

Population in 1841, . . . 61,652

Present Net Annual Value, £. 126,942.15.0

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

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that are in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Males.	Fem.		Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
																In Workhouse Hospital.
Workhouse, . . .	750															
Temporary Buildings, . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . .	830															
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .																
Fever Sheds, . . .																
Total, . . .	1580															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			56	76	233	577	312	328	48			1630				
Admitted during the Week, . . .					63	41	29	16	4	1		154				
TOTAL, . . .			56	76	296	618	341	344	53			1784				
Discharged during the Week, . . .			7	6	76	46	27	30	3			193				
Died, . . .					1	1	2		3			7				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			7	6	77	47	29	30	33			200				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			49	70	219	571	312	314	47			1582				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16 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.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	201	523	23	114	224	569	Bt. forward						
No. II.	190	460	8	13	198	473	No. X.						
No. III.	148	310	4	9	152	319	No. XI.						
No. IV.	185	217	7	12	192	229	No. XII.						
No. V.	138	337	15	37	153	374	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	58	148	4	4	62	152	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	69	142			69	142	No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	989	2139	61	119	1050	2258	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 23 day of June 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, *J. White Esq.*
 Other Guardians: *Hon. Mr. J. P. Maxwell, A. Alcock, Captain Bolton, J. Walsh, W. E. Farman, C. A. Hill, Thos. J. Whitney, Ed. Mackney, J. P. O'Connell, L. Doyle, W. Moran, Michl. Murphy, P. Roche, M. Kinch, E. Brock, J. Solomon, J. Parker, T. Leary, J. White, J. Graham, W. Bolton, D. Murphy, J. Walsh, A. Keating, A. Murphy, J. Whelan, P. Murphy, J. Pitt, J. Larkin.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4432 to No. 4588, 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. 6466 to No. 6517, 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 the Education return transmitted from the Castle to be filled up several weeks ago and which was ordered by the Board to be made out by the schoolmaster has not yet been completed.

That Collectors Annella Johnson, Pyrne and Kelly had not attended on Friday for examination and checking of their accounts and had made no lodgments this week,

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, - £32-11-0

Paid during the week, - £115-3-7

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £1680-12-7

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 Peates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Amt. of Peates collected	Total collected	Date of last collection and production to be collected	Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.		Remaining.	
					£	s. d.	£	s. d.
		12 th June	Charles Murphy	Castle Elliot	1	5 11	153	1 2 1/2
		12 th June		Meenagh	3	4 6	177	1 3 1/2
		12 th June		Meenagh	10	2 8	91	11 1
£1971	£1570	12 th June			14	13 1	401	12 5
		15 th June	Darby-Jolan	Meenagh	5	-	109	15 3
		15 th June		St. James	-	-	330	6 3/4
£2760	£2300	15 th June			5	-	439	15 7 1/2
		15 th June	Thomas Annella	Ballyshannon	-	-	105	13 0 1/2
		15 th June		Edermone	-	-	77	11 3 1/2
£1039	£835	15 th June			-	-	213	4 3 1/2
		15 th June	Richard Johnson	Killane	-	-	108	10 10 1/2
		15 th June		Killiney	-	-	73	17 1 1/2
£1367	£1184	17 th June			-	-	182	10 0 1/2
£3815	£3228	22 nd June	Samuel White	Ennisworth	12	17 11	570	9 9 1/2
£1931	£1335	22 nd June	Michael Byrne	St. James	-	-	395	9 9 1/2
£974	£757	22 nd June	John Kelly	Ballyshannon	-	-	216	7 1 1/2
£1501	£1354	22 nd June	Martin Doyle	Meenagh	-	-	146	6 4 1/2
£837	£682	22 nd June	Thomas Jolan	N. T. Barry	-	-	154	5 4
£16201	£13245							
				Total,	-	32 11	-	2732 - 11 1/2

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 Collectors, with their respective amounts lodged.

47
Clothing 1-3-10
Establishment 1-3-11
£ 2-7-9
11

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £2-7-9 was produced and perused, & a D. granted. The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £117 - s. 2 d. 1 1/2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ s. d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	124 - 10 - 11 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - 1 - 4 1/2
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 2 - 2 1/2
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 3 - 1 1/2

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

Bread	7000 lbs	Indian Meal	2240 lbs
Meat	190 lbs	Eggs	60 doz
Oatmeal	3360 lbs		
Buttermilk	7960 gals	Wax	12 lbs
Sweetmilk	2600 gals	Starch	14 lbs
Salt	448 lbs	Flour	1 lb
Flour	14 lbs		

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

In money,	-	-	-	15	10	11
In kind,	-	-	-	53	16	6
Total,	-	-	-	69	7	5

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.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	A. Henrich	4	10-0	Meal	13-4-0	Bt. forward					
No. II.	J. O'Brien	3	0-0	do	12-0-0	No. X.					
No. III.	W. Langford	2	10-0	do	8-8-0	No. XI.					
No. IV.	W. Burke	1	15-0	do	8-8-0	No. XII.					
No. V.	J. Ralph	3	0-0	do	7-4-0	No. XIII.					
No. VI.	J. Doyle	-	-	do	3-12-0	No. XIV.					
No. VII.	G. Murphy	1	0-0	do	4-16-0	No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forw'd.		£	15-15-0	do	57-12-0	TOTAL,					

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.
38 James Parley Dressing Flax		16	
41 John Dealy Weaving		10	3
42 Patrick Doran Cotton Straw		11	6
43 Thomas Mullet Do Do		10	
50 P. Roberts, Colico and Studds	17	11	6

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

2. Establishment Account.

34 William Bourke Salary to 25 June	12	12	
35 John Ralph Do Do	12	11	
36 G. Murphy Do Do	6	18	
37 Thomas M. Powell Do Do	2	8	
39 James Diveraux Lard	1	9	2
44 John Kehoe Wages		12	
45 William May Salary to 25 June	11	18	
46 Hannah Smith Repairing Clocks		11	
48 Industrial Journal Advertising		17	
51 James Morney washing Sails	2		
52 Doctor Carey salary to 25 June	48	6	8
53 John Anton Insurance	4	10	

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

40 Catherine Freeman Eggs	1		5
49 Do Do Do	1	11	

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:

Orders were signed and countersigned for the following
pad lock, 2 staples, 1 lb white lead, 1 sugar, 6 yds rope, 1 gal seal oil,
1 12 ft Board, 2 lb cotton, 8 ft 1/2 inch iron, 1 fender, 5 Boards for repairing
Wheelbarrows, 1 sauce pan, 1 frying pan, 1 chamber bandstick, 1 1/4 gal can,
1000 nails assorted, 15 m shoe nails assorted, 30 doz Brooms, 1 Boring Ewer,
1 jug, 1 Hair Mattress, 2 Hides Bull Leather, 2 do kip, 2 gal train oil,
4 lb pitch & rosin, 2 of Hair, 2 gross Iron Nails, repairing the pump.
Medical Appliances, 2 pair of Glasses for Lactometer,

The Visiting Committee reported. Visited the House at Eleven
O'clock A. M. found the Dormitories clean and well ventilated, the
Kitchen and female schoolroom undergoing repairs. the latter
will be much improved by removing the partition wall, the pau-
pers all at work in and out of the House,
signed
D. White

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

The Medical officer reported that he wanted an Hospital
Porter at a low Salary, say if a work without Rations might be more
eligible for the New Dispensary Hospital as his principal business
would be to see the Ditts distributed, to protect the property at night
and to see that the pauper assistant Nurses should do their duty;
it is not the present intention of the Medical officer to transmit
to this Ward if possible any case which would require much care
and attention, or if rations should be given, Wages at 3/6 to 4/
pe week. Measles still prevalent, Whooping cough almost dis-
appeared, Scarlatina prevalent, and several of the Infants
in Nursery are pining away in a hopeless state at present, in
a healthy Nursery some of them might possibly recover,

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

No Orders made

The Master reported, that he visited the Templehamon Ward today, that he found the place used at present as a Straw House and the two small rooms attached which were not taken into account before, could accommodate at least 22 beds, for 44 Adults, these apartments are unattached to the Female Dormitories and might be made to answer this number of men, this being the class most crowded — the numbers have now decreased to 1582 (see Saturday night's Return) owing to the Board having discharged all those in the House under sections 1 and 2 and he was of opinion that by carrying out

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:—

this arrangement the Board will have room for the present members by not admitting any applicants who can be relieved out-door one of the sticks of the pump is burst, spoke to Mr. Lacy about it and he recommended two Iron rims to be put on at once.

Ordered, that Thomas Murphy pump maker be directed by the master to put the pump into working condition without delay. No Orders made on the first part of the report.

Commissioners Communications

A sealed order was read dated 13th June 1847 fixing the several sums to be assessed off all the Unions and Electoral Divisions in Ireland in pursuance of the Act lately passed styled the Rate in aid Act, and that the sum so assessed and declared on the Union of Ennisworthy amounts to £3156.7.4 is divided over the Electoral Divisions according to their respective valuation. The Commissioners direct the attention of the Guardians to the terms of the 3rd section of the Act which enacts that the Guardians of each Union shall in the Rate to be made on each Electoral Division of the Union next after the receipt of such order provide for the sum leviable on such Division according to the order.

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A sealed order dated the 19th June 1847 declaring the unfitness of John Ralph of Newtownberry for the office of Relieving officer of No. 100 and removing him from said office, requiring the Guardians to appoint another person to act as Relieving officer in those Divisions as soon as may be and to report same with the amount of salary fixed to the P.L. Commissioners.

A Letter from the P.L. Commissioners dated 15th June 1847 No. 37727 stating that they have had under consideration Mr. Burke's report and the evidence taken by him at the investigation into the charges of fraud brought against Mr. John Ralph Relieving officer while he was contractor for the supply of Bread and Milk to the Newtownberry Hospital from which it appears that the dealings between Mr. Ralph and the Committee of that Hospital commenced in December 1846, when he entered into a contract to supply the Hospital with Bread and Milk for 6 months at the end of which period fresh tenders were not advertised for, with a view of having a new contract entered into

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	6
Ditto, disallowed	1
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	58

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	11
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	7
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	110

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered - 167

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).

but Mr. Ralph was permitted to hold the Contract until Decem-ber 1848. when the Rev. Mr. Walsh a member of the Committee having stated that Mr. Ralph was not acting fairly - an examination of his accounts took place upon which it appeared on comparing the receipts with the order or pass Books kept by the Medical officer that the overcharges made by Mr. Ralph during the months of October and November 1848 amounted to £ 6-6-1 and for the months of September and December an overcharge of £ 4-8-0 and that from a further examination of subsequent months there was an overcharge of £ 16-13-10. That the total overcharges for the year 1848 with the exception of the periods from the 1st January to 14th February and from 14th May to 7th July (pass Books for these periods not being forth-coming) amounted to a sum of Twenty-seven Pounds Seven Shillings and eleven Pence 3^d. which sum it appeared Mr. Ralph clearly received beyond the amount he was fairly and justly entitled to.

that if the pass Books were discovered a still further sum equal to at least one fourth more had been received by him to which he was not entitled, that these overcharges consisted of quantities charged beyond what were delivered and Milk charged in Irish instead of in British measure in violation of Mr. Ralph's contract, that there was no question at all as to Mr. Ralph's being the person who supplied the articles to the Hospital and that his brother William did not appear in the dealings with the Committee, that on a full consideration of the Report of Mr. Purke and the evidence taken by him Mr. Ralph should be no longer permitted to retain the

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

day of 184 .

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

office of Relieving officer and that they had accordingly given directions for the preparation of a sealed order for his removal and requested the Board of Guardians to proceed at once to the appointment of a successor, also that they have under consideration what further steps which it may be advisable to take against Mr. Ralph for the frauds committed by him in the execution of his contract.

A Letter from same dated 15th June 1849 No 39157 trans-mitting a copy of a Memorial which the Commissioners had received from Mr. Laurence Hogan respecting the contract for the supply of Milk to the Newtownbarry Temporary Fever Hospital and requesting the ob-servations of the Guardians respecting same.

The Memorial set forth that Memorialist supplied the Temp^y Fever Hospital of Newtownbarry since Mr. Ralph's dismissal with sweet Milk for the character of which he referred to Doctor Barry a member of the local Committee, that a notice was posted to send in Tenders specifying two solvent securities on the 2nd June Inst. that Mr. Moulton the Guardian for Newtownbarry went and drew tenders for two cousins of his and these proposed no securities as re-quired by the printed notice and Moulton since supplied from his own House the sweetmilk as can be proved and the Doctors Messenger left the supply Book at the Guardians House, Memo-rialist further says that a second notice for last Saturday was posted up to have all tenders afresh and reconsidered. Memorialist and all the Tenderists went to Enniscorthy a distance of 20 miles and the tenders were never entertained, the Guardian of New-townbarry suggested to the Board at Enniscorthy on Saturday 9th June to have the inspection of Tenders put off until next Saturday knowing all falling in Tenders were shopkeepers or Butchers and Saturday being a Market day, the Guardian is dwindling away the time harassing memorialist from his shop and losing very much in expence. Memorialist humbly hopes the Hon^{ble} Commissioners will allow the local Board of Newtownbarry to take in the tenders for said Hospital or the tenderists to get fair play. Memorialist further beg leave to say the Guardian supplied till detected and made known

tho there was no Seal named nor entered in the Tender contradicting to the Notice as can be seen in the Tender. Memorialist therefore humbly requests to have that tender of the Guardians, under the name of Power who lives in another county 5 or 6 miles from the Hospital broken and call on some other day for reconsidering the Tenders besides Saturday as it is the only day of business for Newtownbarry.

P.S. It would be very agreeable and would tend to a great deal of fair play if the local Board of Newtownbarry could receive the tenders as applicants are excluded from the Board at Ennisworthy and the local Guardian will do as he pleases thro friendship as can be proved.

Signed L. Regan

A Letter from same dated 16th June 1849 no 27030 in reference to the enquiry made by the Guardians on the 26th Ult^o respecting a cooking apparatus for the Kitchen and referring the Guardians to Mr. Robinson of Belfast who had supplied several Workhouses with cooking apparatus

A Letter from same dated 19th June 1849 no 36838 referring to their circular letter of the 8th Inst^o requiring a return of the numbers of Deaf and Dumb and Blind Children under 14 yrs of age in the Workhouses of Ireland in pursuance of an order of the House of Commons, that the Return to be prepared was delayed by your not having furnished the particulars required, requesting the Return should now be made up and forwarded to them without further delay and that this letter be laid before the Board of Guardians at their next meeting.

The Clerk forwarded the return by the next post with this statement that the Form was handed by him to the Master to have it filled up together with the circular of the Commissioners on the 11th Inst^o and was repeatedly asked for since.

A Letter from same dated 22nd June 1849 no 39386 in reference to a Minute of the Board of Guardians at a meeting of the 12th Inst^o in which they ordered a sum of £3.6.4 which had been paid by a person who owing to a clerical error had been returned in an Ennisworthy Rate Book for that sum to be refunded, and directed the Rate Book

to be corrected by placing the arrear on the adjoining premises properly liable thereto, stating that the Guardians have no power after the Rate Books are signed to direct any alteration in them or in the collecting Books the proper ^{course} being to wait until the making of a new Rate and then carry the sum into the Books for the next rate as arrears against the person properly liable.

The Board ordered the Advisor to have this done accordingly in the proper time at making the new Rate, and the Clerk to see it was done.

In reference to the communication from the Commissioners respecting Mr. Ralph the Board ordered the necessary advertisement to be issued for the election of a successor on Saturday the 30th Inst^o.

In reference to the communication enclosing a memorial from Laurence Regan respecting the accepting by the Board of a tender for sweetmilk for the Newtownbarry Fever Hospital in which a Guardian James Moulton had interfered, the Board postponed its consideration owing to the heavy business of this day until this day week.

The Clerk was directed to advertise for tenders for Hospital Coals for the Workhouse for 12 months also Brushes, Tapes, threads, shoe findings, oils, colours, Blacklead, Combs, pins, needles, Pick Rosin & weaving Blunnet and Linnin, and oatmeal to be considered the 7th July.

Mr. Moore reported that the collector of Ballyhogue had waited on him for assistance and that he had rendered him all in his power but that he was aware his Book was not completed yet.

The Medical officer of the Temporary Fever Hospital Ennisworthy attended and complained that one of the contractors for sweetmilk had disappeared in consequence of some revenue proceeding against him and that during the last ten days

W. B. Byrne

the Milk is sent to the Hospital by one of his sureties, but is of inferior quality and does not at all answer for the Hospital — In consequence the Board referred to Minutes of the 2nd June and found they had accepted on that day a Tender for sweet Milk from M. A. Farrell, 15 Gal. per day @ 6 p. Gal. which hitherto had not been required by the Medical Officer and Clerk was ordered to fill a contract and have it perfected with her, not considering themselves further bound to get Milk from Mr. Nugent's sureties, himself having disappeared.

Mr. Sweetman brought forward the motion of which he gave notice and after considerable discussion he proposed and Mr. Bolton seconded that the salary of John Doyle Relieving Officer be reduced from 40 to £ 30 per annum upon a poll being taken 19 voted for and 8 against, the Chairman declaring Mr. Sweetman's motion carried.

