

740 Letter from Messrs G. Wall Ltd asking immediate payment of balance £3.13.9 due.

Read: Referred to Surveyor.

741 Application from Mercer's Hospital for extension in the case of Jas. Delaney. Extension granted.

742 Application from Miss Long to be registered as a Purveyor of Milk at 36 Main Street.

Granted subject to Medical Officer's approval

743 Application from Mrs K. Carroll for supply electricity to new house in Veroy. Granted subject to Engineer being able to supply.

744 Application from Mrs Agnes Burgess to be registered ^(rated) as the tenant of No. 2 Sidmonton Avenue.

Mrs Burgess to be rated.

745 Letter from Bri Chualann Trades Council protesting against scheme to convert Columicill's Hospital into a Home for mentally deficient children.

Read: Copy letter to be sent to Minister for Local Government.

746 Quotations to be invited for Workmen's suits and Carter Overcoats

747 Letter from Dec. S. S. C. Railway Company stating that question of walk round the Road would receive the consideration of the new Amalgamated Company which becomes operative in January 1925.

748 Letter from Mr. Jas. Flanagan thanking Council for employment as a hired Carter and stating he had gravel for disposal at 4/- per load.

Read: It was decided that all temporary carters and workmen be employed such about as required in all future work.

749 Application from Social Club for use of Town Hall on night on 1st Nov. 1924. Granted fee of charge.

Handwritten signature and date: 11/11/24

The monthly meeting of Bri Chualann Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall, Bri Chualann, at 7 1/2 m on Tuesday, 4th November 1924.

Present: Councillor E. Byrne (in chair)

" K. Healey

" M. Boyle

" J. McCall

" S. J. McConry

" David Frame.

750 Minutes of Meeting of 21st October 1924 were read and confirmed.

(a) The following letter from Mrs Bergin was read and ordered to be inserted in the Minutes, viz:-

Gullin House,

Bray,

27/10/24

Dear Mr McCull,

Will you please convey to the members of Bray Council my grateful appreciation of their sympathy as kindly conveyed in your letter.

I can assure you and the members of the Council that the sympathy extended to my children and myself has been a source of great consolation.

Sincerely Yours

(Sd.) A. E. Bergin

J. McCull, Esq.

751 Mr. E. Byrne proposed and Mr Boyle seconded the adoption of report of General Purposes Committee of 29th October 1924. Passed unanimously.

752 Mr. Boyle proposed and Mr McCall seconded the adoption of report of Public Health Committee of 29th October 1924. Passed unanimously.

Letter from Secretary, Co. Board Health stating his Board had made an Order that urgent cases be sent to the Gullin Hospitals on the recommendation of the Surgeon of Loughlinstown Hospital.

Read and noted.

List of cases requiring hospital treatment. Referred to Medical Officer.

753 Mr. Healey proposed and Mr. Boyle seconded the adoption of report of Hallboard Esplanade Committee of 29th October 1924. Passed unanimously.

Mr. Healey proposed and Mr. Boyle seconded the adoption of report of Amusements Committee

- of 28th October 1924. Passed unanimously.
- 754 Cr. Keally proposed and Cr. McCorry seconded the adoption of report of Electric Light Committee of 28th October 1924. Passed unanimously.
- 755 Cr. G. Byrne proposed and Cr. Boyle seconded the adoption of report of Public Health Committee of 31st October 1924. Passed unanimously.
- Letter from Mrs McManara stating that new house offered her would be too dear at 8/- per week plus rates and taxes.
- Read: House to be given to Mrs Lorrain of 38 Connolly Square
- Letter from Mrs Byrne, 5 Connolly Square, complaining of not getting one of the new houses as she had only one room for grown up family.
- Read: Mrs Byrne to be given Mrs Lorrain's house instead of Mr Ben Keogh and Ben Keogh to be given the first preference of a 3/- house.
- Tenancy of new houses to start from Saturday, 8th November 1924.
- Glass put into Council's dwellings to be paid for by tenants.
- 756 Cr. Frame proposed and Cr. McCorry seconded, viz:-
 "We, the Bri Chualainn Urban District Council, hereby adopt Part IV of the Public Health Acts (Amendment Act) 1890 which refers to Licences for Music and Dancing, and direct that it come into operation one month from the publication of this resolution."
 Passed unanimously.
- 757 Letter from Minister for Local Government stating he is remitting surcharges of the Auditor in connection with payment of Poor Rate on Council's dwellings and that an Order re this decision will be issued at a later date. It would however be incumbent on the Council in future to see that the tenants pay the Poor Rates.
 Read and noted.
- 758 Circular from Housing Department stating that Irish Banks are willing to make loans to local authorities @ 4 1/2% for a maximum period of 15 years.
 Read and noted.
- 759 Letter from Secretary, Technical Instruction Committee, giving particulars with reference to Miss Anglin's resignation.
 Read.
 Minutes of Meeting of Technical Instruction Committee of 29th October 1924

