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Galway County Council

Galway Poor Law Union

Board of Guardian Minutes

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10 Nov 1848 – 24 Aug 1849

MINUTE
BOOK

to about the 26 Nov 1847 -

Mr. Oliver Combs

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MINUTE BOOK.

Union.

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

Order of the Poor Law Commissioners.



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

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STATE OF NEW YORK

Galway UNION.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *fourth* day of *November* 1848.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:—	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.				Boys.		Girls.		Children under 2 years.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.		
															Males.	Fem.		In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse, <i>1000</i>																			
Temporary Buildings, <i>150</i>																			
Additional Workhouse, <i>500</i>																			
Permanent Fever Hospital, <i>500</i>																			
Fever Sheds, <i>3150</i>																			
Total, 2300																			
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, } <i>262136777351745285</i>														In Workhouse } <i>236</i>	In separate Wards, } <i>7</i>				
Admitted during the Week, } <i>71352154847118</i>														In Hospital } <i>7</i>	In Wards with other Inmates, } <i>7</i>				
TOTAL, 33	<i>33</i>	<i>34</i>	<i>419</i>	<i>927</i>	<i>601523</i>	<i>103</i>								Total, 236	Total, 7				
Discharged during the Week, } <i>183111113</i>																			
Died, } <i>21123</i>																			
Total Discharged and Dead, } <i>1103212136</i>																			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, } <i>333340989558951097</i>																			

Fever ——— 32
Dysentary 50
Other Cases 154
Total 236

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *4* day of *November* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	<i>213</i>	<i>467</i>	"	"	<i>213</i>	<i>467</i>	Bt. forward						
No. II.	<i>174</i>	<i>374</i>	"	"	<i>174</i>	<i>374</i>	No. X.	<i>100</i>	<i>207</i>	"	"	<i>100</i>	<i>207</i>
No. III.	<i>135</i>	<i>329</i>	"	"	<i>135</i>	<i>329</i>	No. XI.	<i>129</i>	<i>314</i>	"	"	<i>129</i>	<i>314</i>
No. IV.	<i>127</i>	<i>290</i>	"	"	<i>127</i>	<i>290</i>	No. XII.	<i>38</i>	<i>102</i>	"	"	<i>38</i>	<i>102</i>
No. V.	<i>123</i>	<i>314</i>	"	"	<i>123</i>	<i>314</i>	No. XIII.	<i>11</i>	<i>39</i>	"	"	<i>11</i>	<i>39</i>
No. VI.	<i>141</i>	<i>378</i>	"	"	<i>141</i>	<i>378</i>	No. XIV.	<i>171</i>	<i>411</i>	"	"	<i>171</i>	<i>411</i>
No. VII.	<i>157</i>	<i>468</i>	"	"	<i>157</i>	<i>468</i>	No. XV.	<i>96</i>	<i>231</i>	"	"	<i>96</i>	<i>231</i>
No. VIII.	<i>156</i>	<i>353</i>	"	"	<i>156</i>	<i>353</i>	No. XVI.	<i>44</i>	<i>92</i>	"	"	<i>44</i>	<i>92</i>
No. IX.	<i>74</i>	<i>190</i>	"	"	<i>74</i>	<i>190</i>	No. XVII.	<i>119</i>	<i>302</i>	"	"	<i>119</i>	<i>302</i>
Car forward							TOTAL,	<i>2017</i>	<i>4898</i>	"	"	<i>2017</i>	<i>4898</i>

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Friday* the *10* day of *November* 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, *W. H. Lucas Esq. V.G.*
Other Guardians: *Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V.G.*
Major M. Ke. P.L.D.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 10070 to No. 10408, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

See next page for details.

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 as no reply has been received from Martin, J. Blake in reference to straw lodge that the Clerk do write to his Agent Mr Donnellan to request that he will inform the Vice guardians on what terms he would be willing to let the premises by the year.

The Vice guardians having examined the following Bills for Fever Hospital expenses-

Resolved, That cheques be drawn on Treasurer for the following

Accus

Mr. N. Alley for payment of several Bills	49.9.1	P. Moyhall salary as Apothecary	14.0.0
Thomas Walsh Rent of Fever Hospital at Oranmore	10.0.0	James Walsh Milk supplied to Moyculleen J.H.	14.11.5
Patt Staunton Medicine	5.3.5	Mary Mc Dermott wages as Nurse	5.8.6
Peter Malone straw supplied		Mr Burke coffins	12.6.9
Preparis done at J Hospitals	10.4.	Pat Lydon Milk supplied	3.17.0
Peter Molloy for milk & turf supplied to Oranmore J.H.	21.1.4	Mary Small Milk	33.0.5
Miss Lambert wages as Nurse	3.3.0	James Fittes Bread	60.6.4
Mary Fenway do	3.3.0	Pat Mc Groeny Medicine	22.17.8
J.M. Omsby Salary as Apothecary at Oranmore	17.1.8	John Sweeney Bread	8.14.11
Honor Doole Milk supplied to Doughterand J Hospital	3.15.5	John Morris Oat meal	14.8.11
Mr. Blwood Meat supplied	16.7.	John Forcello Groceries	40.6.9
John Mc Donnell wages as Porter at Doughterand J.H.	3.0.0	Barret Bread	17.15.6

W Lucas
Lewis Fitzmaurice

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the _____ day of _____ 184 .

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Minutes of An adjourned meeting held by Vice guardians on Monday the 13th November 1848,

Present In the Chair. W. H. Lucas Esq. Vef. Other guardians. Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. Vef. Major W. Keble P.V.D.

Mr Thomas Walsh collector for Oranmore handed in the names of the following Defaulting Immediate Lessors, Owen, E. Blake £112.7.9; Randal Athy £142.16.0 and Walter Blake £42.2.7

Resolved, That Mr Walsh be instructed to serve a 15 days notice on the above defaulters

Mr Ambrose Rush having refused to deliver up the stones Broken by the Out door Relief Paupers until he was compensated for breach of the undertaking agreed to on giving up his land for the paupers to work on his claim was considered by the Vice guardians assisted Mr Redington when they awarded Mr. Rush a sum of Four pounds as compensation. Mr. Comerford attended the Board and the Vice guardians having conferred with him as to the Execution against the Union at his suit.

Resolved. That a cheque for £750 be drawn on Treasurer in favour of Mr. Comerford for part payment of Execution, "Comerford v. Guardians of Salway Union"

Resolved. That a cheque for £21.5.0 be drawn on Treasurer in favour of Mr. Mc Donnell "Sheriff" for fees on "Execution" Comerford v. Vice guardians, Salway Union

Resolved. That a cheque for £15.0 be drawn on Treasurer in favour of Mr. Mc Donnell for Bailiffs fees.

W Lucas
Lewis Fitzmaurice

Workhouse 1300
 add. W. H. Lucas 1100
 Temp. Building 300
 2800

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of November 1848.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, Hospital, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.				Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Total.	Number In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Total, 2350	33	35	42	9	42	6	17	5	4	0	10	10		
Remainng on previous Saturday, as per last Return, 2586	33	33	40	9	89	5	89	5	10	97	"	"	2586	
Admitted during the Week, 2809	4	6	37	85	54	52	5	"	"	243	"	"	227	7
Total, 2809	37	39	44	6	98	0	64	3	5	62	"	"	2809	
Discharged during the Week, 101	4	4	15	36	2	12	1	"	"	101	"	"		
Died, 12	"	"	2	2	5	2	1	"	"	12	"	"		
Total Discharged and Dead, 113	4	4	17	38	2	6	2	"	"	113	"	"		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, 2696	33	35	42	9	42	6	17	5	4	10	"	"	2696	

Fever — 21
 Dysentery — 61
 Other Cases 145
 Total — 227

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No. I.	208	467	"	"	208	467	Bt. forward						
No. II.	181	391	"	"	181	391	No. X.	101	211	"	"	101	211
No. III.	132	320	"	"	132	320	No. XI.	128	309	"	"	128	309
No. IV.	124	284	"	"	124	284	No. XII.	32	90	"	"	32	90
No. V.	123	315	"	"	123	315	No. XIII.	12	36	"	"	12	36
No. VI.	141	378	"	"	141	378	No. XIV.	172	415	"	"	172	415
No. VII.	157	468	"	"	157	468	No. XV.	96	231	"	"	96	231
No. VIII.	155	350	"	"	155	350	No. XVI.	44	92	"	"	44	92
No. IX.	76	194	"	"	76	194	No. XVII.	119	302	"	"	119	302
Car forward							TOTAL,	2010	4890	"	"	2010	4890

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 17 day of November 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, W. H. Lucas Esq. V. G.
 Other Guardians: Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V. G.
 Major McKie P. L. J.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 10469 to No. 10711, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

That he communicated with the Rev. Peter Daly R.C.C. in reference to the celebration of mass at Danjan. That he had advertisements inserted on the Galway Papers for tenders for milk, Indian Meal, T. flour &c. as ordered at last Board and carried out all the other orders of the Board.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £943-10-10
 Paid during the week, £1834-7-9
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £1637-12-5
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.
 The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Samuel Croft Galway N. 1		174	16	6	335	7	7
Hugh Gilligan Galway N. 2		243	11	7	383	9	11
Martin Fullinane Annadown		18	15	..	96	7	11
Clare Galway		51	6	3	658	17	6
John Cullinane Sackagh		70	1	3	1026	9	2
Athenny		3	12	..	554	5	6
Geo. R. Macdonald Moycullen		15	18	..	128	9	17
Killeanin		34	..	..	128	2	19
Oughtard		136	14	11	183	6	7
Thomas Walsh Dranmore		75	..	..	154	2	17
James Walsh Ballinacounty		301	14	11	265	14	11
Stadtbally		126	3	1	82	1	7
James Walsh		31	11	6	8	15	..
Redmond W. Donough Awan		36	5	6	1008	2	6
		308	17	9
Total, -		932	10	10	17163	10	5 1/2

NOTE.— A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £116 was produced and passed. The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £150-10-1

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ 150-10-1
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 156-5-3
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 0-1-1 1/2
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 0-1-6 1/2
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 0-0-0

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:

- 15 Cwt. T. flour
- 2 1/2 ton whole meal
- 160 lbs Meat
- 2 1/2 ton Barley meal
- 10 Cwt. Oat meal
- 7000 Quarts B. Milk
- 1800 Quarts N. Milk
- 3 lbs Tea
- 30 lb Sugar
- 6 Fms Indian Meal
- 2 Bottles Wine
- 30 Boxes Turf
- 56 lbs dipt Candles
- 196 lbs brown Soap
- 28 lbs white Soap
- 6 lb Mould Candles

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 11 day of Nov. ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - £ - - - - - 6
 In kind, - - - - - - - - - - - 147-4-0 1/2
 Total, - 147-4-6 1/2

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	Morris				Bt. forward		2 ton	22-0-0	
No. II.	Kilken				No. X.	Creaven	1 ton	11-0-0	
No. III.	Piffin				No. XI.	Morris		" "	
No. IV.	Boyer		1 ton	11-0-0	No. XII.	Duffan		" "	
No. V.	Flanagan				No. XIII.			" "	
No. VI.	Campbell				No. XIV.	Kerns	1 ton	11-0-0	
No. VII.	O'Connor				No. XV.	Finn		" "	
No. VIII.	Darcy		1 ton	11-0-0	No. XVI.			" "	
No. IX.	Morris				No. XVII.			" "	
Car. forwd.			2 ton	22-0-0	TOTAL,		4 ton	44-0-0	

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

Handwritten calculations and notes in the right margin of page 2:
 74-5 ~
 154-9 9

 265-14 11
 185-10 3

 451 5 ~
 149-10 3
 355-7 3
 185-10-9
 302-14-11
 32-12-4

 518-17-6
 482-17-6

 36-0-0

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

1. Clothing Account.

James Davis Clothing Materials	13	1	1
John Opady (Clerk) payment of Bills	5	15	
Kearney wool	6	18	

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

D. Brown Salary to 25 March 58	58		
John Conry wages as Stockkeeper up to 29 Sept	12	15	8
Pat Mc Donough do	9	6	8
Peter O Flaherty do	13	3	4
Pat O Flaherty do	10	3	4
Nick. Burke do	2	10	
Wm. Korne do	13		
Michl. O'Donnell Rent of Store	9	8	
John Nolan Stockkeeper	9	11	5
Robt. Mc Guea do	9	11	5
John Dillane	13	1	5
John Opady Clerk Salary	5		
Michl. Atkins overseer	2	1	8
Michl. Feen Fins	12		

2. Establishment Account.

Peter Mc Kenzie Stockkeeper	9	4	11
Pat Mc Donough do	7	10	
Redmond Mc Donough Rent	3		
John Mc Donough do	1	16	9
Thos. Mc Donough Rent and fuel	4	10	
Thos. Murphy Stockkeeper	7	10	
Wm. Nally Salary as Clerk to Finance Committee	10		
Edward Knight Bakers wages 18 November	2	10	
Pat Monip Stockkeeper	13	15	2
Francis Fitzgerald slime	3	10	
Martin O'Kell Rent of store	5	17	8

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

John Mc Naughton groceries to 4 Nov	14	14	7
do do in Siew Milk	10	12	
John and M. Connell Milk to 29 Sept	53	3	6
Peter Molloy Milk to 4 Nov	158	18	6
Clerk. payment of Bills		11	9

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

Establishment (continued) Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Pat Higgins Salary to 25 June	3	16	
Mr. Hedman expenses incurred in repairing on Supply of water	3		9
John Naughton wages as stockkeeper	4		
A. St Ledger Balce. of wages as stockkeeper	1	10	
Michl. Feeny Rent of store and fuel	6	8	8
Clerk of Union for payment of Bills	6	13	8
Broderick Mason hire	4	2	
Lodge Carpenters work	5	18	
Rev. Peter Daly R.C.C.	65	9	2

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

The Clerk's Report of Pauperages 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 Clerk reported that Mr. Redmond Mc Donough attended on Monday the 13th with his books

That a new boiler be erected in the Workhouse as one of the boilers is cracked and unfit for use - Cost £ 12. 0. 0

That two boilers be erected at the Auxiliary Workhouse Merchants, at a cost of £ 2. 0. 0

also an additional boiler at Dangan at 15/6.

The Clerk having stated to the Board that very many ratepayers usually come to see and examine the Rate Books on the Board day in each week when he or his assistant is not able to attend them

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:
Resolved. That we are of opinion the Rate Books ought not be open for inspection during the sitting of the Board it being an unreasonable time and that the Clerk do post notice in the Hall stating that the Rate Books can be seen on any day sundays excepted and during the sitting of the Board on Fridays

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

Poor Law Commissioners Letter of 13 Nov. 1848. N^o. 58616/48 enclosing a copy of a letter addressed to them by Mr. Thompson on the subject of a 3/0 Rate in the Union and requesting to be furnished with a copy of the Estimate on which the rate for ordinary expenditure was made.

Ordered. That Clerk will furnish the Commissioners with a copy of the estimate.

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners dated Nov. 14. 1848. N^o. 860/48 calling the attention of Boards of Guardians and their Relieving Officers to the powers and responsibilities of Relieving Officers under the 7th Sec. of the Irish Poor Relief

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:

extension Act, and enclosing a number of copies of their circular. 10 Nov. 1847 and of the general order therein referred to and requesting that one of each may be given to each Relieving Officer

Ordered, That a copy of each be given to each Relieving Officer

Letter from Central Board of Health Dublin, dated 15 Nov 1848 N^o. 14527/48 enquiring what steps have been taken by the Vice Guardians for the appointment of a Medical Officer to the Saltharrow Dispensary

Resolved, That Dr. O'Brien's appointment be reported to the Central Board of Health.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 16 Nov. 1848. N^o. 60978/48 sanctioning for the present the continuance in office of the Clerk of the Finance Committee and enclosing questions for answers to be signed by Matthias Finn who has been appointed Poor Rate collector.

(should be Relieving Officer)

Poor Law Commissioners Letter of the 16 Nov. 1848 N^o. 60978/48 in reference to the case of Mr. Keom. Mr. Donough who complained at Board meeting of 3rd Inst. of being wrongly rated to certain property and requesting to be furnished with certain particulars relating thereto

Ordered, That Clerk will prepare a copy of rating and apply to Mr. Blakeney Solicitor for statement of Barristers decision and forward them to the Poor Law Commissioners.

Read Letter from Mr. M^r. Donald P.R.C. for Moycullen Killanin and Oughterard in reference to the resistance offered him in the discharge of his duty and observing that in the course of a few hours on the 11 Inst. when attended by Mr. Dopping R.M. and a party of police he collected over £40 in the Electoral Divisions of Oughterard and Killanin also observing that Mr. Dopping and his party had departed to their respective quarters (that of the former being 25 miles distant from Oughterard) on the following day although he expected to have their services on the 13th (Monday) Mr. Dopping leaving word with the Sub Inspector of the district that if his services were further required the same steps should be taken to obtain them and also stating that the Poor Rates could not be collected in the District for which he is collector unless by the constant aid of a Resident Magistrate and police force.

Resolved. That Major McKie P.S.I. be requested to forward Mr. Macdonald's letter to the Poor Law Commissioners.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Read Letter from Feale and Dwyer Solicitors Dublin, Dated 17. Nov. 1848. in reference to an extract from minutes of the 3rd Inst. forwarded to them by the Poor Law Commissioners respecting a complaint of Mr. Conmins of an arrear of Poor Rate having been carried forward against him altho: a sale of his property had taken place thereof and the proceeds handed to the collector for which no receipt was obtained and advising the guardians how to act in the matter.

Resolved, That Clerk will state to Mr. Conmins that the Vice guardians are advised that if it is in his power distinctly to establish the fact of the payment of the sum in question to the Poor Rate Collector the circumstance of his having no Poor Rate Receipt does not effect the validity of such payment one way or the other.

Read Letter from Dr. Whistler of Oranmore dated 11 Nov acknowledging receipt of copy of resolution of Vice guardians on 3 Inst. in reference to his conduct in refusing to give up the Key of that Hospital when required so to do and stating his regret of having called forth the censure of the Vice guardians and admitting that he committed the fault laid to his charge

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the _____ day of _____ 184 .

(Signed) _____ Clerk of the Union.

The Vice Guardians having attended on Tuesday last with Major McKie P.L.D. at Spiddal to investigate serious charges of dereliction of duty alledged against Mr. Lodge R.D. of that District. it appeared that the most important witness had received a bribe to keep out of the way and that Lodge had employed some of the persons receiving out door Relief to draw sedge from the mountain for his own private use and benefit

Resolved, That Mr. Lodge be suspended from his duties until a further investigation into the charges be made by Major McKie, and that Major D'Arcy be requested to act in his stead.

Resolved, That a Horse and Cart be purchased for drawing water and provisions to the Auxiliary Workhouse at Merchants Road.

The Vice guardians having had under consideration the efficiency of Michael Hare as assistant Master who was appointed for one month on trial.

Resolved, That Michael Hare be allowed another months trial as the Vice guardians are not yet satisfied of his efficiency.

✓ Tender for Chimneys accepted £4 for one year.

Read Letter from Mr. Blakeney Esq. informing the guardians of his having received £35-1-3 Poor Rates from Lord Dunsandle and requesting to know how he would dispose of same

Ordered, That Mr. Croft Collector Galway N.1 be instructed to receive from Mr. Blakeney £31-0-3 being the amount on account of his District and that Mr. Cullinane Collector for Clarygalway be in like manner instructed to receive the balance £4-1-0

W. J. M. [Signature]
Henry J. M. [Signature]

Minutes of an adjourned meeting held by Vice Guardians on Monday 20 November 1848.

Present. In the Chair, W.A. Lucas Esq V.G. Other Guardians, Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq V.G., Major McKie P.L.I.

It having been proved at the investigation on Saturday into the conduct of Bartholomew Codye that he had been concerned in bribing the principal witness (Dooley) to keep away from the investigation and Codye not having denied when confronted with Dooley certain of the charges preferred against him

Resolved, that the Poor Law Commissioners be requested to issue an order dismissing Bartholomew Codye from the office of Relieving Officer.

That John Fullinane Collector be required to attend only once in every fortnight for the examination of his accounts as he lives a great distance from Galway

Resolved, that Mr. Seligman Collector for Galway No. 2 be instructed to serve 15 days notice on the following Immediate Deputes

- John, J. Taylor
Joseph Fealy
Michl. M. Donnell
Dan Higgins
J. Parker
Walter Lee
Wm Lee
A. Monks
Henry Clare
Owen, E. Blake
John Sunning
John Reid
Michl. Perrin

Mr. Commis attended the Board when the Vice Guardians made him an offer of £70 per annum for the house yard and offices called 'West House' situated in the immediate vicinity of the Workhouse to be used as a girls school. Mr. Commis putting the house in a tenantable repair and a lease being made for 5 years occupation with a triennial clause of surrender. This arrangement to the subject to the Poor Law Commissioners approval

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of November 1848.

Table with columns: Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided, Aged and Infirm, Able-bodied, Boys, Girls, Born, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, and various counts for remaining, admitted, discharged, and died.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18th day of November authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., Total relieved out of the Workhouse, RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Lists districts I through XVII and a total row.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 24 day of November 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, W.A. Lucas Esq V.G. Other Guardians: Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq V.G., Major McKie P.L.I.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed. The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 16712 to No. 17046, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk. The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. ... to No. ... inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk. The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

1. Clothing Account.

			£	s.	d.
Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.					
John Flaherty Salary as Storekeeper	5	15			
Rich ^d Mc Kabb do	5	4			
Byron Mc Donough Rent	5	3			
John Monip Storekeeper	5	13			
Walter Arms Salary as Kl.	5				
Wm Lyons Storekeeper	5	9			
Expady payment of bills	5	6			
James Davison on 7 th of his account	5	17			
Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.					
Dr Donohoe Salary as Medical Officer			76	13	
at Lettermore Dispensary					
James O'Brien Salary as Storekeeper			16	10	
Rent of Store and Kitchen					
Ambrose Rush compensation for law			11		
Mr Murray (former school mist ^r) for salary			19		
Pat Rooney Salary as Storekeeper			8		
Mr John Caran on 7 th of his account of £132-2 for which he received a cheque from the late Vice guardians			50		
John Dayern Rent of Store			5	5	
Pat Flaherty Salary as Storekeeper			22	11	
Pat Mc Donough Rent of Store			5	6	15
Walter Walsh Salary as Storekeeper			2	10	

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Rush and Palmer Indian Meal up to 11 Nov	104	12	6
Patrick Ryan flour supplies up to 8 November	236		
John and Michl Connell July	27	8	4

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Rush and Palmer Indian Meal up to 17 Nov	176		
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Credit Treasurer and debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

The Clerk read notice of intended marriage served on him by the Registrar since last Weekly Meeting between Robert Chatter and Mary Bindon

Master's Report

That at this place a large Store is required for the Day Room in the Auxiliary Warehouse at Galway. Ordered that the Store in the Infirmary Ward be removed to the Auxiliary Warehouse.

Required for Manufacturing

6 Stone of wool

6 " flax

2 " lodwood

4 lb copperas

3 fallow Rape oil

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

Required for white washing

20 Russell's Juice - a deed.

Master reported that he felt himself obliged to stop the bill at one week for 200 Women for committing nuisance in their yards and for misbehavior. Conduct in other respects -

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

Poor Law Commissioners Circular dated 16 Nov 1848 N^o 61638/48 in reference to the right of Poor Rate Collectors to distraint growing crops and giving it as their opinion that the practise of distraining growing crops ought to be discountenanced as there are other remedies for the recovery of Poor Rates.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform each Collector accordingly.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 20 Nov 1848 N^o 57679/48 transmitting queries to be answered and signed by Laurence Morris and Henry Flanagan Relieving Officers and observing that it did not appear that answers to the usual queries had been forwarded

Ordered, that the queries be answered and forwarded

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:

Poor Law Commissioners letter 21 Nov 1848 N^o 887 m/48 requesting the immediate transmission of the Return of Liabilities for Oct and requiring an explanation as to the cause of the delay in forwarding the Return on the day required (15 Inst)

The Clerk begged to state that the transmission of the Return was delayed in consequence of his wishing to have included therein the Law Costs a Return of which he expected to receive daily from the Solicitor.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 22 Nov 1848 N^o 61896/48 approving of the appointment of M^r Flynn and M^r Egan as Assistant Master of the Auxiliary Workhouse and wardmaster of the Workhouse respectively.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 22 Nov 1848 N^o 62577/48 approving of the appointment of M^r Matthias Finn as Relieving Officer of the Ballinacounty and Strabally E. Divisions.

Letter from Central Board of Health Dublin dated 23 Nov 1848 N^o 14723/48 approving of the appointment of D^r O'Brien as Medical Officer of the Temporary Dispensary at £120 per annum.

Poor Law Commissioners letter dated 23 Nov 1848 N^o 62115/48 expressing their sanction of the payment of £18.5.0 for the

preparation of Rate Books as also of a sum of £4.0.0 to M^r Rush as compensation for the use of his land for breaking stones,

Read Poor Law Commissioners letter to Vice guardians dated Nov 24. 1848 N^o 63686/48 forwarding for the Vice Guardians observations a copy of a letter which they received from Mary Lally praying for Relief in the Galway Union as also preferring charges against the Master and Clerk.

Read letter from Bishop O'Donnell in reference to the Guardians application to His Lordship for to make an arrangement of a temporary nature for the celebration of Mass at the store at Merchants Road and referring the Vice Guardians to the Rev^d Mr. Joyce the store being situated in his parish.

Ordered, That the Clerk do call on the Rev^d gentleman and request that he will have Mass celebrated there in future. Resolved, That having investigated on oath the statement made by M^{rs} Lally we are of opinion that her statement is a tissue of falsehoods. She is a woman who when in the Workhouse conducted herself most disorderly and we find her name repeatedly entered in the punishment Book for various offences and was turned out by the late Vice guardians for improper conduct

The Vice Guardians having considered tenders for supplying the Workhouse and the several food Depots of the Union with Indian Meal &c for 3 months.

Resolved, That Rush and Palmer be declared Contractor for supplying the Workhouse and the several food Depots of the Union with the following pec of carriage.

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.	-	-
The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-
Ditto, disallowed	-	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-
The number of other applicants in the Poorhouse Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered	-	-

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

1st flour at £17-15-0 a ton best
white meal 11-10-0 " quality white Indian meal 9-7-0 " quality
Rye meal 8-15-0 " quality

Food Depots,

best White Indian meal at £9-13-6 a ton.

Resolved, George Rush Mt. Eaton and Tho. Pulmer Junr. salway, that Constantine Burke be declared Contractor for supplying the Workhouse with best Best Barley Meal at £8-17-0 a ton delivered.

Surites, Henry Comerford and Isaac Comerford. salway, Resolved, that an assistant schoolmaster be appointed at a salary of £15-0-0 per annum and Rations, the appointment to be made on the 8th December,

Read a communication from the Protestant Chaplain of the Workhouse applying for an increase of salary on the grounds of alleged increased duties in consequence of additional Workhouse accommodation,

Resolved, that as there are only 37 Protestants in the Workhouse who can be easily assembled at the Workhouse for religious purposes we do not see any grounds for recommending an increase of the Rev. John Treanor's salary, and that the Clerk so inform the Rev. Gentlemen,

Resolved. That Mrs Mary Bermingham be declared Contractor for supplying new milk and Butter Milk to the West House and Mr. Arkittles store at Merchants Road at 6d per imperial gallon for new milk and 3d per Butter Milk = surities James Martin's Runo Island and Tho. Sweeney Cross Street. salway.

The above contract is on condition that the Poor Law Commissioners approve of the above house being taken,

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on day of 184

Wm Fitzmaurice
Wm Fitzmaurice

(Signed)

Richard O'Connell
Clerk of the Union.

Minutes of adjourned Meeting held by Vice Guardians on Monday the 27th November 1848.

Present, In the chair, W.H. Lucas Esq. V.G.
Other Guardians, Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V.G.
Mayor McKie P.L.I.

Mr. Samuel Cross P.R.C. laid before the Board the following list of Immediate Lepors which he requested the order of the Vice Guardians to enable him to serve 15 days notice on them

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| James Duffan ✓ | Michl Perrin ✓ |
| John Connelly ✓ | Mark Butler ✓ |
| Wm Connelly ✓ | J. Fitzgerald ✓ |
| Pat Connelly ✓ | Tho. Prendergast ✓ |
| Mr. B. Joyce ✓ | Pat. Nejan ✓ |
| John Reid ✓ | Cathl. Belton ✓ |
| Wm Cowley ✓ | J.J. Funnings ✓ |
| | Wm. Griffin ✓ |

Resolved, that Mr. Cross be instructed to serve a 15 days notice on the above defaulting Immediate Lepors, The Master having reported that the Rev. Peter Daly the Roman Catholic Chaplain had not made arrangements for the Celebration of Divine Worship at Dangan Auxiliary Workhouse and that the children on yesterday were left without religious instruction, The Clerk also reported that the Rev. Peter Daly had not replied to the Vice Guardians communication of the 16th Instant wherein they call on him to celebrate Divine Worship at Dangan,

Resolved, that the Clerk do communicate to the Rev. P. Daly the surprise of the Vice Guardians at his having neglected to make arrangements for the Celebration of Divine Worship at Dangan, and also his having neglected to reply to the Vice Guardians communication, and further to request that he will distinctly state whether he is willing to attend at the Workhouse at Dangan for the salary fixed by the Poor Law Commissioners,

Read a communication from the Poor Law Commissioners relative to the Land to be taken with the Dangan Workhouse,

Resolved, That on reference to the Minute Book and the correspondence on this subject which has taken place we are of opinion that the following were the terms finally agreed on by the late Vice guardians,

1st For the House, Offices, garden and one acre of land in extent at £140 per ann: £2.2.6

2nd (In the month of March) additional land with the extent then held, and the Workhouse land, not to exceed 12 statute acres at £5. per acre - £0-3 (see Commissioners letter No 14655).

3rd (In the month of August) an additional quantity of land as provided by the 11 & 12 Vic. 26 Statute 6 per ann 8.2-2 Irish measure or 25 Statute measure, at a yearly 15.0-11 cent of £213.6-10.

Resolved, That Thom's Almanack and Directory for the year 1849 be ordered by clerk for use of the Board Room.

Witness:
Lewis Fitzmaurice Vice Guardians

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of November 1848.

Table with columns: Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided, Aged and Infirm, Able-bodied, Boys, Girls, Children under 2 years, Born, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, and various totals.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25 day of November authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, Total relieved out of the Workhouse, RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Lists districts I through XVII and totals.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 1st day of December 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, W. A. Lucas Esq. Vice
Other Guardians: Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. Vice
Major McKie P.L.S.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 17047 to No. 17232, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. to No., inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
John Harrison pize ✓	170	16	8
James Davies Thread ✓	6	12	2
Kealy & Co Corduroy ✓	50		

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

		Establishment Account.		
Pat Donohoe Stockkeeper ✓	6-8-6	Wm Thom on 7c of printing ✓	50	
Martin Conry Rent ✓	6-5-0	Thomas Walsh salary as stockkeeper ✓	12	10
William Gallagher for payment of maps ✓	25	Mick Flaherty 7c in the £ on his account ✓	23	9
Mick Mc Donogh mssy. ✓	10-0-0	J. Murray amount of 7c up to 29 Sept ✓	12	15
Perse Lambert salary to 25 Dec ✓	17-8	John Brady clerk payment of bills ✓	10	19
M ^r Lambert do ✓	10-9-6	Th ^r Mc Donogh salary as Stockkeeper ✓	7	18
Martin Piffin R.O. for payment of bills ✓	3-18-0	Pat Higgins late R.O. salary ✓	12	10
Pat Turk R.O. salary ✓	5-0-0	Miss M ^r Carmack school mistress salary ✓	10	10
M ^r Brady petty cash ✓	5-0-0	Owen Conroy Rent of store ✓	1	3
Pat Mc Donald on 7c of Feb ✓	30-0-0	Mick Flaherty do ✓	2	7
Pat Deary wages as at 17th ✓	17-0-0	M ^r Keogh salary as Stockkeeper ✓	5	0
Pat Higgins to purchase a horse ✓	10-0-0	Lewis Fitzmaurice travelling expenses ✓	6	
M ^r Brady Clerk payment of bills ✓	9-18-11	W ^r Lucas do ✓	6	
Mick Jennings Coffin ✓	12-2-5			

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Pat Regan flour ✓	63	10	
James Finn groceries ✓	16	6	11

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Rush & Palmer Meal supplied from 23 Oct to 3 Nov ✓	154		
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Credit Treasurer and debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

The Clerk reported that M^r Martin Callinan "Pen Rate Collector" did not attend on Monday or since for the examination of his accounts although he wrote on Monday to say he would attend on Wednesday.

The Clerk reported that he called on the agent to the Sun fire office on two occasions to make arrangements for the insurance of the store at Merchants Road and that the agent was not in.

Masters Report.

- That he prosecuted P. Lynsky for Deserting his wife and family ✓ approved,
- That he lodged informations against M^r Burke for absconding the ✓ Workhouse, approved,
- That he employed a Mason (M^r Delany) for one pound to set the ✓ new boiler which he received from M^r Stephens -
- That he stopped 256 quarts of milk from the women during the ✓ week for committing nuisance in the dormitories -
- Required 20 barrels of Lime - ordered,
- Required for making clothes - 2 doz. tailors thimbles

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

- 7 lb. Black thread ordered from M^r Davies
- 7 lb. White thread
- 2 doz of studs

- Required for setting boiler, 500 common brick. 4 loads of sand, ✓ and a riddle for screening mortar - ordered -
- Required for shoemakers, 2 pieces of Basil, and 1 rasp, 2000 ✓ shoe nails ordered from M^r Conmuins -
- Required for Hospital, 14 lbs of lard - ordered from M^r Flatly -
- 100 yds of shrow duff - ordered from Kealy & Co -
- Required for Merchants Road Auxiliary Workhouse, 150 tin ✓ dishes and 150 pints. 1 large and 1 small ladle - ordered -
- Required. 100 yds cheap grey calico - 3 fallons of oil - 2 Stone of ✓ Logwood and 7/2 fallon of Sweet will, 000 bush.

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

Poor Law Commissioners Circular dated 25 Nov. 1848 No 893/48 in reference to the Workhouse accommodation and observing that a greater number were admitted than accommodation had been provided for -

Resolved that the following is the present accommodation as certified by the Medical Officer of the Workhouse - and main Building 1000 that the Clerk do inform the Poor Law Shed in Mens yard 120 Commissioners that in addition to this Shed in womens yard 180 accommodation the Vice guardians have Hospital in the permanent with the sanction of the Commissioners Building and Sheds 300 agreed to rent additional accommodation Dangan 600 to be used as a girls school capable Straw Lodge 100

at M. Road 500 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: Total 2800

of accommodating from 350 to 400 girls and to observe that the recent return of the number of inmates as reported on minutes of 24 Nov. only exceeded the number for which accommodation had been provided by 120 -

Letter from Central Board of Health Dublin to Vice guardians 27 Nov 1848 No 14819/48 in reference to the number of patients at present in the Oughterard Fever Hospital and with drawing their requisition for further Hospital accommodation at Oughterard -

Resolved, that the Clerk inform Dr. Rouphane of the Boards withdrawal of the requisition and request him to state if the patients can be discharged, and also recommend that no more patients be admitted -

Poor Law Commissioners Letter dated 28 Nov. 1848 No 62315/48 in reference to the charges against Bartholomew Forde late Relieving Officer and enclosing a copy of the letter to him on the subject.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners to Vice guardians Dated 25 Nov 1848 No 62997/48 on the subject of claims of parties for services rendered to the Union but of which no record exists and stating that the Vice guardians may use

their own discretion in the settlement of these claims and also referring to the steps taken to apprehend Mr. Martin late Collector.

Poor Law Commissioners letter to Vice guardians dated 25 Nov 1848 No 63471/48 expressing their sanction of the occupation of the West House as an Auxiliary Workhouse -

Poor Law Commissioners letter to Vice guardians dated 25 Nov 1848 No 610826/48 on the subject of the land to be occupied with the Auxiliary Workhouse at Dangan -

Letter read from "Public Works Loan Office London" requesting the payment of 4 instalments amounting to £2260.

Read letter from Mr. James Walsh P.R.C. stating that the Magistrates at Cranmore Petty Sessions would not grant him warrants in two cases, on the grounds that the collecting book contained the names of James Mc. Donough and James Fitzmaurice whereas the parties summoned were John Mc. Donough and John Fitzmaurice although them both were the persons liable -

Read letter from Rev. Peter Daly Roman Catholic Chaplain acknowledging receipt of Clerks letter of 27 Nov. calling on him to celebrate Mass at the Dangan Auxiliary Workhouse -

The Vice guardians having discovered that a pauper inmate named John Walsh was employed on the previous evening in assisting Dr. Browne Medical Officer in removing his furniture - The Master in explanation stated that he gave a pass to John Walsh under the impression that he required it to see some member of his family who was sick near to Moycullee. The pass was produced

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Poorpart Books. and was given on Dr. Browne's instigation - It further appeared that John Walsh had absented himself from the Workhouse on to day for the purpose of assisting Dr. Brown in the removal of his furniture without any of the Officers knowledge. The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - Ditto, disallowed - The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - The number of other applicants in the Poorrelieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered -

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

a pauper who was in charge of the gate admitted that he allowed Walsh to pass without the Porters Knowledge—

Resolved, That D. Brown be requested to afford an explanation of this irregularity and subversion of the Workhouse Rules—

Resolved, That the turnip crop growing on the Land at Dangan be purchased at the rate of £1 per ton—

Resolved, That the appointment of Relieving Officer be postponed to next meeting—

The Rev. Peter Daly R.C.C. attended the Board and distinctly stated that he would not celebrate Divine Worship at Dangan for the salary fixed by the Poor Law Commissioners, Viz £100 per annum—

Resolved, That the Poor Law Commissioners be requested to call on the Rev. Peter Daly to comply with their letter of the in which the Commissioners fix the salary of the Rev. Gentleman at £100 per annum for his attendance at the Workhouse at Dangan—

Resolved, That the Clerk do communicate to each Relieving Officer that the Vice Guardians request that they will in future receive all applications for admission to the Temporary Fever Hospitals and that they will report each case on their application and Report Book and give a ticket forthwith to for the Patients admission and further that the Relieving Officer do give notice throughout each of their Districts that persons seeking admission to the Fever Hospital must make their applications thro' them and that all admissions (except very urgent cases) must be made on tickets issued by them

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the day of 184

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

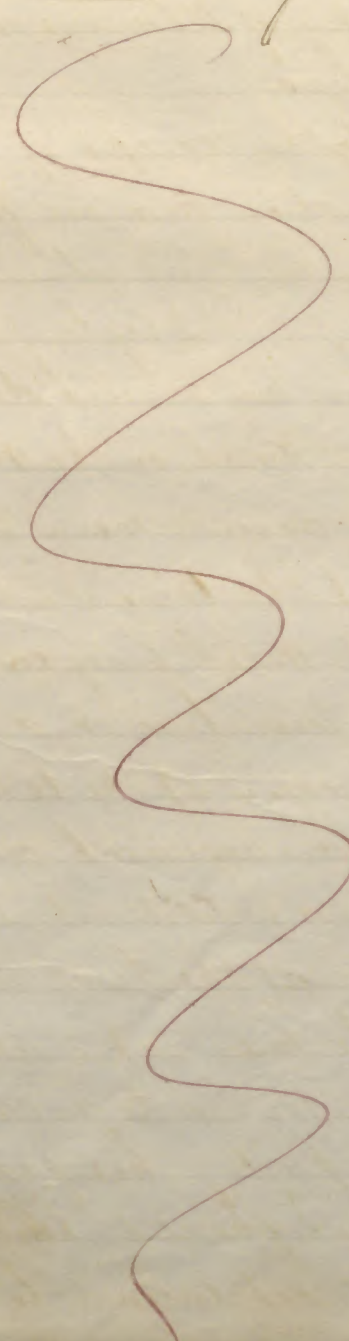
Resolved, That the Clerk do Notice Mr. Brown of Tuam of the Vice Guardians intention to surrender the Building taken by the late Vice Guardians as a temporary Fever Hospital at Amadown—

Resolved, That Mr. Blakeney be again requested to furnish his bill of costs, taking the

Resolved, That Mr. Gallagher be requested to proceed to Oughterard with the view of making a plan and taking the level of the piece of land about to be taken as a site for the Temporary Workhouse—

Meeting adjourned to Monday the 4th of December. 1848

W. Blakeney
Clerk of the Union } Vice Guardians



Minutes of an adjourned Meeting held by the Guardians on Monday the 11th December 1848-

Present. In the Chair - W. H. Lucas Esq. V.G.
other Guardians - Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V.G.
Major M. Hie P. L. D.

Read a communication from Dr. Brown in explanation of his having taken a man named Walsh out on pass with the view of employing him in removing his furniture -

Resolved, that we are still of opinion that Dr. Brown is guilty of great irregularity in this matter more especially as Walsh the pauper in question asserts that Dr. Brown never mentioned to him that his object in taking him out of the Workhouse so as to test his capabilities as a groom, and further that Dr. Brown did not mention the circumstance until Mr. Lucas discovered Walsh assisting in removing the furniture.

Ordered, that a copy of Dr. Brown's explanation be inserted on Minutes - as follows.

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of this date requiring an explanation from me for having one of the inmates employed in removing my furniture.

"I beg to offer the following explanation to the Vice guardians: My servant stated to me that there was a man of the name of Walsh in the Workhouse who was a foot groom and would answer me. I got a pass for him for that purpose it is true at the time I was changing my furniture to another house and Walsh being in the yard did assist in putting some of the furniture on a cart but I had not the least idea it was wrong. I spoke to Mr. Lucas Vice guardian in order to see if any arrangement could be made about his family as my wages would not support the whole of them and was not aware at the time until he stated to me that my having taken the man out was wrong and noticed by the Board. I did not wish to arrange with the man until I found whether a part of his family could be provided for I am extremely sorry I should have done anything wrong and certainly did not intend to have done so, I was

from home all yesterday after the business of the Workhouse was over I went to Fairs and did not return until late in the evening, I have only to hope the Vice-guardians will be satisfied with this explanation and to assure them that if I knew I was doing anything ~~wrong~~ against orders it should not have occurred, and that in future I will be more particular."

(Signed) J. Browne
Medical Officer

To Mr. John O'Grady
Clerk

Mr. James Walsh P. R. C. applied to get the order of the Vice guardians to authorise a 15 day notice to be served on Mr. Walter Blake of Oranmore as a defaulting Immediate Lepor

Resolved, that Mr. Walsh be instructed to serve a 15 day notice on Mr. Blake.

Read letter from Mr. Gilligan P. R. C. requesting the assistance of the Police in the Collection of the Rate, as both himself and his Bailiffs were beaten and rescued.

Resolved, that he be advised to swear the necessary informations and apply to Mr. Kernan (P. M.) for protection.

Read letter from Rev. Peter Daly, N. C. Chaplain consenting to have Divine Worship performed at the Workhouse at a rate of £100 per annum.

W. H. Lucas
Lewis Fitzmaurice
Vice guardians

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The Vice Guardians having had under consideration the necessity of having Divine Service performed at the Auxiliary Workhouse at Merchants Road.

Resolved, That the Clerk do write to the Right Rev. Doctor O'Donnell Roman Catholic Bishop to request that he will make arrangements for a temporary nature for the performance of Divine Service at the above building until the Poor Law Commissioners will appoint a Chaplain for that purpose.

The Vice Guardians having considered the appointment of an Assistant Baker in consequence of the large number in the house

Resolved, That Cornelius Enright be appointed Assistant Baker at a salary of 15/0 a week.

Resolved, That an advertisement be inserted for the appointment of Relieving Officer for that part of the Electoral Division of Kellanin called Kellanin South at a salary of £50 per annum in the room of Mr. Codyne whose dismissal has been recommended by the Vice Guardians, the appointment to take place on Friday the 1st December

Resolved, That the Tender of Martin Cooney for 6 per cubic yard for the broken stones on the road to Oughterard near Moycullen be accepted.

M. Lucas:

Lewis Fitzmaurice

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Read a letter from Rev. Mr.
 Daly agreeing to have Mass
 celebrated in future at Dangan
 Edmund Clerk

41 Galway UNION.
 STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of Decr 1848.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, - 1300 Temporary Buildings, - 470 Additional Workhouse, - 600 Total, 3150	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Males.	Fem.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	35	40	484	1051	667	589	110	"	"	2982	In Workhouse Hospital, 255 In Fever Hospital, "	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 7	
Admitted during the Week,	9	3	81	112	64	55	16	"	"	2342			
TOTAL,	44	43	565	1163	731	644	132	-	2	3324	Total, 255	Total, 7	
Discharged during the Week	4	3	37	30	25	15	4	"	"	118			
Died,	"	"	1	"	7	6	7	"	"	21			
Total Discharged and Dead	4	3	38	30	32	21	11	"	"	139			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	40	40	527	1133	699	623	123	"	"	3185			

Fever — 24
 Dysentery — 62
 Other Cases — 169
 Total — 255

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2 day of December authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	217	572	-	-	217	572	Bt. forward						
No. II.	177	385	-	-	177	385	No. X.	103	220	-	-	103	220
No. III.	133	320	-	-	133	320	No. XI.	139	341	-	-	139	341
No. IV.	129	306	-	-	129	306	No. XII.	38	99	-	-	38	99
No. V.	119	304	-	-	119	304	No. XIII.	19	48	-	-	19	48
No. VI.	148	397	-	-	148	397	No. XIV.	175	421	-	-	175	421
No. VII.	167	479	-	-	167	479	No. XV.	98	234	-	-	98	234
No. VIII.	155	350	-	-	155	350	No. XVI.	50	103	-	-	50	103
No. IX.	79	207	-	-	79	207	No. XVII.	116	294	-	-	116	294
Car forward								9	37	-	-	9	37
							TOTAL,	2071	5057	-	-	2071	5057

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 8 day of December 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

W. R. Lucas Esq. V. J.
 Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V. J.
 Major M. J. P. S. J.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 17233 to No. 17576, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 21647 to No. 22521, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

Establishment

Tranuel Cropp pay^r off
Dunneen 517-8-6
W. Redington Rent
of Dangan 80-0-11
Mary Walsh Washday 3-5-0
Dr. Fox do 3-5-0
Buyan Maughlin do 3-7-10
Dr. Peacock do 3-5-0
J. R. Hall do 3-7-10
B. M. Donagh do 3-3-6
J. Devans overseer 8-8-4
J. Neacy do 8-8-4
M. Tempam do 8-3-4
R. Colvin do 8-8-4
J. McAndrew do 8-3-4
A. O'Connor do 8-8-4
J. Flaherty do 6-13-4
J. Ferner do 6-8-4
J. Sullivan do 6-8-4
M. Flaherty do 7-8-4
J. Keane do 3-10-0
N. Eaton Carriage of
tools 2-11-0
J. J. O'Connor on acc^t of
Salary as S. Master 25-0-0
M. W. P. Petty pack 10-0-0
J. Duane on acc^t of
Salary as Water 15-0-0
W. Mullowney wages
as a taker 8-2-10

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Fever Hospital Expenses.			
James M. Sweeney Medicines	4	7	10
John Costello Groceries	13	6	11
Dr. Davin Salary	33	12	7
Margt. Small Milk	13	2	8
Wm. Elwood Meat	19	10	5

2. Establishment Account.

W. N. Alley payment of Fever Hospital Bills	38	17	9
Michael Steady Coffins for Fever Hospital	7	16	
D. Whistler Salaries as Medical Officer at Cranmore Fever Hospital	26	10	
Dr. Ronghan Salary	84	13	
Barbara Aydon Milk	3	17	4
James Fabel Bread	29	17	1
James Walsh Milk	6	8	6
Martin Moniss Rent of Shop	6	17	8
Dr. Moniss oatmeal &c	7	4	11

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Wm. Waldron Meat up to 2 Dec	11	19	2
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Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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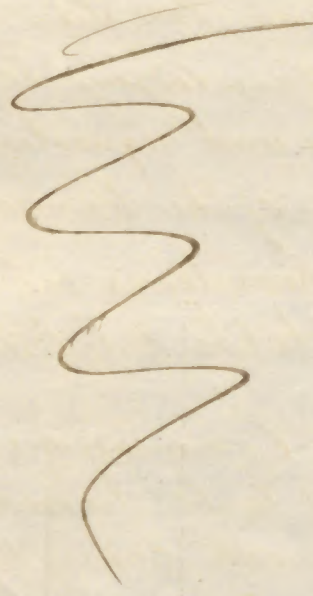
Credit Treasurer and debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

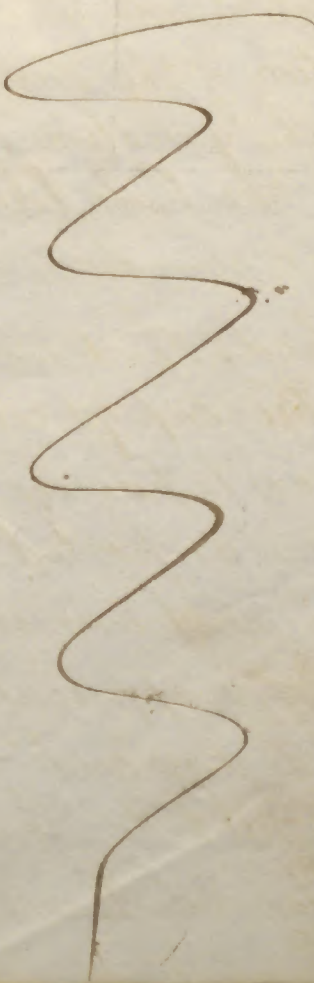
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Master reported that on his return from visiting the Auxiliary Workhouse on Monday night he found the Assistant Master (Thos. Ware) under the influence of intoxicating drinks.

Ordered, that the Assistant Master be discontinued. (see Resolution)



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



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

Poor Law Commissioners sealed order dated 1st Dec 1848 No 63315 /48 dismissing Bartholomew Codyre from the Office of Relieving Officer.

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners dated 30 Nov 1848 No 899 /48 requiring Return of the Liabilities of the Union for the month of November 1848.

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners dated 30 Nov 1848 No 907 /48 requiring Return of the Collection of the rate for the month of November 1848.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 19 Dec 1848 No 63837 /48 acknowledging Receipt of minutes of proceedings of the 20 Ultimo and requesting to be furnished with a copy of the reply of the Roman Catholic Bishop to the request of the Vice 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:} of Divine Worship at Merchants Road

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 5 Dec 1848 No 915 /48 requesting to be furnished with a Return of the Deaths for the week ending the 25 Ultimo.

Letter to Vice guardians from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 5 Dec 1848 No 63430 /48 referring to the Resolution passed by the Vice guardians in respect to the production of the Rate Books to Rate payers on Fridays and calling the attention of the Vice guardians to the Act 1st & 2nd Vic cap 56 and the 9 section of the Act 6th & 7th Vic cap 92 which provides that the Rate Books may be inspected on any day except Sunday between 10 and 4 o'clock.

Resolved, That we were aware of the 9th sec of the Act 6th & 7th Vic cap 92 relative to the inspection of the Rate Books previous to passing the resolution in question and that the notice was posted more as a recommendation than an order as it was impossible for the Clerk to attend the numerous applications to inspect the Rate Books on the Board day and for some cause the Vice guardians were put to great inconvenience by parties sitting in the Board Room taking extracts from the Rate Books

the clerks office being much too small to accommodate them -

Ordered, That the Clerk do not refuse an application for inspection of the Rate Books on a Friday but to leave the books with his assistant to be inspected in the Porters Room.

Read letter from W Macdonald Poor Rate collector informing the Vice guardians of the distresses made by him while attended by the Military and Police accompanied by Col Sir Michael Brough and Mr Dopping R.M &c

Poor Law Commissioners letter to Vice guardians enclosing a copy of a communication which they received from Mr D Donnellan agent to Mr J Blake M.P. in reference to the land in rear of the Workhouse.

Resolved, That the Clerk do again communicate with Mr Donnellan to know upon what terms he would be willing to let the premises at Straw Lodge and the field immediately at rear of the Workhouse to be used as a cemetery and state that the Vice guardians would feel obliged by his waiting on them in reference to this matter and that if he will name a day the Vice guardians will meet him.

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners dated 6 Dec 1848 No 918 /48 requesting to be furnished with the yearly Return of Liabilities ending 29 Sept last as required by their circular letter of the 3rd Oct -

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse conforming was

Date, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

Read letter from Dr O'Brien of Lettermore informing the Vice guardians of the appearance of a case of Asiatic Cholera in his District which terminated in recovery

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books

relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Read letter from Lord Wallcourt in reference to some erasures which appeared in the Collecting Book for Cranmore which was produced at the Petty Sessions in Cranmore.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform his Lordship that the erasures in the Collecting Book do not in the opinion of the Vice Guardians in any way effect the legality of the Rate as the Collecting Book is an exact transcript of the Rate Book and any alterations that appears in the Rate Book are initialed by the Clerk of the Union.

A Deputation of Friars attended the Board in reference to the Rate due on their holding and on the Convent.

The Vice Guardians informed them that they could not interfere, the only remedy being by appeal before the Barrister Poor Law Commissioners letter to Vice Guardians dated 6 Decr 1848 No 65557/48 forwarding a copy of a communication which they received from Mr. Bath of Jalway in reference to a tenement rated to him in the Jalway Electoral Division and requesting the observations of the Vice Guardians on the subject.

The Clerk said in explanation that he recollected Mr. Bath to come to the late Vice Guardians in reference to rates paid by him, but the Vice Guardians did not in his presence promise to refund Mr. Bath the money, The Clerk reminded the Vice Guardians at the time that Mr. Bath had part of the house occupied as an office.

Lewis Fitzmaurice Vice Guardians

Meeting adjourned to Monday Dec 11 - 1848 Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the Day of 184

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

Minutes of an adjourned Meeting held by Vice Guardians on Monday the 10th of December 1848

Present— In the Chair— W. H. Lucas Esq. V. J.
Other Guardians— Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V. J.
Major M. Kie P. L. J.

Mr. Cuffidge attended the Board and represented that Mr. Cuffidge had paid a sum of £3.4.0 to Mr. McDonald Poor Rate Collector on account of the Rate made 10th Nov 47, whereas the amount had been paid to Mr. Martin the defaulting Collector. The Vice Guardians on examination of the receipts produced were satisfied as to the truth of Mr. Cuffidge's statement. Ordered, that the amount be refunded to Mr. Cuffidge £3.4.0 and a cheque drawn on the Treasurer accordingly.

Debit Jalway Electoral Division

Credit Treasurer

Mr. Lucas Vice Guardian reported that he had visited the Danjan Auxiliary ^{at 11 o'clock} on this morning, and on finding a woman secreted in a corner of the working women's day room not in the Workhouse dress he called the School Master (Connor) to enquire of him the circumstance of the woman being in the room at all, when that Officer said she came from Menlow to see a Boy of her's who was in the School, and on being further pressed on the matter she produced a Boy as her own child that turned out did not belong to her, and then the School Master admitted that he had told a lie, that the woman was his mother, and that the Boy she produced was no relation whatever to her. Resolved, that under these circumstances we can have no confidence in future in John O'Connor the School Master and that he be called on for his resignation.

Resolved, that Mr. Gilligan be instructed to recover the Rates from the following defaulting Immediate Lessors by 15 days notice and summons.

Pat Roman	Rev. Bro. Byre Maunsell
Mary Burtie	P. L. M. Donogh
Nicholas Kilbain	John Mahon
	Michael Puffan

Serry Duffan - New Peter Daly
Mark Fad.

The Vice guardians having had under consideration the manner in which Mr. Hare had performed his duties as Assistant Master during the time of probation, and finding that he had been under the influence of liquor on one occasion lately, and taking into consideration that he had attempted to bolster the Relief Lists, on one occasion.

Resolved, that we deem Mr. Hare's conduct sufficient to warrant our not continuing him in his situation and that his services be discontinued as soon as his successor be appointed.

Ordered, that the appointment be made on the 29 inst.

Appeal to advertisement the Vice guardians considered applications for the Office of Assistant Schoolmaster. The candidates were.

Joseph Kelly and William Ryan.

The Vice guardians finding that both were well qualified for the office directed the Master to wait on Mr. Karanagh one of the Head Inspectors of National Schools to know which of the candidates was best qualified.

Resolved, that as Mr. Karanagh has given his opinion in favour of William Ryan, he is hereby appointed Assistant School Master at a salary of £15 a year with rations and apartments.

Witness:
Lewis Fitzmaurice Viceguardian

W. J. M. P. Clerk Union

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9 day of December 1848.

Table with columns: Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided, Aged and Infirm, Able-bodied, Boys, Girls, Children under 2 years, Born, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS. Rows include Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouses, Fever sheds, Total, Remaining on previous Saturday, Admitted during the Week, Discharged during the Week, Died, Total Discharged and Dead, REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9 day of December authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her, Total relieved out of the Workhouse, RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her, Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Rows include No. I to No. XVII, Car forward, TOTAL.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 15 day of December 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

W. H. Lucas Esq. V. J.
Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V. J.
Major W. Kie Esq.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 17577 to No. 17902, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. to No. inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Kealy Ho. On a/c of Clothing	50	0	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

Rev. Peter Daly, Chaplain	25	0	0
to 25th Dec			
Amyson & Co. Tins	12	18	0
Michael O'Brien Wine	11	2	2
Michael O'Keefe Brushes	8	9	5
Mrs. Judy Pay. of Bills	14	0	2
Michl. Dunn Rent of Shop	1	15	0
Martin Griffin Salary of 1st	20	17	10
Morgan J. J. Pay. of Bills	8	3	7
Lucretia Ryan Carriage of year	6	0	9
Mrs. Scullay Nurse Salary	6	.	.
Mrs. F. Blake Printing	4	5	0
Miss Keane drawing Mate	2	5	4
to 25th Dec			
Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.	50	0	0

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Mrs. M. Naughton groceries	8	16	1
Peter Molloy Milk	167	18	0
Rush & Palmer Meal	66	.	.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Rush & Palmer No. Meal	92	.	.
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Credit Treasurer and debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

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

✓ Circular from Poor Law Commissioners dated 8 Dec. 1848 n^o 65659/48 enclosing a Colonization Circular issued by Her Majesty's Colonial Land and Emigration Commissioners in August 1848.

