

Resolved That the Master do pay John Martin's £. 0
freight and Carriage of Medicine from Dublin to Loughrea out of the
Money in his hands

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before
the Board by the Clerk, who reports that a discrepancy appears to
him in the Masters Bonds, the late Week having inserted therein, after
the Words: "And Whereas by a certain Order ^{of the} 23rd July 1841 which
should be the 1st of October 1839.

A tender was read from John Mason for cleaning the
Cesspools &c for the sum of £4. which the Medical Officer said
was very much required to be done, it was not accepted, the
Guardians having determined that the Paupers should do it on being
furnished with the Machinery necessary for that purpose

Michael Molony Clerk

At a Meeting of the Board of Guardians of the Loughrea Union
held at the Workhouse on Saturday the 18th April 1846

Thos John Burke Esq in the Chair

Sir John Burke Bart

James W Burke

Robert Henry Perce &

Peter Blake Esq

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

The Registered Book was produced, examined and
authenticated from M1535 to M1558 both inclusive by the signature of
the Chairman and Counter signature of the Clerk

The Treasurers Book of receipts & payments was produced
by which it appeared that there had been received during the week £. 11. 11. 0

Said during the week

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guard was £. 102. 12. 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman

The following Books were produced by the Clerk he having previously
ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the
Workhouse and authenticated same by his signature

The Weekly Relief List and Abstract

The Provision & Cattle Accounts

The Provision Receipt & Consumption Account

By which it appears that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries
received during the week was £. 10. 14. 5 1/4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries Consumed was £. 18. 5. 9 1/2
And the Average Cost of a Pauper for the week was £. 1. 7 1/2

The Masters Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for
the present week was examined and orders were duly made for
the several Articles specified namely

40 lbs of White Bread	3 1/2 Cwt of Meat
175 lbs of Brown Bread	376 Stone of Potatoes
142 1/2 Gallons of New Milk	49 Boxes of Soap
16 1/2 Gallons of Butter Milk	5 lbs of Candles

The following Books were also produced viz

The General Clothing Accounts

The Medical Officers Books

The Reports of the Master and other officers were read & signed

The Master reports that during the late storm, some
slates and files were blown off the Workhouse in different places
and that rain is now admitted in large quantities

The Medical Officer reports that Mrs Eleanor
Nelson Matron has died of Fever, and the Master having
handed in a notice of his intention of resigning on this day
yesterday. Resolved That the Masters resignation be accepted
and that a notice be inserted in the General Advertiser for
Competent persons to fill the office of Master and Matron to be
considered on the 2nd May next.

The following Letters were read viz

Letter from William Graves Esq Secretary of the Bank of Ireland
acknowledging the receipt of a letter of credit for the sum of £17

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners No 807946
dated the 17th Inst, suggesting the propriety of requiring the Master to
enter into a New Bond, and stating that the Commissioners are advised that
a clerical error in regard to the date of an Order quoted in the Bond would
not be deemed sufficient to invalidate it.

The No of Applicants Admitted was 3

Of those rejected 2

Resolved That Cheques be drawn in favor of the following viz to the 25th March 1846

- Satt. Doney for Clothing £17 6 9
- Editor of Galway Vindicator 2 2 0
- Edto of Limerick Chronicle 1 5 0
- Mr. Kelly for Printing & Stationary 12 2 9
- James M Lynch to purchase Potatoes 15 10 0
- Peter Kelly for Milk to 11th April 1846 - 10 4 5

Notice of Motion by Robert Henry Perce Esq.

That on this day fortnight he will move that the day of Meeting be changed ~~be changed~~ from Saturdays to Thursdays

Resolved That Mr. Anne Murphy Schoolmistress be requested to act as Matron until this day fortnight

Resolved That the Board having reconsidered the necessity of having the cesspools cleaned, the Clerk be directed to write to John Mason informing him that he will be allowed the sum of £4 and require him to come forthwith for that purpose

Michael Molony
Clerk to the Guardians

Thomas Burke
Chairman

At a Meeting of the Board of Guardians of the Long Union held at the Workhouse on Saturday the 25th April 1846

Mr. John Burke Esq. in the Chair

Mr. Burke

James M Burke Esq.

James M Burke Esq.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

The Register Book was produced, examined and authenticated from N^o 1559 to N^o 1561 both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk

The Treasurers Book of Receipts and Payments was produced by which it appears that there had been rec^d during last week £33-12-0
Paid during the week £35-12-11

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £79-0-0

The Book was signed by the Chairman

The following Lodgments have been made by Collectors to Treasurer since last day of Meeting viz

- Richard Puello Collector for Athlone £12-10-0
- Edto " " Clonkeen 7-0-0
- Edto " " Kiltulla 8-10-0
- Edto " " Kiltulla 5-11-0

The following Books were produced by the Clerk he having previously ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse and authenticated same by his signature

The Weekly Relief List and Abstract

The Provision Check Account

The Provision Receipt & Consumption Account

By which it appears that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £19-17-4

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £20-12-5

And the Average Cost of a Pauper for the week was £ 1-0-5

The Masters Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ~~ensuing~~ ^{next} week was examined and orders were duly made for the several Articles specified namely

- 192 lbs of White Bread
- 179 lbs of Brown Bread
- 147 3/4 Gallons of New Milk
- 15 1/2 Gallons of Buttermilk
- 29 1/2 lbs of Meat
- 49 Boxes of Fuel
- 3 lbs of Candles
- 1 cwt of Soap
- 1 cwt of Salt
- 150 Stone of Potatoes
- 1 Ton of Potmeal
- 6 dozens of Broome

The following Books were also produced viz
The General Clothing Accounts
The Medical Officers Books
The Reports of the Master & other officers were read & no orders made

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners
And others were read, viz

1st Letter N^o 8157 D^o 46 dated the 18th Inst, relative
issuing Orders for Provisions & for fuel instead of issuing Work
and calling on the Guardians to comply with the existing regulations

2nd ditto N^o 7849 D^o 46 dated the 18th Inst, sanctioning
the appointment of John Mason as Schoolmaster at a salary of £100 per year
who quit the Workhouse on the 19th Inst,

3rd ditto N^o 4631 D^o 46 dated the 24th Inst, requesting
the Guardians to state for the Commissioners information whether
they have yet come to any determination in reference to providing
Accommodation for the relief of poor persons affected with Fever &

4th Letter N^o 8337 D^o 46 dated the 24th Inst forwarding
questions to be answered and signed by the Clerk and the persons
who may be appointed Master & Matron

Letter from John Mason stating that he would
be here in a few days to clean the cesspools & for the sum of £4

The N^o of Provisional Admissions confined was 1
Ditto disallowed " "
The N^o of Applicants admitted was 9
Ditto rejected " "

The Clerk submitted to the Board the abstracts of the
the Union for half year ended on the 25th March last, which were
signed by the Chairman.

