and widow Thompson of Leith be from 5s to 4s, and widow Adylie from 1/6s to 6d, and widow Crow from 1/6s to 1s, and Betty Murray from 2s to 1/6s, and widow Reston, being a burgher's widow, is to be struck off, and widow Vardy from 2/6s to 2s and Todd's orphan from 2/6s to 2s, and Eleanor Thompson's child from 2s to 1/6s, and widow Blackie from 2/6s to 2s, and Bigg's child from 2s to 1/6s and Mary Baker from 1/6 to 1s and Smith from 4s to 3s, and Mason's wife and children from 2s to 1/6s and Mary Young from 1/6s to 1s, and that Ann Sangster and family from 2s to 1/6s and widow Fisher be from 4s to 3s and widow Gateby and family from 2s to 1s and that widow Sinclair from 1/6 to 1s, and [James Distentine] be struck off the books and widow Cowen and family from 3s to [?], and widow Dugen's two children be sent to the Parish School, and Thomas Manderson's wife from 3s to 1/6s, and widow Smith and family from 2s to 1s for two weeks and then struck off, and Elizabeth Boyd be struck off the and Isabella Vardy from 2s to 1/6, and Ann Anderson to be allowed 1/6s a week, and Dunbar's children from 4s to 3s, and Clark's child to be struck off, and William Heslop to be struck off or give the Parish Officer an order for his meadow money and be maintained in the Poor House, and widow Smith be reduced to [Illegible] and Jane Bassey from [?] to 3/6s and [Robert ?] reduced to 1/6 and Honeyman's widow from 2s to 1/6s and widow Hogg from [?] to [?] and Nelly Farmer from 2s to 1/6.	11 Aug. 1802
Item	GBR 1/110	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Robertson. Overseers: Joseph Todd; William Ainslie. Trustees: John	5 Sept. 1802

		and Trustees meeting held on 5 September 1802.	Sanderson (in the chair).  Ordered that widow Riley be allowed and additional 1/6s per week and that widow Pringle be allowed 1/6 per week and John Farlow be taken into the Poor House and his pension £7 10s 0d be paid to the Parish.	
Item	GBR 1/111	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 October 1802.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Robertson; Richard Reavley. Overseers: Joseph Todd; William Ainslie. Trustees: George Richardson; John Sanderson.  The following weekly payments were ordered: John Robertson's, gunner, now residing in Perth, allowance be reduced from 3/9s to 2s, and that Betty Anderson, Norham, be allowed 3s until her recovery, and that Francis Hunter, invalid, be allowed [1/6s?] to be repaid when he receives his pension, and that John Dodd be allowed 1/6s, and Ralph Cook be allowed 1s as a temporary relief on account of his child's illness, and widow Smith and family be allowed 1s until her son is bound when she is to be allowed 1 guinea for the binding of her son, and her weekly allowance to be discontinued, and that Hector Fairbairn be allowed 1s.	3 Oct. 1802
Item	GBR 1/112	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held in November 1802. [No date indicated].	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: William Ainslie; Adam White. Trustees: John Sanderson (in the chair).  Ordered that Patrick Mallan and family be allowed 5s per week on account of present illness – invalid, and that John Hogg be allowed 1/6s per week on condition that he repays it when he receives his pension – invalid, and that Helen Purvis's be allowed to come into the Poor House and that Sarah Murray be allowed [illegible] for her two children. [entry at bottom of page illegible as well as top entry on next page/faded].	Nov. 1802
Item	GBR 1/113	Minutes of Berwick	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Richard Reavley; John	5 Dec. 1802

Item	GBR 1/115- 16	Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 December 1802,  Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 January 1803.	Knox; William Robertson. Overseers: William Ainslie; Joseph Todd; John Dunlop. Trustees: George Richardson; Robert Marshal; John Sanderson; John Bird.  The following weekly payments and proceedings were ordered: Richard Mason be allowed 2s, and Margaret Ferry Lowther be allowed 2s, and Samuel Crisp's widow be allowed to come into the Poor House, and that Ann wife of David Sanderson, a soldier in Ireland, be allowed 1/6s as a temporary relief and that she be examined on Saturday next by the Justice at the Town Hall, and that widow Shield be allowed 4s on account of present sickness, and Eliza Kinross be allowed an additional 1s and Elizabeth Robinson be allowed 1/6s on account of her sore leg and [May Horn] be allowed 1s, and that widow Taylor's rent of 15s be paid and 1s to be taken out of her weekly allowance of 5s until it is repaid, and that Young Ferrah's wife be paid her passage to Newcastle by the waggon and 3s for food [the rest illegible/damaged], and that widow Sampson be allowed 2s  [GBR 1/114 IS A BLANK PAGE]  Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Knox. Overseers: Adam White; William Ainslie; John Dunlop. Trustees: Jordan Steel; John Sanderson; George Richardson; John Bird.  The following payments were ordered: Widow Crow be allowed an additional 6d per week and widow Evans be allowed 3s per week and widow Sampson be allowed.	2 Jan. 1803
			Evans be allowed 3s per week, and widow Sampson be allowed an additional 1s per week and William Mathies and two children be allowed 4s per week. Also ordered that 1s be taken off [Turnall's] wife and paid to Mrs Marshal with 8d more from the Parish for the rent of the room that she occupies and also that 10/6s be paid to Mrs Marshal by order of the Trustees as a compliment.	
Item	GBR 1/115- 116	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Knox; William Robertson. Overseers: John Dunlop. Trustees: George Richardson; John Bird; Robert Marshal; John Sanderson.	3 Feb. 1803

		6 February 1803.	The following weekly payments were ordered: Thomas Shield and family be allowed 6s on account of present sickness and that Job Scott, invalid, be allowed 3s and that John McKenzie be allowed 1s as a temporary relief, and to apply for a pass for John McKenzie, and that Alderday's family be allowed 2/6s for three or four weeks, and that Margaret Oliver of Norham be allowed an additional 6d.	
Item	GBR 1/115- 116	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 March 1803.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Laing; William Robertson. Overseers: William Ainslie. Trustees: George Richardson; Jordan Steel; John Sanderson.  The following weekly payments were ordered: Jane McKenzie be allowed 6d and that the Parish Surgeon be ordered to attend to her, and that widow Laselle be allowed 1s for a month and that Richard Mason's allowance of 2s be taken off and the sum of 1s only be allowed him during this month of March and then taken off him, and that George Ropus's widow be allowed 3s, and George Grey and wife be allowed 3s on account of present illness, and that Alex Johnson's widow and family be allowed 4s, and Mattheus Ferrah's wife and four children be allowed 3s and Alice Crawford and children ne allowed 4s on account of present sickness.	6 March 1803
Item	GBR 1/117	3 April 1803.	ON ACCOUNT OF THE NON-ATTENDANCE OF THE CHURCHWARDENS AND TRUSTEES NO BUSINESS WAS DONE.	3 April 1803
Item	GBR 1/117- 118	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 May 1803.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Laing; John Knox. Overseers: George Riddell; William Embleton; John Cockburn.  The following weekly payments were ordered: Margaret Bochamp be allowed 2s during her illness and that Morphew, pensioner, and family be allowed 3s, and James Trotter's widow and family be allowed 2/6s for a few weeks only,	1 May 1803

			and that Alice Raine be allowed 2/6s during her sickness and Samuel Taylor's wife and four children be allowed 5s until she goes to her husband, and David Bell's widow and four children be allowed 4s from last week and that 1s be taken off James Barlow's widow's allowance.	
Item	GBR 1/118- 119	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 June 1803.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Alderman Thompkins; John Smith; Robert Carr; Adam Chartres. Overseers: William Embleton; George Riddell. Trustees: William Graham; Stephen Maxwell; George Smith; Thomas Waite; Matthew Bell; William Ainslie; James Cockburn.  The following payments and decisions were ordered: Ralph Reley's wife and three children be ordered to come into the House [Workhouse], as their allowance of 3s a week is to be discontinued on account of the wife's conduct, and that William Carston, pensioner, be allowed 2s per week until his pension is paid at which [?] either to pay the above or he and his family are to leave the town, and that James McLean's wife and children be allowed support for one week and then to be taken into the House [Workhouse], if she does not at that time go to her husband in which case the Overseers will assist her with some money, and that widow Murphey be allowed 5s towards her rent, and that Jane Bussey's child be taken into the House [Workhouse] and the allowance to Jane Bussey be discontinued and that widow Samson's allowance be reduced from 3s to 2s per week.	5 June 1803
Item	GBR 1/120	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 July 1803.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Thompkins; John Smith; Robert Carr; Adam Chartres. Overseers: George Riddell; John Cockburn; William Embleton. Trustees: William Graham; John Bird; John Knox; Thomas Waite; William Ainslie; Matthew Bell; John Cockburn; George Smith; Stephen Maxwell; William Cunningham.  Ordered that a meeting of the Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees be held at the new Workhouse on Thursday 7 instant	3 July 1803

		at 9 o'clock.	
GBR 1/120- 121	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 July 1803.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Robert Carr; [other names illegible]. Overseers: George Riddell; William Embleton; Thomas Chartres; John Cockburn. Trustees: Andrew Jameson; William Graham; Joseph Todd; Thomas Waite; Matthew Bell; John Knox; George Smith; William Ainslie; John Dunlop; William Cunningham; James Cockburn; John Bird; Adam White; Stephen Maxwell.	7 July 1803
		No minutes recorded.	
GBR 1/122- 125		DR JOHN KNOX (IN ACCOUNT FOR MRS HAMILTON) 1807-1809.	
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GBR 1/128		MRS HAMILTON WITH THE PARISH OF BERWICK.	
GBR 1/129- 130	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 August 1803.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Thompkins; Robert Carr; Adam Chartres. Overseers: George Riddell; Thomas Chartres; John Cockburn. Trustees: John Dunlop; William Ainslie; John Knox; George Smith; William Graham; George Thompkins; Richard Reavley; Matthew Bell; Stephen Maxwell; John Bird; William Cunningham.	7 Aug. 1803
		The following payments and decisions were ordered: William Elliot of Belford, about 12 years of age, allowed 2s weekly. His mother is married to a person in London. Offered the House [Workhouse] or here passage to London to be paid by the Parish. Bella Watson offered the House [Workhouse]. Mary Craig, about 80 years of age, a cripple and almost blind. The doctor ordered to see her. Widow Richardson, burgess, had an allowance of 1s weekly, she is to be struck off the books. Jonathan James's wife and three children by a former wife. He is	
	GBR 1/122- 125 GBR 1/126- 127 GBR 1/128 GBR 1/129-	Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 July 1803.  GBR 1/122- 125  GBR 1/126- 127  GBR 1/128  GBR 1/129- 130  Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on	GBR 1/120- 121  Minutes of Benwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 July 1803.  Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Robert Carr; [other names illegible]. Overseers: George Riddell; William Embleton; Thomas Chartres; John Cockburn. Trustees: Andrew Jameson; William Graham; Joseph Todd; Thomas Waite; Matthew Bell; John Knox, George Smith; William Ainslie; John Dunlop; William Cunningham; James Cockburn; John Bird; Adam White; Stephen Maxwell.  No minutes recorded.  BLANK PAGES.  GBR 1/126- 127  GBR 1/128  GBR 1/129- 130  Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 August 1803.  Minutes of Berwick Charchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 August 1803.  Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Thompkins; Robert Carr; Adam Chartres, John Cockburn. Trustees: John Dunlop; William Ainslie; John Knox; George Smith; William Graham; George Thompkins; Richard Reavley; Matthew Bell; Stephen Maxwell; John Bird; William Cunningham.  The following payments and decisions were ordered: William Elliot of Belford, about 12 years of age, allowed 2s weekly. His mother is married to a person in London. Offered the House [Workhouse]. Mary Craig, about 80 years of age, a cripple and almost blind. The doctor ordered to see her. Wildow Richardson, burgess, had an

			Tweedmouth on the death of his mother. The Workhouse offered to the two eldest children. Shakett, widow, and three children. The Workhouse offered to the mother or [illegible] child Alexander Ford – allowance of 2/6s to be continued on condition of his selling off all his furniture and paying the money arising from the sale to the Parish. Robert Mullin to be taken into the House [Workhouse]. Ann Sanderson and one child's allowance to be discontinued. The House [Workhouse] offered to George Gladstone's wife and one child. John Cumming's wife and two children. The husband an impressed seaman. Ordered that one of the children come into the House [Workhouse]. [Mary Dairson] of Broom ridge, allowed 2/6s. Ordered that the Rev James Rummey, the Rev Andrew Thompson and John Thompson, custom house, and Mr Paulin, schoolmaster, be desired to attend at this house on Thursday 11 August 1803 in order to examine the candidate for the schoolmaster for this house.	
Item	GBR 1/131	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 September 1803.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Robert Carr; Alderman Thompkins. Overseers: John Cockburn. Trustees: William Graham; S Maxwell [Stephen Maxwell]; James Cockburn; Matthew Bell; George Smith; William Ainslie; Thomas Waite; Andrew Jameson; John Bird; Adam White.  Ann Robertson, widow, ordered to come into the House [Workhouse]. Re Margaret Hogg's petition, it was ordered to be referred to doctor Gilchrist, and if found true to be allowed her usual allowance of 1/6s a week. Ordered that an enquiry be made into why both of Ann Hogg's, widow, two children have been taken into the House [Workhouse] contrary to the General Order Book.	4 Sept. 1803
Item	GBR 1/132	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 October 1803.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Robert Carr; John Smith. Overseers: John Cockburn; Thomas Chartres. Trustees: Matthew Bell: William Graham; Thomas Waite; John Bird; Stephen Maxwell.	2 Oct. 1803

			Ordered that Elizabeth Lilly be allowed 5s weekly for a time, and that her parish be enquired about, and that widow Sampson be allowed into the House [Workhouse] on condition that she assigns over her right of her property at Perth to the Parish, and that William Smith and his son be allowed into the House [Workhouse], and his meadow and stint money to maintain his wife [and family].	
Item	GBR 1/133- 134	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 November 1803.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Robert Carr. Overseers: John Cockburn; Thomas Chartres. Trustees: William Graham; William Ainslie; George Smith; John Bird; James Cockburn; Thomas Waite; William Cunningham.  The following payments and decisions were ordered: Jane Crawford to come into the House [Workhouse], and that widow Roper's boy, aged 11, and girl aged 7, be allowed to come into the House [Workhouse], and that her weekly allowance to be discontinued, and that widow Shield's two boys, 11 years and eight years of age be taken into the House [Workhouse], and she be allowed 2s weekly, and that Mrs Brown's two children be taken into the Workhouse, and that widow Taylor's allowance of 4s weekly be reduced to 3s weekly and her house rent to be paid by the Parish, and that Thomas Dixon's allowance be continued and that widow Blythe be allowed 3s weekly and the second girl to be taken into the Workhouse.  This day it is agreed into with George Marshall of Spittal [incumbent] and in charge of [Elizabeth Chessman] [?] belonging to this Parish and allowed 8s weekly for her maintenance, that the said George Marshall with whom {Elizabeth Chessman] now lives does not think the allowance of 8s per week a sufficient indemnification for keeping her, but as she owns a small property [connected] with this, he will engage to keep the said [Elizabeth Chessman] for the 8s weekly during her life providing the Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees will allow the said property to fall to him at her death, which proposal was unanimously agreed. John Cockburn; Thomas Chartres; William	6 Nov. 1803

			Graham; William Ainslie; George Smith; George Thompkins; James Cockburn.	
Item	GBR 1/135- 136	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 December 1803.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Thompkins. Overseers: John Cockburn; Thomas Chartres. Trustees: William Graham; James Cockburn; George Smith; William Ainslie; Matthew Bell.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered:	4 Dec. 1803
			That widow Bartram be allowed an additional 6d until 1 March 1804, and that Richard Meisen be allowed 2s, and [Jane Mills] and family be allowed 4s during the winter and that Ferrow's children be allowed 2s or two of the children to come into the House [Workhouse], and George Younger's wife be allowed 3s for one month, her husband being impressed, and Agnes Shaughman be allowed 2s.	
Item	GBR 1/137	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 January 1804.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Robert Carr; George Thompkins. Overseers: George Riddell; John Cockburn. Trustees: George Smith; Matthew Bell; Thomas Waite; William Ainslie; John Bird.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: That the wife of Alexander Gardener, impressed [and puttle?] be allowed 2/6s until next monthly meeting, and that Dr Gilchrist wait upon Ann Turnbull, Tweedmouth. If Dr Gilchrist thinks she is able to be removed, she is offered the House [Workhouse], but if she is not, she is to be allowed 2s, and that widow Motherwell, George Horn and Jane Carr be offered the House [Workhouse], , and that George Younger's wife be allowed 2s for another month, and Clark's orphans come into the House, and Caleb Buglass's widow be allowed 4s until March, and Mark Lough's wife and family be allowed 7s.	1 Jan. 1804
Item	GBR 1/138- 139	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Robert Carr. Overseers: John Cockburn. Trustees: William Graham (in the	5 Feb. 1804

		and Trustees meeting held on 5 February 1804.	chair); William Ainslie; James Cockburn; Matthew Bell; Stephen Maxwell; Adam White; George Smith; William Cunningham.  The following weekly payments were ordered: The wife of Robert Gradon, an impressed man, be allowed an allowance until 25 March when it is repaid out of her stint money, otherwise her oldest child to come into the House [Workhouse], and that Elizabeth Knox and her two children be allowed 1/6s or one child taken into the House [Workhouse], and that Bruce, an impressed man, wife and family be allowed 2/6s until the half-yearly meeting to be held next April, and that Mannuell's child be allowed 1s for one month, and that widow Purvis be allowed 1s and Mrs Crow be allowed 2/6s for two months and that George Younger's wife and child allowance to be continued for another meeting.  Visiting Committee for this month: Mr Maxwell [Stephen Maxwell]; Mr Carr [Robert Carr, surgeon; Mr Ainslie [William Ainslie]; James Cockburn; William Cunningham.	
Item	GBR 1/139- 140	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 March 1804.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Adam Chartres; George Thompkins. Overseers: John Cockburn. Trustees: George Smith; William Ainslie; Matthew Bell; William Cunningham.  The following weekly payments were ordered: James Grays's wife be allowed 2s until her husband comes home when the allowance is to be repaid to the Parish, and that Elizabeth Knox and her two children be allowed 2s for one month, and that Ralph Cook's wife and family be allowed to come into the House [Workhouse] on condition [damaged] meadows and stint to the Parish, and that Mrs Alexander be allowed 1s until her child be weaned, and then taken off it, and that Pilmour's child comes into the House [Workhouse] and that Alex Gardiner's wife, Spittle, be allowed 2s, and Ann Carr be allowed 2s until next monthly meeting, and George Younger's	4 March 1804

			wife and child be allowed 1s until she hears from her husband, and John Dodds be allowed 2s for one month. Committee for this month: George Thompkins; Adam Chartres; Matthew Bell; George Smith; William Cunningham.	
Item	GBR 1/140- 141	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 April 1804.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Thompkins. Overseers: George Riddell; John Cockburn. Trustees: William Graham; Thomas Waite; James Cockburn; George Smith; Matthew Bell.  Ordered that a meeting be held on Wednesday 25 April 1804 at	1 April 1804
			9:30. The following payments were ordered: that [damaged] wife and three children be allowed 2s weekly, and that Ann Bell be allowed some weaning apparels, and that John Hugh's wife, now lying in be allowed a temporary allowance during her month, and after that no allowance whatever, and that Betty Reed, widow of Joseph Reed, be removed to Barnard Castle, her husband's parish, and that Mr Dickson enquire about Andrew Fleming's bounty.	
			Committee for the month of April 1804: George Riddell; Thomas Waite; James Cockburn; John Bird; William Graham.	
Item	GBR 1/141	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 May 1804.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Thompkins. Overseers: John Paxton; Michael Lilly; James Hubback. Trustees: Matthew Bell; James Graham; William Robinson; William Thompkins; William Scott; George Riddell.  Ordered that Hail's child be taken into the House [Workhouse] during the time of his mother's absence.	6 May 1804
Item	GBR 1/142- 143	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Pattison; William Bell. Overseers: John Paxton; Michael Lilly; Hubback [James Hubback]. Trustees: James Graham; William Graham;	3 June 1804

		3 June 1804.	William Cunningham; William Scott.	
			The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Forster's wife be allowed 2s until a certificate comes from Leith that she receives no monthly money from the Custom House there, and that Spear's two children, seven and six years of age, be allowed 2s, and widow Hartley be allowed to come into the House [Workhouse], and Archbold W Reddy, a child kept by John Buchannan, be allowed 2s, and widow Maltman comes into the House [Workhouse], and Alexander Gardiner's wife and three children be allowed 2s for a month.  Memorandum. William Graham has a promissory note granted by John Luggat, baker, for £39, which becomes [payable] 3 May 1804, of which the following is a copy [damages]  Committee: Matthew Bell; James Graham; William Cunningham; Joseph Hubback; Michael Lilly.	
Item	GBR 1/143- 144	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 July 1804.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: John Paxton; Joseph Hubback. Trustees: Graham [James Graham]; Matthew Bell; George Smith; William Robertson; John Cockburn.	1 July 1804
			The following weekly payments were ordered: Eleanor Brymer and two children be allowed 1/6s for one month, and Alexander Johnston's widow be allowed 3s or the two eldest children taken into the House [Workhouse], and Alexander Ford be taken onto the House [Workhouse] and his allowance taken off him, and Nelly Brown be allowed 2s. Committee for July: George Smith; William Robertson; John Cockburn; William Graham; Joseph Hubback.	
Item	GBR 1/144- 145	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 August 1804.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Alderman Thompkins. Overseers: Joseph Hubback; Michael Lilly; [Robert Chartres]. Trustees: Matthew Bell; William Robertson; William Graham; Henry Johnson; John Cockburn; John Sanderson; William Thompkins; George Riddell.	5 Aug. 1804

			The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Grace Brown be allowed 3/6s to pay for a pair of shoes bought by her for Elizabeth Lilly [?] and Jane Frame be allowed 2s for a short time, and Margaret Hay, Alnwick, be allowed 2s, and John Farnall, stocking maker, be allowed 2s until next month's meeting, and that Jane Gray and two children be allowed 3s until next month's meeting and J Alexander's child be allowed 6d for a short time, and Eleanor Brymer and two children be allowed 1s for one month.  Committee for August: Henry Johnston; William Thompkins; George Riddell; John Sanderson; John Paxton.  Ordered that everything that comes into the Workhouse comes in by estimate and be submitted to the consideration of the Committee on Thursday night first.	
Item	GBR 1/145- 146	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 September 1804.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: David Chartres; Michael Lilly; Joseph Hubback; John Paxton. Trustees: Matthew Bell; William Graham; John Sanderson; John Cockburn; Robert Wilson; William Thompkins; William Robertson; [Dr Johnson How?]; William Scott; William Cunningham.	2 Sept. 1804
			The following decisions and payments were ordered: Margaret Hogg, widow Purves, Widow Hartly and widow Henderson come into the House [Workhouse], and that John Robinson's wife and family be allowed temporary relief, and Isaac Davidson and Mary, his wife, be allowed 4s weekly on account of old age, and that John Easton, schoolmaster, be allowed 1 guinea at the discretion of the Churchwardens and the Overseers for the time being. Committee for September 1804: William Graham; Matthew Bell; John Cockburn; William Cunningham; William Scott.	
Item	GBR 1/146- 147	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Thompkins; Thomas Lough. Overseers: Joseph Hubback; Michael Lilly; David Chartres' Trustees: William Cunningham; John Cockburn;	7 Oct. 1804

		7 October 1804.	William Graham; George Smith; William Robertson; George Riddell; William Scott [list incomplete, damaged].  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Jane Robertson, invalid and widow, be allowed 2s until next monthly meeting, and widow [Samson Green?] be allowed 2/6s during her present sickness, and one of widow Hogg's children, aged eight and six, be taken into the House, and that [Galimour's] wife and family be allowed an additional 6d, which will make their allowance 5s.  Committee for October 1804: John Sanderson; George Smith; Joseph Hubback; Robert Wilson; George Riddell.	
Item	GBR 1/147- 148	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 November 1804.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Thomas Lough; William Pattison. Overseers: David Chartres; Michael Lilly; Joseph Hubback. Trustees: John Sanderson; William Cunningham; Matthew Bell; William Graham; George Smith; William Scott; Thomas Chartres; William Robertson.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Murphy and wife be allowed 1/6 until they receive their pension, and Elizabeth Sharon be allowed 1s during the winter, and Margaret Boyd be allowed 2s and Mr Lilly call upon her, and Jane Vardy be allowed 1s during [illegible], and Elizabeth Crow be continued as usual during her son's apprenticeship, and Martha Purves be offered the House [Workhouse], and widow Paulin be allowed 1/6s if she has no lodger and that widow Robertson be continued 1/6s during winter and widow Paxton be allowed 1s and [Martha Smith] be allowed 1s and widow Davidson be allowed 1s during winter, and that Ann Lessels be allowed 6d during winter, and Margaret Davidson be allowed 1s during winter and widow Purves 1s during winter and Elizabeth Hood be allowed 1s during winter. Committee for November: William Cunningham; William Scott; Matthew Bell; John Cockburn; William Graham.	4 Nov. 1804

