

Mr. Michael Kelly rate collector for N^o. 5 District attended the Board and stated that having summoned several defaulters in the amt. of poor rate before the Magistrates at petty Sessions at Killinore and the Magistrates having gone into such complaint granted warrants but afterwards stayed the Execution of such warrants by allowing the parties to appeal to Quarter Sessions.

Resolved that it appears to us that there is no right of appeal given to Parties against whom warrants for Poor Rate have been issued by Magistrates at petty Sessions.

Resolved that our Clerk do communicate with the Magistrates at Killinore Petty Sessions, and draw their attention to the Section of the poor Law relief act, and the poor Law act, which relate to the collection of the poor rate, and requesting that they will furnish this Board with a copy of the appeal, lodged in such cases -

Resolved, that the Salary of the Schoolmaster of this Union be Ten pounds per year, with rations as follows...

£ week
3 lbs meat
5 lbs Bread
3 1/2 qts new milk
24 lbs potatoes.

Resolved that advertisements be issued for Tenders for competent persons for the office of Schoolmaster. Such Tenders to be taken into Consideration on 21 May 1842, and the parties required to attend

Ordered

Ordered that the Schoolmasters room be furnished as follows.

One of the Infirmary Bed Steds
2 Ash chairs from the Board room
The ordinary bed & bedding of the House.

Resolved that the report of the Rt. Rev. D^r. Caven R.C. Chaplain, of the 19th Inst. be inserted on the minutes.

At this period of the proceedings, the Vice Chairman arrived, and took the chair.

The master was directed to furnish at the next meeting an Estimate of the Quantities of Coal, Soap and Candles, required weekly for the House. He was also directed to commence a Dung heap immediately.

Resolved that a check be drawn in favor of Mr. Macklin agent to the Ins fire office, to pay for the policy of his^c on the work House, and that he be informed that it is not liable to Stamp duty.

The Board proceeded to admit paupers -

Resolved that James Waldron, an inmate of the work House & a member of the established Church, be required to attend divine service at the parish Church of Longrea on any Sunday.

The Report of the vestry committee having been read.

Resolved. that applications be reviewed & considered on
this day week. from persons willing to cultivate the work
share fund for a free crop.

Resolved. that the friends of paupers be permitted
to see them on Tuesdays. between the hours of
11 and one o'clock -

Resolved that orders be signed for the following articles
reported by the master to be wanted for the next week

- 250th Bread
- 27th Meat
- 200 Stone potatoes
- 80. Gal. for milk
- 150. Milk do
- 28th Soap.

Mr. Pat Daly. was delinquent Contractor for the
following articles.

- 5th for Calico of wide 5th & 7th.
- Wool Sticks 1. 3th for 1/2 & 2/6. 1/2.
- Strong Home made Thread 2. 1. & 2/4th.
- Strong Canvas 6th 1/2 for 1/2.
- Needles & Thimbles -

The Finance Committee Report that there is 4th
due to James Gay for a Lamp and recommend
that a check be drawn for same

Resolved that a check be drawn in favor of J. W. Coy
for 4th for a Lamp.

Resolved that an order be signed for the following articles

- 24 1/2 for Calico of wide
- 1th 1/2 for Thread
- 1/2 for large & 1/2 for small Sticks
- 12 1/2 for Strong Canvas
- 1/2 for Needles 2 dozen Thimbles

Resolved that the next meeting of this Board
be held on Saturday the 30th Inst.

	James Daly	Chairman
John Smyth	James Daly	Two of the
C. of the Union	John Smyth	Guarantors present

A meeting of the Board of Guardians held at
the Board room on Saturday the 31st of April 1842

Mr John Burke B.^l in the Chair

Mr John Burke B.^l

Thomas J Gully Esq
Law^{er} Fahy Esq
James Smyth Esq
James W Burke Esq

The Register was examined from 186 to 207 inclusive
and being found correct was signed by the Chairman
the minutes of the last meeting having been read.

Resolved that Thomas J Gully be appointed
Warden for Kiltconneran for the ensuing year.

Resolved that Tho^s J Gully, Jas^s W Burke & Jas^s
Huddy be appointed a Visiting Committee for the
ensuing ~~year~~ month

Resolved that the Visiting Committee be requested to
provide the following supplies by contract -
oil for the pump 1st black lead & bush for gears
stabling measures required by the master
Stationary for 3 months
A Box for measuring Stones

Receipts were handed in for the following sums. lodged
by the Collectors -

No 1 District.	Mr Walsh.	£ 28. 4. 6
2		
3	Mr Joyce	11 . . "
4	Mr Burke	43 . 10 . .
5	"	
6	"	
		£ 82. 14. 6

Resolved that a check be drawn in favor
of our Clerk for £ 10. the 7th of July. due the
11th of April 1842

Resolved that
whereas it appears there is a large sum due
for the advances to the Bank. and that there are large
sums still uncollected. The different Collectors
are hereby required to proceed at once to collect the
outstanding poor rates due. and if it appears
that there be not more diligence used and large
sums collected by the 14th of May. & the total or w.
before the 28th. the necessary proceedings will be taken
against the securities. & the salaries of the Collectors.
in answer. disallowed:

Stated from Mr. Ferguson. Clerk of the works having
been read it was ordered that same be
referred to the P. L. Commissioners
Resolved that the Board do adjourn to Saturday
the 7th of May. J. Gully Chairman

James Smyth
Clerk of the Works

Two of the
Guardians present.

At a meeting of the Board of Guardians held at
the Board room on Saturday the 7th May 1842.

In John Burke D^r in the Chair

In John Burke D^r

Edm^d H. Burke E

Ja^s W Burke E

Denis Burke E

Peter Blake E

The minutes of the last meeting having been read
The Register was examined from 208. to 222. Includ-
ing sine and being found correct was signed by the
Chairman.

Resolved that the letter of the Chairman of
the Finance Committee, and their report be
inserted on the minutes

Resolved that as there are so few Guardians
attending the present meeting we do not wish
to undertake the Collection of a new Chairman
and request that Mr. Smith & the present members
of the Finance Committee ^{be} continue ^{to act} until
the 21st Inst.