- (a) Application from Secretary, Technical Instruction Committee for use of Towns Hall for Annual Distribution of Prizes on 19th November 1924.
 Read: Application granted.
- 760 Pursuant to advertisement the following quotations were received for Ford Ten Truck converted for use as a Fire Tender for carrying hose and equipment and eight firemen, viz
- | | With seats along each side | With Hardwood Centre seat |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Smithfield Motor Co. | £165:0:0 | £160 |
| Autocars Ltd. | £169:15:0 | £164:15:0 |
| Thompson Co. | £165:0:0 | £165:0:0 |
| Wolker Co. | £209:0:0 | |
| Co. Wicklow Garage | £140:0:0 (30 cut Commer Lorry) | £140:0:0 |
- Mr. Boyle proposed and Mr. Keally seconded that the Tender of the Co. Wicklow Garage and Motor Company at £140 be accepted subject to report of sub Committee to inspect Chassis at 3 p.m. on 8th November consisting of Councillors P. Murphy, G. Byrne, T. Keally, M. Boyle, Surveyor, and Town Clerk.
- 761 The following quotations for Workmen's Clothes were received, viz:-
- | | Workmen's Suits | Overcoats | Leggings | Longarces | Top Boots |
|-----------|-----------------|-----------|--------------|-----------|-----------|
| Beignan | 29/- each | £2:8:6 | - | 10/6 | £3:10:0 |
| Mooney | 29/6 " | £2:0:0 | 8/6 per pair | - | - |
| Luigram | 30/- + 33/6 | £2:0:0 | 5/6 " | - | £2:17:6 |
| Lawlor | - | £2:6:11 | - | - | - |
| O'Carroll | 30/- | £2:10:6 | 10/6 - | - | - |
| Murray | - | £2:15:0 | - | - | - |
- The Tender of Messrs Beignan Bros. was accepted for 20 suits at 29/- each; one pair of longarces at 10/6; tender of Mr P. Mooney for six overcoats at 40/- each; tender of Mr J. Luigram for 7 pairs of leggings at 5/6 per pair and 2 pairs of topboots at £2:17:6 pair.
- 762 Letter from Messrs Jurney Co enclosing extinction receipts £1300 and £500 Belfast and Trankefers Harbour Stock, £1700 Belfast Water Stock; £2950 Belfast Corporation 1942, and £1300 Belfast Corporation 1940 Stock. Receipts signed and Transfers completed.
 Trans. done
- 763 Letter from Secretary, L.T.C. Railway, stating that in view of the Amalgamation of Railways it is advisable that the Carisle Grounds be surrendered by 1st January 1925.
 Read and noted.
- 764 Letter from Mr V.C. Lane asking payment of £54:6:0 due for stone taken from beach

north of Harbour.

Read and noted.

Sidmonton Road to be rolled.

- 765 Letter from Messrs S. Murphy and P. Byrne, two former quarrymen, offering to undertake the repairing of road from top of Putland Road to Boghall Road, providing the necessary stone from Council's Quarry, at 15/- per ton, necessary tools to be supplied.

Read: Men to be offered 7/- per ton for raising and breaking stones.

- 766 Letter from Secretary, Town Tenants League enclosing Certificate from Dr. Haverly as to the insanitary condition of 62 and 64 Main Street, and asking if Council will take the necessary proceedings to compel the landlords to put the houses in a habitable condition.

Referred to Public Health Committee: Doctor Haverly to be informed that in future all certificates of this nature be sent to Council in first instance.

- 767 Application from Mr Wm. Giltrap for supply of current to No. 3 Parkview.

Granted.

Application from Mr M. Farrell for supply of current to 1 Bangle Terrace.

Granted.

- 768 Letter from Mr J. H. Craig enclosing original case and opinion in the case of Motor Buses plying for hire and agreeing that the owners of the Cars should be warned before a Summons is served to give them an opportunity of registering themselves in the District.

Read and noted.

- 769 Letter from Mr J. H. Craig returning file of correspondence and enclosing original case and opinion in connection with Toole's Holding and erection of houses at St. Kevin's Square and agreeing that it would not be advisable to pay over £200 to Mr Bradshaw for Toole's Holding in view of Mr Dickie's opinion.

- 770 Letter from Mr H. Liffie Stoney approving of plan of proposed widening of road at junction of Strand and Albert Roads.

Read. Work to be put in hands at once.

- (a) Letter from Mr McCully agreeing on behalf of Putland Estate to Council taking off corner of Railway Field at junction of Meath and Putland Roads and

suggesting that corner of high wall at top of Putland Road be also removed.

Read: Work to be done.

Paipius Na Mupreáda

CHAIRMAN - Bray Urban Dist. Council.

18. 11. 1924

A meeting of Brix Chualam Urban Council was held in the Town Hall Brix Chualam on Tuesday 18th November 1924.

