

A Special meeting of Gray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Gray at 10.30 a.m. on Friday 6th May 1904 pursuant to following requisition viz:-

Gray  
28th April 04

The Clerk to the Council,  
Town Hall Gray

Please convene a Special meeting of the Gray Urban District Council to be held in the Town Hall Gray at 10.30 a.m. on Friday 6th day of May 1904 for the purpose of

- (a) Considering report of Electric Light Committee in reference to appointing an Electrical Engineer.
- (b) To appoint Electrical Engineer, or make such re-arrangement of Offices in connection with the appointment as may under the circumstances seem advisable.

(Signed) G. H. Reigh  
 C. A. McCrear  
 Matthew O'Syrene  
 C. B. Mc Donogh  
 W. A. H. Farland

Present:-  
 Councillor G. H. Reigh, G.P. (in Chair)  
 " W. A. H. Farland G.P.  
 " G. Phurkett  
 " G. Mc Donogh  
 " G. Fee  
 " G. B. Mc Cormick G.P.  
 " W. A. H. Farland  
 " C. B. Mc Donogh  
 " C. A. Mc Crear  
 " G. B. Mc Donogh G.P.  
 " H. J. Carroll

Councillor B. Purke  
 " R. O'Syrene  
 " J. Condrin

The Clerk to the Council read the requisition and notice convening meeting.

With The Clerk submitted draft Conditions of appointment and read following report from Electric Light Committee:-  
Gentlemen.

As directed by last meeting of the Council your Electric Light Com. met in the Town Hall on Wednesday 4th Inst for the purpose of interviewing six candidates selected by Mr. R. Hammond out of 68 applications for the post of Electrical Engineer to the Council viz:-

A. J. Carlett. Electrical Engineer, Shenon, Dro.  
 C. B. Clancy. Assistant Engineer, Dublin Corporation  
 A. J. Evans. " " Gray  
 G. R. Heston. Carlisle

W. H. Miller. Station Superintendent, Belfast.  
 M. J. W. Butler. Civil Electrical Engineer, Doncaster  
 Mr. Heston wrote withdrawing his candidature and the Committee interviewed the other five candidates who were in attendance, and recommend that the Council should appoint M. J. W. Butler, Civil Electrical Engineer, Doncaster, to the vacant post at a salary of £200 a year, and that the salary of Mr. A. J. Evans, Assistant Engineer be increased to £100 a year.

All of which the Committee submit as their report.  
Wm. Purke  
Chairman

A letter dated 5th May was read from Mr. C. B. Clancy withdrawing from position of candidate



for final vote re appointment of Electrical Engineer.

Councillor Purke moved and Councillor McFarland seconded:-

"That the report and recommendation of the Electric Light Committee be adopted and that Mr. G. Baxter be and is hereby appointed Electrical Engineer to the Council at £200 per annum."

Councillor Cordrin moved as an amendment and Councillor Plunkett seconded:-

"That the Council disagree with the report and direct that the appointment be re-advertised at a salary of £200 a year" These voted "For" the amendment Councillors Cordrin,

Plunkett, O'Syane & McSinnott (4)

"Against" Councillors Reigh, McCreagh, McTear, McSinnott, McFarland, Purke, O'Connell, and Mr. A. Cochrane (10)

The amendment was accordingly lost.

Councillor Plunkett moved as a further amendment and Councillor Cordrin seconded:-

"That the Council disagree with report and appoint Mr Evans as Electrical Engineer at a salary of £150 a year"

These voted "For" the amendment Councillors Cordrin, McSinnott, McSinnott, Plunkett and O'Syane (5)

"Against" Councillors Reigh, McCreagh, McTear, McSinnott, McFarland, Purke, O'Connell & Mr. A. Cochrane (9)

The amendment being lost the original motion was then put and these voted:-

"For" Councillors Reigh, McCreagh, McTear, McSinnott, McSinnott, McFarland, Purke, O'Connell, McSinnott & Mr. A. Cochrane (11)

"Against" Councillors Plunkett, Cordrin & O'Syane (3)  
The motion was declared carried and Mr. Baxter duly elected. Mr. Baxter signed the conditions of appointment.

The Town Clerk stated that it would be necessary that notice of motion should be handed in to increase Mr Evans' salary. Notice of motion for next meeting was accordingly handed in by Mr. Purke to rescind all orders of the Council having reference to increases of salary in so far as they relate to Mr Evans whose salary should be increased to £100 per annum.

The Surveyor wrote suggesting that an extension of time be granted to Contractor for completion of Cottages under Housing of the Working Classes Act. Ordered:- Extension of time to ten months granted.

*John Purke  
16 March 1901*







Councillor Purkett moved and Councillor  
Mr. Donnell seconded:-

"That Mr. Bostington's tender be accepted  
for the entire work done in Quirkworth  
as specified viz:- £527:0:0 & £1607:0:0  
subject to approval of Local Board"

Here voted for the amendment Councillors Purkett,  
Purkett and Mr. Donnell (3)

"Against" Councillors Mr. Kea, Mr. Kealy,  
O'Connell, Mr. Ireland, Mr. Connors,  
Condon, Mr. O'Connell & High (9)

Councillor O'Byrne did not vote.

The amendment was accordingly lost.

Councillor O'Connell moved as a further  
amendment and Councillor Mr. Ireland seconded:-

"That Mr. Bostington's tender be accepted  
at £1286 for the houses in Little Bray  
in concrete and cement plastering, and  
that Mr. Keane's tender be accepted for  
10 houses at Town Hall at £1630 for concrete  
and outer walls in brick"

Here voted for the amendment Councillors Mr. Kea,  
O'Connell, Mr. Ireland, Mr. Connors  
and High (5)

"Against" Councillors Purkett, Mr. Donnell,  
Mr. Kealy, Condon, O'Byrne,  
Purkett & Mr. O'Connell (8)

The amendment being lost the original  
resolution was put and carried unanimously.

Councillor Kea handed in notice of motion for reading  
of bill May 1904 re allotment of £3,000 Bray  
Township 33 1/4 of Redeemable Adventure Stock  
to National Bank re Citizens' Dwelling Loan  
for payment of amount awarded for sites &c

It was ordered that the Bond in re Citizens'  
Dwelling Loan should be prepared by Mr.

A. G. White Solicitor.

It was ordered that a list of works be  
advertised for at £2 per week.

It was ordered that the purchase money for  
sites should be paid and that the Engineer  
should arrange for making road and  
clearing sites.

*J. M. Purkett*  
16 May 1904



A Special Meeting of Bray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Bray at 10.30 a.m. on Monday 16th May 1904 for the purpose of considering Statement and Estimate of Rates.

- Present:-
- Councillor J. B. Reigh J.P. (in Chair)
  - " J. Desmond
  - " W. H. Ireland
  - " C. A. H. Crea
  - " C. B. H. Donogh
  - " Denis Healy
  - " A. J. O'Connell
  - " W. E. Tanu J.P.
  - " Matthew O'Syane
  - " Philip Condon
  - " William Purke
  - " Sir A. Lockhart <sup>Baronet</sup>
  - " J. E. H. Cornick J.P.
  - " J. Purdett
  - " Edward Lee

The Clerk read the requisition and notice convening the meeting and submitted the Estimate. It was decided to adjourn the consideration of the Estimate until 20th June 1904. A Special Meeting of the Council to be convened. The meeting adjourned.

