

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

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

- 1st From the Poor Law Commissioners forwarding two Copies of the Irish Poor Relief Extension Act and stating that a sufficient number of Copies would be forwarded in a few days for the use of the Guardians and calling the attention of the Guardians to the 12 section of the Act, which provides that to charge any Pauper to an Electoral Division it requires that the Pauper should have usually resided in it thirty Months out of the last three years
- 2nd From the same forwarding a new form of the Weekly Lodgments of such Collector
- 3rd From the same in reference to the Insurance of the Workhouse
- 4th From W. Hancock A.P.L.C. requesting information as to the Industrial training of the boys and girls

From Tho. N. Redington under Secretary Dublin Castle acknowledging on the part of the Lord Justices of Copies of resolutions of the Board of Guardians

5th From Lachlan M. Lachlan Esq. stating that in compliance with the request of the Guardians he had an interview with the under Secretary Dublin Castle who informed him there was no power to make such a loan as the one required. He Mr. M. Lachlan also called on Mr. Swisleton P.L.C. who informed him, that the Commissioners did not interfere in procuring Collectors that it rests with the Guardians; and that if not to be had in the locality by holding out a sufficient inducement. An advertisement for the purpose might be inserted in the Newspapers of Dublin and elsewhere

Read a communication from the Manager of the National Bank acknowledging the receipt of a Copy of the P.L.C.'s communication refusing Interest from Sept last on the 500 £; and hoping the Guardians would in accordance with the Chairman's intimation of the 25th May, take steps to discharge the Balance due to the Bank,

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Passport Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was -

Ditto, disallowed - - - -

The number of Applicants admitted was - - - -

Ditto, rejected - - - -

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

Proposed by Lachlan M Lachlan

Seconded by James Blakie and Unanimously

Resolved

That advances to other Poor Law Unions for the current expenses of the Workhouse are under consideration of the Government we do make an application on behalf of our District, and that if the Contractors consent to supply necessaries for the ensuing week we do keep open the House for that period

The Contractors consented to do so

Proposed by Patrick M Lynch seconded by Edward Lambert and Unanimously Resolved

That we make every exertion to support the Paupers in the Workhouse for another week in the hope of receiving a favourable communication from the Poor Law Commissioners or the Government; but unless means are placed in our hands to meet the weekly Expenditure we shall feel it our painful duty to resign

Resolved

That our Chairman be requested to forward said two Resolutions to the Poor Law Commissioners

Proposed by James Copland

Seconded by John Harrison and Unanimously

Resolved

That our Clerk be directed to make another application to the Poor Law Commissioners for a loan of 700 L being the amount of the costs of the additional buildings to the Hospital and the two new school-rooms

Resolved

That

That Mr Patrick Martin Poor Rate Collector be directed; with the sanction of the Poor Law Commissioners to take proceedings for the recovery of Rates and arrears of rates in the superior Courts in Dublin against Henry Shaw Jones for 13. 10⁰ he having refused payment of the same and not residing in this County

Resolved

That all the works and improvements now carrying on in the Workhouse and Hospital be stopped for having no means of payment for either Materials or tradesmen

Adjourned to the 30th Inst:

Asst. Secy

Galway UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 26 day of June 1847

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.					DIED.						
	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN. Males. Fe-males. TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.
During the Week ended as above,	1	2	.	.	.	3	13	19	8	12	3	55	5	1	3	6	3	93
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	203	299	188	182	34	.	906	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.										
								No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.							
TOTAL,	204	301	188	182	34	.	909	In Work-house, } 68	In separate Wards, }	In Wards with other Inmates, }	Fever 94 Dysentery 61 Obstructions 7							
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	18	23	11	18	8	.	78	In Fever Hospital, } 94	4	7	Total, 169							
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	186	278	177	164	26	.	831	Total, } 169	Total, }	11	169 Total							

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 1100
 NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 7th day of July 1847

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday, the 30th day of June 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, *William A. Healy Esq. Chairman*
 Other Guardians: *Will. Clancy, Tho. H. Healy, James Gunn, Randal L. Alty, Edward Lambert, Tho. Harrison, John Quinlan, Bernard Healy, Mich. Lynch, Henry Corner, George Cottingham, Lachlan M. Lachlan, Patrick M. Lynch, Mich. William, Anthony R. Mullen, Edw. C. Butler, & Rob. W. Connor*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. — to No. —, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

claimed and charged in his Book £21. 2. 10 for Interest

Ordered

That our Clerk be directed to inform the Treasurer that no Interest can be allowed by this Board and that we are, as speedily as possible discharging the balance due to him

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 243.1.4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Peter C. Martin	Galway	"	"	"	408	2	4
None	Annadown	"	"	"	249	3	3
	Craunroe	"	"	"	243	10	10
	"	"	"	"	572	14	1
Francis Bennet	Moycullen	"	"	"	219	1	2
	Killavin	"	"	"	378	12	6
	Oughlins	"	"	"	305	8	6
Anthony Poyard	"	"	"	"	903	2	2
	Sackagh	"	"	"	140	10	1
	Blar Galway	"	"	"	144	8	4
None	Athony	"	"	"	102	2	11
	"	"	"	"	387	1	4
	Ballinacorney	"	"	"	146	13	10
Garret Pierce	Shedaly	"	"	"	44	10	9
	"	"	"	"	191	4	7
	Arass	"	"	"	40	2	4
	Total				6070	6	10

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 127 s. 1 d. 10

Debit Provision Account,	}	-	-	-	127.	1.	10
Credit Invoice Account,							

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 111 - 3 - 3

Debit Maintenance Account,	}	-	-	-	111.	3.	3
Credit Provision Account,							

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was
 The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

No. Provisions Ordered

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

- 1st From the Poor Law Commissioners in reference to the Resolution of the Guardians of the 16th proposing to allocate part of the Workhouse ground for a Cemetery. And, Calling the Attention of the Guardians to the 29th Sec of the Irish Poor Relief Extension Act which authorises the purchase of ground for the purpose.
- 2nd From same in reference to the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Guardians of the 16th Inst. relative to the state of the Union Funds and the Resolution that if an advance is not made the Workhouse must close. The Commissioners in Reply state that they have made an application to Government for an advance to enable the Guardians to provide for the immediate wants of the Workhouse, but desire to impress on the Guardians the necessity of proceeding with greater vigour for the Collection of the Current Rate.

3rd From the same in reference to the Application for a Loan for £700 the sum expended in building and the Commissioners cannot hold out any hope of obtaining said Loan.

4th From the same forwarding a Communication to them from Mr J. Martin Poor Rate Collector with respect to proceedings against Henry J. Jones. The Commissioners said it was the Unanimous opinion of the Court of Queen's Bench that his head rent did not come under the 63rd Sec of 142 Vic Chap 56 as private use or profit.

4 From the same forwarding Copies of the Irish Poor Relief Act for the Use of the Guardians. And Calling the Attention of the Guardians that all qualified Justices residing in the Union of Galway they not exceeding the Elected Guardians are entitled to act at once as Ex Officio Guardians.

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was -

Ditto, disallowed - - - -

The number of Applicants admitted was - - - -

Ditto, rejected - - - -

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

Read six Warrants from the Lords Justices directing the Guardians to pay to the Treasurer of the Finance Committee within 3 Months in 13 weekly instalments the following sums on account of

	£
Galway Electoral Division	2250
Moycullen	333
Lackagh	333
Atturgh	300
Armadown	550
Clare Galway	366

£ 4132

Resolved

That in Compliance with the Lords Justices warrants and in Compliance with the Estimates forwarded by the Finance Committee that the following rate be struck on the several Electoral Divisions abovementioned to be repaid as under the Labour Rate Act

Galway	£2250. 0. 0	or	$\frac{7}{2}$	in the pound
Moycullen	333. 0. 0	—	$\frac{1}{4}$	" " "
Lackagh	333. " "	"	$\frac{1}{6}$	" " "
Atturgh	300	"	$\frac{1}{6}$	" " "
Armadown	550	"	$\frac{2}{11}$	" " "
Clare Galway	366	"	$\frac{7}{8}$	" " "

The Chairman read a communication to him from the Poor Law Commissioners; in reply to his communication forwarding the Resolutions of this Board of the 23rd Inst^o to the following effect. The Commissioners state that in answer to the representation to the Government on the subject they had received a communication in which the Lord Justices advert to the fact that in

Month of May £860 was collected in the Union which must have considerably exceeded the expenditures of the Workhouse inmates during the same period and until furnished with a statement of the Weekly expenditures and Weekly Collection they cannot decide whether an advance to the Board can be made

Ordered

That all the information required be furnished to the Poor Law Commissioners

The Chairman also read a communication from Mr. A. Reddy Esq. under Secretary Dublin Castle in reply to a communication to him in which he states on the part of the Lord Justices that although advances have been made in certain cases to Poor Law Unions yet their Excellencies have no reason to suppose from the documents before them that sufficient rate cannot be collected in each week for the maintenance of the Workhouse inmates

Resolved

That our Chairman be requested to forward Mr. Reddy's letter to the Poor Law Commissioners

Proposed by Edward C. Burke seconded by Rodd O'Connor and unanimously

Resolved

That not having any further means of keeping the Workhouse open we call on the several Relief Committees through our Clerk to establish a soup kitchen within the precincts of the W. House for the support of their respective Paupers

The Medical Attendant having applied to know how the patients in the Hospital were to be supported
The Board replied that they had no means for supporting and that he should apply to the Poor Law Commissioners on the subject

Adjourned to one o'clock to-morrow July 1st 47
to receive a communication from the Government Inspecting Office

Capt Flaherty

Resolved

That this Board be further adjourned to one o'clock on Saturday the 3rd Inst

Capt Flaherty

Minutes of proceedings of an adjourned meeting of the Board of Guardians held on Wednesday Saturday 3rd July 1847

Present

In the Chair Anthony O'Flaherty Esq Esq

Other Guardians

Lieutnant MacLellan } Randal L Alby

Captain Mellan the Government Inspecting Office being present

Minutes of proceedings of an adjourned meeting of the Board of Guardians held on Thursday 1st July 1847

Present

In the Chair John Nechington Esq Esq

Other Guardians

John Harrison } John Gunning
James Copland }

The respective communication through the Inspecting Office not having arrived

Read two Warrants from the Lord Justices
One directing the Board of Guardians to pay to the Treasurer of the Finance Committee on account of the Dublin and E Division within 7 days the sum of £1294 and the other directing the Guardians to pay to the Treasurer of the Finance Committee on account of the Union at large in 3 Months or 13 weekly Instalments the sum of £103

Resolved

That in compliance with the Lords
Justices warrants and in accordance with
the estimates forwarded by the Finance Commit-
tee a Rate be struck on the
Doughland & Division for 1847 or 48 in the
Union at Large £ 103
to be repaid as under the Labour Rate Act
and that a copy of this resolution be for-
warded to the Government Inspecting Officer

Adjourned to the 7th Inst

Capt. F. Baker

Galway Union

Board Room

7th July 1847

There was no Meeting of the Board this
day in consequence of there being but two
Guardians in attendance up to the hour of
two O'Clock when the Board stood ad-
-journed to the 14th Inst

Lambert M. Aborn
Clerk of the Union

Minutes of proceedings of an Extra-
-ordinary Meeting of the Guardians
of the Galway Union in consequence of
a requisition to the Clerk from John
R. Clifton and James Coghlan two
Guardians of said Union, in conse-
-quence of the intended Resignation
of Mr Patrick Coghlan the Master
of the Workhouse

Present

In the Chair Anthony O'Mahony Esq

Other Guardians

Andrew W. Blake	James Hyams
Nicholas Sullivan	Wm. Clancy
Edward Lambert	Math. Cullinane
Richard Atty	John Gunning
Richard Honner	John Morrison
James Coghlan	Thos. Commins
Edward Burke	

The Clerk reads the requisition to
him calling the Meeting

The Clerk reads the Resignation
of Mr Patrick Coghlan Master of
the Union Workhouse

Mr Coghlan came before the
Board with due his Resigna-
-tion and requested an
Investigation

Investigation into certain charges
preferred against him.

Resolved

That the following Committee
James Caplan, Nicholas Williams,
Wm^m Cleary, John Harrison, Thomas
Commings, John Sulanda, John Gunn-
-ing and Edward C. Burke, be app-
-ointed to investigate the charges a-
-gainst the Master and some other Of-
-ficers of the Workhouse and they be
-requested to make full enquiry
into the general management
of the Workhouse and report to
the Meeting of this Board to be
held on Wednesday next

Resolved

That pending the enquiry
the Master and Matron be sus-
-pended and that the Porter Daniel
O'Brien and the School Mistress
Mary McCormack be directed to
take charge of the Master and Mat-
-ron's departments and that the
Master and Matron do imme-
-diately hand over the Keys and
to the Visiting Committee

Assented to the 14th Dec,

Wm^m Cleary

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 10th day of July 1847

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.					DIED.								
	Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN.		Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	
						Males.	Fe-males.													TOTAL.
During the Week ended as above,	1	4	1	3	1	1	1	10	3	12	4	5	1	25	2	1	6	1	1	11
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	167	259	154	151	23	..	..	754	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.										
	OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.																			
TOTAL,	168	263	155	154	23	1	..	764	No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.										
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	5	12	11	6	2	..	..	36	In Work-house, 62	In separate Wards,	In Wards with other Inmates,	From 93 Dramby 47 Other cases 15							
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	163	251	144	148	21	1	..	728	In Fever Hospital, 93	4	9	Total, 155	Total, 13	155						

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 1100

NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 21st day of July 1847

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday, the 14th day of July 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, Anthony O'Mahony Esq

Other Guardians: Edward Lambert, Randal L Atty

John Harrison, James Copland, James Ryan, John
Julian, Mr. Clancy, Nicholas William Edwards
O'Mahony, Mr. Commins Martin Morris,
Muh, O'Browne and Rodwick O'Connell

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 7284 to No. 7294, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

Galway County

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 441. 10

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

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 102. 14. 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Patrick Martin None	Galway	141	11	-	38	4	12 4
	Annadawn	.	.	.	2	6	3 3
	Oranmore	.	.	.	2	4	10 10
					5	12	16 1
James Birmingham	Moycullen	.	.	.	2	1	1 2
	Hillmanen	.	.	.	3	7	5 12 6
	Oughwade	.	.	.	3	1	5 8 6
					9	9	2 2
Anthony Poynard	Lacough	.	.	.	1	4	0 10 1
	Clare Galway	.	.	.	1	4	4 8 4
	Athenry	.	.	.	1	0	2 11
					3	8	7 1 4
None	Ballinacorney	.	.	.	1	4	6 13 10
	Stradbally	.	.	.	4	4	10 9
					1	9	1 4 7
Garret Purwo	Aradan	.	.	.	4	0	2 4
Total		141	11	-	59	28	16 14

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 50. 14. 2 d.

93. 8. 2	Debit Provision Account, } Credit Invoice Account, }	- - - - - 50. 14. 2
58. 14. 2		

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 90. 2. 5

101. 15. 2	Debit Maintenance Account, } Credit Provision Account, }	- - - - - 90. 2. 5
90. 2. 5		

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 2/6ⁿ

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 3000 lbs of Bread
- 300 lbs of Meat
- 2240 lbs of Rice
- 1120 lbs of Meal
- 800 qrs of B. Milk
- 800 qrs of M. Milk
- 7 lbs of Tea
- 224 lbs of Sugar
- 4 lbs of Subance
- 3 B of wine
- 6 B of Potatoes
- 224 lbs of Soap
- 5 Tons of Coals

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£ s. d.

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

3 Invoice Account.

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

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

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

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows: The Medical Attendant reported 11 deaths in last week

The Clerk laid before the Board the Monthly State of Funds

Collectors	Collected	Sold	Remaining uncollected
1 Mr P Martin	391. 15. 11	391. 15. 11	3926. 12. 4
2 " J Birmingham	" " "	" " "	512. 14. 1
3 " J Birmingham	" " "	" " "	903. 2. 2
4 A Poyman	" " "	" " "	387. 8. 4
5 None	" " "	" " "	191. 4. 7
6 G. Pire	29. " "	29. " "	40. 2. 4
	£ 420. 15. 11	420. 15. 11	5960. 16. 10

He reported that since the report was made out Mr P Martin had attended! the Cause of his absence was the death of a near relative & that neither Mr Poyman or Birmingham have since the last made any Attempts to make out their books. Mr Garret Pire has assigned no Reason for not attending

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

Resolved

That Advertisements be published for obtaining Collectors for all the Rural Districts with the exception of Arnan

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

- 1st From the Poor Law Commissioners in reference to the Monthly State of the funds
- 2nd From same in reference to a Report made to them from the Relief Commissioners of their intention to discontinue their advances under the Temporary Relief Act in August next
- 3rd From same with respect to the Report made to them from the National Board of Education
- 4th From same intimating that no Rate for the Irish Temporary Relief Act should exceed 3^d in the pound
- 5 From same stating they had forwarded the Guardians Application for a Loan to the Government but had as yet rec^d no Reply

- 6th From same to our Chairman in reference to the advances of money from Government Aid informing the Chairman that they had received a letter in reply intimating: that it appears that the New Rate has not been put in Collection in the Rural Districts: And under these Circumstances the Government consider that the Guardians are not using such Diligence as could enable them to obtain sufficient funds for the Maintenance of the Workhouse
- 7 From same in reference to the Collectors and trusting the Guardians will not be disposed to give the Collection of the New Rate to Mr A Poyard after the neglect shown in the preparation of his Collecting Books

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	11	
Ditto, disallowed	-	-	11
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	-	
Ditto, rejected	-	-	

Total 11 . . . 11

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

Read a letter from the Manager of the National Bank with respect to the sum of 21. 2. 10 due and - owed by the Guardians and stating that in other Unions it was done and allowed by the Auditor

Resolved

That it having been stated to this Board that in certain Unions in Ireland Interest is allowed to Treasurers by Auditors: we are of opinion if such be the case Interest should be allowed our Treasurer and that our Chairman be requested to Communicate with the Poor Law Commissioners on the matter

Resolved

That John Ireland, James Egan and John Gunning be requested to Call on the Treasurer and the Auditor and point out to him the peculiar state of the Union funds and the great anxiety of the Guardians to allow Interest on the Unsettled amount of 500 L by the Treasurer

The Committee

The Committee Appointed to enquire into the Conduct of the Master and other Officers of the Workhouse laid the following Report before the Board

Gentlemen

In Accordance with the resolution passed at your Meeting on the 10 Inst: we have investigated the Charges made against the Master of the Workhouse and after the examination of Witnesses on Oath we consider the Charge of Drunkenness to have been completely established against him and also that he has been guilty of various other irregularities

