

The following bills having been duly examined
found to be correct, and in accordance with
several orders were directed to be paid and
cheques for the several accounts were drawn
on the Treasurer and signed, viz-

Pats Kelly for meal, outdoor relief.	£ 421.2
James Blake do do	50.0
J.W. Murray for Bread & 25 th March	10.0
John Ryan or ap for Milk	51.1
Michael Gilmore for Meat	10.0
Wm Moran for Groceries Invoice Sept 2 nd 1848 Establishment 5.6	29.1

Establishment Account

Edw. Keill on ac Salary	£ 5.0
Thomas Begly, Pins	4.1
Thomas Breheny for Stone hammers	5.0
Wm Hopkins, Clerk, Petty Cash,	5.1
do " to pay	
Wm Moran, Bread 8.1.2	
Thos Salor Water 1.0.4	
P Burke Meaver 1.8.5	
Thos Murphy Nails 5.11	
P Burke Water 1.0.2	
McGunnans Delft 1.11.4	6.8

Clothing Account

Celia Costello for Leather	2.0
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The Meeting was again adjourned until
next Morning

Wm Hopkins
1st Mch 1848

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At an adjourned Meeting of the Vice-Guardians
held on Tuesday the 2nd May 1848

Present in the Chair W H Lucas Esq

S J Devitt Esq

Captain Lablancadiere Poor Law Inspector
Resolved, That the Medicines required by the Medical
Officer as appears on his requisition be ordered
from Messrs Leslie & Co of Dublin.

The Vice-Guardians having duly considered the
Revised Valuation of the Lismore Division as handed
in by Mr Coffey the Valuator.

Resolved, That it be adopted and that the Rate
of £ in the pound prepared by the Clerk and certified
by him be now signed which was done accordingly
also the collecting Book for the Division and the
Clerk was instructed to give the usual notice from
of the Rate having been made.

The Clerk submitted the Collector P Ryans bond
duly perfected which was approved.

Mr Coffey the Revisor having handed in the
Revised Valuation for the Dommore Division

Resolved, That it be adopted and that the Clerk
do prepare Rate and collecting Books for that
Division on a poundage of £ the Books to be ready
for signature at next meeting and Candidates for
the Office of Collector to be invited to be considered

on Tuesday the 9th last.

Resolved, That advertisements be inserted in
Inn-Herald and Galway Pindicator and
handbills inviting proposals from competent
persons willing to collect the Rate of 3/- per
pound now about to be made in the following
Electoral Divisions

(all except Innam and Duamore)

To be considered on the 12th instant

Resolved, That tenders for supplying the
House with 1st and 2nd Flows for one year
to be considered at the Meeting on the 19th

The Meeting was adjourned at 7 o'clock
Friday the 5th Instant

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John Robert Hopkins
Clerk of the Union

Innam Union

At an adjourned Meeting of the Vice Guardians
held on Tuesday the 2nd May 1848

Present in the Chair W. A. Lucas Esq.
I. J. Devitt Esq.

Captain Sabatiniere, Poor Law Inspector

Resolved that the Medicines required by the Medical
Officer as appears on his Requisition be ordered from
Messrs Leslie & Co Dublin

The Vice Guardians having duly considered the Revised
valuation of the Innam Division as handed in by Mr.
Coffey, the valuator,

Resolved, that it be adopted and that the
Rate of 3/- per pound prepared by the Clerk
and certified by him be now signed, which was
done accordingly, also the Collecting Book for
the Division, and the Clerk was instructed to
give the usual Notice form G. of the late having been made

The Clerk submitted the Collector's Bond duly
perfected which was approved

Mr Coffey the Valuer having handed in the
Revised valuation for the Duamore Division

Resolved, that it be adopted and that the
Clerk prepare Rate & Collecting Books for
that Division on a principle of 3/- The Books to be
ready for signature at next Meeting, & Candidates
for the office of Collector to be invited to be considered
on Tuesday the 9th instant

Resolved - That advertisement be inserted in
 Tuam Herald & Galway Tribune &
 Handbill, inviting proposals from Competed
 Persons willing to collect the Rate of
 in the pound now about to be made
 in the following Electoral Divisions
(All except Tuam & Dunmore)
 to be examined on the 12th instant

Resolved - That tenders for supplying the Workhouse
 with 1st and 2nd flour for one month
 be considered at the Meeting on the 12th

If Meeting adjourned at 7 o'clock
 Friday the 5th instant.

