

The Guardians of the Poor of the Town of Union
Plaintiffs

Martin Jacob Blake Esq. M.P.
Defendants

Monday 20 November
On Motion of Mr. [unclear] Counsel for the Defendants
who brings on the Motion which stood for an affidavit on the part of the Plaintiffs that the proceedings against the Defendant for the rate of the Year 1842, had been withdrawn by them, and accordingly moves that upon payment to the Plaintiffs or their attorney of the Sum of £4. 1. 2 1/2, without Costs further proceedings be stayed and applies for the Costs of this Motion inasmuch as the Defendant was at all times ready to pay and before the bringing of the Action in this Cause repeatedly tendered to the Rate Collector the said Sum of £4. 1. 2 1/2 for which this Action is brought, and inasmuch as the said Action is brought without any subsequent demand of said Rate or any intimation that the Plaintiffs or their Collector were ready to receive the same and were without the usual letter of application from the Plaintiffs and the writ of Summons in this Cause is made for the Sum of £56 and not for the said Sum of £4. 1. 2 1/2 the proceedings in this Cause are irregular, oppressive, vexatious, and unnecessary and on hearing the Affidavits of Defendant of Jeremiah Donellan, filed respectively the

20 November
Must affidavit of John Wall filed 17 November, District Justice of this Motion, affidavit of Martin Blake, and Jeremiah Tully, and of John Wall, further affidavit of the Defendant filed 17 November District, letter therein referred to, read, and on hearing Mr. Meagher of Counsel for same, and Mr. Condon of Counsel for the Plaintiffs who resists the application, and it appearing that an affidavit on the part of the Plaintiffs has been filed. It is Ordered, that upon the part of the Plaintiffs or their ally of the said Sum of £4. 1. 2 1/2 without Costs further proceedings in this Cause, be stayed, and it is further Ordered, that Jeremiah Tully Gent. the ally for the Plaintiffs in this Cause, do pay into the Defendants in this Cause his Costs of appearance and any subsequent Costs of Defendant in this Cause together with the Costs of this Motion
By the Court
Christ. A. Duff
Jeremiah Tully
John Wall
X
cheat on last day of Maturity

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Minutes of an adjourned
Meeting of the Vice Guardians
held Thursday the 30th November 1848.

Present
Capt James Bell
William Riordan Esq

The Clerk presented the Rate
Collecting Books for the Electoral
Divisions of Cummer and Clonlara
duly prepared.

Resolved That they be now
signed, which was done accordingly

The Clerk presented the Rate and
Collecting Books for the Electoral Division
of Headford, duly prepared and
Certified.

Resolved That they be now signed,
and the Clerk was directed to publish
the usual notice of the Rate having been
made.

Resolved that Michael Joyce,
late poor Rate collector for the
Division of Headford, be reappointed
to collect the Rate in that Division
at a poundage of 1/3 on all
Rate

closed on last day of Meeting

Rate collected and lodged, in one
Month from the date of the
Warrant, and if for the balance,
the whole Rate take collected within
three Months from the date of the
Warrant.

Securities, same as for last
collection.

Resolved

That an Order be made
an Robert Madden poor Rate collector for
the Electoral Division of Abbey, to
collect the Rate from certain parties
therein named, within ten days from
the date of notice, the Order amounting
to £10:15:11 and was signed and
counter signed accordingly and
served on Robert Madden.

Resolved

That Andrew Gains proposed
for the following works take done at the
Auxiliary Work House Quorum, viz—
To furnish all materials setting Sailer £-5-0
To furnish 16 Sails 16 feet by 18
Ropes for Sails 7-10-0
To furnish 12 pairs for do do at 10/ each 6-0-0
To breaking out one window
in Store 2-6 x 3-6 0-12-6
To building with Lumber a room
off Hall 7-5-8^{high} 1-10-0

To building timber Shed with
stone cellular for Lurf 12 ft long } 4-6-8
by 8 ft wide and 6 feet high
Building Clathes Shed 16 ft long }
by 6 wide 8 ft high all done } 7-0-0
with forest timber

To cleaning up the old Pump
including erecting a windlass
to same Dept pit for use 3-10-0
£ 34-9-2

Resolved

That John D. Haucells
proposed to supply the Small
School and Auxiliary work House
Quorum with wire lattice for
2 windows 3 ft 6 in x 6 feet 0 in &
1 ditto 3 ft 8 in x 2 ft 9 in at
4^d per foot be accepted.