✓ Poor Law Commissioners Circular dated 8 Dec. 1848 n^o 923/48 forwarding a Return to be filled up shewing the accommodation provided for.

✓ Resolved, That Clerk do confer with D. Brown with the view of answering this communication.

✓ Poor Law Commissioners Letter dated 8 Dec. 1848 n^o 66700 transmitting queries to be answered and signed by the Assistant School Master.

✓ Ordered, That queries be filled up and submitted to the Vice Guardians for their information.

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:—

✓ Poor Law Commissioners Letter dated 11 Dec. 1848 n^o 63451/48 in reference to the progress of the Collection in John Cullinane and James Walsh's Districts, and requesting the Vice Guardians to insist on these Collectors taking the most energetic steps for the recovery of the rates.

✓ Ordered, That the Clerk do send a copy of this letter to the Collectors mentioned and call their particular attention thereto.

✓ Poor Law Commissioners Circular 12 Dec 1848 n^o 931 n/48 wishing to obtain for particular purposes a Return shewing a proportion of the years expenses incurred by each Electoral Division.

✓ Poor Law Commissioners Letter 12 Dec 48 n^o 932/48 requesting to be furnished with a Return relating to the Deaths in the Workhouse during week ended 2 Dec.

✓ Poor Law Commissioners Letter 12 Dec. 1848 n^o 57457/48 in reference to the Return of Liabilities furnished for the month of September and expressing their doubt as to the accuracy of the amount of Liabilities returned on said return.

✓ The Clerk said he would forward an explanation to the Poor Law Commissioners.

✓ Read two letters from Seal & Dwyer Dublin in reference to the Lease of Dangan and stating that they forwarded the Lease to Mr. Blakeney Sol^r to be executed.

✓ Ordered, That Mr. Blakeney be requested not to have the Lease executed until he will hear again from the Vice Guardians.

✓ Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 14 Dec 1848 n^o 63439/48 requesting that they may be furnished with the queries relating to Mr. Hare's appointment as Assistant Master.

✓ Resolved, That the Commission's attention be directed to the Resolution on Minutes of an adjourned Meeting on 11 Inst. when Mr. Hare's services were discontinued on the grounds of inefficiency.

✓ Poor Law Commissioners Letter to Vice Guardians dated 12 Dec. 48 n^o 924 n/48 enclosing a copy of a Circular addressed to the Clerk of the Union on the 6 Inst. respecting the non transmission of the Return required by their Circular of the 30th Inst.

✓ Ordered, That the Clerk prepare the Return and submit it for our information.

✓ Poor Law Commissioners Letter to the Vice Guardians 12 Dec. n^o 66374/48 enclosing a copy of a letter which they received from Mr. Hara the Sheriff in respect to a cheque of the late Vice Guardians which he holds as also a copy of their reply to him.

✓ Poor Law Commissioners Letter to Vice Guardians 13 Dec. 48 n^o 57497/48 in reference to the Return of Liabilities furnished for the month of Sept. last, and stating their doubt as to the accuracy of the Return.

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

Ordered, That Clerk prepare the Return correctly and submit it to us with his explanation.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-
Ditto, disallowed	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-
The number of other applicants in the Poor Law Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered	-

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

Read a letter from the School Master tendering his resignation of the Office in compliance with Vice Guardians Resolution of the 11th Inst

Resolved, that it be accepted and that his successor be appointed on the 29th Inst

Resolved, that the salary of the School Master be in future £30 per annum and Rations and that the Clerk do communicate with the Commissioners of National Education and enquire whether they can recommend any teacher for the appointment

Resolved, that the offer of John Mulloy of sixpence per cubic yard for the broken stones situate on the Circular Road, be accepted,

The Vice Guardians having had under consideration the salary to be allowed to Dr. Rouphan the Medical Officer of the Moyculleen Hospital on the closing of the Oughterard Hospital.

Resolved, that £120 per annum be offered to Dr. Rouphan for his attendance at the Moyculleen Hospital.

Resolved. That Contracts be invited for keeping the Locks & Keys & latches and other Iron work of the Workhouse in repair for 12 months to be considered on the 22nd Inst

Resolved, that the Tender of Luke Ryan for the supply of straw for 12 months at 16^s per ton delivered at Workhouse, be accepted,

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the day of _____ 184 .

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Read a communication addressed to Vice Guardians relative to the quantity of land to be taken at Dangan for the purposes provided by the 11th 1842 Vic. Cap 26,

Resolved, that the Commissioners be memorialized to rent 25 Statute acres from Mr. Redington at Dangan for the purpose of instructing children under 16 years of age in an improved system of agriculture, in pursuance of the provisions 11th 1842 Vic. ^{cap 26} 26.

Read letter from Mr. Ketchford (Gt.) wishing to be informed if the Vice Guardians would consent to have appeals against sea-weed property for which he was concerned tried in Galway at next sessions instead of Portumna to save expense to all parties,

Resolved, that with the view of saving expenses we agree to try the appeals in Galway and that the Clerk do inform Mr. Ketchford,

Meeting adjourned to Monday 18 Dec:

W. Lucas Vice Guardians

Minutes of an adjourned Meeting held by Vice Guardians
on Monday the 18 day of December 1848,

Present In the Chair, W. A. Lucas Esq. V. G.
Other Guardians, Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V. G.
Major McKie P. C. L.

The Vice Guardians having had under consideration the
manner in which John Duggan Relieving Officer for Sackagh
and Athenry had performed his duty and being very much
dissatisfied at the slovenly and irregular manner in
which he reports his cases and the want of information
given by him on each case.

Resolved, That John Duggan be requested to tender his
resignation of the office which he did and which was
accepted.

Resolved, That the Clerk do write to each Relieving
Officer desiring them to relinquish forthwith any contract
they may have made for the delivery of meal in the Union
and further to caution them against taking any
contracts in future or being engaged in any business
or calling on pain of Dismissal.

Resolved, That the Clerk do write to each Poor Rate
Collector to request that they will furnish the Vice
Guardians before Friday next with a list of the
non Resident Defaulting Immediate Lessors with
the view of obtaining the Poor Law Commissioners
sanction to take proceedings in the Superior Courts
Dublin.

Read a communication from Mr. Alley Clerk to the Fever
Hospitals suggesting the propriety of his visiting each
of the Hospitals once a month so as to cheque the stock of
provisions there at &c. as he had reason to believe that
the stock which appears on each of the Books is a
fictitious stock: agreed to,

Read a letter from Mr. Pearen Relieving Officer
informing the Vice Guardians that he requested of
the Police Constable at Canaby to take charge of

Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V. G. *inspector*

Thomas Kelly who attended from the 18th inst. and the 19th inst. did not
 attend the 20th inst. but did attend the 21st inst. in person.

Galway UNION.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16 day of Dec^r 1848.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:—	Aged		Able-bodied.				Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Workhouse,	Temporary Buildings,	Infirm.							Total.		Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Males.	Fem.			
Workhouse, 1300														
Temporary Buildings, 400														
Additional Workhouse, 600														
Government Fields, 500														
3- 4- 5- 6- 7- 8- 9- 10- 11- 12- 13- 14- 15- 16- 17- 18- 19- 20- 21- 22- 23- 24- 25- 26- 27- 28- 29- 30- 31- 32- 33- 34- 35- 36- 37- 38- 39- 40- 41- 42- 43- 44- 45- 46- 47- 48- 49- 50- 51- 52- 53- 54- 55- 56- 57- 58- 59- 60- 61- 62- 63- 64- 65- 66- 67- 68- 69- 70- 71- 72- 73- 74- 75- 76- 77- 78- 79- 80- 81- 82- 83- 84- 85- 86- 87- 88- 89- 90- 91- 92- 93- 94- 95- 96- 97- 98- 99- 100- 101- 102- 103- 104- 105- 106- 107- 108- 109- 110- 111- 112- 113- 114- 115- 116- 117- 118- 119- 120- 121- 122- 123- 124- 125- 126- 127- 128- 129- 130- 131- 132- 133- 134- 135- 136- 137- 138- 139- 140- 141- 142- 143- 144- 145- 146- 147- 148- 149- 150- 151- 152- 153- 154- 155- 156- 157- 158- 159- 160- 161- 162- 163- 164- 165- 166- 167- 168- 169- 170- 171- 172- 173- 174- 175- 176- 177- 178- 179- 180- 181- 182- 183- 184- 185- 186- 187- 188- 189- 190- 191- 192- 193- 194- 195- 196- 197- 198- 199- 200- 201- 202- 203- 204- 205- 206- 207- 208- 209- 210- 211- 212- 213- 214- 215- 216- 217- 218- 219- 220- 221- 222- 223- 224- 225- 226- 227- 228- 229- 230- 231- 232- 233- 234- 235- 236- 237- 238- 239- 240- 241- 242- 243- 244- 245- 246- 247- 248- 249- 250- 251- 252- 253- 254- 255- 256- 257- 258- 259- 260- 261- 262- 263- 264- 265- 266- 267- 268- 269- 270- 271- 272- 273- 274- 275- 276- 277- 278- 279- 280- 281- 282- 283- 284- 285- 286- 287- 288- 289- 290- 291- 292- 293- 294- 295- 296- 297- 298- 299- 300- 301- 302- 303- 304- 305- 306- 307- 308- 309- 310- 311- 312- 313- 314- 315- 316- 317- 318- 319- 320- 321- 322- 323- 324- 325- 326- 327- 328- 329- 330- 331- 332- 333- 334- 335- 336- 337- 338- 339- 340- 341- 342- 343- 344- 345- 346- 347- 348- 349- 350- 351- 352- 353- 354- 355- 356- 357- 358- 359- 360- 361- 362- 363- 364- 365- 366- 367- 368- 369- 370- 371- 372- 373- 374- 375- 376- 377- 378- 379- 380- 381- 382- 383- 384- 385- 386- 387- 388- 389- 390- 391- 392- 393- 394- 395- 396- 397- 398- 399- 400- 401- 402- 403- 404- 405- 406- 407- 408- 409- 410- 411- 412- 413- 414- 415- 416- 417- 418- 419- 420- 421- 422- 423- 424- 425- 426- 427- 428- 429- 430- 431- 432- 433- 434- 435- 436- 437- 438- 439- 440- 441- 442- 443- 444- 445- 446- 447- 448- 449- 450- 451- 452- 453- 454- 455- 456- 457- 458- 459- 460- 461- 462- 463- 464- 465- 466- 467- 468- 469- 470- 471- 472- 473- 474- 475- 476- 477- 478- 479- 480- 481- 482- 483- 484- 485- 486- 487- 488- 489- 490- 491- 492- 493- 494- 495- 496- 497- 498- 499- 500- 501- 502- 503- 504- 505- 506- 507- 508- 509- 510- 511- 512- 513- 514- 515- 516- 517- 518- 519- 520- 521- 522- 523- 524- 525- 526- 527- 528- 529- 530- 531- 532- 533- 534- 535- 536- 537- 538- 539- 540- 541- 542- 543- 544- 545- 546- 547- 548- 549- 550- 551- 552- 553- 554- 555- 556- 557- 558- 559- 560- 561- 562- 563- 564- 565- 566- 567- 568- 569- 570- 571- 572- 573- 574- 575- 576- 577- 578- 579- 580- 581- 582- 583- 584- 585- 586- 587- 588- 589- 590- 591- 592- 593- 594- 595- 596- 597- 598- 599- 600- 601- 602- 603- 604- 605- 606- 607- 608- 609- 610- 611- 612- 613- 614- 615- 616- 617- 618- 619- 620- 621- 622- 623- 624- 625- 626- 627- 628- 629- 630- 631- 632- 633- 634- 635- 636- 637- 638- 639- 640- 641- 642- 643- 644- 645- 646- 647- 648- 649- 650- 651- 652- 653- 654- 655- 656- 657- 658- 659- 660- 661- 662- 663- 664- 665- 666- 667- 668- 669- 670- 671- 672- 673- 674- 675- 676- 677- 678- 679- 680- 681- 682- 683- 684- 685- 686- 687- 688- 689- 690- 691- 692- 693- 694- 695- 696- 697- 698- 699- 700- 701- 702- 703- 704- 705- 706- 707- 708- 709- 710- 711- 712- 713- 714- 715- 716- 717- 718- 719- 720- 721- 722- 723- 724- 725- 726- 727- 728- 729- 730- 731- 732- 733- 734- 735- 736- 737- 738- 739- 740- 741- 742- 743- 744- 745- 746- 747- 748- 749- 750- 751- 752- 753- 754- 755- 756- 757- 758- 759- 760- 761- 762- 763- 764- 765- 766- 767- 768- 769- 770- 771- 772- 773- 774- 775- 776- 777- 778- 779- 780- 781- 782- 783- 784- 785- 786- 787- 788- 789- 790- 791- 792- 793- 794- 795- 796- 797- 798- 799- 800- 801- 802- 803- 804- 805- 806- 807- 808- 809- 810- 811- 812- 813- 814- 815- 816- 817- 818- 819- 820- 821- 822- 823- 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1186- 1187- 1188- 1189- 1190- 1191- 1192- 1193- 1194- 1195- 1196- 1197- 1198- 1199- 1200- 1201- 1202- 1203- 1204- 1205- 1206- 1207- 1208- 1209- 1210- 1211- 1212- 1213- 1214- 1215- 1216- 1217- 1218- 1219- 1220- 1221- 1222- 1223- 1224- 1225- 1226- 1227- 1228- 1229- 1230- 1231- 1232- 1233- 1234- 1235- 1236- 1237- 1238- 1239- 1240- 1241- 1242- 1243- 1244- 1245- 1246- 1247- 1248- 1249- 1250- 1251- 1252- 1253- 1254- 1255- 1256- 1257- 1258- 1259- 1260- 1261- 1262- 1263- 1264- 1265- 1266- 1267- 1268- 1269- 1270- 1271- 1272- 1273- 1274- 1275- 1276- 1277- 1278- 1279- 1280- 1281- 1282- 1283- 1284- 1285- 1286- 1287- 1288- 1289- 1290- 1291- 1292- 1293- 1294- 1295- 1296- 1297- 1298- 1299- 1300- 1301- 1302- 1303- 1304- 1305- 1306- 1307- 1308- 1309- 1310- 1311- 1312- 1313- 1314- 1315- 1316- 1317- 1318- 1319- 1320- 1321- 1322- 1323- 1324- 1325- 1326- 1327- 1328- 1329- 1330- 1331- 1332- 1333- 1334- 1335- 1336- 1337- 1338- 1339- 1340- 1341- 1342- 1343- 1344- 1345- 1346- 1347- 1348- 1349- 1350- 1351- 1352- 1353- 1354- 1355- 1356- 1357- 1358- 1359- 1360- 1361- 1362- 1363- 1364- 1365- 1366- 1367- 1368- 1369- 1370- 1371- 1372- 1373- 1374- 1375- 1376- 1377- 1378- 1379- 1380- 1381- 1382- 1383- 1384- 1385- 1386- 1387- 1388- 1389- 1390- 1391- 1392- 1393- 1394- 1395- 1396- 1397- 1398- 1399- 1400- 1401- 1402- 1403- 1404- 1405- 1406- 1407- 1408- 1409- 1410- 1411- 1412- 1413- 1414- 1415- 1416- 1417- 1418- 1419- 1420- 1421- 1422- 1423- 1424- 1425- 1426- 1427- 1428- 1429- 1430- 1431- 1432- 1433- 1434- 1435- 1436- 1437- 1438- 1439- 1440- 1441- 1442- 1443- 1444- 1445- 1446- 1447- 1448- 1449- 1450- 1451- 1452- 1453- 1454- 1455- 1456- 1457- 1458- 1459- 1460- 1461- 1462- 1463- 1464- 1465- 1466- 1467- 1468- 1469- 1470- 1471- 1472- 1473- 1474- 1475- 1476- 1477- 1478- 1479- 1480														

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

John Morris Rent of store - 6. 0. 0	John O'grady Clerk Expenses to sit			
John Kobilly Druggist 11. 6. 0	and Ballinashie quarter sessions	2	1	6
John Kobilly Druggist 8. 0. 0	Lewis Fitzmaurice's quarter Salary	6	2	10
Michl. Lydon wages as	Michl. Burke wages as storekeeper	2	7	6
storekeeper - 18. 15. 0	John Redington for 6 tons Turnips	6	1	"
John Lodge Carpenter 2. 4. 6	Rev. John Treanor quarter's Salary	12	10	"
Pat Flynn wages	Wm. Lucas' quarter Salary	6	2	10
as storekeeper - 2. 17. 0	John O'grady Petty Cash	10	"	"
Wm. Clarke on 700 building 5. 0. 0	Geo. J. O'Habertie Rent of Store	1	"	"
Martin Swift Salaries	Pip. Comyns Fuel for Livid Depot	2	2	"
as the carry up to 30 April 46. 13. 4	John O'grady Clerk pay of Druggist Bills	1	16	3
Pat Deacy wages as	John J. Blake Printing	1	9	6
storekeeper - 1. 13. 6	Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.			
R. P. P. Baby Mt. (Salary to 29 Sept) - 25. 0. 0				
John O'grady on 1/2 of Salary 20. 0. 0				

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Wm. Flatly Soap & Candles	29	19	1
Thomas Kobilly Druggist	8	5	1

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Thomas Kobilly Druggist	11	6	"
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Credit Treasurer and debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccinations 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 Master reported that the milk supplied by the Contractor was of most inferior quality. He therefore was obliged to substitute Rice and Sugar on two different occasions - approved of - increased cost to be charged to Contractor.

Required for Shoemaking -

- 3 lbs. Shoe Thread
- 2 pieces of strong upper leather
- 1/2 loss of lastings tack
- 2 Doz of Nails, Made shafts
- 4000 shoe nails
- 2 Brazil skins
- 3 shoe knives
- 1 pair of nippers

Ordered from Mr. Formans

Required for the Auxiliary Workhouse Dangan -

- 1 stone of whitening - 200 of 1/2 pails - 100 of 2 penny nails - 12 yards of strong cording - 5 barrels of Lime - 6 Water Buckets - 11 shovel and hfts.
- 1 cart of oaten straw - 3 Padlocks - 2 doz white wash brushes

Assistant Master (Higgins) reported that the Roman Catholic Chaplain did not officiate at Dangan on Sunday the 17 Inst

The Master (Mr. Lambert) explained that the gate was locked and the Rev. gentleman did not wait.

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

That Lord Wallscourt visited Dangan on the 16 Inst and brought a species of grape for which he highly recommended for the Boys and requested the Assistant Master to acquaint the Vice guardians of his visit and of his offer of those implements if they would accept of them -

Ordered - That His Lordships offer be accepted -

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

Letter to Vice guardians from Poor Law Commissioners 21 Dec. 1848 No 60643/48 forwarding a copy of a communication which they received from Mr Peter M. Donough and requesting the observations of the Vice guardians thereon.

Resolved - That Major M. Kie be requested to institute an enquiry on oath into the charges as they seriously affect the character of the Relieving Officer -

Poor Law Commissioners letter 16 Dec. 1848 No 66373 acknowledging receipt of queries respecting the appointment of Mr Henry Flanagan Relieving Officer and declining to sanction his appointment in consequence of his being Clerk of Petty Sessions.

Resolved, That Mr Flanagan be requested to resign his situation of Relieving Officer or Clerk of Petty Sessions
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: -

Poor Law Commissioners circular 16 Dec. 1848 No 9367/48 requesting to be furnished with a Return of the No. of Idiots in the Workhouse.

Read letter from National Education Office containing Extracts from a Report of their Head Inspector in reference to the Falway Workhouse National school.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners to Vice guardians dated 16 Dec 1848 No 57357/48 forwarding a copy of a memorial which they received from Mr M. Donough praying for Relief.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 15 Dec 1848 No 67122/48 forwarding a copy of a letter addressed by them to Mr Bath of Falway in reference to the Rates due on his house.

Evidence having been given that Mr Bourne of Kircullen had caused the cabin of Stephen Mahon to be pulled down by his Bailiffs.

Resolved. That the Clerk do require the Relieving Officer of the District to state whether he received the notice required by the 1142 Vic. Cap 47 in the above case.

Resolved - That 4 acres of Sand, Irish, be taken from See O'Flaherty Esq of Lemonfield Cughteraw at £2 per acre for the purpose of building the Temporary Auxiliary Workhouse thereon, and that a lease be taken for as many years as the Poor Law Commissioners may think necessary.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners to Vice guardians 15 Dec 1848 No 66148/48 withdrawing their objection to the purchasing of a horse - also enclosing a copy of some observations of Dr Phelan on the subject of Workhouse accommodation.

That the Poor Law Commissioners sanction be requested to proceedings being instituted in the Superior Courts of record in Dublin for the recovery of the Rates due by the following Defaulting Immediate Leptors not resident in the Union -

- ✓ Rev. A. M. Eye
 - ✓ Robt. Martin
 - ✓ J. D. Commins
 - ✓ Lord Plunket
 - ✓ Sir Thos B Blake (Bart)
 - ✓ W. H. Ellis
 - ✓ Mrs Ellis
 - ✓ John Stephens
 - ✓ Lord Cranmore
 - ✓ Marquis Clonricarde
 - ✓ Joseph Kelly
 - ✓ Mr Maxwell
- ✓ Peter O'Madden
 - ✓ Board of G. Smith
 - ✓ Stoner & Squires
 - ✓ James O'Hara (Minors)
 - ✓ A. B. Martin
 - ✓ M. Whealy
 - ✓ Robt. Moyan
 - ✓ Rev. Edw. Burke
 - ✓ Henry J. Jones
 - ✓ Robt. Power
 - ✓ James Martin
 - ✓ Rep. of Thos. O. Flaherty
 - ✓ Lord Fitzgerald
 - ✓ Jackson
- ✓ James Blake Butler
 - ✓ Thos. Kelly
 - ✓ Samuel Thomas
 - ✓ Pat French
 - ✓ Capt. A. Browne
 - ✓ Lord Bishop of Ashford
 - ✓ C. Close (Jr)
 - ✓ James Cuffe
 - ✓ Capt. J. Butler
 - ✓ Thos. Higgins Leppin
 - ✓ of Woodford Cottan
 - ✓ Horace Rotherford
 - ✓ Rep. of Mr. A. Law

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Nil, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Resolved. That Pat Mc Donough be appointed wardman during the illness of James Egan (who is in Fever) at a salary of £10 a year with rations & apartments.

Resolved. That the Poor Law Commissioners be requested to issue an order empowering the Vice Guardians to issue Relief out of the Workhouse to widows having one child and orphans whose parents are both dead.

Read letter from Mr. Ryan Governor of the County Jail Prison claiming to be exempt from the Rates due on the house rated to him in the Prison as he gave it up for the use of an Hospital and was obliged to rent a house outside for which he paid Rates.

Resolved. That under the circumstances the Collector be instructed not to proceed for the recovery of the rate assessed on Mr. Ryan's apartments.

Resolved. That the Clerk inform Mr. Ryan that the Vice Guardians cannot entertain his Claim of £60 for compensation for the occupation of Straw Lodges.

Wm. Whittaker Vice Guardians
Wm. Whittaker

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the *29* day of *Dec* 184*5*.

(Signed) *Whittaker*
Clerk of the Union.

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71 *Galway* UNION.
 STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *23rd* day of *Decr* 1848

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, 1300 Temporary Buildings, 100 Additional Workhouse, 600 Permanent Fever Hospital, 200 Fever Clinics, 250 Total, 3150	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Children under 2 years.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Total.		Males.	Fem.	Total.		Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.			
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	47	45	153	136	786	674	125	11	3645	In-Workhouse Hospital, 274	In separate Wards, 7				
Admitted during the Week.	4	7	56	86	61	45	10	11	211	In Fever Hospital, 11	In Wards with other Inmates, 11				
TOTAL,	51	52	209	222	847	719	135	22	3756	Total, 284	Total, 17				
Discharged during the Week	4	3	34	34	27	17	7	11	126						
Died,	1	1	5	4	4	1	3	11	19						
Total Discharged and Dead	5	4	39	38	31	18	10	22	145						
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	48	48	170	166	816	701	125	11	3771						

*Fever 24
 Dysentery 69
 other cases 181*

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *23rd* day of *Decr* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	231	486			231	486	Bt. forward	1421	3393	"	"	1421	3393
No. II.	203	425			203	425	No. X.	120	253	"	"	120	253
No. III.	144	345			144	345	No. XI.	124	324	"	"	124	324
No. IV.	131	314			131	314	No. XII.	49	140	"	"	49	140
No. V.	127	324			127	324	No. XIII.	36	84	"	"	36	84
No. VI.	165	419			165	419	No. XIV.	177	433	"	"	177	433
No. VII.	171	488			171	488	No. XV.	106	254	"	"	106	254
No. VIII.	169	387			169	387	No. XVI.	61	144	"	"	61	144
No. IX.	80	209			80	209	No. XVII.	119	302	"	"	119	302
Car forward	1421	3393			1421	3393	TOTAL	2222	5364	"	"	2222	5364

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Friday* the *29th* day of *Decr* 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, *William H. Lucas Esq*
 Other Guardians: *James H. Mauris Esq*
John M. Mc Pinn Law Esq

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 18285 to No. 18555 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 22522 to No. 22871, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Clerk reported that he instructed the following to the rates due on Mr. Ryan's Residence in the County Prison and that he informed Mr. Ryan that the Vice Guardians could not entertain his claim for Compensation for the Occupation of Shaw Lodge. That Dr. Colohan came to him on Tuesday last to report that he was unavoidably called away for a few days to Ballinasloe and that he had made arrangements with Dr. Morgan to attend the Fever Hospital during his absence.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day. The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £ 564: 8: 10 Paid during the week, £ 256: 4: 5 And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 1747: 15: 7 The Book was signed by the Chairman. The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk. The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Samuel Croft	Galway No. 1	95	17	9	124	7	11
Augh Gilligan	Galway No. 2	163	13	0	45	11	11
	St. Martin	2	15	19	53		
Martin Sullivan	Caradown	49	7	2	84	3	11
"	Claregalway	34	3	6	72	5	11
John Cullinan	Lackagh	78	14	1	58	3	19
"	Athony	3	11	1	43	4	6
George M. Donohoe	Mayella	60	0	0	41	13	11
"	William	43	8	0	72	6	2
"	Enghterard	11	11	1	49	8	5
Thomas Walsh	Caranor	15	6	5	62	9	11
James Walsh	Ballinacorney	12	13	1	59	6	6
"	Shadally	8	8	0	10	2	11
Richard M. Donogh	Caranor	20	18	1	69	1	5
		11	11	1	29	6	4
	Total	564	8	10	339	9	9

NOTE.— A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 11 was produced and passed. The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
 2. The Provision Check Accounts.
 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.
- By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 213: 13 s. 0 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	213	13	0
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	209	3	8 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	209	3	8 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	0	0 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	0	1	5 1/2
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	0	0	0

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:

- 25 Cwt 1st flour
- 2 Tm of Pastry Meal
- 4 " 2nd Meal
- 150 lb Meal
- 6000 Quarts B. Milk
- 2500 " New Milk
- 1 Tm of Salt
- 3 Tm of Tea
- 31 lb Sugar
- 10 Cwt Paper
- 12 lb Onions
- 5 Tm of Potatoes
- 5 Tons India Meal
- 300 Boxes of Tea
- 80 lb of Candles
- 196 lb Brown Soap
- 78 lb White Soap
- 7 lb Snow
- 6 lb Snow

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
 2. The Medical Officers' Books.
- The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 23 day of Dec; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	143	1	9
In kind,	-	-	-
Total,	143	1	9

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.	
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.
No. I.	Moynihan	✓	2 Tm Meal	19.7.0	By forward		1 Tm Tea	16.8.0	
No. II.	Stellor	✓	" "	" "	No. X.	Creegan	2 Tm Tea	14.7.0	
No. III.	Griffin	✓	" "	19.7.0	No. XI.	Moynihan	1 " "	9.10.0	
No. IV.	Blount	✓	1 " "	4.10.0	No. XII.	Stellor	2 " "	19.7.0	
No. V.	Blount	✓	2 " "	19.7.0	No. XIII.	"	3 " "	19.7.0	
No. VI.	Campbell	✓	3 " "	29.0.0	No. XIV.	Moynihan	2 " "	19.7.0	
No. VII.	Blount	✓	1 Tm Tea	9.10.0	No. XV.	Stellor	2 " "	19.7.0	
No. VIII.	Moynihan	✓	" "	" "	No. XVI.	"	3 " "	19.7.0	
No. IX.	Moynihan	✓	" "	" "	No. XVII.	"	3 " "	19.7.0	
Car. forwd.			11 Tm Tea	116.8.0	TOTAL,		2 Tm Tea	193.10.0	

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Commis Leather supplied to the Watchers	5	11	8 0

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

2. Establishment Account.

Quady (Check) payment of bills	11	19	11
Martin Ayres wages as the paper	3	18	6
Robert Lyons Carriage of fuel from Coughton to Bona Hope	3	4	"
John Wallis Rent of stables	6	10	"
Imperial Sun Fire Office Insurance to 1 January 1849.	6	5	0
James Griffin wages as the paper	1	16	"
Giles Edge Lambert wages as the paper	11	0	0
John Wray Carriage of fuel	5	4	3
Doris Brown Salary	50	0	0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

John and Michael Conell	19	9	4
Richard and Palmer Flour	37	0	3
John Morris Bread	3	5	4

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Richard and Palmer Indian Meal	628	17	6
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Credit Treasurer and debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

Masters Report

That the Bailu lately purchased from Mr. Stephens (and which was set in the kitchen bust on Saturday the 23rd in consequence of which he was obliged to purchase some bread and substitute it for the about:

That a Soldier of the 68 Regiment (stationed in Galway) delivered to him "the Master" on the 27th inst. an infant child which was found by his (the Soldiers) Wife on the 24th inst. no trace of the Parents has been discovered.

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

That the Porter confined a Boy about 12 years old in the Solitary ward on the 29th Dec. and left him there until two o'clock the next morning. When the Master by means of a key heard the boy crying and had him liberated. The fact of his being confined was not at all reported to the Master.

(See Resolution in reference to Porter)

Several Charges having been preferred against the Agriculturalist at Donjau and the Assistant Schoolmistress Revoked. That Major M. Rie be requested to investigate them.

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

Read Sealed Order from Poor Law Commissioners authorizing Relief out of the Workhouse to Widows having One Child dependant on them and to children whose parents are both dead, Ordered. That it be complied with: -

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners 22 Dec 1848 n. 6755/48 communicating to the Vice Guardians the Com. views as to the legal authority of Boards of Guardians to make payments for the purpose of carrying on the operations under the various Acts and diseases prevention act. -

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: -

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 22 Dec 1848 n. 6755/48 transmitting queries to be answered and signed by the person who may be app. Asst. Master of the Workhouse

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 22 Dec 1848 n. 67121/48 approving of the appointment of Messrs Lawrence Minns and Edmund Brown as R. Officers at the salaries proposed and enclosing for each of the R. Officers a copy of a Circular prescribing the duties of R. Officers & a copy of a Circular enclosing a form of Diary: -

Poor Law Commissioners letter 22 Dec 48 n. 67324/48 in reference to the deputation of Friars who waited on the Vice Guardians at Meeting on 8 Inst. in reference to the rate due on their holden Houses and requesting to be furnished with a copy of the Rating in question

The Clerk said that he forwarded a copy of the rating to the Poor Law Commissioners -

Poor Law Commissioners letter 23rd Dec 1848 n. 68192 transmitting questions to be answered and signed by the person who may be appointed Schoolmaster in the Workhouse: -

Poor Law Commissioners letter 23rd Dec 1848 n. transmitting a letter from the Secy. of Works Loan Office London requiring payment of the 5 Instalments amounting to £2260 which will be due on the 27 Inst.

Read Letter from P. L. Commiss. to V. Guardians 23rd Dec 1848 n. 68198 in reference to the salary of £120 proposed to be given to Doctor Pougham for his attendance at Morycullen Hospital and requesting to be informed of the reasons which influenced the Vice Guardians to give so high a salary -

Resolved. That we are of opinion that as there is no resident Medical Man nearer to Morycullen than Gaway (6 Irish miles) the services of an equally efficient Medical Officer could not be procured at a less salary than £120 per annum: -

Poor Law Commissioners letter to Vice Guardians forwarding a copy of a letter which they transmitted to Major W. H. in reference to the rates due by Sir Thomas E. Blake and recommending that a six days notice may be served on him -

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

Ordered that the Clerk instruct the collector accordingly -

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Read Circular P. Commissioners 22nd Dec 1848 viz. 950 m/48 requesting the Viceguardians not to write any letter to newspapers on matters relating to Poor Laws without previously submitting such letter for the sanction of the Commissioners - - -

Read Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners enclosing a copy of a letter which they received from the under Secretary in reference to the system of giving Relief in meal to persons discharged from the County Goal.

Resolved. That the system of giving Q.D. Relief to the claps in question be discontinued and that the Relieving Officer be directed to offer a ticket of admission to the Workhouse to all such persons and report the cases in the usual manner in the Application and Report Book: -

Resolved That the Clerk do write to the collector for man and request him to explain why he does not attend for the Examination of his accounts: " " "

Resolved That J. R. Hopkins be appointed (temporarily) to assist the Clerk of the Union at a salary of 15/- a week.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 184 .

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Resolved. That an offer of £60 be made to Mr. S. Antkettle father of the late in Merchants Road for 12 months to be used as an Auxiliary Workhouse = The use of the Cellars to be left to Mr. Antkettle: -

The Inspector of the Union produced an Order of Poor Law Commissioners authorising Outdoor Relief to Widows with one child and Orphans whose parents are both dead.

Ordered. That the Master do prepare a list of all the former Claps in the House with the view of discharging them from the Workhouse on Q.D. Relief.

Mr. Donnellan Agent to Mr. J. Blake Esq. M.P. attended the Board when the following arrangement was entered into between Mr. Donnellan on the part of Mr. J. Blake Esq. and the Viceguardians on the part of the Galway Union. To recommend to the Commrs. to purchase three acres of land immediately at the rear of the Workhouse to be used as a cemetery on the same terms as the land on which the Workhouse is erected was purchased and that a sum of £50 be paid out of the rates of the Union for compensation for the occupation of Straw Lodge and the Beer Sheds up to the 1st March the Viceguardians to be at liberty to remove the temporary Beer Sheds: -

The Viceguardians having on several occasions had great reason to be dissatisfied with the manner in which Daniel O'mara the Porter had performed his duties and being well satisfied of his being amenable of intemperate habits and further that he had omitted to take ^{them} out of confinement until the Master heard the Boy crying about 2 o'clock in the morning Res: That Dan. O'mara be called on for his resignation which was given and accepted Appt. to be made on the 12 January next.

The Appointment of Schoolmaster having been considered and the several Candidates having been Examined.

Resolved. That the appointment be postponed to next Board day to give an opportunity of more competent Candidates coming forward and as no reply has been received from the Commissioners of National Education:

Resolved. That the Appointment of Assistant Master be postponed for one week:

The Clerk produced a Subpoena served on him at the Suit of Mr. James Forbes for amount of his account against the Union. Also one served on him at the Suit of John and Michael O'Hara of Galway.

Resolved. That Lewis be invited for erecting a Shed at Westhouse to give increased accommodation as a school on plans and specification to be seen at the Workhouse: A clause to be inserted in the lease allowing the Guardians to remove the Timber of the Shed in giving up possession of house =

Wm Lucas Vice Guardians

John O'Farrell Clerk Union

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30 day of Dec 1848

Table with columns: Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided, Aged and Infirm, Able-bodied, Boys, Girls, Born, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Shed, Total, Remaining on previous Saturday, Admitted during the Week, Discharged during the Week, Died, Total Discharged and Dead, REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30 day of Dec 1848 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1., Total relieved out of the Workhouse, RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1., Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Includes rows No. I to No. XVII and Car forward.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 5 day of January 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, William H Lucas V.G. Other Guardians: Lewis Fitzmaurice V.G., Mayor M. Ke P.L.S.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed. The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1550 to No. 18792, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk. The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 1 to No. 18792, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk. The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
[Redacted]			

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

2. Establishment Account.

James, Prule's Charge ✓
 office as faller £25:0:0
 (old Collection)
 Martin Fullman ✓
 Same £25:0:0

Thomas Kelly Carriage of ✓			
Pauper Night's Healer	2	8	10
James Talbot Rent of Stone @ ✓			
Menlo	2	10	"
Israd (clerk) payt of bills	5	14	5
Israd (clerk) petty cash ✓	10	"	"
James Stephens Boiler ✓	12	5	6
Israd Payment of bills ✓	9	1	7
James Sweeney payt of wheels by ✓ (spinning)	6	18	2

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

John Maldon Meat ✓			
upto 30 Dec.	12	16	8

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

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

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

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

✓ Poor Law Commissioners circular 29 Dec 48 n^o. 956 M/48 requesting to be furnished with a Return of the n^o of Penements in the Union at different amounts on the 1st January 1846 and 1 January 1849 respectively.

✓ Poor Law Commissioners circular 3 January 49 n^o. 6 M/49 requiring to be furnished by the 8th Inst with a Return of the collection of poor Rate for the month of December 48

✓ Poor Law Commissioners Circular 3 January 49 n^o. 3 M/48 requiring to be furnished by the 15 January with a Return of the Sialities of the several Unions for the month of December 1848:

✓ Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 30 Dec 48 n^o. 69539/48 transmitting queries to be answered and signed by the Relieving officer for Lactagh and Atherry:

✓ Poor Law Commissioners Letter of the 2nd January 1849 n^o. 66600 enclosing a copy of a letter which they addressed to the Rev. Matthias Dyes P.P. in reference to his appointment as Chaplain of the Auxiliary Workhouse at Merchants Row

✓ Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 4 Jan 49 n^o. 70338/48 requesting to be furnished with a copy of the letter received from the

national

✓ National Education Office containing Extracts from a Report of the Head Inspectors of National Schools:

✓ Read Letter from National Education Office 4 January 1849 acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter in reference to the appointment of a schoolmaster and requesting to be informed of the Salary he attached to the Office:

✓ Resolved. That the appointment of Schoolmaster be postponed to the 12 January and that the clerk do inform the Commissioners of National Education that the Salary is £30 with apartments and Rations:

✓ Poor Law Commissioners letter 4 January 1849 enclosing a copy of a letter which they addressed to Mr. James Late Relieving officer:

✓ Poor Law Commissioners letter 2 January 1849 n^o. 69.729 referring to the letter of Mr. G. Collabertie on the subject of the land to be taken at Coughterard and expressing their sanction thereto & requesting to be informed of the term of years.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confined was

Disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Resolved - That We are of opinion that the land should be leased for a term of 99 years with a clause of Surrender every five years on giving Six months notice: —

Read Letter from Mr. Griffin R.O. for Moycullen stating that the quantity of meal which was taken from the store at Moycullen was Seven Cwt. and one quarter —

Resolved that the Clerk do write to each Relieving Officer in the Union and caution them agt. the practice of giving tickets of admission to the Workhouse to any persons except the parties call for them within a week after the order be made and that each R.O. do give public notice of this to the applicants and that if they do not apply at the Workhouse within four days after the ticket being issued the parties will not be received into the Workhouse: —

For Law Commissioners letter of the 29 Dec 1848 No 69904/48 forwarding a copy of a memorial which they received from Mr Griffin R.O. in reference to his Salary & requesting the observations of the Guardians thereon

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the _____ day of _____ 184____
(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

Resolved. That We cannot ascertain that the increase was ever voted and on our informing Mr. Griffin of this "our opinion" he withdrew his claim: —

Resolved. That the appointment of P. H. Cullen R.O. for Lactagh and Athemy (made at last meeting but omitted to be entered in that days minutes) be now inserted Salary £50 a year

Mrs Lynch attended the Board and represented that she had paid to James Walsh collector of rates a sum of £1.16:0 in error. On reference to the valuator of the Union and to the collector for the District it appeared that Mrs Lynch's statement was perfectly true: ordered. That a cheque for £1.16:0 be drawn in favour of Mrs Lynch and that the Division of shabbals be deleted thereunto: —

Major McKie Inspector of the Union having submitted the evidence he had taken on oath relative to the charges preferred against Mr Higgins Agricultural Superintendent at Dangan and the Assistant Schoolmistress & having conferred with the Vis Guardians on the subject.

Resolved. That We are of opinion that Mr Higgins has been guilty of some irregularities but not of such a nature as would justify our suspending him that Mr Higgins be called before the Board and severely censured for the irregularities he has been guilty of and cautioned to be more careful in the performance of his duties in future —

Resolved. That We are of opinion that the charges against Miss Connor "asst. S. mistress" of speculation and drunkenness are totally unfounded

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The Viceguardians having had under consideration the ^{present} manner in which Matthew Creaven R. Officer for Amradown continues to perform his duties:

Resolved
That Matthew Creaven be cautioned to be more careful in the performance of his duties.

Resolved. That Patt Aynes be appointed Ass^t. Master at a Salary of £20 a year & Station

That the appointment of Schoolmaster be again postponed to enable the Commissioners of National Education to recommend a School Master for the appointment.

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 12 January 1849

W. Lucas Viceguardians
 Wm. M. Lucas
 J. M. Lucas Clerk Union

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of January 1849.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, 1300 Temporary Buildings, 400 Additional Workhouse, 600 Permanent Fever Hospital, 500 Fever Shed, 350 Total, 3150	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.					
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Males.	Fem.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.				
														In Work-house Hospital, Fever Hospital		In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, Hospital	
Remainning on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	51	50	70	24	14	84	7	24	133	"	"	392	In Work-house Hospital, Fever Hospital	299	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, Hospital	7	
Admitted during the Week.	3	2	110	165	114	99	14	"	"	"	"	507	"	"	"	"	
TOTAL.	54	52	812	1579	961	823	147	"	"	"	"	1428	299	7			
Discharged during the Week	9	4	45	165	156	129	18	"	"	"	"	526					
Died.	1	"	3	3	11	8	9	"	"	"	"	35					
Total Discharged and Dead	10	4	48	168	167	137	27	"	"	"	"	561					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	44	48	764	1411	794	686	120	"	"	"	"	3867					
																	Fever 30 Dysentery 82 Other cases 187 Total 299

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6th day of January authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	270	595	18	36	288	631	Bt. forward						
No. II.	157	378	"	"	157	378	No. X.	128	296	"	"	128	296
No. III.	148	353	1	2	149	355	No. XI.	125	327	"	"	125	327
No. IV.	132	316	1	2	133	318	No. XII.	52	145	"	"	52	145
No. V.	137	348	5	12	142	360	No. XIII.	38	87	"	"	38	87
No. VI.	159	433	"	"	159	433	No. XIV.	167	419	3	8	170	427
No. VII.	169	482	"	"	169	482	No. XV.	100	232	4	8	104	240
No. VIII.	164	371	"	"	164	371	No. XVI.	58	132	3	6	61	138
No. IX.	73	193	"	"	73	193	No. XVII.	125	322	"	"	125	322
Car forward							TOTAL	2208	5466	35	74	2243	5540

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 12th day of January 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, W. M. Lucas Esq. V. G. M.
 Other Guardians: Lewis Fitzmaurice, Esq. M. G.
 Major McKie Esq. Poor Law Inspector,
 Richard Bourke Esq. Inspector.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 18793 to No. 19300, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

Establishment
1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
+ Hugh Gilligan Pop Rate Collector	✓		
for 100 on Abolition House at August Street	31	10	
W. St. Lucas V. C. 5 weeks expenses			
to 6 th January	7	10	
Lewis Fitzmaurice do.	7	10	

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

2. Establishment Account.

Thomas Stokes 1 set horse harness	2	10	
Agent Van Tree Office 1 yr. Insurance to 31 st Dec	6	5	
Drummond and Sons for Implem ^{ts}	11	2	4
+ James Davis, Sundries	5	1	3
Mich. O'Caranagh Tumbling Cart	5		
M. Clabury Sundries	4	3	7
W. Gallaher for drawing & surveying	4		
M. Jennings, Coffins to	14	9	4
+ J. C. Richardson Salary to 29 Sept	5	14	3
B. O'Leary salary to 29 Sept	5	2	16
J. Leonard Tempman	5	2	10

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Dr J. Courwell, Exp. to Jan 6 th	98		
Peter Mulloy Milk to Dec 31 st	200	9	1
John McNaughton Groceries Dec 29	9	3	2
do do Jan 4	5	16	4

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

Establishment
4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account. Continued

Samuel N. Roberts, repayment of a sum paid in error (see resolution)	✓	6	10
Geo R. McDonald, Pop R Collector on account collection fees.	3	50	
John O'Grady, Clerk. Petty Cash	✓	10	
<u>General Hospital.</u>			
Wm. Alley, payment of Bills	✓	31	5

Establishment
Credit Treasurer and debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above, and Credit Treasurer

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 Master's attention be called to the better employment of the Women and with this view that a considerable number of Spinning Wheels be purchased that the Men be employed in picking Oakum and Coir.

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

The Master reported he required the following, which were ordered, viz:-
1 Admission & Discharge Book.
1 Inventory Book
3 Dozen of Tablet Boards
1/2 do of Black do.
6 Yards of Rope, 1 Whip.
100 Quills, 100 Slate pencils
1 Hand Bell, 1 Bar of Iron, 1st Tivine.

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

Poor Law Commissioners letter 6th Jan'y 49, N^o 70832 sanctioning the appointment of Mr. M. Ryan as assistant Schoolmaster at the salary of 15 £ per annum and stating that they would in this case dispense with the article of the general regulation in respecting age.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 9th January, 49/28, requesting to be furnished with a statement of the number of deaths in the Workhouse for the week ending 30th Ultimo.

Clerk reported that he forwarded the return.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 9 January, 49 N^o 656, transmitting queries to be signed and answered by the person who may be appointed Doctor in place of Daniel O'Mara.

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 an extract from the Roman Catholic Chaplain's attendance Book, complaining of the Established Church Chaplain, having baptised a foundling brought into the Workhouse, and remarking that it is to be presumed, that as the child was brought to the Workhouse by a Catholic and found near a Chapel that its parent was a Catholic.

Resolved that the Clerk inform the Rev. P. Daly that as there is no evidence before the Vice Guardians to prove that the child's parents were Roman Catholics and all enquiries up to this period having been ineffectual in discovering the parents of the child, it has already been decided by the Attorney General that in the absence of this evidence, the child is to be registered a protestant, and that the Clerk do forward for the Rev. Gentlemen's information an extract from the Poor Law Commissioners Report of the 18th page, appendix "C. N^o 12." wherein the opinion now quoted is given.

Poor Law Comm^{rs} letter 8th Jan'y, 49 N^o 578 acknowledging the Vice Guardians report of the 1st inst in reference to the Memorial of Mr. R. Griffin Relieving officer.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 9th Jan'y, 49, N^o 379, acknowledging the receipt of the Vice Guardians letter in reference to the reasons which induced them to give so high a salary as 120 £ per annum, to Doctor Roughan, and expressing their thanks for the communication.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 9 Jan'y N^o 656, expressing their sanction of the appointment of Mr. J. R. Stephens, as temporary assistant to the Clerk of the Union, for so long as may be considered necessary.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 9th Jan'y, 192, N^o 49, acknowledging the receipt of a communication from the Vice Guardians in reference to a letter from Mr. O'Mara and expressing their thanks for it, also enclosing a copy of a letter which they addressed to Mr. O'Mara.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

 Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Resolved. That as the Candidates for the Office of Porter not being considered eligible, the appointment be postponed and that the Clerk do continue the advertisement to be considered on next board day.

Resolved. That Daniel Harley be appointed Schoolmaster on trial for one month, and that the Clerk do enquire of Master Patten, Head Inspector of National schools, whether he considers Harley to possess qualifications sufficient to conduct a Work-house School, on the National system.

The Clerk reports that he had been served with subpoenas at the suit of Horace Stephens, John Ireland, Francis O'Hara, J. S. Cunningham, Whablinen, William Barrett and Messrs. Rush & Palmer.

Resolved. That the Clerk do hand the subpoenas to Mr. Clifney solicitor, with instructions to enter a defence in every case, and at the same time to call his attention to the fact of Francis O'Hara's claim resting on a post-dated Cheque which he purchased.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 184 _____

(Signed) _____ Clerk of the Union.

The Vice Guardians having had under consideration the crowded state of the Workhouse and having discharged almost all able-bodied women with one child, and the impotent persons, and having conferred with Mr. Bourke and Major McKie on the subject.

Resolved. That the Poor Law Commissioners be requested to issue an order empowering us to grant outdoor relief, to destitute able-bodied persons, with the following exceptions, Viz:—
Single Able-bodied Men,
Women,
Able-bodied Widows without Children,
Able-bodied Men having less than 3 children.

Resolved. That handbills be posted throughout the Western districts of the Union, inviting candidates for the Office of Overseer of Labour, for the following places, at a salary of 8/- per weeks wages. Viz:—

- | | |
|----------------|-------------------|
| ✓ Rodmuck ✓ | Spiddal ✓ |
| ✓ Goranna ✓ | Croughanbeg ✓ |
| ✓ Lettermore ✓ | ✓ Barna ✓ |
| ✓ Carraroe ✓ | ✓ Moycullen, Doon |
| ✓ Corstello ✓ | and Galway. |

Resolved. That a Superintendent of Overseers be appointed at a weekly salary of £1.10.0, the foregoing appointment to be made at meeting on Friday the 26th January.

Resolved. That the proposal of Patrick Pippinham be accepted for 12 months to put as well as keep in repair the Locks, Keys, Latches & Bolts at the principal Workhouse, Dangan

Dangan, Merchant Road and West House for the sum of Twelve pounds.

Read a communication from the National Education Office, requesting the attendance of Miss M. Carmick the school mistress of the Workhouse, at their office on the 13th Feb, next, with the view of being admitted into the Training Institution.

Resolved that the Clerk do inform the Commissioners of National Education, that the school mistress will attend on the day mentioned, and that arrangements will be duly made for the superintendance of her school during her absence.

Read a communication from Mr. Roberts pointing out that he had paid Mr. Cross, Rate collector, a sum of £6.10.0 in error being a sum placed against his name as a man on his house, whereas he had paid the rate to P. Martin late collector. It appeared on investigation that this statement is perfectly true and the receipts of Mr. Martin was produced.

Resolved that a cheque for £6.10.0, be drawn in favor of Sam. M. Roberts, and that the Galway Electoral Division be debited with the amount.

Read a communication from Mr. MacCullinane tendering his resignation of the office of Collector. Mr. Cullinane was personally informed by the Vice Guardians that they would not accept his resignation, and that if he did not use due diligence in his collection, that they would put his bond in suit against himself and his sureties.

Next meeting to be held on Friday the 29th Jan'y 49.

W. Lucas 3 Vice
Lewis 3 Guardians.

Clerk of the Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of January 1849

Table with columns: Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided, Aged and Infirm, Able-bodied, Boys, Girls, Children under 2 years, Born, Total, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13th day of January authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., Total relieved out of the Workhouse, RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1., Total relieved out of the Workhouse.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 19th day of January 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, William St. Lucas Esq. V.G. Other Guardians: Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V.G. Major McKie, Post Law Inspector

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed. The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 19301 to No. 19327, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The examination of the Out-door Register is postponed to next Council day.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
(This table is crossed out with a large diagonal line)			

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

2. Establishment Account.

John Grady, Clerk, payment of Bills	✓	9	6	10
J. J. Blake, Printing	✓	5	15	0
John Lane, assistant Master to 13 Camp	✓	4	7	6
John Grady, Rent of Drummore and Coolahy stores, 10 th Decem ^r	✓	3	5	-
James Griffin, act. storekeeper	✓	4	7	6
John Morris, do.	✓	3	18	-
Thomas Cuffey, do.	✓	2	15	-
M. Green, Tins	✓	6	6	6
P. Walsh, act. storekeeper	✓	2	11	-
Thomas Croker, Stationary	✓	13	17	9

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

May 1 st Balance of Milk	✓	16	15	1
W. J. Birmingham, balance of Milk	✓	14	-	-
Rush and Palmer, Meal 12 Camp	✓	482	13	6

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Rush and Palmer, Meal to 12 Camp	✓	570	16	6
Fever Hospital use.				
May 1 st Balance	✓	16	18	1
Doctor Colohan, Salary	✓	25	10	-
Doctor Rughan, do.	✓	23	0	3
Doctor O'Brien, do.	✓	9	4	1
James Forbes, Bread to 16 Dec ^r	✓	27	7	-
John Costello, Groceries	✓	12	5	11
James Symonds, Coals	✓	3	9	1
W. J. Birmingham, Meat	✓	12	14	3
James Walsh, Milk	✓	6	12	7
W. Alley, 6 weeks salary as Clerk	✓	4	16	9

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

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

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

Resolved - That a sum of one pound be deducted from the Salary of the late assistant Master to compensate the present asst. Master for the extra trouble he had been put to in bringing up the arrears of the Workhouse Books.

Resolved. That the hours of meals at the Oungan Auxiliary Workhouse be as follows:-

- Breakfast at 8 o'clock
- Quiver " 1 do.
- Supper " 5 do.

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

The Master reported that the meat supplied by the Contractor was inferior and boney that he was therefore obliged to purchase meat from M. Wood - approved of. That he was obliged to hire a Carpenter to make some repairs at the Workhouse and Auxiliaries at 1/6 per day - approved of. That he required the following, viz. - ordered.

50 Stone of Wool	✓	2 Stone of Whiting	✓
50 do Wax	✓	2 Gallons of Saffron Oil	✓
100 do Tallow	✓	10000 Nails	✓
20 do Logwood	✓	12 Coven of Brooms	✓
2 ^{lb} Verdigras	✓	24 Sweeping Brushes	✓
20 ^{lb} Coprae	✓	24 Scrubbing do.	✓
2 ^{lb} of Indigo	✓	2 Map-heads	✓
5 Gallons Rape Oil	✓	40 Bales of Lime	✓
6 ^{lb} White Thread	✓	6 Flag Brushes	✓
6 ^{lb} Black do.	✓	6 Coven Strong Combs	✓
12 pieces of Paper	✓	2 Cases of Razors	✓
1 Gross white studs	✓	1/2 dozen of Shaving Brushes	✓
4 ^{lb} Gambler	✓	1 Case of Window Glass	✓
4 Painting Brushes	✓		

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

Sealed Order from the Poor Law Commissioners, dated 13 Jan. 1849 appointing Rev. M. Joyce, P. P. as Chaplain of the Auxiliary Workhouse at Merchants Road at a salary of £250 a Year. ✓

Sealed Order 16 January, 1849, authorising Relief out of the Workhouse to destitute persons under the 2nd Sect of the Act. ✓

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners, 11 Jan. 9. 1847, enclosing a copy of a report which they received from Mr. Pilkington in reference to the payments to be made by Major McKie, weekly of the works at Coghlan and the Clerk of works, and enclosing a copy of a letter to Major McKie, stating they sent £50 L. for their purpose. ✓

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

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners enclosing Sealed Order appointing Rev. M. Joyce, 15 Jan. 9. 1849. ✓

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, 16 Jan. 49, No. 1898, referring to the resolution on Minutes of proceedings of the 5th Instant as to the manner in which tickets should be given to parties coming into the Workhouse presuming that if parties called for tickets after a week that they would be treated as new cases and accordingly relieved provisionally by the Relieving Officer. ✓

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Poor Law Commissioners that the Relieving Officers have received instructions similar to those printed out in the foregoing communication. ✓

Poor Law Commissioners Circular, 15th January, 49, No. 148, requesting a return of the number of leavers in the Union at different amounts on the 1st of January, 46 & 49 for the Borough of Galway and the rural portion of the Union respectively. ✓

Clerk reported he had supplied the Return. ✓

Poor Law Commissioners letter 16 Jan. 49, No. 1838, requesting to be informed of the steps taken in reference to Mr. Flanagan, R. Officer. ✓

Read a communication in reference to the subject of the Poor Law Commissioners letter. — Resolved. ✓

Resolved that a copy of Mr. Flanagan's communication be forwarded to the Commissioners with a recommendation that if there are no insurmountable difficulties in the way that the Commissioners dispense with the conditions of Article III. of their General Order for Out Door Relief in favor of Mr. Flanagan. ✓

Poor Law Commissioners letter to Vice Guardians, 16 Jan. 49, No. 3118, in reference to the Vice Guardians report of the 13th and to the crowded state of the Workhouse and approving of the arrangements proposed to be made by the Vice Guardians on the subject. ✓

Letter from Board of Health requesting to know what measures have been adopted by the Guardians in reference to the 10 & 12 Viet. Chap. 123. ✓

Resolved that the Clerk draw the attention of the Commissioners of the Board of Health to the Vice Guardians resolution of the 20th October last relative to this subject and at the same time to state that the Vice Guardians having hitherto employed the recipients of Out Door Relief in sweeping the streets of Galway. That the Vice Guardians feel they would not be justified in incurring out of the rates of the Union any additional expense in carrying out the order of the Board of the 7th day of December last in consequence of their being a responsible body in the town of Galway who possess ample powers for the purpose both under the act of 12 Viet. Chap. 123, and their own Bye Laws, and that the Clerk do transmit a copy of the latter to the Central Board of Health for their information, with a request that the Board will not under the circumstances impose an additional expense on the Union as the present rates are very insufficient for the relief of the destitute. ✓

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -
Ditto, disallowed - - - - -
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - -
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - -
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered -

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

Read a letter from Mr. Thomas Walsh Collector asking the order of the Board to send a 15 days notice on Mr. Anne Butler of Mr. Vernon for £21. 12. 7.

Ordered that the Collector be intimated accordingly.

Read a letter from Martin Cullinan Poor Rates Collector stating that he received the Poor rates from the Represent^{rs} of John Nolan who had been returned as a defaulting Immediate lessor.

Resolved that Mr. Plakeney Solicitor be informed accordingly.

Resolved that an advertisement be inserted for supplying old ropes for 6 months, tenders to be considered on the 26th January.

Resolved that an advertisement be inserted for 100 Tons of best New Castle or Whitehemer Coals.