Resolved that Cheques be drawn in favor of the
following viz

James M. Lynch for salary due to late Matron to be given
to his sister. £19 0 0
James M. Lynch for to purchase Potatoes £5 0 0

An Estimate for repairing one of the pipes in the Mess
being read from Michael Comors for the sum of £0 10 0

Resolved that it be accepted
Michael Molony
Clerk to the Guardians
Thomas M. M. M.
Chairman

At a Meeting of the Board of Guardians of the Lough
Union held at the Workhouse on Saturday the 2nd May 1846

Thos John Burke Esq in the Chair
Sir John Burke Bart
Philip Daly
John A Burke
James W Burke
Thos J Gully
John Lordell
Rayacinto Clarke
John Lane
Michl Ferris
Michl Gennelly
James Smyth
James Madden
Maurice W Lynch
Patrick Menell
Thos J Burke
Lawrence Fyfe
Peter Blake
Robert Carey
James R Burke
C. M. Rickells and
Patt^r J Burke Esqrs

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed
The Requested Book was produced, examined and
Authenticated from N^o 1562 to N^o 1571 both inclusive by the
signature of the Chairman and Countersignature of the Clerk

The Treasurers Book of receipts and Payments was
produced by which it appeared that there had been received during Week £3144 4
Paid during the week £ 744 0
And that the Balance on the Account in favor of Fund was £ 385 10 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman
The following Lodgments have been made by Collectors to Treasurers
since last day of Meeting viz

Thos Armstrong Collector for Loughrea	£56 18 0
Ditto " " Kilbreest	3 6 3
Ditto " " Kilconneran	9 1 8
Richard Neill " " Athony	33 13 3 1/2
Ditto " " Clontarun	12 0 7
Ditto " " Kiltulla	12 11 8
Ditto " " Killinier	6 5 9 1/2
Nicholas Lynskey " " Kilconneran	38 16 8
Ditto " " Craughnall	13 3 4
Garrett Burke " " Bullinacree	59 14 0
Ditto " " Doonry	16 2 10
Ditto " " Portumna	17 1 3
Ditto " " Tulla	10 0 1
Patt Molyneux " " Kiltulla	17 17 9
Ditto " " Kiltulla	14 11 2
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The following Books were produced by the Clerk he having previously ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse and authenticated same by his signature.

The Weekly Relief List & Abstract
The Provision Check Account
The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account
By which it appears that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £10-1-7

The Cost of Provisions & Necessaries consumed was £17-7-4
And the average Cost of a Pauper for the Week was " 1-6-7

The Master's Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ~~current~~ ^{next} Week was examined and orders were duly made for the several Articles specified namely
200 lbs of White Bread 32 1/4 lbs of Meal
193 lbs of Brown Bread 230 Stone of Potatoes
149 1/2 Gallons of New Milk 49 Boxes of Turf &
14 1/2 Gallons of Butted Milk 3 lbs of Candles

The following Books were produced viz
The General Clothing Accounts
The Medical Officer Books

The Reports of the Master & other officers were read viz
The Master reports that the Workhouse ground is now dug and requires to know what is to be sown therein

Resolved that a Cheque be drawn in favor of Mr. Mick Molony (Clerk) to purchase seed Potatoes to sow in the above Land for £5-

The Medical Officer reports the deaths of 2 Boys, 1 Month aged viz years of General debility, Emaciation and Marasmus and that the No of Fever Cases in Workhouse is 8

The Clerk reports that he has examined the Block Receipts of Collectors for the Month of April, and that they have lodged the sums collected during the Month.

Resolved that Cheques be drawn in favor of the following persons viz.

Mick Molony (Clerk) for salary to 25th March 1846 £26-6-8
Walter M. Donnell for ditto to ditto 25-
Mr. Reid John Coen for ditto to ditto 25-0-0
John Diamond for revising Valuation 15-0-0

John Flynn for revising Valuation £6-0-0
John Mason for cleaning Cesspools 4-

Resolved that the Master do pay Mick Comers the sum of £0-10 for repairing one of the Pipes of the Establishment and 5-0 to the Editor of the Freeman's Journal for an advertisement for revisor inserted in his Journal

Resolved that the Clerk do call on the sister of John Mullon a Pauper in the House and chargeable to the rough Electoral Division, and require her to swear an information against the father, for deserting his child, she having stated to the Porter, who has reported it to the Board that he is well able to maintain him, in order that a Warrant for his apprehension may be obtained

The Board proceeded to the Election of Officers when the following Candidates appeared for the situation of Master viz Mr. Richard Carr, Mr. John Futhy, Mr. Callaghan and Mr. Pat O'Brien. — after the Testimonies of each was read, a Division took place, when their votes for Mr. Pat O'Brien 15 and for Mr. John Futhy 7. ^{by Mr. Futhy & Mr. Callaghan}

Mr. Pat O'Brien was therefore elected, ^{by Mr. Futhy & Mr. Callaghan} Master, and Mr. Futhy 7, ^{by Mr. Futhy & Mr. Callaghan} Schoolmaster

For the situation of Matron, Mrs. Futhy, Miss Honoria Murray, Miss Rebecca Carr and Mrs. Anne Murphy, when Mrs. Anne Murphy was unanimously elected, ^{by Mr. Futhy & Mr. Callaghan} Matron, and Mrs. John Lynch & Mr. Futhy

Their being only one Candidate for the situation of Schoolmaster, viz Mr. Neil M. Devitt, was elected unanimously

Resolved that Notices be printed and posted up calling for Tenders from Competent persons to fill the situations of Porter and Schoolmaster, ^{at the usual salary} vacant by the said officers having been elected Master & Matron, to be considered on the 14th Inst.

In the absence of Robert Henry Perce Cox, it was Proposed by Sir John Burke Bart, seconded by J. W. Burke Esq

Resolved, that the day of Meeting be changed from Saturdays to Sundays until the 1st November to meet at two o'clock, the first Meeting under this regulation to be held on the 14th Inst.

Resolved

Resolved that the Milk Contractors be ordered to attend the Board on next day of Meeting, and that the Master do not in future receive such Milk as has been brought into the Board Room on this day being considered too late

The No of Provisional Admissions confirmed was 5
Ditto disallowed " "
The No of Applicants admitted was 5
Ditto rejected " "
Michael Molony
Clerk to the Guardians
Robert Henry Perce Chairman

At a Meeting of the Board of Guardians of the Longwood Union held at the Workhouse on Thursday the 14th May 1843
Robert Henry Perce Esq in the Chair
Peter Blake, Tho. Burke
William John Hancock Esq John Sopdell
A. D. C. attendes } J. D. Brickwell
Kyaicith Clarke
Patrick Meneck
Michl Kemelly
Tho. J. Jolly
Capt. P. Burke &
Francis W. Lynch Esq^{re}

The Minutes of last Meeting were read & signed
The Registered Book was produced, examined and authenticated from 1817 to 1843 both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman and Counter signature of the Clerk
The Clerk's report on the execution of orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect
That he has prepared a Complaint and Information which has been sworn to by Bridget Mullen (nee John Mullen Esq) on which a Warrant for the apprehension of her father was obtained for deserting his child John Mullen in consequence of which he has become chargeable to this Union, and that he has handed over the Warrant to the Constabulary

The Treasurers Book of Receipts and Payments was produced by which it appeared that there had been received during the week £ 42.5.0
Paid during the week £ 106.6.1
And that the balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians 321.4.3

The Book was signed by the Chairman
The following Lodgments have been made by Collectors to Treasurer since last day of Meeting viz
Richard Treice Collector for Athlone £ 7.0.0
Ditto " Clontarf 5 " "
Ditto " Kiltulla 8 " "
Ditto " Killynied 2 " "
Capt. W. Kelly " Kilmess 15 " "
Ditto " Killeck 5 " 42