It also appears that upon examination on the 10th Inst: 728 Paupers were upon the Books as being in the Workhouse receiving Rations when in reality they did not exceed 595 thus defrauding the Union of the Cost of 133 Rations per diem for what portion of time we are not aware

We also investigated the Conduct of the Matron and find that she has conducted herself most irregularly

We also find that the Ward Master is for many reasons totally unfit for the situation he holds

We can therefore have no hesitation in recommending the dismissal of the Master, Matron and Ward Master

Signed

John Ireland
William Clancy
James Copland
Rich^d Millin
John Harrison
The Committee

Proposed by John Ireland seconded by Andrew W. Blake
and Unanimously Resolved

That the Report be received and
Confirmed by the Board and that the Master and Matron
be suspended and be recommended that they be dismissed
by the Poor Law Commissioners immediately and also that
we now dismiss the Ward Master Mr Patrick Mallonny

Proposed by Thomas Connors seconded by John Ireland and
Unanimously Resolved

That the warmest thanks of this Board
be given to Nicholas Killian Esq for his uniform
Attention at all times to the proper working of the Galway
Union Workhouse and also for his particular zeal
and ability in discerning and bringing before the
guardians of this Union acts of impropriety committed
by some of the Officers of this Union

Approved to the Clerk's

P. Lynch
Chairman

Galway County

Galway UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and
the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 17 day of July 1847

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.						DIED.						
	Males, aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males, aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN. Males. Fe-males. TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males, aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males, aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	
During the Week ended as above,	3	9	8	6	.	.	26	35	68	33	36	7	179	4	1	3	5	2	15
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	163	250	145	148	22	.	728	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
TOTAL,	166	259	153	154	22	.	754	No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.							
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	39	69	36	41	9	.	194	In Work-house, 57	In separate Wards,	In Wards with other inmates,	Fever 83 Dysentery 43 Other 14								
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	127	190	117	113	13	.	560	In Fever Hospital, 53	4	9	Total, 13	140							
Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 1100																			
NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 28th day of July 1847																			

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on 21 day of July 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, Patrick M. Lynch Esq
Other Guardians: William Clancy, Anthony R. Mallins
Nicholas Killian, Arthur Ireland, John Ireland
John Gunning, Rodrieth Connor, Edward Lambert
Thomas Connors John Harrison and James Ryan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. — to No. —, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect: Read notices of intended Marriages between George Ansell a soldier, a bachelor and Catharine Moban spinster and between Timothy Mahon, a Shoemaker a bachelor and Catharine Burke spinster

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 40 .. 0 .. 0
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £
 And that the Balance on the Account ~~in favor~~ ^{of} the Guardians was - - - - - £ 62. 14. 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Patrick Martus	Galway	40	"	"	38	5	4
None	Annaghdown	.	.	.	2	6	3
	Oranmore	.	.	.	2	4	10
					5	1	1
Francis Beaumont	Moycullen	.	.	.	2	1	2
	Killanure	.	.	.	3	7	6
	Cughteran	.	.	.	3	0	6
					9	3	2
Anthony Poguard	Lo Maske	.	.	.	1	0	1
	Clare-Galway	.	.	.	1	4	4
	Attury	.	.	.	1	0	11
				3	8	4	
None	Ballinacorty	.	.	.	1	4	10
	Shadally	.	.	.	4	1	9
					1	9	7
Garrett Pierce	Arran	.	.	.	4	0	4
	Total	40	"	"	58	8	16

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 100 s. 19 d. 9

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, } - - - -	100	19	9
Credit Invoice Account, } - - - -			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	78	6	11
Debit Maintenance Account, } - - - -			
Credit Provision Account, } - - - -	78	6	11

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was $\frac{2}{4}$

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- | | |
|-------------------|--------------------|
| 27 00 lb Bread | 20 Barrels of Lime |
| 2 00 lb Meat | |
| 7 00 lbs Butter | |
| 9 00 lbs New Milk | |
| 10 lb Tea | |
| 28 lb Cocoa | |
| 14 00 lb Sugar | |
| 4 lb Tobacco | |
| 6 Bottles of Wine | |

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

1st From the Poor Law Commissioners in reference to the Appointment of Relieving Officers

2nd From James requesting to be furnished with an account of the debts of the Union to the 1st inst.

Resolved

That Advertisements be published for proposals from competent persons to act as Relieving Officers in this Union

3rd From the Auditor announcing his intention to Audit the Half Yearly Account of the Union on the 26th Inst.

4th From the Chairman of the Relief Committee of Galway enclosing a Resolution requesting permission to have the clothes of the strange beggars washed in the workhouse and of appointing some of the able bodied Paupers to assist the Authorities in removing them from the Streets

Resolved

We are of opinion that it would be highly dangerous to permit the admission of such persons into the Workhouse for the purpose required; nor do we feel warranted in acceding to the latter part of the Resolution

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	26
Ditto, disallowed	-	" " 26
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	-
Ditto, rejected	-	-

Total 26 . 0 . 26

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

Read a Warrant from the Lord Lieutenant directing the Guardians to pay to the Treasurer of the Finance Committee in 3 months or 13 weekly instalments £814 on Account of the Captains Electoral Division

Resolved

That in Compliance with the Lord Lieutenant's Warrant and in accordance with estimates forwarded by the Finance Committee that a rate be struck for [£]814 on the Captains Electoral Division calculating same at $\frac{2}{6}$ in the pound to be repaid as under the Labour Rate Act and that a Copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the Government Inspecting Officer

Adjourned to the 28th Inst.
 A. J. H. H. H.

Galway UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 24 day of July 1847

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.						DIED.						
	Males, aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males, aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN. Males. Fe-males. TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males, aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males, aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	
During the Week ended as above,	1	4	3	1	.	.	9	5	8	.	2	.	15	1	5	2	3	1	12
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	177	190	117	113	10	.	560	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
								No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.								
TOTAL,	178	194	120	111	13	.	569	In Work-house, } 58	In separate Wards.	In Wards with other Inmates.	Fever 60 Dysentery 40 Other diseases 18								
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	6	13	2	5	1	.	27	In Fever Hospital, } 60	6	8									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	172	181	118	109	12	.	542	Total, } 118	Total,	14	118								

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 1100

NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 4th day of August 1847

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday, the 28th day of July 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Anthony Stakerty Esq. Chairman*

Other Guardians: *William Blaney, Bernard Stakerty, James Ryan, John Harrison, James Copland, Tho. Walsh, John Ireland, Arthur Ireland, Randall L. Atty, Tho. Connors, Anthony R. Mullins and Patrick M. Lynch.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 7295 to No. 7328, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

The Notices of intended Marriages between George Ansell and Catherine Mohan and between Timothy Mahon and Catherine Burke

The Clerk reported that no Money had been lodged this week by the Collectors

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ " " "
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ " " "
 And that the Balance on the Account ^{against} in favour of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 62. 14. 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Patrick Martin	Galway	"	"	"	385	12	4
None	Annaghdown	"	"	"	269	3	3
	Oranmore	"	"	"	243	10	10
None	Moycullen Kellamie Doughterard	.	.	.	512	14	1
					219	1	2
					378	12	6
					305	8	6
					903	2	2
None	Lackagh Clare Galway Athury	.	.	.	140	10	1
					144	8	4
					102	2	11
					387	1	4
None	Ballinacorney Shadally	.	.	.	146	13	10
					44	10	9
					191	4	7
Garrett Pierce	Man	.	.	.	40	2	4
	Total				5888	16	10

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 59 s. 19 d. 4

Debit Provision Account,			
Credit Invoice Account,			59. 19. 4

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 73. 8. 9

Debit Maintenance Account,			
Credit Provision Account,			73. 8. 9

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was $\frac{2}{6}$

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

2420lb Bread	112 lb Soap
600 qts New Milk	5 Tons Coal
706 1/2 Buttermilk	
10lb Tea	
112 lb of Sugar	
14 lb of Cocoa	
6 Bottles of Wine	
6 Bottles Porter	

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.

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

3 Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

Ordered

That it be placed on the Minutes of Proceedings
+ (See appendix)

After the reading of the Report the Master and Matron having tendered their resignation

Resolved That same be accepted

Mr Patrick Birmingham Poor Rate Collector having tendered his resignation

Resolved That same be accepted

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

Reported 12 Deaths in the last week

The Clerk having laid before the Board the Half Yearly Abstracts of the Union Acc^{ts} audited up to the 25th March last

Resolved

That same be now signed by our Chairman and that same with the subsidy accounts be printed and that a copy be forwarded to each guardian

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

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

- 1st From the Poor Law Commissioners informing the Guardians that Mr Richard Burke A.P.L.C. was appointed to superintend the Galong Union
- 2nd From same calling on the Guardians to pay to the Returning Officer the sum of £21. 15. 3 for the expenses of the Election of Guardians in March last
- 3rd From same in reference to a communication to them from Mr P. Martin and requiring information on the subject
- 4th From same in reference to the Minutes of Proceeding of the Guardians on the 14th inst with respect to the Suspension of the Master & Matron and requiring the Minutes of the Evidence taken, and also stating that the Guardians have no Authority of taking examination on oath

Resolved

We are of Opinion that the Master and Matron having tendered their Resignation and same having been accepted it is quite unnecessary to forward the Minutes of Evidence required

5th Read a letter from Mrs M. Keruaghnam requesting that the sum of 55 £ due to her for Batterwallt may be paid over to Mr James Spun

Ordered

That when we funds her request be Complied with

6 From John Oliver requesting that a sum of £241. 7¹¹ 11 due to him for Bread be handed over to Mr James Spun

Ordered

That when we funds his request be Complied with

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	8
Ditto, disallowed	-	"
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	8
Ditto, rejected	-	"

Total 8 - 1 - 8

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

Resolved

That on the 11th Inst. we do take into Consideration the propriety of striking an addition of 1000 l. in the Rural Divisions of this Union and that the guardians be speedily summoned for that purpose

Resolved

That Tenders be published in the Galway Papers and in hand bills for persons to file the situations of Master, Matron, and Ward-Master to be considered the 25th Inst. Next and that the guardians be speedily summoned for the occasion

Spent Tenders for Collectors

There was but one Tender

Mr Martin Callinan	} Annaphodun Lackagh Chas Galway Athlone
Mr Wm the Sonard	
Resolved	Walter Napier } Securities John Ryan

That same be accepted

No Tenders for Moycullen Killarney Ballymore
Dunmore Ballinacorney or Stradbally

(Appendix)

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Report of the Visiting Committee

Galway Union
Board Room

July 27 1847

We have examined the Provision Book of the Union Workhouse for the last five Months and find that during that period the quantity of Bread apparently Consumed exceeds what came into the House by 2675 lbs - independent of extra allowances given to Women in the Laundry which sometimes amounted to 19 lbs per day and also an extra quantity of 10 lbs per day Consumed in the Hospital for several Weeks neither of which is charged - There is also no Credit taken in the Book for Bread occasionally distributed to poor persons at the gate by order of the guardians

With regard to the Birk the Quantity brought into the House during that time was not by any means sufficient to give the legal allowance to a much less number of Paupers than appeared on the Books

From our own observations and from the evidence of persons in charge of the Workhouse as well as from the Paupers there must have been more Meal Consumed in proportion to the Number of Persons in the House than there is at present - as they do not now get the same quantity as they formerly did nor is it so Substantial

We have

We have also been informed by the Clerk of the Union that on one occasion Mr Coplan handed over several hundred weights of Meal saved from the Quantity Apparently Charged

James Coplan
William Clancy

As sworn to the 4th August

L. M. M. M. M. M.

Galway UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 31st day of July 1847

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.						DIED.					
	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.
During the Week ended as above,	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	6	..	3	..	16	2	1	3	1	..	7
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	122	181	118	109	12	..	542	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.										
							No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.								
TOTAL,	122	181	118	109	12	..	542											
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	9	7	3	4	..	..	23	In Work-house, 57	In separate Wards,	In Wards with other Inmates,	Total 56							
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	113	174	115	105	12	..	519	In Fever Hospital, 56	7	6	Total, 13							
Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain,																		
NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 11 th day of August 1847																		

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday, the 4th day of August 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lachlan MacLellan

Other Guardians: N. Killian, Robert Martin, James Martin, Bernard Flaherty, John Harrison, Edward C. Burke, M. Cullinan, C. Blake, William Clancy, Thos. Walsh, James French, P. M. Lynch, E. O'Flaherty, George O'Donoghue, R. L. Atter.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. — to No. —, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

Motion of intended Marriages between George Russell and Catherine Mohan and between Timothy Mahon and Catherine Burke

Galway County

2. Establishment Account.

£ s. d.

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

3 Invoice Account.

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

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

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

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

7 Deaths in the last week

The Clerk laid before the Board the Monthly State of the Funds, reported that Mr P. Martin had attended with his Books, that Mr Granite Pierce had offered no reason for not attending, and the Clerk has reason to believe that Mr Granite Pierce collected more late than he has before. The state of the Funds were as follows

	Collected.	Lodged	Remaining uncollected
N ^o 1 Mr P. Martin	106. 18.	106. 18	3819 " 14. 4
N ^o 2 Mr M. Callinan	" "	" " "	656 4 7
N ^o 3 None	" "	" " "	903 2 9
N ^o 4 None	" "	" " "	434 15. 3
N ^o 5 Mr G. Pierce	" "	" " "	40. 2. 4
	106. 18	106. 18. 0	5853 = 18. 10

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

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

- 1st. From the Poor Law Commissioners in reference to the State of the Funds of the Union up to the 31st ultimo
- 2nd From same forwarding drawings showing the manner in which additional Contributions of the Parishes may be obtained
- 3rd From same forwarding a Report of the District Inspector in respect to the Workhouse Schools
- 4th From same forwarding the Opinion of the Attorney General with respect to the points arising out of the 12th Sec of the Irish Poor Extension Act

Resolved

That the Appointment of Relieving Officers for the Union be postponed to the 18th Inst. in consequence of the Assizes and for other important Reasons

Resolved

That in consequence of the Assizes the Consideration of striking an additional Rate on the Annual Electoral Divisions be postponed from the 11th to the 25th Inst. and that the Guardians be specially summoned for that day

Mr James Walsh having offered to collect the Poor Rates for the Oranmore Ballinacorney and Strathally Electoral Divisions at $\frac{1}{6}$ in the £

Resolved

That it be accepted and that we approve of Mr Thomas Walsh and Mr William Clancy as his Surveys

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was -

Ditto, disallowed - - - -

The number of Applicants admitted was - - - -

Ditto, rejected - - - -

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

Appointed to the 11th Inst

Lambert Mahon

Galway Union

Board Room
11th August 1847

There was no Meeting of the Board
No Guardian having attended
In consequence
of it being the first day of the Assizes

Lambert Mahon
Clerk of the Union

Galway Union

Board Room
18th August 1847

There was no Meeting of the Guardians
this day no Guardian being in
attendance at 2 o'clock.

They being obliged
to attend at the Court House both
Town and County Assizes going on

Lambert Mahon
Clerk of the Union

Galway UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 21st day of August 1847

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.					DIED.									
	Males, aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males, aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN.			Males, aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males, aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males, aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	
						Males.	Fe-males.	TOTAL.													
During the Week ended as above,	7	3	.	2	.	.	.	.	12	8	7	.	1	.	16	1	1	1	.	3	
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	111	158	110	98	12	.	.	.	489	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
										No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.									
TOTAL,	118	161	110	100	12	.	.	.	501	In Work-house, } 46	In separate Wards, }	In Wards with other inmates, }	Fever 50								
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	9	8	1	1	.	.	.	.	19	In Fever Hospital, } 50	5	7	Dysentery 34								
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	109	153	109	99	12	.	.	.	489	Total, } 96	Total, }	12	Malarial 12								
													96								

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 1100
 NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 1st day of September 1847

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wed day, the 25th day of August 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Anthony O'Maherty Esq. Chairman*
 Other Guardians: *M^r. Clancy, M^r. Walsh Charles Blake, John Harrison, Patt^r E. Kelly, M^r. William Robt. Brodwin Bernard O'Maherty, John Blakeney James French L. McLachlan, Henry Comerford M^r. H. O'Maherty Walter Lambert Patt^r M. Lynch, Mark Lynch Randal L. Atty Robt. Martin*

*Hodrick O'Connor
 M^r. M. Pense
 James Blake
 J. Guinness
 M^r. P. Brown
 M^r. Copland, Francis
 Fitzgerald, G. Cunningham
 M^r. Fitzgerald
 M^r. Lynch
 Patt^r Blake
 M^r. O'Sullivan*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 7329 to No. 7370, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect: *paid before the Board the liabilities of the Union to the 1st Aug*
 £ 6383. 12. 8
 Uncollected Rate 5853. 18. 10
 Arises £ 529. 13. 10

Read the Notices of intended Marriages in Registers Office between John Lyle bachelor (a Soldier), and Ellen O'Maherty Spinster, between Hodrick Perkins bachelor (Sailor) and Delia Monaghan Spinster.