Item	GBR 1/149	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 December 1804.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: David Chartres; Joseph Hubback. Trustees: William Cunningham; Matthew Bell; John Cockburn; William Scott; John Sanderson; William Graham.	2 Dec. 1804
			The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: John Cairn's widow 1s until March, and widow Murray 6d during the winter, and widow Sinclaire 1s and Mary Mullen 1/6s during her illness, and [Ann Shordie] and Eliza Crow come into the House [Workhouse], and Alexander Cairns be allowed 2s during his illness, and Elizabeth Duggan 1s during the winter, and Alexander Johnson's widow and family be allowed 2s during the winter, and Martha Taylor 1s during the winter, and Agnes Manderson 1/6s during the winter, and Elizabeth Finlay to come into the House [Workhouse], and Nancy Patterson be allowed 1s and widow Daily be allowed [rest of entry illegible]. Committee: David Chartres; Joseph Hubback; William Cunningham; John Paxton [incomplete, damaged].	
Item	GBR 1/150- 151	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held in January 1805 [no date stated].	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Thompkins; Thomas Lough. Overseers: Michael Lilly; Joseph Hubback. Trustees: Matthew Bell; William Graham; William Thompkins; John Sanderson; George Smith; William Scott; John Cockburn; Robert Wilson.  The following weekly payments were ordered: Richard Mason, gardener, 2s for one month only, and widow Fairbairn an additional 6d, which will make her allowance 1s, and widow Hogg be allowed an additional 6d and Mary Nesbit, widow, to come into the House [Workhouse], and Margaret McKinnis be allowed 3/6s until her husband arrives – NB her parish is All Saints [Nia?], and [Margaret McLiam] be allowed 1s, and William Gray an additional 6d [the following two entries incomplete] and that Isabella Clark is allowed 2s and Jane Hartgrow 1s until March and Isabella Young 1s Committee for January 1805: Robert Wilson; William Thompkins; John Cockburn; George Smith; Michael Bell.	Jan. 1805

Item	GBR 1/151- 152	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 February 1805.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Thomas Lough. Overseers: Michael Lilly; Joseph Hubback. Trustees: William Cunningham; William Graham; William Scott; William Robertson; Matthew Bell; John Sanderson; John Cockburn.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Isabella Duglass and bastard child be allowed 2s for a time, and widow Elizabeth Smith, Ord, be allowed 2s for a time, and Mary Young and Jane Murray 1s until March, and that widow Trotter's, Castlegate, two eldest children, Bill Trotter and Robert Trotter, be sent to school and the Overseers to pay the school wages [fees?], and Nancy Robertson to come into the House [Workhouse], and George King's child be allowed 1s, and widow Hogg and two children, 11 and 9 years of age, to come into the House [Workhouse], and widow Maltman be allowed 1/6s and widow Cogle 2/6s and Gillimon's wife and children be allowed 3s until her husband gets out of gaol, and Elizabeth Crow be allowed 1s until March, and Isabella Lindsay 1s until March. Committee for February 1805: William Cunningham; William Graham; William Scott; John Sanderson; Michael Lilly.	3 Feb. 1805
Item	GBR 1/152	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 March 1805.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Thompkins. Overseers: Joseph Hubback; Michael Lilly; David Chartres. Trustees: George Smith; John Cockburn; William Ford; Matthew Bell; John Sanderson; Thomas Chartres  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: That the doctor call on Jane Moffat at Norham and report her case to the Overseer who shall make such allowance as he shall think proper, and that Margaret Jackson, widow, and her two children, Margaret aged 7 months and Sarah aged 5 years (husband aboard a man-of-war), be allowed 1s, and Martha Yelloly's bastard child be allowed 2/6, and [Alex Stewart's] wife be allowed an additional 6d until her husband comes home, and Robert Brown be allowed 1/6s and Margaret Davidson an additional 6d, and that Jane Ewart's child comes into the House	4 March 1805

			[Workhouse], and William Patterson be allowed an additional 1s to be paid back by him to Cockrain for taking care of [rest of entry damaged], and that George Nutter [saddler?] [rest of entry damaged], and that Thomas Hill's wife, invalid, and two children be allowed 2/6s and Narmer's child come into the House [Workhouse], or [Mrs. ?] be allowed 1/6 to keep the said child until next meeting, and that Jane Murray and children be allowed [?].  Committee for March 1805: George Smith; Thomas Chartres; Matthew Bell; David Chartres; William Ford.	
Item	GBR 1/154- 155	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 April 1805.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Thompkins. Overseers: Michael Lilly; Joseph Hubback. Trustees: George Smith; John Sanderson; William Scott; Matthew Bell; William Graham; John Cockburn; William Ford; Robert Wilson; William Cunningham.  The following weekly payments were ordered: Widow Craig be allowed eight weeks allowance which is £1 in order to pay her rent and another allowance of [?] thereafter, and that widow Gray be allowed 2/6s until her recovery, child Jane, five years of age and Jane Moffat, Norhan, be allowed 2/6s until next monthly meeting, and Ann Anderson be allowed 1s until her recovery, and widow Mary McIntyre be allowed an additional 6d. Committee for April 1805: George Thompkins; William Scott; Robert Wilson; John Sanderson; Michael Lilly. Ordered that the A.G.M. be held on 24 April 1805 at the Workhouse at 9 a.m.	7 April 1805
Item	GBR 1/155	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees A.G.M. held on 24 April 1805.	Ferrow Marshall was unanimously appointed Chairman for the ensuing year.  Trustees until next monthly meeting: James Hogarth; Patrick Mole; Ferrow Marshall; John Knox; Joseph Hubback.	24 April 1805

Item	GBR 1/156	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 May 1805.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Thompkins; William Pattison. Overseers: William Laing; Patrick Mole; John Wilson; Adam Chartres. Trustees: Michael Lilly; James Hogarth; George Richardson; John Hately; John Knox; Stephen Maxwell; Ferrow Marshall (Chairman); Joseph Hubback.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: John Black and wife, Castlegate, be allowed 1s, and Andrew Johnson's widow be allowed 2/6s or come into the House [Workhouse], and Richard Burn's wife, invalid, be allowed 2/6s, and Sanford's child to come into the House [Workhouse], and Thomas Hill's wife be allowed 3s until she can be removed to her parish, and that Barbara Logan and child, Spittle [Spittal] come into the House [Workhouse].  Committee: John Hately; Stephen Maxwell; John Wilson; Adam Chartres; Michael Lilly.	5 May 1805
Item	GBR 1/157- 158	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 June 1805.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Pattison; George Thompkins. Overseers: William Laing; Patrick Mole. Trustees: George Richardson; Michael Lilly; Stephen Maxwell; Joseph Hubback.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Mary Mullen, insane, be allowed an additional 1s which will make her allowance 3/6s, and widow Smith, Ord, be allowed 1s for one month and Clark Parades' allowance be discontinued, and Isaac Davidson's widow come into the House [Workhouse] and Alexander's child be allowed an additional 6d and Mary Suddiss be allowed 1s for one month and Pennycook's child come into the House [Workhouse], and widow Sharer be allowed 1s, and Linnery's wife and child be allowed 1s, and George Fair be allowed 2s during his present sickness and [Finland? Munro's?] wife be allowed 2s for a time and Robert Burn's wife be allowed 2s [?] until her husband comes back from Edinburgh, and William Hogg to come into the House [Workhouse], and Donald Sinclair be allowed 2s during his sickness and John Menzies be allowed 3s [rest of entry illegible]	2 June 1805

			Committee for June 1805: Joseph Hubback; William Pattison; John Knox; George Thompkins; George Richardson. Ordered that Ketty Nesbit be allowed 1s weekly.	
Item	GBR 1/158	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 July 1805.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Pattison; George Thompkins; Thomas Lough. Overseers: William Laing; Adam Chartres. Trustees: George Richardson; John Knox; Stephen Maxwell; Joseph Hubback; Michael Lilly.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Ordered that Andrew Fleming and family be continued 6s during his sickness, and William Wood be allowed 2s and James Smeabard be allowed during his sickness [no amount mentioned], and widow Taylor be allowed 3/6s [?] 4/6s and Sarah Murray's daughter, seven years of age, to come into the House [Workhouse].  Committee for July 1805: John Knox; Stephen Maxwell; Joseph Hubback; George Richardson; Michael Lilly.	7 July 1805
Item	GBR 1/159- 160	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 August 1805.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Robert Gillis; Alderman Reavley [Richard Reavley]. Overseers: Adam Chartres; Patrick Mole; John Wilson; William Laing. Trustees: George Thompkins; George Richardson; William Pattison; Thomas Lough; Michael Lilly; Joseph Hubback; Stephen Maxwell  The following payments and decisions were ordered: Widow Bartram be allowed and additional 6d, and widow Douglass to come into the House [Workhouse], and Jane Bussy be allowed 1/6s, and James's children to come into the House [Workhouse], and that Mrs Oldfield [alias] Epworth, widow be allowed an additional 6d and John Scott be allowed 1 guinea in order to carry him [and his] wife and granddaughter to Ireland and that Thomas Hill's wife be allowed an additional 6d, and widow Turner to come into the House [Workhouse]. Committee for August 1805: John Wilson; Robert Gillis; Thomas Lough; William Laing; Richard Reavley. Ordered that John Easton, school master, go along with the poor	4 Aug. 1805

			children on Sundays to the High Meeting, and not to be allowed to be Clerk for the Low Meeting. If any further application is made to this meeting for liberty to be Clerk, then such application to be considered as his resignation of the office of schoolmaster for this Parish.	
Item	GBR 1/161	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 September 1805.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: names illegible]. Overseers: Adam Chartres. Trustees: Hubback [Joseph Hubback]; T Lough [Thomas Lough]; Richardson [George Richardson].  Ordered that John Marr come into the House [Workhouse] and that Mary Young be allowed 1s weekly, and William Richardson [printer?] be allowed 1s weekly, and J Watson's wife and family be allowed 1/6s weekly Committee for September 1805: Joseph Hubback; George Richardson; Thomas Chartres (cooper); John Wilson; Patrick Mole.	1 Sept. 1805
Item	GBR 1/162	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 October 1805.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Thomas Chartres; William Brown; Alderman Reavley [Richard Reavley]. Overseers: Adam Chartres; John Wilson; Patrick Mole. Trustees: Thomas Lough; Michael Lilly; George Smith.  Ordered that Andrew Fleming, wife and family be allowed an additional 1s weekly (says 7s until [next] meeting), and that Lilly (insane) be allowed an additional 1s until [next] meeting. Committee for October 1805: Thomas Lough; Michael Lilly; Richard Reavley; William Brown; Patrick Mole.  Ordered that the half-yearly general meeting be held at the House [Workhouse], Wednesday 24 October 1805 at 9 a.m.	6 Oct. 1805
Item	GBR 1/163- 164	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Brown; Thomas Chartres. Overseers: John Wilson. Trustees: George Richardson; George Thompkins; Michael Lilly; Joseph Hubback;	3 Nov. 1805

	3 November 1805.	Stephen Maxwell.	
		The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Mrs Sheriff be allowed 2/6s on account of her insane son, her husband at Inverleithing, butler to [?] Roughhead, and Jane Vardy be allowed 1s during winter, and William Purves and wife, in distress, [be] allowed 2/6s during illness, and Elizabeth and Ann [?] be allowed 6d each during winter, and William Trotter be allowed 4s until next monthly meeting and John Black and wife be allowed 1/6s or come into the House [Workhouse], and Mr Houghman and two children be allowed 2s, and Colonel West, commanding 3 <sup>rd</sup> Invalid Battalion at Jersey, be contacted in order, if possible, to get John Houghman, the husband, to come to this country, and that William Douglass and John Douglass, two children [of?] [Thomas Douglass] to come into the House [Workhouse], and that Mary Davidson be allowed 1s during winter, and Thomas Clark, Wallace Green, be allowed [damaged] during his illness, and [Mary Wraks?] be relieved from [?] and Robert Brown be allowed 1s during winter, and Ellowed 1s and William Roger be allowed [?] during winter, and Edward Branxton, five years of age, be allowed into the House [Workhouse], and Rachael Wright and family be allowed 2s and to come to the Town Hall on Saturday in order to be examined respecting her parish, her parish may be found out by enquiring at Volunteer Enrolment in possession of her [state], and John Dickson, impressed, wife and five children be allowed 3/6s until she receives the monthly money from her husband, and that Ketty Nesbit be allowed an additional 1s, which will make her allowance 2s weekly, and that [Flaugherty] be allowed an additional 1s. Committee for November 1805: John Paxton; Joseph Hubback; Thomas Chartres; Stephen Maxwell; George Thompkins.	
Item GBR 1/164- 165	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Brown; Thomas Chartres. Overseers: John Wilson; William Laing. Trustees: Joseph Hubback; Henry Johnson; Stephen Maxwell;	1 Dec. 1805

		1 December 1805.	Ferrow Marshall; Thomas Lough; William Ford; Alexander Stevenson; George Thompkins; George Richardson.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Widow Liddell to come into the House [Workhouse] and her meadow and stint money to be [secured?] by the Parish, and that widow [Siboslas] and child be allowed 2s for a time, and widow Carens be allowed 1s during winter, and that Andrew Hening's wife and five children be allowed 6s and John Reed and wife, Jane Hartgrove and Mary Brude each be allowed 1s during winter, and that widow Marjory Grant and child be allowed 1/6s and [Margaret Honnyman] be allowed 6d. Committee for December 1805: Ferrow Marshall; Thomas Lough; Michael Lilly; David Chartres; William Laing.	
Item	GBR 1/165- 166	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 January 1806.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Brown. Overseers: [damaged]. Trustees: Ferrow Marshall; James Hogarth; Joseph Hubback; Thomas Lough; Stephen Maxwell; George Richardson; John Knox; [Dr] Stevenson.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: John Wyke's wife and child be allowed 2sfor a time, and Richard Mason and his wife be allowed 2s during winter, and Mary Burn be allowed 1s for a time, and William Ord's widow to come into the House [Workhouse] and the rents of the meadow and stint be received by the Parish, and that widow Elliott be allowed 1/6s and widow Margaret Murphy be allowed 1s for a time, and Larimer's wife be allowed 6d in addition to her present allowance of 2s, and Joseph Bone and wife be allowed 2s for a time and Elizabeth Crow be allowed 1s for a time, and [Archibald Englis] has £1 10s advanced to him to enable him to repay his rent, which is due on or before May Day. Committee for January: George Richardson; James Hogarth; Hubback [Joseph Hubback]; Ferrow Marshall; John Knox.  Ordered that the surgeon for the time being examine every person before admitted into the Poor House.	5 Jan. 1806

Item	GBR 1/167	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 February 1806.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Brown. Overseers: Patrick Mole; W Wilson [William Wilson]. Trustees: Ferrow Marshall; Joseph Hubback; Stephen Maxwell; John Knox.  Ordered that Jane Burton be allowed 1s weekly for one month and that Robert Craik and wife be allowed 1s weekly additional, and Mary Nesbit be allowed 1s weekly for a time. Committee for February 1806: Stephen Maxwell; William Brown; George Richardson; James Hogarth; Thomas Lough.	2 Feb. 1806
Item	GBR 1/168	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 March 1806.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Brown. Overseers: Patrick Mole; John Wilson. Trustees: George Richardson; Joseph Hubback; Stephen Maxwell; Ferrow Marshall.  The following payments and decisions were ordered: Margaret Smith of [Letham Shank] be allowed 1/6s a week until the general meeting, and that widow Smith of Ord be allowed 2s weekly, and that 13/6s be paid to widow Bertram for her house rent up to last Candlemas, and Jane Burton's allowance be continued for one month longer, and that John Bussy's wife be given money to carry her to her husband and that the surgeon see [Jane Lushman] to report her case to the Overseer and that the allowance of 1/6s a week be continued to Joseph Brown's widow. Committee for March 1806: Maxwell [Stephen Maxwell]; Brown [William Brown]; Richardson [George Richardson]; Hogarth [James Hogarth]; Lough [Thomas Lough].	2 March 1806
Item	GBR 1/169	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 April 1806.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Pattison; William Brown. Overseers: Patrick Mole; John Wilson; William Laing; Adam Chartres. Trustees: Alderman Thompkins; Stephen Maxwell.	6 April 1806

			The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: William Davidson be allowed 1s on account of present sickness until next general meeting, and that Christian Frazer be allowed 1s additional and Alexander Cossan's wife be allowed 1s until the general meeting. Ordered that a general meeting of the Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees be held at the Workhouse on Wednesday23 April at 10 a.m. and that widow Hogarth and family (removed from Sunderland) be allowed 1/6s for 12 months and that widow Storey to come into the House [Workhouse].  Committee for April 1806: William Laing; Adam Chartres; William Pattison; Alderman Thompkins; Ferrow Marshall.	
Item	GBR 1/170- 171	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 May 1806.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Robert Gillis; William Brown. Overseers: Andrew Anderson; R Brodie [Ralph Brodie]; John Turner. Trustees: Alderman Thompkins; John Rowland; William Ford; William Graham; George Smith; William Scott; William Robertson; George Riddell; Adam Chartres; William Laing.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Guthrie's widow and children, Tweedmouth, be allowed 2s and Jane Douglas, widow, be allowed 1/6s and [Shook's] wife and child be allowed 2s for one month and Sarah Frazer, in great distress, be allowed such allowance as the doctor and Overseer see appropriate and May Ready' child be allowed some clothes and Jane Craub and child be allowed [no amount stated] and that widow Honnyman, 50 years of age, to come into the House [Workhouse], and [Erummbry's]Child be allowed 1s and widow Hogg and child be allowed 1s.  Ordered that Dr Stevenson see widow Purvis, and if unfit to come into the House [Workhouse] be allowed 1s, and widow Hood (insane betimus?) to be allowed 1s.  Committee for May 1806: Robert Wilson; John Rowland; William Ford; William Robertson; George Riddell.	4 May 1806
Item	GBR 1/171	Minutes of Berwick	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Brown.	1 June 1806

		Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 June 1806.	Overseers: Andrew Anderson. Trustees: William Graham; Robert Wilson; William Scott; Thomas Waite; Adam Chartres; John Rowland; William Ford.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Alison Ford be allowed 1s or come into the House [Workhouse] and that William Boyd be allowed 3s and May Weatherburn and child be allowed 1s for [feath?] and widow Smith [Barhinney?] to come into the House [Workhouse, and that Alexander Alcan, wife and family in [damaged] allowed [?] on account of [damaged] and that Seb King's widow come [damaged] and Barbara Carr and child be allowed 1s and George Gilchrist, barber, be allowed £2 2s 0d yearly for shaving and haircutting.	
Item	GBR 1/172	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 July 1806.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: Ralph Brody; John Turner; Robert Carr. Trustees: William Scott; William Graham; James Graham; George Smith; William Robertson; William Rowland. The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Ordered that Jane Brown, a soldier's wife, be taken into the House [Workhouse], and Jane Anderson be allowed 1s until the next meeting, and Robert Brown's allowance of 1/6s be increased to 2/6s, and Downie's wife and children be allowed one week's further allowance of 4s, but no more, widow Boyd to come into the House [Workhouse], if she thinks it proper, and that Ann Wilson 3s in future and a sum of 20s out of the sum of 39s [damaged] received on her account to buy necessary and [damaged] of[damaged] by her. Committee for July 1906: William Scott; William Graham; James Graham; William Robertson; George Smith.	6 July 1806
Item	GBR 1/173	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 August 1806.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Jeffrey Samson. Overseers: Ralph Brody; John Turner; Robert Carr; Andrew Anderson. Trustees: Thomas Waite; Robert Wilson; William Scott; Adam Chartres; John Dunlop.  Ordered that widow Heugh be allowed for herself and child 2s	3 Aug. 1806

			weekly and Jane Redpath's allowance be increased from 2s to 3s weekly. Committee for August 1806: Thomas Waite; Robert Wilson; William Scott; Adam Chartres; John Dunlop.	
Item	GBR 1/173- 174	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 September 1806.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Thompkins; William Jeffrey Jameson. Overseers: John Turner. Trustees: Thomas Waite; William Scott; John Dunlop.  Ordered that Nancy Patterson be offered the House [Workhouse] and Jane Swordie's child be taken into the House [Workhouse], and Alexander Robertson's widow be allowed 4s per week.  Committee for September 1806: George Smith; William Robertson; William Ford; William Thompkins; Thomas Waite.	7 Sept. 1806
Item	GBR/1174	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 October 1806.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: James Jameson. Overseers: John Turner; Andrew Anderson; Robert Carr. Trustees: John Rowland; Thomas Waite; George Smith; William Robertson; John Dunlop; William Graham.  Ordered that Jannet Nesbitt be offered the House [Workhouse] and that William Hume be allowed 1s per week additional and Sarah Liddel be allowed 1s per week additional and John W Donald and Sarah Campbell be taken into the House [Workhouse].  Committee for October 1806: Ralph Brody; John Wilson; John Dunlop; W Robertson [William Robertson]; William Graham.	5 Oct. 1806
Item	GBR 1/175	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees half-yearly meeting held on 22 October 1806.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: R Brodie [Ralph Brodie]; J Turner [John Turner]; R Carr [Robert Carr]; A Anderson [Andrew Anderson]. Trustees: W Graham [William Graham]; A Chartres [Adam Chartres]; W Scott [William Scott]; G Smith [George Smith]; W Robertson [William Robertson]; J Wilson [John Wilson]; J Knox [John Knox]; P Mole [Patrick Mole]; G Thompkins [George Thompkins]; R Wilson	22 Oct. 1806.