Resolved that we regret to observe the great
irregularity in the acc^{ts} of the rec^d &
Expenditure of provisions, particularly
the first weeks after the opening of the Work
House, and beg to refer to the Poor Law
Commissioners for Information as to what
manner the master of the Workhouse

be made accountable for the copies sustained, &
any, and tho' there are reports of there not
being a sufficiency of some articles of provision
in some articles of provision in some weeks. We
think it but fair to add that we have received
no complaints of any of the paupers having received
a short allowance. There seems to be a
general system of irregularity, which if the
master is not able to correct in future, it
will be impossible for him to be continued
in his situation. The great difficulty of
an inexperienced man in undertaking a
situation of so much detail, could alone excuse
him in the first instance, which however the Board
hope in future experience will enable him to correct

Resolved that the observation of Mr Burke ^{in the meeting D^r}
the M. P. L. & the statement of the master of the
Work House, be inserted on the minutes. ^{Having} The
Guardians are of opinion, that the master acts
improperly in conceiving that boys from 15 to 16
years of age are unable to work

The Clerk of the Union is directed to ascertain
the accuracy of the several entries ^{in the masters acc^{ts}} from this date
as printed out in page 24, paragraph 10, of
the order of the Poor Law Commissioners for
the Government of the Work House
As then appears great difficulty, and it being
hardly fair to expect that the gent^l who have
kindly undertaken the duties of a Finance Committee
and devote their time to such a work, and as there
are many minute details & calculations to be made
we think it right that the Finance Committee

for the ensuing month, only, be unable to employ a clerk to make the calculations they may deem necessary in order to get the acc^{ts} in a proper state to commence with, and that they conceive such clerk sh^d be done by the poor Law Commissioners, who would supply a person who had a knowledge of the acc^{ts} of the work Houses.

The Rate Collectors handed in the follg.

Rec^d as follows.

No 1	Mr Walsh	16: 16: 0
2	Mr O'Brien	" " "
3	Mr Joyce	27 " "
4	Mr Burke	29 " "
5	Mr Kelly	10 " "
6	Mr. Henry	14: 14: 1

£ 97: 10: 1

Resolved that the Board do adjourn to Saturday the 14th of May Inst.

Chairman
 Member

At a meeting of the Board of Guardians held at the Board room on Saturday the 14th of May 1842.

Sir John Burke, B^t in the chair.

Exofficio

Sir John Burke B^t

Elected

- James O'Brien Esq.
- Thomas J. Jolly Esq.
- Peter Blake Esq.
- Thomas Dany Esq.
- Lawrence Juby Esq.
- Denis Burke Esq.
- Denis Daly V.C. Esq.
- Pat^r Skunk Esq.

The minutes of the last meeting having been read.

The Register was examined from 283 to 258 inclusive & being found correct, was signed by the Chairman.

A letter from the Commissioners, having been read as to the matters acc^{ts} & the duties of the Clerk, it was agreed to be inserted in the minutes.

An order for the election of two Guardians for Patumbra electoral division, having been rec^d and read, it was agreed to be inserted in the minutes.

The following rec^{ts} were handed in from the rate Collectors.

No 1	Dunich	Mr Walsh	£ 27: " "
2		Mr O'Brien	10- " "
4		Mr G. Burke	35 " "
			£ 72 " "

Resolved that orders be received on Wednesday the 18th Inst^t for 50 Beds & Bedding, 356 yds Callico, 100 yds Bengal Stripes, 20 yds Bengal Stripes, 150 yds Flannel, 25 yds mens & 25 yds Womens & Smoothing Irons.

The Finance Committee report that there
is £16:5:5 due to D^r Ginniff's Furniture Contractor
for bal^c of Contract.
also to Pat. Day £41:3:10 for clothing

£16:5:5.

£41:3:10

also Mr. Mullany for meat — " 6:0

also Tho. Ginniff for altho Bui t^c 5:7:8.

and recommended that checks be drawn for same.

Resolved that checks be drawn for the above sums
The Board adjourned to Wednesday the 18th
Inst to consider tenders for clothing &c.

Wm. Burke Chairman

A meeting of the Board of Guardians held at
the Board Room on Wednesday the 18th of May Inst.

Tho. J. Lally Esq. in the chair

Tho. J. Lally Esq.

Jos. W. Burke Esq.

Denis Burke Esq.

Sam^l Esq. Esq.

The minutes of the last meeting having been read

The Register was examined from

Inclusive and being found correct was signed by the
Chairman.

The Board proceeded to open tenders for the
clothing &c advertised for.

Michael Murphy was declared the Contractor for
25 pair mens shoes at 5/2^d & 25 pair of Womens at 4/6

Tho. Macklin was declared the Contractor for six
smoothing irons at 2/2^d & 1/6

Resolved that Mr. Cowan be declared the
Contractor for

16 pair Shirts at 4/6

126 pair Socks at 6^d

80 pair at 8^d &

78 pair at 7^d &

Resolved that an order be signed for 1th of thread

Resolved that the other articles for which Endors
have not been rec^d. be admitted for.

Resolved that the Board adjourns to
Saturday next the 21st Inst.
Henry Clerk of the Union Wm. J. Kelly Chairman

At a meeting of the Board of Guardians held
at the Board Room on Saturday the 21st
of May 1842.

Sir John Burke B^t in the Chair

Parent Joseph Burke Esq^r A. P. S. Commissioner

Ex officio

Elected

Sir John Burke B^t.

Sir W. Burke Esq

Henry Blake Esq.

Edw. H. Burke Esq.

Tho^s. J. Enly Esq.

Patrick Skene Esq.

James Madden Esq.

Denis Burke Esq.

Philip Daly Esq.

Tho^s. Burke Esq.

W. W. Hardy

The minutes of the last meeting having been
read.

Register was examined from 259 to 270 inclusive
and being found correct was signed by the Chairman.

The Clerk having drawn the attention of the Board
to the inaccuracies found in the Master's Books
in the provision Check acc^t. the provision rec^d.
& Consumption acc^t. as stated in the report of the
Finance Committee of the 6th of May 1842. comprising
the 10 weeks ending the 30th April 1842. and the
1st report having again been read.

Resolved that the Clerk do correct the several
inaccuracies in the Master's acc^t. as stated in the
report of the Finance Committee by drawing a red
line ~~page~~ over the entries made in such cases by the
Master and making a correct entry over head instead.

Resolved that our Clerk do check the accounts
up to the present time. and in future report weekly
in accordance with the 10th paragraph page 24 of
the order for the Government of the Work House in keeping
said accounts -

Resolved that we feel bound to tender to
James Smyth Esq^r the Chairman and the other
members of the Finance Committee our acknowledgments
of the great service which they have rendered to
this Union by the unwearied attention which
they bestowed for several days to the examination
of the accounts kept by the Master and for their clear
report on the same. That we therefore beg them to
accept our best thanks and request that
Mr. Smyth and the other ~~members~~ members
will still continue their services as the duty which
they will have to perform in future will be
empowered lightened by the Clerk's attention to
the acc^t.