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The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 32. 0. 0
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ " " "
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 5. 3. 8

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

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1 Mr Patk. Martin	Galway	32	"	"	378	14	4	
2 Mr Martin Cullinan	Mungdown	"	"	"	269	3	3	
	Lackagh	"	"	"	140	10	1	
	Clay Galway	"	"	"	144	8	4	
	Atturap	"	"	"	102	2	11	
						656	4	7
3 None	Mojellan	"	"	"	219	1	2	
	Killanin	"	"	"	378	12	6	
	Oughtinard	"	"	"	305	8	6	
						903	2	2
4 Mr A. Walsh	Oranmore	"	"	"	243	10	10	
	Ballinacree	"	"	"	146	13	10	
	Shadally	"	"	"	14	10	9	
						434	15	5
5 Mr Garrett Pierce	Arran	"	"	"	40	2	4	
Total		32	"	"	5821	18	10	

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the weeks was £ 201 s. 15 d. &

49. 11. 7		£	s.	d.
84. 2. 2				
68. 1. 9				
		201	15	8
		Debit Provision Account, } - - - - -		
		Credit Invoice Account, } - - - - -		
		201. 15. 8		
		The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was		
		206. 13. 8		
		Debit Maintenance Account, } - - - - -		
		Credit Provision Account, } - - - - -		
		206. 13. 8		

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 2/7

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- | | |
|------------------|-------------------------|
| 6800 lb Beans | 3 lb Coffee |
| 300 lb Meat | 5 lb Candles |
| 2240 lb I Meal | 224 lb Soap |
| 2240 lb Rice | 5 Tons Coal |
| 18000 qts Butter | |
| 18000 qts Milk | The Clerk directed |
| 24 lb Tea | to get two presses |
| 392 lb Sugar | Made for the Board Room |
| 84 lb Cocoa | |
| 12 lb of Tobacco | |

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows: With respect to the Out-door Relief and the Appointment and duties of Relieving Officers

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

- 1st From the Poor Law Commissioners with respect to the Qualification of Relieving Officers and that Persons in the Retail trade are disqualified
- 3 From same in reference to a Communication from Mr P. M. Martin with respect to certain stated premises in the occupation of the Commissioners
- From same transmitting Copies of the Report Act
- 4 From same with a Copy of a Circular from the Relief Commissioners to the Inspecting Officer relative to the disposition of Boilers in the possession of the Relief Committees
- 5th In reference to the practice of Burials in Workhouse grounds deprecating same and calling the Attention of the Guardians to the 20th Section of the Irish Poor Relief Extension Act

- 6 With respect to the Appointment of Mr Callinan a Poor Rate Collector in place of Mr A. Pognard, the Commissioners desire to know of the Regret of Mr Pognard in not preparing his book is Considered Unpardonable - Also in reference to Mr Garrett Pense in not attending to have his book checked and not having lodged the entire of his Collection
- 7 With reference to the Resolution of the Guardians to consider the propriety of striking an additional Rate on the Rural Divisions, calling the Attention of the Guardians to the sum required for the Irish Temporary Relief Act and requiring of 3/4 in the pound for that in addition to the ordinary Rate
- 8 Printing out the several Classes of Persons entitled to Relief out of the Workhouse
- 9 In reference to the Collector's Warrants directing the Words, "Within two Months afterwards Rates shall have been made, be struck out"

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	47
Ditto, disallowed	-	48
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	-
Ditto, rejected	-	-
Total	-	41. 0. 42

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

Proposed by Michl. P. Brown seconded by John Blakely and Unanimously

Resolved

That the Commissioners be informed of the reasons why Mr. A. Popera was removed from the collection of the Rates in the Sackagh and Athy & Divisions and the reasons of the Appointment of Mr. Martin Callinan in his place by the Board of Guardians

Proposed by Robt. Moore seconded by Rodrick Womur and Unanimously

Resolved

That the Consideration of putting on an additional rate on the Rural Districts be postponed for the present

Proposed by John Blakely seconded by Pat M. Lynch and Unanimously

Resolved

That being of opinion that the present state of the Galway Union does not call for the immediate Appointment of Relieving Officers

That we Request that the Poor Law Commissioners will not press us to elect Relieving Officers until such time at least as our funds shall become more available and the Claims for Admission to the Workhouse more pressing than they are at present

Proposed for Master and Matron and Wardmaster of the

Master	Matron	for each
Wm. Brennan	Mrs Brennan	4
Michl. C. Gophyan	Mrs Gophyan	11
Dan Moran	"	"
Michl. Dowling	Mrs Dowling	"
Richd. Keogh	Mrs Keogh	15
Perse Lambert	Mrs Lambert	"

Resolved

That Mr Richard Keogh and Mrs Keogh be Appointed Master and Matron of the New Workhouse and we Approve of Henry Courmford and Edward E. Mansfield as their Sureties

Resolved

That the Appointment of a Wardmaster be postponed to a future day

Resolved

Resolved That the Children of all Persons Committed to Prison under the Provisions of the Vagrant Act be Received into the Workhouse during such period And Charged to the Union at large

Approved to the 14th Sept

Wm Flaherty

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 28th day of August 1847

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.						DIED.					
	Males, aged 15 and upwards.	Females, aged 15 and upwards.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL	Males, aged 15 and upwards.	Females, aged 15 and upwards.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL	Males, aged 15 and upwards.	Females, aged 15 and upwards.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL
During the Week ended as above,	9	26	8	6	1	50	8	1	3			12	2	1		1		4
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	109	153	109	99	12	482	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
TOTAL,	118	179	117	105	13	532	No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.							
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	10	2	3	1		16	In Work-house, }	In separate Wards, }	In Wards with other inmates, }									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	108	177	114	104	13	516	In Fever Hospital, }	Total, —										

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 1100
NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 8th day of September 1847

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday, the 1st day of September 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, Anthony Estlin Esqr Chairman
Other Guardians: Nicholas William, Walter Lambert Robert Martin John Harrison, John Blakney James Copland Robt. Borkin John Guinness Arthur Ireland and Patrick Mc Lynch

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 7222 to No. 7226, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

Martin had not attended with his Books and had collected during the month of August but £53.14 That he had examined Mr Garrett Pierce's Books and found that he had collected 10£ 17.6 more than he lodged but Mr Garrett Pierce states that there is upwards of 120£ due to him for Coffins (which is true)

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The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 21. 15
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ -
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 26. 17^s

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1 Patrick Martin	Galway	21	14	-	37	6	4
2 Martin Cullinan	Annaghdown	-	-	-	2	6	3
	Sackagh	-	-	-	1	4	0
	Clare Galway	-	-	-	1	4	8
	Atterry	-	-	-	1	2	11
						6	5
3 None	Moyculleen	-	-	-	2	1	2
	Killanin	-	-	-	3	12	6
	Oughtierard	-	-	-	3	8	6
					9	2	2
4 James Walsh	Crannon	-	-	-	2	10	10
	Ballinacorney	-	-	-	1	13	10
	Shadally	-	-	-	4	10	9
				4	3	5	
5 Garret Pince	Arraul	-	-	-	1	2	4
Total		21	14	-	58	00	4 10

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 62 s. 1 d. 4

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, }	-	-	62 1 4
Credit Invoice Account, }	-	-	62 1 4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was			
Debit Maintenance Account, }	-	-	69 16 4
Credit Provision Account, }	-	-	69 16 4

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was $\frac{2}{7}$

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- | | |
|--------------------|------------------|
| 2500 lb Bread | 6 Bottles Porter |
| 150 lb Meat | 112 lb of Soap |
| 600 lbs Buttermilk | |
| 600 lbs New Milk | |
| 10 lb of Tea | |
| 140 lb Sugar | |
| 28 lb Cocoa | |
| All Tobacco | |
| 6 Bottles Wine | |

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

- 1st From the Poor Law Commissioners approving of the Appointments of Mr Martin Callaghan and Mr James Walsh as Poor Rate Collectors
- 2nd From same in reference to out Door Relief to able bodied persons and the necessity of guarding against Abuse of same
- 3rd From same in reference to the Resolutions of the Guardians at their last meeting postponing the Appointment of Relieving Officers and Calling on the Guardians to reconsider it and also to proceed with Vigour with the Collection of the poor rate
- 4th From same in reference to the Monthly State of the Funds

5th From the Government Inspecting Officer requesting to be informed of the Boilers purchased by the Government Advances will be received at the Union Workhouse

Consideration postponed

Approved by John Harris

Seconded by Walter Lambert and unanimously Resolved

That John Blakeney Esq be requested to apply to Martin J Blake Esq M.P to know if he would dispose of 3 Statute Acres of land adjoining to and in the rear of the present Workhouse ground and at what rate of purchase

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Disposal Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was - 56

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - 56

The number of Applicants admitted was - - - - -

Ditto, rejected - - - - -

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

Open Tenders for the Collection of the Poor Rates in Moycullen Kellamim and Caphlam E Divisions

Richard Davis at 1/6 in the Pound
James Mallowney 1/6 in the Pound
Mich^d McDonagh 1/6 in the Pound

Proposed by Robert Martin
Seconded Robert Cookin and
Resolved

That Richard Davis be appointed Collector of Poor Rates for the Caphlam E. D at 1/6 in the Pound and for Moycullen at 1/6 in the L^d and James Mallowney for Kellamim E. D at 1/6 in the Pound

Proposed by Robert Martin that a Meeting be called by Wednesday next for the purpose of considering the propriety of putting ^{such} an additional rate as will discharge the liabilities of the Union

Approved to the S^d Just^s
Wm P. O'Connell

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RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 14th day of Sep^r 1847

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.						DIED.							
	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN.			Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.
						Males.	Fe-males.	TOTAL.												
During the Week ended as above,	15	8	4	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	32							
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	108	177	114	104	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	576	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.						
														No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.				
TOTAL,	123	185	118	109	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	578	In Work-house, } 56	In separate Wards,	In Wards with other Inmates,	Fever 78			
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	7	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10	In Fever Hospital, } 78	5	7	Departing - 42			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	116	183	118	109	12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	538	Total,	12	Other diseases 14 134				

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 1100
NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 15th day of Sept^r 1847

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday, the 8th day of September 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Anthony Mahony Esq. M.P. Chairman*

J. Phelan
Abbe } Other Guardians: *Nicholas Killian, Mark Lynch, Tho' Walsh, William Blaney, Charles Blakke, Bernard Blakke, James French, Henry Bennett, Nicholas Lynch, Geo. W. Blake, Martin Mahony, Thos. McSpink, John Gunning, Walter Lambert, Giles E. Lambert, John Ryan & Tho' Connors*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 11 to No. 22, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect: Read Notices of Marriages in the Registrar's Office between James Porter widower (a Pensioner) and Mary Cook Spinster and between George Curry bachelor (a Soldier) and Mary Cowan Spinster

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The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 59-

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 5-
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 80.17.8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

	Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1	Patrick Martin	Galway	59	8	5	37	13	11
2	Martin Cullinan	Annaghavan	3	6	3	26	5	7
		Sackagh	.	.	.	14	10	1
		Clare-Galway	3	3	3	14	5	1
		Maury	.	.	.	10	2	11
3	Richard Davs		6	9	6	54	9	1
		Oughtera	.	.	.	30	8	6
		Moycullen	.	.	.	21	1	2
4 th	James McElwainey	Killarney	.	.	.	52	9	8
5 th	James Walsh	Bramore	.	2	1	24	8	9
		Ballinacorney	.	.	.	14	13	10
		Shadally	.	.	.	4	10	9
6 th	Garret Pierce		.	2	1	43	13	4
		Arran	.	.	.	4	2	4
Total			59	-	-	574	4	10

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 81 s. 5 d. 11

	Debit Provision Account, }	- - -	81	5	11
	Credit Invoice Account, }	- - -			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was					
	Debit Maintenance Account, }	- - -	75	15	5
	Credit Provision Account, }	- - -			

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 2/8^{1/2}

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- | | |
|------------------|---------------------|
| 280 lb Bread | All Tobacco |
| 40 lb Meat | 5 Tons of Coal |
| 2240 lb Meal | 500 Yds of Corduroy |
| 700 lbs New milk | 500 Yds Collic |
| 500 lbs Butter | |
| 120 lb Salt | |
| 10 lb of Tea | |
| 25 lb of Cocoa | |
| 140 lb Sugar | |
| 1 lb of Coffee | |

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

1st From the Poor Law Commissioners forwarding Copies of the General Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners for the Regulation of the Out door Relief

2nd From the Public Work Loan Office Requesting payment of the sum of 100 £ in Repayment of a Loan of 1200 £

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Proposed by Patrick Mc Lynch Seconded by Bernard Mahony And Unanimously Resolved

That a new rate be struck on the several Electoral Divisions of this Union at the undermentioned rate of Poundage on each Division and that the Collecting Books are not to be given to the Collectors until after the 5th of October

Galway	at 1/2	in the Pound
Boycullen	4	u
Killanne	2	u
Oughtreas	4	u
Oran	3	u
Annahdown	1/6	u
Lackagh	6	u
Clan Galway	6	u
Athony	4	u
Tramore	7	u
Ballinacorney	6	u
Meastally	4	u

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was - 24

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - 24

The number of Applicants admitted was - - - - -

Ditto, rejected - - - - - 31-19-50

55-19-74

Resolved

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

Resolved That any Proprietor who pays the entire Amount of Rates and Arrears of Rates on his property within 3 Months after the date of the warrant attached to the Collecting Book should be allowed 10 per cent Rebate on the entire

The Clerk laid before the Board the Monthly State of the Union Funds with the liabilities as follows

	Collected	Loaned	Remaining uncollected
1 Mr P Martin	53.14.0	53.14.0	3766. 4
2 Mr Cullinane	" " "	" " "	636.4.7
3 None	" " "	" " "	903.2.2
4 James Walsh	" " "	" " "	434.15.5
5 G Pierce	10. 17. 6	" " "	29. 4. 10
	64 11. 6	53.14.0	5789.7.4

Mr Martin had not attended when that Report was made out but he has since done so the reason he assigns is that he did not recollect that Wednesday last was the 1st of Sept. and he thought it would be time enough before this day

Mr G Pierce attended and appears to have collected 10 £ 17. 6 more than he loans Mr Cullinane and Mr Walsh are new appointments

Liabilities to 31st July £ 6383. 12. 8
to 31 Aug 322. 9. 9

6706. 2. 5
Liabilities paid 26. 16. 4
£ 6679 6. 1

Outstanding Rates 5789. 7. 4
In Treasurers hands 26. 17. 8
In Collectors hands 10. 17. 6
£ 5827. 2. 6
Difference £ 852. 3. 7

Accepted

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, // day of Sept. 1847

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.						DIED.					
	Males aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN. Males. Fe-males. TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.
During the Week ended as above,	12	13	4	9	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	39						
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	116	183	118	109	112	.	.	.	.	.	.	538	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.					
												No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.				
TOTAL,	128	196	122	118	113	.	.	.	.	.	.	577						
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	4	10	3	2	1							20	In Work-house, } 57	In separate Wards, }	In Wards with other Inmates, }			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	124	186	119	116	112							557	In Fever Hospital, } 80	8	6			
												Total, —	Total, 14					

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 1100
 NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 22nd day of September 1847

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday, the 15 day of September 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, Anthony Blaherty Esq &
 Other Guardians: Nichs Killian Wm Blaney
Randal L. Esq John Gunning and Robt
Boakie

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. — to No. —, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect: Read Notice of an intended Marriage in the Registrar Office between Patrick Murphy bachelor (a Soldier), and Mary McLaughlin Spinster

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The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 71. 10. 0
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 116. 6. 6
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 36. 1. 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Patrick Marlow	Galway	71	10	-	367	1	11
No Cullinane	Anuaghdown	"	"	"	265	17	"
	Lackagh	"	"	"	140	10	1
	Clare Galway	"	"	"	141	5	1
	Arthur	"	"	"	102	2	11
					547	15	1
Richard Davis	Moycullen	"	"	"	219	1	2
	Doughton	"	"	"	305	8	6
					524	9	8
James Mallonoy	Kellauin				378	12	6
James Walsh	Oranmore	"	"	"	243	8	9
	Ballinacooty	"	"	"	146	13	10
	Shadally	"	"	"	144	10	9
					434	13	4
Garret Pierce	Arran	"	"	"	40	2	4
	Total	71	10	-	566	14	10

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 113 s. 10 d. 3

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account,			
Credit Invoice Account,			
113. 10. 3			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was			
Debit Maintenance Account,			
Credit Provision Account,			
80. 17. 0			

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 2/11

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

2800 lb of Bread	4 Bottles of Wine
160 lb of meat	4 Bottles of Porter
500 lbs of Butter	112 lb of Soap
900 lbs of New Milk	
10 lb of Tea	
28 lb of Cocoa	
224 lb of Sugar	
4 lb of Tobacco	

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Mch ^d Hensy Galies	3	-	-
Will. Kane D ^o	1	8	6
Kealy & Co D ^o		7	3
J Goggin		7	11
	5	3	8

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

The Sweep Carpenter 22. 10. 0 ✓
The Walsh Mason — 6. 4. 0 ✓
Michl. Bustle Nailor — 5. 13. 4 ✓
Wm. Walsh Glazier — 2. 1. 3 ✓
John Flynn brick — 3. 0. 0 ✓
Michl. Green Tins — 4. 9. 10
Mc Connor Sawyer — 3. 15. 2 ✓
P. Kelly Buckets — " 10. 0
John Tunney Slater — 4. 17. 2 ✓
Dell's Plastering — " 17. 6 ✓
£ 53. 18. 9

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
<i>Mc Curranagh Carpenter</i>	8	6	
<i>J. Canal Cleaning Pipes</i>	1	10	
<i>James Murphy Pump</i>	2	11	
<i>P. L. McDonough Lime</i>	2	14	
<i>Mc Curran Nailor</i>	1	6	
<i>P. Doherty Buckets</i>		37	6
<i>L. Mahon Rooms</i>		6	6
<i>Martha Swift Sciss</i>	1	8	0
<i>The Mahon ditto</i>		8	4
<i>P. Martin Pale Book</i>	7	10	
	18	18	10

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

3 Invoice Account.

<i>James Conannon I Meal</i>	16	10	
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Debit Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

Lambert Mahon, Election Law £ 21. 16. 3

Debit Election Law }
 Credit Treasurer } 6. 21. 15. 3

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

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

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows: The Medical Attendant reports 3 deaths within the last week

Resolved

That all future meetings the admission of Paupers be proceeded with immediately after the inspection and signing the Register

Resolved

That no persons name be taken down on the Application and Report Book until he or she be examined by the Medical Attendant

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

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

1st From the Poor Law Commissioners forwarding Copies of the Circular of the 26th ultimo in reference to the Out Door Relief

2nd From same in reference to the Arrears due to the Audit Fund

3rd From same approving of the Appointment of Mr. & Mrs. Keogh as Master and Matron and they presume ^{that} those Officers are aware that their family cannot be permitted to reside in the Workhouse

4th From same disapproving of the Resolution of the Guardians of the Dist^{ct} striking a certain rate throughout the Union and requiring in lieu thereof that a rate of 3/ be struck

Resolved

That a Special Meeting of the Guardians be summoned for Wednesday next the 22nd inst to consider a Communication rec^d. from the Poor Law Commissioners refusing their sanction to the Resolution of this Board of the 8th inst striking a Rate to a certain amount throughout the Union and requiring the Guardians to strike in lieu thereof a 3/ rate throughout the Union

5 From same to our Chairman in reply to a Communication from him with respect to the expense entailed on the Town of Galway in consequence of the number of Vagrants committed to its Goal from other districts but the Commissioners cannot point out any means by which these expenses can be charged to their respective Districts

6 From Captain Belliard Government Inspector of the Guardians forwarding a Circular informing the Guardians that after the 30th inst no advances will be made to Temporary Poor Hospitals but that after that date they are to be supported by the ~~Land~~ Poor Rates

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Passport Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	6	
Ditto, disallowed	-	-	6
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	-	41
Ditto, rejected	-	-	18

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

Read a letter from Mr Richard Davis declining the Collection of the Moycullee & Oughterard Electoral Divisions of the Union in consequence of the great prevalence of Fever and dread of the great opposition he would meet with

Resolved

Resolved

That his Resignation be accepted and that Tenders for the Collection of the Rates in the Moycullee and Oughterard Divisions be advertised for against the 29th Inst.