			[Robert Wilson]; R Reavley [Richard Reavley]	
			Ordered that Mrs Fleming do receive £5 as a compliment for her great attention to the concerns of the House [Workhouse].	
Item	GBR 1/176	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 November 1806.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: W Jameson [William Jameson]. Overseers: R Carr [Robert Carr]; J Turner [John Turner]; A Anderson [Andrew Anderson]. Trustees: W Graham [William Graham]; G Smith [George Smith]; W Scott [William Scott].	2 Nov. 1806
			Ordered that Jane Hardy be allowed 1s per week during the winter and Thomas Roughead, Bidulph Martin and Isabel Churnside be offered the House [Workhouse] and Nicholas Brown's niece be offered 2s relief during distress.  Committee for November 1806: Thomas Waite; George Smith; Robert Wilson; W Graham [William Graham]; John Turner.	
Item	GBR 1/176- 177	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 December 1806.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: R Carr [Robert Carr; J Turner [John Turner]; A Anderson [Andrew Anderson]. Trustees: W Graham [William Graham]; T Waite [Thomas Waite]; G Smith [George Smith]; W Scott [William Scott].	7 Dec. 1806
			Ordered that Noble's wife and family be sent to her husband at Nottingham, and that Murphy's wife be allowed [6d] weekly until she gets her pension, and Isabella Fender be taken into the House [Workhouse], and Margaret Renman, daughter of [Eliz Penman] be taken into the House [Workhouse] for one year.	
Item	GBR 1/177	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 January 1807.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Thompkins junior; J Jeffrey Jameson. Overseers: Robert Carr; Andrew Anderson; J Turner [John Turner]. Trustees: George Smith; William Ford; A Chartres [Adam Chartres]; W Robertson [William Robertson]; George Thompkins; James Graham.	7 Jan. 1807

			Ordered that James Letham be taken into the House [Workhouse] at Candlemas, and widow Johnson be allowed 1/6s additional and James Scott and family be allowed [7?] weekly. Elizabeth Moor; Mrs Ward and Bluth be taken into the House [Workhouse] and Richard Mason be allowed 2s weekly until March and Mrs Sheriff to receive [damaged]. Committee for January 1807: William Robertson; Adam Chartres; George Thompkins [the rest damaged]	
Item	GBR 1/178- 179	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 February 1807.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Jeffrey Jameson. Overseers: R Carr [Robert Carr]; A Anderson [Andrew Anderson]; John Turner. Trustees: William Robertson; George Smith; William Graham; William Scott; Adam Chartres; James Graham; George Thompkins.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Nelly Neil to receive 3s and widow Cairns and daughter to receive 3/6s, and John Reidand's wife to receive 2s until pension is received, and Mrs King to come into the House [Workhouse], and John Sidey's child to receive 1s, and Ann Patterson to receive 1s and that Robert Craig to receive 4s during sickness and widow Dishington to come into the House [Workhouse], and William Johnson to receive 3s during illness, and Sarah Frazer to receive 3/.6s and that two of Buglass's children come into the House [Workhouse] as well as Phebe Lewis and that Robert Brown receives 2/6s and [?] McIntyre to receive 3s for one week.  Committee for February 1807: George Smith; William Scott; James Graham; [remaining names damaged].  Ordered that [Easter Hedly] receive school money for her son.	1 Feb. 1807
Item	GBR 1/179	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held in March 1807[no date stated].	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Jameson [William Jeffrey Jameson]. Overseers: A Anderson [Andrew Anderson]; R Carr [Robert Carr]; J Turner [John Turner]. Trustees: William Robertson; William Scott; George	March 1807

			Thompkinson; George Smith; William Graham; J Waite; J Dunlop [John Dunlop]; William Ford.  Ordered that Mary Linnen and child and Lee's child come into the House [Workhouse], and that John Brown comes into the Workhouse and that the Workhouse receive his meadow and stint money, and that widow Scott Greives Head be allowed 3s weekly.  Committee for March 1807: John Dunlop; George Thompkins; Robert Carr; John Turner.	
Item	GBR 1/180	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 April 1807.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: W J Jameson [William Jeffrey Jameson]; William Thompkins junior. Overseers: John Turner; A Anderson [Andrew Anderson]; R Brody. Trustees: William Cunningham; J Evans [John Evans]; Matthew Bell; David Christie; James Cockburn; J Paxton [John Paxton].  Ordered that Ann Douglass receives 1s additional per week for one month, and Jane Redpath received 1s additional per week to her present allowance of 3s and Blyth's child to receive 2/6s, and that the half-yearly meeting be held at this House [Workhouse] on Wednesday 22 April at 10 a.m.	5 April 1807
Item	GBR 1/181	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 May 1807.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None' Overseers: L Reid; Paul Aitchinson; Thomas Richardson. Trustees: James Hogarth; M Bell [Matthew Bell]; J Turner [John Turner]; J Paxton [John Paxton]; James Cockburn; W J Jameson [William Jeffrey Jameson]; George Richardson.  Ordered that Matthew Sanders to receive 4s weekly until next monthly meeting, and widow Henderson to receive 2s weekly and Ann Douglass 1s additional for one month longer, and Mary Bell to receive 2s weekly till her parish is found, and widow Black to receive 1s weekly and Mrs Kennedy to receive 4s weekly till her parish is found.	3 May 1807

Item	GBR 1/182	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 June 1807.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Thompkins; Thomas Alders; J Bell. Overseers: J Reid; H Richardson [Henry Richardson]. Trustees: William Ford; George Richardson; James Cockburn; J Paxton [John Paxton]; A Anderson [Andrew Anderson; James Christie; J Evans [John Evans].  The following payments and decisions were ordered: Widow Allan be continued 1s, and David Sanderson's family to receive 1/6s weekly till her [sic] parish is found out [widow in front of Sanderson's has been crossed out and replaced with David], and Ralph to receive 1/6s in addition to his former allowance of 1s weekly, and widow Vetch receives 6d additional to her former allowance of 1/6s, and Johnson received 1/6s weekly and Jane Brown 1s weekly. Thomas Roughead and Martin to come into the House [Workhouse], and Wales's child be allowed clothes.	7 June 1807
Item	GBR 1/183	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 July 1807.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Thompkins; Thomas Alder. Overseers: John Reid; H Richardson [Henry Richardson]; P Aitchinson [Paul Aitchinson; P Carouther [Paul Carouther]. Trustees: R Carr [Robert Carr]; D Christie [David Christie]; M Bell [Matthew Bell]; J Cockburn [John Cockburn] J Evans [John Evans]; A Anderson [Andrew Anderson].  The following payments an decisions were ordered: [Limmery's] child be allowed 1s weekly and Dagleish to receive 6s weekly and George Knox's family 5s weekly, and widow Cockburn to receive 4s weekly, and widow Knox to receive 4s to be repaid when she gets her meadows and stints and Arnold's family and Mrs Marston come into the House [Workhouse].	5 July 1807
Item	GBR 1/183- 184	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 August 1807.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Thomas Alder. Overseers: H Richardson [Henry Richardson]. Trustees: [damaged].  Ordered that Dagleish receives 4s weekly and Sutherland 3s weekly, and that Donald McKenzie and his two children come	2 Aug. 1807

			into the House [Workhouse], and that Mrs White to receive 2/6 weekly.	
Item	GBR 1/184	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 September 1807.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Thompkins; J Bill. Overseers: P Aitchinson [Paul Aitchinson]; J Reid; H Richardson [Henry Richardson]. Trustees: John Turner; William Cunningham; David Christie; J Paxton [John Paxton]; Matthew Bell; J Cockburn [John Cockburn]; William Thompkins  The following weekly payments were ordered:.  Mrs Younger receives 2s, and Mrs Fairbain to come into the House [Workhouse] and Susan Crawford to receive 3s and Mrs McHay to receive 3s, and that widow Mill's two children come into the House [Workhouse], and widow Dixon received 3s.	6 Set. 1807
Item	GBR 1/185	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 October 1807.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Thomas Alder; George Thompkins. Oversees: Paul Aitchinson; H Cockburn. Trustees: William Ford; M Bill [Matthew Bill]; J Cockburn [John Cockburn]; D Christie [David Christie]; J Turner [John Turner]; James Hogarth.  Ordered that Eleanor Pilmour's child receives 2s weekly and Mrs Hoops to come into the House [Workhouse] and Mrs Moffat to receive 1/6s weekly if she belongs to the Parish, and that Mrs Stromfield and children receive 2s, and [Margaret Mcphau] received 3s, and [Jane Hartcrowe] comes into the House [Workhouse], and that the half-yearly general meeting be held at this house on Wednesday 21 October at 10 a.m.	4 Oct. 1807
Item	GBR 1/185	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 November 1807.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Thomas Alder; George Thompkins; P Glendinning. Overseers: H Richardson [Henry Richardson]; P Carruther [Paul Carouther]; John Reid; P Aitchinson [Paul Aitchinson]. Trustees: J Turner [John Turner]; J Hogarth [James Hogarth]; D Christie [David Christie]; Matthew Bell; J Evans [John Evans]; W Jameson [William Jeffrey Jameson]; J Paxton [John Paxton].	1 Nov. 1807

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			Ordered that Mrs Walker receives a shift petticoat and a bedgown and that [Dicary Ford] receives a cart load of coals, and Mrs Hope to receive 1/6s weekly.	
Item	GBR 1/186- 187	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 December 1807.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Thompkins; [the rest damaged].Overseers: P Aitchinson [Paul Aitchinson]; P Carruther [Paul Carruther]; H Richardson [Henry Richardson]; J Reid [John Reid]. Trustees: Richardson; William Ford; D Christie [David Christie]; W J Jameson [William Jeffrey Jameson]; J Hogarth [James Hogarth]; William Bell; James Cockburn; J Turner [John Turner]; William Cunningham.  The following weekly payments were ordered: widow [?] to receive 1/6s and that Ann Sanderson to receive 2s till her parish is found out, and that [Dicary Ford] to receive 6 d weekly additional, and Mrs Gavin's grandchild to receive 1/6s and Thomas Moland to receive 5s during illness.	6 Dec. 1807
Item	GBR 1/187	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 January 1808.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: J Bell [James Bell]. Overseers: P Caruther [Patrick Caruther]; J Reid [John Reid]. Trustees: M Bell [Matthew Bell]; D Christie [David Christie]; J Hogarth [James Hogarth]; J Turner [John Turner]; James Cockburn; William Cunningham.  The following weekly payments were ordered: Ann James to receive 4s and Ann Watson 3s and Mrs Duncan to receive 1/6s all amounts to be re-paid, and Mary Rule to receive 3s and Edward Able 2s and Mrs Phail 2s until the next monthly meeting, and Mr Mason to receive 5s until next monthly meeting, and Jane Nesbit to receive 6s and [Mrs Aldvidice] [rest of entry damaged].	3 Jan. 1808
Item	GBR 1/188	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Thompkins. Overseers: P Carruther [Patrick Carruther]; J Reid [John Reid]; P Atchinson [Paul Aitchinson]; H Richardson [Henry	6 Feb. 1808

		6 February 1808.	Richardson]. Trustees: D Christie ] David Christie]; M Bell [Matthew Bell]; J Turner [John Turner]; J Cockburn [James Cockburn]; William Ford.  The following weekly payments were ordered: Mr Mason to receive 5s until 1 <sup>st</sup> March and Jane Minning to receive 1s till her husband comes to Berwick, and that widow Bone and two children receive 3s and that Mrs McPhail's weekly allowance of 4s be continued and widow Hay to receive 2s and Mrs Cook and children receive 5s till the half-yearly meeting, and William Brown to receive 5s.	
Item	GBR 1/188- 189	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 March 1808.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: [damaged]' Overseers: P Carruther [Patrick Carruther]; H Richardson [Henry Richardson]; P Aitchinson [Paul Aitchinson]; [last name damaged]. Trustees: J Turner [John Turner]; George Richardson; William Cunningham; Matthew Bell; James Cockburn.  The following weekly payments were ordered: Richard Mason to receive 2s monthly [NB monthly] till next month, and Mr Mallin to receive 2s and Mrs Shearer to receive 6d in addition to her former allowance of 2s, and James Darling and wife receive 2/6s, and Margaret Barroman to receive 3s, and Nelly Hills 2s for taking care of Clara Nelson, and Mrs Fleming 7s till the half-yearly meeting, and Mary Ward 2/6s and Mrs Whitley's children be taken into the House [Workhouse], and Charlotte Mullen to receive 2/6s till she gets better, and Robert Hogg to receive 3s.	6 March 1808
Item	GBR 1/189- 190	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers, and Trustees meeting held on 3 April 1808.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Thompkins; Thomas Alder; J Bell [John Bell]. Overseers: Paul Aitchinson; H Richardson [Henry Richardson]; J Reid [John Reid]. Trustees: William Ford; J Turner [John Turner]; James Hogarth; M Bell [Matthew Bell]; David Christie; James Cockburn.  Ordered that Galbreath's family be allowed 6s weekly and Mrs Carney to come into the House [Workhouse], and that the	3 April 1808

			Mullen's family receive 3/6s weekly. Ordered that the half-yearly meeting be held at this House on Wednesday 4 May at 10 a.m.	
Item	GBR 1/190	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 May 1808.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Thompkins; George Glendinning; Thomas Alder; John Bell. Overseers: Patrick Ainslie; William Gracie; William Ford. Trustees: P Carruther [Paul Carruther]; J Reid [John Reid]; H Richardson [Henry Richardson]; P Aitchison [Paul Aitchinson]; James Hogarth; D Christie [David Christie]; James Cockburn.  Ordered that Martha Martin receives 1/6s weekly if unwilling to come into the House [Workhouse], and that Mrs Newton's weekly allowance of 4s be continued as she is in great distress, and Mrs McLean and Mrs Ross be remove to Edinburgh and to be allowed some money to carry them there, and that Ralph Dodds again be appointed constable for the Parish at [damaged] at north side of the town and to have 3s weekly.	1 May 1808
Item	GBR 1/191- 192		Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: Patrick Ainslie; William Gracie; William Ford; Stephen Smith. Trustees: John Reid; William Ainslie; William Scott; Thomas Maule; John Sanderson; H Richardson [Henry Richardson]; Henry Johnson; James Hubback.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Forsyth's child be allowed 1/6s and school wages [fees?] and that Mrs Houghman [children taken into the House, crossed out] to receive 2/6s and White's child to be taken from [her?], and that William Ridyard receives 2/6s, and Jane Hartley to receive 1s, and Robert Wilson 2/6s till removed to his own parish at Balmbro, and that Mrs Betty Moors come into the House [Workhouse], and Margaret Birry be removed to Newcastle Infirmary, and that Hilby's wife and family be allowed 5s till removed and Mrs McLean to receive 4s till removed, and Mrs Tullan's allowance be discontinued, and that Walis child gets some clothes, and [Dicary Ford] receives 3/6s and [Mary Sennen] receives 1/6s and Mary Kerr's family residing at Shields	5 June 1808

			receive 3s and [4?] for the six week past. Committee for June 1808: Henry Richardson; James Hubback; William Scott; William Ainslie and Thomas Waite.	
Item	GBR 1/192	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 July 1808.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Thomas Alder; John Bell; George Thompkins. Overseers: Patrick Ainslie; William Ford; Stephen Smith. Trustees: John Sanderson; Thomas Waite; Paul Aitchinson; John Knox; Henry Richardson; Henry Johnson.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: McGregor's children to receive 6s and Margaret Barker to receive 2s and Margaret Smailey to continue to receive 2/6 and Dorothy Selby comes into the House [Workhouse] and that Galbraith's children get their schooling fees, and Daniel Mullen receives £2 to carry him to Ireland and Robert Wilson receives 3s and Mrs Sharp be brought back to Berwick.  Committee for July 1808: John Bell; William Ford; John Knox; Henry Johnson. [the last name is damaged].	3 July 1808
Item	GBR 1/193	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 August 1808.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Thompkins. Overseers: Patrick Ainslie; William Ford; Stephen Smith. Trustees: William Scott; Paul Aitchinson; Thomas Waite; John Sanderson; John Knox; William Ainslie; Thomas Chartres.  Ordered that William Redyard's wife be removed to Newcastle provided he allows 5s weekly, the Parish paying the rest of the expense, and that Richard Mason receives 4s weekly while in distress, and that Jimmy Stevenson receives 1s weekly until his parish is found and that Alexander McKenzie come into the House [Workhouse] and allows his pension to be used for his maintenance, and that John Kirk's wife received 3/6s provided her parish is established Committee for August 1808: Stephen Smith; George Thompkins; William Scott; William Ainslie; Patrick Ainslie.	7 Aug. 1808

Item	GBR 1/194	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 September 1808.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Bell. Overseers: Patrick Ainslie; William Gracie; William Ford; Stephen Smith. Trustees: William Ainslie; Henry Johnson; William Scott; John Knox; John Reid; Henry Richardson; Thomas Waite.  Ordered that Elizabeth and Jane Maw be allowed 3s during illness, and widow Mason be carried to London at the expense of the Parish, if she remains here her allowance to be reduced to 1/6s, and that John Sandell's child be allowed 1/6s and William Redyard's wife be sent to Newcastle, he allowing 4s weekly, the Parish paying the rest of the expense, and that Morrison's widow received 2s and Alexander Ford a great coat, and William Daniele be brought into the House [Workhouse], if adjudged a fit object by the doctor.  Committee for September 1808: John Reid; Thomas Waite; William Ford; John Knox; [5 <sup>th</sup> name illegible].	4 Sept. 1808
Item	GBR 1/195		Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Glendinning. Overseers: William Gracie; Patrick Ainslie; Stephen Smith; William Ford. Trustees: John Reid; Paul Aitchinson; Henry Johnson; William Scott; William Ainslie; Thomas Waite; John Knox; George Bogue; Henry Richardson; Thomas Chartres; John Sanderson.  Ordered that [Hugh Castloe's] wife and two children be allowed 2s weekly till her parish is found, and Robert Johnson's child be allowed 1/6s weekly to be repaid if monthly money comes home, and that Mrs Slight be allowed what the acting Overseer thinks proper for attention and expense on account of Mr Murray, deceased, to her for lodging etc and that Mrs Watson receives 1s till half-yearly meeting, and that Betty Williams received 1s till parish found out, and that the general half-yearly meeting be held in this house on Wednesday 19 October at [illegible] forenoon. Committee for October 1808: Stephen Smith; William Scott; Paul Aitchinson; Henry Johnson; Henry Richardson.	2 Oct. 1808

Item	GBR 1/196- 197	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 November 1808.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Thompkins; Thomas Alder; George Glendinning. Overseers: William Gracie; William Ford; Stephen Smith; Patrick Ainslie. Trustees: William Ainslie; William Wilson; William Scott; James Hubback; George Bogue; Henry Johnson; Henry Richardson; Paul Aitchinson; P Carruther [Peter Carruther]; William Scott in the chair.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Thomas Graham to receive 3s to be repaid when he gets his annuity, and that [Braisbone? Donn's?] wife and child receive 2s, the child is 2½ years of age, and that Phillis Selby receives [so much] at the discretion of the Overseers, and widow Forsman receives 1s [illegible[ house, and that widow Shearer receives an addition to her former allowance of 1/6s during winter, and Mrs Phail receives 4s during winter, and that Murphy's children come into the House [Workhouse], and McGregor's children receive 4s during winter, and Thomas Smith's boy receives 1/6s and Porteus's children receive 3s. Committee for November 1808: George Thompkins; George Glendinning; George Bogue; William Scott; William Ainslie.	6 Nov. 1808
Item	GBR 1/197- 198	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 December 1808.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Glendinning; Thomas Alder. Overseers: William Gracie; William Ford; Patrick Ainslie; Stephen Smith. Trustees: William Scott; Thomas Waite; John Sanderson; Henry Richardson; John Reid; John Knox.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered:  George Mean comes [damaged] provided he gives his stint and meadow money [damaged] fit object by the doctor, and that Mullen's widow receives 2/6s and schooling paid by the Overseers, and that John Bruce's wife and children receive 4s, and that Dorothy Selby received 2s during winter and Mrs How come into the House [Workhouse] and Sergeant Stamford's wife and family receive 2/6s till she goes to her husband, and then allowed a sum to carry her to him, and that Cowan's widow and	4 Dec. 1808

			children receive 3/6s, and that widow Murphey comes into the House [Workhouse], and widow Patterson received 3/6s till next month and Walter Paisley's child received 2s and widow Wright's son be bound at the expense of the Parish to Mr Tranent, and Mrs McLachlan be allowed 2s, and widow Taylor's son be bound to Mr Burn as a Parish apprentice with the usual allowance, and that Gray's daughter comes into the House [Workhouse].  Committee for December 1808: William Gracie; William Scott; Henry Richardson; Mr Reid [John Reid]; Patrick Ainslie.	
Item	GBR 1/199- 200	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 January 1809.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Bell; Thomas Alder; George Glendinning. Overseers: Patrick Ainslie; Stephen Smith; William Gracie; William Ford. Trustees: Paul Aitchinson; John Reid; William Scott; John Sanderson; William Ainslie; Thomas Waite; Henry Richardson; John Knox.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered:  Jane Menning to receive 1/6s during winter, and widow Crow to receive 1s and John Ross's wife receives 1/6 till next monthly meeting, and William Gray's wife and children receive 6s to be repaid when she gets her monthly money, and Craike's wife and child receive 2s, and Mrs Addison receives 2s, and Matthew McLachlan's wife be carried to Glasgow at the expense of the Parish, and Sergeant Stopford's wife be carried to her husband at the expense of the Parish, and that White's child come into the House [Workhouse], and Buglass's child [damaged] and that Jane Reid [damaged] Linthlithgow at the expense of the Parish, and widow [Langster] to receive 1/6s and widow Gardiner receives 4s and Thomas Redpath come into the House [Workhouse], and Robin Johnston receives 2s and Elizabeth Bain receives 3s.  Committee for January 1809: William Scott; Thomas Waite; Stephen Smith; John Sanderson; William Ainslie.	1 Jan. 1809
Item	GBR 1/200-	Minutes of Berwick	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Bell; Thomas	5 Feb. 1809

	201	Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 February 1809.	Alder; George Thompkins. Overseers: Stephen Smith; William Ford; William Gracie. Trustees: Paul Aitchinson; William Ainslie; Joseph Hubback; John Knox; John Sanderson; Thomas Waite; Henry Richardson; Thomas Chartres; William Scott; George Bogue.	
			The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: [Bottom of page illegible] Ross's wife and child's allowance of 1/6s be continued, and George Johnson's wife and child be allowed 5s till [?] get work, and Christie's daughter be sent to the Edinburgh Infirmary and Mrs Glover and two children be allowed 5s, and Mr White's wife be allowed 1s till next monthly meeting, and that John Eddey, a solider, and his wife be allowed money to carry them to Edinburgh, and Patterson's wife and three children be allowed 4s until she receives her monthly allowance, and Mary Hardy receives 6s to pay for house rent and that John Dent's wife come into the House [Workhouse], and that every that is bound and of the House [Workhouse], or girl that is put out to service be allowed a Bible at the expense of the Parish, and that William Hume be allowed 4s. Committee for February 1809: William Ford; William Gracie; Henry Richardson; George Bogue; Thomas Alder.	
Item	GBR 1/202- 203	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 March 1809.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Glendinning; George Thompkinson. Overseers: William Gracie; William Ford; Stephen Smith. Trustees: Henry Richardson; John Sanderson; Henry Johnson; Joseph Hubback; William Scott; Thomas Waite; William Ainslie; John Reid; George Bogue; Thomas Chartres.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: James Bolton be allowed 3/6s and Margaret Orkney be allowed 1s for one month and 2/6s weekly afterwards, and James Fluker be allowed 3/6s if this is found to be his parish, and that George Johnson be allowed 2s till next monthly meeting, it being reduced from 5s, and Jane Anderson be allowed 1/6s, and James Skinner 2s and William Anderson's widow be [damaged] till her parish is found, and Jane Seckles be allowed 1s.	5 March 1809

			Committee for March 1809: John Reid; Joseph Hubback; Thomas Chartres; George Glendinning; Henry Johnson.	
Item	GBR 1/203	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 April 1809.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Thompkinsen; George Glendinning. Overseers: William Ford; Stephen Smith; William Gracie; Patrick Ainslie. Trustees: John Danderson; Paul Atchinson; Thomas Waite; Henry Richardson; John Reis; William Scott; William Ainslie; Joseph Hubback; George Bogue; Thomas Chartres.  Ordered that John Reid comes into the House [Workhouse], and widow Margaret Fenwick be allowed 2s weekly, and Cecily Maltman receives 1s weekly, and Mullen be bound as an apprentice to Mr Cleavering, Berrington, and that the general half-yearly meeting be held at this house on Wednesday 19 April at [?] in the forenoon Committee for April: [damaged].	2 April 1809
Item	GBR 1/204	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 May 1809.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Thompkinson. Overseers: A Douglass; Robert Weatherhead; George Wilson. Trustees: William Gracies; William Ford; Patrick Ainslie; Matthew Bell; James Graham; James Cockburn; Stephen Maxwell; John Graham.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: John Reid to receive 1s, and that Mrs Miller's two youngest children be taken into the House [Workhouse], and that McPherson be allowed 2/6s during illness, and that Margaret Oliver be allowed 3s if found an object for such relief, and that widow French receives 1s or comes into the House [Workhouse], and that Mrs Sharp's family receive 3s till a settlement is made with her husband. Committee for May: A Douglass; William Ford; Matthew Bell; [last two names damaged].	7 May 1809