Copy of Decision of Magistrates at Athenry. p. Sessions
 Athenry Petty Sessions 25th April 1842.

Michael O'Brien Clk. } Summons for non payment of £2.16.0
 of Poor rates. a } Poor rates. Dismissed without
 John Badkin, Esq. } Pledge for not having the number
 of acres in the rate Book.

Magistrates present. James Clarke
 Thomas Mahon.
 William Kelly.

Resolved that John Badkin Esq. be proceeded to the
 next general sessions of the peace for the amt. of his poor rates.

The following rec^{ts} were handed in by the rate collectors.
 for the following sums lodged by them.

No 1 Mr Walsh.	25. 6. 0
2	21. 0. 0
3	
4	
5 Mr Kelly.	18. " "
6 Mr King.	21. 2. 6.
	<u>85 8 6</u>

Resolved that the collector be directed to furnish
 this Board. on Saturday the 4th June with list of
 defaulters in their respective districts with a view
 that the said defaulters may be proceeded to the
 next gen^l sessions of the peace to be held at Longhena
 on the 24th of June next.

Resolved that orders be signed for the following articles
 contracted for on Wednesday last. viz -

Mr Cowan 16 pair Sheets at 4/6
 126 y^{ds} Linen at 6^d
 80 y^{ds} Linen at 8^d
 78 y^{ds} do. at 7^d

Michael Murphy. 25 pair news & 25 pair Womens 5/2x & 4th

Thos. Macklin & Smoothing Irons.

Resolved that orders be also signed for the following
 provisions and necessaries -

250 Stone potatoes
 300^{lb} Bread
 100 gal^{ls} run milk
 150. Skim^d
 13 1/2^{lb} Meat.
 56^{lb} Soap. best yellow.

Resolved. that tenders be received for 300 yards. of
 Linsey holsey according to the pattern lodged with
 the Clk. & 100 yards of Gougeon. to be of a
 good quality. Patterns to accompany the tenders
 to be sent to the Clk. on or before 12
 o'clock on Saturday the 28th May.

Resolved. That an order be signed for 3 bottles
 of port. & 3 of Sherry. with 7^{lb} Lump sugar signed
 by Doctor M^r Hamwell. the Medical attendant.

The Board proceeded to Elect a Schoolmaster.

Longhua Union
Election of Schoolmaster
Saturday May 21st 1842.

Mr. Darby Heir. &

Mr. John O'Brien were the candidates,
on each being examined, personally.
John O'Brien was unanimously elected.

Resolved that John O'Brien be elected
Schoolmaster to the work House, at a
Salary of £10 a year with rations & an
apartment furnished, and that Mr Elliot
Hardy & Patrick Keary be accepted as his
Securities.

The following letter from the Clerk was read.
Sir

Longhua May 21 1842
Having on the 14th Inst. read the Communication
of the poor Law Commissioners addressed to you, as to
my duties. I beg leave to lay before you my views
and intentions, as regards those duties.

When the Board are pleased, to appoint
me the duties are comparatively light & yet it was the
opinion of the Majority of that Board that a
Guinea a week 52 Guineas a year, was a fair &
moderate remuneration however the Commission
would only sanction 40 £ a year & that at that
time the Returning officership was twenty Guineas
a year. It is quite unnecessary for me to state
that the duties of Clerk of the Union have
increased so much so, that not by short of
constant attendance on applications can enable
him to discharge them - by referring to the role
of the Commission for the Government of the
Work House. if you will find from page 20

to 24 Inclusive a detail of the numerous
accounts to be kept, & the duties to be performed
by the Clerk in addition to the checking of
the masters acc^{ts}. under all these circumstances
can it be for an instant supposed or expected
that the duties can be faithfully discharged
for such inadequate remuneration. It is
quite evident that the Commissioners in
forming the Union, did not expect it
for Mr Nicholls in giving an outline of the
probable expense puts down "Clerk of the Union"
from 60 to 80 £ a year. I will appeal to
such members of the fund as are on
the Board, if the duties of the Clerk of the
Union are not at least as heavy as those of
this Secretary, and yet the Salary of the former
is only the fifth of the latter. Had I known that so
much of my time would have been engrossed. I wd not have
looked for the office, my health & my professional pursuits
have been injured by it. However should the Board
be pleased to pay me with a fair remunerative Salary. I will
exchange the duties ^{with} to their satisfaction at any
time convenient to my self & if not still on this day
fortnight tender to them my resignation, giving the interim
to provide a substitute and doing which I shall
discharge the duties as heretofore. Hence the Name to be
in L^d O'Brien's P^t.
Humphreys.

Resolved that the Board take into consideration on the 18th of June
the amt of salary paid to our Clerk with a view to ascertaining the
Propriety of increasing same, and also ascertain the Sums of
Money paid to our Clerk as remuneration for any extra duties
parliamentary returns or contested Elections since his appointment
as Clerk to this Union

The Board proceeded to admit paupers

Resolved that the Board do adjourn to
Saturday the 28th Inst^h

Murphy Chairman

At a meeting of the Board of Guardians, held
at the Board Room on Saturday the 28th
of May 1842

In John Burke B^t in the Chair.

Ex officio

Sir John Burke B^t

Elected

Ja^s W Burke Esq

Law^{er} John Esq

Wm Burke Esq

The

The minutes of the last meeting having been read

The Register was examined from 271 to 290.

Inclusive and being found correct was signed
by the Chairman.

The Joyce

The^s Joyce Rate Coll^r for ct^o 3 handed in acc^t for £23

Resolved that the master having reported
that he requires

2 5 gal^l measure

1 gal^l measure

1 qt do

1 pt do

1/2 do

The Finance Committee be desired to
procure same and that an order be
signed to that effect -

Resolved that the report of the master this day
submitted to the Board be inserted on
the Minutes -

Resolved that the letter of Director Cleary
Rescindator be inserted on the minutes.

Resolved that Mr Pat Fahy be declared
the Contractor for the following necessaries & that an
order be signed for same.

100 Caps 3 Suis at 16^s 6

300 yds Lining Woolsey 9^s 4^d

100 yds best Bonagan at 15^s

50 pair Blankets same price as the last 3 Suis

Lamb 1/5^s 6

50 Corlets at 2/9 2/6 & 2/4

6 yards Calico for Bandages at 3^s

The following are tendered in by the rate collectors..