The Board adjourned to Tuesday
the usual day of Meeting

(Signed) John Sam Figgis
Clerk of the Union

closed on last day of Meeting

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Union

Population in 1841, Present Net Annual Value,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of December 1848.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in workhouse on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Children under 2 years.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	No. in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse,	1250																
Temporary Buildings,	650																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	70																
Fever Sheds,	200																
Total,	2170																
Remaining on previous Saturday, } as per last Return,			13	17	410	872	451	463	78					2306	In Workhouse Hospital, 1	In separate Wards, } In Wards with other inmates, } 1	
Admitted during the Week,			1		96	157	61	61	16					280	In Workhouse Hospital, 1	In separate Wards, } In Wards with other inmates, } 1	
Discharged during the Week,			14	17	306	1011	612	692	94					2086			
Died,						1	4	5	2					12			
Total Discharged and Dead,			12	13	22	31	13	16	16					128			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			2	1	184	980	497	513	78					2339			

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N^o in Ballygaddy
Temporary Fever Hospital,
125.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of Dec^r authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

District.	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.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		Relief District.	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.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
					Cases.	Persons.						Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	204	877			204	877	Dt. forward	1357	2841			1357	2841
No. II.	109	209			109	209	No. X.	117	279			117	279
No. III.	129	274			129	274	No. XI.	103	227			103	227
No. IV.	156	302			156	302	No. XII.						
No. V.	117	242			117	242	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	242	498			242	498	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	83	170			83	170	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	89	152			89	152	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	48	117			48	117	No. XVII.						
Dt. forward	1357	2841			1357	2841	TOTAL	1577	3347			1577	3347

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 5th day of December 1848
PRESENT: In the Chair, Captain James Bell
Other Guardians: William Keardon Esq;

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2213 to No. 2297, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Outdoor Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 1118 to No. 1941, 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 and the other officers of the House had complied with the orders of the Board given them on last day of May.

also that I Duffly late collector for the E. Division of
 Longuey had not attended to the order made on him by
 direction of the Vice Guardians on last day of Meeting
 and at the issuing of the rate on the E. Division is
 also that Pat Ryan collector for the E. Division of
 did not attend for the Examination of his accounts
 on Saturday last according to agreement, Ordered that
 be summoned for disobedience of orders under the 1st and 2^d
 Vic. Cap: 56 Sect. 100.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting
 with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it
 appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 1100: 15: 8
 Paid during the week, - £ 372: 1: 7
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the
 Guardians was - £ 508: 7: 2
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board
 their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.
 The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear
 to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remainder		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Patrick Ryan	Swan	152	18	0	19	19	3
Peter Ryan	Clare Swan	54	11	"	60	7	6
Thomas Hughes	Cumner	"	"	"	102	11	6
Edw. Brown	Kilbarnon	99	8	7	105	5	17
Edw. Conannon	Siogreedy	"	"	"	350	10	10
		307	0	7	1065	10	10
John Pettit	Donmore	31	11	2	113	1	1
do	Clonbern	"	"	"	1126	10	0
		31	11	2	257	1	1
Pat K. Keach	Dampatrick	101	19	4	118	9	1
Nick Joyce	Heudford	"	"	"	105	10	"
Pat Kehally	Annaghdown	"	"	"	50	1	10
John Cunningham	Killerini	16	2	3	388	9	11
		118	1	7	2686	12	14
Robert Madden	Abbey	23	19	4	500	8	3
do	Moineau	"	"	"	585	17	6
		23	19	4	1086	5	9
		140	15	8	10406	14	14
	Total	-	-	-	-	-	-

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.
 Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the
 respective amounts lodged.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during
 the week, was £ 150: 14 s. 10 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ s. d.
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 158 18 9

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an inmate for s. d.
 the week was 1/2 1/4

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 1/6 1/4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - 1/10 1/4

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

- 42 lb. Bread
- 21 lb. Meat
- 9 or Quarts Butter Milk
- 10 1/2 " Sweet "
- 1 Cwt. Salt
- 1 lb. Tea
- 5 lb. Sugar
- 40 Cwt. Indian Meal
- 28 Boxes of Duff
- 14 1/2 Candles
- 14 lb. Soap
- 2 lb. Moulds Candles.