Joseph Purke  
6 June 04

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- Present:-
- Councillor J. B. Reigh J.P. (in Chair)
  - " Sir A. Lockhart <sup>Baronet</sup>
  - " W. E. Tanu J.P.
  - " J. Desmond
  - " W. H. Ireland
  - " C. A. H. Crea
  - " Edward Lee
  - " C. B. H. Donogh
  - " Denis Healy
  - " A. J. O'Connell
  - " M. O'Syane
  - " P. Condon
  - " W. Purke
  - " J. E. H. Cornick J.P.
  - " J. Purdett

8334 The minutes of meeting of 2nd May and of Special Meeting of 16th May were read and confirmed.

8335 The report of meeting of General Purposes Committee of 10th May was adopted on the motion of Councillor Purke seconded by Councillor H. Desmond excepting paragraph No 1136 re Heat School Disinfection of which was referred back to Committee for further consideration.

8336 The report of meeting of Public Health Committee of 10th May was adopted on the motion of Councillor Lee seconded by Councillor O'Connell.

8337 The report of meeting of Electric Light Committee



of 9th May was adopted on the motion of Councillor Burke seconded by Councillor Lordin. It was ordered that sea ball & Seltzer lights should be paid for the season.

8338. The report of meeting of Harbour Committee of 9th May was adopted on the motion of Councillor R. Lomnick seconded by Councillor R. Coa.

8339 Letter dated 2nd & 3rd May from Secretary Aberdeen Bank stating that the Bank would take the entire issue of £12,500 stock in the Putmans Dwellings scheme at par in such instalments as may be required from time to time by the Council. Read.

8340 Pursuant to notice of motion Councillor Lee moved and Councillor O'Byrne seconded: "That £3,000 May Township Redeemable Adventure Stock be allotted to Aberdeen Bank at par, as per their letter of 3rd May 1904, and placed to credit of Putmans Dwellings Account". Passed.

8341 It was ordered that the following letter from the Most Rev D. Donnelly should be inserted on the minutes viz:-

St. Peter's  
May, 6th 1904  
May 10th 1904

Dear Sir,  
I am greatly touched and deeply thankful for the very kind and flattering

resolution passed unanimously by the May Urban District Council on 2nd inst of which you were good enough to forward me a copy.

I know not what I can do to earn such a kindly recognition, and everything in the way of improvement effected during the decade of my administration of the Parish to the work of the people themselves who generously responded to my numerous calls upon them. When I say the people I mean the whole people of May, for I cannot forget the substantial help contributed by those who do not share my religious belief, and with whom I was happy to feel that I had been able to maintain such cordial friendly relations. Believe me when I say that I leave May with regret and can wish no better good luck to my successor in office than the good wishes and cordial co-operation of a people in all the good work he may be disposed to undertake.

With renewed thanks  
I remain,  
Yours faithfully

Thos Donnelly Esq (Ed) + M. Donnelly

Councillor Sir A. Cochrane proposed and Councillor Burke seconded:-

"That the resolution adopted at last meeting in re the Most Rev D. Donnelly be engrossed and presented to the Bishop under Seal. Passed unanimously

8342 The Local Government Board Auditors, by J. J. [unclear]



wrote stating that he would attend at the Town Hall on 26th May for the purpose of auditing the accounts of the Council for Year ended 31st March 1908  
Read and noted

8343 Pursuant to notice of motion Councillor Burke moved and Councillor O. Carroll seconded:-

"That Standing Order or resolution as to increases of salary being only considered in the month of February be rescinded so far as it relates to Mr. J. Evans Assistant Electrical Engineer and that his salary be increased to £100 per annum as from 1st May 1908."  
Passed unanimously

8344 Councillor O. Carroll's motion in re appointment of solicitor was referred to General Purposes Comt

8345 Pursuant to advertisement Mrs Fitzgerald submitted tender for renting of Ladies Baths for Season 1908 as follows:-

Tariff Adults 3<sup>d</sup> Children 1<sup>d</sup> £60  
" " 2<sup>d</sup> " " 1<sup>d</sup> £50

Ordered:- Tender accepted with tariff Adults 3<sup>d</sup> and Children 1<sup>d</sup> at £50.  
Bond to be prepared by Town Clerk.

Pursuant to advertisement tenders were received for cargo of coal required at Electric Light Works from:-

Name	Class of Coal	Percentage of Cargo	Price per ton
P. Ashcroft	Hydoley		12/9
J. Keiton & Co	Syncothay	50	14/3
"	Corrivy Vale	50	14/6
Keutley & Co	Various	Not stated	12/3 to 15/1

Name	Class of Coal	Percentage of Cargo	Price per ton
Patrick O'Leary	Best No. 1 & No. 2	65	15/3
"	Ordinary	40 to 50	13/6
J. Miller & Co	Best No. 1 & No. 2	50 to 40	13/3 to 14/9
M. C. O'Connell	Best No. 1	50	14/7
Evans & Co	Shredded	55	13/10 1/2
J. P. O'Connell	Black Rock	25 to 50	13/3 to 14/1
J. Ford & Co	Best No. 1 & No. 2	40 to 45	13/6
Robert Ballance & Co	Best No. 1 & No. 2	50	13/3 to 13/9
J. R. Barrett	Best No. 1 & No. 2	50	14/6
Wigan Coal Coy	Best No. 1 & No. 2	-	13/-
Edward McLaughlin	Best No. 1 & No. 2	20	13/6
J. B. Jeffrey & Co	Best No. 1 & No. 2	50	13/6 to 13/6
J. P. O'Connell & Co	Best No. 1 & No. 2	40 to 45	13/3
"	102 Shredded	50	13/6
"	Broken Pellets	50	13/6
A. Miller & Co	Best No. 1 & No. 2	65 to 70	12/3
E. B. Cook & Co	Best No. 1 & No. 2	50 to 3	14/1 to 12/6

On the motion of Councillor Burke seconded by Councillor M. C. O'Connell the tender of Messrs E. B. Cook & Co was accepted for cargo of Primrose coal at 14/1 per ton, or to 2 Shredded if Primrose not satisfactory in re percentage of cargo etc

8347 Pursuant to advertisement applications were received for lot of work of works for proposed Artisans' Dwellings from:-

- Mr Charles Brady Quay
- " John Jackson "
- " Patrick Pateman "
- " M. J. C. Cully Newtown Mount Kennedy
- " James O'Leary Quay
- " Martin Longton "

The Chairman said that the Councillors could vote for any candidate they considered best qualified. The Council divided and those voted for Longton Councillor M. J. C. Cully



O. Carroll, Huntlett, O. Byrne,  
 Condren, Purke, Kealy, Feighan  
 "St. Patrick's" Councillor Cochrane, Mr. Farrell,  
 Mr. Lea, Mr. Donoghue, Mr. L. O'Connell,  
 Mr. Carmick (7)

Mr. Langton was accordingly declared  
 elected in accordance with conditions  
 submitted.

8348. Judgment Receipt for £5:16:10 and £15:13:6  
 being amount of dividends on Council's  
 holding in Lagan Stock to 1st May 1904  
 submitted.

Ordered: Received & Lodged

8349. Letter dated 11th May from Secretary Amusement  
 Committee in re Advertising Tray.  
 Read.

8350. Letter dated 10th May from Messrs Craig & Day  
 in re Mickell + Tray Council and stating  
 that the Court had decided in favour of the  
 Council and against the contention of the  
 Petitioners with reference to payment of costs  
 but gave the Petitioners costs. Read.

It was ordered that the following amount  
 awarded by Arbitrator in re O'Connell's Dwelling  
 schemes should be paid viz:-

Robt. W. Mickell	£489:8:1
Earl of Pembroke	38:0:0
Mr James Loggins	1:0
Earl of Meath	1:10:0
Mr J. Bennett	144:7:6
Mr G. R. Bennett	275:15:4
Mr Kathleen Smyth	12:0:0
Mr W. Allen	16:0:0
Mr J. E. O'Connell	432:12:6
Weekly Rent in occupation	28:4:0

It was also ordered that Messrs Hamilton  
 and Craig be paid their cost of £126:8:11  
 in re Housing of the Working Classes and  
 that Mr C. A. Suttler be paid £50 on account  
 of fees on O'Connell's Dwellings.