It was then moved & seconded that the salary of the Newton Barry and Kilrush District be reduced to £ 35 to which an amendment was moved & seconded that the salary be £ 40 and which on being put to a poll was carried by the casting vote of the Chairman.

The salary of Terence O'Brien R. Officer for Templemore and Hillan was reduced to £ 35.

The salary of W. J. Longford R. Officer for Ferns & Kilcormick was reduced to £ 35 per annum.

The salary of A. Henrick was on consideration allowed to remain.

The salary of G. Murphy R. Officer for Monart was allowed to remain as at present £ 25 per Annum.

The salary of W. Burke R. Officer was on consideration allowed to remain as at present viz £ 40 per Annum.

The salary of the Taylor considered and fixed at £ 25 per Annum without rations and that of the Shoemaker be reduced to £ 20 per Annum.

Doctor Cartan of the Oulart Templemore

appeared before the Board and represented that he wanted the following articles immediately which on consideration were ordered and that half the expense be defrayed by the Gorey Board of Guardians, 2 Commodities, 2 Ward cloaks, 2 Kettles, 1 can, 2 Gallons, 2 Metal saucepans, 2 Blandishes, 2 Tables, 1 Basin stand and earthenware, 6 towels 6 Rubbers, 4 Chairs, 1 large safe for meat, Bread, soap, Candles &c. 2 door Locks, 1 set of kitchen fire Irons, 2 feeding vessels, 1 folding bed screen, and some Glazing.

Ordered, that all the able-bodied men in the Workhouse from the Electoral Division of Killeghney be discharged on Monday there being now sufficient employment to be had in that Division.

Mr. Bolton complained of the nonattendance of the members of the Oulart Hospital Committee at the proper time and place for meeting and in consequence the Clerk was ordered to call a meeting of that body for Wednesday next.

Moved by the Hon^{ble} S. R. Maxwell seconded by W. R. Farmer and Resolved, That in pursuance of a resolution passed at the Meeting of this Board on Saturday the 16th Inst with reference to the unhealthiness of the present Nursery the room No 2 day room and the Dormitory over same in No 1 Templemore be immediately appropriated as a Nursery to meet the present urgency until a suitable permanent nursery shall have been provided and to effect an object so essential and also for the increased accommodation of the Establishment so much required, the plan Appendix A No 6 (D) page 174 in the 1st annual report of the P. L. Commissioners for Ireland 1848, be carried out on the female side of this Workhouse and that the present female school-room be then appropriated as a Nursery, and that immediate application be made to the Commissioner Architect Mr. McAnson and that the necessary advertisements be inserted in the general Advertiser and Wexford papers.

The Rev. Mr. Chartres represented that a boy Rogan

ould be apprenticed out if he had a suit of clothes value about fourteen shillings, a good character of the boy was given by the schoolmaster and the Board Ordered, that the Master be directed to provide a suit of clothes for the Boy Hogan not to exceed 14/- to enable him to leave the house to go to employment his own clothes being given away thro' mistake by the late Master,

X Tenders for the erection of a Dead House and straw store Boarding certain floors, Glazing, painting and other requisite repairs at the Temp^l Hospital Newtown Barry were opened and considered and that from Michael Stanford to execute all the work agreeably to specification for the sum of £29 was accepted, engaging that the roof and joists timber be of seasoned Larch. The Clerk was directed to put the specification in his Bond and have same perfected early in the week,

Mr. Finch gave notice that he will on this day fortnight move, That the resolution adopted by the Board this morning reducing the salary of Mr Langford Relieving officer of Storns. be recorded and the salary of £40 heretofore paid be continued as a uniform reduction on the salaries of all the Relieving officers has not been carried out.

John Kehoe was appointed to assist the Master during the absence of George Maguire from ill Health at a weekly wages of seven shillings and Rations.

The Chairman then signed the orders and cheques and the Board adjourned to Tuesday the 26th June 1849.

John Mahon V.C

Agreeably to adjournment a Meeting of the Board of Guardians took place on Tuesday the 26th June 1849.

Present P White Esq in the Chair
Other Guardians W Moran, J Doyle, M Finch,
J Doyle, M Murphy.

Relieving officers Henrick and O'Brien were in attendance and laid their weekly Diaries before the Board. Mr Langford addressed a letter informing the Board that he had this morning received a special summons to attend as a witness at the Quarter sessions of Gorey, his Books were put in by one of the Guardians of his district Mr. Hench and the applicants were few Mr. Finch also knowing their cases no inconvenience occurred from his temporary absence to the Board or the applicants.

The Board then proceeded to consider the applications for relief and afterwards to examine the requirements of the Relieving officers for the ensuing week and granted orders on Mail Contractor and cheques on Treasurer for the following viz.

34	N ^o of cheque 54	J Henrick cash	4-0-0
		Do Indian Med ^{cut}	27-13-4-0.
35		J O'Brien cash	3-0-0.
		Do Indian Med ^{cut}	25-12-0-0
36		W J Langford cash	2-10-0.
		Do Indian Med ^{cut}	17-8-8-0.

The Chairman then examined the Relieving officers Books, compared and certified the out door Register, signed the orders and cheques after which the Board adjourned to Wednesday the 27th June 1849.

J Mahon V.C

Agreeably to adjournment a Meeting of the Board of Guardians took place on Wednesday the 27th June 1849.

Present P White Esq^r in the Chair
Other Guardians. P Whelan. J Leary,
E Roche. P Larkin, J Lett.

In course of the proceedings, J Maher Esq^r entered the Meeting and was called to the Chair.

Relieving officers Bourke, Merrick, Doyle and Murphy were in attendance and laid their weekly Diaries before the Board.

The Board proceeded with the consideration of claims for relief and afterwards to examine the requirements of the Relieving officers for the ensuing week and granted orders on Meal Contractor and Cheques on Treasurer for the following viz.

	No of Cheque			
		W Bourke	—	cash 0-0-0
		Do Indian Meal	^{cut} 1/2	8-8-0
38	57	A Merrick for Nutcracker and Thrush	—	cash 7-10-0
		Do Indian Meal	^{cut} 2/2	1-4-0
		J Doyle	—	cash 0-0-0
		Do Indian Meal	^{cut} 7/2	3-12-0
40	59	J Murphy	—	cash 1-0-0
		Do Indian Meal	^{cut} 1/2	3-12-0

Application having been made by parties whose cattle were under seizure by collector Doyle for Rates and arrears due in the Mount E Division, requesting that the sale might be postponed for 15 days as follows.

Suppose arrangements would be made for payment within that period — the Board granted the application on condition that the parties produced sufficient Bail for payment of the Rates & costs or forthcoming of the cattle at the end of 15 days.

Ordered, that the Cook at Templehamon be allowed the same rations as the Cook in the House.

The Chairman then examined the Relieving officers Books, compared and certified the out door Register, signed the orders and Cheques after which the Board adjourned to Saturday the 30th June 1849.

Wm. Macken V.C.

Emmerty

Population in 1841, . . . 61,652

Present Net Annual Value, . . . £126,742-15-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23 day of June 1849.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Children under 2 years.		Born.		Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.		No. in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . .	750																	
Temporary Buildings, . . .	*																	
Additional Workhouse, . . .	830																	
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .																		
Fever Sheds, . . .																		
Total, . . .	1580																	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			49	70	219	571	312	316	117				3	1553		In Workhouse Hospital, 162	In separate Wards, 14	
Admitted during the Week, . . .			2		15	37	17	19	6					99		In Fever Hospital, 100	In Wards with other inmates, 1	
TOTAL, . . .			51	70	237	608	329	335	123				3	1652		Total, 262	Total, 15	
Discharged during the Week, . . .					26	35	16	20	3					103				
Died, . . .					1	1		3	1					6				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .					27	39	16	23	4					109				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			51	70	210	569	313	310	52					1575				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23 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.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	181	466	21	39	202	505	Bt. forward						
No. II.	199	473	8	13	217	486	No. X.						
No. III.	153	318	4	9	157	327	No. XI.						
No. IV.	191	369	10	15	211	384	No. XII.						
No. V.	158	337	15	37	153	374	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	50	133	5	5	55	138	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	69	142			69	142	No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	981	2235	63	118	1044	2356	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 31st day of June 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, *J. Maher Esq.*

Other Guardians: *Genl. J. R. Macwell, A. Storch, A. J. Bluff, W. B. Leman, J. Walsh, G. A. Mc. J. J. Lane, J. A. Whitney, J. Chandler, J. Popham, J. Rudd, W. Morris, J. Doyle, M. Murphy, J. Roche, J. White, J. Roche, J. Sweetman, J. Mauttan, J. Whelan, J. Parker, J. Whitty, J. Murphy, J. Keating.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4588 to No. 4622, 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. 6577 to No. 6612, 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 the Revisor had not yet given in any of the valuation Books revised and that it was now time to get the new State Books in a state of preparation before Harvest.

That Collectors Murphy, Johnson and Kelly had neither attended this week for examination of their accounts nor made any Lodgments.

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, £34-17-7 Paid during the week, £111-18-6 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £1603-11-9 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 Peates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Table with columns: No. of Warrants, Total Collected, Name of each Collector, Name of Electoral Division, Collected and Lodged, Remaining. Includes entries for Charles Murphy, Durby Nolan, Thomas Anisara, Richard Johnson, Samuel White, Michael Byrne, John Kelly, Martin Doyle, and Thomas Nolan.

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 Divisions with their respective amounts lodged.

Nothing 18-6 ✓
Establish 1-13-0 ✓
Law 5-6 ✓
£ 2-17-0

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £2-17-0 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.
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 £95 s. 8 d. 1/2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 116-18-5 1/2 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1-4-3/4 Average cost in Infirmary, 2-2-2 Average cost in Fever Hospital, 2-5-2

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

Bread 7000 lbs Egg 70 doz
Meat 180 lbs Candles 12 lbs
Buttermilk 6760 qts Soap 224 lbs
Sweetmilk 2400 qts Starch 14 lbs
Salt 448 lbs

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 23rd day of June; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, £ 13-9-7
In kind, 55-15-2

Total, £ 69-9-9

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:

Table with columns: 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. Includes entries for A. Kenrick, F. O'Brien, W. Langford, W. Bourke, A. Kenrick, J. Doyle, G. Murphy.

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.
22 80 John Dealy wearing	10	0	0
85 P Fielding wearing	10	0	2

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

	£	s.	d.
63 Andrew Henrick Salary	10	13	0
64 J. Gibson Do	11	6	0
65 W. J. Longford Do	11	6	0
66 John Doyle Do	11	6	0
67 John W. Charles Salary to 25 June	7	10	0
68 John W. Murphy Do	15	0	0
69 J. Kennedy Clerk Do	22	10	0
70 E. McCormick Master Do	11	5	0
71 W. Kelly Schoolmaster Do	5	0	0
72 Mary Fitzpatrick Schoolmistress Do	5	0	0
73 Anne Keilly Assistant Do	2	5	0
74 Mary Pilkington Nurse Do	3	15	0
75 Michael Curlong Porter Do	2	10	0
76 Catherine Lacy Wardsmistress Do	2	10	0
77 C. Redmond Wardsman Do	2	10	0
79 Arthur Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.	1	0	0

	£	s.	d.
82 J. Doyle Carpentery	10	7	0
83 James Whelan Car, red. Shuttle	13	0	0
88 John Grace Tinware	14	4	0

	£	s.	d.
17 61 R. Pendergast Buttermilk sweetmilk	38	15	11
81 William Martin Meat	15	2	3
86 Francis Davis Indian Meal	8	17	0
91 Catherine Freeman Eggs	19	0	0

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

33 84 Francis Davis Indian Meal	289	4	0
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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:

Orders were signed and countersigned for the following viz, 6 lbs thread, 1 coal ridder, 1 Gross spoons, 1/2 gal sweet oil, 12 lbs powdered Blue, 4 Stone Whiting, 1/2 lbs lampblack, 2 fire blocks, 6 Gross Sticks, 1 Chamber candlestick, 100 qt tins, 12 doz fire bricks

The visiting committee reported, met at 2 o'clock this day and found the House clean & well ventilated the Porter reported that on yesterday the Master sent for him from the Pawn office and directed him to go to the House in the Shannon and search the wife of John Hood as a number of Duplicates of stolen property had been found on him by the Police supposed to belong to the Union and that Hood late a pauper in the House was now in custody for offering three pairs of new Pumps for sale to M. Fion a shoemaker who lately supplied the Workhouse with shoes by contract and who recognized the work as being his own make had promptly gone

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

for the Police to arrest Hood. We did not investigate the matter fully as the master was absent and supposed to be home at 4 o'clock in the evening.

Signed D. White and W. Moran

Ordered, that the constable of Police be sent for, also Dr. M. L. O'mull and Dunne in order the case be investigated before the Board rises.

Medical Report, In Hospital this day 154. discharged cured 38, sent to Fever Hospital 5 did 5,

That the Steward was using for some

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

days past the contents of the Cypresses in a Liquid state and that the Medical officer represented to him how injurious it was to the air of the whole place.

Ordered, that the Steward shall in future mix all the fluid manure with straw Ashes &c. and use no more in a Liquid state.

He further reported that some difficulty was had in endeavouring to get the Nurses over to the Templehamon House.

Ordered, that the Nurses shall continue at Templehamon for at least another week.

He recommended the House to be got painted and suggested

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:)

that the cheapest mode was to procure the oils and colours at first cost and to hire an honest tradesman to lay them on.

Ordered, to advertise for Tenders for oils and colours and that advertisements be sent to some of the Dublin wholesale Druggists.

He further reported, that the head constable of Police called on him yesterday with some pawn office tickets found on a person called John Hood arrested for proposing to sell some Union Clothing

He accompanied the constable to the Pawn office's but, not discover the Union mark on any of the articles except one small petticoat when it appeared the mark on it had been cut off, he gave particular instructions to the Shoemaker to brand all the shoes, and even the leather before making up, providing him with a Brand for the purpose yet he found he had neglected it.

Mr. Moran introduced the motion of which he gave notice on the 16th Inst. That the salary of Catherine Lacy the mistress of the Templehamon Workhouse be advanced from £10 to £15 per Annum

owing to the increase of her duties — The motion being seconded by Mr. White and put from the Chair passed unanimously.

A Committee was appointed consisting of Messrs. Maxwell, Walsh, White and Moran to report of the Memorial of Laurence Regan relative to the accepting by the Board of a Milk tender for the St. Barry Fever Hospital and the interference on that occasion by the Guardian James Molton and made the following report, That with reference to the Memorial of Laurence Regan to the P.L. Commissioners bearing date the 14th Inst. the causes of complaint therein mentioned were fully brought before the Board on the 9th Inst. and sufficient grounds appearing for issuing new proposals for the contract for which said memorialist and others applied new Advertisements for such were ordered and in pursuance of same new tenders were received on the 16th Inst. amongst which was one from said memorialist which was rejected, a lower tender from William Grier having been accepted on his giving sufficient security to this Board.

Mr. Whitty gave notice that he will on Wednesday the 4th July move that Catherine Luffan who calls herself Catherine Walsh, be removed from the Electoral Division of Pullyhogue and placed upon the Union at Lurg if admitted at all.

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	1
Ditto, disallowed	2
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	49
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	5
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	3
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	70

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered - 202

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).

The Master made application for permission to become a candidate for the mastership of the New Boys Workhouse on Tuesday next, consideration was postponed until the case reported on the visitors Book was investigated.

Commissioners Communications

A Letter was read from the Commissioners dated 2³ June 1849 N^o 40633, requesting that a copy of the Report of the Committee appointed to enquire into the statements contained in the Report of the Medical officer respecting the excessive mortality in the Nursery of the Workhouse may be inserted on the Minutes of the Guardians.

The Board referred to the Medical officers report of the 16th Inst^o and to the resolution moved by Mr. Maxwell in reference to that report, by which the Committee was appointed, that the object to be ascertained was the best and quickest mode of increasing the Nursery accommodation and that accordingly they met on the morning of the 25th and recommended the adoption of the resolution on the Minutes of that day for the erection of permanent Buildings at the fender side of the front building requesting specifications from the Commissioners Architect, and that for the present the Dormitory

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

N^o 2 at the Temple-shannon Workhouse be appropriated to the reception of Nurses.

A Circular letter from same dated 27th June 1849 N^o 4274, requiring the Clerk to give notice from time to time to the Treasurer of the Union of the dates of all Rates made in the Union after receipt of the Commissioners Order transmitted pursuant to the 2nd Sec. Act. 12 Vic. cap 24 providing for the levying of a general Rate in Aid that he may reserve such sum as will cover the amount in the Commissioners order leviable on the Electoral Divisions of the Union.

