




Comhairle Chontae na Gaillimhe
Galway County Council

Galway Poor Law Union

Board of Guardian Minutes

GPL6/9

31 Aug 1849 – 29 Mar 1850



MINUTE
BOOK

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1st & 2nd VICTORIA, CAP. 56.

MINUTE BOOK.

Galway 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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1861



Population in 1841,

Present Net Annual Value,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *25* day of *August* 1849.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	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,	1000	1160												
Temporary Buildings,	495	355												
Additional Workhouse,	1350	1065												
Fever Hospital,	500	—												
Fever Sheds,	—	—												
Total,	3345	2680												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			38	18	522	1204	522	338	70	"	"	272	In Workhouse Hospital, 172	In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, with other inmates, Total, 172
Admitted during the Week,			3	3	36	71	55	36	4	"	"	208		
TOTAL,			41	21	558	1275	577	374	74	"	"	290		
Discharged during the Week,			2	"	44	129	25	26	2	"	"	228		
Died,			"	"	5	1	3	1	2	"	"	12		
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	"	49	130	28	27	4	"	"	240		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			39	21	509	1145	549	347	70	"	"	2650		

Lever — 36
Dysentery — 72
Other Cases 64
Total 172

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *25* 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.	645	1630	241	646	886	2276	Bt. forward						
No. II.	636	1577	247	688	883	2265	No. X.	239	497	142	571	381	1008
No. III.	460	1028	62	190	522	1218	No. XI.	209	597	18	96	227	693
No. IV.	255	714	33	105	288	819	No. XII.	129	329	16	36	145	365
No. V.	168	385	191	632	359	1117	No. XIII.	91	238	12	38	103	276
No. VI.	286	841	80	280	366	1121	No. XIV.	272	614	80	284	352	898
No. VII.	280	705	120	191	370	996	No. XV.	123	302	20	85	143	387
No. VIII.	221	538	245	779	466	1317	No. XVI.	72	158	7	36	79	194
No. IX.	152	309	93	259	245	508	No. XVII.	148	417	36	89	184	506
Car. forward							TOTAL,	4370	10934	1663	5059	6033	15993

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Friday* the *31* day of *August* 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, *D. Pittman Esq*
Other Guardians: *John Hall Esq* V. J. and *Poor Law Inspector*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 5090 to No. 5339, 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. 30877 to No. 30933, 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 £ 238.0.0

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 257. 9. 6
Paid during the week, - £ 486. 8. 4
And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was - £ 1455. 18. 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 judgments 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	10	1	1513	13 9 2
Mugh Jelanau	Galway No 2	6	15 6	1830	9
Patt Martin	late collector	"	"	215	17 5 2
Mr Callinan	Amadown	"	"	573	15 5 2
"	Claregalway	"	"	327	2 11 2
"	"	"	"	870	18 5
John Callinan	Lackagh	"	"	391	8 7
"	Athony	2	13	275	18 8
"	"	2	13	667	7 3
Thomas	Moycullin	"	"	899	8 1
"	Killanin	"	"	1256	4 3 2
"	Doughton	"	"	937	2 2 2
"	"	"	"	3092	14 6 2
Thomas Walsh	Annoro	"	"	408	1 5
James Walsh	Ballinacourt	"	"	537	12 1
"	Shadball	"	"	62	14 5
"	"	"	"	600	6 6
Richard McDonagh	Ardu	"	"	348	18 4 1
Total,		19,969 48 0 5 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 £ 144. 2. 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 £ 144. 2. 8 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	144	2	8
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	149	7	9
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	149	7	8
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	1	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:

- ✓ 7 lbs Starch
- ✓ 20 lbs Washing Soda
- ✓ 1 lb Button Blue
- ✓ 1 lb Mould & Candles
- ✓ 10 cwt first Flour
- ✓ 3 Tons Ryemeal
- ✓ 1 1/2 Tons Barley meal
- ✓ 2 Tons Indian meal
- ✓ 1/2 Ton oatmeal
- ✓ 5000 qts new milk @ 6 1/2
- ✓ 500 do @ 6
- ✓ 3 lb Tea 8/8
- ✓ 10 lb Tea 3/6
- ✓ 33 lb Sugar 5
- ✓ 40 do 4 1/2
- ✓ 20 cwt Rice
- ✓ 21 lbs Pepper
- ✓ 600 lbs meat
- ✓ 12 Bottles Porter
- ✓ 4 qts Whiskey
- ✓ 10 Tons Coals
- ✓ 50 Rows turf
- ✓ 25 drift Candles
- ✓ 56 lbs Brown soap
- ✓ 7 lbs 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 25 day of August, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	0	4	5
In kind,	359	18	9
Total,	360	3	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.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	Cancells	—	—	4 1/2 Tons	38. 11. 9	St. forward				24 1/2 Tons	20. 1. 9
No. II.	Petit	—	—	3 Tons	25. 14. 6	No. X.	Creaven	—	—	—	—
No. III.	Jiffa	—	—	5 Tons	42. 17. 6	No. XI.	Lat Morris	—	—	1 Ton	8. 11. 6
No. IV.	Brown	—	—	2 Tons	17. 3. 0	No. XII.	Cullin	—	—	2 Tons	17. 3. 0
No. V.	Stungau	—	—	1 "	8. 11. 6	No. XIII.	"	—	—	—	—
No. VI.	Murphy	—	—	4 Tons	34. 6. 0	No. XIV.	Kerns	—	—	2 "	17. 3. 0
No. VII.	O'Connor	—	—	3 "	25. 14. 6	No. XV.	Jynn	—	—	—	—
No. VIII.	J. Key	—	—	—	—	No. XVI.		—	—	—	—
No. IX.	L. Morris	—	—	2 Tons	17. 3. 0	No. XVII.		—	—	—	—
Car. forwd.				24 1/2 Tons	20. 1. 9	TOTAL,				29 1/2 Tons	25. 2. 19. 3

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:

Cholera Account

James Lynn Coals to 7-12-6
Hingant small milk 3-0-5
Forber Bread 19-11-0
W. Richardson Salary 13-0-0
D. Maubell do 1-0-0
D. Whistler do 6-15-0
D. Keavin do 3-10-0
D. Davis do 13-10-0
William Bonke Coffin 10-10-9
do do do 24-13-4

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
A. Martin and Son Blankets	✓ 101	16	9
Avery Lynn 40 Boys Sackets	✓ 1	6	8
P. Commis Galley	✓ 3	13	7
William McCormack, Flax	✓ 6	9	10
Clerk of Union pay of Tailors Bells	✓ 4	18	4

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
James Ward V. J. Traveling Expenses	✓ 1	10	0
James Ward Salary	✓ 77	7	0
Mark Thomas pay of overcoat	✓ 4	6	0
George Thomas do	✓ 6	6	0
Michael Thomas Lynn Cattle	✓ 1	15	0
Clerk Union pay of Bells	✓ 8	14	8
Clerk of Union payment of bills	✓ 5	11	7

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Rush and Palmer Flour &c	✓ 153	17	6
Rush and Palmer do	✓ 150	7	6
Thomas M. Perse Indian meal	✓ 42	17	6
John Harrison milk	✓ 78	2	6
John McNaughton groceries	✓ 110	7	3
John Costello Rice	✓ 19	7	0
Anne Birmingham milk	✓ 7	10	0
John Walsh meat	✓ 7	16	3
James Lynn and Co. Leals	✓ 13	13	0
John Bonke do	✓ 1	18	4
Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.	✓ 5	11	6

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Thomas M. Perse I. metal	347	5	9
Liver Hospital acc			
Wood & Meat	✓ 22	2	9

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

Law General and other Expenses account

Avery Lynn do clothes
to Paupers during the
Workhouse of 13-4-0

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

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

The Visiting Committee Book was produced and read
Officers

The Master reported that a fire was discovered by Mr Ward V. J. on the 28 August in one of the female Dormitories but no damage was occasioned. The person who it was supposed took the fire into the room was taken before the magistrates but was not convicted as it could not be distinctly proved.

That the Storekeeper "James Conuell" discovered one cub of Rye meal and some clothing in that part of the Tower shed used as a carpenter's shop. Same having been concealed there by a Pauper Boy named Thomas Gray, and with the connivance of the persons employed in the Bakery.

Mr Perse of New Castle having entered the Board Room the V. guardians requested of him to give an order for Gray's arrest which he accordingly done and the Police succeeded in arresting him and took him into Custody.

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

The Agricultural Instructor reported that the hay at Rangaw was fit for sale.

Ordered, That the Standbills be posted in the Town.

The Agricultural Instructor recommended the purchasing of a dozen of sheep to be put on the after grass of the farm and would warrant that before the expiration of twelve months a profit of 50 per cent.

Ordered, That the Commissioners be written to for leave to purchase the sheep as recommended.

Ordered, That 10 Barrels of Lime be ordered.

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 25 August 1849 N^o 55686/49 authorising the Continuance of Relief out of the Workhouse to 31 August to persons under the 2nd section of the Poor Relief Act excepting able-bodied men and the members of their families whom they are by Law liable to maintain and able-bodied Women who have not been married

The Clerk stated that he communicated to each R. Officer the purport of the order in reference to the clauses excepted, from the operation of Law

Sealed order dated 27 August 1849 N^o 55960/49 Revoking the appointment of James Ward as Vice Guardian of the Galway Union and appointing John Hall Esq. P. I. I. to be paid officer in conjunction with Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq.

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 23 August 1849 N^o 5431/49 requesting the Clerk to furnish them with returns of destitute persons for Weeks ended 11 & 18 August and stating that much inconvenience was caused by those returns not having been forwarded

The Clerk stated that he wrote to the Commissioners to say that he was unable to furnish those returns in consequence of Mr. Morris R. Officer not having sent in his Books and Returns until the 25 August although he was written to by Mr. Hall and the Clerk to send them in

That the returns were forwarded on the 26 Instant

Poor Law Commissioners Letter of the 24 August 1849 N^o 54619 intimating that a sum of £635 had been sent to John Hall Esq. P. I. Inspector in aid of the current expenses of the Union for Week ending 25 August

The Clerk stated that he acknowledged same by letter

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 24 Aug^t 1849 N^o 5471/49 requesting the Clerk to forward the half yearly Abstracts of the accounts to the 25 March 1849

The Clerk stated that he forwarded the Abstracts to the Commissioners by the post of Sunday the 26th Instant

Letter from Poor Law Boundary Commission Office forwarding 50 Copies of Schedules of Changes in the Termination of the Galway Union

Letter from Central Board of Health Dublin 24 August 1849 N^o 15600 stating that three sets of Books for use of the temporary Dispensaries in the Union had been forwarded

The Clerk stated that these Books had not yet arrived ~~by post~~ that the Board of Health be informed accordingly

Poor Law Commissioners Letter of the 24 August 1849 N^o 53698 in reference to two sums which were paid for Coffins on the 10th Inst. and which were entered by Clerk under the head of "Establishment of 10 minutes and stating that such items should be entered under the head of "Law Annual and other expenses account"

The Clerk stated that he communicated with the Commissioners on the subject

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 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.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 25 August in reference to the Paupers proposed to emigrate from the Workhouse to Australia and enclosing a Consent to be signed by the Vice Guardians after the selection shall be made by Lieutenant Murray.

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners dated 24 August 1849 N^o 541 M. 49 enclosing for use of the Guardians Copies of the Act 12 & 13 Vic. Chap 104.

Resolved, That the Vice Guardians are deeply alive to the advantages which would result to grown orphan girls by enabling them to emigrate to one of the British Colonies where they might be in a position to support themselves by their own labour and the Vice Guardians would gladly carry out the wishes of the Commissioners but they are at present totally destitute of funds except the grants advanced by Government for the support of the destitute poor persons and they have therefore no means for providing the necessary outfit unless the Commissioners permit them to appropriate a portion of such advances to this purpose.

Orders That Copies of the 2nd paragraph in reference to the Chargeability, be forwarded to each R. Officer by the Clerk and also to the Master of the Workhouse.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 28 August 1849 N^o 53502 enclosing queries to be answered and signed by the person who may be appointed Schoolmaster.

Letter from Central Board of Health 30 August 1849 requesting to be informed of the arrangements made by the Vice Guardians for carrying into effect the regulations under the Act 12 Vic Chap 123.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the day of 1849. That the Statement of the Board of Health be furnished to them by the Clerk. (Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Resolved That a Revision of the persons receiving Relief under the 1st section of the Poor Relief Act do take place at the following places and on the days thereafter mentioned and that the respective R. Officers do get notice accordingly. At Claregalway For Claregalway on the 5th Sept^r at 9 o'clock. Keshagh For Keshagh on 5th September at 11 o'clock. Annadown For Annadown on same day @ 10:00. Mannore For Mannore Ballinacorney & Rathbarry on Thursday 6th Sept^r at 10 o'clock. Workhouse Galway East and West on the 8 September at 11 o'clock. Spiddal For Moycullen South & Killamin South on Sunday 11th Sept^r at 10 o'clock. Croakhey For Moycullen North & Killamin North same day at 10 o'clock. Bughtward For Bughtward Moycullen on the 12 Sept^r at 10 o'clock. Canaroo For Bughtward South & Canaroo on the 12 Sept^r at 10 o'clock. do West and Killamin West.

The Vice Guardians having considered applications for the offices of Master and Matron.

Resolved That Mr Edward O'Shaughnessy be appointed Master of the Workhouse at a salary of £80 a year and that Henrietta O'Shaughnessy his wife be appointed Matron of the Workhouse at a salary of £35 a year and that Mr Charles McCarthys Merchant and Mr James McCarthys Proprietor Limerick and Ebenezer Examiner both of Limerick be approved of as their securities.

Read letter from Daniel Donelan agent to Mr J Blake Esq^r M. P. offering to sell a piece of land to the Vice Guardians for a Cemetery.

Orders - That the Clerk do write to Mr Donelan's Agent that he will state on what terms he will let 2 statute acres.

A letter was received from Dr Whistler offering to undertake the duties of medical officer of the Mannore Dispensary at

at the salary of fixed by the Board of Health

Resolved That Dr^r Whistler be appointed Medical Officer of the temporary Dispensary at Oranmore at his offer and that the Poor Law Commissioners be requested to sanction his appointment if they approve of the establishment of a temporary Dispensary at Oranmore in pursuance of the order of the Central Board of Health

Ordered That an accurate stock be taken in the Workhouse on the arrival of the Mustu newus appointed and that Mr Lambart the present Mustu get notice accordingly and that a return of the stock be laid before the Vice Guardians

Eligible Candidates having offered for the situation of Gardeman - Resolved That Stephen O'Donnell outside Steward be appointed to that office until a person be appointed

Ordered That John Brown be appointed overseer in O'Donnell's stead until other arrangements are made

Resolved That the proposal of John Price for the performance of the duties of Assistant Master of the Workhouse at £20 a year and Rations and Apartments be accepted

Resolved That 2500 Yards of twilled Calicoe be obtained from Mr Fortune at 5 pence per Yard same as pattern produced by him

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Auditors were opened from Messrs for the additional works Resolved That the returns be referred to the Clerk of Works to report on same

Mr Blakney Solicitor furnished an account of the sums received by him on account of the Galway Union and how he disposed of same

Resolved That this Statement be taken into Consideration on Monday next and that Mr Blakney be again requested to furnish the bill of Costs

Dr^r Brown Medical Officer applied for leave of absence for 8 or 10 days having business of importance to transact in Dublin and that during his stay his duties would be attended to by Dr^r Moran a Gentleman fully qualified for the duty

Resolved That Dr^r Brown do get leave of absence for 10 days to bear date from the 29th day of August and that we approve of Dr^r Moran as his Substitute

Lieutenant Henry R. N. Emigration Agent attended at the Workhouse on Saturday the 1st September and inspected the Female Orphans from 15 to 18 years of age with a view of selecting therefrom such a number of persons as would not exceeding thirty as shall be considered eligible Emigrants to Australia

The Vice Guardians having considered applications for the situations of Collectors

Resolved That the following persons be appointed for the Districts opposite to their names and that the Surties named by each be approved of

Samuel Cross for Galway No at 2/6 in the pound
Securities Edmund Tapp Munnell of ~~Stradball~~ ^{Stradball} and
James Davis Esq Galway

Edward Conidine for Galway No at 2/6 in the pound
Securities - John Oliver and Patrick Reagan both of
Galway. Merchants

John Jones for Moycullen at 2/6 in the pound
Security - "The Guarantee Society London"

Terrence O'Brien - Killanin - at 2/6 in the pound
Securities William O'Brien Jan Co Clare Peter Moughlin
Co Clare and John Sopdell of Dangan Co Galway Gentlemen

John Jile for Oughtreah at 2/6 in the pound
Securities John McSwenny and Thomas Plunket of
port. Merchants

James O'Brien for Oranmore Ballinacorney and Stradball
@ 2/6 in the pound. Securities Murty O'Brien and Daniel Roughtan
both of Co. Clare. Gentlemen

Charles O'Brien for Lackagh and Athlun, @ 2/6 in the pound
Securities Knit Bridgeman and Terrence O'Brien Co Clare
Gentlemen

Richard Kelly for Annadown and Clarefaloney at 2/6
in the pound - Securities Festus Kelly and Michael Kenne
both of Gal. Merchants

Samuel Cross for Ann at 2/6 in the pound Securities as for Galway No. 1

The Vice Guardians having taken into consideration the
system of robbery carried on in the baker and the
baker having been sent for - agreed to work at night
by which means the Pauper Boys employed there will
be prevented from stealing the flour - - The Baker also
agreed ^{to give} a percentage of 30 lb to the 100 lb out of
first quality flour and 28 percent on Bakers and
Rye-meal

Read letter from Mr Blakemore (Collector) enclosing
a statement of the sums received by him on account
of the Galway Union and how he disposed of same

Ordered That the statement be compared with the
Collectors Books

The Clerk stated ^{that} consequence of a writ of sequeing
having come to the Sheriff of the Town of Galway in the
Case of Wood vs the Vice Guardians he was obliged
by subpoena to attend a Sheriff's duty - The Plaintiff
claimed 6^d per lb for all meat supplied by him since
the 4 May 1848 to the 29 September 1848 although
he furnished a bill to the Vice Guardians in Sept^r
for 5^d per lb he claimed the extra penny in consequence
of his not having been paid when he furnished
his account The Jury awarded him only what he
furnished his bill for viz 5^d per lb -

Next meeting of the Vice Guardians to be held on
Friday the 7th September 1849

Lewis Fitzmaurice }
Wm Hall } Vice Guardians
J. Prady } Clerk

Population in 1841, Present Net Annual Value,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *first* day of *September* 184*9*

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			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.		
														Children under 2 years.	
Workhouse,	1000														
Temporary Buildings,	496														
Additional Workhouse,	1350														
Permanent Fever Hospital,	300														
Fever Sheds,	300														
Total,	3145														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			37	21	527	145	549	247	71	"	"	2180	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates,	<i>In this Week 30</i>
Admitted during the Week,			1	1	23	32	24	14	2	"	"	102	"	"	<i>departs having attained the age of 2 years</i>
TOTAL,			40	22	532	177	573	261	72	"	"	2282	Total, 207	Total, 7	<i>infectious fever of the clap of Infants</i>
Discharged during the Week,			3	3	38	64	24	25	2	"	"	164			<i>to the Clap of</i>
Died,			"	"	"	2	2	"	"	"	"	4			<i>Boy and Child</i>
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	3	38	66	26	25	2	"	"	168			<i>under 15 years of age</i>
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			37	19	444	111	542	247	70	"	"	2174	Total 207		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *first* day of *September* 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.	645	1630	61	240	706	1870	Bt. forward						
No. II.	636	1577	158	386	794	1963	No. X.	224	575	8	9	232	537
No. III.	460	1028	57	185	517	1213	No. XI.	209	544	2	11	211	604
No. IV.	255	714	29	97	284	811	No. XII.	123	296	10	22	133	318
No. V.	215	592	41	147	256	739	No. XIII.	92	244	11	28	102	272
No. VI.	362	882	59	232	361	1064	No. XIV.	273	620	79	278	352	898
No. VII.	240	677	99	255	339	932	No. XV.	122	285	18	71	140	356
No. VIII.	233	584	24	87	257	671	No. XVI.	67	150	4	19	71	169
No. IX.	185	404	24	110	209	514	No. XVII.	448	417	64	205	212	625
Car. forward							TOTAL,	4443	11227	752	2407	5195	13634

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Friday* the *7* day of *September* 184*9*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Louis Maurice Esq. B.G.*
 Other Guardians: *John Hall Esq. B.G. and Poor Law Inspector*
Richard Bonnell Esq. Poor Law Inspector

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. *2744* to No. *2744*, 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. *10233* to No. *10273*, 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, - £549.3.9

Paid during the week, - £359.7.3

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £1765.14.5

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.			Remainng.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Samuel Croop	Galway N ^o . 1	4	9	3	609	4	12
Bugh Killigan	Galway N ^o . 2	2	2	4	1827	18	9
John Martin	late Colleton	"	"	"	215	19	5
McGullinan	Amadown	"	"	"	543	15	52
"	Clare Galway	"	"	"	327	2	12
"	"	"	"	"	870	18	5
John Killigan	Sackagh	7	12	6	383	16	1
"	Athlery	"	"	"	275	18	8
"	"	7	12	6	659	14	9
John	Moycullen	"	"	"	899	8	1
"	Killarney	"	"	"	1256	4	4
"	Brightford	"	"	"	957	2	4
Thomas Walsh	Breamore	"	"	"	3042	14	6
James Walsh	Ballynabreena	"	"	"	406	1	5
"	Shad Bally	"	"	"	537	12	1
"	"	"	"	"	62	14	5
Reynold McDonagh	Arrian	"	"	"	400	6	4
"	"	"	"	"	248	18	4
Total,		14	3	9	433	16	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.

Received from Govt. £135
4/68

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 135. 2. 5 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 £138. 12. s. 34 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ 138. 2. 5 1/2

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 147. 15. 3 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 147. 15. 3 1/2

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 11. 1. 0 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, 0. 1. 11 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, 0. 1. 12

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:

- 2240 lbs flour
- 670 " Ryed Meal
- 3360 " Branley Meal
- 2240 " Oatmeal
- 55 00 quarts New Milk
- 570 " do
- 1000 " Salt
- 3 lbs Tea
- 10 " do
- 33 " Sugar
- 48 " do
- 20 cwt Rice
- 21 lb Pepper
- 260 lbs Meat
- 2 Tons Coal
- 50 Boxes of Soap
- 14 lbs soft Candles
- 105 " low Soap
- 7 " white "
- 2 1/2 " starch
- 1 cwt fire Wood
- 2 lb 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 7th day of September whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - £ 1. 3. 5
 In kind, - - - - - 289. 18. 8

Total, - 290. 21. 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.	
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.
No. XI.	Cornelley	2	25. 14. 6	Bt. forward			11	41. 6. 0	
No. XII.	Petit	3	25. 14. 6	No. X.	Creavey				
No. III.	Epifany	8	25. 14. 6	No. XI.	James Monaghan		1	8. 11. 0	
No. IV.	Bronne			No. XII.	Cullen	580	2	17. 3. 0	
No. V.	Flanagan			No. XIII.	"				
No. VI.	Shannon			No. XIV.	Herrin	580	1	8. 11. 0	
No. VII.	Donohoe			No. XV.	"				
No. VIII.	Duffy	2	17. 3. 0	No. XVI.	"				
No. IX.	Morris			No. XVII.	"				
Car. forwd.			11	20w No.			15	120. 12. 0	
TOTAL,					TOTAL,				

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.

98/40	Clerk of Union Payment of bills for additional books	6	17	10
98/30	James Egan Waddeman	8	9	4
98/30	Property on acct of salary	18	0	"
98/40	Clerk Union Payment bills	11	12	6

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

98/22	Cook and Palmer flour	18	2	6
"	Purse Indian meal	17	3	1
"	Birmingham Milk	8	2	0
"	Whitsea do	32	11	0
"	Castellor Rice	12	18	0
"	Wells Meat	3	2	6
"	Wm H. Coals	7	16	1
"	Coarrells Soap	2	18	4
"	Slattery Soap	1	11	6

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

98/51	Thomas M. Purse Ind meal	231	10	6
	<u>Medical Relief Acct</u>			
98/39	Doctor Brown M ^r Cholera	22	10	0
	<u>Law, Amos & Co ac^t</u>			
98/37	Michael Milgaur Coffins	2	9	4

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 Visiting Committee Report was produced and Read.

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

The Master required the following

- 1 dozen of Sweeping Brushes
- 2 do Scrubbing do
- 1/2 do black lead do
- 2 ropes head
- 2 lbs of black lead
- 1 dozen of Clothes Buckets
- 3 gallons of Paint oil
- 2 gallons of Turpentine
- 2 Paint Brushes

Ordered

The Master reported the receipt of purchasing 140 Buckets for Donnitaries - Ordered that Condon be received for same

The Master at Dungen required 10 Barrels of Lime - Ordered

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

Scaled Order from the Poor Law Commis-
sioners dated 31st August 1849 N^o 56528
dismissing Edward Brown from the
Office of Relieving Officer and authorizing
the Vice Guardians to appoint a Relieving
Officer in his stead.

Scaled Order from the Poor Law
Commissioners 31 August 1849 N^o 56528
authorizing Relief out of the Workhouse
under the 2nd Section to be given to
one legitimate Child dependent on them
or being women with a child or children
dependent on them whose husbands
are confined in goal or being children

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:)

whose Parents are both dead

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 31st
August 1849 N^o 56273 for acknowledgment
Receipt of Clerk's letter of the 26th Aug^r,
in regard to two Sums which had been
improperly entered under the head of
Establishment account in Minutes of the
10th August and requesting the Clerk to
open proper headings for such items
in the printed form of Minutes

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 1st
September 1849 N^o 56438 intimating
that a sum of £500 had been sent to
John Hall by Poor Law Inspector in
aid of the current expenses of the Union
for week ended 1 September

The Clerk stated that he acknowledged
the receipt of same by letter

The Vice Guardians having taken into
their most favourable consideration the
State of the Town of Galway and the extent

to

to which injurious nuisances have been
allowed to accumulate since the cessation
of Relief to the able bodied Male by
whom the Streets and Lanes were heretofore
swept and cleared and the attention
of the Vice Guardians having been
called to the matter by the Authorities,
and being apprehensive of the reap-
pearance of Cholera which has reappeared
with redoubled violence in other localities

Resolved that a Sanitary Officer be
appointed at a salary of 15^s a week

That being satisfied from experience of
William B. Naaler of Galway late
Inspector of Labour that he be appointed
to the office at the above Salary

The Clerk of Works having reported on
the Index of parties for Mason Work which
had submitted to him on last Board day
for that purpose

Resolved that the Index of Thomas Kelly
and Salt Griffin for Pricing the required
Mason Work according to the Specification
of the Clerk of Works at 1/6 a perch be
accepted

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
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 Killaneys having considered applications for the office of School-Mistress and no eligible Candidates having come forward

Resolved that the appointment be postponed for awhile and that notice of same be given on the local papers

The following Parties who have obtained execution against the Union attended on the 4th Inst. agreeable to the request of the Killaneys for the purpose of coming to some arrangement in reference to their claims

John Ireland, John S. Mangau John Denny, Michael M. Donogh and Mrs Stephens,

The Killaneys informed them of their intention in reference to the payment of their claims which was as follows and which was the several parties agreed to

That out of the Rates collected from time to time the current expenses for maintenance and butting should be first paid and any surplus if any should be applied towards the liquidation of the existing Debts entirely

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

The Amount of allowances due to the Relieving Office for waste up to the 21st July last having been ascertained in pursuance of the Resolution of the Board on the 27th July It was Resolved that the same be settled to the several Electoral Divisions as follows.

<u>Galway</u>	<u>Laurence Jennings</u>	£49.7.0 ✓
"	<u>Patrick Dunne</u>	20.9.8 ✓
"	<u>Patrick Morris</u>	4.2.0 1/2 ✓
"	<u>Michael Killen</u>	0.5.0
"	<u>Edward Connelly</u>	10.14.0
"	<u>Peter Pett</u>	8.12.0
		————— 93. 9. 8 1/2
<u>Moycullen</u>	<u>Morgan Deasy</u>	40.5.0
"	<u>Martin Griffin</u>	31.5.0
		————— 71.10.0
<u>Killanin</u>	<u>James Campbell</u>	27.10.7 1/2 ✓
"	<u>B. Joyce</u>	12.16.8 1/4 ✓
"	<u>William Dwyer</u>	4.8.0
"	<u>Edward Brown</u>	6.5.0
"	<u>Martin Griffin</u>	37.10.0
"	<u>Thomas Murphy</u>	1.15.0
		————— 90.5.3 3/4
<u>Oughterard</u>	<u>Johnnov</u>	44.4.0
"	<u>A. Blanagan</u>	36.6.0
"	<u>L. Morris</u>	4.8.0
		————— 84.18.0
<u>Annadown</u>	<u>McCaughy</u>	29.13.0
<u>Claregalway</u>	<u>James Morris</u>	30.17.0
<u>Sackagh</u>	<u>Michael McDonagh</u>	18.14.0 ✓
"	<u>John Duggan</u>	0.3.0 ✓
"	<u>P. H. Cullen</u>	4.0.0
		————— £ 22.17.0

Albury L.d.	Michael McDonald	12.2.0	
"	John Duffan	0.2.94	
"	P.H. Bullen	2.15.0	
			14.19.43
Cramrod	John Kevin		34.7.0
Balmain County	P. Higgins	0.3.0	
"	M. Flynn	3.15.0	
			3.18.0
Shad Bally	P. Higgins	0.3.7	
"	M. Flynn	2.15.0	
			2.18.7

And that said sums be credited to the several Relieving Officers accounts

It appearing from the Books of M. McDonald the late Collector and the account furnished by W. Blakney that the latter had received the sum of £24.15.0 on account of Rates due of D. J. Ryan for property in the Galway Central Division and that the sum of £28.11.10 thereof had been handed by him to Mr. McDonald who had through mistake lodged same to the credit of the following L. Divisions viz Galway £12.10.0 Moyallon £5.0.0 and Killeamin £6.1.10 It was Resolved that in order to regulate and correct the entries on the Books, the above Central Divisions be debited with the sums aforesaid, that W. Blakney be debited with £1.3.2 and that Galway L. D. be credited with £24.15.0 being the entire amount paid Mr. Blakney in respect of the Rates referred to.

Resolved that a Relieving Officer be appointed for the Killeamin South District in room of Edward Browne who has been dismissed and that a R. Officer be also appointed for the Killeamin North District in room of Thomas Murphy who has been called upon to resign. The appointments to be made on the 21st Sept 1849.

Wm Fitzmaurice
 Wm Hall Vice Guardians
 John O'Connell Clk

Galway

UNION.

Population in 1841,

Present Net Annual Value,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of September 1849.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	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,	1000														
Temporary Buildings,	495														
Additional Workhouse,	1550														
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,	310														
Total,	3145														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			36	19	495	112	55	355	40			2614			
Admitted during the Week,			2		16	21	21	16	1			77			
Total,			38	19	511	133	57	371	41			2691			
Discharged during the Week,			2		57	18	23	5				101			
Died,			1	2		2		2	3			10			
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	2	57	20	23	7	3			115			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			35	17	454	113	55	364	38			2576			

In Workhouse Hospital, 190
 In separate Wards, 7
 In Fever Hospital, 11
 In Wards with other Inmates, 7
 Total, 190

Fence 21
 Dependent 57
 Refused 118
 Total 190

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8th day of September 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.	631	1595	35	140	666	1735	Bt. forward						
No. II.	636	1577	99	195	735	1772	No. X.	219	520	8	9	227	529
No. III.	407	833	40	55	447	888	No. XI.	207	545	2	10	209	555
No. IV.	210	562	28	43	238	605	No. XII.	120	294	8	10	128	304
No. V.	184	458	18	18	202	476	No. XIII.	92	244	9	20	101	264
No. VI.	261	711	7	16	268	727	No. XIV.	257	585	17	17	274	602
No. VII.	231	659	29	36	260	695	No. XV.	123	275	18	32	141	307
No. VIII.	225	572	7	4	226	576	No. XVI.	64	143	3	14	67	157
No. IX.	180	402	24	110	204	572	No. XVII.	150	372	27	37	177	409
							H. & S.	10	30	2	4	12	34
Car. forward							TOTAL,	4207	10577	365	770	4572	11147

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 14th day of September 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V. G. and J. L. J.

Other Guardians: John Hall Esq. V. G. and J. L. J.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 5442 to No. 5517, 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. 30974 to No. 31027, 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, - £575ⁿ 4^s 4^d

Paid during the week, - £921ⁿ 6^s 8^d

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was - £1419ⁿ 19^s 2^d

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	Salway No. 1	4	11	0	142	19	9 1/2
Hugh Seligen	Salway No. 2	10	10	9	183	1	9
Patt Murtu	late collector	"	"	"	215	19	5 1/2
Murtu Cullinane	Anuadown	5	1	8	538	13	9 1/2
"	Claregalway	40	5	7	286	17	4 1/2
		45	7	3	825	11	2
John Cullinane	Lackagh	"	"	"	383	16	1
"	athurzf	"	"	"	275	18	8
		0	0	0	659	14	9
None	Inoycullew	"	"	"	899	8	1
"	Killain	"	"	"	125	4	3 1/2
"	Oughtread	"	"	"	937	2	2 1/2
		0	0	0	3092	14	6 1/2
Thomas Walsh	Bramore	"	"	"	408	1	5
James Walsh	Ballinacourt	14	15	4	532	16	9
"	Shadballis	"	"	"	62	14	5
Admond McDonough	Arraw	14	15	4	585	11	2
		"	"	"	248	18	4
		75	4	4	9358	12	4 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.

Received from the government £500.0.0

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 141ⁿ 2^s 0^d 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 £ 141ⁿ 2^s 0^d 1/2.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	141 ⁿ	2 ^s	0 ^d 1/2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	145 ⁿ	0 ^s	8 ^d
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	145 ⁿ	0 ^s	8 ^d
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	-	1 ^s 0 ^d 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	-	-	1 ^s 10 ^d
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	-	-	0 ^s 0 ^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:

- | | |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|
| 3 Tons Indian meal | 4 quarts Whiskey |
| 1/4 Ton oatmeal | 6 Tons of coal |
| 5000 quarts New milk | 60 Boxes turf |
| 500 " do | 40 lb Dept Candles |
| 1120 lb Salt | 336 lb Brown Soap |
| 3 lb Tea 3/8 ^d per lb | 7 " White do |
| 10 " do 3/6 ^d per lb | 7 lb starch |
| 33 lb Sugar 5 ^d per lb | 56 lb Washing Soda |
| 20 " do 4 ^d per lb | 1 lb Rutine Blue |
| 25 ^d " meal | 14 lb meal |
| | 7 lb Ironed 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 8th day of Sept^r; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	0 ^s 18 ^d 1/4
In kind,	-	-	231 ⁿ 11 ^s 8 ^d
Total,	-	-	232 ⁿ 10 ^s 0 ^d

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.	Connell		1 Ton	8 ⁿ 11 ^s 6 ^d	Bt. forward		6 Tons	57 ⁿ 9 ^s 0 ^d	
No. II.	Petit				No. X.	Creaven			
No. III.	Griffin				No. XI.	Emorris			
No. IV.	Brown		2 Tons	17 ⁿ 8 ^s 0 ^d	No. XII.	Cullin			
No. V.	Hanagan		1 Ton	8 ⁿ 11 ^s 6 ^d	No. XIII.	"			
No. VI.	Murphy				No. XIV.	Keames			
No. VII.	McCombs		2 Tons	17 ⁿ 8 ^s 0 ^d	No. XV.	Lynn			
No. VIII.	P. Key				No. XVI.	"			
No. IX.	L. Morris				No. XVII.	"			
Car. forwd.			6 Tons	57 ⁿ 9 ^s 0 ^d	TOTAL,			6 Tons 57 ⁿ 9 ^s 0 ^d	

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.
John O'Grady Clerk payment Bills	14	3	1

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

2. Establishment Account.

Clerk of Union Payment of Bills	6	16	6
O'Grady Clerk payment of Bills	2	3	10
O'Grady Clerk an ac of expenses for building purposes	10	00	

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Sewer Hospital ac			
Mary Anne Hannan June to 10 th September	3	0	2
Mary Anne Hamilton do	4	15	2
Catherine Duggan do	3	10	6

Cholera Purposes John McNaughton groceries	57	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 Visiting Committee Book was produced and Read -

Masters Report

The Master of the Workhouse required the following 24 Deal Planks 2000 of 6 nails - ordered -

Required for the Tailors Shop
1 dozen of Thimbles, 1 pair of Scissors and
200 needles - ordered -

Required for Weavers Shop
7 lb Wool - ordered -

Required 2 large Knives & 1 dozen of Scissors - ordered

Required for the Shoemaker's Shop

1 dozen of awl Blades 1 ounce of Nails and

2 dozen of Taps

1 dozen of Strong Closing
Garn

2 Bush Stones

Required 2 Scales for the Provision Store

ordered Master to enquire in Town and report the Cost

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

The Agricultural Instructor requested a supply of oats for the horse, as hay and Carrots was not sufficient food

ordered that one feed of oats be given daily in addition to the hay and Carrots

The Master at Dangan required

6 White wash Brushes

10 Barrels of Lime

Ordered

The Medical Officer recommended some alterations in the windows of some of the Wards of the Infirmary to improve the Ventilation -

The matter was referred to the Clerk of Works

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

Letter from the Commissioners of National Education to V. Guardians intimating that the first gratuitous supply of Books and School Requisites for the Galway Workhouse Male and Female National Schools would be forwarded on the 1st of August stating the mode in which they desired to have them transmitted.

It was ordered that the articles be forwarded to the District Inspector at Galway and that application and that application be made to the Commissioners of Education for a supply of Sacred Poetry for Children Scripture Lessons and lessons on the truth of Christianity.

Letter from P.L. Commissioners to Vice Guardians with copies of forms, to be used in making application for aid to 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 from Poor Law Commissioners to V. Guardians requesting them to state whether the provisions appear to be of good quality and to note on their Dairy the state of the house whether irregular or in good order and satisfactory.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners relative to the arrangements for providing an outfit for the Female Orphans proposed to be sent as Emigrants to Australia. Ordered that the Commissioners be informed that the Vice Guardians hope to be in a position to provide the necessary outfit out of the Rates so as to enable the parties intended to sail in the vessel which will depart on the 22nd Oct. and that the probable number of eligible persons who will be chosen is 25.

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners with three copies of their 2nd Annual Report for the use of the V. Guardians & the office.

Letter from P.L. Commissioners stating that a sum of £580 had been forwarded to John Hall Esq. Imp. P.L. Inspector of which £431 was to be applied exclusively in aid of the current expenses for the direct support of the poor and the remaining £149 to be held by V. Guardians towards the expenses for week ending 15th Inst. The Commissioners further stated that having already advanced upwards of £700 for clothing they did not consider themselves authorized to continue advances under that head in future.

Letter from P.L. Commissioners regarding the Rate in Aid showing the amount lodged with the Treasurer from the 6th August to the 1st of September in respect of rates used since the receipt of the Commissioners Order of the 13th June. The Clerk stated that he had returned the form stating thereon that no new rates had been made in the Union up to 1st Sept.

Letter from P.L. Commissioners transmitting letter from Public Works Loan Commissioners requiring payment of the 3rd 4th 5th & 6th instalments of the sum of £1200 advanced to the Galway Union for providing a Workhouse &c.

Resolved that the Commissioners be informed that the V.G. have no funds at present available for the payment of the above demands. Letter from Poor Law Commissioners to V. Guardians with copy of a letter to the Commissioners from a woman named Mary McDonagh of Oughterard.

The circumstances of this case have been examined into and reported on to the Commissioners by the Vice Guardians.

Letter from the Commissioners to V. Guardians with copy of a letter to the Commissioners from Mr. Robert Brown regarding the valuation of his property in the District Divisions of Caghagh and Ratheny.

This communication has been submitted to the Revising Justices and his reply with their own observations have been forwarded to the Commissioners.

Letter from the Commissioners to V. Guardians with a copy of a letter from Mr. Lynch to the Commissioners regarding the valuation of his property in the Galway Electoral Division of the Galway Union.

This communication has been submitted to the Revising Justices and his reply with the V. Guardians observations has been forwarded to the Commissioners.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners in reply to a letter from V. Guardians as to arrears of Rate which have been paid to a former defaulting collector. The Commissioners stated that when the Guardians were satisfied that the arrears have been paid to the late collector they should not be brought forward in the new books.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners with a form for a return of the expenditure of the advances by the Government for the support of the poor in Galway Union for the month of August. It was ordered that the return be prepared & forwarded as soon as possible.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners to V. Guardians relative to the claim of Mr. Reed Clerk of the Petty Sessions at Galway for the sum of £45.15.6 due to him for cases of vagrancy tried at petty sessions with a copy of a letter addressed by Mr. Redington to the Magistrates at Galway Petty Sessions on the subject. The Commissioners stated that under the circumstances mentioned they saw no ground for requiring payment of the fees.

Resolved that as soon as there are funds at the disposal of the Guardians available for this purpose Mr. Reed's claim shall be discharged.

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 Peoliering 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)

Resolutions for the nomination of Schoolmaster being taken into consideration. It was Resolved That Mr. Thomas Loughlin Teacher of the National School at Gort be appointed to the situation of Schoolmaster in the Galway Workhouse at a salary of £30 a year and rations. That we approve of his duties. Michael Keane of Gort and Thomas Plunkett of Gort the considerations of tenders for Schoolmasters were deferred until Monday next no eligible candidates having appeared and it being expected that others would be present on Monday.

A letter was read from the Commissioners to the Guardians declining to sanction the appointment of W. Couell to the situation of Store Keeper at the Galway Workhouse in consequence of circumstances which led to his resignation of the situation of Assistant Master of the Kilmarlock Workhouse. Ordered

That notices be inserted in the Galway papers for proposals from persons willing to file the situation of Store Keeper at the present salary and rations such proposals to be considered on the 28th inst.

It appearing that when the use of soups as an article of food was discontinued in the Workhouse in consequence of the appearance of Cholera in April last a quantity of Turnips amounting to £21.11.0 remained on hand and were brought forward from week to week on the provision Book and it appearing that during the interval the Turnips had decayed and become useless It was ordered

That the item be removed from the provision Book, debited to Establishment amount and credited to provision amount.

The Agricultural Instructor at Dangan applied for leave of absence for a few days. Ordered That leave be given.

The Hospital Nurse Catherine Scully tendered her resignation which was accepted and it was Resolved. That Mrs. M. Mahon now at the Casterea Workhouse and who has been recommended by Doctor Phelan be applied for to undertake the duties of Head Nurse at the Galway Workhouse at a salary of £20 a year and rations.

A Return having been laid before the Board by the Master of the stock of provisions and necessaries at the Workhouse on the 8th inst. from which it appeared the deficiency was as follows viz -

912 lb of best flour amounting to £6.6.3	
896 " " " "	3.8.7
9 Quince Tea	0.1.10
5 lb loaf sugar	0.2.11
	£9.19.7

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

And the surplus articles were as follows viz

10115 lb Rye meal amounting to £33.17.2	
5288 " " " "	18.17.11
2338 " " " "	12.15.6
334 " " " "	1.19.0
	67.8.9 1/2

And it appearing that the deficiency and surplus above mentioned probably arose from the substitution of one article for another in the Dietary it was Resolved That the amount of the deficiency be allowed to the late master and charged in the current week's consumption and that the surplus above stated be carried ^{forward} into amount debited to provision amount and credited to maintenance amount.

The Board having had the Dietary in review and it appearing that during the prevalence of Cholera a portion of rice had been used in the Indian meal in the Strabont and it being considered that the complete cessation of the Indian meal has rendered the continuance of Rice as an ingredient in the Strabont unnecessary besides increasing the expense It was Resolved That the Master be directed to prepare the Strabont for the Paupers Breakfast of Indian meal alone henceforward.

The Revision of the Out Relief Lists being now completed It was Resolved That the relieving officers be supplied with new applications & Report Books and that they be directed to enter therein the particulars respecting the cases of all the persons still retained on the Lists having just visited their residences and made such enquiries into their present condition & as will enable them to fill in the several columns with the greatest possible accuracy.

The Guardians having observed that the clothing of the inmates at Dangan Auxiliary Workhouse is nearly worn and in want of repair it was Resolved That a Tailor be employed to instruct in Tailoring such one of the Boys at Dangan as may be considered eligible for the purpose and at the same time to mend and keep in repair the clothing of the inmates of that establishment.

The Guardians having taken into consideration the necessity for providing increased day accommodation now that winter is approaching Resolved. That washed in the Day Yard at the original Workhouse at present occupied by weavers be prepared for the purpose of a day room for able bodied males and in the view that the rooms be removed therefrom and that the linen and woollen Yarn Spinn in the House be woven by such tradesmen outside as shall agree to work on fair terms and give the necessary security.

It appearing by the Weekly Abstract of the late Collector Martin that a sum of £215.11.5 remained on his hands at the period of his leaving the country and it further appearing from the Receipts and other satisfactory evidence that a sum of £69.11.3 had been received by him and not a person who is only a boy in gay manner and it also appearing that these sums have been collected in respect of Galway Electoral division but that none of these have been accounted for.

Ordered That the above sum be debited to the late Collector Martin and credited to the Electoral division of Galway.

The Guardians having taken into consideration the report of the Agricultural Instructor at Dangan Auxiliary Workhouse as to the purchasing of sheep to consume the after grass on the meadow land at Dangan and also having regard to the crop of Maize, Wangel and the farrow and the extent to which those sorts

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with the leas and stalks of the vegetables when grown may be made available for feeding cattle and having in view the probable advantage which would result to the inmates of the Agricultural School from instructing them as to the method of keeping cattle and that portion of the produce of a farm which is frequently allowed to become waste

Resolved That the Commissioners be requested to authorize the Vis Guardians to purchase from 2 to 4 milk Cows to be kept at Claugan for the purpose above mentioned instead of sheep as requested in a former Minute:

The Vis Guardians having taken into consideration the existing arrangements for affording Medical Relief to the sick poor in the Galway Union with the view of rendering such Relief more economical and effectually useful and more extensively available to the classes for whose benefit it was intended by bringing the Medical Institutions established with this object into more immediate connexion with the Guardians whereby a direct local Supervision of their management may be constantly exercised and so peaceful and satisfactory working of the system obtained and a means afforded for checking abuse neglect or irregularity by placing the persons engaged in the administration of Medical Relief more immediately under the control of the Body by which the funds for the support of such Institutions are provided. Also having regard to the important circumstance that while Dispensary Relief provided under the certificate of the Board of Health is confined to persons labouring under contagious or epidemic diseases under the provisions of the 6th of the 10th Vic Cap 92 Sec 16. Medical Relief out of the Workhouse may be afforded to poor persons suffering from any description of illness, ailment or disability and at the same time bearing in mind that under the provisions of the 10th Vic Cap 31 Sec 5 and 6 & 7 in Cap 92 Sec 16 the allocation of the expenses of Medical Institutions of the description now under consideration is grounded on the equitable principle of charging same on the district which is benefited by their operation.

Resolved That the Board of Health be respectfully requested to withdraw their certificate for establishing a Dispensary at Oranmore and that the Commissioners be requested to issue an order for affording Medical Relief out of the Workhouse for the District adjoining Oranmore namely Oranmore, Shabbally, Balemiaconity, Sulphur, Clae Galway and Atherry Electoral divisions pursuant to the provisions of the 10th Vic Cap 31 Sec 5.

That the Board of Health be requested to withdraw their certificate for maintaining a Temp. F. Hospital at Moycullen the no. of Patients in that Institution being now much reduced by the general cessation of contagious and epidemic diseases in the district and there being sufficient accommodation available in the Workhouse Infirmary for such new cases as are likely to occur at present. That instead of such Hospital and for the purpose of extending the benefits of Medical Relief in the District the Commissioners be requested to issue an order under the provisions of the 10th Vic Cap 31 Sec 5 for establishing a Dispensary at Moycullen for the purpose of affording Medical Relief out of the Workhouse in the Electoral Divisions of Aughterau Kellian and Moycullen and that the present Temp. F. Hospital at Moycullen be retained in the hands of the Guardians with the view of their being again opened as a Temp.

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ward under the provisions of 6th of the 10th Vic Cap 92 Sec 16 in the event of an increase of contagious disease rendering such proceeding necessary

That the Board of Health be requested to withdraw their certificate for upholding and continuing the Temp. Fever Hospital at Galway which from the cessation of disease has been for some time unoccupied and the Workhouse Hospital and local Medical Institutions being capable of receiving all who require Hospital Relief at present. The Vis Guardians being at the same time prepared to provide a Fever Ward under the provisions of the 6th of the 10th Vic Cap 92 Sec 16 if an increase of contagious or epidemic disease should render it necessary to do so.

That the Board of Health be requested to withdraw their certificate for upholding the Temporary Dispensary at Lettermore and that the Commissioners be requested to issue an order pursuant to the act 10th Vic Cap 31 Sec 5 for affording Medical Relief out of the Workhouse at Lettermore for the Electoral divisions of Aughterau and Kellian as from the reasons already mentioned the Vis Guardians believe that the Medical Relief afforded under the provisions of the above statute will be more generally beneficial than it can be under the certificate of the Board of Health.

An investigation having taken place with regard to the Stock of meal in the hands of the Relieving Officers as compared with the Stock appearing against them on their Receipt and Expenditure Books it appeared that the undermentioned Relieving Officers had a surplus Stock as follows

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		Tons	cut	q ^{ts}	lb
W. Peter	Peter	1	10	1	2
	H. Flanagan	5	5	2	3
	Mcnevens	2	13	1	1
	Matt Flynn	0	9	1	20
		Tons	9	18	1
					26

Ordered That the above Relieving Officers be debited with the respective quantities at £5.11.6 per Ton and Credited to the divisions for which they act at the same time rate

And it appearing that the following Relieving Officers were deficient in the quantities hereunder mentioned

namely	Jaward	Counsell	0	0	0	14
	Mentor	Griffin	28	11	2	14
	Edward	Browne	0	3	3	14
	Thomas	Trumphy	6	2	0	5
	John	Connor	3	2	2	14
	Louisa	Trumphy	0	13	1	17
	M. Creaven		0	4	2	0
	James	Trumphy	8	13	3	16
	P. H. Sullen		0	10	3	6
	Morgan	Dibrey	0	15	0	15
			48	17	3	21

Ordered That the several Relieving Officers be detested directed to supply the deficiency immediately or proceedings will be taken against them and their Sureties

The said Guardians having considered Tenders for supplies Resolved That Thomas Trumphy be declared contractor for supplying the Workhouse to the 25 March 1850 with Best Yellow Indianmeal at 7.14.0 per Ton Best Rye meal at 6.12.6 "

" Barley meal @ 6.12.6 "

" Oatmeal @ 10.9.0 per Ton and that R. A. Somerville and John Fortellor of Galway and be approved of as his Sureties :

That John Small of Meath be declared contractor for supplying the Workhouse to the 25 March 1850 with Best new milk at 5¹/₄ per gallon "

" " Battermill @ 3⁰ per gallon and that James Flynn of Galway and Bartholomew Killen of Galway be approved of as his Sureties :

That John Fortellor of Galway be declared contractor for supplying the Workhouse to the 25 March 1850 with Good black Tea @ 3¹/₂ & 3¹/₂ per lb Jamaica Sugar @ 5⁰ per cwt

Rice @ 12/8 per Ton Black Pepper @ 1/0 per lb Molasses @ 1/8 per cwt Good Whiskey @ 6/8 per gallon Guinness Water @ 3/11 per doz Port Wine @ 24/0 per doz and that Patrick Connors and John Harrison William Fortellor of Galway be approved of as his Sureties :

That William Elwood of Galway be declared contractor for supplying the Workhouse to the 25 March 1850 with Best Beef & Mutton at 3¹/₄ per lb and that Michael Dooley and Martin Owens be approved of as his Sureties :

That Martin Malley be declared contractor for supplying the Workhouse to the 25 March 1850 with Best Beef at 10⁰ per cwt Sureties Catherine Hattey and Michael Fallon of Galway

That Catherine Hattey be declared contractor for supplying the Workhouse to the 25 March 1850 with Best Brown Soap @ 2⁰ per cwt "

" Yellow " 2⁰ "

" Soft Saddle @ 5⁰ per lb "

" Iron & Saddle @ 7⁰ per lb "

" White Soap @ 3⁰ per cwt "

" Starch @ 4/6 per bush "

" Washing Soda 2/0 "

" Pulver Blue @ 1/6 per lb and that Thomas

Henry

Thomas Salaman and John M. Kiwan be approved of
as his Sureties:

That James Davis of Galway be declared Contractor for
Supplying the Workhouse to the 25 March 1850 with
Sweeping Brushes & White Wash Brushes Coaming do
Coats, Suspenders, Head and Stationary of the
descriptions and prices stated in Tender and that
Charles Keane and John Kennedy of Galway be
approved of as his Sureties —

That Michael Jennings of Bohernmore be appointed
declared Contractor for supplying the Workhouse to
the 25 March 1850 with
Coffins of all sizes at an average price of two
Shillings and sixpence per coffin scantling to be
same as stated in Tender Sureties John Keenan
and Edmund Duffey & —

That Patrick Morris of Galway be declared Contractor
for supplying the Workhouse to the 25 March 1850
with Ground Logwood @ 2^d per lb. Sunnuck @ 2^d per lb
Dateb madder (Red) @ 10^d per lb
" (Black) @ 8^d per lb and for the several
descriptions of Leather and Shoemakers findings
of the descriptions and at the prices stated in Tender
Sureties

That Patrick Staunton be declared Contractor for supplying
the Workhouse to the 25 March 1850 with
Washing Soda @ 1.4^d per Stone
Copras @ 1^d per lb
Sudis @ 5^d per lb and Whiting at 5^d per
Stone:

That Boyle and Fisher of 92 South Street Dublin
be declared Contractors for supplying the Workhouse
to the 25 March 1850 with
Treach at 22^d per cwt. and Arrow Root @
10^d per lb — That

That Nicholas Martin of Ross be declared Contractor for
Supplying the Workhouse to the 25 March 1850
with any quantity of the following articles that
may be required to the 25th

Blankets @ 1. 3^d per lb
Rugs @ 1. 10^d and 2^d 6 each
Frieze @ 1. 4^d 1^d 1^d 1^d and 1^d 8^d per yd.
Tweed @ 8^d and 5^d
Corduroys @ 9^d 9^d 7^d 8^d and 10^d per yd.
Linen Woolsey @ 10^d 8^d and 9^d per yd.
Bengal Stripes @ 6^d and 5^d per yd.
Drogheda Linen @ 7^d per yd.
Grey Galis @ 4^d 3^d and 4^d per yd.
Hammell @ 8^d 9^d and 6^d per yd.
Moleskin @ 11^d per yd.

All to be equal to samples and sizes and that
J. P. Lynell and J. M. Gernon be approved of
as their Sureties:

That Thomas More Pense be declared Contractor
for supplying the several Food Depots of the
Union for 3 months from the 29 September next
with Best yellow Indiantmeal @ 7. 15^d per Ton
delivered and that R. M. Somerville and John
Castelloe be approved of as his Sureties

The following Gentlemen viz
Anthony O'Flaherty Esq M. P. Knockbane
Andrew W. Blake Esq Harborist
Robert Rod Kue Esq Auctioneer
Richard Kuwan Esq Portlyne and
James Kilkelly Esq of Drumcong attended
the Board to remonstrate with the said Comptroller
on the subject of the Rates about to be struck
on the several Mutual Divisions of the Union
and stated their views as to the utility
of

The majority of the Ratepayers to pay a fine
 Shilling Rate and recommended that a rate
 of three Shillings would be struck in its stead
 and that if such a rate as 3^o was struck they
 would use their best endeavours to have it
 collected.

The Meeting was adjourned to Tuesday the 18th Inst
 (Signed)

L. Mannin } Guardians
 W. Hall }
 John Spady - Clerk

At an adjourned Meeting of the Board of Guardians
 held on Tuesday the 18th Inst. September 1849

Present in the Chair Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians John Hall Esq. J.P. and P.L.S.

No letter having been received from the Commissioners
 on this day the Meeting was adjourned to
 Friday the 21st September

L. Mannin } Guardians
 W. Hall }

Galway UNION.

Population in 1841,

Present Net Annual Value,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 15 day of Sept 1849.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	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,	1000														
Temporary Buildings,	495														
Additional Workhouse,	1350														
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,	310														
Total,	2145														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			35	17	454	113	506	36	38	"	"	25	6		
Admitted during the Week,			"	"	20	59	38	51	8	"	"	1	177		
TOTAL,			35	17	474	172	594	416	46	"	"	26	177		
Discharged during the Week,			"	"	19	41	27	16	3	"	"	"	106		
Died,			"	"	2	1	2	2	"	"	"	"	8		
Total Discharged and Dead,			"	"	2	20	43	29	16	"	"	"	114		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			35	15	454	129	565	400	42	"	"	1	263		

Fever 28
 Dependent 64
 Other cases 103
 Total 195

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15 day of Sept. 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.	387	956	"	"	387	956	Bt. forward						
No. II.	170	447	"	"	170	447	No. X.	127	273	4	4	131	277
No. III.	387	774	31	44	418	818	No. XI.	85	215	8	10	93	225
No. IV.	193	524	20	31	213	555	No. XII.	52	175	"	"	52	175
No. V.							No. XIII.	29	76	"	"	29	76
No. VI.	267	723	8	8	275	731	No. XIV.	77	182	40	42	117	224
No. VII.	111	318	"	"	111	318	No. XV.	46	114	9	14	55	128
No. VIII.	222	612	"	"	222	612	No. XVI.	17	50	3	4	20	54
No. IX.	188	423	7	7	195	430	No. XVII.	92	233	"	"	92	233
Car. forward							TOTAL,	4	12	"	"	4	12

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 21 day of Sept 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. J.P.
 Other Guardians: John Hall Esq. J.P. and P.L.S.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 5518 to No. 5745, 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. 31024 to No. 31022, 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, - £550. 0. 0
 Paid during the week, - £203. 7. 7
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £1796. 4. 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:—

Recd. from Government £550

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.		Remaining.	
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Lammellrop	Gulsony No. 1	1453	19 5/2		
Rugh Gilligan	" No. 2	1838	19		
P. Martin	Cath. Mullin	215	19 5/2		
M. Sullivan	Amoyd own	538	13 9/2		
"	Clarefallyn	286	17 1/2	0 0 0	825 11 2
M. Sullivan	Lackagh	383	16 1		
"	Athony	275	18 8	0 0 0	689 14 9
J. A. Wilson	Maycullen	899	8 1		
"	William	1256	4 3/2		
"	Crogherard	937	2 2/2	0 0 0	3092 14 6 3/2
Monim. Walsh	Crumore	0 0 0	408 1 5		
James Walsh	Bohony	522	16 9		
"	Shindally	62	14 5	0 0 0	585 11 2
Simon Mangan	Arund	0 0 0	348 18 4		
Total, -		0 0 0	9358 12 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 £ 164. 19. 5 1/2 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	164	19	5 1/2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	150	3	8 3/4
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	150	3	8 3/4
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	1	0
Average cost in Infirmary,	0	1	8 3/4
And Average cost in Fever Hospital,	0	1	8 3/4

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

- 1120 lb. Rye flour
- 4480 " Meal
- 2240 " Branley Meal
- 5000 Quarts New Milk
- 700 " do
- 10 Cwt Salt
- 8 lb Tea
- 63 " Sugar
- 28 " Pepper
- 24 " Meat
- 60 lb Soap
- 60 lb Butter
- 40 lb Lard
- 56 " Soda
- 2 " Paper
- 14 " Malt
- 6 " Mended Linen

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 15 day of Sept; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	0	3	3
In kind,	157	7	7
Total,	157	10	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.	
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.			£ s. d.		£ s. d.
No. I.	Carmelty		1/2 Ton	4.5.9	Bt. forward			3 1/2 Ton	30.0.3
No. II.	Bohit				No. X.	Creaven		2 "	17.5.0
No. III.	Griffin				No. XI.	Castmonk		1 "	8.11.0
No. IV.	Bronne		2 Ton	17.3.0	No. XII.	Cullen			
No. V.	Glennacree				No. XIII.	"			
No. VI.	Amphly				No. XIV.	Kerris			
No. VII.	Kerris				No. XV.	Tym			
No. VIII.	Darcy				No. XVI.	"			
No. IX.	Shinny		1 Ton	8.11.0	No. XVII.	"			
Car. forwd.			3 1/2 Ton	30.0.3	TOTAL,			4 1/2 Ton	55.14.9

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. Perce Flannel	17	10	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

Expenses Clerk payment of bills	12	3	9
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Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Thomas Perce Indian Meal	34	6	7
Rice and Pulver flour	69	10	"
Harrisson Milk	69	0	2
Birmingham do	3	2	6
Costelloe Rice	12	18	1
M. Newington Groceries	10	14	5
Walter John Meat	7	19	4
Sam. Fryer do	7	16	"
Cornell, John & M. Imp.	6	8	4

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Thomas M. Perce Ind Meal	381	11	9
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Cholera Account

John Hamilton Groceries	20	17	5
John Lewis Burial of dead	2	6	6

Low Funeral &c

Miss Cuppage Rates returned		19	"
Galway E.O.			"

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 Visiting Committee Book was produced & read
Officers Reports

The Master reports that Catherine Bente one of the Pauper Princes was drunk on the night of the 16th Inst. and that she made use of improper language together with another pauper Prince

The Infants were ordered that the two Princes Bente and Cunningham be removed from the Hospital and placed in the Bay of the House.

The Master called attention to the late hour at which the Milk was supplied in the last few days.

That the Committee attention of the Committee be called to this Report that Straw is much required. Ordered that the Master do attend the Market to purchase some.

That the Milk supplied this morning was of an inferior description and was returned and good milk had in its stead.

Ordered a Labour Book and a Book for the Station - approved of - Required the following - 100 Yards of Grey Felt 2 lb Shepherds 1/2 lb Hemp 1 Dozen Bells 4000 Shoe Nails 2000 Yds Grey Felt 500 Yds Shorting and 800 Yds Flannel - Ordered

Required for the Bakery - 1 Large Sough. Half dozen pecks of Water Tub. Ordered.

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

The Master at Dagen reports that the Windows of the House require Glazing.

Ordered that the Master be sent to repair the Windows required. 2 lb Waxing Tallow. Ordered to be had from Withorne

Required for farm purposes

6 Primes for cutting vegetables

3/2 lb of Bleaching Powder

1 Cart of Lampers Iron

3/2 lb Steel

1 Farm Labour Book

10 Barrels Lime

Quantity of Medicine was required by the Medical Officer which was ordered.

Ordered that no Officer absent about himself from the Workhouse without leave and that no pauper get leave of absence except in cases of extreme urgent necessity.

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

Letter from P. L. Commissioners 8 Sept 1849 presenting the new form of Rate Book to be used in future in making Rates:

Letter from P. L. Commissioners accompanying same

Letter from P. L. Commissioners 20 Sept 1849 approving of the appointment of W. B. Hasler as Sanitary Officer as a temporary arrangement during the prevalence of Contagious diseases. Also approving of the allowances made to the Relieving Officers for waste in distribution of meal and enclosing Grocers for the persons appointed R. Officers in the room of Mrs. Blome and Murphy.

Letter from P. L. Commissioners 15 Sept 1849 enclosing Order for and Dungen Bill of Costs in preparing Lease

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 Dungen Auxiliary N. House & amounting to £9. 9. 7 and requesting that same may be paid by Fund. That the Commissioners be informed that the account will be discharged as soon as these one pounds.

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners 18 Sept approving of the appointment of Messrs. Richard Kelly, John Hill, George O'Brien, Charles O'Brien and James O'Brien.

Letter from P. L. Commissioners 20 Sept 1849 intimating that a sum of £380 had been forwarded to John Hall of P. L. Inspector to be applied exclusively in aid of the current expenses of the Union for the Week ending 15th Sept.

Order that the same be acknowledged by the Clerk. Letter from P. L. Commissioners 14 Sept 1849 stating that forms of Books for entering the names of the persons relieved in the Union at Large and Electoral Divisions in pursuance of the 24th Sec of the 12th 13th Vic cap 104 should be immediately procured and enclosing forms for the statements of the persons relieved to be posted on the door of the Workhouse agreeable to the 25th Sec of the same act and enclosing instructions for filling up same.

Order that the Books & forms referred to be

Obtain

stand at once:

Letter from P. L. Commissioners 19 Sept approving of the appointment of Mr and Mrs. Shaughnessy as Master and Matron at the Salving proposed

Letter from P. L. Commissioners 13 Sept with a return of the expenses attendant on the procurement of the Estates of Guardians of the Salving Union at Councils 1849 amounting to £4. 13. 5. and requesting that same may be paid also attaching balance of £2. 1. 5 which is remaining due to Mr. Horn in respect of former Estates and Deputies that to know whether the amount was included in any former cheque drawn by the Guardians and why the amount would not be paid and requesting that the entire sum due to Mr. Horn may be paid. Order that application be made to Mr. Mahon regarding balance of £2. 1. 5 due for Estates forms: and that the Commissioners be informed that the amount of the returning Officers account will be discharged as soon as these accounts.

Letter from the Commissioners of Education stating that the free books had been forwarded agreeably to the V. Guardians desire.

Application for the situation of Relieving Officer taken Considered.

Resolved that Patrick Power of Belmullet be appointed Relieving Officer for the District of Killarney West at a salary of £50 a year.

That Martin Ward be appointed Relieving Officer for Killarney South at a salary of £50 a year.

It appearing from the account furnished by Mr. Blakeney that he still holds the following sums p. d. to him in account of Rates due to the Salving Union for which he had been directed to take legal proceedings and that the same had not yet been certified to the respective Electoral Divisions in amount of which they had been paid

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namely

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	-	-
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 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 Clerk laid before the Board the new Rate Books with the several Rates prepared therein as directed at the Meeting held on the 10th Inst. August And having certified at foot of the said Books several Rates that the said several Rates were duly made in conformity with the valuation now in force in the Galway Union it was Resolved.

That the following Rates for the Relief of the poor in the Galway Union and for the payment of the Rate tax and for the repayment of the Advances under the Temporary Relief Act be now made on the Rateable Hereditaments situated in the following Electoral divisions in the Galway Union That is to say

On the Electoral division of Galway at rate of five Shillings in the pound

On the Electoral division of Linsheen at rate of five Shillings in the £

On the Electoral division of Kellamice " five Shillings "

On the Electoral division of Oughterado " five Shillings "

On the Electoral division of Oran " three Shillings "

On the Electoral division of Annadown " five Shillings "

On the Electoral division of Carrigalway " five Shillings "

On the Electoral division of Sackagh " five Shillings "

On the Electoral division of Athenry " three Shillings & 6 "

On the Electoral division of Oranmore " five Shillings "

On the Electoral division of Ballinacorney " four Shillings & 6 "

and On the Electoral division of Thredvally " five Shillings "

And that the Certificate of allowance and adoption at foot of the said several Rates be now signed

And thereupon the Certificate of allowance and adoption at the foot of the said several Rates was duly signed by the Vice Guardians and countersigned by the Clerk

L. J. M. } the Guardians
In Hall
John Spady Clerk Union

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

namely Galway E. O. from the Heriham £ 3. 12. 0
" " " John O'Rourke 0. 18. 0
" " " Robert Bates 6. 3. 9
" " " Shaw Jones 25. 13. 3

Clare Galway " R. J. O'Rourke 7. 18. 11
Annadown " V. O. Blake 13. 5. 8
Oughterado " Mount O'Malley 16. 17. 10
Mycallen " W. O'Rourke 6. 15. 0
Kellamice " James Blake 27. 11. 2

108. 15. 7

Ordered. That the above sums be debited to Mr. Blake and paid to the respective Divisions.