8362. Letter dated 13th May from Hon. Sec. Amusement  
 Committee asking permission  
 to enclose portion of tea hall on Ward  
 night.

8363. The Town Clerk submitted list of queries  
 and answers in re sitting of Post Law  
 Refery Commission to be held in Wicklow  
 on Tuesday 17th May 1904.

Ordered:- Answers to be signed  
 by delegate Messrs. G. Donohue & Lee and Mr. Clerk,  
 and forwarded to Secretary Post Law  
 Commission.

8364. Letter dated 9th May from Secretary Local  
 Government Board asking for copy of  
 Council's Minutes of Proceedings relating  
 to proposal to increase salary of Sanitary  
 Sub-Officer. Read. Town Clerk to  
 reply.

8365. Letter from Messrs Hamilton & Craig in re Baker  
 and Electric Light App.  
 Referred to General Purpose Com.

8366. Letter dated 11th May 1904 from Mr. C. D. Baile  
 in re Contract for O'Connell's Dwellings  
 Read and noted.

It was proposed by Councillor Purke and  
 seconded by Councillor Lee:-

"That in the event of Mr. Baile not appearing  
 of Mr. Berthington's Sureties, the Chairman



Proposer and Recorder of this resolution and Clerk of the Council, to and is hereby authorized to approve of other names to be submitted and if he considers it advisable to do so  
Passed

8368 Letter from Mr. J. A. Swayne re Novara Road  
Read.

8369 Orders for supplying Rocky Valley Stone were received from Mr. G. Bourke and Mr. J. Oyster @ 2/10 per ton.  
Ordered:- Council will take stones at price not exceeding 2/8 per ton.

*Empthor Plunkett  
to Council*

A Special Meeting of May Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall May at 10.30 a.m. on Friday 20th May 1904 pursuant to following requisition:-  
May 17th Mayor  
to the Town Clerk.

Please convene a Special Meeting of May Urban District Council to be held in the Town Hall May at 11.30 a.m. on Friday 20th Inst for the purpose of considering Estimates of Township Rates for Year ending 31st March 1905 and to adopt same or act otherwise in relation thereto as under the circumstances may seem advisable.

Signed:- J. B. Deigh  
John Mc Dermott  
W. A. Mc Farland  
C. A. Mc Clea  
Edward Leo

Present:-  
Councillor J. B. Deigh, J.P. (in Chair)  
" W. A. Mc Farland  
" J. B. Mc Cormick, J.P.  
" J. Plunkett  
" C. B. Mc Joseph  
" A. J. Carroll  
" H. O'Connell  
" J. Condon  
" W. Burke

8371 The Town Clerk read the requisition and notice convening meeting.

8372 Councillor Burke moved and Councillor Condon seconded:-  
"That having considered Statement & Estimate

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of Rates for Year ending 31st March 1905  
we hereby adopt same so as to make  
a gross rate of 7/6 and that Notice of  
Intention to make said Rate at a  
Special Meeting of Council to be held  
on 8th day of June at 10.30 or 2.30 to be  
published as required by Statute."

Councillor Plunkett moved as an amendment  
and Councillor O'Shane seconded:-

"That the gross Rates be struck at 6/6  
in the £."

Also voted for the amendment Councillors

Plunkett and O'Shane (2)

"Against" Councillors Leigh, Purke,

McDonogh, Cordrin, McFarland

and O'Carroll (6)

The amendment being lost the original  
motion was put and adopted.

A letter on behalf of the Amalgamated Society  
of Carpenters and Joiners was submitted  
asking the Council to receive a deputation  
from that body on the subject of Prisoners  
Swellings.

The Council received the deputation and  
the letter having explained their views on the  
subject withdrew.

Councillor Plunkett handed in notice of motion  
for next meeting as follows:-

"That all resolutions fixing poundage for  
collection of Council Rates and Electric  
Light and Water Accounts be rescinded,  
and a Commission producing £120  
per year for those appointments be substituted,  
or that other arrangements be made."

Joseph Purke  
column at

A Special Meeting of Bray Urban District  
Council was held in the Town Hall Bray  
at 10.30 a.m. on Friday 20th May 1904  
pursuant to following requisition viz:-  
By 17th May or  
To the Town Clerk.

Bray

Please convene a Special Meeting of  
Bray Urban District Council to be held  
in the Town Hall Bray at 10.30 a.m. on  
Friday 20th May 1904 for the purpose  
of considering Opinion of Mr. J. Gordon  
H. B. in re Agreement for Water Supply  
to Bray Laundry, and to seal Agreement  
in same matter or act otherwise in  
reference thereto, as may seem advisable.

Signed:- Philip Cordrin  
G. B. Leigh  
Denis Healy  
Matthew O'Shane  
C. A. De Luca.

Present:-

- Councillor G. B. Leigh J.P. (in Chair)
- " B. A. McFarland
- " C. A. McDonogh
- " John Plunkett
- " J. B. McCormick J.P.
- " K. O'Shane
- " P. Cordrin
- " M. Purke
- " A. J. O'Carroll

3873. The Town Clerk read the requisition and  
notice convening meeting

3874. Correspondence with Messrs. Hamilton and Craig  
re the Water Agreement with Bray Laundry  
by including opinion of Mr. Gordon H. B.



stating that he considered the Agreement in its present form safe.

Councillor R. Ireland Proposed and Councillor R. Donogh seconded:-

"That, having received Mr. Gordon's (R.C.) opinion with regard to settlement of water question to Laundry in Little Bray, deed be completed in terms arranged by above Council and settled forthwith."

Councillor Burke moved as an amendment and Councillor Condrin seconded:-

"That Agreement be referred to a Special Meeting of Council to be held on Monday 30th Inst. so that water referring to the right of the people of Little Bray be further considered."

Vote voted for the amendment Councillors Hurkett, Condrin, Burke and the Chairman (4)

Against Councillors R. Ireland, R. Donogh, & R. Connick (3)

The amendment was accordingly carried and adopted as a substantive resolution.

The meeting adjourned.

*Joseph D. Burke*  
*6 June 1904*

A Special Meeting of Bray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Bray at 10.30 a.m. on Monday 30th May 1904 Pursuant to following requisition viz:-  
Bray 24th May 1904  
The Clerk.

Bray Urban District Council  
Please convene a Special Meeting of Bray Urban District Council to be held in the Town Hall Bray at 10.30 a.m. on Monday 30th May 1904 for the purpose of signing and sealing Agreement with Bray Laundry Coy. & taking such other action as may be deemed advisable.

Agreed:- J. B. Feigh  
William Burke  
Philip Condrin  
S. B. R. Donogh  
Thomas O'Syngne

- Present:-  
Councillor J. B. Feigh J.P. (in Chair)  
" S. B. R. Donogh  
" W. B. Feigh J.P.  
" J. B. R. Connick J.P.  
" R. O'Syngne  
" S. B. R. Ireland  
" W. Burke  
" J. R. Donogh  
" J. Hurkett  
" J. Condrin  
" S. B. R. Donogh

The Town Clerk read the requisition and notice convening the meeting.

Correspondence with Messrs. Hamilton & Craig in re Bray Laundry Coy water supply Agreement including copy of letter from Mr. John Gordon R.C.



stating that the Agreement as altered by him was all right, and that the rights of persons resident in Little Quay were not and could not be affected by it. Read Councillor McFarland Proposed and Councillor Mc Cormick seconded:-

"That Agreement drafted by Council in re supply of water to the Quay Laundry Coy (Mrs Haslam) be sealed and signed."