No 1	Mr Walsh	20	10	4
2	Mr O'Brien	50	10	4
3	Mr Layce	23	"	"
4	Mr McKee	41	"	"
		135	0	4

Resolved that Mr Rehan be declared
the Contractor for 50 Bed Suits 3 Suis at
6^s 5^d & 4^d each & 50 Bolsters at 11^s 6^d that
an order be signed for same

Adelle having been read from the Commissioners approving
of the appointment of Mr O'Brien as Schoolmaster it was
agreed to be inserted on the minutes -

Resolved that the Board adjourn to Saturday
the 4th June next -

Murphy Chairman

At a meeting of the Board of Guardians held at
the Board room on Saturday the 4th June 1842.

Sir John Burke B^t in the Chair.

Sir John Burke B^t
James H Burke Esq

Dennis Daly Esq
Thos J Luby Esq
L^{ca} Luby Esq
James Smyth Esq
Dennis Burke Esq
Edm^d A. Burke Esq

The minutes of the last meeting having been read
Read a letter from the Com^r as to the collection of the rate ordered to be ^{on the 11th inst} collected
The Report was examined from 291 to 299. Inclusive
and being found correct was signed by the Chairman

Resolved That

In consequence of the utter want of Beds & bedding and as the
Contractor tells the Board of Guardians he can not make
& manufacture the necessary quantity of materials in
less than a fortnight. We under the present
Emergency authorize W^m Rehan to procure to
H. Wallace or Galway or both to provide 50 Beds
and we agree to pay the price paid by the Guardians
of that Union for same.

Resolved That Pat Daly be declared the Contractor
the Contractor for 100 yds Bengal Slips at 5^{rs} &
That an order be signed for same.

The follg rate Coll^{rs} handed in the follg rec^d viz
No 1 Walsh 28
2 Woburn 16.

Resolved That

orders ~~be~~ signed for the follg necessaries

350 Stone potatoes	25 th meat
350 th Bread	100 Tin pints
150 Gal ^s W. Milk	100 yds Bengal Slips
200 th do Flour	50 Pair Blankets
One Ton Flour	

Resolved That Pat Daly be declared the Contractor for
50 yds Blankets at 1/8^{rs} in addition to those ordered last day
The sum of ^{smaller} £76:10:10
due to W. G. Armstrong for milk & straw
& remained that same be paid

Resolved That a Check be drawn on
an acct for £76:10:10 in fav^r of W. Armstrong
& his rec^d obtained for same to the 28th inst

Resolved That the Board adjourn to meet
Saturday the 11th inst
Smyth
Chairman
Clark of the Union

At a meeting of the Board of Guardians held at the Board room on Saturday the 11th of June. 1842.

The Honble. A. Nugent in the chair.

Robt. D. Avey Esq.	Honble A. Nugent
Genl. H. Burke Esq.	James Smyth Esq.
	Thos. J. Sully Esq.
	Wm. O'Shugh Esq.
	Peter Blake Esq.
	Mr. Francis Hardy
	Mr. James Madden
	Sam ^l Esq.
	John J. Keene Esq.
	Denis Daly Esq.
	Denis Burke Esq.

The Board proceeded to read the minutes of the last meeting.

The minutes being of the last meeting having been read.

The Register was examined from 340 to 337 and being found correct was signed by the chairman.

At this period ^{of the proceedings} the Vice Chairman, Denis Daly Esq. arose and took the Chair.

The follg. acct^s were handed in by the rate Coll^rs

No. 1 Mr Walsh.	£10—
2	"
3 Thos Joyce	32
4	
5	
6 Mr Henry	9: 11: 8
	£51 " 8

Resolved that orders be signed for

One Ton Oatmeal	150 Gall ^s beer & 200 Skinned milk
300 Stone potatoes	16 ¹ / ₂ lbs meat
400 lbs Bread	

The Finance Committee report that the follg sums are due. Resolved that sums be paid - to

For Bread to Miss Daly.	26: 5: 7 ¹ / ₂
For Coal to Mr Macklin	21: 9: 0
For Potatoes to Mr Daly	46: 3: 4
For Carriage of Books to Mr Martin	3: 9
For Paper & Stationery to Mr Macklin	11: 10: 2
	<hr/> 105: 11: 10 ¹ / ₂

Resolved that a check be drawn in favor of P. Macklin & Co. for the above sum. They also report that there is a q^r salary due the master, Mathew & poster. Resolved that a check be drawn in favor of J. J. Kelly for a quarter salary, viz £16: 5: 0 from 25th July to 25th May last, to be paid to the master.

Also Mr. Broderick for the sum of £2: 10: to 10 pence.

Resolved that our clerk be requested to write to the Commissioners relative to the printing of the House.

The Board adjourned to the 18th June. 1842

Denis Daly Chairman.

At a meeting of the Board of Guardians held at the Board room on Saturday the 18th June 1842.

In John Burke B^t the chair

Mr John Burke B^t

Charles James E.

Rob^t V. Arney E.

W. H. Burke E.

James Lynch E.

Thomas Dany

James Madam

Peter Blake E.

Denis Oaly E.

The minutes of the last meeting having been read.

The Register being here examined for No. 337 to 376 inclusive & being found correct was signed by the Chairman.

The Clerk reports that he has examined the Masters acc^{ts} so far as the provision receipts & Consumption acc^{ts} and the provision Check acc^{ts} from the period they were checked by the Finance Committee, as well as previous, the relief list has not been completed by the Master, when it is (which the Master states will be in a week) he will be able to ^{report} to the Guardians as to their accounts from the opening of the House to the present.

The Rate Coll^{rs} have handed in the following receipts.

No. 1	Mr. Walsh	£ 39. 12. 6
2	Mr. Bruin	27. 10. 0
3		
4	Mr. G. Burke	53. " "
5	Mr. M. Kelly	54. " "
		£ 174. 2. 6

Resolved that an order be directed to issue to the meat contractor to supply the best quality of mutton that the parties now disappointed of, J. J. Brinknell & J. H. Blake E^{rs} being this day returned as Guardians for Paternoster Electoral Division.

Resolved that orders be signed for the following

2 Tons Coal.

56th Soap.

112th Salt.

150. yd. Calico. same as last.

1 dozen Stone hammers.

2 garden spades & lines.

100. Six nails

100 Six points.

100. Chamber utensils same as last.

* Purchased that J. J. Brinknell E. & P. M. Blake E. be the Vestry Committee for the next month -

Resolved that an order be signed for 150. yd. of Calico for children's shirts & shifts.

also for 160 gal. new milk

260 Shaved. Co

330 Stone polish

490th Bread

167th Meat.

Resolved that the Board adjourn to Saturday
the 25th June Inst.

