

Read letter from Mr Brett stating that he is of opinion that the price named by him is quite ample to remunerate a Contractor for making the sewer from Hudson's Terrace to Mr Dargan's sewer and that if Michel Byrne will not execute the work he would recommend the Commissioners to advertise for a new Contractor

ordered, It was moved by Mr Breslin seconded by Mr Raverty and Resolved, that all works (with the exception of those in connexion with the existing Contracts for sewerage) be suspended until we obtain funds
adopted

Read letter from Mr Edmund Barnes offering his services as a Public Accountant to audit the Township accounts.

ordered,

Resolved that the Auditors of last year be reappointed for this year.

Read Letter from the Clerk of the Westport Township requesting replies to certain queries as to the steps taken by this Board to supply the Township with water

Read

It was moved by Mr Jackson and Resolved that the Inspector be instructed to get a Medical Certificate as to what houses and premises require cleansing and disinfecting and as such Certificate to give the necessary notice to the owners and Occupiers of such premises to cleanse and disinfect same as required by the Sanitary Act, 1866
adopted

Inspector was instructed to place a gate in the breach in the inclosure belonging to Lord Meath on Bray Commons
adopted

The Clerk was instructed to procure, a sufficient supply of Nuisance Notices and to furnish the Inspector with ^{a supply of} same,
adopted

Letter read from Sir Thomas Larcom requesting to be furnished with a return of certain particulars indicated in an enclosed form

Read

Read letter from the Alliance & Consumers Gas Company stating that the several matters referred to in the Commissioners letter of 3rd Inst has been referred to the Manager of the Works in Bray, with directions to give it immediate attention, and that it would ~~be~~ time if, when Causes of complaint arise within the Township that the Commissioners communicate directly with the Resident Manager

Read

From the Board of Trade acknowledging receipt of Commissioners letter, objecting to an application to this Board for a Provisional order with reference to a Pier at Bray in the County of Wicklow, and stating in reply that they have observed ~~that~~ it was not stated, that a copy of the objection had been sent to the Promoters which is necessary to be done in accordance with instructions set forth in a printed Memorandum issued by the Board of Trade

ordered, steps to be taken to ascertain the ^{of promoters} promoters address, and copy to be forwarded to them as requested

✓ Letter from Messrs Casey & Blay in reference to the
the address of the Promoters of the application
to the Board of Trade as referred to in previous
paragraph

Read

✓ Letter from Mrs Babington stating that she cannot
pay the Rates assessed on her houses till about
the 6th January and requesting to be allowed
that time before being called on for the Rates
in question,

ordered, Board cannot interfere
Moved by Mr Kerner and Resolved

That a Memorial be presented to
the Board of Works asking for a grant under
the Fishery Act, for the construction of a Pier
and Harbour at the Mouth of Bray River
adopted

Ordered

That the branch drains from the Main
sewer in Little Bray to the side channels
be opened, cleared and repaired in like manner
as the Main sewer, and also that the stretch traps
be set over same, by the Contractor, Patrick Byrne
at the same rate as the principal drain has
been executed,

adopted

Ordered, That notices be served by the Nuisance
officer on all parties adjacent to the new sewers in
Little Bray, and that also in and at the rear
of the Main street to supply branch sewers from 9 to 12
Inches in diameter, to the various connexions on the
Main pipe, & that if they refuse or neglect to put down
such branches, Mr Rice be ordered to do so, and to
compel the parties to pay the expense

adopted

The Clerk was instructed to write to Sir Thomas
Larcom and request information as to whether
it is necessary for the Commissioners to publish
the notice referred to in the 54 section of the
Towns Improvement Act, before applying for
the sanction of the Lord Lieutenant to Regulate
Laws for the Registration and Regulation
of Lodging Houses within the Township, the
Commissioners being of opinion that under
the recent Sanitary Act, such notice is
not necessary to be published by them
adopted

It was Resolved,

That the Resolution adopted last
day of meeting appointing J. O'Clock P. Meach
Friday for the Finance Committee to meet
be rescinded

adopted

The following accounts were examined by the
Board and ordered to be paid

Patrick Byrne on sewer Contract	£ 83.. 12.. 0
Michl Byrne, sewer Contract, L. Bray	" 25.. 10.. 0
John Rice 1 Months Salary	" 2.. 10.. 0
do Expenses to Town	" 5.. 0
do to pay Labourers wages	" 3.. 8.. 4
Michl Byrne, Pump caretaker	" 16.. 0
Thos Dockrell, stretch traps	" 4.. 10.. 0
	£ 120.. 11.. 4

A Meeting of the Bray Town Commissioners held
in the Court House Bray on Monday the 7th
January 1867

Present in the Chair

The Right Honorable

The Earl of Meath.

Other Commissioners, Alfred Lotheron, Charles
Pittland, Edm^d W^m Kelly, Edw^d Kingfield Fenner, Edw^d C^o
Breslin, Matthew O'Reilly Dease, James Thornton &
John Quin Esqs, & Andrew Kehoe Esq.

The Minutes of previous Meeting were read
and compared.

The Clerk submitted several forms for the removal
of nuisances and for construction of Branch
sewers from premises within the Township to
the Main Sewers made by the Comm^{rs}, which
was approved of - adopted.

The Clerk undertakes to prepare a form
of Rate book suitable to the provisions
of the Bray Township Act,
adopted.

Letter read from Mr Thomas Bell of 2 Regent Street
London dated 24th Decr 1866, acknowledging
receipt of Commissioners letter of 19th Inst. addressed
to Mr Shanley on the subject of the Commissioners
letter objection to an application to the Board
of Trade for a Provisional order with reference
to a Pier at Bray in the County of Wicklow
Read.

Letter read from Mr Brett on the subject of the
Bray Harbour and requesting Clerk to apply to
Lord Meath ~~for~~ to appoint a day to have
an interview with him on that subject,
Read.

Letters read from the Clerks of the Pendroke
and Blackrock Townships enclosing
blank forms of Nuisance Notices in
use in their respective Townships -
Read.

Letter read from Messrs Guinness & Mahon & Co
Agents to the Trustees of Mr William Dargan
directing the attention of the Board to the
want of Gas lights on Dargan Terrace
ordered, To be informed that Dargan Terrace being private
property the Comm^{rs} cannot erect and light any ^{Public} lamps on it
From the Rev^d Mr Healey of Little Bray requesting
to be informed whether it is the intention of the
Commissioners to get opened a branch sewer
made by the County which runs from the
Main Sewer some forty yards up the Chapel
Lane

ordered

To be brought before the Board whenever
the Commissioners obtain loan for
money from Government.