Resolved that tenders be advertised for supplying the Workhouse with Brushes &c as described on Martin's Journal, tenders to be considered on the 26th Instant.

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(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Resolved that Henry Cableman (late Sergeant of 5th Fusiliers) be appointed Porter of the Workhouse at a Salary of 15 £ a year and Rations

Resolved that John Martin Donbe be declared Contractor for supplying the Workhouse with any quantity of the following that may be required for 6 months.

Grey Calico at 4⁰ per Yard.
Ditto " 3¹/₂ " "

Bengal Stripes " 5⁰ " "

Blankets " 1/4 per lb (to be 7⁰ each) samples sealed.

The Vice Guardians having opened tenders for the erection of walls at Oughterard.

Resolved that the consideration of tenders be adjourned to Tuesday the 23rd, and notice be given accordingly on the newspapers.

The Vice Guardians having had under consideration the state of the finances of the Union, and being of opinion that a new Rate will be absolutely required on or about the 25th March next, and having also had under consideration the defective state of the present Valuation of the Union, both as regards the Value and description of property rated as well as the numerous errors in occupancy.

Resolved that application be made to the Poor Law Commissioners for liberty to pay out of the rates for Copies of the applotment of the Valuation made for Grand Jury purposes with the view of assisting the Valuator in revaluing the Union.

Resolved that the Poor Law Commissioners consent be obtained to the appointment of a competent

1/2
 The Clerk reported that he informed the Poor Law Commissioners as to the instructions given to Relieving Officers in reference to giving tickets of admission to applicants. that he forwarded to the Poor Law Commissioners a copy of Mr. Flanagan's communication. that he communicated with the Board of Health and forwarded to them a copy of the Vigilantians resolution passed on the 20th October last and the Bye Laws of the Town of Galway. that he instructed Mr. Walsh Collector to give 15 day notice on Mr. Butler - that he advertised for old Ropes, Brushes, Coals and Coppers. that he continued the advertisement for the walls at Cougheraid. that he called on Collectors Gilligan and Cross for a statement of the amount for which Receipts of Mr. Martin had been produced - that he called on the several Relieving Officers to have their Books in for examination on the day required by the resolution of last Board.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £144.15.2
 Paid during the week, - £1331.10.8
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £251.16.6
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.
 The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Cross	Galway No. 1	57 9 6	2058 9 3
Gilligan	Galway No. 2	50 13 6	2079 11 5
	Mr. Martin	" " "	215 19 5
	Annadawon	1 10 .	681 18 0
	Clue Galway	17 17 2	426 6 2
		19 7 2	1094 4 3
Mrs. Cullinane	Lackagh	" " "	471 4 10
	St. Henry	" " "	379 19 3
		" " "	851 14 1
G. R. McDonald	Agculleu	" " "	1097 15 11
"	Killannin	" " "	1687 4 2
"	Cougheraid	" " "	1290 8 8 1/2
		" " "	4075 8 9 1/2
Thos. Walsh	Oranmore	14 5 0	470 19 -
James Walsh	Ballinacorney	" " "	586 16 6
"	Stradbally	3 " "	64 5 11
		3 " "	651 2 5
Redm. McDonagh	Arnal	" " "	284 9 4
	Total,	1144 15 2	11781 18 0 1/2

NOTE.— A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.
 Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

These accounts are in arrears 2 weeks, owing to the change of assistant Master and the great no. of admissions & discharges. arrangements have been made for bringing up the arrears forthwith.

3
 The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.
 The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
 2. The Provision Check Accounts.
 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.
- By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - -
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - -
 The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 15 Ton office Flour
- 4 Tons of Coals
- 3 " Barley Meal
- 500 Boxes of Soap
- 6 " Rye Meal
- 80 lb Dipst Candles
- 6 " Indian do.
- 10 lb mould do.
- 12,000 lbs of Butter
- 194 lb Brown Soap
- 3000 " of New do
- 28 lb white go.
- 6 Bottles of Wine
- 4 lb of starch
- 6 doz of Potatoes
- 4 Stone Malt

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
 2. The Medical Officers' Books.
- The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 20th day of ~~Nov~~; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - -
 In kind, - - -
 Total, - 193. 13. 2 1/4

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.	RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity. Value. £ s. d.			£ s. d.	Article and quantity. Value. £ s. d.
✓ No. I.	P. Morris	✓	3 Ton 29.0.6	Bt. forward			15 Ton 145.2.6
✓ No. II.	Killeen	✓	3 " 29.0.6	No. X.	Creegan	✓	2 Ton 19.7.0
✓ No. III.	Griffin	✓	3 " 29.0.6	No. XI.	Morris	✓	2 " 19.7.0
✓ No. IV.	Browne	✓	1 " 9.13.6	No. XII.	Shulleu		
No. V.	Flanagan			No. XIII.			
No. VI.	Campbell			No. XIV.	Kerns	✓	2 " 19.7.0
✓ No. VII.	O'Connor	✓	4 " 38.14.0	No. XV.	Byrne	✓	1 " 9.13.6
✓ No. VIII.	Carey	✓	1 " 9.13.6	No. XVI.			
No. IX.	Morris			No. XVII.			
Car. forwd.			15 Ton 145.2.6	TOTAL,			220 Ton 5210.17.0

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Kealy and Co. Corduroy	29	3	4
John Higgins Wool	31	11	3

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

2. Establishment Account.

A. Delaney for erecting Coiler £3. 15. 0 -

John Murray carriage of Meal	2	13	-
Mrs Hatcher, Salary as W. & Matron to the 29 th September	8	0	4
Daniel O'Mara Salary as Porter	24	6	-
Miss McCormick Salary as Mistess	3	15	-
J. O'Connor late R. Officer, Coathurst and Carriage of Sacks	5	2	6
J. O'Grady Petty Cash (No Spare)	10	-	-
J. O'Grady, Officer and the Petty	-	-	-
J. O'Grady payment of Bills	7	11	3

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Grannon E. G. A.

To Rens R. D. on account of ODR - £2. 0 - 0

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

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

Resolved - That 40 Overseers be appointed at 8/- each per week to superintend the men breaking stones in the Workhouse.

Resolved. That an assistant Matron be advertised for the Store at Merchants road at a salary of 10 £ a year with rations and apartments.

The Master reported that he purchased a considerable number of Spinning wheels.

That the Women employed in Spinning refused to work on the 24th Instant, unless allowed extra rations, he therefore had them stripped of the new clothes and put old ones on them.

approved of - That he had the Milk stopped from 500 women for want only committing nuisance in their yards. approved of - That on his prosecution at the late Sessions 15 men were committed to prison for various periods from 2 to 6 months, for absconding with the workhouse clothes.

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

The Roman Catholic Chaplain protests against the sick from the Auxiliary Workhouse being sent to the Hospital in the Original Workhouse.

Resolved - That the Clerk inform the Rev. P. Daly that the Vice Guardians cannot make any other arrangements than those in force in the Union.

The Roman Catholic Curate further complains that the gate keeper a boy named Smith, cursed most blasphemously when he the Rev. Peter Daly was entering the Workhouse.

Ordered that the Master do punish John Smith by stoppage of Milk for 2 days and Confinement for 4 hours.

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

Scaled Order dated 22nd January, 49, in reference to the Annual Election of Guardians in this Union. ✓

Poor Law Commissioners letter 23rd January, 49, 49, relative to the piece of land proposed to be taken from Mr. Blake for a cemetery, stating that they consider the terms too high and declining for this reason to sanction the taking of same.

Resolved. That we communicate with Mr. Blake's agent on the subject.

Circular from the Poor Law Commissioners, 9th 20, 49 calling the attention of the Vice Guardians to the repayment of the sum demanded on account of the advances made by the Relief Commissioners in 1847.

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 a letter from the National Education Office, 19th Jan. stating that the 7th February will be the day on which Miss M. Cornick will be required to attend in Dublin.

Ordered. That Miss M. Cornick be informed accordingly.

Circular from the Poor Law Commissioners, 19th Jan. 49, 49, 49, requesting the monthly return of liabilities to be furnished. ✓

Poor Law Commissioners letter to Vice Guardians, 23rd Jan. 1849, enclosing a letter from Sir Thos. S. Blake relative to the proceedings adopted against him for the recovery of his poor rates, requesting the Guardians attention as to the determination made as to the steps taken to obtain payment of the Rates.

Resolved. That the Clerk inform the Poor Law Commissioners that a warrant is about being had against Sir Thomas S. Blake to be backed for Honeygal. ✓

Ordered. That the Clerk inform Sir Thos. Blake that the Vice Guardians have nothing further to add to their former communication.

all the former explanation ✓

Poor Law Commissioners letter to Vice Guardians enclosing a copy of a letter from Geo. O. Flaherty relative to the ground taken from him for the site of Cougheraid Workhouse and requesting that a map be prepared and forwarded to the Commissioners. ✓
Ordered. That the Plan be prepared accordingly.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 20th Jan. 49, 49, N. 4289, M. 44, enclosing a copy of a letter which they received from Mr. Maughan of Galway as also a copy of their reply.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 20th Jan. 49, 49, N. 4050, enclosing a copy of a Memorial which they received from Mr. Catow late Superintendent of Labour relative to balance of salary alleged to be due to him.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 23rd Jan. 49, 49, N. 3173, relative to the decease of a man named Rich^d. McDonough in the Galway Electoral division, and expressing their thanks for the report. ✓

Read a letter from James Walsh Collector in reference to the defaulting Rate payers in the Townland of Currowmore the property of Mr. W. Blake of Craunmore Castle and stating that Mr. Blake sent a man to the townland to give intimation of the collector with the view of having the Cattle removed off the lands. ✓

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Delitto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Resolved that the Collector for Urban be called upon for an explanation of his non attendance and that he be requested to state what steps have been taken by him since swearing his information for police assistance.

Resolved that the proposal of Patt Burns for the heap of broken stones at Blauen Bridge for the sum of One pound be accepted and that this sum be lodged to the credit of Establishment Account Ballinacorney Division

The Porter appointed on last ^{the} Board day having resigned

Resolved that John Kelly Wardenman be appointed to the situation of Porter at a salary of £15, a year and rations.

Resolved that ~~Francis Conroy~~ ^{Pat. McDonagh: M.M.} be appointed Wardenman at a salary of 10 £ a year apartments and rations instead of John Kelly who has been appointed Porter.

Mrs. Patt Connerie & Jno. Costello of Galway attended to claim the 5/- in

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(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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the Pound on the amount of this account for the year 1846 & 47, being prior claims.

Resolved that the proposal of Thos. Murray John Gardner and Edward Egan be accepted for building the walls of the Oughterard Temporary Workhouse at 1/8 per Cubic Yard, the work being completed by the 3^d March next. Surties Mrs. Lea and Mr. McDonald of Galway in a joint sum of £50, for the due performance of the work.

Mr. Bounke having called the attention of the Vice Guardians to the arrangements that will be required to be made in the event of Cholera appearing.

Resolved that application be made to each Apothecary in the town of Galway to know upon what terms they would be prepared to furnish the Medicines required by the Board of Health and the notice they would require to prepare them.

Major McKie having called the attention of the Vice Guardians to the irregular hours at which the paupers receive their meals and it appearing that the irregularity was occasioned by the Milk Contractor not sending the Milk in time, the Master was requested to pay attention to this subject and to obtain a substitute for Milk such as Tea &c. in the event of the default of the Contractor continuing, and the cost to be deducted from his account.

Resolved that John Egan be appointed Superintendent of Labour, on trial for one month at 30/- a week.

The Vice Guardians having considered the appointment Overseers.

Resolved. That the following persons be appointed Overseers of Labour at 8/- a week, for the following Work Districts, Viz:—

Roemuck	Philip M'Kay	Spiddal	Thos. Murphy
Spurinna	B. McDonagh	Barna	John Keogh
Lettermore	W. McDonagh	Moycullen	J. D. Macklin
Carrarae	John Kerwin	Coon	Geo. Thomas
Costello	John Glynn	Galway	W. B. Butler
Laughanbeg	Rich. Glynn	do.	Pat. Newell
Oranmore	Pat. Dermody		

The Clerk read copies of orders of the Barrieries Court on two appeals tried at the last sessions, in the case of Rev. John M'Gragh appellant and Anne Morris appellant.

Read a report from the Protestant Chaplain complaining that a Pauper named Michael Meehan who died in the Hospital on Monday Night was badly treated by the Assistant Master in the charge of Workhouse in Merchants Road and that he was not allowed to come to prayers to the principal Workhouse for the last 2 or 3 Sundays, although he asked permission from Mr. Glynn the Assistant Master.

Resolved. That Mr. M'Kie be requested to investigate this complaint on oath.

Mr. Hunter "Inspector of Manuages" attended the Board and stated that he was prepared to give employment to 200 able bodied men, at Galerna.

Ordered. That the Clerk do inform the Relieving Officer

(Officers Report continued from Page 5) The Master reported that two of the Wards in the Inam Building are appropriated to Sick and Infirm Inmates, several of whom are in a dying state and recommending that if possible it should be discontinued as it causes great disorder and puts it out of his power to keep the Quarantines in clean order. He ordered Reported that in consequence of not being allowed the necessary convenience for emptying the Cesspools he was obliged to abandon his attempt to do so.

Ordered. The Master do enquire, if the Cooper can make a Tub for the purpose.

The following Dietary was submitted to the Board by the Master at the recommendation of the Medical Officer.

Classes.	Breakfast.	Dinner.	Supper.
Men & Women	6 oz Indian Meal 2 2 oz Rice made into Strabut and 1/2 pint New Milk	16 oz of Bread made of Barley & Rye Meal and 1 pint Cocoa	
Boys & Girls from 9 to 15 Years.	5 1/2 oz Indian Meal 1 3/4 oz Rice made into Strabut and 1/2 pint of New Milk	12 oz Bread same kind as 1st @ Tues. and 1 pint of Cocoa	4 1/2 oz of Rice same description
Children from 2 to 9 Years.		3/4 lb of white Bread & 1 pint New Milk, daily	
Infants under 2 Years.		1/2 lb of white Bread & 1 pint New Milk daily.	

Resolved. That in consequence of the prevalence of Cholera, the above Dietary, as recommended by the Medical Officer, be approved.

Dangan Report.

That one of the pauper Corps named Tho' McLean from Cougheraid Electoral Division, absconded from Dangan and took with him the Union Clothes—

Ordered—Master to send word to the Police at Cougheraid.

Reported that the Contractor for repairing locks &c refused to make three lock staples, as they did not belong to his contract, without an order.

Ordered—That Mr. Higgins do explain what has become of those already fixed.

That the Gate leading to the River required repairs and was not secure enough.

Ordered—To be done by the Carpenter in the Stone
Reported that the room ordered by Major McKie to be prepared for the assistant School Master had been done, but he cannot occupy it for the want of furniture.

Ordered—That Mr. Lambert do report the result of his enquiry respecting furniture.

Requested that the Class of agricultural Boys for working be supplied with shoes as they cannot dig without them—

Ordered—That the Master will report the number of shoes completed.

Required a cart of Hay for the Horse at Dangan

Ordered to be purchased in Market.

Vice
of Guardians

John
Clark of Union

Officer of the District of this circumstance.

Read a letter from Mr. Rackford Solicitor threatening proceedings for the recovery of the fees due to Mr. Amos the late Collector, if not paid on Wednesday next.

Ordered That the Clerk do inform Mr. Rackford that Mr. Amos is not entitled to his fees according to the Commissioners regulations until his accounts shall have been audited by the Auditor of the Poor & the Commissioners which will be done some time before the 25th of March next.

Resolved That the consideration of tenders for Coals, Brashes &c be adjourned to next Board day.

Next meeting of the Board to be held on the 2nd February 1849.

Wm. J. Vice
of Guardians.
Hon. Lt. Mansel
of Spady
of Union.

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Galway

UNION.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27 day of January 1849.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, 1200 Temporary Buildings, 146 Additional Workhouse, 1500 Permanent Buildings, 300 Fever Hospital, 300 and Hospital, 300 Total, 3145	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Males.	Fem.		Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
	Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	43	46	827				584	832		721	123		"	"	4176	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates.
Admitted during the Week,	3	8	76	114	111	100	6	"	"	418			
TOTAL,	46	54	903	698	943	821	129	"	"	4594			
Discharged during the Week,	5	26	173	239	285	271	29	"	"	1028			
Died,	1	"	4	2	15	3	4	"	"	29			
Total Discharged and Dead	6	26	177	241	300	274	33	"	"	1057			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	40	28	726	457	643	547	96	"	"	3537			

Fever 29
Dysentery 116
Other cases 177
Total 322 ✓

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27 day of January authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
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No. I.	350	791	56	163	406	954	Bt. forward						
No. II.	282	730	57	192	339	922	No. X.	158	359	44	127	202	486
No. III.	190	506	10	24	200	530	No. XI.	142	360	8	20	150	380
No. IV.	159	406	11	33	170	439	No. XII.	86	261	10	16	96	277
No. V.	139	337	38	165	177	512	No. XIII.	51	142	13	20	64	162
No. VI.	190	495	47	133	237	628	No. XIV.	242	566	69	164	311	730
No. VII.	198	570	17	50	215	620	No. XV.	125	302	25	59	150	361
No. VIII.	193	450	39	107	232	557	No. XVI.	62	151	6	13	68	164
No. IX.	99	281	15	57	114	338	No. XVII.	144	377	24	68	168	445
Car forward							TOTAL,	2819	7121	489	1411	3308	8532

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 2nd day of February 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

Wm H. Lucas Esq. V.G.
Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V.G.
Major Dr. Kie Poor Law Inspector

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2053 to No. 20470 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 23058 to No. 24719, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Clerk read notice of intended marriage between Pat R. Holden Soldier 68 Regt. and Clarinda Ryan. also a notice between James James Williams and Mary Dr. Night

That he communicated with the Roman Catholic Chaplain on the subject of his protest against the sick from the Auxiliary Workhouse, being sent to the Hospital in the principal House: That he wrote to the Collector for Anan and requested him to give an explanation for his non attendance: That he communicated with the Poor Law Commissioners in reference to the proceedings against Sir Tho. C. Blake: That he communicated with Sir Tho. C. Blake also on the subject: That he communicated with Mr. Richd. Sol. in reference to the salary due to Mr. Amos late Collector: and that he carried out all the orders of the Board.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 165. 4. 5
 Paid during the week, - £ 174. 17. 9
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 242. 3. 2
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.
 The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Crop	Galway No. 1	75	12	9	19	8	16 6 1/2
Gilligan	Galway No. 2	25	8	-	20	5	3 5
	W. Martin	-	-	-	2	15	19 5 1/2
M. Cullinane	Amadown	18	9	-	6	6	3 9 0 1/2
"	Claregalway	10	4	8	4	0	2 1 6 1/2
		28	13	8	10	6	5 10 7
J. Cullinane	Lackagh	40	1	6	4	3	1 4 1
"	Athenry	51	5	9	3	2	8 1 3 6
		91	7	3	7	5	9 1 7 7
Geo. R. Macdonald	Inycullen	-	-	-	1	0	7 1 5 1 1/2
"	Killanin	-	-	-	1	6	8 7 4 2
"	Oughton	-	-	-	1	2	9 0 8 8 1/2
		-	-	-	4	0	7 5 8 9 1/2
Tho. Walsh	Cranmore	5	2	9	4	6	5 1 6 3
James Walsh	Ballinacounty	-	-	-	5	8	6 1 6 6
"	Steadbally	-	-	-	6	4	5 1 1
		-	-	-	6	5	1 2 5
R. Donogh	Anan	-	-	-	2	8	4 9 4
		-	-	-	2	8	4 9 4
	Total	226	138	11	55	44	1/2

NOTE.— A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.
 Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 11. 10. 0 was produced and passed.
 The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

The Provision account for the three weeks ending 27 Jan. is completed but the Clerk will not be in a position to certify same until next Board day (9 Feb.)
 The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
 The Provision Check Accounts.
 The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.
 The Clerk, which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 0. 0. 0

The Relief Lists will be completed by next Board day as stated by the Master and Assistant Master

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was
 Average cost in Infirmary,
 Average cost in Fever Hospital,
 The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:
 ✓ 1 Ton first flour ✓ 4 Bottles wine
 ✓ 6 Ton Rye Meal ✓ 1 Bottle Malaga wine
 ✓ 6 Ton Indian Meal ✓ 6 Bottles Porter
 ✓ 1/2 Ton Oat Meal ✓ 14 lb Tea Sugar
 ✓ 1 Ton Barley Meal ✓ 20 lb Rice
 ✓ 9,000 quarts Buttermilk ✓ 65 lb dip Candles
 ✓ 3,000 quarts New Milk ✓ 10 lb gold Candles
 ✓ 3 lb Tea @ 3/6 per lb ✓ 14 lb white Soap
 ✓ 30 lb Sugar @ 5/6 per lb ✓ 250 lb Meat
 ✓ 20 lb pepper ✓ 3 Tons fish
 ✓ ✓ A Cart of Onions

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
 2. The Medical Officers' Books.
 The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.
 The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 27 day of Jan. whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	0	7	7
In kind,	-	-	-	2	16	18 9 1/2
Total,	✓	-	-	2	17	6 1 1/2

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.	
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.			£ s. d.		£ s. d.
✓ No. I.	Inorris	✓	3 Corn	29.0.6				24 Corn	232.4.0
✓ No. II.	Killeen	✓	3 "	29.0.6	No. X.	Creaven	✓	2 "	19.7.0
No. III.	Siffin	✓	4 "	38.14.0	No. XI.	Inorris	✓	" "	" "
✓ No. IV.	Bourne	✓	2 "	19.7.0	✓ No. XII.	Bullen	✓	3 "	29.0.6
No. V.	Flanagan	✓	3 "	29.0.6	No. XIII.	"	✓	3 "	29.0.6
✓ No. VI.	Campbell	✓	4 "	38.14.0	✓ No. XIV.	Kerns	✓	4 "	38.14.0
✓ No. VII.	Obannon	✓	3 "	29.0.6	✓ No. XV.	Gym	✓	3 "	29.0.6
✓ No. VIII.	D'Arcy	✓	2 "	19.7.0	✓ No. XVI.	"	✓	3 "	29.0.6
No. IX.	Inorris	-	" "	0.0.0	No. XVII.	"	-	-	-
Car. forwd.			24 "	232.4.0	TOTAL,			36 Corn	348.6.0

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

Dr. Jennys Coffins ✓ to 30 January — 20: 0: 0	John O'Grady payment of bills ✓ 6 10 5
Dr. Hopkins Salary asst. Clerk — 3: 15: 0	James Stephens for 1 Boiler ✓ 3 8 1
Dr. O'Grady petty Cash — 10: 0: 0	Wm Mullowny Stone Hammers ✓ 2 10 "
Dr. O'Grady payment ✓ of Bills — 12: 17: 1	P. P. Lynch rent of Street Bohuby St ✓ 4 4 "
	J. Murray Sons, Timber ✓ 3 9 6
	Peter & James McKenzie Shuckaport ✓ 4 7 6
	Wm Burke, Coffins ✓ 6 2 11 8
	Wm Lucas, Travelling Expenses ✓ 6 " "
	to 3 February ✓ 6 " "
	Lewis Fitzmaurice do ✓ 6 " "
	A. Clavagan, Spinning wheel ✓ 3 10 "
	John O'Grady balance of Salary up ✓ 8 5 "
	to 29 September

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

John Ironiss, Bread ✓ 6 10 8
Peter W. Voughlin, Lish, ✓ 4 14 8
James Byrne, Coals, ✓ 11 " "
John Waldron, Meat to 27 Jan ✓ 11 10 5
Constantine Burke Barley Meal ✓ 146 - 6
to 29 January
Mr. W. Naughton, Groceries to 26 Jan ✓ 11 " 2

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Collectors Fees	
Samuel Cross, Collector, on ✓ account of fees — 25 0 0	
Hugh Gilligan do ✓ 25 0 0	

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

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

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

The report stated that the Roman Catholic Chaplain does not make any entry of his having catechised the children —

Ordered, That the Clerk do call the Rev. Peter Daly's attention to the Commissioners regulations article 67. paragraph 3. relative to the Chaplains duties respecting the examination and catechising the children and to request that he will have the goodness to attend to this in future

The Master reported that the milk during the past week was very inferior, that he purchased milk from other persons

Approved of.

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

The Master having reported that some sheets which were filled in were taken out of the Clothing Books, Record of Deaths Book, and Admission, and display Book, by the Assistant Master —

The Assistant Master was called before the Board and cautioned not to do so in future —

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

Sealed order 27 January 1849 No. 5347/49 limiting the No. of persons to be allowed in the Galway Workhouse and its Auxiliaries to 3145 - ✓

Letter 26 January 1849 No. 4013/49 expressing their sanction to the appointment of 11 Overseers of Labour and a Superintendent - ✓

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 27 January 1849 No. 5777/49 approving of the Appointment of Mr. Flanagan Relieving Officer & dispensing with article par. in favor of Mr. Hanagan. - ✓

Poor Law Commissioners letter dated 27 January 1849 No. 4017/49 on the subject of the Insurance of this Workhouse and requesting the particulars of the payment of £6.5.0 on the 12 Instant. 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: - ✓

The Clerk said that he communicated with the Commissioners on the subject. - ✓

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 27 January 1849 No. 83/49 requesting to be furnished by the 10 February with the Return of Liabilities for January. - ✓

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 27 January 1849 No. 84/49 requesting to be furnished by the 10 Feb^r with the Return of Collection of Rates for the month of January. - ✓

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 27 January 1849 No. 79/49 requesting to be furnished with a statement of the Contract price of meal of each kind for the last 3 years. - ✓

Letter from Central Board of Health 29 January 1849 No. 889/49 on the subject of the measures to be adopted for the prevention of Cholera in the Galway Union. - ✓

Poor Law Commissioners letter 30 January 1849 No. 3522/49 approving of the appointment of Messrs. P. H. Bullen and P. Pyne, who have been appointed Relieving Officer and assistant Master respectively. - ✓

Read letter from Mr. Donald Inspector of National Schools stating as his opinion Mr. Daniel Hurley who has been appointed School Master of the Galway Workhouse is quite efficient for the duties. - ✓

The Clerk read a letter which he received from Mr. Murray "the Auditor" acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter of 26 January and expressing his gladness that the accounts were in so forward a state and requesting that when the abstracts would be ready they may be forwarded to him when he would name a day for Audit. - ✓

Letter from Geale and Dwyer dated Feb^r 1st 1849 in reference to the lease of Dangan and requesting that it may be forwarded to them to have an error which occurred in the expressing of the Lease, as to the sum corrected. - ✓

Mr. Redington having been sent for and he having agreed to the terms of the Commissioners viz £204.9.4 per annum instead of £215.4.10 - ✓

Resolved, that the Clerk do forward the Lease and communicate to Messrs. Geale and Dwyer Mr. Redington's acquiescence to the reduction of the sum, from £215.4.10 to £204.9.4 - ✓

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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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).

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners to Vice Guardians 1 Feb^r 1849. N^o 5150 in reference to the accommodation in the Workhouse and stating that the N^o^{which} were in the Workhouse on the 15 Inst were so high as 4191 while the accommodation provided only for 3150.

Ordered. That the Master do forthwith prepare a list of all the men in the Workhouse having more than 3 children dependant on them with the view of discharging a certain number on Outdoor Relief.

The Clerk produced a notice handed to him by the Relieving Officer for Clonsilla and which had been served on that Officer by James S. Lambert previous to the execution of a civil Bill decree to obtain possession - agreeably to 11 & 12 Vic. Cap. 47.

Read Letter from Dr. Cagan who was appointed Superintendent of Overseers on last Board day declining to act unless allowed for a horse.

Resolved. That it be accepted -

The Overseer appointed on last Board day for Drom having been appointed Superintendent of Labour.

Resolved. That Peter Lee be appointed overseer in his stead.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 184 .

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

The Vice Guardians having had under consideration the state of the Workhouse and the destitution in the Union generally, and the great pressure which continues on the Workhouse, and having discharged on Outdoor Relief most of the classes entitled to Relief under the Sec^t and the act at present in force on the Union - Resolved. That the Commissioners be requested to issue an act empowering us to grant Outdoor Relief to all classes of destitute poor.

Resolved. That George Thomas be appointed Superintendent of Overseers at a weekly Salary of £110.0.

The Vice Guardians having considered tenders for Brushes &c.

Resolved. That James Davies be declared Contractor for supplying the Workhouse with any quantity of the following that may be required for 6 Months -

- ✓ Sweeping Brushes according to pattern marked at 24/6 per doz
- ✓ Scrubbing Brushes " " " 2/6 "
- ✓ Stone Curbs " " " 1/6 "
- ✓ best white and black Thread (2/6 & 2/3) per lb.
- ✓ white tape 3 1/2 per piece
- ✓ white Studs 11 per gross

and that Mr. John Mahon and Charles Kain be accepted as his securities.

Resolved. That Patrick Staunton of Galway be declared Contractor for supplying any quantity of the following that may be required for 6 Months -

- ✓ Copras 10/6 per lb, Indigo 5/0 per lb, and whitening 2/5 per stone

Ordered. That the Clerk do prepare a statement to be submitted to the Vice Guardians at their next meeting showing the stock on hand of each Relieving Officer for week ended 27 January.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners to Vice Guardians 27 January 1849. No. 5969/49 enclosing a copy of a communication which they received from the U. S. Office relative to the decease of a poor man named Thomas Murphy and requesting the observations of the Vice Guardians on the subject.

Read a letter from Mr. Griffin Relieving Officer for Moycullen stating that the poor man who died on the road at Ross received a ticket of admission from him to the Workhouse and stating that he was not buried by his brother or sister as he had no one but was buried by his the Relieving Officer's order.

Major M. Kie having submitted the evidence taken in reference to the charge of the Rev. Mr. Treanor against Michl. Glynn Ass. Master of the Merchants Road Auxiliary Workhouse.

Resolved, That Mr. Glynn be severely reprimanded for having neglected on the first application to send to the Hospital a man who reported himself to be sick. That we cannot ascertain Michl. Glynn is guilty of preventing the Protestants from attending worship as alleged in the Rev. Gentlemen's complaint and that there is no evidence to prove that Mr. Glynn is guilty of beating Michl. Drinahon.

Poor Law Commissioners letter to Vice Guardians 29 Aug 1849 acknowledging receipt of Vice Guardians report in reference to the late Treasurer of the Moycullen Fever Hospital and expressing their thanks for the report.

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on the 9 February 1849 - W. Lucas, Chairman, W. H. Lucas, Vice Chairman

Galway UNION.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of February 1849.

Table with columns: Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided (Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Workhouse, Total), Aged and Infirm, Able-bodied, Boys, Girls, Children under 2 years, Born, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (Number in Hospital, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse), OBSERVATIONS. Includes handwritten notes: 'in hospital 300 and Hospital yard' and 'Fever 36 Dysentery 117 Other cases 187 Total 340'.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3 day of February authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1., Total relieved out of the Workhouse, RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1., Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Lists districts I through XVII and totals.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 9 day of February 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, Other Guardians:

W. H. Lucas Esq. V.G.
Seán Fitzmaurice Esq. V.G.
Major M. Kie P.D.I.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 20471 to No. 20702, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. to No. inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

This Board is to be signed every alternate week

The Clerk reported that he carried out the orders of the Board

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £448.16
 Paid during the week, £432.12.2
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £257.12.6
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.
 The lodgments made of Peates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Samuel Croft	Galway R.	174	12	9	190	8	3
Hugh Gilligan	Galway R.	29	2	-	204	5	1
	W. Martin	-	-	-	215	19	5
Martin Cullinane	Amadun	1	7	-	66	2	0
"	Claregalway	10	8	6	39	1	30
		11	15	6	105	3	15
John Cullinane	Sackagh	-	-	-	43	1	4
"	Atherry	-	-	-	32	8	13
		-	-	-	75	9	17
Geo. R. Macdonald	Maicullen	16	4	-	108	1	1
"	Killanin	21	6	5	166	5	17
"	Cuyhterard	24	10	4	126	5	18
		62	10	4	101	3	17
Thomas Walsh	Crammore	4	16	-	46	1	0
James Walsh	Ballingacourt	4	6	-	54	0	6
"	Strawbally	-	-	-	64	5	11
		4	6	-	60	5	2
Redmond W. Donogh	Arvan	-	-	-	28	4	9
		-	-	-	28	4	9
	Total	208	7	1	1136	17	3

NOTE.— A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.
 Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk reported that he examined the provision Book up to the 27 Jan. and found it correct with the exception of some few errors which he corrected.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £340.14.4 was produced and passed.
 The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:
 1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
 2. The Provision Check Accounts.
 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £340.14.4
 do consumed — 241.5.7
 Received week ending 20 Jan. was £238.10.4
 do consumed 231.2.2

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £340.14.4
 Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. ✓ 340.14.4
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ✓ 222.13.2
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. ✓ 222.13.2
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ✓ 0.1.0
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - ✓ 0.1.10
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - 0.0.0

- 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:
- ✓ 1/2 Ton of best flour 6 Bottles Porter
 - ✓ 11 Tons of Rye meal - 6 Bottles Port wine
 - ✓ 6 Tons of Indian Meal 150 Pieces of turf
 - ✓ 2 Tons of Barley meal 70 lbs of dip & candles
 - ✓ 1000 quarts of Malted milk 196 lbs of brown soap
 - ✓ 3500 quarts of new milk 14 lbs of white soap
 - ✓ 3 lbs Tea @ 1/3
 - ✓ 30 lbs of sugar 2 Tons of Coals
 - ✓ 28 lbs of pepper 6 Pieces 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.
 The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.
 The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 3 day of Feb; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	0.2.0
In kind,	-	-	241.16.2
Total,	-	-	241.18.2

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.	
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.
	Group	✓	4 Tons	38.14.0				26 Tons	255.11.15
	Maicullen	✓	3 "	29.0.6	No. X.	Creaven	✓	2 "	19.7.0
	Gully	✓	5 "	48.7.6	No. XI.	Maicullen	✓	2 "	19.7.0
No. III.	Maicullen	✓	3 "	29.0.6	No. XII.	Cullinane	✓	3 "	29.0.6
No. IV.	Maicullen	✓	3 "	29.0.6	No. XIII.				
No. V.	Maicullen	✓	3 "	29.0.6	No. XIV.	Kerns	✓	3 "	29.0.6
No. VI.	Maicullen	✓	2 "	19.7.0	No. XV.	Jynn	✓	3 "	29.0.6
No. VII.	Maicullen	✓	4 "	38.14.0	No. XVI.				
No. VIII.	Maicullen	✓	2 "	19.7.0	No. XVII.				
No. IX.	Maicullen	✓							
Car. forwd.			26 3/4 "	257.17.0	TOTAL,			39 3/4 "	377.6.15

258.11.7 1/2

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
To Kealy M. Balance of Account for Clothing ✓	2	15	5

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

2. Establishment Account.

Wm. Dwyer School Reps. ✓	7	0	5
Meloherty Lundry ✓	4	12	4
James Davis do ✓	11	16	0
John McNaughton ✓			
Wm. Burke Coffin ✓	9	10	5

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Peter Kellon may Milk ✓	77	10	9
John McNaughton Milk ✓	11	12	4
Nath. Flattery Soap &c ✓	34	19	11

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Fear Hospital Exp. ✓			
James Forbes Wood ✓	32	9	6
James Walsh Milk ✓	6	2	5

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

Dr. Sullivan Esq.
D. Duffan Esq.
paid in his own
wrong having on
former occasion paid
it to Mr. Martin £1.16.0 =

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:

That the Assistant Matron at Dangan be severely cautioned to keep the girls employed more generally than they have been and that the Clerk do inform her accordingly.

That Mr. Higgins Agricultural and Superintendent, be severely reprimanded for allowing 2 Boys and 1 girl to be locked up in the provision store at Dangan and the key of the store in charge of a pauper.

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

The Clerk reported that the quantity of fuel charged as consumed for the 3 weeks ending 27 January was most excessive and far beyond the quantity charged in the preceding weeks.

Orders, that the Master be requested to give an explanation as to the cause.

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

✓ Poor Law Commissioners Circular dated 2nd Feb^r. 1849 N^o 112 m/49 requiring a return of the rates levied in the Union during the year ending 29 September 1848 and during the subsequent period down to the 27 Jan^r.

✓ The Clerk stated that he forwarded this Return by Thurs days post.

✓ Poor Law Commissioners Circular 3 Feb^r. 1849 N^o 7055/49 requesting to be furnished with a Return of the Emigrants who went aboard from the Galway Union during the year 1848.

✓ The Clerk stated that he forwarded the Return

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

✓ Letter from Geale and Dwyer 3 Feb^r. 1849 forwarding the lease for Dangan with the necessary covenants made therein and requesting the Clerk to have them executed and witnessed —

✓ The Clerk stated that he had witnessed the execution of the lease and returned to Mess^{rs} Geale and Dwyer.

✓ Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 5 Feb^r. 1849 N^o 7066/49 sanctioning the appointment of four Overseers in the Workhouse as also of an Assistant Matron at Merchants Row, also enclosing queries to be answered by the Parter and the Assistant Matron &c which appointed —

✓ Poor Law Commissioners letter 6 Feb^r. 1849 N^o 126 m/49 requiring a statement of the able bodied persons receiving Out door Relief in the Galway Union.

✓ The Clerk reported that he had supplied the Return —

✓ Poor Law Commissioners Circular 7 Feb^r. 1849 N^o 8480/49 requesting to be furnished with a Return of the

✓ Poor Law Commissioners Circular 7 Feb^r. 1849 N^o 8480/49 requesting to be furnished with a Return of the present rating of all fisheries in the Union.

✓ Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 3 Feb^r. 1849 m/6570 acknowledging the receipt of the Vice Guardians report of the 27 Jan^r. in reference to the decease of a man in the Galway Union and expressing their thanks for the Report.

✓ Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 6 Feb^r. N^o 3949/49 requesting the Vice Guardians attention to their letter of the 19 Inst in reference to the memorial of Mr. Baton as to his claim.

✓ Resolved, that the Clerk do inform Mr. Baton that the Vice Guardians are quite ready to settle his claim on his giving a satisfactory account of the Jul^s placed under his charge —

✓ Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 8 Feb^r. 1849 N^o 8560/49 forwarding a copy of a ~~Return~~ Petition which they received from Mr. John Walsh of Oughterard —

✓ Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 8 Feb^r. 1849 N^o 131 m/49 calling the attention of the Vice Guardians to 26 Sec. of 182 Vic. cap 56, in reference to the

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Appointment of Vice Guardians and Stating that a Board of Guardians should be elected at 25 March next.

The Clerk read a copy of order of appeal of the Recorder's Court in the case of James Davies appellant directing that the Rate on certain numbers (which were proved to be unoccupied when the Rate was made) be struck and that the rate of £3.5.3 which was paid on said numbers be returned.

The Vice Guardians having opened applications for the Office of Assistant Master.

Resolved, that Miss Foster be appointed assistant Master in the principal Workhouse at a Salary of £10 a year with Rations and apartments.

Resolved, that Mr. Hogan (assistant Master) do take charge of the auxiliary Workhouse at Merchants Road.

The Requisition for School Books for the National School at Dangan having been submitted.

Resolved, that a cheque for £7.11.5 be drawn in favour of Clerk for the purpose of remitting the amount to the Commissioners of National Education.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

day of 184 .

(Signed)

the

Clerk of the Union.

It having been reported by the Master that the person employed by the four Commissioners to receive Tolls at the West gate near the Workhouse stopped the horse and cart while employed in taking provisions to Dangan and demanded toll fees.

Resolved, that his conduct be represented to the four Commissioners with a request that they will have the goodness to state upon what custom or authority such a demand was made on the goods of the Union.

Resolved, that Mark Thomas be appointed Superintendent of Labour in the Eastern Districts of the Union at a Salary of £1.10.0 per week.

Resolved, that the following persons be appointed overseers of Labour for the following Districts.

- Claregalway, M. Atkins,
- Sackagh, Luke Kerns,
- Armadown, Martin Blake,
- Cranmore, Martin Ward,
- Ballinacreevy and Stradbally, Martin O'Neil,

The Master reports that the assistant School Master was ill of Fever.

Ordered, that James Dagan do act as assistant Schoolmaster during the illness of William Ryan.

The Medical Officer having represented to the Vice Guardians the want of accommodation for the Infant Children in the Workhouse and the Vice Guardians having considered the necessity of same.

Resolved, that proposals be invited for a house or houses contiguous to each other for the accommodation of 500 of this class. tenders to be received and considered on the 16th Instant.

The month of probation allowed to Pat Hyman Assistant master having expired and the Vice Guardians being of opinion that he is not competent to discharge the duties satisfactorily.

Resolved. That his services be dispensed with and that an advertisement be inserted for his successor to be appointed on the 23rd Inst. Salary £20 a year with Rations and apartments.

Major McKie having brought under the notice of the Vice Guardians the necessity of appointing a storekeeper in consequence of the great quantity of provisions which are to be sent from the auxiliary Workhouses from the principal Workhouse.

Resolved. That Henry Taberner (Key?) be appointed storekeeper at a Salary of £20 a year with rations and apartments.

The Vice Guardians having on several occasions had reason to be dissatisfied at the manner in which Mr. Campbell Relieving Officer for Killanin West performs his duties and it having come to the knowledge of Mr. Vica, at his ^{last} visit to the west that Mr. Campbell had some cases on his Books for Relief who had cattle and this information was not given by Mr. Campbell.

Resolved, that he be called on for his resignation.

Resolved. That Frances Benn be appointed wardmaid at the auxiliary workhouse at merchants Road at a Salary of £5 a year with Rations and apartments.

The Protestant Chaplain complained that the Protestant children at Dangan were in the habit of being turned out of the school Room while the Roman Catholic children were being instructed.

The Vice Guardians having requested their Inspector Major McKie to investigate this complaint he reported to the Board that he had done so and that he was of opinion that the Protestant children had not been treated in the way represented by the Rev. Mr. Jeanor and that he could not ascertain that there was any cause of complaint whatever.

Ordered. That the Clerk do inform the Rev. Mr. Jeanor accordingly.

It having come to the knowledge of the Vice Guardians that Mr. Morris and Mr. Killeen Relieving Officers for Galway had been guilty of malpractices in the discharge of their duties and the Vice Guardians having found on examination of their accounts that they had charged for the Relief in instances where persons had died several weeks since.

Ordered. That Morris and Killeen be instantly suspended and that we do make a further investigation into the matter on Tuesday assisted by our Inspector.

That Mr. Connolly do act as Relieving Officer in Mr. Morris District and Mr. Hartler in Mr. Killeens District.

The Clerk reported that he had not received any reply to his communication to the collector for Aran.

Resolved. That Major McKie be requested to issue a summons for his attendance on Friday next to account for his neglect in not attending for the examination of his accounts.

Mr. Reid. the late Clerk reported to the Vice Guardians that on his posting up his accounts for the half

On Monday 23 March last he discovered that an order to the amount of £31.0.0 was issued to James Morris Relieving Officer for Cloughalway week ending 8 March which that Officer did not acknowledge in his Receipt and Expenditure Book.

Resolved - That the Clerk do call on James Morris to furnish account for the amount.

Letter to Vice Guardians No. 4823/49 approving the appointment of a competent Valuator to revalue the property of the Union.

Resolved. That advertisements be immediately inserted inviting proposals from competent persons willing to revalue the property of the Union. Tenders to be sent in on or before Friday the 23rd.

W. Lucas
W. C. Maurin } Vice Guardians

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of February 1849.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, 1200 Temporary Buildings, 145 Additional Workhouse, 1500 Total, 3145	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Males.	Fem.		Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, 39	30	739	142	201	192	93				313	In Workhouse Hospital, 318	In separate Wards, 4		
Admitted during the Week, 4	5	524	100	56	34		1	1	259		In Fever Hospital, "	In Wards with other inmates, "		
TOTAL,	43	35	793	1546	657	526	95			3695	Total, 348	Total, 4		
Discharged during the Week, 11	9	56	73	35	41	6			224					
Died, "			8	2	5	6	1		22					
Total Discharged and Dead, 4	9	64	75	40	47	7			246					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, 39	26	729	147	167	179	88			3449					
											Fever 25			
											Dysentery 131			
											Other Cases 192			
											Total, 348			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10th day of February authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	482	983	97	307	579	1290	Bt. forward						
No. II.	323	831	107	336	430	1167	No. X.	171	373	97	282	268	655
No. III.	217	567	69	244	276	811	No. XI.	132	287	21	69	153	356
No. IV.	161	414	21	85	182	499	No. XII.	106	326	20	60	126	386
No. V.	168	369	56	280	224	649	No. XIII.	90	213	24	50	114	263
No. VI.	206	571	74	250	280	821	No. XIV.	280	640	114	316	394	950
No. VII.	219	590	60	238	279	828	No. XV.	143	333	78	201	221	534
No. VIII.	207	591	96	352	303	943	No. XVI.	66	170	15	35	81	205
No. IX.	102	269	16	49	118	318	No. XVII.	143	410	46	171	189	581
							Unrelieved Large	7	37	39	39	48	76
Car. forward							TOTAL,	3225	7974	1040	3364	4265	11388

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 16th day of February 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, *W. Lucas Esq. R. G. G.*
 Other Guardians: *Lewis C. Maurin Esq. R. G. G.*
Major McKie, Barr. Law Inspector.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 20702 to No. 20960, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 24730 to No. 25729, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

20702
 20960

[Handwritten flourish]

The Clerk reported that he communicated with the Town Commrs on the subject of toll fees having been demanded on the goods of the Union - that he advertised for a house for the accommodation of 500 Infant Children - that he advertised for an assistant Master and for a Valuator and Provisioner - that he communicated with the Protestant Chaplain on the subject of the Protestant Children at Dangan - that he communicated with James Morris Relieving Officer in reference to the order which he did not acknowledge in his Receipt and Expenditure Book - that he communicated with Mr. Caton on the subject of his Salary.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £ 83. 16. 3
 Paid during the week, £ 328. 4. 1
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 13. 4. 8
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.
 The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
J. Cross	Galway No. 1.	17	18	8	189	15	6
H. Gilligan	Galway No. 2.	"	"	"	20	45	15
	Mr. Markie	"	"	"	2	15	19
M. Cullinane	Annaghdown	3	"	"	6	59	2
"	Charl Galway	4	10	9	387	2	3
		7	10	9	10	66	4
J. Cullinane	Beckagh	6	4	11	424	19	2
"	Atheury	3	15	1	324	18	5
		10	"	"	7	49	7
Geo. R. McDonald	Injucullen	31	19	0	1049	12	11
"	McLunnin	17	0	12	3	445	5
"	Oughteraid	8	11	5	1182	6	11
		286	2	8	3727	5	3
J. Walsh	Cranmore	1	19	0	459	1	3
J. Walsh	Ballinacounty	"	"	"	540	16	6
"	Shabally	"	"	"	64	5	11
		"	"	"	605	2	5
R. McDonagh	Arund	"	"	"	605	2	5
					1028	6	7

NOTE.— A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.
 Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ Nil was produced and passed.
 The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 237 s. 9 d. 8 1/2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	237	9	8 1/2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	199	4	10
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	199	4	10
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	1	0 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	0	1	10 1/4
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	-	-	-

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

- Non of fruit flour 112^{lb} Malt, 8^{lb} Stops.
- 6 do Indian Meal 6 Bottles Wine
- 2000 Quarts New Milk 2 Con of Oish
- one Ton of salt 10 cut Onions
- 3^{lb} Tea @ 3/8 300^{lb} Meat
- 40^{lb} Sugar @ 5^o 300 Boxes of Soap
- 60^{lb} " " 4^o 1 Ton Coal
- 28^{lb} Pepper 6 Boxes Soap Dangan
- 10^{lb} Mould Candles 80^{lb} Dipt Candles, 224^{lb} of
- 2 Loads Fire wood Brown Soap and 28^{lb} white.

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 10th day of July; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	£	13	11
In kind,	-	-	-	287	16	3 1/4
Total,	-	-	-	288	10	2 1/4

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.		
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.	
			£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	
No. I.	Connely	✓	5	Ton	48.7.6	Bt. forward	25	Ton	241.7.6	
No. II.	Speller	✓	4	"	38.14.0	No. X.	Creaney	3	"	29.0.6
No. III.	Guffin	✓	4	"	38.14.0	No. XI.	Morris	"	"	"
No. IV.	Browne	✓	2	"	19.7.0	No. XII.	Cullen	2	"	19.7.0
No. V.	Flanagan	✓	3	"	29.0.6	No. XIII.	"	3	"	"
No. VI.	Campbell	✓	"	"	"	No. XIV.	Kerns	4	"	38.14.0
No. VII.	Donnar	✓	"	"	"	No. XV.	Fyenne	2	"	19.7.0
No. VIII.	Curry	✓	2	"	19.7.0	No. XVI.	"	3	"	"
No. IX.	Morris	✓	5	"	48.7.6	No. XVII.	"	3	"	"
Car. forwd.			25	Ton	241.7.6	TOTAL,		36	Ton	348.6.0

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Blank account			

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

2. Establishment Account.

W. McErmick, Hair to 12 Feby.	✓	4	18	7
Bridg & Connely services as Cook at Salahoona, to 12 Feby.	✓	1	12	0
J. J. Blake, Printing to 7 Feby.	✓	11	5	4
John O'Grady, payment of Bills	✓	11	12	10
John O'Grady do.	✓	5	"	"
Mark Thomas, Superintendent of Labour to pay overcoers.	✓	4	"	"

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Peter McLaughlin Fish to 10 Feby.	✓	1	0	9
Peter Mulvey Milk 27 Feby.	✓	148	6	10

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

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

Resolved: That the subject of the quantity of fuel consumed in the various Work-houses be taken into consideration on Friday next.

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

The Agriculturist at Dangan submitted a list of the seed that would be required to crop the ground at Dangan viz:-

- 6th Carrots, (3 descriptions).
- 6th Parsnips 2 - do.
- 6th Cabbages 4th do.
- 9th Swedish Turnips
- 4th Onions
- 2th Leek
- 4th Rape
- 4th Aberdeen Turnips
- 2th Globe do.
- 5th Mangle Whitecell
- 6th Bush Spring Potatoes
- 6th do Autumn do.

Ordered from Messrs Drummond & Co Dawson St, Dublin.

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

Sealed Order from the Poor Law Commissioners, 13 Feby 1849, N^o 8843, authorizing Relief to all able bodied persons out of the Workhouse, not being poor widows having two or more legitimate children dependant on them.

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 8 Feby, 1849, N^o 128 Calling the attention of the Clerk of each Union to the 15 Sect of the Marriage act, which requires the Notices to be read at the Board Meetings.

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:)

Poor Law Commissioners Circular, 8 Feby, 49, N^o 81, in reference to the Manner and period in which the Election of Guardians should be conducted.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 13 feby 49, N^o 8843, transmitting Queries in reference to the appointment of Superintendent of Labour and Overseers respectively.

Poor Law Commissioners letter, 13 Feby, 49, N^o 8843, transmitting Queries to be answered by Mr. Daniel Hurley, who was appointed Schoolmaster.

Letter to Vice Guardians, N^o 7365, stating as the Comrs opinion, that in the case of Stephen Mahon whose Cabin was thrown down by a number of men in the employment of Mr. Michael Browne, that it would appear to be possibly a Misdemeanour.

Ordered That the evidence and other papers relating to this case be forwarded to Mr. Blakeney, with a request that he will have the goodness to state what chance of success there would be of a prosecution.

Letter

Letter from Central Board of Health, 14 feby, N^o 1369, enclosing a copy of a letter which they received from Doctor Roughan Medical Officer at Moycullen on the subject of Dispensary Relief in that district.

Resolved That the necessity of providing Hospital Relief at Moycullen be considered at next Meeting, in the mean time that we do make enquiries on the subject.

Poor Law Comms Circular 14, feby, 49, N^o 148, on the subject of the Manner in which Returns should be forwarded to the Poor Law Commissioners.

Poor Law Commissioners, Circular, dated, 14 feby, 49, N^o 149, requesting to be furnished with a statement of the amount of Salaries and other remunerations to Union Officers, during the Year ending 29th September, 1848.

Poor Law Commissioners letter, 15 feby, 49, N^o 9399, approving of the appointment of Messrs Kelly & McDonagh who have been appointed Porter and Wardsman in the Workhouse respectively.

Poor Law Commissioners letter to Vice Guardians, dated 13 feby, 49, N^o 9402, forwarding a copy of a communication which they received from Mr. Giffen in reference to property rated to him in the Galway Union.

Ordered That the Clerk prepare a copy of the Rating.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-
Ditto, disallowed	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-
The number of cases of provisional Outdoor relief was	-
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-
The number of other applicants in the Protesting Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered	-

Poor

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.

For Law Commissioners letter of 15 Feb, to Vice Guardians, enclosing a copy of a communication, which they received from Mr. P. Lynch on the subject of his claim against the Galway Union.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners to Vice Guardians, enclosing a copy of an extract from Major McKie's report on the subject of the Galway Work House and its Auxiliaries.

Ordered. That the Masters attention be again called to the points alluded to in Major McKie's communication.

Doctor Colohan Medical attendant at the Galway Temporary Fever Hospital applied for an increase of salary or for Apothecary assistance on the grounds of increased duties.

Resolved. That Doctor Colohan be informed that the Vice Guardians have had under their attentive consideration his application for the services of an apothecary

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

apothecary and that they regret that owing to the embarrassed position of the Union they would not be justified in acceding to his request.

Mr. McDonough Collector for Arran attended the Board, and stated that on his having proceeded with some police to the Island of Arran to collect the Poor Rates he was rescued.

Resolved. That he do at once secure the necessary informations before Mr. Kiernan Resident Magistrate, with the view of obtaining the assistance of the Military in the collection of the rates.

Doctor Richardson Apothecary applied to the Board for an increase of salary on the grounds of increased duties.

Resolved. That the Clerk do inform Mr. Richardson that the Vice Guardians regret they are not in a position to grant his request at the present time.

Sergeant Faberner, who was appointed Store Keeper on the last Board day, having sent his resignation.

Resolved. That it be accepted and that his successor be advertised for, to be appointed on next Board day.

The Vice Guardians having had under consideration the quantity of tools which will be required to effectually set to work the Able-bodied recipients of Out door Relief, and having examined into the state of repair of the present stock of tools on hand.

Resolved

Resolved That application be made to the Board of Works for a supply of Implements, and that each Inspector of Overseers be called out to supply an estimate of the probable quantity that may be required in addition to those at present in use in the Union.

Resolved That the Matron of the Merchants Road Auxiliary Workhouse and the Assistant Matron be called on to name two sureties at Meeting on Friday next, the former in a sum of 50£ and the latter in a sum of 25£.

The Agricultural Superintendent named Bernard O'Flaherty & Mr. P. Ryan, as his sureties.

Resolved That they be approved of and the Bond be executed accordingly.

The various proposals for erecting a House or Houses for the Infant poor having been opened and considered

Resolved That they be rejected the places being considered unfit for the purpose and that the Clerk do continue the advertisement.

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Witnessed: J. Vice
 L. W. Maurice, Guardians.
 J. P. Hopkins, acting Clerk

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of February 1849.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, 1200 Temporary Buildings, 145 Additional Workhouse, 1500 Permanent Fever Hospital, 300 Fever Sheds, — Total, 3145	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Children under 2 years.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Remainng on previous Saturday, as per last Return, } 39 26 779 1171 617 475 88 " " 3447	In Workhouse } 297	In separate Wards, } 7													
Admitted during the Week, } 4 3 58 101 43 34 2 " " 215	In Hospital, } 0	In Wards with other Inmates, } 0													
TOTAL, } 43 29 787 1572 660 513 90 " " 3694	Total, } 297	Total, } 7													
Discharged during the Week } 9 7 104 144 76 74 9 " " 423	Fever —	26													
Died, } 1 2 5 6 5 " " 19	Consumption —	105													
Total Discharged and Dead } 9 7 105 146 81 80 14 " " 442	Others —	160													
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, } 34 22 682 1426 579 433 76 " " 3252	Total, } 297														

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17th day of February 1849 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	491	994	106	365	597	1359	Bt. forward						
No. II.	329	843	134	362	463	1205	No. X.	184	394	113	348	297	742
No. III.	222	579	49	314	301	893	No. XI.	136	294	35	104	171	398
No. IV.	180	460	87	141	217	601	No. XII.	111	337	38	123	149	460
No. V.	187	319	83	256	220	605	No. XIII.	103	241	29	72	132	313
No. VI.	217	606	306	215	523	821	No. XIV.	293	671	126	338	419	1009
No. VII.	227	612	72	285	299	897	No. XV.	144	334	81	211	225	545
No. VIII.	267	591	96	352	303	943	No. XVI.	67	174	21	60	88	234
No. IX.	111	281	32	147	143	428	No. XVII.	141	404	53	191	194	595
Car. forward							TOTAL,	3309	8201	1441	3884	4750	12085

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 23rd day of February 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

W. St. Leger Esq.
 Lewis Citymaurice Esq.

Major McKie, Poor Law Inspector.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2096 to No. 2120, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. — to No. —, inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

Signed every alternate week

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 The Clerk reports that he prepared the Lists of debts to the
 Crummond and on for execution. that he handed Mr. Blakemore
 the evidence &c. relative to the case of Stephen Maher whose
 house was thrown down - that he informed Mr. Colahan
 of the Vice Guardians resolution in reference to his
 application for increase of salary or assistance. that he
 advertised for a Stoker - that he prepared a copy of the
 rating in reference to Mr. Glynn's case. that he called on the
 assistant Masters at the Merchants Road and Work Streets to
 name sureties to extend a Bond - that he confirmed the
 advertisement for Infants Children.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting,
 with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it
 appeared that there had been received during the week, - £69.14.8
 Paid during the week, - £49.12.0
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the
 Guardians was - £33.7.4
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board,
 their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.
 The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear
 to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.		Remaining.	
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Mr. Cross	Galway No. 1.	50	19 2	1839	6 4 1/2
Mr. Gilligan	Galway No. 2.	"	"	2045	1 5
	Mr. Proutie	"	"	215	19 5 1/2
Mr. Cullinane	Annaghdown	"	13 6	658	8 6 1/2
do.	Claregalway	2	2 0	385	0 3 1/2
		2	15 6	1043	8 10
St. Cullinane	Lacough	"	"	424	19 2
do.	Ashery	"	"	324	18 5
		"	"	749	17 7
G. McDonald	Maycullin	"	"	1049	12 11
do.	Killannin	"	"	1475	5 5 1/2
do.	Dughterard	16	"	1166	6 11 1/2
		16	0 0	3711	5 3 1/2
J. Walsh	Draumore	"	"	159	1 3
J. Walsh	Ballinacorney	"	"	540	16 6
do.	Stradbally	"	"	64	5 11
		"	"	605	2 5
R. McDonagh	Araun.	"	"	254	9 11
				69	14 8 1/2
	Total,			1753	11 11 1/2

NOTE.— A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.
 Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the
 respective amounts lodged.

the Relief List not
 yet closed.
 assistant Master
 appointed today.