And that the necessary notices be inserted in the Galway Paper and handbills pasted through the Union. Jane Mooney a single girl age 18 years was on Register 5625 came before the Board and expressed a desire to be registered as a Protestant she having been on her first admission registered a Roman Catholic.

She was accordingly entered as a Protestant. It appearing to the Guardians that the practice of allowing the Relief Officer receipt and Expenditure Books to be filled up at the Workhouse in the absence of the Relief Officer is very unsatisfactory

Ordered That the several Relief Officers be directed to keep and enter up their Receipt and Expenditure Books themselves in future And it was also ordered, That the attention of the Relief Officers be specially directed to Nos 4 & 5 in Article 7 of the General Order for Outdoor Relief regarding Provisional Relief. That the cases in which such Relief is afforded be reported to the Board of Guardians @ their next Meeting any further Relief to be given in such cases must be authorized by the signature and initials of the Chairman of the Meeting

That any neglect of these instructions or deviation therefrom will be visited with the severe displeasure of the Guardians

It appearing that much irregularity had arisen in consequence of sending the Payroll accounts of the Workhouse for Water St. to the Guardians. That an agreement be made with Patt Mallin of Galway to draw water to the Workhouse & Merchants Road Auxiliary Workhouse at 3. for per Puncture A Deputation from the Town Fever Board Galway consisting of Arthur Deane and Peter Colohan waits on the Vice Guardians on Monday the 20 Sept to request the Vice Guardians would give up possession of the house formerly used as a Cholera Hospital and lately as a Temporary Hospital and which the Fever Board had

Given

to the Vice Guardians in exchange for the house taken by the Vice Guardians at Madera Island for Cholera purposes and that if necessity should arise for it again in the event of an increase of Cholera the General Board would allow the Vice Guardians to make use of it for the purpose

The Vice Guardians stated that they were quite willing to give up the possession of the house on the River Board giving to the Vice Guardians the possession of the house at Madera Island and also to give to the Vice Guardians a letter authorising the Vice Guardians or their Successors to remove at any time it may become necessary any portion of the Timber Sheds that were erected in the yard of the Hospital by the Relief Committee or the Board of Health. The Return of arrears not collated having been considered by the Vice Guardians it was resolved that the following amount of rate being rates on unoccupied premises, be not being considered recoverable for the reasons stated on the Returns be struck off and not carried forward in the new Books:

Galway £702.15.4 1/2	Claregalway £49.18.1 1/2
Inycullen £21.19.2 1/2	Lambagh £24.6.0 1/2
Killainn £44.1.6	Athney £29.9.3
Cughteraid 31.5.8 1/2	Ormswell £34.19.4 1/4
Urran 3.14.9	B. County £32.9.4
Amadown 47.15.6 3/4	Stradbally 2.19.6 1/2

Resolved that the meeting be adjourned to Saturday 22nd Sept

L. Fitzmaurice }
Mr. Hall } Vice Guardians

At an adjourned meeting of the Vice Guardians of Galway Union held on Saturday the 22 day of September 1849.

present in the Chair Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. & other Guardians. John Hall Esq. & J. J. J.

The Clerk reported that the Bonds of Mr. Richard Kelly, Mr. James O'Brien and Mr. John Gill recently appointed Collectors of Poor Rates in Galway Union had been duly executed by them and their Sureties and also produced to the Vice Guardians the Collecting Books for the Electoral Divisions of Cutheraid. Amadown, Claregalway, Ballinacourt and Stradbally duly filled up with the warrants annexed.

Resolved. That the warrants to authorise Mr. Richard Kelly to collect the Rate and arrears in the Electoral Divisions of Amadown and Claregalway and the warrants to authorise Mr. John Gill to collect the rate and arrears in the Electoral Divisions of Cughteraid and James O'Brien in Ballinacourt and

and Stradbally do now receive the Seal of the Union and be signed and thereupon the seal of the Union was affixed to the said several warrants and the same were duly signed by the Vice Guardians and countersigned by the Clerk.

The meeting was adjourned to Monday the 24 September for the purpose of signing the warrants of more of the collecting books.

L. Fitzmaurice } Vice Guardians

W. Hall }
Wentworth Club

At an adjourned meeting of the Vice Guardians of Galway Union held on Monday the 24 September 1849

Present in the Chair Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V.G.
other Guardians John Hall Esq. V.G. P.S.D.

The Clerk produced to the Vice Guardians the collecting books for the Electoral Divisions of Killanin, Sackagh Athenry and Crannmore duly filled up with the warrants annexed.

Resolved That the warrant to authorise Mr. Terence O'Brien to collect the rate and arrears in the Electoral Division of Killanin and the warrant

warrant to authorise Mr. Charles O'Brien to collect the rate and arrears in the Electoral Divisions of Sackagh and Athenry and the warrant to authorise Mr. James O'Brien to collect the rate and arrears in the Electoral Division of Crannmore do now receive the seal of the Union and be signed and thereupon the seal of the Union was affixed to the said several warrants and the same were duly signed by the Vice Guardians and countersigned by the Clerk.

The meeting was adjourned to Tuesday the 25 September to sign the remainder of the warrants.

L. Fitzmaurice } Vice Guardians

W. Hall }
Wentworth Club

At an adjourned meeting of the Vice Guardians of the Galway Union held on Tuesday the 25 September 1849.

Present in the Chair Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V.G.
other Guardians John Hall Esq. V.G. P.S.D.

The Clerk produced to the Vice Guardians the collecting books for the Electoral Divisions of Moycullen, Arran and the Claddagh, Gowl, Newtown Smith merchants

Merchants and College Wards of Galway Electoral Division duly filled up with the warrants annexed.

Resolved. That the warrant to authorise Mr. Donathon Jones to collect the Rate and arrears in the Electoral Divisions of Moycullen and the warrant to authorise Mr. Samuel Cross to collect the Rate and arrears in the Electoral Division of Aran and the warrants to authorise Mr. Samuel Cross to collect the Rate and arrears in Claddagh and Jail Wards of the Galway Electoral Division and the warrants to authorise Mr. Edward Consideine to collect the Rate and arrears in the Newtown-Smith, College and Merchants wards of the Galway Electoral Division do now receive the seal of the Union and be signed and thereupon the seal of the Union was affixed to the said several warrants and the same were duly signed by the Vice Guardians and countersigned by the Clerk.

W. H. Hall } Vice Guardians
W. Hall }

W. H. Hall }
 Clerk

41 *Galway* UNION.
 Population in 1841, Present Net Annual Value,
 STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of September 1849.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,	1000	1336													
Temporary Buildings,	495	54													
Additional Workhouse,	1350	1188													
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,	300	"													
Total,	3145	2568													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			35	15	154	119	503	400	43	"	"	2639			
Admitted during the Week,			5	4	16	58	64	54	2	"	"	1204			
TOTAL,			40	19	170	187	627	454	45	"	"	2843			
Discharged during the Week,			2	1	36	183	22	20	4	"	"	274			
Died,			"	1	2	3	3	"	"	"	"	11			
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	2	38	186	25	28	4	"	"	285			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			38	17	132	121	602	426	41	"	"	2558			

Flora 26
Dysentery 58
Starvation 103
 Total 187

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22 day of September 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.	307	632	"	"	307	632	Bt. forward	1280	3074	"	"	1280	3074
No. II.	169	375	"	"	169	375	No. X.	127	280	"	"	127	280
No. III.	99	265	"	"	99	265	No. XI.	55	154	"	"	55	154
No. IV.	57	121	"	"	57	121	No. XII.	53	181	"	"	53	181
No. V.	175	373	"	"	175	373	No. XIII.	31	79	"	"	31	79
No. VI.	173	390	"	"	173	390	No. XIV.	80	186	"	"	80	186
No. VII.	113	319	"	"	113	319	No. XV.	47	120	"	"	47	120
No. VIII.	136	369	"	"	136	369	No. XVI.	17	50	"	"	17	50
No. IX.	63	170	"	"	63	170	No. XVII.	87	223	"	"	87	223
Car. forward	1280	3074	"	"	1280	3074	TOTAL,	1783	4299	"	"	1783	4299

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 28 day of September 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Louis Fitzmaurice Esq. C. G.

Other Guardians:

Colm Hall Esq. C. G. and J. D. S.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 5796 to No. 5899, 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. 31023 to No. 31134, 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:



HARRISON & SONS, London.

POST OFFICE TELEGRAPHS.

No. of Message.

If the accuracy of an Inland Telegram be doubted, the telegram will be repeated on payment of half the amount originally paid for its transmission; and if it be found that there was any inaccuracy, the amount paid for repetition will be refunded. Special conditions are applicable to the repetition of Foreign Telegrams.

Dated Stamp of

N.B.—This Form must accompany any inquiry made respecting this Telegram.

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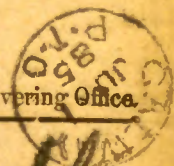
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The date of the order forming the Oughterard Union is the ~~10th~~ 8th of October 1849

Outerard
1st June 85

Dear Mr. Mullery

I regret that I cannot be at your Committee meeting to-morrow relative to amalgam of Outerard Union but I give at foot some statistics which I trust will ~~through~~ ^{throw} some light on the matter and show the public the absurdity of the project.

I am Sir
Yours truly
Thos. Cowroy

First there are 14 divisions in the Outerard union of these only one ^{Clonbur} would benefit as to distance by being joined to Ballinrobe for instance the nearest point of this to Ballinrobe is 5 miles and the nearest point to Outerard of it is 17 miles —

Curr Ed from B. Robe 18 miles from Outerard 10 miles —

Cony — from B. Robe 13 miles Do Outerard 11

Letterfore — B. Robe 21 Outerard 2 & from Galway 16 miles — Letterbickham from

Ballinrobe 21 Outerard 14 Galway

28 & Westport 14 — Ross from B. Robe

23 ~~Robe~~ Outerard 16. Westport

28 & Galway 33. Furlough from

B. Robe 33 Outerard 16 Galway 33

Clifden 29 & Westport 40 Camus

nearly the same Lettermore

from B. Robe 40 Outerard 21 Galway

22 Westport 42 Clifden 33

Grumma nearly same as last

Crumpan from Ballinrobe 44 miles

Outerard 33 Galway 20 & Clifden

56 miles Outerard E. is 14

from Galway and S. 26 from

Clifden — and the divisions

on the Galway side of Outerard

I need not tell you what

distance they are away

in the Outer and Union
there are about 20,000
inhabitants and you will
see that out of all these
only about 4000 would be
served by the change viz—
Clonbur division 2,000
and Crumpraun 2,000
while the remainder
would be put to the
inconvenience of going
from 3 to 20 miles farther
than at present and
all this to please the
whims and save the
Purse of Lord Ardillan & Co
without for a moment
taking into consideration
the loss to the great majority
of Ratepayers as well as the
Sick poor

Besides all this I am
of opinion that the
change would not reduce
the Rates a penny in the
Outer and Union,

I am both Ratepayer &
Guardian in both Unions
and would wish very much
for the prosperity of each
but under the Circumstances
I can not see any advantage
save to those already
named therefore I wish
it to be understood that
I for one am Against the
Change, I am &c

The Coroner
& High St. Galway

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That notice of rate having been made had been inserted in the Galway papers and posted throughout the Union;
That notice had been given to the Relieving Officers respecting the keeping of their Weekly account Books as directed;
That the other orders of the Board had been carried into effect as directed:

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, - £380.0.0
Paid during the week, - £494.2.3
And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £162.3.4
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.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Samuel Croft	Galway No. 1	505	7	62	
"	Maan	545	2		
			505	9	62
Edward Scudine	Galway No. 2	636	13	11	
Jonathan Jones	Mayville	232	18	72	
Seneca O'Brien	Hillamin	287	1	72	
Schulzill	Cughterard	224	1	94	
Richard Kelly	Annadown	159	14	12	
"	Clawgalway	118	8	62	
			277	4	284
Charles O'Brien	Sancreph	136	13		
"	Athney	90	9	32	
			227	7	232
James O'Brien	Aranmore	150	10	2	
"	Ballinacordy	148	4	52	
"	Shadally	406	7	10	
			339	2	43
			0	0	278
			0	0	78
			0	0	278

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.

Received from Govt. £380.0.0

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 112.6.7 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 £112.6.7 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ 112. 6. 7
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	135. 15. 0 1/4
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	135. 15. 0 1/4
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0. 0. 11 3/4
Average cost in Infirmary,	0. 1. 7
And Average cost in Fever Hospital,	0. 1. 11 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:

- 2 Tons first flow 36 lb paper
- 3 " fine meal 257. Head
- 1 " Valley Meal 4 Quarts Whiskey
- 1 " Bad Meal 6 Bottles Wine
- 2 " Oatmeal 6 Tons Oats
- 5000 Quarts New Mills 60 Boxes of Soap
- 800 " " " 40 lb Dept. candles
- 2 Tons Salt 2 Loads fine Hard = 2 Loads
- 12 lb Tea 70 lb Washing Soda
- 175 " Sugar 14 lb in oil
- 3 " loaf Sugar 14 lb in oil

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 29 day of Sept; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	£ 105. 6. 11
In kind,	-	-	-	105. 1. 9
				Total, - 105. 8. 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.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	Crummell	"	2 Tons	15. 10. 0	By forward				
No. II.	Petel	"	1/2 "	3. 17. 4	No. X.	Craven	"	1 Ton 7. 15. 0	
No. III.	Griffin	"			No. XI.	Sat Monie	"		
No. IV.	Bloune	"			No. XII.	Oullen	2.0.0		
No. V.	Flanagan	"	1 Ton	7. 15. 0	No. XIII.	"			
No. VI.	Warpley	"	1 Ton	7. 15. 0	No. XIV.	Penine	"		
No. VII.	Monice	"			No. XV.	Syon	2.0.0		
No. VIII.	Dacey	"	1 Ton	7. 15. 0	No. XVI.	"			
No. IX.	Donogh	"			No. XVII.	"			
Car. forward.			5 1/2 Tons	42. 12. 6	TOTAL,		4.0.0	5 1/2 Tons 80. 7. 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.
George Langmuir on folio	34	12	3
John O'Grady Clerk pay of Bills	5	8	9

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

2. Establishment Account.

John O'Grady Clerk payment of Bills	34	14	3
Mark Thomas payment on	4	15	4
George Thomas do	7	16	6
David Hurley Schoolmaster	19	13	6
Mr Scully nurse infall	6		
John O'Grady Clerk payment of Bills	10	11	2

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Rush and Balcan Flour	33	13	
Thomas M'Purse Ind Meal	25	14	6
Burroughs Milk	4	4	8
John Harrison Milk	32	11	0
M'naughtin Groceries	4	13	8
Malsh John Meat	3	2	6
James Ryan of Coals	5	17	4
John Joubell Fuel	3	10	
Flattery Cath Soap & Candles	8	1	11
Mr Remington Milk	3	2	6
M'naughtin Groceries	5	12	9
Matt O'Connell oatmeal	11	15	0
James of Coals	3	18	0

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Thomas M'Purse Indian Meal	17	3	0
do Cholera Account	151	9	0
William Wood Meat	11	1	6
do Fever Hospital of	54	11	4
Warrington Salary as Clerk	1	15	0
Orville Martin Rent of Hospital	1	6	0
Donner & Sons Soap & Candles	2	9	0
Geaney Jay do to 29 Sept	5	5	0
Kelly Ellen do	3	15	0
Mary M'Dermott do	10	10	0
Mr M'Carthy Party	7	10	0
Quinn on John Men	14	8	0
Lyne of Coals	1	7	0
do	6	7	0
M'naughtin Groceries	2	17	11
Roughan Mr Salary	5	9	0
O'Grady Clerk Pay Bills	4	19	4

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 Visiting Committee Book was produced and read.

Reports of Officers

The Master required the following Books for the ensuing half year.

Weekly Relief List, Admission & discharge Book and Provision Book account
Ordered that the Clerk will supply these Books

Master reported that D. Reidradsen reported himself on this morning, and

Master required the following
20 Gross of Buttons 1/2 Crate of Glass

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

500 of 1/2 Nails	1 lb pitch
100 of 6d Nails	1 Gallon oil
2 lb resin	1/2 Stone of whitening
120 Yards fabric	3 dozen of 1/2 Nails
2 lb thread	1/2 lb hemp

Ordered

The Assistant Master at Dangan reported that the adult males at Dangan could be removed to the Workhouse.
Ordered, that any adult males at Dangan be removed from Dangan to the Workhouse.

Required the following:
1 Kettle and 2 Bed pots

Ordered

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 19 Sept 1849 for the reelection of the Board of Guardians of the Galway Union on the 1st Nov next.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 19th Sept 1849 No. 587 M/49 in reference to the Justices qualified to act in the office of Guardians of the Galway Union according to the provision of the act 12 & 13 Vic Cap 104.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 22 Sept 1848 No. 59399/49 in reference to the contract made with Messrs Kelly and Griffin for mason work and requesting to be furnished with a copy of the specification of the works upon 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):

Ordered That the specification be obtained from the Clerk of Works and forwarded to the Commissioners

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 25 Sept 1849 No. 58204 expressing their sanction of the Rates of poundage proposed to be given to the new Collectors and enclosing queries to be answered and signed by Messrs Croft and Giffen Bail who has been appointed Poor Rate Collector and Assistant Master of the Workhouse respectively.

Poor Law Commissioners circular 26 Sept 1849 No. 59661/49 in reference to the provisions of the act 12 & 13 Vic Cap 86 authorizing the Public Works Loan Commissioners to make additional advances for Building Workhouses in Ireland and stating that the issue of any such additional advances will be contingent on the repayments which may be made by the Guardians of the advances heretofore made and requesting the Guardians to cause to be entered on the Minutes an account of the several instalments already due

Ordered That the necessary account be prepared and inserted on the Minutes by the Clerk

Poor Law Commissioners letter 27 Sept 1849 No. 61108 enclosing queries to be answered and signed by Mr. Thomas O'Sullivan and Mr. O'Connell who have been appointed the Master and Nurse in the Workhouse respectively.

Letter from Commissioners Vice Guardians desiring to sanction the proposed increase to the salary of the Protestant Chaplain

Letter from the Commissioners Vice Guardians requesting that the Vice Guardians would vote on their Meeting to return the part of the Inspection of the Clerks return and the Medical Officers Books:

Letter from the Commissioners Vice Guardians relative to the proceedings to be adopted in cases where Crops had been removed to avoid their being seized for Rates:

Letter from Mr. Ryan formerly Landlord of Shaw Lodge applying for Rent and let and Damages occasioned as he alleges by the Vice Guardians overholding possession of that Building after their term expired amounting to £100 and stating that it had been agreed to have the matter to arbitration of which Mr. Lucas Poor Law Inspector was aware:

Ordered That the documents be referred to the Commissioners for instructions

Letter from the Treasurer of the Union 22 Sept 1849 acknow. ledging receipt of Clerks letter with Rate in Aid Cash Book:

Inspector reported that the Boards of Mr. Edward Conside and Samuel Croft. Mr. General O'Brien and Mr. Charles O'Brien recently appointed Collectors of poor Rate in the Galway Union had been executed by them and their Successors.

The Vice Guardians having taken into consideration the outstanding debts of the Union Resolved That Notice be given on the Local Papers requiring persons having claims against the Union to furnish their accounts in detail with vouchers annexed on or before the 11th October next.

Tenders for medicine were considered when it was Resolved That the tender of Messrs Leslie and Company

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

Dublin for supplying the Workhouse to the 25 March 1850 with Medicine at the prices stated in their order accepted Mr Patrick Power recently appointed Relieving Officer for Killeurin West attended the Board and named Mr James O'Brien of Kells in the County of Clare and Mr James Drew of Drummore in the County of Clare as his Trustees which were approved of and Mr Martin Ward recently appointed Relieving Officer for the District of Killeurin South named Mr John Raftery of Amagh and Mr John Ward of Corbally in the County of Galway as his Trustees which were approved of.

It appearing that Mr Blakeney Solicitor to the Board had drawn a cheque in favour of the Vice Guardians for £65.5.5 in or about August 1849 on account of Rates in his hands and that the Vice Guardians had drawn a cheque for a similar amount in favour of Mr Blakeney on the 25 August 1848 on account of his Bill of Costs and that neither of said Cheques had yet been paid payment having been stopped at the Bank though the Cheque passed to Mr Blakeney had been charged in the Union accounts and credited to the Treasurer it was considered expedient to have the matter arranged previous to the termination of the current half year An interview was therefore had with Mr Blakeney and it was agreed between him and the Vice Guardians that both Cheques should be forthwith paid this being done by endorsement on the Vice Guardians Cheque and by Mr Blakeney's directions it was ordered.

That the Treasurer be debited with the amount of the cheque handed by Mr Blakeney to the Vice Guardians and that Mr Blakeney be credited with that sum.

Several minor accounts appearing on the Ledger it was considered desirable that the same should be settled previous to the termination of the half year.

It was resolved that a sum of £1.17.6 appearing due of faste Bar Union for rates be applied for.

A sum of £1.4.10 appears due to J. Mead. Ordered that a cheque for same be filled up.

A sum of £2.12.4 1/2 appears due of Laurence Penarty formerly a Relieving Officer. This sum was however retained out of the salary due to him. Ordered that the above sum be debited to outstanding exp^{ts} and credited to Penarty's ac^t.

A sum of 17/6 appears due of J. O'Connell late Relieving Officer under similar circumstances. Ordered that same be debited to outstanding exp^{ts} and credited to O'Connell's account.

A sum of £3.10.0 appears due of P. Lambert late Master

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

being produce of Bernard Inial sold some Laine and returned to him. Ordered that same be charged to outstanding exp^{ts} Mr account as payment on account of Mr Lambert and credited to his personal account.

A sum of £1.18.4 1/2 appears due of Mr M^r McDonagh late Relieving Officer. Ordered that same be charged to outstanding exp^{ts} as account as payment on account of his salary and credited to his personal account.

A sum of 18/6 appears due of J. Nottingham late Relieving Officer. Ordered that same be charged in outstanding exp^{ts} account as payment on account of his salary and credited to his personal account.

A sum of £1.8.7 appears due of Mr Dowling late R^l Officer being excess of stock in his hands at closing his accounts. Ordered that the above sum be debited to Dowling's personal account and credited to Galway E. Division.

A sum of 19/6 appears due of Thomas Francis late R^l Officer. Ordered that application be made to him for the above sum being the value of a surplus of stock in his hands when closing his accounts.

Ordered that the above sum be debited to his personal account and credited to Galway Eastern Division for which he was acting.

A sum of £82.2.0 appears due to J. Evans. Ordered that same be carried to outstanding exp^{ts} account.

A sum of £1.1.8 appears to credit of Mr B. Hasler late R^l Officer being the value of a surplus stock on closing his accounts. Ordered that same be debited to his account and credited to the Galway Eastern Division for which he was acting.

Proposals for situation of Store Keeper being taken into consideration and on examination of the candidates none who appeared to be eligible having come forward. It was Resolved that the Commissioners be requested to permit the Guardians to retain the services of the present Store Keeper until they shall be enabled to obtain a proper person to replace him.

On closing the accounts of the late Collector it appeared that they had retained in their hands the following sums on account of rates:

John Fullinham & Henry E.O.	£0.1.0
J. Walsh Crannore	4.19.0 1/2
J. Walsh Ballinacorney	30.19.8 1/2
do Thadhbally	6.19.6 1/2
Red. McDonagh Arran	6.3.7
G. R. McDonald Ballyhenry	232.5.2 1/4

Ordered that the above sums be credited to the divisions in respect of which they were paid and debited to the parties above mentioned and that they be directed to do so the same forthwith with the Treasurers or proceedings will be instituted against them and their Trustees.

Ordered that the offer of Mr Lynch of Barua to supply 30 tons of oaten straw at 15/0 cwt be accepted.

No arrangements having been made for affording divine service of religious instruction to the pauper inmates of Dungan Auxiliary Workhouse it was ordered that they attend divine service at the Workhouse on Sundays and Holidays under the charge of the Officers of the Auxiliary Establishments.

It appearing that the number of inmates in the Mycullen Temporary Fever Hospital is so much reduced being now only 19 that the building, used as a convalescent home is no longer required it was ordered that it be given up to Messrs. Bohen the representative of the person from whom it was taken, and an order on the Porter of the Temporary Hospital to this effect was made out and handed to her:

The materials for mens clothing being now made up it was ordered that the services of the paid Tailor be now dispensed with and that the Master Tailor with the pauper Tailors assisting him apply themselves to repairing the clothing of the male inmates of the Workhouse and that the following materials for such repairs be procured:

- 30 yards of grey frieze
- 12 " Blue "
- 20 " of Horduray.

Ordered that the Master have the work out clothing ready for the inspection of the Vice Guardians as soon as possible

Mrs. McMahon came before the Board and agreed to undertake the duties of Hospital Nurse to the Galway Workhouse Hospital at a salary of £20 a Year with the usual Rations and apartments

Ordered that the Commissioners leave be obtained in permission to allow Mrs. McMahon's infant child age 5 weeks to remain with her in the Workhouse. Mrs. McMahon agreeing to provide accommodation out of the Workhouse for another child of hers age 15 years:

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 5th October 1849.

Wm. Minion & J. J. Guadain
 W. H. Hall
 John O'pady (Clerk)

Population in 1841, Present Net Annual Value,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 29 day of Sept 1849.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date.	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	1001												
Temporary Buildings,	495	31												
Additional Workhouse,	1350	1165												
Permanent Fever Hospital,														
Fever Sheds,	300	"												
Total,	3145	2557												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			38	17	432	1001	602	426	42	"	"	2538	In Workhouse Hospital, 180	In separate Wards, 7
Admitted during the Week,			"	2	11	26	114	13	"	"	"	66	In Fever Hospital, 4	In Wards with other inmates, 4
TOTAL,			38	19	443	1027	616	439	42	"	"	2604	Total, 180	Total, 7
Discharged during the Week,			"	3	26	13	10	4	"	"	"	58		
Died,			"	1	2	1	2	3	"	"	"	9		
Total Discharged and Dead,			"	4	28	14	12	9	"	"	"	67		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			38	15	415	1013	604	430	42	"	"	2537		

Peru 22
 Dysentery 60
 other cases 28
 Total 180

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29 day of September 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.	303	707	"	"	303	707	Bt. forward						
No. II.	163	361	"	"	163	361	No. X.	120	273	"	"	120	273
No. III.	93	232	"	"	93	232	No. XI.	59	162	"	"	59	162
No. IV.	52	122	"	"	52	122	No. XII.	53	177	"	"	53	177
No. V.	155	359	"	"	155	359	No. XIII.	36	90	"	"	36	90
No. VI.	178	399	"	"	178	399	No. XIV.	79	184	"	"	79	184
No. VII.	111	314	"	"	111	314	No. XV.	48	119	"	"	48	119
No. VIII.	156	409	"	"	156	409	No. XVI.	16	46	"	"	16	46
No. IX.	51	148	"	"	51	148	No. XVII.	93	241	"	"	93	241
Car. forward							TOTAL,	1770	4355	"	"	1770	4355

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

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Laura Aquino, J. G.*
 Other Guardians: *John Hall, J. G. and J. S.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 5907 to No. 5965, 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. 31057 to No. 31092, 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 forwarded the specification as directed to the Commissioners

That he enclosed to the Commissioners Mr. Ryan's papers respecting Shaw Lodge and that he caused 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, £244.19.11

Paid during the week, £380.12.8 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £1546.9.7

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 judgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Loggd by Mr. Blakeney to credit of his account £65 5 5

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Samuel Croft	Galway No. 1	76	14	6	4980	130	1/2
	Arara	"	"	"	548	2	0
		76	14	6	5528	130	1/2
Edward Josidice	Galway No. 2	84	5	0	628	8	11
Nathaniel Jones	Moycullen	"	"	"	232	18	7/2
Louisa O'Brien	Killanure	"	"	"	287	1	7/2
John Gill	Creepsterard	18	15	0	2223	2	9/2
Richard Kelly	Annadown	"	"	"	1590	14	1/2
"	Claregalway	"	"	"	1183	8	6/2
		0	0	0	277	2	8/2
Charles O'Brien	Lackagh.	"	"	"	1369	13	0
"	Athenny	"	"	"	907	9	3/2
		0	0	0	2277	2	3/2
James O'Brien	Oranmore	"	"	"	1503	10	7/2
"	Ballyracomty	"	"	"	1481	4	5/2
"	Shadball	"	"	"	406	7	10
		0	0	0	339	2	4/2
					17914	62	14

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 £151.18.2 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	151	18	2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	169	0	11 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	169	0	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	1	8 1/2
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	0	1	1

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 Tons Rye meal
- 1/2 " Barley meal
- 2 " Indian Meal
- 1/2 " Oatmeal
- 6000 quarts of new milk
- 40 lbs Tea
- 46 " Sugar
- 2 " loaf Sugar
- 30 " Pepper
- 250 lb meat
- 49 quarts whiskey
- 6 Tons fowls
- 60 Boxes Lard
- 40 lbs dip candles
- 3 1/2 " Sticks
- 100 lbs washing Soda
- 1/2 " Button Blue
- 2 " Hops
- 7 " Malt and
- 6 " 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 29 day of Sept; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	0	19	2
In kind,	114	3	1

Total, - 115.2.3 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.
No. I.	Councilly	1/2	1/2	11.12.1	Bt. forward				
No. II.	Petit	1/2	1/2	7.15.0	No. X.	Creaven	1/2	1/2	7.15.0
No. III.	Linffin				No. XI.	Sarmonis			
No. IV.	Browne				No. XII.	Cullen			
No. V.	Flanagan				No. XIII.	"			
No. VI.	Murphy	1/2	1/2	7.15.0	No. XIV.	Keenan			
No. VII.	O'Connor				No. XV.	"			
No. VIII.	Darcy	1/2	1/2	7.15.0	No. XVI.	"			
No. IX.	J. Morris				No. XVII.	"			
Car. forwd.				1/2	TOTAL,				

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.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.			
2. Establishment Account.			
John Brady Payment of Bills	10	6	7
John Brady Clerk for Copying Note books	15	0	0
Michael Finn Tuill M ^o	16	13	4
John Brady, Clerk pay ^o of Sundersham C ^o	24	9	6 1/2

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

John Harrison - Milk	31	7	7 1/2
Rushard Peluse Flour	57	7	6 1/2
Thomas M ^o purse Cash M ^o	8	11	6 1/2
Rimingham Mill	6	2	6 1/2
M ^o receipt Groceries	7	6	8 1/2
John Walsh Meat	3	18	1 1/2
John D ^o Coals	5	17	1 1/2
Cornell's Soap	3	10	1 1/2
Flattay Soap	1	0	6 1/2

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

None			
General Hospital of			
Doct ^r Longman M ^o Salary	40	0	0
Forkes Head	46	2	7 1/2
Cosellae - Groceries	18	16	1 1/2
Walsh's Milk	13	4	3 1/2
Law Funeral S. G. & Co			
Michael Kilguff Coffin	1	18	3 1/2
Henry Rd Cloth	26	1	0 1/2
Walter Coffin	1	6	1 1/2
Rushes Coffin	1	2	9 1/2

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:

Officers Reports.

That robbery was committed on the morning of the 4th inst by some persons at present unknown who entered the Workhouse and took the greater part of a bale of goods being one of three that were in the passage leading to the Laundry An entry was also made into the Bakery by forcing open one of the windows and took therefrom about five stone of flour and about 16 - 4lb loaves of Bread with a pair of shoes which was left there by one of the Bakers: that information was given to the police and after a most diligent search men & one woman were taken having several articles of the Union Property in their possession. Information was given to the parties brought before the Magistrate on the following petty session day but in consequence of the Union brand being much obliterated the articles could not be identified even if the parties were discharged and one remained for the next quarter sessions

Required by the Motion 10 lbs of white & 10 lbs of black housewife thread. Ordered

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

The Agricultural Instructor suggested that the cabbages should be used in the Soup instead of the caulots a large quantity of the former being available and a demand being for the latter Ordered that all the vegetables be retained for soups & cabbages that find allowed in the Day School Room henceforward.

The Agricultural Instructor req^d a cask of blasting powder and some fuse as a considerable amount of blasting is required to be done at Dagen - Ordered that it may be had as it may be required

Reported that he purchased a lock to secure the house in which he keeps the potatoes &c. - approved of Required. 10 Baulds of line - Ordered -

The Medical Officer recommended that the Heads of the children whose hair is cut short and who have sore heads should be washed with a brush Soap and warm water and requested the W^o Guardians would order a few brushes - approved of - Ordered -

Recommended that the roof of west house be put in repair and that the Water pipes leading to the Hospital be also put in repair

This matter was referred to the flock of Wards

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

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 22 Sept 1849 received the 30 Sept / requesting to be furnished by the 1st of October with Returns of the Collection and of the Liabilities and Expenses of the Union for the month of August.

The Clerk stated that he forwarded those returns by the post of the 2nd Inst.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 29 Sept 1849 No 599 w/49 requesting to be furnished with statements of the no. of persons relieved and cost of relief during weeks ended the 8th 15th and 22nd Sept respectively

The Clerk stated that he furnished those statements to the Commissioners - the one for the 8th inst. previous to the receipt by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively, as follows): of the letter and the other two as soon after as he was enabled to do so:

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 29 September 1849 No 61326 w/49 expressing their sanction of the appointment of Mr. Thomas O'Saughlin who has been appointed Schoolmaster of the Workhouse.

Ordered. That Mr. O'Saughlin be required to execute the necessary security.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 1st October 1849 No 6084 w/49 requesting to be furnished with particulars respecting the current rates and any new rates agreed upon

The Clerk stated that he supplied this information to the Commissioners

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 2nd October 1849 No 68504/49 stating that they have no objection to the proposed appointment of Dr. Whistler as Medical Officer of the Cranmore Dispensary

Ordered That the Commissioners be requested to inform the Vis Guardians if they received any

any communication from the Board of Health relative to the withdrawal of their certificate for the appointment of a Medical Officer to the Cranmore Dispensary as the Vis Guardians would be anxious to appoint Dr. Whistler, under the provisions of the 10th Vic Cap 31 and Sec 5, as stated in their resolution of the 14 Sept: -

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 2nd Oct 1849 w/49 No 619 enclosing queries to be answered and signed by the persons who have been appointed relieving Officers in the Kilkenny West and Kilkenny South Districts

The Clerk stated the queries were previously to the receipt of this letter forwarded to the Commissioners

Poor Law Commissioners letter 2nd Oct 1849 No 609 w/49 requesting that the Weekly Returns of Collection should be forwarded immediately following the day of the Collection attendance and requesting that the returns for a few previous weeks should be forwarded at once.

The Clerk stated that the Returns for the 15th and 22nd Sept were forwarded on the day previous to the receipt of the letter - ordered. That arrangements be made to obtain the Treasurers account on every Saturday evening so that the Commissioners may be supplied with

Read Letter from Mr. Jones recently appointed Collector of poor rates in the Mayfield Central Division stating that he had been detained in Casterea for a few days longer than he expected but that

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

be

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).

He would be in Galway on Thursday the 4th to take up his books

Read Letter from National Education Office stating that the free Stock of Books for the male and female National Schools had been forwarded

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners to the Guardians with a copy of a sealed order for the removal of Mr John Connor from the office of Relieving Officer for the district in the Galway Union in consequence of a report from the Inspector of the Union detailing the misapplication of Relief money by Connor

Resolved That notice be inserted in the Galway papers for a person to be appointed to the office of Relieving Officer for the above District in the place of John Connor on the former terms proposed to be received on the 19th Inst.

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners to the Guardians declining to sanction the purchasing of 2 acres of land for the purposes of a cemetery from Mr Blake as they considered the terms too high and the ground not well suited for the purpose

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners with Memorial from certain persons in the Claddagh Ward of the Galway Division alleging themselves destitute Widows and applying for Relief.

Resolved That the Commissioners be informed that the said Guardians never refuse Relief unless where they are satisfied the parties have other resources and that in all doubtful cases they order admission to the Workhouse

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

It appearing that about of Bailey's mace cost £8:0:0 was received into the Workhouse during the week ended the 25 August and not acknowledged on the previous Bank by the Lab Master And it also appearing that this quantity made up a portion of the one plus of this article which was ordered in Minutes of 14th ultimo to be credited to maintenance account It was ordered that the above quantity sum be credited to Invoice account and debited to maintenance account

A Report was read from Mr Sester Sanatory Officer reporting that he had been successful in securing the removal of many private nuisances, but that he found considerable difficulty in getting the slush removed from the Streets as the Town Commissioners stated that they had no funds to apply to that purpose

A Letter was read from Mr Martin Morris Clauing sent for a building used as a temporary Fever Hospital at Spiddal up to the Spinas. As the said Guardians believe that the statements therein contained an error It was ordered that the document be forwarded to the Commissioners requesting their instructions as to the payment of the sum claimed:

The form of consent accompanying the Commissioners letter of the 26 August to assist in the emigration of 25th orphans from the Galway Workhouse the expense not to exceed £20 the pound on the next annual sale of the divisions to which they were chargeable was duly filled and signed by the said Guardians Mr Pringleton of Dangan came before the Board to request that the said Guardians would endorse a cheque for £20 which he received from the former said Guardians so that he may be p^d it by the Treasurer It appearing that the cheque referred to had been already credited to the Treasurer and

Deleted

debited to Invoice and appeared in the Union accounts as an outstanding Cheque
 Ordered That the Cheque be endorsed by the Guardian which was accordingly done
 Ordered That notices be served on the Shoemakers and Bootmakers in the Town for tenders for supplying 100 pairs of strong Shoes & Brogues for the Corp engaged in Agriculture at Claugan to be considered at the next meeting.

Ordered That the following be obtained from A. Martin Sons 250 Pairs Glancey caps. 100 new flat Scotch caps. 600 yds of Canturoy (1/2 inch) similar to sample

Ordered That 500 yards of Stupe for girls frocks be got from Mr. Farquharson:

Referring to the Commissioner's letter of the 26 Sept requesting that the Guardian would cause to be entered on their Minutes an account of the advances in loan at present due

Resolved That the Commissioners be informed that the amount of instalments already due amounts to £3,905. that no payments have been made but the deductions that were made on the report of Colonel Barney of £440 and the amount of the instalments already due is £3,905

Seven notices of appeal for the Quarter Sessions & one for the Recorder Sessions to be set at Galway having been served

Ordered That there be handed to the Solicitor to take the necessary steps to support the Rate and that the Assessor do get notice to attend

John Fitzmaurice } Guardians
 M. Hall }

Handy Club

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

6 day of October 1849.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Children under 2 years.	Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		
			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										<i>In consequence of a Revision of the Books having taken place with this week some of the entries in the Books, the use of such cases were also several cases were found on the Books, and the No. of such cases were 905. Both these now are included in the admissions by Discharge of this week for the purpose of correcting the Books</i> Jaeger 18 Dysentery 64 of the Scurvy 86 Total 168	
Temporary Buildings,	495											
Additional Workhouse,	1950											
Permanent Fever Hospital,	300											
Fever Sheds,												
Total,	3145											
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			13	39	361	974	500	110	25	42		
Admitted during the Week,			7	5	78	248	144	114	4	3	1	
TOTAL,			20	44	439	1222	644	224	29	45	1	
Discharged during the Week,			3	8	82	38	872	114	15	23		
Died,						1	51		1			
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	8	82	38	872	114	15	24		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			17	36	357	833	462	139	29	21	1	

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but 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, but 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.
1 No. I.	274	631	"	"	274	631	Bt. forward						
2 No. II.	142	358	"	"	142	358	No. X.	43	132	"	"	43	132
8 No. III.	87	226	"	"	87	226	No. XI.	100	213	"	"	100	213
3 No. IV.	95	244	"	"	95	244	No. XII.	60	156	"	"	60	156
4 No. V.	49	116	"	"	49	116	No. XIII.	53	172	"	"	53	172
5 No. VI.	145	350	"	"	145	350	No. XIV.	31	77	"	"	31	77
6 No. VII.			"	"			No. XV.	73	163	"	"	73	163
7 No. VIII.	111	314	"	"	111	314	No. XVI.	48	114	"	"	48	114
9 No. IX.	135	344	"	"	135	344	No. XVII.	16	51	"	"	16	51
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

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

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. D.C.
 Other Guardians: John Hall Esq. D.C. & P.D.S.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3966 to No. 6166, 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. 3193 to No. 31236, 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 called upon the Schoolmaster to execute the necessary security, that he communicated with the Commissioners on the subject of the appointment of Doctor Wheatley to the Ramore Dispensary - That he enclosed to the Commissioners Mr Morris's letter, and that he carried out the orders of the last Board

Received from Government
£ 300.. 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, - £ 757.. 16.. 7
Paid during the week, - £ 753.. 17.. 4
And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 1538.. 8.. 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.
Samuel Cross	Galweg No	148	16	9	48	16	3 1/2
"	Arran	"	"	"	548	2	"
		148	16	9	537	18	3 1/2
Edmund Sproudie	Galweg No 2	189	3	9	60	9	5 1/2
Snathu Jones	Inycullew	"	"	"	232	18	7 1/2
Thomas O'Brien	Killeanie	"	"	"	287	1	7 1/2
John Gill	Coynterard	56	16	4	216	6	3 1/4
Richard Kelly	Amadorn	"	"	"	159	14	1 1/4
"	Clarfalway	38	1	3	114	7	3 1/2
		38	1	3	273	1	5 1/2
Charles O'Brien	Lackagh	"	"	"	136	13	"
"	athuney	1	1	"	90	8	3 1/2
		1	1	"	227	1	3 1/2
James O'Brien	Ramore	3	17	6	149	12	6 1/4
"	Ballinacorney	"	"	"	148	4	5 1/2
"	Stradbally	"	"	"	40	7	10
		3	17	6	338	7	10 1/4
	Total	437	16	7	239	17	8 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 £ 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 £ 103 " 9 " 0 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	103.. 9.. 0
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	110.. 18.. 10 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	110.. 18.. 10 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0.. 0.. 11 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	0.. 1.. 6 1/4
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	0.. 0.. 11 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:

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| 1 Ton of First Flour | 250 lbs Meat |
| 3 Tons Meal | 4 quarts Whiskey |
| 1 Ton Barley meal | 6 small Bottles Wine |
| 3 Tons Suet meal | 6 Tons of Coals |
| 1/2 Ton oatmeal | 80 Axes of Iron |
| 600 quarts hurn milk | 50 lbs soft Candles |
| 1/2 Ton salt | 112 lbs Broom Sticks |
| 8 lbs Tea | 16 lb white Soap |
| 46 lbs Sugar | 3 1/2 lb starch |
| 1 lb Soft Sugar | 56 lbs Washing Soda |
| 30 lb Pepper | 1/2 lb Button Blue |
| | 6 lbs 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 6 day of October; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

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.
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
No. I.	Connelly		1 Ton	7.15.0	Bt. forward		8 Tons	62.0.0	
No. II.	Pettit		1 Ton	7.15.0	No. X.	Greene	1 Ton	7.15.0	
No. III.	Piffin		"	"	No. XI.	Morris	1 Ton	7.15.0	
No. IV.	Ward		"	"	No. XII.	Cullen	"	"	
No. V.	Harvey		2 Tons	15.10.0	No. XIII.	"	1 Ton	7.15.0	
No. VI.	Power Murphy		2 Tons	15.10.0	No. XIV.	"	"	"	
No. VII.	Comyn		1 Ton	7.15.0	No. XV.	Turner	"	"	
No. VIII.	D. Arcey		"	"	No. XVI.	"	"	"	
No. IX.	L. Morris		1 Ton	7.15.0	No. XVII.	"	"	"	
Car. forwd.			8 Tons	62.0.0	TOTAL,		11 Tons	85.5.0	

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.
Luke Ryan Shaw	5	3	11

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

2. Establishment Account.

J. B. Blake printing	31	2	10
J. Davies printing	10	8	
J. Davies Sundries	16	17	1
J. O'Brien Salary to 25 June	11	18	8
J. O'Farry Clerk pay. of Bills	7	3	2
W. B. Hartley Sanitary Officer	3		
P. Abington wheels	6		8
L. Fitzmaurice V. G. Salary	62	10	
J. O'Farry Clerk pay. of Bills for Tradesmen	23	13	11

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Outstanding Creditors account			
Mrs. Alley china ware	9	15	6
Emigration Account			
Geo. Farquarson clothing material	4	3	11 1/2
M. Dorley shoes	11	5	
J. Croker Books	3	11	6
J. O'Farry Clerk pay. of Bills	2	11	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:

The Visiting Committee Book was produced and read
Officers Reports

The Master reported that a fire was discovered on the morning of the 7th Inst. in the Bakery (but without loss of property), caused by the carelessness of the persons in charge of the Bakery—

Ordered, that the Baker be cautioned against a recurrence of this excessive carelessness on his part

Required at Dangan for the repairs of clothing 20 yards of Caduus. 40 yards of Frize - ordered
Required 4000 Shoemails 1 dozen of awl knfts and 30 yds of grey Frize - ordered -

The Agricultural instructor required some straw for thatching Hayrick - ordered to be supplied by the Master -

Required the following 2 Boiler lids 1 four stone Coal Measure 200 of 8^d nails and 1 Sauter - ordered

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

The Medical officer reported that the admissions during the week ending this day were 54

Discharges 24

Deaths 7

and that the remaining number for this day was 173

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 8th October 1849 attesting the Union of Salway and taking therefrom the Electoral Division of Oughterard and part of the Electoral Division of Kilsurnin

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 10th October 1849 N^o 64829 M/49, on the subject of the proposed Emigration of Orphan girls from the Workhouse to Australia and stating that the Ship which has been chartered to convey the 25 Emigrants to Sydney will receive her passengers at Plymouth on the 22nd Instant and stating that the parties should be in Dublin at 11 o'clock on Saturday the 20th October - ordered, that arrangements be made for forwarding the Emigrants so as to arrive in Dublin on the day named

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 9 October 1849 N^o 63782 and 63776/49 approving of the appointment of Mrs. Catherine McMahon as nurse of the Hospital and also stating that the Commissioners will not object to Mrs. McMahon keeping her infant child with her in the Workhouse

Poor Law Commissioners letter 5 October 1849 N^o 623/49 requesting to be informed whether the necessary Book for keeping the Union Rate in aid account has been produced for the Treasurer

The Clerk states that he wrote the Commissioners to say that he furnished the Treasurer with the Book referred to and that ^{the} accounts are opened

Poor Law Commissioners letter 10 October 1849 N^o 623 M/49 in reference to the apportionment of the advances received from Government and stating they propose to apportion same on the different Electoral Divisions of the Union on receiving a statement of the Expenditure chargeable to each Electoral Division of the Union for the half year ended 29 September

Ordered that the Clerk do write to the Commissioners to say that he has apportioned the advances in the manner proposed by the Commissioners and that a copy of the apportionments be forwarded to the Commissioners as required, together with the other particulars required by them

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 11 October 1849 N^o 63780 approving of the appointment of Martin Ward as Relieving officer for the District of Kilsurnin South on the terms proposed

Poor Law Commissioners letter 10 October 1849 N^o 6180 3/49 forwarding revised forms of Contracts and Bonds to be used in future

The Clerk produced 21 Notices of appeals served on him since the last Board day for the sessions to be held at first on the 29th October

Ordered that same be forwarded to the Solicitor to take the necessary steps to support the Rate and that the Revisor be requested to attend on the occasion

The Clerk produced the list of candidates duly nominated for the offices of Guardians of the Poor for the year ending 25 March 1850 by which it appeared that contests would be in 6 Electoral Divisions and wards and no persons were duly nominated for 5 Divisions

The Clerk reports that the Relieving officers Murphy and Sherry's did not get sent in their Returns for the Week ended 6 October which will leave him unable to publish on the door of the Workhouse the list of the number of persons relieved in those Divisions in compliance with the late Statute, and it appearing to the Vice Guardians that those delays have repeatedly occurred notwithstanding the frequent remonstrances of the Vice Guardians with those Relieving officers, ordered that the Commissioners be requested to call upon Lawrence Morris to resign as it is impossible the Commissioners' regulations can be complied with unless they obey the order of the Vice Guardians. The Vice Guardians can take no steps as regards Murphy, as he is to hand over his Books and accounts to his successor in a day or two

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 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).

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners to Vice Guardians requesting them to note the state of the Medical Officers Books on their Weekly Report

Letter from J. Murray Esq. Auditor requesting the Clerk of the Union to inform him when the accounts to the 29 September would be balanced, The Clerk states that he wrote to Mr Murray to say that the accounts were balanced -

Letter from the Commissioners to V. Guardians relative to the Election of a member to the Athens Electoral Division of the Galway Union?

Letter from Commissioners to Vice Guardians requesting to furnish them a copy of a notice of appeal
Ordered, That the same be forwarded immediately

Letter from the Commissioners to V. Guardians requesting that the Correspondence of the Union may be left in a state easy for reference on their departure from office

Letter from the Commissioners to the Vice Guardians agreeing to allow the Storkkeeper to remain in office until a proper person should be appointed for that situation.

Ordered, That notice be inserted in the Galway papers for proposals from persons for this situation on the former terms to be considered on the 26 October -

Letter from the Commissioners to Vice Guardians relative to the Salaries to be paid to Doctor Rughan Medical Officer of the Moycullen Insular Hospital and requesting that a Record of the arrangements may be inserted in the minutes

Ordered that the Clerk ascertain the particulars so as to enable the Vice Guardians to insert the particulars in the minutes of next Meeting.

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners to the Vice Guardians relative to a claim of Mr McDonald late Collector of Poor Rates in the Galway Union for further remuneration in addition to that already received by him for his services in the Union.

Ordered, That the Commissioners be informed that the account of Mr McDonald having been already settled and a fair allowance having been made to him for his services the Vice Guardians would not consider themselves justified in making any ^{further} allowance to Mr McDonald out of the Rates of the Union

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners to the Poor Law Inspector sanctioning the purchasing of such number of Cows to be fed at the Auxiliaries Workhouse at Dangan as the Agricultural Instructor would consider could be supported there

In order to provide for the accommodation of the new Guardians
Ordered, That all the Board Room Chairs be procured from the officers who now have them and that they be put in proper repair and Beds and other articles of furniture be procured for the Master, Nurse, and other officers who are in need of same

The Contracts for Supplies for the Moycullen Insular General Hospital having expired,

Ordered, That notices be inserted in the Galway papers and handbills posted through the Town and in Moycullen for supplying the Hospital to the 25 March 1850 with the several articles of provisions and necessaries.

Resolved, That the accounts of the Salaries due to the ^{several} officers of the Workhouse and of the Union be made out up to the 25 June last with a View to such as whose accounts appear to be due being paid on next Friday

The Clerk of Petty Sessions at Galway laid before the Board an account of Law Expenses amounting to £63.16.4 incurred in proceedings before the Magistrates for carrying the Sanatory Act into effect in Galway during the months of April, May, June, and July, when Cholera prevailed to a considerable extent in the district and in consequence whereof such proceedings were taken. The Vice Guardians desire to know whether this may be considered as Cholera Expenses and as such advanced by the Commissioners in like manner with the other expenses incurred in that respect and it was ordered that the account be forwarded to the Commissioners.

The Clerk of Petty Sessions at Galway laid before the Board a further account of Law Expenses incurred in proceedings before the Magistrates amounting to £36.10.6 for the punishment of Vagrants for which he required payment. The Vice Guardians however declined paying same without the express directions of the Commissioners to that effect, as the parties convicted were arrested by the Police in the ordinary execution of their duty without any order or direction from the Vice Guardians on the subject and it was ordered that the account be forwarded to the Commissioners with Mr Reed's observations relative thereto.

The Vice Guardians having taken into consideration the Dietary of the officers in the Workhouse ordered that the Clerk do write to the Surrounding Clerics viz, Clifden, Ballinacorney, Inagh, Soughrea, Fort and Ennistymon to request a copy of the Dietary allowed to the several officers.

The next Meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 15th inst. The Meeting was adjourned to Monday the 15th inst.

Witness my hand and seal this 15th day of October 1849.

For the Board of Guardians
 J. J. [Signature]

No proceedings were conducted on Monday the 15th inst.

Population in 1841, Present Net Annual Value,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 13 day of October 1849.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		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.			
Workhouse,	1000												
Temporary Buildings,	495												
Additional Workhouse,													
Permanent Fever Hospital,	1350												
Fever Sheds,	300												
Total,	3145												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			17	36	357	833	644	374	20	22	2267	In Workhouse Hospital, 1	In separate Wards, 115
Admitted during the Week,			3	3	22	36	19	17	10	6	132	In Fever Hospital, 1	In Wards with other inmates, 1
TOTAL,			20	39	379	869	663	384	30	28	2399	Total, 7	Total, 115
Discharged during the Week,			2	2	23	193	38	21	8	4	294		
Died,					4		1	2			7		
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	2	27	193	39	22	8	4	301		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			18	37	352	676	645	362	26	25	2098		

Fair - 23
 Dysentery - 47
 Other cases, 105
 Total - 175

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13 day of October 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.	253	574			253	574	Bt. forward						
No. II.	143	375			143	375	No. X.	45	137			45	137
No. III.	87	226			87	226	No. XI.	100	210			100	210
No. IV.	87	235			87	235	No. XII.	39	95			39	95
No. V.	49	116			49	116	No. XIII.	53	172			53	172
No. VI.	145	364			145	364	No. XIV.	27	73			27	73
No. VII.							No. XV.	72	164			72	164
No. VIII.	107	304			107	304	No. XVI.	48	114			48	114
No. IX.	146	363			146	363	No. XVII.	16	51			16	51
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

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

PRESENT: In the Chair,
 Other Guardians: Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. V. G.
 John Hall Esq. V. G. & J. P. L. J.

The Books of this Relieving Office are not yet closed.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 6667 to No. 6798, 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. 31237 to No. 31299, 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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 The Clerk reported that he handed the notices of Appeal to the Solicitor and requested the Revision's attendance on the occasion. that he forwarded Mr. Keed's papers to the Commissioners 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, - £686-0-7
 Paid during the week, * - £717-17-6
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £1498-11-11
 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:—

* Including £343-10-1- retained for Rate in Aid

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining.
Samuel Leep	Galway No. 1	88 18 9	474 4 6
do	Ardara	" " "	548 2 "
		88 18 9	528 6 6
Edward Considee	Galway No. 2	247 10 9	584 8 5
Snathon Jones	Murcullen	26 " "	2295 18 7
Serence O'Brien	Killanin	20 18 9	2856 2 10
John Gill	Cuyhterard	103 17 "	2062 7 5
Richard Kelly,	Amadoun	34 6 9	1558 7 4
do	Claregalway	49 3 9	1096 3 6
		83 10 6	2652 10 10
Charles O'Brien	Luckagh	" " "	1369 13
do	Athenry	" " "	906 8 3
		" " "	2276 1 3
James O'Brien	Crannore	" " "	1499 12 6
do	Ballinacourt	114 16 10	1866 7 7
do	Shadball	" " "	406 7 10
		114 16 10	3272 8 0
Total,		686 "	7658 14 1

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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 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 £126-18 s. 11 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	126	18	11
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	103	3	9
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	103	3	9
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	0	11
Average cost in Infirmary,	0	1	8
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	0	0	10

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:
 3 Hrs Rye meal 60 lbs of meat 400 48200 3 1/2
 1 " Barley meal 6 Hrs of Coal
 3 " Indian meal 105 Boxes of Fuel
 1/2 " oat meal 30 lbs dist bedclothes
 3000 quarts fresh milk 56 " Brown Soap
 1/4 Hrs of Salt 16 " white Soap
 3 lbs Sea @ 3/10 4 " Starch
 50 " Sugar 1 " Buttons
 4 " Soft Sugar 14 " malt
 30 " pepper 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 13 day of October; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on 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.
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity. Value. £ s. d.			£ s. d.	Article and quantity. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	Kennelly	"	1 1/2 Hrs of meal 11 12 6	No. X.	Crean	"	6 Hrs 46 10 0
No. II.	Petht	"	" " " " "	No. XI.	Morris	"	" " " "
No. III.	Suffin	"	" " " " "	No. XII.	Cullen	"	" " " "
No. IV.	Ward	"	1 " 7 15 0	No. XIII.	"	1 " 7 15 0	
No. V.	Hangan	"	" " " " "	No. XIV.	Keirins	1 " 7 15 0	
No. VI.	Peper	1 " 7 15 0	" " " " "	No. XV.	Tymon	" 1 " 7 15 0	
No. VII.	Forner	"	" " " " "	No. XVI.	"	" " " "	
No. VIII.	Tibney	1 " 7 15 0	" " " " "	No. XVII.	"	" " " "	
No. IX.	Donnan	"	" " " " "				
Car. forwd.		"	6 " 46 10 0	TOTAL,		"	9 " 69 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.

Funeral Election Law and other expenses account
Thomas Shelling rates returned by order of the Barristers Court
Ballinasloe Co. D. £30 8 0
Contributions for the collection upon
J. M. McDonald balance Office Collected £42 0 0

John Redington Rent of Dangan Auxiliary House	102	4	8	✓
John O'Farrell (Clerk) payment of Traders Bills	26	6	8	✓
Rev. P. Daly, R.C.C. Salary	50	"	"	✓
Doctor Brown M.C.	15	10	"	✓
John O'Farrell payment of Bills	9	16	7	✓

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.

Outstanding Creditors account				
John & Mary Connell on 1/2 of milk	143	10	✓	
Joseph & Donnell Sheriff of the Town of Galway for payment of the execution obtained by Mr. McDonough	38	14	2	✓
Henry Somersford on 1/2 of his execution	125	"	"	✓
Robert Stephens do	110	"	"	✓
John P. Manyan do	120	"	"	✓
W. Elwood do	106	"	"	✓
John Deland do	120	"	"	✓
John Perce do	45	"	"	✓
Rush & Palmer do	256	"	"	✓
J. J. & Co. do	232	"	"	✓
Rush & Palmer do	500	"	"	✓

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 Visiting Committee Book was produced and read

The Master reported that a pair of Sheets was stolen from one of the Fever Sheds within this week though the Nurse in charge of the ward heard no noise ordered that the Pauper nurse Furlough be removed from the Hospital

Required the following
4 Stone white Lead — 2 Paint Brushes
2 gallons of oil
1 gallon Turpentine
2 Stone Whiting

Ordered

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

The Agricultural Instructor suggested that a Cow Shed may be erected and that cattle be purchased, ordered that a Shed be erected the cows will be purchased as soon as it will be finished

Required the following. 2 Smithing Irons
150 yards of black rope
Ordered

The Medical Officer reported that the admissions into the Infirmary during the week ending this day were

Discharges — 24
Deaths — 48
and that the number remaining this day were 144

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

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 16 October 1849 enclosing a Communication from Mr James O'Flaherty of Galway as to his Eligibility for the office of Guardian of the Poor in the Galway Union

The Clerk states that he communicated with the Commissioners on the subject

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners 15 October 1849 approving of the appointment of Mr Patrick Power as Relieving Officer for the district of Kellacum West and enclosing a Book of instructions and a form of Diary for Mr Power

The Clerk states that same were forwarded to Mr Power

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 October 1849 enclosing queries to be answered and signed by the persons who may be appointed R Officer in the room of Mr O'Connor

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners 17 October 1849 acknowledging the receipt of Clerk's letter and stating that they received no communication from the Central Board of Health relative to the withdrawal of their Certificate authorising the appointment of a Medical Officer to the Traamore Dispensary

Ordered that the Commissioners be informed that the arrangements consequent on the formation of the new Union of Oughterard and the contemplated alterations in the Electoral Divisions in the Galway Union render it advisable that further proceedings in regard to Medical Relief to the Sick Poor should be deferred until the proposed changes are carried into effect when more satisfactory arrangements can be made

Poor Law Commissioners letter 18 Oct 1849 N^o 66109 in reference to Mr Maurice Morris for rent of Sheddallan Brip up to 1st and stating that if the Juri Guardianis felt satisfied in the matter Mr Morris's claim should be discharged ordered that Mr Morris be paid the sum due to him

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners 18 Oct 1849 N^o 66113/49 in reference to Mr Lawrence Morris R. Officer and stating that its competent for the Guardians to call upon a R Officer to resign and that they should do so if they considered that his conduct has been such as to call upon ^{them} for his removal from office

ordered that the Clerk will call upon write to Mr Lawrence Morris requesting him to resign his situation in consequence of neglecting to make up his Books and Returns after repeated applications or if not the Commissioners will be requested to dismiss him

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners 18 Oct 1849 N^o 66108 to the Returning Officer stating that as the Townlands of the Electoral Division of Oughterard have been separated from the Union by the order of the Assistant no further proceedings should be taken in the Election of Guardians for that Division

Letter from J. Murray Auditor requesting the Clerk not to print the audit notice for the 22 October as he could not possibly attend on that day to audit the accounts

The Medical Officer reported that from the small quantity of meat allowed to each patient in the Hospital it was necessary to have it without bone an agreement was made with Mr Wood the Contractor to supply meat without bone at 4^s per lb

The worn out clothing in the Workhouse having been examined ordered that the following articles be struck off the Clothing Books and that they be laid aside and used for the purposes of repairs and scrubbing cloths

- 484 Womens Warappers
- 128 Petticoats
- 116 Shifts
- 87 Shawses
- 80 Shirts
- 66 Jackets
- 18 Bedticks
- 42 Canvas Sackets
- 49 do Travers
- 15 Blankets

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 agreed with Denis Connolly of Mervin Street for supplying 100 pair of shoes for the Men and Boys employed at Dangan Jacu at 4/6 per pair for Men and 3/6 for Boys to be supplied at the rate of 50 pence each week

The Vice guardians having examined the records and papers relating to the appointment of Doctor Roughan to the situation of Medical Officer of Moyculkin Temporary Hospital have ascertained that on 2nd October 1848 he was appointed to the situation of Medical Officer of Oughteron and Moyculkin Hospitals under the Certificate of the Board of Health at £100 a year that the Oughteron Hospital having been subsequently closed on the 15th December 1848 the Guardians agreed to pay Doctor Roughan £120 a year for his attendance at Moyculkin Hospital

The Vice guardians having considered applications for the office of Receiver for the District of Oughteron South.

Resolved. That Mark James be appointed Receiver of the office at a Salary of £50 a year and that Matthew Eagon M.D. Attorney and Patrick James of the Oughteron be approved of as his Sureties

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners to Vice guardians relative to the claim of Mr Ryan on the Board in respect of Shaw Lodge the Commissioners declined to advise the Vice guardians on the subject being unacquainted with particulars and advised that the Vice guardians should inform themselves of the circumstances and if Mr Ryan persist in his claim that they should consult their Solicitor as to the best mode of defending the Union against any unjust demand

Letter from Commissioners to Vice guardians requesting them to note on their Summary of business every week as to whether the Medical Officers Books are kept in a satisfactory manner

Letter from the Commissioners to Vice guardians in reference to the employment of Counsel on the trials of the appeals against the rate. Stating that the question involved being as to facts to be decided by witnesses they did not see the necessity for employing Counsel

Letter from Central Board of Health to Vice guardians regarding the establishment of a Temporary Dispensary at Hammoed

Ordered. That the Board of Health be informed that on application of the Galway Union and a ~~time~~ arrangement of the Electoral Divisions being in contemplation the Vice guardians consider it would be expedient to defer any further proceeding in the matter until the proposed arrangements regarding the Union be carried into effect more especially as the amount of contagious disease in the district is now very limited

The Report of the Sanitary Officer was read from which it appeared that he had been generally successful in procuring the removal of nuisances one person only having to be brought before the Magistrates.

The Meeting was adjourned to Monday the 22nd October

(Signed!)
 Lewis Fitzmaurice
 John Hall
 Vice Guardians

At an adjourned Meeting of the Vice Guardians held on Monday the 22nd October 1849.

Present in the Chair, Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. J.P.
 John Hall Esq. J.P. and J.P.S.

Ordered that 50 Stone of Wool be obtained from Mr. O'Malley of Coughterard at 13/6 per stone.

The Sheriff having attended on the part of the numerous Creditors mind in number and an arrangement having been entered into with them for the liquidation of same by monthly payments @ 5/0 in the pound on condition whereof they have agreed not to require the Sheriff to put the executions in force until after the 22nd January 1850. It was resolved that they be now paid an instalment of 5/0 in the pound on the amount of all the executions in the Sheriff's hands except Mr. Michael McDonagh's the amount of which being small it was agreed should be paid in full. Cheques for the following Sums were accordingly filled up as follows:

Joseph McDonnell Sheriff	William Edward	£106:0:0
for part of Mr. McDonagh's claim	John Ireland	120:0:0
Henry Kneerford	John Peice	45:0:0
John Langan	James Ryan	232:0:0
Dorcas Stephens	Rush and Palmer	756:0:0

Debit with Bills of and Credit Treasurer -
 Lewis Fitzmaurice
 John Hall
 Vice Guardians

Population in 1841, Present Net Annual Value,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20 day of October 1849.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. being on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Children under 2 years.	Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.		Males.	Fem.	Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	1000	975										
Temporary Buildings,	295	"										
Additional Workhouse,	135	1070										
Permanent Fever Hospital,	300	"										
Fever Sheds,	300	"										
Total,	3145	2046										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			18	37	352	176	443	146	25		2098	In Work-house Hospital, 150 In separate Wards, 7 In Fever Hospital, "
Admitted during the Week,				6	16	25	12	148	1		81	In Wards with other inmates, "
TOTAL,			18	43	368	188	457	157	25		2179	Total, 150
Discharged during the Week,			2	2	26	53	17	27	2		127	Fever 18 Dysentery 44 Other cases 88
Died,				1	1	3	1	20	1		27	Total 150
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	3	27	56	18	27	3		136	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			16	40	331	145	430	142	22		2042	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20 day of October authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but 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, but 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.	225	495	"	"	225	495	Bt. forward						
No. II.	135	329	"	"	135	329	No. X.	13	56	"	"	13	56
No. III.	40	133	"	"	40	133	No. XI.	89	198	"	"	89	198
No. IV.	57	142	"	"	57	142	No. XII.	36	86	"	"	36	86
No. V.	38	83	"	"	38	83	No. XIII.	23	72	"	"	23	72
No. VI.	72	220	"	"	72	220	No. XIV.	9	19	"	"	9	19
No. VII.			"	"			No. XV.	56	146	"	"	56	146
No. VIII.	75	197	"	"	75	197	No. XVI.	34	87	"	"	34	87
No. IX.	80	238	"	"	80	238	No. XVII.	14	53	"	"	14	53
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 20 day of October 1849.