It was moved by Mr Fenner seconded by Mr Kelly
and Resolved
That a person the Solicitor
to the Bray Improvement Act be requested
to at once furnish their Bill of Costs
adopted.

Letter read from Mr Hayes of the Royal Hotel Bray directing the attention of the Board to the state of the road and foot path opposite to those premises owned, Contractor of Roads should be

summoned

The Clerk was instructed to advertise in the Freeman's Journal and Irish Times for plans and specifications for the construction of a Harbour at Bray, same to be considered by the Commissioners at their meeting this day fortnight,

adopted,

Letter read from Messrs Casey and Clay stating certain circumstances under which the agreement with the Corporation for supplying water to the Township had been entered into with the promoters of the Bray Township Act,

Read

Letter read from the Honorary Secretary to the Public Relief Committee stating that a meeting ~~had~~ a meeting ^{of the} of the Committee took place on Friday the 4th Inst. to close the account of the moneys rec^d for that purpose

Read

Letter read from the Secretary of the Board of Public Works acknowledging receipt of the Commissioners letter and Memorial and stating that the Memorial will be submitted to his Board

Read

The Clerk was instructed to publish the necessary notice previous to applying to His Excellency for his sanction to Bye Laws for the Registration and Regulation of Lodging Houses

adopted

The Clerk stated that he had received no reply from the Trustees of Mr Dargan in reference to the state of the wooden bridge over Bray river near Railway Bridge nor, neither had he received a reply from Sir Tho Laneon in reference to the Commissioners application to know whether it is necessary for them to publish the notice referred to in the 5th section of the Towns Improvement Act before applying for the sanction of the Lord Lieutenant to Bye Laws for the Registration and Regulation of Lodging Houses within the Township

adopted

Mr Brett reported that the branch drains from the main sewer in Little Bray to the side channels were opened and repaired in like manner as the main sewer and that stench traps had been placed over them where necessary

adopted,

The following document was handed to the Chairman and read and ordered to be inserted in Minutes

"We the undersigned, subscribers and representatives of subscribers, to the Fund for the Improvement of Bray Harbour hereby agree that the preliminary expenses, necessary to obtain a loan from the Board of Works shall be taken out of the sums opposite our respective names"

Signed Charles Putland

Matthew Kelly Dease for
Mrs Kelly Dease, & by Edw Wingfield Verner
for Lady Verner,

It was moved by Charles Rutland Esq
seconded by Matthew O'Keilly Dease Esq
and Resolved

That a Memorial to the
Commissioners of the Board of Public Works
under the Act of 9th Victoria Cap to encourage
the fisheries of Ireland, asking for a grant for
the harbour of Bray, be now signed by the
Right Honorable the Earl of Meath as Chairman
on behalf of the Town Commissioners and
to be forwarded to the said Commissioners
adopted.

Mr Brett undertook to fill in the blanks
of the form of Memorial above referred to
and to forward same to Lord Meath
for his signature

adopted,
The following accounts were examined
by the Finance Committee and sanctioned
by the Board

Ed Coppe for salary as clerk to Comm ^{rs}	£ 10.0.0
do for incidental expenses —	" 3.4.0
The Daily Express for advertisements	" 2.6.0

The clerk submitted a statement of the accounts
of the Commissioners from 22nd Sept 1865 to 31st
December 1866, and after examination ^{by the Board} was
referred for examination, of the Auditor
adopted.

The Meeting was adjourned to Monday the
21st January 1867.

A Meeting of the Bray Town Commissioners
held in the Court House Bray on Monday the
14th January 1867

Present in the Chair

The Right Honorable
The Earl of Meath

Other Commissioners,

Matthew O'Keilly Dease
Charles Rutland, Andrew Kehoe and
Edm M^r O'Kelly Esq, and John O'Neill Esq, and
James Thornton

This Meeting ^{was} convened by order of the
Chairman, specially to consider a statement
of the Rate Collector's account, in consequence
of it having been ascertained that Mr Rice had
left this country.

It was moved by Mr Kehoe
seconded by Mr O'Kelly
and Resolved,

That Mr Edward Kennedy be
appointed to collect the ^{balance of the} Borough rate
appearing by Mr Rice's book and as
uncollected.

adopted.
The following authority to collect same ^{was}
handed to him,

Be the Bray Town Commissioners hereby transfer to
Edward Kennedy all those powers granted to John Rice
under the Warrant to collect the Borough rate, dated
March 19th 1866, and require all persons liable to
Borough rates whose names appear on the rate
books as not having paid such rate to pay it
forthwith. Dated this 14th day of January 1867

Signed on behalf of the Board
Meath, Chairman

The Meeting of the Bray Town Commissioners held in the Court House Bray on Monday the 21st January 1867,

Present in the Chair

The Right Honourable
The Earl of Meath

Other Commissioners

Edw. M. Vermer, Charles Putland, George Hudson, James Thornton Andrew Kehoe, Stephen Raverly, Edw. Breslin and Edm. M^{rs} Kelly Esqrs,

The Minutes of previous Meeting were read and compared,

Moved by Mr Vermer

Seconded by Mr Putland
and Resolved

Resolved that the Clerk be instructed to write to Messrs Martin & Valentine Com^{rs} or Trustees to Mr Dargan, directing their attention to the very dangerous state of the wooden Bridge high the Railway over Bray River and requesting them to give the care of the Bridge to the Commissioners in order that it may be put in proper and safe state of repair.

adopted.

Moved by Mr Putland, seconded by Mr Vermer
and Resolved

That the consideration of the plans for the Bray Harbour be postponed to the first Monday in February next
adopted.

The Clerk reported that men were employed in making the sewer applied for by the Rev. Mr Healey from the Chapel in Little Bray to the main sewer on the Dublin Road

adopted,

The Clerk was directed to prepare a form of Rate book suitable to the provisions of the Bray Township Act, and to submit it for consideration of the Commissioners at their next Monthly Meeting
adopted,

Resolved,

That the idle able bodied Labourers in the Township be employed ^{up to and} including Wednesday next in repairing ^{the} roads within the Township requiring such, and as are not presented for by the Grand Jury, and in such other ~~and~~ useful works as may be required to be attended to within the boundaries of the Township, and that a cheque of £12 be handed to the Clerk on account to pay the Workmen to the date named in this Resolution,

adopted

Letter read from Mr J. Radly directing the attention of the Board to the dangerous state of the Nunnery Road off the Esplanade
ordered,

The Road referred to in this letter is one of those to be repaired in accordance with the preceding Resolution,
adopted,

The following Notice of Motion was handed in by Mr Breslin and ordered to

to be inserted on Minutes,

"I hereby give notice that at our next ~~next~~ Monthly Meeting, I will move, that a Solicitor be appointed to this Board,

Read,

The following notice of Motion was also handed in ^{by Mr Breslin} and ordered to be inserted on Minutes.