A Letter from same dated 27th June 1849 N^o 42474 enclosing a copy of a communication received from Patrick Byrne of Enniscorthy requesting the observations of the Board of Guardians thereon — the communication set forth that about the 1st May last a Mr. William Nugum became a Contractor for the Supply of sweet Milk to the Hospital at Enniscorthy to the extent of 15 Gals per day at 5³/₄ p^{er} gallon, that the Contractors of said Nugum were (the writer) Patrick Byrne and John Cooke, that said Nugum did deliver the Milk as contracted for up to the 12th Inst^o at which time a Cow of his died and he became otherwise embarrassed in circumstances and having stated same to me and required me to assist in fulfilling the Contract I bought 3 Cows and supplied the Contract from the 12th to the 24th Inst^o when my Milk was returned by my servant, for what reason I dont know but I understand it is given to another at a higher price who was not a Contractor at the time, Mr. Cooke and myself are ready to fulfill the Contract and stand by our Bond and if you allow such a course as this it is reversing the intention of all bonds ever passed and a bad precedent, also it increases the expenses of the Union which is my interest to look to as paying my part of said expenses since the House opened, under a valuation of £60 p^{er} An. I hope Gentlemen therefore you will consider the matter and the expense I went to and order the carrying out of my Bond by the parties who passed it. Signed
Patrick Byrne

The Board referred to the Minute of last Saturday on the complaint made by Doctor Goodison against the quality of the Milk now being sent to the Hospital by Pyrne, and the Board considering they were not bound to Pyrne and finding that the principal in the contract W. Nugum had absconded felt justified in entering into a contract with Mary A. O'Sullivan even at $\frac{1}{4}$ p. gal extra - rather than be obliged to take legal proceedings against said Pyrne and the other surety to fulfill Nugum's contract - besides the Milk being always of undeniable character for Hospital use and the increased expense being just 15 farthings p. day on the Union.

A Letter from same dated 29th June 1849 No 42228 ¹⁸⁴⁹ requesting that that the Guardians will have the goodness to furnish the Commissioners with a return of the names of the several Relieving officers in the Union showing their present salaries and the proposed reductions as also the number of recipients of out door relief in each District.

Ordered, that the Clerk make out the return and forward same to the Commissioners immediately.

Tenders were now opened from candidates for the office of Relieving officer for the District of Newtownbarry and Kilrush, & they were called before the Board and examined.

The Hon^{ble}. Mr. Maxwell proposed Mr. Jerry Pyers who was seconded by Mr. Walsh Esq^r.

Mr. Robert Murphy proposed Mr. William Fitzpatrick who was seconded by Mr. A. Heating.

Mr. Doyle proposed Mr. Thomas Nolan who was seconded by Mr. J. White.

Previous to going into a Poll Mr. Farman moved an amendment that it is not competent for the Board to enter on the Election of Mr. Nolan until his resignation as collector be accepted by the Commissioners and that his resignation at the present time would be very inconvenient, which being seconded by Mr. Lane the Chairman took a Poll and 14 voted for and 11 against the amendment the Chairman then stating that Mr. Nolan should withdraw as a can-

-didate Mr. Farman's amendment being carried.

Mr. Pyers and Mr. Fitzpatrick were then duly put in nomination and a Poll taken when there appeared 14 votes for Mr. Fitzpatrick and 11 for Mr. Pyers the Chairman then declared Mr. William Fitzpatrick to be duly elected.

With reference to the report of the visiting Committee, the Chairman directed that Constable Dunaway be called in. He produced a large bundle of clothing shoes found in the Pawn office and House of John Hood whom he arrested on the information of Michael Prion Shoemaker on the 28th Inst. Michael Prion having been examined stated that Hood had brought him one pair for sale that morning representing that he had bought them but did not now want them & wished to sell them. He afterwards brought a second pair which he (Hood) stated his wife had been made a present of, and on the evening he brought a third pair stating he would let Prion have them at 7th p. pair Prion then suspected where and how they must have been got and under pretence of going for money to pay Hood went to the Police Barracks for a constable and gave Hood in charge. Hood stated to Prion that if he Prion would take the shoes as he brought them he could supply him with 10 or 12 pair each week. Constable Dunaway further informed the Board that he had got 22 or 23 pawn office tickets on the person of Hood stowed in the waistband of his trousers. He called and gave information to the Master of the Workhouse who accompanied him and inspected the Articles. the Union stamp was not found on any of them except a petticoat from which the stamp appeared to have been cut out and a piece sewed in its place. The House Shoemaker ^{and} Taylor underwent a long examination after which the Board Resolved - that consequent on the report of Head Constable Dunaway and on the examination of Michael Prion - the clear proofs that the Pumpman took the same as he Prion had delivered

for contract at the Workhouse, as also the testimony of the House Shoemaker and Taylor going to prove that the property of the Union had been most carefully attended to both in the State of material and as made up clothing, the Key of the store having been systematically in the hands of irresponsible persons and without even a regular weekly inspection by the Master — we consider that the clothing accounts should be immediately looked into and stock taken without delay and that until the Committee now appointed for that purpose shall have reported on same, the Board cannot recommend the services of Mr. McCormick to any other Union. The following Committee then consented to act and appointed to meet on next Friday morning 10 O'clock Messrs. Mather, Doyle, ^{White} Rudd, Moran, Roche, Whitty, Lott and Whelan & to report to the Board on Saturday.

Tenders for the following work were considered and that from Daniel Curgoyne accepted for the infant Fever Hospital
 Bed screen 4/3, 1 safe 6 ft by 3 ft 6 in complete £1-9-4, 2 maps chairs 5/ each, 2 commodes complete 4/ each, Basin stand and Delft complete 7/3.

The Chairman then signed the orders and cheques and the Board adjourned to Tuesday the 3rd July 1849.

Put White Chairman

27 2
 27 2
 17 2
 72 2

Agreeably to adjournment a meeting of the Board of Guardians took place on Tuesday the 3rd July 1849.

Present. P. White Esq in the Chair
 Other Guardians Roche, J. Graham,
 W. Moran, J. Doyle.

Relieving officers Henrick, O'Brien and Langford were in attendance and laid their weekly Diaries before the Board.

The Board proceeded with the consideration of claims for Relief and afterwards to examine the requirements of the Relieving officers for the ensuing week and granted orders on Meal Contractor and cheques on Treasurer for the following.

34	91	J Henrick	cash	4 - 0 - 0 ✓
		Do Indian Meal	^{cut} 27 1/2	13 - 4 - 0 ✓
35	92	J O'Brien	cash	1 - 10 - 0 ✓
		Do Indian Meal	^{cut} 27 1/2	13 - 4 - 0 ✓
36	93	W J Langford	cash	2 - 10 - 0 ✓
		Do Indian Meal	^{cut} 17 1/2	8 - 8 - 0 ✓

Mr. Graham gave notice that on Tuesday next he will move that Catherine Murphy of Grange now chargeable on Kilsar be placed to account of the Union at Largo.

Mary Redmond of Grange was ordered to be discharged from the Workhouse it being ascertained that she has Land.

The Chairman then signed the Cheques and orders and the Board adjourned to Wednesday the 4th July 1849.

Put White Chairman

Agreeably to adjournment a Meeting of the Board of Guardians took place on Wednesday the 4th July 1849.

Present. P White Esq. in the Chair
Other Guardians W Moran, J Whitty, P Parker,
P Quirk, S Lett, P Whelan & Maher Esq.

Mr. Maher requested Mr. White to keep the Chair.

Relieving officers Bourke, Henrick, Doyle and Murphy were on attendance and laid their Diaries before the Board. William Fitzpatrick was not in attendance and the charge of the District was continued with A Henrick.

The Board proceeded to consider the applications for relief and afterwards to examine the requirements of the Relieving officers for the ensuing week granting orders on Meal Contractor and Vouchers on Treasurer for the following viz.

37	94	W Bourke	Cash	1-10-0	✓
		Do Indian Meal	^{cut} 17 ¹ / ₂	8-8-0	✓
		A Henrick for M J Barry			
38	95	and Kilrush	Cash	7-10-0	✓
		Do Indian meal	^{cut} 2 ¹ / ₂	1-4-0	✓
		J Doyle	Cash	0-0-0	
		Do Indian Meal	^{cut} 5	2-8-0	✓
40	96	J Murphy	Cash	1-0-0	✓
		Do Indian Meal	^{cut} 7 ¹ / ₂	3-12-0	✓

17 1/2
2 1/2
5
7 1/2
32 1/2
72 1/2
105

The following inmates of the Workhouse were represented in a letter read from Mr. Wallace to be of that able bodied class that should be sent out and that he had employment for them. The Board had them called up and examined and discharged viz. Patrick Styles, Felix Dore, ...

Pat. Moranagh, Thomas Carney, Morgan Murphy,

Ordered. That the Laundry be in a dry state on Monday morning the 16th Inst. and all the articles of clothing in it clean or foul be sorted for the different classes to take stock,

That the Articles in the stores be also arranged for taking stock as above.

That the Assistant Master be required to have a list for the Clothing Committee of what stock ought to be in the House as well from the Clothing acct. of the Clerk as the Material and Clothing acct. Books of the Master.

That the Master be ordered to separate all articles that have not been condemned and have them arranged for speedy counting by the Committee.

That a Brand or Stamp be got by the Clerk with July 1849, on it to be used in the taking of stock of Clothing.

That the taking of stock be fixed for Monday the 16th Inst. and the Clerk shall have ruled sheets with appropriate headings prepared for the Committee.

Mr. Bourke Relieving officer made application to the Board for a boy Robert Peel aged 13 to take him out as a servant if the Board would grant a Pound to purchase clothing as the boy had none being in the House for some years.

The Chairman then examined the relief Books, compared and certified the out door Register, signed the orders and Vouchers and the Board adjourned to Saturday the 7th July 1849.

P. White Chairman

Population in 1841, . . . 61,652 Present Net Annual Value, . . . £126,742-15-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th 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 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.	Boys.	Girls.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	Males.	Fem.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.			
Workhouse,	750																	
Temporary Buildings,																		
Additional Workhouse,	531																	
Permanent Fever Hospital,																		
Fever Sheds,																		
Total,	1281																	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			57	70	210	549	313	310	52						157			
Admitted during the Week,			3	2	21	37	17	25	8	1					114			
TOTAL,			54	72	231	606	330	335	60	1					169			
Discharged during the Week,					32	37	22	21	1						113			
Died,					3	3	1								7			
Total Discharged and Dead,					32	40	23	22	1						120			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			54	72	199	566	305	313	60						162			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30th day of June authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	210	534	30	57	240	591	Bt. forward						
No. II.	203	483	8	13	211	496	No. X.						
No. III.	156	322	4	9	160	331	No. XI.						
No. IV.	114	200	10	15	124	235	No. XII.						
No. V.	136	333	15	37	151	370	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	34	142	4	4	38	146	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	67	142			67	142	No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	942	2176	71	135	1013	2311	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 7th day of July 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, *J. White*
 Other Guardians: *J. J. Lane, W. P. Farmer, W. Moran, M. Kinch, C. Roche, L. Sweetman, J. L. J. Whitty, W. P. O'Brien, J. Murphy, J. Walsh, J. Whelan*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4640 to No. 4824, 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. 6612 to No. 6646, 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 the following Collectors had not attended on Friday for examination of their accounts and had made no Lodgments this week, C. Murphy, D. Nolan, J. Nolan, L. Ansell, R. Johnson, M. Byrne and J. Kelly, and that he had received letters from R. Johnson and J. Kelly that they were prevented coming in by sickness.

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, - £58-2-9
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £445-5-0
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £115-3-7
 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 Peates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Am ^t of Peates	Total Collected	Proportion to be collected last standing	Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
			Charles Murphy	Castle Ellis	-	-	-	135	1	2
				Macroom	-	-	-	177	-	1
				Meenagh	-	-	-	71	11	1
1971	1570	1/4 25 th June			-	-	-	401	12	5
			Darby Nolan	Clerragh	-	-	-	129	15	3
				Tempashant	-	-	-	327	16	2
2760	2303	1/4 29 th June			-	-	-	457	11	6
			Thomas Ansell	Pallyhurst	-	-	-	122	1	1
				Clerragh	-	-	-	74	5	4
1039	848	1/5 29 th June			-	-	-	196	6	5
			Richard Johnson	Clerragh	-	-	-	108	10	6
				Ollingroy	-	-	-	75	19	1
1367	1184	1/4 15 th June			-	-	-	182	10	5
			Samuel White	Ennisacorthy	19	-	-	573	16	8
3818	3275	1/4 6 th July			-	-	-	389	11	3
1957	1542	1/5 5 th June	Michael Byrne	Ferns	-	-	-	216	7	1
974	757	1/4 7 th June	John Kelly	Pallyhurst	-	-	-	23	2	10
1501	1386	1/4 6 th July	Martin Doherty	Monart	-	-	-	147	7	1
837	689	1/5 29 th June	Thomas Nolan	J. J. Barry	45	19	11	-	-	-
£46201	13549			Total,	58	29	26529	12		

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 Collectors with their respective amounts lodged.

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No. 116

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to £2-15-8 was produced and passed. &c. &c. &c.
 The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 124 s. - d. 7 1/2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 120-12-2 1/2
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - 1-4 1/2
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 2-2 1/2
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 2-4 1/2

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

Bread	6600 lbs	Flour	14 lbs
Meat	180 lbs	Pepper	14 lbs
Oatmeal	4480 lbs	Soup	214 lbs
Buttermilk	5560 qts	Condies	16 lbs
Sweetmilk	2500 qts	Surch	14 lbs
Salt	448 lbs	Plaw	1 lb

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 31st day of June; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	20	8	4
In kind,	-	-	-	47	2	2
Total,	-	-	-	67	10	6

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.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	J. Ansell	4	0	Meal	13-4-0	Bt. forward					
No. II.	J. Ansell	1	10	do	13-4-0	No. X.					
No. III.	W. Ansell	2	10	do	8-8-0	No. XI.					
No. IV.	W. Ansell	1	10	do	8-8-0	No. XII.					
No. V.	J. Ansell	7	10	do	1-4-0	No. XIII.					
No. VI.	J. Ansell	-	-	do	2-8-0	No. XIV.					
No. VII.	G. Ansell	1	0	do	3-12-0	No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.		18	0	do	50-8-0	TOTAL,					

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.
110	James Power Wool			
112	John Warren Straw	1	8	
113	Bernard O'Maherty Galles, Prayers		13	6
115	John Dealy Weaving		10	1
130	Rev. P. Preston Lacey	4	19	4

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

		2. Establishment Account.		
		£	s.	d.
97	Patrick Been Hardware	16	10	3
98	Patrick Ryan	13	9	
101	James Doreen Lard	2	6	8
101	John Greene Stew	1	9	2
104	James Cosgrave Lome	1	13	5
109	Martin Doyle Do	1		2
120	Alexander Thom Stationary	17	14	9
121	Thomas M. Finnell Paper Shoemaker	2	8	
122	John Dunne Do Taylor	2	8	
123	David Commons repairing printing	2	5	9
127	Jason Sherwood keeping Pump repair	20		
129	Michael Herpin counter	2	15	1

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

		3. Workhouse Invoice Account.		
		£	s.	d.
17	100 Richard Deerson Coals	18	15	
	99 Thomas G. Nichol Bread & Cakes	233	19	10
	102 Saml Deerson soft Candles	43	5	4
18	103 John Ranger sweet Milk	10	9	7
	104 Jacob Ward Do	10	10	
	105 Joseph Carlow Do	4	13	2
	108 Henry Roch Do	4	13	2
	109 Michael Bernan Do	14	12	3
	107 Daniel Polgey Do	9	3	
	132 Catherine O'Keefe Eggs	1	10	9

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

		4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.		
		£	s.	d.
33	128 Francis Davis Indian Meal	13	4	
	Temporary Fever Hospital			
32	106 Doctor Goodwin Emmiscortby	62	4	8
	126 William Colton Jr. Quercat	8	7	5
	Funerals			
31	124 Jasper Stanford Liffins	1	9	3
	valuation			
28	125 Heating Review	7	10	

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:

Orders were signed and countersigned for the following viz, 3 stone Lined Mat, 1 pad lock keep and 4 pch. 6 lb hemp, 1 doz clothing spec. 1 white wash brush, 1/2 gal lamp oil, 1 lb copers, 4 lbs black Lead, 4 lbs sp nails, 2 lbs logwood, 10 m shoe nails, lattice frames for 8 windows,

The Visiting Committee reported, visited the boys schoolroom which was greatly crowded and very close and would not be surprised if it caused the spread of Fever the weather being so close, would strongly recommend the partition wall to be removed similar the female school. The Dormitories were undergoing cleaning and whitewashing. The female Workroom very close and crowded in consequence of being prevented by the rain removing any of the workers. Would recommend a good padlock to be placed on the shoe store as it remains still undiscovered how the late poisoning was committed in that quarter. The Agricultural labourers generally unemployed

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

in consequence of the heavy rains

Signed: P. White

Ordered—that the Wall in the boys school be removed and the other matters recommended be carried out.

The Medical officer reported, that a pauper inmate Edward Ketterville might derive benefit from treatment in the county Infirmary and wish to get an order for his admission. I do not think there is any improvement in the health of the children by the removal to the Templeshannon Ward. However so short a time has elapsed since their removal that it would be difficult to say as yet

the effect of the change,

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

Ordered, that the Nurses be tried a week longer at the Simpleshamen Ward.

