

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 notice be given inviting Tenders for Painting the Wood & Iron Work usually Painted both in & outside the Establishment according to the Specification prepared by the Poor Law Committee.

Also for Repairing and Keeping the glass of the Workhouse for 12 months from the 1st of July Tenders to be considered on 27th June last,

Resolved that in order

to ensure a stricter classification of the pauper inmates that a shed be erected in each of the probationary wards, to store the paupers clothes when admitted and that the present store in the mens yard and in which both Male & female paupers clothes are kept be converted into a store for the labor implements. & the Poor Law Committee are requested to sanction this arrangement. The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:

The Master reported that a quantity of Wool and Biscuit was abstracted from the Mill Store last night

Ordered, That the Windows be secured with Iron Bars inside,

Ordered that the Dewsart Kitchen yards be repaired forthwith,

Ordered that the following articles be procured

530 Yds Calico 30lb Upper Leather
100 1/2 Baragon 50lb Sola Leather
39als Rape Oil 1 lbs awl Hafis
1 Gross awl Bladz 1 Gross Tips
2lb Oitch & losin 1 oz Shoe Hair
6 Pint Oil, 1 Rasp, 4 pieces, 1 Cut Malt, 6 Cart-Sands

For the small School House

1 Yard each White Boltz & Blue Canvass

1 Yard fine White Muslin 1/2oz Berlin Wool

1 Doz Silk Strains 1 yard fine Strands

Burial Acc't

✓ Pat Farrel Coffins up to				
Ballygaddy F. Hospital 2nd March	11	14	"	
✓ Pat Cunningham Coffins to				
Henford O.S.C.R. to 1 June	4	4	10	
✓ Thos Rielly Cart of Corpses				
to Burial from poor				
Dunmore	1	3	6	
Electoral Law &c =				
✓ John Copeley Sun Money re				
up to 22 Nov 1848	3	5	6	
Cholera Expenses,				
✓ Dr French Monies				
Salary on acc't	13. 0. 0			
Medical Comforts	4. 7. 0			
Porter Salaries	2. 12. 0			
Nurse Tenders	2. 0. 0			
	21	19	"	
✓ James Flanagan Salaries				
Medical Assist. Team Cholera				
District to 6 th June	17	17	"	
✓ Representative of Robt D. J. Ward				
Medical Attendant Team				
Cholera District	13	2	"	
✓ Pat Slattery Nurse Tender				
Team District 6 June	1	14	"	
✓ Pat Burke as Register to				
2nd June	1	8	"	
✓ Jas Burke Porter to Team				
Cholera Dispensing Team	17	6	"	
✓ Dr Turner Salary to 2 June as				
Cholera Physician Team	7	7	"	
✓ Mr Gourlay Resident at				
Ballygaddy Cholera Hospital				
to same date	3	10	"	
✓ St. Delap Sanitary Officer				
on acc't to 2 June	5	"		
✓ P. Madden, Apothecary to				
Dunmore Cholera Hospital	1	15	"	
to 6 June				

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

- 4 oz Knitting Cotton " Steel Knitting pins" Wire do
Rag & Sewing Needles
For Dunmore Workhouse
18 Buckets, 1 Washing Tub 20 Woolen & 12 Flat Wash
25 Pair Sheets 100 Wrappers" 80 Linen Pairs 40 Flannel
Chloride of Lime = also 1 Scales & Weights for
Grange Hospital =

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 To Vice Guardians 35500, 2nd June enclosing
Copy of a letter from Robt Bodkin Esq of Newry
to the Poor Law Commissioners relative to the
Revision of the Union together with the
Reply.

Letter To Vice Guardians 34781, 4th June acknowledging
nowledge of receipt of Vice Guardians Letter of
25th Ult^o, enclosing a Receipt on plain paper
passed by P. Roche late Collector for
Donaghpatrick for Poor Rate with the Poor
Law Commr's observations on the subject.

Letter To Clerk, 33, 386, 4th June with reference
to a Resolution on Vice Guardians Monthly
of 16th Ult^o requesting the Commr. Relieving
Officer to have power to seize Cattle that
merely trespasses on land when Poor
Rate was due & stating that the provision
in the act 6 & 7 Vic Cap 92 Sec. 6th
under Consideration for legal advice

Letter

Letter To Clerk 381^m / June Requesting to be
supplied with a return of the No. of able
bodied Males Receiving Out Door Relief during
the week ended 10. 17. 24 & 31 March & 7th April.