- 84 lb. Soap.
- 5 Cwt. Salt
- 60 lb. dipt. Candles
- 2 lb. Mould do
- 2600 Quarts Butter Milk
- 3200 " Sweet do
- 250 Boxes of Duff

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of
 the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy
 having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk
 having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 2nd
 day of Decr. ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure
 on Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - £ 1 2 8
 In kind, - - - - - 104 " 3 " 5/8
 Total, - 105: 5: 8 3/8

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been
 duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and
 orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the
 following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.	
			Article and Quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
No. I.	J. W. Fore	"	2 1/2 Mead	27-10	Bt. forward				
No. II.	C. O'Brien	"	"	"	No. X.	Pat. Gammon	"	7 1/2 Mead	83-17 1/2
No. III.	Peter Curran	"	15 Cwt "	8-15 1/2	No. XI.	Rich. Conannon	"	0 16 "	8-12-6
No. IV.	Thos. Mackley	"	17 1/2 "	10-14 1/2	No. XII.		"	12 1/2 "	7-3-9
No. V.	Thos. Martin	"	1 1/2 "	8-1-0	No. XIII.				
No. VI.	A. D. Bell	"	27 "	15-10-6	No. XIV.				
No. VII.	Pat. Kelly	"	10 "	5-15-0	No. XV.				
No. VIII.	do	"	9 "	1-12-0	No. XVI.				
No. IX.	Peter Jolly	"	6 "	3-10-0	No. XVII.				
Car. forward.			7 7/2 "	83-17 1/2	TOTAL,			8 1/2 Mead	89-14-2 1/2

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

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
William Kelly, Clothing for Emigrants	10	6	2
Mary O'Brien, Sew to 18 th Nov.	2	13	4

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

2. Establishment Account.

Richard Kelly, on acct ^l of Printing to 29 th Sept 48.	50	"	"
Thomas Begly, Sew work to 8 th Nov.	8	15	0
Patrick Nolan, Sweeping Chimneys to 29 Sept	1	"	"
John Carr, Mason Work.	1	3	4
Thomas Gill, Bread Baskets	1	11	0
John Robinson, on acct ^l for printing Com. Mitt	3	"	"
Rich ^d Costello, on acct ^l of salary to 29 th Sept	15	13	5
Mrs Swamy, salary to 6 th Dec 48	3	13	4
John Sam Figgis R.D. Cash.	20	"	"

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Michael G'Amores Meat to 31 Oct.	6	12	8
do - Meat to Fever Hospital	1	13	7
Wm Page, Salt to 24 Oct 48.	1	7	0
John Ryan, Surf to 25 Nov.	29	"	"
do, Milk on acct ^l to do.	100	"	"

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Thomas Palmer Jun ^r on acct ^l for meal	90	"	"
Electors Law Ye ^o as			
John R. Hoopkins 1444 Retaining offic ^l to a Supplemental Election	2	10	0
Electors			

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 slips be nailed on the back of the Bars of the lowers, in the dormitories same as in Ballygaddy Temporary Fever Hospital to prevent the rain from coming in. Fever having made its appearance in the Workhouse, and Union.

Resolved That the Poor Law Commissioners be requested to sanction the taking of additional Hospital Accommodation.

It appearing to the Vice Guardians that the Milk supplied to the Workhouse, was of a very inferior quality, the Master was directed to call the Contractors Attention to the fact and inform him that in the event of the supply being again inferior the Vice guardians, would purchase the supply elsewhere and charge the extra cost thereby ^{incurred} to the Contractor.

