

Black Death in  
England  
1347

"Act for the relief of the  
Poor" by Queen Elisabeth  
1597

"Old Poor Law"  
1601

1st apparition of the word  
"Workhouse"  
1631

Differentiation between workhouse and  
poorhouse  
1772

Crisis in England : More poor  
1815

1,35 Million poor in  
England  
1824

Still 1 Million poor in  
England  
1850

Charlie Chaplin and his mother  
in Lambeth  
1896