Read a letter from Mrs Birmingham requesting that the sum of 60 £ due to her for Buttermilk may be paid to James Symonds

Resolved

That in ^{whole} funds her request be complied with

Resolved

That Tenders for supplying the Workhouse with Provisions Necessaries Medicines and Clothing be advertised for against the 29th Inst and that until then the Medicines be supplied for Cash

Capt. H. H. H.

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RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, day of 184

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.						DIED.					
	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN. Males. Fe-males. TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.
During the Week ended as above,	23	20	5	6	2	. . . 36	4	7	. . . 1	14	. . . 3	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	3
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	23	186	119	116	12	. . . 557	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
																		No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.
TOTAL,	147	206	124	122	14	. . . 613	In Work-house, } 34	In sepa- rate Wards.	In Wards with other Inmates.	Fever 80 Dysentery 29 Other diseases 5 Total 114								
Did not Discharge and Died during the Week ending as above,	4	10	. . .	2	1	. . . 17	In Fever Hospital, } 80	8	6									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	143	196	124	120	13	. . . 596	Total, } 114	Total,	14									

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 1100
 NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on *Wednesday* the *29th* day of *Sept^r* 1847

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Wed* day, the *22nd* day of *September* 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Anthony Maherty Esq. Clerk*
 Other Guardians: *Thos. Walsh, Michl. Callinan, John Ryan, Charles Blake, Nicholas Lynch, John Harrison, A W Blake Esq., Maherty Esq. J. J. Walter Blake, Martin Morris, Dick's William Thos. Connors, Ed Burke, Patrick M Lynch, Jas. O'Connell*
John Blakeney The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
Thomas Connors The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 7502 to No. 7528, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.
Francis Fitzgibbon

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect: *Read a second time*
The notice quitted marriage in the Registers Office between Patrick Murphy and Mary M Loughlin and the first time between George Parker (bachelor) a sailor and Mary Walsh Spinster

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The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 48.. 1s.

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ " " "

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the

Guardians was - - - - - £ 84.. 19.. 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Patrick Martin	Galway	42	"	"	31	1	11
2. Martin Cullinane	Annaghdown	"	"	"	265	17	"
	Sackagh	"	"	"	140	10	1
	Clun Galway	"	"	"	141	5	1
	Atturyp	"	"	"	102	2	11
					649	15	1
3. None	Moycullen	"	"	"	219	1	2
	Oughterard	6	18	"	298	10	6
		6	18	"	517	11	8
4. James Mallanney	Killanin	"	"	"	378	12	6
5 th . James Walste	Oranmore	"	"	"	243	8	9
	Ballaacorney	"	"	"	146	13	10
	Stradbally	"	"	"	44	10	9
Garet Pierce	Arran	"	"	"	40	2	4
	Total	178	15		562	16	11

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 57 s. 10 d. 6

Debit Provision Account,	}	-	-	57.	10.	6
Credit Invoice Account,						

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 80. 9. 11

Debit Maintenance Account,	}	-	-	80.	9.	11
Credit Provision Account,						

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 2/8 1/2

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

2900 lb Bread	6 Bottles of wine
150 lb Oat	6 Bottles of porter
2240 lb of 1 Meal	
700 qrs Bullmill	
800 qrs New-mill	
8 lb of Tea	
1 lb of Coffee	
16 lb of Beer	
16 lb of sugar	
4 lb of Tobacco	

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Patk Burke balie's	"	11	8
Wm Kane Ditto	"	5	"
Nicks Murray legs	1	5	"
Richd Keogh Shaw		1	10
	2	3	6

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
Richard Knight Brooms	-	5	8
Margaret Connor Lime	-	6	10
Patrick Doherty Brooms	-	4	6
Patrick Doherty Buckets	1	4	0
Patrick Rippington Locksmith	-	13	6
J Wallace Cabbage plants	-	13	1
Mary Connor Pits	-	2	1
Patrick McDonough D ^o	-	1	1
	3	10	9

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

3 Invoice Account.

Rush & Palmer S. Meal	9	7	6
Wm Oliver Bread	19	15	6
	29	13	0

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

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

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

Resolved

That Patrick Mc Lynch, Mr Collins, Mr Gunning, James Copland, Nicholas Gillan, William Clancy & John Blaney be appointed a Committee for the purpose of enquiring into the best means, of erecting hand mills putting up looms, the enlargement of the Workhouse grounds and the industrial employment of all the inmates of the Workhouse

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

The Medical Assistant reported 3 deaths within the last week

Ordered

That the Master be directed to receive and take charge of any Books or other goods sent to the Workhouse from any Relief Committee

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

Read a communication from Mr Tomes Mallooney resigning the collection of Millamoin & Division

Ordered That Orders for the collection of Millamoin & Division Poor Rates be addressed for

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

1st From the Poor Law Commissioners in reference to the Temporary Fever Hospital which after the 30th Inst are to be supported out of the Poor Rates

2nd From Sachlan M. Sachlan Chairman of the Galway Relief Committee on the same Subject

3rd Read a Warrant from the Lord Lieut^{nt} requiring the Guardians to pay to the Treasurer of the Finance Committee the sum of £11. 0. 0 on account of the Union at large

4th Read a Circular (39 Finance) from the Relief Commissioners containing an extract from a Communication from the Lords of the Treasury intimating that a Rate of 3/4 on the L will be required to be raised on each & Division of the Union

Resolved

That as an important Question exists as to the terms under which Loans have been made to the Galway Union under the Relief Measures - We hereby request our Chairman to draw up and forward a Memorial to the Lords of the Treasury setting forth all the particulars as also the peculiarly distressed Condition of a large Portion of this Union and the utter inability to pay a rate equal to the demands of the Poor Law Commissioners who are requested not to press the Subject till the decision of the Lords of the Treasury on the Subject is known

5th Read a Communication from Mr J. Martin Poor Rate Collector requesting that the sum of £102 due him as collecting fees may be paid over to J. J. Fleming Esq

Resolved

That when Mr J. Martin has reported he complied with

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	8	
Ditto, disallowed	-	2	10
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	50	
Ditto, rejected	-		21 71

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

Adjourned to the 29th Instant

Wm. F. Clarke

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RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 25th day of Sept. 1847

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.						DIED.						
	Males, aged 15 and upwards.	Females, aged 15 and upwards.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN.		Males, aged 15 and upwards.	Females, aged 15 and upwards.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upwards.	Females, aged 15 and upwards.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.
						Males.	Females.													TOTAL.
During the Week ended as above,	28	21	11	13	3	.	.	76	14	10	3	1	28	2	2	.	.	.	4
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	143	196	124	120	13	.	.	596	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.										
	OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.																		
TOTAL,	171	217	135	133	16	.	.	672	No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.									
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	16	17	3	1	.	.	32	In Workhouse, } 32	In separate Wards, }	In Wards with other Inmates, }	<i>Over 80</i> <i>Dysentery - 29</i> <i>Other diseases 12</i>								
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	155	205	132	132	16	.	640	In Fever Hospital, } 80	8	6	Total, 14								
Total, 112																			

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 1109
NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 6th day of October 1847

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on 29th day of Sept. 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, Anthony Blaherty, Esq. Ch
Other Guardians: Mch^r: William John Ireland Edward Lambert Nicholas Lynch, Robert Bodkin, Mch^r: Cullinan, Lord Wallcourt Thos M Perse John Blakney, Mark Lynch, James Copleand Edm^d: Blaherty And^{rs}: W. Blake John Harrison

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 7529 to No. 7588, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect: Was a 3rd time the notice of intended Marriage between Patrick Murphy and Mary McLoughlin and between George Parker and Mary Walsh

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2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
Nick. Hoop Brooms		1	6
Thos. Campsey Sawyer		3	7
John Tunjan Sator	1	13	3
Michl. Green Tins	3	14	8
Luke Toole Smith		4	5
Pat McLaughlin		9	0
Wm. H. Alley Self	1	11	1
	6	7	17 6

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

3 Invoice Account.

Smolley Murray Salt		7	6
John Oliver Bread	24	5	11
	24	13	5

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

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

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

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows: The Medical Attendant reported 4 deaths in the last week.

Ordered That our Clerk be directed to inform Mr. Path Martin that if he does not use greater diligence and proceed more vigorously with his collection of the Poor Rate that he will be suspended and recommended to be dismissed by the Poor Law Commissioners and also that he do attend the next Meeting of the Board with his Collecting Books for the inspection of the Guardians.

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

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

Read the Lord Lieutenant's Warrants directing the Guardians to pay to the paymaster of Civil Services in Dublin on account of the undermentioned E Divisions to complete the amt. advanced under the Temporary Relief Act

Meavy	£ 21	0	0	
Warrane	133	0	0	
Ballinacorney	72	0	0	
Shadally	68	0	0	294.0.0

Resolved

That in compliance with the Lord Lieutenant's and in accordance with the Estimates sent forward by the Finance Committee a rate amounting to the following sums be struck in the undermentioned E Divisions of the Galway Union to be repaid as under the Labour rate Act

Meavy	£ 21	0	0	
Warrane	133	0	0	
Ballinacorney	72	0	0	
Shadally	68	0	0	294.0.0

Resolved

That Mr Nicholas Anon be appointed Poor Rate Collector for Kellavim and Oughterard E Divisions at 1/6 in the pound poundage and for Moycullen E Division at one shilling at the pound poundage and we approve of Major Rich^d Martin of Clare Villa and Rob^t O'Perse of Galway as his Surtees

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Prepare Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	25	
Ditto, disallowed	-	9	34
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	76	
Ditto, rejected	-	21	97

Total 101. 30. 131

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

The Chairman having read a copy of the Memorial drawn up by him and forwarded to the Lords of the Treasury,

Proposed by John Blakeney
Seconded by John Ireland and
Unanimously
Resolved

Minutes That same be placed on our

To the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury

The Memorial of the Guardians of the Galway Union

Most Respectfully Sheweth

That from the first introduction of the Poor Law System into Ireland the Board of Guardians of the Galway Union have both by a constant & unremitting attendance to their duties and a warm cooperation with the Commissioners appointed by Her Majesty's Government evinced the strongest desire to carry out the ~~desire~~ provisions of that Act in its strictest integrity and however

They

They may differ from some of the provisions of the recent Act - still entertain the same anxiety and are desirous as far as they can with consistency to lend a similar cooperation.

They venture to hope therefore that this disposition will ensure a favourable consideration of the case which the Galway Board of Guardians feel it their duty to lay before the Lords of Her Majesty's Treasury.

That the different Relief Committees of the several E Divisions of the Galway Union on being required to furnish an estimate of the expenditure necessary for the Relief of the Poor in their Districts under the Temporary Relief Act and also the manner in which they proposed to repay such expenditure, in compliance therefore with these instructions returned the Estimates for each Division, with the proposed mode of repayment endorsed by namely by twenty instalments as under the Labour Rate Act

That the Lords of the Treasury having they presume given due consideration both to the estimate and the mode in which the repayment was proposed forwarded to the Board of Guardians a warrant for the imposition of the Act. Required

That the Board of Guardians on the 12th May last confirmed the original undertaking by entering into a resolution to strike the rate up by the warrant under

Under the terms which had been proposed and accepted by Her Majesty's Government

That the Board of Guardians are notwithstanding now called upon in violation of this agreement to strike a rate of 3% in the pound over the whole Union by which requirements the Lords of the Treasury appear to have altogether overlooked the terms of the Contract

That far from repudiating any portion of the Debt they thus contracted tho' not without a hope that the Collection of the first instalment would have been deferred to a somewhat more distant period, they still are willing to abide by the terms which they proposed and look with confidence to Her Majesty's Government for a similar spirit of fair dealing in not repudiating their original Contract with them

That the Board of Guardians of the Galway Union have struck a rate which they considered amply sufficient to pay their past debts and meet their future requirements up to the 25th March next and are now prepared if so required to strike such a rate sufficient to cover the first instalment of their Debt under the Temporary Relief Act

That in pursuing this course they are animated solely by a desire to make an honest endeavour to meet their liabilities and do not the less confidently entertain the painful belief that they are imposing a Rate far beyond the capabilities of the people of the

of the people of this ~~Union~~ poor and in many parts remote and mountainous District they venture to hope that it will not be forgotten that this Rate is to fall upon a people who trembling even in ordinary seasons for several months on the very verge of destitution have been completely prostrated by the fearful calamity of last year - who have all or nearly all been until within the last few weeks recipients of public Charity and who if pressed too severely in the present moment of partial recovery must be again driven back to the horrid and degraded condition from which they have but just emerged. Under these circumstances the Guardians of the Galway Union feel that in imposing a Rate sufficient for the purposes they have mentioned they are discharging their duty with honesty and fidelity and taxing their Union even far beyond ^{its} ~~their~~ capabilities and should the course they have adopted not meet the sanction of the Treasury they feel they can have no other alternative than to resign into other hands a trust which they can no longer exercise with honor to themselves or advantage to the Community

Signed on behalf
of the Board of
Guardians *Anthony Blakely Esq. M.P.*
Chairman

Adjourned to the 6th Inst.

Capt. Flaherty

6th October 1847

Board Room

There being but two Guardians in attendance
at the hour of two O'clock in consequence
of the great Fair of Ballinacree, the Board
stood adjourned to the 13th Inst.

There were 194 Paupers in attendance
seeking for admissions of whom 120
were admitted provisionally by the Master
under two Guardians. *Rich^d Burke Esq. Parlane*
Inspector was in attendance

Liam Cull Mahon
Clerk of the Union

Capt. Flaherty

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Galway UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and
the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 9 day of October 1847

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.						DIED.						
	Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe- males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Chil- dren under 2.	BORN. Males. Fe- males.	TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe- males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Chil- dren under 2.	TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe- males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Chil- dren under 2.	TOTAL.
During the Week ended as above,	37	47	30	30	16	.	161	2	5	.	3	.	10	4	.	.	.	.	4
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Re- turn,	162	222	151	133	20	.	688	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
TOTAL,	199	269	184	163	34	.	849	No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.							
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	6	5	.	3	.	.	14	In Work- house, } 46	In sepa- rate Wards, }	In Wards with other Inmates, }	From Dysentery 53 Other Cases 40 6								
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	193	264	184	160	34	.	835	In Fever Hospital, } 53	8	2	Total, 99								
								Total, } 99	Total, }	11									

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 1100

NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 20 day of October 1847

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on
13th day of October 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Anthony Blakely Esq. M.P.*
R. Burke } Other Guardians: *Nich^s Killian Tho. Walsh Auth^r*
A. D. J. } *R. Mullins John Reddington John Blakely*
Tho. Collins Rodd. Coomes Lod. Wellscott
W^m Clancy John Ryan Edm^s Blakely Rich^d Cullen
- new *John Harrison and John Guinness*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 7589
to No. 7690, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-
signature of the Clerk.

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
Mr. Tinsley Mason	1	2	9
Mech. Green Repair of Pump	3	15	-
Patrick Loherty Buckets	0	9	-
Paul Tiffinham Locksmith	0	2	0
Rich. Hoop Brooms	0	4	7
Mrs. Campsey Sawyer	0	3	4
	5	16	8

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

3 Invoice Account.

Richard Hoop Meat & Milk	2	2	8
Mr. Guinness Oatmeal	7	0	0
Mr. Elwood Meat	6	2	2
Mr. Scannel Milk	6	9	9
John Oliver Bread	44	14	10
	£	66	9 5

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

Mr. Pease (Office) £ 14. 5. 0
 Debit outstanding Creditor }
 Credit Treasurer } 14. 5. 0

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

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

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows: The Medical Attendant reported 4 deaths in the week.

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

The Blakeney Esq^r gave notice that on next day of meeting he will move that Petitions be presented to both Houses of Parliament to change the law as regards the Rating, Praying that a Union Rating may be substituted for the present mode of Rating Electoral Divisions,

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

- 1st From the Poor Law Commissioners with respect to the Monthly State of the Funds
- 2nd From Same, repeating the Monthly Liabilities of the Union
- 3rd From Same Calling the Attention of the Guardians to the 14th and 15th Sec of the Poor Act with respect to Temporary Fever Hospitals
- 4th From Same approving of the appointment of Mr Nicholas Snow as Collector of Poor Rates
- 5th From Same Calling the attention of the Guardians to Contracts for Provisions and Clothing

6th From Same with respect to the necessity of imposing a Rate of 3^d in the Pound throughout the Whole Union

It was proposed by John Blakeney and seconded by Mrs Camm

That we do now strike a Rate which added to the Rate struck in the several Electoral Divisions will amount to 3^d in the Pound on the Poor Law Valuation of this Union

An Amendment was proposed by Mr Clancy seconded by John Ryan and unanimously carried

Resolved That Mr. Blakeney's Motion be postponed until such time as an answer to the Memorial of this Board is received from the Lords of the Treasury and that a special meeting of the entire Board be called to consider the matter

7th From the Relief Commissioners Announcing that the entire advances for the Temporary Fever Hospitals were granted

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	178	
Ditto, disallowed	-	-	178
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	-	35
Ditto, rejected	-	-	3

Total 263 - 3 = 266

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

The Clerk laid before the Board the Monthly State of the Union Funds he also reported that Mr Martin had attended had his Books examined and that he had a balance in hands of £33.10.10 beyond what he had expended and that Mr Garrett Pierce has not attended

Collectors	Collected	Sodges	
1. Mr Patt Martin	£263.10.7	229.19.9	3502.9.9
2. Martin Calluane	6.19.6	6.9.6	649.15.1
3. Nicholas Anon	6.18.0	6.18.0	896.4.2
H James Walsh	2-1	2-1	434.13.4
5 Garrett Pierce	" " "	" " "	29.4.10
	277. 0. 2	243. 9. 4	5512. 7. 2

The Liabilities of the Union the 31st of August

Expenditure to 29th Sept 486.17.7
 Paid 793. 0. 9
 218. 16. 3

£ 697 4 3 9

Amount of uncollected Rate
 In Mr P Martin's hands 5512 . 7 . 2
 In Mr G Pierce's hands 33 - 10 - 10
 In the Treasurer's hands 10 - 17 - 6
 78 - 7 - 1
 Difference of means 5635 . 2 . 7
 1339 1 . 2

Adjourned to 12 O'clock on Thursday 14th Inst. for the admission of Paupers

Mr [Signature] Chairman

Minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians Galway Union at an adjourned Meeting held on Thursday 14 October 1847

Present

In the Chair John Redington Esq D.D.