Item	GBR 1/205	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 June 1809.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Andrew Jameson. Overseers: Andrew Douglass; Robert Weatherhead; George Wilson; John Dewar. Trustees: William Robertson; Matthew Bell; William Gracie; George Smith; Stephen Maxwell; William Ford; Stephen Smith; James Cockburn.; James Graham.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: John Campbell be allowed 2s to be repaid when he gets his pension if he can afford it, and that Mrs Dickson be allowed 1s or come into the House [Workhouse], and James Skinner be allowed to come into the House [Workhouse], and that James How's wife be allowed to have a woman to help her and be paid 2s. Also ordered that no business to be discussed on the Sunday evening except such as relate to discussing cases of the poor and all other business to be discussed on the Wednesday following, ordered that the Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meet on Wednesday first at 6 o'clock.	4 June 1809
Item	GBR 1/206	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 12 June 1809.	Preen at the meeting: Churchwardens: A Jameson [Andrew Jameson]; Christopher Strangeways; J Sligh [James Sligh]. Overseers: Robert Weatherhead; John Dewar. Trustees: William Ford; Robert Wilson; James Graham; Stephen Smith.  Ordered that widow Purvis, who is now at Newcastle, be allowed 3s by this Parish weekly if the case is approved of after consulting Mr Dickson.	12 June 1809
Item	GBR 1/206- 207	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 July 1809.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Andrew Jameson; Christopher Strangeways; James Sligh. Overseers: Andrew Douglass; Robert Weatherhead; George Wilson; John Dewar. Trustees: William Gracie; William Graham; James Graham; Matthew Bell; William Robertson; William Ford; James Cockburn; Stephen Maxwell.  Ordered that Mrs Dent and John Campbell come into the House [Workhouse] and that he allows his pension when he receives it [to be handed over to the Parish] and Betty O'Neal also come	2 July 1809

			into the House till recovered from her illness, and that Mrs King receives 2s weekly, and Mrs Sharp and daughter receive 5s weekly until Mr Sharp recovers from his illness and is able to go back to work.  Committee for July 1809: Robert Weatherhead; Matthew Bell; James Graham; Andrew Douglass; James Cockburn.  Also ordered that James How's wife be struck off the Parish and widow Perves and three children receive 4s weekly. The ages of the children six, four and two years of age.	
Item	GBR 1/207	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 25 July 1809.	Present at the meeting: Robert Weatherhead; Matthew Bell; James Graham; James Cockburn.  Ordered that Elizabeth Purves, the widow of John Purves, deceased, and their three children William aged six; John aged four and Archibald two years, be carried to Newcastle where she has been living for some considerable time, and that the Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Saint John will pay the said widow and the three children 5s weekly, which the Parish of Berwick will repay in [damaged the Overseers of Saint John's [damaged].	25 July 1809
Item	GBR 1/208	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 August 1809.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Andrew Jameson; Christopher Strangeways; Stephen Maxwell; James Sligh. Overseers: Andrew Douglass; Robert Weatherhead. Trustees: William Graham; George Smith; Matthew Bell; Stephen Smith; James Cockburn; William Robertson; William Ford; Patrick Ainslie; James Graham; Robert Weatherhead in the chair.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Ordered that Mr Aitchinson be paid 2s weekly to kept off Mrs Allan of Spittle's [sic] weekly allowance of 5s till it amount to 25s and of money advanced by him, and that Margaret Johnson, widow, be allowed 3s in addition to her former allowance of 4s till next monthly meeting, and that McGregor's family come into the House [Workhouse] and that [Mrs Moreland] be allowed 6s	6 Aug. 1809

			additional and Agnes Scott be allowed 3s during illness, and that Clark's wife and family be allowed 5 s. Ordered that a meeting of the Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees be held in this house on Monday 6 September at 6 p.m.  Committee for August 1809: Stephen Smith; William Ford; Robert Weatherhead; Patrick Ainslie; James Graham.	
Item	GBR 1/209	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on [no date] September 1809.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Andrew Jameson; Christopher Strangeways; James Sligh. Overseers: Robert Weatherhead; Andrew Douglass; George Wilson. Trustees: William Ford; William Gracie; William Robertson; Matthew Bell; William Graham; Stephen Maxwell; Patrick Ainslie; James Cockburn.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Thomas Falconer's house rent of £1 3s, being in arrears, be paid by the Parish, and that Margaret Johnston, widow, be allowed 5s, and that widow [Newens] be allowed 5s and Ann Wight be allowed 2s for herself and family, and Christie be allowed 2s for a month, and George Whitlaw's wife and family be received from the parish of Elland into this Parish and ordered that Ralph Dodds and [?] Weatherly be reprimanded by the Committee for not doing their duty, and that a full meeting of the Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees do meet at this house at 6 p.m. on 6 September to [appoint? Damaged] a permanent overseer.  Committee for September 1809: George Wilson; Robert Weatherhead; [remaining names damaged].	Sept. 1809
Item	GBR 1/210	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 12 September 1809.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Christopher Strangeways; James Sligh. Overseers: Robert Weatherhead; Andrew Douglas. Trustees: William Graham; James Cuthbertson; Matthew Bell; Patrick Ainslie; William Robertson; Stephen Maxwell.  Ordered that any person coming into this House [Workhouse] give up all claims to their pensions or annual income in favour of	12 Sept. 1809

			the then acting Overseer.	
Item	GBR 1/210- 211	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 October 1809.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: [damaged]. Overseers: Andrew Douglass; Robert Weatherhead; John Dewar; George Wilson' Trustees: James Cockburn; William Gracie; Stephen Smith; William Graham; Matthew Bell; James Graham.  Ordered that Thomas Main and wife receive 2s weekly he being [?] and that Agnes Manderton received 3s weekly, and widow Paxton receives 2s weekly or come into the House [Workhouse], and that [J Scott] of Newcastle be struck off, and that the general half-yearly meeting be held at this house on Wednesday 8 October at 10 a.m.	1 Oct. 1809
Item	GBR 1/211- 212	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 November 1809.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Christopher Strangeways. Overseers: Andrew Douglass; Robert Weatherhead; George Wilson; John Dewar. Trustees: William Gracier; William Graham; William Ford; William Robertson; Matthew Bell; Stephen Maxwell.  Ordered that widow Penny and two children be allowed 2s weekly, and Phillis Henderson receives [damaged] weekly, and that Paisley's [damaged] and that Robert Johnson comes into the House [Workhouse] or gets 1s weekly, and that Mr Fleming provide lodgings and victuals for Spence, a poor woman. Committee for November 1809: William Gracie; William Ford; Stephen Maxwell; William Graham. Ordered that widow Windram be allowed 2s.	5 Nov. 1809
Item	GBR 1/212- 213	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 December 1809.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Christopher Strangeways; James Sligh. Overseers: W Dewar [William Dewar]; Robert Weatherhead. Trustees: George Smith; William Ford; William Robertson; Stephen Smith; James Cockburn; Matthew Bell; James Graham.  The following weekly payments were ordered:	3 Dec. 1809

			William Andrews be allowed 1s in addition to his former allowance of 5s, being in distress, and William Duncan be allowed 1s and that [Montch's] widow be allowed 2s, and Dagleish's wife and family receive 1s in addition to her former allowance of 3s to be continued for a short time, and that Elizabeth Crow be allowed 1/6s and that Ann Sanderson be allowed 1s for four weeks to keep [rest damaged], and that Mrs Hamilton be allowed 1/6s she being in distress.  Committee for December 1809: William Dewar; George Smith; William Ford; William Robertson; Stephen Smith.	
Item	GBR 1/213- 214	Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 January 1810.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Christopher Strangeways; James Sligh; Richard Reavely. Overseers: Andrew Douglass; Robert Weatherhead; John Dewar; George Wilson. Trustees: George Smith; William Robertson; William Ford; Patrick Ainslie; William Gracie; William Graham; James Cockburn; Stephen Maxwell; Matthew Bell; James Graham.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: George Johnson, son of William, be allowed 1s during winter, and that a nurse be found for Ann Black's child, and that she be furnished, and that Ainslie's child be allowed 1/6s, and widow Gray and family be allowed support till parish is settled, and that widow Andrew be received into the House [Workhouse], and that Robert Craike be allowed 2s during winter, and that Galbraith's widow and family be allowed 3s and that Thomas Smith's two boys come into the House [Workhouse], and that widow Healey be allowed 3s, 2s being [?] of her former allowance of 5s.  Committee for January 1810: William Gracie; George Smith; Christopher Strangeways; George Wilson; James Sligh.	7 Jan. 1810
Item	GBR 1/214- 215	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Christopher Strangeways; Andrew Jameson. Overseers: James Dewar; George Wilson; Robert Weatherhead; Andrew Douglass.	4 Feb. 1810

		4 February 1810.	Trustees: William Ford; James Cockburn; Matthew Bell; Stephen Maxwell.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: [George Merming?] be allowed 1/6s until he can find employment, and that Catherine Dawson's widow receive 4s if this is ascertained to be her parish, and that Thomas Falconer be allowed 7s for the doctor to supply him with what necessaries he thinks proper, and that Mrs Henderson be allowed 1/6s if her parish is ascertained [rest of the page damaged], and that William Black and his wife be allowed 2s till enquiry is made into their parish, and that Tait, a tailor in gaol, is allowed some support for his family from the Parish at the discretion of the acting Overseer, and that William Duncan be allowed 1/6s, and that Betty Weatherly be allowed 1s during winter and that Ann Black be allowed 3/6s till a nurse is obtained for her child, and that John Miller be allowed 6d, he is fit to be removed, and that Mrs Sharp is allowed 6s.  Committee for 4 February 1810: Matthew Bell; James Cockburn; William Ford; C Strangeways [Christopher Strangeways]; S Maxwell [Stephen Maxwell].	
Item	GBR 1/215- 216	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 March 1810.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Christopher Strangeways; Andrew Jameson; James Sligh; Stephen Maxwell. Overseers: George Wilson; John Dewar; Andrew Douglass; Robert Weatherhead. Trustees: William Graham; William Ford; William Gracie; William Robertson; James Cockburn.  Ordered that Mr Nicholson's wife and boy be allowed 4s weekly and that Jane Taylor be allowed [the rest illegible], and that Gray's widow and family be allowed 8s weekly until parish is ascertained, and that Robert Johnson be allowed 2s weekly or come into the House [Workhouse], and that Mrs King be allowed 2s weekly.	4 March 1810

Item	GBR 1/216	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 April 1810.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Christopher Strangeways; Andrew Jameson. Overseers: Andrew Douglass; Robert Weatherhead; John Dewar; George Wilson. Trustees: William Graham; William Robertson; James Cockburn; William Ford; William Gracie; Patrick Ainslie; Matthew Bell.  Ordered that no money be advanced in future by the Overseers for the support of bastard children unless by an order from the Justices, and that Mrs Flaharty be allowed 1/6s weekly until the next half-yearly general meeting, and that widow Redpath be allowed 1s weekly until [damaged], and that [Mr Tunnel?] receives 2s weekly or comes into the House [Workhouse]. Committee for April 1810: William Gracie; William Ainslie; William Bell; Wilson [George Wilson]; Matthew Bell. Committee meeting 3 May 1810 ordered that Alison Coak's children's school wages be paid by Mr Knox, being six quarters for two children ordered in the half-yearly order book in the [?] May 1808. The Schoolmaster had neglected to give this in his account.	1 April 1810
Item	GBR 1/217- 218	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 May 1810.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Christopher Strangeways; Andrew Jameson. Overseers: John Knox; George Richardson; Alexander Thompson; John Bell. Trustees: James Hogarth; Andrew Douglass; John Dewar; George Wilson; John Sanderson; William Scott; Chartres [Robert Chartres]; Robert Weatherhead.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Mr Nicholson and family receive [damaged] until next monthly meeting, but in the meantime [damaged], and that Isabel Orkney be allowed 1/6s in addition to her former allowance of 3s for keeping Barney's child, and that widow Gray be allowed 7s for the support of her family and that Robert Brown be allowed 2/6s and Main's two girls be sent to London to their mother at the expense of the Parish.  Committee for May 1810: James Hogarth; Alexander Thompson; William Scott; Chartres [Robert Chartres]; Dewar [John Dewar].	6 May 1810

			Ordered that Jean Spears come into the House [Workhouse] or receives 2s.	
Item	GBR 1/218- 219	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 June 1810.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Andrew Jameson; Christopher Strangeways. Overseers: George Richardson; John Knox; William Bell; Alexander Thompson. Trustees: Robert Weatherhead; John Sanderson; James Hogarth; Richardson [George Richardson]; William Scott; George Wilson; George Thompkins; Andrew Douglass.  The following weekly payments were ordered: Ann Johnson and child be allowed 2/6s until [damaged], and [damaged] Shearer come into the House [Workhouse], and that Alison Trotter's son receives 4s during his illness, and that Mrs Maud receives 1/6s and widow Bruce and three children be allowed 5s and that Robert Hogg be allowed 2s for his wife.  Committee for June 1810: John Bell; James Hogarth; John Knox; George Richardson; Robert Weatherhead.	3 June 1810
Item	GBR 1/219- 220	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 July 1810.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Christopher Strangeways; Andrew Jameson. Overseers: George Richardson; John Knox; Alexander Thompson; John Bell. Trustees: James Hogarth; John Sanderson; Robert Weatherhead; William Scott; George Wilson; Richardson [George Richardson]; George Thompkins.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Mary Bell be allowed 4s to be continued, and that Eleanor Stewart, a militia man's wife, be allowed 3s as temporary relief until she is removed to her own parish in Scotland, and that Susannah McLean, a militia man's wife be also allowed 3s as temporary relief until removed to her own parish, and that Taylor, a militiaman's wife, [damaged] relief for one month until [damaged] and that Craig, a militiaman's wife, be allowed 1/6s as temporary relief for one month, and that Mrs Skinner be allowed to stay in the Workhouse until Wednesday next but no longer, and that George Craike be allowed 1/6s for support of	1 July 1810

			himself and family. Committee for July 1810: John Sanderson; Alexander Thompson; William Scott; George Wilson; George Thompkins.	
Item	GBR 1/220- 221	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 August 1810.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Richard Todd; Reavely junior; J B Atkinson. Overseers: John Knox; George Richardson; Alexander Thompson; John Bell. Trustees: John Sanderson; Richardson [George Richardson]; James Hogarth; William Scott; George Wilson; George Thompkins.	5 Aug. 1810
			Ordered that Joseph Milcapp be liberated from gaol and that Mary McDonald comes into the House [Workhouse] or be continued at her former allowance of 1s, and that Jane Grey receives 2/6s weekly until further enquiry be made with regard to her health, and that widow Foreman be allowed 2s weekly, and that Mrs Penny be allowed 2/6s weekly.  Committee for August 1810: Richard Todd; Reavley junior; J B Atkinson; William Bell; John Knox.	
Item	GBR 1/221	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 September 1810.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: J B Atkinson [James Blackett Atkinson] Overseers: John Knox; Alexander Thompson; John Bell; George Richardson. Trustees: William Scott; Robert Weatherhead; John Sanderson; George Richardson; James Hogarth.  The following weekly payments were ordered:	2 Sept. 1810
			widow Marshall and four children be allowed 6s and that George Thompkins's wife and child be allowed 2/6s from the Parish if she cannot be provided for by her husband or his father, and that Mr Matthewson's wife and family be allowed 4s, and Mrs Dean 1s, and widow Easterby be allowed 5s for the support of her late husband's aunt, and widow Henderson be allowed 1/6s.  Committee for September 1810: James Hogarth; George Richardson; [the remaining names illegible].	

Item	GBR 1/222	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 October 1810.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Richard Reavley junior; J B Atkinson [James Blackett Atkinson]; Richard Todd. Overseers: George Richardson; John Knox; Alexander Thompson; William Bell. Trustees: George Wilson; John Sanderson; John Dewar; William Scott; Robert Weatherhead; Andrew Douglass; George Thompkins; Thomas Chartres.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered:  Mrs Marshall and for children be allowed 7s and Barbara Hume's child be supplied with what clothes Mr Fleming thinks necessary, and Grace Smith be allowed 2/6s during illness, and [Mrs Gardine's] family be allowed 3s and Brown's wife and family be allowed 6s and widow Cains and her daughter be allowed 4s. Also ordered that the general half-yearly meeting for examining the affairs of the Workhouse be held on Wednesday 17 October at 10 a.m.	7 Oct. 1810
Item	GBR 1/223- 224	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 November 1810.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Richard Reavley, junior; J B Atkinson [James Blackett Atkinson]; Richard Todd. Overseers: Alexander Thompson; George Richardson; John Bell; John Knox. Trustees: Robert Weatherhead; John Sanderson; Chartres [Robert Chartres]; John Dewar.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Dorothy Hay of Alnwick's allowance be left to be augmented at the discretion of the acting overseer, and Ormiston, a seaman, be allowed 5s to be repaid when he gets his pension, and that Margaret Solesly be allowed what the doctor thinks sufficient, and William Murray's wife and three children be allowed 5s during illness, and widow Christies' two youngest children be taken into the House [Workhouse], and be allowed only 2s for the support of her daughter during illness, and Phillis Lilley be allowed 1/6s and Jane Menning be allowed 1/6s, and widow Fraser and four children be allowed 4s, and Mrs Wood be allowed 2s, and widow Gray and five children be allowed 5s. Committee for November 1810: Robert Weatherhead; John	4 Nov. 1810

			Sanderson; J B Atkinson [James Blackett Atkinson]; Richard Reavley junior;. Also ordered that all of widow Lumsden's children come into the House [Workhouse].	
Item	GBR 1/224	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 December 1810.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: J B Atkinson [James Blackett Atkinson]; Richard Reavley junior. Overseers: George Richardson; Alexander Thompson; John Bell; John Knox. Trustees: William Scott; Robert Weatherhead; John Sanderson; John Dewar; Andrew Douglass; Robert Chartres.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Robert Middleton to come into the House [Workhouse], and that Robert Nicholson receives 4/6s and that widow Sanderson be allowed 2/6s until she is supported by her son, and widow Smith be allowed 1/6s during winter, and widow Cowan and family be allowed 4s, and Margaret Shiel 1s, and that militia man Hutchinson's wife's allowance be struck off.  Committee for December 1810: George Richardson; William Scott; Richard Chartres; J B Atkinson [James Blackett Atkinson]; John Bell.	2 Dec. 1810
Item	GBR 1/225	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on [?] January 1811.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Richard Reavley junior. Overseers: Alexander Thompson; John Bell; George Richardson; John Knox. Trustees: John Sanderson; Richardson; William Scott; Robert Weatherhead; George Wilson.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: John Jordan's daughter (now in distress) and family be allowed 2/6s, and widow Trotter be removed to her parish and widow Burton to receive 1s, and Robert Nicholson and family receive 5s or come into the House [Workhouse], and that James Moscrop's wife be allowed 2/6s until she hears from her husband, and that Walker, a soldier's wife, and family be allowed 2s, and Cecily Maltman be allowed 1/6s and widow Grey and family come into the House [Workhouse] or receive 5/6s, and that a meeting of the Churchwardens and Overseers	Jan. 1811

			be held on Friday 18 January to examine the accounts of the House. Committee for January 1811: John Sanderson; James Hogg; William Scott [the remaining names damaged]	
Item	GBR 1/226	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 February 1811.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: J B Atkinson [James Blackett Atkinson]; Richard Todd. Overseers: George Richardson; John Bell; A Thompson [Alexander Thompson]. Trustees: Andrew Douglass; John Sanderson; James Hogarth; George Wilson; Robert Weatherhead; William Scott.  Ordered that John Jordan be allowed 1s weekly until his parish is found, and that Peter Wilson be allowed 3s weekly during illness or until his parish is found out, and that widow [Janus] and two children be allowed 4s weekly for a month, and Mary Watson be allowed 2s weekly and that Cairns and Davis Cairns be allowed 3s weekly and widow Hamilton and Mrs Sharp come into the House [Workhouse].	3 Feb. 1811
Item	GBR 1/227	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 March 1811.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Richard Reavley junior; Richard Todd. Overseers: Alexander Thompson; John Bell; John Knox; George Richardson. Trustees: Andrew Douglass; William Scott; John Sanderson; James Hogarth.  Ordered that Hogarth's widow and daughter at Sunderland be allowed 2s weekly and Willey's wife and family be allowed 5s weekly, and Wallace's baby be taken into the House [Workhouse] again, and William Boak's wife and family be allowed 5s weekly and that Mr Thompson, acting Overseer, be allowed some money to carry him to Edinburgh. Committee for March 1811: John Knox; John Sanderson; John Bell; William Scott; James Hogarth.	3 March 1811
Item	GBR 1/228	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Richard Reavley junior; J B Atkinson [James Blackett Atkinson. Overseers: Alexander	7 April 1811

		and Trustees meeting held on 7 April 1811.	Thompson; John Bell; John Knox; George Richardson. Trustees: William Scott; Robert Weatherhead; James Hogarth; George Wilson; George Thompkins.  Ordered that William Bell come into the House [Workhouse] and gives up his meadow and stint money, and that widow Main be allowed 5s weekly for support of herself and family as she is infirm, and that Leachman's wife and family be allowed 3s weekly till she hears from her husband who is impressed, and widow Cairn's daughter be allowed 4s weekly. Also ordered that the general half-yearly meeting for examining the affairs of the Workhouse be held on Wednesday 17 April at 10 a.m. Ordered that Bollam's child be taken into the House [Workhouse] and Mrs [damaged] be kept in the Workhouse till [damaged].	
Item	GBR 1/229- 230	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 May 1811.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: [William Givens?]; Richard Simpson. Overseers: Thomas Lough; Alexander Moor; George Glendinning; Robert Ewert. Trustees: J B Atkinson [James Blackettt Atkinson]; Richard Reavley junior; Alexander Thompson; William Gracie; George Richardson; Matthew Bell; John Bell; John Knox; Thomas J Steel.  Ordered that no money be allowed in future to any person in this House [Workhouse] as a substitute for victuals, and that a book be prepared in which the surgeon shall weekly or oftener, if necessary, mention the names of those who are sick in the House and who may in his opinion need any wine, porter, spirits or any alteration from the ordinary fare of the House, and he shall mention any case where there may be a necessity for a night nurse. That he shall also have the power if he shall see any washing going on in the wards or any ward or any part of the House dirty to cause the same to be remedied. That every such person shall at the discretion of the surgeon be ordered to go into the sick ward and who will [damaged] remove into another ward.  Ordered that in future the acting overseer for the time being pay	1 May 1811

			avery apparent washesting the averagediture of this library and that	
			every account respecting the expenditure of this House, and that no wine, porter or other spirits be allowed for sick people unless the doctor ordered it, and that all the money received for any work done in this House be paid into the hands of the acting overseer and he to pay Mr Fleming [Joseph Fleming] Master of the Workhouse and the people in the House the respective portions thereof.  Signed by: William Givens; Richard Simpson; William Bell; Thomas Lough; Alexander Moor; Robert Ewart; George Glendinning; Matthew Bell; Alexander Thompson; James Blackett Atkinson; Richard Reavley; William Gracie; Thomas J Steel; John Moor; George Richardson.	
Item	GBR2/231	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 May 1811.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: F Marshall; Richard Simpson; Henry Johnson. Overseers: Alexander Moor; Robert Ewart; Thomas Lough; George Glendinning. Trustees: Alexander Thompson; Michael Selby; James Hubback; Matthew Bell; William Gracie; Richard Reavley junior; John Knox; George Richardson; J B Atkinson [James Blackett Atkinson].  Ordered that Mary Watson, an old woman who stays with Mrs Brown, be allowed 1s weekly, and that William Murray's allowance of 3/6s be augmented to 4/6s on account of the representation of his illness by the doctor, and that High's two children come into the House [Workhouse] – aged 5 ½ and 2 ½ and that Bruce's children be allowed their schooling to be paid by the Overseers and that Mrs Jordan's daughter's allowance of 3/6s be struck off and then be allowed 1s weekly. Ordered that the Parish of Berwick subscribe to the Infirmary at Newcastle. Committee for May 1811: Thomas Lough; William Bell; Michael Lilly; James Hubback; John Thompson.	5 May 1811
Item	GBR2/232- 233	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on [?] June 1811.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshall; William Givens. Overseers: A Moor [Alexander Moor]; Thomas Lough; Glendinning [George Glendinning];. Trustees: William Gracie; George Richardson; A Thompson [Alexander	June 1811

			Thompson]; James Hubback; Matthew Bell; John Bell.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Ordered that John Forrest to receive 2/6s and Mary Walker be allowed 2s for the support of her child, and widow Guthrie be allowed 3s and William Weatherhead comes into the House [Workhouse] or is allowed 2s and Mr and Mrs Collins come into the House [Workhouse], and that Betty Robertson to receive 2s, and that none of the boys who absent themselves from the school without leave be allowed to come into the House [Workhouse] or receive any more victuals etc, and widow Curry be allowed 1s.  Committee for June 1811: William Givens; George Richardson; William Gracie; James Hubback; J B Atkinson [James Blackettt Atkinson].	
Item	GBR 1/233- 234	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 July 1811.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal; William Givens; J B Atkinson [James Blackett Atkinson]. Overseers: Thomas Lough; Alexander Moor; Robert Ewart. Trustees: James Hubback; Alexander Thompson; John Knox; William Gracie; George Richardson.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Robert Nicholson be allowed 5s during illness and Ann Weatherburn be allowed 1/6s and James Griffen be allowed a weekly allowance to be fixed upon by the acting overseer, and that widow Moreland [damaged] and that widow Dickson be allowed 1/6s and that widow [Stumpford?] be allowed 1s for one month, and [Lister?] come into the House [Workhouse], and that William Duncan's boy be allowed to get his suit of clothes out of the House [Workhouse]. Committee for July 1811: Alexander Moor; Robert Ewert; George Glendinning; James Hubback; William Givens.	1 July 1811
Item	GBR 1/234- 235	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal; William Givens; Richard Simpson. Overseers: Alexander Moor; Thomas Lough; Robert Ewert. Trustees: George Richardson;	4 Aug. 1811

		4 August 1811.	John Knox; John Bell; Alexander Thompson; Matthew Bell; James Hubback; Richard Reavley junior.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: widow Mosley to receive 2s for one month and that Jane Dickson's child be allowed 2s [the rest damaged], and that Isabella Cowan receive 2/6s for the support of her child, and that widow [Stumpfore?] receive 4s for one month, and that Mrs Sharp's younger child come into the House [Workhouse], and Matthew Parker receive 2/6 and Clarkson's daughter come into the House [Workhouse] and Simpson's daughter receive 1/6s Committee for August 1811: Robert Ewert; Alexander Thompson; Ferrow Marshal; Thomas Lough; Joseph Hubback.	
Item	GBR 1/235- 236	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 8 August 1811.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal; Richard Simpson. Overseers: Alexander Moor; Robert Ewert. Trustees: Michael Lilly; Alexander Thompson; Matthew Bell; Joseph Hubback.  Ordered that the house erected by Joseph Fleming at the corner of the Poor House garden and which he had built at his own expense as a cow house for his own use, to be converted into a wash house for the use of the Poor House and that the said Joseph Fleming be paid the expense he has been at in making the said building.  Ordered that no cow, pig or poultry shall in future be kept at the Poor House or garden and premises belonging thereto except only for the use of the Parish.  Ordered that two or more pigs be purchased [damaged] and fed from the refuse at the Poor House [damaged] applied to the use of the Parish.  Ordered that the acting overseer abide by the original agreement with Joseph Fleming in paying him his salary in future.  Signed by: Ferrow Marshal; Richard Simpson; Alexander Moor; Robert Ewert; Joseph Hubback; Michael Lilly; Alexander Thompson; J B Atkinson [James Blackett Atkinson]; Matthew	8 Aug. 1811