The Clerk stated that the return in
question had been forwarded before &
that they were again sent on the 5th June
To Clerk, 34661 stating that a requisition
had been sent to the Committee's Office for a sum
of £660.0.0 - in the name of Capt. W. Darley
Poor Law Inspector - and stating that of the
Money sent for the week ending 26th May was
not sufficient to pay for provisions that on
receiving a statement of the deficiency they
would be prepared to remit an advance

Order'd that the Poor Law Commr's be
informed that the actual Expenditure for the
Week ending 26th May was,

To Out Poor Maintenance including Fever Hospital	£660.12.0
was	
for Cholera Expenses	63.10.6
	£730.9.6

The and Recd^d Money was £175. "

" " Biscuit " 105 " 280. 0.0

Balance £ 400. 9. 6
The Poor Law Commr's are requested to forward
this amount,

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Receipt 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 second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

Read a Letter from Rev^e. J. G. albrauth ¹⁰ reply to a communication from the Vice Guardians relative to the Grave Yard in the town of Tuam.

Ordered, That the Clerk forward the letter to Capt^r. Durley Poor Law Inspector =

The Vice Guardians having inspected the able bodied men employed at road making in the Electoral Division of Tuam on Monday found the Overseer Martin Burke had not the list furnished to him by the Relieving Officer, but another, which on being called over by the Vice Guardians, 17 of the recipients were found absent, and Burke was unable to state whether they had been at the Workhouse or not and who not withstanding would have received relief - They also find that the overseer was giving relief to a man named Michael Manning without the authority or that of the Relieving Officer. Capt^r. Durley Poor Law Inspector, having also reported that he had found the Overseer Mr. Burke allowing the recipients of relief to discontinue the work at half past two & three o'clock.

Resolved that Martin Burke be dismissed from Saturday the 9th inst and the Guardians having taken into consideration the fact of Cholera having come in the town of Tuam that the services of Hubert Delap be dispensed with as Sanitary Officer from the above named date and that he be appointed

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

day of

184 .

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

Overseer of the Able bodied men employed at Road Making in the Town £.4^m.

Resolved that in consequence of the decrease of Cholera in the Dunmore Workhouse & District there not having been any cases for the last four days, that the services of Doctor Domellius, Cholera Physician and Mr. Pat. Madolen as Apothecary be discontinued from 7th inst.

Resolved that Cholera having also disappeared from the Workhouse that the Hospital be applied to its former use, it also being on the decline in the town of Tuam that the services of Mr. Slaney be dispensed with from the 7th inst.

Dr French Cholera Physician at Monivea having attended the board and made application for 10/- a diem including travelling expenses, in addition to the 7/- originally offered he having attended upwards of 50 Cases in the Abbey Electoral Division and travelled upwards of 20 miles a day in many instances

Resolved that Doctor French be allowed the increase of 10/- per diem from the date of his appointment.

Doctor Little of Headford having also made application for an increase of Salary. Resolved that Dr. Little receive the same remuneration as Dr. French and the Poor Law Commiss^rs are requested to sanction this arrangement

Resolved that in consequence of the total disappearance of Cholera in Doctor French's District that his services be dispensed with from

this date.

Mr. Adam C. Keeley of Headford having noticed the Vice guardians that he would not continue any longer Security for Thos Martin Relieving Officer for that District, The Clerk was ordered to write Mr. Mackay requesting him to name another Surety forthwith

The Vice Guardians having attended the Store in the Electoral Division of Kilbannan (R.O. Thos. Martin) and having weighed down of the Meal he had distributed to the paupers finding it deficient in weight he was directed to attend the Board and explain his conduct which he did in a most unsatisfactory manner it also appearing that he had given tickets of admission to the Work house on the 20th Dec last to Kitty & Mary Madden, whom he had entered in his application & report book as destitute orphans and it appearing that this was not the case, but that their father was alive and holding 1 acre of land and residing within a short distance of the R.O. at the time of their admission to the Work house had two cows one Horse & Cart

Resolved. That Thos Martin be called on to resign -

The Clerk reported he was subpoenaed to Dublin as a witness in the case of the same Guardians versus John Carew late late Collector for Donegal

Order'd that the Clerk attend in Dublin on Wednesday next the 13th inst = He also reported that the Collectors had prepared their Rate Receipt Abstract Book, as directed