John W. Hopkins
 Clerk of the Union

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TUAM UNION.

Present Net Annual Value,

6th day of May 1848

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building above date.	Total No. in each building above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	Born.	Children under 2 years.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.						Males.	Fem.	
Workhouse,	270	270												
Temporary Buildings,	250	250												
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital,														
Fever Sheets,														
Total,	100	1150												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			1	1	226	394	252	200	24	-	-	175	In Work- house Hospital	In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital
Admitted during the Week,			18	21	7	9	1	1	1	-	-	50	19	19
TOTAL,			1	1	244	415	239	209	22	-	-	182	55	1
Discharged during the Week,			24	45	18	18	1	1	1	-	-	90		
Died,			1	2	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	5		
Total Discharged and Dead,			25	46	15	12	4	4	4	-	-	98		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATES			1	1	228	369	224	197	18	-	-	1033		

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. I.		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. I.		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.	
No. I.	355	1401	650	1644	1185	3048	Bt. forward	2157	4860	307	7457	5774 12314
No. II.	212	847	346	656	378	1140	No. X.	116	595	155	1390	921 1094
No. III.	193	454	346	656	378	1140	No. XI.	79	110	209	412	288 592
No. IV.	221	504	268	812	458	1516	No. XII.					
No. V.	191	449	353	1119	774	1568	No. XIII.					
No. VI.	296	570	387	895	576	1365	No. XIV.					
No. VII.	296	574	340	1029	639	1610	No. XV.					
No. VIII.	190	623	140	574	550	807	No. XVI.					
No. IX.	236	524	257	665	477	1089	No. XVII.					
Car. forward	2157	4860	307	7457	5774	12314	TOTAL,	2402	5838	3581	9212	6583 16906

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Sunday* the 12th day of May 1848
 PRESENT: In the Chair, W H Sneyd Esq. Other Guardians:

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1224 to No. 1949, 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 compared with the orders of the Board, given him on last 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.

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

2. Establishment Account.

John S. Tappis - Petty Cash 5 0⁰

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:

26700/1045 to the Guard^s enclosing Copy
of a Report received from Mr. Wilkinson,
Architect, also a Copy of a Report which
Mr. Wilkinson has received from Mr. Newman
Letter to the Guard^s 22492/1045 relative to
the appl. of Pat Ryan, Collector for
Farm Elect^r Dist. To the Guard^s
relative to affairs of the Union No. 246262.

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

Letter to the Guardians from Board of Health, enclosed
Copy of a letter from Dr French report
the vicinity of a Fever Hospital
monsoon.

Resolved

From inquiries the Vice Guard^s
have made, they are led to believe that
Fever does not exist in the Morristown
Elect^r Dist^r to the extent reported by Dr.
French and from the Relg oppo. St. John's
by post, that only 15 cases of Fever
under the head of paupers at present
exist in the Dist^r, and further that 10 of
these are convalescent.

Letter 25863 Advers^r oddl Retired
1845 to the Poor^s Dist^r to be
given to all Doct^r men employed in the
Streets &c do 25710 to the Guard^s Relating to process
alleged to be instituted against W. Blaby Mdl officer

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 Receiving 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 10th
Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.

Resolved - That John de Piggis be app't
Clerk of the Union, on the report
Mr Hopkins resigned, at a salary of £
per annum, he finding all want
necesary, to the efficient discharge of his
duties, and that that and John Piggis
of Dublin be approved as his Sureties
in a joint and several bond of £
1000.

Resolved - Let the services of Mr
Henry Jackson Q.C. Clerk be discontinued
The Drawing balances having been
in the revised balances for the
Elect. Div. of Cummertrees.

Resolved - That it be adopted and
that the Clerk do prepare forthwith
a Act of £1 in the pound known
as follows.

Resolved - That Daniel Kelly be
employed to copy Rate and collecting
at 12/- per week salary

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on
day of

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(Signed)

J. S. Dwyer
Clerk of the Union

The Rev'd balancator having demanded

in the Revised bal: for the Elect.
Div. of Cummertrees,

Resolved that it be adopted
and that the Clerk do prepare forthwith
a Act of 3/- in the pound thereon.