Here voted for the motion Councillors Mc Dermott McCreagh, Mc Donogh, Le Fanu Mc Cormick, McFarland & Feigh (7) "Against" Councillors Purcell & Condrin (2) Councillor O'Byrne did not vote.

Councillor Purcell Proposed and Councillor Condrin seconded:-

"The Agreement be tendered to Mrs Haslam for completion on payment of Messrs Hamilton & Craig Costs including Counsel's fees."

Councillor McFarland Moved as an amendment and Councillor Le Fanu seconded:-

"That the Agreement be tendered to Mrs Haslam for completion on payment of all costs of this Council in the matter excepting one Counsel's fee."

Here voted for the amendment Councillors C. A. McCreagh, C. B. McDonogh, G. B. Le Fanu, J. B. Mc Cormick, A. O'Byrne, C. A. McFarland, & Feigh (7)

"Against" Councillors Purcell, Mc Dermott, Plunkett & Condrin (4)

The amendment was carried by 7 to 4 and adopted as a substantive resolution rem. con.

*J. Campbell  
C. A. McCreagh  
C. B. McDonogh*

A meeting of Quay Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Quay at 10.30 a.m. on Monday 6th June 1904.

Present:-

- Councillor J. B. Feigh, J.P. (in Chair)
- " J. B. Mc Cormick, J.P.
- " C. A. McFarland
- " C. A. McCreagh
- " John Plunkett
- " A. J. O'Carroll
- " C. B. McDonogh
- " J. Condrin
- " H. O'Byrne
- " Mr. Purcell

8379 The minutes of meetings of 16th May, 20th May and 30th May were read and confirmed.

Councillor Mc Cormick Moved and Councillor Purcell seconded

"That we, the Quay Urban District Council have learned with profound regret of the death of the Rt. Hon. Viscount Everscourt K.P. who always took a deep interest in the advancement of Quay, and to whom the residents of the District were so much indebted for valuable privileges and concessions, and we tender to his bereaved family our heartfelt sympathy and condolence."

Passed in silence. Council standing

8380 Councillor Plunkett Moved and Councillor O'Byrne:-

"That the report of meetings of the General Purposes Committee of 3rd May, 1st June and 3rd June be adopted except paragraph



in the books" Councillor Burke moved as an amendment and Councillor De Larland seconded:-  
 "That the reports of General Purposes Committee as read be adopted omitting paragraph No 1154 from words settlement of account to end of paragraph."  
 They voted "For" the amendment: Councillors  
 McCreagh, McLaughlin, Le Fanu, Carroll  
 De Larland, McCormick, Cordin  
 Burke and Reid. (9)  
 "Against" Councillors Huntlett & O'Spina (2)  
 The amendment was carried as a substantive resolution by yeas

8381 The report of Public Health Committee of 3rd May was taken as read. The report recommended that the following offer of Mr. Westinghouse to Artisan's Dwellings Contract be accepted viz:-  
 "To supply and fix granite <sup>instead</sup> of concrete door and window sills for ten houses at Iron Hall back and front, and granite for concrete door sills back and front for six houses at Little Quay. Window sills to be 10" x 4 1/2" and 8 inches longer than opening and door sills to be 9" x 6" and one foot longer than opening, for £50 (Fifty Pounds) extra to Contract. Work to be executed to satisfaction of Engineer. £50 herein being comprised of £30 in respect of Little Quay Houses and £20 in respect of Iron Hall Houses"  
 Councillor McCreagh moved and Councillor McLaughlin seconded the adoption of report.  
 Councillor McCormick moved and Councillor Huntlett seconded as an amendment:-  
 "That the report of the Public Health Com<sup>tee</sup> of 3rd May be adopted except paragraph

No 832 recommending appointment of Mr. Byrne as Rent Collector."  
 They voted "For" the amendment Councillors  
 Huntlett, Le Fanu, O. Carroll,  
 De Larland, McCormick & Reid (6)  
 "Against" Councillors McCreagh, McLaughlin  
 O'Spina, Cordin & Burke (5)  
 The amendment being carried was put as a substantive resolution:-  
 Councillor Burke moved as a further amendment and Councillor McCreagh seconded:-  
 "That the report of Public Health Committee be adopted amending paragraph No 832 so as to make Mr. S. Byrne's appointment as Rent Collector pro-tem."  
 Carried unanimously as amendment and substantive resolution.

8382 Councillor Burke proposed and Councillor Cordin seconded the adoption of report of Electric Light Committee of 3rd May 1908.  
 Councillor Huntlett moved as an amendment and Councillor O'Spina seconded:-  
 "That the report of Electric Light Committee be adopted except paragraph 432 re bridge"  
 The amendment was lost the proposer and seconder only voting for.  
 The original resolution was put and carried amended so as to make the rent of White Cottage Carrack five shillings per week and that Mr. Byrne should collect rent pro-tem.

8383 The report of Harbour and Esplanade Committee of 3rd June was adopted on the motion of Councillor Cordin seconded by Councillor McCreagh.

8384 Pursuant to notice of motion Councillor Huntlett moved and Councillor O'Spina seconded



"That all resolutions fixing Soudage for collection of Township Rates and Electric and Water accounts be rescinded and a Commission producing £20 per year for those appointments be substituted or that other arrangements be made."

Councillor Burke moved as an amendment and Councillor Carroll seconded:-

"That Rate Collectors Commission be fixed so as to produce an annual sum equivalent to the amount received in year previous to the passing of the Local Government Act"

Here voted for the amendment Councillors

Carroll, Burke & Reigh (3)

"Against" Councillors Pundell, McCre, McDonogh, McComick, Byrne & Farland (6)

Councillor Cordrin did not vote. The amendment was declared lost.

Councillor McFarland moved as a further amendment and Councillor McComick seconded:-

"That the Soudage of Mr. Heagle be fixed at a sum sufficient to bring his salary to the same amount as paid him last year."

Here voted for the amendment Councillors

McDonogh, McFarland, McComick, McCre, Burke & Reigh (6)

"Against" Councillors O'Syane, Pundell and Cordrin (3)

Councillor O'Carroll did not vote.

The amendment being carried was put as a substantive resolution and here voted:-

"For" Councillors Burke, McDonogh, McFarland, McComick, McCre & Reigh (6)

"Against" Councillors O'Syane, Pundell and Cordrin (3)

8385 Circular dated 31st May 1904 from Registrar Petty Sessions Clerk stating that the portion of surplus money arising from sale of licences under the Dogs Regulation (Ireland) Act 1865 amounted to £28:15:3 for the Urban District of Bray.

8386 The following transfer of Bray Township 37th of Redeemable Adventure Stock was submitted and approved and certificate sealed & issued: From St. Craugrell to Peter Ledwidge £50.

8387 Letter dated 14th June from Local Government Board in re appointment of N. R. P. McDonnell as temporary substitute for Mr. C. Drew Medical Officer of the Bray 101 Sanitary District. Read & noted.

8388 Report of meetings of Technical Instruction Com. of 13th and 27th May 1904 submitted. Read.

A letter was submitted from Secretary Technical Instruction Com. asking for further information on the subject of Local Committees and sub Committees. Read.

8389 Circular from Municipal Libraries Committee submitted. Read.

8390 Letter dated 28th May from Mr. J. Rossiter claiming to have his name inserted in last rate made for the relief of the poor in respect of his occupation of 3 Leapoint Ice Lymout Road. Ordered:- To be rated



8391. Letter dated 17th May 1904 from Mr Martin Langton re his appointment as Clerk of Works re Workmens Swellings. Read

8392. Letter dated 17th May from Secretary Local Government Board stating that they had no objection to proposed modification in approved specification of Workmens Swellings in re substituting brickwork for concrete in the Working Class Lodging Houses on site opposite Town Hall. Read and noted.