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 The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting,
 amounting to £ - - - - - was produced and passed.
 The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the
 accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authen-
 ticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
 2. The Provision Check Accounts.
 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.
- By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during
 the week, was £143.10.6d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	143	10	6
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	196	11	3 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	196	11	3 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	-	0 1 0
Average cost in Infirmary,	-	-	0 1 10
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	-	-	0 0 0

- 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:
- 2 Cans of Satew Staw
 - 5 do Indian Meal
 - 2000 Quarts New Milk
 - 1 Ton of Salt
 - 3rd Tea @ 3s
 - 3rd Sugar @ 5s, 4th @ 4s
 - 6 Bottles of Wine
 - 28th Pepper
 - 1st Chili (for Soup).
 - 10 Ton of Coals
 - 80th Dipped Candles
 - 196th Brown Soap
 - 14th White do.
 - 10th Mould Candles
 - 100 Boxes of Soap
 - 30 Cwt of Coals
 - 10 Boxes of Soap

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
 2. The Medical Officers' Books.
- The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of
 the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy
 having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.
 The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk,
 having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 17th
 day of February, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure
 in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	0 18 8 1/2
In kind,	-	-	311 10 3 1/2
Total,	✓	312	8 11 1/2

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value.
No. I.	Counely	✓	4	Don 36.0.0	Bt. forward		28	Don 35.0.0	
No. II.	Shatter	✓	4	do. 36.0.0	No. X.	Creaney		"	
No. III.	Giffin	✓	5	do. 45.0.0	No. XI.	Morris	✓	2	"
No. IV.	Brown	✓	2	do. 18.0.0	No. XII.	Cullen		"	
No. V.	Flanagan	✓	3	do. 27.0.0	No. XIII.	"		"	
No. VI.	Campbell	✓	4	do. 36.0.0	No. XIV.	Kerns	✓	3	27.0.0
No. VII.	O'Connor	✓	4	do. 36.0.0	No. XV.	Fyfe	✓	2	18.0.0
No. VIII.	Darcy	✓	2	do. 18.0.0	No. XVI.	"		"	
No. IX.	Morris	✓	"	"	No. XVII.	"		"	
Car. forw'd.				250.10.0	TOTAL,			35.0.0	

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.			
2. Establishment Account.			
J. R. Hopkins. Petty Cash.	10	-	-
Budget Connors Schoolmistress	3	6	9
Salary from June to 25 Nov 48	3	6	9
W. Matter on a salary as Overseer of foodspots.	5	-	-
Peter Coakley for shoes.	4	-	-
Luke Ryan Straws 17 Feb'y	11	1	8
J. R. Hopkins. Petty Cash	5	-	-
Geo. Jones Paper of ...	14	-	-

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

The Clerks 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:

It appearing on the report of the assistant Master at Dangan that the Protestant Chaplain takes the children after prayers from the Work House into the town of Galway and that he is unable to take them back to Dangan.

Ordered that the Clerk be directed to call the Rev. Mr. Traynors attention to the Work House regulations and to request that he would not be a repetition of this violation.

The Assistant Master at Dangan reported he required the following viz

20 pair of shoes 4th Twine, 2 dozen Combs. 2 Quill Paper, 2 large paper, 1/2 lb of Quills. Ordered reported he employed a Carpenter for 4 days @ 6/- approved of that he required a horse and cart for 2 weeks at 6/- per load to draw manure to Dangan. approved of.

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

Poor Law Commissioners letter to Vice Guardians, No. 10508, sanctioning the charge of 10/- per night for personal expenses when the Vice Guardians are absent at Carraroe & Doughteroid.

Poor Law Commissioners letter to Vice Guardians, 17 Feb. 49, requesting to be furnished with a Map of the Land proposed to be taken from Mr. O. Flaherty for site for an Auxiliary Work House.

Poor Law Commrs. letter, 22 Feb. No. 1064, requesting a statement of the number of deaths in the Work House for week ending 27th January.

Ordered that the Clerk do prepare the returns.

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:)

Poor Law Commrs. letter to Vice Guardians, 23 Feb. No. 11398, sanctioning the appointment of Miss Cane Foster as assistant Mistress of the Work House at a Salary of 10 £ per annum with rations.

Poor Law Commrs. letter to Vice Guardians acknowledging the receipt of their report of the 13th Inst. relative to the occupation of a house, stated to be a recovery house for patients removed from Moyallen Fever Hospital and expressing their thanks for the report.

Poor Law Commrs. letter, 23 Feb. No. 10878, sanctioning the proposed appointment of a Storekeeper and transmitting Queries to be answered and signed by him.

Poor Law Commrs. letter 23 Feb. No. 10878, transmitting Queries to be answered and signed by the person who may be appointed Refining Officer in the Killamin West District, and Francis Rem. who has been appointed Wardmaid at the Auxiliary Work House at Merchants Road.

Poor Law Commrs. letter 23 Feb. transmitting Queries and Answers to be signed by the person who may be appointed Assistant Master

Master of the Work House.

Poor Law Commrs. letter to Vice Guardians, 19 Feb. No. 9664, relative to the proceedings to be taken against the surties of Mr. Martin, late Poor Rate Collector.

Poor Law Commrs. letter to Vice Guardians, 22 Feb. No. 12068, forwarding a copy of a Communication which they received from Mr. P. M. Lynch, together with a copy of their reply.

Poor Law Commrs. letter to Vice Guardians, 17 Feb. No. 10007, forwarding Copies of a Correspondence which took place with Mr. N. Lynch, Barna.

Letter from Commissioners of National Education, 25 Feb. forwarding for the information of the Guardians, extracts from the District Inspectors Report of the 1st Inst. on the Galway Poor Law Union School.

Letter from Mr. M. Grogan, Inspector General of Constabulary in reference to a claim for Rates made against Sub-Inspector Conyns.

Ordered that the Collector be instructed to obtain a warrant against Mr. Conyns, to be backed for Tulla County of Clare.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

 Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Certain irregularities existing at the Temporary Fever Hospital having come to the knowledge of the Vice Guardians and it having been proved that the accounts contained false entries of provisions given to patients, and the head Nurse and Porter not being able to afford a satisfactory account of the articles, and the Vice Guardians having conferred with Doctor Colohan the Medical attendant of the Hospital.

Resolved that the present staff be dismissed and that their successors be appointed at next meeting.

The Clerk having called on Mr. James Morris Relieving Officer to explain why he did not acknowledge in his Receipt and Expenditure Book, 3^d of Bread and having neglected to do so.

Resolved that the Clerk inform Mr. Morris that if he does not furnish a satisfactory explanation before next Board day the Vice Guardians will suspend him.

The Vice Guardians having opened tenders for

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(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

for the situation of assistant Master & examined the several Candidates

Resolved that Patrick Smyth be appointed on trial for one month.

Resolved that the Clerk do continue the advertisement for a strookper as the Candidates offering were not considered eligible. appointment to be made at next meeting.

The Vice Guardians having conferred with Major McKie on the subject of the various charges against Messrs Morris & Killen and having attentively considered the evidence taken on the subject.

Resolved that Major McKie be requested to report the charges to the Poor Law Commissioners and to advise them to issue an order for the dismissal of both officers.

Resolved that Candidates be invited for the appointment of the two vacant offices and that the appointment be made on the 9th Instant.

Resolved that the Clerk do again call on Mr. Campbell Relieving Officer for the Killanerin West Electoral Division, to resign his appointment.

The Medical Officer reported that Mr. O'Gradyy Clerk of the Union was ill in fever.

Resolved that John Robert Stephens do act as Clerk and Returning Officer during Mr. O'Gradyy's illness.

Resolved that Miss Maria Coen be appointed School-

Mistress

Mistress to the Dangan Auxiliary Work House in place of Miss McCormick, sent for training to the National Board of Education.

The Medical Officer having reported Miss Coen to be ill of fever.

Resolved That Miss Honoria McCormick be appointed to act as Schoolmistress during Miss Coen's illness.

The Tenders for supplying the Work House and out door relief depots having been considered.

Resolved That the Tender of Ruck and Palmer for

Outdoor, Indian Meal at £ 9. 0. 0	
Workhouse, 100	8. 15. 0
do Barley Meal	9. 0. 0
do Rye do	8. 15. 0
do Oatmeal	13. 0. 0
do Fast-flour	16. 15. 0

per ton, be only accepted for one month.

The Vice-Guardians having had under consideration the communication of the Board of Health respecting the necessity of dispensary relief at Moycullen

Resolved That the Clerk do inform the Commissioners of the Board of Health that the Poor of the district of Moycullen have dispensary relief by attending at Oughterard, and that the Vice-Guardians feel they would not be warranted in incurring any additional expense for medical relief at Moycullen other than the General Hospital Establishment.

Read explanation of the Master in reference to the ^{apparent} excessive quantity of fuel charged in Provision Check Account.

Ordered -

Ordered That the Clerk do prepare a statement showing the quantity of fuel charged in each week during the months of October, November, December, January and February in the corresponding periods of the previous year.

Resolved That the Dangan Agricultural School be forthwith placed under the National Board of Education, and that a communication be made to the Secretaries accordingly.

The Assistant Masters of the Workhouse, submitted as her securities, Wm. Foster, Raddington Road, Dublin, and John Broder of Tuam, which were approved of.

The Masters of the Prochant Road Auxiliary Work House submitted as her securities, Messrs John Harrison and Pat Ryan of Galway, which were approved of.

Ordered That the Clerk prepare Bonds for both parties.

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 2nd of March, next.

Wm. Foster Vice Guardians.
John Harrison
J. P. Stephens. - Acting Clerk Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of February 1849

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, 1200 Temporary Buildings, 145 Additional Workhouse, 1500 Permanent Buildings, 300 Fever Sheds, Total, 3165	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Children under 5 years.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	34	22	682	426	577	433	76	"	"	"	3252	In Workhouse Hospital, 257	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 7		
Admitted during the Week,	9	4	61	78	26	31	8	"	"	"	217	In Fever Hospital, 0	In separate Wards with other Inmates, 0		
TOTAL,	43	26	743	504	603	464	84	"	"	"	3469	Total, 257	Total, 7		
Discharged during the Week	9	11	61	101	50	32	5	"	"	"	264				
Died,	"	"	4	4	7	3	3	"	"	"	21				
Total Discharged and Dead	9	11	65	105	57	35	8	"	"	"	285				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	34	15	678	499	548	429	76	"	"	"	3179				

Fever 22
Cypriotes 91
Other Cases 144
Total 257

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24th day of February authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	499	998	163	387	662	1385	Bt. forward						
No. II.	334	854	155	408	489	1262	No. X.	186	398	118	369	299	767
No. III.	235	595	184	502	369	1097	No. XI.	147	301	46	168	193	469
No. IV.	189	471	55	235	244	706	No. XII.	118	353	62	212	180	565
No. V.	141	361	97	311	238	672	No. XIII.	103	241	34	92	137	333
No. VI.	224	619	96	276	320	845	No. XIV.	302	701	137	369	439	1070
No. VII.	229	616	76	300	305	916	No. XV.	157	347	86	228	237	575
No. VIII.	209	597	99	354	308	957	No. XVI.	68	177	25	70	93	247
No. IX.	114	287	36	157	150	444	No. XVII.	141	404	53	191	194	595
Bt. forward								9	37	"	"	9	37
TOTAL,	3399	8357	1467	4574	1866	12931							

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 25th day of March 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, W. M. J. Lucas Esq. P. G.
Other Guardians: James Fitzmaurice Esq. & Co.

Major Patrick Donohoe Inspector.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 21206 to No. 21422, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 25730 to No. 26098, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Clerk reported that he called the Rel. Mr. Traynard attention to the violation of the Workhouse rules in reference to the children at Dangan - that he forwarded the return of the No. of Deaths in the Workhouse to the Commissioners - that he instructed Mr. Gilligan to obtain a warrant against Sub Inspector Conroy - that he called on Mr. Morris Relieving Officer for an explanation in reference to the cost of Bread which he did not acknowledge in his Receipt & Expenditure Book - that he continued the advertisement for a Store keeper - that he called on Mr. Campbell R. Officer for his resignation - that he informed

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day. The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £596.3.9. Paid during the week, £591.9.7. And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £38.1.6. The Book was signed by the Chairman. The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk. The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

* including £500. lodged by Mr. Traynard

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining.
Mr. Cross	Galway No. 1	12 0 6	1827 5 10 5
Mr. Gilligan	Galway No. 2	" "	2065 1 5
	Mr. Mackin	" "	215 19 5
Mr. Callinan	Amaghdown	" "	658 8 6
"	Clacalway	20 3 3	364 17 0
		20 3 3	1023 5 7
Mr. Callinan	Lackagh	" "	424 19 2
"	Atheury	" "	324 18 5
		1 "	749 7 7
G. McDonald	Moycullen	3 2 5	1046 10 6
"	Kilmaurin	4 19 0	1490 6 5
"	Bughtroads	55 18 7	1110 8 4
		64 0 0	3647 5 3
Thomas Walsh	Drumore	" "	459 1 3
James Walsh	Rathineeragh	" "	540 16 6
"	Stradbally	" "	64 5 11
		" "	605 2 5
Robert McDonagh	Arain	" "	284 9 4
		" "	10857 8 2
Total,		96 3 9	10857 8 2

NOTE.— A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed. The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

- The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
 - The Provision Check Accounts.
 - The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.
- By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £118. 18 s. 4 d. v

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	118	18	4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	199	16	1
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	199	16	1
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	1	2
Average cost in Infirmary	0	1	11
Average cost in Fever Hospital	0	0	0

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:

- 1 Ton first flour
- 4 do Rye Meal
- 2 do Barley do.
- 1/2 do Oatmeal
- 4 do Indian do.
- 6000 lbs Butter milk
- 250 lbs New Milk
- 65 lbs Dipht Candles
- 10 lbs Mould do.
- 168 lbs Brown Soap
- 14 lbs White Soap
- 3 1/2 Cans @ 3s, 3 1/2 @ 3/6
- Sugar 30 @ 5, 50 @ 4
- 6 Bottles Wine @ 4
- 6 do Porter
- 7 1/2 Stach. 28 Peppers
- 1 Chili
- 3 Cook Meat
- 12 Ton Coals
- 1 do do Dangan

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

- The several Clothing Accounts.
 - The Medical Officers' Books.
- The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature. The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 24th day of Feb; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money	-	-	14 0
In kind	-	-	332 9 1
Total	332	9	1

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.	RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity. Value. £ s. d.			£ s. d.	Article and quantity. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	Conroy	✓	5 Ton 45.00	No. X.	Creaven	✓	5 Ton 45.00
No. II.	Mackin	✓	5 do 45.00	No. XI.	Morris	✓	2 do 18.00
No. III.	Giffin	✓	6 do 54.00	No. XII.	Cullen	✓	5 do 45.00
No. IV.	Keane	✓	2 do 18.00	No. XIII.	Kerns	✓	3 do 27.00
No. V.	Flanagan	✓	3 do 27.00	No. XIV.	Fynno	✓	2 do 18.00
No. VI.	Campbell	✓	4 do 36.00	No. XV.			
No. VII.	Conroy	✓	2 do 18.00	No. XVI.			
No. VIII.	Carey	✓	2 do 18.00	No. XVII.			
No. IX.	Morris	✓					
Car. forwd.			27 Ton 315.00	TOTAL,			46 Ton 393.00

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

✓ J. R. Hopkins, Petty Cash	3	8	0	✓
James Davis, Stationary to 21 Jan'y	5	18	10	✓
✓ Geo. Thomas to pay overture wages	10	-	-	✓
✓ Mark Thomas do.	5	-	-	✓
✓ Martin Cullinan on 7/2 collation fee	17	7	-	✓
✓ Wm McEarmack Hexto 24 July	3	15	3	✓
✓ J. R. Hopkins, payment of Billo	18	8	8	✓

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

✓ P. W. Spinglin Sub to 22 Feb.	18	9	0	✓
Wm Wood Meat (see resolution)	3	15	5	✓
✓ R. M. Lynch, 8 Ton of Coals	8	0	0	✓
✓ John Waldrow Meat to 24 July	14	2	11	✓
✓ Wm R. Hopkins, Petty Cash on exp	5	-	-	✓

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

✓ Rusk and Palmer on exp Meal	500	0	0	✓
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Credit Treasurer and debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

On the report of the Master regarding the following, Ordered.
For Workhouse
For Dan A. V. House.

100 ^{lb} Thread ✓	✓ 2 ^{1/2} Packing twine ✓
18 Gross of Stads ✓	✓ 100 (12 ⁰) Nails ✓
100 Nudles ✓	✓ 1 stone of Putty ✓
12 parcels of Tape ✓	✓ 1 Bag of Oats ✓
1 India Book ✓	✓ 10 stone 3/4 sack Flour ✓
12 Packet of Hooks ✓	✓ 1 do Swedish do. ✓
20 Bales of Linc ✓	✓ 7 fat of Iron. ✓
12 dozen Rooms ✓	
24 Cards ✓	
6 pair of Scissors ✓	
6 Gross Knitting Needles ✓	
5 Stone Ground Logwood ✓	
5 do Chip do ✓	
10 ^{lb} Capers ✓	
1 ^{lb} Verdigras ✓	
6 Gallons of Oil ✓	

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

Sealed Order 5th Feb, for regulating the Management of the Workhouse.

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 23 Feb, N^o 49, enclosing Sealed Order for the Workhouse Management and requesting the Clerk to call the attention of the Workhouse Officers to those paragraphs which involve any change in reference to the performance of their duties.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 23 Feb, N^o 10878, transmitting Queries to be answered and signed by Mark Thomas Superintendent of Overseers and 5 Overseers of Labour.

Poor Law Commrs letter Vice Guardians acknowledging the receipt of their report in reference to the districts of the Union in which out-door relief is afforded to able bodied Men.

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:

Poor Law Commissioners letter 28 Feb, 49, N^o 13248, in reference to the Stamp distributor refusing to issue the Fire Policy on the insurance of the Auxiliary Workhouse, unless an order authorizing the Insurance would be issued by them and stating that the Vice Guardians are fully empowered to enter into the Insurance by the 66th art. of the General Order.

Ordered That the Clerk do transmit a copy of the Comm^{rs} Communication, to the Agent of the Imperial Insurance Company.

Poor Law Commrs Circular 28 Feb, 49, N^o 13144, requesting to be furnished with a statement of the N^o of persons whose names appear on the List of Rate payers, who received either Snow Out or Poor Relief without surrendering their land.

Poor Law Commrs Circular, 28 Feb, 49, N^o 1179, requesting to be furnished with a weekly statement shewing the N^o of Able bodied Males who received out-door Relief during the year ending 29th September, 48, & the cost of such Relief.

Poor Law Commrs Circular 24 Feb, N^o 13139, calling for a Return of all Notices served upon Relieving Officers under 11th 42 Victoria up to 19 Feb.

Letter

Letter from Board of Health, 27 Feb, N^o 1830, stating in reference to the Vice Guardians letter of the 24 Instant, that they do not contemplate the issue of a Requisition under the 12th Vict chap. 131, providing for a Temporary Dispensary at Moxcullen.

Letter from Messrs Geale & Sawyer Solicitors requesting to know whether the Guardians got possession of the additional land from Mr O. Flaherty and the date.

Ordered That the Clerk do inform Messrs Geale & Sawyer that possession was taken in December last and rent to commence from 1st November last, being the usual gale day of the County - first half year rent will consequently be due on the 1st May.

Letter from Poor Law Commrs to Vice Guardians, 26 Feb, 49, N^o 12966, sanctioning the appointment of Mr John R. Stephens, to conduct the Election of Guardians and to act as Clerk of the Union, during the illness of Mr O'Grady.

Poor Law Commrs letter to Vice Guardians, 1 March, 49, N^o 13367, enclosing a copy of a communication which they received from Thomas Connolly applying for out-door relief and a copy of their reply.

Letter from Poor Law Commrs, 3 Feb, N^o 4825, in reference to the Valuation of the Union.

Letter from Comm^{rs} National Education, 26 Feb, in reference to placing the Cavan Agricultural School under them.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

The Vice Guardians having called on Mr. Lambert Master of the Work House to pay a sum of £1.2:7, being a difference between Contractors account on 184th of Meat at 5^d per lb. supplied by Mr. Edward, Mr. Lambert not having returned the inferior Meat, but used it, and he having expressed his inability to do so.

Resolved That a sum of £1.2:7, be deducted from Mr. Lambert's salary and that the Clerk be directed to furnish him with a copy of this resolution.

The Clerk reported that Mr. Gilligan Poor Rate Collector retains a sum of £45.8:0, in his hands, being the amount of Poor Rates collected for week ending the 21st February and that he declines lodging same, he retaining the amount on account of collection fees.

Resolved That an order be forthwith signed & countersigned under the provisions 100 Sect, 142 Viet, Chap, 56, requiring Mr. Gilligan to lodge the amount in question on

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

on or before 11 O'clock a. m. on the 5th Instant, otherwise proceedings will be instituted against him under the 100 Sect, for disobedience and under the 101 Sect, for misapplying the Money belonging to the Union.

The Vice Guardians having opened tenders for the office of Storekeeper and examined the several Candidates.

Resolved That Sergeant Edward C. Flaherty, late of the 5th Dragoon Guards, be appointed Storekeeper to the Work House at a Salary of 20£ per annum, rations and apartments.

Read a letter from James Campbell Relieving Officer for the William West, Electoral division, tendering his resignation.

Resolved That it be accepted and his successor be appointed at next Meeting.

The Vice Guardians having opened Tenders and examined the several Candidates for the situation of Nurses & Porter for the Temporary Fever Hospital.

Resolved That the following be appointed for the different offices at the undermentioned wages, viz:—

- Mary Fole Head Nurse, at 7/- per week
- B. Heneghan & Mary Pelly at 5/- do.
- M. Murphy & B. Lambert at 3/6 do.
- Bridget Connelley " 2/6 do.
- Biddy Clohan, Catharine Hare " 3/- do.
- Catherine Kelly, " 1/- do.
- & Thomas Griffin to be Porter, 5/0 do.

Ordered That the Clerk do issue advertisements inviting

in making tenders to supply the Work House for a month with Yellow Indian Meal, Barley, Oat & Rye Meal also fine Flour, and for the out door depots Yellow Indian Meal, to be considered on the 16th Instant.

The Vice Guardians having opened the tenders for the appointment of Valuator and having examined the several Candidates.

Resolved That Mr. Hugh Rice of 10 Ryders Road, Dublin, be appointed Valuator of the Union at a remuneration of 300 £, all Books, Maps and Stationary to be supplied at the expense of the Union, and that he be required to attend the hearing of all Appeals, that may be made against the Valuation, and to be completed on the 1st day of August next; Sureties, Pat. Stinky of Brim and Robert Orr, 22 Bachelor Walk, Dublin.

Resolved That the Master be instructed not to make any alterations in the Work House without having previously obtained the sanction of the Vice Guardians and that the Clerk do transmit a copy of this order to the Master.

Resolved That Joseph Parker do act as assistant to the Acting Clerk, Mr. Hopkins, during the illness of Mr. Grady and that Joseph Parker do receive 15/- per week for his services, Mr. Hopkins to receive for his services after the same rate as the Clerk.

The Master reported that he prosecuted at the Petty Sessions, Thomas Martin for absconding from the Work House, and taking with him the Union Clothes, also Martin Golden and Pat.

Pat Kelly for theft, Martin Tolau absconding from the Work House leaving his wife and child therein ~~and~~ Michael Burke for assault, that all the charges were fully proved, but the Justices declined committing any of the parties to prison (except Michael Burke), on the grounds of there being no prison accommodation.

Resolved That as the property of the Union is allowed to be taken away together with other gross violations of the law and no example made to prevent a repetition of such an occurrence, that Major MacRie be requested to report the circumstances to the Poor Law Commissioners.

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 9th Instant.

Witness: J. Vice
J. Guardians.

John R. Hopkins, Acting Clerk of the Union.

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UNION.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of March 1849.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, 1200 Temporary Buildings, 145 Additional Workhouse, 1500 Permanent Fever Hospital, 100 Fever Sheds, 300 Total, 3145	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Children under 2 years.	Born.		Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.			Males.	Fem.		Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.				
										In Workhouse Hospital, 184 In Fever Hospital, 0 Total, 184	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 0 Total, 0				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, } 34 15 678 1399 548 429 76 - - 3179													In Workhouse Hospital, 184 In Fever Hospital, 0 Total, 184	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 0 Total, 0	
Admitted during the Week, } 10 2 49 56 22 26 2 - - 167															
TOTAL, } 44 17 727 1455 570 455 78 - - 3436															
Discharged during the Week } 1 0 13 30 15 15 1 - - 75															
Died, } 1 0 6 3 2 5 1 - - 18															
Total Discharged and Dead } 2 0 19 33 17 20 2 - - 93															
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, } 42 17 708 1422 583 435 76 - - 3253															

Fever — 26
Dysentery — 76
Other Cases — 82
Total — 184

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3rd day of March authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	527	1176	175	390	702	1566	Bt. forward						
No. II.	349	887	173	620	522	1507	No. X.	199	425	141	435	340	800
No. III.	339	607	145	539	484	1146	No. XI.	140	295	59	184	199	479
No. IV.	194	480	99	249	293	729	No. XII.	116	344	59	194	175	538
No. V.	138	357	91	302	229	659	No. XIII.	102	246	41	113	143	359
No. VI.	224	620	99	230	223	850	No. XIV.	302	701	140	373	442	1074
No. VII.	237	639	81	345	318	984	No. XV.	155	357	90	237	245	588
No. VIII.	213	611	99	352	312	963	No. XVI.	70	182	26	76	96	258
No. IX.	105	257	57	178	156	429	No. XVII.	140	403	52	190	192	593
Car forward							at Charge	37	0	0	0	9	37
TOTAL,	3559	8612	1621	5017	5180	13697							

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 9th day of March 1849.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

W. St. Lucas Esq. Ch.

Levin Fitzmaurice Esq. V.G.

Major McKie Esq. Supt.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 21423 to No. 21587, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

Signed every alternate meeting.

Handwritten mark or signature.

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 The clerk reports that he forwarded a copy of the Commissioners letter to the agent of the Fire Office Mr. Somerville in reference to the Insurance - that he complied with the request contained in Messrs. Gale and Dwyer's letter - that he handed Mr. Lambert copies of the Vice Guardians resolutions made on him at last meeting - that he served Mr. Gilligan Rate Collector with the Vice Guardians order "to lodge a sum of £45.8.0, which he retained in his hands - that he issued advertisements for Provisions to be considered on the 16th Inst.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £645.0.9
 Paid during the week, - £606.3.10
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £72.4.3
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.
 The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining.
Mr. Cross	Galway No. 1.	£ 1827 5 11/2	
Mr. Gilligan	Galway No. 2.	£ 2045 1 5	
Mr. Martin		£ 215 19 5 1/2	
Martin Callinan	Amaghdown	£ 658 8 1/2	
"	Clare Galway	£ 364 17 0 1/2	
"		£ 1023 5 7	
Q. Callinan	Lackagh	£ 1124 19 2	
"	Atheury	£ 324 18 5	
"		£ 749 17 7	
Geo. McDonald	Moyjullaw	£ 48 17 99 7 13 6	
"	Willamin	£ 1490 6 5 1/2	
"	Dughterard	£ 1110 8 4 1/2	
		£ 48 17 3598 8 3 1/2	
Mr. Walsh	Oranmore	£ 459 1 3	
James Walsh	Ballinacorney	£ 540 16 6	
"	Stradbally	£ 64 5 11	
"		£ 605 2 5	
John McDonagh	Straw.	£ 284 9 4	
		£ 48 17 10808 11 2 1/2	

* The difference between the amount collected £10808 11 2 1/2 has been mislaid on previous weeks minutes

NOTE.— A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

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 No Relief List produced but given in a few days, with a receipt taking up.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £15.4.6 was produced and passed.
 The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:
 1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
 2. The Provision Check Accounts.
 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.
 By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £202.13.4 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	202	13	4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	200	6	8
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	200	6	8
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	1	0 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	-	-	-
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	-	-	0 0 0

- 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:
- 2 Ton Barley Meal
 - 10 Cwt Oatmeal
 - 2000 lbs Butter milk
 - 1000 lbs Sweet do.
 - 3 lb Tea @ 3/8
 - 40 lb Sugar " 5"
 - 10 Cwt of Onions
 - 200 Meat
 - 10 Ton 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.
 The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.
 The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 10th day of March, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	0 12 6
In kind,	-	-	335 18 6 1/4
Total,	£	336	6 6 3/4

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.	RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity. Value. £ s. d.			£ s. d.	Article and quantity. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	Connelly	✓	5 Ton 43.15.0	Bt. forward			38 Ton 339.15.0
No. II.	Callist	✓	4 do 35.00	No. X.	Creaven	✓	3 do 27.0.0
No. III.	Griffin	✓	6 do 51.0.0	No. XI.	Morris	✓	3 do 27.0.0
No. IV.	McDonogh	✓	2 do 18.0.0	No. XII.	Callen	✓	5 do 45.0.0
No. V.	Flanagan	✓	3 do 27.0.0	No. XIII.			
No. VI.	O'Dwyer	✓	6 do 54.0.0	No. XIV.	Kerns	✓	4 do 36.0.0
No. VII.	McDonogh	✓	6 do 54.0.0	No. XV.	Spence	✓	2 do 18.0.0
No. VIII.	Caray	✓	2 do 18.0.0	No. XVI.			
No. IX.	Morris	✓	4 do 36.0.0	No. XVII.			
Car. forwd.			38 Ton 339.15.0	TOTAL,			55 Ton 492.15.0

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

sub-door receipts	£ 3. 0. 0	W. H. Lucas Esq. Vg. travelling expenses to	6	0	0
Jan. Term. R. D. St. J.	5. 0. 0	do do do	6	0	0
Mr. Heron " £3. 0. 0		J. R. Stophkin, payment of Bills	4	14	8
Mad. rally		Sam. Cross, on a/c Collection fee	25	0	0
Bellinacomb		Pat. Flaherty, watchman Presentation to 25 Sept	5	12	8
Oranmore		Geo. Thomas to pay over fees	11	0	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

J. Higgins to pay small Bills	4	0	0
Michael Green Tins	5	8	0
Wm. McCarnick, flour	5	11	5
J. R. Stophkin, Petty Cash	5	0	0
do do to pay small bills	13	7	1
Michael Jennings Coffins, to 25 Feb	14	11	10
J. R. Stophkin, to pay small bills	3	8	7
Mr. Glyn, as Master, salary to 20 February. £2. 3. 7	2	0	0
Mr. Glyn, as Master, salary to 20 February. £3. 15. 7	2	1	4
J. Lambert, Master on a/c Salary	10	0	0
J. R. Stophkin, Acting Clerk on a/c Salary	5	0	0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Rush and Palmer, Meat to 1 March	16	10	0
John Morris Bread	11	6	11
Peter M. Laughlin Fish	22	12	6

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Rush and Palmer, Indian Meat to 2 Sept	24	7	0
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Fever Hospital Expenses.

Doctor Owen, Salary £9. 4. 1	W. N. Alley, payment of Nurses	21	16	8
W. N. Alley - do. £3. 5. 8	Wm. Clowd, Meat, 13 January	12	14	3
do. to pay Bills £5. 14. 8	Castello, Groceries do.	15	5	7
	Margt Small, Milk do.	25	5	2
	James Fyne, Coal do.	3	9	0
	Wm. Burke - Coffins do.	4	8	9
	Lizzie G. Medicines do.	4	1	11
	Doctor Laughan, M. officer, do.	13	0	10
	Doctor Colohan, do do.	7	13	5

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

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

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

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

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

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners to Vice Guardians 3rd March, N^o 13059, acknowledging the receipt of their report in reference to the arrears of Poor Rate due on Mr. O'Flynn's property and enclosing a copy of a letter which they addressed to him.

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners, 3rd March, N^o 186, calling for a return of the Monthly Collection of Rates.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, 3rd March, N^o 12783, expressing their sanction to the appointment of Daniel Sturley, Schoolmaster of the Workhouse, at 30 £ per annum.

Letter from Poor Law Commrs. 5th March, N^o 13325, sanctioning the appointment of Messrs. Mark & Geo. Thomas who have been appointed Superintendents of Labourers at a salary of 30 £ per week, each.

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 a letter from Central Board of Health, 3rd March, N^o 2041, enclosing a copy of a letter which they received from Doctor Roughan, requesting the Vice Guardians to reconsider the necessity of providing Hospital relief at Moycullen.

Resolved That the Clerk inform the Commissioners of the Board of Health that as Doctor Roughan considers it would be criminal to withhold the dispensary relief at Moycullen that the Vice Guardians are prepared to supply medicines for such dispensary but that they feel they would not be justified in increasing his salary for such attendance and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded Doctor Roughan.

Read a letter from Mr Murray Auditor signifying his intention to audit the accounts on the 18th 4th instant.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, 8 March, N^o 13634, sanctioning the appointment of Mrs Francis Bernac Ward, Mistress of the Workhouse, at a salary of 5 £ per annum.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, Dist. N^o 14479, in reference to the Resⁿ Mr Browne's communication and expressing their thanks for the Vice Guardians report on it.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners to Vice Guardians N^o 13581, in reference to the charges preferred against Messrs Morris and Killeen Relieving officers of the Galway Division

Division, and requesting the Vice Guardians to call upon Mr. Killeen to tender his resignation and stating that they would issue an order under Seal to dismiss Mr. Morris.

Ordered That the Clerk do require the resignation of Mr. Killeen and he also do inform Mr. Morris that the Poor Law Commissioners will dismiss him under Seal.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter to Vice Guardians, 2nd March, N^o 13993, in reference to the Implements required to keep the recipients of Out-door Relief employed.

Read a letter from Mr. Naoller acting Relieving Officer for the Galway Electoral Division, informing the Vice Guardians that his Store at the Presentation, was broken open on the night of the 2nd Instant and a quantity of Meal to the amount of 24 Stone was taken therefrom.

Resolved That arrangements be forthwith made for the person assisting the Relieving Officer, to sleep in the Store.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners to Vice Guardians expressing their sanction to proceedings being taken in the Superior Courts against certain parties named in their letter and suggesting that their solicitor be instructed to communicate with the parties previous to proceeding.

Ordered That Mr. Blakeney be instructed accordingly

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was
Ditto, disallowed - - - - -
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was -
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians -
The number of other applicants in the Pooleving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

The Vice Guardians proceeded with the appointment of Relieving Officers for the Galway east and west Districts also Killannin west and having examined the several Candidates for the appointment

Resolved That Edward Connolly be appointed Relieving Officer for the Galway east division at a salary of 50 £ per annum, Suggests Mr John Oliver and Martin Owens of Galway

Resolved That Peter Pettit be appointed Relieving Officer for the Galway west division at a salary of 50 £ per annum, Suggests Mr James Forbes and William Hughes of Galway

Resolved That William O'Dwyer be appointed Relieving Officer for the Killannin west Electoral division at a salary of 50 £ per annum, Suggests Messrs Michael Hennessy

Read an order of Appeal in the case of James Davis of Galway for £3.5.3.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the _____ day of _____ 184 .

(Signed) _____ Clerk of the Union.

Ordered

Ordered That a cheque be drawn in favor of Mr James Davis for the sum of £3.5.3, and that the Galway Electoral division be debited with the amount.

Read an order on Appeal in the case of the Rev. V. M. L. Park of the Council Galway for the sum of £2.2.0.

Ordered That a cheque be drawn in favor of Rev. John M. L. Park for the sum of £2.2.0, and that the Galway Electoral division be debited with the amount.

The Vice Guardians having had under consideration the manner in which Mr John O'Connor Relieving Officer for Oughterard South continues to perform his duties and finding that he does not give a full fair and impartial report of each case applying for relief, but with holding information, thereby misleading the Vice Guardians in their decisions.

Resolved That Mr John O'Connor be severely cautioned to be more energetic and vigilant in the discharge of his duties, and informed that unless he pays more attention in reporting his cases, that his suspension will most assuredly follow.

The Clerk reported that Hugh Gilligan did not comply with the order made on him by the Vice Guardians at last Meeting to lodge a sum of £45.8.0, which he retained in hands consisting of poor rates received by him and that he made a complaint of such fact on oath before a Magistrate and issued a summons to take him to the Petty Sessions, the case having been examined into and

and fully proved, the Justices declined giving a conviction until they should receive the opinion of the Law Officers of the Crown.

The Vice Guardians having had reason to complain of the slovenly manner in which Mr. James French and Francis Conroy to perform their duties as Overseer of the paupers employed in the Workhouse.

Resolved that their services be discontinued and that John Cruise and M. Tully be appointed within a week at a salary of £7 per week each.

The Clerk laid before the Board a certified copy of Candidates nominated for the office of Guardian for the year ending 25 March, 1850.

It appearing that Mr. Gealy had paid a sum of £17.0 in error to Mr. McDonald Poor Rate Collector, that amount having been previously paid to Mr. J. Martin whose receipt he produced.

Ordered that a cheque be drawn for £17.0 in favor of Mr. Gealy and that the Galway Electoral Division be debited with the amount and the surties of Martin be also debited.

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 16 March, 1849.

James J. Vice
John Cruise & Guardians.

John Robt. Hopkins Acting Clerk Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of March 1849

Table with columns: Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided (Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Hospital, Fever sheds), Aged and Infirm, Able-bodied (Males, Fem.), Boys, Girls, Children under 2 years (Males, Fem.), Born (Males, Fem.), Total, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (Number In Hospital on the above date, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date), OBSERVATIONS (In Workhouse, In Hospital, In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, Total, Fever, Dysentery, other cases, Total).

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10th day of March authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. (Number of cases, Number of Persons), Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. (Number of cases, Number of Persons), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons), RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. (Number of cases, Number of Persons), Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. (Number of cases, Number of Persons), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons).

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 16th day of March 1849.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Major McKie, V.C. & Temporary Overseer
Other Guardians: Lewis, Maurice, Esq. & G.

W. H. Lucas, Poor Law Inspector Rallinroh Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 21590 to No. 21818 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 26099 to No. 26210, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Clerk read a notice of intended Marriage between Thomas Gray and Mary Connolly -

The Clerk reported that he informed the Commissioners of the Board of Health in reference to the Vice Guardians resolutions of last Meeting - that he wrote to Messrs Kellan and Morris the former requesting his resignation and the latter informing him that the Board Commissioners would issue a sealed order dismissing him - that he informed John O'Connor Relieving Officer of the Vice Guardians resolution of last Meeting.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

* including 600 £ received from the Government.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £ 785 3 3 Paid during the week, £ 477 8 1 And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £ 2979 19 5

The Book was signed by the Chairman. The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk. The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
John Cross	Galway No. 1	9	2	9	18	8	1/2
Hugh Culligan	do " 2.	"	"	"	2	1	5
	Mr. Martin	"	"	"	2	1	5 1/2
Martin Cullinane	Annaghdown	"	"	"	6	8	6 1/2
"	Clare Galway	2	0	6	3	6	16 1/2
"	"	2	0	6	10	2	5 1/2
A. Cullinane	Lackagh	"	"	"	4	2	19 2
"	Atheary	"	"	"	3	2	18 5
"	"	"	"	"	7	4	17 7
G. R. McDonald	Moycullen	14	7	3	9	8	6 3
"	Kiltawmin	123	0	6	13	6	5 11 1/2
"	Cughtraid.	12	12	3	10	9	16 1/2
"	"	150	"	"	3	4	8 3 1/4
Thos Walsh	Oranmore	"	"	"	4	5	1 3
James Walsh	Ballinacorney	"	"	"	5	4	16 6
"	Stradbally	"	"	"	6	4	5 11
"	"	"	"	"	6	5	2 5
R. McLaughlin	Arara	24	"	"	2	6	9 4
Total,		185	3	3	146	23	7 11 1/4

NOTE. - A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

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

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

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
 2. The Provision Check Accounts.
 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.
- By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 91 9 s. 7 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ 91 9 7
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 200 10 0 1/2
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account £ 200 10 0 1/2
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 0 1 0 1/2
 Average cost in Infirmary, £ 0 1 9 1/4
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, £ 0 0 0
 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:

- 1 Ton first flour
- 4 do Pease Meal
- 2 do Barley do.
- 4 do Indian do.
- 8000 lbs Buttermilk
- 2000 " Sweet do.
- 3 1/2 cwt Tea @ 3s
- 35 cwt Sugar
- 2 cwt of fish
- 14 lb Pepper
- 1 cwt whiskey
- 10 Tons of Coals
- 55 cwt Candles
- 112 lb Brown soap

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
 2. The Medical Officers' Books.
- The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly offered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 10th day of March; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, £ 7 13 1
 In kind, £ 334 8 11 1/4
 Total, £ 336 2 0 1/4

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

The Relief List not yet made up

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.	
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.
No. I.	Counely	✓	4 Ton	35 0 0	Bt. forward		25 Ton	222 15 0	
No. II.	Pettit	✓	3 1/2 "	26 5 0	No. X.	Cresson	3 "	27 0 0	
No. III.	Griffin	✓	5 "	45 0 0	No. XI.	Morris	1 "	9 0 0	
No. IV.	Keane	✓	2 "	18 0 0	No. XII.	Cullen	"	"	
No. V.	Flanagan	✓	3 "	27 0 0	No. XIII.	Keane	2 "	18 0 0	
No. VI.	O'Sullivan	✓	"	"	No. XIV.	Keane	2 "	18 0 0	
No. VII.	O'Connor	✓	4 "	36 0 0	No. XV.	Keane	2 "	18 0 0	
No. VIII.	Keane	✓	2 "	18 0 0	No. XVI.	"	"	"	
No. IX.	Morris	✓	"	"	No. XVII.	"	"	"	
Car. forwd.			25 Ton	222 15 0	TOTAL,		33 Ton	294 15 0	

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.			
2. Establishment Account.			
John Cugan Relieving Officer	7	11	7
* W. Lucas & Co. Salary to 14 Inst	63	17	4
✓ Mack Thomas payment of Overrun	5	7	4
✓ J. R. Hopkins to pay small bills	10	17	5
Michael Wallace, rent of Street Killen	3	"	"
Peter Curran, wages as Storekeeper	2	17	"
William Burke Coffins	16	4	6
+ ✓ J. R. Hopkins Petty Cash	10	"	"
+ ✓ do to pay bills	8	17	3

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

✓ Peter Mulloy on acc Milk	100	"	"
* John McNaughton Groceries to 23 feby	24	7	10
* J. & M. Connell on acc Fuel	50	"	"

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

✓ Messrs Bush and Palmer on acc Meal	400	"	"
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Fever Hospitals.

* James Forbes, Bread to 3 March	61	10	1
Wm Burke, Coffins - 10 feby	6	13	6

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

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

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

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

On the report of the Master requiring the following, viz:-

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3 do of Brague do.	2	Mr. Cousins.
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The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows:

Sealed Order, dated 12 March, authorizing Relief to all able bodied paupers to the 12 April.

Sealed Order, dated 13 March, dismissing Patrick Morris, Relieving Officer for the Galway East division.

Sealed Order, 13th March, renouncing the appointment of Wm Lucas Esq^r as Paid Officer and appointing Patrick McFie, Inspector in the Army, to be a paid Officer in conjunction with Lewis Citymatics, at a salary of £1.1.0, per week so long as he shall continue to discharge the duties.

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:

Poor Law Commissioners to Vice Guardians, 10th March, No 15791, forwarding a copy of a letter which they received from Messrs Goble and Dwyer relative to the Vice Guardians safety in accepting an Indemnity from the various Creditors who are disposed to assign their claims to Messrs Fyane.

The Vice Guardians having consulted with their Solicitor on the subject of the expenses of the deeds and bearing in mind the lenient conduct pursued by the Messrs Fyane towards the Union in regard to their debts.

Resolved that the Deeds be prepared by Mr Blakeney at the expense of the Union and that the correct amount of each claim be forthwith ascertained.

Letter from Poor Law Commrs, dated 9 March, No 2002, renouncing the order for the election of Guardians and stopping any further proceedings.

Letter from Poor Law Commrs, 9th March, No 14122, requesting to be informed whether 106 Women are required in the Nursery.

Ordered that Mr Lambert do give an explanation for the work referred to.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, 12 March, No 14121 in reference to the employment of able bodied men in completing Roads and observing there is not any objection to their employment in

in completing roads which were left unfinished by the Board of Works, provided they are not under Contract or subject to any unsettled claims for Land and suggesting the Superintendents should keep a diary similar to those kept by Relieving Officers

Ordered that the Inspectors of Overseers be informed of the objections to completing certain lines of Road and that a form of diary be forthwith prepared to be kept by each Inspector weekly.

Poor Law Commissioners, 12th March, No 15646, transmitting queries to be answered and signed by the person who may be appointed Relieving Officer in the room of Mr Campbell.

Letter from Poor Law Commrs, 13th March, No 13868, sanctioning the appointment of Miss Maria Coen as Schoolmistress of the Dangan Auxiliary Workhouse - and stating that the prices of Bales and Tape were appear to be high - and requesting to know if Mr Hillen Relieving Officer had rendered his resignation.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Poor Law Commrs that the tender of Rush and Palmer was the lowest of the several proposals received - and that Mr Hillen resigned.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, 14 March, No 13060, to Vice Guardians acknowledging the receipt of their report of the 28th in reference to the death of two persons named Michael Gilmore and Martin Forde and expressing their thanks for it.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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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)

Letter from Poor Law Comm^{rs}, 16 March No 14,817, expressing their sanction to the appointment of Edward O. Flaherty as Store Keeper of the Work House.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 16th March, No 14,811, expressing their sanction to the appointment of E. O. Flaherty, M. Arkins, E. Thomas, Martin Ward, and Luke Sherris as Overseer of Labour

The Overseer at Clave Galway Michael Arkins having been found to be inattentive and furnishing false returns.

Resolved That he be dismissed and William Burke appointed in his place.

Read a letter from Michael Killeen Relieving Officer for the Galway West Electoral division tendering his resignation for that office.

Resolved That it be accepted of.

Read a letter from the Rev. P. Anan, P. P. Anan requesting the Vice Guardians to forego the prosecution in the case of Martin Flaherty who assaulted Redmond McDonough Poor Rate Collector for that district.

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day of _____ 184 .

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Ordered

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Ordered That Mr. Stephens inform the Rev. Patt Harley, P. P. Anan, that the Vice Guardians have considered all the circumstances connected with the collection of the Rates in Urban and that they regret that the conduct of the people towards the Collector, preclude them from foregoing the prosecution against Martin Flaherty.

Mess^{rs} Mack and George Thomas Cash accounts were produced and passed.

The Clerk reported that Mr. John Cullman Rate Collector did not attend for the examination of his accounts.

Ordered That the Clerk do require an explanation of the cause of Mr. Cullman's non attendance.

The Vice Guardians having considered the general tenders for supplying the Work House and out door relief depots with provisions.

Resolved That the tender of P. M. Lynch be accepted for two months for supplying the Work House and the food depots of the Galway Electoral division.

Prime Yellow Indian Meal at	£ 8. 9. 0
Barley " do "	8. 8. 0
Rye " do "	7. 2. 6
American first flour "	15. 0. 0

per ton, and that Robert O. Viers and Mess^{rs} Evans and Son of Galway be accepted as his sureties for the due performance of his Contract.

Read a letter from Mr. Gilligan tendering his resignation.

Resolved That the Clerk inform Mr. Gilligan that

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that the Vice Guardians decline to accept his resignation and that they propose putting his Bond in Suit against him for any neglect of duty he may be guilty of, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Mr. Gillymes Sureties.

Resolved. That the tender of Messrs Rush and Palmer be accepted for 2 Months for supplying the different Job Door depots of the Union (except the food depots of the Galway Electoral division), at the rate of £8.14.11 per Ton, with best Yellow Indian Meal; and that Edward Rush of Mr. Catow and Thos. Palmer of Galway be accepted as their Sureties for the due performance of the contract.

It appearing that John Linceny had paid to Mr. Cross Rate Collector a sum of £1.12.0, and Anthony Connelly £0.12.6 these amounts having been previously paid to Mr. Martin the former Collector. Ordered That a cheque be drawn in favor of Mr. Hopkins to pay these parties and that the Galway Electoral division be debited with the amount also the Sureties of Martin.

The Vice Guardians having had under consideration the application from Mr. Browne for an increase of salary on the grounds of increased duties being imposed by his attendance at ^{auxiliary} Merchant, Road and West Houses, and also his request that any increase voted may have a retrospective effect.

Resolved. That Doctor Browne's salary be increased to 130 £ per annum during the period
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the numbers in the Workhouse exceed 2000, and that this increase be paid to him from the 29th September last, being the period when Doctor Browne's duties were increased by his attendance at the Auxiliary Work-Houses.

The next Meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 23rd March, 1849.

J. W. Spence Esq. Vice
Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. Guardians.

John Robt. Hopkins, acting Clerk Union

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of March 1849.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, 1200 Temporary Buildings, 145 Additional Workhouse, 1500 Permanent Hospital, 200 Fever Sheds, 100 Total, 3115	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.				Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.				
	Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, } 46 18 721 1415 567 126 81 " . 3210	In Workhouse Hospital, } 210	In separate Wards, } 7												
Admitted during the Week, } 3 3 55 67 28 25 3 1 1 186	In Hospital } "	In Wards with other Inmates, } 0													
TOTAL, } 49 21 776 1578 595 151 84 1 1 3496	Total, } 210	Total, } 7													
Discharged during the Week } 1 1 32 46 17 11 3 " . 111	Fever Cures 36														
Died, } 3 0 6 5 7 3 1 " . 25	Dysentery do. 51														
Total Discharged and Dead } 4 1 38 51 24 14 4 " . 136	Other Cures 93.														
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, } 45 20 738 1467 571 137 82 " . 3360	Total 210.														

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14th day of March authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	481	1221	156	471	637	1642	Bt. forward						
No. II.	358	900	183	407	541	1607	No. X.	219	471	157	463	376	954
No. III.	341	609	147	550	488	1159	No. XI.	153	338	86	263	239	601
No. IV.	198	494	111	257	309	751	No. XII.	103	328	61	217	164	545
No. V.	146	372	113	262	259	734	No. XIII.	112	309	43	123	155	432
No. VI.	244	638	110	247	354	985	No. XIV.	300	702	143	383	443	1085
No. VII.	238	659	161	446	399	1105	No. XV.	153	357	76	180	229	537
No. VIII.	221	538	154	529	375	1067	No. XVI.	69	176	25	72	94	248
No. IX.	108	267	70	256	178	523	No. XVII.	143	421	61	214	204	635
Car. forward							Original	10	38	1	2	11	40
							TOTAL	3597	8838	1858	5862	5755	14710

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 23rd day of March 1849.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Major Beckie
Other Guardians: Lewis Fitzmaurice & Co.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 21819 to No. 22004, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. to No. inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Clerk reported himself now quite recovered and able to resume his duties.

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 The acting Clerk reported that he informed the Superintendents of Labour of the objections to employ the able-bodied paupers on certain works - that he informed the Rev. P. Buckley, P. P. of Arran of the Vice Guardians resolution of last Meeting - that he called on Mr. C. Cullinan Rate Collector for an explanation of his non attendance for the examination of his accounts - that he informed Mr. Gilligan of the Vice Guardians resolution declining to accept his resignation.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £ 678. 19. 8
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 335. 15. 2
 And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - - - - - £ 128. 3. 11
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.
 The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows: -

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.		Remaining.	
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Thos. Gilligan	Galway No. 1	1818	3 1/2		
S. Lucas	Galway No. 2	2013	7 7/8		
	Mr. Mackin	215	5 3/4		
M. Cullinan	Annaghdown	218	8 6/55	7	10 1/2
do	Chapelgalway		362 16 1/2		
		218	8 10/18	6	5
J. Cullinan	Leekagh		424 17 2		
do	Athens		324 18 5		
			749 17 7		
G. R. McDonald	Maycullen	211	13 4 9/58	12	11
do	Killanure		1367 5 11 1/2		
do	Dughterard	30	12 11 10/67	2	2 1/2
		55	7 3 3/93	1	1 1/4
Thos. Walsh	Oranmore		159 1 3		
Ed. Walsh	Kallinacumy		540 10 6		
do	Stadballly		64 5 11		
			605 2 5		
R. McDonagh	Arran		260 9 4		
Total, -		78	19 8 10/544	8	3 1/2

NOTE. - A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.
 Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

* including amount of £600 received from the Government.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ - - - - - was produced and passed.
 The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

No Relief List yet made up.

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
 2. The Provision Check Accounts.
 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.
- By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 180. 10. 5 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ 180. 10. 5
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	186. 12. 6 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	186. 12. 6 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0. 1. 0 1/4
Average cost in Infirmary,	0. 1. 11
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	0. 0. 0

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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| 1 Ton of fruit flour | 3 Tons of fish |
| 4 do Rye Meal | 200 lb Meat |
| 2 do Barley do. | 7 1/2 Sack Sugar |
| 4 do Indian do. | 10 Tons of Coals |
| 6000 3rd B. Milk | 50 lb Candles |
| 2000 " New do. | 112 1/2 Prayn Soap |
| 3 1/2 @ Tea @ 5 @ 3/6 | 1 1/2 white do. |
| 35 @ @ @ @ 40 @ 4 | 1 1/2 Sack, 1/2 Pr. Candles |
| | 14 lb Soda, 1/2 Pr. Candles |

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
 2. The Medical Officers' Books.
- The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.
 The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 17th day of March; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	£ 2. 7. 10
In kind,	-	-	-	338. 3. 0 1/2
Total,				340. 12. 10 1/2

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.	
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.
£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
No. I.	Connaught	✓	4 Tons Meal	33. 16. 0	No. X.	Oranmore	✓	22 Tons	£ 190. 0. 10
No. II.	Pettit	✓	4 " "	33. 16. 0	No. XI.	Monies	✓	3 do	26. 4. 9
No. III.	Gifford	✓	5 " "	43. 14. 7	No. XII.	Cullin	✓	5 do	43. 14. 7
No. IV.	Browne	✓	1 " "	8. 14. 11	No. XIII.	"	✓	3 do	26. 4. 9
No. V.	Hanagan	✓	3 " "	26. 4. 9	No. XIV.	Herns	✓	3 do	26. 4. 9
No. VI.	O'Shayer	✓	- " "	-	No. XV.	Traynor	✓	3 do	26. 4. 9
No. VII.	C. Connor	✓	3 " "	26. 4. 9	No. XVI.	"	✓	3 do	26. 4. 9
No. VIII.	Carney	✓	2 " "	17. 9. 10	No. XVII.	"	✓	3 do	26. 4. 9
No. IX.	Monies	✓	" " "	5					
Car. forwd.			22 Tons	£ 190. 0. 10	TOTAL,			38 Tons	£ 229. 19. 6

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

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

2. Establishment Account.

* Lewis City Maurice Esq. Salary	62	10	-
Geo. Thomas, payment of Overseers	10	-	-
W. St. Lucas Esq. Travelling expenses to the 15th March	3	2	10
Mark Thomas payment of Overseers up to the 17th March	7	8	8
Ed. Grady payment of bills	3	14	3

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Fever Hospitals.

James Walsh for Milk supplied to Moycullen Fever Hospital to Feb 29	4	2	6
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Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Rush and Palmer, balance of a/c for Indian Meal	74	5	-
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Credit Treasurer and debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

The Medical Officer reported that the Water in use at the West House Auxiliary H. H. was very bad: and that there was a pump in the yard if opened would give a supply of good Water: ordered. That the Pump be opened.

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

Sealed Order dated 16th March, 49, directing the continuance of office of Vice Guardians until the 1st November next.

Poor Law Commrs Circular 19 March 49, N^o 235, P. 49, requesting to be furnished half yearly with a return shewing the particulars of the Maintenance of the Workhouses, Fever Hospitals, &c. -

Poor Law Commissioners Circular, 19 March, 49, N^o 13140, requiring a return shewing the particulars of the Expenditure and how relieved for the Year ended 29th Sep^r last for Indoor & Out-door.

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:)

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 16 March, 49, N^o 545, enclosing Queries to be answered and signed by their Law Councils and Peter Pettit who have been appointed Relieving Officers for the Galway Electoral Divisions.

Poor Law Commrs Letter to Vice Guardians, 16 March, 49, N^o 1705, 49, enclosing a copy of a Communication which they received from the under Secretary's Office in reference to the death of a Woman named Innes in the Cranmore Electoral Division and requesting the observations of the Vice Guardians thereon.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter to Vice Guardians, 15 March, 49, enclosing a copy of a letter which they received from Mr. Comerford on the subject of his claim against the Union.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter to Vice Guardians, 16 March 1849, N^o 17016, enclosing a copy of a Communication which they received from the under Secretary's Office, in reference to the death of a poor Man named Peterweeney and requesting the observations of the Vice Guardians thereon.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter to Vice Guardians, 21 March, 49, N^o 18305, enclosing a copy of a Memorial which the Commissioners received

received from a Man named Thomas McEloughh relative to a statement made on him for poor rates in the Oughliverid Electoral Division and requesting the observations of the Vice Guardians thereon.