The brei Guardians having had
under Consideration the conduct of Michael
Leonard, in regard to his returns, and
his inattention to instructions regarding
the men employed at Stone Breakery
at Headfort.

Resolved that he be dismissed
forthwith and that Jimmy be app't
his successor at a salary of 10/- per week

Resolved, that the proposal of
Geo. Duffy to collect the Rates in Liscarrow
Div. within 4 mths at a poundage of
P. be accepted.

Santies {	Ben' M. Donohue	Kilmannagh
	Thos. Rutledge	Brookfield
	Mich' Lynch	Clooney
	Andrew Egan	Team

Also that of Edw' Browne to collect the
Rates on Kilmannagh within 4 months at a
poundage of 1/-

Santies - Wm. Gray & Co. Clonmel More

Resolved That the proposal of Malachy Glynn to collect the Rates on Dungpatrick Dist within 4 months at a pounzage of 1/- be accepted

Sinches { Pat W. Mangan Cahir na hInns
Saml W. Kyng Paracutklaw
D. Pat Ryley Dylan

Also That of Mr Cunningham to collect the Rates on the Killarneyan Dist within 4 months at a pounzage of 1/-

Sinches { Pat Dooly Cappaball
Pat Cunningham Donien
Jno Hanley Killarneyan

Also that of Peter Ryan to collect the Rates on Clare Inns within 4 months at a pounzage of 1/-

Sinches { Pat Ryan Dooly Kyng
Jno Burke Canondrana

Also - That of Pat Cunningham to collect the Rates on abbey within 4 mth. at a pounzage of 1/-

Sinches Jno Hanley - Canamore
Saml Gleane Inam
Peter Fleming Flomeloe

Resolved That the Clerk do continue the Advertismt for Colors for Headpd, Monivis, Cloonore and Danmore, to be considerd on the 26th Inst. - to be Guarded County the persons who applied for

Resolved, That the Clerk do continue the advertismt for Flours, the Tindars see a being considered excessive.

Contract for one month Tenders to be considered on the 26th Inst.

That the Clerk do order from Thom P. Collector Weekly abet Books.

That the Collectors do attend on Monday in each week for the exam' of their acc't.

The Meeting was adj'd to Tuesday next the 16th Inst.

Jno Sam'l Tigges
Clerk of Union
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Present Net Annual Value,

Population in 1841,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of May 1848.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. of buildings on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Born.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.			Boys.	Girls.	
Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	800 250 100	1150									
Total,	1150										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			1	1	223	369	220	197	18	-	- 1033
Admitted during the Week,			-	-	27	37	18	20	5	-	- 107
TOTAL,			1	1	250	406	242	217	23	-	- 1140
Discharged during the Week,			-	-	15	20	12	17	2	-	- 56
Died,			-	-	6	1	4	3	2	-	- 16
Total Discharged and Dead,			-	-	21	21	16	10	4	-	- 72
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			1	1	229	385	226	207	19	-	- 1068

Fever & Dysentery prevalent - Measles have appeared.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13th day of May 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.			
	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 not.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	536	1336	492	1351	1028	2687	Bt. forward	2121	4713	2749	6490	4870	11203
No. II.	234	483	350	666	584	1149	No. X.	172	489	8674	1183	846	1672
No. III.	189	486	241	455	430	941	No. XI.	81	185	187	357	268	542
No. IV.	226	463	562	1124	788	1587	No. XII.						
No. V.	185	363	311	712	494	1075	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	286	550	340	1015	626	1565	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	185	402	133	357	318	739	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	227	512	233	586	460	1098	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	53	118	87	224	140	342	No. XVII.						
Car. forward	2121	4713	2749	6490	4870	11203	TOTAL,	2374	5387	3610	8030	5984	13417

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 19th day of May 1848PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

W. H. Lucas Esq

J. T. Devitt Esq. Vice Guardian

Capt. Salamanche Poor Law Inspector

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 1980 to No. 2086, 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 has complied with the orders
of the Board given at last Meeting

Galway County

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.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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 Report of the Visiting Committee was read and the Resolutions marked with an asterisk were made thereon

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

On the Report and suggestion of the Medical Officer, It was Resolved

That the

Commissioners be requested to issue an order, increasing the number of Paupers to be admitted into the WorkHouse by 78, the enlarged accommodation being obtained by converting the Infirmary Wards into dormitories

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

Letter to Vice Guardians from Commissioners' Poor Law Boundaries enclosing 15 copies of queries which have been drawn up with reference to the enquiry entrusted to them.