Other Guardians

John Harrison
 Richard William

Richard Burke Esq. Q.C.S. also present

The Board proceeded to the admission of Paupers

Admitted 130
 Rejected 29 159

Adjourned to the 20th Inst.

John [Signature] Chairman

Galway Union

Board Room

Minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the Galway Union, at an extraordinary meeting held on Monday 18 Oct 1847

In consequence of a requisition from John Redington and Nicholas William two Guardians of said Union to consider the necessity of procuring increased accommodation for Paupers; the Workhouse having upwards of 1000 Paupers, Inmates in it

Present

In the Chair John Redington D. V. C

Other Members

Mark Lynet Nicholas William Anthony
R. Mullens and Thomas Walsh

The Clerk read the Requisition convening the meeting

The Matter and Motion having complained of the very refractory conduct of some of the Female Paupers

Ordered

That they be brought up before the Board

The following

The following named Paupers were accordingly brought up Namely

May Connealy, Honor Griffin, Anne Bohan, Mary Brooks, Mary Caspary, Bridget Young, Anne Burke, Peggy Shanly and Bridget Cooney

The Board having enquired into the Cause of Complaint

Ordered

That May Connealy, Honor Griffin and Bridget Cooney be discharged out of the House and that the remaining female delinquents be confined until bedtime and that get no dinner

There being but five Guardians present Resolved

That it would be unforfeitable in us to take any steps towards hiring increased accommodation until the next meeting of the Board of Guardians

Adjourned

Wm. M. Perre
Chairman

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, day of 184

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.						DIED.					
	Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Females aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN. Males. Females. TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Females aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Females aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.
During the Week ended as above,	67	57	52	43	11	. . . 227	13	9	3	1	. . . 26	3	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	3
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	193	264	184	160	34	. . . 835	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
TOTAL,	260	318	236	203	45	. . . 1062	No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.								
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	16	9	3	1	. . . . .	29	In Work-house, 45	In separate Wards,	In Wards with other inmates,	Fever 58 Dysentery 36 Other Cases 9								
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	244	309	233	202	45	. . . 1033	In Fever Hospital, 50	8	3	Total, 95								
Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 1100																		
NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 27 th day of October 1847																		

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wed day, the 20 day of October 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, *John Ireland Esq^r*
Other Guardians: *Nicholas Lynch, Wm Blake, Mack Browne, John Blakeney, Edw^d E Munnell, Mortu Morris, Mark Lynch, Palk Blake, Arthur Ireland, James Blake, James O'Platin, Edward Lambert, John Gunning, Anthony R Mullin*

Wm M Perre The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
Wm M Perre The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 7499 to No. 8092, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
Nichl. Malloy Sand	✓	16	2
Richard Kedge (Came)	✓	4	0
Robt. Pierce Cleaning Chimnies	✓	14	8
Martin Burke Nails	✓	8	7
Thos. Dempsey Sawyer	✓	2	5
Martin Sweeney Carpenter	✓	1	4 6
Michl. Green Tins	✓	7	8 4
		10	18 6

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

3 Invoice Account.

John Gunning Oatmeal	7	0	0
Owen Gannon Oats	6	15	0
John Costello Rice	10	0	0
John Oliver Bread	26	17	1
Timothy Murray Salt		16	0
Wm. Elwood Meat	3	9	2
	54	17	3

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

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

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

Proposed by Andrew W. Blake Seconded by John Blakeney and Unanimously

Resolved

That a Committee consisting of James Copland, Nicholas Killian, William Clancy, John Ireland, John Blakeney, Mark Lynch and Michael Brown be appointed to procure increased accommodation for Paupers

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows: The Medical Attendant reported 3 Deaths within the last week

Resolved

That Mr. Patrick Martin Poor Rate Collector be directed to attend this Board at 10 O'Clock tomorrow with his Collecting Books for the Inspection of the Guardians and that we do meet tomorrow for that purpose

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

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

1st From the Poor Law Commissioners with reference to a new form of Weekly Return of Paupers

2nd From Same Requesting the Guardians will appoint Relieving Officers

3rd From Same Regretting that the Guardians have taken no steps towards the discharge of their liabilities and Requesting the Board of Guardians to settle at 3% Rate for that purpose

James Copland Esq gave notice that on next day of meeting in consequence of the great destitution existing in the Union and the insufficiency of the present rates to meet the present demand for the support of the Paupers and the liquidation of the debts now due he would propose that an additional rate be struck throughout the Union

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	5	
Ditto, disallowed	-	-	5
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	84	
Ditto, rejected	-	-	20 - 104

111 Applicants sent away for want of accommodation 89 - 20 - 109

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

Resolved to the Thursday next
at 10 o'clock

J. W. Clarke

Minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians
of the Galway Union at an adjourned meeting
held on Thursday 21st October

Present

In the Chair, James Coffland
Other Guardians
Nicholas Millin
James Blake

The Guardians proceeded to inspect the
Collecting Books of Mr Patrick Martin,
Poor Rate collector of the Galway & Division
of the Galway Union
Resolved

That we are of opinion that Mr Patrick
Martin has been guilty of gross neglect
in the Collection of the Poor Rate and as it
appeared has shown great favour towards
the rich and none towards the poor

J. W. Clarke

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, day of 184

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.						DIED.											
	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN.		Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.					
						Males.	Fe-males.													TOTAL.				
During the Week ended as above,	24	32	28	22	11								118	15	14	13	9	7	58	2			1	3
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	244	309	223	202	45								1033	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.										
TOTAL,	268	341	261	224	56								1151	OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.										
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	17	14	13	11	7								61	In Work-house, } 52	In separate Wards,	In Wards with other Inmates,	Fever Cases 60							
														In Fever Hospital, } 60	8	3	Dysentery 44							
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	251	328	248	214	49								1091	Total, } 114	Total,	11	Other Cases 10							
Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 1100																								
NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on <i>Wednesday</i> the <i>30th</i> day of <i>November</i> 1847																								

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ^{wed^d} 27th day of *October* 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Anthony O'Shaughnessy Esq* Chairman
 Other Guardians: *Jno. Ireland, Jas O'Connell, John Harrison, Arthur Ireland, Jas O'Connell, Anthony O'Shaughnessy, Mark Lynch Esq, Wm O'Blath Esq, P. O'Blath Esq, Nicholas Sullivan, Charles O'Blath, Jno. Ryan, Lord Wallaceport, Thos Walsh Esq, G. O'Connell Esq, P. M. O'Shaughnessy*

E. H. Lambert The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
Roal Connor The Pogister Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. *1173* to No. *1179*, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.
Walter Lambert
Nichs Lynch

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect: *read the report of the Inspector of the National Board approving much of the state of the Schools and the manner of teaching and reporting that great credit is due to the Master Mr Connor to Miss M'Connell the School-mistress and to Miss Catherine M'Connell the Assistant School-mistress for their great attention to the health and comfort of the children and that they all are fully qualified for the situations they fill*

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The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 44

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 65-15-9

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 67-17-9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Patrick Martin	Galway	44	-	-	3405	-	7
Martin Cullivan	Swanstown				265	17	
	Lackagh				140	10	1
	Clare Galway				141	5	1
	Althury				102	2	11
Nicholas Adams	May Cullen				219	1	2
	Killanin				378	12	6
	Oupsterard				298	10	6
James Walsh	Oranmore				248	8	9
	Ballinacorney				146	13	10
	Stradbally				44	10	9
Garrett Pierce	Inan				29	4	10
Total, -		44	-	-	5444	18	-

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 89 s. 2 d. 2

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, } - - - - -	89	2	3
Credit Invoice Account, } - - - - -			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was			
Debit Maintenance Account, } - - - - -	86	11	3
Credit Provision Account, } - - - - -			

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 17½

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 4000 lb of Bread
- 170 lb of meat
- 1120 lb of Meal
- 120 lb of Rice
- 1600 qts Buttermilk
- 800 qts of new-milk
- 7 lb of Tea
- 112 lb of Sugar
- 28 lb of Coffee
- 4 lb of Tobacco

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
Richard Neigh Burns		3	3
Patrick Foley by Buckets	1	3	-
Paul Ryder Mason	2	0	0
Pat H. Kippinham Smith		9	7
	<u>3</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>10</u>

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

3 Invoice Account.

McCartells Rice	20	0	0
Rush & Palmer Indian Meal	10	0	0
John Connell New Milk	10	6	7
Mrs Bermingham Butter	7	10	8
John Oliver Bread	26	10	2
	<u>74</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>5</u>

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

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

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

Proposed by Mr. H. Blake, seconded by John Ireland and Unanimously

Resolved
That we receive a further number of Paupers into the Workhouse, but that at no time shall there be more than 1250 in the Workhouse

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows: The Medical Attendant reported 3 deaths within the last week

The School-Mistress Miss Mary M. Connaught having tendered her resignation much to the regret of the Guardians

It was accepted
Proposed by John Harrison seconded by James O'Connell and Unanimously Resolved

That the Ladies of the Presentation National School be requested to select a Teacher to be recommended to the Board for appointment at next day of meeting

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

An Order for the more frequent examination of the Collectors Books and Accounts

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

1st From the Poor Law Commissioners forwarding a sealed order about the Collectors Accounts

2nd From some in reference to burials in the Workhouse grounds

3rd From the Lords of the Treasury declining to accede to the Prayer of the Memorial of this Board of the 22nd ult. with respect to the Depayment of the Loans for the out Poor Relief

4th From our Treasurer stating that the Relief Commissioners had intimated to him that they had advanced the sum of 14029.0.9 to the Several E Divisions of the Galway Union and they require that he shall pay to the Paymaster of Civil out of all Rates Collected until the Am. is specified shall have been repaid retaining only such portion thereof

as may be directed from by the Commissioners Under 10th Sec Act 7

It was proposed by John Blakeney Seconded by James Copland

That we do now strike a Rate which added to the present Rate will amount to 8th in the pound on the Poor Law Valuation on the Several E Divisions of this Union

An Amendment was proposed by Sara Wallscourt Seconded by William Blaney

That each E Division be rated only according to its Number of Paupers

For 6 7

Against 11 The Amendment lost

The Original Motion was then put and carried without a Division and the Rates books ordered to be made out with as little delay as possible

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	17
Ditto, disallowed	-	14
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	93
Ditto, rejected	-	-

Total 110. 48. 158

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

It was proposed by John Harrison
Seconded by James Copleland and
Unanimously

Resolved

That Cheques be drawn on
Our Treasurer to discharge all our
Debts to the 25th March last

And to the 3rd November next

Attest this Charter

Galway County Council Archives

Galway UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 31st day of October 1847

Table with columns for ADMITTED, DISCHARGED, and DIED, including sub-columns for Males, Females, Boys, Girls, Children, and BORN. Includes rows for 'During the Week ended as above', 'Remaining on the previous Saturday', 'TOTAL', and 'Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above'. Also includes 'RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS' and 'OBSERVATIONS'.

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 1100
NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 10th day of November 1847

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday, the 3rd day of November 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, Robert Bodkin

Other Guardians: John Harrison, John Riekington, R. Burke Esq, John Sullivan Esq, John Blake, Mr. Sullivan, Anthony Mullins, Lachlan MacLellan, Mr. Coomins, Mr. Walsh, Mr. Captain & Edson, Mr. Blahney

Edw^d C. Burke
Patt. M. Lynn Esq
John Hummer Esq
Thos. M. Purpo
Edw^d E. Maunsell

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2100 to No. 2103, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect: That in compliance with the Resolution of the Board on the last day of Meeting he had applied to the Superior of the Presentation Sisters' School for a teacher to be recommended to this Board and that she has done so

Galway County

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.

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

3 Invoice Account.

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

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

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

Proposed by Andrew W Blake seconded by John Ireland and unanimously

Resolved That our Clerk be requested to communicate with the Poor Law Commissioners with the view of their providing a Chapel or other suitable place of worship according to the 19th Sect, of the Irish Poor Relief Extension Act, and thus remove the very great inconvenience and detriment to the religious worship of the inmates of the Workhouse as at present in the Refectory

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

and 4 deaths in the week

Resolved That all fever patients be removed to the fever sheds at Shaw Lodge and that the Visiting Committee be requested to prepare the House at Shaw Lodge as a General Hospital for the Workhouse

Resolved That Andrew be authorized for the Erection of a Hand Mill in the Workhouse and also for the supply of Canvas, Calico and 20 Stones of wool against next day of Meeting

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

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

- 1 From the Poor Law Commissioners intimating that Captain S. Welland R.N. has been appointed a Poor Law Inspector.
- 2 From same in reference to the Monthly State of the Funds of the Union.
- 3 From same requesting the Guardians to change the Rate in the Galway Union so that it may be including the Poor Law 3^d in the pound instead of 2^d 6^d.

Resolved

That the Galway Rate Books being now completed at 1^o in the pound and as any increase in the poundage would require the preparation of new Rate Books we are unanimously of opinion that such a delay would not only much embarrass but perhaps completely

completely obstruct the collection of the Rate; we therefore earnestly request the Poor Law Commissioners to allow us to postpone the additional 5th now required until the striking of the next Rate

4 From the Treasurer intimating that he had received instructions to meet the Charges of the Guardians

5 From the Supervisor of the Presentation National School recommending Miss Mary Anne McCormack as a fit person for the situation of teacher

Proposed by John Harrison seconded by John Mulvaney and unopposed

Resolved

That Miss Mary Anne McCormack be appointed Head School Mistress at a salary of £15.0.0 per annum with an Apartment and the same Rations as the late School Mistress.

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	- 3
Ditto, disallowed	- - - - - 3
The number of Applicants admitted was	- - - - - 22
Ditto, rejected	- - - - - 5
Total	25 - 5 = 30

67 Applicants sent away from want of bedding

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

The Clerk laid before the Board the Monthly State of the funds he also reported that Mr. William Martin had not attended with his books this Month and appears to have been guilty of great neglect in the collection of the Rate

Collectors	Collected	Lodged	Remaining uncollected
1. Mr. Martin	97. 9. 2	131. 0. 0	£3405 - 0. 7
2. Mr. Cullinane	" " "	" " "	649. 15. 1
3. Mr. Amos	" " "	" " "	896. 4. 2
4. Mr. Walsh	" " "	" " "	434. 13. 4
5. Mr. Pierce	" " "	10 17 6	29. 4. 10
	97. 9. 2	141 17 6	5414. 18. 0

Proposed by Lauchlan Maclellan, seconded by John Redington and unanimously

Resolved

In reference to the Clerk's Report that the Collector of Poor Rates for the Glasgow Clerical Division and any other Collector who may be placed in a similar circumstance be called upon to resign their situation closing their accounts and lodging the balance to the credit of the Union

Resolved

That London be published for a Ward Master with a salary of £20. a year and an Apartment and Rations

John Harrison gave notice that on next day of Meeting he would move that the Expenditure of the Temporary Poor Hospitals be chargeable to the Unions at Large

Adjourned to the 10th Inst

Wm. H. H. H.

Galway UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 6th day of November 1847

	ADMITTED.					DISCHARGED.					DIED.									
	Males aged 15 and upwds.	Females aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN.		Males aged 15 and upwds.	Females aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upwds.	Females aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	
During the Week ended as above,	9	11	6	9	2			37	14	23	6	7	1	51	2	1			2	5
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	252	347	245	231	57			1125	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
									No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.									
TOTAL,	261	358	251	240	52			1162												
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	16	24	6	7	3			56	In Workhouse, } 100	In separate Wards,	In Wards with other Inmates,	Dysentery .. 83								
									In Fever Hospital, } "	"	8	3	Other Cases .. 17							
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	245	334	245	233	49			1106	Total, } 120	Total,	11	100								

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 1100
NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 17th day of November 1847

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday, the 17th day of November 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, Anthony O'Flaherty Esq. Ch.
 Other Guardians: Nicholas Killian, Tho. Walsh, Nicholas Lynch, Henry Comerford, George Burke, John Ryan, Frederick O'Connor, John Ireland, Lord Mallescott, Walter Linn, but John Gunning and James Campbell.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 8314 to No. 8329, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

Galway County

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ ~~67. 17. 4~~

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the

Guardians was - - - - - £ 67. 17. 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Patrick Martin	Galway	"	"	"	345	"	7
Martin Cullenane	Annadown	"	"	"	265	17	"
	Loughagh	"	"	"	144	10	1
	Clare Galway	"	"	"	141	5	1
	Athlery	"	"	"	102	2	11
					647	15	1
Nicholas Amos	Moycullen	"	"	"	219	1	2
	Killannin	"	"	"	378	12	6
	Oughlinda	"	"	"	298	10	6
					896	4	2
James Walsh	Osinnmore	"	"	"	243	8	9
	Ballinacorney	"	"	"	146	13	10
	Atra Dully	"	"	"	44	10	9
					434	13	4
Garret Pincis	Armagh	"	"	"	29	4	10
	Total	-			5414	18	0

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 75 s. 1 1/2 d. 4

Debit Provision Account,	}	£	s.	d.
Credit Invoice Account,		75	15	4

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 82.. 4.. 8

Debit Maintenance Account,	}	82	4	8
Credit Provision Account,				

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 1/5 1/2

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 4000 lbs of Bread
- 170 lb of Meat
- 3360 lbs of Meal
- 18000 qrs of Buttermilk
- 8000 qrs of Sweetmilk
- 8 lb of Tea
- 112 lb of Sugar
- 14 lb of Coffee
- 4 lb of Tobacco
- 56 lb of Candles
- 56 lb of Soap
- 5 Tons of Coals

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

1st From the Poor Law Commissioners transmitting new forms of the Weekly Collection, of the Collectors.

2 From Mr^s Birmingham, requesting that the sum of £6.12.6 out of the account, commencing 21st October, may be paid to Messrs Symonds & Co

3rd From Francis Birmingham late Poor Rate Collector requesting that the sum of £39.. due to him for gas an Collection may be paid over to Messrs Symonds.