The following Books were produced by the Clerk he having previously ascertained the Accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse and authenticated same by his signature viz

The Weekly Relief List & Abstract
The Provision Check Account
The Provision Receipt & Consumption Account
By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions & Necessaries received during the week was £ 30.3.9
The Cost of Provisions & Necessaries Consumed was £ 17.48.5
And the Average Cost of a Pauper for the week was £ 1.7

The Master's Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the past week was examined and orders were duly made for the several Articles & specified namely
201 lbs of White Bread 49 Boxes of Soap
199 lbs of Brown Bread 3 lbs of Candles
153 Gallons of New Milk 230 Sticks of Potatoes
14 1/2 Gallons of Butter Milk
34 1/2 lbs of Meat

The following Books were produced viz
The Medical Officers Books
The Reports of the Master and other officers were read & viz
The Master reports that the following are much wanted viz
Shaw for the Beds, then being no Contractors, ordered 1 ton
Two Tubs for holding Milk and Gruel, One hundred Tin-pail
A Shandle for the Pope's Head Three Barrels of Lime for whitewashing
and A Table for the Masters office, all of which were ordered to be purchased

Mr. O'Brien
Masters report
read.

Mrs. Murphy's report, ordered

The Matron reports that the following are wanted viz Ropes for lines for drying Clothes, as the Paupers are at present obliged to go out to the hedges to dry them. also Three Wash Stuffs and that the Wheels require to be repaired for spinning flax to make nets. Ordered that the above be provided and done

Schoolmaster's report, ordered

The Schoolmaster reports that the following are wanted for the Schoolroom viz 100 Quills. Ink and 50 Copy Books which were ordered to be procured

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commrs were read viz

1st Letter from the Poor Law Commrs No 231 N 46 dated 1st Inst forwarding a General Order to supply Vacancies in Boards of Guardians

2nd ditto No 9428 D 46 dated 8th Inst relative to changing the day of Meeting from Saturday to Thursday. but as regards the hour of Meeting it appears to the Commrs to be open to much objection as being too late in the day, and suggesting to the Board the propriety of fixing the hour of Meeting at an earlier period in the day

3rd Letter No 9411 D 46 dated the 8th Inst sanctioning the appointments of Mr Saml O'Brien and Mrs Anne Murphy as Master and Matron of the Workhouse

4th Letter No 9628 D 46 dated 9th Inst enquiring whether the Schoolmaster understood in consequence of being married that none of his family would be permitted to reside with him

5th Letter No 9428 D 46 dated 12th Inst requesting the Clerk to lay again before the Board the Commrs Letter of the 11th March last on the subject of Fever

Resolved that the following Gentlemen be appointed a Committee viz Tho. J. Fulle, J. B. Brickehill and Peter Blake Esqrs to wait on the Committee of the Fever Hospital for the purpose of making Arrangements with them relative to receiving therein from this Workhouse poor persons who may be afflicted with Fever & the Guardians supplying Beds and whatever sum per diem may be agreed upon, to report the result of their interview with said Committee to the Board on Thursday next.

A Letter was read from Matthew Conniffe one of the Surtees of Hugh Gordon late Collector, requesting the

Board would give him time for the payment of the Bico until the 25th May next

Resolved that it be granted, if the Treasurer be satisfied.

The W of Provisional Admissions confirmed was 3

Ditto disallowed " "

The W of Applicants admitted was _____

Ditto Rejected _____

Whom went away immediately

9415-44

Resolved that a Cheque be drawn in favor of the Clerk for £9.15-4 advanced by him to this date for Board for the Workhouse

There being fourteen Candidates for the situation of Porter, and only the following nominated viz

Proposed by J. B. Brickehill, seconded by Tho. B. Brickehill that Peter Whyte be elected Porter

Proposed by Peter Blake, seconded by Tho. B. Brickehill that James Riely be elected

Proposed by John Sop dell, seconded by Tho. B. Brickehill that John McHugs be elected. A Division took place when there voted for Peter Whyte 2, for James Riely 1 and for John McHugs 7.

Resolved that John McHugs be elected Porter of this Workhouse at the usual Salary & Rations

Three Candidates appeared for the situation of Schoolmistress, when the following were proposed viz

Proposed by Peter Blake seconded by Tho. B. Brickehill that Margaret Birmingham be elected

Proposed by Patrick Merril and not seconded that Belinda Gillin be elected

Resolved that Margaret Birmingham be elected Schoolmistress at the usual Salary & Rations

Michael Molony Clerk to the Guardians

Robert Murray Esq. Chairman

Ordinary day of Meeting
Board Room 25th May 1846

Two Guardians only being present at three o'clock
viz Tho^s S. Felly and Bryan W. Clarke Esq^r being after
the lapse of one hour from the time appointed for its Commencement
the Meeting is adjourned to the next ordinary or weekly day of
Meeting in pursuance of the 6th Article of the General Orders
regulating the Meetings of the Guardians

Michael Molony,
Clerk to the Guardians

Ordinary day of Meeting
Board Room 28th May 1846

Only one Guardian being present at 3 o'clock viz
John A. Burke Esq^r being after the lapse of one hour from
the time appointed for its Commencement, the Meeting is
adjourned to the next ordinary or weekly day of Meeting
in pursuance of the 6th Article of the General Orders
regulating the Meetings of the Guardians

Michael Molony,
Clerk to the Guardians

Ordinary day of Meeting
Board Room 4th June 1846

Only one Guardian John A. Burke Esq^r being
present at three o'clock being after the lapse of one hour
from the time appointed for its Commencement the Meeting
is adjourned to the next ordinary or weekly day of Meeting
in pursuance of the 6th Article of the General Orders
regulating the Meetings of the Guardians

Michael Molony,
Clerk to the Guardians

At a Meeting of the Board of Guardians of the
Loughrea Union held at the Workhouse on Thursday the
11th June 1846

Robert Henry Ferriss Esq^r in the Chair
Lawrence Faly
John A. Burke

James Smyth Esq^r Tho^s S. Felly Esq^r
The Minutes of last Meeting were read & signed

The Registered Book was produced, examined
and authenticated from N^o 1582 to N^o 1585 both inclusive by
the signature of the Chairman and Counter signature of the Clerk

The Clerk reports that John Mulloy arrested
in the U^l R^o common was brought before the Magistrates at
Loughrea Petty Sessions on the 28th Ultimo and sentenced to a
fortnight's imprisonment for deserting his child who has been
relieved in this Workhouse, together with being obliged to take
him away on his return from Galway Harb after liberation

The Treasurers Book of Receipts and Payments was
produced by which it appeared that there had been received since last
Meeting

£91-15-0
Paid since last Meeting £9-15-4

And that the Balance on the Accounts in favor of the Guardians is £103-3-11

The Book was signed by the Chairman

The following Lodgments have been made by Collectors to
Treasurer since last day of Meeting viz

Richard Meier Collector for Athlone	£3-18-6
Ditto " Clontarf	9-0-4 ¹ / ₂
Ditto " Kiltatten	3-19-3 ¹ / ₂
Ditto " Kiltines	1-1-10
Nicholas Synsky " Kilmecran	8-16-11
Ditto " Manghual	4-18-5
Garrett Burke " Ballynakeel	12-12-6
Ditto " Donny	10-9-4 ¹ / ₂
Ditto " Portumna	15-9-5 ¹ / ₂
Ditto " Felin	13-1-2
Pat Mahely " Kilmee	7-3-10 ¹ / ₂
Ditto " Kilmee	1-3-3 ¹ / ₂