John Burke

At a meeting of the Board of Guardians held
at the Board room on Saturday the 25th of June
1842

Sir John Burke in the Chair

Ex officio

Sir John Burke Bart

Elected

John A Blake Esq

Peter Blake Esq

James Smyth Esq

Arthur J. Burtwell Esq

Dr. W. Burke Esq

The Minutes of the last Meeting having been
read

The Register was examined from 377. to
443 inclusive and being found correct
was signed by the Chairman

Resolved that owing to the absence
of the clerk who is attending quarters
depones Mr. James Burke to act as clerk

Resolved a paper Book with the Bank
be laid on the table every board day
in future

Resolved that the salary of the Schoolmistress be eight pounds per year with rations same as the Schoolmaster

Resolved that the clerk do issue printed Grand bills thro^{ut} the unions calling on competent persons for the office of Schoolmistress to put in tenders on or before 12 o'clock on Saturday the 16th of July next on which day the election will take place and for which day the Board be specially summoned

Resolved that the Master having reported that a supply of the following articles ^{is wanted} viz Beds, Sheets, Callico for lining, Buragon Thread, Bengal Stripe Callico, potato nets, tape, needles, Iron Spoons, & ^{in the following manner} ~~Resolved~~ that these articles be ordered to be supplied by contract under the direction of the Visiting Committee upon the terms of the former contracts, from the approved Contractors, & that new contracts be advertised for for such of the articles as have not been already contracted for.

- 50 beds for adults
- 50 beds for boys
- 800 yards of sheeting
- 150 yards Callico for lining 2/4 p^{er} yard ✓
- 50 yards Buragon ✓
- 3^{lb}. Thread ✓
- 50 yards Bengal Stripe Callico ✓
- 100 potato nets ✓
- 2 pieces tape ✓

- 100 needles ✓
- 100 Iron Spoons
- 5 dozen Brooms
- 3 piece Iron Stoves ✓

Resolved that Patrick Sullivan of Boobeen having on his examination for admission, this day, used threatening language calculated to excite strong suspicion of his determination to commit violence to the property of some of the Guardians, in case of his rejection; The Master be directed to issue a Summons for the purpose of bringing him before the Magistrates at Bittet Supions on Thursday next, in order that he may be bound in sufficient recognizance to be of the peace

Resolved that orders be signed for the following, viz

- 600^{lb}. Bread
- 400 Stone potatoes
- 200 Gallons. New Milk }
300 Gallons Skimmed }
- 16¹/₂ lb. meat
- 1 ton Stoves
- 2^{lb}. Candles.

Notice of Sir John Burke Tomorrow on the 16th July next, that it be taken into Consideration whether it will not be right to change the day of Meeting. The Board adjourned to the 2nd July
J. Burke Chairman

At a meeting of the Board of Guardians
held at the Board room on Saturday
the 9th July 1842

Wm Daly Esq in the Chair

in the Chair

Ex officio

Wm Daly Esq.

Elected

Thomas Barry

Martin White

John Shaughnessy

Thos. A. Stanger

Thos. J. Sully Esq.

James Smyth Esq.

Peter Blake Esq.

Wm Burke Esq.

Wm Daly Esq.

The minutes of the last meeting having been read

The Register was examined from No. 279 to 558.

Inclusive being found correct was signed by

the Chairman.

A letter from the Commissioners having been read as to
the state of the Sennyards &c it was ordered
to be inserted in the Minutes.

Also a letter ~~from~~ appraising of the Salary of
the Schoolmistress at £8 a year.

Resolved that Mr. Peltam be paid £4 a
year of his Contract.

The Board proceeded to admit paupers.

The following rec^d has been handed in by the
Rate Collectors for sums loaned by them

No. 1 District Mr. Walsh. £13 " "

5. District Mr. Kelly 16 " "

Resolved that orders be signed for the following provisions
Necessaries 50 Im Quarts measures

150 pints

100 potatoes to the v

200 Iron Spoons v

200. Red chalk which v

6000. Cabbage plants.

One Iron Stave v

700^{lbs} Bread v

400 Stone potatoes v

250 Gals New milk v

340 Gals Skim Milk v

16¹/₂ Meat. v

300 yds Red Lint v

50 yds Blankets v

25 Rugs at 2/4 v

25 Co at 2/6 v

100. yds Bengal Stuffs

150. yds Lincin Woolley.

100 yds. Beagon.

Resolved that the Board adjourn to 16th

July 1842.

John Smyth

Clerk of the Union

Wm Daly Chairman.

At a meeting of the Board of Guardians
held at the B.^d Room on Saturday the
16th July 1842

Mr John B.^d in the Chair
Mr Burke. Esq. A. P. S. C. allude to

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| Ch ^r F. Smith. Esq. | James W Burke Esq |
| Mr Geo Burke B. ^d | Pat ^r Skunk Esq |
| Rob ^t Doherty Esq | James Smyth Esq |
| | Mr. M ^r . Sweeney. |
| | J. J. Binknell Esq |
| | James Madden Esq |
| | Thos J. Fully Esq |
| | Mr Francis Hardy |
| | John H. Blake Esq |
| | Thomas Cary |
| | Dennis Burke Esq |
| | Peter Blake Esq |

And Mr W Blake of Inishbeg Esq. one of the Galway Guardians
attended the meeting -
The minutes of the last meeting having been
read.

The Register was examined from No. 559 to 628.
conclusive and his found correct was signed
by the Chairman -

Resolved. That the foll^g letter from the Clerk
be inserted in the minutes.

Si

Loughrea
July 16 1842

They came to state that I have examined
the master's acc^t in the provision check acc^t.
the weekly relief list and abstract from the
25 of July (the day on which the house opened.)
to the 2^d of July inst. I have compared the
entries & calculations for the 1st 10 weeks
with the report of the Lunatic Committee
and have ascertained that in most instances
that report was correct. whilst in others the
master's acc^t were correct and should not be
altered. the subsequent weeks to the 2^d
Inst. inclusive. I have also carefully examined
and trust that all are now are correct.
however from the many alterations or changes
concluded with the dietary of the patients
& involved in the Hospital accounts. I have
found much difficulty in checking them satisfactorily

I remain respectfully,
Yr very Obedient Serv^t

Joseph Burke Esq
A. P. S. C.

John Smyth
C. of the Union

The Clerk reports that he has examined the
master's acc^t in the provision list & Consumption
acc^t & provision check acc^t. the weekly relief
list & abstract from the 25 July to the 2^d
9th July. Inst. = & found same correct

The follg ltr from L^d July. one of the Guardians
was read & agreed to be inserted in the next issue

G^o

Loughrea 11 June 42

I beg leave to decline acting as
Guardian as my time does not permit me to
give it that attention in my humble
opinion it requires

I am Sir

So

Yr. O^bl^t S^o

Thos. G.