Resolved that porridge be substituted in lieu of milk for one week on trial, which was approved of by the Medical Officer.

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

On the Medical Officers report the following orders were made. vidz. That fires be placed in the day Rooms. That saucepans be procured for boiling Milk for Children, and That an additional Boiler be erected at Ballygaddy Temporary Fever Hospital, for boiling the Paupers Clothes.

The Master was directed to procure the following Articles vidz. 12 Cradles. 12 Plank. a Sander and Fire Irons for ap^t Masters office. 12 paper files. 2 Bann vessels, 600 yards Flannel, 600 yards Bengal Stripe, 100 yards of Corduroy and 1000 yards Licker.

For Ballygaddy Fever Hospital
1 Large Tub. for a Bath, &
1 Tin Gallon.

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

For Auxiliary Workhouse (Dormer) 2 Table Cloths, and 6 Towels for Master and Matrons Use.

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

To Vice Guardians, N^o 64, 272, 1st Dec^r 48, sanctioning the payment of £2:10-0 to Mr. John R. Hoopkins for his services as Returning Officer to a Supplemental Election held in May 1847.

To Clerk, N^o 64, 986, dated 1st Decem^r sanctioning the rate of remuneration for the Collection of Poor Rate in Dormer & Cloonbern Electoral Divisions, also the appointment of a Medical Officer to the Auxiliary Workhouse at Dormer at a salary of £30 per annum.

Captain Darley, laid before the Board - Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o 48, 150 dated 25th Nov. recommending the employment of female paupers who can read and write as an assistant Nurse Tender for each female ward in the Infirmary.

Ordered That the Poor Law Commissioners be informed, that arrangements to that effect have already been made on the recommendation of Captain Darley.

Read Letter from Mr. Jeremiah Gully solicitor to the Board, stating that having examined into Mr. Davis's letter to let his House in Tuam, as an Auxiliary Workhouse, he saw no objection to the Vice Guardians, taking the House and putting into possession.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners to Clerk N^o 907, dated 30th November, relative to

Collection of Poor Rate for the month of Nov^r. Letter from same, d^og dated 30th November - Requesting Monthly Return of the liabilities for November.

Letter from same, "63, 651 2nd Dec^r," relative to a preparation for stamping Workhouse Cloths.

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered -

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

Resolved, That Mr Charles Davis's proposal to set his house in Tuam for an auxiliary Workhouse and to give possession on the 15th instant at the rent of £45. per annum be accepted.

The leases for the auxiliary Workhouse at Dunmore were laid before the Vice Guardians, the Clerk was directed to forward them to the Poor Law Commissioners.

The Clerk was directed to lay the Bonds of all the Union Officers before the Vice Guardians on Tuesday next.

The Vice Guardians having called on John Cunningham Poor Rate Collector for the Electoral Division of Hillerion for additional Security, and having tendered Mr Andrew Egaw and John Hanly one of the securities agreeing to lodge £100. to the Cr^o of the Vice Guardians.

Resolved,

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Guardians

Resolved That Mr Andrew Egaw be accepted as additional Security.

Doctor Donnellan of Dunmore having laid before the Vice Guardians his qualifications be

Resolved That he be appointed Medical Officer at Dunmore Auxiliary Workhouse at a salary of £30 per annum.

Resolved That Andrew Egaw's proposal to erect an additional hot plate at the Auxiliary Workhouse, Dunmore for bathing be accepted.

Resolved That the expense incurred by the Clerk going to Ballinastoe to see what progress had been made in completing the accounts of this Union to 25th March 48, amounting to £1. 0. 0. be allowed.

Resolved That one Ton of Indian Corn, for grinding in the Workhouse Mill, be purchased from Mr. Patrick Kelly, at £9. 15. 0 per Ton.

Ordered That the Master, late up the property of the Union at the female School House "Mall Tuam,"

from Mrs Greeney, late Schoolmistress who is appointed Master at Loughrea, and give it in charge of Miss O'Hara assistant, Schoolmistress.

Resolved That the Balance

the Master be directed to lay before the Vice

due on the following Executions and Costs
 to be paid to James Henderson Esq. Solicitor to
 the Plaintiffs & Vids.