Poor Law Commissioners Circular to Vice Guardians 15 March, N^o 15615, containing suggestions from their Medical Inspector Doctor Shelan as to the preparations which should be made for Cholera &c.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 13 March, 1849, N^o 13060, 1849, acknowledging the receipt of the Vice Guardians Communication of the 23rd ultimo in reference to the death of two persons in the Galway Union and expressing their thanks for their report.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Resolved That Mr. Allen will request Doctor Rughan to furnish the Vice Guardians with a numerical List of the patients treated in the Morpellen Hospital from the 1st to the 24th instant with the dates of admission & diseases under which they are labouring.

Resolved That the Vice Guardians having considered the unentire manner in which the present Contract for Milk had been performed the Master being obliged to report frequently the insufficiency of the supplies and also having considered the fact of the Contractor having died within the last fortnight.

Resolved That the Clerk do serve a ten days notice on the dwelling house of the deceased and also his sureties and also on his sureties and that the Poor Law Commissioners consent be obtained to dissolve the contract.

Resolved That the Clerk do draw cheques on the Treasurer for payment to Mr. J. M. Donnellan agent to M. C. Blake for the Timber shed erected at Straw Lodge and that sum be removed to the

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 184 _____

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Workhouse

Workhouse grounds by the 10th April.

Resolved That the Clerk do hand to Mr. Blakeney Solicitor the Bond of Mr. Gilligan Poor Rate Collector to have Judgment entered thereon.

The Clerk reported that the Contract for Meat would expire on the 25th March.

Ordered That advertisements be inserted in the papers for the following for 6 months, viz: -

Best Mutton without Bone
New Milk and Buttermilk.

The Clerk reported the Board the policy effected with the Sun Fire Office for the Auxiliary Workhouse at Merchants Road, the Vice Guardians having considered the fact of the preparation of Flax and Wool having been adopted at the Merchants Road Auxiliary Workhouse.

Ordered That the Policy be returned to the Agent for the purpose of making the necessary endorsement.

The Vice Guardians having opened tenders for the supply of straw to the Fever Hospitals.

Resolved That John Morris be declared Contractor for supplying the Temporary Fever Hospitals of Galway & Morpellen for 3 months. Oatmeal @ 13/6 per cwt, Salt @ 2/- per cwt, Straw @ 1/-

That Michael Jennings be declared Contractor for the above Hospitals and out door relief for Coffins at 6 1/2^d per running foot sureties, J. P. Burdon and Edw. Bluffus.

That James Flynn & Co. be declared Contractor for supplying the Hospitals of Moycullen and Galway for 3 Months with, Rice @ 13/6 per cwt. Soap @ 3/6 per stone, Candles @ 6/6 per 14 (dipst), Coals @ 2/- per Ton to Galway and 2 1/4/- per Ton to Moycullen.

Sureties, J. B. Purdon & Edw. Muffay.

That John M. Naughtin be declared Contractor for supplying Tea @ 3/6 per lb, Sugar @ 5/- per Stone, Wine @ 4/2 per bottle (large), Porter @ 4/- per dozen (large) for Galway and for Moycullen @ 4/3 per dozen (large).

That John M. Naughtin be declared Contractor for supplying Tea @ 3/6 per lb, Sugar @ 5/- per St

That J. Forbes be declared contractor for Bread at 6 per St. loaf, Sureties John Harrison and John Costello.

That Wm. Cleward be declared Contractor for prime Beef and Mutton at 4/- per lb Sureties, Michael Dooly & John Furniss.

That Marget Small be declared contractor for supplying Galway General Hospitals with Cream Milk at 6/- per Gallon.

The Master reports that it appears a pauper woman named Mary Qualter employed as a nurse in looking after the children, has lately got married to a man of the name of John Keady who was also an inmate of the Workhouse having been discharged at his own request on the 19th February last, that she absconded herself

herself on the night of the 17th and returned on Sunday morning - that no report was to him by the Chaplain.

Mary Keady having been brought before the Board admits she did get married about four weeks ago to John Keady in the New Chapel (St. Nicholas Galway) on Throve Tuesday by Father Daly (the Chaplain of the Workhouse) admits she was a pauper and has been for some years. John Keady was a pauper also, but took his discharge the day they were married. Stold Father Daly had no money, that I was a pauper in the Workhouse, I also told him John Keady was a pauper.

Resolved: That Mary Keady be discharged from the Workhouse forthwith -

Ordered: That the Clerk forward to the Rev. Mr. Daly a copy of Mary Keady's statement and to request that he will state for the information of the Vice Guardians if it is correct; -

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 30th day of March, 1849.

Public
Librarian
J. J. Vice
Guardians.
John Dwyer
Clerk of the Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of March 1849.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, 1200 Temporary Buildings, 145 Additional Workhouse, 1500 Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, 800 Total, 3145	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.				Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Total.	In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
													In Hospital		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, } 45 20 738 1467 571 437 82 " - 2360												In Workhouse Hospital, 246 In separate Wards, 7 In Fever Hospital with other Inmates, 0 Total, 256 Total, 7		
Admitted during the Week, } 9 8 54 69 37 34 4 2 2 219														
TOTAL, } 54 28 792 1536 608 471 86 2 2 3579														
Discharged during the Week } 10 8 44 75 29 23 6 " - 195														
Died, } 1 " 3 4 6 4 " " - 18														
Total Discharged and Dead } 11 8 47 79 35 27 6 " - 213														
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, } 43 20 745 1457 573 444 80 2 2 3366														

fever 30
dysentery 88
other cases 128
Total 246

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the 24th day of March authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	192	1253	166	498	658	1751	Bt. forward						
No. II.	359	917	184	712	543	1619	No. X.	222	466	157	507	379	973
No. III.	342	610	149	562	491	1172	No. XI.	154	340	89	277	243	617
No. IV.	207	497	114	262	321	759	No. XII.	115	333	65	222	170	555
No. V.	154	382	128	406	282	788	No. XIII.	112	309	43	123	155	432
No. VI.	244	637	107	339	351	976	No. XIV.	306	713	148	394	454	1107
No. VII.	240	661	168	473	408	1134	No. XV.	156	363	77	185	233	548
No. VIII.	225	547	168	557	388	1098	No. XVI.	70	182	26	96	96	258
No. IX.	110	269	71	269	181	538	No. XVII.	154	434	71	240	225	674
							No. XVIII.	9	37	"	"	9	37
Car forward							TOTAL	3655	8940	1926	6096	5581	15036

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 30th day of March 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, Major McKie, P. & Inspector V.G.
Other Guardians: Lewis Citymaurice Esq. V.G.

Richard Bourke Esq. Poor Law Inspector.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 22010 to No. 22223, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 2206 to No. 22020, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The

The Clerk reported that he handed Mr. Blakeney Solicitor Mr. Gilligans Bond to have judgment entered thereon - that he advertised for Meat and Milk - that he forwarded to the Agent of the Insurance Office the Policy for Merchants Road Auxiliary Workhouse to have the endorsement made that he furnished the Rev. P. Daly Roman Catholic Chaplain with a copy of the statement made by Mary Keedy on last Board day.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

* this sum received from the Government.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week; - £600. 0. 0
Paid during the week, - £281. 2. 6
And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £442. 1. 5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.
The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.
The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows: -

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining.
Sam. Cross.	Galway No. 1.	£ 1805 13 1/2	£ 436 14 1/2
H. Gilligan	Galway No. 2.	2024 7 8	
M. Cullinane	Annadown	215 17 5 1/2	
"	Claregalway	655 9 10 1/2	
"	"	362 16 6 1/2	
"	"	1018 6 5	
J. Cullinane	Lackagh	424 19 2	
"	Atkeung	324 18 5	
"	"	749 17 7	
Geo. McDonald	Inoyellen	953 12 11	
"	Allanquin	1368 4 1/2	
"	Bughteraid	1067 2 2 1/2	
"	"	3393 1 0 1/4	
Thos. Walsh	Oranmore	459 1 3	
James Walsh	B. County.	540 16 6	
"	Stradshally	64 5 11	
"	"	605 2 5	
Rev. W. O'Rourke	Straw.	260 9 4	
Total,		10514	8 3 1/4

NOTE. - A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.
Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

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

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

The Relief List not yet closed.

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £158. 18 s. 0 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	158	18	0
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	180	19	3
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	180	19	3
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	1	04
Average cost in Infirmary,	0	2	0
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	0	0	0

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:

- 2 Loads of fuel wood ✓
- 14^{lb} Waxing Soda ✓
- 6^{lb} Taper Candles ✓
- 56^{lb} Soap ✓
- 4^{lb} Staps ✓

- 22^{lb} 1st flour ✓
- 4^{lb} 2nd flour ✓
- 2^{lb} do Guley do ✓
- 5^{lb} do Indian do ✓
- 4^{lb} Butter milk @ 3/4 ✓
- 2000 " do " 3/4 ✓
- 1600 " New do 7 gal ✓
- 250 " do " 6 ✓
- 4^{lb} Tea @ 3/4, 6^{lb} @ 3/4 ✓
- 40^{lb} Sugar @ 5 ✓
- 3^{lb} Con fish ✓
- 160^{lb} Meat ✓
- 6^{lb} Bottle wine ✓
- 6^{lb} do Porter ✓
- 1^{lb} Leaf Sugar ✓
- 1^{lb} Quart of Whiskey ✓
- 5^{lb} Tons of Coals ✓
- 50^{lb} Light Candles ✓
- 168^{lb} Brown Soap ✓
- 7^{lb} White do ✓

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
 2. The Medical Officers' Books.
- The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 24th day of March, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	338	15	6
In kind,	339	14	11 1/4
Total,	339	14	11 1/4

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.	RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity. Value. £ s. d.			£ s. d.	Article and quantity. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	Cornubh		4 Ton 33.16.0	By forward			26 Ton 225.0.6
No. II.	Peltit		4 do 33.16.0	No. X.	Green		2 Ton 17.9.10
No. III.	Giffin		6 do 52.9.6	No. XI.	Morris		" " " "
No. IV.	Rowne		1 do 8.14.11	No. XII.	Cullen		" " " "
No. V.	Flanagan		3 do 26.4.9	No. XIII.	"		" " " "
No. VI.	O'Dwyer ✓		1 do 54.0.0	No. XIV.	Kerns		" " " "
No. VII.	O'Connor		6 " 32.9.6	No. XV.	Fyner		2 " 17.9.10
No. VIII.	Carroll		2 " 17.9.10	No. XVI.	"		" " " "
No. IX.	Morris		" " " "	No. XVII.	"		" " " "
Car. forwd.			26 Ton 225.0.6	TOTAL,			30 Ton 260.0.0

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

✓ James Campbell Salary, as R. Officer	15	-	-
✓ John O'Grady, payment of Bills	14	9	9
✓ Geo. Thomas, payment of Overseers	5	8	4
✓ Mark Thomas do	4	12	8
✓ Patrick Turk, on a salary as R. Officer	10	-	-
✓ P. Connor, balance of salary as Schoolmaster	16	11	4
✓ Mr. O'Grady Rent of Store	2	-	-
✓ C. O'Grady Clerk petty Cash	10	-	-
✓ James Fletcher, balance Salary	8	13	9

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

✓ Peter McLaughlin Fish	29	9	-
✓ P. M. Lynch Meal	65	12	-
✓ Rush and Palmer do	95	2	6
✓ Wm Birmingham Milk	21	5	0
✓ P. M. Lynch Coal	32	-	-

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

✓ Rush and Palmer, Meal to 6 March	241	5	0
✓ P. M. Lynch, Indian Meal	67	12	0

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

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

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

The Clerk reported that some parliamentary Returns which were received from the Poor Law Commissioners during his illness for preparation were yet undone in consequence of several of the Relieving Officers neglecting to furnish the information which was required of them for the purposes of the Returns.

Ordered That the Clerk do again call on the Relieving Officers who were in arrear and to request they will furnish the particulars immediately.

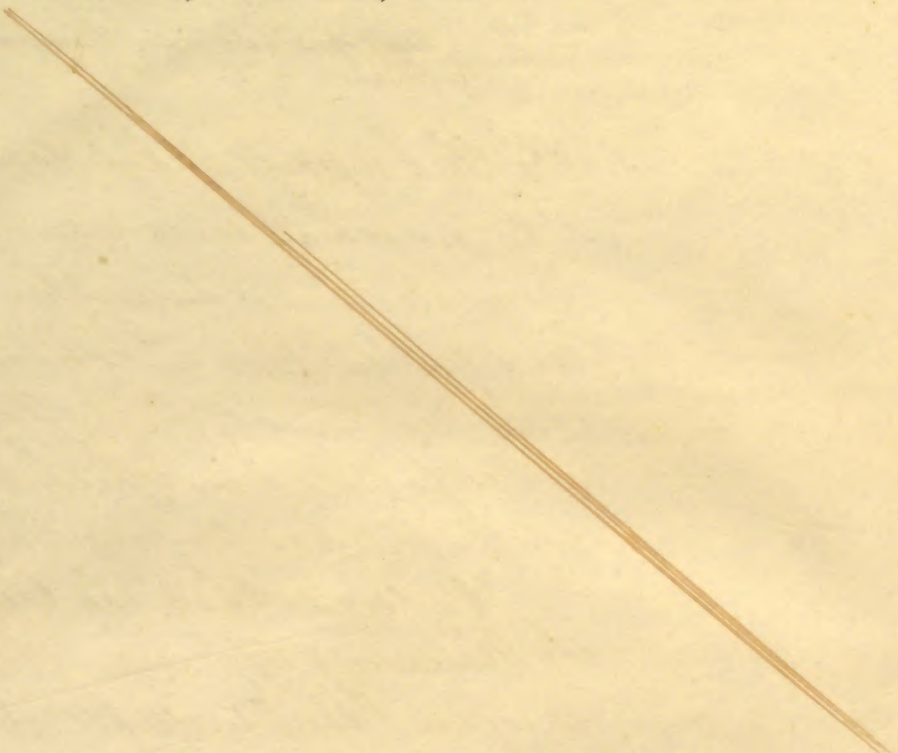
The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:

The Master reported the want of convenience for drying clothes within the yards or within boundary of the Workhouse.

Ordered That Posts be erected in the rear of the Workhouse to which lines will be attached.

That he agreed with a man named John Twiney (pump borer) to put the Pump at West House in thorough repair for £2.10.0, approved of.

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:

Poor Law Commissioners letter 27 March 49. N^o 18375, approving of the appointment of Messrs Peter Pettit & Edward Connolly as Relieving Officers for the Galway Electoral Division.

Poor Law Commissioners Circular, 26th March, 49. N^o 245, requesting to be furnished with a return weekly of the Deaths in the Workhouse.

Letter from the Central Board of Health 22nd March, 49. N^o 2837, requesting the Vice Guardians to carry into effect the directions issued by the Board of Health in reference to the "Nuisance Removal and Diseases Act".

Ordered That the Clerk do write to the Central Board of Health to state that the Vice Guardians are taking measures to carry the provisions of the act referred to, into operation.

Circular

Circular from the Chief Secretary's Office Dublin Castle requesting to be furnished with a return shewing the degree of Education received by the inmates of the Workhouse at different ages.

Read a Communication from the Rev^d P. Daly Roman Catholic Chaplain stating his inability to give Mass any longer at the Auxiliary Workhouse at Dangan and requesting that the Children may be sent to the Chapel of Bushy Park.

Resolved That the Clerk do again inform the Rev^d M. Daly that the Vice Guardians dont feel themselves authorised to comply with his request.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed - - - - -

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

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

The Vice Guardians having counted the Work-House on Wednesday the 27th Instant, found the No^s to be as follows, viz:—

Principal Work House.	1736
Merchants Road	585
West House	399
Dangan	554
Total.	3274

and that the actual numbers in the Work House on Saturday the 24th March were 3302.

Ordered. That the Master and Storekeeper do take stock of provisions on Saturday 31 March and furnish same to the Vice Guardians on Monday next and that they Master be ~~credited~~ ^{debited} with any over plus that may appear, which must have accrued on account of the deficiency in the numbers —

The Clerk reported that he received no reply from the Roman Catholic Chaplain in reference to his communication furnishing him with a copy of Mary Kealey's statement as to her marriage.

Ordered That the Clerk remind the

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 184 .

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Rev.

Rev. Mr. Daly that he has not received a reply to his communication.

The Clerk laid before the Board two Writs served on him at the suit of Mr. Nicholas Dennis late Collector and Mr. John Oliver late Bread Contractor

Ordered That the Clerk do see if the amount sued for in each case be correct and then to hand them to Mr. Blakeney Solicitor to enter an appearance.

Resolved That as the Contractors supply of Rye Meal has not arrived that Meal be purchased at the Market. —

Read a letter from Messrs. Clark and Palmer requesting payment of their account amount £255. 14. 6, and stating that they would charge interest if not immediately paid. —

Resolved That the order made on the Medical Officer's report at last Meeting in reference to the water at West House be now inserted on Minutes of this day. "Ordered. That the Well be opened at once and the quality of the Water tested". —

Ordered. That the Clerk do write to each Relieving Officer and request that they will take stock of Meal in each of their stores on Saturday night in each week & furnish the Clerk on the following Monday with a copy of the return.

Resolved. That having referred to a communication addressed

addressed to our Solicitor on the 7th November last, calling upon him to furnish his Bill of costs for business transacted on account of the Union, which request has not yet been complied with, our Clerk do communicate again with Mr. Blakeney and call upon him to furnish us with his Bill of costs in ten days from this date, as it is absolutely necessary that the Total Liabilities of the Union up to the 25th March, should be at once ascertained, in order that the accounts for the Half year may be duly prepared.

Resolved That the Tender of Thos. Cadyre for taking down the Timber shed at Straw Lodge and removing same into the Work House grounds and erecting same on any part thereof in the same order that it stands at present for the sum of £25.0.0, ^{to be agreed to} the Vice Guardians to provide Stone, Mortar and Pauper Labour.

The Clerk reported that Collectors John Cullinane and Hugh Gilligaw did not attend this week for the examination of their accounts.

Read a letter from Mrs. Celia Fahy claiming £2.0.0, for one weeks rent of a Store in Abbey Gate Street, which was taken last August by the late Vice Guardians during the pressure of relief.

Ordered That a cheque for £2.0.0 be given to Mrs. Fahy.

The Clerk reported that the following Collectors had

had retained Money in their hands as appeared by the Balance Sheets, viz. week ending 24th March

Hugh Gilligaw	£68	6	6
Mathew Cullinane	0	19	10
John Cullinane	11	17	0
Geo. R. McDonald	62	18	11
Thomas Walsh	1	3	3
James Walsh	2	16	2
Redm. McDonough	4	17	7
	£152	19	3

Resolved That the Clerk do write to each of the Collectors named and request that they will at once lodge the respective amounts with the Treasurer and produce the Treasurers receipt for same on Monday the 9th April next.

A deputation from the Town Commissioners having waited on the Vice Guardians to state the inability of that Body to carry out the provisions of the act 11 & 12 Vict, Chap. 123, and to confer on the subject.

The Deputation is informed that although the Vice Guardians consider it would be highly desirable that the Town Commissioners shall carry out the provisions of the act, they will however be prepared to take immediate steps for carrying into effect the regulations laid down by the Board of Health in accordance with the act on receiving from the Town Commissioners a written communication setting forth their inability to act.

Ordered

Ordered That Martin Cullinane Poor Rate Collector be instructed to collect the rates from the following Ratepayers before Monday next, the 9th Instant, viz

- James S. Lambert. Croaghclue
- James O'Brien. Loughgeroge
- Luke Ryan. Cluegalway.
- M. W. Lynch
- Pierse Joyce

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on Saturday the 7th April next.

P. McKie J. Vice
 Wm. Fitzmaurice J. Guardians.
 J. O'Farrell Clerk of Union.

At an adjourned Meeting of the Vice Guardians held on Saturday the 31st day March, 1849.

In the Chair Major McKie
 Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. Esq. present.

Read a communication received from the Chairman of the Town Commissioners stating the inability of that Body from want of funds to make any adequate or effectual efforts for the cleansing of the Streets and Lanes of the Town, and making other preparations for meeting (if possible) the fearful malady which is making such rapid approaches

Resolved That immediate steps shall be taken to carry out the Provisions of the "Nuisance Removal and Diseases Prevention Act of 1848," for establishing Dispensaries &c in accordance with the instructions issued by the Board of Health.

P. McKie J. Vice
 Wm. Fitzmaurice J. Guardians.
 J. O'Farrell Clerk of Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of March 1849.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, 1200 Temporary Buildings, 145 Additional Workhouse, 1500 Permanent Hospital, 200 Lever Sheds, 300 Total, 3145	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Males.	Fem.		Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
														In Workhouse Hospital.	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates.
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	43	20	745	145	573	444	84	"	"	3366	In Workhouse Hospital.	7	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates.	0
Admitted during the Week.	6	5	49	60	20	25	3	"	"	2470	In Fever Hospital.			
TOTAL.	49	25	794	151	593	469	87	"	"	23356	Total.		Total.	7
Discharged during the Week.	"	"	25	36	10	12	"	"	"	83				
Died.	1	0	3	6	4	9	4	"	"	27				
Total Discharged and Dead.	1	0	28	42	14	21	4	"	"	110				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	48	25	766	145	579	448	85	"	"	3426				

*fever Cases 49
Dysentery do 128
other do 87
Total 264*

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 31st day of March authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car forward							TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 7th day of April 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, Major Pettie
Other Guardians: Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. C.G.

*The Mr. Hoops for the
sums are not paid made
up the Hoops for the
former half year being
all filed up and no
new ones being on
hands the Clerk orders
usurving business
ordered a supply from
Mr. Hoops the Invoice of which was read, to the following effect:
he recd. on the 5th inst
but did not get notice
the 10th inst*

*The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from
No. 22224 to No. 22398, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman,
and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated
from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman,
and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board*

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

1. Clothing Account.

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

2. Establishment Account.

John O'Grady Clerk	10	-	-
Geo. Thomas payment of Overseers	5	7	-
Mark Thomas do.	4	17	2
John O'Grady payment of Bills	14	6	3
Teenaghty, late Officer, on a p. Salary	5	-	-

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

John Waldron, Meats March	10	4	2
John M. Neaghlin, Groceries	17	10	10

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Rush and Palmer, balance of p. Meal	36	-	-
do Indian Meal to 31 March	325	2	6

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

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

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

The Assistant Master of Dangan Work House reported that the Roman Catholic Chaplain did not perform divine service on Sunday the 1st of April, and requests to know whether he may be allowed to send the children to the principal Work House for divine service.
Ordered - Not at present -

The agriculturist at Dangan reported the necessity of purchasing manure for the ground.
Ordered That the agriculturist do apply to the Clerical officer for a supply of manure which can be had gratis -

Masters Report.

The Master reported the crowded state of the Work House, the paupers being obliged to sleep 4 in bed and in some beds 5 the total no. in the several Work Houses on the night of the 6th Instant were as follows. viz:

Principal Work House	1433	} That the front shed which we estimated to contain 200 paupers are used as work rooms
Infirmary + do.	315	
West do.	393	
Merchants Road do.	621	
Dangan do.	580		3324

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

The Master required for the employment of the Labourers, 24 Spades and 36 Shovels. Ordered That the Master will immediately prepare a return of tools in possession and issued to Superintendents.

Required for the Female Industrial Department.

50 Flaxen wheels	10 Stone ground Copewood	} <u>Ordered</u>
50 Wollen do.	20 ^{lb} of Coppers.	
20 Stone Wool	10 Gallons of Rape oil	
20 do Flax	2 dozen of Cards.	
10 do Chip Logwood	1 ^{doz} of Serdigras	

wheels not ordered until return of stock is furnished.

Required for the several houses, West House, 70 Tin Pints, 300 Tin Dishes; Principal House, 300 Tin Pints, 300 Dishes.
Ordered That a return of these matters and the number supplied within the last 6 months be furnished by the Master to the Vice Guardians.

Required for the preparation of Flax from the raw state.
12 Scutchers and 3 set of Stacks. No Order.

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

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners, 28 March, 49, enclosing copies of the General Order containing Workhouse rules issued on the 5th February.

The Clerk stated that he handed one to each of the Workhouse Officers.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 31 March, 49, N^o 14016, approving of the appointment of P. Murphy as Overseer at a salary of £7 a week.

Letter from Central Board of Health 3rd March, 49, forwarding forms of Books to be kept in the Temporary Fever Hospitals.

Poor Law Commrs. Letter April 2nd, 49, offering no objection to Vice Guardians dissolving the Contract for Milk.

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:

Poor Law Commrs. Circular 2nd April, 49, N^o 260, requesting to be furnished weekly with a return of the N^o of persons receiving out-door Relief and the cost of such Relief.

Circular from the Chief Secretaries Office requesting that children under the age of 7 years may not be included in the return ordered on the 20th ultimo showing the degree of Education of the Workhouse Inmates.

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 3 April, 1849, N^o 272, M. 49, requiring monthly return of Collections of Poor Rates for the Month of March.

Poor Law Commrs. Letter 4 April 1849, requesting to be furnished with the particulars of the Insurance of Merchants Road Auxiliary Workhouse.

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners letter dated 2 April, 1849, N^o 260, requesting to be furnished with a return of the Liabilities of the Union for the Month of March.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 4 April, 49, N^o 271, requiring to be furnished with the return ordered by their Circular of the 19th ultimo. The Clerk stated that he would furnish the return by Sunday past together with some other returns which were

were received during his illness and not yet forwarded.

Letter from Central Board of Health, Dublin, 4 April, 49, forwarding for the Vice Guardians information, a copy of a letter which they received relative to Medical aid in the Galway Union.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 5th April, 49, intimating to the Vice Guardians that they sent a requisition to the Commissariat office for 300 £ in provisions and stating, that a further sum of £300, would be sent on Saturday.

Letter from Central Board of Health, 5th April, 1849, N^o 3452, re-questing that when the Vice Guardians would have their arrangements for carrying into effect the directions of the Board of Health, the same may be reported to the Central Board of Health.

Read a letter of reply from Rev. P. Daly informing the Vice Guardians of the correctness of Mary Heady's statement in reference to her marriage with John Heady.

Read a letter from Mr. Bouke Poor Law Inspector containing some remarks on his inspection of the Galway Union.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Ordered, That the Master do furnish a return showing all the Implements and tools (flax and Woollew) at present available in each of the Workhouses, and also of those that want repairs, and present same to the Vice Guardians on Monday next, when they will order any supply that may be wanted.

Resolved, That Mr. O'Malley's house at Madera Island be taken for the purpose of a Cholera Hospital and Dispensary at the rate of 50 £ a year, together with all rates and taxes chargeable, the premises to be delivered in the same order that they were received and payments to commence from the 1st of April.

Resolved, That the tender of Philip Kelly for supplying a Man Cart of the best description of timber for the sum of £2.15.0, be accepted.

Resolved, That William Parer be appointed Sanitary Officer at a salary of £1.1.0 per week.

The Vice Guardians having considered tenders for the supply of Meat and Milk.

Ordered, That John Harrison be declared Contractor for supplying the several Workhouses

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(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

of Dangan, Merchants Road and the Principal Workhouse for six Months with best New Milk at 6¹/₄ per Imperial Gallon and Butter milk at 3¹/₄ per Imperial Gallon, and that John Corstello and James Martyn be approved of as his Suckies.

That John Walsh be declared Contractor for supplying the Workhouse with best Rufand Mutton at 3³/₄ per lb, haughs or neck-bones not to be supplied, and that John Morris of Chap Street and Michael Cloherty of William Street be accepted as his Suckies.

The Clerk produced to the Board the Diaries of some of the Relieving Officers and the returns of the Superintendents for the month of February & March containing some observations of Mr. Burke, Poor Law Inspector as to the irregular manner in which they have been kept.

Ordered, That the Relieving Officers and Superintendents be directed to be more careful in the preparations and sending in of those ^{Diaries} returns.

The Return of Stock of Provisions and Accusaries as taken by Master and Storekeeper on Saturday 31 March having been laid before the Board, it appeared that the value of Stock on the 31st March was £198. 17. 7
 £⁰ as appeared by the Provision Book £111. 5. 7
 Or plus of Stock in Store by Provision Book £87. 12. 0.

Resolved, That the Provision account be debited with the amount £87. 12. 0 and the Maintenance account credited therewith.

A deputation from the Town Fever Board having ^{at the request} ~~been~~ ^{been} ~~advised~~ ^{advised} to represent that alarm was created ^{at the request} ~~with~~ ^{with} the intention to take Mr O Malloys house as a Cholera Hospital and that it might prove seriously injurious to the business of Arthur Ireland Brewer, the Board at the same time offering the use of the Permanent fever Hospital for the reception of Cholera patients, the Vice Guardians at the same time allowing them to have the use of Mr O Malloys house.

Resolved That the offer of the Fever Board be accepted and that the Fever Hospital be cleared out for Cholera patients and Mr O Malloys house be handed to the Fever Board, for as long a period as the Fever Hospital may be occupied for Cholera patients.

Resolved That Doctor Richardson be appointed to take charge of the Cholera Hospital at a salary of 5/- a day so long as his services may be necessary.

Ordered That in furtherance of the ^{instructions} ~~order~~ issued by the Medical Board, the following Gentlemen be appointed Medical Officers of Dispensaries for the Cholera patients -

Cranmore Dispensary, Doctor Whittier ^{at 5/- per day}
Oughterard ^{do}, Doctor Davis ^{at 5/-}
at five shillings per day each.

Resolved That Cholera Medicines be supplied to the following Dispensaries, viz
Lettermore, Oughterard, Cranmore and to Galway and Moycullen Fever Hospitals.

Henry Fitzmaurice
Vice
Guardians
Clerk Union.

Reports of Officers Continued.

That Mr Brouke recommended Mack Tutty one of the Overseers to be fined.

Ordered that he be fined one weeks pay.

That the floor over the oven required repairing

Ordered to be done when the Biscuits arrives.

That the Large Cess pools require to be emptied, required to know would the persons employed at such work be allowed any thing extra.

Ordered One penny worth of Tobacco to each after the Cess pools are opened, also 2 penny worth of Tobacco to each of the Paupers employed in Burping the paupers.

That Craying poles, 12 feet long and 4 in Diameter can be had at the rate of 4/- each.

Medical Officers Report.

The Medical officer recommended that the Dietary laid down in the Poor Law Commission order 5th february, be adopted in the Work House.

Ordered approved of as far as regards Breakfast, allowance of Bread for dinner not to be increased without a diminution of the quantity of Fish.

That Vessels were much required at West House Auxiliary Workhouse for giving the food to the Children - Ordered That the Master do supply two dishes.

That the food is not issued at regular hours at Slauqua - Ordered That Masters attention be called to this fact.

Recommended the discontinuance of Butter Milk at West House - Ordered That New Milk be supplied (if procureable).

That

That a case of Asiatic Cholera was brought to the Workhouse on the 5th Instant from one of the emigrant Ships, but was refused admission into the Workhouse Hospital by him, but had him sent to P.O. Temporary Fever Hospital, that a Shot air apparatus is required in the Workhouse

Ordered That the Idiot ward be prepared for Cholera patients, if the Shot air apparatus is not procurable in Galway it must be ordered from Dublin

Clerk's report.

The Clerk reported the following Relieving Officers did not furnish their Diaries for the week ending 31 March, viz Messrs Griffin, Flanagan, O'Swayer, Honnor, Carey, S. Morris, Creaney & Morris and Fynew.

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P.W. Vice
L. H. Guardian.
Clerk of the Union

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of April 1849.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, 1200 Temporary Buildings, 145 Additional Workhouse, 1500 P.O. Hospital, P.O. Fever Hospital, Peter Sheds, 300 Total, 3140	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Males.	Fem.		Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
	Remainng on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	48	25	76				64	75		57	48		85	—	342	In Workhouse Hospital, 598 In Fever Hospital, —	In separate Wards, 7 In Wards with other Inmates, 0
Admitted during the Week,	4	2	35	16	26	20	1	1	—	2137			
TOTAL,	52	27	80	152	64	46	86	1	2	3563	Total, 298	Total, 7	
Discharged during the Week	7	4	64	66	30	28	2	—	—	207			
Died,	1	—	7	5	7	2	—	—	—	27			
Total Discharged and Dead	8	4	71	71	35	4	—	—	—	228			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	44	23	130	145	50	43	82	1	2	3335			

Fever Cases 52
Dysentery 123
Other Cases 123
Total 298

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 13th day of April 1849.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Major Mackie, Town Surveyor & C. G.
Other Guardians: Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V. G.

The Relieving Officers Books for the 7th April not yet closed in consequence of the examination of the Books for week ending 31st March, not having been finished on Saturday last - see observation on last Minutes.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 26394 to No. 27111, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 27111 to No. 27111, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

That he carried out all the orders of the last Board.

Received from Government
£215, in Money and £55.0.0
in provisions.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.
The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £282.13.7
Paid during the week, £422.11.4
And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £185.15.10
The Book was signed by the Chairman.
The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.
The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Sam. Cross	Galway No. 1	5	19	9	17	6	4	7
Hugh Gelligaw	Galway No. 2	"	"	"	20	2	4	7
	Mr. Mackinn	"	"	"	21	19	5	5
M. Cullinane	Annadown	"	"	"	6	5	9	10
"	Clare Galway	"	"	"	3	6	0	5
	"	"	"	"	10	15	15	2
J. Cullinane	Suckagh	11	13	10	4	13	5	4
"	Atkenny	"	"	"	3	2	4	18
	"	11	13	10	7	3	8	3
Geo. R. McDonald	Monycullen	4	3	0	8	9	15	11
"	Hillannin	3	-	-	13	6	4	5
"	Oughterard	3	19	4	0	13	2	10
	"	50	0	0	3	2	9	0
Tho. Walsh	Cranmore	"	"	"	4	5	9	1
James Walsh	Ballinacorney	"	"	"	5	4	0	16
"	Steadbally	"	"	"	6	4	5	11
	"	"	"	"	6	0	5	2
R. McDonough	Araul	"	"	"	2	6	0	9
	"	"	"	"	2	6	0	9
	Total	67	13	7	103	73	4	2

NOTE.— A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.
Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk reported that the Relief List for week ending 31 March, 7 apud not yet closed. the paupers remaining last half year not yet thought forward into new books.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ Nil. was produced and passed.
The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:
1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.
By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £164. 14 s. 11 1/2 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	164	14	11 1/2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	178	9	2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	178	9	2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	1	0 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	-	-	2.0
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	-	-	0.0.0

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:

5 th Mould Candles	5 Ton of Indian Meal	3 Tons of fish
4 th Soap	5000 lbs Butter @ 8 ^{1/2}	14 th Pepper
56 th Meat	2200 - New Milk @ 8 ^{1/2}	170 Meat
	800 - B Milk @ 8 ^{1/2}	2 Quarts Whiskey
	200 - New do @ 6 ^{1/2}	12 Lemons
	4 th Tea @ 3/8	6 Tons of Coals
	6 th do @ 3/6	50 Boxes Soap
	40 Sugar @ 5 ^{1/2}	112 lbs Brown Soap
	30 th do @ 4 ^{1/2}	7 th White do
		7 th Washing Soda

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:
1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.
The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.
The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	-
In kind,	-	-	-
Total,	-	-	-

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.	
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.
No. I.	Connelly	✓	5 Ton	42.5.0	St. forward		3 1/2 Ton	272.13.8	
No. II.	Pellet	✓	4 1/2 do	38.0.6	No. X.	Cranmore	✓	2 do	17.9.10
No. III.	Griffin	✓	5 do	43.14.7	No. XI.	Monice	✓	3 do	26.4.9
No. IV.	Brown	✓	2 do	17.9.10	No. XII.	Culleng		-	-
No. V.	Hamagan	✓	13 do	26.4.9	No. XIII.	"		-	-
No. VI.	O'Dwyer	x	10 do	52.9.6	No. XIV.	Kerns	✓	4 do	34.19.8
No. VII.	O'Connor	✓	4 do	34.19.8	No. XV.	Expner	✓	2 do	17.9.10
No. VIII.	Carey	✓	2 do	17.9.10	No. XVI.	"		-	-
No. IX.	Monice		-	-	No. XVII.	"		-	-
Car. forwd.			3 1/2 Ton	272.13.8	TOTAL			42 1/2 Ton	368.17.8

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.			
2. Establishment Account.			
✓ Mich. Killen late Relieving Officer on acc of salary	17	1	6
✓ Mr. L. Grady Clerk Petty Cash	10	"	"
✓ Green Tin Dishes	7	8	"
✓ Pennings Coffins	16	9	"
✓ Mark Thomas payment of Overseers	4	7	2
✓ Tho. Odyne, Carpenter work and shed.	15	"	"
✓ Geo. Thomas payment Overseers	4	17	7

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

✓ P. M. Lynch flour to 7 April	119	1	"
✓ Mrs. Flattery, Soap & Candles for the month of February	19	4	4
✓ Mrs. Flattery, Soap and Candles	14	12	6

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

✓ P. M. Lynch Indian Meal	67	12	"
✓ Rush and Palmer Indian Meal to 7 April	253	12	7

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

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

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

The Chaplain's Book was produced by the Clerk containing an observation from the Rev. Mr. Daly Roman Catholic Chaplain as to the irregularity which he has observed from time to time in the Work-house during divine service.

Ordered that the Masters attention be called to this and make arrangements to have the Children come to Mass in time.

The Assistant Master at Dangan reported that some Boys absconded therefrom and made their way to the Principal Workhouse.

Ordered Boys to be sent back and Gaols to be kept from them for two days.

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

That the Locks of the Auxiliary Workhouse were in a bad state having been left in an unfinished state by Contractor.

The Contractor having been sent for promised to finish the Locks by tomorrow. Required, 2 quire of large paper, 2 do of note paper, 1/4 hundred of Quills & 1 Can of Ink - Ordered.

Masters Report.

The Master reported that much damage is being constantly done to the Linnen and Bedding in the Workhouse - that of 124 Boys shirts sent from Dangan, 24 new ones were torn and damaged, that of new sheets were sent from West House very much damaged - recommended that the Gaols be stopped from the Press until the value of the sheets be compensated for.

Ordered

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

Sealed order 11th April. 1849. conti-
nuing relief out of the Workhouse
to all cases under Section 2 to the
12th of May next. —

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

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, 12th April
1849, n^o 21725, stating that a requisition was
sent to the Commissariat Office for the issue of
£75, for relief of the Poor of the Galway Union.

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners, 10th
April, 1849, n^o 21334, stating that a requisition
was sent to the Commissariat Office for the
issue of a sum of £300, for relief of the Poor of
the Galway Union

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners, Ci-
cular 10th April. 49, n^o 21465 requesting a
return showing the n^o of Idiots, Epileptics
and Lunatics in each Electoral Division of
the Union.

Poor Law Commissioners letter, 10th April 1849.
n^o 13365, approving of the appointment of Mr
Richard Smyth as assistant Master, at the
salary of £20 a year and observing that n^o.
part of Mr Smyth's family would be allowed
in the Workhouse.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 10th April, 49.
n^o 21537 approving of the appointment of
Mr

Mr Dwyer as Relieving Officer at a
salary of £50 a year.

Read a letter from Mr Rice Revising Valuator
enclosing a list of Queries and answers in re-
ference to his appointment and also a form
of a notice which may be circulated through
the Union.

Ordered That the Clerk do write to Mr
Rice and furnish him with a copy of the
notice already published. —

The Clerk produced two writs served on him
at the suit of Mess^{rs} Rush and Palmer and
Matt Conannon for the amount of their
accounts.

Ordered That they be handed to Mr
Blakeney to enter an appearance —

The Clerk produced the order of the Court on
an appeal in the case of Franklin appell-
ant which ordered that the value of his
holding n^o 3694, ^{Galway Electoral Division} be reduced to £30. 0. 0, and
that the sum of £5. 5. 0, which the appell-
ant had already paid be returned to
him.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

The Vice Guardians having referred to their order on last Board day calling on the Master of the Work House to furnish a return of the Implements, Tools and Flaxen and Woollen Wheels at present available in each of the Workhouses and finding that he has not furnished such return but has contented himself with inserting an imperfect report on his Journal, the returns from the other Houses having been omitted.

Resolved That the Master be called upon to furnish the required return by 12 O'clock at our adjourned Meeting on tomorrow.

The Clerk reported there was no Contract for the supply of Rice or Oat meal -

Ordered To be advertised for.

Meeting adjourned until tomorrow the 14th April -

Wm. Keir J. Vice
Wm. Martin J. Guardians.
Clerk Union.

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(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

(Masters report cont from page 5)
Ordered any damage done should have been ascertained on each day and some enquiry at once been made to ascertain who the guilty parties were.

Ordered The Master at Dangan must account for the damaged Shirts.

Reports that the want of Shoes amongst the Men renders them unable to do field work, the greater part of them being suffering from sore feet and suggested the introduction of Wooden soled Shoes.

Ordered The Master must account for the Material last ordered for Shoes.

Required for the Work House, viz: -

- 3 Dozen Brooms
- 10 Barls Lime
- 2^{do} Black Lead
- 1/2 dozen Bath brick
- 1 Stone Whiting

Ordered.

Reported that the Schoolmaster and Assistant Schoolmaster were now sufficiently recovered and returned to the performance of their duties, the persons employed to act in their place still continue in office.

Ordered That Mr. Egan the Warden who had acted as Assistant Schoolmaster do return to his proper duty.

That Mr. O'Brien who had acted as Schoolmaster be discontinued.

Medical Officers Report.

The Medical Officer recommended Cocoa as a substitute for Milk, made by the following receipt, viz: -

4 lb of Cocoa,

7th of Sugar, and 2 Gallons of New Milk to 20 Gallons of Water. Ordered approved of. Required a Bath and Cistern in the Infirmary. Ordered. That the Master do purchase Timber for this purpose.

Reported That the Work House was too crowded and recommended the Chambers in the Workhouse to be reduced by 425. No Order.

That a Case of Cholera has appeared in the Work House Hospital.

Adjourned Meeting of the Vice Guardians held on Saturday the 14th April. 1849.

Present in the Chair, Major McKie, P. L. V. G. Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V. G.

The Master handed in a return of the Implements in the Workhouse and Auxiliary Workhouses as also of the Tins and Whels but did not furnish a general return such as required by the Vice Guardians, shewing the Number at present available and the Co^{ts} which have been purchased within the last 6 Months.

The Master reported that there is no Convenience for removing the Nuisance from the Cess pools to the dung Hines, except the Right Buckets and a few old Barrows which are unfit for the purpose he therefore requested to be supplied with the Barrows he applied for on the 16th of last Month for the Speedy and more cleanly removal of such Nuisance. No Order.

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 20th April next.
 P. McKie
 Lewis Fitzmaurice
 Vice Guardians
 Clerk Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14 day of April 1849.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:—	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.		Born.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.			Males.	Fem.		Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse, 1200													
Temporary Buildings, 145													
Additional Workhouse, 1500													
Permanent Fever Hospital, 2300													
Total, 3145													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, } 44 23 720 1150 570 433 85 " " 3335													
Admitted during the Week, } 3 4 57 57 26 28 4 " " 1168													
TOTAL, 47 27 781 1571 596 461 89 " " 13503													
Discharged during the Week } 2 2 52 59 28 26 6 " " 175													
Died, } 1 " 8 4 5 14 " " " 32													
Total Discharged and Dead } 3 2 60 63 33 40 6 " " 207													
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, } 44 25 721 1153 563 421 83 " " 3346													

Blow 41
 Dysentery 110
 other cases - 142
 Total 293

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14 day of April authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Cases.	Persons.		
No. I.	509	1228	201	624	710	1852	Bt. forward	2584	6536	1343	4258	3927	10814	
No. II.	519	1306	202	586	721	1892	No. X.	230	476	162	576	392	992	
No. III.	392	924	111	434	503	1358	No. XI.	168	359	90	290	253	649	
No. IV.	218	621	78	252	296	873	No. XII.	123	350	65	238	188	588	
No. V.	158	397	145	431	303	828	No. XIII.	108	269	52	187	160	456	
No. VI.	219	623	155	511	374	1134	No. XIV.	277	625	167	483	444	1108	
No. VII.	252	674	177	520	429	1214	No. XV.	173	390	74	187	247	571	
No. VIII.	204	476	196	610	400	1086	No. XVI.	66	174	31	98	97	272	
No. IX.	113	287	78	290	191	577	No. XVII.	146	395	69	238	215	633	
Car forward	2584	6536	1343	4258	3927	10814	No. XVIII.	10	40	"	"	11	40	
							TOTAL,	3885	9634	2053	6489	5938	16123	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 20 day of April 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, Major McKie P. L. V. G.
 Other Guardians: Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V. G.

Examined such alternate Friday

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 22532 to No. 22629, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Clerk reported that he carried out the orders of the last Board.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £ 370: 5: 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 148: 0: 10

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Samuel Cross	Galway No. 1	17	6	4	7	2	
Hugh Gilligan	Galway No. 2	20	4	7	8		
	Martyn	2	15	19	5	2	
Martin Cullinan	Amadown	6	55	9	10	2	
"	Claregalway	10	5	3	60	5	
		10	5	10	15	15	
John Cullinan	Lackagh	4	13	5	4		
"	Attery	3	24	18	5		
		4	7	38	3	9	
Geo. P. McDonald	Moycullen	9	15	11	3		
"	Willewin	13	6	4	5	11	
"	Oughterard	10	13	2	10	4	
		3	2	9	3	0	
Thomas Walsh	Beamaore	4	5	9	1	3	
James Walsh	B. Country	5	4	0	16	6	
"	Shudbally	6	4	0	5	11	
		4	6	0	5	25	
Edm. McDonough	Araraw.	2	6	0	9	4	
		10	5	10	36	2	
		10	5	10	36	2	

NOTE.— A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.

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

* Including £ 300: 0: 0 received from Govt.

Mr. Keppin's Asst. Clerk produced his Petty cash account to £ 11: 15: 6 which was passed and he handed to the Clerk the balance which remained in his hands £ 8: 0: 0

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 219: 0: 0 7/2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ 219: 0: 7 1/2

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 179: 5: 11 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 179: 5: 11 1/2

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 0: 1: 0 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, £ 0: 2: 0

Average cost in Fever Hospital, £ 0: 2: 0

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:

- 2 1/2 Cwt. first flour
- 5 1/2 Ton of Indian Meal
- 20 Cwt. Salt
- 4 1/2 Ton 3/8 1/4 Ester @ 7/6
- 145 lbs Sugar 5 1/2 pence
- 45 do do 4 1/2
- 3 Hous fish
- 50 lbs of pepper
- 10 Cwt. Wheat
- 28 lbs of loaf sugar
- 5 Gallons Whiskey
- 8 Tons Coals
- 50 Boxes Soap
- 35 lbs dip Candles
- 112 lbs of Brown Soap
- 7 lbs of Starch
- 1 Load of fire Wood
- 28 lbs washing Soda
- 2 lbs Buttermilk
- 7 " Mould candles

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 14 day of April; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, £ 350: 17: 4 1/2

In kind, Money — 1: 4: 0

Total, £ 352: 1: 10 1/2

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractor.	
		£	s.	d.	Article and quantity.			Value. £ s. d.	£	s.	d.
No. I.	Comelly	2	0	0	5	1/2	18	0	0	36	1/2
No. II.	Petit	2	0	0	5	1/2	17	0	0	34	1/2
No. III.	Giffin	2	0	0	5	1/2	26	0	0	52	1/2
No. IV.	Browne	2	0	0	3	1/2	26	0	0	52	1/2
No. V.	Planagan	2	0	0	3	1/2	26	0	0	52	1/2
No. VI.	O'Dwyer	2	0	0	6	1/2	34	0	0	68	1/2
No. VII.	O'Connell	2	0	0	6	1/2	34	0	0	68	1/2
No. VIII.	Darcy	2	0	0	3	1/2	26	0	0	52	1/2
No. IX.	McDonogh	2	0	0	3	1/2	26	0	0	52	1/2
Car. forwd.		18	0	0	36	1/2	18	0	0	36	1/2
		18	0	0	36	1/2	18	0	0	36	1/2

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Establishment of William M. Cormac flax	4	3	2
Continued M. donagh wool	4	13	"

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

2. Establishment Account.

✓ Sweeney repairing a Pump	2	10	" 104
✓ Scavanagh covered Cart	2	10	" 105
✓ Parker Salary	4	"	"
✓ J. R. Hopkins Salary to 24 Sept	9	12	8
✓ J. Brady Clk. part bills	5	2	6
✓ Mark Thomas freight. Oranmore	4	6	"
✓ George Thomas do	4	14	"
✓ Giffy wages @ Streetkeeper	1	19	" 104
✓ Honor R. O. salary	6	"	"
✓ Honor R. O. do	3	10	"
✓ P. Morris R. O. do	9	4	8

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

✓ McNaughton groceries (Hull)	19	8	1
✓ P. M. Lynch Meal Flour	96	2	6
✓ Edwood Meat	6	5	7
✓ M. Loughlin field	35	13	7

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

✓ Rush & Palmer Indian Meal	209	18	0
✓ P. M. Lynch Meal	80	5	8

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

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

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

Master's Report

That Cholera broke out in the West House Auxiliary Workhouse on the night of the 14 Inst. That the disease made its appearance ^{most alarming} in the principal Workhouse on the 19 Inst. That he required assistance for the management of the house, the Warden M. donagh having resigned and the other Warden Egan being yet at Dangan; Ordered. That the Master will send for Mr. Egan;

That some Blankets are very much required - Ordered That the Clerk will write to the Contractor for 50 pair;

That a considerable quantity of the Workhouse bedding and sheets &c has been sent to the Cholera Hospital. Ordered. That the Master do produce receipts for such articles as have been sent.

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

That a considerable quantity of Brandy Whiskey &c is being ordered constantly by the Medical Officers which he had procured for them and requests the two Guardians questions on the subject to enable him to make his Estimate - That Pitt Mulholland "overseer" has been taken ill of cholera - Ordered That Master will enquire for an overseer in Mulholland's stead;

Required for the Workhouse. 20 lbs Lime & 4 doz Thorny (ordered)

Medical Officers Report

Recommended that the Soup should be made of meat instead of fish;

Recommended That Rice be substituted for the fish Soup in the principal Workhouse

Ordered That the Medical Officer do explain his meaning more fully and state the quantity

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

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 13 April 1849 N^o 292 N/49 transmitting an amended form of Notice to Immediate Lessors under the 2nd Sec of the Act 6th 7th Vic Cap 92

Circular dated 13 April 1849 N^o 297 N/1849 requesting that the Monthly Return of Liabilities for March may be transmitted by Monday the 16th Inst.

The Clerk stated that he forwarded the return by Sundays post the 15th Inst.

Circular 18 April 1849 N^o 23739/49 stating that a requisition was sent to the Commissariat Office for the sum of £640 for the use of the Galway Union. The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively, as follows:

Letter 18 April 1849 N^o 303/49 calling the Clerks attention to their circular of the 29th ultimo requesting a return of the cases of Vaccination in the Workhouse during the year ending 25 March last. The Clerk stated that he wrote to the Comrs to say that he did not receive the circular referred to and requesting that he may be supplied with a form when he would supply the return.

Letter from Central Board of Health 14 April 1849 N^o 3887/49 enclosing a copy of a memorial for the provision of medical aid at Spiddal and requesting the objections of the Vic Guardians on the subject.

Letter from Central Board of Health 17 April 1849 N^o 3910/49 requiring to be furnished with daily lists of persons attacked by Cholera in the Union.

Ordered that each Medical Officer be requested to furnish Daily Lists of persons attacked by Cholera in each of their districts and that anti-Cholera forms be supplied to them for that purpose.

The

The Clerk stated that forms had already been supplied to each of the Medical Officers.

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners 18 April 1849 N^o 20074 requesting to be supplied with a return setting forth the particulars of the rates struck before the 1st ultimo.

Read a letter from the National Education Office requiring to be furnished with a return of the No. of children on the roll of the Galway Workhouse National School on the 31st December last.

Poor Law Commissioners to Vic Guardians 17 April 1849 N^o 18964/49 sanctioning the increased allowance of salary to Dr. Bourne from the 29th Sept last and so long as the No. of inmates of the Workhouse shall exceed three thousand.

Read a communication from the Rev. Peter Daly R.P. offering the right of interment for the Workhouse and Cholera paupers either at Rahoon or Busby Park for the sum of fifty pounds to be paid at once.

Resolved that Father Dalys offer be accepted and that the Commissioners sanction be requested to the arrangement.

Resolved that in consequence of the increase of Cholera it has been found necessary to make the following arrangements and alterations - That Dr. James Bourne be appointed to the Medical charge of the Cholera Hospital @ 10/- per diem.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

That

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).

That Dr. Richardson will return to the Work house and will continue to receive 5/- per day in consideration of his remaining in the house day and night to attend to cholera patients in the house

That Doctor Mr. Mahon do act as apothecary to the cholera Hospital from the 17th Inst. @ 5/- a day:

That R. Mansell do act as assistant Apothecary at 5/- a day from the 18th Inst.

That the account of the Cholera Hospital be kept distinct by Mr. Alley in the same manner as the accounts of the Fever Hospital —

That such articles of bedding as may be required will be furnished to the Cholera Hospital by the Master of the Workhouse who will obtain a receipt for all articles supplied from the Medical officer in charge

That Doctor Thomas Whistler of Oranmore do afford Dispensary aid to cholera Patients in Ballinacorney and that he will be paid an additional Salary of 5/- per day:

The Clerk reported that he was unable to forward the usual weekly returns to the Poor Law Commission in consequence of the Record of Deaths Book and Admission and Discharge Book not being yet closed for week ending 14 April 1849:

Ordered that the Master do immediately explain why the Workhouse Books are not closed regularly every week and sent in for examination to the Clerk before the Board day in each.

The following explanation was handed in by the Master - That the Relief List for the half year ending 25 March last is made up and closed.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the

day of 184 .

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

and that the assistant Master and himself are using every exertion in bringing up the Relief List for the present half year the greater part of which is now closed copied in. He had to give the same explanation in reference to the Clothing Books: That he has been unable to complete the record of deaths Book for week ending 14 Inst. and unable to make any entry therein for the present week in consequence of not receiving the return of Deaths from the Medical officers

That during the past week he was unable to give but very little assistance in the keeping of the Workhouse books in consequence of the fearful outbreak of cholera in the Workhouse nearly all his assistants are either ill or have fled through terror:

Read a letter from Mr. Egan R. Off. for Ballinacorney and Cholera Hospital, shabbily informing the Vice Guardians of the appearance of Cholera in his District and stating that Dr. Whistler refused attending them:

Ordered that Mr. Egan be informed that Doctor Whistler is appointed to attend cholera in his District

Ordered that a food Depot be established at Salt House Canaroo @ 2/- 6d ^{as the house} ^{shut on 14th} from Monday the 23 Inst.

The Clerk read notice of appeal served on him in the case of Joseph St. Bath appellant which ordered the name of Mary Dolan to be rated for n^o 2945 Galway R.D. instead of S. appellant.

Read 2nd notice. S. appellant which ordered that the tenement rated to him in n^o 2978 Galway R.D. should be struck out of S. rate.

Read 3rd notice S. appellant which ordered that the name of S. appellant be struck out from n^o 2942 Galway R.D. and the name of Elvior Mr. Donnell rated thereon.

Read

Read a letter from Mr. Blakeney requesting to be informed if the Vice Guardians determined on entering appearances in each of the cases when writs have been served and advising the Vice Guardians to do so for to save expense.

Ordered. That the Clerk do instruct Mr. Blakeney to enter an appearance in each case.

The Clerk reported that Danjan or Westhouse Mary, Workhouses or the property thereof has never been insured.

Ordered. That the Clerk do write to Mr. Milkinson to know what value would be put on the building at Danjan.

The Clerk reported the necessity of establishing a regular Dietary very lately some changes has been made and it has not been adhered to regularly which made the checking of the prov. very difficult.

Ordered. That Dr. Moore be requested to lay down a ~~regular~~ Dietary in writing.

The Clerk reported the necessity of calling on the Relieving Officers for Lists of the persons receiving Relief during the half year ended on 25 March last according to No. 7 of article XI General order outdoor Relief.

The Clerk reported the necessity of taking stock of clothing in the Workhouse as there was a considerable deficiency between the actual stock and that on the clothing books.

Ordered. That as soon as cholera subsides stock of clothing be taken.

The Clerk reported that in looking over the admission and Discharge Book for week ending 14 April he found that many persons left the Workhouse during that week who it appeared from the Registers had been discharged before during the period that the late Assistant

Master

Master Hynes was in office.

On requiring an explanation from the Master and Assistant Master he found that the discharges were improperly made by Mr. Hynes but that they had Lists of all the paupers now in the several Workhouses and were comparing them with the Books for the purpose of connecting same.

The Vice Guardians finding that Mr. Hopkins "ass^t" Clerk had absented himself from his duties from 4 o'clock on Saturday last 21st till 11 o'clock on Monday m^g without leave from the Vice Guardians. Ordered. That the Clerk do call on Mr. Hopkins for an explanation of the cause.

Port McDonagh Woodsman having handed in his resignation. Ordered. That it be accepted and that his Successor be appointed on next Board day.

Next meeting of the Vice Guardians to be held on Friday the 27 April 1849.

(Signed)

Lewis Fitzmaurice } Vice Guardians

Edward G. Clerk Union

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of April 1849.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, 1200 Temporary Buildings, 145 Additional Workhouse, 1500 Permanent Buildings, 300 Fever Shed,	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Males.	Fem.		Number		
											In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Total, 3145													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	44	25	721	438	563	121	84	-	-	3296	In Workhouse Hospital	In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital	7
Admitted during the Week,	4	3	32	50	16	10	1	-	-	116	In Hospital	In Fever Hospital	0
TOTAL,	48	28	753	488	579	131	85	-	-	3412	Total	Total	7
Discharged during the Week	5	4	42	151	56	111	4	-	-	363			41
Died,	1	1	12	36	4	31	-	-	-	85			143
Total Discharged and Dead	6	5	54	187	60	142	4	-	-	448			150
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	42	23	699	1301	579	299	81	-	-	2964			63
													397

fever 41
Dysentery 143
Cholera 150
Other cases 63
397 ✓

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21st day of April authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	529	1332	207	595	736	1927	Bt. forward						
No. II.	518	1254	216	655	734	1909	No. X.	237	486	166	526	403	1012
No. III.	392	924	111	434	503	1358	No. XI.	171	367	96	326	267	693
No. IV.	218	621	78	252	296	873	No. XII.	118	357	59	219	177	570
No. V.	154	387	131	416	285	803	No. XIII.	100	266	37	157	157	453
No. VI.	227	636	168	562	395	1198	No. XIV.	279	631	178	495	452	1126
No. VII.	252	694	177	520	429	1214	No. XV.	175	397	78	192	253	589
No. VIII.	216	505	217	674	433	1179	No. XVI.	67	178	32	100	99	278
No. IX.	114	289	91	334	205	628	No. XVII.	167	396	74	249	241	645
Car forward							No. XVIII.	10	40	-	-	10	40
							TOTAL	3944	9754	2125	6736	6069	16490

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 21st day of April 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, Major McKie. P. J. and O. G.
Other Guardians: Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. O. G.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 22700 to No. 22815, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 27115 to No. 27360, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Clerk read a notice of intended Marriage between John Fairwright a soldier of the 68th Regiment and Honor Keating.