Order'd

Order'd that the Clerk lay before the Board at their weekly meetings the Collectors weekly Balance sheet, authenticated by his signature

The Clerk also reported that the Relieving Officers had not prepared their Receipt and Expenditure books as directed

Order'd that the R.O. Officers be directed to attend the Board next day of meeting with all their Books at the hour of 10 O'clock and for the future that they attend each ordinary day of meeting

Order'd, in future that the Relieving Officers receive applications for relief, the day after their former applications have been decided on, in order that they may have sufficient time to visit the Applicants etc they are brought before the Vice Guardians, and that they distribute food the day previous to the one on which the Vice Guardians decide on their cases, Also that the Relieving Officers be informed that the Vice Guardians will insist on their visiting the homes of every Applicant for relief and entering in the Observation Column of their Application & Report Book the date of their last visit and full particulars relative to the state of the Applicant & family
That a copy of this minute be forwarded to each R.O. Officer -

Read a Letter from John Duffy late late Collector for the Electoral Division of Liskeavy requesting payment of his fees amounting to £139.19.0d and stating that if he was not paid proceedings would be instituted against the

Tuam UNION.

Population in 1841, 77674 Present Net Annual Value, £84571

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of June 1849

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building above date.	Aged and Infirm.	Able-bodied.		Born.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
				Boys.	Girls.		Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	1250	1572							
Temporary Buildings,	—	—							
Additional Workhouse,	1050	774							
Permanent Fever Hospital,	70	85							
Fever Sheds,	200	95							
Total,	3570	2469							
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	" "	620	1014	352	375	66	1	6249	In Work-house Hospital, 83
Admitted during the Week,	" "	81	109	63	53	5	1	812	In separate Wards, { In Wards with other inmates, 1
TOTAL,	" "	79	1123	416	428	71	1	2730	In Fever Hospital, 95 Total, 1 179
Discharged during the Week,	" "	19	132	83	19	1	"	254	Fever Hospitals
Died,	" "	4	4	10	3	4	"	1	In Ballygarvey, 123
Total Discharged and Dead,	" "	73	136	43	22	1	"	275	In Grange 41
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATES,	" "	128	987	872	406	70	"	1248	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9 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 not.	
No. I.	734	1884	369	1239	1093	3123	Bt. forward	3210	8135	1408	4454	4613 12589
No. II.	275	582	96	364	371	946	No. X.	299	840	109	356	408 1196
No. III.	330	868	163	490	483	1353	No. XI.	197	484	81	208	278 692
No. IV.	408	1041	214	632	622	1673	No. XII.	117	263	3	3	120 266
No. V.	375	953	165	528	540	1481	No. XIII.	239	789	121	441	360 1230
No. VI.	445	1169	138	586	583	1755	No. XIV.					
No. VII.	227	641	131	306	358	947	No. XV.					
No. VIII.	252	602	110	271	362	873	No. XVI.					
No. IX.	164	401	37	38	201	438	No. XVII.					
Car. forward	3210	8135	1408	4454	4613	12589	TOTAL,	4062	10511	1717	5462	5779 16978

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the ~~Board~~ of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 13 day of June 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, Capt. Jas Bell

Other Guardians: Mr. Reardon Esq.

Capt. Darley R. N. F. L. J.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3053 to No. 3364, 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. 6661 to No. 6857, 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 =

the Guardians

Ordered that the Clerk inform Mr. Duffy that he has been frequently called up to come in and account for the poor rates he received and returned in arrear and for which he passed receipts, and that until he does so the three guardians cannot entertain his account. Also that if he does not account for the poor rates received & returned in arrear the three guardians will proceed against him.

Ordered that Milk be supplied to the paupers at dinner in lieu of porridge the supply being plentiful & the quality good.

The Meeting adjourned to Wednesday the 13th inst. -

John S. F. J. S.
Dick Morris

J. Bell
Reardon

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 authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract. Col no of days 17091
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necesaries received during the week was £ 132 2s. 8d.