He further reported, that the rain gets admission by the side of the ventilators in the roof of the Dormitory where the Nurses slept in the Simpleshamen last night but it is not of much consequence yet. The boys schoolroom was overcrowded yesterday by reason of the wet, the same alteration which was made in the female school would be very desirable in this.

The wall was ordered to be removed.

In Hospital this day 130 discharged cured 47, sent to Fever Hospital 8, died 2,
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:

The Master reported, that a pauper W. Maher had stolen a shirt off a bed in the Guttle Street House when it was reported to me went down and found the fellow sealing the wall after being absent. I gave him in charge to the Police. The Guttle has been stolen from the Steward, and a travel has also been taken so that it will be necessary to observe the greatest vigilance to protect the farm implements. I called the Stewards attention to it. He also recommended the removal of the partition in the boys school which was ordered to be removed in the visiting Commissioners report.

Commissioners Letters

A Letter was read from the P L Commissioners dated 30 June 1849 expressing their sanction of the Rate of Salary proposed to be given

to the Taylor £25 per Ann and to the Shoemaker of the Workhouse £20 per Ann. also expressing their approval of the Temporary appointment of Mr. John Kehoe to assist the Master during the absence of George Maguire on the terms proposed.

A Circular Letter from same dated 3rd July 1849 N^o 438 in reference to one of the 15th Ulms enclosing a copy of a sealed order prescribing the Form in which the Union Rate in Aid account is to be kept.

A sealed order dated 28th June 1849 prescribing the forms of account N^o 1 and 11 in which the Union Rate in Aid shall be kept.

A Letter from same dated 2nd July 1849 N^o 42642 in reference to the Guardians having on the 27th Ulms granted an application made by parties whose cattle had been under seizure by Collector Dwyer, that the sale thereof should be postponed for 15 days under certain conditions and stating that the interference of the Guardians with the collection of the Rate was a matter which might lead to great inconvenience and materially interfere with the conditions of the Collectors Bond.

The Board wished to state that the Rate for which the seizure in question was made has been since paid.

One from same dated 6th July 1849 N^o 42,228 with reference

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	11
Ditto, disallowed	8
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	71

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	7
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	5
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	68

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered - 175

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).

to the providing additional accommodation at the Workhouse for Children, stating for information of the Guardians that plans will be made by their Architect and submitted to the Guardians forthwith, that however advertisements for Tenders should not issue until the plans are before them.

A Letter from same dated 6th July 1849, N^o. 43674 transmitting Questions to be answered by the clerk and William Fitzpatrick who has been appointed to the office of Collecting officer in the Union.

Mr. Farmer enquired if Mr. Nichol would proceed with the motion of which he gave notice relative to the salary of the Collecting officer of Farms but Mr. Nichol stated he would postpone the motion until this day week.

Tenders for coals for 12 mos were considered and accepted from Stephen Edw. Lell and Edward Phelan @ 7/6 per ton delivered at the Workhouse to be taken in equal quantities from both parties by the Master.

Tenders for wearing the House Linen sheeting and Flannel were considered. The Linen and sheeting was given to Thomas Price and Peter Fielding in equal quantities at the rate of 2 p yard and the Flannel to John Gunning and John Deary in equal

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

quantities, at P. per yard.

Tenders for oatmeal were considered and that from Thomas C. Kehler accepted for 10 Tons at £ 13. 10 per ton delivered,

The following tenders were also accepted for 12 mos. — viz. Patrick Ryan to supply shoe knives no 1, 2, 3, 4. per doz as samples, shoe Crasps no 7, 8, 9 inch per doz as — samples Best white and green shoe threads 7/2 per lb Do White and yellow closing yarn 8/2 per doz Balls Do do do do 2^d quality 5 per doz " " Allertons best wool blades 8 per doz and hafts 3 per doz Nail tip nails 3/2 per lb. Pitch 7/8 and Rosin 10 per Stone Rape oil 3/4, sweet oil 5/3 Lamp oil 3/4 Train, 2/10 per gal. Hair Brooms or sweeping Brushes N^o 6 @ 2/9 each, Iron Hat plates 3/4 per gross, shoe Hairs 10 per doz.

Patrick Green viz. Scouring Brushes N^o 4 @ 7/11 each per sample Black Lead Brushes N^o 3 @ 11 each Do Black and flea thread 7/5 per lb Black lead 4 per lb White tapes narrow 7/2, Broad 7/6 per doz per sample Black tapes 7/9 per doz per sample Ivory combs N^o 4, 3/4 per doz Horn combs 7/11 per doz Best sewing needles 4 per 100 Whitewash brushes unhandld N^o 2 @ 2/4 each per sample Knitting needles 5 per lb, Pins N^o 1, 2, 3. per doz sheets

Arthur Keefe for Quart tins 2/4 per doz and Pint 7/6 per doz made of best tin per samples.

The Chairman then signed the cheques and orders as recommended by the Finance Committee and the Board adjourned to Tuesday the 10th July 1849.

Handwritten signature

Agreeably to adjournment a Meeting of the Board of Guardians took place on Tuesday the 10th July 1849.

Present. O White Esq in the Chair
Other Guardians W Moran. J Doyle, and
M. Murphy.

Relieving officers Henrich, O'Brien and Langford were in attendance and laid their weekly Diaries before the Board.

The Board then proceeded with the consideration of Claims for relief and afterwards to examine the requirements of the Relieving officers for the ensuing week and granted orders on Meal Contractor and cheques on Treasurer for the following.

- 34 133 A Henrich Cash 4-0-0.
Do Indian Meal ^{out} 27.13-4-0.
- 35 134 J O'Brien — Cash 1-10-0.
Do Indian Meal ^{out} 27.13-4-0.
- 36 135 W J Langford Cash 3-0-0.
Do Indian Meal ^{out} 15-4-0.

John Doran and Pelt Styles one a weaver and the other a shoemaker who were discharged from the House on Wednesday last on the representation of Mr. Wallace that he had employment and tools for them. — applied for relief and stated that they were not furnished with sufficient tools to sink drains as promised by Mr. Wallace and that they had not the means to purchase them. Doran said he worked at the drains for 1 1/2 days being unable to complete the second days work through want of food and then received four Pence in part payment he having five in family. — both complained of the want of food for themselves and families and appeared in great debilitation.

Ordered. that they be admitted into the Workhouse and that the Guardians of the Division of Templeshannon and the Relieving officer of the District be requested to inquire into their case and to report to this Board on Saturday next.

The Chairman then signed the orders and cheques examined and certified the out door Register and the Board adjourned to Wednesday the 11th July 1849.

Agreeably to adjournment a Meeting of the Board of Guardians took place on Wednesday the 11th July 1849.

Present O White Esq in the Chair.
Other Guardians. P Whelan. J Lott. P Lister.
N Murphy. J Howell. O Roche & Leary

Relieving officers. Bourke, Fitzpatrick, Doyle and Murphy were in attendance and laid their weekly Diaries before the Board.

The Board proceeded to consider the claims of applicants for relief and afterwards to examine the requirements of the Relieving officers for the ensuing week and granted orders on meal contractor and cheque on Treasurer for the following by.

- 37 136 W Bourke Cash — 1-0-0
" Indian Meal ^{out} 17. 8-8-0
- 38 137 W Fitzpatrick Cash 2-0-0
" Indian Meal ^{out} 17. 8-8-0
- J Doyle — Cash " " "
" Indian Meal ^{out} 5 2-8-0
- 40 138 G Murphy — Cash 1-0-0
" Indian Meal ^{out} 10 4-16-0
- 139 John Walsh Stover Hospital. N Barry 13-10-1

27 1/2
27 1/2
15
17 1/2
5
10
120

9.12.6
57.12
20.9
7.10.

Mr. E Roche gave notice that he will on the 18th Inst move that Margaret Whitty and family now chargeable to Union at Large be placed to account of Killegheny E. Division. also that Anne Campbell now charged on Honart be placed to account of Union at Large.

The Assistant Master brought up Pitt Swens, James and John Byrne for tearing a rug and cutting shoes as produced to the Board and other mischievous conduct; the Board directed them to be prosecuted for destroying the Union property, also James Roche for quitting the House without leave, ordered to have his milk stopped for 3 days, Peter Fitzgerald for breaking the cabbage plants, spoilage of Milk for 3 meals, John Downes an inmate had his shoes cut in pieces and he was directed to be brought as an evidence to the Court, =

M. Swell brought forward the motion of which he gave notice for removal of Mary Newport from the Division of Castle Ellis to the Union at Large and after investigation the motion passed,

John Lawlor was brought before the Board charged with absconding with the Union clothing over though he intended (as he stated) to return, for example the Board ordered his milk to be stopped, =

The Chairman then signed the orders and Cheques, examined and certified the out door Register and the Board adjourned to Saturday the 14th July 1849,

M. Swell

Population in 1841, . . . 61,652

Present Net Annual Value, £ 26,942-15-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7 day of July 1849.

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Workhouse, . . .	750													
Temporary Buildings, . . .	830													
Additional Workhouse, . . .														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .														
Fever Sheds, . . .														
Total, . . .	1580													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			54	72	177	566	305	313	60	-	-	1519	In Workhouse Hospital, 130	In separate Wards, 14
Admitted during the Week, . . .					18	23	11	17	4	1	1	75	In Fever Hospital, 100	In Wards with other Inmates, 1
TOTAL, . . .			54	72	217	589	316	330	64	1	1	1564	Total, 230	Total, 15
Discharged during the Week, . . .					23	47	21	16	4	-	-	111		
Died, . . .					1	-	-	1	-	-	-	2		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .					24	47	21	17	4	-	-	113		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			54	72	193	542	295	313	62	-	-	1531		

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No. VIII.	-	-	-	-	-	-	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	-	-	-	-	-	-	No. XVII.						
Car. forward	1011	2282	73	140	1084	2422	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 14th day of July 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, J. Maher Esq. 14th day of July 1849

Other Guardians: Colonel Mackay, J. J. Lane, J. P. Under, J. Doyle, W. Moran, P. White, P. Whelan, J. Sweetman, J. G. M. Kinch, C. Roche, M. Murphy, J. M. Whitty.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4804 to No. 4877, 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. 1646 to No. 1675, 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:

The Clerk reported, That the Auditor had this day delivered in 7 Books revised and that he would commence to have the State Books filled in from them immediately, the Auditor stated he would have the other 7 Books completed in two weeks.

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, - £87-18-11
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £548-7-1
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £754-15-5
 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:—

Amt of Warrants	Total Collected	Date of last attendance	Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.		Remaining.	
					£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1971	1598	16 th July 1849	Charles Murphy	Carrigrohane	6 14 7	126 4 11	17 3 9	157 16 4
				Malinbeg	4 8 10	87 2 3		
					25 7 2	213 3 7		
			Darby Nolan	Malinbeg	5 15 5	125 19 10		
				Malinbeg	8 11 5	319 5 0		
2760	2315	16 th July 1849			12 6 8	445 4 10		
			Thomas Ainslie	Malinbeg	9 10 1	112 11 -		
				Malinbeg	6 2 3	68 3 2		
1039	858	16 th July			15 12 4	180 14 2		
			Richard Johnson	Malinbeg	6 - -	102 10 8		
				Malinbeg	8 - -	65 19 7		
1367	1198	16 th July			14 - -	168 12 4		
3818	3285	17 th July	Samuel White	Malinbeg	10 14 6	533 2 2		
1931	1545	18 th July	Michael Byrne	Malinbeg	3 5 -	386 4 10		
974	757	14 th July	John Kelly	Malinbeg	- - -	216 7 12		
1501	1385	13 th July	Martin Doyle	Malinbeg	2 - -	115 6 6		
837	690	14 th July	Thomas Nolan	Malinbeg	1 13 3	148 12 1		
14201	13634			Total	87 15 11	2567 7 9		

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 Collectors with their respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £2-1-8 was produced and passed, &c. &c. &c.
 The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:
 1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
 2. The Provision Check Accounts.
 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.
 By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £118 - s. 6 d. 7 1/2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 115-14-8 1/2
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - 1-5
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 2-2 1/2
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 2-11 1/2
 The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

Bread	6800 lbs	Eggs	60 doz
Meat	180 lbs	Beans	20 tons
Oatmeal	2240 lbs	Butter	15 lbs
Buttermilk	5960 qt	Soap	224 lbs
Suetmilk	2500 qt	Starch	14 lbs
Salt	448 lbs	Blue	1 lb
Sugar	14 lbs		

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

- The several Clothing Accounts.
- 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 7th day of July; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	£	s.	d.
In kind,	-	-	-	20	10	4
				49	2	5
Total,				69	12	9

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. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	A. Henrick	4-0-0	Meat	15-5-0	Bt. forward				
No. II.	J. Brown	1-10-0	Do	13-11-0	No. X.				
No. III.	W. Long	8-0-0	Do	7-11-0	No. XI.				
No. IV.	W. Campbell	0-0-0	Do	5-8-0	No. XII.				
No. V.	W. Patrick	2-0-0	Do	8-8-0	No. XIII.				
No. VI.	J. Doyle	- - -	Do	2-8-0	No. XIV.				
No. VII.	G. Murphy	1-0-0	Do	4-16-0	No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forw'd.		£ 12-11-0	Do	57-12-0	TOTAL,				

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.

No. of Cheque		£	s.	d.
57	147 J. E. Freeman & Co. Warding Wood	1	18	7
	148 Richard Joyce baler. Linen	48	10	5

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

2. Establishment Account.

27	141 J. Henrich various cleaning officer	3	"	"
	143 Michael Harpur County Exp	1	12	3
	145 George & Dawson Carpentry	3	4	6
	146 Do Do Do	17	11	1
	151 P. Murphy Lined Meal	"	12	6
	153 Daniel Curgayne Hair Matting	2	8	1
	154 Denis Doyle Smith Work	"	18	"
	155 Thomas Murphy Repairing Pump	"	18	"

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

18	140 R. Pendergast Buttermilk	28	16	7
	142 Catherine Freeman Eggs	1	7	8
	149 Samuel Spurren Buttermilk	10	19	9
	151 P. Murphy Groceries	4	"	2
	152 Thomas Keating Groceries	15	4	10

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Ordered, that Robert Tennant painter be engaged to paint the Workhouse at 12/6 per week the Board finding materials,

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:

Orders were signed and countersigned for the following viz. —
1st. Lard 1st Quality, 1st 2nd Do. 37 bottles, black rock, 1 doz, penicil, 2 gal. More oil, 1 gal Turpentine, 1 gal sweet oil.

The visiting Committee reported, found the House in every respect orderly and clean, but a few in Hospital showing the healthy state of the House, found the boys school well ventilated and but a portion of the boys at school business and the others out at work, found 2 fires in the Diet Wards which ought to be discontinued even tho they were small the weather being so warm. The attention of the Medical officer was directed to an inmate who stated he had a pain in his back but whom they believed to be influenced more by a lazy fit.

Signed
J. Lett
P. Whelan

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

The Medical officer reported, that agreeably to the Direction in the Visitors Report he had prepared to admit pauper Tom Larkin into the Hospital for the alleged pain in his back and ordered a hot Iron to be prepared to fire it, upon learning which he refused to submit to the operation and was immediately dismissed from the Infirmary and ordered to be kept on diet class 3.

He recommended the Nursery children to be removed back to the old Nursery, the yard and Dormitory in the original Building being so much better and that the Nurses be kept out occasionally in the open air.

Ordered, to the old day room and that the old Nursery would

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

be used as a Comma-ment Ward, Itch is rather prevalent in the male inmates there is no male Itch Ward, since the establish-ment of the female Itch Ward it has diminished greatly amongst that class.

Ordered, That the Master arrange with the Doctor for six Itch beds.

Masters are still prevalent, He wished for an order for admission to the County Infirmary for Edward McDeville.

The Medical officer is requested to state the Disease of that

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:)

pauper — of Chronic ? or why his treatment in the House is inconvenient.

The Master reported that he would again have to attend the Wexford sessions on Monday in consequence of this being postponed during the absence and if the stock taking could be postponed until Tuesday he would then be present.

Ordered, that the taking of stock take place on Tuesday instead of Monday. He further reported that the Inspector of National Schools visited the Workhouse yesterday and inspected the male and female schools from eleven to five o'clock. He left some instructions for the Teachers and also for the time shut for teaching hours.

Commissioners Communications

A Letter was read from the P.L. Commissioners dated 6th July

1849 N^o 43674 in reference to the Resolution of the Board directing that Mr. Keating the Revising valuator be called on to send in the Books he may have revised. Informing the Guardians that unless he completes the Revision of the Union forthwith the Commissioners will feel it to be their duty to call on him to resign his office.

Ordered, that this letter be communicated to Mr. Keating.

A Letter from same dated 7th July 1849 N^o 22058 requesting to be informed whether all the money received as Poor Rate by Mr. Kelly the collector for Palyphogue Electoral Division has been lodged by him and also whether the Guardians have acted on their Resolution of the 14th April last by handing over the new collecting Books for that Division to Mr. Martin Doyle the Collector of the Monart Division.