L^d July.

C. of the Union

Resolved that a copy of Mr. Gales resignation
be forwarded to the Com^{rs} and that their
attention be called to the appointment of
a Guardian in his place.

Resolved that J. J. Donnell & Co. be appointed one
of the Insurance Committees in the room of Mr
L. July.

The follg rate Collectors handed in rec^{ts} for
the July Sums.

No 1 District	Mr Walsh	£ 3. 8. 10
2	Mr O'Brien	42. 0. 0.
3		
4	Mr G. Burke	20. 14. 2.
5	Mr Kelly	5. " "
6		

Resolved that

Having read the report of Mr. Wilkinson
we still are fully convinced that the
workhouse is delivered to the Board of
Guardians in a manner so incomplete
that it lets in the wet & damp through the
walls & windows to a degree so as to render
parts of the House uninhabitable. We
therefore conceive the Commissioners sh^d
either by causing the front of the House
to be roughcast or the joints to be drawn
with cement to render the building
complete for the reception of paupers
for the ensuing winter, and we submit
therefore that the contract can not be
considered complete until the defects
are remedied -

Resolved that we are of opinion that the
present officers of the workhouse viz
The Master Matron & Porter are not
competent to perform their respective
duties

The Master Matron & Porter of the workhouse
having been called in and the purport
of the foregoing resolution having been intimated
to them by the Chairman Sir John Burke B^t
and that it was the unanimous wish
of the Board to give them an opportunity of
resigning and with that view the Officers were
directed to withdraw & consider the matter
The Officers having again appeared before
the Board. they handed in the following
resignations -

Loughrea Union Workhouse
16th July 1842:

Gent^l
They leave to resign my situation as master of
this workhouse from this date: &

To the Board of
Guardians L. Rea Union
Have the Honor to be
Gent^l yr^o V^o F^r
James Gilhooly

Gent^l
They leave humbly to resign my situation as Master
of this House & have the Honor to be Gent^l

To the Board of
Guardians L. Rea Union
Gent^l yr^o V^o F^r
Anonid Gilhooly

Gent^l
They leave to resign my situation as Porter of
this House
Gent^l yr^o V^o F^r

To the Chairman of
the B^d of Guardians
Mich^l Brodwick: Porter

Resolved that the several resignations
be accepted = Resolved that the Master, Matron & Porter
be continued in charge of the House until the new officers are elected &
Resolved that a document be issued
forth full of officers of the work House

Master
Matron &
Porter ...

In the foll^g papers viz. Gen^l advertiser
and Ino Galway papers. Calling for
competent persons for the above offices
and that such election do take place
on Saturday the 18th August.

Resolved that the foll^g be assisting Com^{rs} until
new officers are appointed viz

- J. I. Bucknell $\frac{1}{2}$ Wednesday
- Pat Knutt $\frac{1}{2}$ Tuesday
- Tho^s J. Inlly $\frac{1}{2}$ Saturday
- Jas W. Burke $\frac{1}{2}$ Monday
- Mr. H. Blake $\frac{1}{2}$ Friday
- Peter Blake $\frac{1}{2}$ Saturday

The foll^g letter from the Commissioners was ordered
to be inserted in the minutes - & added to the
B. Slue Union

(Ballinasloe Union)

P. L. C. Office Dublin

20th June 42

In
The P. L. Com^{rs} acknowledge the rec^t of
yr letter of the 16th Inst. Communicating a resolution
passed by the Board of Guardians of the
B. Slue Union enjoining whether the Guardians
have the power of discharging paupers from the
workhouse. and in reference thereto the
Commissioners desire to state that as
destitution forms the sole ground for admission
into the workhouse so when any crisis shall
arise such as the means of obtaining employ^{mt}
or the restoration from sickness to health by
which any of the paupers could be enabled to
subsist, & since from destitution out of the
workhouse the Guardians are certainly empowered
at their discretion to discharge such paupers
both Clerk

of the Board of
Guardians of the B. Slue Union.

Resolved that our Clerk be directed to
Summon Edm^d. Keating before the Magistrate,
at P. Leppins with regard to a child Tho^s M^r Lige
No. 421. whom he left in this House on the 18th June
as his nephew. but which we have reason to
believe to be his son.

The Board then proceeded to elect a
Schoolmistress. and the following
Candidates having appeared viz,

M^{rs} Anne Murphy
M^{rs} Mary Brodick

Resolved That M^{rs} Anne Murphy be
appointed Schoolmistress at 28. of 1842.

Resolved That Catherine Cleary No 566
& her Children Nos 567. 568. & 569. admitted on
the 9th July. having imposed on the Board. by stating
that her husband. had left her. that they lost their
House & place: & having ascertained thro' Mr. Jolly. that her
Husband is living. & has a House. Garden &c. She and
her Children be discharged from the work House....

The Board proceeded to admit paupers.

Resolved. That having examined ^{into} the case of Eliza
Cotton protestant foundling. taken from the W. House.
on the 11th Inst. by Henry Price. the Guardian - he being
of Opinion. that they were attending Catholic worship -
he find that any cause of Complaint. arose
from the neglect of the master. to whom particular instructions
were given as to these Children. when admitted. &
that they be now readmitted whenever presented.

Resolved. That M^{rs} Elizabeth Calman. being admitted.
the money commutation be made to the House. for
to have the portion of her husband's pension. (Shd. Calman 4 D. 9th)
allocated for her support in the W. House.

On an Investigation of the case of a foundling
Mary Stone No 138 who was admitted on the 21st April
1842 it appeared that she was baptised in the
House. by the Catholic Chaplain. That Mary
Stone was brought to the House by a woman who it
appears by the warden's Certificate had been in
Care of the Child for 10 weeks & who stated
herself to be its god mother & that she wished
the Child to be brought up a Roman Catholic
the Board of Guardians acting on the 29th Dec
of the act ordered the Child accordingly as
a Roman Catholic in the Register.

Resolved. That the following paragraph be
inserted as the advertisement for Insurers for Officers

The Guardians having been disappointed in
their expectations of the first Officers appointed
are determined on electing none but most competent
& efficient persons to fill the vacancies.

Resolved that orders be signed for

560 lb. Potatoes.
700 ^{lb} Bread
250 ^{gals} h. milk
340. Skimmed
192 ^{lb} Meat
112 ^{lb} Salt.
2 Tons Coal
4 Boxes Soap
1 Ton Straw

Resolved. That a check be drawn in favor of
Henry the Clerk. for a 9th July due 11th July
Inst. as reported by the Finance Committee £10

Resolved that an advertisement be
inserted in the D. Advertiser for contracts
for the following articles: viz

Baragon for Boys Dresses
Bayal shipe for girls Dresses
Lining wools as plain & striped
Shirting & lining Calico

Indors to be rec^d on a cheque the 30th
of July. next.

