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Loughrea Poor Law Union

Board of Guardian

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Loughrea UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, *17th* day of *October* 184*6*

	ADMITTED.							DISCHARGED.					DIED.							
	Males, aged 15 and upwa ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upwa ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN.		Males, aged 15 and upwa ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upwa ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upwa ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upwa ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	
						Males.	Fe-males.													
During the Week ended as above,	<i>7</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>2</i>	"	"	<i>23</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>0</i>	"	"	"	"	"	<i>9</i>	"	
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	<i>39</i>	<i>56</i>	<i>63</i>	<i>59</i>	<i>15</i>	"	"	<i>232</i>	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
TOTAL,	<i>46</i>	<i>69</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>64</i>	<i>17</i>	"	"	<i>255</i>	No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.									
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	<i>"</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>3</i>	"	"	<i>8</i>	In Work-house, } <i>7</i>	In separate Wards, }	In Wards with other Inmates, }									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, }	<i>40</i>	<i>57</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>64</i>	<i>14</i>	"	"	<i>247</i>	In Fever Hospital, } <i>1</i>	Total, }	Total, }									

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, *300*
 NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the *31st* day of *October* 184*6*

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Saturday*, the *24th* day of *October* 184*6*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *James Smyth Esq*

Other Guardians: *Laurence Fahy* *The Hon^{ble} Denis Daly*
Pat^o McNeill
John A Burke
Francis W. Lynch

The Minutes of case Meeting were read and Signed.
The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1774 to No. 1806, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:-

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The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received ^{since last Meeting} during the week, - £ 80 11 7
 Paid during the week, ^{since last Meeting} - - £ 130 4 8
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - £ 454 9 5
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Thos Armstrong	Loughrea	35	6	6 1/2	69	17	7 1/2
	Kilbriest	35	15	4 1/2	13	9	6
	Killeenadeema	7	9	2	5	6	4 1/2
Richard Neill	Athens	"	"	"	12	19	4
	Monkeen	"	"	"	9	0	1 1/2
	Kittulea	"	"	"	9	2	0 1/2
	Killinercy	"	"	"	1	-	8 1/2
Nicholas Lynch	Kilconeraw	"	"	"	15	1	5 1/2
	Craughwell	"	"	"	27	18	0 1/2
Garrett Burke	Ballynattier	"	"	"	30	12	11
	Gonery	"	"	"	43	9	4 1/2
	Portanna	"	"	"	16	4	9
John Nohely	Teena	"	"	"	35	12	"
	Kilmeew	"	"	"	16	17	9 1/2
	Kilbrulle	"	"	"	9	7	7
Total, -		78	11	1	315	19	7

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 28 11 s. 1 d.

Debit Provision Account,	}	-	-	-	£	s.	d.
Credit Invoice Account,		-	-	-	28	11	1
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was							
Debit Maintenance Account,	}	-	-	-	21	9	1 1/4
Credit Provision Account,		-	-	-	21	9	1 1/4
And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was							
1-8 1/2							

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

- 282 lbs of white Bread
 - 342 lbs of Brown Bread
 - 35 1/2 lbs of Meat
 - 2 1/4 Gallons of New Milk
 - 20 3/4 Gallons of Butter Milk
 - 35 Boxes of Fuel
 - 5 lbs of Candles
- 1 1/2 Long Indian Meal
 1/2 Long of oatmeal

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

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

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

	L	s.	d.
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Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as

above. Unpaid BILLS 3. Invoice Account.

Messrs Rush & Palmer for Indian Meal	13	-	-
Jam Meene for Bread to the 29 th Sept	57	10	11
Peter Fahy for Milk to ditto	59	13	7
Michl Freemy for Furf to ditto	10	12	4
Michl Molony for oatmeal & other incidental Expenses	23	9	9

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

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

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

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

The Clerk reports that he has received and lodged with the Treasurer the following sums viz
Michl Murphy due of him for office to the 29th Sept 1-5-6
Michl Freemy for Bay Ground Lawn — 150 £ 2-0-0