L s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necesaries consumed was 158 8. 5*½*

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1*½*

Average cost in Infirmary, - 1*½*

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - 2*½*

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

1 <i>½</i> Tons First Flour	4 Tons Indian Meal
12 Bottles Wine	3 Sons Rye Meal
2 <i>½</i> Sugar, 1 <i>½</i> lbs per lb	2 <i>½</i> Boys, Turf
1 <i>½</i> Loaf Sugar	15 <i>½</i> Candles
2 <i>½</i> Candles, 5 <i>½</i> lbs each	8 <i>½</i> lbs Soap
1 <i>½</i> lbs meat, 6 <i>½</i> lbs Butter-Milk	2 <i>½</i> Mould Candles
3 <i>½</i> Quarts Butter-Milk	
1 <i>½</i> lbs Salt, 1 Son Ind-Milk	
4 <i>½</i> Boxes Turf =	
1 <i>½</i> Pounds Order for 2 Pounds	
3 <i>½</i> lbs Bread, 7 <i>½</i> lbs meat	
3 <i>½</i> lbs meat, 1 <i>½</i> lbs Tea	
1 <i>½</i> lbs Sugar =	

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 9th day of June; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

L s. d.

In money, - 11 11 1*½*

In kind, - 4*½* 11 0*¾*

Total, - 4*½* 2 2*½*

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.
No. I.	J. W. Fox	1 <i>½</i> Sons	1 <i>½</i> 10. 0		Bt. forward	Indian Meal	30 Sons	284. 4 <i>½</i>	
No. II.	C. O'Brien	3 Sons	29. 8. 0		No. X.	Pat Gannon	3 <i>½</i> Sons	26. 19. 0	
No. III.	H. Curran	3 Sons	29. 8. 0		No. XI.	B. Curran	2 Sons	19. 12. 0	
No. IV.	J. Mackey	4 Sons	39. 4. 0		No. XII.	Peter Freaney	4 Sons	" "	
No. V.	J. Martin	4 Sons	39. 4. 0		No. XIII.	Val Browne	2 <i>½</i> Sons	26. 19. 0	
No. VI.	A. J. Bell	3 Sons	29. 8. 0		No. XIV.	Bread	3 <i>½</i> Sons	35. 14. 0	
No. VII.	P. Kelly	2 Sons	19. 12. 0		No. XV.	Currier	2000	1 <i>½</i> 6. 3	
No. VIII.	P. Kelly	2 Sons	19. 12. 0		No. XVI.	Bonapartist	3000	12. 10. 0	
No. IX.	J. Tully	1 <i>½</i> Sons	14. 14. 0		No. XVII.	Headford	5000	20. 16. 8	
Car. forwd.		30 Sons	284. 4. 0			Kilbarron	3000	12. 10. 0	
						Lizgarney	4000	18. 6. 3	
						Dinglemore	1000	3. 12. 11	
						Closteran	1500	5. 8. 4	
						Abbey	2500	10. 8. 4	
						Clare Island	1200	5. 0. 0	
						Tulleran	2200	4. 3. 4	
								106. 2. 11	
								463. 16. 11	

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Pat Ryan	Tuam	653 10. 3	
Pat Ryan	Clare Island	202 3. 11	
Edw. Browne	Cormer	319 7. 8	
Do.	Kilbarron	502 1. 1	
John Concam	Lisgeary	726 17. 9	
Do.	Killererin	231 18. 7	
Do.	Abbey	532 4. 0	
John Petit	Doonmore	406 1. 3	
Do.	Gloosnane	282 13. 7	
Erich Joyce	Donapatrick	272 11. 2	
Do.	Headford	810 192 7. 4	
Pat Hobilly	Anmadon	213 18. 5	
Rob. Madden	Morivna	171 11. 0	
Total,		14 810 475 11. 0	

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.

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:

Cholera Expenses

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s	d
✓ P. Madden Salary, Jukes & Hogan Coverlets up to 8 May 49	80	10	8
✓ Dr. Dunn 7 June 1-8.6 Hugh Crehan Weaving up to 9 June 49	4	14	4
D. Donnellan M.O., Cholera Hospital	5.10 0		
4 May	4		
✓ Dr. to 7 June 12-12-0	Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.		