			Bell.	
Item	GBR 1/23- 237	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 September 1811.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal; Henry Johnson. Overseers: Alexander Moor; Thomas Lough. Trustees: John Bell; Alexander Thompson; William Gracie; Matthew Bell; George Richardson; Michael Lilly; J B Atkinson [James Blackett Atkinson]; John Knox.  Ordered that [Jennes Flucker?] comes into the House [Workhouse] or continues her present allowance, and that Nicholson's wife be allowed 3s for one month only, and that John Fair, in distress, be allowed a weekly sum at the discretion of the doctor, and that widow Mosely's allowance of 2s be continued, and James Wallace's boy comes into the House [Workhouse], and Ralph Dodds and D Weatherly [Constable?] be allowed 2s weekly and that Robert Denham be allowed also 2s weekly to assist them, and that the female in the House [Workhouse] be taught sewing etc.  Committee for September 1811: Matthew Bell; William Gracie; J B Atkinson [James Blackett Atkinson]; William Givens; Robert Ewart.	1 Sept. 1811
Item	GBR 1/237- 238	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 October 1811.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal; Richard Simpson; William Givens; Henry Johnson. Overseers: Alexander Moor; Robert Ewart; George Glendinning. Trustees: Alexander Thompson; Michael Lilly; J B Atkinson [James Blackett Atkinson]; Richard Reavley junior.  Ordered that Bartram's wife and three children be allowed 4 s weekly until such time as he gets work, and that Mrs Steavenson's allowance of 1/6s [damaged] parish is found, and that [N Hall?] be allowed 2s weekly, and the general half-yearly meeting for examining the affairs of the Workhouse be held here on Wednesday 16 October at 10 a.m.  Committee for October 1811: Matthew Bell; William Gracie; J B Atkinson [James Blackett Atkinson]; William Givens; Robert Ewert.	6 Oct. 1811

Item	GBR 1/238- 239	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 24 October 1811.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal. Overseers: A Moor [Alexander Moor]; Thomas Lough; Robert Ewert; George Glendinning. Trustees: William Gracie; Alexander Thompson; Matthew Bell; Michael Lilly; J B Atkinson [James Blackett Atkinson]; John Knox; Richard Reavley junior.  Ordered that the usual credit given for oakum sold out of this House [Workhouse] be three months from delivering – that Mrs Gowan's account [damaged] due and that if a further credit of three [damaged] that she be able to pay discount, and that the girls who have been taught to sew make (under the direction of a proper person) all things necessary for the House [Workhouse] vizwoman's serving apparel, sheets, pillow cases etc, and that premiums be awarded at the discretion of the acting overseer to those girls who shall distinguish themselves for accuracy and industry, and that a store room be erected in the present committee room for [?] all stock bought in for clothing the poor in the Workhouse including linen for sheets etc. and that an inventory of the same be taken and delivered to the acting overseer who shall [supervise?] all deliveries from the said store room and shall transfer to his successor an exact account of all stock at the time of his retiring from office. Ordered that a general meeting of the Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees for managing the affairs of the Workhouse on Thursday 31 October at 6 o'clock for the purpose of reconsidering the order that was made at last half-yearly meeting for giving Mrs Fleming a present of £5 half-yearly, and that Mr Fleming be required to show a copy of this order to the Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees, and that their punctual attendance be requested.	24 Oct. 1811
Item	GBR 1/240	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 31 October 1811.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal; Henry Johnson; Richard Simpson. Overseers: Alexander Moor; Robert Ewert; George Glendinning; Thomas Lough' Trustees: Michael Lilly; J B Atkinson [James Blackett Atkinson]; William Gracie; Joseph Hubback; Alexander Thomson [sic]; Matthew Bell;	31 Oct. 1811

			Richard Reavley junior; John Knox; George Richardson.  Ordered that Robert Davidson in the House [Workhouse] be allowed for his services 1s monthly from the acting overseer. The Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees having taken into consideration the propriety of giving Mrs Fleming a compliment of £5 half-yearly are unanimously of opinion that it is not in the power of the meeting to give any such compliment, and they are also of opinion that if a [damaged] is made to Mrs Fleming's salary [damaged] a general meeting can [damaged].	
Item	GBR 1/241- 242	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 November 1811.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal; . Overseers: Robert Ewert; George Glendinning; Alexander Moor; Thomas Lough. Trustees: Michael Lilly; William Gracie; Joseph Hubback; Alexander Thompson; J B Atkinson [James Blackett Atkinson]; William Givens; Matthew Bell.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Mrs Penrith come into the House [Workhouse] and that Mary Walker be allowed 6d in addition to her former allowance of 2s for a short time, and Margaret Anderson be allowed 3/6s for her child, and Thomas Main and wife be allowed 1/6s and Mrs Healey be allowed 1s and Robert Nicholson come into the Workhouse] with his wife, and widow [Carin's?] two daughters be allowed 6d in addition to their former allowance of 4s, and widow Ann Ord come into the House [Workhouse]. Committee fro November 1811: Ferrow Marshal; J B Atkinson [James Blackett Atkinson; A Moor [Alexander Moor]; Joseph Hubback; A Thompson [Alexander Thompson].	3 Nov. 1811
Item	GBR 1/243	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 December 1811.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal. Overseers: Alexander Moor; Robert Ewert; Thomas Lough; George Glendinning. Trustees: Matthew Bell; William Gracie; Alexander Thompson; John Knox; George Richardson; Joseph Hubback; Michael Lilly; J B Atkinson [James Blackett Atkinson].	1 Dec. 1811

			Ordered that Marshall Douglass be allowed [damaged] schooling, and that widow Main, residing at the Workhouse, and her two children, who have an allowance of 5s per week, be reduced to 4s, and that Margaret Leithhead's allowance be increased from 2s to 2/6s per week, and that Mary Jolly be allowed 1/6s per week.  Committee for December 1811: Alexander Moor; George Glendinning; Thomas Lough; Alexander Thompson; William Gracie.	
Item	GBR 1/243- 244	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens; Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 January 1812.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal. Overseers: Robert Ewert; Alexander Moor; George Glendinning; Thomas Lough; Trustees: Matthew Bell; Joseph Hubback; J B Atkinson [James Blackett Atkinson]; William Gracie; Alexander Thompson; George Richardson; Richard Reavley junior.  The following weekly payments were ordered: John Dent be allowed 2/6s, and Jane Hall 1/6s, and Christian Henderson an additional 6d during winter, and William Button's wife be allowed [damaged], and Isabella Smith be allowed [damaged], and John Bell be allowed 2s during his wife's illness, and Mrs Hamilton be allowed from 3/6s to 5s at the discretion of the overseer, and Mrs Clark be allowed 1s per week. Committee for January 1812: Robert Ewert; Alexander Moor; Thomas Lough; George Glendinning; Matthew Bell; Joseph Hubback.	5 Jan. 1812
Item	GBR 1/244	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 17 January 1812.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal. Overseers: Robert Erwet; George Glendinning; Alexander Moor. Trustees: William Garcie; Richard Reavley; Michael Lilly; Matthew Bell; John Knox.  Ordered that the consumption of wheat meal be reduced and meal made form peas and barley, and Mr Fleming is hereby instructed to carry the order into effect. Ordered that beef only be bought for the use of the House [Workhouse], and that a proportion be used of 10 stones every week unless the number	17 Jan. 1812

			of paupers should exceed 110 persons when a proportionable [damaged ] will be allowed [damaged [get the 2/10 that the Overseers receive from her husband?]	
Item	GBR 1/245	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 February 1812.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal; William Givens; Richard Simpson. Overseers: Robert Ewert; George Glendinning; Alexander Moor; Thomas Lough. Trustees: William Gracie; Michael Lilly; Joseph Hubback; Matthew Bell; A Thompson [Alexander Thompson]; Richard Reavley; John Knox.  The following weekly payments were ordered: Alice Rayn be allowed 1s, and that widow Cameron be allowed 6d in addition to the 1s she has at present, and Willie's widow be allowed 6s, and that [Theisle's] child be allowed 1/6s and Isobel Wilson be allowed 2s and Mrs Clark 1/6s and widow Weatherhead be advanced from 1/6s to 2s for one month. Ordered that Mr Fleming summons the Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees to a general committee on Thursday 6 February.  Committee for February 1812: William Gracie; Matthew Bell; Thomas Lough; Robert Ewert; Alexander Moor.	2 Feb. 1812
Item	GBR 1/246	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 March 1812.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal; Richard Simpson. Overseers: Robert Ewert; Alexander Moor; George Glendinning; Thomas Lough. Trustees: George Richardson; John Knox; Alexander Thompson; Matthew Bell; Michael Lilly; Joseph Hubback; William Gracie; J B Atkinson [James Blackett Atkinson]; Richard Reavley junior.  Ordered that James Flucker be allowed 2/6s weekly and William Weatherhead 2/6s weekly, and widow Leachman 2s during this month and widow Lawson 1/6s weekly, and that Margaret Carle come into the House [Workhouse] until she gets a service, and Roper's wife allowed 2s weekly. Ordered that the acting overseer and private committee do attend once a week to inspect the affairs of the House [Workhouse]. Committee for March 1812: Robert Ewert; Alexander Moor;	1 March 1812

			George Glendinning; Thomas :Lough; Joseph Hubback; Alexander Thomson.	
Item	GBR 1/247	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 April 1812.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal; William Givens. Overseers: James McBurnie; William Jackson; Edward R Palmer; Thomas Ord. Trustees: William Ainslie; James Hogarth; Robert Ewert; Alexander Moor; Thomas Lough; James Cockburn; Stephen Maxwell; Andrew Jameson; Robert Marshall; George Bogue.  Ordered that Mr McRae's child be removed from Mrs [Titilah?] to Mrs Tranant and that widow Gardner be allowed 3s per week for herself and two children. Committee for April 1812: James McBurnie; Alexander Moor; Ferrow Marshal; Robert Marshall; Thomas Ord.	5 April 1812
Item	GBR 1/247- 248	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 May 1812.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal; George Forster; George Bell; George Wilson. Overseers: Thomas Ord; James McBurnie; William Jackson; Edward R Palmer [Edward Robert Palmer]. Trustees: Alexander Moor; Thomas Waite; Andrew Jameson; James Hogarth; George Glendinning; Stephen Maxwell; George Bogue.	3 May 1812
			Ordered that the affairs respecting the consumption of meal be referred to the weekly Committee and by them be reported to the general meeting to be held on 11 May.  Ordered that Gilchrist's daughter be allowed for clothes, and that Alice Brown be allowed 2s during her illness, and Mrs Thompkins be allowed 1/6s per week, and Eliza Crow be allowed 2s per week.  Committee for May 1812: Moor [Alexander Moor]; Glendinning [George Glendinning]; Marshal [Ferrow Marshal]; Ewert [Robert Ewert]; Jackson [William Jackson].	
Item	GBR 1/248-	Minutes of Berwick	Present at the meeting: [?]	11 May 1812

	249	Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 11 May 1812.	Ordered that potato soup be substituted as a dinner on Wednesday instead of dumplings, and in future no flour be used, and that the small beer also be discontinued [? Residing?] the morals of the children educated [?] importance it is ordered that Mr Fleming be instructed to take particular care that the children be not allowed to roam at large and mix with children of bad morals and especially on the Sabbath Day.	
Item	GBR 1/249- 250	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 June 1812.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal. Overseers: James McBurnie; William Jackson; Thomas Ord; Edmund Palmer. Trustees: Thomas Lough; Robert Ewert; Alexander Moor; Stephen Maxwell; William Ainslie; Andrew Jameson.  Letter from Mr Easton the Parish School master, tendering his resignation and wishing to be quit on 1 July. Resolved: if another schoolmaster could not be found before the time specified by Mr Easton, he would be considered bound for six months or till his place could be filled up during that time. Resolved to advertise in the Berwick Advertiser and the Kelso Mail till the 20 instant and also inserted in the Parish Book after the above resolution, and that Rev James Barnes; Rev Andrew Thompson; Mr John Thompson and Mr William Paulin be solicited by Mr Burnie to attend and examine the candidates. Parish schoolmaster wanted immediately by the Parish of Berwick-upon-Tweed, a person capable of teaching the children [damaged] of the said parish, reading, writing and arithmetic, and of keeping the accounts of the Workhouse and such other business as may be directed by the Overseers. The salary is £50 per annum, and the candidates will be required to produce testimonials of their religious and moral character, and attend personally the trials at the Workhouse on Monday 22 June at 11 a.m. when they will be examined as to their qualifications, and none need apply without such testimonials of character. For further particulars apply to Mr James McBurnie, Acting Overseer.	3 June 1812

Item	GBR 1/250- 151	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 June 1812.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal; George Bell. Overseers: James McBurnie; Edward Palmer; Thomas Ord; William Jackson. Trustees: Alexander Moor; Robert Ewert; George Glendinning; Stephen Maxwell; William Ainslie; Andrew Jameson; George Bogue; James Hogarth; Thomas Wait.  The following weekly payments were ordered: Grant's child be allowed 1/6s for one month and that [Swordy?] and wife be allowed 2s, and widow Henderson be allowed 3/6s, and that Mrs Colston's debt of £15 6s be paid, and John Alexander be allowed 2s during his wife's illness, and that Mrs Weatherburn be allowed 6s for herself and four children, and widow [Hartlay?] be allowed 2s, and Barbara Graham be allowed 1/6s, and Mrs Ross and family be allowed 1/6s for two weeks.  Committee: Glendinning [George Glendinning]; Marshal [Ferrow Marshal]; Jackson [William Jackson]; Ord [Thomas Ord]; Ewert [Robert Ewert.	4 June 1812
Item	GBR 1/251- 252	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 July 1812.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal; George Bell; George Forster. Overseers: James McBurnie; William Jackson; Edward Palmer; Thomas Ord. Trustees: Alexander Moor; Stephen Maxwell; Thomas Wait; James Cockburn; [last name damaged].  Ordered that McRoe's child be allowed 3/6s weekly, and Forest's son 3/6 weekly and Fisackerly's daughter be allowed 2s weekly.  Committee for July: Moor [Alexander Moor]; Forster [George Forster; Jackson [William Jackson]; McBurnie [James McBurnie]; Marshal [Ferrow Marshal].	5 July 1812
Item	GBR 1/251- 252	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers	Pursuant to a resolution of 3 June 1812 the Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees of the Parish met to examine the	22 June 1812

		and Trustees meeting held on 22 June 1812.	testimonials of character of the respective candidates (as should apply for the situation of Schoolmaster to the poor children of the Workhouse) previous to the comparative trial of their professional abilities by the examinators.  Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal; George Wilson; George Bell. Overseers: James McBurnie; Thomas Ord; William Jackson; E R Palmer [Edward Robert Palmer]. Trustees: James Cockburn; James Hogarth; Stephen Maxwell; William Ainslie; Robert Marshall; Thomas Wait; Andrew Jameson; Thomas Lough; Alexander Moor; George Glendinning.  Testimonials from the following candidates: Mr Hogarth, Etal; Mr Mathison, Ladykirk; Mr Hogg, Churnside; Mr Nisbett, Paxton; Mr Rutherford, Ford; Mr Hood, Coldstream; Mr Turnbull, Galoshes; Mr Kirton, Berwick were examined. The candidates were whittled down to two: Mr Turnbull and Mr Kirton. Mr Kirton was preferable in figures, and Mr Turnbull in reading, writing and spelling. Mr Turnbull was chosen and entered to his office on 8 July 1812, and received the books of the Workhouse from his predecessor Mr Eaton, which had been inspected and passed by the Committee.	
Item	GBR 1/253- 254	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 August 1812.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshall; George Forster. Overseers: F R Palmer [Edward Robert Palmer]; James McBurnie; Thomas Ord. Trustees: James Hogarth; Stephen Maxwell; William Ainslie; Alexander Moor; Andrew Jackson.  Ordered that Mr Weatherburn's rent be paid up to this time, being two and a half years at 40s per year, £5, and that the house rent in future be paid by this Parish for any of the outpensioner, and that widow French be allowed 2s per week, and widow Fairbairn's allowance be advanced from 1/6s to 2s weekly, and that Mary Brown's allowance be advanced from 1/6s to 2/6s, and Guthrie's child's allowance be discontinued. Committee: Ferrow Marshal; Alexander Moor; E R Palmer	2 Aug. 1812

			[Edward Robert Palmer]; James McBurnie; Robert Ewert	
Item	GBR 1/254- 255	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 September 1812.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal; George Bell; George Wilson. Overseers: Edward Robert Palmer; William Jackson; Thomas Ord. Trustees: Stephen Maxwell; Thomas Wait; Thomas Lough; Robert Ewert; James Cockburn.  Ordered that widow Vardy be advanced from 1/6s to 2s weekly, and William Anderson be struck off the books, and Betty Weatherby be advanced from 1s to 1/6s weekly, and that the Schoolmaster, Mr Turnbull be allowed two weeks salary according to his request.  Committee: Ferrow Marshal; George Wilson; E R Palmer [Edward Robert Palmer]; William Jackson; James Cockburn.  Ordered that the general half-yearly meeting be held in this House on Wednesday 30 September at 10 a.m.	6 Sept. 1812
Item	GBR 1/255- 256	General half-yearly meeting of the Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees held on 30 September 1812 for examining the several cases of the poor of the Berwick Parish.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal; George Forster; George Bell. Overseers: Thomas Ord; Edward Robert Palmer; William Jackson; James McBurnie. Trustees: Robert Ewert; Alexander Moor; Andrew Jameson; Stephen Maxwell; James Cockburn; James Hogarth; William Ainslie.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Widow [Emamit?] be allowed 3s, and Dickson's wife's children be allowed [damaged], and that Johnston's widow be allowed 3s, and widow Peart be advanced from 1/6s to 2s, and that Jane Whitaker and two children, wife of Whitaker and daughter of John Blyth, Berwick, be allowed 3s and her husband be looked after when he arrives at Newcastle, he went a [?] voyage on board the Morning Star, and that widow Vardy be allowed 6d per week more [?] 2s now, and Jane Stevenson be advanced from 1/6s to 2s, and that Mrs Flemiing be presented with £5 as a mark of approbation for her attention to the interest of the Parish in the management of the Workhouse.	30 Sept. 1812

Item	GBR 1/256- 257	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4October 1812.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal. Overseers: Edward Robert Palmer; William Jackson; Thomas Ord; James McBurnie. Trustees: Thomas Wait; William Ainslie; George Wilson; Stephen Maxwell; James Hogarth; Alexander Moor; Robert Marshall; Robert Ewert.  Ordered that Falconer's wife be allowed 4/6s per week. Committee: Moor [Alexander Moor]; Ainslie [William Ainslie]; Wilson [George Wilson]; Marshall [Robert Marshall]; Maxwell [Stephen Maxwell].	4 Oct. 1812
Item	GBR 1/257- 258	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on [?] November 1812.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Wilson. Overseers: James McBurnie; Thomas Ord; William Jackson; Edward Robert Palmer. Trustees: Andrew Jameson; Alexander Moor; Thomas Lough; Thomas Wait; James Cockburn; William Ainslie; Robert Ewert; Stephen Maxwell.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Ann Ord be taken into the House [Workhouse], and Mark Mather's children be allowed 3s, and that widow Stampford be struck off the books and widow Sangster be allowed 1/6s, and widow Forrest's son be advanced from 3/6s to 5s on account of his illness, and that [James Board's] wife be allowed 4s and Isabella Douglass' child [illegible] taken out of the Workhouse, be allowed [?] and that the schooling [be also paid for?], and that James Brown and his wife be allowed 2/6s. Committee: [illegible]	Nov. 1812
Item	GBR 1/258- 259	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 December 1812.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal; George Bell; George Forster. Overseers: James McBurnie; William Jackson; Edward Robert Palmer. Trustees: Alexander Moor; Robert Ewert; William Ainslie; Stephen Maxwell; James Cockburn.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Mrs Hamilton be advanced from 1s to 1/6s and that John Carr be allowed 2s' [damaged] Cleland be allowed 1s, and [Liple's?]	6 Dec. 1812

			widow and children be reduced from 3s to 2s for 20 weeks to pay a debt of £1 5s 0d, and that Johnston's wife and two children be advanced from 3s to 3/6s and that Nelly Bell be advanced from 1s to 1/6s and [Hebron's?] child be allowed 1/6s until his parish is found and Mrs Penny be allowed 1s during the winter months, and Caren's daughter be advanced from 4/6s to 5/6s for three months, and Thomas Tait and wife be allowed 4s. Committee: Burnie [James McBurnie]; Ord [Thomas Ord]; Palmer [Edward Robert Palmer]; Wait [Thomas Wait]; Moor [Alexander Moor].	
Item	GBR 1/259- 260	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 January 1813.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal; George Bell. Overseers: Edward Robert Palmer; James McBurnie; Thomas Ord; William Jackson. Trustees: Stephen Maxwell; Andrew Jameson.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: [James Board?] be advanced from 4s to 5s and that John Morrison be [illegible], and that [Mrs?'s] boys be allowed into the House [Workhouse] [illegible] and that widow Craik be advanced from 1s to 1/6s, and that [illegible] be allowed 1s and widow Johnston's two children be allowed their schooling and widow Filton be advanced from 4/6s to 6s. Committee: Ferrow Marshal; Thomas Ord; William Jackson; James McBurnie; Edward Robert Palmer; Robert Ewert.	3 Jan. 1813
Item	GBR 1/261	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 February 1813.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal. Overseers: James McBurnie; Edward Robert Palmer. Trustees: Alexander Moor; Thomas Wait; Robert Ewert; James Hogarth.  Plan for the improvement of the Poor House viz. a lunatic asylum; a sick ward and a school house was laid before the meeting and approved. James Robertson, carpenter, to make out a specification for the improvements and present them at the next meeting to be held specifically for that purpose. Resignation letter from Mr Turnbull, Parish Schoolmaster, was produced and accepted. Matters relative to this to be discussed	4 Feb. 1813

			at the next meeting to be held on 9 February.	
Item	GBR 1/262- 263	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 February 1813.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal; George Bell; George Forster. Overseers: James McBurnie; William Jackson; Edward Robert Palmer; Thomas Ord. Trustees: Robert Ewert; William Ainslie; Andrew Jameson; James Hogarth; Thomas Wait  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered:. widow King be allowed 3s and John Brown's widow be allowed 2/6s until her settlement is ascertained, and Andrew Wait be allowed 2/6s if this should be his parish, and Robert Graydon's wife be allowed 5s to support herself and four children, and widow Moreland be advanced from 1/6s to 2s, and Alexander McKenzie, a poor boy,,, be taken into the House [Workhouse], and John Alexander's be continued [damaged] at the allowance of 2s, [damaged] Whitaker's wife be allowed 1/6s, and that Isabella Smith be allowed 2s and Craik's child be advanced from 1/6s to 2/6s, and [Jobs Scott?] and wife be allowed 5s, and that Davies, sailor, be struck off the books, and Elias Weatherburn's wife be reduced from 6s to 5s, and Elliott and wife of [?] be advanced from 2s to 3s, and that Robert Grecian be taken into the House [Workhouse]. Committee: McBurnie [James McBurnie]; Ord [Thomas Ord]; Jackson [William Jackson]; Wait [Thomas Wait]; Ainslie [William Ainslie].	7 Feb. 1813
Item	GBR 1/264- 265	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 9 February 1813.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Bell; George Wilson; Ferrow Marshal; George Forster. Overseers: James McBurnie; Thomas Ord; Edward Robert Palmer; William Jackson. Trustees: Robert Ewert; Andrew Jameson; George Glendinning; James Hogarth; Stephen Maxwell; Thomas Lough; Alexander Moor; Thomas Wait; George Forster; William Ainslie; James Cockburn  Regarding two orders agreed upon at a meeting held on 7 February 1813, about improvement of the Workhouse – lunatic	9 Feb. 1813

			asylum, school ward and schoolhouse – according to specifications made by James Robertson, carpenter, and about a replacement for the Schoolmaster, Mr Turnbull, the following action was taken.  It was ordered that an advertisement be inserted in the Berwick Advertiser for estimates for building the rom the improvements. Estimate to be submitted before 10 March.  George Kirton, who was present at the meeting, was nominated as fit and proper to be appointed Parish Schoolmaster, and he was unanimously chosen to start 15 February. Three months to be given when terminating the job. The same to apply in case of discharging him. Mr Kirton also to keep the books belonging to the Workhouse. Salary £50 per annum.  Also ordered that children receiving their schooling from the Parish, and who were at different schools, be taken into the Parish School, except those who lived in Tweedmouth or Spitttal [?] distance from the Workhouse.	
Item	GBR 1/265- 266	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 March 1813.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal; George Bell; George Wilson; George Forster. Overseers: Andrew Jameson; William Ainslie; Stephen Maxwell; Alexander Moor; Robert Ewert; George Glendinning.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Mrs Weatherburn be advanced from 3s to 4s, and widow Sinclair be allowed 2s, and Robert Hogg 3s, and that the affair respecting the settlement Robert Hogg in the parish of Yetholm be attended to by Mr Dickson, and widow Maltman be advanced from 2s to 3s, and widow Sackville be advanced from 1s to 2s, and John Morrison be advanced from 3s to 5s, and that John Young be allowed 2/6s, and Mrs Haden, a soldier's wife, be allowed 1/6s, and Isabella Smith be advanced from 2/6s to 3s, and William Tait and wife be advanced from 4s to 5s, and that Jane Spears, Eyemouth, be advanced from 2s to 2/6s Committee: McBurnie [James McBurnie]; Ord [Thomas Ord]; Jackson [William Jackson]; Marshall; Moor [Alexander Moor].	4 March 1813