The Medical Officer reports the following deaths during the week viz
Peter Madden on the 19th Inst of Marasmus aged 2 mos
Michael Allen on the 24th Inst of General Debility & Emaciation aged 45 years

The Clerk read two Notices of Marriage, received by him from the District Registrar

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

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

1st Letter from the Poor Law Commrs No 384 M46 dated the 1st Inst, requiring a return of the Guardians Officers of Union on or before the 15th Inst,

2nd Letter from ditto No 387 M46 dated the 9th Inst, directing the Clerk in pursuance of the Command of his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant to furnish to the Grand Jury Secretary a Statement of the Amount of the last Poor Law Valuation of each Electoral Division of the Union and also of the portions of any Electoral Division which may be situate in more than one Barony &c

3rd Letter No 19783 P46 dated the 9th Inst relative to vacancy occasioned in the Portman Electoral Division by death of J. M. Brickwell &c

4th Letter No 393 M46 dated the 15th Inst requesting the Clerk to forward a correct list to the office of Public Works of the Townlands in each E Division

Ordered that it be forwarded by the Clerk it having been made out by him

Letter from Lord John Russell dated the 16th in reply to Memorial of Board of Guardians adopted at a former Meeting

Resolved That finding the Collectors not paying in the rate, they be called on forthwith to pay up the amount of their respective collections (they having had ample time to collect same) on or before the 21st November next in default thereof proceedings will be instituted against their sureties

The Protestant Chaplain requires at present Six Catechisms and Six Prayer Books for the inmates of that persuasion in the Workhouse

Resolved That they be purchased

Resolved That the order for the last fortnight be this day signed by the Chairman for Provisions & Necessaries

I give notice that since on this day fortnight more than Molasses be substituted for Milk for Breakfast
Lewis Daly

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

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	22
Ditto, disallowed	-	2
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	13
Ditto, rejected	-	21 being

families whose husbands refused to come in

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

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

- Mess^{rs} Rush & Palmer for Indian Meal £13-
- Sam Meere for Bread 57-10-41
- Peter Flahy for Milk — 59-13-7
- Michael Henry for Fay — 10-12-4
- Michael Molony for incidental expenses 23-9-9

John W. Chairman

Wm. Bates } Guardians
Francis S. Lynch } Present

Michael Molony
Clerk to the Guardians

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Loughrea UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, *24th* day of *October* 184*6*

	ADMITTED.							DISCHARGED.					DIED.							
	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN.		Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	
						Males.	Fe-males.													
During the Week ended as above,	2	2	4	4	2	"	"	14	2	1	1	1	"	5	1	"	"	"	1	2
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	46	57	66	64	74	"	"	247	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
									No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.								
TOTAL,	48	59	70	68	16	"	"	261	In Work-house, } 7	In separate Wards.	In Wards with other inmates.									
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	3	1	1	1	1	"	"	7	In Fever Hospital, } 10	1	"									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	45	58	69	67	15	"	"	254	Total, } 25	Total,	1									

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, *800*

NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on *Wednesday* the *7th* day of *November* 184*6*

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Wednesday*, the *31st* day of *October* 184*6*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Thos. A. Burke Esq*

Other Guardians:

Agnes Clark
John A. Burke
Robert Henry Dewse
Thos. Burke
James W. Burke
John M. Skerrett

The Minutes of case Meeting were read and Signed.

The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. *1807* to No. *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:

Galway County

Unpaid Bills 2. Establishment Account

	£	s.	d.
Walter M. Donnell for Salary to 29 th September	25	"	"

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

Unpaid Bills 3. Invoice Account

Patt Kickey for Meat to 29 th Sept	2	12	0
Patt Donohue for Soap, Salt & Candles to 29 th September 1846	9	3	8

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

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

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

The Clerk read two Notices of Intended Marriages received by him from the District Registrar.