- Present: Councillor P. de M. G. in chair
- " E. Byrne
- " Metcalfe
- " Jordan
- " Frame
- " Healey
- " Martin

770 Minutes of meeting of 4th Nov. 1924. Read and confirmed

771 Councillor Healey proposed and Councillor Jordan seconded:-

That the old workmen's dwellings belonging to the Council be sold to the tenants or others and that the Town Clerk be instructed to prepare the necessary scheme to carry this into effect and that all resolutions to the contrary be rescinded. The falling of resolution was deferred until statement prepared by Town Clerk was submitted:

Statement submitted by Town Clerk giving Loans raised, cost of houses built, Loans outstanding, and amounts outstanding per house in respect of each section and annuity necessary to clear amounts up in 30 & 20 years. Also statement of total yearly cost of each section for past 5 years which showed that there was a loss of £5.9.8 per house over the whole number of houses.

Read and considered when the resolution was amended by the substitution of another clause which made the resolution read as follows:-

That the old workmen's dwellings belonging to the Council be sold to the tenants on a 30 year purchase annuity basis, that the Town Clerk prepare the necessary scheme to carry this into

effect and that all resolutions to the contrary be rescinded. There voted for Councillors Healey, Frame, Jordan, and the Chairman (4) against Councillors Martin, Metcalfe and E. Byrne (3) The Chairman declared the resolution as amended carried.

772 Letter from Minister Local Govt. dated 17th Nov. 1924 agreeing to arrangements proposed to add £5 per house to cover cost of conveniences to purchase price of £350 making total £355 and letter of same date approving of Grant Purchase Scheme of £275 for 7 houses in Athena's Square to include cost of preparation of conveniences and damp out for which the Solicitor's only charge on the same basis as for the 22 Pearse Sq. houses i.e. £3.3.0 each. Read and noted, Solicitor to be informed accordingly.

Application from Town Clerk to fix fees in connection with Housing Schemes Deferred

773 Letter from Minister Local Govt. sanctioning a further payment to Mr. P. Devitt for extra work during 1921-22 of £25 making £65 total allowance

774 Letter from Minister Local Govt. remitting surcharge in case of Patrick Nolan Driver at C.L. works on condition that allowance has been definitely discontinued and that it is not replaced by any addition to wages. Read and referred to Electric Light Committee

775 Letter from Minister Local Govt. acknowledging receipt of letter re adoption of Part IV of the Public Health Act (Amendment) Act 1890

Read and noted.

776 Letter from Minister Local Govt. notifying that a Draft for £26.8.11 will be forwarded on account of maternity and Child Welfare expenditure for Year 1924-25. Noted

777 Letter from Minister Local Govt. stating that the Minister for Finance has waived his objection to proposed extension of School Meals scheme to other than National Schools.
Read and noted

778 Letter from Minister Local Govt. stating that the appointment of a temporary Veterinary Surgeon for examination of Milch Cows did not appear to require sanction.
Read & noted.

779 Letter from Ministry of Industry & Commerce (Lower Section) asking if Council wish to apply for being included in an extension of the order for continuance of charges for Electric Light under the Continuance of Charges Acts.
Read - Referred to Electric Light Committee

780 Letter from Ministry of Industry & Commerce (Lower Section) re payment of Contribution under Electricity Supply Act 1919
Read - Referred to E.L. Com.

781 Letter from Forestry Section Department of Agriculture suggesting that at least 5 plots be fenced this year before planting is carried out at a cost of about £20 per plot which is about an acre in extent.
Read. Five plots as suggested by Dept to be fenced to enable planting to be done. The question of repairing wall to be left over until the Spring and gaps to be temporarily repaired with bushes to.
It was proposed by Councillor Healey and seconded by Councillor Jordan:

That the best thanks of the Council be accorded to Lord Ardee for so kindly supplying the trees for those blown down by the Storm.

Passed unanimously and ordered that a gratuity of £1 be paid to the Forester.

782 Correspondence with Sec. B Board of Health re Agreement

with Rathdown Road of Guardians re patients from this area.
Read and noted

782 List of cases requiring surgical treatment. Read - Urgent cases to be sent to hospital & to O'Connell's Hospital other cases to be deferred pending Agreement between B. Board of Health & Guardians being completed.

783 Copies of Letters sent to Motor Bus owners: - Mr Patrick Doolan, Dunmore, Mr Thomas Fitzpatrick Dunmore and Mr. Michael Doyle Wicklow.
Read

Letter from Mr P. Doolan applying to be licensed.
Read & referred to General Purposes Committee

784 Dividend on Council's holding (which had been returned for allocation into Council's present name) in Rathmines Stock £61.9.1.
Received & Lodged.