Proposed by Mr^s Lambert seconded by Richard O'Connor and unanimously

Resolved

That the sanction of the Poor Law Commissioners be requested to issue

Cheques to each of those Creditors who have not received them as one has done therefore those who have been ~~pressured~~ feel themselves much aggrieved, and as the pressure for money is very great the giving of such Cheques may be a relief

The Clerk laid before the Board the Liabilities of the Union to the 31st October

Liabilities 29 th Sept	£6974.. 3 9
Expenses 31 October	471 19 5
	<hr/> 7446 3 2
Balance	152 6 10
Total	<hr/> 7293 16 4

Ways and Means

In Insured hands	£ 67 17 9
Outstanding Rate	54 14 10
	<hr/> 54 82 15 9
Deficiency	18 11 0 7

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Discharge Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	- 13
Ditto, disallowed	- - - 2 15
The number of Applicants admitted was	- - - 41
Ditto, rejected	- - - 3 44
	<hr/> 54 - 5 - 59

160 Cases postponed until next day

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

The Clerk having handed in the Rate Book for the several Electoral Divisions of the Galway Union, with the exception of Aracan which he could not complete for the want of the collecting book to put in the Aracans and which book the Collector states is in Aracan.

Proposed by Nicholas Lynch and seconded by Henry Comerford

That the Chairman of the Galway Union be requested not to sign the book for the Claddagh ward until the valuation of same be revised according to notice served on the Chairman of the 27th ulto

For it 4
Against it 7

Resolved

Resolved

That the Rate books for all the Electoral Divisions of the Galway Union be now signed by the Chairman and two Guardians with the exception of the Aracan Electoral Divisions

The Board proceeded to the Election of a
Ward Master

Candidates

Patrick Brennan
Patrick Mallowney
Thos Quin
Edward Hudson
Patrick Gavin
James Hether
Bryan Burns

Proposed by John Ireland seconded by John Gunning and unanimously
Resolved

That James Hether and Thos Quin be appointed Ward Masters at a salary of £15.0.0 per Annum with Rations and an Apartment.

Opposed Sanders

Wardmill

J. Miller at £25.0.0. or with French
stones £35.0.0.

Resolved to Col^d Burk and John Gunning

The Sanders for, Canvas, Calves and Wool
Resolved to the Visiting Committee

Appointed to the 17th Inst

John Hether
Chairman

400

Galway UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 13 day of November 1847

	ADMITTED.							DISCHARGED.					DIED.						
	Males aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN.		Males aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.
During the Week ended as above,	44	56	32	28	15	"	"	175	13	9	6	7	2	37	2	.	.	1	3
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	225	334	245	233	49	.	.	1106	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.										
								No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.							
TOTAL,	289	390	277	261	64	.	.	1281	In Work-house,	In separate wards.	In Wards with other inmates.	Fever 10 Dysentery 10 Other Cases 12 100							
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	15	9	6	7	3	.	.	40	In Fever Hospital,	8	5	3							
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	274	381	271	254	61	.	.	1241	Total,	100	Total,	11							

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 1100
 NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 24th day of November 1847

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday, the 17th day of November 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Aherne Esq
 Other Guardians, Nicholas Hilliam Esq, Clancy
 Captain Hellyer Esq, John Harrison, Lord Wallscourt,
 P.L.S. } Thomas Walsh, Patrick M Lynch,
 Martin Morris, John Cunningham
 and Edw^d & Mauriel

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2320 to No. 2328, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

Galway County

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 178 .. 11 .. 0
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 78 .. 3 .. 3
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 97 .. 14 .. 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Ruth Martin	Galway	100	..	..	55	19	10
Martin Cullinan	Amadown	..	..	..	9	15	10
	Lahugh	..	..	..	7	6	5
	Elmo Valley	..	..	..	6	9	9
	Athensry	..	..	..	6	6	2
					30	17	2
Nich. Amos	Moyculter	..	..	..	9	7	5
	Whelanier	..	..	..	12	6	11
	Dughtwood	..	..	..	10	5	4
					32	9	8
James Walsh	Chommas	..	..	..	9	3	4
	Ballmasoty	..	..	..	5	4	8
	Shadballly	..	..	..	3	6	1
					21	3	9
Garet Pura	Assan	8	..	..	2	1	10
					178	..	140 58 8 3

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 66 .. s. 4 d. 3

Debit Provision Account,	}	-	-	-	66	4	3
Credit Invoice Account,		-	-	-			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was					63	1	0
Debit Maintenance Account,	}	-	-	-	63	1	0
Credit Provision Account,		-	-	-			

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 1/4 7/2

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 47 lb of Bacon
 - 18 lb of Meat
 - 22 lb of S. Meats
 - 112 lb of O. Meal
 - 19 20 Qrs of Buttermilk
 - 7 30 Qrs of New Milk
 - 6 lb of Tea
 - 14 lb of Cocoa
 - 112 lb of Sugar
 - 4 lb of Tobacco
 - 56 lb of Candles
 - 56 lb of Soap
- 5 Tons of Coals

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
Pub ^o Hugh Broome	"	3	10
Thomas Conmins Seeds	"	12	"
Pub ^o Lynch Lather	"	12	"
Patrick Hems Linn	"	11	6
Meakin Sewing Carbone	1/4	"	"
Ditto Ditto	1/4	14	"
Patrick Doherty Butts	1	"	"
M ^r . Dempsey Sawyer	"	15	4
	£ 12	8	8

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

3 Invoice Account.

M ^{rs} . Birmingham Buttermilk	9	11	8
W ^m Elwood Meat	6	3	4
John Oliver Bread	30	17	1
D ^{wn} Connel Oatmeal	6	13	"
Con Burke Meal	9	10	"
	62	17	1

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

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

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

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows: The Medical Officer reported 3 deaths in the last week and that it would be dangerous to admit at present more than 1250 Paupers into the Straw Lodge was fitted up as an Hospital

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

1st From the Poor Law Commissioners relative to the resolutions of the Board of Guardians of the 3rd Inst, to remove the Workhouse to Arrow Lodge

2nd From same agreeing to the Resolution, of the B of Guardians of the 3rd Inst, not to change the rate on the Galway & Division but to postpone the 5th additional until the striking of the next rate

3rd From same forwarding for the use of the Guardians copies of the number of Persons in Ireland who received gratuitous relief in the week ended 4th July last

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (viz, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

4th From same forwarding a copy of a Report from the Poor Law Architect relative to the mode of rendering Temporary sheds impervious to Rain and Cold during the winter

5th From Mr Patrick Martin requesting the Guardians to pay the sum of £90.0.0 Collection fee to James Flynn & Co

Ordered

That when in Funds that his Request be complied with

6. From the Master and Matron requesting an increase of Salary Consideration postponed until next day of Meeting

Opened Funds for Cash

Mr J. Grealby 472 Shilling
37/8 Shilling

Accepted at 4. Months Credit

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Passport Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	137
Ditto, disallowed	-	187
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	51
Ditto, rejected	-	17 68
		<hr/> 138-17=205

82 Applicants sent away from want of room

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

In consequence of the increase of business and trouble to the Clerk by the new manner of inspecting the Collectors Books as laid down by the late Order of the Poor Law Commissioners and the utter impossibility of One Clerk discharging the duties of the Office

Proposed by Patrick M. Lynch seconded by Nicholas William and unanimously

Resolved

That we do recommend Mr. John Reid as a proper and fit person to be appointed as Assistant Clerk at a salary of £40. per Annum to be confirmed on next day of Meeting of the Guardians if approved of by them

Adopted as to the
24th Inst,

John Reid
Clerk

Galway UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 20th day of November 1847

Table with columns for ADMITTED, DISCHARGED, and DIED, subdivided by gender and age. Includes rows for 'During the Week ended as above', 'Remaining on the previous Saturday', 'TOTAL', 'Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above', and 'REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE'. Also includes 'RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS' with 'OBSERVATIONS' like 'Fever 20', 'Dysentery 70', 'Other Cases 44'.

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 1100
NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 1st day of December 1847

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday, the 24 day of November 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Ireland Esq
Other Guardians: Capt McEllan R.N., John Harrison, Nicholas Keillior, William Clancy, Andrew Blakey, Patrick McLynch, John Gunning, Tho. Walsh, Bernard O'Haberty, Arthur Ireland, Mark Lynch, Lord Ralcourt, Nicholas Lynch
and Henry Comwford

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 836 to No. 857, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

Handwritten calculations: 365, 40, 84 40, 3360, 121 40, 4840, 1095, 95

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 1-16-0
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 75-5-4
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 23-18-4

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

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
R. Martin	Galway	..	..	..	54	75	14 6
M. Cullinane	Annadawn	.	.	.	9	15	19 10
	Luckagh	.	.	.	7	44	12 5
	Clare Galway	.	.	.	6	43	8 9
	Athlery	.	.	.	6	63	18 2
						30	17 19 2
N. Amos	Mooycullen	.	.	.	9	75	11 5
	Millanrin	.	.	.	12	66	12 11
	Oughtwarra	.	.	.	10	51	13 4
					33	93 17 8	
J. Walsh	Oremore	.	.	.	9	39	4 ..
	Bullinawaty	.	.	.	8	41	.. 8
	Athabally	.	.	.	3	63	.. 1
					21	33 4 9	
G. Purcell	Arrian	1	10	..	19	14 10	
Total		1	16	..	134	57 10 11	

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 91. 11 s. 10 d.

Debit Provision Account, }	£	s.	d.
Credit Invoice Account, }	91	11	10

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 87-11-1

Debit Maintenance Account, }	87	11	1
Credit Provision Account, }			

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 1/5

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- | | |
|----------------------------|-------------------|
| 4800 lbs. of Bread | 56 lb. of Candles |
| 180 lb. of Meat | 56 lb. of Soap |
| 3360 lb. of Meal | 5 Tons of Coals |
| 1120 lb. of Oatmeal | |
| 2000 Gals. of Buttermilk | |
| 800 Gals. of Purified Milk | |
| 8 lb. of Tea | |
| 1 lb. of Coffee | |
| 28 lb. of Cocoa | |
| 112 lb. of Sugar | |
| 4 lb. of Tobacco | |

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

L s. d.

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

3 Invoice Account

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

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

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

The Collecting Books of the Galway, Anna-
-down, Lough, Clare Galway, Athlone,
Moycullin, Millminin, Cughtland,
Oranmore, Ballinacourty, and Shadwell,
Electorat Divisions having been handed
in

Resolved

That the Warrants attached to
the same be now signed by our
Chairman, two Guardians and be
signed by our Clerk and that the
Seal of the Union be attached to same

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made
thereon, as follows The Medical Attendant reported
2 deaths within the week

Read an Estimate from the Finance
Committee requiring a
sum of £279. 4. 0 for the Galway
Temporary Fever Hospital

Resolved

We regret that our want
of funds prevent us at present
from complying with their demands

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

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

1 From the Poor Law Commissioners approving of the appointment of Miss Mary Anne McCormack as School Mistress

2 From same in reference to the resolutions of the Guardians of the 3rd Dist, about providing a suitable place of worship. Requesting to know what it is proposed to be erected and how the funds are to be raised

Resolved to the R. C. Chaplain to select a site

3 From same refusing their sanction, to the Guardians issuing Cheques upon their Treasurers without funds

Resolved by John Hanison seconded by John Gunnery and unanimously

Resolved

That the payment of the Cheques given by this Board on the 8th Inst last to L. S. Mangum for 1181. 6. 11 be stopped by order

Treasurer, but that when in funds we pay each Creditor up to the 25th March last in equal proportion including M. S. Mangum's Cheque

4 From same in reference to the appointment of two Ward Masters, at a salary of £15 a year, each with relations and requesting to know why two were appointed and that the Poor Law Commissioners consider £10. 0. 0. sufficient

5 From same transmitting 9 Copies of Circulars relating to the Accounts of Temporary Poor Hospitals which are to be furnished weekly.

6 From same with respect to the proceedings of the Board of Guardians on the 10th Inst, when the applications of the Paupers were postponed for the want of time, requesting the Guardians to proceed in the 1st Dist, with the admission of Paupers; also calling the attention of the Guardians to the necessity of taking active steps to procure more Workhouse Room to test the able bodied and further urging the Guardians to the immediate necessity of dividing the unions into Reliefing Districts and the appointment of Reliefing Officers

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	- 9	
Ditto, disallowed	- - -	9
The number of Applicants admitted was	- - - 64	
Ditto, rejected	- - -	9. 73
		<hr/> 73 = 9 = 82

128. Applicants sent away for want of room

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

Proposed by Andrew W Blake seconded by Mr. M. P. Browne and unanimously

Resolved

That it appearing to this Board the absolute and urgent necessity of that exists for providing extra accommodation for the numerous Applicants for admission into the Workhouse, we do request the Committee to be hereafter named do at once proceed to inspect various houses and lands with a view of providing such accommodation as the urgency of our case imperatively demands

Names of the Committee

James Caplan, Nicholas Killian, William Clancy, Mr. M. P. Browne, John Suland, Mark Lynch, John Gunning and John Harrison

Resolved

That this Board be adjourned to 2 O'clock on Saturday to receive the Committee's Report.

William Clancy gave notice that on next day of Meeting he would move that the hour of Meeting be changed to 2 O'clock.

Proposed by P. M. Lynch seconded by A. W. Blake and unanimously

Resolved

That Mr. M. P. Browne be appointed Assistant Clerk at a salary of £40 per annum

The Roman Catholic Chaplain having demanded an Assistant

Andrew W Blake moved that the Board of Guardians on next day of Meeting do take into consideration the propriety of appointing an Assistant to the R.C. Chaplain

Lord Wallscourt gave notice that on next day of Meeting he would move that the Government appoint paid Guardians

Ordered

That the Guardians be specially summoned for that day

The Clerk laid before the Board a statement of the valuation of the Union, amount of New rate, arrears of former rate he also stated that in consequence of the change of townlands from the Oughlinwards to the Millanmin Rate Books in Spring last (valuation about 1800) that a sum of £18.10.4, arrears had to be changed there was also a loss by correction of errors in former Books of £ 84.7.8

	valuation	Rate	Arrears	Total	Loss	
Galway	44886.5.0	1/4	2244.6.3	3231.8.3	5475.14.6	73.12.4
Annadown	5234	2/4	154.5.0	261.14.10	915.19.10	4.2.2
Lackagh	4842.10.0	2/4	1615.6.3	139.6.2	744.14.2	1.3.11
Clonlough	4426.5.0	2/4	553.5.7	140.3.2	693.8.9	1.1.11
Athenry	4351.15.0	2/4	562.2.0	101.16.2	663.18.2	6.9
Moycullen	6490	2/4	757.3.4	218.8.1	975.11.5	13.1
Millanmin	8025.15.0	2/2	804.9.1	397.3.10	1266.12.11	" " "
Oughlinwards	6622.5.0	2/4	772.11.11	279.1.5	1051.13.4	17.9
Oranmore	5985.10.0	2/4	698.5.0	240.19.0	939.4.0	2.9.9
Bullinacowh	5554.15.0	2/4	694.6.10	146.13.10	841.0.8	" " "
Stradbally	2388.10.0	2/4	318.9.4	44.10.4	343.0.1	" " "
	98807.10.0		8729.10.7	5201.5.6	13930.14.10	84.7.8
Arman	2073.0.0		274.10.0	19.14.10	294.10.10	
			9004.6.7	5220.19.4	14225.8.8	84.7.8

The Board opened tenders

Bread John Oliver 6 1/2 1st quality by
6th 2nd

Accepted

Oatmeal £10. per Ton (Mr Griffin) } Rejected

New Milk M^r & J Connell 8th per Imperial Gallon
G^r M^r Namara 9th per Imperial Gallon

Ordered
That the Contract for New Milk be given
to Mess^{rs} Connell & John Connell at 8th per Imperial
Gallon

Butter & Mutton
Mr Elwood 4th per lb
John Walsh 4th ..
G^r M^r Namara 4 1/7 ..

Ordered
That the Contract for Butter &
Mutton be given to Mr Elwood at 4th per lb

Soap Mr C. Hattery 28th per Cwt Irish
Candles do 60th per Cwt. Sift

Accepted

Medicine P. Staunton £20. 11. 0
P. H. Hattery 30. 11. 3
Thos. Hughes 27. 12. 3
J. M^r Swinney 26. 19. 10

Ordered
That the Contract for Medicine
be given to Mr Thos Hughes at 27. 12. 3

Coffins
Mr Burke 2/0 . 2/8 . 3/6 . 4/4
Mr Jennings 2/3 . 3/0 . 3/8 . 4/6

Ordered
That the Contract for Coffins be
given to Mr Burke at the prices named

Thomas Mark Butcher 1/6 per lb

Attest
I, the
Drum Major
Geo Redington Chairman

Minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the Galway Workhouse pursuant to a former meeting on Saturday 27th November 1847

Present

In the Chair Robert Rodkin Esq. &c

Other Guardians

Nicholas Kilkenny } John Gunning
John Harrison } John Ireland
Mark Lynch } Bernard O'Haherty
William Clancy } Tho^s. Walsh
Lord Wallcourt } Andrew Blake

Captain Bellard R. N. &c

The Poor Law Inspector stated that he was authorized by the P. Commissioners to make an offer to the Guardians of a French hand Mill on the premises paying the carriage of same.

Proposed by Mark Lynch seconded by John Harrison and unanimously Resolved

That we accept of same and that the thanks of this Board be conveyed through the Poor Law Inspector to the Poor Law Commissioners for their very kind offer

The Committee appointed on last day of Meeting to obtain increased work house room reported that

John

John Gunning had made an offer of a new and better adjoining at Newlawn Smyth near the Court House for one year at a rent of £60.