91-15-0

The following Books were produced by the Clerk he having previously ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse and authenticated same by his signature

The Weekly Relief List and Abstract

The Provision Check Account

The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account

By which it appears that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the ^{last} past week was

£ 14-15-1

£ 15-11-10³/₄

£ 15-12-4³/₄

£ 14-12-2

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries Consumed was

£ 18-10-10

19-7-4³/₄

19-11-5

18-6-3³/₄

And the average Cost of a Pauper for each week was 17³/₄ 17³/₄ 17³/₄ 17³/₄ 17³/₄ 17³/₄ 17³/₄ 17³/₄ 17³/₄ 17³/₄

The Master's Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the Past Week was examined and orders were duly made for the several Articles specified namely

183 lbs of White Bread

198 lbs of Brown Bread

41 lbs of Meat

230 stone of Potatoes

1 Ton of Oatmeal

1 Cwt of Salt

1 Cwt of Soap

135³/₄ Gallons of New Milk

8 Gallons of Butter Milk

35 Boxes of Soap

2 lbs of Soda

Resolved that there being no Meeting for the last three weeks the order for Provisions and Necessaries for said weeks be this day signed by the Chairman

At this stage of the proceedings the Deputy Chief Chairman James Smyth Esq entered the room and

The Reports of the Master and other officers were read and orders made on them as follows

That on Sunday Morning the 31st Ultimo a Pauper named Thomas Martin who was charged on the Synagh Electoral Division absconded from the Workhouse leaving two of his children therein

Resolved that the Master be directed to lodge a Complaint against him in order that a Warrant for his Apprehension may be obtained and issued

Also that two Hand Barrows are much wanted as the Pump is run dry and all the water used in the House must be carried from the Lake

Ordered that they be purchased

That the Workhouse Ground is sown with Potatoes and the quantity of seed used was 254 stone Price £ 5-2-3

And that John Edge ^{a Pauper in the House} climbed over the Luggery door and broke two bottles of Medicine therein together with taking some of the empty bottles out of it

Resolved that John Edge be discharged from the Workhouse in consequence of the above bad Conduct

The Clerk reports that Thomas Armstrong Collector has collected during the past month £ 132-4-3 which he has not lodged with the Treasurer

Resolved that the Clerk be directed to call on his Jurats and inform them that unless the said sum be lodged before this day week proceedings will be instituted against the Collector for disobedience of the Commissioners Order

And that Mr James Hurlong has been duly elected a Guardian for the Killarney Electoral Division of this Union

The Report of the ~~Committee~~ ^{was read} appointed a Committee to make arrangements with the Committee of the Fever Hospital for the purpose of ascertaining if Fever patients would be received therein from the Workhouse to the effect that the Fever Hospital Committee do not seem inclined to promote the admission of Fever Patients from the Workhouse to the ~~Workhouse~~

The Assistant Chaplain reports that in order to instruct the children sufficiently in the knowledge of the Principles of Faith and Morality, it is most necessary that one or two Books should be ordered by the Guardians for the purchase of Catechisms and other religious Books

Ordered that one Dozen of Catholic Catechisms and two Protestant be purchased

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commission and others were read as follows —

1st Letter from the Poor Law Comm^{rs} N^o 10447 D46 dated the 25th Ultimo sanctioning the appointment of Neil M^cDonnell as Schoolmaster

2nd Letter N^o 10408 D46 dated the 21st Ultimo sanctioning the appointment of John M^cHugh as Porter of the Workhouse

3rd Letter N^o 10409 D46 dated the 22nd Ultimo sanctioning the appointment of Margaret Birmingham as Schoolmistress

4th Letter N^o 252 A46 dated the 25th Ultimo requesting the Guardians would be good enough to cause enquiry to be made throughout the Union in order to ascertain the names of Wives or Families resident therein whose Husbands or Parents have been transported together with the number of Children in each case, as Her Majesty's Government have it in contemplation to facilitate in some degree their conveyance so as to enable them to join their Husbands

5th Letter N^o 261 A46 dated the 25th Ultimo requesting the Clerk to state by return of Post the number of Women in the Workhouse on the 25th Ultimo between the ages of 18 & 40

The Clerk reports that he has received from Doctor McEwan Vaccinator in the Loughree District the following report of the number of Children vaccinated by him during the following Months, but that he has not received from him the Registry of Vaccination (Form 11) as required in order that same may be inspected by the Board of Guardians viz for the Months of July 23, August 3, January 6, February 3, April 3, May 2 Total 40 out of which 19 are stated to be successfully vaccinated

Doctor McEwan successful cases

Proposed by Laurence Fahy, seconded by John Burke that half a Ton of Indian Meal be provided for the use of the Paupers, and that they be allowed the same quantity thereof for Breakfast and for Dinner if Potatoes cannot be procured, as is used of the present method for Breakfast

Resolved that Cheques be drawn in favor of the following viz.

- Margaret Dancy for Clothing £ 9.17.8
- Thomas Fahy " Ditto 5.13.2
- Michael Molony for money advanced by him 19.16.40

An Application from the Schoolmaster was read signed to be permitted to go see his Wife and Children once in every three Weeks, leaving on Saturday evening, and returning on Sunday

Resolved that he be allowed the above provided the Master can dispense with his services, and in order to ascertain this he be obliged to apply from time to time to the Master.

The Matron reports that some Rubbers are required for cleaning the Houses

Resolved that six Wopping Rubbers made of strong Woolen flannel be purchased

The No of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	9
Ditto disallowed	"
The No of Applicants admitted was	10
Ditto rejected	1

Notice of Motion by Laurence Fahy Esq that on the 25th Inst Council move the day of Meetings be changed from Thursday to Saturday in consequence of the bad attendance during the last three Weeks

Michael Molony
Clerk to the Guardians

J. Smith Esq
Chairman

At a Meeting of the Board of Guardians of the
Loughrea Union held at the Workhouse on Thursday 19th June 1847
James Smyth Esq in the Chair

- Tho: J. Gully
- Peter Blake
- Laurence Fahy
- Thomas Burke
- John A. Burke, Francis W. Lynch &
- James W. Burke Esq.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

The Register Book was produced, examined
and authenticated from 1586 to 1604 both 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 viz
That he has prepared an information which has been
sworn to by the Master and a Warrant issued thereon for the
Apprehension of Tho: Martin for absconding the Workhouse leaving
two of his ^{children} to be relieved thereon,

The Treasurers Book of Receipts and Payments was produced
by which it appeared that there had been received during the week £412.4.3
Paid during the week £ 35.7.6
And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the fund was £ 511.8.8

The Book was signed by the Chairman
The following Lodgments have been made by Collectors
to Treasurers since last day of Meeting viz
Tho: Armstrong for Loughrea £ 80.10.11
Ditto for Belchrest 10.14.2
Ditto for Killynashina 40.19.2

Michael O'Brien M^r Instalment of late Compromise £ 110.0.0
The following Books were produced by the Clerk
he having previously ascertained the accuracy of the entries
made therein by the Master of the Workhouse and authenticated
same by his signature:

The Weekly Relief List and Abstract
The Provision Check Account
The Provision Receipt and Consumption Accounts
By which it appears that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries
received during the week was £ 31.9.11
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries Consumed was 18.4.12
And the Average Cost of a Pauper for the week was " 1.7

The Masters Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries
required for the ^{next} week was examined and Orders
were duly made for the several Articles specified namely
185 lbs of White Bread | 4 1/2 lbs of Meat
198 lbs of Brown Bread | 360 Stone of Potatoes
1380 Gallons of New Milk | 28 Boxes of Furf and
9 1/4 Gallons of Butter Milk | 2 lbs of Candles

The following Books were also produced viz
The Medical Officers Book

The Masters report was read to the following effect
That in pursuance of the resolution of the Board
on last day of Meeting the Clerk purchased as much
Indian Meal as would suffice for a Breakfast for the
Paupers, which he made into stralouts for them on the
Morning of the 14th Inst, that they refused eating it and
fasted until Dinner time, that they are getting the same
allowance of stralouts and new milk for Dinner as for
Breakfast since the 15th Inst, there being no Potatoes

Resolved that half a Ton of Indian Meal
be purchased and again given to the Paupers, that they
be allowed the following quantity for each class for
Breakfast made into stralouts viz 1st class 80 lb
2nd class 5 and 3rd class 40 lb, and that any Pauper objecting
to this Dietary be reported to the Board on next day of
Meeting, to be dealt with as they may deem proper

The following Letters were read viz
M^r Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners No 2820 of 1846
dated the 15th Inst, forwarding a copy of an Order from the
Court of Exchequer relative to payment of Poor Rates by
receivers and persons under the control of the Court

2nd Letter No 1265 of 46 dated 17th Inst, relative
to the Guardians not succeeding in making arrangements with the
Committee of the Fever Hospital for receiving therein from the
Workhouse persons afflicted with Fever, and again pressing
upon the Guardians the propriety of erecting a detached Ward
on the Workhouse premises for the reception and treatment of Fever
Patients &c

Resolved that the consideration of these letters be
postponed to next day of Meeting

The Prof Provisional confirmed was 4
 Ditto disallowed " "
 The Prof Applicants admitted was 3
 Ditto rejected " "
 Michael Molony
 Clerk to the Guardians
 J. Smyth
 Chairman

At a Meeting of the Board of Guardians of the Longrea Union held at the Workhouse on Thursday the 25th June 1846
 James Smyth Esq. in the Chair
 James M. Burke
 William John Hancock Esq. Lawrence Stahy
 A. S. M. attended Hyacinth Clarke
 Peter Blake &
 John A. Burke Esquires

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed
 The Register Book was produced, examined and authenticated from N^o 1605 to N^o 1611 both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk

The Treasurers Book of receipts and payments was produced by which it appeared that there had been received during the week £44⁰/₃
 Said during the week £ " "
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was 554⁰/₁₁
 The Book was signed by the Chairman

The following Lodgments have been made by Collectors to Guardians since last day of Meeting viz
 Richard Meiss Collector for Athlone £ 7 - "
 Ditto " " Clonsilla 7 - 7 - 0
 Ditto " " Kiltatta 15 - 4 - "
 Ditto " " Killybeg 1 - 14 - "
 Nicholas Smyth " " Kilsconner 7 - 14 - "
 Ditto " " Craughwell 5 - 14 - 2 44 - 0 - 3

The following Books were produced by the Clerk their accuracy having been previously ascertained by the

and authenticated by his signature
 The Weekly Relief List and Abstract
 The Provision Wheat Accounts
 The Provision Receipt and Consumption Accounts
 By which it appears that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 14 - 0 - 8
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries Consumed was £ 17 - 18 - 6 1/2
 And the Average Cost of a Pauper for the Week was 1.7

The Masters Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the past week was examined and orders were duly made for the several Articles specified namely

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|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 178 lbs of white Bread | 1 Cwt of Salt |
| 206 lbs of Brown Bread | 21 Boxes of Furf |
| 39 1/2 lbs of Meat | 6 dozen of Brooms |
| 182 3/4 Gallons of New Milk | 3 Barrels of Lime |
| 7 3/4 Gallons of Butter Milk | 7 lbs of Flax for making Nets |

The following Books were also produced viz
 The General Clothing Accounts
 The Medical Officers Books

The Reports of the Master & other officers were read and orders made on them as follows viz

The Matron reports that she requires for female School and Nursery the following viz
 150 yards of Bengal Stripes, 60 yards of Calico for lining caps
 5 lbs of Black thread, 1 hundred of Needles, 1 gross of Buttons
 3 Fur Warrants to be repaired, 3 shelves for clothes storage
 12 Yards of Calico for Caps for Adults

Ordered that the Clerk do call on the different Shopkeepers, requiring them to send in Tenders accompanied with samples for the several Articles of Clothing ^{above named} against next day of Meeting, and that the other Necessaries be provided

The Medical Officer reports the death of Thomas Walsh aged 80 years of Old age and General Debility on the 21st Inst

The following Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners was read and orders made thereon as follows viz

Letter N^o 2923 H6 dated the 24th Inst forwarding a copy of a letter received from the Rev. D. M. Sullivan P. O. of Athlone relating to the Toll & Customs arising out of Stairs held in that Town, and of

and Water to have been formerly connected with the late Corporation of Athlone, and drawing the attention of the Guardians to the 19th Section (and enclosing a copy thereof) of the Municipal Corporations Act (34 & 35 Vic. c. 103) the Borough of Athlone being one of those named in the Schedule (F) therein referred to &

Resolved that the Clerk be directed to write to the Rev. Dan. O'Connell informing him that the Board of Guardians have given instructions to their Solicitor to call on Mr. Thomas Horse for the purpose of ascertaining from him, by what Authority he levies the Tolls and Customs arising out of the Borough of Athlone,

The No of Provisional Admissions Confirmed were	1
Ditto disallowed	"
The No of Applicants admitted were	9
Ditto rejected	1

The Auditors report on the Bonds and other Securities in force were laid before the Board by the Clerk

Resolved that a notice be served on Mr. Lynch the late Master requiring him to attend at the Workhouse on Friday the 26th Inst at 11 o'clock, and that the following Gentlemen be appointed a Committee to attend at the same hour (viz James Smyth, Esq., Charles Burke and Lawrence Fahy Esquires) for the purpose of seeing the clothing Compter and examining such Articles thereof as may be unfit for use

Resolved that the day of Meetings be changed again from Thursday to Saturday to meet at 12 o'clock, the next Meeting to be held on Saturday the 4th July next -

The Commissioners letter No 12605 D46 dated 17th Inst relative to building a Fever Hospital detached from the Workhouse was taken into Consideration,

Resolved that the Commissioners be requested to send down Plans & of a Fever Ward on a detached portion of the Workhouse ground fit for the reception of 40 Fever Patients

Resolved that a Cheque ~~be drawn~~ be drawn in favour of the Clerk for £13-11-8 for monies advanced by him for Potatoes and other incidental expenses }
Michael O'Connell
John Smyth

£ 13-11-8

At a Meeting of the Board of Guardians of the Loughrea Union held at the Workhouse on Saturday 4th July 1848