Form of Request for Transmission of Dividends on Council's holding in Rathmines Stock. Signed & Sealed.
Correspondence with Messrs. Tannet & Co re having purchased £1050 Dublin Corporation Stock, £240 Ben Shualann Stock, £1400 Bank of Ireland Stock, and re having sold £200 Belfast Corp. 1933 Stock £1450 Harbour Stock, £700 Water Comm. Stock £1960 Belfast Corporation 1942 and £200 Belfast Corp. Water Comm. Stock 1956.

Approved. Stockbroker to be allowed to purchase Dublin Corporation or Council's own Stock when available on consultation with Town Clerk.

785 Correspondence with Mr. Sutherland Pender re taking off corner of garden of 1 Marlboro Lee for purpose of widening Albert Avenue, and offering him Five pounds for portion of garden taken Council to re build wall & erect a small iron railing.
Read & approved.

786 Letter from Mr E. V. Mullen re South Bundstand for Summer Season 1925 and asking that on account of bad season the account for Lighting should be remitted.

- 786 *Read and referred to Education Committee; Revision of Blight of refused.*
- 787 *cheque for £15 from Demerbrooke State being refund of Rent of My market. Received Lodged*
- 788 *Report of Subcommittee consisting of Councillors Murphy, P. Payne, M. Doyle, Healy, Surveyor & Town Clerk which recommended the tender of the ^{for Eric Jordan} Mick ~~Plan~~ motor forage be accepted for Comm. to cut Chassis with Body having bot in centre with non facing outwards*
- 789 *Report of Surveyor on plan & Specification submitted by Mr. Joe Donnelly for proposed addition to his shop at end of Albert Walk received over phone that he approved of plan &c. approved subject to Surveyor approval of same.*
- 790 *Letter from Mr. C. O'Boole re repairs required at 90 S. St. Kevin's Square. Read. Work to be done.*
- 791 *Letter from Mr. B. Doran stating that he has always occupied no 31 Brundley Sq. Read. List of persons submitted who refused to pay for glass put in for them weekly. Read Order to be carried out O. Metcalfe dissenting.*
- 792 *Letter from Rev. Chas. Lam, Trades Council re Colman's Hospital being taken over as a home for mentally deficient children. &c. Read. Town Clerk to write to Minister for Local Govt re resolu. of Trades Council O. Jordan proposed and O. Metcalfe, seconded: - "That as the Rev. Chas. Lam Urban District Council desire to impress on the Govt. the distress and hunger prevailing in this district amongst the poor and we request the Govt. to provide some scheme by the extension of the existing scheme for provision of meals for school children or such other method as will admit of meals being provided for the necessitous adults at a cheap rate." Passed unanimously.*

- 793 *Application from Miss Anglin former Instructor in Domestic Economy at the Technical Schools for a gratuity instead of a pension. Referred to the Technical Instruction Committee for further details.*
- 794 *Letter from Mr. W. White re room occupied by his son & family at Church St. Read & referred to Public Health Com^{rs}.*
- 795 *Plan by Mr. Hugh McCarthy of Sled to be erected at rear of his house, Dorra College, Edinmonton Avenue. Passed subject to Surveyor's approval.*
- 796 *Plan of alterations of No 11 Castle St and of School Pump Tank. Passed subject to Surveyor approval and that requirements if any of Surveyor be carried out.*
- 797 *Application for use of Town Hall for an all night dance on Stephen's night from the O'Halloran Jim Jim Club. Granted free.*
- 798 *Application from Mr. W. Fortune 21, Pearse Square for permission to erect of a porch. Granted subject to Surveyor's requirements being carried out.*
- 799 *Application from Michael Marks to cut and spread stones on Roadway from Quarry to Pallard Road at 2/6 per ton. Passed anyone applying to be granted this work at rate named.*
- 800 *Letter from Carpenters Society re labourers erecting casing at Quay. Read & referred to Surveyor*
- 801 *Prices for railings submitted by Mr. Devitt at £26.15.0*

801 for all new work and £17:10:0 for using up old rails as far as possible Mr Doyle & Shankill quoted £14 for new work and Mr Furlong would not tender. Mr Devitt's price of £17:10:0 for work as per alternative accepted for the work outside kerbs not considered.

802 Proposed by C. Jordan seconded by C. Nottin - That the Bri Chualann Urban District Council view with approval the proposal of the Dublin United Tram Company to develop this area by inaugurating an Omnibus Service and direct the Chairman and Town Clerk to appear officially and give evidence in support of the Bill of the Tramway Company if necessary.
Passed.

C. Byrne
11/12/24

The monthly meeting of Bri Chualann Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall, Bri Chualann, at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, 2nd December 1924

- Present: Councillor E. Byrne (in chair)
- J. A. Jordan
- " H. Keatley
- Joseph McCalfe
- J. O. Toole
- S. J. McCaughey
- W. Boyle
- George Byrne

803 Minutes of Meeting of 18th November 1924.

Read and confirmed.

Treasurer's Advice Note and Financial Statement Books

Signed.

804

Mr. E. Byrne proposed and Mr. O. Toole seconded the adoption of report of General Purposes Committee of 25th November 1924.