PRESENT: In the Chair,
 Other Guardians:
 + His Relieving Officer:
 Lewis Fitzmaurice Esq. J.P.
 John Hall Esq. J.P. & J.P.S.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 10798 to No. 10882, 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. 31467 to No. 31382, 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 communicated with the Commissioners on the subject of Craunre Dispensary, that he called upon Mr Lawrence Mervin R.O. to resign, that he communicated with the Board of Health on the subject of Medical Relief in the several Divisions, and 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, - £1310 16 9
Paid during the week, - £1635 16 10

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £1871 15 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.
Samuel Hop	Galway No. 1	102	16	9	1664	7	9 1/2
"	Arden	"	"	"	548	2	0
		102	16	9	5192	9	9 1/2
Edward Conidine	Galway No. 2	310	5	6	5336	19	11
Jonathan Jones	Maycullen	86	15	0	2209	3	7 1/2
Jerome O'Brien	Hill anin	76	3	9	2778	15	1 1/2
John Gill	Coyhtuare	112	19	9	1949	7	8 1/2
Richard Kelly	Amadown	38	18	9	1517	8	7 1/2
"	Claregalway	154	4	6	941	19	0 1/2
		193	3	3	2459	7	8 1/2
Charles O'Brien	Sackagh	171	6	3	1198	6	9
"	Atheary	53	14	5	852	13	10 1/2
		225	8	8	2051	7	1 1/2
James O'Brien	Craunre	119	3	11	1380	8	7 1/2
"	Ballinacorney	71	1	11	1295	5	8 1/2
"	Stradbally	13	3	3	393	4	7
		8	23	9	1818	15	11 1/2
	Total,	1310	16	9	25247	7	1 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 £ 100 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 £ 87 14 s. 11 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	87	14	11
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	99	19	0 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	99	19	0 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	0	10 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	0	1	9
general Average cost in the Hospital	0	0	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:

3 Tons of fine meal	6 Tons of Coals
1 " Badger "	55 Boxes of Flour
2 " Indian "	30 lbs of Soap (hard)
1/2 " Coffee "	128 " Soap
1500 quarts of fresh milk	4 " Starch
3 lbs of Tea @ 3/8	112 washing Soda
50 " Sugar	1/2 " Button Blue
4 " S & D Sugar	1 " Paper
16 " Pepper	14 " Meal
140 " Meat butter	7 " mould Candles
1 dozen of butter	
6 bottles of wine	

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

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

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 reviewed up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 20 day of Oct; 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.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.			£ s. d.		£ s. d.
No. I.	E. Connell		1 1/2 Tons meal	7 15 0	Bt. forward			3 Tons	23 5 0
No. II.	P. Kelly		"	7 15 0	No. X.	Creaven		"	"
No. III.	Suffin		"	"	No. XI.	Mervin		"	"
No. IV.	Hard	2 00 0	"	7 15 0	No. XII.	Cullen		"	"
No. V.	Hanagan		"	"	No. XIII.	"		"	"
No. VI.	Roch		"	"	No. XIV.	Kerin		"	"
No. VII.	Tomes		"	"	No. XV.	Gynn		"	"
No. VIII.	Stacy		"	"	No. XVI.	"		"	"
No. IX.	Shirras		"	"	No. XVII.	"		"	"
Car. forwd.		2 00 3		23 5 0	TOTAL,		2 00 3		23 5 0

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

Jm Flaherty Clerk at
 Jm Hospital £ 7 10 2
 P. Malins Surgeon 10 18 0
 M. Innes, balance of
 rent of J Hospital 13 2 4
 Tho. Roache on fee
 of shed contract 25 0 0

Journals, Election Law 10
 Denis Kelly, returned rates 1 7 9
 Michl. John do 3 9 9
 J.D. Commis do 9 13 6
 Jm O'Farrell amount of
 Netting Officers account 9 13 5
 P. Curran returned rates 1 10 8
 P. Ryan do 16 11 8
 Reed Law Costs 9 5 6
 J. McDonald on fee of
 his fees as Sheriff of
 the executions 30 0 0
 J. McDonald on fee of
 his Bill of expenses 50 0 0
 J. McDonald returned rates 2 14 2
 do rent 2 10 0
 do returned rates 11 10 0
 do fees for signing decess 17 6
 J. Flaherty returned rates 4 8 6

Establishment Account continued
 P. Ryan Sundries 2 5 0
 J. Stephens do 3 13 10
 Killen do 5 14 2
 E. Mangin Cook 3 8 0
 Jm Chairs & Co 4 12 0
 M. Allen ware 2 15 10
 Linewecks rent 25 0 0
 Dennis R.C. Salary 10 8 0
 Alex Thom on account
 of his claim 60 0 0
 P. Kelly R.C. Salary 4 10 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.

	£	s.	d.
William McCormack	3	12	2

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

2. Establishment Account.

Edward Martin payment of Tradesmen's Bills	20		
Jm O'Farrell (Clerk) payment Bills	18	7	3
Jm O'Farrell (Clerk) Salary, 25 June	17		
Lieut. Guardians handling expenses	25	10	
Lieut. J. Maurice Salary, 1st June	28	15	6
Jm Moran carriage of meal	30	17	
Joseph Parker on fee of Salary	5		
Patrick Burke balance of Salary, 1st June	10	6	11
Henry Flynn old clothes & C	38	12	8
Jm McDermott on fee of Salary R.C.	11	15	4
Edward Brown same	12	10	
Henry Flanagan same	20		
Matthew Keenan same	10		
P. H. Fullen same	10		
E. Connolly same	10		
E. Eaton Salary as Superintendent	18		
H. Clarke on fee of over Contract	11		

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Thomas M. Perse Meal & C	153	9	3
Jm Small Milk	89	10	5

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

4. Out-door Relief, Invoice Account.

Thomas M. Perse Indian Meal	164	11	9
Outstanding C.P. account			
P. M. Lynch on account of his claim	200		
Edward O'Shaughnessy, Emigration Expenses to Dublin	39	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 Visiting Committee Book was produced and read—

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

The Master required the following—20 yards of Corduroy—20 yards of Calico and 2 lbs of black lead—Ordered—
 Required, 10 Sweeping brushes. Ordered—
 The Master required, 500 needles. Ordered—
 Required, 4000 yards of Bengal stripe
 2000 yards of Calico—

The Lieut. Guardians defer ordering the two last items—

The Assistant Master at Tanyan required the following—2 lbs of black lead—1/2 dozen brick bath, 4 lbs of packing twine and 1/2 dozen of packing needles. Ordered—

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

Poor Law Commissioners letter 22 Oct. 1849 No. 5 In p. 9 requesting to be furnished with an abstract of the total lodgements made during the month of September and of the moiety's received out of such lodgements towards the Rate in aid.

Ordered, That the required return be prepared and forwarded as soon as possible.

Circular from the Commissioners 19 Oct 1849 No. 6 In p. 9 enclosing forms to be filled up by the Collectors at the close of the period allowed for the collection of the Rate.

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 Clerk reported that forms for return of collectors bonds had not been received.

Ordered, That the form of return be forwarded to the ~~Commissioners~~ Collectors and that they be directed to furnish the information immediately after the period allowed for the collection of the rate shall expire and that the forms of returns be furnished to the Collectors with the necessary instructions and a copy of the Commissioners circular, that the Commissioners be informed that the present Collectors are bound to collect the rate within 4 months from the date of the Act of the warrant and that they be also informed that no form of Return for collectors bonds was received by the Clerk.

The Revision of the paupers in the N. House having been completed and it having been ascertained that a deficiency of 262 in the No. of inmates existed for which

pro had been recently charged in the provision Book.

It was ordered, That the following surplus Stock, arising thereby be charged in the provision Book against the master and credited to maintenance account viz

1762	lb of Barley meal @ 6.12.6 per Ton	4.4
1902	" Oat meal @ 10.9.0	4.4.0
1857	" Indian meal @ 7.14.0	6.7.0
272	" Rice @ 12.8.0	1.10.0
		<u>£17.5.4</u>

The Vice Guardians having considered tenders for supply of provisions and necessaries to the Infirmary Hospital for 6 months if the Poor Hospital should continue open so long

Resolved, That William Elwood be declared Contractor for Best Beef and mutton @ 3/4 per lb.

That John Costello be declared Contractor for Tea @ 3/6 per lb. Sugar @ 5/6 per lb. Good port wine @ 25/0 per dozen. Mould Candles @ 0/7 per lb. pepper @ 1/1 per lb. double F. Paper @ 3/4 per dozen. Dip Candles @ 6/9 per stone. Brown Soap @ 25/0 per cut.

That Martin Malley be contractor for supplying best new Milk @ 5/2 per Gall and Fat @ 9/ per box

That John Oliver be the contractor for supplying Best Bread @ 5/2 per 4 lb loaf

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 letter from Mr. Rice "Revising Valuator" complaining of the manner in which Mr. Freeman "Assistant Barrister" decided on the appeals brought before him at the Quarter Sessions in Galway -

Ordered - That Mr. Rice's letter be forwarded to the Commissioners. The Clerk reported that he attended the petty sessions of Craunmore on Thursday the 25th Inst. with the Rate books, at the request of the collector he having summoned Mr. Skilling for a considerable sum, and that a decree was obtained against Mr. Skilling for £272. 3. 8. That he would have to attend at the first and Ballinacree sessions on the 29th Inst and 1st Nov. with the Rate books on appeal cases -

Tenders for the situation of Streetkeeper having been considered and no eligible candidate having come forward

Ordered - That the appointment be deferred for the present -

Letter from the Commissioners requesting the Vice Guardians to take Mr. McDonald's claim into consideration and calling their attention to the amount of remuneration allowed Mr. McDonald

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

for collecting by the late Board of Guardians on consideration whereof it was Resolved. That on a careful revision of all the circumstances of Mr. McDonald's case and having regard to the remuneration allowed to him by the late Board that he be allowed a further sum of £50 in respect of expenses in making the Collection of the last two Rates -

Mr. McDermott the sub. Sheriff having called on the Vice Guardians regarding the payment of his fees on the executions in his hands and which the Vice Guardians have recently settled in order to prevent the property of the Union from being taken by paying the creditors 50 in the pound on their claims whereupon an arrangement was made with him to accept the sum of £60 in lieu of all fees on the executions in his hands and that he be now paid a sum of £30 on account -

Next meeting to be held on Friday 2nd Decr 1849

W. H. Lamb

W. H. Lamb

Population in 1841,

Present Net Annual Value,

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

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Children under 2 years.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse,	1070	1042												
Temporary Buildings,	495	"												
Additional Workhouse,	1358	1049												
Permanent Fever Hospital,														
Fever Sheds,	800	"												
Total,	3463	2091												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			16	40	34	645	475	44	21	22	"	2046	In Workhouse Hospital, 151	In separate Wards with other Inmates, 7
Admitted during the Week,			1	2	16	28	11	9	4	3	4	88	"	"
TOTAL,			17	42	50	673	486	53	25	26	"	2134	Total, 157	Total, 7
Discharged during the Week,			"	"	13	10	36	12	1	"	"	36		
Died,			1	"	3	"	2	1	"	"	"	7		
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	"	16	10	56	22	1	"	"	43		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			16	42	54	654	477	44	22	26	"	2091		

In Workhouse Hospital, 151
 In separate Wards with other Inmates, 7
 Total, 157

Discharged 9
 Deceased 50
 Other Cases 92
 Total 151

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but 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, but 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.	220	477	"	"	220	477	Bt. forward	851	2228				
No. II.	133	324	"	"	133	324	No. X.	16	65	"	"	16	65
No. III.	37	131	"	"	37	131	No. XI.	63	142	"	"	63	142
No. IV.	57	142	"	"	57	142	No. XII.	38	84	"	"	38	84
No. V.	38	83	"	"	38	83	No. XIII.	23	72	"	"	23	72
No. VI.	65	204	"	"	65	204	No. XIV.	9	19	"	"	9	19
No. VII.	140	421	"	"	140	421	No. XV.	56	116	"	"	56	116
No. VIII.	77	202	"	"	77	202	No. XVI.	34	87	"	"	34	87
No. IX.	84	244	"	"	84	244	No. XVII.	12	54	"	"	12	54
Car. forward	851	2228	"	"	851	2228	TOTAL,	1102	2864	"	"	1102	2864

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 27th day of November 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, Anthony O'Rahilly

Other Guardians:

John Ireland	John Harrison	Anthony O'Rahilly	Andrew W. Blake
John Jennings	W. A. Summerville	Sir Thomas E. Baker	John G. G. G.
JAMES BRADY	Archd. A. Spurgeon	Walter Lambert	Arthur Ireland
Thos. Palmer	Charles Blake	Andrew G. G.	Edw. E. Munnell
Pat. J. O'Shelly	Henry G. G.	Robt. Bodkin	
Henry G. G.	Edw. G. G.	William G. G.	
Nicholas Sullivan			

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 683 to No. 6970, 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. 31881 to No. 31915, 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:

San Hall & Co. S.

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 That he enclosed the forms of Returns to the Poor Rate Collectors as directed at last Board that he forwards Mr. Rice's letter to the Commissioners and that he 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, - £1486.6.6
 Paid during the week, - £2493.6.7
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was - £844.15.3
 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.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Samuel Cross	Jabray No. 1	127	10	3	45	17	6 1/2
"	Araru	"	"	"	548	2	"
		127	10	3	506	19	6 1/2
Edward Conidine	Jabray No. 2	364	10	3	517	9	8
Jonathan Jones	Moyeallan	210	12	9	199	10	10 1/2
Terence O'Brien	Killanin	"	"	"	277	19	1 1/2
John Jell	Oughtward	118	19	5	183	8	3 1/2
Richard Kelly	Amesdown	58	"	3	146	8	4 1/2
"	Blunjalway	182	1	3	759	17	9 1/2
		232	1	6	222	6	2 1/2
Charles O'Brien	Lackagh	70	"	1 1/2	1128	6	7 1/2
do	Attewry	14	4	1 1/2	838	9	9
		84	4	3	196	16	4 1/2
James O'Brien	Oraunore	59	2	"	132	16	7 1/2
do	Pallnacourt	284	2	2	1011	8	6 1/2
do	Shudball	5	3	6	388	1	1
		348	7	8	2720	11	3 1/2
	Total,	1486	6	6	2576	10	10 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.

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 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 £ 97 " 18 s. 2 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	92	18	2 1/2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	112	12	8 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	102	12	8 1/2
And the average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	Healthy	0	0
Average cost in Infirmary,	0	1	8 1/2
Quarterly average cost in Hospital,	0	0	11 1/4

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

- 2 Tons General
- 1 Ton Barley meal
- 3 Tons Indian meal
- 1/2 Ton oatmeal
- 1 Ton First Flour
- 4500 quarts Spent milk
- 1/2 Ton of salt
- 3 lbs Tea @ 3/0
- 5 lbs " @ 3/4
- 50 lbs Sugar
- 4 " Leaf sugar
- 1/2 Ton Rice
- 30 lb Pepper
- 7 lb Mince Candles
- 1 lb Sticks
- 14 lbs malt
- 50 lbs Beef @ 4 1/2 150 @ 3 1/4
- 5 Tons Coals
- 100 Paves Ruf
- 30 lbs Candles
- 28 lbs B. Soap 1 lb White
- 4 lbs Starch
- 7 lb Bullin Blue
- 50 lbs Washing Soda
- Wood

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 October; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	0	2	7 1/2
In kind,	62	8	11
Total,	62	11	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.				Article and quantity.	Value.
No. I.	C. Connolly		1 Ton	7.15.0	Bt. forward		6 1/2 Tons	50.7.6	
No. II.	P. Pettit		1/2 Ton	3.17.6	No. X.	Brewer			
No. III.	P. Pettit		1 "	7.15.0	No. XI.	Smorison			
No. IV.	Ward		1 "	7.15.0	No. XII.	Cullin			
No. V.	Shanahan				No. XIII.	L. Morris			
No. VI.	Powell		1 Ton	7.15.0	No. XIV.	L. Morris			
No. VII.	Shanahan		1 Ton	7.15.0	No. XV.	Symon			
No. VIII.	P. Pettit				No. XVI.	"			
No. IX.	L. Morris		1 Ton	7.15.0	No. XVII.	"			
Car. forwd.			6 1/2 Tons	50.7.6	TOTAL,			6 1/2 Tons 50.7.6	

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.

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

2. Establishment Account.

The Agent Suprial office Insurance on Merchants Road Auxiliary Workhouse	3	0	0
Clerk of Union payment of Tradesmens Bills	20	0	0

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.

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

The Clock'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:

Report from the Visiting Committee

The Medical Officer recommended that fees be allowed in the various Day Rooms and that any old Shoes to spare should be given to the old delicate Men and Women

Ordered to be attended to by the Master

The Medical Officer recommended that the Children in the Nursery be allowed 1 pint of Milk and 1/4 lb Bread daily in addition to the present allowance ordered to be deferred for the present

Admissions to Hospital during Week	28
Discharges	20
Deaths	9
Number remaining under treatment	153

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

That two Paupers named Thomas Sewaghty and Rodger Sewaghty absconded from the Workhouse on the 22nd October and took with them a suit of Union clothes each

Ordered That all such cases be taken before the Magistrates for punishment - The Master required 10 lbs White Thread - ordered

The ass't Master at Dangan reported the Men and Boys clothing was now in proper repair and suggested that the Master Tailor at Dangan and the Pauper Boys should be employed in making up clothing and required some material for that purpose ordered That it be supplied from the Workhouse Store and that they be employed accordingly

The Agricultural Instructor reported that the removal of the Nurseries Boxes from Merchants Road to Dangan was disagreeable to the Inhabitants of the Town and suggested that some remedy be made to prevent it.

Ordered That they be removed before 8 o'clock in the morning

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

The Poor Law Commissioners Seal'd order dated 27 Oct. 49 N^o 63197 fixing the Salary of the Rev^d Peter Daly at £70 per annum for his attendance at the principal Workhouse and West house auxiliary Workhouse. Read.

Seal'd order from the Commissioners dated the 29 Oct. 49 appropriating for a period not exceeding three years one fifth part of Workhouse accommodation existing in the Salisbury Union to the use of the Townlands Separates from the said Salisbury Union. Read.

Seal'd order from the Commissioners 29 Oct. 1849 for the adjustment of the Liabilities of the Salisbury Union and certain Electoral Divisions thereof as existing at the time of the Change.

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:)

Seal'd order from the Commissioners 29 Oct. 1849 indemnifying the Townlands Separates from the Salisbury Union for any loss or exchange of property occasioned by such alteration.

Poor Law Commissioners 26 Oct. 1849 N^o 6660 M/49 relative to the Rate in aid account and requesting that the Clerk will immediately ascertain and report to them whether any Sums have been lodged out of which Sums the moiety should have been received.

The Clerk stated that he communicated with the Treasurer on the subject and forwarded his reply to the Commissioners.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter of 29 Oct. 49 N^o 68200 enclosing queries to be answered by the person who may be appointed R. O. in Mr Morris's District and requesting to be informed whether the Royal Infirmary Hospital has not been closed up and whether the Vice Guardians have ceased to pay Salaries to officers in that Hospital.

Orders that the Commissioners be informed that the Fever Hospital has not been closed.

Letter from the Commissioners 29 Oct. 49 N^o 63197 enclosing a copy of a Seal'd order fixing the Salary of the Rev^d Peter Daly at £70 a year.

Circular from the Poor Law Commissioners 29 Oct. 49 N^o 63197 requiring a statement of the Liabilities for the month of September orders to be done as soon as possible and a copy laid before the Board at next meeting.

Letter from the Commissioners 31 Oct. 49 N^o 47990 acknowledging receipt of Clerk's Letter relative to Medical Relief in the Salisbury Union and expressing their concurrence in the propriety of defending the establishment of a Dispensary at Bramore for the present for the reasons stated in the Clerk's Letter.

Letter from the Commissioners 31 Oct. 1849 N^o 68200 forwarding queries to be answered by Mr Mark Thomas who has been appointed R. Officer.

Letter from the Commissioners 31 Oct. 1849 N^o 69046/49 enclosing a copy of a Communication from Mr Nicholas Lynch relative to his qualifications to nominate Candidates for the office of Justice and requesting the Clerk's observations thereon.

The Clerk stated that he would reply to the Communication by tomorrow's post.

Circular from the Commissioners 31 Oct. 1849 671 M/49 enclosing a form for the annual Return of Union officers and requesting same to be filled up and transmitted to them.

The Clerk stated that he would do so by Saturday's post.

Letter from the Commissioners 31 Oct. 1849 N^o 66612/49 relative to the Claim of Mr Reed Clerk of Petty Sessions at Salisbury for fees on Vagrant Cases and Cases brought before the Magistrates under the Statute Act orders to be referred to the Finance Committee with Mr Reed's papers. Letter from the Clerk on the subject of Medical Relief.

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 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 every year.

Relief in the salary Union and stating that the Board of Health deem the reasons alleged by the Vice guardians for the delay in providing the temporary dispensary at Dranore not to be at all satisfactory

Resolved that we defer making any order on the letter of Central Board of Health until next Board day and that the subject of Medical Relief generally throughout the Union be taken into consideration on that day and that each member of the Board of guardians get notice of the fact

Circular from the Board of Health requesting to be furnished with particulars relative to Medical Relief in the Union.

Read notice given by Mr. Thomas Skilling as to the decision of the ass't. Barister at the last Sessions on his case and threatening to take legal steps if the sum of £382.19.8^d which he paid was not returned on or before the 1st November

The guardians declined taking any notice of the document the ass't. Barister having ordered that Mr Skilling's name should be taken out of the Rate Book but declined ordering the Rates paid by Mr Skilling to be refunded.

Resolved that an advertisement be inserted in the salary papers for Candidates for the Situation of Schoolmistress to the Workhouse School at a Salary of £20 a year with rations and apartments and that Candidates will be requested to attend for examination at the Presentation Convent School on the 9th Inst. before the District Inspector who will report to the guardians the most efficient of the Candidates

Resolved that a Committee be appointed to take stock in the Poor and to investigate the numbers and state of the Paupers the Committee to be Mr. William Kelly and Mr. Clanchy to meet on next Tuesday

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Resolved that the following gentlemen be appointed a Committee for the ensuing month Richard Keenan Henry James James Brown Edward Tye Mansell and Nicholas Kelham On the motion of Richard A Keenan and seconded by Sir Tho. Blake

Resolved that Anthony O'Mahony Esq. M.P. be the Chairman of this Union for the year ending 25 March 1850. On the motion of Sir Thomas Blake and seconded by R Mansell that John Ireland be the Vice Chairman

On the motion of R Mansell and seconded by John Harrison Resolved that Richard A Keenan be the Deputy Vice Chairman for the year ending 25 March 1850

On the motion of James Brumby and seconded unanimously Resolved that a vote of thanks be passed to the late Vice guardians Mr Fitzmaurice and his colleague for the very active manner in which they have performed their duties and conducted the affairs of the Union during seasons of very great distress and difficulty

Proposed by Thomas Palmer and seconded by Richard A Keenan Resolved that the Attorneys Temporary Dispensary being outside the limits of this Union we will not hold ourselves liable for the expense attendant on its maintenance hereafter

Resolved that the following gentlemen be appointed a Finance Committee for the ensuing month to meet on Friday morning in each week for the transaction of their business Andrew Rush R Mansell and Edward C Bourke ordered that Wednesday next be fixed for the Revision of the Paupers of the Union with the view of charging them to their proper Electoral Divisions and also to investigate the chargeability of the Union of oughtened

It appearing to the Board that it would be for the interest of the Rate payers and also for that of the Poor to retain the services of Mr Fitzmaurice late Vice guardian Resolved that application be made to the Poor Law Commissioners for permission to retain him as an ass't paid guardian at his former salary

Resolved that for the purpose of receiving and considering applications for Relief in the Rural Districts that meetings be held in the following places and for the Divisions set opposite and that that the ~~two~~ guardians named opposite for each District do act as a Committee for that purpose

On Thursday in each Week at Claregalway for the Electoral of Sackagh Claregalway and Amadown and that the following guardians be appointed a Committee Mr Blake of Cragg William Black Richard Keenan Robert Bodkin John Cullinane and Mr Richard Kearney

On each Monday at Moykultra and Spiddal for Moykultra and Stillmain Divisions and that the following guardians do form the Committee - A W Blake A Stalcuty James Blake George C Blake Thomas Fitzguald & Martin Morris and that the hour of meeting be 11 o'clock.

On Wednesday in each week at Oranmore for the Divisions of Oranmore, Dalmacounty, Studbally and Athuray and that the following gentlemen do form the Committee Randal E. Athy Mr Bernard Mahony John Redington Walter Blake and Walter Lambert and that the hour of meeting be 11 o'clock

On Monday in each week at the Workhouse for the Electoral Division of Galway and that the Es officio guardians of the Town and the following guardians be appointed a Committee for this Division Mr Kellian Mr Palmer Mr Harrison Mr Summerville and Mr Edward C Bourke and that the hour of meeting be 10 o'clock

Resolved also that the Rofficers do get notice that all the persons at present on the out door Relief must be present at the first meeting of each of the above Committees with the view of enquiring into their cases and that the gentlemen so appointed to such Committees do get notice of their appointment as such, and that the Rofficers at Moykultra and Spiddal ^{& Galway} do get notice to have all the Poor on Relief in their Districts on Monday in each Week 12 November

Agreeing with the views urged by the Committee of Ratepayers who have taken the trouble of bringing the matter of ^{the} Separation of Banna and Carrabrown from the Galway Electoral Division

Resolved that our Chairman be requested to take up the matter and to urge on the Boundary Commissioners that notwithstanding the limited time ~~for making~~ for making objections has expired (particulars as there were no Elected guardians up to the time) the Boundary Commissioners will reconsider the matter as it is the opinion of this Board that the Separation ~~of the~~ Contemplated would throw on the already impoverished Electoral Division of Galway an amount of taxation that it is ⁱⁿ the present poverty of the Town unable to bear

It being called the Board's attention to the fact of strangers being in the room when it was Resolved unanimously

That the meetings of this Board be open to the public:

Resolved that the hour of meeting hereinafter be 12 o'clock:

Liquid Courage

W. H. Lakey
Chairman

Population in 1841,

Present Net Annual Value,

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

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	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,	1000	1035													
Temporary Buildings,	195	"													
Additional Workhouse,	1350	1093													
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,	300	"													
Total,	3145	2128													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			16	42	341	663	42	22	25	"	"	209	7		
Admitted during the Week,			1	1	14	32	10	7	4	3	"	84	142		
TOTAL,			17	43	355	695	52	29	29	"	"	293	142		
Discharged during the Week,			"	"	12	19	3	1	2	"	"	38			
Died,			"	1	1	"	2	2	"	"	"	9			
Total Discharged and Dead,			"	1	13	19	6	3	4	"	"	47			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			17	42	342	676	42	22	25	"	"	208			

Scars 12
Dysentery 46
Other cases 84
Total 142

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.	217	467	"	"	217	467	Bt. forward						
No. II.	129	312	"	"	129	312	No. X.	13	56	"	"	13	56
No. III.	36	130	"	"	36	130	No. XI.	63	144	"	"	63	144
No. IV.	57	140	"	"	57	140	No. XII.	39	95	"	"	39	95
No. V.	26	63	"	"	26	63	No. XIII.	22	71	"	"	22	71
No. VI.	57	189	"	"	57	189	No. XIV.	9	19	"	"	9	19
No. VII.	7		"	"			No. XV.	55	115	"	"	55	115
No. VIII.	69	185	"	"	69	185	No. XVI.	34	87	"	"	34	87
No. IX.	83	243	"	"	83	243	No. XVII.	12	27	"	"	12	27
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 3rd day of November 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Anthony O'Sullivan Esq.*
 Other Guardians: *J. W. Blake, James Brind, Edmund Mayusell, Patrick J. Kelly, Thomas Palmer, Richard Kearney, A. Milligan, Wm. J. Murray, Charles Blake Esq., Arthur Ireland, Henry Lynam, A. Lynch, John Fleming, Thomas Fitzgibbon, Augustus Morris, John Harrington, James Blake, John Ireland, John Harrington, Richard A. H. Harman.*
 The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed. *Edward G. Burke*
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 6971 to No. 7054, 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. 31416 to No. 31416, 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:

John Hall Esq.
 Poor Law Inspector
 + the books of the
 Relief Office
 did not contain

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 That he communicates with the Commissioners as to Moyculkin Hospital, that he replied to the Commissioners letter as to Mr. Smyth that he communicates with the Board of Health as to Medical Relief generally and forwarded them Copy of Resolution as to Veterans Dispensary, that he advertised for Schoolmistresses, that he sent forms showing the Committees appointed to each Member of the Board and requests their attendance on this day to consider the question of Medical Relief in the Union and that he wrote to each Relieving Officer in the Union informing them of the appointment of District Committees and requesting their attendance on each 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.
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £1073. 2. 0
 Paid during the week, - £449. 10. 3
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was - £508. 7. 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:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Samuel Cross	Jahony No 1	187	6	11	137	11	6 1/2
"	Arrew	"	"	"	548	2	"
		187	6	"	487	13	6 1/2
Edward Conside	Jahony No 3	469	7	10	470	1	5
Jonathan Jones	Moyculkin	58	8	"	1440	2	10
Samuel Bruin	Killumin	59	3	9	2720	15	4 1/2
John Hill	Bughteard	25	3	9	1805	4	6
Richard Kelly	Anna down	80	13	6	1381	14	10 1/2
"	Blue Jahony	80	10	"	679	7	9 1/2
		181	3	6	2066	2	7 1/2
Charles Bruin	Lachugh	"	"	"	1128	6	7 1/2
"	Athony	"	"	"	838	9	9
"	"	"	"	"	1766	16	4 1/2
James Bruin	Oranmore	57	19	11	1463	6	8 1/2
"	Ballinacorney	50	9	9	960	13	9 1/2
"	Shudball	3	19	6	384	1	7
		112	9	2	2682	2	14 1/2
	Total,	1073	2	"	2267	18	10 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 £ 110. 16. 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:

- 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 £ 110. 16. 9 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	99	13	5 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	99	13	5 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	0	11 1/4
Average cost in Infirmary,	0	1	8 1/4
General Average cost in Hospital, &c.	0	0	10 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:

2 Tons Animal	300 Buns Suf
2 1/2 Tons Baking meal	30 lb Candles
1 Tons Meal	112 lb Barrow Soap
1/2 Tons oatmeal	16 lb White do
4500 quarts Murnish	4 lbs Starch
3 lbs Tea @ 3/10	56 lb Washing Soda
50 lbs Sugar	1/2 lb Button Blue
4 lbs Sugar	1 lb Hops
30 lbs Pepper	14 lb malt
50 lb meat @ 1/5	7 lbs Muls hand Co
1 gallon Whiskey	7 lbs arrow root
15 Tons of Coals	

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

- 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 3rd day of Nov^r; 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.				Article and quantity.	Value.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.			£ s. d.		£ s. d.
No. I.	Bonnell		1/2 Ton	11.12.6	Bt. forward				
No. II.	P. Petit				No. X.	Creaven			
No. III.	M. Juffei				No. XI.	Morris			
No. IV.	Haid				No. XII.	Cullin			
No. V.	Maugan		1 Ton	7.15.0	No. XIII.	"			
No. VI.	Power		1 Ton	7.15.0	No. XIV.	Keegan		1 Ton	7.15.0
No. VII.	Thomas		1 Ton	7.15.0	No. XV.	Lyons			
No. VIII.	R. Arty				No. XVI.	"		1 Ton	7.15.0
No. IX.	L. Morris				No. XVII.	transferred to M. Connell			
Car. forw'd.			4 1/2 Tons	47.12.6	TOTAL,	next week - 6 1/2 Tons			

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 McCormick Hat	2	11	4

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

2. Establishment Account.

Bright Nails	3	3	1
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Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Thomas Palmer Flour	14	"	"
Thomas Perse Flour	9	8	0
John Small Milk	53	18	1
P.W. Lynch Salt	7	16	3
Thomas Lynn & Co Conks	38	5	0
M. O'Malley Turf	16	13	4

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

None			
Law General &c			
William Hasley's Wages as Sanitary Officer	3	15	0
John Walter Coffins	1	10	4

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 Visiting Committee Book was produced and Read
Called the attention of the Board to the defective state of the Roofs of the Auxiliary Houses, of West House and Dargaw and recommended that immediate steps be taken to repair them

The Clerk of Works to attend the Visiting Committee at 10 o'clock on Wednesday

Also recommended that the Windows be repaired as a vast number of panes of glass are broken in the Workhouse and Auxiliaries and that some measures be taken to check the Paupers inmates from breaking the Windows

Recommended that the Medical Officer visit the Auxiliary Workhouses at stated periods

Ordered that the Medical Officer be required to visit accordingly, and to report his visits on the Journal

The Master reported that two Paupers named Sarah Joyce and Anne Feunightly absconded and took two suits of Clothes
Ordered that informations be lodged against them

That a female Infant about one month was found outside the Boundary Wall in Lidas, Monday and it was discovered that it was the child of a Woman named Naughton who was an Inmate of the House
The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:

and who claimed her discharge a fortnight after her Confinement a sister of the Woman named Naughton is at present a Pauper in the House.

Informations were ordered to be lodged against the Woman for Absentment

That a female Infant about 7 or 8 days old was brought to the Workhouse on the 3rd November by the Police who stated that it was found on the Street

That Master reported a robbery that took place at Dargaw on the morning of Monday where some Blankets were stolen

Ordered to be referred to the Visiting Committee for enquiring Required 2 lbs Linn 5ths black thread and some Sewing - Ordered

The Medical Officer recommended that the roof of the Shed in Hospital yard be repaired - referred to the Visiting Committee

Reported to the Board that having been handed the report of the Visiting Committee as to his attendance at the auxiliary Workhouses he begs to state that Thursday is his usual day for visiting these places and that he done so every morning Thursday but yesterday which he was prevented from doing so by illness

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 the Commissioners 1st November 1849 No 675/49 requesting to be furnished with an abstract of the total lodgements made with the Treasurer from the 29th Sept. to 27th October and of the moiety reserved out of such lodgements towards the rate in aid - Read -

Circular from the Commissioners 3rd Nov^r (received 8th Nov^r) requesting to be furnished with detailed Returns of the Collection for the months of September and October The Clerk stated that the Returns would be forwarded by Sunday's post

Circular from the Commissioners 3rd Nov^r 1849 (rec^d 6th Nov^r) requesting to be furnished by the 14th Inst. with a Return of the Expenses and Liabilities for the month of October

Read

Letter from Board of Health 6 Nov^r 1849 No 19582 acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter relative to the alternative Discharge and stating that this matter has been brought under the notice of the Guardians of the Oughthorpe Union

Letter from the Commissioners 6 Nov^r 1849 No 70353 forwarding an account amounting to 8/4 which they received from Emigration Office of Expenses incurred at Plymouth in supplying deficiencies in the outfit of the Emigrants from this Union forms an inspection there and requesting that a post office order for the amount may be forwarded to Lieutenant Henry R. N. Emigration Agent Orders to be done by Clerk and that the Commissioners be informed accordingly

Letter from the Commissioners 5 Nov^r 1849 No 682 Relative to the orders recently issued for the adjustment of the Liabilities of the Oughthorpe Union on the Separation of certain Parishes which now constitute a part of the Oughthorpe Union and stating that the calculations which will be necessary to make preliminary to a final adjustment of the Liabilities will be carried on under the immediate direction of the Inspectors of the Union

Read

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners 7 Nov^r 1849 No 693/49 requesting to be furnished by the 10th Inst with a return respecting the current Rates in the Union

Read

Circular from the Commissioners 7 Nov^r 1849 No 692 Relative to the notice required to be given of Rates having been made and enclosing a form to be used in future for that purpose

Read

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 -

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

The Chairman read letter from Sir Thomas Blake relative to the fact of a disturbance which took place at Dangan Auxilium Workhouse on the night of the 8th Instant among the Paupers
Ordered that the letter be referred to the Visiting Committee and that the thanks of the Board be conveyed to Sir Thomas Blake

The Chairman read a letter from the Boarding Commissioners in answer to his letter enclosing a copy of the Resolution relative to the proposed changes in the salary Union and stating that they regretted the representations of the inhabitants of Salway were made too late as they had previously submitted the Schedules of alterations to Sir George Peck, for the final settlement

The Chairman read letter from Mr George McDonald late Poor Rate Collector relative to his claim for expenses incurred in the collection of the Rate

Ordered - to be referred to the Finance Committee for their report thereon as well as some other disputed claims made by several parties

Read letter from Mr Higgins Agriculturalist from Dublin who he has been on leave to exhibit some of his Roots and stating that he obtained two prizes 1st & 2nd

The Board read this letter with satisfaction

On the motion of Mr Palmer and seconded unanimously Resolved that Mullins and Mr Gunning be added to the finance Committee

It was also Resolved that Mr Thomas Palmer be added to the finance Committee in stead of Mr Ambrose Rush

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

On the motion of Mr Harrison and seconded unanimously Resolved that a set of new locks of the best description be obtained for the Principal Workhouse and the Visiting Committee to make the Station and that the old Locks and Keys of the Principal Workhouse be made available for the Auxilium Workhouses

A Deputation from the San Commissioners having waited on the Board to request the aid of some of the Paupers out of the Workhouse to assist in cleaning the Streets and mentioned that in strength the Guardians allowed it
It was Resolved unanimously

that the Commissioners be requested to allow them to levy at the disposal of the San Commissioners under the Superintendance of an Overseer paid by the Union some of the Paupers chargeable to the Division of Salway for the purpose requested by the Deputation

Mr Hall Poor Law Inspector having called the Guardians attention to the Resolution of last Board relative to Medical Relief in the Union when the following Resolutions were passed unanimously

Resolved that from the decrease of Contagious disease in the Districted Division of Moykulm and the very few Patients that now are and have been for the last 2 months in the Union Hospital there, We do recommend that the Board of Health do at once withdraw their Certificate for the continuance of that establishment and that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the Board of Health as well as to the attending Physician at the Moykulm Hospital

Resolved also that the subject of Medical Relief by the establishment of a temporary Dispensary at Craunore be referred to the District Committee to meet at Craunore on the 14th Instant for their observations as to the necessity of a Dispensary at Craunore

Resolved That with the view of making arrangements for the liquidation of the liabilities of the Union and of ascertaining the moiety of the several claims, That the Clerk do prepare by next Boarding a detailed statement of the several Debts setting forth the period at which the debt became due, to whom due the payments made from time to time on a/c of each and the amount now due to each Creditor

Mr Hall Poor Law Inspector submitted papers showing the value of stocks &c on hands at the time of change in the Union which it will be necessary to take into consideration in adjusting the liabilities of the Union

Ordered to be referred to the Finance Committee for their observations

Read Letter from Mr. G. Mearns, Esq. Attorney at Law, for the vote of thanks passed to him at last meeting

Next meeting to be held on Friday 11 Nov

A. F. Claherty

Population in 1841, Present Net Annual Value,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10 day of November 1849.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Children under 2 years.	Born.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.			Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse,	1000/111										
Temporary Buildings,	975 "										
Additional Workhouse,	350/1080										
Permanent Fever Hospital,											
Fever Sheds,	300 "										
Total,	3145/2491										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			17	42	342	67	457	28	"	22	Work-house Hospital, 187 In separate Wards, 7 In Fever Hospital, 7
Admitted during the Week,			2	1	35	53	257	83	6	"	150
TOTAL,			19	43	377	727	414	111	"	2278	
Discharged during the Week,			1	1	16	31	137	9	1	"	80
Died,			"	"	3	1	"	2	1	"	7
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	1	19	32	137	11	2	"	87
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			18	42	358	697	403	32	"	2291	Stave 12 Deputy 51 Chaplain 126 Stave 187

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10 day of Nov 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.	218	471	"	"	218	471	Bt. forward						
No. II.	130	317	"	"	130	317	No. X.	15	55	"	"	15	55
No. III.	36	130	"	"	36	130	No. XI.	57	134	"	"	57	135
No. IV.	56	135	"	"	56	135	No. XII.	30	73	"	"	30	73
No. V.	26	63	"	"	26	63	No. XIII.	22	75	"	"	22	75
No. VI.	51	187	"	"	51	187	No. XIV.	9	19	"	"	9	19
No. VII.							No. XV.	55	115	"	"	55	115
No. VIII.	68	183	"	"	68	183	No. XVI.	35	87	"	"	35	87
No. IX.							No. XVII.	11	49	"	"	11	49
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 16 day of November 1849.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Anthony Claherty Esq. M.P.

- Other Guardians:
- | | | | |
|---------------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| Charles Blake | John Fleming | James Blake | John Harrison |
| Martin Morris | Francis Blake | Thomas Fitzerald | R. C. L. Atthy |
| Ambrose Rush | Nicholas Bellian | Edward Burke | Henry Meyfird |
| Richd. A. H. Kirwan | A. R. Mullins | Thomas Palmer | John Deland |
| William Claherty | James Brunne | R. J. Scumerville | John Deland |

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 7055 to No. 7204, 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. 3141 to No. 3146, 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 informed Messrs. ^{James} Mullins of their appointment as members of the Finance Committee, that he requested the Board of Health to withdraw their certificate for the temporary Fever Hospital. That he wrote to each member of the District Committee at Craunmore requesting their attendance at Craunmore on Wednesday as the Board on this day would receive their opinion as to the necessity of a dispensary in that district. That he laid before the visiting Committee and the Finance Committee all the business referred to them at the Board on last meeting and that he ^{carried out all the orders of the} ~~carried out all the orders of the~~ ^{Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of the Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.} ~~carried out all the orders of the~~ ^{Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of the Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.} last Board.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £887 16 4
 Paid during the week, - £344 15 7
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £1055 10 9
 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:—

54-13 0 Lroyd as
 sanitary fines =

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Samuel Cross	Galung No. 1	"	"	"	1329	11	1/2
"	Acran	"	"	"	548	2	"
Edward Conidine	Galung No. 2	289	15	6	443	5	11
Anathon Jones	Murkullen	194	11	3	1745	11	7/2
Terence O'Brien	Hillanin	"	"	"	2720	15	4/2
John Gill	Oughteraro	41	16	0	1763	8	6/4
Richard Kelly	Armadown	57	6	9	1335	8	1/2
"	Claregalung	42	7	0	637	0	9/2
Charles O'Brien	Lackagh	93	13	9	1972	8	10/4
"	Athury	76	10	6	1051	16	1/2
James O'Brien	Craunmore	33	12	4	804	17	5
"	Ballinacourt	110	2	10	1858	13	6/2
"	Stradbally	99	1	"	1164	5	8/2
"	"	58	6	0	902	7	5/2
"	"	"	"	"	384	1	7
Total,		1577	0	24	2180	12	5 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~~ 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 £93 7 s. 4 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ 93 7 4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	105 3 0
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	105 3 0
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0 0 11 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	0 1 8 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:

1/2 Tm first flour	50 lb	dipt fowdles
3 " rye meal	336 "	Brown Soap
1 " Barley meal	16 "	white soap
5 " Indigo meal	4 "	Starch
1/2 " Catmeal	56 "	washing soda
500 quarts New milk	1/2 "	Button Blue
1/2 Tm Salt	2 "	Stops
3-lb Tea @ 8/10 & 3/4	28 "	Malt
50 lb Sugar	7 "	round audbs
4 " Soft Sugar		
30 " Pepper		
50 " Wheat @ 8/4		
150 " " @ 3/4		

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 10 day of Nov 1849, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on 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.				Article and quantity.	Value.
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
No. I.	E. Lomell	"	1 Tm	7 15 0	Bt. forward	"	3 Tm	23 5 0	
No. II.	J. Pettit	"	"	"	No. X.	Creaven	"	1/2 " 3 15 0	
No. III.	Giffin	"	1 Tm	7 15 0	No. XI.	Maris	"	1/2 " 3 17 0	
No. IV.	Hard	"	"	"	No. XII.	Cullen	"	"	
No. V.	Maugan	"	"	"	No. XIII.	"	"	"	
No. VI.	Pough	"	1 "	7 15 0	No. XIV.	Keir	"	"	
No. VII.	Thomas	"	1 "	7 15 0	No. XV.	Fynn	"	"	
No. VIII.	Drury	"	"	"	No. XVI.	"	"	"	
No. IX.	J. Maris	"	"	"	No. XVII.	"	"	"	
Car. forwd.	* order drawn in favour of Mr. Fynn last week 23 5 0				TOTAL,	"	4 "	31 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.

	£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.

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.

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 Visiting Committee Book was produced and Read.

The Visiting Committee reported they felt satisfied with the explanation of the medical officer relative to his attendance at the Auxiliary Workhouse,

that the repairs at Dungen necessary were inspected by them accompanied by the Clerk of work, and are now in a state of progress—

that the repairs necessary at West House were also inspected by them and the Clerk of work, and are now in progress and the Finance Committee communicated with the Law Lord relative to the roof and they would be in a position again next Board day to come to the Board his reply

The Visiting Committee deferred making enquiry into the circumstances connected with the robbery and outrages at Dungen for a future day.

The Committee also reported that some of the children at the Auxiliary Houses were suffering from sore heads &c. but from arrangements made by them with the assistance of the Medical Officer they are sure such will be remedied—

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

The Master recommended that the nurses and infants be removed from the principal W. House to one of the auxiliaries as that part of the principal House occupied by them will be required for the infirm class who are now coming in to the Workhouse. Referred to the visiting Committee—

Master reports that a robbery was committed on Wednesday morning by breaking into the milk store and 8 bottles Porter, 1 bottle wine, 1 quart whiskey, 1/2 lb Tea, 4 lb Sugar and 2 lb soft Sugar was stolen therefrom.

Required for shoemakers sh. p. 1/2 hide sole leather, 1 lb iron springs, 1 lb hemp yarn, 1 dozen lining thread, 1 lb heel springs, 1/2 gross lacing tack and 1 doz tips. Ordered

The Agricultural Instructor suggested that a cow shed be erected at Dungen as the Commissioners had sanctioned the purchasing of some cows—

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

Don Low Commissioner letter of 14 Nov 1849 No 70058 & 149 forwarding a communication referred to them from the chief secretary's Office relative to the election of some tenants from their holdings in the Salway Union and also enclosing a copy of a Report from the late Vice Juridicus on the subject.

The consideration of this letter was deferred to next Board day -

Letter from the Commissioners 12 Nov 1849 No 70554 No 149 relative to the appointment of District Committees in the Union and calling the Guardians attention to the 6 Sec of 10 Vic Cap 34 providing for the formation of any one or more electoral Divisions (when such shall be situated more than 6 Miles from the place of meeting of the Guardians) into a District and a committee be appointed for each District -

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:

Resolved, That application be made to the Commissioners in pursuance with the 6 Sec of 10 Vic Cap 34 to form the electoral Divisions of the Union into the following Districts and that the Committees appointed on the 2 Inst do act as Committee for said districts at Moycullea on each alternate Monday for Moycullea North & St Spidral in each alternate Monday for Moycullea South and Killeenish North. At Craunure on each alternate Wednesday for the Divisions of Craunure, Ballinacurt, Shadball, and Athery. At Clonsilla on each alternate Thursday for Clonsilla and Sackagh Divisions. At Canabeg on each alternate Thursday for Canabeg Division and that the Commissioners be requested to issue their order forming the above Divisions into Districts for the purposes mentioned in the sec referred to -

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners 12 Nov 1849 No 70554 No 149 relative to the recommendation of the Medical Officer in minutes of 2 Inst as to an extra allowance of food to the children in the nursery, and enclosing queries for the appointment of School Mistress -

Resolved, That a copy of the Dictayle forwarded to the Commissioners -

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners 13 Nov 1849 No 70549 forwarding a copy of an amended form of abstract of Union accounts containing a separate column for amount given in account of Kate in Aid -

Don Low Commissioner letter of 14 Nov 1849 No 69033 acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter of 28 Ultimus relative to the disqualification of Mr J. Killkelly for the office of Guardian of Moycullea Division and enclosing for the information of Returning Officer a copy of a letter addressed by them to Mr Killkelly -

Letter from the Commissioners 14 Nov 1849 No 70037 enclosing the Return of Guardians elected to have the seal of the Returning Officer affixed thereto -

Letter from the Commissioners 14 Nov 1849 No 70350 acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter of 28 Ultimus relative to the qualification of Mr Martin Morris J.P. for the office of Guardian -

Letter to the Guardians from Mr Owen E. Blake J.P. relative to his election as Guardian of the Poor of the Salway Union -

Letter from the Commissioners 14 Nov 1849 No 70497 acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter relative to the disqualification of Mr N. Lynch to nominate for the office of Guardian and enclosing a copy of a communication addressed by them to Mr N. Lynch on the subject -

Letter from the Central Board of Health 14 Nov 49 requesting to be informed what steps have been taken by the Guardians for the establishment of a Temporary Dispensary at Craunure -

The Chairman read letter from the Commissioners in reply to his communication relative to the appointment of an assistant Guardian and stating that they are advised that there is no power to pay the Salary of an assistant Guardian out of the Poor Rate, but that they brought under the consideration of Her Majesty's Government their views on the subject -

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)

Suggestions having been made that whole meal should be substituted instead of Rye meal and that an extra allowance of food be allowed to some of the more useful paupers placed in responsible situations -

Mr. Hall P.M. Inspector recommended to the Board before making any alteration the experience of their taking the Dietaries of the Paupers and the Officers into their consideration when the Board Resolved ~~that the Dietaries~~ of the Paupers and the Officers be taken into consideration on next Board day and the clerk was directed to give notice of same to each member of the Board -

On the suggestion of the Inspector the Clerk was also directed to write to the Union of Ballinrobe, Francis Clifden and Smyth for a statement of the allowance of Rations made to the Officers in those Workhouses -

Complaints having been made by the visiting Committee of the badness of the Rye meal supplied when it was ordered, that the Contractor Mr. Perse be sent for to give an explanation as to the supply -

It appearing to the Board that the loaves of Bread were made of such a thickness as prevented their being properly baked. Mr. Hall P.M. suggested that the Bread for the Healthy inmates be baked on flat plates in cakes as it answered much better and was done in other Workhouses -

The subject was referred for consideration to the visiting Committee

Mr. Perse the Meal Contractor having attended and explained that in consequence of not having of his own the amount of the last order of Rye meal he was obliged to purchase some in town which accounted for the article not being as good as usual He stated to the Board that he would take care that the supplies should be according to contract in future -

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

The Board felt satisfied at this explanation but stated at the same time that if a bad article were supplied it would be returned and meal of the best quality purchased elsewhere and the extra charge deducted from his account -

The Guardians having considered the appointment of Schoolmistress when the following candidates appeared Mary Ann Conry - Anne Dwyer, and Mary Anne Gavin Mary Ann Conry having been nominated was appointed by a majority of 8 to 4.

Resolved that the Clerk do write to each Relieving Officer in the Muscullon Temporal and Hospital District to send any sick paupers who may apply to them for admission to the Muscullon Hospital to the Workhouse Hospital, and not give any tickets of admission to the Muscullon Hospital -

Resolved that a Tine of meal previously ordered to Mr. Flynn R.O. be transferred to Mr. Connelly R.O. all persons who were on the outdoor Relief in the District of the former having been ordered to the Workhouse at the last meeting of the District Committee -

Mr. Hall P.M. submitted a letter which he received from the collector for the Union relative to the opposition offered him, and referred also to opposition to the collector for Kildare, and called the attention of the Board to the necessity of taking immediate steps to enforce the payment of the Rates. After due consideration of the circumstances connected with the report.

Resolved. That the Clerk do write to each collector in the Union to request they will make a full report to the Board on next Friday setting forth the opposition offered to them in the different parts of their Districts. by whom the opposition has been offered and the ability of the Ratepayers to pay the Poor Rate in the localities where the opposition was offered.

Read report of Finance Committee relative to Mr. Keen's claim for prosecutions under the sanitary and Vagrancy Acts and also as to Mr. McDonald's Account of expenses, stating that they deferred them for the consideration of the Board, and until they would have the advantage of Mr. Hall's advice. After some discussion the accounts were again referred to the visiting Committee for their report and opinion, and Mr. Hall agreed to attend the Finance Committee on when they would examine into the items of the accounts.

The Creditors of the Union who had not received any money since 29 Sep last on accounts of the debts due them attended the Board when it was Resolved. That a dividend of 5p in the £ be now paid to them in lieu to the other creditors on condition of their signing a letter of guarantee not to take any further proceedings for the recovery of their demands, until the 22 July and it being understood that the 2^d instalment would be made that all the other creditors judiciously otherwise will sign a similar letter not to enforce the payment of their debts for 12 months following the 22 July 1850.

As ordered to the 27th Nov 1849

W. H. Hall
J. P. Moody

At an adjourned meeting held on Saturday the 17th November 1849.

Present. in the chair.

Anthony O'Hakub, Esq.
other guardians
John Harrison
R. N. Summerville, Richard, A. Kirwan
John Deland, Edward, C. Burke
Ambrose Rush, Henry, Esq.

It appearing to the Board that some of the creditors who were about to receive an instalment held cheques of the former Vice Guardians which were given to them when no funds were available, after some discussion as to how those cheques should be dealt with.

It was Resolved, That any Parties who hold such cheques do hand them into the Clerk according as they receive their instalments, and that Outstanding cheques account be debited with all such cheques and unpaid Bills account be credited with the amount of each. The following creditors handed in their cheques to the Clerk accordingly, viz

John Harrison	2 cheques	300 0 0
James Forbes	2 cheques	275 0 0

The Board then signed the following cheques for such of the creditors as had signed the letter of guarantee.

viz.

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Pat ^r Commings	Sp on his demand	35	8	5	✓
John Oliver	do	157	17	6	✓
Matt Coocannon	do	133	16	1	✓
John Costello	do	156	12	2	✓
John Harrison	do	100			✓
George Farquason	do	61	5	9	✓
James Davies	do	35	8	5	✓
Martin O'Malley	do	8	11	5	✓
John Oliver	do	78	11	3	✓
William Barrett	do	96	6	9	✓
James Forbes	do	150	1	8	✓
James Forbes	do	45	16	8	✓
Patrick Staunton	do	23	3	5	✓

The Clerk called the Board's attention to the next cheque to be signed for Mr. J. J. Gunning and stated that Mr. John Gunning was one of the securities of Pat^r Martin late collector & he was a defaulter to more than £900.

Mr. Hall Inspector also reminded the Board that Proceedings were pending in the superior Courts in Dublin against the securities and it rested with them whether they considered Mr. J. J. Gunning should get his instalment.

The Chairman put it to the meeting when it was Resolved, that a cheque be filled for Mr. J. J. Gunning for amount of his instalment, he not being one of his securities. A cheque was accordingly signed for J. J. Gunning for £162.5.7.

Debit unpaid Bills account with the above and credit Treasurer

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On the report of the Finance Committee the following cheques were signed -

clothing account

Edmund Flaherty	wool	32	17	1
M. Hall	weaver	2	18	
Conneely	shoes	10	12	✓

Establishment Account

Joseph Clark	payment Hademan	11	10	5
M. Green	half year contract	6	10	✓
M. Hughes	metal sashes	4	10	✓
N. Walsh	Streetkeeper	3	10	
J. Conry	do	3	10	
M. O'Donnell	do	3	7	
P. Doherty	Buckets	3	19	
Clerk Union	pay ^t Bills	15	14	9

Invoice Account

J. Small	Milk	26	19	2
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Law, Funeral & Account

Sir T. E. Blake	Returned Rates	2	16	✓
P. Franklin	do	5	5	

Next Meeting to be held on Friday the 23rd Nov 1849

W. Flaherty
 J. O'Spady

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121 *Galway* UNION. Population in 1841, Present Net Annual Value, STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17 day of November 1849.

Table with columns: Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided, Aged and Infirm, Able-bodied, Born, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, and summary rows for Admitted, Discharged, and Died.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17 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. Includes rows for districts I through IX and a Car. forward row.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 23 day of November 1849.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Anthony O'Flaherty Esq. M.P. Other Guardians: Charles Blake, Martin Ince, Edward E. Mansell, Richard A.H. Kirwan, Nicholas Killion, John Fleming, John Harrison, James Browne, Thomas Palmer, William Blaukey, Wm. J. Murray, P. J. O'Kelly, Robt. Linnerville, John Ireland, Thos. Fitzgerald, Michl. Lynch, Christ. M. Joyce Esq.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed. The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 7205 to No. 7370, 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. 31417 to No. 31417, 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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 That he wrote to the Clerks of Uluin, Clifden, Inghera, Ballinasloe, Tuam and first for statements of the allowance of Dietary made to the Officers in those Workhouses, that he requested each of the Relieving Officers in the Inyccullen District that they should in future send any such persons to the Workhouse instead of the Inyccullen Hospital, that he requested of each of the Collectors to make a report to the Board at each future meeting of any opposition that may be offered to them in the Collection of the Rate, that he wrote to each member of the Board requesting their attendance on the day relative to the Dietary, and 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, - £876.38
 Paid during the week, - £128.4.7
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £1803.14.2
 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.
Samuel Cross	Galweg No. 1	201 6 8 4128 5 4	
do	Arran	" " " 548 2 0	
		201 6 8 4676 7 4	
Edward Conside	Galweg No. 2	299 9 " 4110 16 11	
Inathon Innes	Inyccullen	56 2 9 1689 8 10	
Seamus O'Brien	Killamin	14 18 9 2705 16 7	
John Jee	Oughterard	" " " 1763 8 6	
Richard Kelly	Amadown	24 5 " 1311 3 1	
do	Claregalway	15 7 4 121 13 5	
		39 12 4 1932 16 6	
Charles O'Brien	Lackagh	40 " " 1011 16 6	
do	Atheury	61 4 " 743 13 5	
		101 4 " 1755 9 6	
James O'Brien	Crannore	62 2 8 1102 30 8	
do	Ballinacree	18 " " 884 7 9	
do	Stradbally	83 8 " 300 13 7	
		163 10 8 2287 4 5	
	Total,	876 38 2092 8 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 £ 111 5 4 was produced and paid.
 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 £123.11.5 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	123	11	5
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	110	5	4
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	110	5	4
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	0	11 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	0	1	8 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:
- 1/2 Tm 1st flour — 4 quarts, whiskey
 - 4 " Rye meal — 4 Bottles, wine
 - 2 " Barley meal — 10 Tms Coal,
 - 3 " Indian meal — 200 Boxes Fuel
 - 1 " Oatmeal — 60 lb dist candles
 - 5000 quarts new milk — 168 brown soap
 - 1/4 Tm of salt — 4 " Starch
 - 6 lbs of Tea — 1/2 " Blue
 - 50 " Sugar — 2 " Soap
 - 4 " Soft Sugar — 28 " malt
 - 30 " white pepper — 7 " mould candles
 - 200 " 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 17 day of *Nov*; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on 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.
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity.			£ s. d.	Article and quantity.
No. I.	E. Connolly	"	" " "	No. X.	M. Green	4	3 Tms 23 5 0
No. II.	P. Pettit	"	1/2 Tm 3 17 6	No. XI.	J. Morris	"	" " "
No. III.	M. Griffin	"	" " "	No. XII.	A. Mcullen	"	" " "
No. IV.	M. Haro	"	" " "	No. XIII.	"	"	" " "
No. V.	H. Haughey	"	1/2 " 3 17 6	No. XIV.	J. O'Connell	"	" " "
No. VI.	J. O'Connell	"	1/2 " 11 12 6	No. XV.	J. O'Connell	"	" " "
No. VII.	M. Thomas	"	1/2 " 3 17 6	No. XVI.	"	"	" " "
No. VIII.	M. O'Connell	"	" " "	No. XVII.	"	"	" " "
No. IX.	J. O'Connell	"	" " "				
Car. forwd.		"	3 " 23 5 0	TOTAL,		"	3 " 23 5 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.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

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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 - No Contact

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

The Visiting Committee Book was produced and read - The Visiting Committee reported the want of clothing among some of the children. The Master was directed to prepare a statement of the clothing made up for the 3 months, 31 Oct. and of the No. of suits required to admit of a Union dress being given to each pauper.

The Visiting Committee also recommended that some of the paupers be employed in conveying water to Merchants Road, Auxiliary Workhouse by man cart, instead of paying for the carriage of same as at present, which a saving of 11/6 a week would be made.

The Visiting Committee read a letter which they receive from Mr. Dinwiddie, Landlord of West House agreeing to the expenditure of a sum of five pounds on repairing the roof, of which he will allow out of the Rent.

The Master reported that the windows of the House required glazing and required a crate of glass for that purpose, Ordered.

The Master reported paupers who absconded from Workhouse and took with them their Union clothing and required directions thereon.

The Master's attention was directed to be called to the order made by the Board on the 9 Inst. on all such cases.

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

The Master requested that a selection be made from the inmates of the principal Workhouse and sent to Merchants Road, the authorised No. for that house being 500 and the No. at present in it only 300.

The Master required 2 India Barks, ordered. Required 200 pint, 200 dishes, and 3 dyer sponges for dormitories, Referred to the Visiting Committee, and the Master was directed to lay his reports and requisitions before the Visiting Committee for their opinion previous to laying them before the Board.

The Agricultural Instructor recommended that the potatoes on hand be sold as a good demand is now for them.

Deferred for the present.

The Assistant Master at Dungen reported negligence on the part of the School Master.

The matter was deferred to the Visiting Committee for enquiry. Required for blasting purposes, 7 lbs of powder and 2 Civil fuse. Ordered.

The Medical officer reported that he visited Dungen Auxiliary Workhouse and the children do not appear as healthy as usual, the cause of which he attributes to the insufficiency of the Diet. (See Memorandum as to Dietary)

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

Letter from the Commissioners 17th Nov 1847, No 71534/49 relative to a payment of £3 which appears on minutes of 2nd Inst for Insurance and enclosing a form to be furnished with the particulars of the Insurance thereon.

The Clerk stated that he furnished the particulars required.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 17th Inst approving of the appointment of Mr. Thomas, as Relieving Officer.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 16th Nov 1847, No 71562 M/49 transmitting for the information of the Guardians a copy of a letter which they received from Mr. Shilling as also a copy of the Commissioners reply relative to the Decision of the Assistant Barrister at Law on an appeal brought by him against the Rate.

The Guardians declined taking any notice of the Communication and observed that the Vice Guardians had acted very properly in enforcing the payment of the Rate.

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 the Commissioners 21st Nov 1847, No 72969/49 forwarding a copy of a communication addressed by them to Mr. Charles O'Brien relative to money retained in his hands.

The Clerk stated that Mr. O'Brien had since lodged the money remaining in his hands.

Circular from the Commissioners 16th Nov 1847, No 61783 M/49 relative to the valuable properties of charred meat as an agent for diminishing offensive odours arising from the privies &c in the Workhouse, and enclosing a copy of a letter on the subject which they have been favoured with by Sir Robert Peel.

The Circular was referred to the visiting committee with a request that they would pay it their best attention.

Letter from the Central Board of Health 16th Nov 1847 acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter relative to the Temporary Fever Hospital at Muzcullen and acceding to the request of the Board of Guardians to close that Hospital at the same time observing that they brought the matter under the notice of the late Vice Guardians as it appeared to the Board of Health the time had arrived for the discontinuance of that Establishment but received no reply from the Vice Guardians.

Mr. Hall as one of the Vice Guardians stated that no such letter as that mentioned by the

Central Board of Health was received to his knowledge by the Vice Guardians and requested that the Board of Health may be informed accordingly.

The Clerk also stated that at the request of Mr. Hall Esq, he communicated the purport of the above letter to Dr. Kinghaug on Monday last with the view of giving him timely notice and stated to him that any patients who may not be fit to be discharged could be received into the M. House Hospital.

Letter from the Commissioners 21st Nov 1847, No 56272 requesting the Clerk to state if the amount appearing in the abstract of Accounts for 25 March 1847 as "Other Receipts" are advances from Government and if so on what principal was the appropriation of such to the electoral Divisions made.

The Clerk laid before the Board the Commissioners letter relative to the petitions in the salvage Union the consideration of which was deferred on last

Board day - After due consideration of the matter it was ordered that a copy of the communications & with the accompanying documents be forwarded to Mr. Falgout of Swan for his explanation by next Board day.

Reports were read from some of the collectors relative to the opposition offered to the collection of the Rate from which it appeared that in some parts of the Union the collections were opposed considerably, while in other parts the Ratepayers evinced a ready inclination to pay.

The Board after considering the Reports deferred making any order until the adjourned meeting on tomorrow when they would have an opportunity of hearing 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

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 of every year).

Collectors more fully and devising the best and most peaceable means for enforcing the payment of the Rate.

Read Report from the Finance Committee recommending that printing be done by contract and that an advertisement be inserted for same as also for the supply to the 25 March next, of just flour, Flax, and Straw.

An advertisement was accordingly ordered to be inserted.

The Committee also recommended that weaving be done in the Workhouse.

Mr. Hall P.S.D. stated that if they commenced to weave in the House it would be necessary to provide more day room accommodation at the same time stated that one of the out offices at Dawson Auxiliary Workhouse may be appropriated for that purpose of Weaving.

The Guardians were about to take the salaries and rations of the Officers into consideration when Mr. Hall P.S.D. observed that if they intended to rescind any Resolution, a fortnight notice should be given of their intention to do so, and pointed out to the Chairman the article in the Commissioners regulations which required such to be given.

Mr. Harrison accordingly gave notice that on Friday the 7 Dec. next, he would move that application be made to the Poor Law Commissioners for leave to reduce the number of Relieving and other Officers where found expedient, also the salaries where found necessary of every individual employed by the Board of Guardians and also to take into consideration the propriety of making such changes in the Dietary as may be necessary.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Mr. Hall P.S.D. called the Board's attention to the state of the Valuation with the view of obtaining the Commissioners sanction to appoint a Valuator to make a new Valuation of the Union and as it would require such time as would enable them to give an opportunity to all parties to enter their objections, and to give the Valuator a fair time for the performance of his duties, it was absolutely necessary that the appointment be made as soon as possible.

The following Resolution was accordingly entered into. Resolved, that the Commissioners be requested to sanction the appointment of a competent Valuator to revalue the Rateable property in this Union as it is now in a very defective state.

The Chairman Mr. O'Shaughnessy referred to an article which appeared in the 'Vindicator' of last Wednesday relative to the chargeability of paupers and the term of residence allowed to allocate them in the Divisions, which would go to lead the Ratepayers to believe that the Board were not discharging their duties ⁱⁿ partially, and stated that for the purpose of preventing in future the possibility of their acts being looked upon as unfair or prejudicial to the interests of the Ratepayers, he would read for the Board some few observations which he thought it right to make as to the ^{the} days of residence, the discharge of their duties, and the management of the Workhouse and Outdoor Relief in future.

On the motion of John Delaney and seconded Unanimously, It was Resolved, That a ^{printed} copy of Mr. O'Shaughnessy's valuable observations be copied and one sent to each member of the Board with the view of enabling them to look over them, which will lead to the better management of their duties.

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It having been proposed to withdraw the Law proceedings now pending against the securities of the late Collector Martin, Mr. Hall P.S.D. urged on the Board the propriety of their ascertaining from their Solicitor whether stay of proceedings would be prejudicial to the interests of the Ratepayers - hereinafter after some discussion on the matter the following Resolution was passed,

Resolved, That the proceedings now pending against Mr. J. Summing for the defalcations of Martin be suspended with the view of ascertaining if the case can be settled amicably by arbitration and that a Committee be appointed this day to enquire into the matter and report to the Board this day week,

The following gentlemen were named as the Committee - John Deland, R. T. Summerville and Nicholas Lynch,

A letter was read from Mr. John O'Malley requesting that ten pounds of his claim be transferred to Messrs. Mullin and Byrne -
Ordered, That same be transferred to Mullins & Byrne -

The Chairman read a letter from Mr. Somme of Inverness relating to the Rent due to Dennis Clarke for Merchants Row Auxiliary W. House and enclosing a copy of a letter which he received from the Commissioners on the subject. The consideration of same was deferred to next Board day.

Read Letter from Treasurer of Union dated 17th Nov 1844 stating that he remitted to the Bank of Ireland Dublin per account of the Paymaster of Civil services in Ireland the sum of £2117.78 on 1/4 of National Aid -

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Read letter from Mr. Thomas K. Ryan relative to his claim for Rent and compensation for straw lodged which passed between the Viceguardians and the Commissioners were referred to the Finance Committee for their Report.

Read a letter from John Gilligan Tol. 52 Lower Gloucester Street Dublin, applying on the part of Messrs. Millians for £13.4.6 due for caps and threatening proceedings if not immediately paid, the matter was deferred till tomorrow when the Board would be signing cheques,

Mr. Harrison called the Board's attention to the fact of a transfer to him of the amount due to Mr. Lambert having been refused as it was alleged that Provisions had been received into the Mrk house from Rush and Palmer during his period of office and not acknowledged on his Provision Book; there was a difference as to whether it was the Visiting or Finance Committee should enquire into the matter however ~~after~~ The Visiting Committee and Mr. Thomas Palmer went over the accounts and found that all the Provisions supplied had been entered on the masters Provision Book and accounted for by him,

After some discussion the Board decided as the difference of opinion did exist and as it more properly belonged to the Finance Committee that they do enquire into it on the finance day and report to the Board at next meeting.