- James Smyth Esq in the Chair
- Robert Henry Perce
- John A Burke
- Lawrence Fahy
- Patrick Skerrett
- James B Burke and

at the close of the Meeting Mr. Skerrett entered the room and took the Chair,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read & signed
The Register Book was produced, examined and authenticated from 1812 to 1821 both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman and Countersignature of the Clerk

The Treasurers Book of Receipts and Payments was produced by which it appeared that there had been received during last 4th-10-11
said during the week £ 13-11-8

And that the Balance on the Acct in favor of the Guardians was £ 688-0-0
The Book was signed by the Chairman

The following Lodgments have been made by Collectors to Treasurers since last day of Meeting viz

Thos. Armstrong Collector for Loughrea	£ 79-14-8
Ditto " Kilsheest	8-19-10
Ditto " Kilsnadema	16-11-10
Richard Buell " Athlone	1-2-5 1/2
Ditto " Clontarf	19-0-8
Ditto " Kiltulla	18-16-6 1/2
James Burke " Ragsmatta	9-9-0
Ditto " Goring	0-17-6
Ditto " Francis 147-10-11	4-11-4
Pat O'Keely " Kilsheest	1-4-7
Ditto " Kilsheest	1-3-9

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

- The Weekly Relief List & Abstract
- The Provisional Chest Accounts
- The Provision Receipt & Consumption Specimen

By which it appears that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £18.15.7^{1/2}
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £17.44.11^{3/4}
 And the Average Cost of a Pauper for the week was £ 1.6^{1/2}

The Masters Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and orders were duly made for the several Articles specified namely

187 lbs of white Bread	18 ^{1/2} Gallons of Butter Milk
206 lbs of Brown Bread	28 Boxes of Soap
33 ^{1/2} lbs of Meat	2 lbs of Candles
213 stones of Potatoes	
143 ^{1/2} Gallons of New Milk	

The following Books were also produced viz
 The Medical Officers Books
 The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read as follows
 On the Reports of the Master, the following Articles of Clothing were ordered, to be purchased, Funds having been sent in for the supply of them viz
 180 yards of Bengal Stripe same as pattern at 7^{1/2} per yard and
 60 yards of Calico at 2^{1/2} per yard to be supplied by P. Kelly
 240 yards of Corduroy same as pattern at 9^{1/4} per yard,
 100 yards of Calico at 4⁰ per ditto
 3 lbs of Thread, 5 Gross of Stubs and Needles to be supplied by P. Davey

Also one Doz of Straw for Beds, 25 Quarts & 50 Pint Measures and one Dozen of Combs for Childrens use to be purchased
 The Assistant Chaplain having again called the attention of the Board to the great necessity of purchasing Catechisms and Prayer Books for the ^{more} instruction of the Children and stated that they may be procured for about one Pound

Ordered that one Pound be given to the Roman Catholic Chaplain for the purchase of the Books above mentioned
 The Medical Officer reports the death of a young boy a child of the Hospital

The following Letters were read viz
 1st Letter N^o 291 N^o 46 dated 21st Ultimo requesting to be informed whether any additional stones have been got up in Work House or whether any Flax or Wool has been spun therein since the Insurance was effected &c

2nd Letter N^o 13350 I 46 dated 30th Ultimo. stating that Plans &c of the Fever Hospital will be forwarded as early as possible

3rd Letter N^o 13350 I 46 dated 30th Ultimo concerning the change in day and hour of Meeting

The N^o of Provisional Admissions confirmed was 5
 Ditto and allowed " "
 The N^o of Applicants admitted was 3
 Ditto rejected " 3

Resolved that a Cheque be drawn in favor of P. Kelly for Bread to the 27th June amount £3649.2
 36.19.2

Resolved that Michael Feeys Tender for the supply of Fuel for 12 Months be accepted at 7^{1/2} per Box Securities Mess^{rs} John Fahy and P. Kelly

One of the Amates named Catherine Pyries having come before the Board and stated that she could not use the same for Breakfast

Resolved that the Medical Officer be requested to inform the Board if it be absolutely necessary that her diet should be changed, and the Medical Officer having entered the Board Room immediately after, stated that it was, he was therefore directed to order her whatever description of Diet he considered necessary

Michael Molony Clerk to the Board

J. M. M. Chairman

A Meeting of the Board of Guardians of the Loughrea Union held at the Workhouse on Saturday the 11th July 1846
The L. John Burke Esq. in the Chair

James M. Burke
Robert Henry Perce &
Samuel F. O'Connell

The Minutes of last Meeting were read & signed
The Register, Book of Receipts and Payments were produced by which it appeared that there had been received during the week £12-5-0
Paid during the week £36-4-2

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £663-1-0
The Book was signed by the Chairman

The Register was examined from 1822 to 1829 both inclusive,
The following Books were produced by the Clerk he having previously ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse and authenticated same by his signature.

The Weekly Relief List & Abstract
The Provision Chart Account
The Provision Receipt & Consumption Account

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions & Necessaries received during the week was £12-5-0
The Cost of Provisions & Necessaries Consumed was £18-4-4
And the Average Cost of a Supper for the week was £1-1-0

The Master's Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the past week was examined and orders were duly made for the several

- Articles specified namely
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|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 212 lbs of White Bread | 234 Stone of Potatoes |
| 208 lbs of Brown Bread | 1 Ton of Oatmeal |
| 153 Gallons of New Milk | 28 Boxes of Soap |
| 12 1/2 Gallons of Butter Oil | 1 Small Coffin |
| 30 lbs of Meat | 6 dozen of Iron Spoons & |
| | 3 yards of Coarse Canvas for Sullies |

The following Books were also produced viz
The Medical Officers Books

The Clerk reports that Hugh Gordon has lodged £10- in part payment of the Dist. Bill of himself and Siret's Amount £10- the Guardians having given him time for the remainder viz £10- to the 15th betwixt cash on their passing a fresh Bill for said sum which they have done.

£ 19-0-0

The Medical Officer reports the death of Mary Grealy a child aged 5 years of Leucophala and Marasmus

The following letters were read viz
1st Letter from the Poor Law Commrs 18th 20th 24th dated the 3rd Inst. transmitting the Returning Officers Account of Election Expenses in March last &c

Resolved That a Cheque be drawn in favor of the Returning Officers for said Amount namely £18-4-6

2nd Letter 13350 246 dated the 8th Inst. forwarding for the information of the Board of Guardians an Extract from the Report of the Commissioners of Inquiry as to Municipal Corporations in Ireland, the Report as to the Borough of Athlone is dated in September 1833 and is included in the Appendix to the Commissioners report printed in 1835 &c

A Letter from Mr. John Smyth Solicitor dated 10th Inst was read. stating that in pursuance of the resolution of the Board he called on Mr. Neptune Perce Esq. of Athlone relative to the Taxes and Customs arising out of the that Borough in his possession

Resolved That a Copy of Mr. Smyth's letter be sent by the Clerk to the Poor Law Commissioners for their advice and instructions thereon.