"Notice is hereby given that at our next Monthly Meeting I will move that the resolution passed on the 14th January 1867 granting Mr Edward Kennedy all those powers given to Mr John Rice under the Warrant to Collect the Borough Rate dated March 19th 1866, be rescinded and that Mr Kennedy confine his enquiry to finding out the names of the Rate payers who have not paid their rates with the view of ascertaining the exact sum collected by Mr Rice and unaccounted for by him,

Read,

A cheque for £12 was drawn and handed to the Clerk to pay the Labourers employed in works belonging to the Commissioners
adopted

The Meeting was adjourned to ~~next~~ Wednesday the 23rd Inst to 1/2 past 3 O'clock P. M.

At a Meeting of the Bray Town Commissioners held in the Court House Bray at 1/2 past 3 O'clock P. M. on Wednesday the 23rd day of January 1867

Present in the Chair

The Right Honourable
The Earl of Meath,

Other Commissioners

George Hudson, Edward
Breslin, Edm^d J^r Kelly and Stephen
Raverty Esqrs,

Resolved

That the Convent Road from the Esplanade to the crossing of Mr Putland's lower road, altogether about 180 yards be properly formed, that a foot path be made, and that a sewer with a 15 inch pipe be run along it for that distance, that the pipes belonging to Michael Byrne and now lying on the Eglinton Road, be procured from him at the invoice price for this work, and that any more that may be required shall be purchased from Messrs Browne

adopted,

Resolved, ^{that} On the completion of the above work, that the men are to be put to the formation of the road and foot path from the North end of Brennan Terrace to the Railway and that Mr Cuttre be authorized to hire 100 Carts for the next three days,

adopted

Resolved

That in as much as Patrick Byrne's account having been passed by the
Finance

Finance Committee Draft 200 was ordered to be drawn for £60 on account of the Contract work he has performed and which was Vouched by Mr Brett,
adopted

Resolved
That draft No 201 be drawn in favor of Mr Cope for £20 to pay the men employed on works connected with the Commissioners
adopted

The Meeting was adjourned to Monday the 28th Inst to 12 O'clock noon,

A Meeting of the Bray Town Commissioners held in the Court House Bray on Monday the 28th January 1867

Present in the Chair
The Right Honourable
The Earl of Meath
Other Commissioners
Edw^d Breslin, Andrew Kehoe, Edm^d M^{rs} Kelly, George Hudson and Alfred Sotheren Esqrs.

The Minutes of the ~~last~~ two previous Meetings were read and compared

Resolved
That Mr Intyre be authorized to employ three Carts for the next Horse days to carry sewer pipes and Metaling for the roads he was instructed to have repaired at last Meeting of the Commissioners
adopted.

Resolved
That Mr Brett be requested to furnish the Towns Commissioners with as little delay as possible, a detailed account of his charges for any works he may have done for the Commissioners since 3rd November 1866,
adopted

Resolved
That a Cheque for £12 be drawn in favor of Mr Cope on account to pay Labourers &c wages,
adopted.

A Meeting of the Bray Town Commissioners
held in the Court House Bray on Monday
the 4th February 1867

Present in the Chair

The Right Honourable
The Earl of Meath

Other Commissioners

Peter W. Jackson, George
Hudson, Edm^d W. Kelly, Stephen Raverly, John
Putland, Edm^d Breslin, John Quinn, Matthew
O'Reilly Dease, Edm^d Winfield Verner, and
Alfred Lotheren, John O'Neill and James
Thornton Esqs,

The Minutes of previous Meeting were read
and compared,

Moved by Mr^r Breslin
Seconded by Mr^r Verner
and Resolved

That the documents laid before
the Board by the Solicitors of the Bray Improvement
Bill, be referred to the Finance Committee
and that they report to the Board on this day
fortnight, and that the Clerk be requested
to summon a special Meeting for that purpose
adopted.

Resolved

That the balance in Mr^r Cope's hands
amounting to £5 odd shillings be expended
on the repairs of the ^{current} road,
adopted.

Mr^r Brett's account was referred to the Finance
Committee to report,
adopted

Resolved

That Mr^r Brett be authorized to fix on
several places along the roads which can best
afford to have deposits of stones and gravel
placed along the sides, which material is to
be removed thereto from the gravel heaps at
Mr^r Dargan's New Houses, and that Mr^r Cope
do receive tenders from Contractors to remove
such material according to a specification
to be furnished by Mr^r Brett and ~~present~~
^{authorized to accept} them to the Board ~~at~~ the lowest tender.
adopted

Mr^r Breslin, with permission of the Board
postponed the consideration of his notice
of motion for appointment of a Solicitor
to this Board, to the next Monthly Meeting
of the Commissioners

Moved by Mr^r Jackson
Seconded by Mr^r Breslin
and Resolved

That advertisements be
issued for a person to undertake the
office of Inspector of Nuisances for the
Bray Township at a salary of £30 per
annum, Candidates to be in attendance
with testimonials on 18th Inst
adopted.

Moved by Mr. Hudson
Seconded by Mr. Verner
and Resolved

That advertisements be inserted inviting tenders from persons for the Collection of the Rates authorized to be levied under the Bray Township Act, Candidates to name in their applications, the poundage on which they will be willing to perform the duties of the office, and the person to be appointed will be required to enter into a joint and several Bond ^{with 2 sureties} for £300, Candidates to be in attendance this day fortnight

adopted

Moved by Mr. Breslin
Seconded by Mr. Jackson
and Resolved

That the Secretary be requested to invite Messrs O'Brien & Kehoe to meet the Town Commissioners at their Special Meeting ^{to be held} on Monday the 18th February 1867

adopted

Moved by Mr. Quinn
Seconded by Mr. Kelly
and Resolved

That Mr. Kehoe be requested to meet the Board on Monday fortnight to explain the award of the Common Commissioners

adopted,

Moved by Mr. Rutland
Seconded by Mr. Jackson
and Resolved

That Mr. Breslin be appointed a member of the Finance Committee

adopted

Resolved

That the form of Rate book submitted by the Clerk to the Board, be laid before the Solicitors who had the carriage of the Township Act, and to request their opinion as to whether it is drawn up in accordance with the provisions of the Act,

adopted

A Memorial in favor of Railway Reform was signed by the Chairman on behalf of the Board and ordered to be forwarded to the ~~proper~~ proper quarters

adopted

~~Read~~ Letter from Messrs Casey and Glay on the subject of appointing a Solicitor to the Board

Read

Letter from Mr. Murphy, Gas Collector applying for payment of account furnished amount £135^{..} 11^{..} 8^{..}

ordered,

Referred to Finance Committee,

Letter from Messrs Edgeworth & Stanford stating that if directed by this Board they will furnish Plans for the construction of a Harbour

Read

Letter from Mr. J. V. Woodhouse enclosing for the consideration of the Board, heads of amendments required to be made in the Town Improvement Ireland Act 1854.