Passed unanimously.

805

Mr. O. Toole proposed and Mr. Boyle seconded the adoption of report of Public Health Committee of 25th November 1924.

Passed: Paragraph relating to single tenants of Council appearing before the Council to be deleted.
Letter from occupiers of 62 & 64 Main St. complaining of condition of same.
Read and noted: Notice served on owner to have premises put in proper sanitary condition.

806

Mr. Keatley proposed and Mr. J. A. Jordan seconded the adoption of report of Electric Light Committee of 25th November 1924.

Passed unanimously.

807

Mr. Keatley proposed and Mr. E. Byrne seconded the adoption of report of Harbour Esplanade Committee of 25th November 1924.

Passed unanimously.

808

Letter from Mr J. J. E. Murphy accepting preparation of beds in connection with St. Kevin's Terrace provided they are similar to beds of Pearse Square houses.

Read and noted.

It was decided to insure new houses in St. Kevin's Terrace at £500 each.

809 Letter from Manager, Hibernian Bank, enclosing Bill of Costs in connection with preparation of Budget of Charge re Housing Loan amounting to £11,12:0
 Copy (Clerk's) letter to Minister for Local Government asking for sanction to dispense with taxation of Bill of Costs.
 Read and noted.

810 Letter from Minister for Local Government re temporary employment of a Veterinary Surgeon for examination of milch cows and stating that Local Offices Employment Order 1924 does not extend to occasional recourse to professional services.
 Read and noted. Town Clerk to get terms of charge from two local veterinary surgeons for inspection of milch cows, Councillor Healey dissenting.

811 Letter from Secretary, Wicklow C. Council stating that the appointment of Miss Phyllis Ryan as Analyst for County Wicklow has been sanctioned.
 Read and noted. Sanitary Sub Officer to continue to take milk samples.

812 Letter from Minister for Local Government asking for copy newspaper report referred to as to converting Columicille's Hospital into a home for mentally deficient children. Read and noted.

Letters from Secretary, Trades Council asking Council to appoint representatives to attend Conference re Columicille's Hospital to be held in Town Hall on 5th December, and asking use of Town Hall for same.

Read: Application granted, Councillor Healey and Town Clerk to attend Conference.

813 Dividend on National Loan Investment £62.
 Received and lodged

Transfers:-

£200 Belfast Corporation Stock

£200 " Water

£700 do

£240 Bri Chualann Stock

Extinction receipts:-

£1450 Belfast Harbour Stock

£1960 " Water (Bri Chualann)

Sealed and signed: Stock to value of £240 extinguished.

(a) Statement showing annual net gain £12:4:5 through sale of £4350 Belfast

Corporation, £4750 Belfast Water, £3250 Belfast Harbour, and £171:12:11 Bank of England Stocks which realised £9597:5:4, and purchase of £6786:2:6 Dublin Corporation £1000 dug bogjave, £340 Bri Chualann Stock, and £1414 Bank of Ireland Stock which cost £9605:15:11. The increase in value of sinking funds was £2541:10:2 and saving by purchase of Council's own stock £119:6:6.

Read and noted.

814 Letter from Mr H. Mitchell offering £50 for permit for Tennis Courts next season, £50 for Putting Green, and £75 for Game Margee.
 Referred to Harbour & Esplanade Committee.

815 Letter from Minister for Local Government stating Council have no power to accede to Miss Anglin's request for a gratuity instead of a pension.
 Read and noted.

816 Letter from Secretary, Technical Instruction Committee recommending the appointment of Miss McAlister and Mr P.J. Keawell on Technical Instruction Committee.
 Read. Mr. E. Byrne proposed and Mr. Jordan seconded the appointment of Miss McAlister and Mr P.J. Keawell on Technical Instruction Committee.

Passed unanimously.

Minutes of Meeting of 26th November 1924.

Left on table.

817 Application from St. Kevin's Catholic Burial Society for use of Town Hall on 17th and 29th December 1924.
 Read: Application granted.

818 Letter from Secretary, Royal Sanitary Institute, notifying annual Congress to be held in Edinburgh from July 20th to 25th 1925.
 Read and noted.

819 Application from Mercer's Hospital for extension in the case of Sydney Whiston.
 Granted.

820 Application from Mrs. Mellar, Killymore Wood to be registered as a Surveyor of Milk.
 Read: To be registered if registered in own area.

821 Letter from Mr. Wm. Boyd complaining of condition of Convent Avenue and asking that same be rolled.

Read: Council to give matter consideration later on if a Grant is obtained for road work.

822 application from Messrs Cooper Bros. for connection of 11 Castle Street to electric light mains.

Granted.

823 Report from Water Inspector that a fire had occurred at "Chelungnd" on 2nd December which he got under control with some men. On breaking open the hot press 100 rounds of ammunition was discovered, some of which had exploded, and same was handed over to Civic Guards.

Read and noted.