The No of Provisional Admissions Confirmed was	1
Ditto disallowed	"
The No of Applicants admitted was	12
Ditto rejected	4

Resolved That a Cheque be drawn in favor of Michael Steeny for July to the 4th July last Amount £1-10-0

Resolved That the following persons be discharged off 2nd Class Dist and put on 1st Class and that they be similarly discharged off Register and readmitted being 15 years of age namely

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| Maria Shan | Mary Quinn |
| Anne Fughagan | Mary Reynolds & |
| Bridget McLoughlin | Judith Lynch |
| Michael Molony | |
| Clerk to the Board | W. Burke Sheriff |

19-12-0

A Meeting of the Board of Guardians of the Loughrea Union held at the workhouse on Saturday the 18th July 1846

- Thos. J. Burke Esq in the Chair
- The Hon^{ble} Denis Daly
- James W Burke
- John A Burke &
- Thos. J. Jolly Esquire

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

The Register Book was produced examined and authenticated from 1838 to 1842 inclusive by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk

The Treasurers Book of Receipts and Payments was produced by which it appeared that there had been received during the week £ 38.6.6

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 625.4.6

The Book was signed by the Chairman

The following Books were produced by the Clerk he having previously ascertained the Accuracy of the Entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse and authenticated same by his signature

- The Weekly Relief List and Abstract
- The Provision Check Account
- The Provision Receipt & Consumption Accounts

By which it appears that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 30.2.10

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries Consumed was £ 18.11.2 1/2
And the Average Cost of a Pauper for the week was £ 1.8.4

The Masters Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the next week was examined and orders were duly made for the several Articles specified namely

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| 241 lbs of White Bread | 28 Boxes of Flour |
| 204 lbs of Brown Bread | 1 Cwt of Salt |
| 164 1/2 Gallons of New Milk | 1 Cwt. of Soap |
| 16 1/2 Gallons of Butter Milk | 2 lbs of Candles & |
| 3 1/2 lbs of Meat | 1 Ton of Straw |
| 242 Stone of Potatoes | |

The following Books were also produced viz
The General Clothing Accounts
The Medical Officers Books

The Reports of the Master & other Officers were read

The Medical Officers Report the death of Honor Mangan aged 46 years of General Dropsy and Emaciation

The following Letters were read viz

1st Letter from the Poor Law Comm^{rs} No 301 M46 dated the 9th Inst. informing the Guardians that an Instalment Amount £5.10 has become due to the "Estate's Fund Account" on the 1st Inst and requesting that it may be paid &c

5-10-0

Resolved that a Cheque be drawn for said sum viz £ 5.10.0

2nd Letter No 1440 & 46 dated the 16th Inst. stating that the Comm^{rs} are of opinion that the Guardians should not fail in asserting the rights devolved upon them relative to the Follen Customs of the Borough of Athlone

Resolved that our Solicitor Mr John Smyth be directed to consult Counsel, as to best, simplest and least expensive mode for the Board of Guardians to adopt, in order to obtain legal possession of the Follen and other property of the Borough of Athlone.

The No of Provisional Admissions Confirmed	was	2
Ditto disallowed		"
The No of Applicants Admitted	was	3
Ditto Rejected		12

Resolved that Cheques be drawn in favor of the following viz

- Peter Fahy for Milk to the 11th Inst £ 4.4.3
- Michael Molony - Money advanced by him for the last three weeks for Potatoes & other incidental expenses } 21.15.1

Audit Fund Account for Auditors Salary to 1st July 1846 £ 5.10.0
Michael Molony
Clerk to the Guardians

W. Burke Chairman

At a Meeting of the Board of Guardians of the Loughrea Union held at the Workhouse on Saturday the 25th July 1846
Thos Burke Esq in the Chair

James Stanton
William J. Hancock Esq James M Burke
A. P. L. G. John A Burke
attended: Thos Burke
James Smyth
Robert Henry Kerse
Samuel Haly &
Peter Blake Esquires

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed
The Register Book was produced, examined and authenticated from 1843 to 1847 both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk

The Treasurers Book of receipts and payments was produced by which it appeared that there had been received during the week £ 11 11 11
Paid during the week £ 91 9 4

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 533 5 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman
The following Books were produced & examined by which it appears that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries for dining last week was £ 11 11 11

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 11 11 11
And the Average Cost of a Dinner for the Week was £ 1 7 1/2

The Masters Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the past week was examined and orders were duly made for the several Articles specified namely

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|-------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 242 lbs of White Bread | 28 Boxes of Furf |
| 204 lbs of Brown Bread | 3 Barrels of Lime |
| 30 1/2 lbs of Meat | 2 white Muslin Bannocks |
| 246 Stone of Potatoes | 4 dozens of Heath Brooms & |
| 16 1/2 Gallons of Brew Milk | 1 Pair of Scissors |
| 15 1/2 Gallons of Butter Milk | |

The following Books were also produced viz
The Medical Officers Books
The Reports of the Master & other officers were read as follows viz

The Clerk read to the Board the following notices with the punishments inflicted by the Master in each Case viz
Mary Roden for ^{misbehaving} deserting Mary Regan on the 24th Inst.
Margaret Lally for using obscene & profane ^{language} in presence of Matron for refusing to work on the 25th Inst and for scolding Matron in the Dining Hall as disturbing the inmates while at Breakfast on the 25th Inst. Clerk stopped for the two first offences and confined for an hour for the third offence. And Margaret Lally being brought before the Board who approved of the punishment inflicted by Master directing her for the next offence to have her ~~presented~~ ^{presented} in pursuance of the 58th Section of the Act

The following requisites are required for the Schoolrooms viz
St. Michaels School Female School
100 Copy Books large - - 200 quills
100 Slate Pencils & Ink & - 20 Small Slates
100 Writing Pens - 200 Slate Pencils
Order to be purchased by the Clerk from the Secretaries of the National Board of Education.

The following Letters were read viz
Letter from the Secretary of the Bank of Ireland dated 21st Inst acknowledging the receipt of a Letter of Credit Amount £ 50 being the Instalment due to the Audit Fund Account on the 1st Inst.

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners 11/33/50 dated the 23rd Inst forwarding Plans & Specifications of Fever Hospital
Resolved that the Consideration of erecting a Fever Hospital be postponed until this day fortnight

The No of Provisional Admissions confirmed was 2
Did all come "
The No of Applicants admitted was 5
Ditto rejected "

The Clerk read a Notice of Marriage received by him from the District Registrar between Perennia Walker Private in 15th Regt and Bridget Kelly of Loughrea
Resolved that Cheques be drawn in favor of the following viz
Pat Dancy for Clothing £ 11 18 8
Thos Haly for ditto 6 11 4
Michael Molloy
M. W. H. Chairman

Ordinary day of Meeting

Board Room 1st August 1846

Three Guardians not being present at One o'clock being after the lapse of one hour from the time appointed for its commencement the Meeting is adjourned to the next Ordinary or Weekly day of Meeting in pursuance of the 6th Article of the General Orders regulating the Meetings of the Guardians

Michael Molony
Clerk to the Guardians

A Week's Provisions & Necessaries not taken in here at all.