Read

Moved by Mr Jackson, seconded by Mr Kelly Deane and Resolved,

That the plans ~~now~~ now before the Board, for the construction of a Harbour in Bray, be forwarded to the Board of Works with a request that they will kindly select the one they consider most eligible in order that the Bray Commissioners may award the prize, in accordance with the resolution of the Board a copy of which is to be enclosed
 adopted

The following accounts having been examined by the Finance Committee, were ordered to be paid, viz

Civil Company, stationery	£ 1. 7. 6
Mr Fleck, rept of sewer	" 13. 0
do, ^{cleaning} cesspool	" 5. 0
workmen's wages, on displanade	" 12. 0
D Raverly, disinfectants	" 1. 8. 6
Pat Byrne Auditors fees	" 2. 2. 0
A. Cummins ditto	" 2. 2. 0
Pat Byrne, Balance of M.C. sewer Contract	63. 15. 0
	£ 72. 5. 0

The Meeting was adjourned to ~~Wednesday~~
 the 18th February 1867 -

The following list represents the names of persons who sent plans with a statement of the probable cost for the construction of a Harbour in Bray

No 1 William Lewis, , amount	£ 12.000
2 Price and Waller "	8.000

No 3, Alfred Gahan, amount	£ 7.000
" 4 Joseph Hof "	" 8.000
" 5 Thomas Miles "	" 5.675
" 6 Messrs Brett & Son "	" 12.644
" 7 ditto "	" 14.568
" 8 John Critchley "	" not stated

The Meeting was adjourned to Monday the 18th February 1867

At a Meeting of the Bray Town Commissioners held
in the Court House Bray on Monday the 18th
February 1867

Present in the Chair

The Right Hon: the Earl of Meath,
other Commissioners,

James Thornton, Andrew Kehoe
Edm M^{rs} Kelly, George Hudson, W. Jackson, Charles
Puttand, Matthew Kelly Dease, Edw M. Verner
John Quin, John O'Neill, Edw Breslin, Alfred
Sothern & Stephen Raverty Esqrs,

The Minutes of previous Meeting were read and
Compared,

The form of Rate book adopted by the Solicitors
Messrs Keogh and O'Brien, was ordered to be printed
adopted,

Moved by M^{rs} Hudson
Seconded by M^{rs} Jackson
and Resolved,

That it should be an instruction
to the Finance Committee to ascertain what sum
will be required to pay the costs and expenses of
obtaining the Bill, and what further sum will
be wanted to carry out the different works required
under the Bill, and to ascertain on what terms
and where it can be best obtained, and that the
Finance Committee meet on Wednesday the 27th
Inst at three o'clock & Messrs Keogh and O'Brien
are requested to attend
adopted

Letter read from the Proprietor of the Bray Gazette
explaining how it occurred that the charges
made by him for the insertion of advertisements
in that journal in connection with the 'Bray
Improvement Act 1866' appears higher than
the charges made by other journals
Read.

Mr George Keogh, Solicitor to the Common
Commissioners attended, pursuant to notice
of this Board to explain the award of the Common
Commissioners so far as relates to the disposal
of the residue of Bray Common, and it was
Moved by M^{rs} Kelly, seconded by M^{rs} Hudson
and Resolved

Moved by M^{rs} Kelly
Seconded by M^{rs} Hudson
and Resolved

That M^{rs} Keogh having attended
and presented the award of the Common
Commissioners and explained the provisions
of the award which we consider very satisfactory
we hereby instruct M^{rs} Keogh to inform the
Common Commissioners that we are ready
to take possession of the Common, on a clear
possession being given to the Towns Commissioners
of Bray

adopted

Moved by M^{rs} Verner
Seconded by M^{rs} Breslin
and Resolved

That the Inspector of nuisances, should
also have in addition to the duties specified in
the Bye Laws, also superintend the watering of
and the lighting within the Township
adopted

Letter from Mr Green of the Valuation Office requesting information as to the boundaries of the Township

Read
Letter read from Mr Schoales ^{directing} the attention of the Board to the state of the pathway immediately outside the Western gate of the New Parish Church
ordered

The attention of Mr Brett to be called to this matter,

Letter read from Dr Hayden of Harcourt Street Dublin directing the attention of the Commissioners to the existence of a public nuisance on the Esplanade at Bray,
ordered

The Inspector of Nuisances to be informed of this,

Letter read from Mr Robert Cuthbert requesting permission to rail in the piece of ground in front of the House lately in possession of Mr William Staunton
ordered

Request allowed subject to the approval of the Bray Town Commissioners

Letter from Mr Boerend Supervisor of Collections Alliance & Gas Consumers Gas Company Dublin requesting payment of the amount of account furnished for lighting the public Lamps of the Township to 31st December 1866,
ordered,

To be informed that the Town Commissioners have been in the habit of paying for the lighting of Township at the end of the lighting season,

Letters from the Board of Public Works dated 9th February 1867, stating that they feel, that the duty of deciding on the comparative merits of the Competitive Plans of the proposed Harbour at Bray, is one which they could not undertake

Read
Letter from the same office dated 15th February 1867, stating that under the Fishery Piers and Harbour Acts, the Board of Public Works Comm^{rs} can only make grants or Loans for Fishery Piers and that the amount of such grant or Loan must depend in every case on the benefit to be derived by the Fishery interests from the construction of the proposed work.