The Clerk reported he carried out the orders of last Board day.

* Including 26/5 received from Government.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £ 700. 0. 0

Paid during the week, £ 585. 14. 8

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 262. 6. 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Samuel Cross	Galway No. 1.	" " "	1761 4 7 1/2
Hugh O'Connell	Galway No. 2	" " "	2024 7 8
	Mr. Martyn	" " "	2151 9 5 1/2
Martin Cullinane	Annadown	" " "	655 9 10 1/2
	Creegalway	" " "	360 5 3 1/2
		" " "	1015 15 2
John Cullinane	Lackagh	" " "	413 5 4
	Atterney	" " "	324 18 5
		" " "	738 3 9
Geo. R. McDonald	Boyvelton	" " "	915 11 3
	Killaurin	22 3 "	1342 2 11 1/2
	Oughterard	2 17 "	1010 5 10 1/2
		25 "	3298 0 0 1/2
Thomas Walsh	Oranmore	" " "	457 1 3
James Walsh	Ballinacorney	" " "	540 16 6
	Shadballey	" " "	64 5 11
		" " "	605 2 5
Redmond McLaughlin	Foran	" " "	260 9 4
		25 "	1137 14 8 1/2

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk reported that the Relief List was not yet closed, for week ended on 31st March, 4th, 11th or 21st April.

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

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

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
 2. The Provision Check Accounts.
 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.
- By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 259. 8. 4 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	259	8	4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	193	8	9
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	193	8	9
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	1	1
Average cost in Infirmary,	0	2	0
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	0	0	0

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:

20 Cwt Best Flour	80 Boxes of Turf
3 Tons Rye Meal	40 ^{lb} Dipst Candles
3 do Barley do	22 ^{lb} Brown Soap
4 do Indian do	4 ^{lb} White do.
4 ^{lb} Tea @ 3/8	28 ^{lb} washing Soda
40 ^{lb} Sugar @ 5/	5 ^{lb} Mould Candles
1 ^{lb} 1/2 of Rice	12 dozen Soda Water
14 ^{lb} Leaf Sugar	2 ^{lb} of Tobacco
6 Tons of Coals	

Clothing Books not made up since 25 March

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
 2. The Medical Officers' Books.
- The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature. The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 21st day of April; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	1	7	6
In kind,	859	14	6
Total,	361	2	0

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book. The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurers, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.	RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity. Value. £ s. d.			£ s. d.	Article and quantity. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	Lynam	✓	50 ^{lb} Tea @ 2 5.0	Bt. forward			27 ^{lb} Tea @ 2 5.0
No. II.	Ballinacorney	✓	5 do do 12.5.0	No. X.	Oranmore	✓	3 do do 26.4.9
No. III.	Shadballey	✓	6 do do 52.9.6	No. XI.	Atterney	✓	2 do do 17.9.10
No. IV.	Foran	✓	4 do do 34.19.8	No. XII.	Creegalway	✓	3 do do 26.4.9
No. V.	Boyvelton	✓	3 do do 26.4.9	No. XIII.	Annadown	✓	4 do do 34.19.8
No. VI.	Atterney	✓	" " " " "	No. XIV.	Oranmore	✓	4 do do 34.19.8
No. VII.	Foran	✓	" " " " "	No. XV.	Shadballey	✓	2 do do 17.9.10
No. VIII.	Ballinacorney	✓	2 do do 17.9.10	No. XVI.			
No. IX.	Atterney	✓	4 do do 34.19.8	No. XVII.			
Car. forwd.				TOTAL,		2.0.0	43 Tons 373.2.3

Credit Treasurers with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

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

2. Establishment Account.

✓ John Grady payment of Bills	12	19	8
do do	5	18	5
do do Petty Cash	5	-	10 1/2
✓ Mark Thomas payment of Officers	4	6	-
✓ Geo Thomas do	4	14	-
✓ John Sterns R. Officer salary to 29 Sept	12	10	-
✓ Pat Morris balance salary as R. Off	10	-	-
✓ Matthew Treaven R. Off. do to 29 Sept	12	10	-
✓ John Grady payment of Bills	4	19	8
✓ M. Jennings Coffins, but door	6	0	4
✓ Henry Walsh, Streetkeeper wages	2	5	- 1/4
✓ R. Kelly cooper work	4	16	- 1/4

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

✓ M. and J. Connell on a/c Fuel	50	-	-
✓ P. M. Lynch Meal and foals	64	4	-
✓ James Byrne Rice	13	-	-
✓ John Harrison Milk to 140 popl	22	4	11
do do	10	-	-

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Rush and Palmer, Indian Meal 21 Sept	333	11	11
P. M. Lynch Indian Meal	70	1	-

For Hospitals.

Wm N. Alley, payment of Bills	2	15	-
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Credit Treasurer and debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

The Clerk reported that he did not receive any reply from the Solicitor, calling on him to furnish his account for Law Costs.

Ordered - That the Clerk do again call on Mr. Blakeney for his Bill of Costs.

Master's Report.

The Master reported that he received information that a considerable quantity of old clothes were taken from the Workhouse or Cholera Hospital and sold in Quay Street, to a man named Connolly by the paupers employed at the Cholera Hospital and that he proceeded to the house and ascertained that such was the fact.

Ordered - Steps were taken to procure charge but failed.

Reported the inability of the Assistant Master to bring up the areas in the Relief List and Clothing Books in consequence of the great pressure of business in the Master's office, owing to the outbreak of Cholera & suggesting the necessity of employing a smart person for a few weeks to assist in keeping the accounts.

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

The Master reported that the Milk Contractor has been deficient in his supplies of New Milk.

Ordered - That the Clerk do write to the Contractor and call his attention to the necessity of fulfilling his contract.

Reported that having neither the assistance of Wardsmen or Overseers during the past week he was unable to give any assistance in the keeping of the Books. That the Contractor for Paper stuffs refused to supply the amount of the last order.

Ordered - That the Master do purchase from other persons. That he was unable to procure lime during past week, in consequence of the person who was in the habit of supplying, not having been paid the amount of his bill. Ordered - That Master be informed that payment is ordered this day for the Bill.

for continuation of Reports see page 11

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

Sealed Order dated 21 April, 1849, N^o 18990, authorizing the appointment of a Revising Valuator.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter, 23rd of April, N^o 18990, enclosing a sealed Order authorizing the appointment of a Revising Valuator.

Ordered. That Mr. Hugh Rice be appointed to revise the Valuation of the Union, to be completed by the 1st day of August next at a sum of One hundred and Fifty pounds; Sureties, Pat Rice of Trim, L. C. and Robert Orr, of Backville Street, Dublin, Esq^{re}

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:

Poor Law Commissioners Letter, 24 April, 49, N^o 25804, stating that a Requisition was sent to the Commissariat Office for the issue of £500, in the name of Major McKie for the use of the Union.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter, 25 April, 49, N^o 25865, sanctioning the use of Cocoa instead of Milk in the Dietary of the Workhouse

Letter from Central Board of Health, dated 20 April N^o 4416, enclosing a copy of a letter which they received from Doctor Keavin, relative to the appearance of Cholera in the District of Dunaghdower, and requesting to be informed of the steps taken by the Vice Guardians to carry the "Nuisance Removal and Diseases Prevention Act" into effect.

Ordered. That the Clerk inform Doctor Keavin that the Vice Guardians will furnish any small supply of Cholera Medicines that may be required and will communicate with him further on the subject.

Letter from Same, dated 21 April, 49, N^o 4404, stating that a packet containing 120 forms of Cholera Reports were forwarded on the 4th Instant and requesting to be informed if they had arrived.

Letter

Letter from Central Board of Health, dated 23 April 1849, N^o 4177, forwarding a requisition for the appointment of an additional Medical Officer, for the Temporary Fever Hospital at Galway, in consequence of the increase in the number of patients.

Ordered. That the Clerk inform the Central Board of Health that the Vice Guardians have already appointed six additional Medical Officers, at a salary of £12.50, per week, and that are not aware of any additional Medical assistance being required for the Fever Hospital at Galway, such necessity not having been intimated to them by the Medical Officer in charge, they beg also to observe that the numbers at present are not equal to what it has been frequently since the Fever Hospital was established and the numbers are now decreasing.

Letter from Central Board of Health, dated 24th April, 49, N^o 4589, requesting to be informed as to what articles of Nutriment are distributed to patients attended from Temporary Dispensaries within the Union.

Ordered. That the Central Board of Health be informed that a supply of Rice and Meal was granted to the Temporary Dispensary at Lettermore, but not from the Cates, and that this was the only Dispensary until the Dispensaries for Cholera were established and that no articles of Nutriment has been furnished by the Vice Guardians to those Dispensaries.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

Letter

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).

Letter from Central Board of Health, dated 25 April 49. N. 4557, enclosing a copy of a letter which they received from the Rev. Mr. M. Cready, on the subject of cholera appearing in Spiddal and requesting the Vice Guardians attention to the communication.

Ordered That the Central Board of Health be informed that the Vice Guardians enquired of the Relieving Officers, if any cases of Cholera had appeared at Spiddal, and they stated not to their knowledge, and that Mr. M. Cready has been constantly applying for the establishment of a Dispensary at Spiddal even when a Temporary fever hospital there, the Vice Guardians do not mean to deny, that the establishment of Dispensaries would be very desirable in several places in the Union, but they beg to observe that the funds at their disposal will not admit of such an increase of expenditure as must be incurred by adding to the Hospitals and Dispensaries already established and that the estimate for Temporary Medical Establishments in this Union for the present week amounts to 100 £, while the average weekly collection of rates does not exceed 20 £.

Letter from Thomas Murray & Auditor forwarding the Abstracts of accounts for half year ending 29 September, 1848, signed by him, and requesting them to be signed by the Vice Guardians and returned to the Poor Law Commissioners immediately, as they were required for their Annual Report.

Resolved -

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 184 .

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Resolved That John Mullins be appointed Overseer of the paupers employed in the Workhouse at a salary of Eight Shillings per week, on trial for one month.

Resolved That Martin M. Carmick be appointed, on trial for one month, Warden of the Workhouse, at a salary of Ten pounds per annum with rations and apartments.

The Vice Guardians having considered the necessity of confining the time for receiving objections to the existing Valuation.

Ordered That notice be given that all objections must be lodged on or before the 12 of May, instead of the 30th.

Resolved That the following Gentlemen be appointed a Committee under the 12 Viet. Chap. 131, Sec. 8, for the Town of Galway, viz: -

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|-------------------------------|------------------------|
| The Rev. The Warden of Galway | John Castello. |
| Rev. John Carey | John Harrison |
| Rev. J. Rush | Patt Commins |
| Rev. B. L. Roche | N. Killian |
| Rev. V. D. Tolan | A. R. Mullins. |
| Rev. A. Commins | W. N. Alley Secretary. |
| Rev. M. Joyce | |
| Rev. M. Leonard. | |

to the copy of the report

The Clerk produced a writ served on him at the suit of W^m Elwood.

Ordered That it be handed to Mr. Blakeney to enter an appearance thereon.

The Clerk reported that the Books required to be

be kept by the Poor Law Commissioners order of the 5th of February, viz Daily Diet Book, and Diet Class Book and which were handed by the Clerk to the Master, and assistant Master of each Workhouse long since are not being kept.

Ordered That all the Workhouse Books and the Books from the Auxiliary Workhouses be laid before the Board at their next Meeting for the purpose of making enquiry why they have not been kept up regularly.

Next Meeting of the Vice Guardians to be held on Friday the 4th of May, 1849.

Wm. H. ... Vice Guardians
Clerk of the Union

The Vice Guardians having considered Tenders for the supply of Rice and Oatmeal and finding that the tenders sent in were too high

Ordered That tenders be advertised for to be considered on next Board day.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of *Aprile* 1849.

Table with columns: Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided (Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, Total), Aged and Infirm, Able-bodied (Males, Fem.), Boys, Girls, Children under 2 years, Born (Males, Fem.), RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (Number in Hospital on the above date, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date), OBSERVATIONS. Includes sub-tables for 'Remaining on previous Saturday' and 'Admitted during the Week'.

Specimen 41
Dysentery 145
Cholera 157
Other Cases 52
Total 395

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 28 day of *Aprile* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. (Number of cases, Number of Persons), Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. (Number of cases, Number of Persons), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons), RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. (Number of cases, Number of Persons), Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. (Number of cases, Number of Persons), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons). Lists districts I through XVII and a Car forward section.

COPIES of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 28th day of *Aprile* 1849. Mr. ... in the Chair, Other Guardians: ... Meeting adjourned to Friday the 11 May 1849.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed. The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 22516 to No. 22771, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk. The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. ... to No. ... inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk. The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

Remained each alternate Friday

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

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

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was -

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered -

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 184 .

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *fifth* day of *May* 1849.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, 1070 Temporary Buildings, 445 Additional Workhouse, 1350 Permanent Lunatic Hospital, 300 Total, 3160	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Males.	Fem.		Number In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
	Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	42	27	599				412	504		244	75		"	"	2453	In Workhouse Hospital, 393 In Fever Hospital, 1	In separate Wards, 7 In Wards with other Inmates, 51
Admitted during the Week.	6	5	54	47	14	25	1	1	"	163			
TOTAL.	48	32	653	459	518	269	76	1	"	2916	Total, 393	Total, 7	
Discharged during the Week.	1	1	13	30	2	1	2	"	"	50			
Died.	2	2	26	27	6	12	1	"	"	76			
Total Discharged and Dead.	3	3	39	57	8	13	3	"	"	126			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	45	29	619	402	515	206	73	1	"	2790			

Seven 41
Dysentery 127
the case of Cholera 53
Cholera. Other Cases 170
Total 393

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *5* day of *May* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	553	1400	233	656	786	2056	Bt. forward						
No. II.	232	1303	242	708	774	2011	No. X.	253	521	175	533	430	1074
No. III.	408	957	113	434	521	1396	No. XI.	205	480	65	270	274	750
No. IV.	224	732	81	263	305	595	No. XII.	121	243	117	298	238	641
No. V.	153	386	163	510	316	896	No. XIII.	109	286	60	211	169	497
No. VI.	224	630	112	550	386	1180	No. XIV.	291	644	188	541	479	1185
No. VII.	245	673	176	533	421	1206	No. XV.	183	402	84	222	264	624
No. VIII.	227	535	217	686	444	1221	No. XVI.	72	185	35	108	107	293
No. IX.	113	294	106	350	219	644	No. XVII.	173	457	88	311	258	762
Car forward								12	47	5	11	17	58
							TOTAL.	4102	10257	2307	7220	6409	17487

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Friday* the *11* day of *May* 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Lewis Seymour Esq V. G.*
Other Guardians: *James Ward Esq V. G.*

Major McKie "Tom Law Inspector" was prevented from attending by illness

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 22172 to No. 23134, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 27361 to No. 28174 inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Clerk read notice of intended marriage between *Wm. Sherman Sol. 68 Regiment* and *Elen Linskey Spinster*

The Clerk reported that he carried out all the orders of the last Board.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £ 1322. 2. 11

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 322. 8. 0

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

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

Including £ 1203 received from Government

Table with columns: Name of each Collector, Name of Electoral Division, Collected and Lodged, Remaining. Rows include Samuel Croft, Hugh Silligan, Patt Martin, M. Cullinan, John Cullinan, George McDonald, Thomas Walsh, James Walsh, R. McDougall.

NOTE.— A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

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

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

The Weekly Relief List not closed since the 25th March, but it is being done

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 204. 17. 2

Prov. received W & L during 28 April £ 187. 12. 5 1/2 do consumed £ 143. 19. 8 1/2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. 204. 17. 2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 202. 9. 5 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 202. 9. 5 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1. 1. 3 1/4
Average cost in Infirmary, 1. 2. 4 1/2
Average cost in Fever Hospital, 1. 1. 1 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:

- 7 lb White Soap, 21 cut fine flour, 3 gallons Whiskey, 11 Stone Malt, 2 1/2 Ton Rape Meal, 28 lbs Washing Soda, 4 lbs Starch, 4 " Ind. Meal, 7 " Starch, 10 Cut Butter, 1 dozen of Soda Water, 3 1/2 lb Tea, 1 1/2 Ton Rice, 40 Sugar, 6 Tons Coal, 40 " do, 50 Boxes Soap, 28 " loaf Sugar, 25 lb dip Candles, 4 Bottles Wine, 148 lb Brown Soap

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

- 1. The general Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 5 day of May; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

and the Expenditure for 28th April 1848 was In Money £ 5. 3. 10 1/2 In kind 351. 10. 3 Total £ 356. 14. 1 1/2

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

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors, RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, By Order on Contractor. Rows include Annally, Pettit, Giffin, Brown, Hangan, Dwyer, Connor, Dwyer, L. Murphy.

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Leaver Hospital Bills			
William M. Conmac & Co	5	4	7
William H. Alley			
pay. bills - 9 16 6			

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

2. Establishment Account.

Small Mills	26	15	7
Bunkle Coffins	7	17	10
Scanning Coffins	62	10	11
W. O'Grady pay. of bills	110	11	3
George bal. of shed contract	10	8	
Switz & Maurice Esq. trans. exp	21	16	6
W. Clarke on ge of oven contract	5		
Mark Thomas pay. of wages	8	12	
George Thomas do.	4	8	
W. O'Grady Clerk on ge salary	10		
M. William B. O. bal. salary	18		
W. O'Grady late B. O. on ge salary	5		

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

John Mearns Bread	11	17	10
P. M. Lynch Meal &c.	70	4	6
do do do do	101	7	6
Hampson Mills to 5 May	115	16	9
McNaughton's Substitute for milk	27	4	9
Birmingham Milk	21	3	6
McNaughton's groceries	23	1	2
do do do do	16	9	

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Rush & Palmer Ind. Meese	384	19	4
28 April -			
P. M. Lynch do	184	10	
Rush and Palmer Meese	271	2	5
P. M. Lynch do	184	10	

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

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

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

The Clerk reported that the following P. Officers had not sent in their Diaries for week ending 5th May nor for some weeks previous -

Lawyer, Bourne, Dancy, Griffin, & Shanahan.

The Clerk reported that Mr. Stephen "Ass. Clerk" resigned on the 5th Inst.

Master's Report.

That the Assistant had absented himself from his duties the entire of Sundayes &c. and that he does not afford him sufficient assistance in the keeping of the accounts especially at the present time when his services are so much required in bringing up the areas in the books. Mr. Smith "Ass. Master" being called on for an explanation of his absence pleaded bad health and tendered his resignation.

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

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|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| Required the following | Required for Shoemaking |
| 10 lbs of white thread | 2 Anzles |
| 1 gross iron studs | 3 Whemp |
| 10 Banells Lime | 2 doz. Closing thread |
| 6 doz Brooms | 2 W. Phillips |
| Required for covering shed | 1 B Hair |
| 2 1/2 Reams Brown Paper | 1 gross lashing twine |
| 4 Banells Coal tar | 3 Knives |
| Required - | 2 doz Tips |
| 2 Cases of Razors | 2 Hundred Trip Nails |
| 4 doz strong lumps | 3 Aprons and 2 each Stars |
| | (Ordered 1) |

The Assistant Master at Dangan reported that the Paupers were not capable of making Ventilators as required in the Temple Dining Hall and requested to know would an artisan be employed -
Ordered. That Ventilators be made by the Paupers under the Supervision of the Master -
(continued to page)

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

Scaled order dated 8 May 1849 N^o. 26419 revoking the appointment of Major Patrick McTear as the Guardian and appointing James Ward Esq as a Paid Officer of the Galway Union.

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:

Poor Law Commissioners letter 28 April 1849 N^o. 329/49 requesting to be furnished with a return showing the particulars of the Expenditure and N^os for the year ending 29 Sept 1848:

The Clerk stated that he had supplied the return:

From Same 1 May 1849 N^o. 28029/49 stating that a requisition was sent to the Com^{rs} Office for the issue of a sum of £425 for the use of the Union:

Clerk stated that he had acknowledged rec^t. of Same:

From Same 2 May 1849 N^o. 338/49 requiring to be furnished by the 14 May with a return of the Expenses and Liabilities of the Union in the 30th April -

From Same 3 May 1849 N^o. 340 m/49 requiring

to be furnished by the 10 May with a return showing the progress of the collection for the Month of April -

The Clerk stated he had furnished the Return:

From Same 3 May 1849 N^o. 27068 approving of the appointment of Mr. Hugh Rice as Revising Valuator on the terms stated.

From Same 5 May 1849 N^o. 29729/49 stating that a further sum of £225 would be sent on the 7th Inst. towards the expenses of the week ending 28 April -

From Same 7 May 1849 N^o. 28029/49 stating that a requisition was sent to the Com^{rs} Office for the sum of £225 " " " " making a total of £150 towards the expenses of the week referred to in their letter of the 5th Inst.

Clerk stated that he acknowledged the receipt of same:

Letter from Central Board of Health 4 Aug 49 N^o. 5450/49 forwarding a packet of Cholera Forms:

From Same 4 May 1849 N^o. 5430/49 acknowledging rec^t. of Clerk's letter and stating

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

that

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).

that as the No. of Patients in the Galway Temp. H. Hospital has considerably diminished they deem it unnecessary that the Kin Guardians should appoint a second Medical Officer

From Same 4 May 1849 N. 5424/49 acknowledging rec^d of Clerk's letter in reference to Medical aid at Annadoun

From Same 4 May 1849 N. 5419/49 acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter of 2nd Inst. in reference to the articles of Instrument which has been distributed to the Imp. & ^{Dispensary} Hospitals in the Union.

The Clerk produced a Foreign attachment send on him on the part of John Hanrahan of Galway for the purpose of recovering a sum of money due to him by John Mulloy the administrator of Peter Molloy the late Mills Contractor

The Kin Guardians having considered the same for the supply of Rice and Oatmeal to the 29 Sept next

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Resolved, That Mr. John Costelloe of Galway be declared Contractor for supplying any quantity of East Indian Rice that may be required at £12.18.0 per Ton. Ordered.

That Oatmeal be again advertised for the tender sent in by Messrs. Rush and Palmer being too high

The Clerk reported that the Contract for Indian Meal for Outdoor Relief and for Ind. Meal of flour for Indoor. would expire on the 19 Inst. and that he had an advertisement inserted for tenders to be considered on the 18 Inst.

Miss Foster "Cust. matron" handed in her resignation

Read a Letter from Mr. Rockfort "Attorney" applying on the part of Mr. Eaton late Superintendent of Labour for pay^{mt} of his Salary. Ordered. That Clerk do write to Mr. Rockfort to say that Mr. Eaton's amount would have been long since discharged had he rendered a satisfactory account of Implements committed to his charge which Mr. Eaton promised he would do.

Read a letter from Mr. Bourne of Inam applying for the half year rent of the Auxiliary Workhouse at Merchants road due 25 March last. Ordered that Mr. Bourne be informed that the Kin Guardians regret they are unable at the present to discharge his claim.

The Clerk produced a writ send on him at the suit of Messrs. Rush & Palmer for the sum of £943.

Ordered

Ordered that it be handed to Mr. Mackenzie to locate an appearance

For Law Commissioners letter 10 May 1849 No. 2091 approving of the appointment of Mr. John Mullin as overseer at the Workhouse and enclosing queries to be answered and signed by Mr. Martin McCormac as Wardenmaster of the Workhouse

Reports of Offices continued

The Asst. Master @ Dangan required 5 Barrels Lime to mix with sand for the floor in Kemp Dining Hall (ordered)

That the Schoolmaster absented himself from Dangan on Wednesday evg. to have his watch repaired and did not return until Thursday owing to a headache overcoming him as stated by him when the Asst. Master required an explanation

Ordered that none of the Officers do absent themselves in future without permission from the Kin Guardians

Required supply of 50 samepans & 100 tin dishes for Dangan

Ordered that a list of the dishes & at present in Dangan as also of those that have been sent them be furnished to the Kin Guardians

Required 200 of 12 nails & 300 of 8 nails = ordered

The Asst. Master hands to the Clerk 279 for sundries ordered that it be lodged to the credit of establishment

Required some pumpkins 4 lb blasting powder and two coils wire for farm purposes = ordered

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Witnessed Kin Guardians James Ward

W. Brady

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12 day of May 1849

Table with columns: Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided, Aged and infirm, Able-bodied, Boys, Girls, Born, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Total, Remaining on previous Saturday, Admitted during the Week, Discharged during the Week, Died, Total Discharged and Dead, REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.

Fever 41
Dysentery 125
Cholera 96
Other cases 44
Total - 326

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12 day of May authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1, Total relieved out of the Workhouse, RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1, Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Includes rows No. I to No. XVII and a TOTAL row.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 18 day of May 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lewis Hymansie Esq. W.S. Other Guardians: James Ward Esq. W.S.

Richard Burke Esq. "Par Law Inspector"

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 23135 to No. 23275, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

This Book examined each alternate Friday

The Clerk reported that he carried out all the orders of the last Board:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as entered on that day.
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £ 668 : 0 : 0
 Paid during the week, £ 796 : 8 : 5
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 194 : 9 : 7
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.
 The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

* Including £ 650 : 0 : 0 received from Government.

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Samuel Croft	Galway No. 1	0	0	0	1728	16	10 1/2
Stagh Gilligan	Galway No. 2	0	0	0	2024	7	8
Patt Martin	late Collector	0	0	0	215	19	5
Martin Sullivan	Annadown	"	"	"	567	9	10 1/2
"	Clanjalumy	"	"	"	360	5	3 1/2
		0	0	0	927	15	2
John Sullivan	Lackagh	"	"	"	409	11	1
"	Athelney	"	"	"	320	19	8
		0	0	0	730	10	9
George McDonald	Woyulloo	5	8	"	910	3	3
"	Hillamie	"	"	"	1310	2	9 1/2
"	Oughteraid	12	12	"	478	0	0 1/2
		18	0	0	3198	6	0 1/2
Thomas Walsh	Prannore	0	0	0	469	1	3
James Walsh	Ballinacounty	"	"	"	540	16	6
"	Shanally	"	"	"	64	5	11
		0	0	0	605	2	5
Redmond McDowd	Arroan	"	"	"	260	9	4
					18	0	0
	Total	18	0	0	10140	4	11 1/2

NOTE.— A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 147 was produced and passed.

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

* The Relief List not yet closed.

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 195 : 18 : 9 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	195	18	9
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	193	18	10
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	193	18	10
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	1	1 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	0	2	3/4
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	11	11	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:

- 24 cw. offist flour
- 3 1/2 lb tea 38 pull
- 34 lb Sugar @ 5d
- 28. washing soda
- 1 Ton Salt
- 6 Tons Coal
- 50 Boxes Inf
- 30 lb Dept Candles
- 168 lbs Brown Soap
- 7 " White "
- 1 load of Bag dale
- 6 Botles of Wine
- 3 Gallons Whiskey

Clothing Books not posted since 25 March:

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

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

The Medical Officers' Books, having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature, not kept regularly—the Register was not being entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 12 day of May; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure mounted opposite many of the Patients in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	1	12	4
In kind,	425	11	1
Total,	427	3	5

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.	RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity. Value. £ s. d.			£ s. d.	Article and quantity. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	Cornelley	✓	5 Tons 47.7.1	Bt. forward	"	"	4 1/2 Tons 405.16.9 1/2
No. II.	Pettil	"	4 1/2 " do 42.12.4 1/2	No. X.	Creaven	"	3 Tons 29.12.3
No. III.	Giffan	"	6 " do 37.4.0	No. XI.	San. Monry	"	3 Tons 29.12.3
No. IV.	Broune	"	4 " do 37.9.8	No. XII.	Gullen	2.0.0	4 " " "
No. V.	Flanagan	"	4 " do 37.9.8	No. XIII.	"	"	" " "
No. VI.	Dwyer	"	4 " do 37.9.8	No. XIV.	Kenia	"	3 Tons 29.12.3
No. VII.	Houma	"	6 " do 37.4.0	No. XV.	Fynn	"	" " "
No. VIII.	Darcy	"	3 " do 29.12.3	No. XVI.	"	"	2 Tons 19.14.10
No. IX.	S. Monry	"	5 " do 47.7.1	No. XVII.	"	"	" " "
Car. forwd.			4 1/2 Tons 405.16.9 1/2	TOTAL,		2.0.0	52 1/2 Tons 574.8.4 1/2

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

Sealed Order from Poor Law Commissioners
dated 12 May 1849 n^o 8843 advancing the
time for continuing Outdoor Relief to
persons under Section 2 to the 12 June

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, for Orders made on them respectively, as follows:

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners 11 May
1849 n^o 29946/49 requesting to be supplied
with a Return of the Fever Hospitals in the
Union supported by the poor Rate and the
cost of the each in the year 1848.

From Same dated 12 May 1849 n^o 30445/49
requiring a return of the n^o of Persons under
18 years of age in the Workhouse.

From Same 12 May 1849 n^o 30446/49
requesting to be furnished with a statement
of the Expenses incurred in providing in-
creased accommodation in the Union during
the 6 months ended on 4 May.

From Same 12 May 1849 n^o 29804/49
stating that a Sum of £300 was sent to
James Ward Esq. V. G. for the use of the
Galway Union.

The Clerks stated that he acknowledged the
receipt of same by letter.

From Same dated 15 May 1849 stating that
a sum of £230 was sent to James Ward Esq.
V. G. towards the current expenses of the
Union.

Clerk B stated that he acknowledged the receipt
of same.

Letter from Central Board of Health 17 May
1849 n^o 6172/49 enclosing a copy of a letter
which they received from Doctor Keavin
Medical attendant of Annadown Dispensary
in reference to Cholera appearing in the
Annadown District.

The Vice Guardians having considered the
letter of Doctor Keavin and that of the
Board of Health.

Resolved. That Doctor Keavin be appointed
to attend Poor Persons attacked with Cholera in
his District at 5⁰ a day.

Resolved. That the Board of Health be informed
of the appointment.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

The Shellers reported that the Collectors had some large Sums in their hands.

The Vice Guardians having considered the case of Mr. Hugh Gilligan one of the Collectors for Falway.

Resolved. That the Clerk do write to Mr. Gilligan to say that if he does not proceed with the collection and lodge the balance in his hands viz £68. 6. 6 the Vice Guardians will proceed on foot of his bond for the whole amount remaining uncollected.

The Vice Guardians having considered tenders for supplying the Indian meal and flour to the Outdoor Relief Depots and to the N. House

Resolved that Messrs. Rush and Palmer be declared Contractors for supplying the Outdoor Relief Depots with any quantity of Indian Meal that may be required from the 20 May to the 20 July at £9. 17. 5 per ton delivered

And for supplying the Workhouse and Town Depots for the same period with any quantity of Indian Meal that may be required at £9. 9. 5 per ton as also for supplying the Work-

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day of 184 .

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

House

House for the same period with any quantity of the following that may be required at the prices stated viz - 1st flour @ £15. 19. 9 per ton. delivered
Barley meal @ £9. 9. 6 per ton
Rye meal @ £8. 9. 5 " "
Oatmeal @ £13. 10. 0 per ton All to be

delivered by them and to be equal to the Samples - Resolved. That Edward Rush of Mr. Eaton and Mr. Thomas Palmer junr of Falway be approved of as their Trustees:

The Vice Guardians having considered the necessity of medical aid at Spiddal

Resolved. That Doctor Mansell be appointed Medical Attendant at Spiddal at 7/6 a day to commence from the 14 Inst. and that the Board of Health be informed of the appointment.

The Vice Guardians having considered the Resignation sent in by the Assistant Nation on last Board Day -

Resolved. That it be accepted and that Messrs. Successor be appointed on Friday the 1st June the Salary to be £15 a year with Rations and apartments

The Vice Guardians having discovered that within a few days of this week 14 Boys had absconded from Dangan and took with them the Union clothes:

Resolved. That the cost of clothing taken be charged to the Master and Schoolmaster and that any that may be taken from time to time be also charged and that those Officers be informed accordingly

The Medical Officer of Letterman Dispensary required the following for cholera Purposes - 4 gallons of whiskey. (ordered)

The

The Clerk of the Fever Hospitals submitted requisition for the supply of Provisions and necessaries for a week ending 26 May for Galway Imp. Fever Hospital

Ordered

Also requisition for medicine for the Crumlin Dispensary which was ordered.

The Vice Guardians having considered the manner in which Thomas McDonagh Storekeeper at Piernee had performed his duty and finding that on their last visit he had attempted to impose on the Vice Guardians by bringing forward a pauper a second time under a false name.

Ordered that he be discontinued and that Thomas McDonagh Junr. be appointed as Storekeeper at 2/6 a week.

Ordered that Pat Maherty be appointed Storekeeper at Salt House Food Depot at 2/6 a week.

Resolved that John M. Naughton of Galway be declared Contractor for supplying the Workhouse with Malt @ 3/0 per stone and Stops at 1/0 per lb.

Next Meeting of the Vice Guardians to be held on Friday the 25 May.

(Signed)

James Ward
Lewis Edmunds

Vice Guardians

John Brady - Clerk Union

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19 day of May 1849

Table with columns: Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided, Aged and Infirm, Able-bodied, Boys, Girls, Children under 2 years, Born, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Foyer-Sheds, Total, Remaining on previous Saturday, Admitted during the Week, Discharged during the Week, Died, Total Discharged and Dead, REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.

Sliver 43
Dysentery 120
Cholera 80
Other cases 60
303

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 19 day of May authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., Total relieved out of the Workhouse, RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1., Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Includes rows for No. I to No. XVII, Car forward, and TOTAL.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 25 day of May 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lewis Edmunds Esq. J.S. Other Guardians: James Ward Esq. J.S.

Richard Burke Esq. "Poor Law Inspector"

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed. The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 23276 to No. 23531, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk. The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 28175 to No. 28893, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk. The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Clerk reported that he carried out all the orders of the last Board.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £530. 11. 0

Paid during the week, - £704. 7. 1

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £20. 2. 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Account from Government £530. 11. 0

Table with 4 columns: Name of each Collector, Name of Electoral Division, Collected and Lodged, Remaining. Includes entries for Samuel Croft, Hugh Gillogan, Pat Martin, Martin Sullivan, John Cullinan, Geo. P. McDonald, Thomas Walsh, Amos Walsh, and R. McDonagh.

NOTE.— A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

The Receipts List not yet closed

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 114. 9. 2 — was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 114. 9. 2.

Table with 2 columns: Description of account and Amount in £ s. d. Includes Debit Provision Account, Credit Invoice Account, and various cost breakdowns.

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:

- 30 cwt just flour, 14 lb loaf sugar @ 7s, 2 Ton Pop meal, 180 lb meat, 2 1/2 Barley meal, 6 Bottles Wine, 2 1/2 Ind. Meal, 12 1/2 Porter, 1000 quantity Head Milk @ 2s, 6 Ton Coals, 10000 1/2 @ 1/4, 60 Buses Fuel, 2 1/2 lb Tea @ 3/8, 40 W. Dipt candles, 7 lb @ 3/6, 168 lb brown Soap, 3 1/2 lb Sugar @ 5 p lb, 7 1/2 White 15 lb Meat.

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 19 day of May, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

Summary table for Out-door Relief expenditure: In money £ 0. 6. 11, In kind £ 399. 5. 4, Total £ 399. 11. 3.

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

The Clothing Books were closed on the 24 inst. up to 19 May but the Clerk is unable to certify them until next Board day.

Table with 10 columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors, RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, By Order on Contractor. Lists various districts and officers with their respective amounts.

Credit Treasurer with Checks, Rabbit catch Orders, Office with Checks and Orders

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
William M. Connor <i>Shaw</i>	4	8	11
Establishment of Luke Ryan <i>Shaw</i>	9	1	"

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

2. Establishment Account.

Geo: Thomas payt. of overness £5.5.9	Porter Bourne M. Officer on ap Salary	50	"	"
Mark Thomas do 4.12.4	William Berran 4 weeks wages	4	4	"
Master Amos	James Walsh on ap. of fees on old collection	15	"	"
Balance of Salary as P. Officer £8.12.8	Thomas Duffery Streetkeeper	1	12	6
Peace Lambert	J. Connor late P. Officer balance of Salary	13	2	9
On ap. of Salary as Master £5.11.0	J. Brady Clerk payment tiller	14	2	7

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Anthony Delany for setting boiler 1.0.0	P. Madguck Meal	94	7	3
	Mrs. Birmingham Milk	9	15	9
	J. Harrison Milk	120	12	6
	J. M. Naughton bal. substitute	22	12	1
	J. Burke Hops malt	3	10	"

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Rush and Palmer Meal	279	17	4
P. Madguck	101	8	"

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

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

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

Masters Report.

Reported. That Miss Slater Assistant Matron is in fever -

That part of the boundary Wall which was taken down by the Contractor for erecting the Shed remained still open in the same state and requested it may be made up as it at present affords the Paupers an opportunity of absconding.

Ordered. That to day the Contractor be required to make up the breach without delay and to supply an Estimate for raising the Wall at the back of the Shed.

Reported That the Porter had a large quantity of the old clothing belonging to the Paupers taken out of the old clothes store and burnt on the 23rd Inst. that he was not made aware of same until they were on fire.

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

The Master required the following. 10 Panels Linc, 1000 Needles, 2 dozen Tailors Knives and 2 pair of strong scissors - Ordered.

Required some whiskey for the men to be kept employed during the week in clearing the cess pools.

Ordered. one glass of whiskey daily and a small portion of bread for supper.

Required - 6 dozen Browns 2 lb lampblack and a half gallon of oil: - Ordered.

Required 1000 Nails of different sizes ordered. Permission to employ a smith to do sundry repairs to Banows old water cart &c

Ordered. Expense not to exceed 5/- Required 60 worth of ash Timber for Spade handles for repairs of Banows ordered.

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

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

Letter from Central Board of Health dated 15 May 1849 No 6197 stating that it does not form part of the duty of Medical Officer in charge of Temporary Fever Hospitals or Dispensaries under the 12th Vic cap 131 to give attendance to Cholera Cases

Poor Law Commissioners letter 18 May 1849 No 31126/49 stating that a sum of £257 was sent to James Ward Esq V.S. for the current expenses of the Galway Union.

Receipt of same acknowledged by Clerk

Poor Law Commissioners letter 23rd May 1849 No 32642 stating that a sum of £390 had been sent to James Ward Esq V.S. for the use of the Galway Union

The Vice Guardians having examined the quality of the meal last supplied by Messrs Rush and Palmer and finding that same was very inferior to sample and totally unfit for use human food

Resolved That Messrs Rush and Palmer be written to on the

The subject and inquired if the future supplies be not in every respect equal to sample the quantity required will be purchased elsewhere of the best description and the difference in price deducted from their account.

William Dwyer Relieving Officer for Killavin West having handed in his resignation.

Resolved. That it be accepted and that his Successor be advertised for to be appointed on Friday the 8 June:

The Clerk reported that one of the Sureties of Mr. Thomas Walsh Poor rate collector for Oranmore E.D. was dead.

Resolved. That Mr Walsh be called upon to get a second security.

The Vice Guardians having had under consideration the progress made by some of the Collectors and having scrutinised each of their Books on the last day of examination (Tuesday)

Resolved that if Mr. Thomas Walsh do not make more forward collection in the ensuing week the Vice Guardians will hand his Bond over to the Solicitor to proceed for recovery of the whole amount remaining uncollected ordered that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to Mr. Walsh

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Mr. Burke "Poor Law Inspector" called the Vice guardians attention to the sum appearing as uncollected in the Districts of Messrs Croft and Gilligans (the two Collectors for July) and observed that up to £800 of ^{said} this sum was received by Mr. Martin as appeared by the production of his receipts to the present Collectors and suggested that the Vice guardians should order the Clerk to go over the Books of these Collectors and correct the sum which appears as uncollected:

The Vice guardians having considered the suggestion of Mr. Burke

Resolved that the Clerk do examine the books of those collectors and correct the sum remaining uncollected and shew in the weekly abstract of collection the sum for which Receipts has been produced as "Uncollected" opposite Mr. Martin's name.

Ordered that the Master do in future furnish the Vice guardians with a weekly Return of Employment of Paupers on the printed form sent down by the Poor Law Commission such Return to be laid before the Vice guardians on each Board day with Masters Books

Ordered that a copy of this order be furnished to the Master:

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the

day of _____ 184 .

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

The Vice guardians having considered the preparations being made for the proceedings about being taken against Mr. Martin and his adherents

Resolved, that the Clerk do write to Collectors McDonald and Gilligan and request that they would furnish the Vice guardian with a return shewing the amount for which Receipts has been produced to them during the progress of their Coll. for rates paid to Mr. Martin and returned in answer by him.

The Vice guardians having considered the state of the Coll. in the Districts of Messrs Killain & Tughterand and having consulted with Mr. Burke Poor Law Inspector on the subject Resolved that the Clerk do call on Mr. McDonald to wind up his collection immediately and that an advertisement be inserted as also handbills, distributed through the Union for a collector for each of Mr. McDonalds Divisions to collect the Outstanding Rate at 2/6 in the pound.

The Vice guardians having considered the balance which appeared in Mr. Martin Cullinanes hands and finding that Mr. Blakeney Solr. retained part of said balance viz £21.4.7 ~~and~~ in his hands as a set off against a cheque which he received from the late Vice guardians

Resolved, that Mr. Blakeney be requested to lodge this sum with the Treasurer of the Union to Mr. Cullinanes credit and afterwards the Cheque in his possession will be paid.

Resolved, that the Clerk do write to Mr. Blakeney Solr. to furnish the Vice guardians with a statement shewing the steps which has been taken by him in each case where proceedings are being taken against Immediate Lepors.

Dangan Report Continued
 That a leakage appeared in House Roof.
 Ordered, it slater to be employed for 1 day -
 Required, 20 pair of Blankets and 20 pair of sheets -
 Ordered, Master of Workhouse to supply these articles from Stock.

Assistant Master requested to know would any boy that may abscond for a few days be readmitted and the punishment inflicted.

Ordered, That any boy absenting himself for any length of time not to be readmitted without being entered on the Workhouse books, and that as soon as any boy may absent himself the same may be immediately reported to the Master of the Workhouse and after returning be brought before the Vice Guardians for punishment.

Assistant Master suggested the necessity of having 1 doz dining Hall tables and forms and that the temporary Schoolroom should be converted into a dining Hall.

Ordered, That an estimate of the expenses be laid before the Vice Guardians.

Assistant Master suggested the propriety of having at Dangan a class of competent tradesmen to instruct the Boys and thereby enable them to keep their dress in neat and clean order - Read -

Requested that arrangements be made to have one days supply of bread on hands.

Ordered, That the Master of the Workhouse do attend to this without fail -

Assistant

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26 day of May 1849.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:- Workhouse, 1070 Temporary Buildings, 495 Additional Workhouse, 1350 Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, 300 Total, 3715	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Males.	Fem.		Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, } 47 29 674 190 550 332 76 " 2003											In Workhouse Hospital, 289	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 7	
Admitted during the Week, } 3 5 46 88 61 43 5 " 1252													
TOTAL, } 50 34 725 1378 611 375 81 " 12255											Total, 289	Total, 7	
Discharged during the Week } " " 26 20 3 8 2 " " 59													Scar 34
Died, } " " 7 4 1 5 " " 22													Pneumony 87
Total Discharged and Dead } " " 33 24 4 13 2 " 81													Cholera 55
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, } 50 34 692 1351 1002 322 79 " 12174													Other cases 133
													Total 289

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26 day of May 1849 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	578	1465	258	725	836	2190	Bt. forward	2814	7169	1597	5068	4411	12237
No. II.	551	1355	264	767	815	2122	No. X.	242	570	168	583	410	1093
No. III.	417	966	119	463	536	1429	No. XI.	194	528	94	424	288	952
No. IV.	233	656	83	270	316	926	No. XII.	141	345	74	279	215	624
No. V.	155	389	173	527	328	916	No. XIII.	113	252	66	253	179	505
No. VI.	260	745	204	705	464	1450	No. XIV.	292	640	192	558	485	1198
No. VII.	266	715	193	573	459	1288	No. XV.	193	392	80	235	253	631
No. VIII.	227	540	233	774	460	1314	No. XVI.	86	197	38	106	124	303
No. IX.	127	338	70	244	197	602	No. XVII.	159	431	82	284	241	715
Car forward	2814	7169	1597	5068	4411	12237	TOTAL,	4228	10572	2394	7811	6622	18383

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 1 day of June 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lewis Wynne Esq. J.P.
 Other Guardians: James Ward Esq. J.P.

The Examination of the Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from this Book defined No. — to No. —, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. — to No. —, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Clerk reported that he carried out all the orders of the last Board.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day. The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £ 855. 11. 11 Paid during the week, £ 692. 12. 2 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 182. 10. 4

Received from Government £ 855. 11. 11

Table with 4 columns: Name of each Collector, Name of Electoral Division, Collected and Lodged, Remaining. Rows include Samuel Croft, Hugh Gleigian, Port Martin, Martin Cullinan, John Cullinan, George McDonald, Thomas Walsh, James Walsh, and Edmund Madagh.

NOTE.- A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

The Weekly Relief List not yet closed

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 191. 6. 9 was produced and passed. The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature: 1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract. 2. The Provision Check Accounts. 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account. By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 191. 6. 9

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount (£ s. d.). Rows include Debit Provision Account, Credit Invoice Account, The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed, Debit Maintenance Account, Credit Provision Account, Average cost in Infirmary, Average cost in Fever Hospital, The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week, 30 cwt off pt flour, 34 lb Sugar, 3 long tinned meat, 7 " Starch, 3 " Pease Meal, 2 " Hops, 3 " Indian Meal, 28 " Malt, 1100 Quarts New Milk, 400 " Meat, 12000 Quarts do @ 8 1/2 p per gal, 80 Boxes Infy, do B Milk @ 3 1/2, 40 lb dipt candles, do B Milk @ 3 1/2, 112 lb Brown Soap, 1/2 lb Tea 3/6, 1 Lead Botical, 1/2 lb Tea 3/6, Supplemental order for 1000 quarts New Milk.

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature: 1. The several Clothing Accounts. 2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature. The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 26 day of May; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

Summary table for Out-door Relief: In money £ 438. 9. 5, In kind £ 438. 9. 5, Total £ 438. 15. 11

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

Table with 8 columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors, RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, By Order on Contractor. Rows include No. I. Bourne, No. II. Pettit, No. III. Giffin, No. IV. Bourne, No. V. Slanagan, No. VI. Dunfer, No. VII. Connor, No. VIII. Giffin, No. IX. L. Morris, No. X. Creaven, No. XI. Armstrong, No. XII. Cullen, No. XIII. " , No. XIV. Kerrins, No. XV. Giffin, No. XVI. " , No. XVII. " , TOTAL.

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

Poor Law Commissioners letter 25 May 1849 No. 32219/49 forwarding Quiris to be signed by the person who may be appointed Assistant Master:

Letter from Central Board of Health 26 May 1849 No. 6426/49 acknowledging the receipt of Clerk's letter intimating to them the appointment of Doctors Keain and Mannsell:

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners 28 May 1849 No. 34846/49 requesting to be furnished with a statement of the Val. of each Ecclesiastical Parish. The Clerk stated that he forwarded the Returns to the Commissioners:

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:

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners 28 May 1844 No. 34301/49 in reference to a communication which they received from the Chief Secretary's Office, as to fines having been imposed inflicted out of the Poor Rates as surors at Quarter Sessions and Assizes and requesting that the names of the R.D.s now appointed as well as any that may hereafter be appointed should be furnished to the Sheriff of the County:

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 25 May 1849 No. 376/49 requesting to be furnished with copies of the Abstracts of the Union for the half year ending the 25 March 1848:

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 3 May 1849 No. 34918/48 stating that a sum of £7500.0.0 was sent to James Ward by V.G. towards the current expenses of the Union for week ending 2 June and stating that if the sum sent down for the previous week did not meet the expense they would on receipt of a specific statement of the expenditure represent the matter to the Treasury

Resolved.

Resolved That the Tender of Patt Monahan for supplying Coffins to the Ballinacorney Madras Central Division at 6 1/2 per foot be accepted:

That Anthony Delany be declared Contractor for stanching the roof of the Fever Hospital Shed on the Northside Grounds for the sum of Two Pounds ten Shillings

Doctor Browne Medical attendant of the Cholera Hospital having reported that Cholera had disappeared in the Town of Galway and that he has this day closed the Books and Hospital:

Resolved. That the Clerk do convey to Doctor Browne the best thanks of the Vice Guardians for the very efficient manner in which he discharged his duties as Medical Officer of the Cholera Hospital:

Resolved. That the Clerk do write to Doctor Browne to say that the Services of the Medical Gentlemen employed in the Town of Galway during the prevalence of Cholera will not be required after the 1 June and that the thanks of the Vice Guardians be conveyed to those Gentlemen for the efficient manner in which they have performed their duties:

The Vice Guardians having considered tenders for supplying the Moycullen Temp. Hospital with best New Milk to the 29th September next.

Resolved That John Hanrahan of Galway be declared Contractor for best new milk @ 6d per gallon. Names John Catteroe and James Martin.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Read an explanation from Messrs. Bush and Palmer in reference to the Vice Guardians letter complaining of the losses of the Supply of Indian meal in which they stated that they had adopted measures to prevent any further cause of complaint

The Vice Guardians having considered applications for the Situation of Assistant Master

Resolved that Miss Benar be appointed on trial for a fortnight

The Clerk reported that the Dietary laid down for the Infirmary Class had been departed from by 1st quality of Bread having been given and changed in Poor Books instead of Bread made of Branley and Rye meal

Ordered that the Master do not in future depart from the Dietary laid down by the Vice Guardians:

Resolved that Doctor Ronghan be requested to furnish the Vice Guardians with a Return of the names of the Patients in the Moycullea Scap Fever Hospital with the dates of their admission and that a similar Return be forwarded Weekly, as also a copy of the Dietary in use. Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be sent to Doctor Ronghan:

The Clerk reported that the half yearly acct to the 25 March last were now ready for audit and

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(Signed) Clerk of the Union.

that

that he would forward the Abstracts to the Auditor by Monday next the 4th June instant. The Vice Guardians having referred to the Report of the Master on last Board Day relative to the old clothes which the Porter caused to be burnt Resolved.

That the Porter be severely reprimanded and cautioned that the first report that may be made against him again he will be dismissed.

The Clerk reported that the Books required to be kept by the Poor Law Commissioners order of 5 Feb were not being kept by the Master nor the Assistant Master at the Auxiliary Workhouses Resolved.

That these Books be in future kept daily and that the Master do on Tuesday in each week bring forward these Books for the purpose of checking the Workhouse Books

- Reports of Officers continued -

* Sand or gravel to be produced to the Vice Guardians Required by Master. 1 Gallon Prepared oil 6 lbs Lampblack 1 Gallon Turpentine, 1 Putty Knife, 1 Stone of white Lead 2 Painting Brushes and 2 lbs black Lead. Ordered Required 12 Pops of home Spuds for mens clothes

Ordered -

Dungau Report

The Assistant Master reported that the Spoons ordered to be sent to Dunsau were not sent by Mr. Lambert

Ordered. The Spoons were delivered to the Dungau Assistant Master in the Board Room in the presence of the Vice Guardians

The Agricultural Instructor requires a scythe and Shaft as also a chopping Knife - ordered

The

The Agricultural Instructor requires 12 lbs of English Saw 4 lbs of Powder and 2 coils of Line - ordered:

Lewis Fitzmaurice }
 James Ward }
 8 June 1849

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2 day of June 1849.

Number of Innates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, 1000 Temporary Buildings, 495 Additional Workhouse, 1350 Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, 300 Total, 3145	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Children under 2 years.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.					Males.	Fem.	Total.				
	In Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	50	34	692	1354	602	362	80	"	"	3174			In Workhouse Hospital, 343	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Innates, 7	
Admitted during the Week.	12	17	210	411	87	97	8	"	"	4	343				
TOTAL.	62	51	902	1765	689	459	88	"	"	14017			Total, 343	Total, 7	
Discharged during the Week.	7	17	199	370	68	79	2	"	"	742					
Died.	"	"	3	2	6	2	1	"	"	14					
Total Discharged and Dead.	7	17	202	372	74	81	3	"	"	756					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	55	34	700	1393	615	378	85	"	"	1324					

Fever — cases 71
 Dysentery — 111
 Cholera — 54
 various — 107
 Total — 343

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2 day of June authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	589	1501	267	754	856	2255	Bt. forward						
No. II.	570	1413	265	768	835	2181	No. X.	251	536	173	588	424	1124
No. III.	417	966	119	463	536	1429	No. XI.	196	530	96	443	292	973
No. IV.	233	656	83	270	316	926	No. XII.	153	416	96	304	249	720
No. V.	166	419	184	571	350	990	No. XIII.	112	302	70	271	182	573
No. VI.	273	786	210	736	483	1522	No. XIV.	293	640	193	559	486	1199
No. VII.	266	715	193	573	459	1288	No. XV.	168	387	77	235	245	622
No. VIII.	228	541	238	781	466	1322	No. XVI.	86	197	36	103	122	300
No. IX.	141	423	74	275	215	698	No. XVII.	169	451	85	319	254	770
Car forward								9	34	2	3	11	37
TOTAL.	4320	10913	2461	8016	6781	18929							

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 8 day of June 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair,
 Other Guardians: Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V.J.
 James Ward Esq. V.J.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3111 to No. 3312, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 28894 to No. 29235, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Clerk reported that he carried out all the orders of the last Board

Received from Government £1130 0 0

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £1257 16 9
 Paid during the week, - £867 3 0
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £573 4 11
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.
 The following Peates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Samuel Croft	Galway No. 1	59 10 3	1669 6 7 1/2
Hugh Gilligan	Galway No. 2	68 6 6	1956 1 2
Pat Martin	(late collector)	" " "	215 19 5 1/2
Martin Cullinane	Amadoun	" " "	567 9 10 1/2
"	Claregalway	" " "	360 5 3 1/2
"	"	" " "	927 15 2
John Cullinane	Lackagh	" " "	409 11 1
"	Athenry	" " "	320 19 8
"	"	" " "	730 10 9
George R. Macdonald	Inycullen	" " "	910 3 3
"	Killanin	" " "	1310 2 9 1/2
"	Oughterard	" " "	978 0 0 1/2
"	"	" " "	3198 6 0 1/2
Thomas Walsh	Cranmore	" " "	459 1 3
James Walsh	Ballinacree	" " "	540 16 6
"	Shaobally	" " "	645 11
"	"	" " "	605 2 5
Redmond M ^r . Dono.	Aradan	" " "	260 9 4
Total,		✓	12716 9 10 1/2 8 2 1/2

NOTE. - A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.
 Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ Nil was produced and passed.
 The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

Relief list not yet closed

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £234 12 s. 3 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	✓	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was		234	12	3 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	✓	219	4	2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		0	1	2 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,		0	2	4
Average cost in Fever Hospital,		0	0	0

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,

- | | | |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| ✓ 30 Cwt. of first flour | ✓ 1 Ton of Salt | ✓ 4 lbs of Hops |
| ✓ 3 Tons of Rye meal | ✓ 6 Tons of Oats | ✓ 5 bbls of Malt. |
| ✓ 3 Tons of Barley meal | ✓ 3 lbs of Tea @ 3/8 per | ✓ 1 gallon of whiskey |
| ✓ 3 Tons of Indian meal | ✓ 4 lbs of Tea @ 3/6 per | ✓ 350 lbs of meat @ 3 1/2 per |
| ✓ 600 quarts of new milk @ 1/6 | ✓ 35 lbs of Sugar @ 1/5 per | ✓ 6 lbs of mould Candles |
| ✓ 800 quarts of new milk @ 1/6 | ✓ 14 lbs of loaf Sugar @ 1/6 | ✓ 7 lb of white Soap |
| ✓ 600 quarts of Buttermilk @ 1/6 | ✓ 6 bottles of wine | ✓ 50 Pieces of Lint |
| ✓ 1000 quarts of Buttermilk @ 1/6 | ✓ 28 lbs of washing soda | |

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of _____; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	£	s.	d.
In kind,	-	-	-	457	12	9 1/2
Total,	-	-	-	458	5	8 1/2

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.	
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.			£ s. d.		£ s. d.
✓ No. I.	Cornell	"	6 Tons meal	56 16 6	Bt. forward	"	40 1/2	395 3 4 1/2	
✓ No. II.	Petit	"	5 1/2 "	52 1 9 1/2	No. X.	Creaven	"	3 "	29 12 3
✓ No. III.	Griffin	"	6 "	59 4 6	No. XI.	J. Morris	"	2 "	19 14 10
✓ No. IV.	Bloune	"	5 "	49 7 1	No. XII.	Cullen	"	3 "	29 12 3
✓ No. V.	Hanagan	"	4 "	39 9 8	No. XIII.	"	"	4 "	39 9 8
✓ No. VI.	O'Dwyer	"	4 "	39 9 8	No. XIV.	Herin	"	2 "	19 14 10
✓ No. VII.	O'Connor	"	6 "	59 4 6	No. XV.	Byrne	"	2 "	19 14 10
No. VIII.	D'Arcy	"	"	"	No. XVI.	"	"	"	"
✓ No. IX.	L. Morris	"	4 "	39 9 8	No. XVII.	"	"	"	"
Car. forwd.		"	40 1/2 "	395 3 4 1/2	TOTAL,		"	54 1/2 "	533 7 2 1/2

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Geo. Ferguson, Calico,	5	16	8
William McCormack, flax,	3	7	2

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

2. Establishment Account.

Cholera Purposes

Mayr. Small, Milk,	9	16	2
Dr. Mahon, Salary,	11	5	"
John O'grady, Clerk,	11	11	"
payment of Bills,			

John O'grady (Clerk) for			
payment of Bills	4	2	6
Michl. Jennings, Coffins,	4	"	"
George Thomas payment of			
Overseers	6	1	6
Mark Thomas, same	5	4	4
John O'grady (Clerk) for			
payment of Bills	8	6	1

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Mr. Birmingham, Milk,	13	2	6
Mr. Harrison, Milk,	7	8	6
Messrs. Rush and Palmer for			
Indian meal and Flour,	112	19	7
John M. Naughton, groceries,	18	9	9

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Rush and Palmer Indian Meal	479	5	5
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Credit Treasurer and debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

Masters Report

Reported, that sand could be procured for 8^d per Load.

