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1. Clothing Account.

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

2. Establishment Account.

John Saml Figgis Petty Cash

20 0 0

Burial Account

Patt Fanele Coffins

9 4 7

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

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

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

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

Scaled order No 30572/48 extending time for out-door relief under Section 2 to 5th day of July next inclusive

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

Circular letter of the Poor Law Commrs of the 23rd May relative to relief to such members of the family of a person holding more than a 1/4 of an acre of land who may be destitute.

Ordered that the Clerk send a copy of the Circular to each Relieving officer and at the same time to state to the relieving officers that the relieving officers should receive the applications of all persons whom they consider destitute and coming under the class mentioned in the Circular and that the relieving officers should visit the houses of such persons and be able to certify to their destitution.

No 30290 from Commrs enclosing Collectors queries to be answered by Robt Madden

No 29870/48 from Commrs acknowledging receipt of answers to Collectors queries and sanctioning the appointment of Robt Madden. P. Nobelly and John Cavanagh.

Letter to relieving officers sanctioning the appointment of

of Mr Figgins as clerk at a salary of £80 per annum. Letter to relieving officers relative to relief to destitute children whose parents hold more than a 1/4 acre of land.

Read a communication from Dr Turner M. D. applying for an increase of salary.

The relieving officers having taken into consideration the very efficient manner in which Dr Turner has performed his duties the additional duties imposed on him by his attendance at the auxiliary workhouse and no assistance having been allowed to him

Resolved that Dr Turner's salary be increased to £100 per annum from the 25th March last.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Do, disallowed - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was -

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered -

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

Resolved that Marcus Tully employed to supervise the men employed at stone breaking in the Dummoo division at a salary of 8/- per week in the room of J. Cavanagh who has been appointed Poor Rate Collector. The Clerk having handed in the collecting books for Dummoo and Clare Tuam.

Resolved that the Collectors warrants be signed which was done accordingly.

Mr Peter Ryan having applied to the Board to substitute

- Michael L. Haddican
- Michael Burke
- Paul Mannion
- Patt Carney and
- Timothy Murray

as his Sureties instead of those before approved. Resolved that they be approved of and that the same be executed accordingly.

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

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

Clerk of the Guardians

Resolved that the application of Mr Figgis Clerk to be absent from his duties on Monday and Tuesday next be granted.

Read notices of appeal against Poor Rates signed by the Lord Bishop of Tuam.

Resolved that the notices be forwarded to the Solicitor of the Board for his opinion.

Resolved that a temporary assistant to the Clerk be appointed at next meeting at the rate of £10 per annum salary, and rations.

John Figgis  
Clerk of the Union

11 May 1840

*F. F.*

*minutes given min. on last day of Meeting.*

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UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, . . . . .

Population in 1841, . . . . .

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16<sup>th</sup> day of June 1848

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
														Children under 2 years.	
Workhouse, . . . . .	400														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	322														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	100														
Peve Stacks, . . . . .															
Total, . . . . .	822														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			1	1	223	412	260	257	30			1232			
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			4	4	48	38	22	14	4			118			
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			1	1	268	477	246	267	34			1357			
Died, . . . . .			1	1	2	1	1	1	1			4			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			2	2	28	48	14	20	4			40			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			1	1	237	444	249	277	30			1244			

Fever, Dysentery and other diseases prevalent  
28 patients changed from Men's to Girls' class, which increases it to 277

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16<sup>th</sup> day of June authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	591	1483	122	160	1020	2643	Bt. forward	2284	5771	2615	5945	4899	11116
No. II.	232	450	326	502	558	958	No. X.	193	546	572	969	705	1575
No. III.	197	557	222	361	419	1198	No. XI.	89	281	122	159	211	390
No. IV.	257	534	644	1015	901	1829	No. XII.						
No. V.	309	425	79	614	488	1089	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	297	576	336	870	633	1449	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	188	424	145	368	233	792	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	255	601	172	317	427	918	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	38	141	39	104	117	275	No. XVII.						
Bt. forward	2284	5771	2615	5945	4899	11116	TOTAL,	2566	5945	3249	7093	5815	13661

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 16 day of June 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, *W. B. Lynch Esq*  
Other Guardians: *Capt. Pat. Bell*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.  
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2550 to No. 2677, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. . . . . to No. . . . ., inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.  
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:  
*That, he had complied with the orders given him, on last day of Meeting.*



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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Clare Tuom & D Superintendent's Salary to Pat. Mmaglan	3	14	3

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

2. Establishment Account.

Andrew Egan Building	24	3	3
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Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Martin Wolder for Flour	12	15	0
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Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

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

That, The Roman Catholic Chaplain never makes any Report of his having visited the House or Schools.