2. Establishment Account.

✓ Pat Nolan Sleep on acct.	3	"	"
✓ Mr. Moran " Plate, Silver to 25 May 49	17	15	1
Linenery - ✓ John O'Grady " Cleaning of Meal up to 7th April 49	1	2	"
Tellerman ✓ Miche Monaghan Carpenter Work up to 14 May	3	5	7
do ✓ Pat Mullins Rent of Store to 25 May	2	16	"
✓ Luke O'Brien " Store Keeper to 25 May	3	10	"
✓ Maryg Brown Nurse Tender to 25 May	7	10	"
✓ Martin Burke Superintendent	2	18	"
✓ James Browne Storage Abbey Edc up to 2 June	2	18	"
✓ Timothy Rooney Salary as Store Keeper at Abbey to 25 May	3	10	0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

✓ Connell'silmore Meat on acct. Dublin	20	"	"
✓ Rush & Palmer Indian Meal to 2nd June	66	15	0
✓ James Blake Flour to 2nd June	66	0	0
✓ Mr. Kelly for services on acct.	20	0	0
Telleren ✓ Peter Donohoe Superintendent to 9 June	2	"	"
✓ Maria O'Hara Salary to 25 May	1	"	"
✓ P. O'connells, School Master on Acct.	3	15	"
✓ M. O'connells Delft	1	11	8
✓ Martin Grealy Wages as Marksman	18	7	0

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

✓ James Tierney Carpenter Work up to - 9 May -	8	0	0
✓ John Kavanagh Wages as Miller	1	1	"
✓ Pat Mahon wages as Store Keeper	1	7	"
✓ Francis Mannion Superintendent at Workhouse up to 13 June	1	17	"
Out door Invoice			

✓ Rush & Palmer Indian Meal 62 June	382	4	"
✓ John Birmingham Bal of ac	33	8	10
✓ Timy. W. Murray Rye Bread from week ended 2 June	61	15	4
✓ Martin Mc Fonnal Do	44	1	3

Burial Acct ✓ Pat Clugherby Coffin Newford Esq. 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 Relieving Officers for the following districts viz Abbey, Monivea, Donabatee, Tullymore & Gort, not having had in their diaries for week ended 9 June

Ordered that the Clerk call on those Officers for an explanation

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

That the Superintendent Francis Mannion had struck one of the paupers on the head with a Key, the case having been investigated and proved to the satisfaction of the Vice Guardians and Mannion having tendered his resignation.

Resolved that same be accepted and that Francis Kelly be appointed in his stead on trial for one week. The following articles were ordered to be procured viz—

- 2 lbs Salt Paper Oil
- 2000 Carpenters Nails
- 3 Milk Jars
- 3 Coal Boxes
- 500 Yards Calico

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 to Vice Guardians 32835, 12 June Enclosing copy of a letter from the Chief Secretary's Office together with a copy of a Report from Mr. Brock S.M. referred to therein.

Circular to Vice Guardians No 302 M. 17th Inst Requesting a statement of the advances made by the Commissioners' Office during the month of May and a detailed account of the balances in which they were open.

Letter to Clerk 36302, 12 June Transmitting Queries to be answered by B. Carr an appointed Relieving Officer for Clare and

Letter to Clerk 36352, 11 June Transmitting Queries to be filled by the parties who are recommended for emigration, by D. Hermon of Castle Watchet.

Circular to Clerk 36462 6 June Stating that requisition had been sent to the Commissioners' Office for the issue of a sum of £670.0.0 in the name of Capt. A. Darley G.P.L.S.

Letter to Clerk 35031 6 June Sanctioning the sending of Henry Carr an inmate of the Workhouse, to the Clare Mount Deaf and Dumb Institution and the expenditure of a sufficient sum to provide an outfit for him.

Letter to Clerk 6 June. Requesting to know the reason of the delay in the transmission of the account of the expenditure of the advances made to the Union in the present year.

The Clerk stated that the Returns were prepared, and was not aware that the Returns for the previous months were required.

Letter to Clerk 35031, 6 June Sanctioning the expenditure of the sum of money in transmitting the child of Ellen Loughnall to the Galway Work House —

Circular to Clerk No 36838, 8 June Requesting a Return of the number of deaf, dumb, and blind children, under 14 years of age respectively, in the Work House on the 25th May last —

Circular to Clerk 396, 8th June Forwarding copy of a minute of the Poor Law Commissioners relative to the advances of food to the recipients of Out door Relief.

Letter to Clerk No 34782, 7 June Enclosing the abstract of the Rate collected for the week ended 3rd 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
Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 311

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	- 111
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	- 75
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	- 58

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered	-	- 70
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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.