Resolved That the Pipes and Cock of Pump in Scullery being out of Order that they be repaired

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

The Matron reports that she requires the following viz—

Three yards of Canvas for cleaning two Vessels. Six bundles of flannel for mopping and 8 Sweeping Brushes—

Ordered that they be purchased

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

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

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners No 20.312 D/L dated the 26th Inst forwarding a copy of a Letter received from the Dublin agent of the Sun Fire & Life Insurance Office relative to the storing & Manufacture of Wool in Workhouses &c

Letter from Tho^s Murray Esq, notifying dated 27th Inst the Clerk that he will attend at the Board Room on the 4th November for the purpose of auditing the Accounts

Letter from the Grand Jury Secretary dated the 26th requiring the Clerk in pursuance of his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant's directions to furnish him with the names of the respective Townlands in such Electoral Divisions as are situate in more than one Barony

I will on this day fortnight move the propriety of taking into consideration the making of a new rate
Tho^s Burke

The following Bills due to the 29th September last were Financed by the Board viz

Guy Armstrong Oatmeal	£ 96 -
Sam Moore Bread	57-10-11
Peter Haly Mills	59-13-7
Sam Gierke Meat	2-12-6
Sam Donohue Salt Soap & Candles	9-3-8
Mich ^l Heeny Furf	10-12-4
Margaret Birmingham Wine & Sugar	1-8-5
Michael Molloy Salary & Postage	26-6-1
Sam Brien Master Salary	15-13-9
J M Lynch late Master balance of salary	3-12-10
Anne Murphy Matron Salary	12-2-11
Walter M ^r Donnell Medical Officer	25 - -
Rt Revd Tho ^s Coen R ^o Chaplain	25 - -
Revd Henry White	7-10 -
Neil M ^r Devitt Schoolmaster	4-2-2
Margaret Birmingham & Mistress	3-0-6
John M ^r Hugo Porter	4-10-9
Susan Walsh Hospital Nurse	2-18-4
Tho ^s Kelly Printing &c	4-12-4
James & Cameron for advertisement	11-6
Marquis of Clanricarde for rent of Workhouse	19-0-4 ¹ / ₂
Leslie & Co for Medicine & Subscription to Cooper's	20-9-11
Henry Moran for Vaccination	1-2-0

also Collectors Poundage

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

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	- 1
Ditto, disallowed	- - - - - "
The number of Applicants admitted was	- - - - - 24
Ditto, rejected	- - - - - 1

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

Wm. Sherrin

Michael Molony
Clerk to Guardians

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Loughrea UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, *31st* day of *October* 184*6*

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.					DIED.						
	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN. Males, Fe-males. TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.
During the Week ended as above,	0	0	5	6	4	" " 31	2	2	"	"	1	5	"	"	"	"	"	"
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	45	58	69	67	15	" " 254	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
TOTAL,	53	66	74	73	19	" " 285	No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.									
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	2	2	"	"	1	" " 5	In Work-house, } 15	In Hospital, } 10	In separate Wards, } 1	In Wards with other inmates, } "								
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	51	64	74	73	18	" " 280	Total, } 33	Total, } 1										

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, *800*
 NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the *14th* day of *November* 184*6*

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Saturday*, the *4th* day of *November* 184*6*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *John A Burke Esq & Tho^s J Burke*

Other Guardians:

<i>James W Burke</i>	<i>James Smyth</i>
<i>Henry Blake</i>	<i>The Hon^{ble} Denis Daly</i>
<i>Tho^s J Burke</i>	<i>Tho^s Dancy</i>
<i>Tho^s J. J. J. J.</i>	
<i>Tho^s Skerrett</i>	

The Minutes of case Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. *1824* to No. *1868* 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:

The Clerk read at this time Two Notices of intended Marriages received by him from the District Registrar

Galway County

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 0. 0. 0.
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 3646.2
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 253.6.8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Thos Armstrong	Loughrea	4	17	7 ³ / ₄			
	Kilchreest	4	9	6			
	Kilkeena	5	6	4 ¹ / ₄			
Richard Meill	Atheury	12	19	4			
	Belonkeen	9	15				
	Kiltulla	9	2	0 ¹ / ₄			
	Killinerv Dale	1	8	2			
Nicholas Lynskey	Kilconeraw	15	1	5 ³ / ₄			
	Craughwell	24	18	0 ¹ / ₄			
Gurret Burke	Pallynahilly	30	12	11			
	Donry	43	9	4 ¹ / ₂			
	Portanna	16	4	9			
	Feena	35	12	-			
Jas M Kelly	Kilmeen	16	17	9 ¹ / ₂			
	Kilreekle	9	7	7			
Total -		315	19	7			

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 24-10 s. 11¹/₂d.