On the Report of the Finance Committee two accounts were laid before the Board one recommending a sum of £30 on account to Mr. Gilligan and the other recommending a sum of £25 to Mr. Cross on account of his old collection. The Chairman observed that they had made an engagement with the creditors and he put it to the Board whether they

would depart from the engagement of giving 5% in the pound in those cases,

The Board were unanimous that the cheques should be signed Mr. Gilligan having closed up his accounts satisfactory and Mr. Cross required it to enable him to proceed with his present collection.

The Board then proceeded to confirm the orders made by the District Committees.

Mr. O'Flaherty having vacated the chair Mr. Kirwan the Deputy Vice Chairman was called there to, and completed the orders in the Relieving Officers Books after which the Board adjourned to the part II of clock the following day to sign cheques and examine the Collectors Books.

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At an adjourned meeting of the Board held on Saturday the 24 November 1849

Present. In the chair, H. O'Flaherty Esq. M.P. Other Guardians, James Blake, Thomas Reever, John Harrison, Martin Murray, Richard A.M. Kirwan, Patrick Blake, James Burne & R. T. Summerville Esq.

John Hall Esq. P. L. D. attended. Cheques for the dividends of 5% in the pound were filled up for the following creditors who had signed the letters of warrant since the last meeting viz.

Catharine Glatter	5% in the pound ds	50	5	5
Thomas M. Perse	do	86	10	"
Clepland & Clarke	do	36	14	4
Grealy & Sons	do	32	7	"
Michael Clogherty	do	25	11	8
James Burne	do	27	4	2
Murray & Sons	do	5	18	5
Dr. Hughes	do	4	13	"
John Evans	do	28	10	5
Wm. Clarke	do	2	3	"

all entered in

Debit unpaid bills account with the above and Credit Treasurer.

Mr. Perse handed in to the Clerk agreeable to order of the last Board a cheque of the former Vice Guardians which he held for £106.5.10.

On the Report of the Finance Committee the following cheques were also ordered to be paid.

Clothing Account			
George Harquanson	Coalies	48	7 7
Establishment Account			
James Davies	Printing	15	2 "
James Davies	Advertising	11	12 9
John F. Blake	Printing	7	6 2

in same book

Establishment Account continued

Celakluion	Payment of Bills	8	13	1	✓	
P. Rippingham	Repairs	3	"	"	✓	
A. Gilligan	Collectors fees	30	"	"	✓✓	
T. Cross	Collectors fees	25	"	"	✓✓	
Celakluion	Payment Adesmen Bills	17	"	4	✓	
James Suffy	Stackeeper	3	8	"	✓	
In Invoice Account						
Patt Ryan	flour	✓	12	10	"	✓
J. M. Persse	Indian meal	✓	32	16	"	✓
J. Costello	groceries	✓	27	13	6	✓
W. Elwood	meat	✓	15	9	3	✓
J. Fynn H.C.	leavals	✓	14	12	6	✓
M. O'Malley	Inf	✓	8	6	8	✓
C. Flatter	Soap &c	✓	13	15	5	✓
J. Perpe	flour	✓	77	4	6	✓
J. Small	Milk	✓	32	19	"	✓
J. Costello	groceries	✓	4	"	5	✓
W. Elwood	meat	✓	2	17	3	✓
C. Flatter	Soap &c	✓	5	5	"	✓

Out Invoice Account

J. M. Persse	Indian meal	✓	170	10	"	✓
J. M. Perpe	Indian meal	✓	50	7	6	✓

Law, Funeral &c Account

Martin Morris	Costs on appeals	4	"	"	
Martin Lydon	Costs on appeals	2	"	"	

New Hospital Accounts

J. Fynn H.C.	groceries Moycullen Hospital	6	"	"	
J. Harrison	Milk Moycullen Hospital	13	2	"	

None of the collectors having attended at the Board Room up to 1/2 past 12 o'clock the Clerk was directed to write to each of them to attend on Friday next at the hour of 11 o'clock with all their Books & saw to have a full report, setting forth the opposition offered to them throughout their Districts, by whom the opposition was

offered and the ability of the Ratepayers to pay where the opposition was offered and to state to them that they may be called on to verify their reports ^{up} on oath.

The Chairman read a letter from Mr. Fitzgerald Guardian for Moycullen Electoral Division stating that some of the property at the Moycullen Hospital was stolen therefrom.

The Guardians having consulted Mr. Hall the Inspector on the subject he recommended that Mr. Browne the overseer who had charge of the Salway Hospital as Porter be sent to Moycullen to take stock and to remain there until the closing of the Hospital (the 30 Inst).

Mr. Browne was accordingly despatched to Moycullen for the same purpose.

Next meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 30 Inst;

R. Prady

Att. H. King

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STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24 day of November 1849.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		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 Idlots in Workhouse on the above date.				
Workhouse,	1000	1116													
Temporary Buildings,	495														
Additional Workhouse,	1350	1226													
Permanent Fever Hospital,	300														
Fever Sheds,															
Total,	3145	2442													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			20	41	577	734	40	411	77	34	"	"	227	In Workhouse } 225 Hospital } In Fever Hospital } Total, 223	In separate } 7 Wards, } In Wards } with other } Inmates, } Total, 7
Admitted during the Week,			4	13	43	84	48	37	14	6	4	"	"	25	
Total,			24	54	620	815	88	44	115	85	38	"	"	252	
Discharged during the Week,			1	1	13	33	16	12	1	2	"	"	"	7	Here 8 Dysentery 57 Cholera 64
Died,			1	"	"	"	1	1	1	2	"	"	"	7	
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	1	13	33	17	11	3	4	"	"	"	85	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			22	53	407	782	72	44	111	81	34	"	"	2442	Total 223

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24 day of November authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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No. I.	113	184	"	"	113	184	Bt. forward						
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No. VII.							No. XV.	4	13	"	"	4	13
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
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COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 30 day of November 1849.

PRESENT: In the Chair, A. O'Flaherty Esq. M.P.
 Other Guardians: Charles Blatze, Richard Kirwan, John Nevington, John Cullinane, Martin Morris, Pat. J. O'Kelly, James Brown, R. B. L. Atty, John Delaney, John Gunning, Thos. Keane, J. Blake, Henry Somersford, John Harrison, Robt. Summerhill, Ambrose Rush, Edward S. Maxwell, The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed, Robt. Broun, Milham Clancy, The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 7371 to No. 7625 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. 3418 to No. 3418 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 issued the orders of last Board to the Master relative to his Reports - that he laid before the Visiting Committee the business referred to them by last Board, that he communicated with the Rev. Mr. Falkwith as to the directions, that he advertised for the work and supplies ordered on last Board day, that he sent to each member of the Board a copy of Mr. Harrison's Notice of Motion relative to the Salaries of Officers that he enclosed to each Guardian a copy of Mr. Falkwith's Resolutions at last Board day, that he laid before the Finance Committee the business referred to them by last Board and that he requested each of the Collectors to attend the meeting on this day with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day, with their Books.

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, - £958.5.2
 Paid during the week, - £1574.16.4
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £1187.3.2
 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.
Samuel Lepp	Galway No. 1	166	5	0	562	0	62
do	Arrean	"	"	"	568	2	"
		166	5	0	1130	2	64
Edward Connors	Galway No. 2	282	19	9	3830	17	2
Matthew Jones	Muscullen	44	3	9	1605	5	1/2
Jerome O'Brien	Killaurin	"	"	"	2705	16	7/2
John Hill	Cughterau	58	10	3	1704	18	3/4
Richard Kelly	Annadown	137	10	7	1173	12	1/2
do	Claregalra	52	14	10	568	15	7/2
		190	5	5	1742	11	3/4
Charles O'Brien	Larkagh	43	14	3	968	1	10/2
do	Atheung	122	16	1	620	17	4
		166	10	4	1588	19	3/4
James O'Brien	Broomore	34	14	8	1067	8	4/2
do	Ballinacorney	7	13	0	876	14	5/2
do	Stradbally	7	7	0	293	6	7
		49	14	8	2227	9	1/4
					9589	2	19925
					198	8	1/4

Muscullen the amount uncollected should be £1645 See Week ending 23 weeks where added -

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 papered. 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 £139. 7. 3 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	139	7	3
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	111	10	1 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	111	10	1 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	0	11 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	0	1	6 1/2
Average cost in Female House	0	0	10 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:

1/2 m first flour	50 lbs	meat @ 1/2
2 "	Rye meal	100 " @ 3/4
1/3 "	Barley meal	5 Dms of Coals
2 "	Indian meal	200 Boxes of Inf
500	Quarts of milk	60 lb of Candles
1/4 Dm	of Salt	168 " Soap
3 1/2 lb	Tea @ 8/10	4 " Starch
3 "	"	1/2 " Blue
50 "	Sugar	7 " mules
1/4 "	"	Candles
1/4 "	"	"

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 24 day of Nov; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on 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 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.	E. Comelly	"	1/2 m	176	Bt forward	"	1/2 m	112.6	
No. II.	R. Pettit	"	1/2 "	3.17.6	No. X.	Morris	"	1/2 " 3.17.6	
No. III.	M. Griffin	"	"	"	No. XI.	M. Curran	"	" " "	
No. IV.	M. Murd	"	"	"	No. XII.	P. Fullen	"	" " "	
No. V.	M. Blaugan	"	1/2 "	3.17.6	No. XIII.	"	"	" " "	
No. VI.	M. M. M.	"	"	"	No. XIV.	J. O'Brien	"	" " "	
No. VII.	M. Thomas	"	"	"	No. XV.	J. O'Brien	"	" " "	
No. VIII.	M. D. D.	"	"	"	No. XVI.	"	"	" " "	
No. IX.	S. Morris	"	"	"	No. XVII.	"	"	" " "	
Car. forwd.		"	1/2 "	1.12.6	TOTAL,		"	2 " 15.11.0	

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:

		Clothing Account.		
		£	s.	d.
Vaccination Account	John of ...	5	12	3
Sabbat Subscription to	W. McFarquhar flax & twine	1	5	4
Cow pox Institution	William's Caps	13	12	6
£11.0	John Collins straw	2	5	4
	John White straw	1	4	6
Outstanding Ad. Account	Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.			
Debit Clarke half year rent	2. Establishment Account.			
of Merchants Road Work	James Neut of the	11	"	"
horse	Keeney	1	15	"
£60.0.0	Coghlan sundries	7	2	"
John A Blake Spin	Stamilton Dye stuffs	17	17	8
the pound on his	Rev. M. M. Deal Neut chag	"	5	4
claim	in Workhouse			
	John Lynn Neut & wages	7	14	"
Fever Hospital Expenses	John Speid clerk Payment	11	5	5
of Mr Browne in full for	of Bills			
rent of Anna Dowrie				
temporary Fever Hospital				
£10.0.0				

		3. Workhouse Invoice Account.		
Debit Emigration account	Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.			
of extra expenses incurred to	John M. Perse Ind meal	73	6	"
supply deficiencies in Culp	John Small Meal	29	19	"
of Emigrants at	Smally Inf	8	6	8
Plymouth £0.8.4	Costello Groceries	4	19	1

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

		4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.		
M. Perse Ind. meal		85	5	"
Burial Account				
Seamung Coffins		7	"	3
Saw, Funeral, & other expenses				
P. Munahan Coffins, Crumore &				
Balthazar account		1	7	7
Bath Returned Rates, Labour		1	10	"
J. McDono do do		12	4	"
M. McDono do do		3	15	"
J. Spid expenses of self & witness				
by Mr Balthazar for Sessions		5	14	"
hire of appeal				
of Mr Balthazar		4	15	"

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 visiting Committee urged on the Board to order a considerable supply of Clothing materials as it was much required for the clothing of the inmates as well as for the employment of the women and referred the Board to the motions requisition for clothing materials - An order was signed for 300 yards of Bengal stripe and 100 yards of Calico for the evening work - Reported that they made enquiry into the Report of the master at Dangan as to the negligence of the Schoolmaster and that they hoped both parties would in future cooperate with each other in the management of that Institution

From the crowded state of West House the Committee transferred 00 of the girls to the principal Workhouse and had placed in charge of same Bridget O'Shaughnessy a well conducted intelligent pauper, and that a day Room had been provided for them in order to keep them separated from the other female paupers - approved of the Committee recommended that some old clothes be purchased at the Poor Office in town for paupers leaving Workhouse when their own clothes were not to be found - agreed to -

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

The Clerk of works by the direction of the Committee submitted a plan & estimate for making alterations in the Bath house to enable them to have a shower bath in hot plates, the cost was estimated at about £10.0.0

The plan & estimate was adopted and the Clerk of works directed to proceed with the works

The Committee recommended that a second store room would be necessary in the Workhouse which would be the means of securing the stores better - agreed to -

The Committee reported on Sir R. Keane's letter and approved of charred Peat as an agent for the removal of offensive odours &c

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

Order from the Commissioners 23 Nov 1845, N. 5472, 1472, 165, 149, relating to the request of the Board to allow Paupers to sweep the Streets of Galway, observing that in the Urban Union the applications was one for leave to employ such of the able bodied Paupers, as were in receipt of Out-door Relief and stating that they continue of opinion that the employment of Workhouse Inmates, out of the Workhouse premises is objectionable -

Letter from the Commissioners 26 Nov 1845, N. 719, requesting to be furnished with the Return of Union Officers. The Clerk stated that the Return was forwarded on the 27 Inst.

Letter from the Central Board of Health 27 Nov 1845, N. 1919, relative to the establishment of a Temporary Dispensary at Craumore in this Union, and informing the Guardians unless Medical Relief be immediately

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 effects made on them respectively, as follows:

provided in that District they must apply to the Queen's Bench for a mandamus to compel the Board of Guardians to carry out the requisition issued by them

Proposed by A. C. L. Athy Esq and seconded by Mr. Redington

Resolved, That inasmuch as the Relieving Officers of the Electoral Divisions of Craumore, Ballinacourt and Stradbally have reported that no sickness or disease of any kind exists in those Electoral Divisions at present (the isolated few cases being received into the Galway Workhouse Hospital) That we do not consider it necessary to establish a Temporary Dispensary at Craumore at present and that copies of the Relieving Officers Reports and of this Resolution be forwarded to the Board of Health -

It was also

Resolved, That the Medical Relief for the sick poor be in every case administered under the Poor Law Act within the Galway Union, and that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the Board of Health

Letter from the Public Works Loan Office London 27 November 1845, applying for payment of the 4. 5. 6. 7 and 8 Instalments amounting to £2825. in repayment of the Loan of £11,300 which will become due on the 27 next month in addition to £1345 demanded by their Letter of 22 May 1845.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Commissioners for the issue of Loans for Public Works, that the Guardians are not in a position to pay the Instalments required -

Letter from the Commissioners 29 Nov 1845, N. 5464, relative to the Appointment of District Committee and requesting that they may be informed whether the whole of each of the Electoral Divisions of Moycully, Craumore, Ballinacourt and Ballinacourt are 6 miles from the Workhouse -

Ordered, that the Commissioners be informed that all the places mentioned are six statute miles from the Workhouse -

Letter from the Commissioners 29 Nov 1845, N. 5466, relative to the bill of feals and Dwyer, solicitor and requesting to be informed by Return of Post of the steps taken by the Board for the discharge of the costs referred to -

Ordered, That the Commissioners be informed that the account is before the Finance Committee and that same may be paid soon -

The Clerk read a letter which he received from R. W. Hana Esq. on the 26 Inst applying for payment of W. M. Fullinanes claim immediately so as to prevent Law proceedings -

The Clerk produced a mit saved on him by

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 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).

on the 27 Inst at the suit of Mr. Mich. Cullinane against the Guardians for £50.

The Clerk stated that Mr. Michael Cullinane is one of the creditors whose Debt was incurred in 1848 and to whom a dividend of 5p in the pound was ordered, which the Clerk informed him by letter of 22 Inst. The Clerk also stated that the Debt amounted to only £36.5.0 being for 5 qrs of Rye meal @ £7.5.0 per Ton purchased from him in the above year.

The above writ has been served on the 27 Inst for the Debt applied for by Mr. O'Hara on the 26 Inst.

The Clerk also read a letter from Mr. M. Cullinane denying having any connexion with the proceedings taken, and stating that he sold his claim to his Brother Mr. John Cullinane.

Mr. John Cullinane who was present and who is one of the Guardians also denied having anything to do with the proceedings.

A discussion having taken place as to taking defence, when the Chairman believed that now that they had a case that they were sure of succeeding in, he would recommend that defence be taken as it may prevent parties in future from running the Union to cost especially as this Board had evinced such a desire to pay all their debts.

The Clerk was accordingly directed to forward the writ to the solicitor to take defence.

Read letter from Rev. Mr. Galbraith, Quaker in reply to Clerk's letter as to evictions, and stating that he had no part in the evictions of the tenants, and that the property is under the court of Chancery, and stating that he was sure Mr. Benson of Inman the

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the

day of 184 .

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Receiver would be fully able to explain the matter, Ordered, That a copy of Mr. Galbraith's letter as also of the correspondence on the subject be forwarded to Mr. Benson for his explanation.

The Clerk requested that the Finance Committee would be good enough to appoint a day (separate from that of the Board day) during the next week to examine and report on several small claims titled of the Salaries of the officers which are too numerous together with the current Accounts, to be performed on the morning of a Board day; this being once done he hoped the Committee would then be able to dispose of the future weekly business in an hour or two on the morning of each Board day.

The Finance Committee accordingly named Monday next for the purpose at 11 O'clock.

The Clerk stated that the month for which the Finance and Visiting Committees were appointed had expired and requested that the Board would name the members for the ensuing month.

The appointment of the Finance Committee and Visiting Committee was deferred until next Board day.

Letter from the Commissioners, 29 Nov 1848 No 74948/49 acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter relative to the appointment of a Valuator and requesting to be informed of the Guardians views as to what they think would be a reasonable remuneration for the performance of the duty by a Competent Valuator.

Ordered, That the Commissioners be informed that the Board of Guardians await the Commissioners sanction to make an appointment

previous to advertising for a Valuator, and that the Commissioners will be then informed of the guardians views as to the remuneration which may be given -

Letter from the Commissioners 29th Nov 1845 No 4583/43 relative to a report which they received from their Inspector W. Hall on the subject of an order made by the Assistant Barrister of the County of Salway on the hearing of certain appeals against the last Rate made in the Union, and stating, that having consulted counsel on the subject they are advised that such order was illegal, and submitted the matter for the consideration of the guardians with a view to the institution of the necessary proceedings in the Queen's Bench to remove the order of the Assistant Barrister -

The Inspector observed to the Board that the principle was one to which they should look, as by some step being taken in the matter it may prevent similar orders being made in future on appeal cases.

Ordered, That the Commissioners be informed that the Board of Guardians fully agree with them as to the principle, but that they do not think it would be advisable to take proceedings in the Queen's Bench, especially as a new Valuation is about being made -

Letter from the Commissioners 26th Nov 1845 No 73128 forwarding plans of additional building at Dauphin Association Workhouse as also a copy of a Report from their Architect on the subject, the estimated outlay for such additional Building would amount to £1500 -

The Report and the Plans were referred to the Visiting Committee & Mr. Hall for their observations and the Clerk of works was directed to attend the Committee on next Wednesday -

Resolved, That no officer of this Board in future shall be present when his claim for Salary or otherwise shall be under discussion, unless called on specially to give answers to questions put by the Board -

Read Letter from Mr. Eaton informing the Board that a cheque issued to him by the late Vice Guardians for £180.0 had been lost, but that he had stopped payment of same at the Treasurers Office, and requesting the Board to give him a duplicate cheque for the amount.

It was accordingly ordered to be done -

Read Letter from Mr. John Evans, solicitor requesting the Balance due him of £86/6/0 to be transferred to James Bowne Manager National Bank -

Ordered to be done -

Read Letter from Mr. Richard H. Mansell Medical attendant at Spiddoe during the prevalence of Cholera stating that, he when leaving that place left some few necessaries to Mr. McCreedy and that that gentleman requested the goods be left to him to dispense medicines to the Poor -

Ordered, That the matters be left to Mr. McCreedy for the present -

Read Letter from Mr. Mills, Mita requesting to be informed if the Board would let the House at Madaga Island now in their possession but unoccupied -

The Clerk stated the Board were bound to pay rent for the House to the 25 March next, it having been taken in April for Cholera purposes -

The Clerk was directed to inform Mr. Winter that if he could make a settlement with the Landlord Mr. O'Malley the Board would have no objection.

The several Poor Rate Collectors attended before the Board and reported the progress made by them and the opposition offered to them in the collection of the Rate in each of their Districts.

The Chairman recommended that whenever they would meet opposition to apply to the nearest Magistrate and request his assistance and cooperation and by prompt measures being taken in this way he was sure that opposition would be put down very considerably.

The Board including several of the Ex. Officers agreed with the Chairman and the Collectors were advised accordingly.

Mr. Summerville referred to the order on last Board day as to the examination of the accounts of the late Collector Martin and read a letter from Mr. Blakeaney stating that if they determined on staying proceedings in the case, it should be on the consideration that Mr. J. D. Summing should give a guarantee to allow so much of his claim as may be found necessary to go to Mr. Martin's defalcation.

The Board ordered that Seidler be advertised for the supply to the 25 March 1850 of Best white bread, as the Bake house is to be altered for the baking of bread on hot plates.

The Clerk produced 17 orders on appeals tried at last Sessions. affirming the Rate and

awarding \$1 costs in each case to the Guardians and requested to know how costs would be collected.

Ordered. That they be referred to Mr. Blakeaney to take the necessary steps for the recovery of the costs.

It having been ascertained that only 2 patients had been in the Mycullen Hospital on last night.

It was ordered. That a horse cart be employed to bring them to the Markham Hospital and that Mr. Piffin the Relieving Officer of Mycullen do take stock of all clothing and bedding and furniture now at the Hospital.

It was ordered, that the clothing and bedding &c. be fumigated and the house whitewashed with the view of occupying it with such a No. of the class of children from 5 years as it will contain, and that the head nurse and one of the assistants do remain in charge for the present.

It having been reported that the District Committee for receiving applications at Spiddal and Carrabeg was only attended by one guardian during the last week and that no guardian attended the Committee at Craunure.

It was Resolved. That a weekly meeting of the Board of Guardians be held at the Markhouse on every Monday for the exclusive purpose of receiving

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 and determining on applications for Relief
 and that the Relieving Officers in default
 of attendance by the District do bring them
 applicants to such general meeting, and
 that they be informed accordingly—

Resolved, That the Commissioners
 be requested to sanction this arrangement
 Proposed by Mr. Rush and seconded unanimously
 by

Resolved, That each collector
 be requested to furnish to this Board, by
 next day of meeting a statement of the
 amount of Rate and arrears due by the
 several Immediate Lessors, and of the
 amount due by occupiers where a
 distress cannot be effected on the
 Lands—

M. Flaherty

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Galway UNION.
 Population in 1841, Present Net Annual Value,
 STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 1 day of Decr. 1849.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that are accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Born.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.			Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,	1000	1402										
Temporary Buildings,	490	"										
Additional Workhouse,	1350	1240										
Permanent Fever Hospital,	300	"										
Fever Sheds,	300	"										
Total,	3145	2642										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			22	53	407	782	115	112	84	34	"	"
Admitted during the Week,			"	4	42	90	42	34	22	7	"	"
TOTAL,			22	57	449	872	157	146	106	41	"	"
Discharged during the Week,			"	"	11	17	5	12	2	"	"	"
Died,			"	"	4	"	1	1	2	"	"	"
Total Discharged and Dead,			"	"	15	17	5	2	3	4	"	"
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			22	57	434	855	156	144	104	37	"	"

Children under 2 years.
children from 5 to 15 to 19
children from 15 to 19
children from 5 to 15

In Work-house Hospital, 237
In separate Hospital, 7
In separate Hospital, 7
In separate Hospital, 7
Total, 237
Total, 7

Fever 19
Dysentery 152
Other 166
Total 237

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No. VI.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XIV.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VII.	150	403	"	"	150	403	No. XV.	3	6	"	"	3	6
No. VIII.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XVI.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. IX.	78	232	"	"	78	232	No. XVII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
Car. forward							TOTAL,	641	1543	"	"	641	1543

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 7 day of December 1849.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Anthony O'Flaherty Esq. M.P.*
 Other Guardians:
John Summing | *John Deland* | *Wm. Clanchy* | *Henry Lowmford*
R. H. Lummerville | *R. H. Kirwan* | *John Cullinane* | *Francis Comyn*
Thomas Palmer | *Stephen Lynch* | *Anthony R. Mellon* |
Ambrose Rush | *W. S. Murray* | *Edw. C. Burke* |
Nicholas Hillian | *John Harrison* | *P. O'Kelly* |

John Hall Esq. M.P.
 The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 7025 to No. 7873, 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. 3149 to No. 31468, 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 forwarded a copy of the Resolution of last Board and of the Reports of the Relieving Officers to the Board of Health, that he communicated with the Public works San Office Commissioners, that he forwarded the writ to W. Blake with instructions to take defence that he communicated with W. Beeson Master as to the Levitations, that he communicated with the Commissioners as to the appointment of a Valuator, that he required the Rate Collectors to furnish statements of sums due by immediate Lessors and occupiers, that he advertised for white bread, 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, - £893.10.10
 Paid during the week, - £966.11.11
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £114.13.1

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 Croft	Fulham No. 1	134	8	6	3827	11	11 1/2
do	Arran	"	"	"	548	2	"
		134	8	6	4375	13	11 1/2
Edward Condon	Fulham No. 2	265	7	3	3585	9	11
Jonathan Jones	Mycullen	14	18	9	1590	6	4 1/2
Jerome O'Bryan	Killavin	46	10	9	2659	5	10 1/2
John Gill	Cughtward	27	.	9	1677	17	6 1/2
Richard Kelly	Amadown	"	"	"	1173	12	1/4
do	Claregalore	62	18		586	16	1/2
		62	18		1680	9	5 1/2
Charles O'Bryan	Sackagh	96	3	9	571	18	1
do	Athurey	50	11	3	570	6	1/2
		146	15	1	1442	4	1 1/2
James O'Bryan	Craunre	162	10	9	904	17	7 1/2
do	Ballinacourt	31	1	10	845	12	1 1/2
do	Shadball	2	15	6	290	11	1
		196	5	1	2041	1	8 1/4
Total, -		893	10	10	19028	8	10 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 £ 119 7 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 £ 109 7 s. 4 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	109	7	4
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	122	3	11 1/4
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	0	11 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:

- | | |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| 1/2 Tm first flour | 2 Tms of Coals |
| 4 " Rye meal | 200 Boxes of Inf |
| 2 " Buley meal | 50 lb dist candles |
| 2 " Indian meal | 112 " Soap |
| 1/2 " Catmeal | 4 " Starch |
| 5000 quarts new Milk | 56 " washing soda |
| 1/4 Tm of Salt | 1/2 " Button Blue |
| 3 1/2 lb Tea @ 3/10 & 3 @ 3/4 | 7 " Mould candles |
| 50 " Sugar | |
| 30 " Pepper | |
| 200 " Meat | |
| 2 Bottles wine | |

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
 2. The Medical Officers' Books.
- 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 1 day of Dec; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	-
In kind,	-	-	-
Total,	82	18	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.	
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.			£ s. d.		£ s. d.
No. I.	E. Connolly	"	1/2 Tm meal	3 17 6	Bt. forward				
No. II.	P. Pettit	"	1/2 "	5 17 6	No. X.	M. Creaven	"		
No. III.	Da. Griffin	"	"	"	No. XI.	J. Morris	"	1/2 "	3 17 6
No. IV.	M. Mars	"	"	"	No. XII.	P. Cullen	"	1/2 "	3 17 6
No. V.	M. Magan	"	"	"	No. XIII.	do	"		
No. VI.	M. Magan	"	"	"	No. XIV.	M. Herin	"		
No. VII.	M. Thomas	"	"	"	No. XV.	M. Hyman	"		
No. VIII.	D. Rice	"	"	"	No. XVI.	do	"		
No. IX.	J. Morris	"	"	"	No. XVII.		"		
Car. forwd.		"			TOTAL,			17	10

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 Haquanson Calico	8	2	6 ✓
George Haquanson Bengal stupe	10	1	9 ✓
M. Hall veasi	1	5	5 ✓
M. Cormack Thase	3	18	11 ✓
Common shoes	8	4	" ✓
E. O. Thaugnessy purchase of straw	5	"	" ✓

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

2. Establishment Account.

John O'grady Clerk payment of Bills	3	6	" ✓
Clerk of Union payment of Tradesmen Bills	21	7	7 ✓

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Thomas M. Pesse Ind meal	48	4	" ✓
John Small milk	29	18	11 ✓
John Costello groceries	4	13	4 ✓
James Hym Ho. Coals	14	12	6 ✓
Martin O'Malley Surf	8	6	8 ✓

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Tho. M. Pesse Ind meal	23	5	" ✓
Custodian's credit account			
Edw. Brown R.C. on ac. Salary	6	10	" ✓
Mrs. Fletcher Ass't. Matron do	5	"	" ✓
Peter Petit R.C. on account	10	"	" ✓
P. H. Cullen R.C. do	10	"	" ✓
Medical Relief account			
D. Rouhana Salary	25	"	" ✓
D. O'Brien do	10	"	" ✓
Bridget Clisham Nurse	1	2	6 ✓

Collection Account
Jonathan Innes fees for coll 25 " " ✓
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 Visiting Committee requested that many of the paupers appear insensibly to the impropriety of disposing of an iniquity the property of the Union and recommended that the most stringent steps be taken to punish all paupers guilty of felony - approved of -

The Committee also recommended that no female pauper should on any pretence be sent out of the house or auxiliary houses as messengers. approved of -

The Committee recommended that a further supply of clothing materials be procured for the ensuing week - 300 yards of fingham and 100 yards of Calico was ordered -

Master's Report.

Reported that a woman was brought to the Workhouse on Wednesday night about 7 o'clock and removing from the car to the Hospital she was found to be dead. an inquest was held on the body and a verdict returned that she died from want of food and exposure to the wet and cold -

The Master required the following for painting the new gates of the mens and womens yards - 28 lb white lead, 1 gallon of Linseed oil, 1 quart of spirits of turpentine, 2 lb of Lamp black, 2 lb of ochre and one stone of whitening - Ordered -

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

The Agricultural Instructor requested that troughs may be made and set in the cow house and that some chains were necessary for some purpose -

Ordered, that the clerk of works do have the troughs made and that the chains be purchased -

The Agricultural Instructor required 2 tons straw to cover hay ricks - Ordered,

The Assistant Master at Dangan requested that shoes be supplied to the paupers employed on the farm -

Ordered, that the visiting committee do enquire and see if the pauper shoemakers in the house can make the shoes in the house -

The Medical Officer requested that more fires be allowed in the Workhouse and at the auxiliaries - Referred to the visiting committee for their report -

Medical Report for week ending 7 Dec 1849.

Admitted during week 48

Discharged 30

died 11

remaining on 7 Dec. 237.

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

Sealed Order from the Commissioners 29 Nov. 1849 amending the order altering the Union, and forming certain town and into an Electoral Division of Cuyther and as part of the salary Union, and that the No. of Guardians to be elected for the salary Union shall be 35.

Sealed Order from the Commissioners 30 Nov 1849, relative to the adjustment of the liabilities of the Union at the time of change.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 30 Nov 1849 No. 47250 enclosing a statement of the proportion in which credit is to be given to the Electoral Divisions for the advances received from Government.

Letter from the Commissioners 30 Nov 1849 No. 73958 approving of the appointment of Miss Mayart as Schoolmistress of the Workhouse by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

Letter from the Commissioners 30 Nov 1849 No. 762 m/49 requesting to be furnished with a detailed statement of the manner in which the advances received during the month of October have been expended.

The Clerk stated that he prepared the Return as required.

Circular from the Commissioners 1st Dec. 1849 No. 70500 relative to the Registry of statements of claims to vote &c on the election of Guardians.

Letter from the Commissioners 6 Dec 1849 No. 75713/49 relative to minutes of the 23 Ultimo as to the proposal to suspend the proceedings instituted against the surties of Mr. Martin the late Collector and stating their opinion that the contemplated course would lead to the ultimate loss to the Union of the amount of Mr. Martin's defalcations and recommending that the process against Mr. Martin should at once be proceeded with, also referring to the employment of the Paupers in conveying water to the Merchants Room House and stating that same was in their opinion objectionable, and requesting that the Medical Officer be requested to furnish a more particular report as to the delicate appearance of the children at Dausan adverted to in his report on the minutes referred to.

Ordered, That the Commissioners be informed that Mr. Martin's case will be reconsidered at a future day when their Solicitor Mr. Blakeley and who is a member of the Board can be consulted on the subject and that the Board will be then in a position to communicate with the Commissioners on the subject.

The Board having considered the 2nd part of the letter relative to the drawing of water -

Ordered, That we request Mr. Hall the Inspector do communicate with the Commissioners on the subject with the view to procuring their sanction to the arrangement, and that arrangements be made to superintend the paupers drawing water.

That D. Browne be furnished with an extract from the Commissioners letter relative to the children, and that he be requested to furnish a more particular report on the subject.

Letter from the Commissioners 6 Dec 1849 No. 73772 relative to the formation of District Committees and stating that the separation of the Electoral Division of Moycullen could not be authorized by the 6 Sec of the act 10 Vic cap 31 and requesting that the Board of Guardians will reconsider the arrangement proposed.

Resolved, That under the circumstances as stated in the letter all the paupers of the Moycullen Division do attend at Coolahy Depot on each Monday and that the Committee and Relieving Officer of the Spilce District be informed accordingly.

Letter from the Guardians of the Cuytheran Union 5 Dec 1849 enclosing a copy of a Resolution passed by them at their meeting on the 4 Inst requesting the Guardians of this Union to take such proceedings as may be necessary to enforce the payment of the Rate and arrears in that portion of the Cuytheran Union lately connected with the salary Union.

Reports were also read from the Collectors of Kellamin.

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).

Ann a down and ^{Classifloway} relative to the opposition offered to them in the Collection of the Rate.

It appearing that very decided opposition has been given to the Collection of the Rate in the Divisions of Cughtward, and Killanin, and many rescues have been made particularly in the latter Division.

Resolved, that we hereby request our chairman to make application to the Executive Government for the services of a stipendiary Marshal and Police force to aid the Collection of the Rate in the above Divisions.

The Inspector Read letter from the Commissioners relative to the appointment of a Valuator and stating that they will immediately issue an order for that appointment.

The Inspector also read letter from the Commissioners enclosing plans of drying frames for Workhouse laundry and recommending same for the consideration of the Board - The Plans and the letter was referred to the visiting Committee for their observations.

The Inspector also read letter which he received from the Commissioners relative to the opposition offered to the collector of Moycullen and stating that Captain Fitz Gerald R. M. was ordered to proceed to Moycullen to assist the collector and recommending that a new appointment of a collector should be made, as the health of Mr. Jones may not permit him to resume his duties immediately.

Mr. Hall stated that he wrote to the Commissioners to say that Mr. Jones would be able to resume his collection by the end of the week and that therefore the appointment of a new collector was not necessary.

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Mr. Hall having called the Board's attention to a communication which he had from Sir J. E. Blake relative to a shed which was erected by the water Bailiff employed to watch the river by the conservators on the premises at Dangan and the assistant master at Dangan having attended and stated that such shed had been erected and that the men had stated they would stay there in spite of any one.

The Board Resolved, that the shed be taken down and that the parties be prevented from trespassing on the premises.

The clerk produced a writ served on him on Monday the 3rd Dec at the suit of Thomas Williams, Dublin, for amount of his claim against the Union.

The clerk stated that Mr. Griffin the attorney in the case applied for payment on the 20th Ultimo which application was considered on the 23rd Ultimo and an order made "that it be referred to the Finance Committee and that the clerk inform Mr. Griffin of the same, and that it would be paid on the following Board day, that on the 25th Ultimo he informed Mr. Griffin accordingly, that on the 30th a cheque for the amount viz £13.12.6 was drawn and that on Monday the 3rd Dec he procured a letter of credit for same and forwarded it to Mr. Griffin: The clerk also observed that the writ appeared to have been issued to the Plaintiff on the 23rd Instanter the 3rd day after the application for payment was made by Mr. Griffin.

The Assistant Master at Merchants Road (Michael Flynn) handed in to the Board his Resignation of the Office.

Mr. Pirwan one of the visiting committee mentioned to the Board that immorality on the part of Mr. Flynn among the inmates of the Merchants Road

auxiliary Workhouse came to the knowledge of the committee and which the committee had no doubt he was guilty of

Mr. Summerville proposed and it was seconded unanimously, that his resignation be not accepted, but that the Commissioners be requested to issue an order dismissing Michael Glynn from the Office of assistant Master of the Merchants Road auxiliary Workhouse he being in the opinion of the guardians unfit for the office and guilty of immorality among the inmates.

A discussion having ensued as to whether proceedings would be taken against him before the Magistrates under the section of 1st & 2nd Vic. cap for

The Board then decided not to institute criminal proceedings against him -

The Finance Committee reported on the matters referred to them at last meeting, Mr. Ryan's case in reference to straw lodge, the Committee reported as their opinion that the agreement made by the Vice guardians with Mr. Donnellan agent to Mr. J. Blake on the 29 Dec 1848 the agreement of Mr. Ryan with the Hon Board in as much as Mr. Ryan's term or tenancy of straw lodge terminated on 25 March 1848, and the agreement of the 29 Dec 1848 being for rent of the premises from 25 March 1848 to the 1st March 1849 and for the material of the shed. therefore Mr. Ryan could have no claim for rent, as to the £60 claimed by Mr. Ryan for damages for the cow house &c it being a matter of dispute the committee suggested that it be referred to two respectable persons to arbitrate same and that Mr. Blake and the Solicitor do attend on behalf of the Board -

That having enquired into the charges

made against Mr. Saubert for receiving Provisions &c which he did not acknowledge in his Books from Rush and Palmer, and Michall and John Cornell the Committee reported that all the provisions &c received were acknowledged by him, and accounted for, and that therefore they acquitted Mr. Saubert of the charge and allowed his and Mr. Saubert's claims for Salary -

The Committee reported on Mr. Reed's claim for vacancy cases amount £35.17.0 and after due consideration of all the circumstances recommended that a sum of £20 by way of compromise be paid to Mr. Reed, and that in future he will not be allowed any fees unless where the proceedings are specially ordered by the Board of guardians - Mr. Burke as one of the Finance Committee objected to Mr. Reed being paid on the ground that it was a bad principle to

The Committee reported on Mr. McDonauld's claim amount £123.12.6 for expenses incurred by him in the collection of the Rate in the Electoral Division of Moycullen, Tullavin and Oughterard while a military force was employed, and that after considering the minute on the Vice guardians minutes of the 12 Oct. as also that on minutes of the 2 Oct 1848, the Committee are of opinion that this account has been finally settled by the Vice guardians, and that it should not be further considered by this Board -

The Committee also reported that they had investigated and settled several disputed claims for salaries &c and would attend on Monday next to complete the examination of such claims -

A discussion having taken place as to whether the whole of the Report would be adopted. when

The Chairman said that a Report of such importance should be maturely considered, it was then agreed that the adoption of the Report be deferred till next Board day -

Mr. Harrison agreed to his motion on the 23- Ultimo proposed the following Resolution which was seconded by Mr. Murray -

Resolved, that application be made to the Poor Law Commissioners for leave to reduce the No. of Relieving Officers to one half for the present, if it be prudent hereafter to increase the number we shall do so -

Mr. Hall the Inspector observed with reference to the Salaries of the officers that he was of opinion the Board ought to allow such salaries as would secure the services of competent officers - and as to the Relieving Officers he begged to state that the Board retain a sufficient number of that class as the exigency of the time may require

Mr. Kirwan proposed as an amendment which was seconded by Mr. O'Kelly. That the consideration of diminishing the number of Relieving Officers in the Union be deferred until the Poor Law Commissioners issue their order for carrying into effect the contemplated alterations in the Boundaries of the Union and of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union.

Mr. Kirwan's amendment having been lost Mr. Palmer proposed as an amendment to Mr. Harrison's Resolution which was seconded

by that in consequence of the reduced labours of the Relieving Officers of this Union.

Resolved, that application be made to the Poor Law Commissioners to reduce their salaries from £50 per annum and such be fixed at £30 per annum.

On a division taking place Mr. Palmer's amendment was carried by a majority of 11 to 7 and the original Resolution lost. The Board deferred taking the salaries of the other officers, as also the dietary into consideration until 2 o'clock on next Friday, and the clerk was directed to inform each member of the Board of same and also to forward each member a list of all the officers and of their Salaries for their perusal previous to coming to the Board,

The Chairman read letter from Bro. Clare as chairman of a meeting in Limerick enclosing a copy

The Board requested the chairman would acknowledge the receipt and return the thanks of the Board to the

Mr. Hall the Inspector observed that the late Collector for Annadown "Martin Callinane" had received several sums of money without giving the proper receipts and without acknowledging same on his Books, and stated that some of the parties who paid him in this way were present.

Mr. Clancy one of the Guardians

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 produced some of the acknowledgements one of which Mr. Hall read.

The Board Resolved that he be summoned before the Magistrates under the 10th Sec of the 1st & 2nd Vic. cap.

Read letter from Patrick Staunton requesting that the Balance due him viz £69 10 3 be transferred to John M. O'Hara by allmnd.

Mr Jones P.R.C. for Moycullen applied for payment of some of his fees to enable him to complete his collection.

The Board ordered a cheque for £25 m of the Leases for Printing &c were opened and the Board referred them to the Finance Committee for their observations before next Board day.

The Board ordered that the Finance and visiting Committee heretofore acting do continue to act for the

The Clerk produced to the Board Returns received from some of the collectors showing the amount of Rates due by immediate Lessors & occupiers where a distress could not be found.

The Board deferred the consideration of same till next Board day when the Reports would be in from all the Collectors.

Next meeting to be held on Friday the 14 Dec 1849

A. Hall Esq. P. S.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 8 day of Decr 1849.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied		Born.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.		In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	1000	1402								
Temporary Buildings,	455									
Additional Workhouse,	1350	1240								
Permanent Fever Hospital,										
Fever Sheds,	300									
Total,	3145	2642								
Remainng on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			22	57	434	855	536	481	37	2641
Admitted during the Week,			2	6	44	91	38	42	6	241
TOTAL,			24	63	478	946	574	523	40	2582
Discharged during the Week,					24	36	33	16	4	116
Died,					1	3	7	1		12
Total Discharged and Dead,					25	39	40	7	4	128
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			24	63	453	917	541	513	38	2755

Fever 7
 Dysentery 61
 Other cases 170
 Total - 238

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8 day of Decr 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 not.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	114	185	"	"	114	185	Bt. forward						
No. II.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. X.	18	61	"	"	18	61
No. III.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XI.	43	93	"	"	43	93
No. IV.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XII.	51	112	"	"	51	112
No. V.	25	64	"	"	25	64	No. XIII.	29	66	"	"	29	66
No. VI.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XIV.	4	10	"	"	4	10
No. VII.	150	403	"	"	150	403	No. XV.	4	10	"	"	4	10
No. VIII.	67	172	"	"	67	172	No. XVI.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. IX.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XVII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
Car. forward							TOTAL,						1582

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday, the 14 day of December 1849.

PRESENT: In the Chair, A. O. Flaherty M.P.

- Other Guardians:
- Randall, E. H. & E. Maunsell
 - H. Blakely
 - W. Lynch
 - Wm. Deland
 - W. Comerford
 - E. L. Maunsell
 - A. Rush
 - Richd. Huran
 - E. B. Bourke
 - P. J. O'Kelly
 - A. Kellian
 - J. Fleming
 - J. Harison
 - J. Browne
 - J. Palmer
 - W. J. Murray
 - R. L. Summerville
 - J. Blake
 - W. Clancy

A. Hall Esq. P. S.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 7874 to No. 8114, 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. 3146 to No. 3146, 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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 that he wrote to the Commissioners, as to Mr. Martins case &c. that he communicated with the Commissioners as to the District Committee that he enclosed the writ referred to on last minutes, to the Solicitor, that he forwarded to each member of the Board a list of the Officers and their salaries and requested their attendance on this day, 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, - £557.16.1
 Paid during the week, - £331.16.6
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £1284.12.8
 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.
Scamfros	Salway	89 7 7	3798 4 12
do	Aran	" " "	548 2 "
		89 7 9	4286 6 12
Edward Consideine	Salway	179 3 9	3386 6 2
Another Jones	Inycullen	55 .	1535 6 4
Jerence O'Brien	Hillman	" "	2659 5 10
John Gill	Cuteard	48 5 .	1029 12 6
Richard Kelly	Amadown	61 16 6	1111 16 16
do	Claregully	7 15 9	498 17 2
		69 16 3	1610 13 2
Charles O'Brien	Lackagh	2 10 .	869 8 1
do	Atheury	23 15 10	546 10 2
		26 5 10	1415 18 3
James O'Brien	Craunore	38 17 6	866 1 1
do	Ballinacourt	45 " "	800 12 11
do	Strawball	" " "	290 11 1
		83 17 6	1557 4 2
	Total	- 557 16 1	15480 12 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.

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 The Clerks 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 £ 119. 5. 4 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	119	5	4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	129	1	1 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	129	1	1 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	0	1 1/2
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:

- 3 Tuns of Rye meal 70 lbs of Beef @ 4.
- 2 " " Barley meal 130 " " " @ 3 1/2.
- 1/2 " " Indian meal 7 Tuns of Coal
- 1/2 " " Oatmeal 150 Boxes of Soap
- 5500 quarts New milk 50 lbs Candles
- 1/4 Tun of Salt 112 " Soap
- 3 " " " 3 at 3/4 4 " Starch
- 50 " Sugar 1/2 " B. Blue
- 4 " Soap Sugar 7 " Mould Candles
- 30 " Pepper 2 Sacks Potydeal
- 4 Quarts Whisky 1 Tun of first flour
- 4 Bottles wine
- 2 lbs Hops
- 28 " 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 8 day of Dec; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	0	4	10
In kind,	-	-	-	33	9	9
Total,	-	-	-	33	14	7

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.	Lebomelly		1 Tun	7.15.0	Bt. forward	M. Healey		3 Tuns	23.5.0
No. II.	P. Pettit		1/2 "	3.17.6	No. X.	M. Morris		1 "	7.15.0
No. III.	M. Griffin		1/2 "	3.17.6	No. XI.	M. Morris		" "	" "
No. IV.	M. Hard		" "	" "	No. XII.	J. H. Fuller		" "	" "
No. V.	M. Hawyan		" "	" "	No. XIII.	Kevin		" "	" "
No. VI.	M. Maud		" "	" "	No. XIV.	Symon		1/2 "	3.17.6
No. VII.	M. Thomas		1 "	7.15.0	No. XV.			" "	" "
No. VIII.	M. Dickey		" "	" "	No. XVI.			" "	" "
No. IX.	L. Morris		" "	" "	No. XVII.			" "	" "
Car. forwd.			3 "	23.5.0	TOTAL,			4 1/2 "	34.17.6

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.

Table with 3 columns: £, s., d. (Empty)

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

2. Establishment Account.

Table with 3 columns: £, s., d. (Empty)

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Table with 3 columns: £, s., d. (Empty)

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Table with 3 columns: £, s., d. (Empty)

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 visiting committee reported that immediate steps should be taken to provide a burial ground separate from that on the Workhouse grounds, and read letter from the Rev. Mr. Daly offering the use of the burial ground at Bushy Park for the next fifty years for a sum of £50. and it having been suggested to use a portion of Dangan for that purpose, after some discussion it was resolved that the committee do within the next fortnight make enquiry and report to the Board the arrangement which they consider more suitable and that in the mean time any burials which may occur be interred at Rahoon or Bushy Park at the same rate that the vice guardians paid during the prevalence of Cholera.

On the recommendation of the visiting committee the Board Resolved that 150 of the able bodied women be transferred to merchants Road auxiliary Workhouse from the principal Workhouse -

The visiting committee referred to the Plan for the additional buildings at Dangan and recommended, that before the Board would come to a final decision on the matter some more of the members would inspect the premises and be able to lay their views before the Board at next meeting, the consideration of the Plan was deferred accordingly to next year -

Master Reported that agreeable with the instructions of the visiting committee he placed Mr. Farrell Streetkeeper in charge of Merchants Road temporary, approved - that in consequence of the crowded state of the House the Dangan paupers could not attend Divine service at principal Workhouse, (see Resolution on Rd. L's salary relative to house Dangan) Reported that 20 pairs of new shoes could be made in the house at a cost of £3.9.0 viz 8/3 a pair, Ordered, that 3 pieces of slung upper leather 1/2 hide of sole leather, 20 pair tips and 5000 nails be had for the purpose -

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

Reported ~~that~~ the crowded state of the house and the want of materials to clothe the new admissions, and reported that the Probationary wards are full every night (See Resolution as to accommodation) Ordered that until a supply of clothing be procured and made up the new admissions be properly cleaned and washed and admitted into the beds of the house in their own clothes - that the following supply of clothing be obtained, Required 4 gross of white studs, 2 gross of black studs, 1 gross black Ink. b pen holders, 6 small pass books, 2 Iron of straw 40 yards of calico 100 needles, 6 gross black studs & 2 large scissors - Ordered -

The Medical Officer recommended that white bread be substituted for brown to some of the aged and infirm class who are not able to masticate the latter and therefore they do not receive sufficient nutriment from their present diet. A discussion having taken place, when a division took place, when there appeared for the change 4 and against it 14.

The Medical Officer that the schoolmaster was ill and not able to perform his duties at present, and suggested that he get leave of absence for change of air, agreed to -

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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 letter of 7 Dec 1848, N^o 75417/48 relative to the Return of Officers furnished by the Clerk and observing that Mr. J. Parker is still retained as assistant Clerk, and suggesting to the guardians, whether his services are still required taking into consideration the reduced size of the Union, & requesting to be informed what steps have been taken to appoint a scribe in room of Mr. Cornell
The consideration of this letter was deferred to a future stage of the proceedings.

Poor Law Commissioners Circular of 7 Dec N^o 736/48 providing duplicate forms for Return of Liabilities of the Union for month of November and requesting to be furnished with same by the 15 Inst at latest. Read

Poor Law Commissioners, 8 Dec 1848, N^o 739/48 requesting to be furnished with a Return showing the total payments made to the Treasurer from 27 Oct to 8 Dec 1848 - in respect of any Rates made in the Union since the receipt by the guardians of the order of the 13 June 48 providing for a general Rate in Aid, and of the total amount paid to the Bank of Ireland to the general Rate in Aid account, and requesting to be furnished with the above by the 11 Inst. Read

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 8 Inst, N^o 746/48 acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter of 3 Inst transmitting to them a copy of Resolution proposing that the guardians meet on every Monday for the exclusive purpose of hearing and deciding on applications for Relief, and expressing their sanction of the arrangement.

Ordered: That each guardian in the Union be informed of this arrangement, and that the Relieving Officers be informed of same.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 10 Dec N^o 74182 and 74871 relative to the recent correspondence relating to complaints made by Messrs. Lynch and Morris as to the election of guardians for Claddagh and Savel Wards, and stating that they will issue an order to set aside the elections in those cases, and to authorize a new election for those Wards. Read

Poor Law Commissioners letter 11 Dec 1848, N^o 76374/48 relative to the crowded state of West House

and that the visiting Committee transferred 100 files to the Principal Workhouse and placed them in charge of a pauper, and stating that Committee have not the authority to alter the existing arrangements, that their duty is merely to examine and report to the Board, & fearing that it will tend to disturb the discipline of the house and embarrass the officers in the discharge of their duties. Read

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 11 Dec 1848, N^o 76374/48 relative to the Return of Out-door Relief for 24 Ultimo observing that the books of Mr. Thomas A. O. were not in early enough for examination and requesting that the Out-door Relief accounts may be regularly closed in future and directing the Clerk to bring special notice of the Board the conduct of any Relieving Officer failing to bring in his books in due time. Read

Poor Law Commissioners letter 11 Dec N^o 76374/48 returning 3rd page of minutes of proceedings of 30 Ultimo & requesting to be informed why the general average cost of an inmate was given twice. The Clerk stated that he communicated with the Commissioners on the subject.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 12 Dec N^o 76374/48 forwarding for the information of the Board a copy of a letter addressed by them to Mr. (Morison relative to a sum of money retained in his hands.

Read letter from Mr. Reed requesting that a sum of £45150 due to him for Law Costs be transferred to James Brown Manager National Bank, Dublin. Ordered to be done

Read letter from Mr. Fisher, Sol. claiming £2.100 costs for proceedings instituted against the guardians for recovery of Mr. Williams claim, and showing that he received on the 18th of Dec. 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	-
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 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).

a cheque for the amount of the claim exclusive of costs.
The consideration deferred for the present.

Read letter from Mr. Blunsom of Ince in reply to Clerk's letter of 3 Inst. relative to enclosures on the lands of Cryby and stating that proper notice was duly served on the Relieving Officer of the District and forwarding a copy of same.

Read explanation from D. Burns as to the delicate state of the children admitted to in his Report on minutes of the 30 Ultimo, and the children are now much improved.

Read letter from Mr. O'Brien collector for Craumore stating that within the last week he was oppressed and rescued, and that cattle he impounded were taken therefrom the pound having been broken open.

It having been stated by Mr. M'Ging that information were taken against the parties and that the cases would come on at next Petty sessions at Craumore. The Board deferred taking any steps until after the decision of the Magistrates.

Mr. Hall Inspector referred to the order forming certain townlands into an Electoral Division of Anterard in the Galway Union and requested that the Guardians would allocate to some Relieving Officer the paupers of this Division and make arrangements for the receiving of the applications for Relief for this division. It was ordered that Mr. Ward Relieving Officer for Killavin both do act as Relieving Officer for same.

It appearing from the master's Report that the no. in the houses exceeded that for which accommodation is provided by 8. observed that the no. mentioned in the sealed order of the Commissioners could not be exceeded and recommended that steps be taken to provide accommodation. The Board resolved, that the house at Moycullen lately used as a Fever Hospital be forthwith filled up for the occupation of pauper children between the age of 2 & 5.

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Resolved, that the shed at the rear of the House formerly on Shaw Lodge ground be removed, one half to Danyah & the other half to West House and there made a suitable place for the reception of paupers.

Mr. Hall recommended the Board to make arrangements either by the extension of Out Relief or by increased Workhouse accommodation for the reception of the numerous applicants for Relief.

After some discussion it was Resolved, that another Auxiliary Workhouse be taken and the visiting committee were directed to make enquiry for one and report to the Board on next Board day.

The Inspector observed that if they take an auxiliary Workhouse it would be necessary to provide clothing & bedding and all other necessaries for providing accommodation therein.

The master and matron were directed to make an estimate of the quantity of clothing & bedding that would be required for 500 inmates and the Board divided upon ordering the quantity of clothing & bedding required from Martin & Sons, Dublin.

Resolved that the Clerk furnish by next Board day or as soon after as convenient an account of the Income received by the Vice guardians while in Office, whether arising from Rates or otherwise, specifying which, and also a detailed account of their Expenditure under the several heads of Rent, Salaries, food &c. separating Out door from In door Relief, the Liabilities of the Union at the time the Vice guardians took Office and when they Retired, their account to be made up to the last day of October in each year.

The Clerk produced a number of notices of appeal against the present Valuation.

Resolved, That a Committee of 3 namely Mr. Lunt Mr. Palmer & Mr. Harrison, assisted by Mr. Hall be now named to confer with our Solicitor as to taking the most efficient means to defend the notices of appeals at the next Quarter Sessions and other subjects connected with the recovery of arrears.

Read Letter from Lord Grey all enclosing a copy of a Petition to Her Majesty relative to the general state of the County.

Resolved, That a special meeting of the Board be summoned by advertisement in each of the following Papers to meet on Monday next at 12 o'clock for the purpose of considering the Petition forwarded by Lord Grey all respecting the general state of the County, and the Report from the Sinerick Union forwarded by Lord Clare respecting the general liabilities on Land.

Read Report of Finance Committee recommending that all claims at and under £3 which amounts to in the aggregate to £86.7.11 be paid in full, and stating that all the other claims of Officers &c. should only be paid by dividends of 5% on their £ in the same way as the other contractors.

The Board then considered the salaries of the several Officers.

Mr. Hall suggested that the Board would allow such salaries as would secure the services of efficient persons.

The Salary of the Clerk was the first considered and after some discussions the Board decided on not reducing it.

The Medical Officer was taken into consideration and after some discussion it was fixed at £100 a year.

The Roman Catholic Chaplains Salary was considered when after some discussion it was proposed by Mr. Burke and seconded by that the salary of the Rev. Mr. Daly be fixed £75 a year and that he be required to perform Divine service at Dayan and the principal Workhouse, and to attend to the spiritual wants of the Poor.

As to the Salary of the Protestant Chaplain Mr. Harrison proposed and Mr. Sumner seconded that the salary be reduced to £20 a year after some discussion an amendment was proposed by Mr. Curran and seconded by Mr. Comerford, That for the few protestants that are in the Workhouse be dispense with the services of such an officer, and that we request the Commissioners to allow the Protestants in the Workhouse to attend Divine service at the Parish Church, and application be made to Warden Daly in reference thereto and the Protestant Clergymen in Town be requested to visit the Workhouse when required, Mr. Curran agreed to write on Warden Daly on the subject.

The Salary of the Apothecary was then considered when it was Resolved, That the salary be reduced to £40 per annum, it was proposed as an amendment that the salary be left at £50, on a division the amendment was lost by a Majority of the Board.

The Office of Assistant Clerk was considered and the Guardians having considered the Commissioners letter it was Resolved, That his services be dispensed with.

The Board Resolved that the services of the Baker be dispensed with after a fortnight when hot plates will be erected.

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The Board continued the services of the two Sailors at their present wages viz 6/0 a week.

The Board dispensed with the services of the two Overseers of Labour at the Workhouse.

The Board were unanimous in continuing the Salary of the Chaplain at Merchants Road at £25.

The Salary of the Master was considered when it was proposed and seconded that the Salary be reduced to £50 a year.

An amendment was proposed that the Masters Salary be reduced only to £65. on a division the amendment was carried by a majority of 7 and the Salary was fixed at £65.

The Chairman declined voting for either 50 or 65 but if an amendment was put for £60 he would have voted for it.

It was unanimously Resolved, that the Matrons salary be reduced from £35 to £30.

Resolved, that the salary of the assistant master be reduced from £20 to £15.

Resolved, that the salary of the assistant Matron and nurse be reduced from £20 to £10 each.

Resolved, that the salary of the Porter be left at £15.

Resolved, that the services of wardman and storekeeper be dispensed with. such officers not being required.

It was proposed and seconded that the Salary of the Agriculturist be reduced from £40 to £30 a year. An amendment was proposed that the Salary be reduced to £35.

On a division the amendment was lost by a majority of one and the Salary was fixed at £30 a year.

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Resolved, that the Salary of the Matron at Dangan be reduced from £20 to £15 a year.

That the Salary of the Schoolmaster be reduced from £30 to £20 a year.

That the salary of the Assistant Schoolmaster be reduced from £15 to £10 a year.

That the Salary of the Master at Merchants Road auxiliary Workhouse be left at £15 a year.

That the salary of the Matrons of Merchants Road be ~~left~~ reduced from £15 to £10.

That the services Mr. Baum Wardmaid at West House be dispensed with as to the Schoolmistress are sufficient for the management of the House.

That the salary of the Schoolmistress be reduced from £20 to £15 a year.

That the salary of Miss Fenner the assistant Schoolmistress be increased from £6 to £8.

That the ^{services} salary of Mr. Hartler Laundry Officer be dispensed with.

It was proposed and seconded that the services of Mr. Martin Clerk of works be dispensed with.

It was proposed as an amendment that his services be retained for the present, on a division the amendment was carried by a majority of one.

Resolved that under the present embarrassed circumstances of the Union the Commissioners be requested to sanction the amount of Salary fixed as aforesaid for each Officer.

Some discussion having taken place as to whether a clause of surrender was introduced into the Lease of Dangan auxiliary Workhouse when it was Resolved, that the Clerk do apply to the Commissioners for a copy of the Lease.

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 The Board having observed that a great number of Paupers were sent into the Workhouse since last Board day -

It was ~~was~~ ordered that a statement be made out and laid before the Board on Monday next shewing the number sent in by each Relieving Officer -

The Clerk submitted the Returns received from the Collectors of the sums due by Immediate Lessors and occupiers where distresses cannot be ~~made~~ as postponed on last Board day -

Prior to instituting proceedings for recovery of the sums due, the Board requested the Clerk to compare same with the Rate Books and see if the several parties named as rated therein for the amount as the several Returns -

The Board deferred signing cheques until Monday next

The consideration of tenders for white Bread were deferred till next Monday -

The consideration of the Dietary of the Officers and the Paupers was adjourned to Friday next.

The meeting was adjourned to Monday the 17 Inst.

W. Flaherty

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 Adjourned meeting of the Board on Monday the 17 December 1848.

Present. In the Chair, A. O. Flaherty Esq. Mr. other guardians, R. N. Summerville, James Brunne, A. Killian, J. Harrison, A. Deland, J. Palmer, Rich. A. Kirwan Charles Blake, W. J. Murray, A. Rush, R. E. L. Atty, J. Summing, J. Deland, J. Blake, H. Comerford, E. C. Burke,

Mr. Summerville gave notice of motion that he would on Friday the 4 Jan. move the Board to reconsider the Resolution of the Board on the 14 Inst. dispensing with the services of the Protestant Chaplain with the view of continuing him in Office -

Resolved. That notice of same be forwarded to each member of the Board -

On the Report of the Finance Committee the Board signed the following cheques - viz

Establishment Account			
James Davis	Sundries	6 1 6	✓
H. Hartler	Sanitary Officer	3 15 "	✓
M. Feen	Fines	7 6 4	✓
J. O'Farly	pay. of Bills	11 6 10	✓
	do do	8 5 8	✓
Clothing Account			
J. Davies	Clothing	4 2 2	✓
J. O'Farly	pay. of Bills	" 12 7	✓
Expatriation Account			
J. Davies	Sundries	1 1 2	✓
Invoice Account			
J. M. Pesse	Meal	60 7 6	✓ ✓
P. Ryan	flour	18 15 "	✓ ✓
J. Small	Milk	29 18 11	✓ ✓
M. O'malley	Surf	8 6 8	✓ ✓
J. O'Farly	pay. of Bills	" 9 "	✓

Debit the several Accounts and credit Treasurers with the above

The Board having considered tenders for white bread and first flour.

Resolved. That John Oliver be declared contractor for supplying best white bread to the 25 March 1850. to the W. House at 4^{ths} per 4^{lbs} loaf. the supplies to be equal to sample.

The Board having considered the Petition to Her Majesty submitted by the R. Hon. Lord Stuyall to the Guardians of this Union for their signature, from its reference to the Agricultural and commercial distress in all parts of this country; if necessity involves many important political topics for consideration. That it is therefore in the opinion of this Board more expedient that this Petition should be read and considered at a Public meeting to be convened in the future.

The Board having considered the Report forwarded by Lord Clare, Limerick.

Mr. Sumner proposed and it was seconded, that a Committee be formed viz. the Chairman of this Union, Richard A. H. Kirwan and Charles Blake with a power to add to the number to take into their consideration the Report from Limerick as also to prepare statistics similar to those in Limerick relative to the taxation upon Land in this Union.

Mr. Bromie gave notice of motion that he

would on Friday the 4 January next. move the Board to reconsider the Resolution of the Board on the 14 Inst fixing the salary of the Roman Catholic Chaplain at £75 a year with the view of increasing it as the Board may consider.

The Punishment Book was produced and read and punishment ordered in some cases.

R. H. H. H.

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STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 15 day of Dec^r 1849.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		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.	
Workhouse,	1000	1000										
Temporary Buildings,	365	365										
Additional Workhouse,	1350	1432										
Permanent Fever Hospital,	300											
Fever Sheds,												
Total,	2595	2593										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			24	63	453	407	534	201	38	2755	In Workhouse Hospital, 236	In separate Wards, 7
Admitted during the Week,			5	8	48	119	77	60	16	366	In Hospital, 1	In Wards with other Inmates, 7
TOTAL,			29	71	501	526	611	54	321		Total, 236	Total, 7
Discharged during the Week,					13	19	2	5		39		
Died,			1		2	1	1	3		9		
Total Discharged and Dead,			1		15	20	2	6		48		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			28	71	486	407	534	201	42	3073		

*Sum 20
 Discharged 75
 Died 41
 Total 236*

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15 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 Viet. 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 Viet. 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.	132	253	"	"	132	253	Bt. forward						
No. II.	70	173	"	"	70	173	No. X.						
No. III.	4	5	"	"	4	5	No. XI.	42	102	"	"	49	102
No. IV.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XII.	53	116	"	"	53	116
No. V.	26	63	"	"	26	63	No. XIII.	29	66	"	"	29	66
No. VI.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XIV.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VII.							No. XV.	7	19	"	"	7	19
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						1673

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 21 day of December 1849.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *A. O. Flaherty Esq. D.P.*
 Other Guardians:
R. & L. L. L. A. Rush *A. Morrison* *R. M. Lummerville*
C. Blake *R. A. A. Kirwan* *J. Redington* *W. Clancy*
M. Lynch *Robt. McDermott* *J. Browne* *J. Cullinane*
M. Morris *D. Kirwan* *J. Palmer*
J. Deland *A. Killian* *W. J. Murray*

John Waller

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 8115 to No. 8480, 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 informed each guardian in the Union of Monday in each week being appointed to meet for receiving applications for Relief that he requested Mr Ward to act as Relieving Officer in the Sutherland Division in this Union that he requested the Commissioners to forward a copy of the Lease of Dangan, that he compared the Returns of the Collectors with the Rate Books, and found that the parties were rated therein, that he informed each guardian of notice of motion being given to reconsider the Resolutions relative to the Chaplains.

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, - £726.0.0
 Paid during the week, - £136.15.6
 And that the Balance on the Account *in favour of* Guardians was - £1873.13.2
 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.
Sau. Cross	Julyan No 1	111	17	9	357	6	11 1/2
do	Teran	"	"	"	568	2	0
		111	17	9	4124	8	4 1/2
Edensidine	Julyan No 2	177	18	8	3208	7	6
J. Jones	My cullen	74	17	3	1460	9	1 1/2
J. O'Brien	Stillanin	70	10	10	2588	15	0 1/2
J. Gill	Outerand	18	14	6	1610	18	0 1/2
R. Kelly	Annadown	13	8	3	1178	7	9 1/2
do	Claregalway	70	"	9	428	16	5 1/2
		83	7	0	1527	4	2 1/2
C. O'Brien	Sackagh	29	"	8	840	7	4 1/2
do	Atheury	18	8	2	478	2	0
		77	8	11	1338	9	4 1/2
J. O'Brien	Cramore	29	16	"	836	4	1 1/2
do	Ballinacourt	24	4	7	776	8	4 1/2
do	Stradbally	7	2	0	283	8	7 1/2
		61	3	1	1856	1	1 1/2
	Total	726	0	0	1754	12	9 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 £ 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 £117. 4. s. 7 1/2 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	117	4	7 1/2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	150	2	4 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	150	2	4 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	0	11 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	0	1	7
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	0	1	7

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

4 Tuns of the meal	50 lbs	dipt flour
2 " "	168 "	Soap
4 " "	4 "	Starch
1 1/2 " "	"	cat
6 1/2 Quarts of new milk	56 "	washing Soda
1/4 Tn of Salt	1/2 "	Blue
7 1/2 lbs of Tea	3 "	Tea
50 " "	"	Sugar
30 " "	42 "	Pepper
200 " "	7 "	meat
10 Tuns of Coal		
180 Pieces 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 15 day of Dec; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	0	11	1 1/2
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.	Cornell	"	1 Tn	7.15.0	Bt. forward	"	3 Tns	23.5.0	
No. II.	P. Pettit	"	1/2 "	3.17.6	No. X.	Craven	"	"	
No. III.	Giffin	"	"	"	No. XI.	Imovin	200	7.15.0	
No. IV.	Ward	"	"	"	No. XII.	Cullen	1/2 "	3.17.6	
No. V.	Blawgan	"	"	"	No. XIII.	Derin	"	"	
No. VI.	Maid	"	1 "	7.15.0	No. XIV.	Jym	"	"	
No. VII.	Thomas	"	1/2 "	3.17.6	No. XV.				
No. VIII.	D. Hey	"	"	"	No. XVI.				
No. IX.	J. Morrin	"	"	"	No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.		"	3 "	23.5.0	TOTAL,		4 1/2 "	34.17.6	

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.