Resolved that the next meeting of the Bd
be held on Saturday the 30th July 1842

Mr Smyth C. of the Union. ~~Member~~ Chairman

At a meeting of the Board of Guardians held
at the Board Room on Saturday the 30th July 1842

~~Present~~
Jas. W. Burtle Esq
Pat^r Murrell Esq
J. J. Brillkall Esq
F. Hardy.

Resolved that J. W. Burtle Esq do take the chair

The minutes of the last meeting having been
read

The Pyotes was examined from 629 to
652. inclusive. & being found correct. was
signed by the Chairman.

The Clerk reports that he has examined the Masters acc^{ts} viz The
Promotion rec^t & Consumption acc^t. Prov^l Cheek acc^t. the weekly
Relief list & abstract from the 16th to 30th of July. & found some errors

Resolved that the letter from the Commissioners
^{the Rev^d H. G. Phillips} appointed P. Chaplain to the Union. be inserted
in the Minutes.

Resolved that the letter of the Comm^{rs} concerning
the appointment of Mr. Anne Murphy as Schoolmaster,
to the work house be inserted in the Minutes.

Also the letter of the Comm^{rs}. accepting the
Resignation of Mr. L. J. Fahy as Guardian for Langhwa
Also the letter of J. V. Morria Gilkooly. Master & Matron.
Resolved that a check be drawn in favor
of John Smyth Retiring Officer for £20:17:4
in compliance with the letter of the Commissioners
and according to the acc^t. allated there to.

Resolved that a check be drawn in favor
of M. Culler for Coffins for the poor which
shall be repaid to be due by the Finance Committee
£1:12:0

Resolved that orders be signed for the foll^g
purchases ordered by the Clerk on the 23rd inst
by J. J. Burtle Chairman

560 St. Potatoes
700^{ms} Bread
250 lbs Milk
340 Skind.
142^{ns} Meat.
One Ton Coal.

Resolved that a check be drawn in favor of
Gey Armstrong for 60 ^{up to 1/2} of his acc. for
£131:1:8: for milk to 23rd for as reported by the Finance
Committee.

Resolved that the warrants being submitted to us
the sample of meal last supplied by the Contractor
be considered at the two fine and that the acc.
clerk be requested to inform him that in future
none be rec^d at the work house but Cuttings:

Resolved that Tenders be rec^d for
3 woollen wheels
6 pair woollen cards
3 Stone of wool
6 Flax wheels
3 Stone of Flax
600 yards Linnin fullers Shifts
6 Tables for Hall. &
12 forms.

Resolved that an order be signed for £5:16:8
in favor of Don^o Cuniffe for Chamber
utensils: & order also
for 4:16:5 reported
due by the Finance Committee.

Resolved that Mr Smith our clerk
be the future Correspondent of the
Nat^l Education Board.

The Board proceeded to admit Paupers

Resolved that an order be signed for Two Stone
Hammers — also for

6th Thread
1th Linn
3 brace bar Studs
14th Cotton Thread
50 y^d of Linn Callio wanted on the 23rd & for
100 y^d of Linn Callio
6th Linn
2 brace Studs
1th Cotton balls
5th Thread
2 dozen Shuttle
10 yds. Russell now wanted
also from P. Cosque Dublin
300 y^d of Linn at 3⁷/₈^d
100 y^d of Linn woolly at 8³/₄^d
provisions 600 Stone potatoes
800th head
260 Gallon milk
360 Gallon Skim?
19th Meat
One Ton Oat meal
2 Tons Coal
1 C^t Salt

Col^o N^o 5 Dubuik he did in a rec^d for £12: lodged
by him.

The Board adjourned to Saturday

The 6th Aug^r 1842

W. Smyth
C. of the Union

Chairman

A meeting of the Board of Guardians held,
at the Board room on Saturday the 6th of
Aug^r. 1842. Guardians pres^t.

James W Burke C
Patrick Skene C
Tho^s. J. Fully C
James Madden E^m
Denis Burke E^m
Denis Daly E^m
James Smyth E^m

Resolved that Tho^s. J. Fully C do take the Chair

The minutes of the last meeting having been read

The Register was examined from 653 to 679.
Inclusive & being found correct was signed by
the Chairman

The Clerk reports that he has examined
the masters acc^t vis the Parish rec^t &
Consumption acc^t the parish Check acc^t
& weekly relief list & abstract. & found
same correct.

Coll^r No. 5 Dubint Mr Joyce handed in acc^t for £18:10:0
Signed by him

The Clerk having read a letter from J F Blake Esq
Inspector of the Galway Workhouse requesting
to know if he would be permitted to attend the
meeting of the Board on the 13th Inst^t.

Resolved that the letter or application be
inserted on the minutes and that the admission
of the pres^t be taken into Consideration on
Saturday next the 13th Inst^t and that the Board
be specially summoned for that day.

The Board proceeded to admit paupers.

At this period of the proceedings the vice chairman
Denis Daly Esq. arrived & took chair.

Resolved that Mr Blake take the necessary steps to
bring the day down to Justice for having deserted his
children who are now inmates in the workhouse. and
that he on this day make report the result of such
steps as he may have taken.

Resolved that orders be signed for.

3rd White Flour
3rd Red. do.
1 Bushel White Hay Seed.
600 lb Potatoes.
800th Bread
260 Stalks
360 Skins?
192^h Meat
1 Jar Miel
56th Soap.
2 dug bombs 4 Razors & 1/2th Tobacco

Resolved that the master's report relating to the Pump & State of the House be brought before the Board on Saturday next.

Resolved that the Jolly Gent. be appointed a Committee to investigate & enquire what inmates may be removed from the work house & that the Committee meet on Saturday next at 10 o'clock.

James Smyth Esq.

Thos. J. Tully Esq.

Pat^l Skene Esq.

Resolved that orders or checks be signed for the Jolly sums reported due by the Finance Committee.

Wm. Reham 19: 18: 9

Thos. Macklin 9: 19: 1

Mr. Armstrong bal. 71: 1: 8

The Board adjourned to Saturday 13th Aug 42.

Denis Daly

At a meeting of the Board of Guardians held at the Board room on Saturday the 13th day of August 1842.

Sir John Bunke B^t in the Chair

Pres^t Joseph Bunke Esquire A. P. L. C. attended.