Debit Provision Account,		£	s.	d.
Credit Invoice Account,				
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was		24	10	11 ¹ / ₂
Debit Maintenance Account,		28	2	11
Credit Provision Account,				
		28	2	11

And the average cost of a Paper for the week was 2-1¹/₂d.

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

- | | |
|---|------------------|
| 279 lbs of white Bread | 3 cut of salt |
| 1284 lbs of Brown Bread | 6 lbs of Candles |
| 47 ¹ / ₂ lbs of Meat | 49 Boxes of Soap |
| 263 ³ / ₄ Gallons of New Milk | |
| 19 ¹ / ₂ Gallons of Butter Milk | |

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

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

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

1. Clothing Account.

£	s.	d.

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

Unpaid Bills 2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
29th Sept 1846 Mr. Keen's Hire for Salungto	25	0	0
Pat'Brien for " ditto	15	13	9
Michael Molony " ditto & Postage	26	0	1

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

3. Surplus Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

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

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

~~The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Resolutions thereon, as follows:~~

The Master having reported to the Board that Bedding & Clothing was required

Ordered That Notices be posted up calling for Tenders for the supply thereof against next day of Meeting

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

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

Letter from the P.L. Comm^{rs} No 20636 D46 dated 4th Inst. suggesting the propriety of inviting Teachers from Competent persons in the Vacant Districts for Vaccination and directing the Clerk to bring this subject under the consideration of the Board of Guardians &

Resolved That Notices be posted calling for Teachers from Competent persons for Vaccinating in the Vacant Districts, to be considered on this day fortnight

Resolved. That Molasses be substituted for Breakfast for the three first classes of inmates that they be allowed one lb each. and that the Clerk do have notices posted up calling for Tenders for the supply of same, and that he do also write to Mess^{rs} Leslie & Poileau of Dublin to ascertain the terms at which they would supply it -

Resolved That the Clerk do write to Mess^{rs} Rush & Palmer to ascertain the terms at which they will supply the Workhouse with Andrew Meal per Ton

The Abstracts of the Half yearly Accounts ending 29th September 1846 were submitted to the Board and signed by the Chairman

Resolved That the Clerk do hand over to Mr John Smyth Solicitor the Joint Bill of Hugh Gordon and direct to institute immediate proceedings against them for the recovery of the amount thereof -

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

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	6
Ditto, disallowed	-	"
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	46
Ditto, rejected	-	20

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

Mr. Burke Chairman

Mr. ...

Mr. ...

Michael Molony

Clk to the Guardians

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Loughrea UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, *7th* day of *November* 184*6*

	ADMITTED.							DISCHARGED.					DIED.						
	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN.		Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.
						Males.	Fe-males.												
During the Week ended as above,	11	10	0	14	3	"	"	46	5	4	3	4	2	18	"	"	"	"	"
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	51	64	74	73	18	"	"	280	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.										
TOTAL,	62	74	82	87	21	"	"	326	No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.						
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	5	4	3	4	2	"	"	18	In Work-house, } 11	In separate Wards.	In Wards with other Inmates.								
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	57	70	79	83	19	"	"	308	In Fever Hospital, } 15	1	"								
									Total, } 26	Total,	1								

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, *800*
 NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the *21st* day of *November* 184*6*

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Satur* day, the *14th* day of *November* 184*6*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *James Smyth Esq.*

- Other Guardians:
- Spencer Clarke*
 - Thos. L. Jolly*
 - Robert Henry Perce*
 - John Londell*
 - Michl Kennelly*
 - Laurence Fahy*
 - Francis W. Lynch*
 - James M. Burke*
 - Henry Blake*
 - Thos. Dancy*
 - Pat. J. Burke*