Read
From the Public Works Loan Office, London, dated 17th February 1867, requesting to be informed whether the Commissioners application is for a Loan for Bray Harbour under the ordinary lending powers of that Department, or whether it is intended to be made under the Act 24th & 25th Vic, cap 47 (Harbours & Passing Tolls &c Act 1861),

Read,
Moved by Mr Kerner
Seconded by Mr Dease
and Resolved

That an application should be made to the Board of Works Loan Commissioners, enclosing a copy of the report of the River Committee stating that we have six plans before us in accordance therewith and soliciting a form of application for a Loan
adopted

The Clerk was instructed to write to the Board of Trade in reference to the Commissioner's ^{to say} objection application for a Provisional order in connection with the construction of a Pier at Bray, and state that the Town Commissioners are anxious to know whether they should take any and what steps to support their objection, or will it be sufficient in the protection of the interests of the Town Commissioners to leave the objection as it stands without any further interference on their part,

adopted,

Moved by Mr Jackson
Seconded by Mr Kerner
and Resolved,

That our Chairman, The Earl of Meath, and our Deputy Chairman John Durr Esq with our Secretary Mr Cope, be in attendance before the Grand Jury of the County of Wicklow on Friday the 2^d Inst, to make claim for the Bray Town Commissioners of the portion of County Rate, they consider the Township entitled under the Bray Improvement Bill, and that Mr George Keogh be in attendance as their Solicitor

adopted

Mr Edw Kennedy having submitted his report on the items of rate appearing on Mr Rice's book as uncollected,

It was Moved by Mr Breslin
Seconded by Mr Keogh,
and Resolved,

That the Sureties of Mr Rice be called on to settle up all amounts due by him to the Town Commissioners

adopted,

Mr Joseph Richards of Ennisterry was elected by a Majority of one to the office of Inspector of nuisances at a Salary of £30 per Annum
adopted,

Mr Alex^r Cumming of Bray was Elected ^{by a Majority of 3} to the office of Collector of Rates at a Remuneration of Five pence in the £ as the Amount of Rate Collected and Lodged with the Treasurer
adopted,

Moved by Mr Putland
Seconded by Mr Dease
and Resolved,

That this Board adjourn to Thursday Next at 11 O'clock, to consider the plans of the Bray Harbour, previous to making an application for a Loan and to transact such other business as may come before it
adopted,

Mr E. M. Kerner Moved and Mr O'Reilly Dease Seconded.

That this Board should make some record of the loss which it and the District of Bray have suffered by the Death of Mr William Dargan
adopted,

At a Meeting of the Bray Town Commissioners
held in the Court House Bray, on ~~Monday~~^{Thursday} the
21st February 1867.

Present in the Chair
Harborton Jackson Esq
other Commissioners

Edw. Wingfield Verner
Mathew O'Reilly Dease, Edw. W. O'Kelly and
Charles Putland Esqs.

The Minutes of previous Meeting were read
and compared,

The Board proceeded to take the examination of
Plans for Improvements at the Mouth of the river
and adopted the following Minute

On Messrs Price & Waller's Plan & Estimate
One of the Mr. Cuthbert's attended to afford information
and expressed an opinion to the effect that to leave
a Bridge or span would produce the evil it is
intended to avoid, by leaving an open for the sand
or gravel to get into the place which requires to be
kept clear. Mr. Cuthbert objected to sluice gates
which Mr. Putland advocated, and proposed
an insular Break water of solid material;
Mr. Dease and Mr. O'Kelly objects to sluice gates
as unnecessary, these plans estimates in
sections, amounting to £8,000

On Mr. Miles Plan & Estimate
This plan proposes a Metal pier which the Board
considers not applicable or in accordance with
the report of the Harbour Committee

On Mr. Gahan's plan & Estimate
The only objection suggested by the Board is that
the piling proposed would not be sufficiently
strong to resist the force of the sea, but Mr.
O'Kelly thinks that can be obviated by sufficient
rubble masonry being made use of, and Mr.
Cuthbert expressed an opinion in favour of it
Estimate £4000,

Mr. Verner & Mr. Dease are of opinion that this
plan comes nearer to what was proposed
by the Committee and wanted by the locality
than the preceding ones, but thinks that
the proposed construction not sufficiently
strong,

On Mr. Ho's Plan and Estimate

Plan rejected as it appears not suitable

On Mr. Lewis Plan and Estimate

Plan rejected as considered unsuitable,

On the Messrs Brett's Plans & Estimates
Plan number one, goes beyond the sum
calculated by the Harbour Committee
and confirmed by the Board, but they
do not object to its going forward with
the other plans, It was then
Moved by Mr. Verner
seconded by Mr. O'Reilly Dease
and Resolved

That the following form of
Memorial drawn up by the Chairman be
and now is approved of and that the
Clerk be directed to forward it to the
Secretary of the Board of Trade by
this night's post
adopted

Memorial as follows,
To the President and Committee of the
Board of Trade

The Memorial of the Bray Town
Commissioners in the Counties of Dublin
and Wicklow

Showeth,

That whereas by the 24th & 25th Vic
Cap 47, entitled an "Act to facilitate the
Construction and Improvement of Harbours
power is given to grant loans to Harbour
authorities by the Public Works Loan Commission,
but not to be granted without the approval
of the Board of Trade in writing signed by
one of their Secretaries

And whereas the Bray Town
Commissioners, obtained an Act, in last
session (1866) for the Improvement of the
Town of Bray, and among other powers to
to enable said Commissioners to construct a
Harbour at the Mouth of Bray river and to levy
tolls for all vessels entering said Harbour with
Coals or other Merchandise

And whereas it has been calculated
that the amount of tollage at the present would
be over £300 per annum, which would be largely
increased if a suitable Harbour was constructed

Now we the Bray Town Commissioners
having obtained plans for the purpose stated are desirous
to submit them to the Board of Trade, as also to
provide a Loan to the amount of £10,000 to enable
us to construct such Harbour, and would
respectfully submit our claim to your
Board, hoping for a favourable reply

to their applications
Signed on behalf of the Bray Town
Commissioners

this 21st February 1867

Peter Warburton Jackson
Presiding Chairman.

The Clerk being absent it was agreed to post
pone the further consideration of any record
of the loss which the Board has experienced
in the death of Mr. Dargan till the next
Monthly Meeting

A Meeting of the Bray Town Commissioners held in the Court House Bray on Monday the 4th March 1867

Present in the Chair

The Right Honourable
The Earl of Meath

Other Commissioners

Edw Verner, P. Jackson
George Hudson, Chas Cutland, Edw Kelly,
Alfred Lotheren & John Quin Esqs

The Minutes of previous Meeting were read and compared

✓ Letter read from ^{Mr George Keogh} Octavius O'Brien Esq stating that they have been pressed for payment of some items of expenditure in connection with the costs in the matter of the "Bray Township Act",

Read,

✓ Permission was given to the British Electric Telegraph Company to erect the necessary posts between the Railway Bridge in the Township and so far as the jurisdiction of the Commissioners extends, with the view of forming ^{a line of telegraph} a communication with the officials at the Water Works at Roundwood

adopted.