Guardians pres^t

Chopped

Sir John Bunke B^t

Charles Farrell Esq.

James W. Bunke Esq.

Rob^t W. Avey Esq.

Elected.

James Smyth Esq.

Thomas J. Tully Esq.

Pat^l Skene Esq.

James W. Bunke Esq.

Mr. Patrick Egan

James Bunke Esq.

Mr. Michl Herdly:

Isidro J. Bricknell Esq.

Horble. A. Nugent

Philip Daly Esq.

Denis Bunke Esq.

Mr. John Shany Lopez

Denis Daly Esq.

Mr. John Lyons

James Madden Esq.

Kanis Hardy

John W. Blake Esq.

Mr. Thomas Dary

The minutes of the last meeting having been read.

The Register was examined from No. 680 to 688.

Inclusive and being found correct was signed by the

Chairman

The clerk reports that he has examined the Master's acc^t viz

The Provision rec^t & consumption acc^t the provision check acc^t the

Weekly relief list & abstract. and found same correct.

The Clerk reports that he has sworn an information before a Magistrate & has caused a warrant to issue against Shady Noon pursuant to the 59th Sec of the Poor relief act for having deserted his children.

Resolved that Hugh Hanly be declared the Contractor for

3 Woollen wheels at 2/4

6 Flax wheels at 7/6

Mr. Macklin

6 Tables at 15/

12 Deal pans at 5/

3 Stone of wool at 16/

Pat^r. Lany. 600 yards. Linnen at 8^d.

6 p^r. Woollen Cards at 7/11^d p^r.

Ann^l. Currieffe 3 Stone of Flax. at 8/2^d 1/2

Resolved that the appointment of a Master & Matron be adjourned to this day month

Applications having been rec^d. from the following Candidates for the office of a Master

John Geoghegan

Jas Follen

Jas B. Moore

Jas. Gilhooly

Pat Boulger.

The J.

In the Maternity

Mr. Geoghegan

Mr. Follen

Mr. Moore

Mr. Gilhooly

Proposed by P. B. & seconded by Deas Daly & Resolved that the appointment of a Master & Matron be adjourned to this day month

Proposed by P. Macklin & seconded by J. Follen & Resolved that

that J. Gilhooly this wife be reappointed, as a poll having been demanded. then appeared

For the Adjournment. 9

For the Reappointment 13 -

Patrick Tiering & John Shepherd as well as Mill Menzenth. having appeared as candidates for the office of Porter.

Resolved that John Shepherd be elected Porter of the Work House:

The Board proceeded to admit paupers.

Resolved that the report of Mr. Geoghegan Clerk of the works. respecting the Pumps. Ince pump &c be inserted on the minutes. The following rec^ds were handed in by the Rate coll^rs pursuant lodged by them.

Mr. Walsh No 1 £8 -

Mr. Brown No 2 - 24

Resolved that Guy Armstrong & be accepted as the security of John Shepherd, a Porter,

Proposed by James W Burke & seconded
by Tho. J Tully &

Resolved. That we have observed with great
regret that motives have been attributed by
a portion of the Press to our worthy assistant
Comdr. Burke. Other than an anxiety for the
proper management of this establishment
in consequence of his desire that he should
change our Master & Matron. and that in
unreasonably reproaching any participation
in such a change. we record our entire reliance
on the Integrity. Sincerity & Singleness
of purpose which we are confident have alone
actuated that Gentleman.

Proposed by Jas Smyth & seconded by
Pat^l Skeneff &

Resolved that the foregoing resolution be inserted
in the Galway. Papers.

Resolved that the Clerk be directed to
buy two dozen Brooms every market day
for the use of the House.

Resolved that orders be signed for.

550 lb Potatoes

800 lb Bread

250 lb Milk

350 lb Skim^d do

19 1/2 lb Meal

2 Tons of Coal

16 lb of Salt

2 lb Candles

Resolved. That the following persons ^{having} being examined
by the Board. and found able to work. ^{they} be ^{forthwith} discharged
out of this work house on this night next.

Thomas Morrissey dead

Denis Malloway.

John Sherry huffly out

John Dineady

Tho^s Kealy. out

Michl. Whelan. +

John Smyth

Wm. Skehill Sub.

Michl. Deham

James Moran

John Sherry huffly out

Henry Byrnes

Tho^s Keating out

Pat^l Kealy

Andrew Kearney.

Pat Copinger

Resolved that the attention of the Medical attendants
be called to the fact of their being some cases of Small
Pock at present in the House. with a view to taking
such measures as may prevent its increase.

Resolved that the Board adjourn to Saturday
the 20th Inst. at 3 o'clock.

J
Jas Smyth clk of the Union

Thos Kealy Chairman

At a meeting of the Board of Guardians held at the work house on Saturday the 27th day of Aug^r 1842. present.

In John Burke B^r in the Chair

Thomas Burke Esq.
Pat^r Smith Esq.
Mr. G. Hardy
J. J. Brinknell Esq.
J. W. Burke Esq.

The minutes of the last meeting having been read

The Register was examined from No. 689 to 690. Inclusive & being found correct was signed by the Chairman.

The Clerk reports that he has examined the master's acc^t to the 13th Inst. in the provision acc^t & Consumption acc^t the provision acc^t & weekly relief list & abstract & found same correct.

The master reports that on Sunday the 16th 88 of the Paupers died on Thursday the 16th on Wednesday all the paupers as well as the officers of the W^h House died on bread in consequence of the Contractor having neglected to supply Potatoes.

Resolved

Resolved.

Resolved That our Clerk do ascertain the expense occasioned by this breach of Contract and that same be charged to the acc^t of the Contractor and deducted out of the next payment which may be made to him.

Resolved That the medicines this day acquired by Doctor Mr. Maxwell be ordered from the Contractors Mess^{rs} Leslie.

The Board proceeded to admit paupers

Resolved That the persons ordered out of the workhouse on the 13th Inst. be now removed with the exception of the foll^g persons

John Smith required to build the wall.

Mich^l Dehan do do.

Dead Wm. Skehill do do. non-hospital

John Dermody required in the kitchen

Resolved That orders be signed for the foll^g procured by our Clerk on the 20th Inst.

550 Stone of Potatoes

800^{lbs} of Bread.

250 Gall^s N. Milk

350^{lbs} Skim^d.

19⁷/₂^{lbs} Meat

One Ton of Oat meal.

Resolved That the letter of the Com^{rs} of the 20th Inst. relating to the reappointment of Mr & Mrs. Jilhojy be inserted in the Minutes - Resolved That orders be signed for £100