The Minutes of ~~last~~ Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. *1869* to No. *1920*, 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 written to Hugh Gordon late Collector relative to his Bill due on the 15th Ultimo, to Mess^{rs} Rush & Palmer to ascertain the price per Ton at which they would supply Indian Meal, to Mess^{rs} Leslie, & Poileau Druggists, relative to the Molasses, and that he has posted up notices calling for Tenders for the supply of Clothing & Bedding and also for Contracts for Vaccination in the vacant Districts

Galway County

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ " " " "
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 11. 19. 10
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 187. 4. 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Wm. Armstrong	Loughmoe	"	"	"	69	17	7 1/2
	Kilchreest	"	"	"	13	9	6
	Kilkenadeerua	"	"	"	5	6	4 1/2
Richard Meill	Athony	"	"	"	12	19	4
	Blonkeen	"	"	"	9	-	1 1/2
	Ballinacorney	"	"	"	9	2	0 1/2
	Killicurraheen	"	"	"	1	-	8 1/2
Nicholas Lynskey	Kilconcrew	"	"	"	15	1	5 1/2
	Crughnall	"	"	"	27	18	0 1/2
Gunn Bunt	Ballynakill	"	"	"	30	12	11
	Dominic	"	"	"	43	9	4 1/2
	Postumna	"	"	"	16	4	9
	Glenn	"	"	"	35	12	-
John Mahony	Kilnash	"	"	"	16	17	9 1/2
	Kilreeble	"	"	"	9	7	7
Total . . .		"	"	"	315	19	7

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 25 - 10 s. 0 1/2.

Debit Provision Account, }	- - - -	25-10-0 1/2
Credit Invoice Account, }	- - - -	

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was		29-5-7 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, }	- - - -	
Credit Provision Account, }	- - - -	29-5-7 1/2

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was " 2-0 3/4

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

286 lbs of White Bread	49 Boxes of Turf
1401 lbs of Brown Bread	16 lbs of Candles
42 1/2 lbs of Meat	
274 7/8 Gallons of New Milk	
18 1/2 Gallons of Butter Milk	Also
1 Ton of Straw for Beds	25 quart 8 100 of Tea
3 Trays for carrying Provisions to Dining-hall	5 Pint Measures &
6 dozen of Iron Spoons	6 Buckets

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

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

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. *Establishment Account*

£ s. d.