Callinane	}	Balances of Executions	
a		£21. 5. 5.	
James Guardians	}	Costs	9. 2. 5. 30. 7.
John Hauly.		Bal ^{ce} of Execution	£63. 12. 10.
a	}	Costs	9. 2. 5. 72. 15. 3.
Same.		Balances of Executions	£10. 5. 6.
Pat ^r McHugh	}	Costs	14. 5. 0. 24. 11.
a		Balances of Executions	£61. 7. 0.
Same	}	Costs	13. 15. 10. 75. 2. 10.
Thomas Brown			
a			
Same			
		Total	£ 202. 17. 3.

Resolved That Martin Beale of Queens be
 appointed Master Sailer at the Workhouse at
 Salary of 8/- per week, in the room of W^m
 Page, deceased.

The Master of the Auxiliary Workhouse
 Donmore reported that the Roman Catholic
 Clergyman attended to perform divine service
 on Sunday week, but did not attend last
 Sunday, Ordered That the Poor Law Commission
 be requested to inform the Vicar Guardians if
 the paupers there, are to be sent for the

future to the Chapel at Donmore
 Resolved That a Cheque of Pat Kearney's
 N^o 333, for mill, amounting to £50, be
 now paid,

The Board adjourned to
 Thursday the 7th instant

John Saw Piggis
 Clerk of the Union.

[Handwritten initials]

the Master be directed to be before the Vicar

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Quam Union

Minutes of an adjourned Meeting of the
Vice Guardians, held, Thursday December 7th.

Present: Capt. James Bell
William Reardon Esq.

The Clerk reported that John Hanly,
who offered on Tuesday the 5th inst to lodge
£100 to the credit of the Vice Guardians as
additional security for John Cunningham
Collector for Killecrin had refused to do so.

Resolved, - That John Cunningham
be called on for his resignation forthwith, and
that Mr. Edmund Concaunon Poor Rate collector
for Lisgeary Electoral division be appointed
in his stead, and the Poor Law Commissioners
be requested to sanction this appointment.

The Master having reported that
the Assistant Master was confined to bed
from illness. Ordered -

the Master be directed to be before the Vice

Ordered, - That the Master employ a person during her illness to discharge the duties.

The following letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read.

To Clerk, N^o 64887, 6th Dec. - Sanctioning the taking of M^r. Mackeys house at Headford on the terms proposed.

To Same, 913^m 4th, 5th Dec. - Calling for a Statement of the number of deaths in the Workhouse during week ended 25th Nov.

To Vice Guardians, N^o 64271, 4th Dec. Relative to John Cunninghams Collector for Kilkerrin Securities.

To Same, 6th Dec. - from Central Board of Health enclosing copy of a communication from the Rate Payers of Durrmore J^r relative to the want of Hospital accommodation in that Electoral Division.

Ordered, - That the Commissioners of Board of Health be informed that the Vice

Vice-guardians have already taken steps to provide Hospital accommodation.

Letter to Clerk, 7639, 6th Dec. From National Board of Education recommending Jane Smith as a properly qualified person for the situation of Schoolmistress to this Workhouse.

Resolved, - That Jane Smith be appointed Schoolmistress to the Workhouse at a salary of £20 per annum, with rations and that the Clerk write to the Secretaries of the National Board accordingly.

Read letter from Peter Jolly Relieving Officer for Monivea Electoral Division stating that the Meal ordered from contractor had been taken by force from the Carmen.

Ordered, - That as the Contractor for that Electoral Division resides in Galway that 6,000 of Meal be procured from Kelly, Tuam, in time for distribution on 8th inst.

The Clerk having laid before the Board the only two proposals received from Medical

the Master be directed to lay before the Vice

Medical Practitioners for undertaking the duties of Vaccinators in the Union.

Resolved, - That Dr. Hunt of Tuam be appointed Vaccinator for that district comprising the Electoral Divisions of, Tuam, Clare Tuam, and Summer, at the usual rate of remuneration, viz. 1/2 for all successful cases up to 200, and 6d. for any over that.