Ordered

That the queries be transmitted to the following persons, with a request that they will forward them to the Vice Guardians when answered for transmission to the Commissioners: M. J. Browne Esq. Moyne Dang. M. J. Blake M. R. Brook Lodge Daugan, M. J. Kilkenny Esq. Blundell Tuam Geo. S. Lynch Esq. Clydehead Headford, Edw & Blake Esq. Castle grove Tuam Denis Curran Esq. Castle Hacket Tuam Jas Kelly Esq. Newtown Daugan Stephen Roche Esq. Hill Daugan Lord Bishop of Tuam Tuam

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 Vice Guardians 26546 9/48 Enclosing copy of Report received from Mr Wilkinson, Architect relative to the Fever Hospital.

To Vice Guardians 26292 approving of the appointment of Patrick Ryan, Collector for Tuam. To Vice Guardians acknowledging receipt of a case & opinion relative to the liability of the Lord Bishop of Tuam to payment of Rates Immediate Lessor

To Vice Guardians relative to the death of Michael Forde esq

To Clerk 22326 9/48 sanctioning the appointment of Patrick Joyce and William P. to the respective Offices of Master Tailor and Master Shoemaker at a remuneration of 8/- per week.

To Clerk 24702 Enclosing first halves Bank Notes on account Mr Andrew Egan's Contracts for erecting Fever Wards.

Letter to Clerk 24891 Stating that an instant return of the number of tenements in the several Electoral Divisions of the Union on a Rate of £8.0.0 was required and not to wait for completion of the present valuation.

Rodrick Kelly Esq
Dunmore

James Curran Esq.
Gardenfield

Tuam

John J. Browne Esq

Tuam

Cornells O'Kelly Esq
Gallagh Tuam

J. Honnor Donnellan
Sylam Tuam

Letter 402 Enclosing forms for shewing the particulars of insurance on Workhouse Buildings and Fever Hospital of this Union.

Letter to Clerk from Poor Law Boundary Commission Office requesting a return of persons to whom queries were sent

Resolved—*

That the proposal of Andrew Egan to build on the ground floor of the Infirmary Ward two gangways for beds, built on the same principle as the upper dormitory for the sum of £11.0.0 be accepted.

Resolved That the partitions in the Infirmary Cells be removed and the room be made available for convalescents.

Ordered— That the Clerk procure from Mr Thom

Punter a daily distribution of Diet Book.

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 Receiving 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
Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

The attention of the Vice Guardians having been called
an omission from the Minutes of the Meeting held on the
12th instant, of their decision on the applications for
Office of Collector for the Divisions of Limerick and Limerick.

Resolved. That the Clerk do continue the Advertisements
for those Divisions - the appointments to be made on
26th instant.

Resolved. That John Savage be employed as Super-
intendent over the men employed at Stone breaking
Birmingham Team Electoral Division.

Read a communication from Rev. Mr. Galbraith
Established Church Chaplain calling the attention of
Vice Guardians to some of the School books in use
being objectionable to Protestants.

Resolved. That the Vice Guardians having under
consideration the Book referred to, are of opinion that
the complaint of the Chaplain appears to be well founded
as some of the peculiar doctrines of the Roman
Catholic Religion are therein brought prominently
forward and that the use of the said Books be dis-
continued in future, and the Books of the National
Board, be procured instead, they not being open to
similar objections from any sect.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the
26th day of May 1848.

(Signed) *John Savage*
Clerk of the Union

Continuation of Minutes

The Clerk submitted the Rate Book for the Limerick
Electoral Division duly prepared and certified.
Resolved. That it be now signed and that the Clerk
do give the proper notice of the Rate having been
signed.

Resolved. That the proposal of Messrs Wm & T.
Blundell of Limerick to supply an eight-day
Clock for the Work House for the sum of £7.10.0
be accepted.

John Sam & Figgis
Clerk of the Union

May 20th 1848

G. M.