✓ The Bye Laws for the Registration and Regulation of Lodging Houses within the Township were ordered to be forwarded for the sanction of His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland

adopted

✓ Letter read from Mr John Bruce one of the sureties of John Rice, late Collector requesting of the Comm^{rs} to appoint their own Collector to ascertain the amount of his liability without prejudice to the rights and interests of the Board of Town Commissioners

ordered,

Moved by Mr Hudson

Seconded by Mr Kelly

and Resolved,

✓ That in compliance with the request contained in Mr John Bruce's letter of the 4th March last, we hereby appoint Mr Edw Kennedy to assist him in calling in the uncollected rates left by the late Collector, Mr John Rice, and we hereby transfer the powers as granted under the Warrant to the said John Rice and which bears date 4th March 1867, to the said Edward Kennedy for said purpose adopted

✓ Letter read from the Board of Public Works, enclosing copy of report received from their Engineer Mr Forsyth on the sewerage for the Township as proposed to be carried out by Mr Brett,

ordered

✓ Mr Brett to report on the alterations suggested by Mr Forsyth and present it to the Board at their next Meeting adopted,

✓ Letter read from Mr John Nelson requesting information as to the valuation of premises called "Killarney House"

Read

Letter read from the Board of Trade dated 25th February 1867, stating in reply to the objections of the Commissioners to the Provisional order which has been applied for by the promoters of the Bray Pier, that the Board of Trade do not consider the objections in question such as they can entertain

Read

From same office dated 23rd February 1867, requesting answers to certain queries in the matter of the Commissioners application for the approval of the Board of Trade, to enable them to borrow money for Harbour purposes from the Public Works Loan Commissioners London

ordered,

Moved by Mr Kerner
seconded by Mr Jackson
and Resolved,

That the Harbour Committee meet on Saturday next the 9th Inst at 12 o'clock in order to consider the reply to their Memorial and the queries from the Board of Trade,

adopted,

From George Keogh Esq stating that if the Board would appoint a Committee to take possession of the Commons on any day this week either Mr Orpen or Mr Green will arrange to attend

ordered,

That Mr Jackson and Mr Kelly be authorized to take possession of the Commons from the Commons Commissioners, on the part of this Board on Thursday next the 7th Inst at 12 o'clock

adopted

Letter read from the Public Works Loans Comm^{rs} dated 23rd February 1867, directing the attention of the Board to their letter of 19th Inst, and stating that no steps can be taken in the matter until they are informed whether it is intended that the Loan applied for for Harbour purposes is to be made under the act 24th & 25th Vic, Cap 47, entitled "Harbours and Passing Tolls &c Act 1861"

ordered

Referred for consideration of Harbour Committee,

Letter read from the Alliance Consumers Gas Company stating that the price charged for lighting the Public Lamps within the Township does not afford sufficient profit to enable them to extend the credit asked for,

ordered,

Moved by Mr Hudson
seconded by Mr Jackson

and Resolved,

That in as much as the three years contract entered into with the old Towns Comm^{rs} contained no undertaking to pay either half yearly or quarterly, and that the habit heretofore was to pay yearly we cannot depart from it during the continuance of said Contract

adopted,

Resolved,

That Mr Cope be instructed to attend at Mr Keogh's office in Dublin in order to settle the Rate Book and the proportions to be levied for the different purposes contemplated by the Act

adopted

Moved by Mr Jackson
Seconded by Mr Hudson
and Resolved,

That in as much as the Collector has not named securities that have been approved of by the Board, that the time be extended to our next Meeting on the 18th Inst, for the Collector to name other Sureties, and in case of failure that said appointment be cancelled,

adopted

Moved by Mr Hudson
Seconded by Mr Jackson
and Resolved,

That to meet the present liabilities it is expedient that ~~some~~ One Hundred pound debentures Mortgages be issued for the amount of Two Thousand Pounds at five percent Interest secured on the Township Rates, and that Messrs O'Brien and Keogh be directed to take the necessary steps to carry out the above Resolution

adopted,

Moved by Mr Hudson
Seconded by Mr Kelly
and Resolved,

That Mr Cope be authorized to employ a competent person to assist him in writing up the Ratebook at a sum not exceeding £10

Adopted,

Moved by Mr Verner
Seconded by Mr Jackson
and Resolved

That Mr Cope be authorized

to let Mr Brett have the plans made by him of the Harbour, and Mr Pittland to have Mr Gahan's and Mr Waller's his own plan to be returned at the Meeting of the Harbour Committee on Saturday next the 9th Inst,

adopted,

Resolved unanimously

That it is due to the Memory of the late William Dargow Esq to express the sincere sorrow of the Board at the melancholy event which has deprived us of his services,

That as all his public labors justly deserve to be considered as successive developments of the industrial resources of his Country, so his death will long be felt as a national loss, and by none more deservedly than by the people of Bray who are fully sensible how much they owe to the kindness, liberality and enlightened taste which prompted and encouraged every species of improvement within the Township, and that a copy of this Resolution be sent to his Widow

adopted,

Letter read from Mr Sotheren stating that a public sewer is much wanted leading from the private sewers of the different holdings situated at Bloody Bank, Little Bray

Read, Clerk,

The Inspector was instructed to serve the necessary notice on all parties whose premises are within 100 yards of ~~the~~ a main sewer, to require them to run a branch ^{pipe} into said main sewer,

adopted,

R H Page

Letter read from Mr George Keogh stating that if the Commissioners appoint a committee to take possession of the Fair Green this week either Mr O'Keefe or Mr Green will arrange to attend on some day that may be mutually convenient

ordered

That Messrs Jackson and O'Kelly be authorized to take possession of the Green, from the Commissioners on the part of the Board on Friday next at 12 o'clock
adopted

A Meeting of the Bray Town Commissioners held in the Court House Bray on Monday the 18th March 1867

Present in the Chair

The Right Honorable
The Earl of Meath

Other Commissioners

P. Warburton Jackson, George Hudson, Matthew O'Kelly Dease, Edm^d W. O'Kelly and Alfred Lothern Esqrs.

The Minutes of previous Meeting were read and compared,

A Memorial to the Board of Trade on behalf of the Bray Township Commissioners in opposition to the Confirmation of the Provisional order now sought for by the Promoters of the Bray Pier and Harbour Company, having been read and agreed to by the Board,
It was moved by Mr Jackson seconded by Mr O'Kelly Dease and Resolved