Resolved

That same be accepted of for one year at £50 rent and £10 for repairs

Resolved

That Indos be advertised for for 500 pair of Blankets 500 Rugs and 2000 yards of Bunting against the 8th December next,

Proposed by Lord Wallcourt seconded by John Ireland and unanimously

Resolved

That we accept a tender for 500 yards of Canvas at 1/6 per yard from Thomas Connolly for Men and Boys dresses

Proposed by Bernard O'Haherty seconded by Will^m Clancy and unanimously

Resolved

That with the view of carrying on the business of this Board with great regularity when any person shall in future seek for any Contract

with

with this Board or any Officer of the Board require an increase of Salary or any Assistant, such persons shall retire from the Board & on, until the discussion upon the subject is over, and that all such persons shall not be permitted to be present unless required by the Board for the purpose of explanation and that such Officers shall give any information that may be required of them, by any Member of the Board

Proposed by Andrew Blake seconded by Bernard O'Mahony and unopposedly

Resolved That we do proceed on Wednesday next to the consideration of the propriety of the appointment of Relieving Officers

Attest and to the 1st December
 J. Redington Chairman

Galway County

Galway UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 27th day of November 1847

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.					DIED.					
	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN. Males, Females, TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.
During the Week ended as above,	31	27	16	11	3	" "	88	11	2	4	1	0	18	1		3	4
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	262	374	269	245	60	" "	1200	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.									
TOTAL,	293	401	275	256	63	" "	1288	No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS In case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.							
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	12	2	4	4			22	In Work-house, } 96	In separate Wards.	In Wards with other Inmates.	Fever 14						
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	281	399	271	252	63		1266	In Fever Hospital, } 19	8	2	Dysentery 67						
								Total, } 115	Total,	10	Other Cases 29						
											115						

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, the day of 184

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday, the 1st day of December 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Redington
 Richard Bourke & Captain Hellard P.L. - Other Guardians: Nicholas Kilkian, John Harrison, John Ireland, William Clancy, Lord Wallscourt, M. P. Browne, John Gunning, John Ryan, Andrew W. Bleske, B. O'Flaherty, Thos. Walsh, George Burke, Henry Comerford, P. L. Lynch, Robert Bodkin, Edward C. Burke, Martin Morris, Edward E. Maunsell, Francis Fitzgerald, Thomas M. Perpe, Nicholas Lynch and Mark Lynch.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 8688 to No. 8662, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect: Having reported the insolence of the Matron towards him Proposed by P. L. Lynch and seconded by George E. Burke

Resolved That Mrs. Keogh be severely reprimanded and that on a repetition of such conduct and language that she will be dismissed

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
Sally Lee Brooms		3	9
L. Mahon Do		2	9
P. Mally Sund		6	:
P. Ripponham Lock Smith		7	:
		19	6

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

3 Invoice Account.

Queen Council Ostrual	6	15	:
J. Bourcannon Do	33	:	:
Mr. Birmingham B. Milk	9	2	6
N. Killeen Turf	2	19	6
Mitch. & John Conull Milk	5	7	8
	57	4	8
	58	6	2

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

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

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

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows: The Medical Attendant reported 4 deaths within the last week.

The Clerk having handed in the Rate Book for the Electoral Division of Arran

Resolved

That same be now signed by our Chairman and two Guardians and that the Collecting Book be prepared forthwith.

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

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

- 1st From the Poor Law Commissioners requesting to be informed of the arrangements made in this Union for the attendance of each collector.
- 2nd From same stating that a sum of £38.10 was due by the Union on the 1st of July last to the Audit Fund, and requesting same may be paid.
- 3^d From the Public Works Loan Commissioners requesting that the sum of £1695. 4.5 and 6th instalment on a loan of £1300, may be paid along with the other instalments amounting to £1345 due 22^d May 1845.
- 4th From the Central Board of Health forwarding a requisition for 70 additional beds in the Killaunan Fever Hospital at Spiddal

Read a Letter from Mr. William Clancy tendering his resignation of Board Guardian for the Electoral Division of Annadown.

The Board declined to receive same

Proposed by J. Gunning, seconded by J. Ireland and unanimously

Resolved

That it is the opinion of this Board that interest should be allowed at the rate of 5 per cent until, until payment can be made, on the sums due for supplying to this House, as audited by this Board up to and for the 25th of March last, we being yet unable to pay the debts.

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Passport Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	7	
Ditto, disallowed	-	"	7
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	4	
Ditto, rejected	-	"	4

About 310 paupers sent away for want of room. 11 " 11

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

Proposed by Edward C. Burke
seconded by Lord Wallscourt

That the agreement entered into on Saturday the 27th Instant between the guardians and J. J. Gunning for the store at Newtown Smith be cancelled

An Amendment was proposed by John Harrison and seconded by Henry Comerford:

That the agreement be not cancelled until an other place be got, fit for the accomodation of newpers.

For it ——— 16

Against it 6

The Amendment was Carried

An Application having been handed in from the Fever Board for assistance towards the support of the Temporary Fever Hospital

Resolved

That we take under the charge of this Board, the two Temporary Fever Sheds No. 1 & 2.

Proposed by Andrew W Blake, seconded by
and unanimously

Resolved

That the House of Straw Lodge be immediately fitted up as a General Hospital, at an expence not exceeding £100, and that the Visiting Committee do prepare same with as little delay as possible

Proposed by William Clancy, seconded by J. Ryan and unanimously

Resolved

That in future the Meeting of this Board be changed from 1 O'clock, to 11 O'clock in the forenoon.

Proposed by A. W Blake seconded by Edward C. Burke

That we now entertain the question whether an Assistant be appointed to the Roman Catholic Chaplain

For entertaining it 9

Against entertaining it 13

Rejected

Proposed by Lord Wallscourt and seconded by Nicholas Lynch

That we refrain from attending if legal to resign, not being able to carry out the Law in its integrity, and therefore we beg the Commissioners to send down paid Guardians to carry out the Act for the next six months at the expiration of

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 of which term, if the Act proves practicable
 we shall be happy to enter on our duties

An amendment was proposed
 by Robert Hoodkin seconded by G. E. Burke
 That we do proceed to business
 For it 12
 Against it 11
 The original resolution was
 lost

Proposed by Bernard Flaherty
 seconded by Mark Lynch and
 carried without a division

That on this day we proceed
 to the appointment of Relieving Officers
 That tenders be advertised for, from
 competent persons to discharge the duties
 of same.

Adjourned
 J. Redington

Galway County

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 Galway UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and
 the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, day of 184

	ADMITTED.					DISCHARGED.					DIED.										
	Males aged 15 and upwards	Fe- males, aged 15 and upwards	Boys under 16.	Girls under 15.	Child- ren under 2.	BORN.		TOTAL	Males, aged 15 and upwards	Fe- males, aged 15 and upwards	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Child- ren under 2.	TOTAL	Males, aged 15 and upwards	Fe- males, aged 15 and upwards	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Child- ren under 2.	TOTAL	
During the Week ended as above,	3	4	7	2	2				18												
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Re- turn,	281	399	271	252	63			1266	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.												
	OBSERVATIONS In case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.																				
TOTAL,	284	403	278	254	65			1284	No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.										
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	9	8	6	6	5			34	In Work- house, }	In sepa- rate wards, }	In Wards with other Inmates, }										
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	275	395	272	248	60			1250	In Fever Hospital, }	Total,	Total,										

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 1100

NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 15th day of December 1847

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on
 8th day of December 1847 day, the

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Redington Esq D.V.C.

Other Guardians: Charles Blake, Nicholas Killian, John
 Harrison William Clancy, Anthony R. Mallens. And
 W. Blake, Michael Browne, Edmund Flaherty, John Deland
 Arthur Deland Mark Lynch, Thomas Walsh, Robert
 Martin, John Gunning, Lord Wallcourt Bernard
 Flaherty, Henry Comerford, R. L. Atty Michl. Callinane
 The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Francis Fitzgerald The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 8663
 John Ryan and to No. 8673, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-
 Doctor Lambert, signature of the Clerk.

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - ~~£ 62 : 9 : 2~~ ^{£ 152 : 4 : 5}

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 58 :

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 174 : 2 : 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Pat ^r Martin	Galway	89	15	3	5319	"	3
M. Cullinane	Annadown				902	19	10
	Lackagh				744	17	2
	Claregalway				687	8	9
	Atheury	36	:	:	627	18	2
			36	:	:	2902	17	11
A. Amos	Maycullen				975	11	5
	Killanore				1266	12	11
	Oughtwena				1051	13	4
					3293	17	8
J. Walsh	Drummore	13	"	"	926	4	"
	Ballinacorney	"	"	"	841	"	8
	Aha-Bally	"	"	"	363	"	1
		13	"	"	2130	4	9
G. Purse	Ascom	13	9	2	6	5	8
Total		152	4	5	13742	17	6

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 86 : 3 s. 1 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, } - - - - -	86	3	6
Credit Invoice Account, } - - - - -			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was			
Debit Maintenance Account, } - - - - -	93	3	2
Credit Provision Account, } - - - - -			

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 1 : 5 3/4

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

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|---------------------------|-------------------|
| 5000 lbs of Bread | 112 lbs of Sugar |
| 170 lbs of Alseet. | 28 lbs of Cocoa |
| 1120 lbs of Oatmeal | 1 lb of Coffee |
| 2240 lbs of Indian Meal | 112 lbs of Sugar |
| 2000 Quarts of Buttermilk | 4 lbs of Tobacco. |
| 700 Quarts of Newmilk | 1120 lbs of Rice |
| 8 lbs of Tea. | 5 lbs of Candles |
| | 5 lbs of Soap |
| | 5 Bwats of Turf |

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

~~Clothing Account.~~

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
M. Green. Tu loure	8	5	4
J. Casack Carpenter	25	:	:
M. Burke Cauler	1	0	5
Thomas Dempsey Sawyer	8	10	
J. Flynn Brick	8	5	
M. Sweeney Carpenter	3	4	:
	<u>38</u>	<u>7</u>	:

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

3 Invoice Account.

Men Council Oatmeal	6	13	:
Rush & Palmer Indian Meal	25	15	:
M. Brodwin Oatmeal	4	19	:
M. Birmingham Buttermilk	10	3	2
J. Oliver Bread	60	:	:
C. Burke. I. Meal	19	15	:
A. Kullian Surf	2	6	6
M. Conannon I. Meal	33	:	:
	<u>182</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>8</u>

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

Garrett Pierce Collecting bees ✓ 7:17:

(Out. I. Creditors) P. M. Lynch Esq. I. Meal 33:7:9

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

7.00	5 10-0	12-10-0	
7.00	70-12-6	17-12-6	
<u>6.15-0</u>	<u>10-0-0</u>	<u>16-15-0</u>	
6.15	9-12-6	16-7-6	
	<u>35-15-0</u>		
	9-7-0	9-10-0	
6.15	9-15-6	16-5-0	} 16-10-0 in
6.15-0	10-0-0	16-5-0		} 16-15-0 in
	<u>29-5-0</u>		} 15-0-0 in
4-19-0	33-0	37-19-0	
	33	33-0	
	9-15-0		
	14-0-0	6-15-0	
27-0-0		15-0	
4-19-0		2-15-0	
29-5-0		10-5-0	
66-0-0			
141-15-0	179-14		
35-15-0			
176-19-0		6-15-0	
2-15-0		2-15-0	
6-15-0			
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The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month). Number of successful cases.

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
M. Green. In town	8	5	4
J. Casack Carpenter	25	:	:
M. Burke Scaler	1	0	5
Thomas Dempsey Sawyer	8	10	:
J. Flynn Brick	8	5	:
M. Sweeney Carpenter	3	4	:
	38	7	:

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

3 Invoice Account.

Men Council Oatmeal	6	15	:
Rush & Palmer Indian Meal	25	15	:
M. Bodkin Oatmeal	4	19	:
Mr. Birmingham Butter milk	10	3	2
J. O'Siner Bread	60	:	:
C. Burke. I. Meal	19	15	:
A. Kullian Surf	2	6	6
M. Concaunon I. Meal	33	:	:
	172	13	8

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

Jarrett Pierce Collecting bees ✓ 7:17:

(Out. I. Creditors) P. M. Lynch Esq. I. Meal 33:7:9

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

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

The Collecting Book for Aran Electoral Division having been handed in Valuation £2061 - Rate £274:16-"

Resolved

That same be now signed by our Chairman, and two guardians, and be countersigned by our Clerk and that the seal of the Union be attached thereto.

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

The Medical attendant reported 10 Deaths within the last week.

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

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

1st From the Poor Law Commissioners, Approving of the Occupation of Straw Lodge as a General Hospital

2nd From same in reference to a communication from the Board of Health about a Fever Hospital, at Spindal; also stating that they had no power to sanction the Payment of Interest, on the debts of the Union, and further regretting that upwards of 300 Applicants for relief were refused for want of room and calling on the Guardians to proceed in procuring increased Accommodation for paupers.

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	15	
Ditto, disallowed	-	-	15
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	-	32
Ditto, rejected	-	-	1 : 33
			<hr/>
		47	1 48

250 Applicants refused for want of room.

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

The Clerk laid before the Board the Monthly State of the Funds and liabilities of the Union

Collectors	Collected	Lodged	Remains or uncollected
1. Patrick Martin,	136. 19. 0	136. 19. 0	5438. 15. 6
2. Martin Cullinane	19. 3. 6	19. 11. 0	2998. 15. 8
3. Sub. Amos	" " "	" " "	3293. 17. 8
4. James Walsh	" " "	" " "	2143. 4. 9
5. Genl Pierce	9. 10. 11	9. 10. 11	19. 14. 10
Total	165. 12. 6	165. 9. 0	13894. 8. 5

Liabilities of the Union 31st Octob. £ 7293. 16. 4
 Cost to the 30th April £ 431. 11. 3

Total £ 7725. 7. 7
 Paid £ 153. 9. 0

Liabilities 30th November £ 7578. 18. 7

In Treasurers hands £ 79. 17. 9

Rate £ 13893. 18. 5

Total £ 13973. 16. 2

Surplus £ 6401. 17. 7

The Board of Guardians proceeded to the appointment of Relieving Officers

Resolved that the amount of salary be fixed

for each District as follows.

1	For Galway and Arrans	£ 30
2	" Moycullen	35
3	" Kullannin	30
4	" Oughterard	30
5	" Oranmore	Nil
6	" Annadown & Claregalway	35
7	" Laccagh and Atheury	35
8	" Oranmore, Ballinacounty & Stradbally	35

That Thomas Cottingham be appointed Relieving officer for Oughterard, Francis O'bounor for Kullannin, Thomas Francis for Oranmore Morgan D'Arcy for Moycullen, Matthew Creaven for Annadown, and Claregalway, Laurence Finerty for Galway, and J. McDonough for Laccagh and Atheury.

Resolved

That the sanction of the Poor Law Commissioners be requested, to appoint one additional Relieving Officer, respectively in the Galway Kullannin, and Oughterard Electoral Divisions of the Galway Union

Opened Tenders for Blanketts.

J. J. Gunning 1:6 per lb
 Messrs Kealy 1:8 per lb.

Resolved that the Contract be given to J. J. Gunning at 7/6 per lb.

Adjourned to the 15th Instant

Jno Redington Chairman

Galway UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 31 day of December 1847

Table with columns for ADMITTED, DISCHARGED, and DIED, including sub-columns for Males, Females, Boys, Girls, Children, and BORN. Includes a section for SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS with observations on fevers, dysentery, and other cases.

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 1100
NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 22nd day of December 1847

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday, the 15th day of December 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Richardson D.C.
Other Guardians: Nicholas Millan, Will Clancy,
Capt. Melly D.R., A.W. Blake, John Inland, Martin Morris,
P.L.J., Charles Blake, Edw. O'Flaherty, Edward
E. Mounsell, Mark Lynch, John Harrison,
Walter Lambert, Rodrick O'Connor,
Bernard O'Flaherty, Lord Wallaceport.

Edw Lambert
Henry Comford

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 8720 to No. 8721, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 369. 13. 9
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 257. 16. 4
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 291. 16. 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Patrick Martin	Galway	135	2	9	52	13	6
M. Cullinane	Anadown	26	11	7	87	6	3
	Lackagh	25		3	71	10	11
	Claregalway	2	13	2	68	15	7
	Athenry				62	18	2
			54	5		290	12	11
Nich. Amos	Moycullen				97	11	5
	Killaunin				126	12	11
	Oughterard	3	6		104	7	4
		3	6		329	11	8
James Walsh	Oranmore	7	7		91	17	
	B. Courty	16	13		67	7	8
	Stradbally				36		1
		17			195	4	9
Garrett Pierce	Arran				28	1	18
Total		369	13	9	1367	5	6

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 101 s. 7 d. 10

Debit Provision Account,	}	-	-	101	7	10
Credit Invoice Account,						

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 96:17:11

Debit Maintenance Account,	}	-	-	96	17	11
Credit Provision Account,						

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 1:6

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- | | |
|---------------------------|-------------------|
| 5500 lbs of Bread | 170 lbs of Sugar |
| 200 lbs of Meat | 4 lbs of Tobacco |
| 2240 lbs of Oatmeal | 56 lbs of Candles |
| 3360 lbs of Indian Meal | 112 lbs of Soap |
| 2000 Quarts of Buttermilk | 5 Bats of Turf |
| 900 Quarts of New Milk | 5 Tons of coal |
| 7 lbs of Tea | |
| 2/8 lbs of Cocoa | |
| 1 lb of Coffee | |
| 168 lbs of Rice | |

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

Debit Daniel Murray Beitch	£	s.	d.
	23	11	11

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
Richard Reilly Buckets	✓ 3	18	:
L. Mahon Brooms	✓ :	2	6
Paul Ryser Mason	✓ 2	10	:
Thomas Comins Sand	✓ 1	:	:
Martin Sweeney Carpenter	✓ 1	10	:
L. Mahon Rate Books	✓ 7	10	:
Finance Committee Straw Lodge	25	:	:
	42	29	

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

3 Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
Owen Connell oatmeal	✓ 6	15	:
J. Concannon Du	✓ 13	:	:
Mrs Birmingham Buttermilk	28	:	10
Mrs Connell New Milk	14	16	10
John Oliver for Bread	✓ 30	:	:
	92	12	6

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

42. 29
92. 12. 6

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

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

Proposed by John Ireland seconded by Mark Lynch and unanimously Resolved

That Nicholas Killian, William Blaney, John Harrison, John Ireland, and John Redington be appointed a committee to look for increased House accommodation and to meet for that purpose at 11 o'clock to morrow

Resolved

That John Harrison and John Luning be added to the present visiting committee

The Reports of the Magister and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows: The medical attendant reported 9 deaths within the week - A complaint having been made agt. Belinda Pratt, a female pauper and two school girls Maria Ward and Anne Ward for insult and impertinence towards the school mistress

Proposed by Andrew W. Blake Esq seconded by Walter Lambert

Resolved

That Belinda Pratt be expelled out of this house, and that the other two girls be severely reprimanded by the visiting committee

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

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

- 1st From the Poor Law Commissioners approving of the change of Hours of the meetings of the Board
- 2 From same with reference to the temporary Fever Hospitals, and intimating that the expenditure for such purposes should be charged to the Union at large.
- 3^d From same stating they intended issuing an order respecting the number of paupers to be admitted.
- 4 From same with respect to the appointment of Mr. Tho. Keede as assistant Clerk

3rd From same to the Poor Law Inspector sanctioning the appointment of additional Relieving officers in the Galway. Millannin and Oughterard (Districts of the Galway Union)

6 Read a Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners to the Poor Law Inspector calling the attention of the Guardians to the necessity of having additional Fever Hospital accommodation for 70 Patients in Millannin Electoral Division. Proposed by Mr. H. Blake Esq. Seconded by Martin Morris Esq. and unanimously

Resolved

That seventy additional Beds be procured for the Millannin Electoral Division
Resolved

That Nicholas Millian, William Clancy, John Harrison Edmond O'Flaherty, George E. Burke, Tho. Walsh, Edward Eye, Maunsell, & Bernard O'Flaherty Esqrs be appointed as a committee to revise the lists of paupers, and that the Committee be requested to meet at 12 o'clock on Friday.