8393. Letter from Mr A.S. Wailes re Mr Bestingtons Contract. Postponed.

8394. Letter dated 3rd June from Mr. Bestington in re reduction of size of rooms owing to the increase in thickness of walls of houses Town Hall site and stating that if the Council decided to adhere to the original size of rooms thus increasing the quantity of roofing, flooring & his additional price for 5 houses would be £35. but should the Council adhere to the original plan to build back walls 9" thick from foundation the extra charge would be reduced to £24 instead of £35.

The Engineer recommended that the size of rooms be decreased so as that no extra cost should be incurred.

The recommendation was adopted.

An estimate of £10 was submitted from Mr J.P. Fitzpatrick for engineering resolution to Dr. Kennedy. Referred to Chairman.

8395. Correspondence with Messrs Casey & Clay in reference to Michael Savin's refusal to deliver up possession of field site for Workmens Swellings

at Judge Road including letter from Messrs Casey & Clay stating that Councils (Dr. Day) opinion was that if Savin refused to deliver up possession the Council could proceed under Section 91 of the Land Clauses Act 1845 and issue warrant to Sheriff to put them into possession. This procedure was unnecessary if they could enter without force, but if the entry would be forcible they should employ the Sheriff.

Ordered:- Messrs Casey & Clay to take necessary steps to get possession.

8396. Report dated 5th June from Electrical Engineer explaining cause of failure of private lighting on Queensboro Road on 4th June. Read.

8397. Letter dated 6th June from Neighbour asking for leave of absence for 4 days. Granted.

8398. The Council had under consideration matters in re providing uniform for the Inspector Councillor Currie proposed and Councillor McCrea seconded:-

"That a uniform be provided for the Inspector."

Councillor Munro moved as an amendment and Councillor McCrea seconded:-

"That the matter in re the Inspector's uniform be referred to General Purposes Committee."

There voted "For" the amendment Councillors Munro, McCrea & Byrne (3)

"Against" Councillors McCreagh, Lettice, Carroll, McFarland, Currie & Neigh (4)

The amendment being lost the original motion



was carried without a division.

<sup>8399</sup> Applications for <sup>8400</sup> Carriage Owners & Drivers Licences were received from Patrick Pierce and John Finella and for Drivers Licences from John Bennett & George Longall.

The Council interviewed Pierce, Finella and Bennett and granted them licences. Longall was not in attendance and his application was referred to Town Clerk with power to grant.

8401 Councillor Reigh tendered in notice of motion for next meeting to allot £5,000 to Fibreman Bands to purchase dwellings

J. Reigh  
20th June 04

A special meeting of Bray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Bray at 10.30 a.m. on Wednesday 8th June 1904 pursuant to following requisition:-

Requ. 8402  
Bray Urban District Council

24.5.04

8402

Please convene a special meeting of Bray Urban District Council to be held in the Town Hall Bray at 10.30 a.m. on Wednesday 8th June 1904 for the purpose of:-  
"Striking Town Rates for Year ending 31st March 1905. Dealing Collectors' Batches and Rate Books and transacting such other business as may seem necessary in reference thereto"

Signed:- J. B. Reigh  
for the  
Philip Cordrin  
C. B. McKeogh  
Matthew O'Byrne

Present:-

- Councillor J. B. Reigh, J.P. (in Chair)
- " Denis Kealy
- " W. Purde
- " C. A. Hebea
- " A. J. O'Carroll
- " M. O'Byrne
- " C. B. McKeogh
- " P. Cordrin

The requisition and notice convening the meeting were read.

Councillor De Laaland moved and Councillor Cordrin seconded:-

That, pursuant to the provisions of the Local



Government (Ireland) Acts 1898 to 1902; the Bray Township Acts 1866 to 1895; the Public Health (Ireland) Acts; the Technical Instruction Act 1889 to 1891; the Agriculture and Technical Instruction (Ireland) Act 1889; the Public Libraries Acts 1855 to 1902; the Housing of the Working Classes Act and other Acts and Orders incorporated therewith or in force in the District, we hereby make the following rates or assessments to be levied on all rateable property within the said District for service of year ending 31st March 1905 viz:-

A Bray Township Rate of Two Shillings and Sixpence in the Pound to be levied for the General and Sanitary Expenses of the Township under and pursuant to the Bray Township Acts 1866 to 1895; Two Shillings and Sixpence for sanitary expenses under and pursuant to the Public Health (Ireland) Act 1878 and the Act amending the same; and One Penny in the Pound for Technical and Agricultural Instruction pursuant to the Agriculture and Technical Instruction Acts 1889 to 1891 and One Penny in the Pound for the Public Libraries Acts 1855 to 1902. A Rate of Sixpence in the Pound for the purpose of defraying the expenses in connection with the water supply of the District to be called the Bray Township Water Rate and of which Sixpence is for Domestic and Two Pence is for Public Purposes. A Rate of Sixpence in the Pound to be called

The Bray Township Sinking Fund Special Rate for the purpose of providing charges in re money borrowed and interest thereon. A Bray Township Harbour Rate of Sixpence in the Pound for the purpose of defraying interest on money raised under the provisions of the Bray Township Acts 1890 and 1895 for the construction of Bray Harbour and other works connected therewith.

and the said rates shall be payable in two equal half-yearly instalments on 8th day of June 1904 and 8th day of December 1904."

Passed unanimously Extra Clerical assistance allowed for nine weeks. Councillor Burke Proposed and Councillor Kelly seconded:-

"That the warrant as now submitted for collection of Bray Urban District Council Town Rates for year ending 31st March 1905 be sealed, signed and delivered to Mr Benjamin Feagle for collection"

Passed. Councillor O'Byrne dissenting J. O'Keefe 20 Dec 04



A meeting of Bray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Bray at 10.30 a.m. on Monday 20th June 1904

Present:-

- Councillor J. W. Reigh J.P. (in Chair)
- " A. J. Carrall
- " J. Plunkett
- " J. P. Mc Cormick
- " J. Mc Dermott
- " C. H. Mc Brea
- " C. B. Mc Donogh
- " Denis Healy
- " W. A. Mc Farland
- " R. O. Byrne
- " J. Condon

8405. The minutes of meeting of 6th June and of Special meeting of 5th June were read and confirmed.

8406. Councillor Mc Brea moved and Councillor Condon seconded the adoption of report of General Purposes Committee of 14th June 1904.

Councillor Mc Cormick moved and Councillor Mc Farland seconded as an amendment:-

"That the report be adopted except paragraph 1195 in so far as it relates to appointment of an Assistant Car Inspector."

The amendment was carried and adopted as a substantive resolution.

8407. On the motion of Councillor Reigh seconded by Councillor Mc Brea the report of meeting of Public Health Committee of 14th June was adopted.

8408. On the motion of Councillor Mc Cormick seconded by Councillor Mc Dermott the report of meeting

of Electric Light Committee of 13th June was adopted.

8409. On the motion of Councillor Mc Brea seconded by Councillor Mc Dermott the report of Public Committee meeting of 13th June was adopted

8410. Pursuant to notice of motion Councillor Reigh proposed and Councillor Mc Cormick seconded:-

"That £5,000 Bray Township Rateable Adventure Stock be allotted to Hibernian Bank at par and placed to credit of the Public Works Account" Passed Councillor Plunkett dissenting

8411. Circular letter dated 10th June from Local Board enclosing copy of report of Local Board Auditor Mr. J. A. Carter on his audit of the accounts of Council for year ended 31st March 1903 together with an attested abstract of the accounts showing the receipts and expenditure under the several heads for the period mentioned.