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

That the Roman Catholic Chaplain has not been in regular attendance at that House this Week, altho' called upon to do so.

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

Sanctioning, an allowance of not more than £ 200 per Week for Travelling Expenses of two Guardians Requisition for Board of Health placing the Temporary Fever Hospital about to be opened at Belgard under the management of the two Guardians

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

To two Guardians No 29036/48 Enclaving Copy of a letter addressed to Mr Hopkin returning officer, stating that the Commrs do not consider him entitled to remuneration for the current year.

To two Guardians No 32085/48 relative to the classification of premises relieved under the Commrs former letter of the 25th ult.

To two Guardians No 32,460/48 requesting that such arrangement may be made as will not lead to the troops being sent to greater distances, in aid of the than the Commanding Officer may deem them equal to.

To two Guardians No 32,644, stating that the Commrs are the subject of the proposed increase of salary to be considered?

To Clerk No 30650 acknowledgment receipt of answers to queries by Mr Taylor and Mr Smith his appointment To Clerk No 30965, as 30650 and Mr Smith

Letter to Clerk No 28798 being the counterpart of the Lease of the Lease of ground taken from Mr Kelly to be used as a Burial Ground proposed by the Commrs.

No 31475. Acknowledgment receipt of answers to queries by Mr Joyce & Smith his appointment Resolved, that the app<sup>nt</sup> of an assistant Matron be postponed to next meeting.

The two Guardians, having considered the various contracts for supplies

Resolved, that the following be accepted

Butter milk at 3<sup>d</sup> per gal. J. John Ryan and Co 5<sup>d</sup> for 12 months

Also some person for water Shaw at 11<sup>d</sup> per cut for 3 months.

Also Joseph Halygaffe for mired and swept Candles for 3 months

Martin Morris and J<sup>r</sup> Fullman for Beef & free from Bone for 3 months at 4<sup>d</sup> 1/4

The Clerk received directions to complete the diff<sup>r</sup> Contracts Bonds forthwith

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

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

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

The vice Guardians, having had under consideration the want of provision for the treatment of poor persons affected with contagious and epidemic diseases in the Town of Juam and its vicinity, and having rec<sup>d</sup> a request at their suggestion from the Sanial Board of Health placing the management of the Hospital under the vice Guardians.

Resolved, that the House belonging to Mr. Daly at Beggadady which he had offered at £50 per Annum be taken for the purpose of a Town Hospital and that a shed be erected near to Home on the plan of the Committee capable of containing 50 Beds, and further that the Clerk do invite tenders for the erection of same to be considered Friday 25<sup>th</sup> Inst.

The Clerk produced the collection of monies which was duly signed by the vice Guardians and handed to the Collector.

Resolved that the Clerk invite tenders for persons willing to contract for the mending of stone Hammocks accordg to sample to be considered on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> Inst.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

day of June 1848.

G. M. Books

(Signed)

J. W. Lucas Esq  
Clerk of the Union

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Juam UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, . . . . . 29 fols

Population in 1841, . . . . .

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of June 1848.

Table with columns: Aged and Able-bodied, Infirm, Boys, Girls, Children under 2 years, Barn, Males, Females, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS. Includes rows for Admitted during the Week, Discharged during the Week, Total Discharged and Dead, and REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.

Fever dysentery and measles prevalent.

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of June authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Number of cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her, Total relieved out of the Workhouse, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 23 day of June 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, W. H. Lucas Esq  
Other Guardians: Capt Jas. Bell

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed. The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2678 to No. 2933, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk. The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. . . . to No. . . . , inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk. The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

That he had complied with the orders given him on last day of . . . . .