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

3. *Income Account*

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

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

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

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

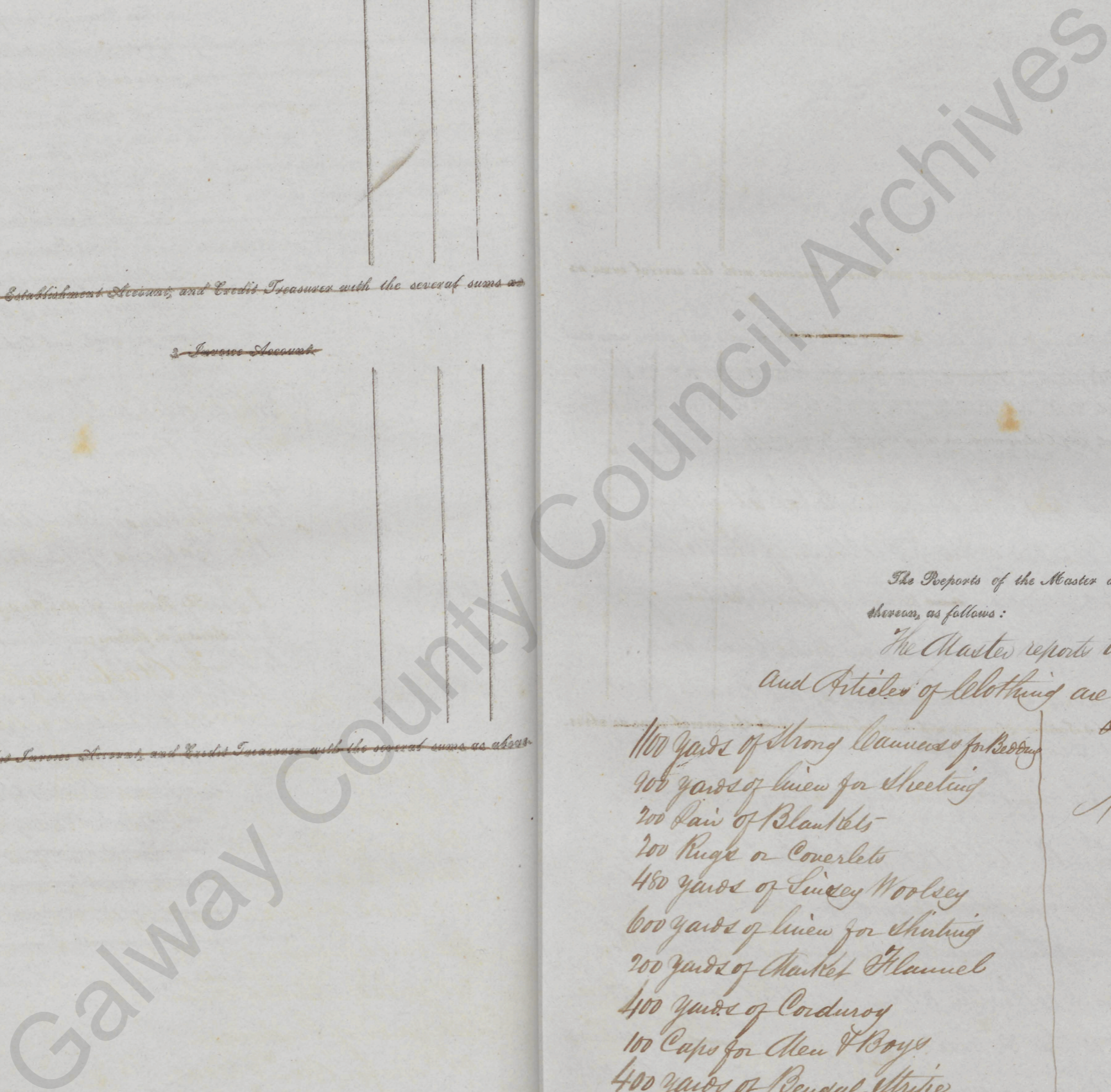
The Master reports that the following Materials and Articles of Clothing are required viz. *viz. Out of which the following were ordered*

- 1100 yards of Strong Canvas for Bedding
- 900 yards of linen for sheeting
- 200 Pair of Blankets
- 200 Rugs or Coverlets
- 480 yards of Linsey Woolsey
- 600 yards of linen for shirting
- 200 yards of Market Flannel
- 400 yards of Corduroy
- 100 Caps for Men & Boys
- 400 yards of Bengal Stripe
- 200 yards of lining Calico
- 5 lbs of Thread
- 100 lbs of Sewing Twine &
- 6 yds of studs

Resolved that they be
all ordered

no funds for this

The Medical Officer reports on the 10th inst the death of Michael Lyons of General Debility and old age.



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

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

Mr. Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners N^o 20200 D^o 46 dated the 7th Inst relative to the return required by the Comm^{rs} Circular of the 7th Ultimo, of the Net Value of each Electoral Division and value of such portion of E. Divisions as may be situated in more than one Parony: to be sent to the Secretary of the Grand Jury and enclosing Lists of Townlands taken from Census which may assist in making the return,

2nd Letter N^o 22137 D^o 46 dated the 11th Inst relative to substitution of Molasses for Milk for the Breakfast of some of the Inmates, and requesting that they may be informed whether the attention of the Medical Officer has been called to the proposed change, and ~~whether~~ ^{whether} his opinion is that it may be made without danger to the health of the Inmates &c

The Medical Officer is of opinion that the introduction of ^{pure} Molasses will not be injurious to the health of the Inmates

The Tenders for the supply of Bedding and Clothing were accepted as follows viz-

Mr. John Jacey for the following same as patterned viz-

100 yards of Canvas	at 10 ^s per yard
450 yards of Linen for sheeting	at 7 ^½ ^s per ditto
100 Pair of Blankets 1 st quality	at 1/9 ^s per lb (2 nd 1 st 0)
100 Rugs or Coverlets	at 1/10 ^s each
240 yards of Linsey Woolsey	at 11 ^s per yard
300 yards of Linen for shirting	at 8 ^s per yard
Best Sewing Twine	at 1/2 ^s per lb