Ordered — Mr. Kelly has lodged as far as can be ascer- tained within £50 of the money collected by him, which he has proud before the Grand Jury of the county to have been burned with his Houses on the 24th March and for which as a malicious injury a Presentment has been made by Grand Jury.

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	11
Ditto, disallowed	2
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	78

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	13
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	5
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	95

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered - 156

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).

The Minute of the 14th April was not acted on, and the Books on the motion of Mr. Whitty Guardian for Pally bogue were given to Kelly to continue the present collection which from his state of health has been hitherto so much behind.

A Circular Letter from same dated 10th July 1849, N^o 438 requiring the Liability returns at latest by the 16th Inst.

The Clerk stated they had been forwarded on the 11th Inst.

A Letter from same dated 13th July 1849, N^o 44111 — in reference to the proposal of the Board of Guardians to reduce the salaries of several of the Relieving Officers. Stating that altho the Commissioners doubt the expediency of the change — they will not object thereto on condition however that the Relieving officers shall continue to devote their entire time to the duties of their office.

Ordered. That the Board will not continue the services of any Relieving officer who does not devote the whole of his time to the business.

A Circular Letter from same dated 13th July 1849 N^o 44165, transmitting a form to be filled up showing the amount paid — to the 30th June last, and the amount remaining due from each

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

day of

1849.

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Electoral Division of the Union on account of the advances under the Temporary Relief Act, with other information in reference to same.

An Application was read from Anne Martin owner of the Arise and premises occupied by the constabulary in Ennisort claiming exemption from Poor Rates and to be refunded £8.19.3 paid on same since the year 1842 when she paid the first Rate.

Ordered. That the Board is of opinion Mr. A. Martin is liable being the owner and deriving a profitable Interest out of the constabulary Barracks.

Mr. Maher gave notice that on this day fortnight he will call the attention of the Board of Guardians to the manner in which the property of the Union has been cared for by the Master.

Mr. Kinch brought forward the motion of which he gave notice on the 23rd Inst for the salary of Mr. W. S. Longford to be continued at the original sum paid £40 per Annum, instead of £35 as proposed on that day, and the motion being seconded by Mr. Whelan, an amendment was proposed by Mr. Sweetman and seconded by Mr. J. Lott that the salary be fixed at £35, on which the Chairman took a poll — six voted for Mr. Kinch's Resolution and two for the amendment, the amendment was therefore declared to be lost and the Resolution carried.

Mr. Whitty gave notice that on Saturday the 28th Inst. he will move that the Salary of Mr. John Doyle Relieving officer be fixed at the original amount £40 per Annum as the Board did not carry out the proposed scale of reduction with all the other officers.

Mr. M. Murphy gave notice that he will on the same day and for the same reasons move that the Salary of Mr. Terence O'Brien be fixed at the original amount namely £40 per An. instead of £35 as proposed.

Mr. Sweetman gave notice that owing to the great depression in the value of Agricultural Produce and consequently

the very distressed state of the majority of the Ratepayers he will move on Saturday the 25th inst that the salaries of the following officers be reduced according to the annexed scale.

A Henrick from £40 p^a annum to £30

W Fitzpatrick from £40 Do to £35

W J Longford from £40 Do to £30

W Bourke from £40 Do to £30

G Murphy from 25 Do to £20

The Chairman enquired had the plans and specifications yet come down from Mr. Wilkinson for the proposed enlargement of the Workhouse — the Clerk stated they had not.

The Punishment Book was read Laurence Kinisla was charged with buying bread from another pauper Thomas Cullen, on investigation it was ordered that Laurence Kinisla be discharged from the Workhouse and Cullen's Mill stopped for alternate days during a week and that the Gates be all kept locked unless when water has to be brought in or other indispensable necessity requires their being opened and then by an officer only.

Ordered that the Agriculturist be made accountable for the scythe missing he having allowed it to be put down in Gullie G^o instead of the regular implement store.

Ordered, that tenders be advertised for doing all the repairs on tools, implements, locks &c and that no repairs be got done without an order from the Board.

Tenders for Bread were considered and that from Thomas G. Nichol to supply the Workhouse with best white Bread @ 5 p^a 4 lb loaf for the ensuing 3 Months was accepted.

The Guardians request they may be informed if the Emigration of Maurice Doyle and son to Canada has been sanctioned by the Commissioners.

The Chairman then signed the orders and cheques and the Board adjourned to Tuesday the 17th July 1849.

Wm White Chairman

Agreeably to adjournment a Meeting of the Board of Guardians took place on Tuesday the 17th July 1849.

Present. P White Esq^r in the Chair
Other Guardians. J Lett. P Whelan, B Roche, W Comerford, M Murphy, W Moran, J Doyle, J Whilly, A O'Leary and J Maher Esq^r.

A portion of the Guardians adjourned to the Matrons Room accompanied by Gerard Barry Esq^r R. M. to hold an investigation respecting the Robbery of Union Clothing as proved on the trial of John Hood who was convicted at last Assizes of having offered Union Clothing for sale knowing them to be stolen.

Relieving officers Henrick, O'Brien and Longford were in attendance and laid their weekly Diaries before the Board.

The Board proceeded to consider the applications for relief and afterwards to examine the requirements of the Relieving officers for the ensuing week and granted orders on Meal Contractor and cheques on Treasurer for the following viz.

	No of cheques			
34	156	A Henrick	Cash	3-10-0 ✓
27 ²		Do Indian Meal	27 ²	13-4-0 ✓
		J O'Brien	Cash	none ✓
		Do Indian Meal		none ✓
		W J Longford	Cash	none ✓
		Do Indian Meal		none ✓

The Board request the Commissioners will renew the order under the 2nd Section 10 Act, cap 31 which will

terminate on the 23rd Inst^o for a fortnight or three weeks,

Mr Graham gave notice that he will on Tuesday next move that John Doyle now charged on Kellan be charged to the Union at Large.

The Chairman then examined and certified the out door Register, signed the orders and cheques after which the Board adjourned to Wednesday the 18th July 1849.

Sub. White Chairman

Agreeably to adjournment a Meeting of the Board of Guardians took place on Wednesday the 18th July 1849.

Present. P. White Esq^r in the Chair
Other Guardians. J. Whelan, E. Roche, J. Leary, J. Whitty, P. Burke.

Relieving officers Bourke, Fitzpatrick, Doyle and Murphy were in attendance and laid their weekly Diaries before the Board.

The Board proceeded with the consideration of claims for relief and afterwards to examine the requirements of the Relieving officers for the ensuing week granting orders on meal contracts and cheques on Treasurer for the following viz

No of Cheque	Name	Amount	Notes
	W Bourke	Cash 0-0-0	✓
	Do Indian Meal	10 4-16-0	✓
38	160 W Fitzpatrick	Cash 1-0-0	✓
	Do Indian Meal	9-12-0	✓
39	161 John Doyle	Cash 1-0-0	✓
	Do Indian Meal	5-2-8	✓
40	162 G Murphy	Cash 1-0-0	✓
	Do Indian Meal	10 4-16-0	✓

27 1/2
20
10
7 1/2
3-12-2

9-12-0
28-16
4-4
34-16

Mr G Murphy Relieving officer applied to the Board for leave to go to Dublin to see a son of his who was very seriously ill, during Friday and Saturday, that he would give out the relief in his District on Thursday and that a son of his at home would enter applications for relief and visit during those two days. On consideration the Board granted the application.

On the Motion of Mr Roche seconded by Mr Leary, Anne Whitty was charged to the Division of Shellegny and taken off the Union at Large.

On the Motion of Mr Roche seconded by Mr Whelan Anne Campbell was charged to the Union at Large & taken off the Monart Division.

The Chairman then examined and certified the out door Register signed the orders and cheques after which the Board adjourned to Saturday the 21st July 1849.

Sub. White Chairman

Population in 1841, . . . 61,652

Present Net Annual Value, £ 106,942-15-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14 day of July 1849.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . .	750														
Temporary Buildings, . . .															
Additional Workhouse, . . .	850														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .															
Fever Sheds, . . .															
Total, . . .	1550														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			54	72	193	542	295	313	62			153		In Work-house Hospital, 128 In separate Wards, 14 In Fever Hospital with other inmates, 1	
Admitted during the Week, . . .					25	28	16	15	6			90			
TOTAL, . . .			54	72	218	570	311	328	68			162		Total, 217	Total, 15
Discharged during the Week, . . .					26	42	11	13	3			97			
Died, . . .					1	2	4	1				8			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .					27	42	13	17	4			105			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			54	72	191	528	298	309	64			156			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14 day of July 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.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	222	566	30	57	252	623	Bt. forward						
No. II.	190	454	7	11	197	465	No. X.						
No. III.	161	330	5	10	166	340	No. XI.						
No. IV.	213	358	10	15	223	373	No. XII.						
No. V.	140	315	15	41	155	355	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	52	125	6	8	58	133	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	67	146			67	146	No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	1045	2294	76	141	1121	2435	TOTAL,						

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 Other Guardians: *A. Keating, P. Murphy, P. Roche, P. Parker, J. Murphy, J. G. M. P. Whelan, J. Whitty, W. P. Farmer, J. Pender, J. J. Lane, E. Roche.*

In course of the proceedings, *J. White* entered and was called to the Chair
 The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 487 to No. 496, 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. 467 to No. 472, 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:

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, - £17-15-10
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £167-19-8
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £576-11-7

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 Peates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Am ^t of peates collected	Total collected and lots of last attendance	Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.		Remaining.		
				£	s. d.	£	s. d.	
1971	1598	15 th 13 July	Charles Murphy	Castle Blis Millsomuch Mullragh	-	-	126 4 11 169 16 4 57 2 3	352 3 7
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Meat	176 lbs	Tea	1/2 lb
Oatmeal	2240 lbs	Flour	14 lbs
Buttermilk	1300 gals	Whiskey	4 gts
Sourmilk	2400 gts	Starch	14 lbs
Candles	15 lbs	Blue	1 lb
Soap	224 lbs		

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2. The Medical Officers' Books.

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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 14th day of July; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	12	7	0
In kind,	-	-	-	56	2	6
Total,	-	-	-	68	9	6

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.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	A. Ansdala	3	10-0	Meal	13-4-0	Bt. forward					
No. II.	J. O'Brien	-	-	do	-	No. X.					
No. III.	W. Langford	-	-	do	-	No. XI.					
No. IV.	W. Bourke	-	-	do	4-16-0	No. XII.					
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No. VI.	J. Doyle	1	0-0	do	2-8-0	No. XIV.					
No. VII.	G. Murphy	1	0-0	do	4-16-0	No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forw'd.		6	10-0	do	34-16-0	TOTAL,					

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.

No. of cheque		£	s.	d.
57	164. P Dixon Bonnets and Shalwls	24	1	6
	172. Michael Anselma Shaw	2	3	4

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

2. Establishment Account.

27	163. P Whelan rent of Quay Store Collect	20	"	"
	168. Edward Parry County Exp	3	8	3
	170. N. Hawthles Salary	2	17	6
	171. D. Burgoyne furniture for outlast hospital	4	12	"
	176. Thomas Smith Masonry	4	4	1
	177. Gumst Carrion Advertising	4	4	"
	178. George C Owens Carpentry	97	"	"

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

18	166. Francis Davis Indian Meal	67	4	"
	167. Catharine Freeman Eggs	1	5	"
	Bunials			
31	174. Morgan Anselma Coffin	5	1	9
	175. Do Do Do	2	9	6

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

33	165. Francis Davis Indian Meal	142	16	"
	Collection Fee			
29	173. Darby Nelson Collector	14	19	10

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:

Orders were signed and countersigned for the following viz. 4 Ave Lincoln Meal. 2 Sugs for Hospital. 1 Star Ripper.

The visiting committee reported, In going through the House on Friday taking the Number of Children between 2 and 5 years in the Infant School the smell arising from the privies adjoining was intolerable and they to call the immediate attention of the Board to some effectual remedy, we also wish to direct their attention to some female inmates we afterwards found on counting over the adult females viz, Mary Giffen from Kildare. Catherine Cashel from Glenmist and afterwards in counting the men Thomas Bomers from Limerick and George Garvin from Roscommon who however they were admitted should be no longer continued a burden on this Union, also Sarah Tady a deserted wife without having sworn the necessary informations against her husband.

The Master was examined and stated that the offensive smell The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:

from the privies was caused by the children having thrown coal Ashes and old floor cloths into the sewer which choked it, he has since had it remedied as far as possible by opening and clearing the sewer, at the same time he stated that the ventilators on the privy roof were so formed as to direct the effluvia on the point where it is most generally found offensive.

The Medical Officer Reported, that in consequence of the Nurses being sent to the infirm Ward, formerly the old dayroom there are several of the female infirm for whom there is not suitable accommodation, and suggested this being sent out on out door Relief—that there was a female here named Mary Murphy whom he recommended

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

to be sent to the county Infirmary, also that the Discharge of Edward Netterville reported last week as a subject for same was bad of a Disease of the Heart.

Ordered, that Edward Netterville be sent out on out door Relief a 4 weeks for 2 months, and that the Chairman will grant a certificate for admissions to the screen Dispensary with the Doctors approbations and of admission into the county Infirmary of Mary Murphy.

The Master reported, that he had the privies cleaned and had given directions to the Assistant Schoolmistress to see that his Wardsmen should guard against a recurrence of the sewers

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:—

being choked again. In reference to the Chairman's minute of last Wednesday relative to putting out on out door Relief some of the females under section 1, he thought it unnecessary for the present as several of those occupying the female Infirmary Wards could be sent to sleep in the Dormitories and which I have pointed out to the Station.

A Letter from the P.L. Commissioners dated 18th July 1849 N^o. 45,471 relative to the resolution of the Guardians on the 7th Inst. to remove the wall adjoining the boys schoolroom drawing their attention to a letter on the subject dated 20th Ult^o in which the Commissioners, that any alteration proposed to be made in the Workhouse Buildings either for Temporary or permanent accommodation, should be reported to them and should not be commenced until expressly authorized by them.

Ordered, That the alteration made by the enlargement of the female School has been found satisfactory and was not to be discontinued.

the sanction of the Commissioners and it was not intended by the Board on the 7th Inst. to alter the boys schoolroom until the sanction of the Commissioners was previously obtained. No alteration has yet been made in it.

A Letter from same dated 20th July 1849 N^o. 47,577 stating that they had received a communication from their Inspector M. J. Purke recommending that the scaled order for out door Relief under the 2^d section of the Extension Act in this Union be renewed for one month — and that they had given directions for ^{the} preparation of an order to that effect.

A Letter from same dated 20th July 1849 N^o. 45,177 acknowledging the receipt of replies to their enquiries respecting the appointment of William Fitzpatrick as relieving officer in this Union, and that they do not approve of the appointment of a person to that office who is engaged in other pursuits as Mr. Fitzpatrick appears to be, it being stated in reply to one of the queries that he was a Farmer and as such he could not devote his entire time to the duties of his office.

Ordered, The attention of the Commissioners is drawn to the circumstance that nearly all the Relieving officers are Farmers, and that previous to the appointment of Mr. Fitzpatrick it was explained to him that he should devote the whole of his time to the duties of Relieving Officer which he agreed to do having already handed over to his brother the entire management of his land. The Board also beg to express their opinion

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	1
Ditto, disallowed	1
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	20
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	16
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	5
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	45

number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered - 134

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).

of the perfect fitness of Mr. Fitzpatrick for the office of Relieving officer in this Union.

A Letter from same dated 20th July 1849. N. 46.338 transmitting to be laid before the Guardians a copy of a communication which they had received from the Emigration Commissioners approving of the Emigration of Maurice Doyle and Gregory Doyle paupers in Emmisworth Union, and in addition to state that in a communication received from Lieutenant Henry the Government Emigration agent dated the 14th Inst. he states — "that while there can be no doubt of the season being now too far advanced for the Emigration to Canada of families and large parties of paupers — a few single men landing at Quebec in the Autumn with a little money would probably not experience great difficulty in pushing on to the States in the event of the failure of employment in the Colony."

Ordered, that the outfit of Maurice Doyle and Gregory Doyle be got ready and that they be sent out to Quebec by the vessel from Dept to sail on the 1st of next month,

A Letter from same dated 21st July 1849. N. 46. 189 in reference to the proposal made by the Guardians on the 14th Inst. that the salary of Mr. W. Longford Relieving officer should be increased to £ 40 per Annum stating that they cannot sanction this change of salary having so lately as the 13th Inst. given their sanction to a resolution fixing Mr. Longford's salary at £ 35 per Annum.

It is Ordered Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 184 .

(Signed) _____ Clerk of the Union.

A circular letter from same dated 20th July 1849. N. 472 requiring a return of the deaths of Workhouse officers in the Union from 23 April 1848 to the 14th July 1849.

A circular letter from same dated 18th July 1849. N. 478, enclosing a form of Estimate of expenses which will be incurred during the current half-year ending the 29th September 1849 and during the half-year ending 25th March 1850, giving minute directions as to its correct preparation.