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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Establishment accp			
Joelam Piggins Petty Cash	20	0	0

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

John Burke altery Wthouse	5	0	0
Mrs Dow			
Rev. J. Galbraith 1/2 years	10	0	0
Salry as Chaplain			
Peter O'Hanrahan Stationery	15	10	0
Patt Kearney for water	8	10	0
D. Turner Salry to 25 Mch	37	10	0
Martin Commis. Self	2	5	0
M Coffey Rev. Valuator	140	0	0
Bal of his accp			

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Murray on acc Bread	50	0	0
John Rogan " Milk	100	0	0
M Wolsten Flour	34	0	0
Patt Kelly meal to 9 Mch 19/1	7	0	0
James Blake Flour	46	12	0

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Rush Palmer, Meal	405	9	0
P. Kelly Meal on accp	600	0	0

Burial acct			
Patt Egan and Coffins	2	0	0

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

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

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

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

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

Let. to Clerk no 466 <sup>in</sup> 48 requiring an Estimate of Expenses on the Elect. divisions for the ensuing half year and the actual expenses on them for the half year ending March 25 1848 &c.

Let. to Clerk no 32 24 0/48 sanctioning the appointment of Marcus Jubb as Superintendent over men employed at Stone Breaking in Summer Elect. Division

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:)

Let. to Vice Guardians from Board of Relief App. transmitting £1800 for relief of Poor in this Union

do do 2202 23rd June 1848 enclosing a letter of credit for £1800 from a bill commissionary of the Bank of England. A copy of a Letter from Mr O'Grady relative to the debt which exists in the Elect. division of Abbey amongst the small farmers.

do do 33118 enclosing copy of a Letter from Board of Works

do do 32240 requesting the relief to uniform the form what is the amount of salary recd by the med. officer

N<sup>o</sup> 34223/48

An adjourned meeting was held on Tuesday last, at which the following business was transacted & ord. to be inserted in this days' Minutes.

The Clerk submitted the Rate and Collecting Books for the Elect. div. of Summer only prepared.

Resolved, That they be now signed, which was done accordingly and the Clerk was instructed to publish the usual notice of the rate having been signed

Resolved, That the Clerk require Malachy Glynn the Coltr for Smal Patrick Elect. div. to name two securities other than those mentioned in his proposal as the Vice Guardians are not satisfied of their solvency.

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

The Vice Guardians having had in consideration the want of competition for the various articles of supply for the work and the high value of the tenders recd,

Resolved, That the Poor Law Comrs be requested to sanction the Vice Guardians purchasing provisions without contracts.

Resolved, That Anne Burke be appointed temporary Assistant to the Matron at £10.0.0 per Annum Officers' Wages.

Resolved, That the proposal of Andrew Egan to erect a shed at Ballyguddy for fifty Patients, according to the plan & specification of the Commissioners for the sum of £1000 be accepted.

Resolved, That the Clerk inform Mr Hopkins that unless the out of relief Register Union Ledger be completed before the 7th July the Vice Guardians will make arrangements for employing a person to complete them & charge the expense of doing so to him, & deduct the amount from his salary.

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Guardians

The Vice Guardians having had under their consideration the negligent manner in which Mr Blake Relg off for Clomben Ellt. div. has hitherto performed his duties, the repeated censure he has recd, in this respect, and no improvement whatever having taken place to the contrary his appointment Book at last meeting in Dunmoe contained entries calculated to mislead the Vice Guardians, which if he had used the most ordinary vigilance could have been avoided.

Resolved, That Mr Blake be called on for his resignation of the Office of Relg officer for Clomben Ellt. div. forthwith.

The Clerk submitted a Lease for one year of the House about to be taken at Ballyguddy to be used as a Fever Hospital.

Resolved, That it be now executed, which was done accordingly.

Resolved, That the Clerk do advertise for a Nurse for the Hosp. at Ballyguddy, at a salary of £15.0.0 per Annum and rations; the applt to be made on 7th July.

The Clerk submitted the Rate & Collecting Books for Annaghdown Ellt. div. duly prepared and