Councillor O'Byrne moved and Councillor Condon seconded:-

"That the abstract of accounts be published in the three local papers at £10 each."

Councillor Mc Cormick moved as an amendment and Councillor Plunkett seconded:-

"That the abstract be published in three local papers at £8 ea

These voted for the amendment Councillors

Mc Donogh, Plunkett, Mc Farland, Mc Cormick & Reigh (5)

"Against" Councillors Carrall, Mc Dermott, Mc Brea, Healy, O'Byrne & Condon (6)

The amendment was lost.



On the motion being put:-  
 Councillor O. Carroll moved as an amendment  
 and Councillor R. Cormick seconded:-  
 "That the Abstract of Accounts be published  
 in the Bray paper (Recorder) at £10."  
 There voted "For" Councillors O. Carroll, Phinckth,  
 R. Cormick, O'Byrne & Condrin (5)  
 "Against" Councillors R. Sernott,  
 R. O'Carra, R. Donogh, Healy,  
 R. Farland & Reigh (6)

The amendment was lost.  
 On the motion being put:-  
 Councillor R. Cormick moved as an  
 amendment and Councillor O. Carroll seconded:-  
 "That the Abstract be published in two  
 local papers to be decided by lot at £10  
 each, paper dropping out this year  
 to be first next year without lot."  
 There voted "For" the amendment:- Councillors  
 O. Carroll, Phinckth, R. Cormick  
 and Reigh. (4)  
 "Against" Councillors R. Sernott, R. O'Carra,  
 R. Donogh, Healy, R. Farland,  
 O'Byrne & Condrin (4)

The amendment was lost.  
 On the motion being put:-  
 Councillor R. Farland moved and Councillor  
 R. Donogh seconded as an amendment:-  
 "That the three local papers get advertisement  
 at £4:10:0 each"  
 There voted "For" the amendment Councillors R. Donogh,  
 Phinckth, R. Farland, R. Cormick (4)  
 "Against" Councillors O. Carroll, R. Sernott,  
 R. O'Carra, Healy, O'Byrne, Condrin,  
 Reigh (4)

The amendment was lost.  
 On the motion being put:-  
 Councillor O. Carroll moved and Councillor

R. Cormick seconded:-  
 "That tenders be invited for the printing  
 and publishing of the Abstract and  
 Statement of Accounts &."  
 There voted "For" Councillors O. Carroll, R. O'Carra,  
 R. Donogh, Phinckth, R. Farland,  
 R. Cormick & Reigh (4)  
 "Against" Councillors R. Sernott, Healy,  
 O'Byrne & Condrin (4)  
 The amendment was passed and on being  
 put as a substantive resolution there voted:-  
 "For" Councillors O. Carroll, R. O'Carra, R. Donogh,  
 Phinckth, Healy, R. Farland, R. Cormick  
 and Reigh (8)  
 "Against" Councillors R. Sernott & Condrin (2)  
 Councillor O'Byrne did not vote.  
 The resolution was declared carried.

8412. Circular dated 15th June from Inspector of  
 Rates enclosing form for completion by Council in the  
 Government contribution in lieu of Rates.  
 Ordered:- Form to be completed & returned.

8413 An application was received from Mr Daniel  
 Casey applying for post of Assistant Car Inspector.  
 Councillor O'Byrne tendered in notice of motion  
 for next meeting in re appointment of the said  
 Carriage Inspector.

8414. The Hackney Carriage Licences for current  
 year were submitted and signed by Chairman  
 and Councillors.

8415 Councillor R. Cormick moved and Councillor  
 O'Byrne seconded:-  
 "That the sum of £896:18:7 be transferred  
 from General A/c to Bank Fund A/c  
 for the purpose of paying Dividends



due 1st Dec on Bray Township 3 3/4  
of Redeemable Adventure Stock  
and chargeable against first  
mentioned vig:-

On £9578 for 1/2 Jan 929:19:3  
" £8000 " 46 days 14:7:6

49598  
52578  
51598  
51200  
1/2 Dec  
1/2 Dec  
1/2 Dec  
1/2 Dec

9 Oct: 2: 9

Less S. Ad @ 1/2 in the £ 27:4:2 896:18:7  
£896:18:7

Passed unanimously.

84.16. Councillor Mr. Donogh moved and Councillor  
Mr. Farland seconded:-

"That the sum of £790:17:6 be transferred  
from Harbour A/c to Standard A/c for the  
purpose of paying Dividends due 1st Dec  
on Bray Township 3 3/4 of Redeemable  
Adventure Stock and chargeable against  
Harbour Undertaking vig:-

On £44400 for 1/2 Jan 832:10:0  
Less S. Ad @ 1/2 in the £ 41:12:6 790:17:6

£790:17:6  
Passed unanimously.

84.17 Councillor O'Carroll moved and Councillor  
Mr. Lenneth seconded:-

"That the sum of £216:9:10 be transferred  
from Electric A/c to Standard A/c for the  
purpose of paying Dividends due 1st Dec  
on Bray Township 3 3/4 of Redeemable  
Adventure Stock and chargeable against  
Electric Light Undertaking vig:-

7736  
6643  
14379

On £10706 for 1/2 Jan 201:6:0  
" 2000 " 113 days 23:4:4  
" 200 " 49 " 1:0:1  
" 1000 " 28 " 2:7:3

227:14:8

Less S. Ad @ 1/2 in the £ 11: 7:10 216: 9: 10  
£216: 9: 10

Passed unanimously.

84.18. Councillor Mr. Lenneth moved and Councillor  
O'Carroll seconded:-

"That the Dividends due and payable on  
1st July 1904 on £11093 3/4 Bray Township  
3 3/4 of Redeemable Adventure Stock as  
per Stockholder's Register now submitted  
and signed be paid on that date vig:-

Interest 2004:10:5  
Less Income Tax 100:4:6  
£1904: 5:11

and the Registrar is hereby authorized  
and instructed to issue warrants  
accordingly.

Passed unanimously.

84.19. Circular dated 27th June from Colonel Corporation  
re provisions of Bill introduced by Chief  
Secretary in connection with the Judicature  
and Development Grant and asking the Council  
to communicate with the Parliamentary Rep.  
representative of their division asking him to  
urge Chief Secretary to withdraw clause re  
City Sessions Clerk's Fund.

Councillor Mr. Cornick proposed and Councillor  
Mr. Lenneth seconded:-

"That we, the Bray Urban District Council,  
desire to respectfully record our disapproval  
of the provisions of the Bill introduced  
in Parliament by the Chief Secretary for  
Ireland in connection with Judicature  
and Development Grant in so far as it  
transfers to the Treasury any portion of  
the monies standing to credit of the City  
Sessions Clerk's Fund. That copies of  
this resolution be forwarded to the  
Chief Secretary for Ireland and to Mr. J.  
Cogan K.T.

Passed.



8420. Report dated 16th June from Technical Instruction Committee submitted.

Referred to General Purposes Committee.

8421. Letter dated 7th June from Mr Kathleen Smyth stating that she could not see her way to surrendering field at rear of her premises Main Street until 6 months from date of notice. Referred to Public Health Committee.

8422. It was ordered that the seal of the Council be affixed to Mr. Westinghouse's bond re his contract for erection of Ahrens Swellings.

8423. Circular dated 28th May from Mr. P. O. Keogh, Kinale enclosing copy of a resolution re increased tax imposed by the American Government on pickled fish imported into that country from Ireland, and asking the Council to pass a resolution in the matter which should be forwarded to the American Consul and local Member of Parliament.