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

2. Establishment Account.

J. Gray, (Clerk) payment of Tradesmen Bills —	9	9	6
J. Fisher, (Clerk) payment of Small Bills —	19	19	"

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.

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 visiting committee recommended that a meat dinner and a bread and coffee breakfast be given to the inmates on Christmas day, and after some discussion the Board agreed to the suggestion and the committee was requested to undertake the management of it.

The visiting committee recommended that two pauper nurses, who were permitted out on pass, and who returned under the influence of liquor be removed from the Hospital, The Board ordered that they be removed from the Hospital for a fortnight.

The committee reported that they made enquiry about an auxiliary house and had seen a large store which would accommodate about 400, but which if a better one could be had they would not approve of it. The heat required for some of the members of the Board having mentioned other houses well suited for the purpose, the committee were again requested to inspect same and report to the Board at the adjourned meeting on tomorrow.

Master recommended that more room be procured for the nurses and infants in the main house as they were becoming numerous. The Board decided that as soon as an auxiliary house be obtained and some of the inmates transferred thereto, one of the sheds in the front yard be allocated to the nurses and children.

Master called the attention of the Board to the state of the old clothes store, Mr. Kieran observed that there was timber in the house sufficient to fit up an additional one. Ordered to be done.

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

Master reported that a robbery was committed on last night by parties from the outside and succeeded in taking from the store 30 pairs of Blankets, he discovered the Blankets outside the boundary wall, and convicted two parties at the Petty Sessions.

The Master and Medical Officer reported the crowded state of the house and auxiliaries, 245 being at present in them over and above the number allowed. (See Resolution as to Mycullen procuring another auxiliary house.)

Required for Mycullen Auxiliary house — 160 tin dishes, 120 pint tins, 1 gross of spoons, 4 Room Buckets, 2 milk vessels, 1 set of tin measure, 1 Saddle and 1 Bread Knife Ordered.

Required for the Workhouse — 5 gallons Rape oil, 28 lb copperas, 2 lbs turpentine, 2 lb sulphur, 2 large washing tubs, 1 dozen of Buckets, 300 yards Bengal stupe, 100 yards Calico, 10 lb white thread, 200 tin dishes, 12 leeches for Hospital, Ordered.

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

Poor Law Commissioners Sealed order of 13 Dec. forming certain Electoral Divisions of this Union into Relief Districts, and authorizing Relief Committees to be appointed for said Districts.

Poor Law Commissioners Sealed order of 14 Dec forming certain Electoral Divisions of the Southward Union into Relief Districts, and authorizing Relief Committees to be appointed for said districts.

Poor Law Commissioners sealed order of 18 Dec. setting aside the Return of Election of Guardians for Claddagh and Sarel Maud in this Union, and authorizing a new election of these Wards.

Poor Law Commissioners sealed order of 18 Dec. authorizing an Election of Guardians for certain Wards and Electoral Divisions in this Union, for which no persons were duly elected.

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 17 Dec 1847, No. 766, forwarding copies of Deeds submitted to the attorney General, and his opinion thereon, as to holding abandoned by the occupiers subsequently to the making of a Rate, where there are no means of recovering the Rate from the person in occupation by distress on the lands.

Referred to the Committee appointed to meet the Solicitor as to appeals, and recovery of arrears.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 18 Dec forwarding sealed order for Election of Guardians.

Circular from the Commissioners 19 Dec 47, enclosing forms for Return of collection of Rate for 1847 - and requesting same to be furnished by 24 Inst.

Letter from the Commissioners relative to the recommendation of the Medical Officer as to allowing white bread to some of the aged and infirm and requesting the Board to take the matter again into consideration and requesting stating that the Resolution of the Guardians, as to the Salaries of the Officers will meet their best attention.

Ordered, that the Commissioners be informed that the Board have considered the recommendation very maturely and they are still of

the same opinion that no change should be made.

Letter from the Guardians of the Outward Union requesting to be furnished with an account of the weekly Expenditure of that Union since the 8 Oct last (the time of the formation of the Union) and stating that they will pay the salaries of the Relieving Officers and shopkeepers acting wholly in that Union, and their proportion of those acting partly in that and partly in the Salway Union.

The matter as to the proportion of the salaries referred to the District Committee of Inverculler, for their observations as to the proportion of the duty of the Relieving Officers comprised for each Union, and that the other particulars be furnished the Outward Guardians with the least possible delay.

Read letter from Mr. Griffin Sol stating that unless the amount of his costs on Dr. Williams's case be remitted to him he will follow up the proceedings against the Guardians as the subpoena was served.

Read letter from Mr. W. Scambert Castlelaubert requesting the Guardians to direct the collector (Mr. O'Brien) not to press for the amount of Rates due by Mr. Scambert until after some cases of appeal be brought before the assistant Barrister at next sessions by him against the valuation of his property. The Guardians were of opinion that they could not interfere with the collector.

Letter from the Commissioners 20 Dec 47 No. 77634, relative to the late Collector Martin Fullinam and stating

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).

that the Collector and his securities were responsible and that when the whole amount not acknowledged by him shall be ascertained proceedings should be instituted against them.

Mr. Purman proposed and it was seconded unanimously, that the Commissioners be requested to authorize Mr. Hall Poor Law Inspector to investigate into the complaints of the Ratepayers of Annadown and Clavegalony with the view of ascertaining the amount received by Cullinane and not accounted for.

The Clerk reported that the Relieving Officers Thomas, Inaud and Laurence Murray did not send in their books for examination for week ending 15 Inst he was therefore unable to have the numbers and cost of Out door Relief for the above date for the Board on this day.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 20 Dec relative to the drawing of water to the Merchants Road House, and stating that as the Guardians consider the measure advisable they will not further object at the same time stating that they fear the result will not be beneficial - and referring to the Resolution reducing the salary of the Relieving Officers from £50 to £30 and requesting the Guardians to reconsider the propriety of giving uniform salaries to the Relieving Officers, as their duties and expenses vary.

Resolved, that the Commissioners be informed that the Board will on Friday the 4th Inst reconsider the salaries of the Relieving Officers, and that the Board return their thanks for the kind co-operation of the Commissioners in allowing the paupers to draw water to the auxiliary house at Merchants Road.

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Read letter from Mr P. Sagulab requesting that the sum of £31.10.0 due to him for salary be transferred to John Davison

Ordered to be done

The Finance Committee recommended that a dividend of 5% in the pound be given to all officers to whom Salary is due to 29 Sep, and that a dividend of 3% in the pound be given to all the other creditors who got 5% heretofore, and that the small claims at and under £3 be paid in full.

The Chairman observed that the agreement made by the Vice Guardians with the judgement creditors as to stay of proceedings would not bind them beyond the 22 January, he would therefore think that a similar letter should be signed by all creditors on receiving the dividend of 3% not to take any steps until after the next Rate will be made.

The Board directed that the Clerk would have cheques filled for the Guardians signature, at the adjourned Board tomorrow.

It being reported to the Board that the house at Moycullen would be ready for the reception of Pauper Children in a few days.

The Board considered the arrangements necessary to superintending same.

Resolved, that Mrs. McDonnell lately head nurse at Moycullen Hospital be appointed Matron of that auxiliary House at a Salary of £12 a year with Rations, and apartments, and that she be requested to attend at the Workhouse on Monday next to take the children there.

and to select a number of female assistants out of the able-bodied women in the house, and that a sufficient number of carts be procured to take them to Moycullen,

That the master of the Workhouse be authorized to supply the Moycullen Auxiliary house with provisions -

That arrangements be made for carrying the Bread &c. to Moycullen 3 or 4 times a week

Mr. Ryan attended relative to the Report of the Finance Committee as to straw lodges and requesting that the Board would name an arbitrator as suggested by the Finance Committee

The Board named Mr. Leonard C. Burke on their part and Mr. Ryan promised to name to Mr. Burke a second arbitrator -

The Adoption of the Finance Committee report of the 7 Inst was considered, and was deferred to a future day when they hope Mr. Burke will be a guardian, he having objected to the adoption of the Report in Mr. Keen's case, and his election having been set aside by order of the Commissioners,

Mr. Hall called the guardians attention to the fact of parties from all parts of the County on being discharged from the County Jail were left by the Police at the gate of the Workhouse, and recommended that the Board would take some steps to remove the responsibility from the Master which devolves on him by parties being left at the gate of the Workhouse -

The Board Resolved that no person

be admitted into the Workhouse, unless by the direction of the Board through the Relieving officers, or by the Master himself in extra cases -

Mr. Kirwan referred to the advantage which would arise to the Union and to the conduct of the business if Mr. Hall P. S. J. was appointed a guardian and referred to the Juam Union where Mr. Lucas P. S. J. was appointed a guardian.

Resolved, That our Chairman A. O. Flaherty Esq. Mr. P. be requested to apply to the Poor Law Commissioners to appoint John Hall Esq. the present Inspector of the Union an assistant guardian in pursuance of the 9 Sep. 12 & 13 Vic. Cap. 104.

The Clerk having called the Board's attention to the dietary of the Officers and paupers the consideration of which was deferred to this day.

Resolved, That for the present the dietary for the Healthy Inmates be the same as that laid down by the Commission in their order of 5 Feb. 1843, with the exception of substituting Barley Bread instead of whole meal bread.

That the Dietary of the sick be continued as laid down in said order -

Some discussion having taken place as to a substitute for milk when the Board directed the Clerk to write to the neighbouring Unions to ascertain the manner in which Cocoa is made and how used, and the expense of same in comparison

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with milk and that the Board do consider
the dietary of milk on next Friday.

The Dietary of the Officers
was referred to the visiting Committee for
their Report.

The Clerk stated that the contract for
supplying the Outdoor Relief with Indian
Meal would expire in a week.

Ordered, That tenders be
advertised for to supply the several Food
Depots in the Union with best Indian or
Barley Meal to the 25 March 1850. same
to be considered on Friday the 4th Jan'y.

Ordered, That an advertisement be inserted
for a competent person to fill the situation
of assistant Master of the Merchants Road
Auxiliary House at a Salary of £15 a
year with rations and apartments -
appointment to be made on the 4th Jan'y.

The Clerk produced the Returns received from
the collectors of the sums due of Immediate
Lessors and occupiers.

The Inspector and chairman
observed that some steps should be taken
to recover the Rates in these cases.

Ordered, That they be considered
at the adjourned meeting on tomorrow and
that the solicitor be requested to attend
at 12 o'clock.

Read letter from Mr. Kelly collector for
Armadown complaining of the opposition
offered to him in that Division and

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stating that unless protection be afforded
him he will not be able to collect
with any success.

Ordered, That he be directed
to apply to Mr. Kerston Resident
Magistrate at Tuam for the assistance
of the Police.

Resolved, That Michael Keady be declared
contractor for supplying the auxiliary
Workhouse at Moycullen with best
new Milk at 3¹/₂ per gallon and best
Butter Milk at 3¹/₂ per gallon.

That John Sullivan be declared Contractor
for supplying the same establishment
with best Turf at 7⁰ per load.

The meeting adjourned to the following
day at 12 o'clock to sign cheques, and
consult Mr. Blake as to the appeals &c.

A. F. Kelly

At an adjourned meeting of the Board of Guardians held on Saturday the 22 day of December 1847-

Present. In the Chair, A. O. Flaherty by Mr. Charles Blake. John Deland, Henry Somerville, Ambrose Kush, R. A. M. Kirwan, John O'Garra, John Blakenee, James Bourne, Thos. Palu, R. A. Sweeney -

The Clerk produced the Returns of the Collectors, and after consulting with the Solicitor it was Ordered, That he be furnished with an account from the Returns of the sums due with the view of his taking steps for the recovery of the several sums by Civil Bill in those cases where he can do so, and by writing to such as he thinks would pay on his application to them -

The Visiting Committee reported that they inspected Mrs. Ankettles store at Merchant Road, and that it was the only one they found well suited for an auxiliary store and that Mr. O'Malley was in communication with Mrs. Ankettle about the Rent -

The Solicitor having attended the Board as to the appeals - The Inspector suggested the expediency of employing counsel to defend the appeals -

The Guardians after some having consulted Mr. Blakenee on the subject did not think it advisable to do so, but fixed Saturday next the 29 Inst. to meet the attorneys of the Appellants with the

Solicitor with the view of settling as many of the appeals as could be done by Arbitration subject to the Confirmation of same by the Court by which expenses would be saved -

The Clerk stated that he wrote to Mr. Rice informing him that a number of appeals had been lodged and reminding him of the terms of his agreement to defend all appeals and laid before the Board Mr. Rices reply stating that he did not consider himself bound to attend, at the same time offering to attend if the Board would advance him £30 on account of his fees to enable him to do so -

Ordered That Mr. Rice be informed that the Board do not feel themselves bound to advance him any money -

The Board proceeded to sign cheques when the Chairman observed, that he would sign cheques for those parties who would sign the letter of guarantee referred to in yesterdays minutes,

Accordingly cheques were signed for the following

Outstanding credits of

J. V. Mayhew	Milk	22	13	"	✓
M. Deland	Meat	64	1	"	✓
H. Somerville	3/6 in the post	75	"	"	✓
L. T. Mayhew	do	71	4	"	✓
J. Pierce	do	27	2	"	✓

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Rush & Palmer	3/0 in the pound	475	19	"	✓
J. Ireland	do	73	3	6	✓
P. Collins	do	21	5	"	✓
J. Oliver	do	138	5	"	✓
J. Costello	do	93	19	"	✓
M. Foucaumon	do	80	2	"	✓
C. Matley	do	30	3	"	✓
J. Harrison	do	58	4	"	✓
W. Barrett	do	57	15	"	✓
P. Rooney	do	3	15	6	✓
Copland & Clarke	do	22	"	6	✓
Deal & Sons	do	19	8	4	✓
J. & P. Davis	do	24	2	8	✓
M. O'Malley	do	5	2	9	✓
J. Brunne	do	15	14	6	✓
do	do	19	"	9	✓
J. F. Blake	do	8	5	6	✓
J. Harrison	5/0 in the pound	7	17	8	✓
Mrs. Lambert	do	7	18	"	✓
B. Lodge	do	3	8	"	✓
Higgins	do	1	7	"	✓
A. Raymond	do	2	12	"	✓
J. Walsh	do	5	"	"	✓
E. Brunne	do	1	12	6	✓
D. Brunne	do	10	2	"	✓
John Deauor	do	3	15	"	✓
D. Richardson	do	6	5	"	✓
Mrs. Fletcher	do	3	15	"	✓
H. Spady	do	10	10	"	✓
Mrs. Hogan	do	2	13	"	✓
P. Higgins	do	5	"	"	✓
W. Ryan	do	1	17	6	✓
Miss Barber	do	1	7	6	✓
J. Parker	do	2	5	"	✓
M. Joyce	do	3	2	6	✓
E. Connolly	do	5	9	"	✓
M. D. Tracy	do	9	7	6	✓
L. Morris	do	9	7	6	✓

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Outstanding Credits of

M. Douling	sp in the pound	9	2	0	✓
J. Martin	fees	1	6	9	✓
Rep. Miss Foster	salary due her	1	8	10	✓
Miss Formers	Salary	3	"	"	✓
Mrs. Bern	do	3	"	"	✓
J. Kelly	do	2	3	4	✓
J. Rice	do	1	5	"	✓
A. Connell	do	2	18	"	✓
J. O'Donnell	do	1	7	"	✓
J. O'Doughlin	do	1	"	"	✓
J. Whelly	Inf	2	10	"	✓
Miss Birmingham	Milk	1	13	6	✓
J. J. Reed	Sundries	1	4	10	✓
Here Hospital Exp. etc					
W. Burke	Coffins	1	5	"	✓
D. O'Brien	Salary	7	10	"	✓
J. Keenan	repairs at Hospital	1	13	6	✓
J. Brunne	Porta at Hospital	1	10	"	✓
Law Journal & other Expenses etc					
P. E. Duffin	Salt	1	19	6	✓
P. O'Malley	Coffins	2	5	1	✓
J. Brunne	5/0 in the £ on J. Reed's claim	11	9	"	✓
P. M. J. Blake	order on appeal	14	11	6	✓
P. J. McFath	do	2	2	"	✓
J. Walsh	Expenses to sessions	3	10	"	✓
P. M. Killgariff	Coffins	2	2	"	✓
P. J. Walters	do	2	10	11	✓
P. J. McDonough	do	1	14	9	✓
P. B. Cavanaugh	Inf Armadown	1	"	3	✓
Estate Account					
M. Juffin	wages	2	19	"	✓
P. O'Donohoe	do	1	13	6	✓
J. Hyner	do	1	6	"	✓
J. Campbell	5/0 in the £ on his Salary	3	2	6	✓
R. McKea	do	2	8	"	✓
P. Rooney	do	1	2	6	✓

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Establishment account &c contd

P. Lambert	Sundries	3	4	u	✓
S. Ivie	wages	1	17	6	✓
J. Morris	do	3	"	"	✓
M. Flaherty	do	2	"	"	✓
H. Feeny	do	2	16	"	✓
J. Feeny	helper	1	15	"	✓
M. Cosgrave	wages	1	10	"	✓
Mullins & Keane	glass	3	"	"	✓
A. Delaney	mason	1	14	"	✓
O. Rippinham	repairs	3	"	"	✓
J. O'Leary	pay of Bills	4	4	1	✓
H. Haugan	rent	1	15	"	✓
J. Duffy	rent wages	3	"	"	✓
Mrs. Forlett	rent	3	9	"	✓

W. Flaherty

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 22 day of Dec^r 1849.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		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	825									
Temporary Buildings,	345	143									
Additional Workhouse,	1350										
Permanent Fever Hospital,	300										
Fever Sheds,	5										
Total,	2595	3258									
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			28	71	48	106	105	158	113	42	
Admitted during the Week,			4	9	47	85	15	55	15	51	
Total,			32	80	533	197	164	173	118	43	
Discharged during the Week,			1	"	20	31	10	10	5	3	
Died,			"	"	"	1	3	1	3	3	
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	"	20	32	19	7	13	6	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			31	80	573	175	155	168	113	37	

*Boys from 15 to 20 years of age 15
Girls from 15 to 20 years of age 15
Children from 5 to 15 years of age 15
Children under 2 years 15*

*In Workhouse Hospital, 243
In separate Wards, 7
In Hospital in Fever, 1
In Wards with other inmates, 1
Total, 243*

*In separate Wards, 7
In Hospital in Fever, 1
Total, 7*

*Feen - 12
Orpen - 89
Others, 142
Total 243*

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22 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.	122	236	"	"	122	236	Bt. forward						
No. II.	89	241	"	"	89	241	No. X.	24	80	"	"	24	80
No. III.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XI.	44	98	"	"	44	98
No. IV.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XII.	48	96	"	"	48	96
No. V.	26	63	"	"	26	63	No. XIII.	32	76	"	"	32	76
No. VI.	1	3	"	"	1	3	No. XIV.	5	13	"	"	5	13
No. VII.	24	64	"	"	24	64	No. XV.	9	29	"	"	9	29
No. VIII.	53	136	"	"	53	136	No. XVI.	4	11	"	"	4	11
No. IX.	50	121	"	"	50	121	No. XVII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
Car. forward							TOTAL,	535	1271	"	"	535	1271

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 28 day of December 1849.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *A. O. Flaherty Esq. M.P.*
Other Guardians:
*R. E. Lathin, A. Killian, R. A. Summerville
Charles Blake, J. Harrison, William Flaherty
W. Lynch, J. Redington, Mr. J. Blake Esq. M.P.
M. Morris, J. Moore, E. C. Mansell
R. A. H. Kirwan, Tho. Palmer, W. Comerford*

J. Wall Esq. V.L.S.
The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 8481 to No. 8764, 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. 1568 to No. 31568, 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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 That he communicated with the Commissioners as to the recommendation of the Medical Officer that he replied to Mr. Lambert of Castle Lambert's Letter that he wrote to the Commissioners as to Mr. Callaghan that he wrote to each Guardian as to the Salaries of the Relieving Officers, that he wrote to the surrounding Unions as to Cocoa, that he advertised for tenders for Outdoor Relief supplies, and for an Office for Merchants Road, that he furnished the Solicitor with the Returns referred to on last minutes, and 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, - £463. 16. 0
 Paid during the week, - £406. 2. 6
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £1931. 6. 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.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Sam. Hoop	Falung No. 1	"	"	"	357	6	4 1/2
do	Ardara	"	"	"	548	2	1/2
		"	"	"	4124	8	4 1/2
E. Considine	Falung No. 2	152	11	9	3055	15	9
J. Jones	Inycullen	92	15	6	1367	13	7 1/2
J. O'Bryan	Hill-anin	"	"	"	2588	15	0 1/2
J. Hill	Oughterard	"	"	"	1610	18	0 1/2
R. Kelly	Amadoun	68	1	9	1030	6	0 1/2
do	Claregalung	9	6	3	419	10	2 1/2
		77	8	"	1449	16	2 1/2
C. O'Bryan	Sackagh	57	1	3	783	6	1 1/2
do	Atheury	5	0	6	453	1	6
		62	1	9	1276	7	7 1/2
J. O'Bryan	Oranmore	"	"	"	836	4	1 1/2
do	Ballinacouty	26	"	"	750	8	4 1/2
do	Shadball	52	19	"	230	9	7
		78	19	"	1517	2	1 1/2
	Total,	463	16	"	17290	16	9 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.

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 The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 164. 4. 3 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 £ 160. 12. 9 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	164	4	3 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	164	4	3 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	0	1 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	-	-	-
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	-	-	0. 1. 7

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

2000 lbs of white Bread	70 lb of saffron,
4 Ans of Barley meal	12 " Soap
3 " Rye meal	1 " Starch
6 " Indian meal	28 " washing soda
850 Quarts milk	8 " Tea
580 lb Salt	4 " Sugar
8 " Sugar	1 " Hops
1/4 Ann of Rice	14 " Malt
30 lb of pepper	7 " Mould
210 " Meat	6 Caudle,
6 Bottles of Porter	
6 Ann of Coal	
280 Boxes of Fuel	

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 22 day of Sep^r; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	£	s.	d.
In kind,	-	-	-	28	1	9
Total,	-	-	-	28	4	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.	E. Connell	"	1 Ann	7. 15. 0	Bt. forward	"	12 Ann	11. 12. 6	
No. II.	P. O'Neil	"	1/2 "	3. 17. 6	No. X.	Creaven	"	"	
No. III.	Juffin	"	"	"	No. XI.	Inoviss	"	"	
No. IV.	Ward	"	"	"	No. XII.	Cullen	"	"	
No. V.	Blaugan	"	"	"	No. XIII.	Kerin	"	"	
No. VI.	McLis	"	"	"	No. XIV.	Lynn	"	"	
No. VII.	Thomas	"	"	"	No. XV.		"	"	
No. VIII.	O'Shea	"	"	"	No. XVI.		"	"	
No. IX.	L. Inoviss	"	"	"	No. XVII.		"	"	
Car. forwd.		"	1/2 "	11. 12. 6	TOTAL,		"	12 "	

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 Farguson Royal stufe	8	6	8 ✓
W. McFormack flax &c	3	10	1 ✓
James Davies thread &c	6	8	11 ✓
David Kerris Ruff	2	13	6 ✓
Amount of Payments of Bills	1	0	10 ✓

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

2. Establishment Account.

Clarity sundries	5	5	6 ✓
J. Davies do	6	17	4 ✓
M. Piffon expense attending carriage of children	4		10 ✓
J. O'grady (Clerk) Quarters Salary	25		
James Piffon sundries	1	9	8 ✓
O'grady Payment of Bills	8	4	5 ✓

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

J. M'pense Flour &c	132	5	6 ✓ ✓
J. Small milk	69	9	7 ✓ ✓
J. Costello groceries	8	15	3 ✓ ✓
Edward meat	7	4	8 ✓ ✓
M. O'malley turf	13	15	
Flatley Soap	9	3	8 ✓ ✓

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

J. M. Puisse Ind. Meal	65	17	6 ✓
Law General &c			
R. & L. Athy Costs on appeal	6		
Burial Account			
M. Leming Coffins	6	3	9 ✓
Peace Hospital			
O'grady Payment of Bills	2	11	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 visiting Committee recommended that rough timber paving be procured and fitted up to separate the ~~ground~~ ^{grom} from the road round the Workhouse. The expense would be very trifling. Ordered. That Mr. Martin Clerk of Works be directed to purchase the timber for the purpose and have it fitted up—

The visiting Committee stated they would report on the Office Rations on next Board day—

The visiting Committee observed that the Baker stated it was very difficult to make bread of Barley meal alone. The Board agreed that some Rye meal should be mixed with the Barley meal in making bread—

The Master reported that the Porter was ill of Fever. The Board at the suggestion of the Master allowed Master Seabert (a Pauper) to do the duties during the illness of the Porter—

The Master requested permission to have a few drying pots fitted up in the yard at Merchants Road house. Ordered to be done—

Master required the following. 100 pint tins, 2 dozen and Bladders 1 brose belly. Ordered—

The Agricultural Instructor and Master at Dawson required the following. 2 shovels for farm purposes, 4 lb packing tins. 1 gallon of oil, 2 lb lampblack. Ordered—
The Report of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:
Required. 50 stone Hammers, The Master of the Workhouse to supply—

The Medical Officer requested that the regulations of the Commissioners as to the cleansing of the paupers before admission to the Body of the house would be strictly adhered to, as it is not the case at present—and stated that if such was not done disease may break out in the Workhouse—

The Inspector observed that the Master should see the Regulations of the Commissioners in this respect carried out, and the Board directed the Master to do so in future—

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

Poor Law Commissioners Sealed order 22 Dec 1849 authorizing the guardians of this Union to appoint a Valuator to re-value the property of this Union at such a remuneration as the Poor Law Commissioners may approve of

Ordered, That an advertisement be inserted in the following papers and general Advertiser for a competent person to re-value the entire property of this Union, and to furnish a set of new Valuations Books. Candidates to state the sum for which they will perform same, and the appointment to be made on the 18 Jan next

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, 20 Dec 1849, requesting to be furnished with Revised Returns of expenses and Liabilities for the year ended 29 Sep. 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:)

Letter from the Commissioners, 22 Dec 1849, No. 73589/49 approving of the dietary now in use in the Workhouse and that the plan of having the Infants fed in the dining hall in the presence of the Matron or some other Officer be carried into effect -

Ordered, That the Commissioners be informed that the Infants are now regularly fed in the dining Hall -

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 22 Dec No. 7557/49 transmitting a copy of a communication from the secretary of the Public Works Loan Commissioners dated 27 Ultimo demanding the instalments due on the Workhouse Loans -

Ordered, That a copy of the guardians letter to the Public Works Loan Commissioners in answer to their communication of the 27th be forwarded to the Commissioners -

Letter from the Commissioners 27 Dec 1849 No. 78900/49 acknowledging receipt of Clerks letter of the 16 Inst and forwarding copy of Lease of Dangan Auxiliary Workhouse -

Read letter from Mr. Blakeney Sol. enclosing a draft of a letter which he would recommend to be addressed to Mr. Rice as regards the number of appeals lodged against his valuations, and stating that he requested the Solicitors of the appellants to attend on Saturday -

Ordered, That the Clerk do forward a similar letter to that sent by Mr. Blakeney to Mr. Rice -

The Board having again considered the expediency of employing Counsel to defend the numerous appeals -

The Inspector pointed out to the Board the injustice it would be to those persons who paid the last Rate without appealing, to have the valuation reduced by consent of the guardians in those cases where appeals were pending, and that if the parties who had appealed were valued equal in proportion to those who did not appeal he thought they had no reason to complain -

Several of the members agreed with the Inspector and after some discussion, the Board directed the Clerk to instruct the Solicitor to resist the appeals and to authorize him to employ counsel on the occasion, The Board also agreed to attend in the Board Room on tomorrow at 12 O'clock to meet the Solicitors and to settle if possible any appeals lodged against clerical errors &c and Mr. Michael Inyiss Barrister at Law who was present during the proceedings agreed to attend the Board on the occasion and give the Board any assistance in his power as Mr. Blakeney would be in Dublin, and the Committee named in minutes of 14 Inst to meet the Solicitor be requested to attend and assist -

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 Pooling 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).

Anthony Delauney tender for erecting Hot plates in the Bakehouse of the Workhouse for the sum of two pounds was accepted.

Resolved that the Relieving Officers shall each week compare the Registry of Paupers admitted during the previous week into the Workhouse and satisfy themselves that no pauper is improperly charged to his district, and that once in each month he shall ascertain that such pauper is in the house and that each Relieving Officer be required to visit in his district every pauper on the Outdoor Relief List, at least once in every 14 days.

The Board having taken into consideration the necessity for accurately ascertaining the Inmates to which the present Inmates of the Workhouse properly belong, with the view of their being enabled to charge such paupers at once on their proper Electoral Divisions when the proposed new arrangements of the Galway Union shall be carried into effect.

Resolved, that a special meeting of the Board of Guardians be held on Monday the 7th Inst. for the above purpose at which meeting the Relieving Officers of the Locality then under consideration be required to attend and that such meeting be adjourned from day to day till the proper location of all the Inmates of the Workhouse be ascertained - and it was Ordered that due notice of such meeting be given to every member of the Board and to each Relieving Officer.

Read letter from W. P. Lambert requesting that the balance due him viz £11.12.0 be transferred to Mr. John Harrison.

Ordered to be done -
Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

day of 184 .

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Read letter from the Treasurer of the Union requesting that as the account between the Bank and the Union was examined and found correct by the Auditor, that their books be verified and all vouchers taken up and requested that the Board would name of their body for that purpose.

The Board requested Mr. Harrison to do so which he agreed to.

The Clerk reported that the Books for the Electoral Divisions and Union at Lays required to be kept by the 12 & 13 Vic of the paupers relieved could not be done as the Journals of the paupers in most cases were not inserted in the Register.

Ordered, that the preparation of these Books be deferred till the allocation of the Paupers be completed (see Resolution as to the allocation of the Workhouse Inmates).

The Inspector observed that the nuisances were placed in an improper way on the Workhouse grounds, and the visiting Committee made a similar observation to the Board.

The Master was directed to see that all the nuisances were taken to that part of the ground allotted for the purpose.

Mr. John O'Brien offer to supply Brown Bread made of Barley and Rye meal at 7th per lb during the period that the hot hearths would be recting was accepted.

The Board considered the following tenders and offers to set stores for an auxiliary Workhouse.

The expense store at Merchants Road for £70 a year
 P. Riely do do £100 do
 Mrs. Ankettles do do £100 do
 J. Murray & Sons do Middle Street £55 do

some of the persons tendering having evinced an inclination to reduce the sum due in respect having promised to know by tomorrow if he could get the yard which divides his store from the present auxiliary Workhouse to give it to the guardians by which a communication could be effected between them and some expense saved.

The Board accordingly adjourned the consideration of the tenders to tomorrow and the parties were requested to have their amended tenders sent in at 12 o'clock.

The Board having considered the additional accommodation required at Dayon, and the visiting committee having submitted an estimate amounting to £81.17.5 prepared by the Clerk of works for making a new dormitory over large school room in main building at Dayon.

The Board agreed to the expenditure of the sum in the manner proposed, and the clerk of works was directed to prepare a specification by tomorrow, and the clerk was directed to forward same to the Commissioners for their approval.

Mr. Keady, who was declared contractor to supply the Moycullen auxiliary Workhouse on last Friday having intimated his inability to do so. The tender of Thomas Riely to supply new milk at 6^d per gallon to 25 March 1850 was accepted.

It having been reported to the Board that some repairs to the windows &c. at Moycullen auxiliary Workhouse were necessary, and also locks for the door, the Board ordered Mr. Martin Griffith Relieving Officer to get same done and to bring the several Bills before the Board when the repairs will be completed.

The children being now settled at the above place and a motion being appointed the Board considered that the services of Mr. Browne who was sent there on the 23rd ultimo to take stock and assist in superintending the place could be dispensed with, and the clerk was directed to inform him accordingly.

The clerk submitted the half yearly abstract of the accounts as audited by Mr. Murray for the signature of the chairman, and requested to know would they be printed.

The Board deferred signing them till next Friday.

The Punishment Book was produced and the following adult paupers who were very insubordinate and refractory were ordered to be discharged from the Workhouse as not being fit objects for Relief.

The master subsequently reported that when about discharging the above parties they refused to go out whereupon the assistance of a party of the Constabulary was obtained and the Ringleaders were committed to goal.

* Pat Kelly	M. Kelly	P. Price	P. Walsh
J. Fancij	H. Homely	P. Connor	J. Mullay
J. Keunelly	W. Gibbons	M. Mullay	L. Feahan
M. Moran			

The Board being anxious to place all creditors on the same footing then proceeded to sign cheques for the following dividends of 8p in the pound to the creditors who did not attend on last Friday and who since signed the letter of guarantee, and a dividend of 8p in the pound to those who not yet received beyond 5p as also a dividend of 8p in the pound to some other small creditors who heretofore received no dividend -

Outstanding for Account			
J. Lynn H ^o	8p in the pound	139 4	✓
J. J. J. J.	do	97 7	✓
J. M. J. J.	do	51 18	✓
J. J. J. J.	do	36 15	✓
J. J. J. J.	do	117 11	✓
M. J. J. J.	do	18 2 9	✓
M. J. J. J.	do	3 11	✓
M. J. J. J.	do	4 1 6	✓
M. J. J. J.	do	15 18 6	✓
M. J. J. J.	8p in the pound	2 4	✓
E. J. J. J.	do	10 12 9	✓
J. J. J. J.	do	3 19	✓
M. J. J. J.	do	21 9	✓
J. J. J. J.	8p in the pound	4 14 6	✓
M. J. J. J.	do	4 14 10	✓
J. J. J. J.	do	2 " 9	✓
M. J. J. J.	8p do	3 13 8	✓
J. J. J. J.	3p do	" 16 6	✓
A. J. J. J.	do	1 12	✓
A. J. J. J.	8p do	15 8 10	✓
J. J. J. J.	3p do	3 " "	✓
E. J. J. J.	do	" 19 6	✓
J. J. J. J.	8p do	14 5 9	✓
J. J. J. J.	3p do	3 15	✓
P. J. J. J.	do	10 " "	✓
J. J. J. J.	do	1 5	✓
J. J. J. J.	do	3 15	✓
J. J. J. J.	do	6 6	✓
M. J. J. J.	do	1 12	✓
J. J. J. J.	do	3 " "	✓
M. J. J. J.	do	1 2 6	✓
Miss. J. J. J.	do	" 16 6	✓
J. J. J. J.	do	1 7	✓
J. J. J. J.	8p do	14 14	✓
M. J. J. J.	3p do	" 19 9	✓
J. J. J. J.	8p Rent	7 10	✓

Debit outstanding Credits account and credit Treasurer with the above -

The chairman having observed that some of the Relieving Officers complained that they got no part of their Salary while others did. The Clerk stated that the Relieving Officers who did not get some of their Salary, had large Balances in their hands, and that therefore he could not allow such of the Relieving Officers as had those balances against them to get cheques. The Inspector stated that as some of the Relieving Officers had claims for provisional Relief &c. it would be well if a committee were named to enquire into those claims, and ascertain the nett balances against them. The Board then named Mr. R. H. Kerwan and Mr. John Redington for the purpose -

Clothing Account

J. J. J. J.	8p in the pound	3 5 6	✓
J. J. J. J.	3p do	1 7	✓
J. J. J. J.	do	" 12	✓

Debit clothing account and credit Treasurer with the above -

Establishment Account

J. J. J. J.	3p in the pound	" 15 9	✓
J. J. J. J.	do	1 17 6	✓
R. J. J. J.	do	1 19 3	✓
R. J. J. J.	do	1 8 9	✓
P. J. J. J.	do	" 14 6	✓
J. J. J. J.	8p do	2 18	✓
M. J. J. J.	do	9 4	✓

Debit Establishment account and credit Treasurer with the above -

San Hospital Expenses

D. M. Lanning	8/0 in the pound	9 14 6 ✓
M. Jennings	do	12 5 " ✓
D. Hughes	do	2 17 " ✓
W. Burke	8/0 do	" 15 " ✓
J. O'Brien	do	3 " " ✓
Kept. Mr. Alley	8/0 do	4 9 2 ✓
M. O'Neil	3/0 do	2 1 8 ✓
M. McDeruott	wages	3 3 " ✓
J. Feeny	do	1 11 6 ✓
E. Kiehl	do	1 2 6 ✓
P. McDeruott	do	2 8 6 ✓

Law, General, Election &c

National Bank	8/0 in the pound	
	on J. J. Reed transfer	6 17 3 ✓
M. Jennings	coffins	3 " 6 ✓
J. Walsh	8/0 in the pound	2 2 " ✓

The meeting adjourned to Saturday the 29 December 1849—

A. O'Flaherty

At an adjourned meeting of the Board held on Saturday the 29 Dec 1849.

Present. In the chair, R. A. H. Kirwan Esq. Charles Blake, M. P. Browne N. Lynch, M. Morris, H. Conyngham N. Hillian, J. Harrison, J. Redington J. Palmer, R. T. Summerville, W. Clancy

Some of the Solicitors having attended and the Board having notified to them that it was their intention not to enter into the appeals lodged against the Valuation, but that they would consider the appeals the ground of which were against mistakes or clerical errors, and offered to go on with any such cases—

Messrs. Murphy, Donnellan and Potchford "Solicitors" declined entering into the latter cases, as the whole would not be gone into—

It having been observed that as Mr. Blakeney would be at home on Monday it would be well to defer entering into any of the cases, until he would be present, and after some discussion, the Board agreed to attend on next Thursday the day previous to the sessions to enter into the cases against mistakes and clerical errors, and the clerk was directed to write to Mr. Blakeney to that effect—

The guardians having considered the tenders for stores when it was Resolved, that the offer of J. M. perare to set his store at Merchants Head lately held by R. D. Perse for the yearly rent of sixty five pounds sterling

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 free of all rates and taxes. The
 Guardians to give three months
 notice of their intention to surrender
 the supplies of frieze and Calico received
 from N. Martin & Son having been inspected
 by some of the guardians, and it
 having been found the supply of
 Frieze sent at 1/6 per yard was not
 better than his pattern at 1/4 per yard,
 and that some of the Calico at 3/2 per
 yard was not better than his pattern
 at 3/4 per yard.

The Board ordered that
 the Clerk do write to Messrs Martin
 and Son on the subject and state
 that as the supplies sent were
 not equal to the patterns for the
 prices, they will be allowed the
 price of the patterns immediately
 next under viz 1/4 and 3/4 the supplies
 being equal to the patterns at the
 last mentioned prices, and that a
 pattern of each of the articles be
 enclosed to them.

The guardians having considered tenders
 from persons for repairing and erecting
 sheds at Dayan and West House,
 and the tenders were handed to
 Mr. Martin clerk of works, to report
 there on.

W. Flaherty

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 Present Net Annual Value,
 STATEMENT of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 29 day of Dec^r 1849.

Inmates for which relief is provided.	No. that can be accom- modated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idlots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Buildings, Workhouse, at Fever Hospital, Houses,	1000 345 1788 358 1521										
Total,	2995	3309									
Remaining on previous Saturday, last Return,			31	80	573	1059	608	113	37		
Admitted during the Week,			1	7	20	35	21	12	7		
Discharged and Dead,					2	15	5	6	3		
Remaining on the above DATE,			32	87	593	1074	629	125	44		
RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29 day of Dec ^r 1849, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.											
RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 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.	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.	
I.	120	232	"	"	120	232	Bt. forward				
I.	89	241	"	"	89	241	No. X.	23	75	23 75	
I.	7	28	"	"	7	28	No. XI.	43	95	43 95	
V.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XII.	45	105	45 105	
V.	25	62	"	"	25	62	No. XIII.	24	64	24 64	
I.	1	3	"	"	1	3	No. XIV.	5	13	5 13	
I.	24	64	"	"	24	64	No. XV.	8	23	8 23	
I.	52	130	"	"	52	130	No. XVI.	3	7	3 7	
K.	22	65	"	"	22	65	No. XVII.	"	"	" "	
ard							TOTAL,	491	1207	491 1207	

of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians; at a Meeting held on Monday the 18th day of January 1850.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *A. O'Flaherty Esq. M.P.*
 Other Guardians:
A. Lynch — *A. Rush* *J. Kedington* *A. R. Mullins*
M. Morris — *K. Kirwan* *J. Broome* *W. Clancy*
J. Deland — *A. Hillian* *J. Palmer*
R. Comerford — *J. Harrison* *K. A. Lammerville*
E. E. Maunsell *J. Blakney* *Jac. Blake*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
J. Hall Esq. M.P.
K. Burke Esq. M.P.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 8767 to No. 8881, 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. 31569 to No. 31569, 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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 That he advertised for a Keiving Valuator as directed,
 That he communicated with the Commissioners as to
 the Infants children, That he communicated with the
 Commissioners as to the Public works, San Commissioners
 That he wrote to Mr. Rice, That he wrote to each
 Relieving Officer as to examination of the Workhouse
 Register, That he wrote to each Guardian as to
 allocation of paupers, That he wrote to the
 Commissioners as to works at Dayan - That he
 informed Mr. Prouse employed at Driscullen that
 his services were dispensed with, and 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, - £574. 13. 1

Paid during the week, - £156. 3. 2

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the
 Guardians was - £536. 16. 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.
Sawbrop	Galway No 1	84	2	6	492	3	10
do	Aran	"	"	"	548	2	"
		84	2	6	4040	5	10
C. Consideine	Galway No 2	135	7	3	2920	6	6
J. Jones	Driscullen	24	17	"	1342	16	7
J. O'Brien	Killanin	38	7	7	2550	7	3
J. Gill	Cughtraor	22	10	"	1588	8	0
R. Kelly	Armadoun	"	"	"	1130	6	0
do	Claregalway	"	"	"	419	10	2
		"	"	"	1449	16	2
C. O'Brien	Sackagh	244	8	"	538	15	1
do	Atheeny	"	"	"	493	1	6
		244	8	"	1031	19	7
J. O'Brien	Craumore	23	6	"	812	18	1
do	Ballinaculty	1	12	7	748	15	9
do	Stradbally	"	"	"	230	9	7
		24	18	7	1792	3	1
	Total,	574	13	1	16716	3	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.

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 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 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 £ 186. 7. 4 1/2

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	186	7	4 1/2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	159	2	3 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	159	2	3 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	0	0 11 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	-	-	- 0 1 7
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:

7 Tons of 2nd meal	6 Tons of Coad
2 " " Cat meal	200 Boxes of Soap
8500 Dubs of milk	70 lbs of Coad
8 lbs of Tea	112 " Soap
60 " Sugar	11 " Starch
4 " Soft Sugar	28 " washing soda
30 " Pepper	1/2 " B. Blue
6 Bottles of Paper	8 " Mould Coad
4 Quarts whisky	2000 " white bread
4 Bottles of wine	16000 " Brown bread
210 lb of meat	560 " Salt

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 29
 day of Dec; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure
 in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	- 2. 1
In kind,	-	-	- 25. 9. 5
Total,	-	-	- 25. 11. 6

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.	E. Lomelly	"	1/2 Tn meal	7. 15. 0	Bt. forward	"	1/2 Tn	11. 12. 6	
No. II.	P. Pettit	"	1/2 "	3. 17. 6	No. X.	Crauer	"	1 " 8. 23. 6	
No. III.	M. Gifford	"	"	"	No. XI.	J. Morris	"	" " "	
No. IV.	M. Ward	"	"	"	No. XII.	Cullen	"	1/2 " 4. 1. 9	
No. V.	Blauar	"	"	"	No. XIII.	Kerin	"	" " "	
No. VI.	R. Auld	"	"	"	No. XIV.	J. Ryan	"	" " "	
No. VII.	Thomas	"	"	"	No. XV.		"	" " "	
No. VIII.	D. P. Jones	"	"	"	No. XVI.		"	" " "	
No. IX.	L. Morris	"	"	"	No. XVII.		"	" " "	
Car. forwd.		"	1/2 "	11. 12. 6	TOTAL,		"	3 " 23. 17. 9	

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.
Grady (Clerk) payment of Bills	5	11	4 ✓

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

2. Establishment Account.

The Agent Sea fire Office Deposit on premium of insurance for Workhouse and its auxiliaries	12	"	" ✓
The Agent Imperial office Deposit on premium of insurance for Workhouse and its auxiliaries	12	"	" ✓
Grady (Clerk) payment of Bills	11	12	" ✓
Grady (Clerk) payment of Tradesmen's Bills	6	5	10 ✓

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Elwood Meat	8	2	6 ✓
McCallahan Beef	11	5	7 ✓
James Sullivan Beef	3	3	1 ✓

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Law, General Election &c of Mr. Piffin Law Costs on Mr. Melbians case	2	10	" ✓
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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 visiting Committee reported that the house was in good order and recommended that 3 ladders should be made for the auxiliary houses.

Ordered, That the flock of work, do have them made and sent to the auxiliary houses.

Master reported that the matron appointed for Inyculen auxiliary workhouse refused to act for the salary offered her, and that at the suggestion of the Inspector he sent Miss Connor asst. School mistress to take charge of the establishment - approved of.

Reported that Biddy Shaupness (pauper) in charge of the children sent from Westhouse was not willing to take good care of them without some remuneration -

Ordered, That she be cautioned that if she does not pay proper attention to the children she will be put to the coarsest work in the house -

Reported that 2 pauper women named Scunnie and Sullivan with their children were in the Workhouse while their husbands were outside and at work.

Ordered, That they be discharged - Reported that 2 female paupers absconded from the Merchants Road house and took with them 11 shifts.

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows: that they were taken up and brought to the Workhouse and committed for trial.

Ordered, That the Matron at Merchants Road be cautioned to count the Paupers each night as they pass to their dormitories -

Required, 1 dozen sweeping brushes, 1 dozen scrubbing brushes and 1 dozen white wash brushes. Ordered -

Reported that straw is much required and it cannot be had at the market. The Clerk stated that he would request the Relieving Officers to look out for some straw -

The medical officer reported that the clothes of the Boys at Dayman is extremely bad that the paupers at Merchants Road suffer extremely from cold, and requested that fires be allowed to them -

Referred to the Visiting Committee with the view of the stoves in the house being fitted up in the places they are required -

The Medical officer recommended that more day room accommodation be provided in the Workhouse - (See Resolution as to accommodation)

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

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 27 Dec 1849 No. 757/49 requesting to be furnished with a Return shewing the number of Settlements in this Union at different amounts on 1st January 1846 & 1850, distinguishing those that may belong to different Counties or Parliamentary Boroughs.

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 28 Dec 49 No. 757/49 forwarding amended forms for weekly Abstract of Collection, to be commenced in the 1st week in the new year.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 29 Dec 49 No. 757/49 directing the Clerk to forward the weekly abstract of collection to the Commissioners through the Inspector 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 letter 29 Dec. acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter of 25 Inst. requesting of the Commissioners to authorize Mr. Hall P.S.I. to investigate the amount of Rate received by Mr. Fullinave late Collector for which he neither accounted for or passed proper receipts to the parties, and stating that the usual course in such cases is for the succeeding collector to make a note of any such cases, but not objecting to Mr. Hall making enquiry as far as practicable.

Poor Law Commissioners circular 31 Dec 49 No. 765/49 requesting to be furnished by the 5 January with a Return shewing the total Judgements since 8 to 29 Dec inclusive on account of Rates in Aid, in respect of Rates made in the Union since the receipt by the Guardians of the Order of 13 June providing for a general Rate in Aid, and of the amount paid over to the Bank of Ireland to the general Rate in Aid account.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 2 Jan 1850 No. 774/50 forwarding copy of a letter addressed to them by Mr. John Connor late Relieving Officer relative to the accusation brought against him of misapplying the property of the Union, and a copy of the Commissioners reply.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 2 Jan 1850 No. 67/50 acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter of 30 Ultimo relative to certain alterations proposed to be made in Dangan auxiliary Workhouse, and expressing their approval of same.

Ordered, That an advertisement be inserted in the following papers for the works, tenders to be received on the 18 January -

Poor Law Commissioners letter 3 Jan 1850 forwarding Queries to be answered and signed by the persons who may be appointed Master of Merchants Road House.

Circular from the Commissioners 2 Jan 1850 requesting to be furnished with a Return of the current Rates &c.

Letter from the Commissioners 3 Jan 1850 relative to the sums retained by Messrs. Cross, Gill and J. O'Brien and requesting that the Commissioners order of 5 June 1846, which requires at least a weekly Logement may be complied with.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 3 Jan 1850 enclosing a copy of a letter addressed to the Rev. V. Daly, as to his salary, and stating that the former arrangement come to by the Commissioners of giving £70 a year to the Rev. gentleman for attending to the spiritual wants of the principal house and west house, and conditioned on the performance of one mass at the Workhouse, and £30 a year for attending to the spiritual wants of Dangan and conditioned on his performing one mass there a £15 a year if the children had to go to Bushy Park Chapel.

Read Letter from the Commissioners 3 January 1850 No. 787/50 relative to the reductions made in the officers Salaries and stating the services of the Protestant Chaplain should be continued and requesting the Guardians to reconsider the reductions proposed of the Salaries of the Master Matron, ass. Master, ass. Matron, Hospital Nurse, Agriculturist & Master of Dangan, and Matron of Merchants Road the total saving in which would be only £65 a year, and requesting the Board to reconsider the Salaries of the School Master, School Mistress and Apothecary.

Resolved, That having maturely considered 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).

considered the circumstances of the Union, and the present low prices of Provisions we are still of opinion that the salaries as proposed by this Board for the services of Officers are quite sufficient for the efficient discharge of the duties of their several offices, except the salary of the Master and Agriculturist at Dangan which we are of opinion should be raised to £35 a year, and the Matron at Merchants Road to £15 a year as she was removed from Dangan without any fault being alleged against her and the salary there being fixed at £15 a year -

Mr. Kirwan on the part of the visiting Committee having recommended that an overseer and wardman be appointed.

Resolved, that we advertise for an overseer of works at 10/- a week, and wardman at £10 a year with rations and apartments, Mr. Kirwan proposed and Mr. Fenford seconded, that the Board do reconsider the reductions made in the Officers Salaries on a division Mr. Kirwan's amendment was lost by a majority of 9 -

Letter from the agent sun fire Office requesting payment of the premium due at Christmas next.

The Board having considered that the Building was not sufficiently insured, and that as some alterations took place it would be necessary to have the Building insured anew as also the auxiliary House, and referred to the arrangement proposed by the Office guardians on the 27 July last as to the increased insurance -

Mr. Summerville one of the guardians and agent to the Imperial Office suggested that a cheque for £12 would be drawn for each of the Sun and Imperial Offices as a deposit until the new policies would be perfected and the Board accordingly filled cheques for £12 each -

The Board also agreed to insure the

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

principal Workhouse and furniture &c for £12000 instead of £10000 as heretofore £6000 in each Office, and gave Mr. Summerville directions accordingly who promised to communicate same to the agent of the sun fire office -

Read letter from Mr. Giffin solicitor informing the guardians that he will follow up the proceedings in Mr. Milliers case for the recovery of his costs.

The Board having consulted Mr. Blakeney the solicitor made an order for payment of £210.0 to Mr. Giffin -

Read letter from guardians Southtown Union forwarding copy of Resolution relative to the well management of the affairs of that Union -

Read letter from Mr. Smith stating that Mr. O'Brien collector for Shadball insisted upon being paid Rates on a value of £300. £98 of which he got struck off the Book by the assistant Barister, £300 being brought forward instead of £202 and requesting that the amount overpaid by him in consequence may be lodged to his credit in the Provincial Bank -

Consideration deferred till next Board day -

Read letter from Mr. Rice relative to his salary as Revisor and requesting some on account

Referred to the finance Committee -

Resolved, that Mr. James Martin be declared contractor for supplying the several Poor Depots with of the Union with any quantity of the following that may be required till the 25 March next -

- Best yellow Indian Meal @ £8.3.6 a Ton
- " Barley Meal ——— 7.18.0 "
- " Rye Meal ——— 7.5.0 "

The Returns called for from the Collectors of Immediate Lessors now in arrear of their Rates having been laid before the Board,

Resolved, that the Clerk do hand to our Solicitor a list of all such Parties as appear to owe £20 and upwards with instructions for him to apply for payment and to report to this Board on this day fortnight the Result of such applications in order that legal proceedings may therefore be directed against all who continue defaulters.

The Clerk laid before the Board the list of Candidates duly nominated for the office of guardian in the vacant divisions and wards to act until 25 March 18

Mr. Hall having referred to the mal-in hands of the Relieving Officers now in the new Union of Coughter and Resolved, that it be disposed of to the Coughter and Board of Guardians, and that Mr. Hall be requested to do so.

The Inspector having referred to the assistance afforded the collector for Outward by Mr. Dopping R. M. and stated that in consequence of Mr. Dopping's other duties he was not able to give him that assistance that he would require.

Resolved, that our Chairman be requested to apply to the Government to authorize Mr. Fitzerald R. M. to extend his services to the Outward Division as well as to the Moycullen and Killamin Electoral Divisions.

Mr. Killkelly of Drinacoy came before the Board and preferred charges against Mr. Jones Collector for Moycullen, The Board would not investigate the

complaints if Mr. Killkelly did not guarantee that no proceedings would be taken against the collector and after some discussion Mr. Killkelly stated that being assured by the Board that the complainants should not suffer in any way no other proceedings would be taken.

The Board then fixed Monday the 14 Inst at 12 o'clock to investigate the complaints against Mr. Jones and requested Mr. Killkelly as well as all others that they should furnish Mr. Jones with copies of the charges so that he may be able to have such evidence as he could.

Mr. Killkelly agreed to do so and stated that he would give notice to the other parties to do the same.

The consideration of the Salaries of the Relieving Officers and the Ratings of the Workhouse Officers was deferred till next Friday.

The Board opened applications for the office of assistant Master for Merchants Road and none of the Candidates who appeared being competent a second advertisement was ordered to be inserted.

It having been observed by the Inspector Mr. Hall that the clerk would require an assistant until the new arrangement of the Union would be completed as his duties would be very heavy until that time,

Resolved, that the assistant clerk be continued at his former Salary until the 25 March.

Resolved, that on Wednesday the 9 Inst be commenced the allocation of the Paupers for the falling electoral Division, and that the Relieving Officers and Guardians of the town do get notice, and that all the paupers in the auxiliary houses for falling be in attendance at the hour of 11 o'clock.

Proposed by Nicholas Lynch and seconded by Mr. Pirwan. Resolved, that in the allocation of the

paupers to the several Electoral Divisions of the County being completed by the guardians a list thereof shall be published and posted in each Electoral Division when any guardian or rate payer may complain of any misallocation of Paupers within the same such list being published and where objections are not made within that time to the clerk of the Union the decision of the guardians to be final as regards such allocation -

Mr. Hall called the attention of the guardians to the necessity of increasing the accommodation by taking more auxiliary houses or by adding to the existing permanent Buildings and recommended the latter as the most advisable

The Chairman observed, that £25 or £30 additional accommodation could be provided for 150 inmates of that class.

The Board agreed to the expenditure of a sum not exceeding £50 at Moycullen in making such additions at Moycullen as Mr. Hall would point out most advisable, and the clerk of works was directed to proceed with any works Mr. Hall may point out to him (See Resolution as to increased accommodation at Dangan)

The Chairman read letter from the Commissioners stating that a sealed order would be issued in a day appointing Mr. Hall as assistant guardian -

Mr. Burke recommended that as soon as the new auxiliary houses be ready, the medical officer be requested to state to the Board the number that same will accommodate

Ordered, that the clerk request Dr. Brown to do so

Read Letter from Messrs Martin and sons offering to reduce the price of the peize a penny a yard -

Ordered, that the master do at once proceed to make up the peize into men and boys jackets

Resolved, that John Browne who was employed at Moycullen do remain there for the present -

Next Meeting to be held on Friday 11 Jan, 1850

A. C. Flaherty

191 January UNION.
 Population in 1841, Present Net Annual Value,
 STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 5 day of January 1850.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Children under 2 years.	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.			In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates.
Workhouse,	1020														
Temporary Buildings,	315														
Additional Workhouse,	1350														
Permanent Fever Hospital,	300														
Fever Sheds,															
Total,	2555														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			32	87	507	477	114	21	37			330	278		
Admitted during the Week,			1	7	35	52	26	19	13	2	8		163		
TOTAL,			33	94	542	1029	140	30	45			342	278		
Discharged during the Week,			1	3	17	34	21	7	6	2			111		
Died,			1		3	4	3		3	1			16		
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	3	20	38	23	21	10	3			127		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			31	91	522	1029	140	30	42				334		

Fever 24
 Deputes 110
 Italicated 144
 Total 278

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5 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.	124	243	"	"	124	243	Bt. forward	340	790	"	"	340	790
No. II.	92	248	"	"	92	248	No. X.	7	21	"	"	7	21
No. III.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XI.	8	23	"	"	8	23
No. IV.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XII.	3	7	"	"	3	7
No. V.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XIII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VI.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XIV.	2	5	"	"	2	5
No. VII.	44	98	"	"	44	98	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	54	131	"	"	54	131	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	26	70	"	"	26	70	No. XVII.						
Car. forward	340	790	"	"	340	790	TOTAL,	360	846	"	"	360	846

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 11 day of January 1850

PRESENT: In the Chair, *A. C. Flaherty Esq. M.P.*
 Other Guardians:
R. E. L. Hay *John Harrison* *R. N. Lunn*
Martin Innes *John Redington* *Thomas Pitt*
John Ireland *James Roberts* *A. R. Mullins*
R. A. H. Kirwan *Thomas Palmer* *John Hall* Ass. Guardian & Secy

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 8882 to No. 9044, 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. 31570 to No. 31570, 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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 That he advertised for an Overseer and Wardman and renewed the advertisement for the assistant master, that he advertised for the works at Dougan, that he furnished the Solicitor with the Return of Immediate Lessors owing £20 and upwards, that he requested the Relieving Officers of the Union to attend at the allocation of the Paupers, and 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, - £488. 8/11

Paid during the week, - £626. 5/8

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £398. 15/4

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.
Samuel Croft	Galway No. 1	134	8	0	335	15	0
do	Aran	"	"	"	548	2	"
		134	8	0	883	17	0
Edward Conidine	Galway No. 2	116	8	6	2803	15	0
Jonathan Jones	Moycullen	"	"	"	1342	16	7
Terence O'Brien	Killanin	58	10	0	2491	17	3
John Fee	Cuyhterard	6	2	6	1582	5	6
Richard Kelly	Amadown	60	2	6	970	3	6
do	Clareferry	37	17	6	381	12	8
		98	"	"	1351	16	2
Charles O'Brien	Lackagh	"	"	"	538	18	1
do	Athenry	"	"	"	493	1	6
		"	"	"	1031	19	7
James O'Brien	Oranmore	16	6	11	796	11	2
do	Ballinacorney	56	9	6	692	6	5
do	Shadball	2	3	6	228	6	1
		74	19	11	1717	3	7
					488	8	11
					1622	14	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.

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 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 thereon 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 £ 211. 0 s. 11 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	211	0	11
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	172	4	0
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	172	4	0
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	1	0
Average cost in Infirmary,	0	1	7
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	0	1	7

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

2000 lbs of white bread	70 lbs of Candles
16000 " " brown do	102 " " Soap
4 qrs of Indian meal	4 " " Starch
8000 gals of milk	28 " " washin soda
560 lbs of Salt	1/2 " " B. Blue
8 " " Yeast	8 " " Mould
60 " " Sugar	4 " " Pearl
4 " " Soft Sugar	6 qrs of Coals
30 " " Pepper	200 Boxes 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 5 day of January whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	0	5	3 1/2
In kind,	16	10	6

Total, - 16. 15. 9 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.
No. I.	E. Connell	"	"	"	Bt. forward	"	12/53	12. 5. 3	
No. II.	P. Pettit	"	1/2 qr meal	8. 3. 6	No. X.	J. Jones	"	"	
No. III.	G. Griffin	"	"	"	No. XI.	"	"	"	
No. IV.	D. Dwyer	"	"	"	No. XII.	"	"	"	
No. V.	W. Ward	"	"	"	No. XIII.	"	"	"	
No. VI.	C. Crean	"	"	"	No. XIV.	"	"	"	
No. VII.	J. Murphy	"	1/2 "	4. 1. 9	No. XV.	"	"	"	
No. VIII.	L. Lullen	"	"	"	No. XVI.	"	"	"	
No. IX.	M. Martin	"	"	"	No. XVII.	"	"	"	
Car. forwd.		"	1/2 "	12. 5. 3	TOTAL,	"	12/53	12. 5. 3	

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. Morris Leather &c.	5	16	8	✓
M. Hall weaver	1	1	6	✓
To pay (Clerk) purchase of Shear	5	"	"	✓

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

2. Establishment Account.

M. Harte wages as Sanitary Officer	3	"	"	✓
To pay (Clerk) payment of small bills	16	2	"	✓
M. Green tins	3	16	2	✓
To pay (Clerk) payment of Tradesmen Bills	25	19	5	✓
Rev. M. Ayer 3p in the £	1	17	6	✓
Rev. J. Dal 8p in the £	4	4	"	✓

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

J. M. Perse flour &c.	74	16	"	✓
J. Oliver Bread	78	2	6	✓
J. Small Milk	101	16	5	✓
H. Stelli Groceries	12	16	"	✓
J. Hyam &c Coals	24	7	6	✓
M. Maller Inf	20	"	"	✓
H. Hattle Soap & candles &c.	12	4	10	✓
J. Spang (Clerk) payment of fuel	3	2	3	✓

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

J. M. Perse Ind. meal	46	10	"	✓
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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 Visiting Committee reported that the sheds were nearly erected at Dangan and West House, and that the hot plates were erected—

The Master referred to a former Report of his as to night watchmen and recommended that 2 paupers named John Leury and Patrick Kelly would be employed as such—approved of—

That a pauper named Thomas Leoney who absconded from the Workhouse on the 29 Dec last with a full suit of clothes, and a pair of shoes returned on last night with the suit of clothes minus the shoes—Ordered. To be prosecuted—

The Master required the following, 2 paint pots, 2 strabots Saddle, and 2 milk tubs with milk measures, 300 pint tins, 300 large tins, 3000 nails, and 2 dozen tips with nails—Ordered.

The Medical Officer reported that all the Boys in the front yard shed are in their own clothes, and in a most filthy state, and that the smell arising therefrom is most dangerous—

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows: The Master reported that the clothing materials were being worked up as quick as possible—

The Medical Officer again called the Board's attention to the necessity of more fire in the several Day Rooms—

Hospital report week ending 11 January 1850—

Men	54
women	54
Children	151
	<u>259</u>
admitted during week	43
Discharged do	41
Died do	17

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

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

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 7 January 1850 forwarding queries to be answered and signed by the person who may be appointed Valuator of the Union -

Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 9 January 1850 sanctioning the taking of Mr. Perse's store as an auxiliary Workhouse -

Letter from the National Education Office with extracts from the District Inspector's Reports relative to the progress made in the Schools -

Read letter from the Agent of the Sun fire Office stating that before he could give a receipt for the £12 Deposit he should communicate with the Directors -

Mr. Hemmerville said he would wait on Mr. Wild as to the Deposit and he was sure he would have no objection to give the receipt -

Read letter from Pat Koney requesting the Balance due him viz £38.0 to be transferred to James Hogan's Credit -
Ordered to be done -

Read letter from Mrs. Lambert (late Matron) requesting that £4.00 of her Salary be transferred to James Hyam & Co. Ordered to be done -

Read letter from Mr. Connelly Relieving Officer for the East, informing the Board that 2 families were evicted from their dwellings on the lands of Ballbriff and Rospeahill by Mr. J. D. Cummins without any notice being served on him, the persons evicted are now inmates of the Workhouse -

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Ordered that the Clerk do write to Mr. J. D. Cummins and request his explanation previous to proceedings being commenced -

The Agriculturist at Dangan laid before the Board a circular which he received from the National Board with a model farm account Book and requesting to be furnished with an exact valuation of the live stock, implements &c. at Dangan farm -

Ordered that Mr. Perwan and Mr. Redington do make the valuation -

The Finance Committee recommended that a substitute should be given to the inmates instead of new milk the latter being expensive -

The Board having consulted the Medical Officer and with his consent Ordered that Cocoa be substituted to all the able-bodied adults and to the following classes viz -

Children from 9 to 15 years,

Children from 5 to 9 years, the allowance to be half pint to each person and the Cocoa to be used with the strabout instead of new milk -

The Board having considered the Commissioners letter relative to the Salaries of the Relieving Officers when it was

Resolved, that the Salaries be fixed for the Relieving Officers do remain so until the new arrangement of the Union and Electoral Divisions takes place when it will be necessary for the Board to take the Relieving Officers Salaries generally into consideration -

The Visiting Committee recommended the following scale of Rations for the Officers, viz

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).

Officer	Wages	Expenses	Profits	Losses	Net	Officer	Wages	Expenses	Profits	Losses	Net
Master Smith	17	1	4	1	"	School Master	12	1	4	1	"
Matron "	10	1	4	1	"	Asst. do	12	1	4	1	"
Asst. Master "	12	3	4	"	3	Master M. P.	12	1	4	1	"
Asst. Matron "	10	1	3	4	1	Matron do	10	1	4	1	"
Porter "	12	3	3	"	3	School Mistresses	10	1	4	1	"
Wardsmen "	12	3	3	"	3	Matron M. P.	10	1	4	1	"
Nurse "	10	1	4	4	1						
Matron Taylor	12	1	5	4	1						
Matron "	10	1	4	4	1						

The above Dictary for the Officers was adopted by the Board

The Master reported that a man & Dennis Small Pauper had a sum of \$126 in his possession, the pauper and his family are in the house for some time.

Ordered, that it be lodged with Treasurer to the credit of Salway Electoral Division.

The clerk requested the Board to put the appointment of Miss Connor on the minutes, as Matron of the Moycullen auxiliary Workhouse if she were to remain there.

Resolved, that Miss Connor be appointed Matron of the Moycullen auxiliary Workhouse at a Salary of £12 a year with Rations and apartments.

It having been observed that the new auxiliary Workhouse at Merchants Road would be ready for the reception of paupers on Wednesday next.

Resolved, that Mrs. P. Dennis lately head nurse of the Moycullen General Fever Hospital be appointed Matron of the new auxiliary Workhouse at Merchants Road at a Salary of £12 with Rations and apartments.

M. Summerville and Mr. Browne withdrew their notices of Motion respecting the Protestant and Roman Catholics on the grounds that the appointments appear to be rested in the Commissioners and with whose arrangements they are quite satisfied (this notice was omitted on last minute).

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

It was moved by Mr. Sherman and seconded unanimously, that Mr. Hall having been appointed an assistant guardian of this Union he be requested by the Board to act on all committees on which his services will be most valuable.

The Chairman having referred to the Finance Committee a letter which he received from Mr. Macdonald relative to his claim against the Union, and the Finance Committee directed that the Clerk do furnish Mr. Macdonald with a copy of the minutes of the Vice Guardians when they paid Mr. Macdonald £50 as a discharge for his whole claim.