Reported, that Michael Henahan a Pauper boy for some time in the Workhouse would be taken apprentice on Board of ship on being supplied with the necessary outfit.

Ordered, a suit of clothes to be prepared for this boy and to be submitted to the ~~Master~~ ^{Superintendent} before being delivered to him.

Reported, the want of straw in the Workhouse and Auxiliary Workhouses and stated that the Contractor was not supplying in a satisfactory manner.

Ordered, that the Clerk do write to the Contractor calling on him to supply straw more regularly or it must be had in the market and any additional price which may be paid charged to him.

The Master submitted the following estimate for painting The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:

2 stone of white lead - 1 gallon of oil - 2 large paint brushes - Ordered -

Required, for shoemakers, 4000 Bogue nails - 2 dozen awl blades and 1 dozen awl hafts - Ordered -

Required, by Mation - 6 lb of sewing cotton, 6 lb of white thread, 6 lb of black thread - 5 gallons of rape oil - Ordered -

Required, 2 Masons hammers and 2 trowels - Ordered -

Required, for various purposes 2000 nails of different sizes - Ordered.

Dangan Report
The Assistant Master requested a supply of 20 Bedticks, 20 sheets and 20 Blankets.

Ordered - Master to supply same from stock.

Required, 5 Barrells of lime for plastering - Ordered -

Required, 1 Ton of strew - Ordered -

The Agricultural Instructor reported that he had sold 9^{lb} worth of Turnips
Ordered, to be lodged to credit of Establishment -

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

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 1 June 1849 No. 382/49 requesting to be furnished by the 14 June with the Return of Liabilities and Expenses of the Union for the Month of May -

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 1 June 1849 No. 383/49 requesting to be furnished by the 8th June with the Return of Collection of Rate for the Month of May -

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 2 June 1849 No. 34062/49 transmitting queries to be answered and signed by the person who may be appointed Assistant Matron in the room of Miss Foster -

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: -

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 4 June 1849 No. 389/49 requesting to be furnished with the weekly Return of deaths for the 5. 12. 19. and 26 May

The Clerk stated that he had supplied the Returns referred to -

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 6 June 1849 No. 37057/49. stating that a sum of £800 had been forwarded to Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V. G. towards the current expenses of the Union -

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 6 June 1849 requesting to be furnished with a statement as to the cause of the delay in furnishing an account of the expenditure of the advances made to the Galway Union during the present year -

The Clerk reported that the month of probation of Mr. McBurnack Wardsman had expired and requested to know were the Vice Guardians satisfied as to his competency as the queries for his appointment should be answered -

The Vice Guardians deferred the matter till next Board day -

The Clerk reported that he did not receive any reply from Mr. Blakeney in reference to the Vice Guardians letter calling on him for a statement of the steps taken in the proceedings against Immediate Lepros nor did he yet receive his Bill of Costs -

Resolved. That the Clerk do again write to Mr. Blakeney for the above -

The Clerk reported that he received a Return from each of the Collectors for Galway of the Rates which had been paid to Mr. Martini late Collector as appeared by the Receipts produced to them, that Mr. Macdonald. stated to him he had already given the Book in which he had a statement of the Receipts produced to him to Major M. Kie and that it was necessary to get the Book referred to before he could

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Delto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

finish the corrections ordered to be made, in the sum remaining uncollected in Messrs Croft and Gilligan's Districts -

The Clerk reported that he received no applications for the Office of Collectors -

Ordered. That an advertisement be again inserted for Collectors to be considered on the 22 June next.

The Vice Guardians having considered applications for the situation of Relieving Officer for the Killanin West District -

Resolved, That Thomas Murphy be appointed on trial for one month and that he will enclose the Vice Guardians on tomorrow the consent of two solvent securities to enter into a Bond for the due performance of his duties -

The Clerk reported that there was no contract in existence for the supply of Coals -

Ordered. That an advertisement be inserted for supplying ^{Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on} coals to the ^{the} 25 March next - _{day of 184}

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

The Clerk reported that the Auxiliary Workhouses of Merchants Road, West House and Dangan were not insured -

Ordered. That the agent for the Sun Insurance Office do inspect the Houses and report the Rate of premium at which the Company will insure the premises -

Mr. Higgins Assistant Master at Dangan having attended before the Vice Guardians and expressed his sorrow of having handed in his resignation in so hasty a manner on the last Board day and hoped the Vice Guardians would allow him to withdraw his resignation -

^{permitted to retain his qualification}
The Vice Guardians having considered the matter ~~reappointed~~ Mr. Higgins as Agricultural Instructor and Assistant Master at Dangan Auxiliary Workhouse -

Next Meeting of the Vice Guardians to be held on Friday the 15 June 1849 -

^{Signed}
James Ward } Vice Guardians
John O'Grady }

John O'Grady Clerk Union

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9 day of June 1849.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, 1000 Temporary Buildings, 495 Additional Workhouse, 1350 Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, 300 Total, 3145	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Males.	Fem.		In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	55	34	700	1393	615	378	86	"	"	326	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates,	7
Admitted during the Week,	4	4	61	113	30	41	8	3	"	264			
TOTAL,	59	38	761	1506	645	419	94	3	"	3525	Total, . 335	Total,	7
Discharged during the Week	5	"	34	30	7	9	"	"	"	85			
Died,	"	1	5	2	5	2	2	"	"	17			
Total Discharged and Dead	5	1	39	32	12	11	2	"	"	102			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	54	37	722	1474	633	408	92	3	"	3423			

Scarv — 49
Dysentery 136
Cholera — 49
Various — 101
Total — 335

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9 day of June authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	593	1505	271	765	864	2270	Bt. forward						
No. II.	579	1434	274	781	853	2215	No. X.	237	514	174	574	409	1088
No. III.	423	975	123	481	546	1456	No. XI.	198	533	101	449	299	982
No. IV.	237	664	83	270	320	934	No. XII.	152	418	91	290	243	708
No. V.	164	413	180	564	344	977	No. XIII.	116	303	68	245	184	548
No. VI.	278	801	216	746	494	1547	No. XIV.	294	641	193	559	487	1200
No. VII.	279	733	204	606	483	1337	No. XV.	168	387	77	235	245	622
No. VIII.	221	532	235	773	456	1305	No. XVI.	84	195	36	103	120	298
No. IX.	135	408	68	240	203	648	No. XVII.	160	442	79	299	239	741
Car forward								11	43	74	73	15	56
							TOTAL,	4327	10941	2475	7993	6804	18934

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 15 day of June 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq: V.G.
James Ward Esq: V.G.

This Book examined each alternate Board day

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3313 to No. 3576, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. to No. inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

3/2
 The Clerk reported that he carried out all the orders of the last Board.

Received from Government £0.0.0

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £34.3.3
 Paid during the week, - £224.10.8
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was - £182.16.8 ✓
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.
 The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Samuel Cross	Galway No. 1	166	6	7½			
Hugh Gilligan	Galway No. 2	19	1	2			
Pat Martin	(late Collector)	215	19	5½			
Martin Cullinane	Armadour	56	7	10½			
"	Claregalway	360	5	3½			
John Cullinane	Lackagh	92	7	15½			
"	Atheny	40	9	11			
"	"	320	1	9			
J. R. Macdonald	Moycullen	730	10	9			
"	Killeannin	910	3	3			
"	Oughterard	1310	2	9½			
"	"	978		0½			
Thomas Walsh	Oraunmore	319	8	60½			
James Walsh	Ballinacounty	34	3	3	424	18	
"	Shadhbally				64	5	11
"	"				605	2	5
Redmond M. Donogh	Arnan				260	9	4
Total,		34	3	3	1978	4	11½

NOTE.— A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.
 Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

3/3
 The Relief List not yet closed —

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ Nil, was produced and passed.
 The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 197. 7 s. 7 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	197	7	7
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	206	17	10
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	1	1¼
Average cost in Infirmary,	0	2	3¼
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	0	0	0

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:

30 Cwt. of first flour 2000 qts of New Milk 6½ 16 Drs of Coals
 3 Drs of Rye meal 3½ lbs of Tea @ 3/8 50 Boxes of Inf
 5 Drs of Barley meal 35 lbs of Sugar @ 0/5 30 lbs of dip candles
 3 Drs of Indian meal 12 Bottles of Porter 56 lbs of Brown Soap
 1400 qts of Butter milk @ 3/2 7 lbs of Starch 7 lbs of white soap
 100 qts of New Milk @ 6/0 1 Dr of Rice
 8000 qts of Butter milk @ 3/2 200 lbs of Meat

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 9 day of June; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	£	s.	d.
In kind,	-	-	-

Total,

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	Bornelly	✓	6 Drs small	56 16 6	St. forward	"	26 Drs	252 4 10	
No. II.	Petit	✓	5 "	47 7 1	No. X.	Creaven	3 ✓	29 12 3	
No. III.	Giffin	✓	6 "	59 4 6	No. XI.	Donnis	2 ✓	19 14 10	
No. IV.	Borune	✓	"	"	No. XII.	Cullen	3 ✓	29 12 3	
No. V.	Flanagan	✓	3 ✓	29 12 3	No. XIII.	"	"	"	
No. VI.	Murphy	✓	6 ✓	59 4 6	No. XIV.	Keir	3 ✓	29 12 3	
No. VII.	Abornor	"	"	"	No. XV.	Sym	"	"	
No. VIII.	Darcy	"	"	"	No. XVI.	"	3 ✓	29 12 3	
No. IX.	L. Merriss	"	"	"	No. XVII.	"	"	"	
Car. forwd.		"	26	252 4 10	TOTAL,		40	390 8 8	

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
P. Commons Leather -	9	6	7 ✓
Wm. McCormack. Glass	2	12	6 ✓

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.			2. Establishment Account.				
Mick Killgarriff Coffins	2	3	2	James Davies Advertisements	12	10	✓
same same	13	18	2	Wm. Clarke on account of building	10	"	✓
John Waters same	12	12	1	Wm. Hastler Salary as R. Officer	4	"	✓
Je. Thomas pay ^t . of Overseers	5	17	4	Wm. Hastler on account of Salary	2	"	✓
Mark Thomas same	13	18	"	as Superintendent of Food Depots	10	"	✓
J. O'grady pay ^t . of Bills	2	15	"	as Superintendent of Food Depots	2	"	✓
J. Hickey Coffins	12	11	"	as Superintendent of Food Depots	10	"	✓
M. Jennings Coffins	11	12	3	P. H. Cullen same	10	"	✓
same same	9	9	4	James Davies printing	22	19	6 ✓
				same Treacy wages at Cork	2	5	✓
				J. O'grady (Clerk) pay ^t . of Bills	7	"	7 ✓
				John Kelly Porter	3	15	" ✓
				Rev. J. M. Cullagh Boiler	1	10	✓
				James Giffy Coffins	4	17	3 ✓

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.							
John Walsh Meat	16	1	10	Rush & Palmer Meal	106	4	7 ✓
J. M. Haughton Groceries	13	18	9	Mrs. Birmingham Milk	5	12	6 ✓
John and Mansfield				John Harrison Milk	65	12	6 ✓
Surf	17	11	8	John Costello Rice	38	14	" ✓
Mrs. Hatley Soap	10	9	6	P. M. Lynch Leals & Salt	7	5	" ✓
James Lynn Rice	13	"	"	John Mullory Milk	120	"	" ✓
Peter M. Loughlin Fish	23	19	5	John & Mary Cormell Surf	54	11	6 ✓
				John Oliver Bread	3	5	" ✓
				John Monip Bread	2	5	9 ✓

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Rush & Palmer Indian Meal	385	13	11 ✓
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Credit Treasurer and debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

The Master reported that Mr. Malone road Contractor offered to buy the stones broken on the Workhouse premises and recommended that ^{and} should be purchased ^{for} the yards for the produce of the stones. Ordered, that Mr. Malone's offer of 1/6 per load be accepted.

The Master reported that a most offensive smell is still perceptible from the grave yard although additional covering had been laid on it and reported the necessity of providing a place of interment elsewhere. Ordered, that more covering be put on the grave yard and a quantity of Lime.

Reported that the night Buckets required repair and that the cost of repairing them would not exceed 6/ each.

Ordered, to be repaired that he prosecuted Thomas Ward for absconding from the Workhouse ^{as follows} and taking his clothes with him. Magistrates sentenced him to one months imprisonment.

That he swore informations against John Kelly, a pauper for absconding leaving his wife and children in the Workhouse.

That he can get no account of Blankets & bedding sent to the Cholera Hospital in April last, that a quantity of old and totally useless bedding has been received from the Cholera Hospital none of which belonged to the Workhouse.

Reported, that Rippingham Contractor for keeping the locks & keys ^{&c.} in repair is very inattentive. Ordered, the locks to be repaired by some other person and the expense deducted from the contractors Salary. (Reports continued to page 10)

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

Sealed order dated 12 June 1849 No. 8843/49 authorizing Relief out of the Workhouse to persons under Sec 2 to the 12 July -

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 8 June 1849 No. 36838/49 requesting to be furnished with a Return of Deaf and Dumb children and Blind children under 14 years of age in the Workhouse.

The Clerk stated that he forwarded the return required -

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 8 June 1849 No. 396 M/49 forwarding a copy of a minute of their Board on the 5 Inst. as to the allowance of food to recipients of Out door Relief -

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, for Orders made on them respectively, as follows:

Poor Law Commissioners letter 9 June 1849 No. 36625/49 stating that a sum of £635 had been sent to Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V. J. for the week ending 26 May -

The Clerk stated that he acknowledged receipt of same -

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 9 June 1849 No. 397 M/49 requesting to be informed whether the abstracts of the Union accounts to the 25 March last were ready for Audit -

The Clerk stated that he informed the Commissioners that the accounts were ready for Audit and that he had forwarded the abstracts to the Auditor -

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 9 June 1849 No. 35859/49 enclosing queries to be answered and signed by the persons who may be appointed Collectors as also by the person who

may be appointed Relieving Officer in Mr. O'Garra's District -

Letter from Central Board of Health 11 June 1849 No. 8942/49 enclosing a copy of a letter from Messrs. Kelly and Buckley of Galway complaining of the interference of the Sanitary officer with their trade as Dealers in old Rags and bones &c. -

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 11 June 1849 No. 401 M/49 requesting to be furnished each week with a Return of the No. of able bodied male persons receiving Out door Relief &c. as also with a similar Return for each week since Relief to this class was resumed in this Union -

The Clerk stated that Relief to this class was resumed early in January last and that he would not be able to furnish the Returns for the past sooner than the 24 Inst. but that he would furnish a Return each week in future -

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 11 June 1849 No. 403 M/49 as to the meal given to persons

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Out door Relief and stating that their attention had been recently called to the matter and requesting that the Vice Guardians would adopt measures as will tend to secure the issue of wholesome meal equal to the quality which the Contractors agreed to supply —

Ordered, That the Commissioners be informed that a form of Invoice has been prepared and is furnished weekly by the Relieving Officers in which they insert a note as to the quality of the meal supplied

Per Law Commissioners letter 12 June 1849 No. 37105/49 in reference to the amount of Rate Outstanding in the Union and requesting that the Vice Guardians would direct the Collectors to prepare Lists shewing the amount due by Immediate Lessors and Occupiers on a value of £15 and upwards and that the Vice Guardians would on receiving the Lists from the Collectors direct proceedings to be taken against the parties —

The Clerk stated that in order to expedite the preparation of the lists he wrote to each collector on receipt of the Commissioners letter and enclosed forms for the purpose —

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 184 _____

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Letter from Central Board of Health dated 13 June 1849 No. 9383/49 requesting to be furnished with the daily Lists of persons attacked with Cholera.

The Clerk stated that he had received in the Lists from the Medical Officers and would furnish them by next post.

The Clerk laid before the Board two pounds left to him by the Rev. P. Daly as Restitution money in aid of the Union —

Ordered, To be lodged to the credit of the Establishment account.

The Clerk stated that Mr. James Walsh Poor Rate Collector had a number of summons to be tried at the Oranmore Petty Sessions on next Thursday and that he required the Rate Books for Ballinacourt, and Stradbally

Ordered, That the Master be instructed to have all the Workhouse Socks repaired and oiled

That the Fever shed, be cleansed and put into proper order immediately, for the reception of Patients —

Read a letter from Dr. Whistler of Oranmore applying for medicines for the treatment of Dysentery in his District —

The Vice Guardians having considered the fact of Cholera having disappeared in the District of Oranmore.

Resolved, That the Clerk do write to Dr. Whistler and state that as Cholera has disappeared that his services are no longer necessary —

Resolved, That the Clerk do convey to Dr. Whittle the thanks of the Vice-guardians for the efficient manner in which he performed his duties,

The Clerk laid before the Board a Requisition for Purvisions for the ensuing week for each of the Hospitals of Salway & Moycullen.

Ordered, That Board orders be drawn on the Contractors for same.

(Reports of Officers continued)

Reported, That Lettice is required on the windows of the Bakery &c.

Ordered, That an estimate be procured and laid before the Vice-guardians,

Required for Carpenters Shop, 2 Frame saw files, 2 hand saw files, 2 Carpenters pencils, 2 lbs glue, a sawyers line, 500 of 8^d nails, & 500 of 6^d nails. Ordered.

Required for Womens Wash Room, 550 yds of grey calico. Ordered.

Required for weavers Shop, 11 shuttles, 6 Reeds, 3 winding wheels, 4 doz spools & 16 pullies, Ordered.

Required for Shoe makers Shop, 3 pieces of upper leather, 1 lb of Kemp, 2 doz tips, nails, 1 insole, 2 pair nippers, 1 rasp & 1 pair finishers, Ordered.

Required a large trough, ordered to be made in the house.

Master reported that want of a Water Vessel in each of the mens & womens yards.

Ordered, that Proposals be received.

for sinking an additional Pump on the Workhouse Premises,

Dangan Report.

The Agricultural Instructor reported that he received four shillings & nine pence

Ordered, To be lodged to credit of Establishment

Required 100 of 8^d nails. Ordered.

Required a Leadle, Ordered, Workhouse Carpenter to supply it.

Medical Officers Report.

The Medical Officer Reported the overcrowded state of the Nursery and recommended that the accomodation for this class be increased,

That the Infirmary required whitewashing, Ordered, That the Master get this done.

Ordered, That John Waters of Spiddle be declared Contractor for supplying coffins to the District of Cughtuard South at 6^d per foot.

Mr. Thomas Murphy Overseer of stone breakers in the District of Soughanbeg having been appointed to the situation of Relieving Officer of Killeamin Division,

Resolved, That John Costello be appointed successor to Mr. Murphy in the situation of Overseer at a remuneration of 8^s a week,

Next Meeting of the Vice-guardians to be held on the 22 June

Donegal

Vice-guardians

John Murphy = Clerk

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *16* day of *June* 1849.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, . . . 1000 Temporary Buildings, 495 Additional Workhouse, 1350 Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, . . . 300 Total, 3145	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Males.	Fem.		Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Remainin on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	54	37	722	1474	633	408	95	"	"	3423	In Work-house Hospital, } 301 In Fever Hospital } "	In separate Wards, } 7 In Wards with other inmates, } "	
Admitted during the Week,	9	4	76	98	53	47	7	"	"	294			
TOTAL,	63	41	798	1572	686	455	102	"	"	3717	Total, 301	Total, 7	
Discharged during the Week	8	"	46	44	33	19	2	"	"	152			
Died,	"	"	9	3	8	3	4	"	"	27			
Total Discharged and Dead	8	"	55	47	41	22	6	"	"	179			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	55	41	743	1525	645	433	96	"	"	3538			

Fever — 52
Dysentery — 97
Cholera — 19
other cases 133
Total — 301

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
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No. I.	597	1518	277	776	874	2294	Bt. forward						
No. II.	585	1444	277	793	862	2237	No. X.	237	514	170	572	407	1086
No. III.	430	1167	124	487	554	1656	No. XI.	201	541	109	472	310	1013
No. IV.	242	685	84	278	326	963	No. XII.	160	439	91	295	251	734
No. V.	170	440	194	579	364	1019	No. XIII.	119	319	67	245	186	564
No. VI.	278	801	216	746	494	1547	No. XIV.	292	639	188	545	480	1184
No. VII.	285	743	205	614	490	1357	No. XV.	170	397	77	235	247	632
No. VIII.	221	534	236	775	457	1309	No. XVI.	84	195	36	103	120	298
No. IX.	139	420	72	250	211	670	No. XVII.	164	451	79	302	243	753
ar forward								13	55	794	13	77	48
							TOTAL,	4387	11306	2506	8080	6893	19384

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Friday* the *22* day of *June* 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V. J.
James Ward Esq. V. J.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3577 to No. 3870 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 29230 to No. 29649, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Clerk reported that he carried out all the orders of the last Board -

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £1476.8.1

Paid during the week, - £1582.15.1

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £276.6.8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Received from Government £1435.0.0
£10.0.0 lodged as fines recovered from Parties proceeded against under the Statutes Act

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
S. Croft	Galway No. 1	8 9 4	1660 17 3 1/2
Hugh Gilligan	Galway No. 2	16 "	1940 1 2
Pat Martin (late Collector)	" "	" "	215 19 5 1/2
Martin Cullinan	Amadown	6 16 9	560 13 1 1/2
Same	Claregalway	" "	360 5 3 1/2
			6 16 9 920 18 5
John Cullinan	Lackagh	" "	409 11 1
Same	Atheary	" "	320 17 8
			" " " 730 10 9
Ge ^r R. Macdonald	Moycullen	" "	910 3 3
Same	Killanin	" "	1310 2 9 1/2
Same	Cryteward	" "	978 00 4
			" " " 3198 6 0 1/2
Thomas Walsh	Oranmore	" "	424 18 0
James Walsh	Dalliacounty	" "	540 16 6
Same	Shadball	" "	64 5 11
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On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Frederick Moore Wool	2	3	6

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

2. Establishment Account.

Mr. Bane Sanitary Officer	Rev. P. Daly, R.C.C. on Fe of Salary	25	"	"
Mr. Ryan Ass't. Schoolmaster	J. Flynn Rent of wages as Storekeeper	3	5	"
Red Heads, Rent of Store	Edward Knight Bakers wages	1	5	"
James Campbell late	M. Keeney Rent of food Depot	3	3	6
R.O. on account of Salary	J. Duffy wages as Storekeeper	1	12	6
Mr. Donogh Coffins	J. Keeney wages as Storekeeper	2	19	"
William S.D.	M. McDonough carriage	3	17	9
Mr. Thomas payment of overseers	J. O'Grady pay of Bills	13	17	1
Mr. Thomas Same	P. Lambert Master	10	"	"
Mr. O'Grady pay of Bills	M. Lambert Mation	10	"	"
	L. Fitzmaurice V.S. Salary	62	10	"
	M. Pletcher ass't. Mation on Fe of Salary	5	"	"

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Rush & Palmer Indian Meal	87	5	7
P.M. Lynch Barley Meal	33	12	"
Mrs. Birmingham Milk	6	9	9
J. Hanifon Milk	40	2	1
J. McNaughton groceries	1	13	9
J. Costello Rice	12	18	"
J. Walsh Meat	5	2	6
J. Flynn Coals	6	"	"
John & Mary Cornell Surf	2	18	4
E. Flattery Soap	1	10	6
J. Flynn Coals	24	11	"

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Rush & Palmer Indian Meal	562	19	5
Temporary Fever Hospital Expenses			
James Forbes Bread	50	"	"
Cholera Purposes			
Pat O'Malley Coffins	4	10	4
William Banet Rent of Dispensary	1	"	"

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

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

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

The Master reported that he had the Hospital, Fever shed, Probationary wards, and the shoemakers Shop thoroughly cleansed and Lime washed, that the two sheds in front yards will be done by Saturday night, that all the yards are cleansed and in as good order as means permit.

That he called on the Smith Contractor to put the Socks in order without delay which he promised to do but did not yet do so.

That the Contractor retained in his possession some of the Socks and Keys which were given him to repair in consequence of which he is unable to get the Contractors neglect remedied by employing another person.

Ordered, The Master will procure the Socks & Keys alluded to from the Contractor and have them repaired without further delay.

Reported, that the West House Auxiliary Workhouse was stripped of a quantity of the lead on the night of Tuesday, by some malicious persons.

Ordered, that the Master do lay before the Vice Guardians an estimate from some person competent to do the work.

That Mr. Stephens had furnished Cast Iron plates for the cesspools, and requested permission to employ a tradesman to set them - Ordered.

Required for the roof of fever shed, 590 yards of 3 inch wide Calico @ 2^d per yard. No order.

Required 96 feet of wire Lattice for Merchants Road Auxiliary Workhouse, at a probable cost of 5^{/-} per order. Required, 4 lbs of black thread, 4 lbs of white thread, 1 lb of red thread, 2 pair of large scissors, 4 pair of scissors and 4 dozen Combs - Ordered.

(Reports continued to page)

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

Sealed Order dated 13 June 1849, fixing the sum to be levied on each Union in Ireland, during the year ending the 31st of December 1849, for a general Rate in aid of certain Distressed Unions in Ireland.

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners 15 June 1849 N^o. 411 M/49, forwarding the above copy of a Sealed Order and calling the Vice Guardians attention to the 2nd Sec of the which enacts that a provision must be made in the Rate to be made next after the receipt of the Order for the sum leviable according to the order.

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:

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 15 June 1849 N^o. 37319/49 expressing their sanction of the appointment of Mr. Connolly to be Carpenter in the Workhouse, and requesting to be informed of any particulars which may be discovered with respect to the child which was found dead inside the gate of the Workhouse.

The Clerk stated that he forwarded a copy of the verdict to the Poor Law Commissioners.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 15 June 1849 N^o. 38028/49 authorising stating that a sum of £850 had been forwarded to Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V. J. towards the expenses of the week ending 16 June.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 15 June 1849 N^o. 38028/49 authorizing the expenditure of a sum of £23 for Cholera purposes out of the sum of £850 forwarded on the 15 Inst.

The Clerk stated that he acknowledged Receipt of same.

Letter from Central Board of Health 15 June 1849 N^o. 9193 enclosing a copy of a memorial which they received relative to Medical Relief for Cranmore District and requesting the observations of the Vice Guardians on the subject.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 16 June 1849 N^o. 38871/49 acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter accounting for the delay in the transmission of the account of the expenditure of the advances and stating that the explanation contained therein was quite satisfactory.

The Clerk produced the Returns which he received from the Poor Rate Collectors shewing the amount of Rate due by Immediate Lessors and occupiers at and above £15 net annual value agreeable to the Commissioners letter of 12 June.

The Vice Guardians having considered the efficiency of Martin McCormack Wardmaster and the time of probation having expired for some time did not consider him properly qualified for the situation and directed the Clerk to give him notice accordingly.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Delto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

A deputation having waited on the Vice-guardians to request of them to hold their weekly meetings at Arncliffe instead of Clarendon for the purpose of disposing of applications for Relief in consequence of that place being more central and much more convenient for the paupers.

Resolved, That the request of the Deputation be complied with hereafter.

The Clerk called the attention of the Vice-guardians to the necessity of taking stock of Clothing and Bedding in the house as Cholera had now disappeared.

Ordered, That the Master do have the Clothing in readiness that stock may be taken by him in the presence of Vice-guardians and Clerk.

The Clerk stated that the fortnight allowed to Miss Barrow had expired and requested to know were the Vice-guardians satisfied with her as Assistant Matron.

Ordered, That Miss Barrow be permanently appointed and the queries respecting her appointment be answered and forwarded.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 184 .

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

The Clerk stated that he received no applications for the office of Poor Rate Collector.

The Vice-guardians having considered tenders for the supply of Coals to the Workhouse and its Auxiliary Workhouses.

Resolved, that James Hynd & Co. be declared Contractors for supplying any quantity of best Newcastle Coals that may be required at the Workhouse, Dargan Auxiliary Workhouse, Merchants Road and West House from the 24 June to the 25 March 1850 at the rate of 17/6 a ton. Sureties, Nicholas Gillian and John B. Purden.

Read an application from the Master and Matron applying for an increase of Salary.

Ordered, That the application be not entertained at present.

(Reports of Officers Continued)

Master Required the following.

- White wash brushes 2000 nails different sizes
- 10 Barrels Lime 12 Planks timber
- 6 dozen heath brooms 2 Barrels coal tar
- 6000 Brogue nails 2 doz common shoes

Master Reported that the Matron suggested that a portion of the women could be employed advantageously in making fishing nets.

Ordered, that a portion of the women be employed in the manner suggested.

The Master reported the want of Straw and that

That no supply was received from the Contractor lately

Ordered, That the Clerk do write to the Contractor to say that proceedings will be instituted against him if he fails in supplying the orders of the Board

Dangan Report.

The Assistant Master at Dangan required an order to have 44 dishes and 4 tin saucepans repaired by free. Ordered

Required a tin ladder Ordered

Reported That the lead work of the roof required repair

Ordered, Assistant Master to get a Brasier to repair the roof but first to make an agreement with him for sand.

The Agricultural Instructor required 2 lbs of tallow and 1 gallon of oil. Ordered.

Medical Officers Report

Reported that Doctor Richardson had resumed his duties in the Hospital

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 29 June 1849

James Ward

The Guardians

Signed by Clerk Union

Galway

UNION.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23 day of June 1849.

Table with columns: Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided, Aged and Infirm, Able-bodied, Boys, Girls, Born, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, and various medical observations like Fever, Dysentery, Cholera, etc.

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23 day of June authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., Total relieved out of the Workhouse, RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Lists districts I through XVII and totals.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 29 day of June 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V. G.

James Ward Esq. V. G.

Richard Burke Esq. "Poor Law Inspector."

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3871 to No. 4111, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

Examined each alternate Friday

The Clerk reported that he carried out all the orders of the last Board.

Received from Government £850 0 0

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day. The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £924 4 11 Paid during the week, £1063 3 8 1/2 And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £107 4 4 1/2 The Book was signed by the Chairman. The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk. The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining.
M. Croft	Galway No. 1.	16017 5/8	
M. Jelligan	Galway No. 2.	9 175 19 3/4	
M. Martin (late collector)	" "	215 19 5/8	
M. Lullinane	Armadour	560 13 1/2	
"	Claregalway	360 5 3/4	
"	"	920 18 5/8	
M. Lullinane	Sackagh	409 11 1/8	
"	Athensy	320 19 8	
"	"	730 10 9	
M. Macdonald	Moyscullen	910 3 3	
"	Killanin	23 " 1287 2 9/8	
"	Oughtnard	27 " 951 0 0 1/4	
"	"	50 " 3148 6 0 1/4	
M. Walsh	Cranmore	2 12 11 422 5 1	
M. Walsh	Ballinacourt	" " 540 16 6	
"	Stradbally	" " 64 5 11	
"	"	" " 605 2 5	
M. McDonough	Arar	11 11 " 245 18 4	
Total,		741 498 27 1/8	

NOTE.— A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.

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

The Relief List not yet closed.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ Nil was produced and passed. The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

- The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
- The Provision Check Accounts.
- The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £215 1 s. 8 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	215	1	8
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	196	5	9
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	196	5	9
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	1	2
Average cost in Infirmary,	0	2	2
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	0	1	0

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:

- 1 1/2 In first flour
- 5 Rye Meal
- 2 1/2 Barley Meal
- 4 Indian Meal
- 1500 qt. B. Milk @ 1/6
- 100 " H. Milk @ 1/6
- 8500 " B. Milk @ 1/4
- 2000 " H. Milk @ 1/4
- 3 1/2 lbs Tea @ 3/8 per lb.
- 3 " Tea @ 3/6 "
- 35 " Sugar @ 1/2 "
- 35 " Sugar @ 1/4 "
- 6 Bottles wine
- 17 lbs of Starch
- 28 " Soda
- 1 In of Rice
- 1150 lbs of meat
- 15 In of Coals
- 10 Boxes of Turf
- 30 lb dipt Candles
- 112 " Saff @ 1/6
- 4 " Mould Candles.
- Supplemental order for 500 qt. B. Milk @ 1/4

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

- The several Clothing Accounts.
- The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 23 day of Jan; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	4
In kind,	-	-	469 6 4
Total,	-	469	10 8

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractor.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	Cornelly	"	"	4 Inns	166	Bt. forward	"	"	36 Inns	350 19 0	
No. II.	Pet. H.	"	"	5 "	47 7 1	No. X.	Creaven	"	"	3 " 29 12 3	
No. III.	Griffin	"	"	6 "	59 4 6	No. XI.	Morris	"	"	3 " 29 12 3	
No. IV.	Browne	"	"	3 "	29 12 3	No. XII.	Callery	"	"	2 " 19 14 11	
No. V.	Haugan	"	"	4 "	39 9 8	No. XIII.	"	"	"	"	
No. VI.	Murphy	"	"	5 "	49 7 1	No. XIV.	Keerin	"	"	3 " 29 12 3	
No. VII.	Clambs	"	"	4 "	39 9 8	No. XV.	Symon	"	"	1 " 9 17 5	
No. VIII.	Petrey	"	"	3 "	29 12 3	No. XVI.	"	"	"	"	
No. IX.	Morris	"	"	"	"	No. XVII.	"	"	"	"	
Car. forwd.		"	"	36 "	350 19 0	TOTAL,		"	469	10 8	

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 22nd June 1849 No. 39609/49 stating that a sum of £836. was sent to Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V. J. in aid of the expense, for week ending 23rd June

The Clerk stated that he acknowledged the receipt of same by separate letter

Poor Law Commissioners Letter of the 26th June 1849 No. 38839/49 directing to the minutes of the 8th Inst. and referring to the Resolution calling on the Solicitor for a statement with respect to the steps taken against Immediate Lessors and requesting to be informed if the Vice 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, Drafts made on them respectively, as follows:

have yet received the statement, and also wishing to be informed what progress has been made in the settlement of the Collection accounts of Mr. Macdonald

Ordered, That the Commissioners be informed that the report has not been received from the Solicitor but that they hope he will furnish it on his return from Dublin which will be in a few days, and that no progress has as yet been made in the settlement of Mr. Macdonald's accounts,

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners dated 27th June 1849 No. 427 M/49 requesting that the Clerk would give notice to the Treasurer of the Union from time to time of the dates of all Rates made pursuant to the 2nd Sec of the Act Cap 24. providing for the levying of a General Rate in Aid.

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The Clerk reported that he was summoned as a witness to attend Quarter Sessions at York on Monday next.

The Clerk reported that he did not yet receive the report from Mr. Blakeney Sol^r of the steps taken against Immediate Lessors, nor did he yet receive his bill of Costs from him, but he supposed that on his return from Dublin he would furnish them which would be a day or two.

The Clerk submitted the returns received from the Poor Rate Collectors agreeably to the Commissioners Circular of the 12th Inst. in reference to Defaulting Immediate Lessors and occupiers whose holdings are valued at and above £15.0.0.

The Clerk laid before the Board the Estimates sent in by the Medical Officers of the Temporary Fever Hospitals for the provisions and necessaries for the ensuing week for which (after having been duly considered by the Vice Guardians) orders were signed on the Contractors for the several quantities.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

The Clerk laid before the Vice-guardians the Invoices of the Relieving Officers by which it appeared that no complaints had been made of the quality of the meal supplied during the past week.

The Clerk produced the Diaries of the Relieving Officers and reported that the following Relieving Officers had not furnished their Diaries for week ending 23 June, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Deacy, Mr. O'Connell, Mr. L. Morris and Mr. Fynn.

Mr. Burke Poor Law Inspector having examined the Diaries and having observed that the time which the Relieving Officers reported as being employed in issuing food was entirely too long in comparison to the N^o. of cases on their Relief Lists.

The Clerk was accordingly directed to communicate to each of the Relieving Officers the minutes made on back of the Diaries by Mr. Burke in reference to the manner in which they appear to have employed their time.

The Clerk was also directed to write to the Relieving Officers above named to know why their diaries have not been received.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Mr. Burke having observed that the time of the Relieving Officers appeared to have been taken up on each Saturday in attending at the Workhouse to receive their meal orders and suggested that some arrangements would be made to relieve them from attendance on Saturdays for Board orders.

The Vice-guardians having considered Mr. Burke's suggestion,

Resolved, that the Clerk do in future hand to the Contractor the Board orders for the quantity to be supplied to the Relieving Officers for the ensuing week and get his receipt for same, and that each Relieving Officer do get intimation from the Clerk of the quantity of meal for which an order was granted for him to enable him to check the quantity delivered to him by the Contractor.

Resolved, that each Relieving Officer be informed of this arrangement.

(Reports continued)

The Agricultural Instructor, reported that the greater part of the Fruit at Dangan Auxiliary Workhouse was fit for sale.

Assistant Master Required the following
3 Pick axes

Ordered to be obtained from
Mr. Thomas Superintendent of Overseers
1 Sythe hook and Shaft. Ordered
medical

Medical Officers Report

Reported that the scarcity of water in the Workhouse in a great measure affects the health of the Inmates and strongly recommended that a place would be selected to ensure a permanent supply

Next Meeting of Vice Guardians to be held on Friday the 6 July 1849.

Lewis Fitzmaurice
James Ward

Vice Guardians
Clerk

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30 day of June 1849.

Table with columns: Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided, Aged and Infirm, Able-bodied, Boys, Girls, Children under 2 years, Born, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, and various status changes like Admitted, Discharged, Died.

Fever 39
Dysentery 92
Cholera
Various cases 95
Total 226

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30 day of June authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1, Total relieved out of the Workhouse, RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1, Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Lists districts I through XVII and a Car forward row.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 6 day of July 1849.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V.S.
Other Guardians: James Ward Esq. V.S.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4112 to No. 4376, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 29650 to No. 30170, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

1. Clothing Account.

		£	s.	d.			
Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.							
2. Establishment Account.							
Mark Thomas pay ^t Overseer	14	12	5	Thomas Walsh fees as Collector	11	2	6
George Thomas Same	6	2	2	James Walsh Same	4	15	11
J. O'Grady pay ^t of Bills	2	11	0	John Cullinane Same	45	15	0
M. Jiffin R.O. Salary	25	0	0	Martin Cullinane Same	39	15	0
Wm. Gallagher maps	17	0	0	Dr. Brown M.O. on acct Salary	15	0	0
M. Cloherty sundries	3	19	0	James Walsh fees as Coll ^r	15	5	2
J. O'Grady pay ^t Bills	6	5	0	James Morris R.O. on 7/8 Salary	25	0	0
M. De Troy R.O. Salary	14	15	4	Matthew Feaven R.O. Same	12	10	0
Mrs Scully wages as nurse	10	0	0	Dr. Richardson Salary	25	0	0
E. Brown R.O. Salary	4	8	9	Pat O'Flaherty wages as S ^r the	7	11	8 1/4
Thomas Naughton	3	7	1	John Kerin R.O. on 7/8 Salary	12	10	0
Coffins	3	7	1	Matthias Tym Same	17	6	6
Doctor O'Brien Salary	25	0	0	Anne Corbett wages as cook	1	4	8 1/4
				Mary Corbett Same	1	4	8 1/4

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

		£	s.	d.
3. Workhouse Invoice Account.				
Rush & Palmer Meal & flour	127	18	1	✓
Mary Birmingham Milk	5	6	3	
John Harrison Milk	41	15	11	✓
John McNaughton, groceries	3	7	11	✓
John Costell Rice	12	18	0	✓
Mrs. Flatley Soap & c	2	5	10	
John Walsh meat	2	6	10	
John and Mary Connell	3	10	0	
Turf				

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

		£	s.	d.
4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.				
Rush and Palmer Indian Meal	424	15	7	
Jews Hospitals.				
Margaret Small Milk	30	0	0	
William Belwood meat	51	11	4	
Michael Fallon Returned Rates Galway Co. D.	2	8	0	

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

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

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

Reports of Officers

Masters Report.

That the Assistant Master absented himself from the Workhouse from 7 O'clock on the evening of the 3rd to 8 O'clock next morning

Master required permission to have two ladders made for white washing and painting use, Ordered,

Required for the female Industrial Department
 10 Stone wool 10 lbs Thread }
 5 " Thread 12 gross knitting } Ordered.
 40 " Tow needles }

Required for painting, 2 stone of whitening, 4 Stone white lead, 3 gallons oil, 2 gallons Turpentine, 2 Flag knives, and 2 Dusting brushes - Ordered,

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

Required for Carpenters work, 2 plane irons, 2 chisels, 2 augurs - 6 files 2000 of 6^o nails, 1000 of 4^o nails, 1 grinding stone, 2 hammers and 6 Brad awls - Ordered.

Required for shoemakers shop, 1 hide of sole leather, 1/2 lb spriggs, 3 pieces of upper leather, 1 Insole Belly leather, and 1/2 lb Hemp, 1 hide of light sole leather, 2 dozen tips, 1 dozen closing jam -

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

Sealed Order dated 28 June 1849 prescribing the form in which the "Union Rate in Aid" is to be kept

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 30 June 1849 No. 40880/49 directing to minutes of the 15 June in reference to the Master's Report as to burial ground and requesting to be informed why the site procured for a grave yard from Mr Blake has not been occupied

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 2 July 1849

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:

No. 435/49 requesting to be furnished by the 9th Inst. with a Return of the progress of the Collection of the Rate for the month of June

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 2 July 1849 No. 434/49 requesting to be furnished by the 14 July with a Return of the expenses and Liabilities of the Union for the month of June

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 3rd July 1849

No. 438/49 enclosing a copy of a Sealed Order prescribing the form in which the Union Rate in Aid Account is to be kept

Letter from J. Murray Esq. Poor Law Auditor intimating his intention to audit the accounts of the Union to the 25 March last on the 9 July

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners dated 3 July 1849 No. 437/49 enclosing queries in

in reference to any Rate which may have been struck during the month of June and requesting that the Clerk would answer same

The Clerk stated that he answered and forwarded the queries

Read a letter from Mr Roberts "District Engineer of Drainage works" in reference to able-bodied men who may be employed on said works and stating that the Relieving Officers could have access to the Pay tables

Resolved that the Clerk do write to each Relieving Officer to request that they will attend at the places of payment and see the persons who receive payment to enable him to see if any such persons are in receipt of Relief

Read a letter from the Porter of the Workhouse resigning his situation in consequence of not being feeling himself able to perform all the duties required by the Commissioners Regulations

Ordered, That it be accepted and that his successor be advertised for to be appointed on the 20 Inst.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

 Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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341 Galway UNION.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7 day of July 1849.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, . . . 1000 Temporary Buildings, 495 Additional Workhouse, 1350 Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, . . . 300 Total, 3145	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Males.	Fem.		Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	47	28	753	1518	658	443	99	-	-	3546	In Workhouse Hospital.	In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, In Wards with other Inmates.	
Admitted during the Week.	2	2	55	94	18	26	6	2	-	205			
TOTAL.	49	30	808	1612	676	469	105	2	-	3751	Total.	Total.	
Discharged during the Week	1	8	71	109	41	47	4	"	"	281			
Died,	"	1	7	4	3	4	1	"	"	20			
Total Discharged and Dead	1	9	78	113	44	51	5	"	"	301			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	48	21	730	1499	632	418	100	2	"	3450			

Fever
Dysentery
Other cases
Total

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 7 day of July. authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	617	1565	304	827	921	2392	Bt. forward						
No. II.	606	1492	312	844	918	2336	No. X.	252	531	163	603	415	1134
No. III.	458	1035	141	512	599	1547	No. XI.	225	561	130	541	355	1102
No. IV.	253	702	87	282	340	984	No. XII.	168	452	94	312	262	764
No. V.	177	458	228	657	405	1115	No. XIII.	123	329	69	247	192	576
No. VI.	279	828	265	874	544	1702	No. XIV.	289	635	185	537	474	1172
No. VII.	296	769	214	635	510	1404	No. XV.	166	392	78	241	244	633
No. VIII.	222	533	238	771	460	1304	No. XVI.	84	195	35	99	119	294
No. IX.	173	372	133	373	306	745	No. XVII.	158	447	82	282	240	729
Car forward								7	29	5	22	12	51
							TOTAL.	4553	11325	2763	8659	7316	19984

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 13 day of July 1849.

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

Lewis Fitzmaurice Esqr. V. G.
James Ward Esqr. V. G.
John Hall Esqr. Poor Law Inspector.

This Book examined each alternate Friday

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4377 to No. 4581, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Clerk reported that he carried out all the orders of the last Board.

Received from Government £849 0 0

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £957.18.5

Paid during the week, - £958.4.4

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £218.18.1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Samuel Cross	Galway No. 1	"	"	"	1654	15	0
Augh Gilligan	Galway No. 2	7	10	"	1909	17	3
W. Martin	(late collector)	"	"	"	215	19	5
Martin Cullinaue	Anna down	16	17	8	543	15	5
"	Claregalway	22	17	"	4337	7	11
John Cullinaue	Lackagh	38	7	6	37	13	7
"	Athenry	7	7	6	313	12	2
J. R. Macdonald	Murcullen	45	15	"	684	15	9
"	Hill anin	"	"	"	970	3	3
"	Outerard	"	"	"	1287	2	2
Thomas Walsh	Cranmore	"	"	"	951	0	0
James Walsh	Ballinacourt	11	2	6	411	2	7
"	Stradbally	4	1	11	536	14	7
Edmond M. Donogh	Arran	"	"	"	65	11	11
		4	15	11	6006	6	
		"	"	"	248	13	4
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NOTE.— A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 188. 7. 4 1/2 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 188. 7. 4 1/2.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	188	7	4 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	193	10	9
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	-	0 1 1
Average cost in Infirmary,	-	-	0 2 1
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	-	-	0 0 0

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:

- | | |
|-------------------------|----------------------|
| 6 Tons of Indian Meal | 260 lbs of meat. |
| 1500 qts. B. Milk @ 3/8 | 6 Bottles of wine |
| 100 " New Milk @ 6/2 | 5 Tons of Coals |
| 8500 " B. Milk @ 3/4 | 80 Boxes of Turf |
| 2500 " New Milk @ 6/4 | 25 lbs dipt Candles. |
| 3 1/2 Lt. Tea @ 3/8 | 112 " brown Soap. |
| 1 " " @ 3/6 | 7 " white Soap |
| 35 " Sugar @ 5 | |
| 30 Cwt. 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.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 7 day of July; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	£	0	6	9
In kind,	-	-	-	475	2	6	

Total, - 475 9 3

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractor.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	Leomelly			6 1/2 Tons Meal	6 1/2					43 Tons	479 16 11
No. II.	Petit			"	5 10 6	No. X.	M. Heaven	3	"	"	29 12 3
No. III.	Jiffin			"	64 3 2	No. XI.	Morris	2	£	19 14 10	
No. IV.	Broune			"	29 12 3	No. XII.	P. Hully	3	£	29 12 3	
No. V.	Hanagan			"	39 9 8	No. XIII.	same	"	"	"	"
No. VI.	Murphy			"	49 7 1	No. XIV.	Kevin	3	£	29 12 3	
No. VII.	Lomner			"	39 9 8	No. XV.	J. Ryan	3	"	"	"
No. VIII.	D. Key			"	59 4 6	No. XVI.	same	"	"	"	"
No. IX.	L. Morris			"	29 12 3	No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.				"	43					57	558 0 9
						TOTAL,					£ 566 = 5 = 6

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Mr. McCormack Flax &c	6	8	7
George Farguason Calico	21	17	6

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

		2. Establishment Account.		
George Thomas payment of overseers. £ 5. 16. 8	Pat Abington wheels	12	10	"
Clerk Union pay. Bills. 3. 5. 4	The post Master salary Postage	4	9	7
L Morris R.O. Salary 12. 10. 0	Pat Smith Assistant Master	5	"	"
J McDermogh wages as Storekeeper 2. 11. 6. 3	Renny Hanagan Relieving Officer	18	5	"
J O'Connell for assistance to Master in bringing up Books 3. 0. 0	Clerk Union pay. of Bills	7	"	2
	same same	14	14	2
	J. Burke Rent of Store	5	16	6
	Hugh Hanagan same	3	7	6
	Mich. O'Donnell same	4	15	"
	John Conry Rent & wages	9	14	"
	Denis M. Dwyer. Rent	3	10	"
	James J. Coffey Cuyleriard	2	19	"
	Mark Thomas pay. of overseers	4	7	3

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

		3. Workhouse Invoice Account.		
Ausk and Palmer Meal & flour	✓	99	4	7
Mrs. Birmingham Milk	✓	5	6	3
John Harrison Same	✓	45	1	"
John McShaughton groceries	✓	3	1	1
John Costello Rice	✓	19	4	"
John Walsh Meat	✓	3	18	1
James J. Jym Coals	✓	8	15	6
J & Mary Connell Turf	✓	3	10	"
Mrs. Flattin Soap &c	✓	3	11	0

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

		4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.		
Ausk and Palmer Indian Meal	✓	469	8	"
Fever Hospitals				
Doctor Colahan Salary	✓	22	15	"
Mrs. Bohan half year rent of Fever Hospital at Mungellan	✓	2	"	"
Mich. Jennings Coffin				
Salary Electoral Division	✓	4	13	5
Mich. Jennings Coffin				
Salary Electoral Division	✓	10	1	"

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

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

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

Master requested to know how the may in future employ the male paupers as the Watchhouse grounds are nearly all planted and all available stones nearly broken.

Ordered, that the ground at the rear of the Watchhouse be got into neat order, and that the men be employed at same as also at stone breaking.

Required 4000 Brogue nails. 4000 Scuffer nails. 10 Barrels of Lime and 4 dozen of trams. Ordered.

Required for painting, 1 Stone of ochre. 2 lbs of patent dyes & 2 lbs of Umber. Ordered.

Required for Industrial Department 20 Stone of wool. Ordered.

Required one bale of cotton. Ordered.

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

Dangan Report. Assistant Master reported the meadow at Dangan was fit for mowing and requested permission to employ persons to do so.

Ordered, and the usual wages to be paid.

Requested that the working class at Dangan would be supplied with shoes.

Ordered. Master of Watchhouse to attend to this.

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

Sealed Order from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 12 July 1849, authorizing the continuance of relief out of the Workhouse to persons under the 2nd section, the 12 August next

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 7 July 1849 No. 43232/49 approving of the appointment of Mr Thomas Murphy as Relieving Officer for Kilkenny West.

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners dated 7 July 1849 No. 450 In/49 requesting that the

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:—

Estimate should in future be sent up on ^{the} Tuesday proceeding the week for which the estimate is intended

Ordered, that the estimate in future be transmitted on Tuesday in each week and that the Commissioners be informed that payments are required to be made on Friday in each week for the week ending the previous Saturday

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 7 July 1849 No. 41971/49 acknowledging receipt of the correspondence between the Vice Guardians and Central Board of Health in reference to Spittal Dispensary and stating that the Vice Guardians should continue to press their views on the subject upon the consideration of the Board of Health.

Circular

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners dated 10 July 1849 No. 458 In/49 requesting that the Monthly Return of Expenses &c should be forwarded so as to reach that Office on Monday the 16 Inst. Ordered the Return to be forwarded as desired -

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 10 July 1849 No. 41971/49 approving of the appointment of Miss Alicia Barret as Assistant Matron to the Workhouse

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 12 July 1849 No. 44255/49 intimating that a sum of £970 was sent to Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. Vef. in aid of the expenses for week ending 14 Inst.

The Vice Guardians having taken into consideration the Sanitary State of the Town of Jalway and the total disappearance of Cholera.

Resolved, that the services of Mr. Barret Sanitary Officer be dispensed with -

St.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed - - - - -

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

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered - - - - -

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

It having appeared from the report of the Medical Officer of the Cuytheraw District, that Cholera had disappeared in that locality -

Resolved, That the services of Doctor Davis be discontinued and that he be advised accordingly

The Attention of the Vice guardians having been again directed to the diet Class Book and daily Diet Book for sick and healthy inmates which have not been kept by the Master in accordance with the order of the Poor Law Commissioners and the repeated instructions of the Vice guardians -

Ordered, That these books be entered up regularly each day by the Master and that no excuse be taken for its non production on each Board day here after -

The Clerk laid before the Vice guardians the Returns Received in from the Poor Rate Collectors of the Defaulting Immediate Lessors and occupiers of holdings at and above £15 value

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the
day of 184 .

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Value and called their attention to the Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 12th June on the subject.

Ordered, That the Commissioners consideration of the Returns be deferred until Monday next when the Collectors will be in attendance -

~~The Clerk called the Vice guardians attention to the fact of the Auxiliary Workhouses of Dayan and West House not being insured and requested that the Vice guardians would consider what they intended each Building would be insured for as well as the Furniture and bedding in use in each.~~

The Vice guardians having repeatedly under consideration the inefficiency of Mr. O'Flaherty the Streetkeeper of the Workhouse and finding him quite incompetent to discharge the duties.

Resolved, That he now be called upon for his resignation of the situation and that an advertisement be inserted in the papers for a properly qualified person to fill the office at the salary heretofore paid, viz £20. a year and an apartment and Rations, the appointment to be made on the 27 July -

The Clerk read a communication which he received from the Commissioners of National

National Education stating that the professor had selected Mary Anne Mc Cormack Female Teacher of the Galway Workhouse National School for admission in the special training class and requesting her attendance on the 1st August.

Read an application from Miss Mc Cormack applying for an increase of salary and stating that if such was not granted by the vice guardians she would accept of the offer made to her by the Commissioners of National Education.

Miss Mc Cormack having attended and the vice guardians having mentioned to her that they could not at present increase her salary, and she having again intimated her intention to leave.

Ordered, that her Resignation be accepted and that her successor be advertised for to be appointed on the 27th July.

Next meeting of the Vice Guardians to be held on Friday the 20 July 1849.

Lewis Fitzmaurice } Vice
James Ward } Guardians
Clerk Union

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14 day of July 1849.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:-	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Males.	Fem.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, 1000												✓
Temporary Buildings, 495												
Additional Workhouse, 1350												
Permanent Fever Hospital, 300												
Fever Sheds, 3145												
Total, 3145												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, } 48 21 730 1499 632 418 102 " " 3450												In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital, In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, Total, ✓
Admitted during the Week, } 1 3 29 50 13 22 2 " " 120												
TOTAL, 49 24 759 1549 645 440 104 " " 3570												
Discharged during the Week, } 2 4 69 93 40 28 5 " " 241												Fever Dysentery Other cases Total ✓
Died, } " " 9 1 2 3 4 " " 19												
Total Discharged and Dead, 2 4 78 94 42 31 9 " " 260												
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, } 47 20 681 1455 603 409 95 " " 3310												

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14 day of July authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	618	1568	307	832	925	2400	Bt. forward						
No. II.	626	1553	332	885	958	2438	No. X.	255	537	163	603	418	1140
No. III.	460	1037	141	512	601	1549	No. XI.	223	553	131	446	354	1001
No. IV.	255	704	87	282	342	986	No. XII.	163	440	82	286	245	726
No. V.	197	509	255	757	452	1266	No. XIII.	110	305	71	245	181	550
No. VI.	285	845	267	905	552	1750	No. XIV.	289	635	189	547	478	1182
No. VII.	306	794	231	689	537	1483	No. XV.	164	384	78	241	242	625
No. VIII.	220	533	253	799	473	1332	No. XVI.	85	196	31	95	116	291
No. IX.	155	372	134	397	289	769	No. XVII.	162	457	84	291	246	748
Car forward							TOTAL,	4581	11454	2844	8840	7425	20294

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 20 day of July 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

Lewis Fitzmaurice Esqr. V. G.
James Ward Esqr. V. G.
John Hall Esqr. P. L. G.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4582 to No. 4701, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 20180 to No. 20515, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Clerk reported that he carried out all the orders of the last Board.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

Received from Government £8780

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £930.8.9

Paid during the week, - £833.7.4

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £567.2.6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Table with 4 columns: Name of each Collector, Name of Electoral Division, Collected and Lodged, Remaining. Lists collectors like Samuel Croft, Hugh Gilligan, W. Martin, etc.

NOTE.— A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £144. 14 s. 9 d.

Table with 2 columns: Description of account (Debit Provision Account, etc.) and Amount (£ s. d.).

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:

- 30 Cwt. first flour, 80 " Rye meal, 40 " Barley meal, 80 " Indian meal, 1500 qt. B. Milk @ 5 per fall, etc.

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 14 day of July; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

Table with 2 columns: In money, In kind, and Total. Shows amounts like £ 0. 16. 5 and £ 497. 15. 5.

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

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

Table with 8 columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors, RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, By Order on Contractor. Lists officers like Corneley, Pettit, Guiffin, etc.

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
William McCormack Flax and Wool	3	5	4

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

2. Establishment Account.

Geo Thomas payment of Overseers	6	6	.
The Clerk of Union payment of Bills	9	2	3

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Ausland Palmer Indian meal	56	16	6
Dep ^{ts} of Mary Birmingham Milk	5	6	3
John Davison Milk	45	1	0
John McNaughton groceries	2	10	11
John Costello Rice	19	7	"
James Syme Coals	4	17	6
John & Mary Cornell Turf	4	13	4
John Walsh Meat	4	1	3
C. Hatley Soap & Co	2	1	"

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

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

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

The Master required for the Industrial Department 5 Stone of flax, 7 lb of coarse cotton thread, 4 lb of white thread, 6 gross of studs, 4 lb of black thread. 30 pair of Cards — Ordered.