Read a Letter from Doctor Little of Headford requesting an allowance of one Guinea per diem from the Committee Memb of Cholera in his district

Ordered That the Clerk inform Doctor Little that on the 6th inst the Vice Guardians requested the Poor Law Commissioners sanction to the paying him 15/- per diem including Travelling Charges, same as Doctor French of Monivea

The Vice Guardians having had no report of Cholera for some days from the Headford District, and Cholera having almost disappeared in the Tuam District

Resolved That the Clerk write to Doctor Little of Headford Dr. Turner, Tuam and Mr. Greaves resident Medical attendant at Ballygadys Hospital, informing them that their Services will not be required after Saturday next the 1st Inst

Read a Letter from John Burke, Builder, stating that the Sheds on the Work House Ground were ready, and requesting that the Vice Guardians would pay him the sum of his contract. Ordered that the P.L.C. be requested to ask Mr. Wilkinson to dismiss his assistant architect, Mr. Hargrove

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

the
day of

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

prepared the Specification to come down and inspect them.

Mr. Robt. Bodkin of Tuam, having attended the board, and stated that he had heard reports prejudicial to the character of Mr. Gore, R. Officer for the Tuam District relative to the distribution of Out door Relief and that if Mr. Burke late Superintendent of able bodied paupers employed at road making in that District (who was dismissed last Board day) was examined he could give evidence on the subject. Mr. B.
Also stated that if Pat Ryan Rate Collector was examined, he would prove that Hubert Delap the present Superintendent of able bodies paupers in the Tuam District has neglected his duties. Capt. Darby Poor Law Inspector having named Saturday next to investigate the charges made against those officers

Ordered that the Clerk give notice to the parties named to attend at the W.House on that day

Arthur Bell, Relieving Officer for Lisgeavy
Pat Gannon " " " Killorien
Thos Martin " " " Kilbannone
Peter Curran " " " Donabate
Thos. Mackay " " " Headford
had not their Receipt & Expenditure books as directed last Board day, and having been called before the Vice Guardians were severally reprimanded and informed that unless they were made up by this day next they would be called on to resign.

The Clerk reported that none of the Collectors had lodged any money during the last week with the exception of Mr Joyce Collector for Headford, and that Mr Concamon had not attended for the examination of his accounts since early in May.

Ordered that the Clerk write

to the following Collectors Viz

Patt. Ryan Clare Town

Peter Ryan Clare Town

Sow^c Browne Counter & Kilbawn

Tom Concamon Lisgeany Killarney

Abbey, informing them that in future they must attend each Saturday with their acccts fully prepared for examination.

The Vice Guardians having examined the books belonging to Valentine Brown Relieving Officer for the Poor found them in a great state of confusion being full of erasures after being initialised by the Clerk also the Statistical portion incorrect, and him having been allowed him to correct his acccts and no change taking the Relieving Officer off duty unequal to the duties.

Resolved that the Clerk write to Mr V. Brown calling on him to resign forthwith.

Mr Madden who was appointed to reside in the Cholera Hospital Dunmore applied for £100 in lieu of Rations & Lodging Money there not being room for him in the Hospital.

Resolved that it be allow-

The Vice Guardians having had on several occasions

occasions reason to complain of the Careless & Manner in which Pat McDonagh Superintendent -dant of the able bodied Recipients of Out Door Relief, employed at Road Making in the Bloody Division of Dunmore, performed his duties and having repeatedly cautioned him without effect

Resolved that he be discontinued as Superintendent in the Bloody Division from Saturday the 16th inst and that Pat Path be appointed in his stead at a salary of 10/- a week -

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on Wednesday the 20th June 1849

John S. Figgins
Clerk of the Board.

John Bell
McArdle

Chair UNION.