That the Earl of Meath as Chairman of the Bray Towns Commissioners be authorized to sign such Memorial, that the Seal of the Commissioners be affixed thereto, and that the Clerk be directed to forward the Memorial to the Board of Trade -

adopted,

Moved by Mr O'Reilly Dease
Seconded by Mr Jackson
and Resolved,

That Messrs O'Brien and Keogh be
requested to apply to the Executors of the late
Captain Norton, and John Brennan Esq for
the subscriptions for which they were liable towards
the expenses of Bray Harbour,
adopted,

The Inspector of Nuisances was directed to serve
the following persons with notices requiring
them to make a sufficient sewer from their
houses to communicate with the main sewer
which runs within 100 feet of the site of their
respective houses, viz, Messrs Garrett Byrne
Denis Nolan, Richard Kealey and Mr Coghlan
all of the main street Bray
adopted,

The report of the Harbour Committee agreed to by
them, at their meeting on Saturday the 9th Inst,
was brought forward, read and confirmed
by the Commissioners at their meeting this day
and the Clerk was instructed to forward
to the Board of Trade the several documents
referred to in report of the Committee in question,
adopted,

Letter read from Mr Alex^r Canning offering as
his sureties for the due and proper collection
of the several Rates authorized to be levied under
the "Bray Townships Act 1866," the names of
Mr James Coghlan, & Mr Christopher Murray
both of Bray in the County of Wicklow
ordered,

Sureties accepted and Bond to be
legally completed,

The Board proceeded to consider the Estimate
for the Rate for the period ending 31st Decr
1867, and after reading a letter from Mr George
Keogh on the subject
It was moved by Mr Hudson
Seconded by Mr Jackson
and Unanimously Resolved

That a rate of
Two Shillings and Three pence in the £ be struck
as the Township rate for the general purposes
of the Act, and that a rate of Three pence
in the £ be struck for the purposes of paying
the expenses of the Bill,
adopted -

Letter read from Mr William Lewis of Senister Chambers
Dome street requesting to have his plan and Report
on the proposed Harbour for Bray returned to him
ordered

That Mr Miles and Mr Lewis's plans
be returned to them,

Letter read from Mr Stevenson of the Alliance &
Dublin Consumers Gas Company stating that
it is the rule and practice of the Gas Company ^{to require} ~~to~~
quarterly payments, but that in the case of the
Bray Commissioners the rule will be relaxed
to the extent of allowing the account for Public
lighting to run for six months, but that beyond
that period it cannot be permitted to remain
in arrear,

ordered

Company to be referred to the
Commissioners former letter,

From the Secretary to the Grand Jury of the County of Wicklow stating that the Grand Jury at the last Spring assizes had approved of the Resolutions adopted by the joint Committee of the Towns Commissioners of Bray and Members of the Grand Jury aforesaid at a Meeting held on the 13th September 1866, provided on submitting the case to competent Authority there appears to be precedent for so doing,

ordered,

That Messrs O'Brien and Keogh be requested to attend at Master Fitz Gibbons's office to obtain the Master's sanction to the payment of the sum recommended by the Grand Jury,

adopted

From Mr Brett County Surveyor having reference to Mr Horsyth's report to the Commissioners of Public Works, on the sufficiency of the Plans and Estimates for the sewerage of ^{the} Township and submitted observations thereon for the consideration of the Bray Towns Commissioners

ordered,

That the ^{same} Memorials submitted to the Board in accordance with the letter received from the office of Public Works dated 21st February 1867, be approved of, and that the Clerk be instructed to forward ~~them~~ a copy of one them to the Public Works Loan Comm^{rs} and the other to the Commissioners of the Board of Public Works together with the amended Plans, Drawings, Estimates and Specifications in connection with the proposed system of sewerage for the Township,

adopted.

The following accounts were examined and ordered to be paid

J. DeLope for incidental Expenses incurred	£ 4..0..10
Pat Byrne for Tiles laid in Sewer in Little Bray	" 0..15..9
Michael Byrne Carriage of pipes	" 7..2..0
Chas Hogan account book	" 0..4..6
Robert Brown balance of pipes purchased by Michl Byrne, and afterwards taken by the Commissioners to be used in the constructing sewers within the Township	32..3..7
J. DeLope, Copy of Rate book	10..0..0
	<hr/> 54..6..8

The next Meeting of the Commissioners to be held on Monday the 1st April 1867.

A Meeting of the Bray Town Commissioners
held in the Court House Bray on Monday
the 1st April 1867

Present in the Chair

Mr Harborton Jackson
other Commissioners. Mr Kelly, George Hudson
Andrew Kehoe, Edw Breslin, John Quinn
Stephen Rawerty, Matthew Keilly Dease

The Minutes of previous Meeting were read
and compared

Secretary instructed to request Messrs Keogh & Brien
to inform the Board whether they have received
any communication from the Executors of the late
Capt Norton & John Brennan Esqrs as to their
liability for the sums named by them respectively
towards the expenses of the proposed Harbour
at Bray

adopted
Moved by Mr Dease
seconded by Mr Hudson
and Resolved

That the thanks of this Board are
eminently due to C. W. Kerner Esq. M.P. for the very
great care and labour he has given to protect the interests
of the Town of Bray in the recent discussion with this Board
of Trade, and the Secretary is requested to notify
this Board this resolution to Mr C. W. Kerner
adopted,

Letter read from the Board of Trade dated 21st
March 1867, addressed to Mr C. W. Kerner on the
subject of the statement of the Bray Commissioners
in opposition to the grant of a provisional order
which has been applied for by the "Bray Pier
and Harbour Company" and stating for the
information of the Commissioners that the
Board of Trade will not object to the insertion
in the order of a clause to the following effect which
will probably meet the case of the Bray Town
Commissioners viz

"Nothing in this order shall take away or
abridge any right, privilege, power, jurisdiction
or authority given or reserved to any person
or Corporation by any local or special Act
of Parliament without the consent in writing
of such person or Corporation"

ordered

Letter to be returned to Mr Kerner

Letter from Mr Brien dated "Covent Garden London"
23rd March 1867 having reference to the subject
referred to in the foregoing letter and stating
that Mr Kerner had attended at the Board of Trade
and that they had a satisfactory interview
with the officials of that office

Read

Proposed by Mr Keilly Dease, seconded by Mr John
Quinn and Resolved

That Mr Keilly Dease be requested
to arrange with Lord Meath to fix an early day
to accompany him to the Board of Works for the
purpose of requesting the assistance of their Engineer
to attend before this Board to select the most
suitable plan for the Harbour
adopted