Required 16 Barrels of Lime. 6 dozen of Brooms — Ordered —

The Assistant Master at Dangan Auxiliary Workhouse required the following. 1 Ton of Straw, 2 lb of packing twine and 2 fathom of Tar. Ordered.

Required 20 Tin dishes. Ordered.

The Agricultural Instructor reported that he had on hand 12 gr for vegetables sold — Ordered, To be lodged to credit of Dangan Farm —

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:

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 18 July 1849 No. 45423/49 stating that a sum of £ 869. 0. 0 had been sent to Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V. J. in aid of the current expenses of the Union

The Vice Guardians having considered their repeated endeavours to obtain a piece of Land for a cemetery -

Resolved, that an advertisement be inserted on the local papers for one acre of Land for the purpose, proposals to be considered on Friday the 10 August next -

Proposals having been taken into consideration by the Vice guardians for supplying the Workhouse and Outdoor Relief Depots with Indian meal &c. to 29 Sept. next Resolved, that the proposal of Messrs Rush and Palmer be accepted for supplying the Workhouse with the following articles at the prices enumerated, viz.

Prime 1 st flour	£15.10.0 per Ton
Rye meal @	7.10.0 "
Barley meal @	8.0.0 "

That the proposal of Mr. Thomas M. Perpe for supplying the Workhouse ~~with~~ and Outdoor Relief Depots with the best quality of Indian meal at £ 8.11.6 per Ton be accepted.

The Vice Guardians having taken into consideration the appointment

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Nil, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

of a Puter for the Workhouse when six Candidates offered themselves for the situation Resolved, That the selection be deferred untill Friday the 27 Inst

A proposal having been received from Mich^r. Green for repairing the roof of the Dangan Auxiliary Workhouse for the sum of one pound

Resolved, That this be accepted and that the work be performed without delay.

James Ward
 Clerk

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the
 27 day of July 1849.

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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Spalding UNION.

Men

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *21st* day of *April* 184*9*.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, <i>1000</i> Temporary Buildings, <i>495</i> Additional Workhouse, <i>1350</i> Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, <i>300</i> Total, <i>3145</i>	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Males.	Fem.		In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	<i>47</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>681</i>	<i>1455</i>	<i>603</i>	<i>409</i>	<i>95</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>330</i>	<i>142</i>	<i>7</i>	
Admitted during the Week,	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>39</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>1122</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	
TOTAL,	<i>49</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>708</i>	<i>1494</i>	<i>630</i>	<i>427</i>	<i>100</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>18432</i>	<i>142</i>	<i>7</i>	
Discharged during the Week	<i>5</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>57</i>	<i>95</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>39</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>243</i>			
Died,	<i>1</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>29</i>			
Total Discharged and Dead	<i>6</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>62</i>	<i>97</i>	<i>45</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>272</i>			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	<i>43</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>652</i>	<i>1377</i>	<i>588</i>	<i>385</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>13160</i>			

Power 24
Deportation 68
Other cases 50
Total 142

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *21* day of *April* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	<i>623</i>	<i>1587</i>	<i>311</i>	<i>839</i>	<i>934</i>	<i>2426</i>	Bt. forward						
No. II.	<i>629</i>	<i>1650</i>	<i>340</i>	<i>901</i>	<i>969</i>	<i>2467</i>	No. X.	<i>257</i>	<i>539</i>	<i>164</i>	<i>605</i>	<i>421</i>	<i>1144</i>
No. III.	<i>462</i>	<i>1039</i>	<i>142</i>	<i>573</i>	<i>604</i>	<i>1532</i>	No. XI.	<i>227</i>	<i>571</i>	<i>132</i>	<i>449</i>	<i>359</i>	<i>1020</i>
No. IV.	<i>255</i>	<i>704</i>	<i>88</i>	<i>284</i>	<i>343</i>	<i>988</i>	No. XII.	<i>163</i>	<i>440</i>	<i>84</i>	<i>294</i>	<i>247</i>	<i>734</i>
No. V.	<i>192</i>	<i>492</i>	<i>257</i>	<i>742</i>	<i>441</i>	<i>1234</i>	No. XIII.	<i>114</i>	<i>305</i>	<i>72</i>	<i>247</i>	<i>182</i>	<i>552</i>
No. VI.	<i>288</i>	<i>844</i>	<i>277</i>	<i>882</i>	<i>565</i>	<i>1726</i>	No. XIV.	<i>291</i>	<i>640</i>	<i>190</i>	<i>548</i>	<i>481</i>	<i>1188</i>
No. VII.	<i>300</i>	<i>794</i>	<i>231</i>	<i>689</i>	<i>537</i>	<i>1483</i>	No. XV.	<i>164</i>	<i>384</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>252</i>	<i>244</i>	<i>636</i>
No. VIII.	<i>240</i>	<i>525</i>	<i>245</i>	<i>760</i>	<i>461</i>	<i>1285</i>	No. XVI.	<i>83</i>	<i>194</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>90</i>	<i>110</i>	<i>284</i>
No. IX.	<i>150</i>	<i>358</i>	<i>130</i>	<i>385</i>	<i>280</i>	<i>743</i>	No. XVII.	<i>154</i>	<i>464</i>	<i>86</i>	<i>298</i>	<i>250</i>	<i>762</i>
Car forward							<i>1008</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>54</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>33</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>87</i>
							TOTAL	<i>454</i>	<i>11490</i>	<i>2867</i>	<i>8811</i>	<i>7458</i>	<i>20301</i>

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Friday* the *27* day of *July* 184*9*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Levin Fitzmaurice Esq. M.P.*
Other Guardians: *James Ward Esq. M.P.*

John Hall Esq. Inspector

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. *4702* to No. *4822*, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. *1008* to No. *1008*, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

This Book examined each alternate Friday

The Clerk reported that he called out all the orders of the last Board

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £491.13.6
 Paid during the week, - £150.19.7
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £1207.14.11
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.
 The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Received from Government £470.0.0

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Samuel Cross	Galway No. 1	1602	6	3/4				
Hugh Gilligan	Galway No. 2	1813	6	1891	3	9		
M. P. Martin	late collector			215	14	5/2		
Martin Cullinan	Amaduan			543	15	5/2		
"	Clare Galway			337	7	1/2		
		0	0	881	35			
John Collinsan	Lackagh			371	3	7		
"	Althony			313	12	2		
		0	0	684	15	9		
George A. Madam	Moycullen			899	8	1		
"	Mill mine	3	4	1256	4	3/2		
"	Oughtland			938	10	8/2		
		3	0	3094	30	3/2		
Thomas Walsh	Cranmore			411	2	7		
James P. Mullen	Bellinacounty			536	14	7		
"	Stradbally			63	11	11		
		0	0	600	6	6		
Red. McDonough	Arcon			0	0	248	18	4
				0	0	248	18	4
				2113	66	29	17	3/4

NOTE.— A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.
 Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £100.0.0 was produced and passed.
 The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £200.6.5 1/2 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	200	6	5 1/2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	195	8	9 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	195	8	9 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	1	17 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	0	1	10 1/2
Average cost in Fever Hospital,			

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

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|--------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| 224 lb Brown Soap | 30 Cut. first flour | 7 lb Sea @ 3/6 |
| 7 " White " | 4 lbs Rye Meal | 35 lb Sugar at 8/0 per lb |
| 1 Load fire Wood | 2 " Barley " | 40 " do " 4/4 " |
| 28 lb washing Soda | 5 " Indian " | 30 Cut. Rice |
| 28 lbs Meal | 8000 quarts B. Milk @ 3/4 | 200 lbs Meat |
| 2 lb Soap | 1000 " do " 3/0 | 12 Bottles Porter |
| 4 lb Mould Candles | 2000 " New Milk @ 6/4 | 4 quarts Whiskey |
| 14 lb Snow Root | 100 " do " 6/0 | 4 lbs Gals |
| | 1 lb Salt | 60 Boxes Soap |
| | 3/4 lb Sea @ 3/6 | 25 lb Butter |

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 21 day of July; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	0	0	0
In kind,	482	9	0
Total,	482	9	0

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.
 The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurers, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	Connelly		32 lbs Meal	53.14.0	Bt. forward		42 lbs Meal	66.3.0	
No. II.	Petit		4 " "	5.1.0	No. X.	Greaver		3 " "	25.14.0
No. III.	Griffin		63 " "	55.14.0	No. XI.	Jane, Menys		2 " "	17.3.0
No. IV.	Burne		5 " "	42.1.0	No. XII.	Callan		4 " "	34.6.0
No. V.	Blannigan		1 " "	2.1.0	No. XIII.	"		3 " "	25.14.0
No. VI.	Ampley		0 " "	5.1.0	No. XIV.	Hearnis		3 " "	25.14.0
No. VII.	Beemer		5 " "	42.1.0	No. XV.	Hyne		2 " "	17.3.0
No. VIII.	Dunn		4 " "	0.0.0	No. XVI.	"		2 " "	17.3.0
No. IX.	L. Munn		2 " "	25.14.0	No. XVII.	"		2 " "	17.3.0
Car. forwd.			42 lbs Meal	66.3.0	TOTAL,			56 lbs Meal	480.4.0

Credit Treasurers with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

Cholera Purposes

	£	s.	d.
Luke Ryan	9	2	1
William M. Cornac flax	5	16	11

Peter Mansell on account of Salary £10.0.0
D^r Whistler do 17.0.0

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

2. Establishment Account.

Poor Hospital Expenses

James Ward V. S. Travelling Exp.	6	"	"
Levin O'Maurice D. G. do	6	"	"
Rev. M. Seanor S. J. Chaplain	12	10	"
Rev. M. Joyce R. S. J. M. Road	8	10	"
Mark Shomon Pay ^r Overseer	4	4	"
do " "	4	14	6
George Thomas	7	7	6
Sup. Connor Asst. S. Master	1	9	3
M. Jennings Coffins	4	8	10
do " "	4	3	5
Mr. Higginbotham Contract	2	18	9
Pippinham Smith Contract	"	15	3
Monahan Coffins	11	6	"
McLarkin Rent of Store	"	"	"

Dated O'Brien A. O. 1/4. 15.0
On up Salary £4.15.0

Maugh. Small Mill 21.5.10
Porbes Bread 33.12.0
Kulsh Mills 6.0.4

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Establishment Expenses Continued

Rush and Palmer Ind. Meat	114	13	11
Birmingham Mill	5	6	3
Harrison Mills	45	1	"
M. Traughlin Groceries	3	2	1
Castellae Rice	19	7	"
J. M. Cornell Inf	3	11	"
Blatten Soap &c	1	15	8
Marsh Meat	3	2	6

Bauer Laundry 6.1.0
McDonagh Rent 2.0.4
Faulter Salary as Asst. Clerk 10.0.0

Monip Rent of Store 3.12.0
Jennings Coffins 30.10.0
O'Malley Coffins 6.18.6
Alley China Ware 3.17.9

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Clerk Union for Payment bills 20.2.6

Peter Petit R. G. 10.0.0

Peter O'Mahony S. Keeper 1.16.0

George O'Mahony On up fees as Collector 5.0.0

Rush and Palmer Meat	576	18	5
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Credit Treasurer and debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

Master Required the following

- 5 lbs of black thread. 2000 of 6th nails
- 5 " white thread - 1000 of 4th nails
- 6 " Course thread 1000 of scuffer nails
- 20 pair of Quills
- 24 Planks - Ordered -

Required -

- 1 half hide of strong sole leather - 2 small pieces
- 2 pieces of strong upper leather - 1 1/2 lb hemp
- 3 dozen tips nails - 1 piece of thin leather for binding - Ordered

Required 4 stone of white lead, 1 quart of sweet oil
3 gallons oil. 3 stone of tere - Ordered

Required 96 lbs of flax
10 pair of Tine 23 1/2 Trw. Ordered

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

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 20 July 1849 No. 470 M/49 requesting to be furnished by the 30 July with an Estimate of the probable Expenses to the 25 March 1850.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 20 July 1849 No. 45423 intimating that a sum of £50 was sent to Lewis Pizmaurice Esq. V.S. for the Current Expenses of the Union viz Laukhurst of clothing.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 21 July 1849 No. 472 M/49 requesting to be furnished with a Return showing the deaths among the Workhouse Officers during the Year ending 14 July 1849.

The Clerk stated that he supplied the Return.

Poor Law Commissioners circular 20 July 1849 No. 465/49 requesting to be furnished with a Return of the advances under the Temp Relief Act 10th Vic cap 7.

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:

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 25 July 1849 No. 490 requesting to be furnished by return of post with the Return required by the Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 20th July in reference to the deaths among Workhouse Officers.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 26 July 1849 No. 4687 & requesting that steps would be taken to effect insurance of the buildings & furniture of the Auxiliary Workhouses of Danjan & West House and enclosing queries to be answered signed by the persons who may be appointed Streetkeeper and Schoolmistress.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 21 July No. 45751 M/49 forwarding queries to be answered signed by the Person who may be appointed Porter of the West House.

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 21 July 1849 No. 485/49 requesting to be furnished with a Return of cash Payment that may have been disallowed by the Auditor since the 8 June 1847.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 26 July No. 47102 intimating that a sum of £970 had been sent to Lewis Pizmaurice Esq. towards the Expenses for week ending 28 July.

The Vice Guardians having considered the necessity of insuring the Auxiliary Houses of Danjan, West House and Merchants Road.

Resolved, That such Auxiliary Workhouse be insured in the Sun Fire Office and Imperial Office as follows Danjan Building £1500. Clothing & bedding £300.0.0 Furniture £500

West House. Building £600 Furniture £50 Clothing & bedding £200 Total £1850

Merchants Road Building £1500 Furniture £50 Clothing & bedding £300 Total £1850

The Vice Guardians having considered the Dietary in use in the Workhouse and Infirmary.

Resolved, That the Dietary as laid down in the Poor Law Commissioners order of 5 February be adopted and that the Master be directed to make arrangements so as to enable him to commence the Dietary on Sunday Morning next and that the several Books and Lists required by articles 13 & 15 of said Order to be kept be entered up daily in future.

The Vice Guardians having taken into consideration the necessity for increasing the insurance on the Workhouse in consequence of the additional buildings which have been erected since the date of the Policy.

Resolved, That the Agents to the Sun Insurance Office and Imperial Office be requested to attend the Vice Guardians at 12 o'clock on Tuesday the next for the purpose of examining the different premises and arranging with them the terms for which they wish the insurance to be effected.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-
Ditto, disallowed	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

The Guardians having had before them the balances appearing at foot of the Relieving Officers accounts.

Resolved. That the Clerk do enter up the Receipt and Expenditure Book of each Relieving Officer making an allowance for loss on weight of 60 lbs to each ton of meal distributed previous to the 29 September 1848 and 30 lbs to each ton of meal distributed from that date to the 25 March last.

That from the 25 March and thereforward the allowance to each Relieving Officer for loss on weight shall be 20 lbs to each ton of meal distributed and that this allowance be entered in the Receipt and Expenditure Books weekly so that the Guardians may know the actual balances remaining in hands from week to week.

Ordered. That the Clerk do write to the Relieving Officers in Galway, Oranmore, Ballinacorney, and Thadhbally and inform them that arrangements have been made to receive all poor persons attacked with Fever into the Workhouse Fever Hospital and to request that they will issue tickets accordingly immediately on application being made to them.

The accounts of Mr. McDonald for Rate collector having been taken into consideration by the Guardians together with communication on the subject from the Poor Law Commissioners.

Resolved. That the sum of £56.3.0 claimed by Mr. McDonald for hire of carts in removal of goods detained for Rates be allowed him (with the exception of a sum of £1.5.0 which appears to be charged in error on this account) and also the sum of £1.0.0 for Rent of Watch House and Store.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____

day of _____ 184 _____

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

in Spittal - That the rate allowed Mr. McDonald viz 2/6 in the £ on the amount collected should be considered a fair remuneration for his services as collector and that the Guardians would not consider themselves justified in allowing him any additional expenses out of the Rates of the Union beyond the line of carts or as stated in the foregoing Resolution.

The Guardians having for some time past had under consideration the propriety of procuring an additional Auxiliary Workhouse in the Down of Galway and as they are disappointed in obtaining a site for which they have been in treaty with Mr. Dymon.

Resolved. That an additional advertisement be inserted in the local papers inviting proposals from persons willing to let an Establishment suited for the purpose and that they be taken into consideration on Friday next the 3rd of August.

It appearing on examination of the Ratebook of the Aran Division that the sum of £6.3.7 has been collected by the Rate Collector Redmond McDonald and not lodged by him with the Treasurer of the Union.

Ordered. That this sum be lodged with Treasurer to the credit of the Aran Division on or before the 10th day of August next and that a copy of this order be sewed on the Collector in accordance with 100 section of the Poor Law Act.

The Guardians having had under consideration the great delay that has recently arisen on the part of the Receiving Valuator Mr. Rice in not having yet delivered to them any of the Revised books of the Union although his agreement was to supply Galway books on the 15th June last and the books of the remaining Divisions as soon after as possible so that the whole

whole would be delivered on the 1st of August

Resolved. That Mr Price the Valuator be informed that if the books of the division of Galway be not delivered on or before Friday the 3rd of August and the remaining books within 7 days afterwards the Guardians will hand his bond to their Solicitor with instructions to institute immediate proceedings against him and his Sureties

Mr Parker Assistant Clerk having been on trial since the 21st April when the former Assistant Master resigned the situation and the Vice Guardians considering him quite competent for the Office

Resolved. That his appointment be now confirmed at a Salary of £40 per annum to commence from the 21st April last

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 3rd of August

James Ward
Guardians
John O'Connell Clerk
3rd August

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28 day of July 1849

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, 1000 Temporary Buildings, 195 Additional Workhouse, 135 Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, 300 Total, 3145	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Males.	Fem.		Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	43	17	652	1397	585	385	81	"	"	3100	188	7	
Admitted during the Week.	1	6	39	48	18	19	2	"	"	133	"	"	
TOTAL.	44	23	691	1445	603	404	83	"	"	3233	188	7	
Discharged during the Week.	1	1	43	53	30	30	4	"	"	102			
Died.	1	"	8	5	2	"	3	"	"	19			
Total Discharged and Dead.	2	1	51	58	32	30	7	"	"	121			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	42	22	640	1397	571	374	76	"	"	3112			

Beer 33
Dormitory 85
Other cases 70
Total - 188

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	624	1599	319	853	943	2452	Bt. forward						
No. II.	834	1569	342	908	976	2477	No. X.	257	539	104	605	421	1144
No. III.	463	1039	142	510	605	1549	No. XI.	182	541	93	418	275	959
No. IV.	257	708	87	281	344	989	No. XII.	100	437	76	242	236	679
No. V.	246	539	261	775	477	1314	No. XIII.	104	291	66	232	170	523
No. VI.	291	849	274	876	565	1725	No. XIV.	291	639	190	548	481	1187
No. VII.	307	795	236	697	543	1492	No. XV.	105	395	70	238	241	633
No. VIII.	223	536	253	797	476	1333	No. XVI.	83	140	26	88	109	282
No. IX.	101	389	138	411	249	800	No. XVII.	169	470	88	308	257	775
Car forward								19	57	4	13	18	70
							TOTAL.	4606	11586	2835	8800	7441	20386

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday, the 28th day of August 1849
PRESENT: In the Chair, Lewis Dymunice Esq. J.P.
Other Guardians: James Ward Esq. J.P.
John Hall Esq. J.P. Inspector

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4824 to No. 4954, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 21516 to No. 21712, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

He also reported that he carried out all the orders of the last Board

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £989. 3. 6

Paid during the week, - £319. 13. 11

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £677. 6. 1

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
J. Croop	Galway No. 1	63	3	6	1539	2	9
Gilligan	Galway No. 2	0	0	0	189	3	9
Robt Martin	late fall.	—	—	—	215	19	5 1/2
Robt Martin	Annadown	—	—	—	543	15	5 1/2
"	Clare Galway	—	—	—	337	7	11 1/2
John Fullinan	Lackagh	—	—	—	371	3	7
"	Atherry	5	11	6	308	0	8
					5	11	6 6 7 9 4 3
G. R. McDonald	My callen	—	—	—	899	2	1
"	Kilbarney	—	—	—	1256	4	3 1/2
"	Oughterard	1	8	6	937	2	3 1/4
					1	8	6 3 0 9 2 1 4 6 3 1/4
Thomas Walsh	Cranmore	—	—	—	411	2	7
James Walsh	Bullisawmoy	—	—	—	536	14	7
"	Shadwell	—	—	—	63	11	11
					0	0	0 6 0 0 6 6
Rev. Mr. Donaghy	Anan	—	—	—	0	0	0 2 4 8 1 5 4
					70	3	6 9 5 5 9 1 5 7 3 1/4

NOTE.— A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

Rec'd from Government £919. 0. 0

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 11. 11. 0 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 197. 15. 4 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	197.	15.	4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	175.	17.	0 1/4
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	175.	17.	11 1/4
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	—	0.	1. 1 1/8
Average cost in Infirmary,	—	—	—
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	—	—	—

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

- 1 Ton Potatoes
- 5 " Ryemeal
- 2 1/2 " Barley Meal
- 2 " Indian Meal
- 1 " Oatmeal
- 4000 Quarts, Red Milk
- 800 " Red Milk 6^o
- 3 1/2 " Tea 3 1/8
- 8 " Tea 3 1/8
- 25 " Sugar 3^o
- 20 cwt Hair
- 28 lb Lipper
- 250 lb Meat
- 2 Tons Fat
- 60 Boxes Soap
- 25 lb Supt Candles
- 112 Brown Soap
- 7 " White "
- 56 lb Washing Soda
- 2 " Rope
- 14 " Mould Candles

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 28 day of July; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	—	—	—
In kind,	—	—	—
Total,	483.	15.	3

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.	
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
No. I.	Cronelly	—	6 1/2 lb	55. 14. 9	Bt. forward		43 1/2 lb	43. 0. 3	
No. II.	Retit	—	6 1/2 "	55. 14. 9	No. X.	Creaven	4 lb	34. 6. 0	
No. III.	Riffin	—	6 1/2 "	55. 14. 9	No. XI.	McMoniff	2 "	4 7 3. 4	
No. IV.	Bronne	—	4 "	34. 6. 0	No. XII.	Cullen	3 "	25. 14. 6	
No. V.	Managan	—	4 "	34. 6. 0	No. XIII.	"	3 "	34. 6. 0	
No. VI.	Murphy	—	4 "	34. 6. 0	No. XIV.	Kevin	4 "	34. 6. 0	
No. VII.	O'Connor	—	4 "	34. 6. 0	No. XV.	Dygon	3 "	25. 14. 6	
No. VIII.	Darey	—	3 "	25. 14. 6	No. XVI.	"	3 "	25. 14. 6	
No. IX.	McMoniff	—	3 "	25. 14. 6	No. XVII.	"	3 "	25. 14. 6	
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,		57 1/2 lb	510. 4. 5	

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
George Bagquinson Capes	28	11	4
Pakkammins Seattus			
Shamaken findery	10	"	5

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

2. Establishment Account.

Edmund Bal. of fees as foll.	18	12	2
Mary A. Wicennae bal. of Salary S. M.	3	5	0
Wm. Arjan half year Salary asst. M.	7	10	"
P. Mumton. Dyestuffs	4	13	5
P. Nippus Salary to 25 March as Agricultural Instructor	17	19	"
Bright Sticks	3	"	"
G. Thomas Payt. Overseas	5	8	"
M. Thomas do	4	5	8
James Davis Sundries	52	17	1
Green S. half year post and	5	10	0
Ch. H. Union Payment of bills	15	5	10
John Kelly Salary as Porter	4	"	"
P. Smyth Salary as Asst. Master	3	15	0
E. O'Hare as the keeper	8	9	"

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Rush and Palmer Flour	59	5	0
Costellae Rice	19	7	"
McNaughton's Groceries	5	12	5
Platten Soap &c	3	9	4
Harrison Mills	40	2	1
Birmingham do	3	15	0
Rush and Palmer Bye meal	25	10	"
Deese Indian Meal	42	17	5
Doley Pineapples	86	8	11/2
Mulsh Mills Meat	3	10	0

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Rush and Palmer Ind. Meal	508	5	8
Deese Indian Meal	475	3	5
General Hospital Exp			
P. Stanton Medicine	5	6	8
Mr. Dale Wages as Muse	7	14	"
Mr. Kerrigan do	5	10	"
Mr. Kelly do	5	10	"
Mr. Mumpsey do	3	17	"
Mr. Lambert do	3	17	"
Capt. Haden Payt. of bills	6	1	0
John Brown Porter	3	15	0

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

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

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

Master's Report

That the Street Keeper, Dist. Master and Wardmaster absented themselves from the Workhouse on the evening of Wednesday last without the Master's permission and remained out until past 10 o'clock when on presenting themselves they were refused admission according to the Vic. Jaundicans orders.

Required for the Workhouse

10 Bales of Linc. 2000 of 6th nails, 1000 of 4th nails, 500 of 12th nails, 500 of 8th nails and 1 Bales of one tin. - Ordered

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

Required. 129^{1/2} tons, boards of sand and 4 tons straw - Ordered.

Reported that the meat Contractor was not fulfilling his contract fully. He was obliged to send back the meat 4 times during the past week.

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

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 27 July 1829 No. 492 requesting to be furnished with a further statement of any disallowances on each Audit of the Union Accounts.

The Clerk stated that he had furnished the Commissioners with the information required.

Read a Circular from the Central Board of Health 27 July No. 1155/44 enjoining a requisition for the provision of Medical Relief by means of a temporary Dispensary at Occurmore.

Resolved that the two Guardians do take the earliest opportunity of making arrangements to carry this order into effect.

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:—

Poor Law Commrs. Circular 30 July 1829 No. 495 requesting to be furnished with an additional Return of the particulars as to any cases in which deficiencies or defalcations have been charged by the Auditors against any Union Officer.

Poor Law Commrs. letter 31 July 1829/499/49 requesting to be furnished a Return of the Election Expenses for last March.

Poor Law Commrs. letter 20 July 1829/4687/49 forwarding the 7th page of minutes of proceedings of the 13 July and requesting that the blank portion marked "C" may be filled up and returned to them.

Read an application from Dr. Owen "Medical Off. of Lettermore Dispensary" for 7 days leave of absence and stating that he had arranged with a Medical Man to take charge of his District during that period. Ordered that leave be granted.

M. Ward J. G. and Hall Poor Law Inspectors on their arrival from Croydon on Wednesday night at the hour of half past 10 O'clock having noticed a light in the Workhouse and having entered the premises they found that three of the officers viz the Streetkeeper, Asst. Master, and Wardmaster, were out of the Workhouse and also that a number of the paupers were sitting up in the Probationary Wards while beds were idle in the upper Probationaries. That the Keys were at the same time in the possession of the Porter and the Vice Guardians having considered this as the second offence of the Streetkeeper, and the third of the Asst. Master, and the Streetkeeper having already resigned. Resolved that the Assistant Master and Wardmaster be called upon for their Resignations.

(The Resignations were handed in and accepted)

Ordered that the successors of those officers be advertised for at the same Salary as heretofore.

The two Guardians having considered the appointment of Porter in the Workhouse Resolved.

That Joseph Kelly be appointed Porter of the Workhouse at a salary of £15 a year and a sum of £5 a year for a suit of clothes with an apartment and Nation's.

The two Guardians having considered applications for the situation of Streetkeeper in the Workhouse Resolved that James Fowell be appointed (on trial for one month) at a salary of £20 a year with an apartment and Nation's.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -
Ditto, disallowed - - - - -
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was -
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians -
The number of other applicants in the Probationary Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered -

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

The Vice Guardians having considered applications for the office of Schoolmaster, Resolved. That the appointment be deferred for one week in order that Mr. Simlam Inspector of S. S. may examine the candidates, and to report to the Vice Guardians on the subject.

Shelton reported that he did not receive any report from the Solicitor as to the proceedings against Immediate Lepers, although he wrote to him twice during the past week on the subject by directions of the Vice Guardians.

No Reply having been received from Mr. Blakeney the Solicitor of the Union to the repeated applications of the Vice Guardians on the above subject,

Resolved. That the Clerk do again write to Mr. Blakeney requesting his reply to their numerous communications, and at the same time informing him if this information be not given on or before Friday next the Vice Guardians will be compelled to recommend the appointment of another Solicitor in his stead.

It appearing to the Board that to insure order, discipline and proper classification in the Workhouse to prevent the property of the Union from being stolen which the present low state of the Boundary Wall afford so much facility - to provide a sufficient supply of water the want of which has been frequently been urged by the Medical Officer of the establishment - to make improved arrangements for the health comfort and cleanliness of the inmates - It is necessary that

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

the Yard Walls should be raised, arrangements made to obtain a good supply of water, the ventilation of the House and Hospital improved, that proper privies be erected at the Men's and Road House and also that House, that the Sewerage of the former be improved, that proper stores for the Paupers own clothing be provided (most members of their wearing apparel having been abstracted from the present store) and that other arrangements for making the Workhouse and Auxiliaries available for the reception of the able bodied should be carried into effect as the Vice Guardians have been unable to obtain proposals for letting them any other Building for the purpose of an Auxiliary Workhouse.

Resolved That the Commissioners be requested to sanction the execution of the above mentioned works and that they be requested to direct a competent Clerk of Works to be sent to Galway under whose superintendence the Vice Guardians are of opinion their directions would be more satisfactorily carried out.

Resolved. That the Collectors do attend for the examination of their accounts on Saturday instead of Monday in future.

Shelton reported that he received the Valuation Books for Ballinacorney, Strabully, Stranmore Electoral Divisions from Mr. Rice and laid them before the Vice Guardians for their consideration and requested their instructions as to the copying

the Rate Books & the Divisions -
The Valuation Books of the Union having
been detained longer than was anticipated
in the hands of the Revising Valuator
It will now be necessary to use,
the greatest expedition in the preparation
of the Rate Books for the ensuing year
for the ensuing Rate.

Resolved
That a sum of Fifteen Pounds be
allowed the Clerk of the Union to employ
a sufficient number of Assistants to
enable him to have the Rate Books &
Collecting Books ready for the signature
of the Vis Guardians on this day four
Weeks.

That an advertisement be inserted in
the local papers for persons competent
to undertake the collection of the Rate as
arranged in Districts and that their
appointment do take place on Friday
the 17th Inst. at a salary similar
to that heretofore paid for the respective
divisions.

That the Rate Collectors be immediately
required to furnish the Guardians with
a list of all the Arrears on each of
the Divisions on the form for that purpose
accompanied by their observations as
to the cause for non collection to
enable the Vis Guardians to strike off
from the Arrears all irrecoverable
Rates.

The Vis Guardians having considered
the necessity of appointing a sum

each

each Week for the examination of accounts
for payment so that the settlement of same
may not in future interfere with the business
to be done on the Board Day -

Resolved. That all Bills be laid before the Vis
Guardians on Thursday in each Week in future
for the purpose of examining same and
ordering payment and for the sums to be
paid on the following Board Day.

The Vis Guardians having considered the promise
in which Mark Tully one of the Overseers of
at the Workhouse have performed his duty and
finding that he has been very inattentive
Ordered that he be discontinued -

M^r Hall "Poor Law Inspector" produced a
Receipt for £90, lodged by him with the
Treasurer of the Union -

Owing to the great deficiency of old clothing
belonging to the inmates of the Workhouse
and consequently the inability to discharge
many of the Paupers who would leave the
Establishment it will be necessary for the
Vis Guardians to provide a quantity for the
purpose.

Resolved. That the Poor Law Commissioners
be requested to endeavour to procure a supply
of old clothing from some of the Government
Stores as they have already done for some
other Unions or if this cannot be accomplished
by them that they be requested to sanction
the purchase of a supply of clothing from
the

Rawn Broken or Old Clothes Stores in the
 Town of Galway which the Vice Guardians
 consider could be procured in that
 manner at much less expense to the
 Union than providing new Clothing
 for the Paupers who are desirous to
 leave the W. House and who cannot
 obtain the Clothes brought in by them
 when becoming Inmates of the Workhouse

M. Lambert having tendered his resignation
 as Master of the Workhouse
 Resolved That it be accepted and that
 an advertisement be inserted in the local
 paper and General Advertiser for
 his Successor and in order to secure
 the Services of an efficient Master the
 Salary be increased to £50 per
 annum with an apartment and
 Rations

As the resignation of the Master will
 also require that of his wife the
 Matron

Resolved That a Matron be advertised
 for at a Salary heretofore paid viz £35
 a year

The Election of Master, Matron, Asst.
 Master & Wardmaster to take place
 on this day four weeks

Next Meeting of the Vice Guardians
 to be held on Friday 10th August 1849

Lewis Fitzmaurice } Vice Guardians
 James Ward }
 John O'Grady } Clerk Union

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of August 1849.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, 1000 Temporary Buildings, 495 Additional Workhouse, 1350 Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, 300 Total, 3145	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Males.	Fem.		Number In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	42	22	640	138	571	374	76	"	"	312	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates.	
Admitted during the Week.	"	1	14	22	14	14	1	"	1	67			
TOTAL.	42	23	654	160	585	388	77	"	1	379	Total, 490	Total, 7	
Discharged during the Week	3	1	55	16	38	27	1	"	"	24			
Died,	"	1	7	4	2	4	0	"	"	21			
Total Discharged and Dead	3	2	62	20	40	31	1	"	"	45			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	39	21	599	144	545	357	74	"	"	338			

Decease 39
 Repentary 80
 Other cases 71
 Tot 190

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	040	1022	325	959	965	2481	Bt. forward						
No. II.	637	1578	346	913	983	2491	No. X.	251	529	162	600	413	1129
No. III.	469	1059	143	516	612	1575	No. XI.	180	539	92	414	272	953
No. IV.	264	724	90	296	354	1020	No. XII.	164	438	67	214	231	652
No. V.	185	451	208	521	393	972	No. XIII.	111	360	60	219	171	519
No. VI.	287	840	271	869	558	1709	No. XIV.	292	642	187	545	499	1187
No. VII.	305	790	232	681	537	1471	No. XV.	164	394	73	231	237	625
No. VIII.	211	520	244	754	455	1279	No. XVI.	82	191	22	75	104	266
No. IX.	155	379	136	384	291	763	No. XVII.	165	460	85	293	250	753
Car forward								13	55	4	13	17	68
							TOTAL.	4575	11511	2747	8402	7322	19913

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings, of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 10 day of August 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. W.G.
 Other Guardians: James Ward Esq. W.G.
 John Hall Esq. P.L. Inspector

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4957 to No. 5223, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. to No. inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

This Book examined each alternate Friday

The Clerk reported that he carried out all the orders of the last Board (Dormy).

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £1940.4.0 Paid during the week, £1566.14.1 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £2256.11.3

The Book was signed by the Chairman. The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk. The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Received from Government £1931-0-8

Table with columns: Name of each Collector, Name of Electoral Division, Collected and Lodged, Remaining. Includes entries for Samuel Cross, Hugh Felligan, Patt Martin, M. Callinan, John Fallinan, Thomas Walsh, etc.

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £111 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £172.14. s. 11 d.

Table showing Debit Provision Account, Credit Invoice Account, and other financial entries with amounts in pounds, shillings, and pence.

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:

White Soap

- 4 lbs Fine Meal, 2 lb Bran Meal, 3 lb Indian Meal, 1/2 lb Oatmeal, 7000 quarts Good Milk, 630 " Good Milk, 3 lb Tea, 10 " do, 35 " Sugar, 2 lb Soap, 1 lb Soda, 28 lb Pepper, 200 lb Meat, 1 quart Whiskey, 12 Bottles Soda Water, 5 lbs Coals, 20 Boxes Soap, 25 lb Sift Candles, 112 " Brown Soap.

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 4 day of April; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

Summary table for Out-door Relief expenditure: In money, In kind, Total.

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

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors, RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, By Order on Contractor. Includes entries for Connelley, Pettit, Griffin, Brown, Humphrey, Mumpsey, Hopper, Dwyer, etc.

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

Poor Law Commissioners circular 2nd of August No. 506 M/49 requesting to be furnished with a return of the collection of the rates for the months of July.

Poor Law Commissioners circular of the 4th August 1849 No. 509 M/49 requesting to be furnished with some information as to the state of the crops in the several divisions of the Union.

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:

Poor Law Commissioners circular of the 31 July 1849 No. 503 M/49 in reference of the rates to be made at harvest 1849 "See. Resolution on Minutes as to rate proposed to be made on each div."

Poor Law Commissioners letter 3 Aug^r. 1849 No. 508 M/49 requiring a return of any disallowances that may have been made by the Auditor in the accounts of the Union.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 3rd of August 1849 No. 49380/49 intimating that a sum of £961 had been sent to John Hall Esq S. L. Inspector towards the expenses of the Union for week ending 28 August

The Clerk stated that he acknowledged the receipt of same.

Poor Law Commissioners circular 2nd Aug^r No. 505 M/49 requesting to be furnished by the J. H. Par. with a return of the expenses and liabilities of the Union for the month of July.

The Estimate of Expenditure for the Year ending 25 March 1850 having been taken into consideration by the Vice Guardians together with the letter of the Poor Law Commissioners dated 31 July No. 503 M/49

Resolved

That the following rates be now struck viz Galway 50^{rs} in the £ Clonsilla 50^{rs} in the £ Poycullen 50^{rs} " Tuellagh 50^{rs} " Killanin 50^{rs} " Athenny 3/6 " Augheran 50^{rs} " Oranmore 50^{rs} " Arran 30^{rs} " B. County 4/6 " Amadown 50^{rs} " and Stradbally 50^{rs} " The Council of these divisions where a rate of 50^{rs} is struck a much larger rate would be required to meet the ordinary expenses & rate in aid but the Vice Guardians taking into consideration the present state of the Union are of opinion that it would be most injudicious to make a larger rate and they also consider that the rate

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was
Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

which will be the means of realizing the largest amount of money in the shortest period.

The Storekeeper produced a sample of the milk supplied by the contractor on this morning and stated that he had to return a large compliment of same -

The milk on being examined was found to be of an inferior description.

Ordered that the Clerk do caution the contractor that if a bad description of milk be again supplied it will be returned and good milk purchased and the extra price charged to him.

The Guardians having determined on commencing an immediate Revision of the Lists of persons on Out-door Relief Resolved, that during the two next weeks they will attend at the following places for that purpose and that the respective Relieving Officers be at once informed of the Guardians intention in order that they may have the cases in attendance viz

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

On Monday the 15th Aug^r at Moycullen - For Moycullen North & Hillmin North.
Sunday 16th Aug^r at Cagheran - For Cagheran North
on Saturday the 18th Aug^r at the Workhouse, For Ballinacorney, Inabully and Trannore -
Monday the 20th Aug^r at Amadown - For Amadown, Bluegalway, Lullagh and Litheray -
Tuesday the 21st Aug^r at Spicall - For Moycullen South and Hillmin South -
Wednesday the 22nd and Thursday the 23rd (of August) at Carraroe - For Hillmin West, Cagheran West, and Cagheran South - And
On Saturday the 25th August at the Workhouse In Galway West and Galway East.

On Examination of the Provision Book of the Moycullen Hospital it appears that Charges have been made by the Storekeeper in paper full up in height in each week from the 1st June till the 4th August:

Resolved: That the Clerk do calculate the total amount of deficiency so charged by the Store and that it be deducted from his Salary.

That the deficiency which appeared in the Prov. Book on the 24th Aug^r and alleged by him to have been stolen from the Store be also deducted from his Salary.

That hereforward no charge for loss in weight or any other deficiency will be allowed -

That a copy of the Putnam now in use at the Moycullen Hospital be furnished to the Guardians by the Medical Officer
That

That the Register and Books of the Board be sent to the Board Room with the Provision Book on Thursday in each week for examination

That a copy of these Resolutions be forwarded to the Medical Officer and Porter

Complaints having been made as to the safety of meat at the Store of John Long at Lettermullen

Resolved that it be changed from the Store of John Long to the Store of Mr. Walsh of Lettermullen

Resolved that the offer of Pat Leonard, John Leonard, Andrew Keeneey, and Thomas Piffin to make mens Sizing Jackets at 8/- each and Boys Suits at 12/- each be accepted

Resolved that the offer of Mary Malone to supply 27 mens Suits of old Clothes at 3/- adult and 20 Suits of Womens Clothes at 2/- adult be accepted

Resolved that the offer of Mary Malone to supply 27 mens Suits of old Clothes at 3/- adult and 20 Suits of Womens Clothes at 2/- adult be accepted

Resolved that the appointment of Schoolmistress be postponed to next Week

Resolved that a copy of the names of all persons who are competent candidates of coming forward at next Meeting to be held on Friday the 17th

Unsettled business } The Guardians
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STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11 day of August 1849.

Table with columns: Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided (Workhouse, Temporary, Permanent), Aged and Infirm, Able-bodied (Males, Fem), Boys, Girls, Children under 2 years, Born (Males, Fem), Total, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (Number in Hospital, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse), OBSERVATIONS. Includes handwritten notes like 'Fever 37', 'Dependent 74', 'Wholesale 69', 'Total 181'.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11 day of August authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 (Number of cases, Number of Persons), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons), RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 (Number of cases, Number of Persons), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons). Lists districts I through XVII and a Car forward section.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 17 day of August 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lewis Sturmer Esq. J.P. Other Guardians: James Ward Esq. J.P., John Hally Esq. J.P., L. Disputor

The books of the Clerk did not come in for examination

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed. The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 5044 to No. 5089, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk. The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 3083 to No. 3170, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk. The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Clerk reported that he carried out all the orders of the last Board:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £53. 17. 2 Paid during the week, £153. 12. 3 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £772. 15. 2

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Samuel Croft	Salway No. 1	10	15	0	1528	7	9 1/2
William Hugh	Salway No. 2	40	1	0	1851	2	9
W. Martin	Late of Mutor	"	"	"	215	19	5 1/2
Robert Callinan	Annadown	"	"	"	543	15	5 1/2
"	Clawfalway	"	"	"	337	7	11 1/2
		0	0	0	581	3	5
John Callinan	Larkagh	"	"	"	361	19	7
"	Atorney	"	"	"	308	0	8
		0	0	0	670	0	3
"	Moycullen	"	"	"	899	8	1
"	Kellam	"	"	"	1256	4	3 1/2
"	Brightward	"	"	"	937	2	2 1/4
		0	0	0	5092	14	6 3/4
Thomas Walsh	Crannore	3	12	4	1081	5	
James Walsh	County	"	"	"	536	14	7
"	Strasally	"	"	"	63	11	11
		0	0	0	600	6	6
Edmund Walsh	Arann	0	0	0	248	18	4
					5317	29	145 3/4

NOTE.— A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 152. 11. 7 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ 152. 11. 7 1/2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 155. 10. 2 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 155. 10. 2 1/2

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 0. 1. 11

Average cost in Infirmary, 0. 1. 9 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, 0. 1. 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:

- 1000 lbs flour
- 3 " Rye meal
- 1 1/2 " Barley meal
- 1/2 " Oatmeal
- 6000 lbs New milk
- 800 " "
- 3 lb Tea
- 7 " "
- 150 " Sugar
- 40 " "
- 14 lb Coffee
- 2 lb Rice
- 14 lb Pepper
- 200 " Meat
- 12 Bottle Sater
- 4 quart Whiskey
- 4 small Bottle, Malaga Wine for Chaplain use

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 11 day of August; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	In money,	In kind,	Total,
The Books of Laurence Keane did not concern	-	-	-
(See statement on p. 10)	-	-	-

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractor.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	Counelly			5 1/2	20 1/2	Bt. forward					
No. II.	Petitt			5	42	No. X.	Creaven			3	25
No. III.	Jaffin			6	39	No. XI.	Edmond			2	17
No. IV.	Browne			"	"	No. XII.	Cullen			"	"
No. V.	Blannan			3	25	No. XIII.	"			"	"
No. VI.	Impley			5	42	No. XIV.	Kerris			3	25
No. VII.	Donner			4	34	No. XV.	Byrne			2	17
No. VIII.	Darcy			2	17	No. XVI.	"			"	"
No. IX.	Linonip			2	17	No. XVII.	"			"	"
Car. forwd.				52 1/2	278	TOTAL,				42 1/2	278

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Thomas M. Cress flannel	72	18	11
William M. Courne flax	6	3	7
Jacquesson Calico	27	6	7
Fortune M. Shewing	3	18	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

Club Union payment bills	9	15	8
St. Maurice C. G. Travelling Exp ^s	6	"	"
Ward. C. G. " " "	6	"	"
Thomas payment expenses	4	8	0
Thomas " " "	6	6	"
Mrs. Malone for 12 men & 40 Women suits of old clothes	7	2	0
Club Union payment bills	5	1	5

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Reah and Palmer flour to Birmingham	46	"	"
" " " " "	3	18	9
Hanison " "	45	11	5
M. Chumstun Groceries	5	10	7
Coastellie Rice	1	9	"
Walsh Meat	3	2	0
John Coals	4	17	6
Coalwell Soap	1	3	4
Platley Soap	2	1	0
Cress Indian Meal	25	14	6

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Thomas M. Cress Indian Meal	5	11	3
Sewer Hospital account			
Maughlin Groceries	28	4	11
John M. Coals	17	19	1
" " "	28	7	8
Hanison Milk	22	9	3
" " "	15	1	7

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

The Clerks 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:

Master's Report

Reported that 5 lb Tea and 20 lb Sugar was stolen from the store on the night of Saturday the 11th inst. by some party from the outside.

The Superintendent having inspected the store found that none of the Officers were to blame in the matter. Ordered that the windows of the store be well secured with iron bars and other arrangements made for the better security of the provision stores.

That the Tea Sugar be credited to "provision account" and debited to "General Relation Law & other Expenses of the Master reported the names of 6 Paupers who absconded from the Workhouse and took with them the Union Cloth, ordered.

That the names and descriptions be given to the Police

Required 10 Bunches Linc. 6 Dozen Brown, 12 lb white thread, 6 lb black thread, 6 lb red thread, 40 lb ~~flax~~ and 2 1/2 lb ~~flax~~ ordered.

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

Memorial Officer requested that the windows of the Sewer be glazed: Ordered to be done.

Requested some green Calico for blinds for the windows of the Sewer Hospital - ordered.

Recommended that the privies at the Auxiliary Workhouses be constantly kept clean.

Ordered that they be cleansed as frequently as possible and Lime thrown into them daily.

The Punishment Book was produced and punishment ordered to several cases.

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

Scaled Order from P. Commissioners 12 August 1849 N^o 51835 authorising the continuance of Relief out of the W. House to persons under Section 2 to the 26 August, excepting all bodies then not married or who being married having a wife and only one child dependent on them or who being widowers having not more than two children dependent on them:

Poor Law Commissioners letter 11 August 1849 N^o 51222 intimating that a sum of £964 had been sent to John Hall Esq. "Poor Law Inspector" in aid of the current expenses of the Union for the week ending 11 August

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:)

He has stated that he acknowledged the receipt of same

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 14 Aug^r 1849 N^o 52211 expressing their sanction of the salaries proposed to be given to the Master and Matron and desiring queries for their appointment as well as for the Colletors who may be appointed

Letter from the P. Commissioners 14 August 1849 N^o 51854 approving of the appointment of Mr Joseph Kelly as Porter of the W. House

Letter from Poor Law Comm^r 15 August 1849 N^o 520124 directing to be furnished with a Return of showing the Lodgements which have been made on account of the Rate in aid.

Read Letter from Education Office 16 August 1849 stating that the Books which were applied for some time since were forwarded on that day to the Inspector's Dept.

A Report was read from the Master of the Auxiliary House at Sanson informing the Guardians that Mr. Hurley the Schoolmaster had been absent from Sunday morning until the following day without permission

The Schoolmaster having been sent for to explain the cause of his absence and having acknowledged the accuracy of the Master's Report Resolved.

That as Mr. Hurley was reprimanded for a similar neglect of duty on Friday last and informed that if it should again occur he would be dismissed from his situation. That he be now called upon for his resignation and that his successor be appointed on this day four weeks at the salary heretofore paid viz £30 a year with apartments and Rations.

Rev. Mr. Killian made application for a sum of £10.4.0 for the interment of 204 Burials in Father's Cemetery from the Cholera Hospital at 1/2 each Burial

Resolved that a charge for the amount be drawn in favour of Rev. Mr. Killian and that same be charged as Cholera Expenses.

Read a communication from Mr. Blakey Solicitor in reply to the Guardians letter calling on him for a statement of the sum received by him on account of the Salary Union, informing the Guardians of his inability to make

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

out in Dublin an accurate statement such as was required of him Resolved That the Clerk do again call on Mr. Blakeney to furnish a detailed statement of the sums received by him and how he has disposed of same as the Vice Guardians cannot insert the same in the new books until this information is given by him

Read a letter from the Relieving Officer at Moyculleen informing the Vice Guardians that a patient had been admitted into the Hospital without a ticket from him and that he visited the Hospital but in the absence of the Medical Officer he could not ascertain on what grounds he was admitted

Ordered That the Relieving Officer do again visit and report to the Vice Guardians immediately

Read a letter from Mr. Amley Schoolmaster resigning his Resignation

Mr Thomas Ryan of Galway appeared at the Board with counsel in reference to a claim which he makes for the occupation of Straw Lodge for Rent &c

The Vice Guardians after considering the matter directed the Clerk to write to Mr. Ryan and request that he would furnish them with a written statement of the particulars of his demand

The appointment of Schoolmistress was again deferred for want of an opportunity to candidates of coming forward

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 24th day of August 1849

(Signed) John Priddy Clerk of the Union

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of August 1849

Table with columns for Inmates, Aged and Infirm, Able-bodied, Boys, Girls, Children under 2 years, Born, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, and OBSERVATIONS. Includes sub-tables for Hospital and Fever Sheds.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18 day of August authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns for RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., and Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Lists districts I through XVII and a Car forward.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 24 day of August 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Seymour Esq. Other Guardians: James Ward Esq. John Hall Esq. & Inspector

This Book was not signed by the Vice Guardian

This Book examined each alternate Friday

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed. The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1 to No. 100 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk. The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 1 to No. 100 inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk. The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Clerk reported that he carried out all the orders of the last Board:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £1952:19:6

Paid during the week, - £1040:17:10

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £1684:16:10

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

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

Remind from Government £1934:0:0

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
Samuel Coop	Salway No. 1	4	13	15	23	11	9		
Ralph Kellogg	Salway No. 2	14	6	6	18	36	16	3	
Sam Martin	late Collectors	0	0	0	2	15	19	5	
M. Sullivan	Annadown	"	"	"	4	54	3	15	5
"	Claybury	"	"	"	4	32	2	11	2
		0	0	0	8	70	16	5	
M. Sullivan	Kanpash	"	"	"	4	39	1	8	7
"	Attorney	"	"	"	4	27	8	11	8
		0	0	0	8	70	0	3	
Tom	Mayalla	"	"	"	4	89	9	8	1
"	Willacia	"	"	"	4	12	5	6	4
"	Wightward	"	"	"	4	93	7	2	4
		0	0	0	12	30	2	14	6
Thomas Walsh	Oranmore	0	0	0	4	08	1	5	
James Walsh	Beltinacross	"	"	"	4	58	7	12	1
"	Shardubally	"	"	"	4	62	1	4	5
		0	0	0	8	60	8	6	
John? McDermott	Uman	0	0	0	2	48	1	4	
		0	0	0	2	48	1	4	
	Total	18	19	6	94	67	9	11	3

NOTE.— A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 157:7:8 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £157:7:8

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	✓	157:7:8
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	✓	159:9:6
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	✓	159:9:6
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		0:1:14
Average cost in Infirmary		0:1:11
Average cost in Fever Hospital		

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

- 10 cwt. first flour
- 27 lbs. Rye meal
- 25 cwt. Barley meal
- 3 Imm Indian Meal
- 10 cwt. oatmeal
- 600 gal. new milk
- 6000 " do do
- 1 ton salt
- 3/2 lbs. Sea salt
- 10 lbs. rice
- 35 lbs. sugar
- 20 cwt. tallow
- 14 lbs. pepper
- 240 lbs. meat
- 2 tons coal
- 600 gal. oil
- 25 lbs. dist. candle
- 168 lbs. Brown Soap

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 18 day of Aug^r; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money	-	-	-	0:6:0
In kind	-	-	-	407:16:4
				Total - 408:2:4

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.	
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.
No. I.	Lynnelly		5 1/2 tons	47.3.3	Bt. forward		24 tons	205.16.0	
No. II.	Letit		5 1/2 "	47.3.3	No. X.	Quaver	1 "	8.11.6	
No. III.	Pyffin		5 "	47.17.6	No. XI.	Jas. Mount	1 "	8.11.6	
No. IV.	Brown		3 "	25.14.6	No. XII.	P. H. Mullin	0	" "	
No. V.	Flanagan		2 "	17.3.0	No. XIII.	"	0	" "	
No. VI.	Murphy				No. XIV.	Kerrins		" "	
No. VII.	O'Meara		3 "	25.14.6	No. XV.	Pyffin	1 ton	8.11.6	
No. VIII.	Darcy				No. XVI.	"	0	" "	
No. IX.	Stromps				No. XVII.	"	0	" "	
Car. forwd.			24 tons	205.16.0	TOTAL		27 tons	231.10.0	

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
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Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.			
2. Establishment Account.			
Mark Thomas payment crest	4	8	0
Clarkston payment bills	13	6	3
to Green Tins	5	0	0
George Thomas pytcoumen	6	13	11
The Agent San Tin Office 2/4	1	0	0
The Agent Surpercal Office do	1	0	0
Henry Malon's old clothes	8	12	6
John Waters coffin	3	14	3

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
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Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.			
4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.			
Thomas Mc Pesse Sad. Meal	368	14	6

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

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

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

Master's Report

Reported that repair of main Shop, 7th Louisa and about 16 lbs meat was again stolen from the Store on the night of Sunday last. That himself and the police made a search in the house and had 3 persons arrested and had two of them returned for trial to the next Quarter Sessions and one confined for one month.

Ordered that the articles stolen be charged in the same way as pointed out in minutes of last Board day that the attention of the Clerk of Works be directed to the necessity of at once securing the Stores.

Reported that an inquest was held on the body of a Pimp named Martin (young) who died suddenly in the Workhouse and a verdict returned "that the deceased died from the visitation of God".

Reported that all the locks in the Workhouse require to be changed or altered.

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

Ordered that the Clerk of Works be directed to inspect the locks.

Required 8 lbs white thread, 5 lbs black and 1 lb red thread 12 fops of stud, 3500 nails 10 Danells of lime. 10 dozen wash brooms. Ordered.

The Master at Dangan require mopping clothes ordered. The Master of the Workhouse do select a quantity of the best articles in the old clothes Store for this purpose.

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

Poor Law Commissioners circular 17 Aug^r 1849 No. 527 in part forwarding a copy of the act 12 Vic 13 cap 104 to amend the act for the more effectual relief of the destitute poor in Ireland and directing attention to the 21 sections which require 14 days notice to be given of the rate books being expired, as also of the necessity for inserting the names of the occupiers in the rate books when immediate distress were liable.

Ordered. That notice be given on the local papers and by handbills through the Union

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 17 August 1849

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

Requesting the Clerk to acknowledge the receipt of four remittances made from the 29 June to the 12 July and requiring his explanation as to why he had not done so before.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 18 Aug^r 1849 No. 51651 in part requesting to be informed whether W. Blakeney the Sol^r had yet furnished the information required of him by the Inspectors in reference to the proceedings against Immediate distress.

Ordered. That the Commissioners be informed that Mr Blakeney has supplied the statement

Poor Law Commissioners letter 18 August 1849 No. 52744 intimating that a sum of £970 had been sent to John Hall by P. D. Inspector in aid of the current expenses of the Union for week ending 18th inst.

Insfluk stated that he acknowledged the receipt of same

Read Letter from Poor Law Boundary Commission Office stating that the Schedule of the proposed changes in the salary Union would be forwarded in a few days.

No candidates having come forward for the Office of Schoolmaster in consequence of the Salary being only £15:0:0.

Resolved that the appointment be deferred for a fortnight and that the Salary be increased to £20:0:0

Insfluk Inspectors having opened applications for the Office of Collector and having considered the fact of only few candidates having come forward.

Resolved. That the appointment be deferred for a fortnight and that the amount of security required for the performance of the duties in each case be altered to £500 instead of the Warrant as stated in the last Advertisement.

Mr. Hall "Poor Law Inspector" produced a letter from the Commissioner, stating that the sum of £238 which was forwarded on the 18th inst. was to be applied exclusively for cholera purposes.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Do. do. disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Mark Kelly having been dismissed from the office of overseer of paupers in the Workhouse

Resolved. That Stephen O'Donnell be appointed in his stead at a salary of 80^s per week same as heretofore paid and that he be required to commence his duties on Monday next.

That Clerk stated that contracts for all supplies would expire on the 29 Sept.

Resolved. That tender be advertised for the supply of all provisions, keeparies and clothing for the Workhouse and outdoor for 6 months and 3 months same to be considered on the 14th Sept. and the supplies to commence from the 29 September next.

Master of Works attended the Board and pointed out for the consideration of the Guardians several works necessary to be done.

The Vice Guardians gave him the necessary directions

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(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

directions accordingly -
The Vice Guardians having considered the arrangements to be made for the establishment of a Dispensary at Ransmas -

Resolved that J. Whistler be requested to attend the Vice Guardians on Tuesday next for the purpose of consulting with him on the subject.

Mr Edmund M. Donagh "on duty" for Arran & division" not having lodged the balance remaining in his hands equally to the order of the Vice Guardians of 27 July.

Resolved. That he be proceeded against under the 100 Section of the Irish Poor Relief Act for disobedience of the order of the Guardians

A Letter was read from the Protestant Chaplain applying for an increase of salary in consequence of increased duties from the Auxiliary Workhouses of Dangan and Jahoy.

Resolved. That the poor law Commissioners be respectfully requested to sanction an increase from £25 to £30 per year to commence from the 25 March last.

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Wm M. Manning Vice Guardians
to the Hall

Continued by J. P. G. Clerk Union