Item	GBR 1/267- 268	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 11 March 1813.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal; George Wilson; George Bell. Overseers: James McBurnie; Thomas Ord; Edward Robert Palmer; William Jackson. Trustees: Alexander Moor; George Glendinning; Stephen Maxwell; Robert Ewert; Robert Marshall; Andrew Jameson.  The estimates for the erection of a sick ward and school house were given at the meeting, separately agreeable [Overseers?] when Mr James Robertson's estimate [damaged] was the lowest that was being given, and Mr Walker Grieve's was the lowest that was given for the building of the school house and their estimates were accordingly accepted of and it was ordered that the following gentlemen should meet at the Workhouse on Monday 15 March 1813 and manage the affairs with the workmen to arrange matters relative to the aforesaid buildings viz. Ferrow Marshal; George Bell; George Wilson; George Forster; Churchwardens and James McBurnie; [?]; Edward Robert Palmer;; Overseers and James Hogarth; Stephen Maxwell and Robert Ewert, Trustees.  Ordered that David Thompson be allowed 2/6s weekly.	11 March 1813
Item	GBR 1/268- 269	At a meeting held on 15 March 1813 regarding the building of a sick ward and a school house.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Bell. Overseers: Edward Robert Palmer; Thomas Ord. Trustees: Stephen Maxwell; Robert Ewert; James Hogarth.  Ordered that the workmen engaged to build the sick ward and school house should be paid in equal payment. The sick ward in four payments, and the school house in three payments. Both buildings to be completely finished by 31 July, which was agreed to by the respective workmen.	15 March 1813
Item	GBR 1/269- 270	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 April 1813.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal; George Wilson; George Forster. Overseers: Edward Robert Palmer; James McBurnie; Thomas Ord. Trustees: Stephen Maxwell; Robert Ewert; George Glendinning. Ordered that Mrs Sheriff be struck off the books, and that Peter	4 April 1813

			McDonald's widow be allowed 1s weekly, and that [Cartha's] wife and children be allowed 3s weekly and that John Ross's wife and children be allowed 3s weekly, and that Cossar be put out [damaged] next week, and the general half-yearly meeting be held on Wednesday 25 April at 10 a.m.  Committee: James McBurnie; Ord [Thomas Ord]; Ewert [Robert Ewert]; Glendinning [George Glendinning]; Maxwell [Stephen Maxwell].	
Item	GBR 1/270- 271	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees general half- yearly meeting for examining the several cases of the poor in the Parish held on 21 April 1813.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Bell; George Wilson; Ferrow Marshal; George Forster. Overseers: Thomas Chartres; John Dodds; Joseph Park; George Scott. Trustees: William Wilson junior; John Reid; James McBurnie; Thomas Ord; Edward Robert Palmer; George Patterson; William Ford; William Jackson; John Clay; John Wilson.  [damaged] child to be taken into the House [Workhouse]. Ordered that widow Johnston be taken into the House [Workhouse]. Committee: Palmer [Edward Robert Palmer]; James McBurnie; Jackson [William Jackson]; For [William Ford]; Wilson junior [William Wilson junior]	21 April 1813
Item	GBR 1/271- 277	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 May 1813.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Ferrow Marshal; George Forster. Overseers: George Scott; John Dodds; Thomas Chartres; Joseph Park. Trustees: John Reid; John Wilson; James McBurnie; Edward Robert Palmer; George Patterson; William Ford; Thomas Jordan Steel; George Thompkins.  Ordered that Isabella Davis, a sailor's wife, be allowed 5s weekly, and widow Aitkin be advanced from 2s weekly to 3s during her illness, and that Mrs Nicholson's boy be [damaged] Parish School, and that Peter McDonald's widow be advanced from 1s to 1/6s weekly.  Committee: Thomas Ford; George Scott; Thomas Chartres; William Jackson; John Dodds.  Detailed description of specifications for the erection of a sick	2 May 1813

			ward and Parish school house.  [Page 278 is blank].	
Item	GBR 1/279	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 June 1813.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Michael Johnston; Alexander Moor; Richard Reavley; John Dewar. Overseers: John Dodds; George Scott; Joseph Park; Thomas Chartres. Trustees: George Thompkins; John Reid; George Patterson; William Jackson; James McBurnie; John Clay; Edward Robert Palmer; Thomas Ord  The following weekly payments were ordered:. Ordered that widow Dawson be allowed 4s to be repaid by meadow and stint, and that widow Philips be allowed 2s, and Misses Grants be allowed 4s, and Elizabeth Sommers, a soldier's wife, be allowed 2/6s, and John Young and wife be allowed 4s, and Elizabeth Simpson's child be reduced from 4 to 2/6s.  Committee for June: Joseph Park; George Scott; [damaged]; James McBurnie; John Dodds.	6 June 1813
Item	GBR 1/280	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 July 1813.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Alexander Moor; Michael Johnston. Overseers: John Dodds; George Scott; Joseph Park; Thomas Chartres. Trustees: Edward Robert Palmer; Thomas Ord; William Jackson; James McBurnie.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered:  widow Yeoman be allowed 4s to enable her to support herself and six children, and Mary Trotter be allowed 1/6s, and Mary Alenshow 1/6s weekly, and [Joseph Heaventson's?] wife and two children be allowed 1/6s and Eleanor Ord be allowed 2s and that the children in the Parish School be examined on Tuesday 27 July, 1813.  Committee for July: Joseph Park; George Scott; John Dodds; Thomas Chartres; William Jackson.	4 July 1813

Item	GBR 1/281	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 August 1813.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Michael Johnson. Overseers: George Scott; Thomas Chartres. Trustees: William Ford; John Reis; Stephen Sanderson; Thomas Ord; James McBurnie; Edward Robert Palmer.  The following weekly payments were ordered: Ann Wardle be allowed 3s, and Clark, a soldier's wife be allowed 2/6s, and Drysdale's daughter be allowed 2/6s to support her child, and James Lee 3s, and Elias Weatherburn's wife be advanced from 4s to 5s owing to her monthly note being stopped, and widow Murphy be allowed 1/6s, and Mrs Bedolph be allowed 1s. Committee for August: Joseph Park; George Scott; [damaged]; Thomas Chartres; William Jackson.	1 Aug. 1813
Item	GBR 1/282- 283	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 September 1813.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Michael Johnson. Overseers: George Scott; John Dodds; Thomas Chartres. Trustees: James McBurnie; Thomas Ord; Edward Robert Palmer; George Patterson; John Reid; Stephen Sanderson; George Thompkins.  The following weekly payments were ordered: widow Edgly be advanced from 1/6s to 2s, and that Jane Willis be advanced from 1/6s to 2s, and widow McDonald be advanced from 1/6s to 2s, and Ann Warrington, a soldier's wife 25 <sup>th</sup> Regiment, be allowed 1s, and Bella Davidson be allowed 2s, and Mary Drummonds, a soldier's wife 25 <sup>th</sup> Regiment, be allowed 1s and Isabel Lee be allowed 4/6s to [damaged] support of her son, and that Elizabeth Purvis, residing at Newcastle, be struck off. Committee for September: George Scott; Joseph Park; John Dodds; Thomas Chartres; James McBurnie.	5 Sept. 1813
Item	GBR 1/283- 284	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 October 1813.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Michael Johnson; Alexander Moor; John Dewar. Overseers: George Scott; Thomas Chartres; John Dodds; Joseph Park. Trustees: William Jackson; James McBurnie; Edward Robert Palmer; Thomas	3 Oct. 1813

			Ord; William Ford; George Thompkins; George Patterson.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Elizabeth Purvis, residing at Newcastle, be allowed 3s, and that Margaret Watson be allowed 2/6s, and that Mrs Reid be advanced from 1s to 2s, and Alice Pattison be taken into the House [Workhouse] during her illness, and Mrs Dunn, a soldier's wife, be taken into the House [Workhouse], and Mrs Flackarty be advanced from 1s to 1,6s and Jane Ferrow be advanced [damaged], and that widow Allan be advanced from 2s to 3s, and that the general half yearly meeting be held on Wednesday 20 October at 10 a.m.  Committee for October: James McBurnie; Thomas Ord; William Jackson; John Dodds; [last name illegible].	
Item	GBR 1/284- 285	At a general half-yearly meeting of the Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees held at the Workhouse on 20 October 1813 for examining the several cases of the poor of this Parish.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Alexander Moor; Michael Johnson; John Dewar. Overseers: George Scott; John Dodds; Thomas Chartres; Joseph Park. Trustees: Edward Robert Palmer; Thomas Ord; William Jackson; John Wilson; William Wilson; William Ford; Stephen Sanderson; James McBurnie; John Reid; George Thompkins.  Ordered that widow Fairbairns be taken into the House [Workhouse], and that Mrs Fleming be presented with £10 as a mark of approbation for her attention to the interests of the Parish in the management of the affairs of the Workhouse, and that Elizabeth Simson be reduced from 1/6s to 1s weekly. Committee: William Ford; Thomas Chartres; George Scott; Alexander Moor; James McBurnie.	20 Oct. 1813
Item	GBR 1/285- 286	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 November 1813.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Michael Johnson; John Dewar; Alexander Moor. Overseers: John Dodds; George Scott; Joseph Park; Thomas Chartres. Trustees: Edward Robert Palmer; William Ford; John Reid; James McBurnie; Thomas Ord.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered:	7 Nov. 1813

			Mary Henderson, a soldier's wife, be allowed 5s for the first month, and that Matthew Parker be allowed 2s and Mary McInnis and Mary Kerr [rest of entry damaged], and that [Grecian's daughter aged two?] be taken into the House [Workhouse] until she can get a place, and that [?McKenzie] be allowed 2/6s, and that Mrs Dalgleish, a sailor's wife, and three children be allowed 4/6s and Mary Penny allowed 1s and Peter McDonald's widow be allowed 2s and that Thomas Main and his wife be allowed 2s, and John Howel's wife and two children be allowed 3s until his parish is ascertained (Birmingham) [added in brackets, and that Cairn's two daughters be reduced from 5/6s to5s and that their debt be paid.  Committee for November: William Ford; Thomas Chartres; George Scott; Alexander Moor; James McBurnie.	
Item	GBR 1/287- 288	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 December 1813.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Alexander Moor; Michael Johnson. Overseers: John Dodds; George Scott; Thomas Chartres; Joseph Park. Trustees: James McBurnie; John Clay; George Patterson; John Reid; Edward Robert Palmer; Thomas J Steel; Stephen Sanderson; William Ford; Thomas Ord; William Jackson; George Thompkinson.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: George Johnston receive 2s, and Isabella Newton to be allowed 1s, and widow [Pihlah?] and four children, aged 10, 8, 6, 4, be allowed 6s, and widow McDonald be taken into the House [Workhouse], as well as widow Murphy, and that Mrs Bruce, hatter, and family be reduced from 6s to 4s, and that Ralph Cook be allowed 3s, and Robert Sharp be allowed 3s during his illness, and John White be allowed 3s during his illness, and widow Perry taken into the House [Workhouse] as well as Betty Sidey.  Committee for December: MR Scott [George Scott]; Mr Chartres [Thomas Chartres]; Mr Park [Joseph Park]; Mr Jackson [William Jackson]; Mr Dodds [John Dodds].	5 Dec. 1813
Item	GBR 1/289	Minutes of Berwick	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Michael Johnson; John	2 Jan. 1814

		Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 January 1814.	Dewar. Overseers: George Scott; John Dodds; Joseph Park' Trustees: George Patterson; William Ford; James McBurnie; Thomas Ord; John Reid; Edward Robert Palmer; William Jackson.  Ordered that [Elizabeth Cars?], late servant to gentleman Dundas – parish by servitude, be allowed 2/6s per week and Robert Miller and wife, infirm, parish by servitude, be allowed 3s per week, and that Ann Gilmore and Catherine Wilson, soldier's wives, with their children, have their passage paid to London to join their husbands in the Aberdeenshire Militia.  Committee for January: George Patterson; Edward Robert Palmer; George Scott; Joseph Park; John Dodds.	
Item	GBR 1/290- 292	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 February 1814.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Alexander Moor; John Dewar. Overseers: George Scott; Thomas Chartres; John Dodds. Trustees: John Clay; James McBurnie; George Patterson; E R Palmer [Edward Robert Palmer]; William Jackson.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Mrs Penman be allowed 2s during her illness, and that Samuel Parker be allowed 2s during the severity of the weather, and William Purvis – parish by payment of poor rates [?] to the year 1794 – be allowed 2s for his wife, and Ann Castlow, wife of Hugh Castlow, a solider in the Artillery, and her three children, be allowed 4/6s, and that widow Taylor's allowance be advanced from 2s to 2/6s, and Elizabeth Simpson's allowance be discontinued, and that Ann Bannister be allowed 2/6s for the maintenance of [Bergmia? Hunter's] child, and Jane Robinson be allowed 2s, and widow Craig's allowance be advanced from 1/6s to 2/6, and Jane McCormick be allowed 1/6s, and Alexander Bruce's wife and family's allowanced be advanced from 4s to 5s and Robert Warden and wife be allowed 2s, and [Catherine Whinn?'] allowance be advanced from 1s to 2s and Mary Drummond, a soldier's wife, be allowed 2/6s for the maintenance of her child, and Isabella Whitelaw be allowed 2s,	6 Feb. 1814

			and widow Humble's allowance be advanced from 1s to 2s, and Mary Barnet's (and family) allowance be advanced from 5s to 6s, and that Robert Nicholson's allowance be advanced from 3s to 4s, and Margaret Barrowman be allowed 2s, and David Richardson's daughter's allowance be advanced from 2s to 3, and Mrs Carr be allowed 2/6s, and that Mr Fleming be allowed to keep poultry and pigs, and that widow Halloway be allowed 3s, and that Marshall's family at Carlisle being all provided for except [one child, partly damaged], their allowance be reduced to [damaged], and that Elizabeth Purvis at Newcastle be allowed 3s.  Committee for February: Alexander Moor; James McBurnie; Thomas Ord; William Jackson; [last name illegible].	
Item	GBR 1/292- 293	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 March 1814.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Dewar; Michael Johnson. Overseers: John Dodds; George Scott; Joseph Park; Thomas Chartres. Trustees: John Clay; Stephen Sanderson; James McBurnie; Thomas Ord; William Jackson; E R Palmer [Edwin Robert Palmer]; George Patterson; William Ford.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: widow Henderson's allowance be advanced from 2s to 3s, and that James Richardson's wife and two children be allowed 3s until she receives her monthly note from her husband who is impressed and that John Stewart and his wife be allowed 3s until the first half-yearly meeting, and that Bernard's wife and family be removed under the removal warrant to Norwich without delay, and that the Overseer going with them to endeavour to get the warrant against Archbold executed, and James White's widow be allowed 1/6s, and Isabella Newton's allowance be advanced from 1s to 2s during her illness, and Alexander Graham, aged 11 come April, be taken into the House [Workhouse], and widow [?] allowance be reduced from 4s to 2s, and Joseph Young and wife be sent to Dunfermline parish agreeable to Mr Todd's letter.  Committee for March: E R Palmer [Edward Robert Palmer]; John Dewar; Michael Johnson; Joseph Park; Thomas Chartres.	6 March 1814

Item	GBR 1/293- 294	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 April 1814.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Michael Johnson; Alexander Moor; John Dewar. Overseers: Joseph Park; George Scott; John Dodds; Thomas Chartres. Trustees: William Ford; William Jackson; James McBurnie; Thomas Ord; E R Palmer [Edward Robert Palmer] [three more names illegible]  Ordered that widow Hogarth be allowed 2s per week and William Douglass be taken into the Workhouse on giving up to the Parish meadows and stint, and [Philip Corgan's] widow be allowed 2s per week for the support of her child, and that the general half-yearly meeting be held on Wednesday 13 April at 10 a.m.  Committee for April: John Dewar; George Scott; Joseph Park; Thomas Chartres.	3 April 1814
Item	GBR 1/294- 295	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 May 1814.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Alexander Moor. Overseers: Thomas Skelly; George Bell; Henry Lindsay. Trustees: Thomas Lough; Robert Weatherhead; Robert Carr; John Dodds; William Cunningham; William Scott; Thomas Chartres; Thomas Chartres (cooper); Joseph Park; George Scott.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: McKey's wife be allowed 4s, and James Patterson's wife be allowed 1/6s, and that an enquiry be made into the settlement of John Ewart's widow supposed to have been apprenticed to Edward Inglis, tailor in Horncliffe, and that she be allowed 2s in the meantime, and that the allowance to widow McLachlan for her daughter be discontinued and the girl be taken into the Workhouse until a place can be found for her, and that the allowance to Mrs Tranent for keeping McRae's child be reduced to 2/6, and that Jane Hall be allowed 1s, and the widow of Matthew Bell be removed to Tweedmouth, and Jackson be allowed 1/6s for her child, and that James Baird's allowance be	1 May 1814

			increased to 4s while unemployed, and that the Overseers of the Parish of St Mary-le-bow be applied to for an allowance to John Porteus Dyer, late of [102 Great Tetchfield Street] Oreford Market, where he [secured] a house belonging to a Mr Truce and which he left about 1794 aged 69 years of age. Committee for May: Henry Lindsay; George Forster; Thomas Skelly; George Bell; William Scott.	
Item	GBR 1/296	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 June 1814.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Michael Johnson. Overseers: Henry Lindsay; Thomas Skelly; George Forster; George Bell. Trustees: James Hogarth; Thomas Lough; William Scott; John Dodds; Robert Carr; George Scott; Joseph Park.  Ordered that James Scott (at Gateshead) be allowed 5s per week for himself, his wife and two children, and that Barbara Carr's child be taken into the Workhouse, and William Mansell's wife be allowed 2s until her husband (now in the Navy) returns, and that Alice Cook's allowance be reduced from 3s to 2s per week, and Susan Green's allowance be discontinued and Ann Archbold's allowance for her child be reduced to 2/6s or that in case of refusal the child be taken into the Workhouse, and that James Lee be taken into the Workhouse, and that the allowance to Misses Grant (one of whom is lately dead) be discontinued. Committee for June: Henry Lindsay; George Bell; Thomas Skelly; George Forster; George Scott.	5 June 1814
Item	GBR 1/297	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 15 June 1814.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Alexander Moor. Overseers: Henry Lindsay; George Forster; George Bell; Thomas Skelly. Trustees: James Hogarth; Thomas Lough; Thomas Chartres; Robert Weatherhead; William Cunningham; John Cockburn; John Dodds; Joseph Park.  Petition presented from Joseph Fleming, Master of the Workhouse, stating that his present salary has become inadequate for services of himself and his family, especially after the erection of the lunatic house. He asks for an increase, and is granted £10.	15 June 1814

Item	GBR 1/298	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 July 1814.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Alexander Moor. Overseers: George Bell; Henry Lindsay; Thomas Skelly; George Forster;. Trustees: John Dodds; William Cunningham; Thomas Lough; Robert Weatherhead; William Scott; Robert Carr; James Hogarth; George Scott; Thomas Chartres.  Ordered that widow Addison be allowed 4/6s per week for her three children aged ten, five and 2 ½ and that the allowance to John Stewart and his wife be discontinued and that to Joseph Jackson and his wife at Haddington be also discontinued. Committee for July: Henry Lindsay; Alexander Moor; George Bell; Thomas Skelly.	3 July 1814
Item	GBR 1/299	Minuets of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 August 1814.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: James Mills; William Wilson; George Gilchrist; Arthur B Gowans Overseers: George Bell; Henry Lindsay; George Forster. Trustees: James Hogarth; Robert Carr; John Dodds; William Scott; George Scott; James Park.  Ordered that Naomi Castle, removed from Newcastle, be taken into the Workhouse until the Overseers can receive satisfactory evidence of her settlement being in this Parish, and Alexander Clark be allowed 2/6s per week, and that allowance be made for the education of Grant's children, and Blakey's widow and three children be allowed 4/6s per week, and Joseph Jackson and his wife and family be made the offer to come into the Workhouse and the same offer to be made to Sarah Perry.  Committee for August: George Forster; Henry Lindsay; George Bell; Thomas Skelly; James Mills.	1 Aug. 1814
Item	GBR 1/300	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 18 August 1814.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: James Mills. Overseers: Thomas Skelly; George Bell; Henry Lindsay. Trustees: George Scott; William Scott; James Hogarth; John Dodds.	18 Aug. 1814

			Proposal that the piece of ground granted to the Parish by the Corporation of Berwick, adjoining the west side of the Lunatic House, should be enclosed, and that a piece of walling of 16 feet in length should be built adjoining the east side of the same house. Advertisements to be inserted in the Berwick Advertiser, and the work concluded according to the stated specifications	
Item	GBR 1/301	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 25 August 1814.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: James Mills; William Wilson; George Gilchrist. Overseers: George Forster; Thomas Skelly; Henry Lindsay. Trustees: None.  Estimates received for the wall round the Lunatic House. William Brown and John Dryden's estimates were the lowest. William Brown agreed to withdraw and John Dryden's estimate was accepted.  Ordered that Mr Barnes and Mr Gardiner be requested to examine the scholars belonging to the Workhouse School and that Mr Fleming summons the Churchwardens and Overseers to meet on the day that shall be fixed by them for that purpose.	25 Aug. 1814
Item	GBR 1/301	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 September 1814.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Gilchrist; James Mills. Overseers: Thomas Skelly; George Bell; Henry Lindsay. Trustees: William Cunningham; Thomas Chartres; Thomas Lough; Robert Weatherhead; William Scott; John Dodds; [last name damaged].  Ordered that Elizabeth Elliott be allowed 1/6s per week. Committee for September: Henry Lindsay; Thomas Lough; George Bell; Thomas Skelly; George Forster.	4 Sept. 1814
Item	GBR 1/302	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 October 1814.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: James Mills; William Wilson; A B Gowans [Arthur B Gowans]. Overseers: George Forster; Henry Lindsay. Trustees: Joseph Park; William Cunningham; William Scott; Robert Weatherhead; Thomas Lough; John Dodds; Thomas Chartres; Robert Carr.	2 Oct. 1814

			Ordered that James Johnson be allowed 2s per week for the support of his wife, and that the general half-yearly meeting be held on 12 October at 10 a.m. Committee for October: George Forster; Henry Lindsay; George Bell; William Scott; Joseph Park.  Ordered that Daniel Balfour be taken into the Workhouse (he having delivered up his papers for receiving 1/4d per day pension from the Chelsea Board, and of which the Parish is to be paid a sufficient allowance for his keep, and the balance to be applied for the use of his wife and child). Mrs Fleming to be presented with £10 as a mark of appreciation for her attention to the maintenance of the Workhouse. Committee: George Forster; Thomas Skelly; William Cunningham; George Bell; Henry Lindsay.	
Item	GBR 1/304- 305	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 November 1814.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Wilson. Overseers: Thomas Skelly; Henry Lindsay. Trustees: George Scott; John Dodds; Joseph Park; Thomas Lough; William Scott; Robert Weatherhead; James Hogarth; Robert Carr.  Ordered that the allowance to Davis' wife and family be increased to 6s per week, and that Mary Penny be taken into the Workhouse, and that Agnes McKye be allowed 1/6s per week, and George Easton's present allowance be continued or that he be taken into the Workhouse, and Wyme's allowance for herself and child be increased to 3s per week, and that Jane Johnson be allowed 1s per week, and the allowance to Blakey's widow and three children be increased to 5s per week, and Thomas Main and his wife be allowed [6s?] per week in addition to their present allowance. Committee: Skelly [Thomas Skelly]; Lindsay [Henry Lindsay]; Forster [George Forster]; Park [Joseph Park]; Scott [William Scott].	6 Nov. 1814
Item	GBR 1/305- 306	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Wilson; James Mills' Overseers: Thomas Skelly; Henry Lindsay; George Bell.	4 Dec. 1814

		and Trustees meeting held on 4 December 1814.	Trustees: John Dodds; George Scott; Thomas Chartres; James Hogarth; William Scott; Robert Carr  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Robert Edmeston be received into the House [Workhouse], and the Overseers receive his meadow and stint, and that Robert Nicholson's allowance be increased to 5s during winter, and that Mary Henderson be taken into the House [Workhouse] until able to travel with her military route, and that if Skelly finds from the surgeon that [Sen?] requires it he should pay her an additional allowance until next meeting, and that Mary Brotherton be allowed 2s for the winter, and that Andrew's child be admitted to the school, and Isabella Cowen's child be taken into the House [Workhouse], and Margaret Gordon, widow, be allowed 2/6s for her sister Ann Lamb, and that James Baird be allowed [?]per week until further order, and that Hugh Smith and family be assessed by the Overseer and surgeon and allowed what they think necessary till next meeting, ([?] and his wife being very ill) an that Ann Ferrow is allowed 1s additional, and John Dodds be taken into the House [Workhouse]. Committee: Skelly [Thomas Skelly]; Bell [George Bell]; Park [Joseph Park]; Scott [George Scott].	
Item	GBR 1/306- 307	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 January 1815.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Wilson. Overseers: Thomas Skelly; George Forster; George Bell; Henry Lindsay. Trustees: George Scott; William Scott; Robert Weatherhead.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: widow [Sangsten's] allowance be increased to 2s during her illness, and that Benjamin How's wife and child be taken into the House [Workhouse] and that steps be taken to punish him for refusing to support them, and that the allowance to John Elliott and his wife be increased to 3/6s, and James Smith's widow be allowed 1s, and Alexander Patterson and his wife be allowed 3/6s, and John Dodd's widow be allowed 1/6s, and [Monnet's] child be taken into the Workhouse and the allowance to be	1 Jan. 1815

			discontinued. Committee for February: Thomas Skelly; George Bell; George Forster; Henry Lindsay; William Scott.	
Item	GBR 1/307- 308	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 February 1815.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: William Wilson. Overseers: George Forster; George Bell; Thomas Skelly; Henry Lindsay. Trustees: George Scott; John Dodds; William Cunningham; William Scott; Thomas Lough; Robert Weatherhead; Thomas Chartres.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: David Gibson's wife be allowed [damaged] till her husband returns from a foreign voyage, and that [damaged] be made for the Overseers for repayment out of Gibson's wages, and that Thomas Weatherston's wife be allowed 4s till the next meeting, and widow Waite is allowed 4s, and [? Clark] be allowed 6d in addition to the present allowance; and [Alexander Hense?] be allowed 4s, and Arnold's allowance of 2s be discontinued and Mr Skelly visit John Buglar and make him such addition to his allowance of 2s as he shall think necessary, and that John Robertson's widow be taken into the House [Workhouse] and widow [Reray?]be allowed 2/6s, and that Samuel Mole be allowed 5s until he is removed to his parish of Mordington or more if Mr Skelly, with the advice of the surgeon, thinks it necessary, and that Joseph Stanly's widow be allowed 1/6s, and sergeant Fleming's widow be taken into the House [Workhouse],	5 Feb. 1815
			and that A Patterson be allowed [the rest is damaged].	
Item	GBR 1/309	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 8 March 1815.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: [James surname faded]. Overseers: Thomas Skelly; George Bell; Henry Lindsay; George Forster. Trustees: William Cunningham; Robert Carr; George Scott; James Dodds; William Scott; Thomas Chartres; Thomas Lough.	8 March 1815
			The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Hugh Smith's widow be allowed 6s for her four children, and that Mary Scott be allowed 2s, and the allowance of 4s to	