Also that Dr. Donnellan be appointed Vaccinator for the Dummore district comprising Dummore and Cloonberne at the same rate of remuneration.

Resolved, - That the clerk write to the following defaulters, Immediate Leases, for payment of poor rates due by them in this Union, the rate collectors having previously demanded it.

In Kilkannon.

Mrs C. O'Lea, as lessor - £10:18:0

Do Do " Occupier. 49. 4. 9

Walter Burke, Ballindine, agent }
to the representatives of the late James

Blake Esq. of Syaguin as lessor - 29. 10. 8

" " as Occupier 20. 18. 5 1/2

Urbino S. Kinnon Esq }
James Brown, Aniston, Agent } 5. 6. 2

William Burke Esq }
Thomas Brown, Tuam }
Agent } 10. 10. 9

Monica Electoral Division

Walter Kullidge Esq, receiver to John St }
Blakeney } 60. 0. 11

Resolved, - That the Rate Collector serve 15 days notice on the following parties in Kilkannon Electoral Division.

Pat. J. Kelly - 29. 10. 3
Rev. J. O'Rourke - 3. 12. 9
George Lynch - 10. 5. 6
Charles Blake - 6. 11. 3

Ordered, - That the Clerk advertise for a competent person to act as Watchman to the Auxiliary Workhouse near St. Tuam. Proposals to be considered on the 19th inst.

Resolved, - That in consequence of the crowded state of the house and the great increase in the number of Applicants for relief that the Master be directed to lay before the Vice

Guardians, a list of the Pauper Annates, who may be relieved outside under Section 1, for the purpose of having them discharged to enable the Vice Guardians to apply the Workhouse test to present Applicants.

Contracts for the following Articles expiring on the 15th inst viz.

- Beef and Mutton, free from bone.
- Best yellow Indian meal.
- " Whole Flour.
- " Turf.
- Mould and dipt Candles, and Oaken Shaws.

Ordered, That the Clerk invite tenders for supplying same to workhouse to 25th March next.

The Board was adjourned to Tuesday the 12th inst, the usual day of Meeting.

(Signed) John Sam: Figgis
Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1841, Present Net Annual Value,
STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of Dec^r 1848.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building as above.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Males.	Fem.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse,	1250														
Temporary Buildings,	650														
Additional Workhouse,	70														
Permanent Fever Hospital,	300														
Fever Sheds,															
Total,	2170														
Remainng on previous Saturday, } as per last Return,			2	4	484	980	497	513	78	"	"	2558	In Workhouse Hospital, 201	In separate Wards, 1	
Admitted during the Week,			"	"	106	160	77	63	9	"	"	415	In Hospital, 1	In Wards with other inmates, 1	
TOTAL,			2	4	590	1140	574	576	87	"	"	2973	Total, 201	Total, 1	
Discharged during the Week,			"	"	50	88	59	54	13	"	"	264			
Died,			"	"	2	1	11	3	4	"	"	21			
Total Discharged and Dead,			"	"	52	89	70	57	17	"	"	285			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			2	4	538	1051	504	519	70	"	"	2688			

In Ballygaddy Fever Hospital 156

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	407	958	"	"	407	958	Bt. forward	1396	2950	"	"	1396	2950
No. II.	105	189	"	"	105	189	No. X.	118	275	"	"	118	275
No. III.	132	284	"	"	132	284	No. XI.	103	227	"	"	103	227
No. IV.	170	332	"	"	170	332	No. XII.						
No. V.	126	259	"	"	126	259	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	236	492	"	"	236	492	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	81	165	"	"	81	165	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	86	146	"	"	86	146	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	53	125	"	"	53	125	No. XVII.						
Bt. forward	1396	2950	"	"	1396	2950	TOTAL,	1617	3452	"	"	1617	3452

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 12th day of December 1848.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Capt Jas Bell
Other Guardians: Wm Reardon Esq
Capt Darby Poor Law Inspector
Dr Phelan Medical Inspector

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3542 to No. 4007, 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. 195 to No. 261, 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 last day of Meeting