The Clerk reported that the rate will be prepared to be advertised as soon as the collection of the old rate is completed
adopted

Resolved

That Mr Brett be requested to remind Mr Keogh to attend to the letter from the Secretary of the Grand Jury as to the return of a portion of the County cess.

adopted

Letter read from the Office of Public Works dated 26th March 1867, acknowledging receipt of the Commissioners letter of 25th Inst together with amended plans, Estimates & Specifications on the Sewerage proposed for the Township
Read

Letter read from Public Works Loan Office, acknowledging receipt of the Commissioners Memorial dated 25th Inst, making application to this Board for a Loan of £3000 for to supply the Township with Water, and stating that the Memorial will be laid before the Public Works Loan Commissioners at their next Meeting
Read

The following proposal was accepted by the Board

"I propose to take the grazing of the Peoples Park for sheep at 2/6 per week, possession to be given at one weeks notice

She is to take care of all the gates

Signed John Brucey
dated April 12th 1867

The following notice was given by Mr Breslin that at the next Monthly Meeting he will move that Mr H. Krugemill be elected a Commissioner of this Board in the place of the late lamented Mr Dargan
Read

Mr Jackson reported that he met Mr Spew one of the Common Commissioners by appointment and that he duly took up possession of the Fair Green and Peoples Park on the part of the Bray Town Commissioners
adopted

Moved by Mr Kelly
Seconded by Mr Kehoe
and Resolved

That Estimate having been laid before us for the borrowing of a sum of £2000 to pay the Cost & Expenses of obtaining the Bray Improvement Act 1866, Notice of same be given in the Irish Times Newspaper
adopted

The following A/cs were examined and ordered to be paid

Joseph Kelly, Lime & pipes	£ 15 ^{..} 12 ^{..} 9
Evening Mail advertisements	" 1 ^{..} 5 ^{..} 6
Richard's &c. Incidental	" 9 ^{..} 0
B. M. Cantire, Mens Wages	" 4 ^{..} 1 ^{..} 7
Wallers &c for printing	" 5 ^{..} 11 ^{..} 0
W. Cope 3 months Salary	" 7 ^{..} 10 ^{..} 0
	£ 34 ^{..} 9 ^{..} 10

A Special Meeting of Bray Towns Comm^{rs}
held in the Court House Bray on Saturday the
5th April 1867

Present in the Chair

The Right Honorable
The Earl of Meath

Other Commissioners.

Matthew O'Reilly Dease
Marburton Jackson, James Thornton, George
Hudson and Stephen Raverty Esqrs.

The Requisition signed by Five Commissioners directing
the Clerk to convene a Meeting of the Board for this
day having been read

The Earl of Meath reported
that his Lordship, Mr Dease, and Mr Hudson, waited
on the Board of Works to ascertain if their Engineer
would attend the Harbour Committee to assist
them in selecting a plan for the proposed Harbour
and that they stated it was contrary to the rule of
their Board to do so; His Lordship also ^{stated} ~~mentioned~~
that ~~he~~ he mentioned the matter to Mr Cotton
Engineer to the ~~Dock~~ Ballast Board, who
replied by letter that he had no objection to
inspect the plans and locality and his terms
would be £ 5⁰ 5⁰ per day, and that he thought
it would occupy two days,

adopted

A letter was read from Mr O'Brien, dated 5th April
1867, asking the Board to pass a resolution
authorizing him and Mr Keogh to take such
~~steps~~ further steps (if any) to protect the rights of
the Township against the acts of the promoters of the
"Bray Pier Company" now before the Board of Trade

It was proposed by Mr Dease
seconded by Mr Hudson
and unanimously Resolved

That Messrs O'Brien
and Keogh be authorized to take such steps
as they may think necessary in the matter
adopted

It was moved by Mr Jackson
seconded by Mr Thornton
and Resolved

That the Board having read the
reply of Mr Cotton to the communication addressed
to him by the Earl of Meath, requested the Earl of Meath
to arrange ~~that~~ ^{with} Mr Cotton to attend at Bray on the
earliest possible day to inspect the plans for the
Improvement of Bray Harbour, and to report
thereon to the Board

adopted

The Secretary was instructed to cause a Board
to be prepared setting forth the Fair Dolls
preparatory to opening the Fair Green on
the 1st of May, also to see Mr Keogh as to
the steps necessary to be taken to give notice
to the public either by advertisement or
placard

adopted

The Meeting was adjourned to Monday the
15th April 1867.

A Meeting of the Bray Town Commissioners held in the Court House Bray on Monday the 15th April 1867

Present in the Chair

The Right Honorable
The Earl of Meath

Other Commissioners

Alfred Sothern Marburton Jackson, James Thornton, Edw^d Breslin, Edm^d Kelly, Andrew Kehoe, George Hudson, Stephen Raverty ~~xxxx~~ John O'Neill Esqs and John Quin Esqs,

The Minutes of previous Meetings were read and compared

5 Letter read from Mr Cotton. C. E. to the Ballast Board Dublin requesting to be furnished with a ~~copy~~ Copy of the report adopted by the Harbour Committee

Read

From Mr George Keogh enclosing forms of notices and resolutions required to be adopted in the matter of the Commissioners proposition to borrow a sum of money sufficient to meet the expenses of the Bray Improvement Act 1866

ordered,

Request Mr Keogh to inform the Board of the exact sum the Commissioners should estimate for, after making proper allowance for the several reductions proposed to be made on the prompt settlement by the Commissioners of the several accounts by Cash payments

adopted

From Mr Alfred Gahan stating that his Plans for the construction of the proposed Harbour at Bray were forwarded by the Board of Trade on the 4th Inst,

ordered

Clerk to write to Board of Trade to know how the plans were addressed and forwarded, also to write to Mr Gahan that the plans &c have not up to this date reached the Commissioners office and that so soon as they do, they are to be forwarded to Mr Cotton

adopted

From the Board of Public Works requesting to have 10 per Cent added to the estimate of the sums proposed to be expended on the Sewerage of the Township, and that it may be then returned to their office with a new Memorial for the increased amount

ordered,

Estimate to be amended and new Memorial to be prepared and forwarded as requested

adopted

From Mr George Keogh, enclosing a report on the steps to be taken previous to the opening of the new Fair Green,

ordered

Resolved that the Board do adjourn to Saturday the 20th Inst, to consider the amount of dues to be collected on fatted Sheep and other Animals, admitted into the fair green for sale and to take such steps as may be necessary to secure a proper person to act as Mr Cooper's successor,