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	- 50
Ditto, disallowed	- " " 50
The number of Applicants admitted was	- " " "
Ditto, rejected	- " " "
	50 : 50

209 Paupers were sent away for want of room.

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

Proposed by Walter Lambell Esq seconded by Andrew N. Blatte Esq and unanimously

Resolved

That it having come to our knowledge that the system of clearing land of the entire population is carrying on to a frightful extent in parts of this Union we are of opinion that the only way of preventing same is to resort to a Townland Rating for the support of paupers chargeable to same and by so doing protect the resident proprietors and occupiers who do their duty to their tenants by making it the interest of every proprietor to employ the labouring population on their properties and we call on the Commissioners for the Relief of the Poor in Ireland to impress on the Government the equity and necessity of having the present law as regards the rating changed from the Electoral Division to a Townland rating, and thereby protect the interests of the Resident Rate payers as well as the Poor, or otherwise all will be reduced to the same level of poverty and pauperism

Proposed by Lord Mallacourt, seconded by Nicholas Lynch Esq and unanimously

Resolved

That it is absolutely necessary to have the valuation of the Galway Union revised and we therefore request the Poor Law Commissioners will issue an order to enable the Board of Guardians to appoint a Revisor for that purpose. Nicholas Lynch Esq gave notice that on the next day of meeting he would move

That in as much as all the salaries of the different officers were increased on the 31st of March last with the exception of the Master & Matron on the understanding they were not to get any further increase and as they have now applied for assistants, some of whom have been appointed, he would move that those assistants shall receive the salaries out of the salaries allowed to those different officers as above

Adjourned to the 22nd instant

Wm Richardson

Secretary

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RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 18th day of December 1847

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.						DIED.					
	Males, aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males, aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN. Males, Females, TOTAL	Males, aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males, aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL	Males, aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males, aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL
During the Week ended as above,	12	12	16	9	2	" " 51												
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	273	411	277	254	62	" " 1277	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
							No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.							
TOTAL,	285	423	293	263	64	" " 1328					Fever 64 Dysentery 79 Other Cases 28							
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	20	29	11	16	4	" " 82	In Work-house, 107	In separate Wards,	In Wards with other Inmates,	Total, 47								
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	265	394	282	247	58	" " 1246	In Fever Hospital, 64	7	3	Total, 10								
Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 1250																		
NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on <u>Wednesday</u> the 29 th day of <u>December</u> 1847																		

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday, the 22nd day of December 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Redington Esq D. V. C.

Other Guardians: Nicholas Killeen, William Clancy, Pat^r O'Keilly, Lord Wallcourt, John Harrison, Rob^t. Brockin V. C. Edward O'Brine, Arch^d Lynch, John Blakeney, John Junning, James Copley & Edward O. Heunsel Pat^r O'Leary and James Blake Esq.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. — to No. —, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect: Reported that he had received notice of Appeals against the rate from the following named persons:

Andrew J. Veitch M. D. Laurence Ryan, Michael Killeen, Lord Wallcourt, Tho^s. Cormins and Michael Ryan, which he had handed over to the Collector of the Board.

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The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 331: 11: 7
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 158 7: 2
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 404 " 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since ^{29 Decr last} ~~last Meeting~~, amounting to £ 3: 8: 3 was produced and passed.

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Patt Martin	Galway	120	15	3	50	2	3
Martin Cullinan	Amadown	11	2	9	8	5	6
	Lackagh	22	11	1	6	19	10
	Claregalway	4	17	-	6	19	7
	Atheary				2	18	2
		39	10	10	2	2	1
Nicholas Amos	Moycullen				9	11	5
	Killansin				12	6	11
	Oughterard	13	5	6	10	1	10
		13	5	6	3	2	2
James Walsh	Oranmore	6	15	5	9	1	7
	B. County	37	4	7	6	3	1
	Stradbally	115	"	"	2	4	1
		159			17	4	9
Garrett Pierce	Bran				2	1	8
Total, -		331	11	7	133	16	11

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 84: 10 s. 8 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, }	-	-	-
Credit Invoice Account, }	-	-	84: 10: 8
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was			
Debit Maintenance Account, }	-	-	97: 3: 6
Credit Provision Account, }	-	-	97: 3: 6

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 1: 6 1/2

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- | | |
|---------------------------|--------------------|
| 5300 lbs of Bread | 4 lbs of Tobacco |
| 260 lbs of Meat | 56 lbs of Candles |
| 2240 lbs of Oatmeal | 112 lbs of Soap |
| 3360 lbs of Indian Meal | 5 Bunches of Fruit |
| 2000 Quarts of Buttermilk | 5 Trusses of Coals |
| 900 Quarts of New Milk | lbs of Rice |
| 7 lbs of Tea | |
| 28 lbs of Cocoa | |
| 160 lbs of Sugar | |

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
James Connors Gravel ✓	14	:	
Nicholas Killian Brooms ✓	2	10	
Rippingham Blacksmith ✓	5	6	
Patt McDonough's Line ✓	15	:	
Paul Ryder Mason ✓	6	:	
M Faunin Medical Instruments ✓	8	4	6
Thos. Casack Carpenter - Strawdodge ✓	20	:	
Insurance Company ✓	12	10	:
	£42	17	10

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

3 Invoice Account.

Mr Bermingham Buttermilk ✓	18	2	4
John O'Leary Bread ✓	30	:	
J. Concaannon Indian Meal ✓	20	:	
Ditto Oatmeal Oatmeal ✓	13	:	
N. Killian Turf ✓	4	14	6
	55	16	10
	42	17	10
	128	14	8

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

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

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

Resolved

That the Visiting Committee be requested to provide a collat Dinner with the Relievers on Christmas day, the cost not to exceed £15-

Resolved

That our Clerk be requested to write to Mr. Deputy Comptroller General M'Geehan to Dublin to forward the Handbills to Galway and that all expenses will be paid by the Board on its arrival

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

The Medical Attendant reported 13 deaths within the week.

The Roman Catholic Chaplain reported that on the evening before - the 21st Inst. he could scarcely administer the Sacrament to a Male Pauper for want of being shaven or cleansed. He further complained that on Sunday last while celebrating Divine Service some of the boys were employed in cleaning the Windows of the House

The Medical Attendant reported that the increase which he perceived in the number of the Paupers being admitted into the Workhouse without being washed or cleansed

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

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners, and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

1st

From the Poor Law Commissioners transmitting an application from the Public Work House Office for a Sum of £1695 in addition to a former demand for £1345.

2nd

From the Central Board of Health requiring 25 additional Beds to the Fever Hospital at Moycullen.

3^d

From the Poor Law Commissioners approving of the appointment of Francis Connor, Morgan D'Arcy, Laurence Finerty, Matthew Creaven, Thomas Francis and John McDonough as Relieving Officers

4th

From same Stating that the Guardians were quite competent to appoint a person to revise the valuation of the Union

From the Central Board of Health Stating that it will be the duty of Managing Committees to receive into the temporary Fever Hospital patients from all parts of the Union that may present themselves for admission

Resolved that proposals be advertised for in the Galway Newspapers, and by hand bills, for an additional Relieving Officer in each of the following Electoral Divisions:

Galway one

Oughterard one

Killammin one

The Poor Law Inspector - Captain Holland - reported that he had attended on Friday at the Workhouse, in pursuance of the resolution of the Board of 15th Inst., to revise the House paupers but that only one of the Guardians - Mr. John Morrison had attended, and that he had again attended on Tuesday for the same purpose, and but one Guardian - Mr. William Clancy had attended, and in consequence of which the House lists could not be revised.

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	- 55	
Ditto, disallowed	- - -	" 55
The number of Applicants admitted was	- - -	11 33
Ditto, rejected	- - -	11 33
		<u>11 33</u>

73 Applicants refused for the want of room

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

The Following Advice of Motions, was handed in by Lord Wallscourt.

Sir

In Re Advice that at the request of several of the Poor Law Guardians, who declared their regret to me that they had not notice of my motion on Wednesday the 1st of this month, the substance of which motion they entirely agreed to which I feel bound to move on Wednesday the 5th day of January next 'That we withdraw ourselves from the duties of this Board, and call on the Commissioners to appoint Relief Guardians

Wallscourt.

Ordered

That advertisements be published in the Galway newspapers for tenders for oatmeal, Indian Meal, Buttermilk, Turp, and Coals to be paid weekly

The following resolution was handed in from the Fever Hospital as follows

That a suggestion be made to the Board of Guardians that it would be advisable that the several Fever Boards in the Union should be supplied with the several matters required by them under the contracts entered into for the workhouse

Resolved

That we approve of same

Proposed by John Bleckaney Esq. Resolved by Nicholas Killian and unanimously

Resolved

That we refer the Apothecaries appointed under the Fever Act, to the Relief Commissioners for Payment of the sums now due to them for their attendance and Medical Services rendered to patients in the Hospitals established under said Act.

The following estimate of sums required by the undereamed Fever Boards within the Union was presented:

From 1 st to 28 th Octr Galway Fever Board	£ 141; 13; 8
To 31 st Decr: Spiddal Ditto	44; 6; 7
For Spiddal Ditto for estimated expense to 23 rd December —	31; 5; 6

signed L. Macaulay Esq. J. H. Esq. and Capt. R. Navy

£ 217; 5; 9

The Board declined to pay the above until they were first enabled to pay persons who had sold goods and provisions and whose accounts were ^{due} and audited up to the 25th of October last.

Resolved. That Mr. Nicholas Lynch's motion relative to assistants being paid out of the increase of salary granted to the different officers be postponed to this day fortnight

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Read a letter from the Poor Law Commissioners to the Poor Law Inspector stating that if the Guardians on revising the lists of Paupers in the Workhouse still refrain from acting on the Commissioners' instructions, the Commissioners are prepared to dissolve the Board of Guardians.

Adjourned to the 29th Instant.
J. H. Harrison

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RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 25 day of December 1847

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.						DIED.					
	Males aged 15 and upwds.	Females aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL	Males aged 15 and upwds.	Females aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL	Males aged 15 and upwds.	Females aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL
During the Week ended as above,	13	16	8	9	2	48	15	8	13	4	2	52	2	1	7	4	1	15
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	265	394	282	247	58	1246	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
							No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.							
TOTAL,	278	410	290	256	60	1294	In Workhouse, 97	In separate Wards, 60	In Wards with other inmates, 6	Fever 60 Dysentery 68 Other Cases 29								
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,							In Fever Hospital, 60	Total, 157	Total, 9									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,																		

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 1150
 NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 5 day of January 1848

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday, the 29th day of December 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, *John Harrison*
Capt. M. H. O'Connell
 Other Guardians: *William Clancy, Nicholas Millin, John Sulan, Arthur Sulan, Mark Lynch, Edmund O'Flaherty, Roderick O'Connor, Edward Egan, Maunsell, Lord Wallscourt, and James Copland.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.
 The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2471 to No. 2500, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
Paul Ryder Mason	✓ 1	10	0
Michael Malley Ditto	✓ "	14	"
Stephen Griffin do	✓ ..	18	.
Peter O'Dea do	✓	18	
John Farrell Carpenter	✓	16	
Mich ^e Gray Cementing shed	✓	4	
Thomas Commins Sand	✓ 1	19	:
Peter Lally do	✓	6	
Thomas Curack Carpenter	✓ 20	-	-
Total	£ 24	5	0

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

3 Invoice Account.

John Oliver Bread	✓ 30		
M ^{rs} Birmingham Milk	7	18	6

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

Resolved

That Cheques be drawn in favour of Daniel O'Leary for half year's salary to 29th of Sept^r 1846 £ 5 0 0

of Forfeit of Cloth 5 0 0

£ 10 0 0

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

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

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows: The Medical Attendance reported 15 Deaths in the workhouse during the week.

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

An Order dissolving the Board
of Guardians

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read
by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following
effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

1st From the Poor Law Commissioner,
assigning the reasons for dissolving
the Board

2nd From same transmitting new
Forms of Minutes Papers

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were
considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	-	-	-
Ditto, disallowed	-	-	-	-
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	-	-	-
Ditto, rejected	-	-	-	-

58 Applicants refused for want of room.

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

Adjourned to the 5th of January

1848

Board Room

5th January 1848

The Vice Guardians not being in attendance Captain Hellard R.N. L.d. Inspector, proceeded to admit the most destitute out of 192 applicants

Admitted

During the proceedings Richard Bourke Esq. Poor Law Inspector entered the Board Room Lodged with the Treasurer during the week £286 ¹¹/₈

Paid

104; 14; 6

Balance in favour of the Guardians 967; 9; 4

Mr. Kough one of the appointed Vice Guardians entered the Board Room during the proceedings and took his seat at the Board

Ordered that advertisements be published for tenders for each of the following Electoral Divisions of the Galway Union, viz Galway one, Killaurin one, and Oughterard one

Resolved that advertisements be published for tenders for oatmeal, Indian meal, Rye meal, Butter milk, Groceries, Rice, Salt, Coals, Soap, Candles, and Oaten straw up to the 25th of March next. Payment to be made monthly.

By direction of Mr. Kough.

Ordered

That the Board stand adjourned to 12 o'clock on tomorrow.

Minutes of proceedings of a special Meeting
of the Guardians of Galway Union held
on Thursday 6th January 1848

Present

In the Chair George Haugh Esq

Captain Melland R.N. P.L. Inspector
Richard Bourke P.L. Inspector } Present

A Certificate having been handed in from
Dr Brown Medical Attendant with respect to
the health of the Assistant Mahon Miss Agnes
Morison just recovered from fever ordering her
to the Country for change of Air

Resolved

That Miss Morison Assistant Mahon do
get leave of absence for a fortnight for the
benefit of her health and that the Board
Master's wife Mr Fletcher be requested to
perform the duty in her absence

Resolved

That Catharine Bevington and her two
children be discharged out of the House and
that the Clerk do give her ten Shillings to
defray her expenses to Limerick

Resolved

That in accordance with the 1st Section
of the Irish Poor Relief Extension Act
Certain Paupers be discharged out of the
House

House and put on the Out door Relief

Number discharged 59

Appeared to 10 O'clock tomorrow the
1st inst

Minutes of proceedings of the Board of
Guardians Galway Union at an ad hoc Meeting
held on Friday 7th January 1848

Present

In the Chair George Haugh Esq

Captain Melland R.N. P.L. I

Read a letter from the Poor Law Commis-
sioners in reference to the 10th Section of the
Irish Poor Relief Extension Act in reference
to the Application for Relief from persons
occupying more than a quarter of an
Acre of Land

Ordered

That our Clerk be directed to in-
form the Commissioners that no applica-
tion of the kind have as yet been
made.

Resolved that in accordance with the 1st
Section of the Irish Poor Relief Extension
Act certain Paupers be discharged out
of this House and placed on the
out door Relief list

Number

Number discharged 57
Admitted 77

Appeared to 11 O'clock tomorrow the 8th Inst

Minutes of proceedings of the Board of
Guardians Galway Union at an extra
- meeting held on Saturday 8th Janu-
- ary 1848

Present

In the Chair George Haugh Esq. B.G.
Captain Bellance R.P. Poor Law Inspector

Captain Bellance acquainted the Board
that he had lodged £300 to the Credit of the
Union received from the British Association

Read a sealed Order from the Poor Law
Commissioners authorising Out-door
Relief for the period of two Months to
be given with One Child dependent on
them or Children whose parents are both
dead

The Board proceeded to applications
for Out-door relief

Admitted	1
Refused	8
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Having examined the Clothing Books
it appeared that the Clothing Exp. propri-
- etation Book had not been posted
since 17th September. On which the
Inspector expressed his great disap-
- pointment particularly as he had
before given the Master directions
thereon.

Read a letter from the Poor Law Com-
- missioners to the Poor Law Inspector
requesting that every change propos-
- ed to be made by any Board
which the Inspectors respectively attend
in the Workhouse buildings either
for temporary or permanent accom-
- modation may be immediately
reported to the Commissioners.

Appeared to Monday the 10th Inst
at 11 O'clock

Minutes of proceedings of Galway Union
at a Meeting held on Monday 10th January
1848
Present

In the Chair George Haugh. Esq

Capt Belland R.N. P. I. Inspector

Read an Order from the Poor Law Commissioners
appointing Captain Belland R.N. as a
Guardian for Galway Union in consequence
of the death of Clement R. Joyler. Esq

In accordance with the order of the
Irish Relief Committee and on the order
of the Poor Law Commissioners of the
7th Inst, the Guardians proceeded to discharge
out of the House and places on the Out door
Relief
Discharged 49

Resolved that our Clerk be directed to apply
to Mr Blahney to know on what terms he would
let the House and 20 acres of land at Straw Lodge

Resolved that our Clerk be directed to write
to Mr R. Dwyer of Dangan to know on what terms
he would let the large house at Prospect Hill

The Collector books for the Galway Electoral
having been checked by the Clerk and Captain
Belland P. I. Inspector it appears he has
collected

in the week £131-15-9 and lodged a list
£110-11-0 leaving a balance on hands
of £21-4-9 for which he could not account

Ordered that Mr Patrick Martin Poor Rate
Collector for the Galway Electoral Division
be called upon to lodge the balance
for the week ended attested with the
Treasury Receipt for same before the
Guardians at 11 O'Clock on tomorrow.

Adjourned to 11 O'Clock tomorrow
the 11th Inst,

Minutes of proceedings of the Board
of Guardians Galway Union held on
Tuesday January 16th 1848

Present

In the Chair George Haugh. Esq

Captain Belland R.N. P. I. Inspector & V. G.

The Clerk produced a receipt enclosed
to him from Mr P. Martin Poor Rate Collector
Galway Union, from the Treasurers for £24
~~Mr Martin did not attend as directed
yesterday. While the Guardians direct
to be particularly noticed on the
Minutes.~~

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In accordance with the provisions of the
Irish Poor Relief Extension Act and with
the sealed Order of the Poor Law Commission
- now dated the 7th Jan the Guardians
proceeded to discharge certain paupers
out of the House and placed some
on our other relief list
Discharged 16

Adjourned to the 12th Inst
Geo: Stangh

Minutes of 12th have entered in
separate minute book
Wed 11th Dec 1848

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