A Letter from the Architect of the P. L. Commissioners dated 20th July 1849, stating that the drawings and specifications for the proposed additions to the Workhouse will be forwarded by Thursday next.

A Letter from the Education Office dated 18th July 1849 enclosing extracts from the District Inspector's report of the 13th Inst. on the Emmisworth P. L. N. National School viz: "The Female Teacher is well qualified as regards literary acquirements, the male is pretty well qualified in this respect, both teachers are deficient in Method, but apparently anxious to learn and follow that pursued in the National Schools. The arrangements hitherto have been so careless and so very injudicious that regular and satisfactory progress could not be obtained. I left with each teacher a short written sketch of the plan I considered most recommendable in the existing circumstances of the Establishment to promote the progress of the children. They promised to follow it and I hope to be able to report favourably at my next visit. The children are not at all advanced — Reading in the female department seems to be the branch least neglected."

Ordered, that the attention of the Schoolmaster and Schoolmistress be directed to this communication.

Moved by Mr. Tormar and passed — that as much inconvenience arises from Guardians introducing motions for raising salaries of individual Relieving officers after the question of their salaries has been discussed and disposed of — the Commissioners are requested to withhold their sanction from any such alteration — unless the salaries of all the officers at any time considered with the view of keeping up a just proportion between those salaries and their respective duties.

Ordered, that Mr. G. Owens be requested to make a plan of altering the pipes so as to prevent the current of noxious air from passing up the sewers, with an estimate of the cost & lay same before the Board on Saturday next.

The Agriculturist reported that the Flax being nearly ready for pulling he required a suitable pond for steeping to be got ready and that if the seed was to be saved he required a Shaffle and large sheets for placing under the seeds to dry and ripen on.

Ordered, that a Flax Shaffle be obtained and that the other requests of the Agriculturist be attended to immediately.

The Tenders for Oils and Colours to paint the House were considered and that from Patrick Ryan accepted viz.

Best ground White Lead 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ p. per cwt

Drying oil — 5 p. per gal

Linseed oil — 5 p. per gal

A Tender for 20 Tons of Freestone @ 57 p. per ton delivered at the Workhouse was accepted from Lawrence Doyle of Mayford.

William Dempsey and Edward Dempsey pauper inmates appeared to the Board to be sent out with Maurice Doyle and Son to Inchee to which proposal the Board agreed and directed the Clerk to prepare the requisite forms.

The Clerk was directed to advertise for Tenders for painting the outside wood of the Workhouse with two substantial coats of paint, also for 30 to 40 Tons of Indian Meal.

A Committee consisting of Messrs. Lane, White and Whitty were appointed to take an inventory of all furniture, utensils, implements &c. belonging to the Union and to meet at the Workhouse at 10 O'clock on Monday next.

The Porter at Templebarrow was directed to allow the Water to pass for use of Mr. Fitzsimmons during two hours each day.

The Medical officer of the Temporary Fever Hospital attended and reported on behalf of the Committee that the same had 24 Beds and 50 bed Sticks, repairs on the roof of the shed and that Patrick

Byrne might be paid the Milk account furnished by him up to the 14th June Amt. £8-16-9 when the supply from him ceased.

Ordered — that the articles of clothing be supplied out of the stock in this House, that P. Byrne be paid the milk acc^t for Mrs. Nyam, and that tenders be taken for repairing the Flour Sheds on Saturday next.

The Chairman then signed the orders and Cheques and the Board adjourned to Tuesday the 24th July 1849.

Pat White chm

Agreeably to adjournment a Meeting of the Board of Guardians took place on Tuesday the 24th July 1849.

Present. P. White Esq. in the Chair.
Other Guardians. M. Murphy, J. L. Doyle,
J. Maher Esq. and M. Lynch.

The compiling of the account of stock of clothing materials was done this day.

Relieving officers Henrick, O'Brien and Longford were in attendance and laid their weekly Diaries before the Board.

The Board proceeded to consider the claims of applicants for relief and afterwards to examine the requirements of the Relieving officers for the ensuing week and granted orders on

Meal Contractor and Cheques on Treasurer for the following viz.

	No. of Cheque			
34	179	A Henrick	Cash	3-0-0
		Do Indian Meal	^{cut} 2s	9-2-0
35	180	J Brian	Cash	3-0-0
		Do Indian Meal	^{cut} 2s	11-7-6
36	181	W J Longford	Cash	2-10-0
		Do Indian Meal	^{cut} 17s	7-19-3

Mr. James Doreen shipping agent attended and proposed to forward Maurice Doyle and Gregory Doyle from Waterford to Limerick for the sum of Four Pounds ten shillings to which the Board agreed.

The Chairman then compared and certified the cat door Register, examined the relief accounts, signed the orders and cheques and the Board adjourned to Wednesday the 25th July 1849.

Wm White chm

20
 25
 172
 15
 172
 16
 72
 1122
 5-12-2
 4-2-0
 45-16-0
 4-11-0
 1-3-9
 51-3-9

Agreeably to adjournment a Meeting of the Board of Guardians took place on Wednesday the 25th July 1849.

Present. P White Esq: in the Chair
Other Guardians L Swatman, E Roche, C. Parker.

Relieving officers Bourke, Fitzpatrick, Doyle and Murphy were in attendance and laid their weekly Diaries before the Board.

The Board proceeded with the consideration of claims for relief and afterwards to examine the requirements of the Relieving officers for the ensuing week and granted orders on Meal Contractor and Cheques on Treasurer for the following viz.

	No. of Cheque			
37	184	W Bourke	Cash	1-0-0
		Do Indian Meal	^{cut} 15	6-16-6
38	182	W Fitzpatrick	Cash	1-0-0
		Do Indian Meal	^{cut} 17s	7-19-3
39	183	J Doyle	Cash	1-0-0
		Do Indian Meal	^{cut} 11	4-11-0
		J Murphy	Cash	0-0-0
		Do Indian Meal	^{cut} 7s	3-8-3

Eighteen able-bodied men applied to the Board for relief on the following circumstances — that they had been for some time employed draining the lands of Mr. Lott of Ballybane under the Board of Works stating that they had been employed to sink drains four ft. deep at 4 p Irish perch that in most instances from the nature of the ground they were obliged to sink 7 ft. but were not allowed any wages for the extra sinking, that their wages was

from 3 to 3 p. day, that their payments have been so irregular they are now reduced to great destitution. That the total number in their families amount to 87. — on consideration the Board ordered — that the Guardians of that Division accompanied by the Relieving officer do visit the land on which they were employed this evening and if the statement be correct the Relieving Officer shall afford provisional Relief until the next Meeting of the Board, and that for the present we authorize the Relieving officer to divide among them Five shillings worth of Bread.

The Chairman then signed the orders and cheques and the Board adjourned to Saturday 28th July 1849.

P. White Secy.

Population in 1841, . . . 61,652

Present Net Annual Value, £. 126,742. 15. 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of July 1849.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	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, . . .	750														
Temporary Buildings, . . .															
Additional Workhouse, . . .	830														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .															
Fever Sheds, . . .															
Total, . . .	1580														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			54	72	191	528	278	307	64			1576			
Admitted during the Week, . . .					13	14	12	9	1			49			
TOTAL, . . .			54	72	204	542	310	318	65			1625			
Discharged during the Week, . . .					47	62	32	30	19			190			
Died, . . .					1				2			3			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .					50	62	32	30	21			193			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			54	72	154	480	278	288	44			1378			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21 day of July 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.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	320	560	30	57	350	617	Bt. forward						
No. II.	186	450	7	11	193	461	No. X.						
No. III.	162	331	5	10	167	341	No. XI.						
No. IV.	223	357	10	15	233	372	No. XII.						
No. V.	146	284	18	21	164	305	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	58	160	4	4	62	164	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	67	141			67	141	No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	1082	2283	74	118	1156	2401	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Monday* the 28th day of July 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair *J. Maher Esq.*
 Other Guardians: *P. White, J. Swatman, J. White, E. Roche, J. Graham, B. Murphy, J. G. Lam, W. R. Farrar, W. J. Wallace, Captain Patton, A. Murphy, J. Doyle, J. Long, J. Doyle.*

J. Burke Esq. P. L. Inspector was in attendance.
 The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4969 to No. 46, 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. 6712 to No. 6731, 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:

The Clerk reported that he had made up and forwarded the Estimate for the year ending 25th March 1850. had written to the Collectors to appear before the Board for examination of their accounts on this day. that the accounts of the Stock of Clothing were now made up and laid before the Board.

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, - £ 81-14-0
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 37-2-2
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 286-3-8
 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.	Original Amount of Warrants.			Total Collected.			Proportion to be Collected.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
Charles Murphy	577	12	12	758	15	5 1/2	Castle Ellis Shilcock Malnagh	7	18	11	118	4	10 1/2				
	627	12	5 1/2	457	16	0 1/2		-	-	-	169	16	4 1/2				
	466	14	10	379	12	7		-	-	-	87	2	3				
	1971	7	4 1/2	1576	3	10 1/2		7	18	11	575	2	6				
Darcy Nolan	1060	16	11 1/2	934	17	1 1/2	Kilrush Loughsharrow	-	-	-	125	19	10				
	1699	17	6 1/2	1586	12	5 1/2		5	-	-	313	5	0 1/2				
	2761	14	5 1/2	2321	9	6 1/2		5	-	-	659	4	10 1/2				
Thomas Henella	508	-	8	398	2	2	Pallymuckard Edermine	1	12	7	109	18	6				
	531	16	8 1/2	466	9	3 1/2		1	9	2	65	7	4 1/2				
	1039	17	4 1/2	864	11	5 1/2		3	1	9	175	5	10 1/2				
Richard Johnson	739	8	9	636	16	0 1/2	Killean Killoyne	-	-	-	102	12	8 1/2				
	628	8	7 1/2	562	9	-		-	-	-	65	17	7 1/2				
	1367	17	4 1/2	1199	5	0 1/2		-	-	-	168	12	4				
Samuel White	3818	4	6 1/2	3335	8	10 1/2	Emmerty Ferns	38	2	3	482	15	8				
	1931	1	1 1/2	1464	13	8		15	-	-	366	7	1 1/2				
Michael Byrne	174	5	6	757	16	4 1/2	Pallynogue Monart	-	-	-	216	7	1 1/2				
John Kelly	1501	-	5 1/2	1392	19	3 1/2		7	5	5	108	1	2				
Martin Doyle	537	8	6	491	8	5	S. J. Barry Other Receipts	2	-	-	146	-	1				
Thomas Nolan	-	-	-	-	-	-		3	5	8	-	-	-				
				14201	14	8	1275	16	7 1/2	Total, -			81	14	547	18	0 1/2

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 Collectors with their respective amounts lodged.

Wetting 1-11-7
 Wash 2-4-0
 Under 5-6
 4-1-1
 15

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 4-1-1 was produced and passed a vote granted. The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:
 1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
 2. The Provision Check Accounts.
 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.
 By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 86 - s. 10 d. 3 1/4

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 111-16-12
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - 1-4-2
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 2-2
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 3-1 1/2
 The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

Beef	5600 lbs	Indian Meal	2240 lbs
Meat	170 lbs	Eggs	50 doz
Oatmeal	2240 lbs	Curdles	15 lbs
Supper milk	1190 gal	Soap	224 lbs
Sweet milk	2400 gal	Harsh	14 lbs
Salt	448 lbs	Blue	1 lb
Hour	14 lbs		

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

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				Total,	67	7	8

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No. VI.	J. Joyce	1-0-0	Do	4-11-0	No. XIV.				
No. VII.	C. Murphy	-	Do	3-8-3	No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forw'd.	J.	11-10-0	Do	51-3-9	TOTAL,				

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.

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

2. Establishment Account.

No. of Cheque

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189.	Robert Tennant Mages	1	5	"
190.	M Cooman Lime	1	5	5

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

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185.	R Prendergast Cutlasmilk Smaltwick	22	10	7
186.	William Martin Meat	14	1	3
187.	K Freeman Eggs	1	11	"

Emigration

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194.	Bernard J Shadley outfit for emigration	8	13	9
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Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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Temporary Fever Hospital

191.	Arthur Lured Medical Attendance	8	2	10
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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:

Orders were signed and countersigned for the following viz—
200 barpointers nails. 1 quire brown paper. 1/2 Gal. spirits Turpentine. 4 doz wall hooks. 2 lbs Amalgam medicine. 1/2 Gal. wall oil. 2 Saucers. 2 lbs logwood. 1 lb Glycer. 1 Gumbolt. 1/2 Gal. train oil. 1/2 stone Sulphur.

The visiting committee reported. Found the paupers all at work in and out. the Dormitories and stair apartments clean and well ventilated. Most of the able-bodied men gone out and the grounds principally tilled by boys. must remark that the general intercourse between the yards and the grounds from the size of the gates exposes the property of the Establishment to many frauds as well as the transit of clothes, Provisions &c. I would strongly recommend a committee to be appointed to establish a proper system of communication between the Main Building and the Auxiliary Houses to prevent the pilfering of property in transit on which I apprehend there is at present very little check.

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

P. White

The Medical Officer reported — That there was a child named Margaret Murphy aged 14 — suffering under Ophthalmia and Scrophula. her Grandmother would take her out without asking any relief if permitted by the Guardians. there are two more of the family in the House which in this case should remain. Measles and Scarletina are still prevalent in the House.

In Hospital this day 122

Discharged cured 44

Died 1

No Order made,

The Matron reported that on Monday last the Matron reported

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

to him she found one of the beds in no 3 female Dormitory on fire, on enquiry we found that pauper Jane Allen had been heard threatening she would burn the House in order she might be transported, and having reported the circumstance to the Sundry Magistrate she has been committed for trial at next Assizes. He found 12th in Silver and Copper on the person of James Carroll a pauper who was going into town this day, will keep the money until the Board direct what is to be done with it, he is an infirm man and has been in the House for some years.

Ordered to be discharged and that the Master retains the money until further orders. (A Show is here to be - "Master retains the Money")

M. H. G.

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:)

A Letter from the P.L. Commissioners dated 21st July 1849, No 46889 in reference to an application made by Anne Martin concerning exemption from payment of Rates and to be repaided £ 8 19 3 paid by her on the Contabulary Barracks, that those premises are not rateable as decided by the Quare Bench but that it is probable the law in this respect will soon be altered.

One dated 20th July 1849 no 46619 transmitting copies of letters received by them from the respective Rate Collectors in explanation of the non attendance to have their accounts examined, and requesting the observations of the Board of Guardians.

Ordered, that Richard Johnson is generally a good Collector, the Clerk received a letter stating his illness and the Board considered the Balance of the Rate to be collected safe in his hands.

The Board believe John Kelly's statement to be true but if his collection does not progress faster they will deem it necessary to suspend him. The Board do not consider that Charles Murphy has been sufficiently active in his collection.

One dated 27th July 1849 no 492119, requesting to be furnished with a further statement of disallowances made on each Audit of the Union accounts with the amount disallowed and the repayments from the period at which relief was commenced under 1st 2nd Vic. Cap 56 to the passing of the Relief extension Act. — Ordered —

One from the Architect of the P.L. Commissioners dated 26th July 1849 accompanied by plans and Specifications for the erection of increased building accommodation at the Workhouse.

Ordered, that the plans and advertisements be considered this day week.

Resolved, That the Relieving Officers be informed that out door relief to all classes under the 2nd Section do cease on the 15th August and that such persons can only be then relieved in the Workhouse and that with respect to the classes on out door relief under section 1 a Revision of their claims do take place on Sunday the 14th and Wednesday the 15th August.

Resolved, That the Guardians are willing to pay the cost of outfit and conveyance to the place of embarkation of such orphan Girls as may be selected for Emigration to Australia.

Ordered — That the Clerk make application to Mr. St. Loyd Governor of Cork Jail requesting on behalf of the Emisworthy

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 5
Ditto, disallowed - - - - - 3
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 23

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - 13
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - 6
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - 23

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered - 90

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).

Board of Guardians he will have the kindness to send samples of the woodcock shells used in the Jail, with any information respecting their prices he can give, for which the Board will feel obliged and pay the expenses.

Ordered, that with the view of promoting habits of cleanliness among the poor Two Hundred placards such as shown to the Board by Mr. Burke is recently distributed by the vice Guardians of Sand Road - be got printed and given to the Relieving Officers for circulation. =

Mr. Walker claimed a Revision of townlands where the House and Land appear valued together in one sum - that the houses were now unoccupied, ~~and~~ ^{that} in one instance a house standing on 10 acres was of equal value with the lands attached. The Revisor was called before the Board and the circumstance being stated to him he required information whether he could legally divide the value and deduct that of the House from the entire.

The Board directed him to write to the Commissioners for their opinion before he made any alteration.

The Chairman asked for the Clothing accounts as made up from the recent taking of the stock and stated he had passed a motion of motion on the Books for consideration this day respecting the sale plundering of Union clothing from the House.

Mr. Burke informed the Board that he would attend in the Boardroom on Monday next to examine minutely all parties who would be brought before him on oath with reference to the whole question of the

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day of _____ 184 .

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

loss of clothing and requested the Chairman and any other Guardians who would for it convenient to attend would meet him.