Mr. John Jacey for the following viz-

450 yards of linen for sheeting	at 8 ^¼ ^s per yard
100 Pair of Blankets	at 1/8 ^½ per lb
100 Rugs or Coverlets	at 2/2 ^½ ^s each
240 yards of Linsey Woolsey	at 11 ^½ ^s per yard
400 yards of Corduroy, 200 of Dub Cord	at 10 ^s per yard
100 Caps for Men & Boys	at 1/10 ^s per dozen
200 yards of Bengal Stripes	at 7 ^½ ^s per yard
8 lbs of Thread	at 2/3 ^s per lb
6 Gross of Bone Studs	at 6 ^½ ^s per Gross

Mr. William Re Kern for the following viz-

300 yards of Linen for shirting 7 th width	at 8 ^½ ^s per yard
200 yards of Charted Blanket	at 1 ^s per ditto

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

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	19
Ditto, disallowed	-	-
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	60
Ditto, rejected	-	9

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

Tenders for the supply of Molasses were read from Mess^{rs} Scobie and Poileau of Dublin
Resolved that Mess^{rs} Poileau & Brothers at
be accepted at 30^{cts} per ^{cup} and that a Sanchezon at
that price be ordered

Resolved that a Uniform rate of 7^d
in the Pound be made on this Union to be apportioned
according to each Division's expenses and on the
assumption of 600 being continually in the House

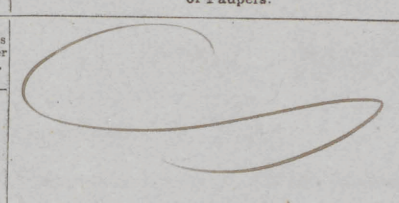
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Thomas & Lynch
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Michael Molony
Clerk to the Guardians

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Loughrea UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, *14th* day of *November* 184*6*

	ADMITTED.							DISCHARGED.					DIED.						
	Males, aged 15 and upwa ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upwa ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN.		Males, aged 15 and upwa ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upwa ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upwa ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upwa ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.
During the Week ended as above,	12	17	24	19	7	"	"	79	3	6	4	4	2	19	1	"	"	"	1
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	57	70	79	83	19	"	"	308	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.										
TOTAL,	69	87	103	102	26	"	"	387	No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.								
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	4	6	4	4	2	"	"	20	In Work-house, } 6	In separate Wards.	In Wards with other Inmates.								
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . }	65	81	99	98	24	"	"	367	In Fever Hospital, } 15	Total, } 1	Total, } 1								
									Total, } 24	Total, } 1	Total, } 1								

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, *800*

NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the *28th* day of *November* 184*6*

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Saturday*, the *21st* day of *November* 184*6*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *James Smyth Esq*

Other Guardians:

Robert Henry Lewis
Patrick Merrick
John A Burke
Thos Burke
James W Burke
Francis W Lynch

The Minutes of each Meeting were read and Signed.

The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. *1421* to No. *1449*, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

Galway County

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £89-6-3
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ " " "
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 275-13-4
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Mr. Armstrong	Loughrea	32	-	5	37	17	2 1/2
	Kilchreest	1	18	11	11	10	7
	Killeenadeema	3	"	8	2	5	8 1/2
Richard Meils	Atheary	"	"	"	12	19	4
	Clontkeen	"	"	"	9	-	15
	Kiltulla	"	"	"	9	2	0 1/2
	Killinureeilly	"	"	"	1	-	8 1/2
Nicholas Lynskey	Kilconeeraw	6	8	-	8	13	5 1/2
	Branghull	7	8	6	20	9	6 1/2
Garrett Burke	Ballynabale	6	7	3	24	5	8
	Doning	11	2	-	32	7	4 1/2
	Fortunna	3	10	5	12	14	4
John Wokely	Jeena	7	5	10	28	6	2
	Kilneen	6	13	7	10	4	2 1/2
	Kilbeckle	3	10	8	5	16	11
Total, -		89	6	3	226	13	4

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 29 - 16 s. 1 d.