Water Inspector reported that the vault house at Killarney Lane is flooded up over the pipes and he was unable to get at the valves.

Read: Surveyor to take the matter up with Dublin Corporation.

824 Estimates and Plans from Surveyor of roads necessary to be rolled etc costing £7063.2.0; development of new Park on Head to 3,000; relaying sewers £15,000 on which works a great number of men could be employed immediately.

Read: Copies estimates etc to be forwarded to Minister for Local Government and application to be made for a Grant towards carrying out these and various other works.

825 Letter from Mr. W. Dempsey complaining of flooding of his field on 2nd December 1924.

Read: Referred to Surveyor for report

826 It was ordered that drains through beach at the Head be cleaned as soon as possible.

827 Letter from Secretary, Public Library Committee, stating his Committee recommend the sale of £200 Belfast Water Commissioners stock and investment of proceeds in either Dublin Corporation or Bank of Ireland stocks.

Read: Recommendations adopted and stock to be sold.

828 Electrical Engineer to be instructed to have the lights on Main St, Queenstown and Bangle Roads put on from 6 a.m. to 8 a.m. each morning.

Padraig Ua Maircáda 16.12.1924

A Meeting of Ori Chualann Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall, Ori Chualann, at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, 16th December 1924

Present: Councillor P. Ua Maircáda (in chair)

" E. Byrne

" Jas. M. Hagle

" R. Keatley

" J. A. Jordan

" M. Boyle

" G. Frame

829 Minutes of Meeting of 2nd December 1924 were read and confirmed

830 Letter from Minister for Local Government stating that in view of Mr. Buckie's opinion on complaint of Mr. Bradshaw re housing at St. Kevin's Terrace he presumed the Council would take no further action

Read: Referred to Public Health Committee

Letter from Mr. J. G. Murphy, Solicitor, stating that ^{payment} his costs in respect of each house at Pearse Square could be paid over a period of 16 weeks after purchase money had been paid and it would not be necessary to call a Meeting of the tenants to explain this.

Read and approved.

831 Correspondence with Mr. Craig re houses 62 and 64 Main Street

Read and noted

Surveyor reported that he inspected the premises with Mr. Bradshaw when Mr. Bradshaw suggested that Council lay new drains and he would pay a proportion of the cost, but Surveyor recommended the Council to lay about 40 or 50 feet of 5 inch drain and let Mr. Bradshaw do his own work

Read: Council to lay drain to take the drains of Mr. Bradshaw's houses, 61 to 65 Main Street, subject to Mr. Bradshaw depositing half the cost and giving an undertaking not to claim that this drain, when constructed, will be a sewer.

832 Letter from Minister for Local Government stating that a Paying Order for £23.16.3 will be issued in respect of Maternity and Child Welfare Scheme for three months to 31st March 1924.

Draft received and lodged.

833

Circular from Housing Department stating that Council's share of Housing Fund for year ended 31st March 1924 is £42:1:1

Read and noted: Draft received and lodged.

834

Circular from Minister for Local Government enclosing leaflets re Enforcement of Law (Occasional Powers) Act 1924.

Read.

Pr

835

Power of Attorney over sale of £279:7:9 Consols.

Completed, sealed and signed.

Transfer £190 Belfast Water Stock, Council to Mrs Rainey

Completed

Statement showing sale of Bank of Ireland, Lurgan, Belfast, and Bank of England Stocks, which realised and re-investment in Dublin Corporation, Dun Laoghaire, and Council's own stock, by which transactions the increase in annual dividends would be £119:9:11 and saving in Sinking Fund £526:18:5.

Read and considered satisfactory.

835

Circular from Minister for Local Government re administrative economy by local authorities.

Read.

836

Letter from Minister for Local Government stating he has no objection to payment of Bill of Costs in connection with Housing Seed of Charge without taxation

Read: account to be paid.

837

Letter from Minister for Local Government enclosing copy of an Order embodying his decisions on appeals against surcharges, in which all surcharges were remitted except in case of surcharge for payment to Michael Byrne, of which no mention was made.

Read and noted

838

Cy letter sent to Minister for Local Government giving particulars of various works unemployed could be given work and applying for a grant towards carrying out same.

Read

Cloth reported that he had had an interview with the Finance Department

when a Grant of £5000 was promised on condition Council raise a loan of £5000

Mr. S. Byrne proposed and Mr. W. Boyle seconded that the Council are prepared to raise £5000 by loan to provide necessary work if Government will give a Grant of £5000.

Passed unanimously.

Work for Christmas Week to start on 17th December, payment to be at the rate of £2:7:6 per week, Surveyor to take charge of employment. No one under 18 to be employed, carters and stonebreakers to be paid at the usual rates.

839

Letter from Mr. V. C. de Fane conveying Lord Ardee's permission to continue taking shingle from north beach, and asking payment of account to date.

Read and noted.

840

Letter from Mr. J. H. B. Craig, Solicitor, with reference to issuing licences to Motor Bus Proprietors.