			Weatherston's wife and children to be discontinued, and John Miller be allowed 4s for himself and family during his illness or until their settlement be ascertained and they are removed, and that Elizabeth Godfrey's widow be made an offer of being admitted into the Workhouse, and that the general half-yearly meeting be held on 20 March at 10 a.m.  Committee for March: Thomas Skelly; George Forster; George Bell; Henry Lindsay; William Scott.	
Item	GBR 1/310	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 19 March 1815.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: [illegible]; Overseers: [David ?]. Trustees: [?]; Patrick Mole; William Dodds; [?]; John Reid; George Bell; Henry Lindsay; Thomas Skelly; George Forster; William Gracie; Andrew Anderson; Robert Marshal; James Cockburn.  Ordered that widow Stamford receives no more relief from the Parish for the present.	19 March 1815
Item	GBR 1/310- 311	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 April 1815.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: James Mills; George Gilchrist; [Arthur B Gowans?]. Overseers: Henry Johnson; David Dippie; John McBeath; Richard Reavely. Trustees: George Bell; Henry Lindsay; James Cockburn; William Ford; William Gracie; Andrew Anderson; George Forster.  [damaged] Morton [illegible] in great distress to make such an allowance as the Overseers shall from time to time find reasonable, and that [Conrad Goddan?] [?] affirms to be settled in [Darlington?] [commit?] to the Workhouse [regarding ascertaining his settlement?] and that [Elizabeth ?]widow be taken into the Workhouse and the allowance discontinued, and that the allowance to John Elliott's wife be increased to 3s per week, and the allowance to [John?] wife and five children be increased to 3/6s per week, and that John Herrey's widow and family be allowed 4s per week.  Committee for April: Henry Johnson; David Dippie; Henry Lindsay; Thomas Skelly; William Gracie.	2 April 1815

Item	GBR 1/311- 312	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 May 1815.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: James Mills; George Gilchrist. Overseers: Henry Johnson; John McBeath; Richard Reavely; David Dippie. Trustees: Andrew Anderson; Thomas Skelly; William Ford; Richard Marshall; William Gracie; John Reid; Patrick Mole; [last two names damaged].  Ordered that Jane Clark and her two children, James aged three and Mary aged six, be allowed 4s per week, and that [Jane Dishington's?] allowance be increased to 2s per week, and Sergeant [McS?] wife and her children be allowed [?] per week and that [last entry illegible, too faint].  Committee for May: Henry Johnson; David Dippie; Henry Lindsay; Thomas Skelly; William Gracie.	7 May 1815
Item	GBR 1/312- 313	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 June 1815.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Gilchrist. Overseers: Richard Reavely. Trustees: John Dickson; John Reid; William Gracie; William Ford; Henry Lindsay; Thomas Skelly; George Bell; George Forster.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Elizabeth Reed be offered the House [Workhouse], and that Robert Gradon's widow be allowed [damaged] s, [start of sentence damaged] Allan be reduced to half a crown, and that George Brown whose allowance from Fouldon Parish has been lately stopped be paid 4s till the [?], and that John Ross's wife (her husband is a soldier on foreign exercise) be allowed 3/6s, and that Thomas Freeman's widow and four children be allowed 6s, and Hugh Castlo's wife and three children be allowed 3s, and that the Justices be applied for an order for increasing the allowance to [Kirmach's?] wife and children of the Forfar Militia, and that Robert Brown be allowed such an addition to his allowance as the surgeon and the acting overseer think necessary in his distressed situation, and that Murphy be allowed 1/6s and Jane Fleming be allowed 3s.  Committee for June: Henry Johnson; David Dippie; Henry Lindsay; Thomas Skelly; William Gracie.  Further ordered that Thomas Hall [Edinburgh?] [Bordeux?]	4 June 1815

			allowance of 2/6s for the present month and then discontinued.	
Item	GBR 1/314- 315	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 July 1815.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: James Mills; George Gilchrist. Overseers: William Johnson; David Dippie; Richard Reavley. Trustees: Henry Lindsay; John Reid; George Forster.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: David Dippie make such addition for Roper, widow, as the surgeon finds necessary till next monthly meeting, and that George McCormack's wife be allowed 2s till next meeting, and that George McCormack's wife be allowed 2s till next meeting, and that Denham's wife be allowed [not stated what] and that James Renton's wife be allowed 3s and that Sharon Durham be allowed 2/6s till next meeting and more if the doctor thinks [?] and that John Miller be allowed such addition during his illness as the doctor shall recommend to the Overseers, and that Thomas Hall's widow's allowance be continued this month, and that George Young's wife be allowed 5s[damaged] gets employment at Newcastle, and that [Hay?] at Alnmouth be allowed half a crown.  Committee for this month: The Overseers and Henry Lindsay.	2 July 1815
Item	GBR 1/315- 316	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 August 1815.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: George Gilchrist; James Mills' Overseers: Richard Reavely. Trustees: Thomas Skelly; Henry Lindsay; George Bell; John Reid; James Mc Burnie; William Ford.  Ordered that Henry Waite's widow be allowed 1s per week till her settlement is ascertained, and that Bruce's three children, William ten, Isabella seven; and Alice six, be taken into the Workhouse and the present allowance discontinued, and that Elizabeth Hogarth have such an allowance made her as shall be fixed by the surgeon, and that Isabella, wife of [Henry Denham?] be allowed 1s per week, and that the Overseers make such an allowance [the rest illegible], and that [ the rest illegible], ordered that Peacock's allowance be discontinued. Committee for August: The same as last month.	6 Aug. 1815

Item	GBR 1/316- 317	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 September 1815.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: D Dippie [David Dippie]; A Reavely; McBeath [John McBeath]. Trustees: D Dippie [David Dippie]; Richard Reavely; George Forster; George Bell; J McBurnie [James McBurnie]; H Lindsay [Henry Lindsday]; J M Dickson [John Miller Dickson]; Lilley; S Maxwell [Stephen Maxwell]; Thomas Thompson  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: the allowance of John Stewart and wife be discontinued, and that Jane Burton be allowed what the Overseer and surgeon think necessary per week till next half-yearly meeting, and that Davidson be allowed 2s for her bastard child, [?] that Farley McNab's wife and child be allowed 2/6s, and that John McKenzie's allowance of 2s be continued till the half-yearly meeting, and that Alexander Lyall's widow be offered the House [Workhouse], or 1s, and that [Edward Ar?] apprentice to Mr Scott Taylor be taken into the House [Workhouse] and the Overseers to receive his weekly wages, and that Allan Duggon be allowed 2/6s till she lies in. Committee for the month: Mc Burnie [James McBurnie]; Lindsay [Henry Lindsay]; Lilley; Maxwell [Stephen Maxwell]; Thornton; [Henderson] with such others that can attend, and with the Overseers and the surgeon. The said committee to meet tomorrow at 4 p.m. to inspect the Workhouse.	3 Sept. 1815
Item	GBR 1/318	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 28 September 1815.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Stephen Maxwell; John Wilson; R Lilley [Richard Lilley]; Thomas Thompson. Overseers: David Dippie; [?Johnson]; McBeath [John McBeath]; Richard Reavely. Trustees: James McBurnie; Henry Lindsay; James Cockburn; William Ford; John Reid; George Forster; Robert Maxwell; Patrick Mole; Andrew Anderson. NO MINUTES RECORDED. Committee for October: David Dippie; Henry Johnson; McBeath [John McBeath; R Reavely [Richard Reavely]; Henry Lindsay.	28 Sept. 1815

Item	GBR 1/318- 319	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 October 1815.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Michael Lilley; [? Maxwell]. Overseers: Henry Johnson; Richard Reavely. Trustees: John M Dickson [John Miller Dickson]; George Forster; Henry Lindsay; Andrew Anderson; James McBurnie.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: the children of Jane Richardson and her mother be taken into the Workhouse, and that the allowance to Jane Dawson's child (to a solider) be increased to half a crown, and that an addition of 1/6s be made to the allowance to widow Weatherly till her child is placed out to the same employment, and that sergeant King's widow be allowed 3/6s, and that Jane Clark's allowance be augmented to 4s, and that Christian Barnes be allowed 2/6s instead of being kept in the Workhouse, and that Messrs George Forster; James McBurnie and Richard Reavely be a committee to counter with the committee of the Berwick Dispensary and to make such arrangements with them as may be deemed [?] respecting the Parish patients and that they make a report to the next meeting.	1 Oct. 1815
Item	GBR 1/320	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 November 1815.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Stephen Maxwell. Overseers: Henry Johnson; John McBeath; Richard Reavely. Trustees: William Ford; James McBurnie; Michael Lilley; William Gracie; Andrew Anderson; Henry Lindsay; John Reid.  The following weekly payment were ordered: David Gibson's children be allowed 4s, and that John Stewart and wife be allowed 2s, and widow Main be allowed 1/6s, and that [A?'s] allowance be increased to 3/6s, and James Baird be allowed 2s, and widow Addison's allowance be reduced to 3s, and David Thompson be allowed 2s, and that widow Hall be offered the House [Workhouse]	5 Nov. 1815
Item	GBR 1/321	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 9 November 1815.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Thomas Thompson. Overseers: Henry Johnson; David Dippie; John McBeath; Richard Reavely. Trustees: James Cockburn; William Gracie; Andrew Anderson; James McBurnie; Henry Lindsay.	9 Nov. 1815

			Unanimously resolved that Doctor How be requested to continue his medical advice to the parochial poor until the end of the present quarter, after which Doctor Stevenson be appointed with a salary of £30 per annum, and that the said appointment be recommended as permanent by the succeeding Churchwardens and Overseers.  Ordered that Mr Fleming's [Joseph Fleming] be augmented to £80 per annum and that the usual compliment to Mrs Fleming be discontinued, as the above salary being considered as fully equivalent to his services.	
Item	GBR 1/322- 323	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 December 1815.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Stephen Maxwell; Thomas Thompson. Overseers: John McBeath; Richard Reavely; Michael Lilley. Trustees: Henry Lindsay; James Cockburn; William Lilley; Andrew Anderson; James McBurnie; William Gracie; John Miller Dickson.  Ordered that advance of 2/6s per week made to widow Buglas be discontinued, and that widow Sarah Young be allowed 1/6s per week, settlement by servitude, and that Walwark, wife of William Walwark, 25 <sup>th</sup> Regiment, be allowed 2/5s per week till next meeting.  Ordered that a committee be appointed for enquiring into the circumstances attending the residences of several burgesses and pensioners with house who pay a certain allowance out of their income, and to report to them at the next meeting, and that Churchwardens and Overseers, with William Gracie; Henry Lindsay and James McBurnie be the said committee and that the said committee do also enquire into the state of mendicity in the town and the means of preventing it.  Ordered that estimates be taken by the Overseers for the various articles of food and clothing for the person in the House [Workhouse].  Ordered that the names of persons receiving parochial relief be published half-yearly with the amount of their allowance, but the previous public notice be given of the order and that the said [?]	3 Dec. 1815

			to [?] regulations for the abovementioned estimates.	
Item	GBR 1/323- 324	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 December 1815.	Present at the meeting: Richard Reavely; John McBeath; Michael Lilley; Stephen Maxwell; James McBurnie; Henry Lindsay.  Ordered that the burgesses and pensioners and other now in the Workhouse be requested to give up to the Parish the whole amount of their respective meadows and stints or pensions and any other property they may possess, and in cases of refusal be dismissed from the House [Workhouse], and that no person be admitted in future upon any other terms. Resolved that the gentlemen [damaged] to wait upon [damaged] Magistrates to conceive measures for the prevention of mendicity. And that no parochial relief be allowed to any person keeping such [?].	7 Dec. 1815
Item	GBR 1/324	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on [?] January 1816.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Richard Reavely; Stephen Maxwell; Thomas Thompson. Overseers: Richard Reavely; David Dippie. Trustees: William Gracie; William Ford; Henry Lindsay; James McBurnie; Andrew Anderson.  Ordered that widow Wynne be allowed 1s per week, and that the allowance to widow Weatherly be increased to 4/6s per week for the future, and that Alexander Patterson and wife be allowed 6d per week additional making it 4s, and that the allowance to James Baird and wife be increased 6d per week.  Committee for January: the four Overseers and Henry Lindsay.	Jan. 1816
Item	GBR 1/325	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 19 January 1816.	Resolved that Messrs Richard Reavely; James McBeath; George Forster; William Gracie and Henry Lindsay meet [rest of entry illegible].	19 Jan. 1816
Item	GBR 1/325- 326	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 February 1816.	Present at the meeting> Churchwardens: Stephen Maxwell; Richard Lilley. Overseers: Richard Reavely; Henry Johnson. Trustees: Robert Marshall; James Cockburn; T M Dickson [Thomas Miller Dickson]; Henry Lindsay; George Forster; Andrew Anderson	4 Feb. 1816

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			The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: [Georeson's] (alias John Wilson) wife be allowed 3s and that the husband be [ordered?] to come here from Shields to look for employment as a seaman, and that John Elliott and wife be allowed 4/6s, being 1/6s extra during her illness, and that Peter Nesbitt be allowed 2s, and that [Jane Picher?] be allowed 1s in addition to her present allowance for her self and five children, and that Thomas Walker, removed hereto from Tynemouth, be allowed 3s for himself and wife till next meeting, and that Charles Emery be allowed 2s till next meeting, and Ralph Dodds, one of the constables employed by the Overseers, be discharged.	
Item	GBR 1/326	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 March 1816.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Stephen Maxwell; Richard Lilley. Overseers: Richard Reavely. Trustees: James McBurnie; James Cockburn; Andrew Anderson; William Ford; John Reid; William Gracie; George Bell; John Miller Dickson.  Ordered that Georgison's wife be allowed [rest damaged], and that the general half-yearly meeting be held on 28March at 10 a.m. and that the Trustees, Churchwardens and Overseers [rest damaged].	3 March 1816
Item	GBR 1/327- 328	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 26 March 1816.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Stephen Maxwell; Richard Lilley. Overseers: H R Pattison; Thomas Wilson; Ralph Laidler. Trustees: Richard Reavely; James McBurnie; T M Dickson; James Cockburn; John McBeath; Henry Lindsay; George Forster; Patrick Mole; William Gracie; John Reid.  Ordered that a quantity of wood be bought fit for coffins and other purposes necessary about the House, and that Middleton do make all such [damaged] and other jobs, and that the Overseers [damaged] him [in consideration for his?] [last words damaged], and that the manure collected about the House [Workhouse], be sold for the benefit of the Parish and that the Overseers [contract?] you the same and that a committee be	26 March 1816

			appointed to enquire into the best mode of maintaining in the Workhouse and to correspond with the manager of the Workhouse and [present?] a plan to the board before a general meeting. The committee to consist of the Churchwardens and Overseers; Robert Marshall; William Gracie; James McBurnie; Richard Reavely.; [?] Dickson; John Reid; Patrick Mole; James Cockburn; George Forster and Henry Lindsay.	
Item	GBR 1/328- 329	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 April 1816.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Stephen Maxwell; Richard Lilley. Overseers: T R Paterson; Thomas Wilson; Ralph Laidler. Trustees: William Ford; James McBurnie; John McBeath; Andrew Anderson; Robert Marshall; Richard Reavely; Henry Lindsay.  Ordered that James Gairn's widow be allowed 1s per week, and that Addison's widow be allowed 1/6s per week, and that How's child be taken into the House [Workhouse], and that the burgesses who reside in the rooms above the lunatic asylum house be removed into the large house and that the Overseers look after their meadows and stints.	7 April 1816
Item	GBR 1/329	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 May 1816.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Stephen Maxwell; Thomas Thompson; Michael Lilley. Overseers: Thomas Richard Batson; Thomas Wilson; Ralph Lauder. Trustees: John McBeath; James Hubback; Edward Robert Palmer; James McBurnie; William Gracie; George Scott; John Miller Dickson.  Ordered that the mother of John Fair (insane) be allowed 3s a week, and Thomas Hope, the Parish Constable, be allowed 14s per week, and that Robert Denham's allowance be in future discontinued, and that James Johnson's widow and child be allowed 2s per week.	4 May 1816
Item	GBR 1/330	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Stephen Maxwell. Overseers: Thomas Wilson; Ralph Laidler; T R Batson; John Rogers. Trustees: Andrew Anderson; Edward Robert Palmer;	2 June 1816

		2 June 1816.	John McBeath; James Hubback; John Miller Dickson; George Scott; James McBurnie; Richard Lilley; George Paterson.  NO MINUTES RECORDED.	
Item	GBR 1/330- 331	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 July 1816.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Stephen Maxwell; Michael Lilley. Overseers: Thomas Wilson. Trustees: George Scott; George Patterson; John McBeath; Edward Robert Palmer The following weekly payments were ordered:.  Joseph Cockburn be allowed 6s for himself and four children, and that Richard Parker's wife be allowed 1s [damaged] for her former husband's child, and that Elias Weatherburn's wife be allowed 6s for himself and five children, and that John White's wife be allowed 6s for herself and four children, and that Frank Ellison's wife be allowed 6s for herself and four children to be continued until next monthly meeting and that James Patterson's two children be taken into the House [Workhouse], and \Mary Murphy be allowed 2s.  Committee for July: George Scott; Michael Lilley; G Patterson; James Hubback; Thomas Wilson.	7 July 1816
Item	GBR 1/331	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 August 1816.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Stephen Maxwell. Overseers: Thomas Wilson; Ralph Laidler. Trustees: John Hubback; Edward Robert Palmer; William Gracie.  Committee same as last month. NO MINUTES RECORDED.	4 Aug. 1816
Item	GBR 1/332	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 September 1816.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Anthony Forster; Peter Lambert; Stephen Maxwell. Overseers: John Wilson; John Rogers. Trustees: George Scott; James Hubback; Edward Robert Palmer; Andrew Anderson; David Dippie; William Gracie; John McBeath; James McBurnie.  Ordered that the general half-yearly meeting be held on 26	1 Sept. 1816

			September at 10 a.m. Committee for September: John Wilson; James McBurnie; Patrick Mole; William Gracie; Peter Lambert; John Rogers	
Item	GBR 1/332- 333	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 October 1816.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Stephen Maxwell; Anthony Forster; Peter Lambert. Overseers: John Rogers; Ralph Laidler; Thomas Wilson. Trustees: John Miller Dickson; James McBurnie; Edward Richard Palmer; James Hubback.	6 Oct. 1816
			Ordered that James White child's allowance of 2s be continued, and that Robert Warder's quarterly allowance be advanced, and that [?] child be taken into the House [Workhouse], and the brother's allowance be reduced to 2s, and that Margaret Keith be taken into the House [Workhouse], and that Ann Lamb's allowance be increased to 4/6s, she being quite helpless, and that an allowance be made for W T Fenton's [?] child of 1/6s till further ordered.	
Item	GBR 1/334	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 November 1816.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Stephen Maxwell; Peter Lambert; Anthony Forster. Overseers: Ralph Laidler; John Rogers. Trustees: George Scott; George Patterson; Edward Robert Palmer; William Gracie.  Ordered that John Dodds and wife be allowed 3s per week and Jane Peacock's three eldest children be taken into the Workhouse and the allowance discontinued, and that John Sinclair be allowed 2s per week for his wife and children, and that the allowance to Joseph Cockburn's widow and family be increased to 6s per week, and that the annual subscription to the Newcastle Infirmary be discontinued and the like sum be paid to the Berwick Dispensary  Committee: the same as last month.	3 Nov. 1816
Item	GBR 1/334- 335	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Anthony Forster; Peter Lambert. Overseers: Ralph Laidler; Thomas Wilson; John Rogers. Trustees: George Scott; Edward Robert Palmer;	1 Dec. 1816

		1 December 1816.	Andrew Anderson; James McBurnie; George Paterson.  The following weekly payments were ordered: Jane Hall's allowance be increased from 1/6s to 2s, and that James Johnson be taken into the Workhouse, and Jane Dent's allowance be increased to 2s, and the allowance to Phillis Selby be augmented to 2s, and the allowance to John Elliott and wife be advanced from 3s to 4s, and that Johnathan James' widow be allowed 1s additional during the present bad state of health, and that George Johnson and wife be allowed 2/6s, and widow Bruce be taken into the Workhouse, and the allowance to James Baird and wife be advanced to 4s, and the allowance to Robert Nicholson and wife be advanced to 4s, and Peter Nesbit be taken into the Workhouse or allowed 2/6s, and Charles Reed and wife be allowed 2s.	
Item	GBR 1/336- 337	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 January 1817.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Anthony Forster; Stephen Maxwell; Peter Lambert. Overseers: Ralph Laidler; Thomas Wilson; Thomas Batson. Trustees: Edward Robert Palmer; Andrew Anderson; George Scott; James McBurnie; James Hubback.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: widow Wellan be allowed 2s until she gets quit of her daughter, and that John Elliott and wife and family be allowed 4/6s, and [Jane?] be allowed 1s, and Ann Corvan and children be allowed 4s, and [? Heward] and wife [Scotch paupers] be allowed 3s and widow Wyllie and children be allowed 6s till next monthly meeting, and widow Andrews and child be allowed 2/6s till she gets work, and that Brown's wife and family be allowed 3s till she hears from her husband, and Thomas Muir's wife be allowed 3s, and Thomas Gray's wife and five children be allowed 7s and that in the meantime the Overseers enquire about money due to her husband for wages as a seaman. Committee: same as last month.	5 Jan. 1817

Item	GBR 1/337- 338	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 February 1817.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Stephen Maxwell; Peter Lambert; Anthony Forster. Overseers: Ralph Laidler; Thomas Wilson; Thomas R Batson; John Rogers. Trustees: Edward Robert Palmer; Andrew Anderson; George Scott; George Paterson.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Johnson's boys' allowance be advanced to 3s, and that the allowance to James Blyth's widow and children be increased to 3/6s, and Mrs Peacock be taken into the House [Workhouse], and that [Mrs Elizabeth ?] be allowed 2s and Michael Rock who is sick be allowed 3/6s till further order, and [Mary Corlior?] and nine children be allowed 3/6s, and John Brown [burgess and ?] be taken into the House [Workhouse], and that Isabella Wilson be allowed 2s and [Margaret Ramford?] be allowed 1s, and that James Grant, a boy, be taken into the House [Workhouse], and Edward Graddon be struck off the books unless he satisfy the Magistrates of his claims.	2 Feb. 1817
Item	GBR 1/338- 339	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 March 1817.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Anthony Forster; Stephen Maxwell. Overseers: Ralph Laidler; Thomas Wilson. Trustees: George Scott; William Gracie; James Hubback; John Miller Dickson; John McBeath; James McBurnie; George Paterson  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered:. [damaged] Leith and family be relieved at the discretion of the Overseer and doctor, and the 5s he paid for the relief of Carruther's orphan children till the next half-yearly meeting, and that the three children of [Alexander ?] wife by her former marriage be taken into the House [Workhouse], and that Edward Jameson be allowed 3s additional and that John Blyther and wife be allowed 3s instead of the 2s, and that widow Mable Cameron be allowed 2s instead of 1/6s and that Rose Cameron, as she is unable from ill health to continue at place, be allowed 1s per till she is better, and that the half-yearly meeting be held on 27 March.	2 March 1817