The Committee appointed to enquire and report on the Balances in hands of the Relieving Officers recommended to the Board that the following allowances should be made to the Relieving Officers, which in the opinion of the Committee they had fairly accounted for as will appear by the report of the Finance Committee and the Board therefore

Resolved, that the accounts so allowed to the Relieving Officers having been expended in the Electoral Divisions for which they were then acting though not passed into their accounts until now the same be charged against such Electoral Divisions respectively and added to the Balances appearing due of said Divisions in the Ledger on the 8 Oct.

Mr. John Gormley (Cuteen South) total deficiency £71 9 0
allowance to be made 68 14 1
deficiency to be accounted for by him £2 14 11

Debit Cughteas Electoral Division and credit Relieving Officer with the above sum of £68 14 1—
Mr. Thomas Murphy (Killaquin West) total deficiency £46 2 10
allowance to be made 32 18 4
deficiency to be accounted for by him £11 4 6
Debit Killaquin Electoral Division and credit Relieving Officer with the above sum of £32 18 4—

Mr. Martin Griffin (Kilkenny North and Moygladra North)
 total deficiency £234. 2. 4
 allowance to be made 234. 2. 4
 deficiency to be accounted for by himself

Debit the Moygladra Electoral Division with its
 proportion of the above sum of £234. 2. 4 - viz)
 £139.0.0. and Kilkenny with £95.2.4 and credit the Relieving
 Officer with same -

Mr. James Morris (Clarefalway) total deficiency £82.0.0
 allowance to be made 68.10.0
 deficiency to be accounted for by him £13.10.0

Debit Clarefalway Electoral Division and credit Relieving
 Officer with the above sum of £68.10.0 -

The Board after having given the
 report their full consideration adopted it and
 it was Ordered, that the above allowances be
 made to the Relieving Officers in the accounts -

Dr. Ruyhaue made an application to the Board
 for £90.0 for his attendance on Mr. Jones, collector
 of Poor Rates for Moygladra while sick from
 injuries received by him in the Discharge of his

The Board without binding themselves to
 any sum, directed the Clerk to write to the
 Commissioners to know could such sum be charged
 to the Electoral Division of Moygladra in
 which the collector received the injuries while
 collecting the Rates -

A. W. Flaherty

At an adjourned meeting of the Board held on
 Monday the 14 January 1850.

Present. In the Chair A. O. Flaherty Esq. Mr.
 Martin Morris. Mr. Redington, Mr. Harrison
 Henry Comerford. R. R. Lummerville, Mr. Blakney
 Richard Kerwan, Nicholas Hillian, Thomas Palmer
 James Browne, Thomas Fitzgerald, Hall Esq. J. P. S.

Mr. Hill Kelly of Drumcong with Mr. Donnellan as his attorney
 appeared at the Board and preferred complaints against
 Mr. Jones, the collector for Moygladra - Previous to the
 enquiry being commenced Mr. Blakney as Solicitor for the
 collector requested that the complainants should by
 their attorneys promise to be bound to the decision
 which may be come to by the Board - Mr. Donnellan on
 the part of his clients made the promise required
 and the Board proceeded to investigate the several
 complaints - and after a very patient enquiry
 which lasted from half past 12 o'clock to half
 past 5 o'clock came to the following Resolution -

Resolved, that taking into consideration the
 great obstructions that have been placed in the
 way of Mr. Jones in the collection of the Poor Rates
 in the Moygladra Division, and taking into
 consideration the fact of the villagers of Agherty
 or Oldtown took steps to evade and oppose him
 in said collection, the Board are of opinion that
 Mr. Jones has not exceeded his power, and that
 he has not in the distrainments made by him
 acted illegally in the collection of the Rates -

The Board adjourned the investigation of the
 complaints made by James Walsh and William
 M. Donogh until Friday morning next -

Mr. Hall referred to the repeated reports of the
 medical Officer and visiting Committee as to

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 the want of Day room accommodation and submitted an estimate for the erection of two sheds (timber) in the mens and womens yards for the purpose of Day-rooms or Work-rooms the expense of which would be about £120-

The Board after considering the matter agreed to the expenditure of the sum in the above way it being the more ready way of obtaining Day room accommodation now so much required in the Workhouse, and the Clerk of works was directed to proceed with the works at once.

The Clerk was directed to write to the Commissioners requesting their approval of same.

The Board directed the Clerk of works to erect the second part of the timber shed lately removed from the Workhouse grounds at Dangan with the least possible delay.

Next meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 18 January

W. H. H. H.

207 Saturday UNION.
 Population in 1841, Present Net Annual Value,
 STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12 day of January 1846.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Children under 2 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.		
Workhouse,	1000																
Temporary Buildings,	345																
Additional Workhouse,	1350																
Permanent Fever Hospital,																	
Fever Sheds,	300																
Total, 3145	2995																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			31	91	522	1091	102	112	116	116	42	"	"	3345	In Workhouse Hospital, 254	In separate Wards, 7	
Admitted during the Week,			9	4	59	115	67	41	17	10	11	"	"	333	In Fever Hospital, "	In Wards with other inmates, "	
TOTAL,			40	95	581	1206	169	153	126	53	"	"	"	3678	Total, 254	Total, 7	
Discharged during the Week,				2	23	29	18	9	3	3	4	"	"	91			
Died,				2	5	17	"	2	2	"	"	"	"	19			
Total Discharged and Dead,				4	28	30	25	9	5	5	4	"	"	110			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			40	91	553	1176	167	144	119	49	"	"	"	3568			

Turn 40
 Carpenter 100
 Other cases 114
 Total 254

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12 day of January authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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No. I.	116	233	"	"	116	233	Bt. forward						
No. II.	96	257	"	"	96	257	No. X.	30	85	"	"	30	85
No. III.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XI.	14	46	"	"	14	46
No. IV.	5	21	"	"	5	21	No. XII.	9	29	"	"	9	29
No. V.	9	28	"	"	9	28	No. XIII.	3	7	"	"	3	7
No. VI.	5	15	"	"	5	15	No. XIV.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VII.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	48	108	"	"	48	108	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	53	128	"	"	53	128	No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,	388	957	"	"	388	957

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 18 day of January 1846

PRESENT: In the Chair, Anthony O'Flaherty, Esq. M.P.
 Other Guardians: Mr. Hummer, Mr. Redington, Mr. Costello, J. Browne, Mr. Mauchly, A. Killian, J. Palmer, J. Blake, R. H. N. Kirwan, W. Courtyard, J. Delaney, E. E. Mansell, R. E. L. Atty, Mr. Murray, H. Sullivan, G. C. Burke, J. Blake, M. Morris, J. Fleming, A. R. Mullins, C. Blake, M. P. Browne, J. E. Burke, J. Connors, A. Lynch, J. Harrison, R. Kearny, B. O'Flaherty, J. H. Butler, John Hill Esq. P. S. J. & Ass. Guardian.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 9045 to No. 9377 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. 31565 to No. 31610, 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:

Journal of January
Reverend Sessions

Dr Donnellan as attorney
for the wealthy merchants
~~as not having been~~
engaged at the previous
Sessions sent the

Club Met Club in
Court House and stated
that the case should be
referred to some other
day as he could not
attend. and stated that
he would send up his
Club Carey to request an
adjournment - he said
his name and the Board
consequently did not go into
the investigation on that
day

That he communicated with Mr. J. Cummins as to evictions, that he communicated with the Commissioners as to cocoa, that he communicated with Mr. McDonnell as to his claim, that he communicated with the Commissioners as to Doctor Kephaua that he wrote to the Commissioners as to the erection of the sheds and 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, - £475.15.4

Paid during the week, - £276.4.11

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of Guardians was - £199.1.3

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.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Sam. Cross	Galway No. 1	75	"	3	3232	157	
do	Arran	"	"	"	548	2	
		75	"	3	3383	177	
Ed. Consideine	Galway No. 2	99	13	6	2704	46	
Wm. Innes	Maycullen	80	8	6	1262	8	1
Ter. O'Brien	Millamin	45	3	6	2440	13	9
John Hill	Auterard	23	"	"	1559	5	6
R. Kelly	Amadown	27	13	4	942	10	2
do	Claregalway	11	9	9	370	2	1/2
		39	3	1	1312	13	1/2
C. O'Bryan	Lackagh	56	15	1	482	3	0
do	Atheung	45	8	"	2447	13	4
		102	3	3	929	16	4
J. O'Bryan	Crumore	17	8	11	779	2	3
do	Ballinacree	9	16	2	682	10	1/2
do	Stadball	"	"	"	228	6	1
		27	5	1	1689	18	1/2
	Total	491	17	2	21573	17	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 £ 100 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 £ 153 1 s. 1 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	183	1	1
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	186	2	1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	186	2	1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	1	0
Average cost in Infirmary,	0	1	8
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:

2000 lb of white bread	2 bottles of Port wine
12000 " " brown do	4 " " Malaga "
2 Tons of Ind meal	5 Tons of Coals
1 " " oat meal	2000 Boxes of Soap
7500 lbs of milk	70 lb of Candles
560 lb of salt	4 " " Starch
190 " " meat	28 " " washing soda
60 " " Sugar	1/2 " " B. Blue
8 1/2 " " Tea	8 " " Snow Candles
30 " " pepper	14 " " Snow
6 bottles of Porter	14 " " root
2 lbs of whiskey	

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 12 day of July; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	0	14	0
In kind,	18	3	9
Total,	18	17	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.
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
No. I.	Cornell	"	"	"	Bt. forward				
No. II.	Petit	"	1/2	Ton	4.1.9	No. X.	Joyce		
No. III.	Jiffin	"	"	"		No. XI.			
No. IV.	D. Argy	"	"	"		No. XII.			
No. V.	Hard	"	"	"		No. XIII.			
No. VI.	Creaven	"	"	"		No. XIV.			
No. VII.	Morris	"	1/4	"	2.0.10	No. XV.			
No. VIII.	Cullen	"	1/2	"	4.1.9	No. XVI.			
No. IX.	Herin	"	"	"		No. XVII.			
Car. forwd.		"	1/4	"	11.4.1/2	TOTAL,			

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.

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.

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 visiting committee reported that mass has not been performed at Dangan for several weeks—

The committee observed that it was twice reported to them during the past week that there have been lights discovered in the dormitories at late hours and required the particular attention of the Board to the matter—(see Resolution on minutes—as to night watchmen)

Master reported that the pauper man in the habit of taking provisions to Moycullen auxiliary Workhouse brought from that establishment a man dead. the deceased's name was Pat H. Keedy, and was for a few days in the Moycullen auxiliary Workhouse—An Inquest was held and a verdict was found that he died from want and previous destitution to his admission to the Moycullen auxiliary Workhouse—

Reported that the Police continue to bring persons to the gate for admission—and sometimes in a dying state—

Required the following—1 lb white thread, 4 gross of buttons, 4 lb of black thread, 200 needles, 2 gallons prepared oil, 4 lb lampblack, 4 stone white lead, 1 stone of whiting, 1/2 stone of yellow ochre, 1 cist of glass. Ordered—

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

The Medical Officer reported that fever and Dysentery is now prevalent and a great number with chest affections, he attributes same to the extreme cold before admission to the house—

That the Infirmary Wards are much too crowded,

Requested leave of absence for the Hospital nurse for 4 days—leave granted—

Medical report week ending 18 Jan'y 1850—

Men	52
women	60
Children	146
	<u>258</u>
admitted during week	42
Discharged	46
Died	21

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

Poor Law Commissioners Sealed order of 17 January 1850 appointing Wm Hall Esq. Poor Law Inspector Assistant Guardian in this 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 15 January 1850 advertizing to Return of Union Officers furnished by Clerk and requesting to be informed whether the Guardians had taken steps since the date of the return to put in operation the provisions of the vaccination acts 3rd & 4th Vic. Cap 24 -

Ordered, that this letter be taken into consideration on next Board, and the Commissioners be informed accordingly -

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 16 Jan'y 1850. transmitting a receipt of the Matron of the Emigration Depot for a sum of 874 for outfits supplied to emigrants transmitted from the Galway Union in October last -

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 16 Jan'y 1850. requesting the Clerk to transmit the Return of expenses required by Circular No. 76 of 1849, if not already furnished requesting an explanation from the Clerk as to the cause of the delay -

The Clerk stated that the return had been forwarded -

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 15 Jan'y 1850. advertizing to the summary of the expenditure and receipts for the year ended 29 Sept 1849. and requesting the Clerk to furnish a statement showing in detail the

amount of the several advances included therein and the date of each remittance -

Ordered to be complied with -

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 17 Jan'y 1850. acknowledging receipt of Clerks letter of 13 Inst. transmitting a copy of a Resolution of the Board passed on the 11 Instant - relative to the substitution of cocoa for milk to certain classes, and stating that Inspector Phelin recommends milk to be given once a day to all inmates under 15 years, but not objecting to cocoa being used by the adults, and observing that it is usual to allow some milk and sugar with it -

Ordered, that the necessary arrangements for carrying the orders of the Board into effect to the extent sanctioned by the Poor Law Commissioners -

Read letter from Mr. J. D. Cronin, acknowledging receipt of Clerks letter, and stating that the parties were not convicted by him on the lands of Ball Brit, and that he knows nothing whatever about the matter, but that he will make enquiry about the matter -

At the request of Mr. Donellan Solicitor the Board adjourned to a future day the investigation of the charges brought against Mr. Jones, Collector for Moycullen by Messrs. Mulsh and Mr. Donough -

The Clerk submitted the Report of the Finance Committee for adoption deferred on a former occasion until Mr. Burke would be again a Guardian -

Ordered, that same be adjourned to next Friday -

The Committee appointed to value the stock at Dayles stated they would report on same by next Board day -

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 Clerk produced a certified return of the guardians elected for the vacant Divisions to act till March 1850.

The proposals for the situation of Valuator having been opened and read the 14 being 12 of whom attended and came before the Board viz

- From William O'Brien for £265
- Valentine Browne " 200
- Mr. Gallagher " 250
- Mr. Fitzgerald " 100
- Mr. Connors " 300
- Mr. H. Poole " 300
- J. Shave " 210

The room having been cleared it was,

Resolved, a vote be taken for the seven candidates in attendance, a pile was accordingly taken, and it appearing that none of the candidates had a majority of the guardians present and voting - the candidate who had the least votes was struck off and a division then took place when it appeared that Mr. Thomas Fitzgerald had a majority of the guardians present and voting -

Resolved, that Mr. Thomas Fitzgerald be appointed to revalue the entire property of the Union at a remuneration of £100 same to be completed within five months from this day -

The guardians having opened and read applications for the situation of overseer of works in the Workhouse -

Resolved, that Thomas Quinn be appointed overseer of works in the Workhouse at 10/- a week. the period of attendance to be fixed upon by the visiting Committee

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Proposed by Mr. Ferriand and seconded by Mr. John Deland, Resolved, that James O'Connor be appointed wardmaster of the Workhouse at a Salary of £10 a year with rations and apartments,

The guardians having opened applications for the Office of Best Master for Merchants Road - on a division, Resolved, that John Browne be appointed Master of the Merchants Road auxiliary Workhouse at a Salary of £15 a year with rations and apartments,

The guardians having taken into consideration the fact of Mr. Browne lately at Moycullen auxiliary Workhouse having been appointed Master of Merchants Road auxiliary Workhouse -

Resolved, that Pat. M. Dermott be appointed in his stead at the Salary given to Browne viz 8/- a week, and that Mr. M. Dermott do make an inventory of the furniture &c at Moycullen and take charge of same -

The meeting adjourned to Saturday the 19th Inst -

A. W. Flaherty

At an adjourned meeting of the Board on Saturday the 17 January 1850 -

Present: In the Chair, R. A. A. Kirwan Esq. D.V.C. other guardians, Charles Blake, Martin Morris, Wm Redington, William Cloughy, John Hall Esq. P.S.I. & Asst. Guardian, John Jennings,

The Board having opened tenders for works at Dangan auxiliary Workhouse, and after considering each tender it was

Resolved, that the tender of Martin Swinny for erecting the new Perimeter over the Dining hall in Dangan, according to the specification marked "A" and bearing the signature of said Martin Swinny be accepted amount £85 14. of the same to be completed on the 18 day of February next, payments to be made from time to time as the clerk of works may certify for,

The Board having considered the great numbers now crowding to the Workhouse and the necessity which yet exists for increased accommodation -

Resolved, that the clerk do write to Mr. O'Leary to know from him the lowest rent that Mrs. Suckette's store would be let for -

The Board also ordered that the nurses and infants be transferred to the house at Madera Island which the late Vice guardians took for Cholera purposes and which was never occupied but for the Rent of which the guardians are responsible till the 25 March next -

The Board having consulted Mr. Hall the Auctioneer as to the want of bedding -

Resolved, that an order be filled on Messrs. Martin and Sons for 250 pairs of Blankets according to contract -

It was also ordered, that the sacks and bags at present in the house be converted into Bed ticks and the motion was directed to set a number of women at work at same -

The clerk of works was directed to proceed as speedily as possible with the sheds in the men and women's yards and to remove at once the second part of the timber shed to Dangan and fit up same on that part of the premises which Mr. Hall would point out to him,

The Board having taken into ^{their serious} consideration the recent fires at the Soughra and Killarney Workhouses and the frightful loss of life which attended the latter calamity -

Resolved, that with the view of preventing a similar occurrence at Dangan a night watch for each of the auxiliaries be appointed and one for the original Workhouse - that such persons be allowed to reside in the Workhouse and to get the same rations as the Wardman but no salary or wages -

On the report of the Finance Committee the Board then signed the following cheques -

Clothing Account	
Michl. Hall weaving	£0. 13. 6 ✓
Devinbounely shoes	8. 4. 0 ✓

Debit Clothing account and credit Treasurer with the above -

Establishment Account

Miche Dume Aubofstae	3	5	"	✓
Honell says in full as stockeeper	9	6	"	✓
Micheleen Jins	10	2	"	✓
J. Donnell Salary as wardman	2	13	"	✓
P. Rippingham repairs	3	"	"	✓
Mrs O'Shaughnessy matron	2	9	10	✓
Ed. O'Shaughnessy master	5	14	"	✓
P. Kiel Cropper-work	3	5	"	✓
Clerk Union pay ⁿ of Bills	12	6	"	✓
Clerk Union Admesmen, Bills	16	10	4	✓
J. Burke sp in the pound	4	8	"	✓

Debit Establishment account and credit Treasurer with the above

Outstanding credits Account

W. L. O'Connor R.O. sp in the pound	21	18	"	✓
M. Griffin do do do	14	15	"	✓
J. Morris do do do	6	19	"	✓
J. Murphy do Salary in full	3	8	"	✓
J. Redington Rent	73	"	8	✓
do do do	25	10	"	✓

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 25 January 1850

W. Flaherty

211 Galway UNION.

Population in 1841, Present Net Annual Value,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19 day of January 1850.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Born.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.			Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idlots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,	1000											
Temporary Buildings,	315											
Additional Workhouse,	1320											
Permanent Fever Hospital,	300											
Fever Sheds,												
Total,	3145											
Remaining on previous Saturday, } as per last Return,			40	91	553	117	116	444	175	11	49	
Admitted during the Week,			5	7	50	91	75	35	22	7	5	
TOTAL,			45	98	603	208	191	479	182	18	54	
Discharged during the Week,			2	1	26	54	37	18	1	1	8	
Died,			2	1	2	5	3	3	5	1	2	
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	2	28	59	40	21	11	7	10	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			41	97	575	208	155	354	174	11	44	

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 19 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 not.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	118	219			118	219	Bt. forward						
No. II.	85	206			85	206	No. X.	8	20			8	20
No. III.	"	"			"	"	No. XI.	10	32			10	32
No. IV.	"	"			"	"	No. XII.	8	17			8	17
No. V.	1	2			1	2	No. XIII.	"	"			"	"
No. VI.	2	7			2	7	No. XIV.	3	7			3	7
No. VII.	49	101			49	101	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	52	125			52	125	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	26	60			26	60	No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,	362	796			362	796

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 25 day of January 1850.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Anthony O'Flaherty, Esq. M.P.
Other Guardians: R. E. D. M. Th. G. Blake. W. Morris. J. Ireland, H. Comerford. B. O'Flaherty. A. Rush. R. A. H. Kirwan. A. Ireland. J. Guinness. J. Harrison. J. Blakeley. J. Redington. J. Browne. J. Palmer. H. J. Murray. R. R. Lummerville. A. R. Mullins. W. Claulchy. E. C. Burke. H. Griffin.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4378 to No. 4674, 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. 3111 to No. 3112, 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 Mr. Smalley as to Mr. Antkettles store, 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, - £534 2 2
 Paid during the week, - £115 1 2
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was - £419 1 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:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Sam. Cross do	Falvey No. 1	180	9	4	3102	6	3
	Arran	"	"	"	548	2	"
		180	9	4	3650	8	3
E. D. Consideine do	Falvey No. 2	94	6	"	2609	15	6
	Moycullen	20	17	"	1241	11	1/2
		56	4	9	2390	9	6
J. O'Brien do	Killarney	10	"	"	1549	5	6
	Claregalway	46	13	11	875	16	2
		2	13	0	367	9	11
		49	7	"	263	6	1
E. O'Brien do	Lackagh	10	"	5	472	2	7
	Atheury	81	2	10	366	10	6
		91	3	3	838	13	1
J. O'Brien do do	Oranmore	"	"	"	779	2	3
	Ballinacorney	12	6	4	670	3	9
	Stradbally	19	8	6	208	17	7
		31	14	10	1653	3	8
Total, -		534	2	2	15201	15	5

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 £ 172 1 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 £172 1 s. 0 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	172	1	0
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	191	4	10 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	191	4	10 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	5
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	0	1	8
The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified namely:			
2500 lbs white bread	60	lbs	of Candles
20533 " brown bread	156	"	" Soap
4 Tuns of Barley meal	4	"	" Starch
4 " " Indian meal	4	"	" washing
1 " " Oat meal	14	"	" soda
1/2 " " Salt	1/2	"	" B. Blue
8 1/2 lbs of Tea	8	"	" mould
35 " " Pepper	8	"	" candles
150 " " meat			
4 bottles of wine			
100 cart of coals			
150 boxes 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 10 day of July; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	7 1/2
In kind,	-	-	16 4 4
Total,	-	16	10 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. £ s. d.
No. I.	Comelly	"	1 Tun	8 3 6	Bt. forward				
No. II.	P. Pettit	"	1/2 "	4 1 9	No. X.	Jym	"	"	
No. III.	Jiffen	"	"	"	No. XI.				
No. IV.	O'hey	"	"	"	No. XII.				
No. V.	Hard	"	"	"	No. XIII.				
No. VI.	Creaven	"	1/4 "	2 0 11	No. XIV.				
No. VII.	Morris	"	1/4 "	2 0 11	No. XV.				
No. VIII.	Cullen	"	"	"	No. XVI.				
No. IX.	Herin	"	"	"	No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.		"	3	16 7	TOTAL,		2	16 7 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.
J. O'Farly (Clerk) payment of Bills		4	5	6 ✓

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

2. Establishment Account.		£	s.	d.
Morgan D'Arcy R.O. Quarters Salary		12	10	- ✓
Martin J. J. Salary in 20		8	6	8 ✓
James Morris de Quarters Salary		12	10	- ✓
Matthias J. J. do		12	10	- ✓
John Keen do		12	10	- ✓
Patrick Cullen do		12	10	- ✓
Matthias Creaven do		12	10	- ✓
Edward Connolly do		12	10	- ✓
Peter Pettit do		12	10	- ✓
D. Browne M.O.		32	10	- ✓
D. Richardson Ass't do		12	10	- ✓
Joseph Parker Ass't Clerk do		10	-	- ✓
M. Greenius		4	13	4 ✓
J. O'Farly (Clerk) pay of Tradesmen		39	4	- ✓
Secretaries Station Education Books		6	4	3 ✓
J. O'Farly Clerk pay of Bills		13	13	6 ✓

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.		£	s.	d.
John Oliver Bread		68	4	7 ✓
John Small milk		47	18	4 ✓
Patrick Ryan flour		12	10	- ✓
John Costello groceries		5	-	- ✓
Mrs. Flattly soap, candles, &c		3	1	4 ✓
Martin O'Qually Soap		8	6	8 ✓
Thomas Kyely milk		2	12	3 ✓
John Sullivan Soap		1	8	- ✓
Thomas M. Perse flour &c		67	2	- ✓

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.		£	s.	d.
James Martin Indian meal		24	10	6 ✓
Thomas M. Perse do		11	12	6 ✓
Ther Hospital account				
Mrs. O'Keefe out of Hospital at Moycultra		2	-	- ✓
D. Colohan		8	16	0 ✓
Outstanding credits account				
Mrs. M. O'Keefe in the pound		2	8	- ✓
J. Cronnelly do do		11	14	- ✓
J. Stephens do do		4	3	- ✓
M. Fullinane do do		14	16	- ✓
H. Fullinane do do		10	10	- ✓
D. Colohan do do		8	14	- ✓
C. Leslie & Co do		53	18	- ✓
J. O'Connell do do		5	2	- ✓
J. O'Connell do do		5	2	- ✓
J. O'Connell do do		26	14	- ✓

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 Committee recommended that a Boiler be erected at Merchants Road for washing purposes - Ordered to be done -

Officers Reports -

The Master reported that he was not in a position to commence the cocoa in consequence of not having a sufficient number of boilers. Ordered, that the Clerk do write to the Relieving Officers to send into the Workhouse the boilers at present at the food depots, and that if the parties holding same have claims for rent to bring in bills for same -

The Master required the following, 300 pint tins, 300 dishes, 6 gross of black studs, 5 lbs black thread, 100 needles, 2 dozen small thimbles, 1/2 hide sole leather, 1 snole belly, 2 pieces upper leather, 3 lbs hemp, 3 lbs pitch and resin, 3 lbs windings, 1 gross larding tack, 1 rasp, 4 dozen tips and nails, 6000 sole nails - Ordered -

The Master at Dangan suggested that the mangel should be disposed of as the description of cattle fit for Dangan cannot be procured. Ordered, that they be advertised for sale by the town

Required 3 Tons of straw, 2 Pad locks - Ordered -

The Matron reported that she does not get a proper return out of flour she sends to Merchants Road auxiliary Workhouse. It having been observed that the drawing of water by the paupers afforded them an opportunity of conveying matters from the Workhouse, the expediency of discontinuing same was deferred till next Board day. The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:

The Medical Officer reported that the increase of mortality in the Workhouse was occasioned by the recipients of Relief running their lives against the chance of procuring out Relief by remaining out until nearly the last moment without availing themselves of the Workhouse -

Reported that the second auxiliary Workhouse at Merchants Road would accommodate 300 persons -

Hospital report week ending 25 Jan 1850.

Men	48	admitted during week	47
Women	54	Discharged	35
Children	146	Died	21
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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 of 18 January 1850 No. 27/50 calling the Clerks attention as to providing a sufficient supply of forms for the approaching election and stating that Form "C" will be issued to the Clerk for posting as usual.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 18 January 1850 No. 35/50 acknowledging receipt of Clerks letter relative to the proposed erection of sheds and stating that their approval has been already forwarded to the Inspector of the Union.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 18 January 1850 No. 199/50 advertising to the minutes of proceedings of the guardians on the 7 Inst. relative to retaining the assistant Clerk and expressing their approval of same, and referring to the resolution proposing that a sum not exceeding £50 be expended on the Moycollen auxiliary Workhouse to provide additional accommodation and expressing their approval of same without advertising for contracts and suggesting facilities to be answered by the effect, (or Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 19 Jan 1850 No. 262/50 advertising to minutes of proceedings of the guardians on the 11 Inst. relative to the report of the medical officer as to the want of clothing for the boys in the front yard shed and the want of more fire in the day rooms and stating that the Commissioners think that the medical officer's representation are deserving of careful consideration and expressing their approval of the salary to be given to the matron of Merchants Road auxiliary Workhouse and enclosing queries to be answered by Mrs. McDermott and Miss Fenner who have been appointed matron of the Merchants Road and Moycollen auxiliary Workhouses respectively.

Ordered, That the Commissioners be informed that the guardians are doing every thing in their power to clothe the paupers, 2 paid tailors and 30 pauper tailors being at work every day besides all the females being able to work being kept employed constantly and the guardians have ordered a large supply of blankets from Dublin which will arrive immediately.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 21 Jan 1850 No. 388/50 forwarding a copy of a communication which they received from the Dublin secretary's office relative to the disease of a man named Mich. Keogh in this Union. The Inspector stated that he had a letter from the Commissioners on the subject and that he would hold an enquiry into the fact, at Moycollen on Monday.

Poor Law Commissioners circular 21 Jan 1850 No. 8 m/50 requesting to be furnished informed whether the chaplain and medical officer of the Workhouse attend any of the auxiliary Workhouses, and if so, the number for which accommodation is provided in each auxiliary Workhouse which they do attend.

The Clerk stated that he communicated with the Commissioners on the subject.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 23 Jan 1850 No. 432/50 referring to the minutes of proceedings of the guardians on the 10 Inst. requesting that the services of Mrs. Fitzgerald R.M. may be extended in the assisting of the collection of the Rate, and stating that they have communicated with Government on the subject, but are informed that Mrs. Fitzgerald's health will not permit him to give that assistance at present.

The Chairman also laid before the Board a letter of the same import which he received from the Under Secretary in reply to his communication forwarding the Resolution of the Board on the subject.

The consideration deferred till next Board day.

Read Letter from Mr. DeMulle, St. Dublin appealing for payment of Mr. Rice's Tallowater's demand of £77-5-0 and stating that unless same was immediately paid he will take proceedings for the recovery of it.

Ordered, That it be handed to our Solicitor with the Bills and Mr. Rice's agreement with instructions to him to defend the proceedings.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 24 Jan 1850 No. 379/50 relative to the report of the visiting committee as to the non-performance of Divine service at Dangan auxiliary Workhouse and recommending the guardians to send the boys to Mass to Bushy Park Chapel as Rev. Mr. Daly would not accept the terms offered him.

Ordered that the boys be sent to Bushy Park Chapel accompanied by the Master and one of the Schoolmasters.

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)

Poor Law Commissioners Letter of 24 Feby 1850. No 3913/50 relative to the present Workhouse accommodation and the numbers at present in the several Workhouses, and suggesting to the Guardians to reduce the present numbers by discharging on Outdoors Relief such of them as may be legally relievable under the 1st Sec of the act, unless the arrangement now in progress for increasing the accommodation can be completed in a short time.

Ordered, that the Commissioners be informed that in consequence of the establishment of a second auxiliary Workhouse at Merchant's Road capable of containing 300 inmates and the making use of the late Temporary Fever Hospital at Moycollen as also the house at Madera Island in future as auxiliary Workhouses capable in the aggregate of accommodating 290 inmates they have accommodation at present available for 3585 inmates, and that in consequence of other arrangements which are being made by the erection of sheds at the Workhouse West House, Moycollen and Dawson together with a new Dormitory at the latter place and which will be completed immediately further accommodation will thereby be available for 600 inmates, and that the Guardians are also in treaty for another auxiliary Workhouse, and that when same will be procured the Guardians will have accommodation available for about 4500 or 4600 inmates on the whole.

Read Letter from Mrs. O'Connell on the part of Mrs. Annette offering her ^{services} at £5 a year. It was suggested that an advertisement be inserted for a store, tenders to be considered on next Tuesday.

The Chairman suggested that all the collectors should attend on next Friday with all their Books and vouchers to enable the Board to examine the several books and see what steps have been taken by the collectors for the recovery of the Rate at present outstanding.

Ordered, that ventilators be placed in the roof of the Bakehouse and that the oven be removed, and that each of the adult female paupers employed in the Bakehouse be allowed a pint of milk extra.

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Ordered, that an advertisement be inserted for tenders for the supply of cocoa to the Workhouse till 25 March next.

Read Letter from Mr. Butler of Winterfield House stating that he was applied to by Messrs. Blakeney for Poor rates and asking time of the Guardians for the payment of same.

Ordered, that the Clerk inform Mr. Butler that the accounts having been forwarded to the Solicitor for the recovery of the several sums the Board cannot interfere in the matter.

Read Letter from Mr. Murphy Solicitor applying for payment of Rent due to Mr. Simcocks for Westhouse auxiliary Workhouse.

The Clerk also read Letter from Mr. Fuss P.R.C. stating that a sum of £30 is due by Simcocks for Westhouse.

Mr. Murphy's Letter with Mr. Fuss' were referred to the Finance Committee for their report.

The Letter of the Commissioners deferred on last Board day relative to vaccination having been considered.

Resolved that having taken this letter in consideration and there being no cases of small pox at present in the Union nor has there been to any extent for the last 2 years this Board believe that it is not necessary to put the provisions of the act into operation.

Resolved, that our Solicitor be instructed to institute proceedings with as little delay as possible for the recovery of all outstanding Poor Rates due in this Union.

Read Letter from Mr. Martin Fullinwider requesting that six pounds of his claim be transferred to Mr. Perse Lambert.

Ordered, to be done.

It having been represented to the Board that many persons

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apply for admission to the Workhouse on tickets from
guardians and which the Master is obliged to refuse in
consequence of not coming through the Relieving Officers,
and by order of the local Committee -

Resolved, that the clerk do write to each
member of the Board and inform them that parties cannot
be admitted to the Workhouse unless on Relieving Officers
tickets by order of the local Committee - and that when
they may have occasion to recommend any person for
relief to do so to the Relieving Officers who will bring
their cases before the Board -

The punishment book was examined and punishment
ordered to several paupers -

The Board fixed Wednesday next for the allocation of the
paupers from the Falvey Electoral Division and the
Clerk was directed to give notice of same to all the
guardians -

The Board directed Mrs. Mason to take charge of Madona
Island house which is occupied by the nurses and infants
and the Board resolved, that her salary be taken into
consideration on next Board day with the view of
increasing same,

The Board having taken into consideration the number
of stores at present in the Union and the expediency of
reducing the number -

Resolved, that the Outdoor Depot at Foulahy
is dispensed with and the meal in future be issued at
the Moycullen auxiliary Workhouse. That Michael
Dunn do send in his claim for payment of rent up
to this time -

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That the store for Ballinacourt and
Stradbally be dispensed with and that the paupers
of those divisions do come to Craunmore for their
rations -

That one store be only continued for
Moycullen South and Killamin South districts, that
the local Committee on Monday next at Spiddal
do fix on what store would be most convenient -

That the stores at Clarefahay, Amadown
Lackagh and Athery be dispensed with and that
arrangements be made for establishing a food
depot at Sugh ferze for those Divisions and
that the local Committee at Clarefahay do
make enquiry and report to the Board the store
at Sugh ferze most suitable -

That the commissioners be requested to
approve of the above arrangements -

The subject of the proceedings against the securities
of Martin was introduced and after a good deal
of discussion the further consideration of same
was adjourned to next Friday -

The Inspector reported that agreeably to the request
of the Board he attended at Clarefahay on Wednesday
last for the purpose of investigating the complaint
made against Martin Cullinane late Collector for
receiving money which he did not give credit for
in his books, and that 3 persons came forward
but that the difference between them and Mr.
Cullinane arose from claims which he had for
costs of distresses &c and which were settled in
his presence. He was led to believe that Mr.
Cullinane had previously settled with others who had
claims against him also -

The meeting adjourned to Tuesday next to receive
tenders for the store to be used as an auxiliary
Workhouse -

R. O. Healy

At an adjourned meeting held on Tuesday the
29 January 1850.

Present, in the chair A. A. H. Kirwan &
other guardians, Thomas Palmer, R. R. Summerville
William J. Murray Esq.

Mrs. Ankettles tender for her store at Merchant
Road for £700 year was read.

The Board feeling that as there was
so small an attendance.

Resolved, that the consideration be
deferred to next Friday and that no other tender
be received, and the Board recommended Mrs. Ankettles
offer to be accepted, provided the Board on Friday
should decide upon taking an additional auxiliary
Workhouse.

Next meeting of the Board to be held
on Friday the 1st February 1850.

A. H. Kirby

Population in 1841, 224 Galway UNION.
Present Net Annual Value,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26 day of January 1850.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Born.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.		
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.			In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.			
Workhouse,	145	175											
Temporary Buildings,	1940	1904											
Permanent Fever Hospital,	3												
Fever Sheds,	3												
Total,	3585	3654											
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			41	98	575	1208	37	152	157	12	44	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital, Total, 250	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, Total, 7
Admitted during the Week,			3	5	20	59	38	3	16	4	5		
Total,			44	101	595	1267	75	155	215	49			
Discharged during the Week,				4	42	51	42	28	11	5	3		
Died,			1		5	4	5	2	2		5		
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	4	47	55	47	30	13	5	8		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			43	97	548	1212	37	152	160	41			

Lever 18
Dysentery 61
other cases 171
Total 250

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26 day of January authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 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, but not comprised in Sec. 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.	117	213	"	"	117	213	Bt. forward						
No. II.	87	208	"	"	87	208	No. X.	11	33	"	"	11	33
No. III.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XI.	8	23	"	"	8	23
No. IV.	2	7	"	"	2	7	No. XII.	8	16	"	"	8	16
No. V.	6	16	"	"	6	16	No. XIII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VI.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XIV.	2	5	"	"	2	5
No. VII.	50	110	"	"	50	110	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	53	128	"	"	53	128	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	26	70	"	"	26	70	No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,	370	817	"	"	370	817

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 1 day of February 1850

PRESENT: In the Chair, A. O'Maherty Esq. M.P.
Other Guardians: Martin Morris, John Deland, Henry Conroy, M. Blake, Henry
A. A. H. Kirwan, John Fleming, John Harrison, John Redington,
James Browne, Thomas Palmer, W. J. Murray, R. R. Summerville,
William Clavely, W. Bath, Henry Griffin, J. F. Blake, John Sullivan,
Nicholas Hillian, Nicholas Lynch, E. E. Mansell, Esq.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 985 to No. 985, 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. 31703 to No. 31703, 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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 that he requested the Relieving Officers to send in all Boilers in their Districts, that he communicated with the Commissioners as to the clothing of the Inmates, that he forwarded Mr. Rice's application for his fees to Mr. Blakeley, that he communicated with the Commissioners as to the extent of accommodation, that he advertised for a store, that he requested all the collectors to attend on this day, that he wrote to Mr. Butler as to his rates, that he wrote to the Commissioners as to vaccination, that he wrote to each Guardian as to admission of paupers, that he wrote to each Guardian as to the alleviation of paupers, and that he carried out all the orders of the 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.
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £328 17 6
 Paid during the week, - £442 0 5
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was - £928 4 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.
S. Cross	Galway No. 1	74	12	6	3027	13	9 1/2
do	Arden	"	"	"	548	2	"
		74	12	6	3575	15	9 1/2
Rev. Considine	Galway No. 2	71	16	3	2538	2	3
J. Jones	Moycullen	15	12	7	1225	18	6 1/2
J. O'Brien	Killamin	67	16	"	2322	13	0 1/2
J. J. Lee	Outerard	30	14	"	1578	11	6 1/4
R. Kelly	Amadoun	18	3	6	877	12	8 1/2
do	Claregalway	18	16	9	348	10	2
		37	-	3	1226	5	10 1/2
C. O'Brien	Lackagh	"	"	"	472	2	7 1/2
do	Atheury	"	"	"	366	10	6
		"	"	"	838	13	1 1/2
J. O'Brien	Quamore	14	6	2	764	16	1 1/2
do	Ballinacorney	15	16	6	654	7	3 1/2
do	Strawbally	1	4	"	207	13	7
		31	6	8	1626	17	2 1/2
	Total,	-	328	17 6	14872	17	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 £ 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 £ 195 6 s. 4 1/4 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	195	6	4 1/4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	190	7	9 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	190	7	9 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	-	0 1 0
Average cost in Infirmary,	-	-	0 1 8
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	-	-	0 1 8

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:

2000 lb of white Bread	5 Tons of Coals
3 1/2 Tons of Rye meal	250 Boxes of Soap
3 1/2 " " Barley meal	40 lb of Candles
3 " " Indian Meal	156 " " Soap
1/4 " " Cat meal	4 " " Starch
1437 7/8 quarts of new milk	28 " " washing soda
560 lb of Salt	7 1/2 " " Tea
7 1/2 " " Sea	4 " " Sulfur
4 " " Sulfur	1/2 " " B. Blue
35 " " Pepper	6 " " Mould
140 " " Meat	Candles
1/2 Tons of Pot ash	

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 Abodial 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 June; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	0	5	4
In kind,	-	-	-	16	16	2
Total,	-	-	-	17	1	6

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.	Leomelly	"	"	"	Bt. forward	"	"	1 Ton	8 3 1/2
No. II.	Petit	"	12 Tons	4 19	No. X.	Lynn	"	"	"
No. III.	Giffen	"	"	"	No. XI.	"	"	"	"
No. IV.	D. Treacy	"	"	"	No. XII.	"	"	"	"
No. V.	Ward	"	"	"	No. XIII.	"	"	"	"
No. VI.	Creaner	"	1/4 "	2 0 10	No. XIV.	"	"	"	"
No. VII.	Morrice	"	1/4 "	2 0 10	No. XV.	"	"	"	"
No. VIII.	Cullen	"	"	"	No. XVI.	"	"	"	"
No. IX.	Herin	"	"	"	No. XVII.	"	"	"	"
Car. forwd.		"	1 "	8 3 1/2	TOTAL,		"	1 "	8 3 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.

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

2. Establishment Account.

To pay Clerk payment of Labourers Bills &c	35	"	"
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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.

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: In report from the visiting committee

Officers Reports -

Master reported the late hours at which the men were employed in drawing water to the Merchants Road house -

That Pat Sullivan aged 40 absconded on the 26 Jan'y taking with him a full suit of Union Clothes, and left after being a wife & 3 children -

Ordered, That informations be sworn against him by the Master for Desertion -

Recommended that a number of fishing nets at present made up in the Mithouse be sold -

Ordered to be done -

Master required the following, 6 tin vessels, 1/2 lb Sav, 1 gallon of common lamp oil, 2 lb sulphur - Ordered -

The Master at Daupin required the following, 6 Buckets, 50 yards calico, 50 yards of Frieze, 100 yards corduroy, 1 doz thimbles, Ordered -

The Matron required a quantity of wool and calico,

Ordered, That 25 stone of wool and 500 yds of calico be obtained -

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

The Medical Officer reported the unhealthy state of the Infants, and recommended (as expressed in his report of the 27th Nov last) that some of the Infants do get additional food -

The Board stated that any of the Infants which the Doctor may consider to require it would be allowed such extra allowance as he may state was necessary -

That a boy suddenly died in the boys dormitory on Wednesday night he did not complain of being ill previously, he shewed no mark of injury or previous disease,

Medical Report -

Men	55	admitted during week	13
Women	43	Discharged	22
Children	60	Died	20
	258		

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

Poor Law Commissioners letter 25 Jan'y 1850. No. 267/50 acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter of 13 Inst. relative to the claim of J. Thompson for attendance on Mr. Innes Poor Rate collector while suffering from injuries received while in the discharge of his duties, and stating that the amount cannot be legally paid out of the Rates of the Union -

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 26 Jan'y 1850 No. 396/50 referring to minutes of proceedings of this Board on the 18 Inst. relative to the appointments of John Brown and Patrick McDermott as assistant master at Merchants Road and Moyculleen auxiliary Workhouses and enclosing queries to be answered and signed by them -

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 28 Jan'y 1850. No. 453 & 4319/50 approving of the appointment of Mr. McDermott and Miss Connor as assistant master and matron of Merchants Road and Moyculleen auxiliary Workhouses respectively -

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 28 Jan'y 1850. No. 4108/50 approving of the appointment of Mr. Thomas Fitzgerald as Valuator of the entire Union at the remuneration proposed viz £100 -

Ordered, that Mr. Fitzgerald be requested to attend to execute his Bond and that an adjourned meeting of this Board be held on Wednesday next to frame instructions and consult with Mr. Fitzgerald as to the manner in which he will conduct the valuation and that Mr. Fitzgerald do get notice to attend as also each guardian in the Union -

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 28 Jan'y 1850 No. 4317/50 approving of the appointment of Thomas Quinn as Overseer of works in the Workhouse -

Poor Law Commissioners circular of 28 Jan'y 1850. No. 86/50 fixing the time for the several proceedings in the approaching election of guardians for this Union and enclosing a form of account for the expenses incurred in same -

Ordered that a copy of same be printed and posted in the Board Room -

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 31 Jan'y 1850 No. 5518/50 acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter as to vaccination contracts in the Union, and requesting the attention of the guardians to the 1st Sec. of 34th Vic. Cap 27 which requires the guardians to enter into contracts for vaccination with qualified practitioners. The consideration deferred -

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 31 Jan'y 1850. No. 5406/50 directing to minutes of proceedings of the guardians on

the 25 Inst. proposing to reduce the number of food Depots in the Union, and stating that they are not aware of any objection to the proposed arrangements -

Ordered, that the Relieving Officers do get notice of this arrangement -

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 31 Jan'y 1850 approving of the appointment of John Brown as assistant master of Merchants Road auxiliary Workhouse -

The chairman having referred to a Resolution come to by the Board of guardians of the Inam Union relative to the Cussane Union and that this Board ought to come to a similar one -

Resolved, that application be made to the Boundary Commissioners not to form any new Union at Cussane - That the Chairman be requested to communicate with the Boundary Commissioners on the subject as also with the Chairman of the Inam Union -

Mr. Harrison referred to the number of able-bodied men now in the house and suggested that a Committee should be appointed to wait of Mr. Roberts as also on the gentlemen conducting the Railway works to request they would employ them, the following gentlemen were named, Mr. Rowan, Mr. Ireland, Mr. Murray, Mr. Sumner and Mr. Harrison

Read letter from Mr. R. Connors relative to Poor Rates due by him in the Craunmore Electoral Division -

Ordered, that Mr. Connors be informed, that as the matter has been decided by a legal tribunal they cannot interfere -

Resolved, that having felt the great abuse of giving Outdoor Relief we pledge ourselves not to give any increase of Outdoor Relief as long as houses can be obtained for Indoor Relief -

Mr. John Costello's tender to supply any quantity of best shell Coara that may be required at the rate of 38/6 per Cwt. was accepted -

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 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).

It having been observed that the Schoolmaster was not efficient enough in the discharge of his duties —

Read letter from Mr. O'Roughlin the Schoolmaster resigning his situation which was accepted and it was resolved,

That an advertisement be inserted in the Galway papers for tenders for the Office at a Salary of £20 a year with Rations and apartments —

The Clerk reported that he had not received reports from the following Relieving Officers relative to the Boilers — Edward Connelly, Peter Petitt, James Murnis, and Matthias Flynn.

Ordered, that they be again requested to send in the Boilers,

The Clerk laid before the Board a return received from Mr. Kelly the Collector for Annadown & Claregalway, showing the state of the collection on the 21 January last being the day on which the four months allowed for the collection expired,

The Board under the 2nd Sec of 647 Vic cap. 92 authorized Mr. Kelly to proceed by service of 15 days notice and summons against the following Immediate Assessors — James Speech Rocklawn, John Butler Whitefield, Francis Blake Craggsville, Mark. A. Lynch Nile Lodge, Walter Joyce Mervin, John. J. Jennings Galway —

The Medical Officer having expressed his willingness to inspect the auxiliary Workhouse at Moycullen from time to time on being allowed his car expenses —

The Board felt thankful to Dr. Brown and stated that his car expenses would be allowed —

The Master having stated that the Turf Contractor Mr. O'Malley was in the habit of giving money to the Paupers measuring the Turf, and that the same paupers had received money from him which he the Master found on their persons —

The Majority of the Guardians were of opinion that the contract should cease and that the paupers ought to be turned out —

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the

day of 184 .

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

A poll having been taken there appeared for vitiating the contract 11 against it 3.

Ordered, That a contract be advertised for to supply turf to the 25 March next, tenders to be considered on the 15 February —

It was moved by Mr. Deland and seconded by Mr. Palmer,

That Turf be used exclusively in all the houses and no coals,

The Clerk reported that the Guardians did not attend on last Meeting to allocate the paupers for the Galway Division, according to the order of the last Board,

Mr. Murnay proposed that the Guardians be again requested to attend on next Tuesday for the purpose, and that the Clerk do write to each Guardian accordingly —

The Clerk laid before the Board the letter of the Commissioners of last Board as to the assistance of Mr. Fitzerald K. M.

Ordered, that the collector for Cuythward (Mr. Pies) do apply to Mr. Dopping K. M. for assistance —

The Guardians having considered Mrs. Beau's Salary,

Resolved, that her Salary be left at the present sum viz £5.

The Board having considered Mrs. M. Kettle's tender for the store

It having been observed that a store for 6 months would be sufficient,

Ordered, That an advertisement be inserted for an auxiliary Workhouse for 6 months — and that tenders be considered on next Wednesday —

The Clerk submitted for adoption the Finance Committee Report of 7 December last relative to the claims of Messrs. Ryan for

stew lodge, also for rapancy cases, and Macdonald for expenses as collector,

The Board unanimously adopted the report.

All the collectors attended the Board agreeable to the order of last meeting, and the guardians examined some of the books and ordered the collectors to furnish by next Board day lists of all immediate lessees resident in the County with a view to authorizing the collectors to proceed by 15 days notice and summons against them for recovery of the sums due -

The further consideration of the proceedings against Martin the late collector's securities having been adjourned to this day, Mr. John Fleming stated that he attended Mr. Blakeley the Solicitor on the subject and that Mr. Blakeley stated he would attend the Board to day and would speak to the Board on the subject

Mr. Blakeley being prevented by illness from attending, the guardians deferred the further consideration of the matter till the adjourned meeting on next Wednesday.

The Chairman having observed that it would be very advisable that the new Electoral Divisions should be formed previous to the proceedings for the election being commenced,

Resolved, That our Chairman do communicate with the Boundary Commissioners and urge on them the necessity of forming the new Electoral Divisions of this Union immediately -

Read letter from Mr. Peter Lambert requesting that the amount transferred to him on the 25 Inst be now transferred to Mr. William Clanchy

Ordered to be done,

Read letter from Mr. Martin Cullinane requesting that the amount due to him viz £32 11 0 may be transferred to William Clanchy
Ordered to be done -

The Committee appointed to enquire into the balance against the Relieving Officers reported on Lawrence Morris' account for Outward West district -

Total deficiency as per Receipt & Expenditure book on 29 December last 497 00
Accounted for the following to the satisfaction of the Committee

Meal which was stolen from a Boat at Kilmucke and for which the parties were prosecuted and convicted 240 stones

Meal handed over to his successor Mr. Clanchy Relieving Officer in the Outward Union 16 "

Provisional Meal distributed by him from 19 April to 8 Aug. 1849 61 "

Meal on account of additional 1/2 lb to able bodied working men from 8 June to 6 September 1849 55 "

Meal which was damaged on its transit by sea from Galway to Kilmucke in Nov last and which circumstance he mentioned to the Inspector after wards 40 "

Meal stolen from the store in July last when he was absent from his District at the meeting in Galway and which he stated was reported to the three guardians 40 "

actual deficiency 44 "

In reference to the 2 last items Mr. Hall stated that when the Relieving Officer spoke to him about the damaged meal he desired him to return it to the contractor and to send a report to the guardians of the fact, and of the quantity injured & that the amount may be deducted from the

Contractors bill which he never did, and that as regards the meal that was stolen no report to his knowledge was made to the Viceguardians that meal was stolen from the store,

The Board Ordered, that Oughtward West be debited with the value of the above quantity viz 453 stones ^{value 522} and the Relieving Officer credited with same -

The following extract from the Report of the Committee was ordered to be inserted on the minutes and a copy of same sent to each Relieving Officer and Local Committee in the Union -

"Your Committee would recommend that the Relieving Officers be directed to enter in their Receipt and Expenditure Book the number of lbs of meal distributed to each class of inmates weekly, and the number of lbs distributed by them weekly to cases of provisional Relief, they should also be informed that if they neglect to hand into the Board a written statement of any deficiency of meal or other food in their charge arising from robbery, damage, or other casualty within one week from the time of such occurrence, their claims for any allowance for such loss will not be entertained by the Board of Guardians -

It was also recommended that the following resolution should be adopted by the Board,

Resolved, that a Committee of 2 or more Guardians be appointed by the

Board to examine the accounts of the Relieving Officers of the Union of Galway Electoral Division once a month with the stick of meal in their stores, and that the local Committees of the rural Districts do examine the accounts of the Relieving Officers of their several districts in like manner and that written reports of such Committees be laid on the table of the Board upon the second Friday in each week,

The Local Committee for Claregalway Division reported that they selected the store at Mr. James O'Brien of Ingh Feoge as the food Depot more central for the Electoral Division of Claregalway, Sackagh, Athery, and Annadown - Next to be 2/6 a week -

Motion adjourned to Wednesday the 6th February

A. H. King

At an adjourned meeting of the Board held on Wednesday the 6 February 1850 -

Present. In the chair. A. O. Blakeley Esq. M.P.
Other Guardians, R. A. H. Kirwan, John Gunning
Henry Comford, John Harrison, W. J. Murray,
John Blakeley, J. H. Bath, Martin Morris.
John Wall Esq. P. L. J. & Assistant Guardian -

A Letter was read from Mrs. Annette offering her
store at Merchants Road for £45 for six months -

It having been observed that further
accommodation could be provided at Merchants
Road auxiliary Workhouse (Clarks) for upwards
of 100 by doing some trifling repairs to a large
shed which is in the yard of said Workhouse, the
Board also having taken into consideration the
present state of the additional Buildings now in
progress same being now in nearly a finished
state -

Resolved, that the clerk of works be directed
to proceed at once with the shed at Merchants Road
and that the Commissioners be informed that the
excess of numbers at present in the Workhouse
is only 160, and the admissions for this week have
not exceed the discharges, and that in the course
of a week or a fortnight further accommodation
will be available for about 500 inmates -

The Board having considered the proceedings pending
against Mr. Martin's securities, and Mr. Gunning
having laid before the Board his views before
the Board as to the liability of Mr. Junseid as
one of the securities as he is one of the Parties
to the Bond which was executed for the collection
in the Town of Galway where the defalcation
occurred, and that Mr. Clayton was no party
to said Bond but to the Bond which was
executed for the collection of the Rate in the
rural District, where no defalcation occurred -

The Clerk read letter from the
Commissioners which he received on this day as
to proceedings against Mr. Martin's securities and
requesting the Board to give definitive instructions
to the Solicitor on the subject -

The Board having been in doubt as to
the issue, if the proceedings were continued on the
Bond against Messrs. Gunning & ^{Clayton} Junseid, while the
Bond of Gunning & Junseid was in existence, and
having considered the Commissioners letter and
having reference to the statement made on the
part of Mr. Gunning requested Mr. Blakeley their
Solicitor to communicate with the Commissioners
and forward them a copy of each of the Bonds
and have their opinion on the subject -

The Board consulted with Mr. Fitzgerald as to the
principal on which he would make his valuation -
and recommended the following arrangements to be
made by Mr. Fitzgerald from time to time during
the period of making the valuation which he
Mr. Fitzgerald agreed to -

- 1st To give 14 days notice of his
intention to go to any locality -
- 2nd The moment he has the valuation
of any one division completed to lodge a copy
of such valuation at the Board Room as also
a copy at the office of the Relieving Officer
of the district for the purpose of giving all
parties an opportunity of inspecting same and
making objections, Mr. Fitzgerald also agreed to
furnish a clean ^{set} of valuation Books with
each parland ^{correct} titled and indexed and to supply
therein the names of parlands according to the

Ordnance Maps, the exact extent of each tenement and that the extent of each townland shall agree with the quantity given by the Ordnance Survey for such townland also the names of all occupiers of holdings over £4, the names of all Immediate Lessors liable for holding at and under £4, the names of occupiers of all such holdings and the names of all persons in receipt of rent for tenements used for public purposes &c and the amount of rent received by them, to have all completed on or before the 18 June 1850

The guardians agreed to give the use of the Union Maps to Mr. Fitzgerald

Next meeting of the guardians to be held on Friday the 8 February 1850

A. O'Haherty

Population in 1841, Present Net Annual Value,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2 day of Feb^y 1850.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		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 Idlots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,	1645	1732											
Temporary Buildings,													
Additional Workhouse,	194	2011											
Permanent Fever Hospital,													
Fever Sheds,													
Total,	3583	3743											
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			43	97	548	122	742	65	99	120	41		
Admitted during the Week,			4	4	27	75	53	33	14	10	6		
TOTAL,			47	101	575	127	795	98	130	47			
Discharged during the Week,			1	4	23	33	27	10	11	3			
Died,			1	2	3	1	3	7	2	6			
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	6	26	34	30	17	5	6			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			45	95	549	123	765	105	125	44			

In Work-house Hospital, } 257
 In separate Wards, } 7
 In Fever Hospital, }
 In Wards with other inmates, }
 Total, } 257
 Total, } 7
 Fever 22
 Dysentery 73
 Other cases 162
 Total 257

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2 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.	118	215	"	"	118	215	Bt. forward						
No. II.	81	174	"	"	81	174	No. X.	10	23	"	"	10	23
No. III.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XI.	7	19	"	"	7	19
No. IV.	1	5	"	"	1	5	No. XII.	8	19	"	"	8	19
No. V.	3	12	"	"	3	12	No. XIII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VI.	3	9	"	"	3	9	No. XIV.	6	11	"	"	6	11
No. VII.	47	104	"	"	47	104	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	52	129	"	"	54	129	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	26	76	"	"	26	76	No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,	364	788	"	"	364	788

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 8 day of February 1850

PRESENT: In the Chair, A. O'Haherty Esq. M.P.

Other Guardians: R. E. L. Athy, Martin Morris, Henry Courtyard, John Harrison, E. E. Mansell, R. A. H. Kirwan, Nichols, William, Arthur Deland, John Redington, James Browne, Thomas Palmer, W. J. Murray, R. A. Lucherville, William Clanchy

John Hall Esq. P. L. J. and Ass't Guardian
Richard Burke Esq. P. L. J.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 9856 to No. 10081, 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. 31743 to No. 31763, 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, - £384-15-6
 Paid during the week, - £241-17-5
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was - £142-6-5
 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 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.
Lane. Cress	Galway No. 1	82 8 1	2945 5 8
do	Sturan	" "	548 2 "
		82 8 1	3493 7 8
Ed. Connidine	Galway No. 2	85 16 6	2452 5 9
Dr. Jones	Moycullen	23 1 3	1202 17 3
J. O'Brien	Killamin	10 15 "	2311 18 0
John Hill	Centerand	35 10 6	1483 1 0
R. Kelly	Annadown	23 8 1	856 4 7
do	Claregalway	16 11 "	332 1 3
		40 " "	1186 5 10
C. O'Brien	Lackagh	56 2 1	416 6 6
do	Athensy	" "	366 10 6
		56 2 1	782 11 0
J. O'Brien	Craunmore	38 18 3	725 17 10
do	Ballinacourt	12 7 10	64 19 5
do	Stradbally	" "	207 13 7
		57 6 1	1575 10 1
	Total,	384 15 6	4467 17 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 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 £154-6-4¹/₂.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	154	6	4 ¹ / ₂
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	173	6	1 ¹ / ₂
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	173	6	1 ¹ / ₂
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	0	10 ³ / ₄
Average cost in Infirmary,	0	1	8
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	6	1	8

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:

- 2000 lbs of white Bread (colls of Caudles)
- 4 Tons of Rye meal (colls of Soap)
- 4 " " Barley meal 160 " " washing
- 4 " " Indian meal 28 " " soda
- 1/2 " " Cat meal
- 1/2 " " Salt 6 " " Inmate
- 1/2 " " Rice
- 7 1/2 lbs of Tea 9026 quarts of milk
- 35 " " Pepper
- 246 " " meat
- 400 Boxes of Lard

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 2 day of Feb; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	1-3-8
In kind,	-	-	16-11-8
Total,	-	-	17-15-4

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.			£ s. d.		£ s. d.
No. I.	E. Leomelly	"	1 Ton	8.3.6	Bt. forward		"	2 Tons	16.7.0
No. II.	P. Pettit	"	1/2 "	4.1.9	No. X.	M. Seymour	"	"	"
No. III.	M. Giffin	"	"	"	No. XI.				
No. IV.	M. Doherty	"	"	"	No. XII.				
No. V.	M. Hard	"	"	"	No. XIII.				
No. VI.	M. Heaven	"	1/4 "	2.0.10	No. XIV.				
No. VII.	J. Morris	"	1/4 "	2.0.10	No. XV.				
No. VIII.	P. Fullen	"	"	"	No. XVI.				
No. IX.	J. Herin	"	"	"	No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.		"	2 "	16.7.0	TOTAL,		17.15.4		16.7.0

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.	
Claherty wool	14	10	7	✓
McFadden R. Flax	4	11	0	✓
Juffin wool	22	11	3	✓
Ready & Keams clothing	1	8	"	✓
Castelli - Sicken	3	17	"	✓
Hall weaver	"	9	9	✓
Clerk Uwin shaw purchased	6	11	7	✓

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

2. Establishment Account.

E. McDermott Rent	1	15	"	✓
Chughlin School Master	10	5	"	✓
Chady clerk. part small milk	6	"	4	✓
Chady clerk. part of Walsh's claim	4	3	"	✓
M. Sweeney on account of work at Dangan	12	10	"	✓
Chady clerk postage &c	13	9	7	✓
Chady clerk part of Sademen's bill	14	8	8	✓
Higgins purchase of seeds	10	"	"	✓

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

J. M. Reese flour &c	139	16	9	✓
Oliver Bread	140	17	10	✓
Small Milk	131	"	8	✓
Castelle groceries	17	16	4	✓
Elwood meat	11	11	"	✓
Jym & Co Coals	20	18	"	✓
M. O'Qually Inf	25	"	"	✓
Flattly Caudles &c	8	3	3	✓

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

James Martin. Ind meal	10	4	4	✓
Outstanding Credits Account				
Thos. Browne. Rent. Merchants Road	60	"	"	✓
J. H. Seecocks do. West House	35	"	"	✓
Chady part of Mullownys claim	4	10	4	✓
M. Claunchy Spm the Son M. Fullinwain transfer	15	"	"	✓
Annals, selection &c Account				
M. Kelly arrival Coffins	1	8	11	✓
Seamus do	"	19	3	✓
Bridget Mally returned rates	"	18	"	✓
Burial Account				
Seamus Coffins	15	10	9	✓

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

Spem Hospital Account				
Morris Spem the Son his claim	13	8	"	✓

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 Committee reported that the Rye meal was returned being of an inferior quality and good meal had been in its place -

The Committee reported that the Bread Baked in Art plate was of a superior quality -

Officers Reports -

Master reported that a boy named John Flavelly about 13 years of age was brought to the Workhouse on the evening of Monday last. he was dying when he was brought, the boy soon after died and an inquest was held on the body and a verdict returned that he came by his death from sickness, destitution and exposure to the influence of the weather -

That on his visiting West House auxiliary house on Monday night he found the watchman within the house -

The Master complained of the late hour at which the milk was supplied -

Ordered, That the attention of the Contractor be called to the matter,

Reported that the following women and children whose husbands were discovered to be at work were discharged -

Mary Costello	Galway &c	N ^o 9383	} approved of -
Peggy Kelly	do	16615	
Mary Connolly	do	8262	
Robert Fahy	do	2282	
Patty Agnew	do		

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

Required 1/2 gallon of Lamp oil for Bakery. Ordered -

Master at Dangan reported that a great portion of the slates were blown off the out office at Dangan by the late storm -

Clerk of works to have the roof repaired -

Reported that 2 boys named John Filleau and Mick Donohoe absconded the Workhouse -

Ordered, That informations be sworn against them -

The Medical Officer reported that as a large quantity of vegetables on hand at Dangan, and the chairman having suggested that more vegetables be used and lessen the consumption of meal some may be done with perfect safety, 3 times the quantity of vegetables and 1/2 the quantity of meal -

Medical report week ending this day -

Men - 53	} admitted during week 50	
Women 43		} Discharged 34
Children 158-260			} died 18

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

Letter from Commissioners 31 Jan'y 1850 requesting to be furnished with a return of the balances against or in favour of the Electoral Divisions on the 29 Sept. Clerk stated that he forwarded the information -

Letter from the former 6 Feb'y 1850 forwarding queries to be answered by the person appointed school master -

Letter from the Commissioners 6 Feb'y 1850 enclosing for monthly return of Expenses and Liabilities for this month of January and requesting same by the 15 Feb'y

Read Letter from Mr Rice applying for payment of his account amount £171. 5. 0.

The matter referred to the Finance Committee who will meet on next Friday and that Mr Rice be informed accordingly. 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:)

Mr Harrison having referred to the great number of poor persons which are constantly in the streets and proposed that a Committee be appointed to devise the best means for preventing same, and that the Magistrates in the Town be requested to peruse the warrants by putting the act in force, and that a sum of £5 be paid to the clerk of Petty sessions for his remuneration -

An amendment was proposed by Mr. Harrison and seconded by Mr. M'Carthy, that the forewent be called upon to direct the Resident Magistrate and the Constable to put the vacancy act in force in the town of Galway -

It having been reported to the Board by the clerk of works that some other works besides those contracted for by Mr. Sweeney were required to be done at Dawson, and Mr. Sweeney having offered to do same for the sum of £15 -

Ordered, that his offer be accepted -

The chairman read letter which he received from the Boundary Commissioners in reply to the Resolution of last Board that the Boundary Commissioners had made their report relative to the proposed Union of Luss and the formation of the new Electoral Divisions, and the matter was now in the hands of the Poor Law Commissioners to whom they referred the Resolution of this Board -

The Clerk laid before the Board the Returns of Resident Immediate Sessions received from the Collectors, Consideine, Crof. Jones, Kelly, P. O'Brien and J. O'Brien and the Board having looked over and considered same

Resolved, That the Collectors be directed to proceed by 15 days notice against the undermentioned Immediate Sessions and that the clerk do inform them that the Board insists on their promptly and efficiently carrying out these orders and that they will be required to report week by week the advance they have made in recovery of the amounts due -

Samuel Crof's District -

Nicholas Lynch	Barna House	23	11	..
J. A. Lynch		3	15	6
Pat Keen		7	6	9
Martin Sheridan		8	4	6
Maria Burke		2	17	6
J. J. Jennings		21	..	..
Imp. B. O'Blaherty		7	5	3
Dudley Perse	Roxboro	17	16	9
Thos. Kinna		3 days notice	11	12
H. E. Clark		do		
Rev. Mr. Daly	Galway	15 days notice	45	10

Edward Consideine's District

Thos. Fitzgerald	Galway	2	6	3
J. O'Blaherty	High Street	1	..	..
Mich. Keen	Galway	3	7	..
Rev. P. E. Maxwell	Shantalla	24	15	6
Mich. Cady	Back Street	1	7	6
Patrick Blake	Fortunawona	12	11	3
Henry Clare	Galway	3	17	6
Anthony Consideine	Galway	1	16	..
Mich. Tobin	Murrough	13	13	9
Thomas Commis	Clareview. 6 days notice	18	10	0
Thomas Commis	Clareview	11	11	3
Thomas A. Hyce	6 days notice	23	18	..
Jonathan Jones	District			
A. O'Blaherty	Knockbane	4	4	..
P. L. Commis	Woodstock	13	..	..
P. M. Lynch	Galway	2	3	9

The costs 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).