Referred to General Purposes Committee

841

Letter from Messrs J. Grogan and J. Kelly, Veterinary Surgeons, giving terms on which they would examine milch cows for tuberculosis.

Read: Referred to Public Health Committee. Town Clerk to write Secretary County Council re Veterinary Inspector for the County examining the cows.

842

Letter from Secretary, Bri Chualann Trades Council, enclosing copies of resolutions passed at a Conference held protesting against the proposed conversion of Columbkille Hospital into a home for mentally deficient children.

Read and noted. Mr. Keatley proposed and Mr. Boyle seconded:-

"That we, the Bri Chualann Urban District Council, protest in the strongest possible manner against the contemplated conversion of St. Columbkille Hospital into a home for mentally deficient children, and desire to impress on the Ministry for Local Government and Public Health the necessity for sanctioning the agreement entered into between the County Wicklow Board of Health and Rathdown Guardians.

Passed unanimously

843

Newspaper report of evidence of Town Clerk, Dublin, on city boundaries, before Greater Dublin Commission on 11th November 1924

Read: No action taken.

844

Letter from Mr. J. Murans, asking Council to receive a deputation re flooding at

the Road.

Reputation of residents attended for which Mr J. Murnane acted as spokesman and gave as his opinion the causes which led to flooding.

Surveyor reported that he inspected inlet pipe from quarry lane to Mr Kempsey's field, and recommended that a large catchpit be erected in the lane.

Read and noted.

845 Applications from Mr Jas. Maguire, Annahashin, and Mr Wm. Kenny, Belgany, to be registered as Purveyors of Milk.

Applications granted if registered in own area.

Letter from Mr P. Curran stating that Mr Jas. Maguire has been registered as a Dairy Proprietor

Read and noted: Dairy Inspector to prosecute unregistered milk vendors where found.

846 Letter from Manager, National Bank, Dunlough, asking Council to withdraw Notice re McVannora's Cottages as the houses were for sale.

Read: Request refused: Notice to be adhered to.

848 Letter from Secretary, Technical Instruction Committee, stating his Committee have recommended that Miss Anglin be given the maximum pension as her services warranted, and giving particulars of her appointment and payments

Read and noted.

Letter from Miss Anglin giving particulars of one year's salary and bonus.

Read: C. de Mucicada handed in the following Notice of Motion, viz:-

"I will move at Meeting of Council to be held on 6th January 1925 that a superannuation allowance of £104:14:5 per annum be granted to Miss F. B. Anglin, who resigned from the position of Domestic Economy Teacher on 27th August 1924 and whose resignation was sanctioned by the Department of Education on 6th October 1924, subject to sanction of Ministers for Local Government if such sanction is considered necessary".

Received.

849 Application from Mercia Hospital for extension in the case of Sydney Whiston.

Granted.

Application from St. Vincent's Hospital for extension in case of J. Lyons.

Granted.

850 Application from Mr F. Birmingham to have something done to path leading to his bungalow on Sidmonton Road.

Read: Referred to Surveyor for report.

851 Letter from Mrs Frame complaining of Park Caretaker giving horse which had been placed in pound by Mr Frame's man to the owner.

Read: Park Caretaker to attend before next meeting of Coplanade Committee to explain his actions.

852 Letter from Mr E. V. Mullane offering £2 per week for pitch at south bandstand and agreeing to provide a Punch and Judy Show.

Read: Referred to Harbour Coplanade Committee.

853 Letter from Department of Agriculture (Forestry Section) giving details of fencing required round trees in new Park on the Road

Read and noted.

854 Paying Order £5 from Secretary, County Council, for rent of Town Hall for District Court and Paying Order £4:10:0 for heating and cleaning of Boardroom.

Received and lodged.

855 On Mr Mucicada proposed and Mr. M. Boyle seconded

"That the sum of £910:6:8 be transferred from General Account to Loans Fund Account for the purpose of paying dividends due on 1st prox. on Sri Chualann 3 3/4% R. S. Stock and chargeable against first mentioned account:-

£64902 for 1/2 year £1816:18:3

Less Div. Tax @ 5% in £. 304:4:7

712:13:8

Less propn. transfer fees 2:7:0

£910:6:8

Passed unanimously

"That the sum of £627:0:2 be transferred from Harbour account to Loans Fund

Account for the purpose of paying dividends due on 1st prox. on Sri Chualann 3 3/4% R. S. Stock and chargeable against first mentioned account:-

£44703 for 1/2 year 838:3:7

Less Div. Tax @ 5% 209:10:11

628:12:8

Less propn. Transfer fees 1:12:6

627:0:2

That the sum of £104.8:6 be transferred from Electricity Works Account to Loans Fund Account for the purpose of paying Dividends due on 1st prox. on Bui Chualann 3 3/4% R.B. Stock and chargeable against Electricity Works £:-

£74.4.5 for 1/2 Year	£139.11.11
less S. Tax @ 5%	<u>34.17.11</u>
	£104.14.0
less profn. of transfer fees	<u>5.6</u>
	<u>£104.8:6</u>

Passed unanimously.