Mr. Polger sweet Milk contractor complained that no sweetmilk was taken from him altho he had entered into a bond to supply to Galts, for say - on consideration the Board ordered that the Milk be taken from the Contractors in the order in which it was accepted as to time and price, such having been the understanding with the milk contractors at the time of their contracts being entered into, and that the Master take the quantities first in order from the lowest contractors. =

Mr. Shurman stated that a great number of able-bodied men who had been engaged on the drainage works in the Electoral Division of Killybegny were below and proposed that some of them be called up and their statements heard - Four of the leading Gangsmen were separately examined at great length respecting their work - the wages that could be earned daily - and the mode and time of payment, but they appeared to vary in their statements - particularly with respect to the time of receiving their ^{est} wages, one stating it to be 3 weeks and the other that it was only ^{flat} Thursday week (Eisam days) since they received wages - on consideration the Board ordered - that the Relieving Officer of the Killybegny District shall give any of these people who may apply to him for relief - tickets of admission to the Workhouse.

Tenders to supply Indian Meal at the respective out stations were opened and considered, and that from Francis Davis accepted @ £8-8 per ton for 30 tons.

The Agriculturist made application to the Board calling attention to the necessity for procuring a suitable place in which the Flax crop now ready to be pulled can be steeped and afterwards lodged.

Mr. Edmond Roche gave notice that he will on Wednesday the 8th August move that the expenses of Margaret Whitty and family, now ^{residing} in the Union at Large be charged to the Division of Killybegny, from the 12th March to the 15th July Inst.

The attention of the Board being directed by Mr. N. Murphy Guardian to the sum still remaining outstanding due by the sureties of John Roche late State collector, the clerk was directed to write to Mr. Donovan Solicitor stating that unless he took immediate proceedings for recovery he should be removed as Law Agent to the Board;

The Chairman then signed the orders and cheques and the Board adjourned to Tuesday the 31st July 1849.

John Maher P.C.

Agreeably to adjournment a Meeting of the Board of Guardians took place on Tuesday the 31st July 1849.

Present. P. White Esq. in the Chair
Other Guardians Lawrence Doyle and Patrick Whelan.

Relieving officers Henrick, O'Brien and Langford were in attendance and laid their weekly Diaries before the Board.

The Board proceeded with the consideration of claims for relief and afterwards to examine the requirements of the Relieving officers for the ensuing week and granted orders on Meal Contractor and Cheques on Treasurers for the following viz.

34	A Henrick	Cash	3.0.0
	Do Indian Meal	32 ^{cut}	13.13.0
35	J O'Brien	Cash	2.11.0
	Do Indian Meal	27 ^{cut}	11.11.0

W J Langford Cash 2.10.0
Do Indian Meal 7^{cut} 7.7.0

The Clerk was directed to advertise for tenders to erect a either one or two wings in addition to the front building of the Workhouse according to plans or specifications to be seen in the Clerk's office, same to be considered by the Board at their Meeting of Saturday the 18th August next.

Moved by Mr. Doyle

Seconded by Mr. Whelan and

Resolved. That an application be made to the J. Commissioners to sanction an advance from the Treasurer of £2000 to be drawn by the Board as it may be required from week to week during the Harvest and pending the preparation of the Rate Books and striking a new Rate, the Balance of Interest being over £45 in favour of the Board, the Treasurer will require no guarantee on that head as was the case last year.

The Clerk laid before the Board the accounts of stock taken and stated that Mr. Purke Inspector had attended in the Boardroom yesterday accompanied by the V. Chairman and D. W. Chairman and investigated the clothing accounts as taken by the Committee appointed for that purpose, and he had some verified on oath by the assistant employed on the occasion Joseph O'Leary, the value of Deficiencies appeared to be about £34.

The Chairman then examined the relief Books, compared and certified the out door Register, signed the orders and cheques after which the Board adjourned to Wednesday the 1st August 1849.

John Maher P.C.

Agreeably to adjournment a Meeting of the Board of Guardians took place on Wednesday the 1st August 1849.

Present. P. White Esq. in the Chair
Other Guardians, P. Whelan, J. Whitty,
J. Monahan, R. Murphy, P. Quirk &
Leary, J. Hannell, J. Lott, J. Pender,
J. Doyle, E. Roche and A. Keating.

Relieving Officers Bourke, Fitzpatrick, Doyle and Murphy were in attendance and laid their weekly Diaries before the Board.

The Board proceeded with the consideration of claims for relief and afterwards to examine the requirements of the Relieving Officers for the ensuing week and granted orders on meal contractors and cheques on Treasurer for the following viz.

- 37 William Bourke Cash 1-10-0
- Do Indian Meal ^{cut} 6-6-0
- 38 William Fitzpatrick Cash 2-10-0
- Do Indian Meal ^{cut} 9-9-0
- 39 John Doyle Cash 1-0-0
- Do Indian Meal ^{cut} 3-3-0
- 40 Garrett Murphy Cash 1-0-0
- Do Indian Meal ^{cut} 4-4-0
- Emigration account
- 30 James Dineen Ship Agent 4-10-0
- Peter Dixon for Clothing 3-16-3

Moved by Mr. Pender seconded by Mr. Doyle and Resolved, That James Dineen Shipping Agent be paid £4-10-0 for passage of Maurice and Gregory Doyle to America

and that Peter Dixon's account for clothing on account of same emigrants £3-16-3 be paid as the vessel sails on the 4th Inst.

Ordered, That the Matron be directed to give the Agriculturist as many sheets as may be necessary to ripple the flax on,

Ordered, That the Agriculturist apply to Bro. Weston for a man or two who understand the treatment of flax who will superintend the work for a few days to instruct the paupers.

The Chairman then examined the Relief Books, compared and certified the sat door Register, signed the orders and cheques after which the Board adjourned to Saturday the 4th August 1849.

John Maher V. Chair^m

Population in 1841, . . . 61,652 Present Net Annual Value, . . . £156,942.15.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of July 1849.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	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, . . .	758														
Temporary Buildings, . . .															
Additional Workhouse, . . .	181														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .															
Fever Sheds, . . .															
Total, . . .	1588														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			54	72	144	480	275	281	44			137			
Admitted during the Week, . . .			1	26	18	7	5	1				61			
TOTAL, . . .			55	98	162	487	282	286	44			198			
Discharged during the Week, . . .			2	4	54	94	34	20	8						
Died, . . .					1										
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			2	4	55	94	34	20	8						
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			53	69	126	403	251	276	37						

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21 day of July 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.	215	549	29	55	244	604							
No. II.	190	454	7	11	197	465	Bt forward						
No. III.	156	321	5	10	161	331	No. X.						
No. IV.	210	357	10	15	220	372	No. XI.						
No. V.	182	303	18	21	200	324	No. XII.						
No. VI.	67	180	23	96	90	276	No. XIII.						
No. VII.	65	142			65	142	No. XIV.						
No. VIII.							No. XV.						
No. IX.							No. XVI.						
Car. forward	1077	2306	92	208	1169	2514	No. XVII.						
							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Tuesday* the *11th* day of *August* 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, *J. Baker Esq.*
 Other Guardians: *W. R. Farmer, J. A. Whitty, P. White, J. Sweetman, J. Doyle, J. Wilson, J. Whilly, E. Roche, W. Comerford, J. Mullarv.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 46 to No. 79, 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. 6731 to No. 6756, 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:

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, - £109-12-7

Paid during the week, - £84-4-2

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £307-12-0

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 Peates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Original Amount of Warrants.			Amount Collected.			Proportion to be Collected.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Charles Murphy	877	12	12	760	19	11 1/2	1/6 th	Castle Eglis	3	6	8	116	2	3	
	627	12	5 1/2	472	15	6 1/2		Kilermuck	5	1	6	15	5	16	10 1/2
	466	14	10	386	7	11 1/2		Mulragh	6	15	5	80	6	10	3
	1977	7	4 1/2	1620	3	5 1/2			14	3	7	357	3	11 1/2	
Darby Nolan	1060	16	11 1/2	937	18	5 1/2	1/6 th	Kilrush	3	1	4	12	2	15	6
	1699	17	6 1/2	1386	12	5 1/2		Suppleharke	1	-	-	313	5	0 1/2	
	2760	14	5 1/2	2324	10	10 1/2			4	1	4	436	3	6 1/2	
Thomas Kincaid	508	-	8	401	17	-	1/6 th	Ballyshard	3	1	11	116	3	8	
	531	16	5 1/2	466	9	3 1/2		Bidormin	-	-	-	65	7	1 1/2	
	1639	17	4 1/2	868	6	3 1/2			3	1	10	171	11	0 1/2	
Richard Johnson	787	8	9	-	-	-	1/6 th	Killow	2	9	10	73	2	1 1/2	
	628	8	7 1/2	-	-	-		Ballynagney	4	10	-	61	8	0 1/2	
	1367	17	4 1/2	1233	6	8			34	-	-	134	10	8 1/2	
Samuel White	3818	4	6 1/2	3360	9	10 1/2	1/6 th	Emisworth	25	1	-	457	14	8	
Michael Byrne	1931	1	0 1/2	1580	17	11	1/6 th	Burns	15	-	-	35	2	1 1/2	
John Kelly	974	3	6	769	16	4 1/2	1/4 th	Ballyhogue	12	-	-	204	7	1 1/2	
Martin Doyle	1501	-	5 1/2	1390	19	3 1/2	1/3 th	Monart	-	-	-	108	1	2	
Thomas Nolan	837	8	6	692	8	5	1/6 th	K. Barry	1	15	-	145	-	1	
	1620	14	8	1342	19	2 1/2		Total	-	109	12	9	2358	15	5 1/2

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 £2-11-11 was produced and perused. It was granted that the following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 103 s. 17 d. 10

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	94	11	3
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	1	1	1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	2	2	
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	3	10	1/2

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

Meat	550 lbs	Potatoes	14 lbs
Meat	170 lbs	Eggs	50 doz
Oatmeal	2240 lbs	Lard	10 lbs
Buttermilk	910 gals	Soup	224 lbs
Sweetmilk	2000 gals	Harsh	7 lbs
Salt	336 lbs	Flour	1 lb
Tea	1/2 lb		

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 25 day of May; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	-
In kind,	-	-	-
Total,	69	16	6

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.	A. Hennek	3-0-0	Meat	15-13-0	Bt. forward				
No. II.	J. Bruin	2-10-0	Do	11-11-0	No. X.				
No. III.	W. Langton	2-10-0	Do	7-7-0	No. XI.				
No. IV.	W. Langton	1-10-0	Do	6-6-0	No. XII.				
No. V.	W. Langton	2-10-0	Do	9-9-0	No. XIII.				
No. VI.	J. Doyle	1-0-0	Do	5-3-0	No. XIV.				
No. VII.	G. Murphy	1-0-0	Do	4-4-0	No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Bt. forward.					TOTAL,				

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:

N. of Charge

1. Clothing Account.

57

222. John Murphy Outer Shaw — £ 16

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

2. Establishment Account.

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213. John Keating Hay, oats for Denby 1 " "

214. John Keating Hay 1 1 "

216. Stephen Crain Shirts taking stock 3 " "

218. John Dume Anna Talbot " 19 3

219. Thomas McDevitt do Shoemaker " 15 4

224. M. Brophy Shilly Stationary &c " 6 18 7

Election Law &c

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217. Purby Swan Law Costs — 1 7 6

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

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204. James Ryan Buttermilk 29 3 11

205. John Keating Coal milk 22 12 7

206. Joseph Purlew Do 2 5 6

207. Jacob Ward Do 8 11 6

208. Daniel Bolger Do 4 3 "

209. Michael Sheehan Do 6 14 2

210. Henry Roche Do 2 5 7

211. Patrick Murphy Groceries 2 2 4

212. Catherine Freeman Eggs 1 5 "

220. M. Brophy Shilly Stationary &c 8 7 7

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

The Tunder of Robert Tennant to paint the Workhouse at 10p per week commencing from the 28th Inst at that Rate and reduced from 12/6 per week was accepted,

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:

Orders were signed and countersigned for the following viz: 1 Stone lined Meal, 6 French Beans, 1 1/2 plunk, 3. 1 inch Boards, 1 Ga. measure for Smpleshannon, 1 Cask Chloride of Lime, 6 lbs black Lead.

The visiting Committee reported, that having visited the House on Friday found the paupers all at work inside and on the grounds, the apartments clean and well ventilated — most of the able bodied and families in course of going out Signed

J White

The Medical Officer reported, that sickness was now on the decrease the number in Hospital now being 113. Discharged cured 43. Died 4.

The Master reported that a sheet with the July Board on it was found in the person of a pauper admitted on the 31st July and was converted into a petticoat, she is returned to the Quarter Sessions for trial, myself

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

and assistant Master counted the Stock of Clothing in the Auxiliary Houses since stock was taken by the Committee and we found a Suit of bed clothes had been taken out of the Quay Store and a pair of Slacks out of the Irish St. Store, yet none of the officers in charge could give me the least account of how they were stolen. I have now ordered all the men to be sent to sleep at the Quay and have locked up the Irish St. Store for the present, suggest that a couple of small cocks of Hay be purchased for the Denby as it would come cheaper than buying it in small parcels as at present.

Ordered, That 10 cwt of Hay be purchased at 7 p/cwt.

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

Commissioners Letters

A Letter dated 3rd August 1849 No 48719 expressing their approval of the proposed alteration to enlarge the boys schoolroom, also enclosing a form of consent to be filled up by the Guardians for the emigration of William and Edwin Dempsey to Quebec.

A Letter dated 3rd August 1849 No 48719 expressing their sanction of the appointment of William Fitzpatrick as relieving officer in the Union on the conditions that the Guardians were fully satisfied

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:!

as to his fitness for the office.

The Board wished to convey to the Commissioners their opinion that he was a proper person for that office.

A Letter dated 3rd August 1849 no 50756 in reference to the Solicitor of the Board being called on to explain why he has delayed so long in enforcing payment of the arrears due by the sureties of P. Nech, late Rate Collector, and requesting to be furnished with a copy of his explanation.

For explanation see page 8

A Letter from the Public Works San office London dated 1st August 1849, requesting that £1750 being the amount of the 3rd, 4th, 5th & 7th Installments in repayment of the Loan of £7000 be paid into the Bank of Ireland to their credit.

A Circular Letter from the P. Commissioners dated

31st July 1849 No 503 with reference to the making of Abstrates at the present. Harvest for repayment of Government Advances, ordinary expenditure & Rate in Aid limiting the sum to 7/ in the Pound where that sum was required and enclosing forms to be filled up by the Guardians and a copy sent to the Commissioners.

A correction was made in the Minutes of last day the Master being ordered to return instead of (retain the Money) to the payee on whom he found it, and the Master stated he had returned the money.

With reference to the Minute of the last Board day about the application of P. Nech's the sweet Milk contract. The Master stated that he had understood Mr. Purkis recommendation & the principle adopted by the Board to be a proportionate diminution from all the contractors at the same price on which he had since acted.

Ordered That he continue to act on the same plan.

Ordered. That the rate collectors lodge their collecting Books with the clerk before 11 o'clock on Saturday morning the 11th Inst. with at least made out by each, of such ratepayers as are in debt 2/ or upwards.

Ordered That the Wardmaster Notice be discontinued & that

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 3

Do, disallowed - - - - - 0

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 20

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - 15

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - 6

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - 58

number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered - 43

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

Mr. Macklin the Agriculturist be directed to accompany the men to the Quay Stone - and if the Doctor can spare the Garden House it shall be given up to Sawhires, and the assistant Master Maguire be allowed leave of absence for another period of three weeks in consequence of his ill health.

Mr. Donovan attended the Board & acted in the case of Roche the departing collector that altho he might have proceeded by Statute or by civil bill either course would have been attended with considerable expence which might ultimately fall on the Board, and would not be productive of any good results until the October Session or November Term, and that not having received any such instructions he adopted a course which he considers will be ultimately as expeditious.

Mr. Donovan drew the attention of the Board to the neglect of duty of one of the rate collectors who had not used any means to recover Rates of 1847 & 48 altho he alleges there was simple Distress at all times up to May 1848, and that the man is still resident in the Union and solvent.

The Board ordered the attendance of Kinella the collector alluded to on this day week.

Mr. Mouton gave notice that on this day fortnight he will move for payment of six months salary £2.10.0 due to a clerk of the St. Mary's Fever Hospital appointed by the Committee in October last, which was disallowed by the Finance Committee.

Ordered. That the Clerk do write a letter to St. Newton.

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(Signed) _____ Clerk of the Union.

of Mount Linter to thank him for the load of Charred Peat which he sent to the Workhouse and to state that its influence in disinfecting the Cess Pools has been found admirable and the Guardians consider its application for that purpose alone should render it an object of universal use, & to request to know what its price will be per ton delivered in Ennisceathy.

Moved by Mr. Whelan seconded by Mr. Roche that P. Healy and his wife be discharged from the Workhouse - That they do so in consequence of his provocation when on his oath on the late Investigation attending the Robbery of the Union Clothing.