Councillor Mr. Cornick proposed and Councillor O'Donnell seconded.

That we the Bray Urban District Council hereby endorse resolution adopted at Kinale meeting of 14th May 1904 in reference to the increased taxation to be levied on Pickled Fish imported into the United States from Ireland and we respectfully appeal to the American Government not to impose this tax which would tend to destroy one of the few remaining Industries of this Country. That copies of this resolution be forwarded to the American Consul and Mr. J. Hogan M.P.  
Passed

8424. Letter dated 18th June from Messrs Casyard & Co enclosing deed 200x to be executed by the Council to vest Savino's interest of site for Ahrens Swellings at Little Bray in Rem. and warrant for execution by Council which they should send to the Sheriff who would put the nominee of Council into possession. It was ordered that deed poll and other legal documents in the matter be sealed and warrant executed. Councillor O'Dwyne dissenting.

8425. Letter dated 17th June from National Telephone Company re additional wayleave.

Ordered: - New agreement to be entered into continuing rental of 10 in respect of poles already erected and an additional wayleave rent of 6<sup>d</sup> per pole for those to be erected hereafter, as approved from time to time by the Urban Council.

8426. Letter dated 14th June from Patriotic Assurance Coy stating that they had decided to increase rates for Rate Collectors generally but would have cash bond issued for the ordinary officials of Council at old rate of premium.

Ordered: - Mr Keagle to pay extra premium over 5% of old rate. Collective policies to be renewed at old rate. Personal bond accepted re Poor Rate Collector.

8427. Letter dated 2nd June from Mr P. B. Le Fanu enclosing correspondence in re Public Library &c.  
Approved.

8428. Letter dated 20th June from Mr J. J. O'Neill applying for registry of three Automobiles in the District.  
Granted Councillor O'Dwyne and Mr. Dermott dissenting.



8429 Report dated 18th June from Town Clerk submitting copy of regulations which he suggested the Council should adopt in reference to keeping of Carriage of Calcium and Petroleum. Ordered: Regulations to be adopted.

8430 It was ordered that all Rates should be lodged to credit of General Exp and transferred to other Accounts when required.

8431 Orders were received for supplying uniform for Car Inspector from:-  
Mr R. A. Andrews Hints 2.5:0 to 3:15:0  
" " Cloth 3:5:0 Cap 11/6  
Mr J. Jewler " " 4:10:0 Inc Cap  
" " Serge 3:10:0 ---

Ordered: - Mr Andrews tender accepted for Irish Cloth Uniform £ 3:5:0 and Cap 11/6

8432 Mr Latta submitted Plans of house to be erected by Mr Griffin at Novara for approval of Council. Ordered: Plans approved of.

*J. A. [Signature]*

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A Special Meeting of Bray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Bray at 10.30 a.m. on Wednesday 29th June 1904 Pursuant to following requisition viz:-  
Bray  
25th June 1904.

To The Clerk,  
Bray Urban Council.  
Please convene a Special Meeting of Bray Urban District Council to be held in the Town Hall Bray at 10.30 a.m. on Wednesday 29th June 1904 for the purpose of considering Valuation List.

Signed:- Denis Healy  
Boyd B. Reigh  
William Parks  
Wm W. Farland  
C. B. McLaughlin

Present:-  
Councillor J. B. Reigh J.P. (in Chair)  
" J. H. Donohue  
" Denis Healy  
" Wm W. Farland  
" H. O. Byrne  
" C. B. McLaughlin  
" J. Hunkett.

8432 The Town Clerk read requisition and notice convening meeting.

8433 List of Tenements & Creditments requiring valuation or revision of valuation submitted. It was proposed by Councillor McLaughlin and seconded by Councillor O Byrne:-  
"That the list of tenements and creditments requiring valuation or revision of valuation and list of changes of occupants as now submitted and considered be forwarded



to Commissioners of Valuation for necessary attention. Commissioners to note:-

(1) That the following houses situated in fish are row only in course of erection viz:- Mr Jones's back Road. Mr Devitt's Henry Lane; Mr Lanning's Florence Road; one of Mr Fraser's Lyndham Park; Mr Griffin's houses Novara; Mr. Kelly's West Road.

(2) That the Council consider the valuation in following cases equitable:-

(a) Mrs Stewart's Quinlan Villa Strand Road, who applies for reduction of Valuation

(b) Mr W. Farland's Service Station. sheds only improved

(3) That the Council consider the valuation of Bray Head Hotel High  
Passed unanimously

*J. M. Kelly*

A meeting of Bray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Bray at 10.30 a.m. on Monday 4th July 1904.

Present:-

- Councillor J. B. Reilly J.P. (in Chair)
- William Burke
- Philip Condrin
- Matthew O'Dwyne
- J. B. Mc Cormick J.P.
- G. E. J. J. J. J.
- A. J. O. Carroll
- Edward Lee
- S. W. H. Donogh
- W. H. Mc Ireland
- J. H. Linnott

The minutes of meeting of 20th June and of Special meeting of 29th June 1904 were read and confirmed.

2435 The report of meeting of General Purposes Committee of 28th June was taken as read. Councillor Burke moved and Councillor Lee seconded:-

"That the report of General Purposes Committee be adopted except paragraph in reference to Solicitor's costs and that Messrs Hamilton and Craig's account be sent back to the Committee for payment"  
Passed unanimously

2436 The report of Public Health Committee of 28th June was read and adopted on the motion of Councillor Lee seconded by Councillor Mc Donogh.

2437 The report of meeting of Harbour and Esplanade Committee of 27th June was taken as read.



A letter was read from Mr. Daddocks in reference to payment of permit fee for privilege of giving entertainments on Esplanade.

Councillor Condrin moved and Councillor Burke recorded:-

"That the report of Harbour and Esplanade Committee be adopted modified so as to provide that shed erected by Mr. Daddocks be removed by 31st Oct; that £5 paid on 2nd July be retained and permit cancelled unless £5 balance of 1st moiety of permit rent be paid by 1st Oct." Passed.

Ex 39. The report of meeting of Electric Light Committee of 24th June was taken as read.

The Electrical Engineer wrote suggesting that the cables to be laid in Station and Jetty be laid in wood troughing instead of concrete as recommended by Electric Light Committee.

Councillor Burke moved and Councillor Mc Cormick recorded:-

"That the report of Electric Light Committee be adopted modified so as to permit the cable to be laid through Station and Jetty in wood troughing."

Carried and report adopted accordingly.

Ex 40. Councillor O'Byrne moved and Councillor Mc Dermott recorded:-

"That the order of the Council adopting the report of General Purposes Committee giving right to sell newspapers on Esplanade be rescinded and tender invited."

Here voted "For" Councillor O'Byrne (1)  
"Against" Councillor Reigh, Mc Dermott, Lee, Mc Donogh, Phinnett, Le Lanu, O'Carroll, McFarland, Mc Cormick, Condrin & Burke (11)

The motion was accordingly lost, and order granting Mr. Scott sole right for selling newspapers on Esplanade allowed to stand.

Ex 41. Pursuant to notice of motion Councillor O'Byrne moved and Councillor Mc Dermott recorded:-

"That an Assistant Car Inspector be appointed and that all orders to the contrary be rescinded."

Here voted "For" the motion Councillor Mc Dermott,

O'Byrne, Condrin, Burke (4)  
"Against" Councillor Reigh, Lee, Mc Donogh, Phinnett, Le Lanu, O'Carroll, McFarland and Mc Cormick (8)

The motion was accordingly lost.

Ex 42. Letter dated 29th June 1904 from Local Government Board stating that they saw no sufficient reason for approving of any increase in the salary of Sanitary Sub Officer.