Population in 1841, 77674 Present Net Annual Value, £34571

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of June 1849.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Children under 2 years.	Born.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Boys.	Girls.	Males.	Fem.				Males.	Fem.	
Workhouse,	1250	1504										
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,	1050	799										
Permanent Fever Hospital,	70	79										
Fever Sheds,	200	89										
Total,	2520	2381										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			128	987	372	406	71	"	"	2944		
Admitted during the Week,			75	157	49	42	10	"	"	341		
TOTAL,			906	1144	421	443	84	"	"	2818		
Discharged during the Week,			18	87	44	33	7	"	"	284		
Died,			4	3	9	4	1	"	"	20		
Total Discharged and Dead,			11	90	53	37	7	"	"	304		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			589	1084	368	411	77	"	"	2350		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16th 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.	
	No.	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.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.	
No. I.	703	1791	358	1219	1156	3010	Bt. forward	3111	7968	1361	4347	4472	12315
No. II.	254	550	93	363	360	913		292	809	109	352	401	1161
No. III.	327	851	148	467	475	1318	No. XI.	198	480	81	211	279	691
No. IV.	407	1033	208	612	615	1645	No. XII.	111	249	5	5	116	254
No. V.	365	927	165	529	530	1456	No. XIII.	229	770	115	429	344	1199
No. VI.	442	1256	140	587	582	1823	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	214	587	128	296	342	883	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	239	585	92	240	331	825	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	157	388	34	34	191	425	No. XVII.	111	329	37	86	148	415
Car. forward	3111	7968	1361	4347	4472	12315	TOTAL,	4052	10605	1708	5430	5760	16935

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ the 20th day of June 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, Capt James Bell

Other Guardians: Mr. Reardon Esq.

Capt Darley R. N. Poor Law Inspector

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3344 to No. 3705 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. 6852 to No. 1979, 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 —

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* Including £100m
from the Compt.

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, - £ 853.4.8
Paid during the week, - £ 1101.4.9
And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 589.12.0

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.	Remaining.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Pat Ryan	Scarr	653 10 3	
Peter Ryan	Clare Guan	202 3 11	
Row Browne	Telbannion	33 11 5	468 9 7
Do	Cummer	88 19 6	280 8 2
Lion Concaun	Lisgravy	122 10 11	748 17 9
Do	Killererin	726 17 9	
Do	Abbes	55 13 9	176 4 10
John Petkit	Deenmore	15 " "	517 4 1
Do	Glounbunes	10 13 9	1420 6 1
Michael Joyce	Dounpatrick	" " "	406 6 3
Do	Headford	11 " "	282 13 7
Pat Whally	Annsdown	11 " "	688 13 11
Hott Madden	Monica	11 " "	272 11 2
		11 " "	192 7 4
		11 " "	414 18 6
		11 " "	213 18 5
		11 " "	171 11 0
		11 " "	385 9 5
		Total,	193 4 8 4564 1 3

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 £ 111.11s. 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 authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract. Col. No of Day 17400
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necesaries received during the week, was £ 184. 11s. 11d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necesaries consumed was
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for
the week was - - - - - 11 1/4

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

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 3 1/4

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

1/2 Tons First Flour	4 Tons Indian Meal
b Bottles Wine	3 Tons Rye do
160 lbs Meat	200 Boys, Loaf
600 Pds Butter Milk	15 lb Candles
3200 " New Milk	84 lbs Soaps
2 lbs Sweet Milk	24 lb Mould Candles
12 cwt Salt	24 Pepper
4 lbs 4 oz Tea	14 lb Maps =
26 lbs Sugar	

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 16th day of June; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

£ s. d.
In money, - - - - - 8 4 14 1/2
In kind, - - - - - 469 14 8 3/4
Total, - - - - - £ 477 13 14 1/4

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.
No. I.	J. H. Tore	1/2 Tons	13 14 0		Bt. forward	Indian Meal		25 Tons	245 0 0
No. II.	C. O'Brien	1 Ton	9 16 0		No. X.	Garrison		2 3/4 Tons	21 19 0
No. III.	P. Curran	10 0 0	2 Tons	19 12 0	No. XI.	P. Curran		2 Tons	19 12 0
No. IV.	J. Mackey	14 Tons	39 4 0		No. XII.	P. Grealish		0	0 0 0
No. V.	J. Martin	3 Tons	29 8 0		No. XIII.	P. Browne		1/2 Ton	14 14 1
No. VI.	J. Q. Bell	3 1/2 Tons	34 6 0		No. XIV.	Deenmore		3 1/2 Tons	30 6 5 0
No. VII.	J. Kelly	3 15 0	2 Tons	19 12 0	No. XV.	Glounbunes		3 12 11	5 0 0
No. VIII.	J. Kelly	3 15 0	2 Tons	19 12 0	No. XVI.	Headford		5000	20 11 8
No. IX.	J. Tully	1 Ton	9 16 0		No. XVII.	Lisgravy		3000	12 10 0
Car. forwd.								4000	14 13 4
								2200	9 3 14
								2200	9 3 4
								2200	9 3 4
								2000	9 6 8
								1200	5 0 0
									99 9 7
									£ 415 14 7

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

Vaccination Expenses.