Severance O'Brien's District

Christopher St George	Spone House	143	9	1
Francis Comyn	Woodstock	43	13	9
Robert Martin	Ros	19	1	3
Pat Blake		9	19	3
John Hill's District				
Christopher St George	Spone House	47	10	8
Henry Comyn	Salway	12	18	9
J. P. O'Flaherty	Secunfield	13	8	7
James Martin	Ros	1	15	8
Richard Kelly's District				
Martin Syden	fort	12	18	6
J. J. Lambert	Cress Core	11	7	3
Charles O'Brien's District				
Charles Dehent	Burloughmore	1	3	9
Michl. Shaughnessy			8	9
Robert French	Monivea	1	15	6
Richard Meade	Atheury	4	5	9
Edmond Kearney	Coldwood		11	11
R. A. H. Kirwan	Salway	1	17	6
James O'Brien's District				
Pat Giffin	Oranmore	3		6
John Malley		1		3
Thomas Kelly	Oranmore	1	17	6
William Burke	Money Duff	1	9	6
S. M. Davis	Salway		18	3
Mrs Mary Kearns	Oranmore	2	3	7
Daniel Ford	Oranmore	1	4	4
W. A. Blake	Oranmore	5	7	3
Bridget Mc Donough		2	17	
Michael Burke	Oranmore		9	6
James Whealy	Oranmore	1	12	6
Bridget Giffin	Oranmore	3	10	2
Mrs Mary Ryan	Oranmore	1	11	
R. E. L. Athy	Neville	2	1	3
John Thos. Birmingham	Clareubridge	2	15	6
Thomas Burke	Clareubridge		16	6
Matthew St George	Dilcolgan	9	4	
Christopher St George	Spone House		12	

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Resolved further that the Solicitor be directed to proceed at the next ensuing Quarter Sessions against the several parties undermentioned, and that he be instructed to use every possible exertion to obtain decrees in all these cases as the Board are especially anxious that no delay which can by possibility be avoided shall occur in bringing them to an issue. And that the collectors be required to furnish the Board on each Board day with a List of immediate Lessors remaining in arrear, and against whom it is desirable to obtain authority to proceed by notice and summons.

Samuel Cross District-

John Reed	Salway	28		
Denis Galup	Loughrea			
Assignee of Lord Dunsandle		44	1	3
Francis Comyn	Woodstock	33	12	5
Edward Considey's District				
Mark A. Lynch	Mill Lodge	36	5	
Matthew Thos. Smith	Dangan	32	15	
John Reed	Salway	26	9	6
Catherine Shaw	do	29	4	9
Bartt. Connelly	Aughrim	6	6	
L. J. B. Blake	Meudo	12	19	
John J. Taylor	Malpitt	14	5	
Andrew Monk	Ballinshoe	31	12	6
Pat. L. Mc Donough	Salway	34	7	
Richard Lynch	Rahalan	26		
R. Connelly	Ross hill	22	17	7
Charles Blake	Merlin park	160	5	6
Burton Perse	Inyode Castle	21	15	
Jonathan Cross District				
Peter Martin, his agent S. O'Flaherty	Aughter and	28	10	9
Pell Martin his agent Mr. Robinson		29	15	
Solicitor to apply to receive on				
Mr. George Burke's property		10	17	3

Terence O'Brien District

James Martin	Ross	15	6	3
Bell Martin		102	3	4

John Jills District

Bell Martin		160	5	1
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Richard Kelly District

Bro Clonmorris	Newbroke	9	2	5
V.O.C. Blake	Duerhill	19	-	9
Rorace Notchford		145	19	4

The Shinto to apply to master of the Mills for Rates on Walter Mr. Lynch's property Mr. Brennan receive

Charles O'Brien District

Si J.E. Blake	Menlow	4	1	3
Walter Saubert	Castle Saubert	10	11	1
Pat Cullinan	Waterview	5	6	"

Mr. Burke recommended that in addition to what was required of Mr. Fitzgerald he should correct the old numbers in the Rate books with the new numbers to facilitate the clerk in bringing forward the arrears -

Mr. McDonough applied to the Board for compensation for the sand taken up by the breaking of stones on his land at Orammore

The Board ordered that the Relieving Officer for Orammore do post notices that the stones will be sold on next Friday and that Mr. McDonough's claim be referred to 2 members of the Board after the sale -

The chairman having observed as to the excellent order in which the Infirmary is kept and the very efficient manner in which Doctor Richardson performs his duties -

Mr. Kerwan gave notice of motion that he would on Friday the 22 Inst move the Board to raise the Salary of Doctor Richardson to £50. and that notice of same be given to each member of the Board -

Ordered, That an advertisement be inserted for a mule, Cart and Harness. tenders to be considered on Friday next.

The assistant Schoolmistress having been appointed Matron of Moycullen Auxiliary Workhouse the Board Ordered, That Mrs. Benn be placed at West House auxiliary Workhouse in her former capacity of wardswoman at £5 a year to assist the Schoolmistress in superintending that Establishment and that from the want of room in that house both officers shall occupy but one apartment or the two smallest in the establishment and that the clerk inform them accordingly -

Ordered, That notices be posted at Clonsilla and Sough George for proposals to be considered at the meeting on Friday next the 15 Inst. from persons willing to let a house as a Food Depot at Sough George, for six months certain and thenceforward for such period as it may be required, the Board to be at liberty to surrender the premises by giving one months notice at any time after the first six months.

Also for proposals from persons willing to act as storekeeper and distributor at the Sough George Depot - the tenders to specify the wages required, and to give the names of two solvent persons who are willing to join with him in a promissory note to the Board in the sum of £50. as security - and it was Resolved, that the meal store at Spiddal be dispensed with and that the stock and implements be removed therefrom to the Depot at Sough George which shall henceforward be the Depot for the Relief Districts of Mr. Deacy and Mr. Ward. The person in charge of the store at Sough George to give security to the Board in the sum of £50. with two sureties -

[Signature]

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9 day of February 1850.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Children under 2 years.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,	1645	1735	Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Children under 2 years.		Born.		Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Temporary Buildings,														
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital,														
Fever Sheds,	3	4	3	4	3	4	3	4	3	4				
Total,	558	537	558	537	558	537	558	537	558	537				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	45	95	549	725	765	682	188	129	37	..	3743	In Workhouse Hospital,	In separate Wards,	
Admitted during the Week,	3	6	23	49	28	26	15	5	7	..	162	In Fever Hospital,	In Wards with other inmates,	
TOTAL,	48	101	572	774	793	708	203	134	44	..	3905	Total,	Total,	
Discharged during the Week,	3	4	30	41	31	22	8	2	6	..	147			
Died,	2	..	1	2	8	2	1	5	2	..	23			
Total Discharged and Dead,	5	4	31	43	39	24	7	7	8	..	170			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	43	97	541	725	765	682	188	129	36	..	3743			

Fever - 26
 Dysentery - 72
 Other cases - 137
 Total - 235

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9 day of Feb - 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.	117	212	"	"	117	212	Bt. forward						
No. II.	82	175	"	"	82	175	No. X.	7	20	"	"	7	20
No. III.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XI.	6	17	"	"	6	17
No. IV.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XII.	6	13	"	"	6	13
No. V.	4	9	"	"	4	9	No. XIII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VI.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XIV.	2	3	"	"	2	3
No. VII.	43	99	"	"	43	99	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	50	123	"	"	50	123	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	25	67	"	"	25	67	No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,	342	730	-	-	342	730

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 15 day of February 1850.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Anthony O'Shaughnessy Esq. M.P.*
 Other Guardians: *R. C. L. L. L., Nicholas Lynch, John Deland, Ambrose Rush, R. A. H. Kerwan, Nicholas Hillian, Arthur Deland, John Garrison, John Redington, R. R. Sumnerville, William Clauchy, Richard Kearny, & John Hall Esq. J. P. L. & Ass. Guardian,*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 10082 to No. 10244, 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. 31743 to No. 31743, 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, - £400. 15. 0
 Paid during the week, - £533. 11. 10
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was - £918. 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:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Saml. Cross	Galway No 1	30 " "	2915 5 8
do	Stran	" " "	548 2 "
		30 " "	3463 7 8
Ed. Consideine	Galway No 2	38 3 9	2414 2 "
J. Lines	Moycullen	51 " "	1151 17 3
J. O'Brien	Killanin	" " "	2311 18 0
J. Gill	Outerard	20 18 3	1462 2 9
R. Kelly	Inmadown	42 " "	812 4 7
do	Claregalway	" " "	332 1 3
		42 " "	1144 5 10
C. O'Brien	Lackagh	40 10 "	375 10 6
do	Atheury	" " "	366 10 6
		40 10 "	742 1 "
J. O'Brien	Oranmore	176 16 "	549 1 10
do	Ballinacree	1 7 "	640 12 5
do	Shadbalg	" " "	207 13 7
		178 3 "	1397 7 11
	Total,	400 15 "	14087 2 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 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 £ 175. 0. 2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ s. d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	175. 0. 2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	176. 18. 5
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0. 0. 10
Average cost in Infirmary,	0. 1. 8
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:

200 lbs of white bread	4 Quarts of whisky
4 Jm of rye meal	4 bottles " Port wine
4 " " " "	4 " " Malaga "
4 " " " "	4 " " " "
1/4 " " " "	200 Boxes " Soap
1/2 " " " "	50 lb " Candles
7 1/2 lb " Tea	168 " " Soap
530 " " Sugar	28 " " washing soda
4 " " Soap sugar	6 " " Mould Candles
35 " " Pepper	250 " " Cocoa
22 1/4 " " Beef	5000 Quarts " Milk
6 bottles " Porter	

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

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

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 Feb; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	£ s. d.
In kind,	0. 14. 5
	15. 16. 7
Total,	16. 11. 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 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.	Connolly	"	1/4 Jm 2. 0. 10	Bt. forward		"	1/2 Jm 12. 5. 3
No. II.	Petie	"	1/2 " 4. 1. 9	No. X.	Pyne	"	"
No. III.	Griffin	"	" " "	No. XI.			
No. IV.	Ditry	"	" " "	No. XII.			
No. V.	Hard	"	" " "	No. XIII.			
No. VI.	Cleaven	"	1/4 " 2. 0. 10	No. XIV.			
No. VII.	Morris	"	1/4 " 2. 0. 10	No. XV.			
No. VIII.	Curran	"	1/4 " 2. 0. 10	No. XVI.			
No. IX.	Kevin	"	" " "	No. XVII.			
Car. forwd.		"	1/2 " 12. 5. 3	TOTAL,			1/2 " 12. 5. 3

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.
John O'Grady (Clerk) for payment of Bills		15	✓

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

2. Establishment Account.

E. O'Shaughnessy, Master 3 Months Salary	20	"	✓
M. Ward R.R. Salary on $\frac{1}{2}$	8	"	✓
Rev. W. Dyer. R.R. 3 Months Salary	6	5	✓
Clerk Union part of Tradersmen	23	10	3 ✓
do do Small Bills	7	4	✓
Juffin R.R. part of Tradersmen employed at Moycullen	20	"	✓

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Funerals E. L. H. Account			
O'Grady part of Bills for Coffins		13	✓

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 Committee reported that the roof

the out office at Dangan was greatly damaged by the late storm

Officers Reports -

The Master requested to know would permission be granted to the assistant Master at Merchants Road to keep his two children with him -

The Board could not grant permission but allowed Mr. Browne to keep them for one week until he would make arrangements for providing a place for them -

Requires the following, 10 lb black thread, $\frac{1}{2}$ gross of black studs, $\frac{1}{2}$ gallon of lamp oil, 250 yards of Corduroy, $\frac{1}{2}$ hide of oak leather, 2 pieces of strong upper leather, 1 Insole Belt, 2000 Nails, 2 dozen tips and nails, 1 Ounce of Stairs, 1 Mop head, 4 Razors - Ordered -

Matron requires the following, 20 lb white thread, 20 pieces of white tape, 500 needles, 6 gross white studs, 1 dozen of scissors - Ordered -

The Master at Dangan requires the following, 4 lb of line rope, 3 gross of buttons, & 2 dozen small buttons - Ordered -

The Reports of the Abaster 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 letter of 8 Feb. 1850. N^o 4107/50 sanctioning the appointment of Mr. James O'Brien as wardensman at the salary proposed -

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 9 Feb. 1850. N^o 7902/50 acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter of 7th Inst. as to expenses incurred in the collection in November -

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 9 Feb. 1850. N^o 6587/50 calling the Board's attention to the slow progress made in the collection of the Rate and requesting to be informed of the steps taken in pursuance of the Guardians resolution of 7th Inst. for recovering the rate through the Solicitor in various cases -

Resolved, That the Commissioners be informed that this Board at their last meeting gave specific instructions to the Solicitor as also to the several Collectors for recovery of the several sums due of immediate Lessors -

Poor Law Commissioners Circular of 7 Feb. 1850. N^o 671/50 requesting to be furnished by the 12th Inst. with a return relative to the current

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:)

Rates, and any rates that may be agreed upon in the Union -

The Clerk stated that he furnished the Return -

Poor Law Commissioners Circular of 8 Feb. 1850. N^o 651/50 requesting to be furnished by the 12th Inst. with a return showing the total payments made with the Treasurer from 29 Dec 49 to 2 Feb 50 in respect of Rates made since receipt of Order of 13 June 1849, the total amount of monies reserved, and the total amount paid over to the Bank of Ireland to the general Rate in aid Account -

The Clerk stated that he furnished the Return -

Poor Law Commissioners Circular of 11 Feb. 1850. N^o 921/50 drawing the Board's attention to the liabilities to payment order which authorises a transfer of funds from the Treasurer of Galway Union to the Treasurer of the new Union of Cluward, under certain circumstances therein defined -

Resolved, That the Commissioners be informed that the Guardians on looking over the balances against the Electoral Divisions at the time of change find that the payments since do not come near the amount of the balances against the said divisions independent of their proportion of the debts incurred and not brought into account previous to the time of change -

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 11 Feb. 1850. N^o 769/50 requesting to be furnished with copies of Audited Abstracts of Accounts for half year ended 29 September 1849 -

The Clerk submitted the abstracts for signature of Chairman which were accordingly signed -

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 11 Feb. 1850. N^o 7196/50 acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter of 4th Inst. relative to monthly estimate for September last which stated that an additional sum would be required for Cholera expenses stating that the Commissioners do not think that an application to Her Majesty's Treasurer for the amount would be successful, that it should be paid out of the rates of the Union, -

Resolved, That the Commissioners be again written to on the subject, and that they be informed that the Guardians have learned that in other Unions the whole amount of the Cholera expenses was remitted by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury although the sums expended under that head were much heavier in those Unions than in this Union, and that the Commissioners be respectfully requested to make an application to The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury for the remission of the sums due in respect of Cholera expenses, and the strenuous exertions which the Guardians are making to provide for the current expenses for the relief of destitution out of the rates in course of collection renders it impossible for them to apply the funds to any other purpose -

Poor Law Commissioners Circular of 11 Feb. 1850. N^o 67/50 stating that the monthly return of collection will not be required in future, but requesting every particular as to new Rates &c. to be noted in the weekly Return of Collection -

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 13 Feb. 1850. N^o 668/50 advertising to minutes of this Board of the 1st Inst. as to the allowance of car expenses to D. Browne while visiting Moycullen auxiliary Workhouse, and expressing their approval of same -

Read letter from National Education Office acknowledging receipt of £6.4.3 for school requisites and stating that they shall be forwarded as early as possible -

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

Disso, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse 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:—~~ ~~On the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.~~

Letter from the Commissioners 14 July 1850 c. 715, relative to the account of expenses for the election of guardians for the year ending 25 March 50.

The expediency of discontinuing the drawing of water by paupers to the Merchants Road auxiliary House was about being considered when it was observed, that in a few weeks, the auxiliary house at Merchants Road No. 1 could be supplied from the yard of the auxiliary Workhouse at Pesse's Store, a lead pipe being in use there—

A Tander was opened for a mule, Cart and Harness but some of the members of the Board having inspected the animal reported that it was not a good one, the consideration of tenders was accordingly adjourned and some of the guardians promised to look out for one against the next Board day—

Tenders for the Depot at Dughfenga having been opened and the guardians having considered the small amount of Out Relief now given in the Union, it was

Resolved, That all the stores and storekeepers be dispensed with from and after the 1st Inst and that the relieving Officers be directed to issue the food in future at their own residences and that they be instructed to remove the stock of meal and all implements &c. from the present Food Depots thereto, and to furnish the Board at the next meeting with a list of such scales & weights &c. as they may have received—

Resolved, That the Commissioners be requested to sanction the above arrangement under the circumstances of the very small amount of Out Relief now afforded in the Union and the guardians entertaining a hope that such amount may not be exceeded—

The Board having considered Tenders for the supply of Hay to 25 March Resolved, That the Tender of John Cornell of Meudo be accepted at 7^d per Imperial Box and that Deawolt Duggan and James Pollock be approved of as his sureties—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the

day of _____ 184 .

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

The guardians having considered applications for the Office of School Master and one candidate only having appeared who did not appear competent, The guardians ordered, that an advertisement be again inserted in the following papers for candidates, same to be considered on the 29 Inst.

The master reported that three of the boys from Dayan came to the Workhouse late on Wednesday night who had been sent to town on messengers by the Officers there, and on his remonstrating with Mr. Higgins & Mr. Ryan as to the impropriety of their sending messengers at so late an hour, he received impertinent letters from those Officers which he laid before the Board,

The Board having read the letters sent for the Officers in question and reprimanded them severely and informed them of their position towards the Master of the Workhouse and that they were insubordinate to him and requested that there would be a letter understanding in future.

The Inspector of National Schools (Mr. Duinlan) having recommended that an assistant be allowed to the School Mistress at West house, the number of children being very great and it having been observed that Miss O'Shaughnessy a well educated girl who being deprived of other resources had become an inmate of the Workhouse about 5 or 6 months since, and had been placed in charge of a large number of the children at the Workhouse was most competent to perform the duties of the Office, and Mr. Duinlan who had previously examined her having reported similarly to the Board

Resolved, That Miss O'Shaughnessy be appointed assistant School Mistress at a salary of £40 a year with rations and apartments, and that the Commissioners be requested not to offer any objection to her appointment in consequence of her having been through necessity compelled to become an inmate of the Workhouse.

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It having been observed that the bread was being conveyed to the auxiliary Workhouses in a very insecure manner,

Ordered, That 5 boxes be made for conveying the bread to the auxiliary Workhouses, and that locks be put on same, and that the master of the parent house do keep a master key, and a key be kept by each of the persons in charge of the auxiliary Workhouses -

Proposed by Richard A. H. Curran Esq. and seconded by John Deland Esq.

Resolved, It being highly objectionable that interments should take place within the Workhouse walls, that after this date all paupers who may die in the Workhouse shall be interred in the burial ground of the Parish for which a fair remuneration shall be paid to the clergymen, and it is further

Resolved, That immediate steps be taken by the guardians to provide a cemetery for the Workhouse -

The following resolution was proposed by Richard A. H. Curran Esq. and seconded by John Deland Esq. and carried unanimously

Resolved, That the board of guardians do express their gratitude to Sir Thomas Redington and the other Commissioners of National Education for the deep interest they have shown for the welfare of the rising generation of Galway by their intention of establishing a model school near this town -

Resolved, That copies of this Resolution be forwarded by our chairman to Sir Thomas Redington and the other Commissioners of National Education in Ireland -

The master of the Workhouse having stated to the Board that cocoa had been supplied to the adult inmates

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during the past week instead of new milk, and that the result had been very satisfactory as it had no bad effect on the paupers, and that they liked it well

Resolved, That under those circumstances the Commissioners be requested to sanction the use of cocoa among the class of paupers from 9 to 15 years in addition to the classes above 15 years who are using it already, as a considerable saving would be thereby effected and no injurious result will follow

Mr. Sweeney contractor for the works at Dangan requested an additional time for completing his contract -

The Board granted him one week which will be up to the 25 February -

Read letter from Mr. William Burke requesting £8.8.3 of his claim to be transferred to Henry Comford.

Ordered, To be done -

The Board opened a tender from John Flynn offering £30.0 for the stones at Craunore -

The tender was referred to the Local Committee at Craunore for their report -

The Finance Committee reported that they would on next Friday enquire into Mr. Hines claim and report on same to the Board. That Mr. Hines claim for cart-hire while the Police were employed with him should be referred to the Local Committee at Moycollon -

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That they would take the applications of the
rate collectors for sums on account into
consideration on next board day -

Read letter from Mr. Mahon giving one months
notice of her resignation as head nurse of the
Infirmary.

Ordered, That same be accepted
and that an advertisement be inserted for a
person to fill the office at a salary of £10
a year with rations and apartments, the
appointment to be made on the 8 March.

It having been observed that it would be
desirable that some Tailors be employed
for some weeks, untill a sufficient supply
of clothing for the men and boys should be made
up.

Resolved, That the following Tailors
be employed for making mens Jackets @ 8.^s
each, mens trousers @ 6.^s each, Boys jackets @ 7.^s
each, and Boys trousers @ 5.^s each -

Pat Kaulz	Pat Ryan
Peter Garrod	Thomas Cornell
Pat Leonard	John Kearny
Thomas Griffin	Pat Cornell

It having been reported to the Board that the
roof of the Out Offices at Dangan had been
very much damaged by the late storm, and
that a new roof would be required, and it
appearing that it would considerably increase

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the accommodation at Dangan to raise the
walls a few feet and introduce a floor
to be used as a dormitory by the boys over
15 attending the agricultural school, it
was Resolved, That application be
made to the Commissioners for their sanction
to carry the above arrangement into
effect, That the Clerk of works be directed
to make out a plan and specification
of the proposed alteration and improvement
and that notices be inserted in the
Galway papers (one post) for tenders
to be considered at the meeting on the 29th March
for executing the work, specifying the
shortest period within which it will be
completed - and it was

Resolved, That the Commissioners
be respectfully and earnestly requested to
apply to the Lords of Her Majesty's Treasury
for assistance to enable the Guardians to
carry out the arrangements for extending
the accommodation of the Workhouse and
auxiliaries whereby they hope to be able to
dispose in a great measure with Outdoor
relief and in consequence reduce the
amount of their claims for extraordinary
assistance during the ensuing spring
and summer -

Mr. Samuel Cross Collector for Galway district
No. 1 requested the directions of the Board
to proceed against the following occupiers
of holdings at and under £4 value
Sally

Sally King James Connolly
Daniel Lodge Doctor Hunt
James Kelly Michael Daly

The chairman and two members of the Board accordingly signed 30 day notices for the above and they were countersigned by the clerk of the Union -

The Board ordered that 2 or 3 pauper messengers be selected for the auxiliary house at Danyon, and that they should be distinguished by some such similiar mark to the one on the logs at the parent Workhouse -

Next meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 22nd February 1850.

John Deland
V. Ch.

Population in 1841, Present Net Annual Value,
STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16 day of Feb 1850.

Table with columns: Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided, Aged and Infirm, Able-bodied, Born, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS. Rows include Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouses, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, and totals 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 16 day of Feb 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. Rows list districts I through XIX and totals.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 22 day of February 1850

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Deland Esq. V. Ch.
Other Guardians: R. A. H. Kirwan, John Redington, Henry Comerford, John Harrison, R. E. L. Atty, Nicholas Lynch, Ambrose Rush, W. J. Murray, E. B. Mansell, Nicholas Pillion, Arthur Deland, John Blakeley, J. H. Blake, Thomas Palmer, R. K. Lunnerville, James Blake
John Hall Esq. The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed. William Clauhy.
P. L. J. V. Esq. The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4245 to No. 4472, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
Guardian The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 31744 to No. 31761, 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, - £278.17.4
 Paid during the week, - £542.4.7
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was - £2675.2.4
 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 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.
J. Croft	Galway No. 1	£ 104 4 s. 2811 1 8	
do	Arvan	" " " 548 2 "	
		104 4 03359 3 8	
Ed. Consideine	Galway No. 2	56 8 9235 1 3	
Dr. Ames	Inycullen	21 11 31130 5 0	
Jer. O'Brien	Killanin	11 0 42300 1 7 8	
J. Jice	Outerard	5 13 01456 9 9	
R. Kelly	Armadown	17 13 11 794 10 8	
do	Claregalway	6 5 3 325 16 "	
		23 19 21120 6 8	
C. O'Brien	Lackagh	18 9 3 359 1 3	
do	Atteury	5 10 9 360 19 8	
		24 0 0 718 1 0	
J. O'Brien	Oranmore	9 18 " 539 3 10	
do	Ballinacorney	14 12 10 625 19 7	
do	Shadball	7 10 " 200 3 7	
		32 0 10 1365 7 1	
	Total	278 17 4 13808 15 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 £ 10. 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:

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 £ 170. 9 s. 4 1/2 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	170	9	4 1/2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	175	18	9 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	175	18	9 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	0	10 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	0	1	8
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:

2000 lb. of white bread	200 Boxes of Lard
4 Tons of Rye meal	50 lb. of Candles
4 " " Rye meal	16 8 " " Soap
4 " " Indian meal	56 " " Soda
1 " " Oat meal	6 " " Tallow
180 lb. of Cocoa	6 " " Candles
6462 1/2 lb. of Milk	1120 lb. of Salt
7 1/2 " " Tea	7 " " Arrow
35 " " Pepper	200 "
2 1/2 " " Meat	
4 bottles of Portwine	

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 16 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,	16	18	7

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.	Leonell	"	1/4 Jm	2.0.10	Bt. forward	"	1/4 Jm	12.4.4	
No. II.	Petit	"	1/4 "	4.1.9	No. X.	Pyman	"	"	
No. III.	Spiffen	"	"	"	No. XI.				
No. IV.	Ditree	"	"	"	No. XII.				
No. V.	Ward	"	"	"	No. XIII.				
No. VI.	Creaven	"	"	"	No. XIV.				
No. VII.	Morris	"	1/4 "	2.0.10	No. XV.				
No. VIII.	Cullen	"	1/4 "	2.0.10	No. XVI.				
No. IX.	Herin	"	"	"	No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.		"	1/4 "	12.4.4	TOTAL,			12.4.4	

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.
M. Hall wearing	-	18	10
Opdy pag of Bills	2	3	6

Establishment & Contin #

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.			
2. - Establishment Account.			
C. O'Brien on office Coll	25	"	"
J. O'Brien do	25	"	"
Prof. Barlowe Gazette Subs	1	"	"
J. Mahon Mule cart &c	3	15	"
Opdy pag of Bills	7	12	11
M. Griffin sundries	2	16	5
M. Griffin wages as			
Store Keeper	18	9	"
Cholera account			
New P. Daily Interments			
during prevalence of Cholera	10	0	"
New Hospital &c			
J. O'Brien on office Salary	10	"	"
J. McSweeney Medicines	2	1	3
Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.			
3. Workhouse Invoice Account.			
Collection Nurse Salary	6	15	"
M. Griffin Tradesmen Bills	5	"	"
M. Sweeney on office of Contract	20	"	"
Clerk Union Tradesmen Bills	28	16	7
M. Barber Salary, Ass't. Matron	5	"	"
Miss Connor do do	1	10	"
Miss Keen do wardmaid	1	5	"
Miss Fletcher do Ass't. Matron	5	"	"
Miss Hogan do do	3	15	"
J. Kelly do Porter	3	15	"
J. Jones on office Collector	25	"	"
J. O'Brien do do	25	"	"
M. Kelly do do	25	"	"
E. Conidine do do	25	"	"
J. Hill do do	25	"	"
Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.			

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Spue -

Outstanding credits &c			
M. Sullivan Balance of fees	5	13	"
D. Stephens for the pound	65	3	6
General. Elector P &c &c			
M. Kerrin returned rates	1	16	"
Opdy pag of Coffin Bills	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 Visiting Committee reported that

the auxiliary Workhouse at Merchants Row (Kerris stone) was not in a satisfactory state -

Ordered, That Mrs. McDermott the matron be cautioned that if the auxiliary Workhouse in her charge be not kept in a clean and orderly state the Board will take serious notice of the matter -

Officers Reports

Master recommended that the good work doors &c of the Workhouse be painted, that there were 2 pauper men in the Workhouse capable of doing the work -

Ordered to be done -

That be found 7/6 on the person of a pauper named Kelly Blaherty. Ordered to be lodged to the credit of

the Electoral Division of falmouth, being the division on which she is chargeable -

Required the following for the use of the Workhouse - 70 yards Calico, 6 gross small studs, 6 lb black thread, 6 lb red thread, 38 barrels of lime, 250 yards of corduroy, 2 knives for Bakery, 2 pieces of red tape, 3 doz of

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

Prayer Books, 4 dozen of Catechisms, 10 stone of Oats. Ordered -

The Matron required the following, 20 lb white thread, 20 pieces of small tape, 500 needles, 500 yards of Calico, 6 gross white studs, 1 dozen of scissors - Ordered -

The Agricultural Instructor required the following - 4 lb line rope, 3 gross Buttons, 2 gross small Buttons - Ordered -

That the following persons absconded from the Workhouse and took with the Union clothes - James Mulroyan, Michael Wall, and John Lydon. (Information to be sworn agt them)

Hospital report week ending this day -

Men - 44	admitted 28
women - 63	Discharged 27
children 16	Died - 20
Total 267	

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

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 16 Feb. No. 7737/50 stating that the Bonds of Pat Martin the defaulting collector were not sent to them as directed on minutes of this Board of 6 Inst. and requesting they may be forwarded at once

The clerk stated that he called on the solicitor on the subject and that he mentioned he would forward the papers of yesterday

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 16 Feb. No. 7738/50 requesting to be furnished at once for the House of Commons with a return of all contracts containing penal clauses entered into by the Guardians or Vice Guardians of this Union

The clerk stated that he informed the Commissioners that no such contracts existed

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 18 Feb. No. 120 m/50 stating that in consequence of the proposed alterations of the Electoral Divisions of this Union a sealed order will be sent postponing the proceedings in the approaching election

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 19 Feb. No. 7738/50 stating that they do not object to the appointment of Mr. Pat M. Donnell as superintendent of the works at Mercullen, but stating that they consider the appointment of a permanent male Officer that establishment unnecessary, it being only for the accommodation of children

Ordered, That the Commissioners be informed that his appointment is to be temporary

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 19 Feb. No. 8541 stating that they have received a report from their Inspector Mr. R. Burke observing that the practice of burying deceased inmates within the precincts of the Workhouse remains unchanged and stating that as the Guardians cannot procure a piece of Land for the purpose of a cemetery on moderate terms, the Commissioners are disposed to have recourse to the powers vested in them by the Act 12 & 13 Vic. cap. 104 Sect. 5 for the purchase of lands for Workhouses, and requesting to be informed of the quantity of land required, its situation and the reasonable price of same

(See Resolution as to arrangement with Rev. Mr. Daly for the use of a cemetery, and that the Clerk do forward a copy of same to Commissioners, and request their sanction to the arrangement)

Sealed Order from the Poor Law Commissioners fixing the periods for the election of parishes in this Union

Read letter from Mr. Ketchum applying for payment of Mr. Michael Flynn's Salary as late Master of the Merchant's Road auxiliary Workhouse

Mr. Thomas Ryan requested the Board to name an arbitrator in his case as recommended by the report of the Finance Committee

The Board named Mr. Kirwan of Cregg
Mr. Rush of Falway
Mr. Murray of Falway
Mr. Hall Poor Law Inspector.
Mr. Ryan named Mr. R. H. Kirwan on his part.

Mr. Kirwan referred to the Resolution of last Board day as to the cemetery and stated that the Rev. Mr. Daly would not allow the interments to be made in his burial ground until he would be paid the amount due him for interments during the prevalence of cholera in the year 1847 under those circumstances, he proposed that Mr. Daly be paid the amount due him £10 10 0

The Board ordered that a cheque for the amount be filled for Mr. Daly

Mr. Kirwan and Mr. Killian stated to the Board that they had an interview with Mr. Daly and that he agreed to allow the interments to take place in either of his burial grounds of Bushy Park or Rahoon at 7/6 each, and Messrs. Killian & Kirwan moved that this agreement be come to with Mr. Daly

Mr. Daly also expressed his willingness to allow to the Board the right of interment at either burial ground for ever for £30

Mr. Sumner proposed that Mr. Daly having offered the use of those burial grounds that we accept this offer, and that the Poor Law Commissioners be requested to sanction this arrangement

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 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).

Mr. Blakeley attended the Board and the guardians having consulted with him as to proceedings against all occupiers in default. the Board named Mr. Sumnerville, Mr. Redington, and Mr. Rush as a Committee with Mr. Hall to meet Mr. Blakeley on tomorrow when the Collectors will be present at the hour of 1 O'clock.

The offer of Barth Mannon to give his mule, cart & Harness for £3.15.0 was accepted, and a cheque was ordered to be filled for the amount.

Mr. Harrison moved that a number of the able bodied paupers be sent from the Workhouse to sink some trenches in the burial ground of Bushy Park for the purpose of burying the paupers therein.

The Finance Committee brought before the Board the claim of Mr. Rice the late Revising Valuator when Mr. Sumnerville proposed and Mr. Kirwan seconded, that the Solicitor be requested to communicate with Mr. Rice and state that if he agrees to take the reduced sum of £100 the Board will entertain his claim - This to be without prejudice.

Mr. Lynch proposed as an amendment and Mr. Comerford seconded. That Mr. Rice's claim be not entertained and that Mr. Rice be left to take any steps he may think proper - On a division. There appeared for the amendment 2. for the original resolution 8.

Mr. Sumnerville's resolution was accordingly carried.

The Board having considered the notice of motion as to Dr. Richardson's Salary.

Mr. Kirwan proposed and Mr. Comerford seconded that Dr. Richardson's Salary be raised from £40 to £50.

An Amendment was proposed by Mr. Redington and seconded by Mr. Lynch. That the consideration of his Salary be deferred till after the election of guardians on 25 March next.

A division having taken place, there appeared for the amendment 2 and for the original resolution 6.

Resolved. That the salary of Dr. Richardson be £50 a year -

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the

day of 184 .

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

The Board having considered applications for the Office of Schoolmaster

Mr. Redington proposed and Mr. Mansell seconded,

that Mr. Ryan the present assistant be appointed Schoolmaster at a Salary of £20 a year with rations and apartments - It was also proposed, that Mr. John Paly be appointed assistant Schoolmaster in Ryan's stead at a Salary of £16 a year with rations and apartments, subject to Mr. Quinlan approving of his competency and if not approved of by Mr. Quinlan that an advertisement be inserted for a person for that situation.

The Clerk stated that on his requesting Mr. Kelly the Tutor to name his securities he received a letter from him stating that it was doubtful (from the state of his health) if he would be able to resume his duties,

The Master having reported that it was necessary that some responsible person should be placed in charge as Tutor,

The Board finding from the above letter that Mr. Kelly did not intend to hold the situation,

Resolved, That he be called on to resign and that on receipt of same the Clerk do advertise for a person to fill the situation at a Salary of £15 a year with rations & apartments

Read letter from Mr. Higgins agriculturist resigning the situation of agriculturist & assistant Master of the Dungan Auxiliary Workhouse -

Resolved, That the Board do accept of same and that Mr. Higgins be informed that he must hold the office for a month -

That an advertisement be inserted in the salary papers & general Advertiser for a person to fill the office at a Salary of £35 a year with rations and apartments, the appointment to be made on the 8 March -

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Read letter from Wm Campbell requesting the balance of £7.10.0 due him to be transferred to Messrs Murray & Sons - Ordered to be done -

That Charles Costello's tender to supply coffins for the Claugalony, Armadown, Lachagh and Athery divisions @ 2/6 each for all sizes be accepted, to be 75 each.

The clerk laid before the Board Lists which he received from the Master at Dangan of children in that Workhouse from the several Electoral Divisions, and whose parents are outside -

Ordered, That copies of the Lists be furnished to the relieving Officers and that as the residences of the parents are stated in the Lists that they be requested to convey the children to them -

The clerk reported that all contracts would expire on the 25 March and requested to know would he advertise for what time for the several supplies required -

Resolved, That an advertisement in the Galway papers (2 posts) & in the General Advertiser (1 post) for tenders for the several supplies of provisions and necessaries, all clothing, materials, and bedding, printing, stationery, medicine &c &c as also for the supplies of Indian Meal &c for the Out-door Relief from the 25 March to the 29 Sept. next and that a note be inserted in the advertisement that no tender containing penal clauses will be entertained by the Board tenders to be considered on the 15 March next.

Mr. Price Assistant Master Parent House having complained of the small rations allowed to him that he was allowed no tea or sugar nor in any rations equal to the other Assistant Masters -

The Board having considered the very satisfactory in which Mr. Price performs his duties -

Resolved, That the following quantities be allowed him as weekly rations for the future 12 1/2 lb Bread, 1 1/2 pts of milk 5 lbs Meat, 4 oz Tea, 1 lb Sugar -

Read letter from Mr. Jones collector stating that on his serving a 15 days notice on Mr. J. Bougan that gentleman discharged the amount of his rates as immediate lessor -

Richard A. H. Kirwan

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UNION.

Population in 1841, Present Net Annual Value,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23 day of February 1850.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Children under 2 years.	Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.		Males.	Fem.	Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,	1645	1627											
Temporary Buildings,	1540	2343											
Additional Workhouse,	"	"											
Permanent Fever Hospital,	"	"											
Fever Sheds,	"	"											
Total,	3585	3970											
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			42	105	560	1308	780	172	145	100	43	3550	In Work-house Hospital, } 269 In Fever Hospital } In separate Wards, } 7 In Wards with other inmates, } Total, } 269
Admitted during the Week,			6	8	44	84	37	19	7	9		270	
TOTAL,			48	113	604	1387	817	224	157	52		4120	
Discharged during the Week,			2	5	37	38	20	7	61	5		123	
Died,			4	"	7	15	1	2	1	2		27	
Total Discharged and Dead,			6	5	46	39	25	8	8	7		150	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			42	108	558	1348	908	720	165	45		3970	

Fevers 34
Dysentery 99
Other cases 136
Total 269

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23 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.	118	209	"	"	118	209	Bt. forward						
No. II.	82	176	"	"	82	176	No. X.	3	5	"	"	3	5
No. III.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XI.	7	19	"	"	7	19
No. IV.	1	1	"	"	1	1	No. XII.	9	19	"	"	9	19
No. V.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XIII.	1	1	"	"	1	1
No. VI.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XIV.	8	15	"	"	8	15
No. VII.	43	99	"	"	43	99	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	38	88	"	"	38	88	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	14	27	"	"	14	27	No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,	324	659	"	"	324	659

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 1 day of March 1850

PRESENT: In the Chair, Richard A. H. Kirwan Esq.
Other Guardians: Re. E. L. Atchy, Francis Cleary, Nicholas Hillian, John Deland, Ambrose Rush, Arthur Deland, John Harrison, J. P. Blake, John Blakely, John Redington, R. P. Scummeville, Anthony Mullin, William Clanchy, John Fall Esq. P. L. D. V. Ass't Guardian -

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 10479 to No. 10748, 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. 31761 to No. 31811, 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, - £282. 3. 3

Paid during the week, - £131. 9. 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was - £825. 16. 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.
Sandbrook	Galweg No. 1	£ 56 6	£ 2754 15 8
do	Airan	" " "	548 2 "
		56 6	3302 17 8
E. Consideine	Galweg No. 2	64 18 3	2292 15 "
J. Jones	Moycullen	41 4 6	1689 1 6
J. O'Brien	Killamin	57 8 "	2263 9 8
J. Hill	Coughterard	9 18 "	1446 11 9
R. Kelly	Annadown	14 " "	750 10 5
do	Claregalweg	4 12 "	321 4 "
		18 12 "	1101 14 8
E. O'Brien	Lackagh	10 12 8	346 8 7
do	Atheury	16 13 4	344 6 5
		27 6 "	690 15 0
J. O'Brien	Craunmore	18 6 6	520 17 4
do	Ballinacomb	7 3 "	618 16 7
do	Shadball	1 1 "	199 2 7
		26 10 6	1338 10 7
	Total, -	282 3 3	13526 2 15

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 £163. 8 s. 10 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ 163. 8 10

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 174. 4 9

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 174. 4 9

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - 0. 0. 10 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 0 1 8

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:

2000 lbs of bread	224 lb of meat
5 Tuns of Rye meal	4 Quarts of whiskey
5 " " Barley "	4 Bottles port wine
5 " " Indian "	200 Boxes of Inf
1 " " Cat "	50 lb of candles
180 lbs of Cocoa	224 " " Soap
6000 Quarts of triek	56 " " washing
1 Tun of Salt	6 " " mould
1 1/2 lb of Tea	8 " " Candles
560 " " Sugar	
8 " " Soap	
35 " " Pepper	

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 Feb; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	£ 0. 11. 1/2
In kind,	-	-	-	14 10 5

Total, - 15. 1. 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.				Article and quantity.	Value.
No. I.	Connell	"	3/4 Tun	6. 2. 7 1/2	By forward		1. 0. 0 1/2	12. 5. 3	
No. II.	Pelitt	"	1/2 "	4. 1. 9	No. X.	Pym	"	"	
No. III.	Griffin	"	"	"	No. XI.				
No. IV.	Quinn	"	"	"	No. XII.				
No. V.	Ward	"	"	"	No. XIII.				
No. VI.	Reaven	"	1/4 "	2. 0. 11 1/2	No. XIV.				
No. VII.	Morris	"	"	"	No. XV.				
No. VIII.	Cullen	"	"	"	No. XVI.				
No. IX.	Rein	1. 0. 0	"	"	No. XVII.				
Car. forw'd.		1. 0. 0 1/2		12. 5. 3	TOTAL,		1. 0. 0 1/2	12. 5. 3	

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.
Nicholas Lynch Straw	15	8	5
James Davies Thread &c	5	7	6
J. Farguason Calico	7	17	6
Devisbonneely shoes	10	"	"
W. Mcburnack flax & tow	7	6	6
Clerk Union part of Bills	6	12	"

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

2. Establishment Account.

M. Freeman tin work	6	19	7
J. Davies sundries	12	1	1
J. P. Blake printing	11	8	6
Nicholas Killian sundries	3	12	8
J. Davies printing & carting	19	5	6
J. McDonough wages	4	18	"
P. O'Flaherty do	2	5	5
P. O'Flaherty do	4	4	"
J. M. McDonough do	1	15	6
M. D. Tracy rent	6	8	"
P. McDonough rent	1	4	6
J. Morris rent and wages	7	16	"
P. Deacy wages	"	15	"
H. Walsh wages	5	"	"

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Thomas Imperie Flour &c	274	18	3
John Oliver Bread	39	11	8 1/2
John Small milk	86	16	11
John Connell Turf	6	5	"
John Costello groceries	27	7	9
Thomas Kelly milk	5	8	"
J. Sullivan Turf	2	18	4

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

James Martin Ind. meal	24	10	6
Collection Account			
L. Hop on use of bells	25	"	"
Funeral. b. S. & S. Account			
R. Commius returned Rates foling	4	13	9
J. Flynn do do do	7	10	"
James Walsh do do do	18	5	"
J. Nicky Coffins cutters	1	5	3
Peter Fealish returned Rates foling	3	17	6

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

Establishment Account continued

J. Flynn wages	4	15	"
Rev. P. Daly Salary	19	15	"
Rev. J. Deaur do	6	5	"
J. Price Asst. Master	5	"	"
Mr. O'Shaughnessy motion	8	15	"
J. Deaur paper Books	2	15	6
Clerk Union part of office	9	17	6
Thomas Liberty wages	14	7	6
Spady part of Bills	5	6	5

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 chairman as one of the visiting Committee reported that the Workhouse and its Dormitories was in a most clean and order state, and read the following observation which was made in the visitors book by a gentleman from Leeds who visited the House within the past week.

"The best conducted Workhouse I have yet seen in Ireland, attention is being paid to reproductive employment with satisfactory results"

Officers Reports

The master recommended that the oven be taken down, as it was desirable that more room should be available for the proper working of the hot plates

Ordered. to be done.

The master reported that the shed was completed at West House.

Ordered. That the medical Officer do report as to the number it will accommodate.

That the following persons absconded from the Workhouse and took with them a suit each of the Union clothing. Matthias Comer, Michael Shefferson, Coleman Sandz, & Richard Barrett.

Ordered. That the police be requested to arrest the parties.

The master submitted for the inspection of the Board a specimen of Lissie Woolley manufactured in the house from materials prepared in the house.

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

The Board highly approved of the article and gave directions to the master to prepare as much of it as possible and have it made up into jackets & trousers for the boys and men.

Required the following, 8 dining hall tables, 2 dozen large buckets, 1/2 dozen small buckets, 250 yards of corduroy, 1/2 tree of pale leather, 2 pieces of upper leather, 4 white wash brushes, 4 scrubbing brushes, 2 fallows prepared oil, 12 brass black studs, 2 moor. Bells, 3 doz tips & nails, 2 stone whitening, 1 Putty Knife, 100 yards Calico, 6 lbs black thread, 12 lb Hemp, 3 knives & 4000 nails. - Ordered

The medical Officer reported that he visited each of the auxiliary Workhouses. the inmates are quite healthy.

Hospital report week ending this day.

No of men in Hospital	42	admitted during week	62
" women "	59	Discharged "	53
" children "	174	Died "	11

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 of 22 Feb adding townlands and separating others from the parishes of Union, and altering the Electoral Division of said Union. The Board ordered, that the Relieving Officers do attend at the Workhouse on each day during the next week and prepare a detailed List of the paupers at present chargeable to such townlands, according to the best of their knowledge in their districts, to facilitate the allocation of the paupers on the newly formed Electoral Divisions, and that they be required to have such Lists ready for the Board on Monday the 11 March, and that each member of the Board be requested to attend on that day without fail.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 22 Feb No. 954/50 relative to persons being qualified to vote in the next election of Guardians.

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

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 22 Feb No. 775/50 suggesting to the Board the propriety of appointing an assistant Schoolmistress for the West house and dispensing with the services of wardmaid.

Ordered. That the Commissioners be informed that an assistant Schoolmistress has been appointed - That Mrs. Benn's services be dispensed with and that 3 or 4 steady paupers women be sent to West house to assist in superintending that Establishment and that the Commissioners be informed of this arrangement.

Poor Law Commissioners circular of 22 Feb No. 134/50 relative to the insurance of the property and additional buildings, and that the clerk do request the several auxiliary Workhouses and as to spinning of flax & wool in the Workhouses.

The Board referred the letter to Mr. Summerville and Mr. Hall to consider as to the insurance of the property and additional buildings, and that the clerk do request the said Lords to insure the buildings of the auxiliary Houses.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 22 Feb No. 687/50 stating that the Treasurers letter to the Guardians as to the judgements to the several Rate in Aid Act is a sufficient voucher.

Poor Law Commissioners circular 22 Feb No. 156/50 forwarding sealed order relative to the altering of

the Electoral Divisions and stating that the orders for the adjustment of the Liabilities at the time of change &c will be forwarded in due course.

Ordered. That the masters and assistant masters, be required to make out a return of the Value of all the property in the Union (not being real property) and that same be laid before the Board on next Board day.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 23 Feb No. 601/50 advertive to minutes of 15 Inst. and stating that the resolution requesting the Commissioners to apply to the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury for assistance to extend the accommodation will receive the Commissioners attention, and that the Commissioners will address the Guardians as to the use of Coeca.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 23 Feb No. 601/50 relative to resolution of this Board on 15 Inst. as to the extension of accommodation and requesting to be furnished with an estimate of the cost of same to enable the Commissioners to apply to Her Majesty's Treasurer.

Resolved. That the clerk of works be required to prepare and lay before the Board an estimate of the cost of the additions and alterations which have been executed, in course of execution and in contemplation at the principal Workhouse and auxiliaries to enable the Guardians to communicate with the Commissioners on the subject.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 23 Feb No. 601/50 expressing their sanction of the interments in the Parish Church Burial ground (temporary) as also of the discontinuance of the stores and Storekeepers in the Union, and enclosing queries to be answered by the assistant Schoolmistress and the person who may be appointed Hospital nurse.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 28 Feb No. 688/50 relative to the Bond of Mr. Griffin Relieving Officer and requesting that same may be signed by the second security.

The Clerk stated that Mr. Griffin would attend with his second security on tomorrow to sign the Bond.

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).

Rev. Law Commissioners letter of 28 Feb. 1845 acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter of 23 Inst. as to the agreement with Rev. Mr. Daly for the right of interment in the Parish burial ground for the sum of £50. and requesting to be informed of the nature of the title of the Rev. Mr. Daly to the cemetery referred to, and in what manner he is able to secure to the Union a perpetual right of interment therein—

Ordered. That the clerk do request the Rev. Mr. Daly to furnish a statement shewing his title and in what manner he can secure to the Union a perpetual right of interment in those burial grounds and that the clerk on receipt do forward a copy of same to the Commissioners.

Read letter from National Education Office dated 28 Feb. containing the following extract from the District Inspectors report relative to the schools of the Workhouse—

"The Teachers are well qualified as regards their literary acquirements, and their method of conducting the business. In consequence of the resignation of the Head Teacher and the absence of the assistant who was before the Board of Guardians as candidate for the situation of Head ~~teacher~~ Master I examined only the boys in the Agricultural class. The answering was satisfactory— In the Sewing department I examined the classes minutely and considering the number instructed and that the teacher is without an assistant the school is doing fairly—"

The Clerk laid before the Board a notice which came addressed to the Board of Guardians from the Office of the Court of Insolvent Debtors in Ireland relative to Sir J. C. Blake an Insolvent.

The Inspector observed that the clerk should know from the Collectors if any of them had taken proceedings against Sir J. C. Blake for Poor Rates and if they had obtained decrees to lay a statement of same before the Board on next Friday—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

day of

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(Signed)

the

Clerk of the Union.

Read letter from Mr. Clarke requesting that three pounds of his claim be transferred to Mr. P. Lambert.

Ordered. To be done

Read letter from Mr. Gilligan requesting payment of the balance of his account for collection fees—

The Board promised that he should get £20 on account on next Friday—

Read letter from Mr. Kelly (Porter) stating that his health would not permit him (for another month) to resume his duties and enclosing a certificate from a medical gentleman to that effect and requesting another month's leave.

Ordered. That leave be given and that James Bonnell be appointed Porter in his absence & that he be paid at the same rate viz £15 a year with rations and apartments—

Read letter from Bartholomew Lodge requesting the Board to transfer £5 of his claim to Mr. John Harrison—

Ordered. To be done—

Rev. Mr. Father made a claim of £7.6.8 for rent of a Poor Hospital at the Island of Lethamree from the 1st July 1848 to the 10 February 1849.

The Board on enquiring of the Clerk found that the place was never occupied and on referring to the minutes of the Vice Guardians on 1st June 1848 find that the House was taken at £10.00 per month, subject to the house being approved of on inspection—no subsequent minute appearing as to the house being approved of—

Resolved. That a copy of the Vice Guardians minute of the 1st June 1848 be forwarded to Mr. Father, and that he be informed that the Board have nothing before them to justify the payment of his claim—

Mr. Blakeley Solicitor attended the Board and read for them a copy of a statement made by him to the Commissioners relative to the Bonds against Messrs. Jennings and Clayton as securities for Mr. Martin - Mr. Blakeley also read a letter from Mr. Rice's attorney stating that he would not accept of the offer of £100 -

The Board therefore left the matter in the hands of Mr. Blakeley to take defence to any proceedings which may be taken by Mr. Rice -

Mr. Sumner as one of the Finance Committee reported that the sum in Bank would not admit the Board to pay another dividend of 5% in the pound, and asked the Board would they order the payment of the current accounts.

The Board were unanimous in ordering payment of the current accounts -

The Board ordered, That an advertisement be inserted that all Rates must be paid before persons can vote in the next Election of Guardians -

Ordered, That a Committee be formed of members one of each of the District Committees, to meet on Monday the 11 March to consider and determine the extent of Relief Districts and the number of Relieving Officers required under the present arrangement of Electoral Divisions as newly constituted - The Committee to be Mr. Morris, Mr. George Burke, Mr. Killian, Mr. Rush, Mr. Mansell, Mr. Athy, Mr. B. O. Slahutz, Mr. Redington, Mr. Claunchy, Mr. Kirwan, and Mr. Robert Bodkin and that the Clerk do give those gentlemen notice to attend on the above day -

Mr. O'Kelly made a claim for £2.16.4 for medicine supplied by him to the Carraroe Hospital in August 1847.

The Clerk stated that the account was laid before the Vice Guardians previous to their leaving office but that as no voucher was produced and the Bill not being certified by any person, they would not pass the Bill.

Mr. Sumner proposed, and Mr. Harrison seconded, That Mr. O'Kelly be paid the amount of his claim. A poll having been taken their appearance for payment 4. against it 5.

The Board refused payment on the same ground that payment was refused by the Vice Guardians.

Ordered, That Ventilators be placed in the roof of the Bakery.

That the offer of Mr. Francis Conyn to be the manager at Dangan Linn at 14/- per An was accepted -

The Local Committee at Moycullen to whom the account was referred recommended payment of the claim made by Mr. Jones Collector for Moycullen on the 22nd Ultimo for Horses 7th employed by him during the period that the Police were assisting him in the Collection of the Rate in that Division. amount £22.16.0.

Resolved, That the Commissioners be requested to inform the Guardians if the above amount can be charged to the Electoral Division in which the opposition was offered to the Collector -

Mr. Fitz Gerald Revising valuator attended before the Board with his field books, and the Board requested that he would prepare and lay before the Board on next Friday the Valuation Books for any divisions which he may have completed -

The Clerk stated that the Recorder on the 22nd Ultimo gave 15% costs against the appellants in every case where the Rate was affirmed and requested

the Board would call on the Solicitor to procure the orders of the Court. so that the costs may be recovered,

The Clerk was directed to write to Mr. Blakeley on the subject,

The Clerk also called the Board's attention to 17 orders of appeals in which costs were awarded to the Union which were handed to the Solicitor so far back as the 30 November for recovery of the accounts from the parties liable

Ordered, That the Solicitor's attention be called to the matter with the view of his taking immediate steps for the recovery of the costs awarded to the Union -

The consideration of tenders for the additional works at Dangan was referred for a fortnight -

The Board having considered Mr. Flynn's Claim for Salary as late assistant Master at Merchants Road -

Ordered, That same be laid before the Finance Committee on next Board day for their report -

The Board ordered that the Chaplains would note on their Book in future the progress made among the children as laid down in article 62 of the Commissioners order for management of workhouses -

It appearing to the Board that previous to commencing proceedings against immediate Lessors by Civil Bill it was necessary for them to give the parties 14 days notice of the Guardians intention to proceed, forms were accordingly prepared, and the meeting adjourned to the following day to sign them -

Richard A. M. Kiwan
Ch.

Galaxy Union

At an adjourned meeting of the Board held on Saturday the 2 March 1850 -

Present. In the Chair, Richard A. M. Kiwan Esq. D.D.C.
other Guardians, John Resington,
John Harrison,
R. V. Summerville,

The Collectors having attended the Board signed 14 days notices to be served on Immediate Lessors against whom Civil Bill proceedings will be taken at next Quarter Session agreeably to the 30 Section of 12 and 13 Victoria, Chapter 104.

Next meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 8 March 1850.

Richard A. M. Kiwan

Population in 1841, Present Net Annual Value,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *2* day of *March* 18*50*.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.				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.			
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Additional Workhouse,	<i>1940</i>													
Permanent Fever Hospital														
Fever Sheds,														
Total,	<i>3585</i>													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			<i>42</i>	<i>109</i>	<i>558</i>	<i>1348</i>	<i>808</i>	<i>720</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>45</i>		<i>3970</i>	In Workhouse Hospital, <i>257</i>	In separate Wards with other inmates, <i>7</i>
Admitted during the Week,			<i>3</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>64</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>167</i>	
TOTAL,			<i>45</i>	<i>113</i>	<i>576</i>	<i>1412</i>	<i>839</i>	<i>745</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>53</i>		<i>4139</i>		
Discharged during the Week,			<i>1</i>		<i>42</i>	<i>79</i>	<i>50</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>5</i>		<i>240</i>	
Died,			<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>			<i>5</i>	<i>1</i>			<i>14</i>	
Total Discharged and Dead,			<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>45</i>	<i>82</i>	<i>50</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>9</i>		<i>254</i>	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			<i>43</i>	<i>112</i>	<i>531</i>	<i>1330</i>	<i>859</i>	<i>714</i>	<i>58</i>	<i>44</i>		<i>3585</i>		

Fever 33
Dysentery 94
Other cases 130
Total 257

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

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No. I.	<i>116</i>	<i>207</i>	"	"	<i>116</i>	<i>207</i>	Bt. forward						
No. II.	<i>78</i>	<i>164</i>	"	"	<i>78</i>	<i>164</i>	No. X.	<i>3</i>	<i>5</i>	"	"	<i>3</i>	<i>5</i>
No. III.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XI.	<i>7</i>	<i>19</i>	"	"	<i>7</i>	<i>19</i>
No. IV.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XII.	<i>9</i>	<i>19</i>	"	"	<i>9</i>	<i>19</i>
No. V.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XIII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VI.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	<i>11</i>	<i>16</i>	"	"	<i>11</i>	<i>16</i>	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	<i>15</i>	<i>28</i>	"	"	<i>15</i>	<i>28</i>	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	<i>13</i>	<i>21</i>	"	"	<i>13</i>	<i>21</i>	No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,	<i>252</i>	<i>479</i>	"	"	<i>252</i>	<i>479</i>

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Friday* the *8* day of *March* 18*50*.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Richard A. W. Kirwan Esq. D.V.C.*
Other Guardians: *Randal C. S. Atty, Nicholas Lynch, John Meland, Edward C. Mansell, Nicholas Hillian, John Harrison, R. N. Lummerville, Anthony R. Mullin, William Blauchy, Bernard O'Shaughnessy, and William Costello Esq.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. *10747* to No. *10917*, 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. *31762* to No. *31844*, 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, - £190 13 6
 Paid during the week, - £564 17 0
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was - £451 13 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 Potatoes collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining.
Lane & Cross	Galweg No. 1	£ 76 13 0	£ 2678 2 8 1/2
do	Arran	" " "	548 2 0
		70 13 0	3226 4 8 1/2
Ed. Considee	Galweg No. 2	" " "	2292 15 0
In Anes	Inycullen	22 7 3	1066 14 3 1/2
Ter O'Brien	Killanin	10 " "	2253 9 8 1/2
J Gill	Outerard	13 10 "	1433 1 9 1/4
R Kelly	Armadown	17 7 4	763 3 4 3/4
do	Celauegalweg	13 19 "	308 2 3
		30 9 1	1071 5 7 1/4
C O'Brien	Lackagh	10 13 6	335 15 1 1/2
do	St. Henry's	" " "	344 6 5
		10 13 6	680 1 6 1/2
J O'Brien	Craunmore	1 " 5	579 16 1 1/2
do	Ballinacourt	5 19 5	612 16 10 1/2
do	Shadally	20 " 6	179 2 1
		27 " 8	1311 15 11 1/4
	Total, -	190 13 6	13335 8 7 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:

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 0 s. 4 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	197	0	4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	177	12	3 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	177	12	3 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	0	10 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	0	1	8
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:

250 lbs of bread	225 lbs of meat
7 tons of Rye meal	500 Pouches of Flour
3 " " Barley meal	4 bottles port wine
4 " " Indian meal	4 " Malaga wine
1 " " oat meal	40 lbs of candles
112 lbs of Cocoa	168 " " Soap
6000 quarts of milk	56 " " washing
12 ton of Salt	56 " " Ordeal
7 lbs of Tea	5 " " moulds
280 " " Sugar	Candles
4 " " Soft Sugar	14 " " Snow
35 " " Pepper	root

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 2 day of March; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	0	9	6
In kind,	11	0	2
Total,	11	9	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.	
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
No. I.	Cornelley	"	1/2 ton meat	19	Bt. forward	"	1 ton	8.3.6	
No. II.	Petit	"	"	4.19	No. X.	"	"	"	
No. III.	Juffin	"	"	"	No. XI.	"	"	"	
No. IV.	Ditree	"	"	"	No. XII.	"	"	"	
No. V.	Ward	"	"	"	No. XIII.	"	"	"	
No. VI.	Creaven	"	"	"	No. XIV.	"	"	"	
No. VII.	Morris	"	"	"	No. XV.	"	"	"	
No. VIII.	Cullen	"	"	"	No. XVI.	"	"	"	
No. IX.	Terin	"	"	"	No. XVII.	"	"	"	
Car. forwd.		"	1 " 8.3.6		TOTAL,	"	1 " 8.3.6		

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.
Michael Munnery Calico &c	13	5	7
John O'Farry (Clerk) payment of small Bills	7	14	7

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

2. Establishment Account.

John O'Farry (Clerk) payment of Sadlersmens Bills for week ending 28 Feb & 7 March	88	17	-
John O'Farry (Clerk) payment of small Bills	8	2	6
M. Sweeney on ac of contract	10	"	"

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Clerk Union pay of small Bills	1	15	-
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Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

- June -			
Burial Account			
M. Lemmings on acct of Coffins	5	"	"
Outstanding B's Account			
A. Gilligan on ac of fees	20	"	"
General & Law &c Acc't			
Clerk Union pay of small Bills	"	3	"
Medical Relief Acc't			
Clerk Union pay of small Bills	"	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:

That the Workhouse and Dormitories are clean and orderly -
 That the milk supplied this morning was bad, and that a supply of good milk was had in its stead -
 That the Barley meal supplied was not equal to sample, Ordered. That the Contractor's attention be called to the matter with a request that good meal will be supplied in future -

Officers Reports

Master reported that Pat Walsh pauper from Moycullen Division absconded from the Workhouse taking with him the Union clothes -
 Informations to be sworn against him -

That the Assistant Master and Assistant Matron were married on last Saturday morning by the Protestant Chaplain -

Recommended that a boiler be erected in one of the yards for the purpose of purging the flax thread &c approved of -

That the following women whose husband were found to be outside and at work were discharged - Honor Feezy,
 The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:
 Peggy Barr, Mary Nolan, Kelly Small, Penny Delaphe, Mary Clisham, approved of -

The Master stated that in consequence of his having been taken up with the Relieving Officers in making out the lists of the paupers for the Board on Monday he was unable to prepare the return required on last Board day of the property of the Union, but would do so by next Friday -

Required the following, 800 yards of Calico, 1 doz Cards, 10 gallons rape oil, 6 lbs black thread, 20 yards of Calico, 2 lbs of black thread, 2 gross large buttons, 3 gross of small buttons and 5 barrels of Lime, Ordered -

Medical Report week ending this day -

Men - 47	}	admitted - 64
women - 63		Discharged 35
Children - 183		Died - 13

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

Poor Law Commissioners letter 5 March 1850 No. 1106.3 acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter relative to D. O'Brien's claim for attendance on a Relieving Officer who received an injury in the discharge of his duties, and stating that the Commissioners are not aware that the expenses in question are legally payable out of the Rates of the Union - Ordered, That a copy of this letter be forwarded to D. O'Brien -

Poor Law Commissioners letter 6 March 1850 No. 156 in reference to the order recently issued altering the boundaries and reconstituting the several Divisions of the Galway Union, stating that the rates made previous to the time of change remain collectable under the warrants already issued, and should be placed in the Union accounts to the credit of the former electoral Divisions, and stating that in making new rates on the Union as now constituted no arrears of rate made on the former divisions should be carried forward, as same will continue collectable under the whole warrants -

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 6 March 1850 No. 11181 offering no objection to the payment of Messrs. McDal's claim for interments during the prevalence of cholera in 1849, and stating that the Commissioners await the reply of the Board of Guardians to their letter as to the proposal of the Messrs. McDal to give them a perpetual right of interment in his burial grounds - The clerk stated that agreeable to the order of last Board he communicated with the Messrs. McDal as to his title and that he laid his reply before the Board and had forwarded a copy of same to the Commissioners -

Poor Law Commissioners letter 7 March 1850. No. 7601 relative to the substitution of Cocoa to the class of Infantes from 9 to 15 years and enclosing a copy of a report from D. Phelin the Inspector on the subject stating that the ablebodied Infantes may get Cocoa until the milk gets more plentiful, but the class referred to should get milk once a day, and that the Commissioners concurred with D. Phelin's report -

Ordered, That the Commissioners letter be complied with and that the class from 9 to 15 years do get milk for 1 meal, but that the Guardians are of opinion that Cocoa will do very well for the ablebodied as no bad effect occurred from the use of it up to this time -

Poor Law Commissioners letter 7 March 1850 No. 7756 relative to a report of the Medical Officer of the Workhouse as to the use of more vegetables and less meal in the soup given to the inmates, and stating that they do not think it would be a judicious alteration - Ordered, That the Commissioners letter be complied with -

Read letter from Mr. Fitzgerald Valuator stating that he would be able by next Board day to lay the Valuation Books for Killarney and another Division -

Read letter or memorial from Mrs. Scam late wardmaid at the West House auxiliary House, requesting the Board to consider her claim for compensation while she had charge of West House as matron -

The clerk stated that Mrs. Scam was always considered to be only a wardmaid what she was first appointed to, but that she was removed from Merchants Road to the West House, when cholera broke out in the latter place -

Messrs. Harrison and Killian Guardians gave notice that they would on Friday the 22 March move the Board to grant compensation to Mrs. Scam for her services while in charge of West House auxiliary Workhouse -

Read letter from John Pierce requesting the Board to transfer to Messrs. Mullin & Keene the sum of £108 14 6 being the balance due him on foot of his execution dated 24 April 1849.

Mr. Mullin produced to the Board a power of attorney on a proper stamp given by Pierce to Messrs. Mullin & Keene to receive the amount.

Ordered, That the above be accepted -

Read letter from Mr. Bather stating that he would be able to prove to the Board the occupation of the House at Lettermore by the Vice Guardians by the evidence of Mr. Keed and Mr. O'Brien the then Relieving Officer -

The Board having considered applications for the situation of Apiculturist to the farm at the Dangan Auxiliary Workhouse -

Proposed by Mr. O'Flaherty and seconded by -
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.)