Referred to Public Health Committee

Ex 43. Orders for publishing Abstract of Accounts and supplying 50 copies in pamphlet form were received from:-

The Wicklow People Publishing £9:10:0 Pamphlet included  
"Records Publishing 9:0:0 " £1:0:0  
" Bray Herald Publishing 7:10:0 " 3:0:0

Councillor McFarland moved and Councillor Mc Dermott recorded:-

"That the Wicklow People being the lowest and best tender be accepted."

Councillor O'Byrne proposed and Councillor Burke recorded as an amendment:-

"That the advertising and printing of ads be given to the Records at £10. The paper



being printed and published in the town."

There voted for the amendment Councillors Rich. Ke. Plunkett, O. Carroll, O. Byrne, London & Burke (4)

"Against" Councillor Mr. Farland & Cornish (2)  
The amendment was put as a substantive resolution and adopted rem. con.

8443 Letter dated 29th June from Amusement Committee asking permission to enclose portion of Sea Hall at South Sandstead in addition to grass plot during Sand Promenade. Referred to Expenditure Committee.

8444 Letter dated 2nd June from Rev. S. A. Whelan Hon Sec. North Industrial School stating that his Committee proposed taking Council's opinion in re their liability in connection with Council's account for disinfection &c. Referred to Public Health Committee.

8445 Receipts for £20:1:5 and £8:5:9 being amount of dividends on Dublin Corporation and Rathmines stocks respectively submitted. Received and lodged.

8446 Letter dated 28th June from Messrs. Casey & Clay enclosing for seal of Council requisition to Messrs. Hamilton & Craig's costs in re Mr. Cornish and Gray Provisional Orders. Ordered: Requisition to be sealed.

8447 Letter dated 28th June from Mr. P. Farrington suggesting that bye laws be adopted in re stray dogs and letter from District Inspector in matter submitted. Read. Mr. Farrington to be advised that Council have no power to

adopt bye laws in matter.

8448 Report from Technical Instruction Committee re proceedings of Committee on 17th June or. Read.

8450 Letter dated 22nd June from Mr. S. N. Byrne acknowledging receipt of letter from Council re lighting of vehicles &c. Read.

8451 Letter dated 28th June from Mr. S. F. Edwards complaining that the nuisance caused by smoke from Gray Laundry still continued. Ordered: Copy of Mr. Edwards letter to be forwarded to Mrs. Haslam.

8452 Letter dated 29th June from Mr. Howendon asking if he could keep a cow at rear of 8 Claddagh Terrace. Referred to Dairy Inspector.

8453 Mr. Thomas Hanly Deane submitted plan of proposed stable at Archbishop King Edward Road.

Councillor Burke proposed and Councillor London seconded:

"That the plans being incomplete be disapproved of."

Councillor Plunkett moved as an amendment and Councillor Mr. Farland seconded:-

"That the Town Clerk report to the Council at next meeting as to power of in the line of frontage and that Mr. Deane be informed that a plan of elevation of stables should be submitted."

There voted for the amendment Councillors Plunkett, Le Fanu, Mr. Farland, Mr. Cornish & O. Byrne (5)



"Against" Councillor Rich. Mc Dermott.  
 for. Cardin + Purke (5)  
 Councillor W. Donogh did not vote.  
 The voting being equal. The Chairman gave  
 his casting vote against the amendment  
 which was accordingly lost.  
 The original motion was put and carried.

8454. Letter dated 2nd June from Mr. G. C. Fallon  
 enclosing correspondence re proposed  
 Library. Carried

8455. Letter dated 4th July from Mr. J. Byrne Port  
 Collector stating that Peter Kelly owed  
 seven weeks rent including arrears at  
 4/- per week and that Henry Croghan owed  
 5 weeks rent. Ordered: - House to  
 be taken up. Public Health Committee  
 to arrange as to rent.

8456. Letter dated 2nd July from Messrs. Hamilton  
 + Craig re sealing of Gray Laundry Agencement  
 Road.

8457. Letter dated 2nd July from American Consul  
 acknowledging receipt of resolution from  
 Council re increased tax on pickled fish  
 imported into America. Read.

8458. Report dated 3th June from Medical Officer  
 of Health stating that for 4 weeks ended  
 18th June the total annual death rate  
 in the District was 17 per 1,000 living and  
 the total annual death rate from all causes  
 10 per 1,000 living. No deaths had been  
 registered from Infectious Disease and  
 no cases of Infectious Disease notified  
 considered satisfactory and

referred to Public Health Committee.

8459. Letter dated 4th July from Mr. W. J. Harris  
 asking permission to enclose Explanade  
 on two Regatta Days 4th + 5th August.  
 Granted.

8460. Councillor Purke tendered in notice of  
 motion for next meeting in re passing and  
 authorising expenditure not included in  
 Estimates &c

8461. The Engineer submitted a certificate of £200  
 in favour of Mrs. Worthington on ap of his  
 contract for Petrusino Dwellings.  
 Ordered: - To be paid.

8462. Letter dated 3th June from Mr. R. J. Carroll  
 stating that he had examined Gray & was the  
 property of Mrs. Worthington and he  
 considered her perfectly sound and advised  
 Council to purchase. The price was £40.  
 Ordered: - Same to be purchased.

8463. The Demand of the New County Council 6/5/57  
 for Quarter ended 3th June was passed  
 for payment.

*Jan 1867*  
*W. J. Harris*  
*1867*



A meeting of Bray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Bray at 10.30 a.m. on Monday 18th July 1904.

Present:-

- Councillor J. B. Reigh J.P. (in Chair)
- " J. Healy
- " Matthew O'Syane
- " Philip Condon
- " Mr. Burke
- " Edw. Lee
- " S. W. Deane
- " J. H. Dermott
- " J. Plunkett
- " W. H. Ireland
- " V. B. Le Fanu J.P.
- " A. J. O'Connell

8464. The minutes of meeting of 4th July 1904 were read and confirmed.

8465. The report of meeting of General Purposes Committee of 10th July was adopted on the motion of Councillor Reigh seconded by Councillor Burke

8465A Councillor Plunkett moved and Councillor O'Syane seconded:-

"That Messrs. D. Allen & Co. be allowed to erect boarding at Albert Avenue flush with Railway Wall"

1st. Councillor Plunkett and O'Syane only voting for.

8466. The report of Public Health Committee of 10th July was adopted on the motion of Councillor Lee seconded by Councillor Burke.

A letter was received from Manager Bray Laundry Co. stating that they hoped shortly to

get over the smoke difficulty  
Ordered:- Laundry Company to be requested to raise chimney forthwith

8467. The motion standing in Councillor Plunkett's name in reference to expenditure not included in estimate and system of ordering goods was negatived without a division Councillors Plunkett and O'Syane only voting for.

8468. Letter dated 4th July from Secretary Local Government Board enclosing copy of report of Local Government Board Auditor on accounts of Bray Technical Instruction Committee for year ended 31st March 1903  
Ordered:- Copy of report to be forwarded to each Councillor.

8469. Report dated 12th July from Secretary Bray Technical Instruction Committee re proceeding of Committee on 24th June. Read

8470. Letter dated 4th July from Mr. W. H. Nibbet acknowledging on behalf of Chief Secretary resolution from Council on the subject of the Judicature and Development Grant Bill  
Read

8471. Letter dated 2nd June from Mr. E. Le Fanu with enclosure re Public Library submitted.  
Considered

8472. Letter dated 14th July from Mr. A. Acton asking that seat on Albert Road opposite his house be moved further up road. Ordered:- Mr. Acton's request to be complied with

8473. Letter dated 18th July from Mr. Daniel Casey