At a Meeting of the Board of Guardians of the Loughlin Union held at the Workhouse on Saturday the 8th August 1846

Thomas John Burke Esq in the Chair

James Smyth

Lawrence Fahy and

Patrick McNeill

The Minutes of last Meeting were read & signed

The Register Book was produced, examined and authenticated from CP 1648 to CP 1654 both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman and Countersignature of the Clerk

The Treasurers Book of receipts and payments was produced by which it appeared that there had been received since last Meeting £ 14.9.5

Paid since last Meeting £ 18.10.0

And that the Balance on the account in favor of the Guardians was £ 529.14.7

The Book was signed by the Chairman

The following Payments have been made by Collectors to Treasurer since last day of Meeting viz

Nicholas Lynskey for Mileconeraw £ 3.10.4

Ditto " Grandhewell 5.19.4

Richard Meile " Athony 1.10.0

Ditto " Clonkeen 3.40.0 14.9.5

The following Books were produced by the Clerk he having previously ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Masters of the Workhouse and authenticated same by his signature

The Weekly Relief List and Abstract

The Provision Check Account

The Provisions Receipt and Consumption Account

By which it appears that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £ 31.18.4

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries Consumed was £ 19.17.6

And the Average Cost of a Pauper for the Week was £ 7.1.7

The Masters Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the past Week was examined and orders were made for the several Articles specified namely

225 lbs of White Bread

154³/₄ Gallons of New Milk

208 lbs of Brown Bread

10¹/₂ Gallons of Butter Milk

33 lbs of Meat

1 Cwt of Salt

240 Stone of Potatoes

1 Stone of Rice &

1 Ton of Oatmeal

28 Boxes of Fuel

The following Books were also produced viz

The General Clothing Accounts

The Medical Officers Books

The Masters report was read to the following effect

That the following Articles are accounted viz

300 yards of Lunsey Woolsey to make 50 suits of Clothes for Women

40 Pair of Womens and 30 Pair of Mens Shoes

50 Caps for Men & Boys &

50 Chamber Utensils, the latter only being ordered.

That he has sold the Hay on the Workhouse Lawn for fifteen shillings

That on Sunday the 2nd Inst he delayed Dinner for nearly an hour, in consequence of the Contractor not having sent the Milk in due time, at length the Paupers requested the Potatoes before they would be too Cold, with which he supplied the Milk however came while it dunes, which he refused to receive and was therefore taken away by Contractor,

And that on the same day he sent no Butter Milk for Whey until 8 o'clock P.M. which should be delivered at 9 o'clock

Resolved that the Milk Contractor be directed to be more particular in future, as in the event of any further irregularities by his not delivering the Milk at the hours appointed viz 9 o'clock A.M. on Week days, and half past three on Sunday evenings, proceedings will be instituted against him and securities on their Bond

The Clerk reports that the Master who attended the Workhouse during two of his children therein has been arrested and sent to the County Gaol, and that the said Master is obliged to take money from the Paupers to pay his expenses

The No of Provisional Admissions Confirmed was 6
 Ditto disallowed " "
 The No of Applicants admitted was 6
 Ditto repeated " 3

The Clerk read the Notice of Marriage received by him from the District Registrar between ^{John} Walter a Private in the 75 Regt and Bridget Kelly of Loughrea

Resolved That there being no meeting on the 1st Inst, the Orders for Provisions and Necessaries for past week be this day signed by the Chairman

Resolved That in consequence of the small number of Guardians present the Consideration of the Comm^{rs} letter relative to the erection of a Fever Hospital be postponed,

Resolved That Cheques be drawn in favor of the following Viz

Michael Molony for Monies advanced by him for Potatoes and other incidental expenses £22.19.3

Rev^d John Molony for four Weeks Salary due to Miss Anne Brackenridge as instructress in the embroidery of Misses 1.4.18
 Michael Molony John Burke Chairman
 Clerk to the Guardians

Galway County Council

A Meeting of the Board of Guardians of the Loughrea Union held at the Workhouse on Saturday the 15th August 1866

John A Burke Esq in the Chair

Thos A. Juley

Pat^r McNeill

Pat^r McBurne

W. S. Brinknell

James W. Burke and

Francis W. Lynch Esquires

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

The Register Book was produced and examined from No 1655 to No 1666 both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk

The Treasurers Book of Receipts and Payments were produced by which it appeared that there had been received during week £ 243.3
 Paid during the week £ 505.10.4

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 505.10.4

The Book was signed by the Chairman

The following Books were produced by the Clerk he having previously ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse and authenticated same by his signature

The Weekly Relief List and Abstract

The Provision Check Account

The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account by which it appears that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 449.2.3

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries Consumed was £ 140.1.2
 And the Average Cost of a Pauper for the week was £ 1.1.1

The Masters Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries for the past week was examined and orders were duly made for the several Articles specified Namely

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|-------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 219 lbs of White Bread | 34 1/2 lbs of Meat |
| 250 lbs of Brown Bread | 224 Stone of Potatoes |
| 137 1/2 Gallons of New Milk | 28 Boxes of Fuel |
| 11 1/2 Gallons of Butter Milk | 2 lbs of Candles |

The following Books were also produced viz

The General Clothing Accounts

The Medical Officers Books

The Medical Officer reports the death of Thos Juley on the 11th Inst of Typhoid Fever

The No of Provisional Admissions Continued was 4
 Ditto disallowed 1
 The No of Applicants admitted was ————
 Ditto rejected ———— 2

An Application having been read from Catharine Mahony stating that she would have gone out long since but had no clothing for her illegitimate Child Born in the House in Union clothes given June last.

Resolved That she be allowed the clothes belonging to the Union at present worn by the Child in order to enable her to leave the Workhouse

Resolved That Anne Killilea be discharged from the Workhouse on Monday next being able-bodied

Two Summers Eleanor McGuire and Mary Gorman being brought before the Board and stated that their Husbands had deserted them

Resolved That the Clerk be directed to prepare Informations to be sworn to by the above persons in order that Warrants for their Apprehension may be issued

Michael Molony
 Clerk to the Guardians

W. Burke Ch^r

Ordinary day of Meeting

Boar Room 22nd August 1846

Public Guardian being present at one o'clock being 10th day after the lapse of one hour from the time appointed for its Commencement the Meeting is adjourned to the next Ordinary or Weekly day of Meeting in pursuance of the 1st Article of the General Order regulating the Meetings of the Guardians

Michael Molony
 Clerk to the Guardians

Union clothes given June last.
 by Board in order
 that the person may
 leave

At a Meeting of the Board of Guardians held at the Workhouse on Saturday the 22nd August 1846
 James M. Burke Esq in the Chair
 Laurence Frady
 Thos. D. Jolly &
 Peter Blake Esquires

The Minutes of the Meeting were read and agreed
 The Register Book was produced, examined and authenticated from 1837 to 1846 both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman and Counter signature of the Clerk
 The Treasurers Book of receipts and Payments was produced by which it appeared that there had been received during week
 Paid during the week £ 11 - - -
 And that the Balance on the account in favor of the Guardians was £ 505 - 1 - 7

The following Books were produced by the Clerk having previously ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse and authenticated same by his signature

The Weekly Relief List and Abstract
 The Provision Check Account
 The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account
 By which it appears that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 15 - 17 - 40
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries Consumed was £ 17 - 19 - 75
 And the Average Cost of a Supper for the week was £ 1 - 1 - 7

The Masters Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the present week was examined and orders were made for the several articles specified namely

219 lbs of White Bread	28 Dozes of Sugar
182 lbs of Brown Bread	6 Dozes of Piorm
32 lbs of Meat	4 quires of Common Paper
144 ^{to} Gallons of New Milk	fools cap paper
11 ^{to} Gallons of Butter Milk	Articles of Wax & Box of Wafers
1 cwt of Salt	4 order Check Books
1 cwt of Soap	3 Abstracts Form 5 4 1/2 & 2 Form 4

The following Books were also produced viz
 The several Clothing Accounts
 The Medical Officers Books -