Mr. Harrison. That Michael Meera be appointed Apiculturist to the Dangan auxiliary Milkhouse at a Salary of £35 a year with rations and apartments subject to approval of inspection. Securities John Harrison and John Redington -

The Board having considered applications for the Office of Head Nurse to the Infirmary -
Resolved, That the appointment be postponed till Monday next at 12 O'clock -

The Rev. Mr. Bathen attended the Board and proved to the satisfaction of the Guardians that possession of the house taken from him at Lettermore was given to the Vice Guardians -

The Board deferred till a future stage of the proceedings making an order on Mr. Bathen's claim - but promised Mr. Bathen who was obliged to leave town at one O'clock that an order would be come to before the Board adjourned -

Read Letter from Mr. Maltby, dated stating that a portion of the Burial ground of Rahoon lately taken by the Board from the Rev. Mr. Daly for the interment of deceased paupers was her property same having been added in with the Burial ground by the Rev. Mr. Daly when walling in the Burial ground -

Resolved, That as the Commissioners are just now considering the title of the Rev. Mr. Daly to the Burial ground of Bushy Park and Rahoon that a copy of Mr. Maltby's letter be forwarded to them as also a copy to the Rev. Mr. Daly -

Mr. Consideine came before the Board to know how his expenses would be defrayed for serving 14 days notice on parties not resident, the Solicitor having requested him to do so previous to proceeding by process being commenced -

Ordered, That the Solicitor do take the necessary steps for recovery of the sums ~~due~~ returned to him and that any expense attendant on the proceedings will be defrayed by the Union -

The further consideration of Mr. Maltby's Bill for Salary as assistant Master at Machaults Road was deferred till next Friday -

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

The Chairman read Letter from Mr. Bodkin requesting that the claim of Francis Burke be considered by the Board -

Ordered, That same be laid before the Board on next Friday -

The Collector from Cooteragh complained to the Board that the Magistrates did not attend at the Petty Sessions of Cooteragh for the last 2 Court days -

Resolved, That in consequence of the non-attendance of the Magistrates at the Petty Sessions of Cooteragh, and upon the report of Mr. Mill the collector for this Division that the several persons whom he had summoned for rescue are allowed to stand over, this Board are of opinion that directions be given to Mr. Mill that these defaulters be summoned in future before the Magistrates at the County Court Petty Sessions always which are held on every second Saturday -

The Clerk reported that agreeably to the order of last Board he wrote to the Solicitor requesting him to obtain the order of the Court of appeal in favour of the Union, and to take steps for the recovery of those already in his possession, but received no reply from him, and that several persons who obtained costs against the Union were pressing for the amount -

Ordered, That the Clerk do again write to the Solicitor and urge him to obtain the orders referred to &c -

Resolved, ^{also} That as the Weekly Collection of Rate is now very low and not sufficient to meet the weekly expenses that the Solicitor's attention be again called to the instructions already issued to him to proceed at the next Quarter Sessions against defaulting Immediate Lessors and occupiers, and that the Board hope he will use his utmost exertions to obtain decrees for the several sums returned to him as due -

That the offer of Catherine Poon to take the 2 heaps of broken stones near Moycullen @ 1/6 per cubic yard be accepted, and that Mr. Puffin the Measuring Officer be requested to measure the stones -

The clerk called the Board's attention to the Resolution of the Board on the 9th Nov. as to procuring a new set of books for the Workhouse and auxiliaries. The master stated that the books of the original Workhouse were since repaired =

Ordered, that the clerk of works be directed to procure a new set of books for the auxiliary Workhouse at Dangan =

The Board having again considered the Rev^d Mr. Cather's claim & when Mr. Harrison proposed and Mr. Blanche seconded and agreed to unanimously =

That the chairman Mr. Kirwan be requested to make an offer of £13.0.0 to Mr. Cather in full for his claim, and that the Relieving Officer Mr. Ward be requested by the clerk to proceed to the Island of Lettermore to take up possession of the house from Seahill the person at present in it, and that he do give up possession to the Rev^d Mr. Cather or to whoever the Rev^d gentleman may appoint =

The clerk stated that he wrote to the Landlords of the auxiliary Houses relative to the insurance of them but received no reply from any of them =

That the clerk do again request a reply =

Clerk reported that steps had been taken by Mr. Summerville to have the property and the additional buildings of the Workhouse insured in both offices =

The Clerk reported that the Bond of Mr. Juffin was signed by the 2nd Security on last Saturday =

Mr. Martin clerk of works stated that he would lay before the Board on next Monday the estimate of the cost of the additional buildings as required of him at last meeting =

The chaplain's book was produced by the clerk containing observations from the Rev^d P. Daly as to the injustice of obliging him to attend to the sick of all the auxiliary Workhouses: as to the order of last Board day relative to the instruction of the children, and as to the injustice done him by the Commissioners in reducing his salary from £100 to £70 a year although he offered to provide for the religious care and instructions of the principal Workhouse, and the Dangan and West House auxiliary Houses, for the former sum yearly =

Resolved, That the Clerk do forward copies of the Rev^d Mr. Daly's observations to the Commissioners for their information and consideration as to the proposal of the Rev^d gentleman =

The clerk stated that it would be well if the clerk of works was requested to lay before the Board on next Monday a report as to the state of the works at the principal House and the auxiliaries.

Ordered. To be done =

Meeting adjourned to Monday the 11th March

W. M. Murray

At an adjourned meeting of the Board on Monday the 11 March 1850.

Present. In the chair, Richard A.H. Kiwan Esq. D.V.C. other Guardians, William Clauhy, John Deland, Martin Morris, Nicholas Kilian, James Blake, John Harrison, John Redington, Henry Griffin, Anthony R. Mullius, Bernard O'Flaherty, Nicholas Lynch, Francis Conyn =

The Board adjourned the appointment of nurse to Friday next and the clerk was directed to advertise again.

The clerk laid before the Board a statement made out by the Clerk of works agreeably to the order of the Board on the 1st Inst. of the sum to be applied for by the Commissioners to Her Majesty's Treasury for providing extension of Workhouse accommodation =

The Board having considered the necessity for erecting a Boundary Wall in Dangan, they accordingly directed the Clerk of works to make out an estimate of the cost of same and bring it forward on next Friday so that the amount may be included in the estimate of the other works before forwarding it to the Commissioners.

The Board then proceeded to allocate the paupers on the new divisions.

Next meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 15 March 1850 =

Richard A.H. Kiwan

Galway UNION. Population in 1841, Present Net Annual Value,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9 day of March 1850.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.			
Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, . . .	1615	295														
Total, . . .	3585	3827														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			43	112	531	1230	149	144	155	145	11	11	3885	In Workhouse Hospital in Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates	7
Admitted during the Week, . . .			3	6	314	402	21	8	11	4			147			
TOTAL, . . .			46	118	565	1632	170	22	166	15			4027			
Discharged during the Week, . . .			2	1	29	45	15	5	8				151			
Died,			2	3	3	3	2	6	2	2			21			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			4	4	31	48	21	7	10				180			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			42	114	534	1629	149	15	156	13	11	11	3847			
														Fever		22
														Dysentery		94
														Other cases		167
														Total		283

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

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No. I.	114	205	"	"	114	205	Bt. forward	228	417	"	"	228	417
No. II.	78	164	"	"	78	164	No. X.	3	5	"	"	3	5
No. III.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XI.	7	19	"	"	7	19
No. IV.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XII.	5	12	"	"	5	12
No. V.	2	2	"	"	2	2	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	1	3	"	"	1	3	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	9	14	"	"	9	14	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	11	21	"	"	11	21	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	8	8	"	"	8	8	No. XVII.						
Car. forward	228	417	"	"	228	417	TOTAL,	228	453	"	"	228	453

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 15 day of March 1850.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Anthony O'Flaherty Esq. D.V.C. 15 day of March 1850.

Other Guardians: Nicholas Kilian, George O'Connell, E.G. Bunker, William Clauhy, Martin Morris, John Harrison, Henry Griffin, John Deland, John Redington, Walter Blake, Richard Kiwan, Thomas Palmer

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 10911 to No. 11054 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. 3784 to No. 3784, 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:
 Mr. O'Flaherty being Chairman of the Grand Jury having vacated the chair Mr. Kilian was called there to.

John Hall Esq.
M.H. Hassell Esq.

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, - £274.10.7
 Paid during the week, - £64.12.6
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was - £88.10.7
 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 Potatoes 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. Croft	Galweg No. 1	267	8 2 8		
do	Aran	548	2 0		
				3226	4 8
E. Cousins	Galweg No. 2	60	6 6 2 2 8 6		
J. Jones	Moycullen	11	2 10 5 5 12 3		
J. O'Brien	Killanin	11	2 2 1 2 9 8		
J. Gill	Outerard	11	8 1 1 2 1 3 9		
R. Kelly	Annadown	40	12 4 7 2 4 10 0		
do	Claregalweg	7	2 6 3 0 0 1 9 9		
		47	15 10 1 2 3 9 9		
E. O'Brien	Lackagh	20	2 1 3 1 5 1 4		
do	Atheury	3	1 7 3 1 4 8 9		
		24	6 5 6 1 6		
J. O'Brien	Oranmore	11	1 5 7 9 1 6 1 1 3		
do	Ballaacourt	2	1 4 6 1 0 2 1 0 2		
do	Strabally	108	4 3 7 0 1 7 1 0		
		110	18 3 1 2 0 1 7 8		
	Total,	276	10 7 2 0 5 1 0 0		

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 £ 197. 7 s. 2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	197	7	2 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	176	4	1
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	0	10 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	0	1	8
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:
 2500 lbs Bread
 600 lbs Meal
 4 " Barley Meal
 4 " Indian Meal
 1 " Oatmeal
 112 lbs Cocoa
 6500 quents Milk
 6 lbs of Tea
 280 " Sugar
 4 " Soap
 30 " Pepper
 212 lbs Meat
 4 Bottles Port Wine
 400 boxes of Soap
 40 lbs Candles
 100 " Soap
 56 " Washing Soda
 5 " 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 9 day of March; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	£	s.	d.
In kind,	-	-	-	0	0	7
Total,	-	-	-	10	4	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 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.				Article and quantity.	Value.
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
No. I.	Delomely		1/4 Ton	4.1.9	By forward		1/4 Ton	10.4.4	
No. II.	P. Pettit		1/2 "	4.1.9	No. X.	Matyran			
No. III.	M. Puffin		"	"	No. XI.				
No. IV.	M. D. Aris		"	"	No. XII.				
No. V.	M. Ward		"	"	No. XIII.				
No. VI.	M. Brearley		"	"	No. XIV.				
No. VII.	J. Morris		1/4 Ton	2.0.10 1/2	No. XV.				
No. VIII.	P. Cullen		"	"	No. XVI.				
No. IX.	J. Herin		"	"	No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.			1/4 Ton	10.4.4	TOTAL,		1/4 Ton	10.4.4	

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.

John O'Grady Clerk Union for payment of small bills £ 25

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

2. Establishment Account.

Ryely Richard Cooper, Work 5 8 0

Duffey Thomas Wages of Storekeeper and Store Rent - 7 0 0

John O'Grady Clerk payment of Tradesmen's Bills 18 12 11

John O'Grady Clerk payment of small bills 8 12 11

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.

Outstanding Credits of William Dwyer late Relieving Officer balance of Salary. 3 15 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:

to report from the visiting Committee.

Officers Reports

The master requested the Board to state what crop they would put in the Workhouse ground.

The master called the Board's attention to the large quantity of turf which is being consumed at the auxiliary houses at Merchants Road.

The assistant master of Merchants Road was sent for and cautioned to be more particular in future as to the consumption of turf.

The master called the Board's attention to the necessity of providing a sufficient supply of water.

That very many panes of glass were broken in the new sheds at West House, and that the Schoolmistress could not account for them.

Required, 12 sweeping brushes, 24 white wash brushes, 18 scrubbing brushes - Ordered -

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

Material required 6 gross black studs, 10 lbs white thread, 10 lbs black thread - Ordered -

The master at Dangan reported that the following boys absconded with the Union clothing on their way to Chapel at Bushy Park, Michael Mealy and Pat Keave.

The Board expects that the officers there will prevent such in future.

Required for the horse, 1 sack of oats - Ordered -

to report from the medical Officer.

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

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 8 March No. 11462/50 approving of the appointment of Mr. McKean as schoolmaster at the salary proposed.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 9 March No. 12968/50 requesting to be furnished for the House of Lords in a separate communication and as early as possible with a return showing the Writs and Executions issued against the guardians of this Union in the year 1849, specifying the amount of the debt and where sales took place, the amount recovered in every instance. The clerk stated that he supplied the return.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 9 March No. 13315/50 forwarding a copy of a letter from Mr. Nicholas Lynch of Barua to the Commissioners relative to the allocation of the paupers.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 9 March No. 11463/50 relative to the queries answered by Miss Shaughnessy the assistant Schoolmistress, observing that she has been a pauper inmate superintendent of children and stating that they ^{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:}

Pauper to be a paid officer in the Union very desirable, but in consequence of Mr. Ball's report relative thereto they do not object to her appointment as a temporary arrangement.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 9 March No. 9544/50 relative to the practice of ordering Outdoor Relief to parties without stating for what period, and stating that such a practice was never intended, and that the guardians are responsible for the legality of such relief.

The Board stated that in consequence of the accommodation now available in the Workhouse and the no at present on Outdoor Relief would be admitted, and that on deciding in future on any new cases the Board will see that the Commissioners circular be complied with.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 11 March No. 1167/50 relative to the regulations for the elections of guardians requiring a certified return to be sent up on the 8 March, and requesting to be informed why such was not complied with.

The clerk stated that he wrote to the Commissioners to say that by the sealed order deferring the election proceedings he was not obliged to forward the list of candidates until the 15 March.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 11 March No. 12281/50 relative to Mr. Jones claim for cart hire in conveying seizures made by him for rates, stating that if the collector had the guardians direction for procuring the carts it may be paid and charged to the Union @ large, but that the ordinary way is for the collector to include the claim in the account of costs.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 11 March No. 11151/50 sanctioning the increase in Dr. Richardson's salary from £40 to £50 per annum.

Letter from central Board of Health 11 March No. 2606/50 requesting to be furnished immediately with a return relative to the temporary Fever Hospitals in the Union. The clerk stated he would supply the return to the Board of Health.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 11 March No. 11150/50 requesting to be informed immediately of the return of expenses of the Union for December as furnished by the clerk includes the cost of maintenance for the out-door Union. The clerk stated that he wrote to the Commissioners to say that the expenses for out-door Union for December was included in the monthly return for December of expenses.

Poor Law Commissioners Circular of 13 March No. 170 m/50 requesting to be furnished during the current week with the return of expenses and liabilities of the Union for February last.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 13 March No. 13989/50 stating that their letter of the 11 Inst. relative to the list of candidates duly nominated was not intended to be sent here.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 14 March No. 13560/50 relative to Mrs. Flattley's letter to the guardians as to the Rahoon Cemetery, and stating that they have communicated with their solicitors as to the Rev. Mr. Daly's title to the burial ground of Rahoon and Bushy Park. Ordered, That a copy of the Rev. Mr. Daly's letter relative to Mrs. Flattley, communication be forwarded to the Commissioners.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 14 March No. 14235/50 as to Clerk's letter requesting the Commissioners to postpone the time for reading the lists of candidates duly nominated, stating that if they cannot be forwarded on the day prescribed without interfering with the collection they request they may be sent on Saturday.

Poor Law Commissioners letter of 14 March No. 14240/50 as to Clerk's letter of 13 Inst. relative to employing assistance in the election, and not objecting to same for so long as it may be absolutely necessary, and observing that under No. 120 & 30 of the Election Order, the cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books. returning officer is to be assisted by the Collectors Ditto, disallowed in issuing voting paper and ascertaining the validity of votes.

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 Rev. Mr. Duly relative to Mr. Flaherty, communication to the Board as to Rabbon Cemetery =

Read Letter from Master of Newcastle stating that he had caused the auxiliary Milk house held from him at Merchants Road to be insured =

Read letter from Mr. Kensington Dangan stating he was not bound to insure the premises at Dangan as they were held by Lease from him =

Read letter from the Solicitor dated 12 March in reply to Clerk's letter and stating that he was not able to obtain an authenticated copy of the orders of the Recorder on the several appeals to enable him to prepare the orders for the signature of the Recorder

The consideration of this letter was deferred to tomorrow =

Read letter from the Solicitor 12 March in reply to Clerk's letter as to proceedings against defaulters and stating that his best exertions will be made to obtain decrees =

The guardians deferred the further consideration of urging on proceedings till tomorrow =

Read notice from Mr. J. O'Kelly threatening proceedings for the amount of £216.0 due him if not paid within 21 days =

The Board signed 14 days notices for all the immediate Lessors against whom proceedings are to be taken by Civil Bill and forwarded them with full lists of occupiers and immediate Lessors to the Solicitor with a request that he would not allow a moment to pass by before same would be served, and process issued - agreeably also to the request of Mr. Blakeney the Collector attended him to receive the notices for service on the immediate Lessors =

The Board adjourned to Saturday at one o'clock to dispose of the other business =

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the

16 day of March 1850.

W. H. Flaherty (Signed)

Wm. J. O'Connell
Clerk of the Union.

Adjourned meeting of the Board held on Monday the 15 March 1850.

Present in the chair. Anthony O'Flaherty Esq. M.P.

Other Guardians, R. H. Kirwan, Wm. Harrison, Wm. Blakeney, Thomas Salway, Wm. Deland, R. H. Summersell, A. Killian, A. Gnech, Francis Long, A. M. Blake, James Browne, Anthony Mullins, Ambrose Rush, Martin Morris, Athol Deland, Esq. Wm. Hall Esq. P. D. & Assistant Guardian =

The Clerk laid before the Board the Commissioners letter as to the claim of the collector for Traycullen division for expenses of carts employed by him in conveying seizures while the military were employed with him expressing their opinion that such expenses should be charged to the Union at Large =

Resolved, That we consider that it would be unjust that the expenses of hiring carts and horses for the purpose of removing seizures made for rate should be charged on the Union at Large but are of opinion that it should be charged on the Electoral Division in which the expense is incurred and we would feel obliged by our Inspector Mr. Hall communicating with the Commissioners on the subject =

The Board having considered the Solicitor's letter relative to the appeals and the Clerk having submitted several orders of appeal lodged with him by several appellants, and stated that the parties were pressing for the amount =

The Board decided not to pay the amount of any of the orders until the orders which were made in favour of the Union were procured by the Solicitor and the amount recovered =

Read letter from Gleeson & Clarke Solicitors applying on the part of the Rev. Mr. Father for £20. the amount of rent due him =
Mr. Kirwan produced a letter from Mr. Father stating that he would not accept the offer of £15.00. more

by the Board on the 8 Inst.

Resolved, that Mr. Kirwan be requested to make an offer to Mr. Fisher of £15,000 the entire sum with a request that he will under the circumstances of the Union accept of the previous offer of £13,000.

Read Letter from Dr. O'Brien late Medical Officer of the temporary dispensary at Lettermore claiming £1000 a day for his services while attending on Cholera patients in the year 1849.

Ordered, that Dr. O'Brien be informed that the Board cannot give him any more than 50s a day, the same as was paid to the other medical men in the same service.

It appearing to the Board that from the extent of accommodation now available at the Workhouse, and the small number of persons in Outdoor Relief, that Outdoor Relief may be dispensed with altogether after the termination of this week, and it was

Resolved, that the necessary orders be made on the Relieving Officers books to that effect.

Mr. O'Leary having come before the Board when they stated that his appointment was temporary for one month, and directed him to proceed to Dangan and to make arrangements for taking stock as soon as possible. The master was also requested to attend Mr. O'Leary when taking stock and to lay a return of same before the Board on next Friday.

The chairman, Mr. Hall and a few other members stated they would meet him this evening at Dangan and consult as to the cropping of the ground there.

Read Letter from Mr. Hill Collector for Louth Division complaining of the non-attendance of Magistrates at the Petty Sessions of Louth, in consequence of which he was unable to obtain summonses to be served on the defaulters.

The chairman requested that the collector Mr. Hill would attend at the next Petty Sessions of Louth when he would attend there himself, and that he was quite sure a regular attendance of Magistrates would be secured there for the future.

The Board decided on cropping the Workhouse grounds with potatoes, and gave instructions to the Agriculturist to prepare it as fast as possible for the purpose.

The master's report as to the want of water in the Workhouse was considered, when it was

Resolved, that the Commissioners be requested to direct their Architect to furnish to this Board plans for the supplying of water from the river Corrib to the Workhouse, the well at the Workhouse not being equal to give a sufficient supply of water, and that the man heretofore employed in drawing water to the Workhouse at 2 1/2 per load be continued for the present.

The Board having considered the appointment of Nurse to the Infirmary.

It was proposed by Mr. John Deland and seconded by Mr. Blakeney and seconded unanimously.

That Mrs. Phoebe Hamilton be appointed Head nurse of the Infirmary at a Salary of £10 a year with apartments and rations, and that John Deland and James Martin Esq. be approved of as her Sureties.

The Inspector having submitted a statement of the proposed Relief Districts into which in his opinion it would be advisable to form the new divisions.

The Board adopted same and made the following arrangements.

No. 1 district to comprise. Furlough, Killanin, Telerna, Kilcummin and Spiddal Divisions, the Board.

Resolved, to continue Mr. Martin Ward heretofore acting for the Killanin division to act as Relieving Officer for the above district and that the guardians for the above divisions and the Ex-Officio guardians be formed into and act as a Relief Committee for the above district, the Committee to meet at Spiddal on Monday in each week =

No. 2 district to comprise Kilsconeena, Inllohyne Moycullen and Barua Divisions, the Board

Resolved, to continue Mr. Griffin heretofore acting as Relieving Officer for Moycullen North, to act as Relieving Officer for the above district, and that the guardians of the above divisions, and the Ex-Officio guardians be formed into and act as a Relief Committee for the above district, except the Electoral Division of Barua, which, being within 6 miles of the Workhouse, applications therefore will be considered at the Workhouse on every Friday, the Committee to meet on each Monday =

No. 3 district to comprise of Galway Division, the Board

Resolved, to continue Mr. C. Connolly, heretofore acting as Relieving Officer for the Galway East district, to act as Relieving Officer for the above district =

No. 4 district to comprise of Armadown, Lincamauan Claugalway, Carrabrown, and Carunore divisions, the Board

Resolved, to continue Mr. Fynn heretofore acting as Relieving Officer for the Ballinacourt and Stradbally divisions to act as Relieving Officer for the above district, and that the guardians of the above divisions and the Ex-Officio guardians be formed into and act as a Relief Committee for the above district, except the Electoral Division of Carabrown, which being within 6 miles from the Workhouse, applications therefore will be considered at the Workhouse on every Friday - the Committee to meet on each Thursday =

No. 5 district to comprise of Lachaghbeg, Belleville, Aughmin, Lisheenavilla and Deerpark Divisions, the Board

Resolved, to continue Mr. Fullen heretofore acting as Relieving Officer for Lachagh and Athery divisions to act as Relieving Officer for the above district, and that the guardians of the above divisions, and the Ex-officio guardians be formed into and act as a Relief ~~and~~ Committee for the above district, the Committee to meet on each Thursday =

No. 6 district to comprise Ballintemple, Craunore, Stradbally, Ballinacourt and Clarenbridge divisions the Board

Resolved, to continue Mr. Kerin heretofore acting as Relieving Officer for the Craunore Division, to act as Relieving Officer for the above district, and that the guardians of the above divisions, and the Ex-Officio guardians be formed into and act as a Relief Committee for the above district, the Committee to meet on each Thursday =

Resolved, that considering the large extent of the above districts the Salary of each of the above Relieving Officers be increased from £30 to £40 a year, and that the Poor Law Commissioners be requested to sanction same =

Resolved, that in consequence of the enlargement of the Relieving Officers districts, the services of the following Relieving Officers be dispensed with -

Peter Petitt, Morgan D'Arcy,
Matthew Creaven, & James Morris -

Resolved also, that the services of the latter mentioned Relieving Officers be continued for a week or thereabouts, until the allocation of the paupers be completed, their accounts closed, and all stock and books &c. given up =

Mr. Fullen Relieving Officer was directed by the Board to proceed to the Workhouses of Soughrea and Innam, and get Lists of the paupers in said Workhouses and on Out-door Relief and chargeable the Innam which are now in his district, and which have been taken from the Unions of Innam and Soughrea and added to this Union - as also to prepare lists of the paupers receiving Relief from his district in this Union from Innam which have been taken from this and added to Soughrea and Innam Unions. Mr. Fullen was also directed to make arrangements for the conveyance of the paupers in those Workhouses to this Workhouse and to request the guardians of those Unions, to make the same arrangements for the transfer of the paupers in this Workhouse and that he immediately take charge of such paupers if any as are receiving Out-door Relief in the Innam in his district recently added to the Soughrea Union, and that he charge them to their proper Electoral Divisions subject to the approval of the Board of Guardians =

Messrs. Kerin & Flynn Relieving Officers received similar directions from the Board as to the alterations between Soughrea and Innam in this Union =

Mr. Blakney the Solicitor attended the Board at the request of the meeting to inform them as to the state of the proceedings against defaulters at the next Quarter Sessions, when he informed the Board that he was fully prepared from the Lists placed in his hands to proceed at the next Sessions, but that he feared the Lists contained some names against whom it would be useless to take proceedings, and that in any case the amounts for

which he was proceeding would not be available for a few months =

The Board then went over the Lists, and the Chairman initialed such names as he would proceed against, and handed them back to the Solicitor =

It was proposed by Mr. Sumner and seconded by Mr. Harrison and carried unanimously,

That as little or no rate can now be collected unless by proceedings at the Quarter Sessions &c. and that as the amount for which such proceedings are being taken will not be available for a considerable time, and the sum in bank being only £90, while three weeks of the current expenses are unpaid

Resolved, That our Chairman Mr. O'Flaherty be requested to make an application to the Commissioners for assistance from the State in Aid to enable this Board to carry on the affairs of the Union and pay the current accounts. Resolved also, That the Chairman Mr. O'Flaherty be requested to make application to the Poor Law Commissioners for a sufficient sum out of the Government advances to discharge the liabilities of this Union to Contractors =

Ordered, That the Clerk do advertise for tenders from persons to paint the work and flagging of the Principal Workhouse and Danigan, tenders to be considered on Friday the 29 March, the specification to be seen at the Clerk's Office

The Board adjourned to Tuesday the 17 March =

W. O'Flaherty

W. O'Flaherty

Galway UNION.

Population in 1841,

Present Net Annual Value,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *16* day of *March*, 18*50*

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		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,													
Temporary Buildings,	445	1203											
Additional Workhouse,	2380	2584											
Permanent Fever Hospital,													
Fever Sheds,													
Total,	4025	3767											
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			112	114	534	128	775	708	18	26	34	"	"
Admitted during the Week,			4	5	17	36	28	13	5	2	1	1	"
TOTAL,			116	119	551	164	803	721	23	40	1	1	"
Discharged during the Week,			6	7	35	55	30	19	3	4	"	"	154
Died,			"	4	4	6	"	4	3	7	3	"	33
Total Discharged and Dead,			6	5	39	61	34	22	6	10	7	"	192
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			110	114	510	158	769	705	18	33	1	"	1376

Seven *20*
deputies *84*
other cases *179*
Total **283**

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *16* 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.	114	205	"	"	114	205	Bt. forward	217	409	"	"	217	409
No. II.	78	164	"	"	78	164	No. X.	3	5	"	"	3	5
No. III.	"	"	4	4	4	"	No. XI.	7	19	"	"	7	19
No. IV.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XII.	9	15	"	"	9	15
No. V.	4	4	"	"	4	"	No. XIII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VI.	4	4	"	"	4	"	No. XIV.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VII.	6	11	"	"	6	11	No. XV.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VIII.	11	21	"	"	11	21	No. XVI.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. IX.	8	8	"	"	8	8	No. XVII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
Car. forward	217	409	"	"	217	409	TOTAL,	234	448	"	"	234	448

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Friday* the *22* day of *March*, 18*50*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Anthony O'Maherty & Co.*
 Other Guardians: *William G. Murray, William Stanley, A. M. Munnell, Harry Jonesford, Anthony Mullins, Nicholas Hillian, John Keenan, Arthur Keenan, James Blake, Randal Atley, E. E. Munnell, Richard A. Keenan, Edward O'Maherty, John Jamison, Henry Griffin*

John Kelly, P. L. O.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1100 to No. 1171, 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. 3784 to No. 3784, 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, - £117.6.11

Paid during the week, - £116.16.7
And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £9.0.1

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 Corp	Galway 1	54	13	6	2623	9	2 1/2
"	Arcon	0	0	0	548	2	0
		54	13	6	3171	11	2 1/2
Edward Mariadine	Galway No 2	0	0	0	232	8	6
Jonathan Jones	Magallen	12	5	0	1063	7	3 1/2
James O'Brien	Millanin	17	3	11	2225	5	9 1/2
John Gill	Augheraid	8	0	0	1413	3	3 1/2
Richd Kelly	Amadown	10	8	6	711	1	6 1/4
"	Claregalway	1	13	4	49	8	0
		11	19	9	1011	0	0 1/4
Charles O'Brien	Sackagh	0	0	0	315	7	2 1/4
"	Athensy	0	0	0	340	8	9 1/2
		0	0	0	656	1	6 1/2
James O'Brien	Oranmore	6	9	6	573	7	5 1/4
"	Ballymore	7	15	8	602	7	7 1/2
"	Shadally	"	"	"	470	1	10
		14	4	9	1186	12	11 1/4
	Total	118	6	11	1494	11	1 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 £ 192.18 s. 6 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ 192.18.6 1/2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	173.13.11 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	173.13.11 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0.0.10
Average cost in Infirmary,	0.1.0
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:

2000 lb white bread	30 lb pepper
4 1/2 bushels meal	2 1/2 lb meat
3 " Barley meal	4 quarts whiskey
4 1/2 " Indian meal	4 Bottles of wine
1/2 " Oatmeal	200 Boxes of Soap
180 lb Cocoa	25 lb dip Candles
5500 quarts milk	224 lb Soap
1/4 bushels	112 lb Washing Soda
6 lb Tea	3 lb Mould Candles
280 lb Sugar	
4 " loaf sugar	

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

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

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 16 day of March; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In money,	£ 0.8.6
In kind,	10.1.4
Total,	10.10.10

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.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	Connelley	"	"	"	Bt forward				
No. II.	Petit	"	"	"	No. X.	Morris	"	"	"
No. III.	Spiffin	"	"	"	No. XI.				
No. IV.	D. Carey	"	"	"	No. XII.				
No. V.	Ward	"	"	"	No. XIII.				
No. VI.	Quacken	"	"	"	No. XIV.				
No. VII.	Quillen	"	"	"	No. XV.				
No. VIII.	Kerran	"	"	"	No. XVI.				
No. IX.	Hyne	"	"	"	No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.		"	"	"	TOTAL,				

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 McCormac pay &c		6	11	3
John O'Grady payment bills		1	18	9

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

2. Establishment Account.		£	s.	d.
John O'Grady Club payment of Madrasment bill		34	6	10
Timothy Connelly wages		1	19	0
Petrick Higgins newspaper		15	0	0
John O'Grady Club pay of Small Bills		7	0	9
Clubbroad putage &c		0	9	1

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.		£	s.	d.
None				

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.		£	s.	d.
None				
Fever Hospital of Rev. Mr. Guther in full for Rent of the Temporary Fever Hospital at Sthornow upto this day.		14	0	0
Burial Account				
Scummings coffins		9	19	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:

No report from the Visiting Committee

Ordered, That a larger compliment of Sufshaw three days supply for any of the Workhouses be not taken from the Contractor together =

Officers Reports

Master Required the following:

20 Gallons of prepared oil	1 dusting brush
12 Gallons of Turpentine	2 painting brushes
8 Stone of yellow ochre	2 Stone of driers
8 Stone of white lead	
5 Stone of Lambblack	Ordered.
100 needles, 6 lb black thread, 20 bands, line	Ordered

The Master required the following:

4000 yards of Grey Calico	200 large Yarn needles
	Ordered

The Agricultural Inspector requested to know how he would dispose of the Stone of Mangold now at Dunjan. Mr. Harrison, of the Guardian, agreed to take them at Nine Shillings a ton.

The Board accepted of his offer. Requested an order to empty houses and cart to Cart Mennice to the farm at The Dooparts of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows: Dunjan as a large quantity is wanted immediately ordered.

The Medical Officer reports that many of the paupers apply for admission to the Hospital with sore feet occasioned by the sharp broken stones on the yards and recommended that a little gravel be laid over the stones = ordered to be done

The Medical Officer and the Visiting Committee reported some irregularity in the Auxiliary Workhouse of Dunjan lately ordered. That the persons in charge be required to adopt a better system for the management of that Workhouse and that the Board will expect to see some improvement. That he visited the Moyallen Auxiliary Workhouse. The vegetables supplied there were not good and that the children should get more than half pint of milk daily.

ordered that the quantity of milk daily for the class of children from 2 to 5 years be half pint for breakfast and 4 pint for supper in future =

Men	50	admitted	91
Women	64	discharged	45
Children	179	Died	23
Total			293

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

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 14 March 1850 No. 177/50 relative to Vaccination Contracts, and the Vaccination of paupers admitted into the several Workhouses, Resolved, that the portion of the letter relative to the Vaccination of paupers admitted into the Workhouse be referred to the Medical Officer with a request that he will comply with the Commissioners Regulations. That the Commissioners be informed that the Guardians are not aware of any cases of small being at present or for some time past in the Union.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 16 March 1823/50 relative to persons Nominating for the office of Guardian for two divisions

Commissioners Letter 16 March 179/50 requiring to be furnished with a Return of the Sums reserved for account of Rates in aid from the 21st May to 21st March. The Clerk states that he furnished 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:)

Commissioners Letter 16 March 183/50 enclosing copy of their circular 14 December 1849 as to Statements of Claims to title and appointment of properties in the Union of Guardians

Commissioners Letter 20 March 1802/7 relative to the proposal to obtain the use of the cemetery of Busby park & Redcow from the Rev Mr Daly and stating that having considered their Proposal on the Subject they are informed that the title of the Rev Mr Daly to the burial ground in question is not sufficient to secure to the Union the right of using the cemetery.

The Board having considered the present average sum of deaths weekly and that it would before the expiration of 12 months cost more than £50 for interments at the present rate of one shilling a burial.

It was Proposed by Mr Stameridge & seconded by Mr Hawian Resolved that the Commissioners be requested to inform the Board if they consider the Rev Mr Dalys title would be good during his own life, and for the period during which he may act as Parish Priest of the Parish in which the Burial grounds are situated and if so that the offer of the Rev Mr Dalys to allow burials to take place in either or both of the burial grounds for £50 be accepted. Such arrangement in the opinion of this Board being more economical to the Union than any other that could be entered into by the Board at the present time.

Commissioners Letter 20 March 1874/7 relative to a Resolution passed

passed by the Guardians of the English Union as to some inmates in the English Workhouse who belong to the Galway Union & recently constituted and requesting the Commissioners to order James to be transferred to the Galway Union. The Clerk states that he wrote to the Commissioners to say that this Board at meeting on 18th instant made the necessary arrangements for relieving at once the pauper in the English Workhouse and Galway Workhouse who belong to this Union as recently constituted, as also the pauper receiving out relief (if any) in the Union.

Commissioners Letter 21 March 1846/7 relative to the supplying of water to the Workhouse and stating that they have called the attention of their Architect to the matter.

Read Letter from Mr D. Donohue enclosing an address and Resolution passed by the Poor Law Association in Manchester as to the Working of the Poor Law.

Letter from Henry Shaw proprietor Commercial Journal Dublin soliciting from this Union at the low rate of 1 1/2d a line. Ordered that he be requested to send a copy of his paper to enable the Guardians to consider if it would be advantageous to publish in his journal.

Letter from Mr Rochfort solicitor requesting payment of Mr Glynn's salary as late Assistant Master of Merchants Road. Ordered that he be informed that some will be paid when funds will be available.

Read Letter from Mr James Smith Messrs Broth's requesting payment of the sum of £41.14.0 being amount of adu of Court on appeal and if not paid on this day that he will put the matter into the hands of his Solicitor for recovery of the same. Ordered that Clerk do inform Mr Smith that his letter will be considered at next meeting of Guardians.

Read Letter from Mr Gill Collector for Captains claiming payment of expenses of self and Witness for attendance at the next Assize prosecuting parties for venue.

Read Letter from Mr P. O'Hallerty Kilgobbin requesting payment of his bill for board of Workmen while left in his charge and stating that he had the cases of provisional relief and applications for relief were considered and delivered up to decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	.....
of which the <u>Widows & aged & infirm</u> disallowed	.....
to the order of <u>the Board</u>	.....
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	.....
<u>Ordered</u> that Mr O'Hallerty, bill as well as similar bills be paid when funds are available	.....
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).

Read Letter from the Relieving Officers James Morris and Matthew Green complaining of their having been discontinued in the late reduction of that Staff while persons not so long in the employment were continued.

The Chairman stated that Henry Mearns, Kate Pappas, complained to him during the past week of Mr. Morgan Darcy also having been discontinued while Mr. Ward a person not long in the employment had been retained.

Mr. William Clancy gave notice that he would on this day forthright propose that the Claims of the Senior and Deserving of Relieving Officers who have been discontinued in consequence of a general reduction of that Staff be considered on that day with a view of continuing said Senior & Deserving Relieving Officers as the board may decide.

Read Letter from Mr. Higgins, Agriculturist, demanding that the Board would give him a testimonial. Deputed Mr. Munday.

The Clerk laid before the Board an Estimate amounting to £1106:13:0 prepared by the Clerk of Works of the Com. required to cover the expenses attending the building of additional Workhouses, accommodation and which said the Commissioners are to apply for to the Lord of the Manors of the County of Wick.

Ordered that the Clerk do forward a copy of the Estimate to the Commissioners without delay and state that from the want of funds in this Union and from the great exertions of this Board in providing sufficient indoor accommodation which has enabled them to discontinue all outdoor Relief they hope the Commissioners will urge on Her Majesty's Treasury the just claim of this Union for the above sum for the purposes mentioned.

The Board considered tenders for supplying for next 6 months Resolved that John Oliver be contractor for fuel at 4 3/4 per 4 lb.

Securities: John Oliver and Martin O'Connell - That Thomas Moore be contractor for supplying for next 6 months Best Oatmeal at 7.0.0 per ton Best Barley Meal @ 5 7/8 per 100 lbs. " Rye Meal @ 6.15 " Best Oatmeal @ 5.10.6

Securities: R. Somerville and Parsons Perce. That Mary Small be contractor for supplying Best New Milk at 4 1/4 per Gallon Butter Milk @ 2 1/2 per Gallon

Securities: James S. Flynn & Bartholomew William Galway

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

(Signed) Clerk of the Union.

That John Cornell be contractor for supplying Turf at 6 1/2 per 100 lbs. Securities: Michael McDonnell of Galway and Daily Turf Merchants. That Michael O'Leary be contractor for supplying Officers at an average price of 3/5 for all sizes, to be accepted according to the Staff deal and one inch in ends having edge at bottom.

That John Connelton be contractor for supplying Tea at 3/4 per lb. " @ 3/10 " for officers / Sugar @ 5/0 " Stone " Sugar @ 6 1/2 per cwt. East India Tea @ 12 per cwt. Whole Pepper @ 11 1/2 lb. Ground do @ do

Goodstrong Whiskey @ 6/0 per gallon Arrowroot @ 1.7 per lb. Potatoes @ 2 1/2 per dozen Hops @ 1.6 per lb. Malt @ 3.6 per stone Shell Cow @ 3 1/4 per cwt. Guinness Porter @ 4 per dozen

West India Molasses @ 12 per cwt. Securities: Patrick Conroy and William Connelton Galway. That William Conroy be declared contractor for supplying Beef & Mutton for officers at 3 1/4 per lb.

do for Hospital (without bone) at 4 per lb. Securities: Michael Dooley and Thomas Conwell Galway. That Mr. Catherine Stacey be declared contractor for supplying Best New Soap (Best Manufacturing) @ 2 1/2 per cwt. Best Candles at 7/10 do

That Thomas Ryely tender for supplying the May Queen Auxiliary Workhouse with best New Milk at 5 1/2 per gallon be accepted. Securities: John Sullivan Senior and John Sullivan Junior of Malaga.

That John Sullivan tender for supplying the same with Turf at 6 1/2 per box be accepted. Securities: Thomas Ryely and John Sullivan Junior Malaga.

That Edmund Mahony tender for supplying any quantity of best wool that may be required for the next 3 months at 16/6 per stone be accepted. Securities: Edmund Lee of Loughlin and Pat Mahony of Killala.

That Patrick Hamilton tender for supplying dyestuffs &c viz Best paint oil at 3/0 per gallon Green Copper @ 2 per lb. " Ground white Lead @ 3/0 per cwt. Turb. Oil @ 3/8 per lb. " Logwood @ 1 1/2 per lb. be accepted.

That the tender of P. A. O'Connell & Co. 36 Bude Street Dublin for supplying any quantity of medicine that may be required for the next 6 months according to the prices set forth in their tender be accepted. Securities: James Lyster and Ralph Moreland Dublin.

That Patrick Conroy tender be accepted for supplying the following Heavy Sole Leather @ 4 1/2 per lb. Sole Leather @ 10 per lb. Light do @ 1/0 " Brown Baize @ 1/6 each Bogie Cloth @ 1/2 " canvas for the several Shoemaking do Superior @ 1/4 " prices set forth in tender

That Hugh O'Connell tender for executing the several printing work required (except such as must be had from Mr. Thom Dublin) at the prices stated in his tender be accepted for the next 6 months. Securities: Thomas Henihan and Patrick McKeon Galway

The Board adjourned to Monday next the consideration of tenders for clothing & bedding, as also for stationery hardware &c and appointed Mr John Harrison and the visiting Committee to inspect the samples and patterns and report to the Board on that day as to the several tenders.

The Master having mentioned to the Board that on dividing the supply of meat among the several officers he is always deficient 6 or 7 lbs and requested the Board would make some allowance for waste

Ordered that 5 lbs per cent be allowed in future for waste and that same be charged weekly in the provision acct.

The Board having considered the decrease in the IR of the Workhouse inmates and the likelihood of the principal Workhouse and Langford with the excellent auxiliary being sufficient to afford accommodation to the poor that will require relief in this Union after harvest next

Resolved that notices be prepared by our solicitor giving six months notice to each of the landlords of the auxiliary houses of West House, Madonia Island, Merchants Road (Clarks) and Merchants Road (Purses) of the Guardians intention to surrender those premises on the 29 September next and that said notices be served on the parties immediately.

The Board fixed Monday next the 25 March for the final allocation of the paupers on the new division and the Clerk was directed to write to each Guardian giving notice of same, as also to the relieving officers.

The consideration of the notice relative to Mr. Benns Salary was deferred to Friday next.

The Chairman laid before the Board a letter which he received from the Rev. Mr. O'Farrell expressing his willingness to accept of £14 in full payment of his claim upto this period for rent of a house taken for a temporary hospital on the Lethbridge Island and requesting that same may be forwarded to his solicitor Messrs. Gleeson and Clarke Dublin

Resolved that a cheque for the amount of £14 be filled in favour of Rev. Mr. O'Farrell for payment of his claim and that he be written to say that same will be forwarded to his solicitor and that the relieving officer of the district of St. Ward has received instruction to deliver up possession.

Mr. J. Kelly laid before the Board a letter which he received from Dr. Davy of Coughtraing relative to his account of 57/6.0 against to on account of St. Dun's Station that he was aware that the late Dr. McDonagh was in the habit of getting medicine from Mr. Kelly

Ordered that this letter be annexed to the notice of law proceedings served by Mr. Kelly for amount of his account

Mr. Hylton and the valuator attended the meeting and the Board having looked over the valuation books for Killamin &

Selma

Selma divisions directed the Clerk to get a copy made of each of the books and send them when completed to the relieving officer in whose district those divisions are situated, to be left open in his office for inspection of Ratepayers and that when they are so lodged with the relieving officer that notice of same be given in the divisions, that notice be also given that copies are open for inspection at the Board Room of the Workhouse.

The Board having considered the vast employment now afforded to able bodied men in this Union and the certainty of any pauper of such class being employed on leaving the Workhouse.

Resolved, that the master do lay before the Board on next Monday a list of all able bodied paupers now in the Workhouse and tickets of discharge be signed by the Chairman on that day for all such paupers.

Meeting adjourned to Monday.

That James Synnott be contracted for supplying Guinness & Porter at 3.9^d ad organ Salt @ 1/3^d acwt.

J. Redington

Adjourned meeting of the Board on Monday the 25th March
Present in the chair R. A. H. Kirwan
other wardens N. Killian, W. J. Murray, R. E. L. Athy, M. Melan,
J. Harrison, M. Morris,

Mr. Cross (the Collector for Aran) having stated that he found it impossible to procure a mode of conveyance to the Islands of Aran.

Resolved, that the Inspector and Commandee of the Coast Guard here be requested to afford him a passage in the Revenue cutter to enable him to collect the Poor rates in that District, as he finds it impossible to procure any other mode of conveyance, and that Mr. Kirwan be requested to communicate with Captain Stumble =

The Relieving Officers having produced a list of the persons in this Workhouse who are chargeable to the Townlands which have been separated from this and added to the Inam & Fort Union =

Resolved, that the Master do discharge all such paupers and that the Relieving Officers do give certificates to them giving the names, age, and the Townlands to which they are chargeable =

The Board having considered the tenders deferred on last Board day

Resolved, that James Davis be declared Contractor for supplying Best Quills at 5/0 per 100, Best Black thread at 2/3 per lb., Best Muscove thread at 2/3 per lb., Best white tape at 3/2 per piece = Best black tape at 4/2 per piece = suspenders 4/2 per pair, strong combs 1/6 per dozen, Best black and white studs 1/6 per gross, Letter paper marked, 6 per line, Best black ink 1/6 per Jar, 3rd size official envelopes at 15/0 per thousand = securities Charles Dean and John Kennedy =

That Michael Killien be declared Contractor for supplying sweeping brushes at 2/3 ^{each} per pair No. 5. white wash brushes at 2/6 each No. 1., Scrubbing brushes at 1/10 each No. 2., Brolcap marked by chairman at 16/6 a ream, pott paper marked by chairman @ 8/6 a ream, Note paper marked by chairman

3/6 per ream = Official envelopes 30/0 a thousand, Official envelopes 2nd size 15/0 a thousand, Letter envelopes at 5/0 a thousand, Best wafers at 1/8 per lb. steel pens @ 3 per Box, waxy 2/0 a lb. securities Nicholas Murray & William Jelwood =

That William Daniel of Dublin be declared Contractor for supplying Bass Rooms at 1/10 each.

The Board then proceeded to allocate the paupers on the new divisions and after fixing over half the paupers of the Fulwar Division. the Board ~~adjourned~~ ^{repaired} to Thursday next the 28 March to complete the allocation, and the Clerk was directed to request the attendance of each warden on each day to determine all disputes regarding the allocation of the paupers in this Workhouse =

Redington

Adjourned meeting of the Board on Tuesday the 26th March.
Present in the chair, John Redington Esq,
other wardens, N. Killian & John Harrison =

That George Parguarrsons be Contractor for piece at 18/6 per yard, equal to sample marked by chairman = for Sichen marked by chairman at 7/2 per yard = shambraz at 5/2 per yard marked by chairman, securities John McNaughton and both of Fulwar =

That N. Murray of Fulwar for cord at 3/ per yard equal to sample marked by chairman, Beupel stripe at 8/ per yard marked by chairman, Drogheda linen at 7/7 per yard marked by chairman, Molerkin at 1/6 per yard = sheets at 1/2 per pair; Rugs at 1/6 a piece, mens caps 9/6 and Boys caps at 8/6 a dozen =

That N. Martin & Sons of Dublin for Linsey Molerkin at 9/2 per yard marked by chairman = Calico at 8/ per yard marked by chairman, Blankets at 1/3 per lb. securities W. Fyrell, and J. W. Feruson Dublin =

That J. Faulkner for Bedtichen marked by chairman at 6/2 per yard, securities John Walsh and M. Drecht Keogh = Dublin =

Meeting adjourned to Thursday to settle all disputed cases in the allocation of the paupers =

Redington

Adjourned meeting of the Board held on 28 March 1850 =
 Present in the Chair, Anthony O'Flaherty Esq M.P.
 other Guardians, J. Harrison, M. Morris, R. William,
 R. Kirwan, =

The Board enquired into very many disputed cases and had the parties before them and fixed the allocation of same = and deferred until Saturday next at 10 o'clock their final decision on some other disputed cases = and the Relieving officers were directed to give lists of such disputed cases not yet enquired into to the Master to enable him to have the parties ready at the pauper Workhouse on Saturday =

Master
 The Board brought before the Board several able-bodied men and the Board signed discharge tickets for them and directed the master to give them one day rations, leaving tickets of discharge were also signed for the paupers in this Workhouse and who are chargeable to the Unions of Inam, Dughead and Fort, and the master was in like manner directed to give them one day rations =

Redington

Galway

UNION.

Population in 1841,

Present Net Annual Value,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23 day of March 1850.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Children under 2 years.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.				
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idlots in Workhouse on the above date.					
Workhouse,																	
Temporary Buildings,																	
Additional Workhouse,	24	802	486														
Permanent Fever Hospital																	
Fever Sheds,																	
Total,	422	536	666														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,				40	114	570	1300	775	179	180	119	34		379	In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital } 29	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, } 7	
Admitted during the Week,				2	4	8	27	20	12	4		2		79			
TOTAL,				42	118	578	1327	795	191	184	119	36		384			
Discharged during the Week,				3	7	38	46	30	18	11		1		154			
Died,				5	1	3	1	2	3	3	4	4		26			
Total Discharged and Dead,				8	8	41	47	32	21	14	4	5		180			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,				34	110	477	1280	761	168	174	114	31		366			

Fever 47
 Dysentery 104
 other cases 144
 Total 295

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23 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.	114	205	"	"	114	205	Bt. forward	212	405	"	"	212	405
No. II.	78	164	"	"	78	164	No. X.	2	2	"	"	2	2
No. III.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XI.	7	19	"	"	7	19
No. IV.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XII.	5	12	"	"	5	12
No. V.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XIII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VI.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XIV.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VII.	9	15	"	"	9	15	No. XV.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VIII.	7	21	"	"	7	21	No. XVI.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. IX.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XVII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
Car. forward	21	405	"	"	212	405	TOTAL	226	438	"	"	226	438

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday, the 29 day of March 1850

PRESENT: In the Chair, Anthony O'Flaherty Esq M.P.
 Other Guardians: John Deland, R. H. Kirwan, John Harrison, John Redington, James Browne, Thomas Palmer, R. D. Sumnerville, Esq. V John Wall Esq. P.S. and Assistant Guardian =

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1172 to No. 11250, 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. 31784 to No. 31788, 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, - £234 12 0

Paid during the week, - £97 17 4

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was - £226 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.
S. Croft	Galway No 1	44	"	"	2579	9	2 1/2
do	Aran	"	"	"	548	2	"
		44	"	"	3127	11	2 1/2
E. Considee	Galway No 2	45	20	"	2185	6	"
J. Jones	Mozcullen	27	186	"	1015	8	7 1/2
J. O'Brien	Killanin	7	"	"	2218	5	9 1/2
J. J. J.	Outerard	33	59	"	1380	8	9 1/4
R. Kelly	Amadour	42	"	"	670	1	6 1/4
do	Claregalway	"	"	"	299	8	6
		42	"	"	969	10	6 1/4
C. O'Brien	Lackagh	"	"	"	315	12	9
do	Athony	6	10	"	333	18	9 1/2
		6	10	"	649	11	4 1/2
J. O'Brien	Craunmore	4	14	"	508	13	5 1/2
do	Ballinacorney	20	1	3	582	6	4 1/2
do	Shodally	"	"	"	70	17	10
		24	15	3	1161	17	8 1/2
	Total	-	234	12	-	1205	17 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 £ 161 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 £161 19s. 2d. ✓

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ 161 19 2

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 168 13 6 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 168 13 6 1/4

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 0 0 9 1/4

Average cost in Infirmary, 0 1 8

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:

2456 lb of bread	30 lb of pepper
4 1/2 tons of rye meal	217 " " Meat
3 " " Barley "	4 Quarts of whisky
4 " " Indian "	4 bottles of wine
1/2 " " oat "	300 boxes of soap
224 lb of cocoa	20 lb of dip candles
4320 Quarts of milk	112 " " Soap
1120 lb of salt	112 " " washing soda
6 " " Tea	2 " " Mould Candles
300 " " Sugar	4 " " Soap
4 " " Soft sugar	
560 " " 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 23 day of March; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	0	4	0
In kind,	-	-	-	-	9	19	0
Total,	-	-	-	-	10	3	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 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.	Comely	"	"	"	Bt. forward	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. II.	Petit	"	"	"	No. X.	Jym	"	"	"	"	"
No. III.	Jiffin	"	"	"	No. XI.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. IV.	D. Arty	"	"	"	No. XII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. V.	Harv	"	"	"	No. XIII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VI.	Creaven	"	"	"	No. XIV.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VII.	Morris	"	"	"	No. XV.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VIII.	Cullen	"	"	"	No. XVI.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. IX.	Perin	"	"	"	No. XVII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
Car. forwd.	"	"	"	"	TOTAL,	"	"	"	"	"	"

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.
Sally McBurnick flay & Sew	4	4	4
Spady (Clerk) pay ^t of Bills	5	2	1

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

2. Establishment Account.

Spady (Clerk) pay ^t of all bills	7	10	4
Spady (Clerk) Habersmens Bills	30	9	6
Spady (Clerk) 3 months Salary	25	"	"
Spady (Clerk) Habersmens Bills	17	13	3
Martin O'Neil Rent	3	"	7

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Thos. M. Reese Ind meal 4 ^c	92	11	6
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Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

None -

Funeral, Election, Law, &c. Account.			
James Smith Over on appeal	14	14	"
Joseph Parker Expenses to Carlow and Dublin to serve notices	5	5	6
Spady (Clerk) pay ^t Coffin Bills	"	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:

No report from the visiting Committee -
Officers Reports.

Master reported that the Contractor for supplying Coffins (Mr. Jennings) was not supplying the Coffins regularly in consequence of which the interments were delayed -

Ordered, that Jennings be required to supply more regularly -

That the Board should name an early day for cancelling the old clothes. The Board appointed John Harrison, Thomas Palmer, and Mr. Kensington as a Committee for the purpose, to meet on Monday -

That the inconvenience and difficulty arising in the Workhouse from want of water obliged the Master to employ another Horse and cart to draw water - Approved of, and that same be continued -

Required the following, 12 sweeping brushes, 12 scrubbing brushes, 2 mops heads, and 7000 yard of calico - Ordered -

The Master at Dangan required the following -

- 300 tin dishes - ordered
- 1 ladle for filling ~~stir about~~ ^{Carpenter to make one} - ordered
- 4 sweeping brushes - Ordered
- 2 quire of common paper - Clerk to supply
- 1 box of steel pens - do
- 1 mops head - Ordered

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

Medical Report week ending this day =

men	admitted during week
women	discharged
children	died

Mr. James Martin of Ross came before the Board to prefer a complaint against Mr. Terence O'Brien the Collector for Killeam -

The Board as on similar cases directed Mr. Martin to put his charges in ~~paper~~ writing which he promised to do -

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

Poor Law Commissioners circular 19 March No. 14080/50 relative to an opinion of the Attorney General for Ireland Obtained by them as to whether proceedings by summons before Justices for Poor Rate are effected by the 11 Sec. of the Act. 12 & 13 Vic. cap. 70 for facilitating the performance of the duties of Justices of the Peace out of Quarter Sessions.

Circular 21 March No. 195/50 forwarding forms for returns of expense, and liabilities of the Union for the month of March, and requesting that same may be forwarded as soon as possible in the ensuing month.

Circular 21 March No. 14674/50 relative to notices of marriage under 7 & 8 Vic. cap. 81. and requesting that same may be returned to the Registrar's Office after the formality required to take place at the Meetings of the Guardians in respect to them shall have been completed. 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:)

Circular 22 March No. 11197/50 requesting to be furnished for the House of Commons of the number of Fever Hospitals supported out of the Poor Rate and the cost of each in the year 1849. The Clerk reported that he furnished the return.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 23 March No. 15028/50 transmitting a copy of a letter addressed by the Commissioners to Mr. Blakeney Sol. on the subject of the proceedings instituted against Martin's Security and enclosing Mr. Blakeney's letter to them for the information of the Board with its enclosures.

Letter 23 March No. 13479/50 requesting to be furnished with queries for the appointment of Mr. O'Leary as assistant Master at Dangan. Clerk stated that he informed the Commissioners that he had already forwarded the queries.

Letter 27 March No. 15498/50 approving of the appointment of Mrs. Hamilton as Head Nurse to the Infirmary at the Salary of £10 a year.

Circular 27 March No. 12969/50 requesting to be furnished for the House of Lords with a return as early as practicable of the Rate collected in the year 1843, and other particulars as to the debt of the Union &c. on 31 Dec 1843. Clerk stated that he furnished the return on this day.

Letter 27 March No. 1538/50 requesting to be furnished with a return of the current rates &c. Clerk stated that he supplied the return.

Circular from the Commissioners 28 March No. 9824/50 requesting to be furnished with the least possible delay with a return of the amount due for advances for additions to Workhouse or Fever Hospitals on 31 Dec. 1849.

Read letter from Mr. George Robert Macdonald late Poor Rate Collector relative to his claim for expenses incurred by him in enforcing payment of the rates and requesting the Board would immediately arrange same to prevent him from resorting to proceedings for recovery of same as parties to whom he became indebted for services rendered him in the collection of the rate were pressing him for payment, and to meet whose demands he had no other resource but the balance due him by the Board. The Board decided on not entertaining his claim and the Clerk was directed to inform him accordingly.

Read letter from Mr. Blakeney 23 March 1850 enclosing notices of surrender to be served on the Landlords of the auxiliaries. The Clerk stated that on last Sunday, he, by the advice of the Inspector dispatched Mr. Parker the assistant to Carlow to serve Mr. Denis Clarke with a notice of surrender of the auxiliary house held from him at Merchants Road, and that he sent another messenger to serve Mr. Thomas Browne of Tuam (Mr. Clarke's agent). The Board signed notices for the surrender of the other auxiliaries named on last minutes, and directions were given to have them served.

Read letter from Mr. Thomas Fitzgerald being Valuator claiming an allowance for the increased trouble thrown on him by the late alterations in this Union and requesting also an extension of time. The Board had no objection to entertain Mr. Fitzgerald's claim application for additional remuneration, and will be prepared when the Valuation is completed to make a fair allowance, but would not extend the time, and Mr. Fitzgerald was directed to be informed 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 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 letter from Messrs. Gleeson & Lalache Dublin, Solicitors, relative to the Messrs. M'Carthy's Claim, enclosing the Messrs. Gentleman's receipt for the £14 as Rent of the house up to the 1st March, and stating he was ready to take up possession from the Guardians on getting 14 days previous notice and on being paid rent from the said 1st March to the time of receiving possession =

The Clerk was directed to request the Relieving Officer (Mr. Ward) to take up possession at once from the caretaker "Scahill" and to inform him that on his coming before the Board his claim for caretaker's wages will be considered, and the chairman stated that he would write to the Messrs. M'Carthy to say that this arrangement had been made =

Read letter from Mr. St. George M.P. relative to the amount of rate due by him in this Union and proposing to the Guardians to pay it during the next 3 months by instalments of £50. The Board deferred until tomorrow making any order on Mr. St. George's letter when they would see the Collectors, as there were many items ~~related~~ related to Mr. St. George which he disputed =

Read letter from Mr. Morgan D'Arcy requesting that £6 10.0 of his Salary, be transferred to Mr. Arthur Deland =
Ordered. To be done =

Read letter from Mr. Thomas Roche requesting that the balance due him viz £36 0.0 be transferred to Mr. Arthur Deland =
Ordered. To be done =

Read letter from Mr. Michael Jennings requesting that the balance due him viz £24 6 6 be transferred to Mr. D'Arcy =
Ordered. To be done =

Read letter from Mrs. Fletcher requesting that £4. of her salary be transferred to Mr. St. George, and read note from Mr. Lambert requesting that the amount of £6 10.0 may be transferred to Mr. William Belwood =
Ordered. To be done =

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the

day of _____ 184 _____

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Read letter from Major Mahon of Belleville relative to a distress made by a former collector (Mr. Poyard) on a tenant of his, and the amount for which such distress was made was allowed to continue as an arrears =

Ordered. That the Collector be requested to explain the matter and that Major Mahon be informed that the fees due Mr. Poyard will be retained until satisfactory explanation will be given by Mr. Poyard =

Read letter from Mr. Higgins late agriculturist requesting a testimonial for the time he served as Agricultural Instructor at Dangan =

The Chairman on the part of the Board signed a testimonial for Mr. Higgins =

The Board having considered Mr. Smith's application for the amount of the order of the Court in his favour viz £14 14.0 =

The Board resolved, that a cheque for the amount be filled =

Mr. Martin Lucey applied for the balance of his contract for building the dormitories at Dangan =

The Board adjourned the consideration until the work would be approved of by the Board & the Club of workmen =

Read letter from Mr. Bullen Relieving Officer requesting £2 11.0 of his Salary to be transferred to Messrs. Nash & Palmer =
Ordered. To be done =

Mr. Hummelville handed into the Board a cheque of the Vice Guardians for £100 N. 11/2, dated, 25 August which he received as a deposit on an insurance, and which he never presented as the seal of Insurance which was then proposed was never carried out, - and as subsequent

arrangements relative to the Insurance of the buildings were
come to and a deposit cheque for £120.00 paid to him =

The Board cancelled the cheque = and

Ordered, That the Treasurer be debited £1
and the Establishment account credited =

The tender of John McLaughlin for repairing the slating and tiling
of a demand window at Dangan for the sum of £2.
finding all materials & labour was accepted =

The tender for painting and glazing the woodwork & windows
of the Dangan auxiliary Workhouse according to the
specification of Clerk of works, the sum of £15.00
sterling was accepted =

Read Memorial from John Keating, (Pauper Shoemaker) praying
the Board would allow him a suit of clothes on his leaving
the Workhouse as he had no clothes (being so long in the
Workhouse) and as he was going to London =

It was referred to the visiting committee
with a request that they will give it consideration =

The Board having considered the notice of motion relative to
Mrs. Bevan's claim for compensation while at West house =

The Board finding that Mrs. Bevan in the 1st
instance was appointed wardmaid at a salary of £5.00.
and that subsequently on Cholera breaking out in April,
she was removed from the Merchants Road auxiliary Workhouse
in charge of West house, but that in consequence of
the great confusion which was created by the sudden
appearance of that malady no record of her removal
or appointment to West house was entered on the
minutes, and the Board having received a satisfactory
account of the manner in which Mrs. Bevan discharged
her duties =

Ordered, That hand bills be posted for tenders from
persons willing to supply the Workhouse with parsnips
carrots, Turnips, onions, (Native & foreign), for the next
6 months, tenders to be considered on Friday next =

The period for which the clerk was allowed the assistant
having expired =

The Board were unanimous in allowing him
the present assistant (Mr. Parker) until the 29 Sep
next at his present salary £40 a year, and the
Poor Law Commissioners are hereby requested to
sanction same in consequence of the great amount of business
still continuing to be done and likely to continue for some
time consequent on the alteration of the Union =

It having been observed that a most offensive odour arose
from the liquid which is being conveyed from the
auxiliary Workhouses to Dangan =

Resolved, That the master should have a quantity
of peat charcoal prepared at the Dangan auxiliary
Workhouse to be mixed with the liquid previous to being
removed from the auxiliary Workhouses as also for preventing
offensive odours in the several Workhouses = and the
master received instructions from the Board as to the
manner in which of preparing same =

The 4 months allowed for the collection of the rate in the
several divisions having expired, and the Board
having considered the necessity of extending the time, for
completing their collection, the ratepayers being
now engaged in putting down crops.

Resolved, That a further term of 2 months
be allowed the collectors to enable them to collect
the available rate yet outstanding =

Ordered, That tenders for supplying flaxen and woolen
wheels as also for repairing wheels be advertised for
tenders to be considered on Friday the 5 April =

Meeting adjourned to Saturday the 30 March =

W. F. Leach

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the day of 184

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	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.		
Workhouse,																
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,																
Fever Sheds,																
Total,																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,													In Work-house Hospital,	In separate Wards,		
Admitted during the Week,													In Fever Hospital,	In Wards with other inmates,		
TOTAL,													Total,	Total,		
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 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 the day of 184

PRESENT: In the Chair, Other Guardians:

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed. The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from 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:

Resolved, That application be made to the Poor Law Commissioners to allow the guardians to grant compensation to Mr. Beum while in charge as motion of West house =

Mr. Francis O'Connor former Relieving Officer having applied to have his bond returned him. His account, having been audited and found correct by the auditors. The Board finding that the Poor Law Commissioners in a former communication stated that they saw no objection to giving up bonds of removed relieving Officers on their accounts being audited and found correct, and if the Board had no charge or complaint against the party. Ordered, That as this board has no complaint against Mr. O'Connor his bond be returned to him =

The Board considered the crop most suited for the Workhouse grounds, and having decided on cropping it with flax =

Resolved, That the clerk do write to the Belfast Flax Improvement Society, and state that this Board intend to crop 4 acres of ground with flax on the improved plan, and request that a statement of prices would be sent, and a sufficient quantity of seed with the preliminary instructions, and that a letter of credit for the amount will be forwarded on receipt of a letter from them =

That the Agricultural Instructor be requested to prepare the Land forthwith =

The Agriculturist having mentioned that the vegetables at Dangan were mostly consumed =

W. Flax

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.

£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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.

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:

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 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).

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

day of

184 .

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.							Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.		Fem.		Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idlots in Workhouse on the above date.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.									
Workhouse,															
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,															
Total,															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,													In Workhouse Hospital	In separate Wards with other inmates,	
Admitted during the Week,													In Hospital	In separate Wards,	
TOTAL,													Total,	Total,	
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 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.
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No. III.							No. XI.						
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No. V.							No. XIII.						
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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 the day of 184

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from 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:

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.

£	s.	d.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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.

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:

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 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).

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1841,

Present Net Annual Value,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 184 .

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in such building on the above date.	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.	
Workhouse,															
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,															
Total,															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,													In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,	
Admitted during the Week,															
TOTAL,													Total, .	Total,	
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 _____ 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.
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No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
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No. IX.							No. XVII.						
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COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 184

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from 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:

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.

£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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.

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:

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

UNION.

Population in 1841,

Present Net Annual Value,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 184 .

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	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.		
Workhouse,																
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,																
Total,																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,													In Workhouse Hospital,	In separate Wards,		
Admitted during the Week,													In Fever Hospital,	In Wards with other Inmates,		
TOTAL,													Total,	Total,		
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 _____ 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.
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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 _____ the _____ day of _____ 184

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

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

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

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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 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:

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 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).

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

day of

184 .

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date.	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,															
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,															
Total,															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,												In Work-house Hospital,	In separate Wards,		
Admitted during the Week,												In Fever Hospital,	In Wards with other Inmates,		
TOTAL,												Total,	Total,		
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 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.							Bt. forward						
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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 the day of 184

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

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

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.

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.

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:

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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).

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 184 .

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	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,															
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,															
Total,															
Remining on previous Saturday, } as per last Return.												In Workhouse Hospital,	In separate Wards, } In Fever Hospital,	OBSERVATIONS.	
Admitted during the Week,												Total,	Total,		
TOTAL,															
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 _____ 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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COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 184

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

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

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Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-
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STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 184 .

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
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COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 184

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

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

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:)

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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).

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 184 .

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
														Children under 2 years.	
Workhouse,															
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,															
Total,															
Remaining on previous Saturday, } as per last Return,															
Admitted during the Week,															
TOTAL,															
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 _____ 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 her.	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 _____ the _____ day of _____ 184

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from 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:

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.

£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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.

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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).

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 184 .

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	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.	Males.	Fem.	In Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
														In Work-house Hospital.		In Fever Hospital.	In separate Wards.	In Wards with other inmates.
Workhouse,															
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,															
Total,															
Remainng on previous Saturday, as per last Return,															
Admitted during the Week,															
TOTAL,															
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 _____ 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.
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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 _____ the _____ day of _____ 184

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from 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:

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.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

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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 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:

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

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 184 .

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys. Girls.		Children under 2 years.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			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.		
Workhouse,															
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,															
Total,															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,													In Work-house Hospital,	In separate Wards,	
Admitted during the Week,													In Fever Hospital,	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL,													Total,	Total,	
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 _____ 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.							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 _____ the _____ day of _____ 184

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ to No. _____, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
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	£	s.	d.
1. Clothing Account.			

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

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

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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 - -

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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.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 184 .

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	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,															
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,															
Total,															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,													In Work-house Hospital,	In separate Wards, with other Inmates,	
Admitted during the Week,													In Hospital,	In separate Wards, with other Inmates,	
TOTAL,													Total,	Total,	
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 _____ 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.							Bt. forward						
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No. IV.							No. XII.						
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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 _____ the _____ day of _____ 184

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

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

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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).

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 184 .

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	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,															
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Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,															
Total,															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,												In Work-house Hospital } In separate } In Fever } In Wards } Hospital } Inmates, }			
Admitted during the Week,															
TOTAL,												Total,	Total,		
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 _____ day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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	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.
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No. IX.							No. XVII.						
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COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 184

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ to No. _____, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 184 .

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1841,

Present Net Annual Value,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 184 .

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Children under 2 years.		Born.		Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.				
Workhouse,																		
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Additional Workhouse,																		
Permanent Fever Hospital,																		
Fever Sheds,																		
Total,																		
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,																In Workhouse Hospital,	In separate Wards,	
Admitted during the Week,																In Fever Hospital,	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL,																Total,	Total,	
Discharged during the Week,																		
Died,																		
Total Discharged and Dead,																		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,																		

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COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 184

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from 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:

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.

£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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.

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:

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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 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).

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on
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Clerk of the Union.

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