	£	s.	d.
James Blake M.D. for —			
✓ Vaccinating to the 9 th March 49	13	1	0

Cholera Expenses

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

2. Establishment Account.

Dr. Hanagan Cholera £50	J. D. Fane tt. Wine lattice to 6 Decy	2	15	9
Physician for 1 day	Eliza Coen Salungs Nation to 25 Mar	5	10	2
Dr. Turner do for 2	Wm. B. Turner M.D. Salary on accts	20	0	0
2 Weeks to 16 June				

3. Fever Hospital Expenses

J. B. Turner M.D. at Bally-				
gad 24 on accts. " — "	20	0	0	0
✓ do for Compounding medicine on accts	10	0	0	0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

✓ Misses Rusl & Palmes Groc. meal				
to 6 June 49. — " — " ✓	81	2	9	0
✓ J. Kilgarriff Candles &c on accts	10	0	0	0
✓ John Ryan Milk on accts	15	0	0	0
Monies advanced to Clerk				
✓ Wm S. Tiffis Petty Cash ✓	5	1	0	0

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

✓ Rusl & Palmes Groc. meal to 6 June	523	8	0
✓ J. Murray Rye Bread to 16 June	58	12	6
✓ Martin H. Connell do	40	16	6

5. Funerals Election Law £.

✓ Jeremiah Daily law costs on accts	20		
✓ John Daily Coffin to R.C. of			
Hastford - - - - -	2	0	5

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 Clerk reported that he had notice Mr. Fore Relieving Officer from District Hubert Delap Overseer of the Able bodied Paupers employed at lace Making in that District also Martin Burke late Superintendent and Pat Ryan Rate Collector to attend at the Work House on Saturday last the 15th just before Capt. Farley P.L.S. who investigated the charges preferred by M. Burke against Mr. Fore & Delap which charges were not proved =

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

That the Nursery yard Wall be repaired, and the Mens yard gravelled.

The following articles were ordered to be procured

30 lbs Upper Leather, 50 lbs Sole Leather
1 Pint of Oil, 4 Rag Stones
2 lbs Pitch & Rosin, 7 lbs Hemp
7 lbs Springs 2 lbs Lamp Black
6 Knives 1 Gal Rose Oil for Wool.

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

Copy of Scaled Order Dated 13 June fixing the amount to be raised during the present year under the act 12 Vic C. 24

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 To Clerk 403. 11 June Directing that in future each Relieving Officer shall enter in his Distribution Book the quality of the meal issued in his district
Ordered accordingly -

Letter To Clerk 35031-12 June Sanctioning the increase of salary to Mr. Fox Relieving Officer for Swan Electoral Division from £50 to £55

Letter from the Central Board of Health Relative to the Nontransmission of the Medical Officer's Cholera Reports

The Clerk stated he had written to the Board of Health that as of late he had ceased in this Union the Medical Officer had been discontinued.

Circular To Clerk 37722, 15 June Stating that a requisition had been sent to the Commissariat Office for a sum of £600-0-0 in the name of Captⁿ Darley R. N. I. P. L.

Circular To Clerk 411. 15 June Accompanying Copy of Scaled Order, fixing the amount to be raised under 12 Vic Cap 24 -

Letter To Clerk 37797 Relative to the resignation of Thos. Martin Relieving Officer for Kilhamon, and stating that if Mr. Martin had not resigned, the Poor Law Commissioners would be prepared to issue an order for his dismissal

Ordered That the Poor Law Commissioners be informed that Capt. Darley I. P. L. investigated the charges against Thos. Martin R. O. on Thursday the 9th inst. Martin having been summoned to attend with any witness he might have on that day.

Capt. Darley adjourned the further hearing of the case to this day, when on further investigation he recommended that Thos. Martin be admonished to be more careful in future also that Thos. Martin be charged with the cost of Indoor Relief afforded to the two Orphans amounting to £2. 18. 4, which the Vice Guardian, Ordered accordingly -

Letter To Clerk 37797, 16 June Stating that the Vice Guardians were competent to determine what reasonable amount of remuneration should be allowed to the Medical Officers under the Nuisance Removal and Diseases prevention act and that the sanction of the Commissioners was not required -

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 - 341

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was -	- 95
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians -	- 65
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was -	- 50

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered -	- 16
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