Debit Provision Account, } - - - -	£	s.	d.
Credit Invoice Account, } - - - -	29	16	1
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was			
Debit Maintenance Account, } - - - -	33	1	10 1/2
Credit Provision Account, } - - - -	33	1	10 1/2

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was " 2-0-0

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

- | | |
|-------------------------------|--|
| 27 1/2 lbs of white Bread | 56 Boxes of Sugar |
| 167 1/2 lbs of Brown Bread | 1 cut of Soap |
| 36 1/2 lbs of Meat | 1 lbs of Candles |
| 305 1/2 Gallons of New Milk | 2 quire of Common & 2 of fool cap paper |
| 14 1/2 Gallons of Butter Milk | 1 quire of ruled paper for returns to Relief Comm. |
| | 1 quire of Minute & 1/2 of blotting paper |
| | 1 Provision Book |
| | 100 Vaccination Notices & |
| | 1 sheet of wax |

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

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

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

1. Clothing Account

£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

L s. d.

L	s.	d.

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

3. Invoice Account.

Pat Meer for Bread to the			
14 th November 1846 —	73	4	4
Peter Fahy for Milk bottles —	55	8	6

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

Vaccination Expenses

Henry Moran Esq. M.D. for
 60 successful cases treated to 15th
 November 1846 } £ 3 0 0

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

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



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

The Medical officer reports the following
 deaths during the week viz
 Michael Coy on the 15th Inst of Scrophulous Dropsy
 Anne Cummer on same date of General Debility & Dropsy

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

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

Galway County Council

Resolved That a Cheque for £3 be drawn in favor of Doctor Clow being for 60 cases successfully Vaccinated to the 15th of November

Letter was read from Doctor Clow for renewing his Vaccination Contract, ^{for Longrea District to the 15th of Nov} expired on the 15th of Nov and the Clerk having reported that he had posted up notices requiring Tenders from Competent Medical Practitioners in the other Districts

Resolved That it be postponed for further Consideration,

From the smallness of the sums lodged by Collectors, on this day and the large amounts to be accounted for by them,

Resolved That our Clerk do write to the Collectors and their Societies to intimate to them that their Bonds of Security will be handed over to our Solicitor if within a fortnight they do not satisfactorily collect and account for the outstanding Balances due by them,

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

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	-	-	-	"
Ditto, disallowed	-	-	-	-	"
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	-	-	-	37
Ditto, rejected	-	-	-	-	13

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

Resolved, that Spuel be substituted for Milk for the Dinner of the Paupers for all days in the week, and that they be allowed 1⁵/₁₀ ozs each

Resolved That Sally Lynch be allowed five days leave of absence leaving her children in the House. Mr. John A Burke becoming responsible for her return on the date mentioned

John A Burke Chairman

Pat. Merritt (Grand)

Francis W Lynch (President)

Michael Molony
Clerk of Union

Loughrea UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 21st day of November 1846

	ADMITTED.							DISCHARGED.					DIED.							
	Males, aged 15 and upwards.	Females, aged 15 and upwards.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN.		Males, aged 15 and upwards.	Females, aged 15 and upwards.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upwards.	Females, aged 15 and upwards.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	
						Males.	Females.													
During the Week ended as above,	8	12	10	5	2	"	"	37	5	2	3	3	1	14	"	1	1	"	"	2
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	15	41	49	98	24	"	"	367	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
	OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.																			
TOTAL,	93	93	109	103	26	"	"	404	No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.										
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	5	3	4	3	1	"	"	16	In Work-house, } 20	In separate Wards, } 1	In Wards with other inmates, } 1									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	68	90	105	100	25	"	"	388	In Fever Hospital, } 14	Total, } 1	Total, } 1									

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 800

NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Saturday the 5th day of December 1846

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, the 28th day of November 1846

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

Robert Henry Jones Esq in the Chair
Saml Stewart
Thos Burke
Thos S. Kelly
James Burke

The Minutes of each Meeting were read and Signed.

The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2002 to No. 2036 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

Galway County Council