Item	GBR 1/340- 341	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers, and Trustees meeting held on 5 April 1817.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Anthony Forster; Stephen Maxwell. Overseers: William Weatherhead; James Cockburn junior; George Leigh; James McBurnie; John Rogers. Trustees: Ralph Laidler; Thomas Wilson; James Hubback; George Scott; Edward Richard Palmer; George Paterson; Andrew Anderson.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Mary Simpson be taken into the House [Workhouse], being infirm, and that Mary Sheriff's child o [? Rae] be allowed 5s additional, and that Alice Patterson be allowed 6d additional during the time her illegitimate child is nursing, and that widow Dorothy Johnston be continued [?] or be taken into the House [Workhouse] as she chooses, and that Edward Davidson be allowed 2s during his illness beyond that 5s advanced, or his stint, and that Isabella Smith be allowed 6d more for her ill child, and Jane Gray's weekly allowance be increased from 2s to half a crown, and John Harvey's widow and family be allowed 3/6s.	5 April 1817
Item	GBR 1/341- 342	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 May 1817.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Stephen Maxwell; Anthony Forster; John Laidler. Overseers: William Weatherhead; James Cockburn junior. Trustees: John Reid; Ralph Laidler; Thomas Wilson; John Rogers.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Thomas Hughes be taken into the Workhouse, and that the allowance to James Dunlop be increased to 2s, or that he be taken into the Workhouse, and that William McKay's widow be given an additional allowance of 1s, and Hugh Logan be taken into the Workhouse, and James Alison's widow and family be allowed 5s, and that [Eleanor Lish?] be allowed 3s for her daughter during her illness, and that [Jane C?] be taken into the Workhouse, and widow Morrison's eldest son be taken into the Workhouse and her present allowance be continued, and that the allowance to Carruther's family be increased to 6s while the eldest son is out of employment.	4 May 1817

Item	GBR 1/342- 343	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 June 1817.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Stephen Maxwell; John Landles; Anthony Forster. Overseers: William Weatherhead; James Cockburn junior. Trustees: John Clay; James McBurnie; Ralph Laidler; Thomas Chartres; Thomas R Batson  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered:. Eleanor Denham be taken into the House [Workhouse], or have 1/6s, and that Margaret Crawford be allowed 6d additional, and that David Thompson be allowed 3s and Henry Denham's wife be allowed 2s till her husband comes home, and that James Jackson be [advanced?] £5 to provide him with tools for a smith's shop, and William Sheriff, the person he is to work for, undertaking to keep as much of his monthly wages as will in a reasonable time repay the Parish for the sum advanced. Letter received from the Minister and Kirk Head of Haddington applying for relief to the widow of Joseph Jackson, whose daughter is unwell. Ordered that £1 be sent to her by the Edinburgh carrier for the present, and Alice Christie be allowed 1/6s.	1 June 1817
Item	GBR 1/343- 346	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 July 1817.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Stephen Maxwell; Anthony Forster; Peter Lambert. Overseers: R A Clunie; William Weatherhead. Trustees: James McBurnie; John Reid; Ralph Landles.  Ordered that George Smith's, 25 Regiment, child be allowed 6d per week in addition to the present allowance of 1s, and that [Mary Pea?] [?] Tweedmouth be allowed 3/6s [rest of entry illegible] NB pp 344-345 CANCELLED] Ordered that Mary Brotherson be allowed 2s per week and [next entry illegible] and that Robert Nicholson be allowed 5s during his wife's illness.	6 July 1817
Item	GBR 1/347	Minutes of Berwick	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Stephen Maxwell;	22 July 1817

		Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 22 July 1817.	Anthony Forster; Peter Lambert. Overseers: James Cockburn; William Weatherhead. Trustees: Thomas R Batson [Thomas Richard Batson]; John Rogers; Thomas Wilson; James McBurnie.  Resolved that further enquiry be made respecting the apprenticeship said to have been served by the late James Barnard at Berwick in order to ascertain if a settlement can be found for his family there. Resolved that this Parish will not now agree to any [compromise?] respecting Jane Miller and her two children removed in January last to Budle township	
Item	GBR 1/348	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 August 1817.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Knox; Thomas Gladston; Ralph Smith. Overseers: None' Trustees: Anthony Forster; Stephen Maxwell; Ralph Landles; James Mc Burnie; John Rogers; George Patterson.  Ordered that David Grant and wife (removed from Shoreswood) be allowed 3s per week and that [Edward Gradden?] be taken into the Workhouse, and [James Fluker?] and wife be taken onto the Workhouse and the Parish receiving his pension of £16 per annum, and that widow [?] allowance be reduced to 1/6s, and that the allowance of 2/6s to Henry Price be continued till her gets employment, and that [Alice ?] be allowed 2/6s per week during her illness.	3 Aug. 1817
Item	GBR 1/349- 350	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 September 1817.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Waugh; Thomas Gladston. Overseers: R A Clunies; James Cockburn; William Weatherhead. Trustees: Thomas Rogers; James McBurnie; Peter Lambert; Stephen Maxwell; Thomas Wilson; John Reid; Thomas R Batson.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Elizabeth, widow of James Goff be allowed 1s for her son, and to send him to the school, and Jane Crawford, who is ill, be examined by the surgeon and allowed what he finds necessary	7 Sept. 1817

			till the next half-yearly meeting, and that John Garath's allowance of 6s be continued till the next half-yearly meeting, and that [Thomas ?] allowance be continued till the next half-yearly meeting, and that the application for relief for James Spence of Sunderland be refused, and the Parish will accept and provide for the two children of Jane Miller. The township of Budle having agreed to provide for the mother, and that [Word?] from South Shields be allowed 3s and to reside at Shields, and that John Gray be allowed 2s, and Elizabeth McCarthy be allowed 2s till the half-yearly meeting, and that [?] allowance of 6s be continued till the half-yearly meeting, and that the half-yearly meeting be held on 25 instant at 9 a.m.	
Item	GBR 1/350- 351	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 October 1817.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Waugh; John Knox. Overseers: James Cockburn; William Weather head. Trustees: Stephen Maxwell; Thomas Wilson; Anthony Forster.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Mary Hall be allowed to continue in the lunatic asylum for a few weeks to see whether she is likely to recover, and that if at the next meeting she is not amended she is then to be removed to the Parish at [damaged] Yetholm, and that Robert Johnson's wife be allowed 4s for a few weeks instead of the 3s formerly allowed, and that Euphemia Chartres' allowance be increased from 2/6s to 3s, and Mary Walker's child [damaged] to Robert Jeffrey, be allowed 2/6s, and that James Bell's wife be allowed 3s, and that Jane Gilbert's application to take her child by [?] into the House [Workhouse] be refused, and that Thomas all's widow be allowed 2s for a short time.	5 Oct. 1817
Item	GBR 1/352	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 November 1817.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Knox; John Waugh; Thomas Gladston. Overseers: James Cockburn; William Weatherhead; George Sligh. Trustees: Ralph Laidler; Stephen Maxwell; Ralph Landles; Anthony Forster.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: the allowance to [damaged] and his two children be increased to 6s	2 Nov. 1817

			during his present illness. And that Reid's widow be allowed 1/6s and that enquiry be made to ascertain if her settlement is in this Parish, and that John Bullock's widow be allowed 2s during her illness, and that widow Andrews be allowed 1s extra during her illness and that Francis Alison's wife and four children be allowed 5s, and the Parish receiving her stint money and that the Overseers make such allowance to Leith during her illness at the sum that you shall think necessary, and that Ann Sanderson be taken into the Workhouse and her allowance discontinued, and that Robert Gilchrist be allowed 1/6s for himself and wife, and that Robert Nicholson's allowance be reduced to 3s, his wife being dead.	
Item	GBR 1/353- 354	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 December 1817.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Waugh; Ralph Smith. Overseers: James Cockburn; William Weatherhead; John Rogers. Trustees: Thomas Wilson; John Clay; James McBurnie; John Rogers; Anthony Forster; John Reid; Stephen Maxwell.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Thomas Walker and wife be allowed 1s, and that John Walker and wife be allowed 3s till his settlement be ascertained to be at Dumfries or Berwick, and that [? Cook] be allowed4s, and Wynn's wife be allowed 3s, and that James Spence, who is removed with his family from Sunderland, be allowed 4s, and that Malcolm McIntyre be allowed 3s, and that Ralph Todd's widow be allowed 2s for herself and 2s, and that Thomas Richardson be allowed 4s for keeping Thomas Carter's two children, who are orphaned, and that [? Munro] or Henderson's allowance be confirmed till further enquiry.	7 Dec. 1817
Item	GBR 1/354- 355	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 January 1818.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Knox; Thomas Gladston; Ralph Smith. Overseers: William Weatherhead; George Leigh. Trustees: Stephen Maxwell; Anthony Forster; Patrick Mole; James McBurnie; James Clay; Thomas Wilson.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: James Richardson' wife and three children be allowed 3s, or be	4 Jan. 1818

			taken into the Workhouse, and that [Alexander Brimsser's] wife and her children be allowed 2s till her husband is found and that steps be taken for that purpose, and that James Black (who is infirm), be allowed 5s for himself, his wife and four children, and that sergeant Stewart's wife be allowed 1/6s, [damaged] make such additions to the present allowance to widows[?] Dick; Margaret Cockburn; Andrew Wait and wife as he and the surgeon shall think necessary, and that the Overseers pay the sum of 10s for clothes for Morrison's child, and that Catherine Dagleish be allowed 1s, and that the allowance to James Duncan's child be increased to 2s,, and that George Porteus be allowed 1s for his wife and child while he is out of employment, and that Thomas Gregson's widow and six children be allowed 5s, and that the allowance to Robert Gilchrist and wife be increased to 2s during his illness, and that widow Morrison's allowance be increased to 3/6s, and the allowance to Dunn's child be increased to 2s.	
Item	GBR 1/356- 357	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 February 1818.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Knox; Thomas Gladston. Overseers: George Leigh; R A Clunie. Trustees: Anthony Forster; James McBurnie; Peter Lambert; Thomas Wilson; Stephen Maxwell; John Rogers.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: William Rutherford's widow be allowed 1s till the 25 March next, and that the allowance to [William Denn's?] wife and family be increased to 3s, and that widow Letholm be allowed 2s while sick, and that the allowance to Catherine Whinnaham be increased to 2/6s, and that Daniel Cameron be allowed 2/6s for himself and family, and that John Robertson's allowance, while he is out of employment, be increased to 1/6s and that William White's wife and three children be allowed 2/6s till her husband gets into employment, and that the allowance to Robert Gilchrist and wife be increased to 4s during her illness, and that Robert Garret and wife and three children be allowed 3s while he is out of employment, and that widow Bone's allowance be increased to 2s.	1 Feb. 1818

Item	GBR 1/357- 358	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 March 1818.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Knox; Thomas Gladston; John Waugh; Ralph Smith. Overseers: George Sligh. Trustees: James McBurnie; Ralph Laidler; Thomas Wilson; Peter Lambert; Anthony Forster; Stephen Maxwell; John Rogers.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Alexander Graham be allowed 1/6s till the half-quarterly meeting, and that John Chapman and family be allowed 7s during their sickness, and that widow [?] allowance be reduced to 4s, and that Charles Reid's allowance be discontinued, he having refused the work at the streets offered him, and that James Lee's allowance be continued in consideration of his advanced age notwithstanding his refusal of the work in the street, and that Hopper Thompkins alleged wife be allowed 1/6s till she ascertained whether there be any record of appeal against the removal from Tweedmouth, and that John Cairn's widow and two children be allowed 2s per week till the half-yearly meeting, and that 1/6s be allowed to David Carr for the support of John Dallas, his late daughter's son, the father's settlement being in Scotland the particulars not known, and that Cartman, who was hurt at the pier, be allowed what he doctor thinks necessary till the next half-yearly meeting, and that [John Cohen?] seaman's wife and four children be allowed 4s till her husband gets work, and that Mrs McKay's allowance be advanced to 3s, and that the half-yearly meeting be held on 26 instant.	1 March 1818
Item	GBR 1/359- 360	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 April 1818.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Knox; Thomas Gladston. Overseers: George Gilchrist; Thomas Thompson. Trustees: James McBurnie; E R Palmer [Edward Robert Palmer]; Thomas Ord; William Weatherhead.	5 April 1818
			The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Thomas Dunlop be allowed 1/6s, and that Ann Heale be allowed 1s, and Thomas Hall, late porter, be allowed 2/6s,, and	

			Thomas Falkner's allowance of 4s be continued, and Jane Hall's allowance be increased to 2s, and [William Winlair's?] allowance be increased to 3s, and William Harrap and wife and child be taken into the House [Workhouse], and that Catherine Whinnien's allowance be advanced to half a crown or be taken into the House [Workhouse] if she chooses, and that Barbara Graham's allowance be increased to 2s, and Rosa Cameron, daughter of Daniel Cameron, be taken into the House [Workhouse] and that the father's allowance of 2/6s be discontinued, and that Margaret Crawford's allowance be increased to 1/6s and that [Alice?]'s allowance be increased to 2/6, and that [Kelly's] allowance be discontinued, he and his family being recovered from their illnesses.	
Item	GBR 1/360- 361	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 May 1818.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Knox. Overseers: Thomas Thompson; George Gilchrist. Trustees: E R Palmer [Edward Robert Palmer]; William Weatherhead; James McBurnie; Thomas Ord.  Ordered that Cartman a sailor's wife be allowed 2/6s per week during her husband's absence, and that her employed to retain wages, and that widow Carr's allowance be increased to 1/6s per week.	3 May 1818
Item	GBR 1/361- 362	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 June 1818.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: None. Overseers: George Gilchrist; Thomas Thompson. Trustees: Edward R Palmer; William Jackson; George Sligh; Thomas Ord; James McBurnie.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: George Hewit and wife, Gainslaw, be allowed 3s, and the allowance to John Dodd's wife, who is sick and infirm, be increased to 5s, and that [Mary Edmerston's?] allowance be reduced to 1s, and that pensioner Stewart's widow have her allowance increased to 2s till next monthly meeting, and that widow Coaste's allowance be reduced to 1/6s, and Charles Drummond be allowed 1s, and Margaret Cockburn and	7 June 1818

			Elizabeth Dick have the option of coming into the House [Workhouse] or receiving their present allowance, and that Wylie's three children have their food in the Workhouse [rest of entry illegible], and that widow Moreland [be allowed?] 5s, and that [William?] widow and three children be allowed 5s, and that Messrs George Gilchrist; Thomas Thompson; Edward R Palmer and James McBurnie be a committee for the month of September, and that widow Steel and three children be allowed 4s till the next half-yearly meeting.	
Item	GBR 1/363-364	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 5 July 1818.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Knox; Ralph Smith; Thomas Gladston. Overseers: George Gilchrist; Thomas Thompson; Peter Lambert; Anthony Forster. Trustees: James McBurnie; Edward R Palmer [Edward Robert Palmer]; William Jackson; William Weatherhead; Thomas Reid.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Hugh Smith's, sailor, children be allowed 1s in addition to their former allowance of 5s, and that John Laighton's wife and two children be allowed 3s for a short time until she hears from her husband, and that George Graham and family be continued their allowance of 2/6s for one month to come and that Phillis Selby's allowance be increased to 2/6s, and that William Slater be advanced 3s [?] repaid by his pension next quarter, and that Messrs Thomas Thompson; George Gilchrist; Anthony Forster; Peter Lambert and Edward R Palmer be a committee for the month of August  Ordered that [William Soller's] widow and three children be taken into the House [Workhouse], and that James Johnson's wife and children be struck off as they are parishioners of Wooler, and that Mary Watson, single woman, be allowed 3s out of the House [Workhouse], and that the allowance of John Elliott's wife be reduced to 2/6s.	5 July 1818
Item	GBR 1/364	Minutes of the Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Berwick held on 6 July 1818.	Present at the meeting: Thomas Thompson; George Gilchrist; Anthony Forster; Peter Lambert.	6 July 1818

			Resolved that Mr John Edgar be appointed surgeon of the Parish in room of Mr Robert Stevenson, deceased.	
Item	GBR 1/365-366	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 August 1818.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Knox; John Wilson. Overseers: George Gilchrist; Thomas Thompson; Anthony Forster; Peter Lambert. Trustees: William Jackson; James Cockburn; Edward R Palmer; James McBurnie; Thomas Ord; William Weatherhead; Matthew Smith.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Robert Weatherhead be allowed 4s for one month, and that Yeoman's family be allowed 30s for clothes; and that Matthias Allan's wife be allowed 1/6s for her child, and Jane Wyllie's allowance be raised to 2s, and John Ross's family be allowed 2s for one month, and that Edward Bacchus' wife's allowance be raised to 2s, and John Leighton's wife and two children be allowed 3/6s for a short time, and that James Taylor be allowed £4 to build his kiln and buy pipe clay, to be repaid at 6s per week after the first month, and that John Faraley's allowance of 5s be continued for a short time till he gets work, and that Nurse Reid be allowed 2/6s.	2 Aug. 1818
Item	GBR 1/366- 367	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 September 1818.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Knox; John Wilson; Matthew Smith. Overseers: George Gilchrist; Anthony Forster; Peter Lambert; Thomas Thompson. Trustees: James McBurnie; Edward R Palmer; William Weatherhead; John Waugh; Thomas Gladston; William Jackson; Thomas Ord.  Ordered that Jean Hall be taken into the House [Workhouse]. The Overseers of St Mary's, Carlisle to be written to and asked if they will accept Robert Stewart's wife and three children without putting this Parish to the expense of a removal, if agreed the Overseer here will advance the woman a small sum to enable her to proceed on her journey. Ordered that James Taylor and family be allowed 9s per week till the half-yearly meeting, and that Jane Swordie be allowed 1s per week, and that the half-yearly meeting be held on 24 September 1818.	6 Sept. 1818

			Committee for next month: George Gilchrist; Anthony Forster; Peter Lambert; Thomas Thompson; Edward R Palmer.	
Item	GBR 1/367- 368	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 October 1818.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Knox; Matthew Smith; John Wilson. Overseers: Peter Lambert; George Gilchrist; Anthony Forster. Trustees: Thomas Gladston; William Weatherhead; William Jackson; Edward R Palmer [Edward Robert Palmer]; Thomas Ord.  Ordered that David Gibson be allowed 3s per week, and that widow Stewart be taken into the Workhouse and her allowance be discontinued, and that Robert Weatherhead and wife be allowed 3/6s per week, and Alice Brown's allowance be increased to 3s while her child is sick, and that William Palmer	4 Oct. 1818
			Young's wife and four children be allowed 4s till he is able to support them, and that [Ross'] infirm wife and family (three children under seven) be allowed 6s per week, and that the allowance to Paxton's family be increased to 5s per week.	
Item	GBR 1/368- 369	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 1 November 1818.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Knox; Matthew Smith. Overseers: George Gilchrist; Anthony Forster; Thomas Thompson; Peter Lambert. Trustees: Edward R Palmer [Edward Robert Palmer]; William Jackson; Thomas Ord.	1 Nov. 1818
			The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: Mrs McKenzie's family, six children all under ten years of age, be allowed 6s, and that Jane Smith's allowance be increased to 1/6s, and that Grace Young be allowed 1/6s until she is delivered of her child, and that [Ann Sayer's?] widow's allowance be increased to 2s, and that Lahmer's widow have her passage paid to London to go to brother, Dr Morrison, and	
			also have some clothes provided for her, and that widow [White's sister?] be allowed to remain in the House [Workhouse], or be allowed 4s, to be repaid by [?], as her option, and that John Ross, shoemaker's widow and two children under four years, be allowed 4s for the present, and that Christian Gairn's widow's allowance be increased to 2s,, and that Elizabeth	

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			Hamilton's, widow, allowance be increased to 2/6s,, and that Catherine Taylor, widow, be taken into the Workhouse, and Thomas Hegson's widow and four children's allowance be increased to 6s	
Item	GBR 1/370- 371	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 6 December 1818.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Anthony Forster; John Wilson; Matthew Smith. Overseers: Robert Lambert; Anthony Forster; George Gilchrist; Thomas Thompson. Trustees: James McBurnie; William Jackson; Thomas Ord; Edward R Palmer.  Ordered that Mary Lindsay's allowance of 1/6s be continued only till spring, and that widow McKay be taken into the House [Workhouse] immediately, and that widow Cunningham's allowance be increased to 2/6s and that Marshall's family's allowance of 4s be continued for this month, or that he be employed in [?] the scavengers, and that Elizabeth, soldier's wife, and child be taken into the House [Workhouse], and that Margaret Wallace be allowed 1s per week, and Walker's child be taken into the Workhouse, and Phillis Selby's allowance be increased to 3/6s. The Overseers informed the meeting that they had taken the cleaning of the sheets for one year. The meeting thought it an excellent measure of employment of the poor.	6 Dec. 1818
Item	GBR 1/371- 372	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 3 January 1819.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Matthew Smith; John Knox. Overseers: Anthony Lambert; George Gilchrist; Robert Lambert. Trustees: James McBurnie; William Jackson; Edward R Palmer [Edward Robert Palmer]; Thomas Ord.  Ordered that Margaret Bannister be allowed 1/6s per week, ant that the widow of Robertson, butcher, be allowed 2s per week till the next monthly meeting, and that Charles Drummond be allowed 2s per week, and William Jackson, a boy, be taken into the House [Workhouse], and endeavours be made to get him apprenticed to the sea service, and that Peacock's allowance of 1/6s be continued or he be employed on the streets.  Ordered that all the paupers receiving an allowance from this Parish at Alnwick be examined there by one of the Overseers	3 Jan. 1819

			who is to go there for that purpose.	
Item	GBR 1/372- 373	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 February 1819.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: Matthew Smith; John Wilson. Overseers: Anthony Forster; Peter Lambert; George Gilchrist; Thomas Thompson. Trustees: William Weatherhead; James McBurnie; Edward R Palme [Edward Robert Palmer]r; Thomas Ord; William Jackson.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: the allowance to William Winlaw and wife be increased to 4s, and that the allowance to Robertson's [illegible] widow, be continued at [2s?] till next monthly meeting, and that the allowance to Andrew Waite's widow be increased to 2/6s, and that Grace Mason be allowed 1/6s till next monthly meeting, and that Margaret Grant, invalid's widow, be allowed 2s.	7 Feb. 1819
Item	GBR 1/373- 374	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 7 March 1819.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Knox; John Wilson; Matthew Smith. Overseers: Anthony Forster; Peter Lambert; George Gilchrist; Thomas Thompson. Trustees: William Weatherhead; James McBurnie; Edward R Palmer [Edward Robert Palmer]; William Jackson; George Sligh.  The following weekly payments and decisions were ordered: William Rutherford's wife be allowed 2/6s, and that the allowance of Thomas Robertson's widow and four children be 8s, and that William Alexander's wife and family be allowed a small sum to enable her to [?] her husband, and that Elizabeth Hogarth be allowed 1/6s till the half-yearly meeting, and that William Scott and family be allowed 2/6s over and above what he is already allowed to his blind boy till next half-yearly meeting, and that John Turnbull's family be allowed 2s till the next half-yearly meeting, and that John Chapman's allowance be reduces till the next half-yearly meeting, and that the half-yearly meeting be held on Friday 26 instant.	7 March 1819
Item	GBR 1/374-	Minutes of Berwick	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: John Knox; John	4 April 1819

	375	Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 4 April 1819.	Wilson; Matthew Smith. Overseers: John Rennison; George Redpath; John Waugh; Ralph Smith. Trustees: Edward R Palmer [Edward Robert Palmer]; Thomas Ord; William Weatherhead; Peter Lambert; Anthony Forster; George Glendinning.  Ordered that John Elliott's wife be taken into the House [Workhouse], and that Ebenezer Allan's widow be allowed 20s as a present relief as being [?], that no further [?] be made, and that George Bishop and wife be allowed an additional sum f 6s per week and that they be removed to their own parish as soon as possible, and that Charles Drummond be struck off for the present, and that [? Davie's] allowance of 4s be continued, and that James Bannister's wife be allowed 10s for clothes for her child with which she is [?], and that Christian Hastie be allowed 10s and then be struck off.	
Item	GBR 1/376	Minutes of Berwick Churchwardens, Overseers and Trustees meeting held on 2 May 1819.	Present at the meeting: Churchwardens: [James Kelly?]; George Glendinning; Anthony Forster; Robert Oswald. Overseers: John Rennison; Ralph Smith; John Redpath. Trustees: Edward R Palmer; James Hubback; Peter Lambert; Andrew Anderson; [? Dickson]; John Reid; George Ruddock; Anthony Forster.  Ordered that Catherine Midlemiss be allowed 6d per week in addition to her present allowance in consideration of her age, want of [?] and [?] of employment, and that Mary Walker's child be allowed 5s a quarter additional for clothes till further order was maybe necessary, and that John Wight, his wife and eight children be allowed 6s per week for a short time.	2 May 1819
Item	GBR 1/377- 383		Pages are blank.	
Item	GBR 1/384- 424	Index.	An alphabetical list of the paupers who have proved their settlement to be in the Parish of Berwick-upon-Tweed [in the period 16 October 1811 - 1817]. [See separate document.]	
Item	GBR 1/425- 427	List.	A list of the poor in the Workhouse [of Berwick-upon-Tweed]. [No date: 1796-1799?]	

			[See Indexes of names of inmates of Berwick Workhouse.] Pages 426-427 are blank.	
Item	GBR 1/428- 429	List.	A list of the poor in the Workhouse [of Berwick-upon-Tweed], taken 16 October 1811. [19 men; 30 women; 29 boys; 23 girls]. [See Indexes of names of inmates of Berwick Workhouse.]	