The Clerk was directed to write to Lieutenant Henry to ascertain whether the Government had made any arrangements whereby the friends or relatives of parties who have been transported might be sent out to them. Also to request he will inform the Board if any provision can be made by Government for the Emigration of 17 or 18 Boys from 15 to Eighteen years of age who have all had trades, or if the Board pay the expence of outfit and passage will the Government Agent take charge of them at any Colonial Port.

Anne Martin again made application by letter to the Board to refund her the Rates paid on the Constabulary Barracks amt. £ 8.19.3.

Ordered. That having applied on the subject to the P. S. Commissioners and also consulted the Inspector Mr. Purke the Guardians feel that altho the Rate was not legal on the Police Barracks - that as no appeal was made, that they have not the Power to refund the amount.

The Chairman then signed the Cheques and orders and the Board adjourned to Tuesday the 7th August 1849.

John M. ...

Agreeably to adjournment a Meeting of the Board of Guardians took place on Tuesday the 7th August 1849.

Present. P White Esq: in the Chair
Other Guardians J Doyle and P Whelan

Relieving Officers Henrick, O'Brien and Langford were in attendance and laid their weekly Diaries before the Board,

The Board proceeded to consider the Claims of Applicants for relief and afterwards to examine the requirements of the Relieving Officers for the ensuing week and granted orders on meal Contractor and Cheques on Treasurer for the following viz,

No of cheque	225	34	A Henrick	Cash	1-10-0
			Do Indian Meal	^{cut}	9-9-0
"	226	35	J O'Brien	Cash	1-10-0
			Do Indian Meal	^{cut}	10-10-0
"	227	36	W J Langford	Cash	2-0-0
			Do Indian Meal	^{cut}	6-6-0

The Chairman then examined the Relief Books, compared and certified the out door Register, signed the orders and cheques after which the Board adjourned to Wednesday the 8th August 1849.

J. H. M. C.

Agreeably to adjournment a Meeting of the Board of Guardians took place on Wednesday the 8th August 1849.

Present J Maher Esq: in the Chair
Other Guardians J Whitty, J Sweetman,
P Parker & E Roche.

Relieving officers Bourke, Fitzpatrick, Doyle and Murphy were in attendance and laid their weekly Diaries before the Board.

The Board proceeded with the consideration of claims for relief and afterwards to examine the requirements of the Relieving Officers for the ensuing week and granted orders on Meal Contractor and Cheques on Treasurer for the following viz,

			W Bourke	Cash	0-0-0
			Do Indian Meal	^{cut}	15-6-6-0
38	229		W Fitzpatrick	Cash	2-0-0
			Do Indian Meal	^{cut}	8-8-0
			J Doyle	Cash	0-0-0
			Do Indian Meal	^{cut}	5-2-2-0
40	230		J Murphy	Cash	1-0-0
			Do Indian Meal	^{cut}	10-4-4-0

Ordered, That the clerk advertise the Wheat crop for sale in stock also a plot of cabbages to be sold on Friday, =:

The clerk laid before the Board the form of Agricultural return required by circular,

The Chairman proceeded to enquire of the Relieving Officers present the amount of their information on the subject

which was found to be very defective as the question of proportion between the present year and the breadth of sowing of the 2 preceding years they considered so difficult, as to require a careful investigation which the Relieving officers do not consider belonging to their duties. The information might be best furnished by the Police in their business hours. At the same time the Clerk was directed to obtain such answers as he can to the Queries in the Circular.

Ordered on the motion of Mr. Roche that the expenses of Anne Whitty who had been reregistered on Killebeg from the Union at Large on the 15th July should be charged to that Division from the commencement of the present half year.

The Chairman then examined the Relief Books, compared and certified the out door Register signed the orders and obsequies after which the Board adjourned to Saturday the 11th August 1849.

John Roche

Population in 1841, 61,652 Present Net Annual Value, £126,942.15

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of August 1849.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in work building.	Total No. in each building 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.	Boys.	Girls.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,	750																	
Temporary Buildings,	80																	
Additional Workhouse,	800																	
Permanent Fever Hospital,																		
Fever Sheds,																		
Total,	1680																	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			126	403	52	69	249	278	37							1214	In Workhouse Hospital, 100	In separate Wards, 114
Admitted during the Week,			13	7		1	3	3	1							33	In Fever Hospital, 23	In Wards with other inmates, 1
TOTAL,			139	410	52	70	252	281	38							1247	Total, 179	Total, 115
Discharged during the Week,			55	63	2	1	47	20	5							196		
Died,				1				1	2							4		
Total Discharged and Dead,			55	64	2	1	47	21	10							200		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			54	346	50	69	210	260	28							1047		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 4th day of August 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.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	208	530	29	55	237	585	Bt. forward						
No. II.	189	452	7	11	196	463	No. X.						
No. III.	147	325	5	10	152	335	No. XI.						
No. IV.	223	357	10	15	233	372	No. XII.						
No. V.	182	303	18	21	200	324	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	52	185	4	4	56	189	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	65	142			65	142	No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	1066	2294	73	116	1139	2410	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 11th day of August 1849

PRESENT: In the Chair, J. Mahon Esq. Other Guardians: J. White. J. Ponder. S. Doyle. P. Whelan. J. Roche. J. Sweetman. J. Leary. W. R. Farna.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 79 to No. 112, 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. 6756 to No. 6770, 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:

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, - £66.10.1
Paid during the week, - £113.0.0
And that the Balance on the Account in Favour of the Guardians was - £256.2.1

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 Peates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Original Amount of Warrants.			Amount Collected.			Proportion to be Collected.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Charles Murphy	277	12	760	19	11	4	1/6 th	Castle Ellis			116		20	
	627	12	54	488	16	02		Killarney	16	6	138	16	62	
	466	14	10	338	19	22		Melnaught	2	11	3	77	15	72
Darby Nolan	1971	7	42	1638	15	22	1/7 th	Kilrush	3	8	3	119	10	3
	1060	16	114	941	6	82		Templelands	5	8	9	307	16	32
	1699	17	64	1392	1	22		Ballyhughard	8	17		227	6	62
Thomas Kinsella	508		8	401	17		1/6 th	Edermine			106	3	5	
	531	16	82	474	15	11		Killan	8	6	8	57		92
	1039	17	42	876	12	11		Killegny	8	6	8	163	4	32
Richard Johnson	739	8	9	666	6	02	1/10 th	Emiscothy			73	2	82	
	628	8	72	567		72		F. Cross			61	8	02	
	1367	17	42	1233	6	8		Ballyhogue			134	10	82	
Samuel J. White	3518	4	62	3277	13	12	1/7 th	Monart	17	3	3	440	11	5
	1951	1	04	1588	12	8		Newtown Barry	8			342	8	42
	974	3	6	769	16	42		Total	66	10	1	2292	10	8
John Kelly	1501		52	1396		82								
Martin Doyle	837	8	6	694	18	5								
Thomas Nolan														
Total	16201	14	8	13909	4									

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 Collectors with the respective amounts lodged.

Clothing 1.6.2
Establisht. - 6.6
£ 1.12.8
58

2100

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 1. 12. 8 was produced and passed. A dft granted
The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 7/1 - s. 1/4 d. 2 3/4

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ s. d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 83. 16. 9 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - 1. 12 3/4
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 2. 2 3/4
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 2. 11 3/4
The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

Bread	5000 lbs	Indian Meal	2240 lbs
Meat	160 lbs	Eggs	50 doz
Oatmeal	2240 lbs	Whiskey	6 gals
Buttermilk	910 Gal	Wine	3 bottles
Sweetmilk	1800 gals	Candles	6 lbs
Tea	2 lbs	Soap	112 lbs
Sugar	7 lbs		

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 11th day of August; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - £ 12. 0. 4
In kind, - - - - - 54. 18. 6

Total, - £ 66. 18. 10

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.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	A. Henrich	1.10.0		Meat	9 9.0	Bt. forward					
No. II.	J. O'Brien	1.10.0		do	10.10.0	No. X.					
No. III.	W. J. Langford	2.0.0		do	6.6.0	No. XI.					
No. IV.	W. Bourke			do	6.6.0	No. XII.					
No. V.	W. Fitzpatrick	2.0.0		do	8.8.0	No. XIII.					
No. VI.	J. Doyle			do	2.2.0	No. XIV.					
No. VII.	G. Murphy	1.0.0		do	4.4.0	No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.		8.0.0		do	47.5.0	TOTAL,					

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.

no. of cheques.		£	s.	d.
57	239. John Conway Cabin Straw	-	14	9

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

		£	s.	d.
232.	Robert Tennant ^{2 pce Hs} ^{trags} as ^{as} ^{House painter} ^{Establishment Account.}	1	-	-
233.	Peter Leary Repairing floor wheels	1	1	5
235.	Thomas Bradford Smith Work	1	11	1
236.	Patrick Ryan Hardware	5	19	7

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

18	234. Catharine Freeman Eggs	1	5	-
	237. Robt Brendergast Buttermilk & Sweetmilk	15	2	8

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Temporary Fever Hospitals.

32	231. Doctor Goodison Ammisc. thy	78	19	6
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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:

Orders were signed and countersigned for the following viz. 1 carpenter's pencil. 1 Bottle Tinct Oil. 6 Boards 12 feet + 3/4 Inch. 3 Boards 12 feet + 1/4 Inch. 1/2 stone Brimstone. 1/2 stone Coppars. 1 stone Logwood. 1 Masons trowel. 2 Iron bars for Gableadder. 1 carpenter's Compass. 1 stone Sifted Meal.

The Medical Officer Reported, that he wished the Board would order the shelves and cup-board which are usual in Workhouse Infirmeries under the Hospital stairs to be fitted up.

Ordered, the subject discussed & not considered necessary, that part ought to be appropriated for the Infirmary Bath.

He further reported, that the Gutth St. House is now occupied as a female Hospital principally for cases of chronic Diarrhoe and Dysentery,

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

The Master Reported, that it was the habit of all the Officers of the House to keep their pass keys at night & requested he might be allowed to have those keys delivered to him at 9 O'clock every night as he considered it would be an improvement in the System, that a Bell would be requisite to be hung from the Hospital to his room for the Nurses requirements or Sudden Medical or Spiritual aid be necessary, also one from the Porter's Hall to his room.

Ordered.

He found 449 panes of Glass glazed from the inside instead of the out side,

Ordered, that the Contractor for Glazing be directed to attend the Board on Saturday next,

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

That there were 642 pairs of shoes requiring repairs, that he had them now laid by in assorted sizes.

That he had calculated the expense of repairing by giving them out to be done would be about £37, but that by the Board providing leather & hiring a couple of good men they could be done in the House at a cost of about £8. for wages & the cost of materials. He suggested the latter course on the ground of economy. He stated that the House boys would not do a good job at mending being wasteful and not doing permanent work, and that mending to do it with aught required experienced hands.

Ordered. That tenders for repairing the shoes be advertised for the Board finding the Materials.

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:!

A letter from the P. L. Commissioners dated 27th Aug. 1849. no. 51.539, respecting the complaint of able Collett Men employed on the property of Mr Lett of Wallybare enclosing a copy of a communication received from the Board of Works on the subject. The communication stated that on enquiry it was found that Mr Lett had not obtained any loan for improvement of his property from the Board of Works.

A letter dated 8th August 1849 no 51.019 in reference to the Guardians borrowing £2000 from their Treasurer & expressing their approval of borrowing £1000 under the circumstances, relying however that every exertion would be made to collect the outstanding arrears of Rates.

A letter dated 30th July 1849. no 9624 in reference to the payment of the account of the Returning Officer for Supplemental Elections Amount £1. 1. 6. requesting it might be paid on production of certain Vouchers.

Ordered. That this account be discharged,

The Chairman requested the accounts of the Stock recently taken might be laid before the Board.

Mr Garmar examined the clothing receipts & compared them with the clothing Materials. The Station was sent for and produced the Books of entry of made up clothing delivered to the Master from time to time. The whole System of checking & keeping the clothing accounts was examined into, after which it was.

Ordered. That the Deficiency of Stock amounting to £34. 13. 3d as estimated by Mr Burke's verified report be intimated to the Master & that he be called on to show cause to the Board by this day week why the amount should not be charged to his private account.

Ordered. That on receipt of Stock being found in some articles which as it appears to the Board must have originated in irregularity in transferring the Stock purchased or that made in the House to the credit of the Stock account from time to time — the Master shall in future produce to the Chairman on every Saturday the Clerk's certificate with the Masters accounts of made up clothing and any other accounts necessary to be kept of Stock supplied to the Master.

Ordered. That the attention of the Committee of the Temporary Fever Hospital of Oulart be called to the number of Articles of Furniture & Bedding supplied by this Board to that Hospital with a remark that unless a similar quantity has been supplied by the Gorey Union this Union is to get credit for half the

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 4
Ditto, disallowed - - - - - 2
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 35

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - 7
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - 2
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - 24

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered - 22

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).

Amount of the Cost of these Articles and in the case of Articles furnished by the Committee that the cost be charged share & share to each Union also that the Clerk communicate to Doct^r Cartan with respect to the accounts furnished this day.

Tenders for alteration of the boys Schoolroom were considered and that from G. C. Owens accepted for the sum of £4.7.6 provided he puts tiles on the unfinished portion of the female School.

Also for six desks and forms for the female School at 10/10 each.

The Agriculturist on application was allowed the use of cabbages and Parsnips for his table but no potatoes - also an allowance of 1 cwt of coals for fuel per week.

A letter from Mr J. Lloyd Governor of the Cork Jail was read, stating that he will forward at his earliest convenience samples of woollen shoes as requested by the Board on the 28th Ult^o.

Ordered, That the present Stock of clothing be recorded on the Minutes, viz. 2249 Sheets, 1751 Blankets, 1064 rugs, 1117 Ticks, 1785 Bolsters, 368 Men coats, 325 Waistcoats, 359 trousers, 664 Shirts, 1103 pair Mens shoes, 331 pair Stockings, 71 straw hats, 478 Flannel vests, 89 Flannel drawers, 483 wool caps, 941 Gowns, 1562 Petticoats, 1224 Shifts, 781 aprons

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(Signed) _____ Clerk of the Union.

1131 Handkerchief, 1144 pair womens shoes, 1060 pair womens hose, 1018 caps, 1174 straw Bonnets, 112 womens flannel vests, 21 Flannel squares, 543 Boys coats, 18 do Waistcoats, 520 do Trowsers, 623 do Shirts, 87 pr do shoes, 63 pr do Stockings, 160 do Straw Hats, 214 do wool caps, 6 pr do Suspenders, 3 do drawers, 946 Girls frocks, 731 do Petticoats, 958 do Shifts, 422 do aprons, 57 pair do Shoes, 180 pair do Stockings, 139 do Bonnets, 66 overalls, 25 do caps.

The Chairman then signed the Orders and cheques, and the Board adjourned to Tuesday the 14th August 1849.

Carew. Chairman

Agreeably to adjournment a Meeting of the Board ^{of Guardians} took place on Tuesday the 14th August 1849.

Present: P. White Esq. in the chair
Other Guardians, J. Stander, L. Doyle, J. Graham, M. Murphy, J. Doyle, J. Keed, & M. Kirck.

Relieving Officers, Henrick, O'Brien, and Langford were in attendance and laid their weekly Diaries before the Board.

The Board proceeded to consider the claims of applicants for relief and afterwards to examine the Requirements of the Relieving Officer for the ensuing week & granted orders on Meal Contractor and Cheques on Treasurer for the following viz.

no 434	241.	J. Henrick	Cash	1. 10.0
		do	Indian Meal ^{cut} 15.	6. 6. 0
35	242.	J. O'Brien	Cash	2. 10.0
		do	Indian Meal 15 cut	6. 6. 0

No. of cheques 460
35 243.

W. J. Longford Cash 1. 0. 0
do Indian Meal 10 cwt. 4. 4. 0

The Chairman then signed the Orders and cheques compared and certified the Out door Register after which the Board adjourned to Wednesday the 15th August 1849.

Agreeably to adjournment a Meeting of the Board of Guardians took place on Wednesday 15th August 1849.

Present J. Gell Esq. in the Chair.
Other Guardians, S. Whelan, R. Murphy,
J. Hood, N. Keating, J. Smith, P. Quinn
& Roche.

Relieving Officers Bourke, Fitzpatrick, Doyle and Murphy were in attendance & laid their weekly Claims before the Board.

The Board proceeded with the consideration of claims for relief & afterwards to examine the requirements of the Relieving Officers for the ensuing week & granted Orders on Meal Contractors & Cheques on Treasurer for the following, viz.

37 247. W. Bourke Cash 1. 0. 0
do Indian Meal ^{cwt} 5 2. 2. 0
38 245. W. Fitzpatrick Cash 1. 0. 0
do Indian Meal ^{cwt} 10 4. 4. 0
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The Master was ordered to get stones drawn and laid down at the entrance of the Lane leading to the Land with the view of having Piers and a gate put up there to protect the Land and prevent the common intercourse of Idlers and bad Characters.

The Chairman then examined the relief Books compared and certified the Register. Signed the Orders and Cheques after which the Board adjourned to Saturday the 18th August 1849.

Carew. Chairman