That the Dividends due and payable on £117,050 Bui Chualann 3 3/4% R.B. Stock as per Stockholders Register now submitted and signed be paid on that date:-

	Interest	Income Tax	Nett Amount
General Account	1216.18.3	- 304.4.7	= 912.13.6
Harbour Account	838.2.7	- 209.10.11	= 628.12.8
Elec Works Account	139.11.11	- 34.17.11	= 104.14.0
	<u>£ 2194.13.9</u>	<u>- 548.13.5</u>	<u>= £1646:0:4</u>

and the Registrar is hereby authorized and instructed to issue Warrants accordingly." Passed unanimously.

That in accordance with the provisions of the Bray Township Act 1890 we hereby order and determine that the sum of £4.5.0 received in respect of Transfer and Certificate fees be applied as follows viz:-

General Account	£2.7.0
Harbour Account	1.12.6
Elec. Works Account	<u>5.6</u>
	<u>£4.5:0</u>

Passed unanimously.

856 List of Electric Light Consumers in arrears to 31st March 1924. left in hands of Town Clerk to arrange.

Report of Electrical Engineer and statement showing position of electricity undertaking.

Read: Application to be made to Ministry of Industry Commerce for continuance of power to charge 10^d per unit for the current consumed.

857 Letter from Sec. Painters Society, asking for some work to relieve unemployment among painters.

Read: Referred to Surveyor to report on any necessary work which could be

carried out.

858 Letter from Mr J.H. Collier asking permission to erect a second Petrol Pump in Main Street.

Application granted at 10% per annum.

859 Report from Surveyor on costs of laying tar macadam paths in People's Park.

Read: Tar macadam path of uniform width to be made in People's Park parallel with Lower Bangla Road, cost to be met out of proceeds of sale of Cones. £100.12.11.

860 Application from Overseer for remuneration for extra work done and work to be carried out during Christmas Week.

Read: £10 granted

861 Surveyor to attend to all complaints re Council's houses.

862 Fund for Sewering Poor, Term 1924, was started.

Prospere de Mupiaida

6. 1. 1925.

The monthly Meeting of Bri Chualann Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall, Bri Chualann, at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, 6th January 1925.

- Present: Councillor P. Ua Mhuiríada (in chair)
- " Edward Byrne
- " Patrick Martin
- " Joseph Metcalfe
- " George Byrne
- " M. Boyle

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Minutes of Meeting of 16th December 1924.

Read and confirmed.

Financial Statement Books and Treasurer's Advice Note.

Signed.

864

Mr. E. Byrne proposed and Mr. M. Boyle seconded the adoption of report of General Purposes Committee. Passed unanimously.

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Mr. E. Byrne proposed and Mr. J. Metcalfe seconded the adoption of report of Public Health Committee of 30th December 1924. Passed unanimously.

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Mr. W. Healey proposed and Mr. M. Boyle seconded the adoption of report of Electric Light Committee of 30th December 1924. Passed unanimously.

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Mr. W. Healey proposed and Mr. E. Byrne seconded the adoption of report of Harbour & Planade Committee of 30th December 1924. Passed unanimously.

868

Pursuant to Notice of Motion Mr. P. Ua Mhuiríada proposed and Mr. E. Byrne seconded, viz:-

"That a superannuation allowance of £107.1.11 per annum be granted to Miss F. B. Anglin who resigned from the position of Domestic Economy Instructress on 27th August 1924 and whose resignation was sanctioned by the Department of Education on 6th October 1924, subject to the sanction of the Minister for Local Government if such sanction is necessary, superannuation to be payable as from 17th September 1924."

Passed unanimously.

Minutes of Meeting of Technical Instruction Committee of 17th December 1924.

Left on table.

869

Letter from Minister for Local Government stating he had received authority from the Ministry of Finance to make a Grant to the Council of £6000, provided the Council raise a loan of £4000, for the purpose of relieving unemployment.

Read and noted. Hibernian Bank to be asked to extend period for repayment of loan to say ten or fifteen years, instalments of loan to be raised from time to time as required.

(a)

Tenders for fencing in new Park on The Head.

Handed to Engineer for Report at end of Meeting.

(b)

Quotations from Messrs Chapman & Chapman for Stone breakers, Granulator, etc.

Referred to Engineer for Report.

870

Letter from Minister for Local Government stating that decision in the case of appeal against Michael Byrne surcharge will be communicated later.

Read and noted.

Report from Electrical Engineer with reference to wages to drivers at Electricity Works, in which he stated that P. Nolan and J. Moore had exactly the same duties and same hours and in his opinion their weekly wages should be equal. At present both these drivers were being paid less than the men at the Electricity Station, Fleet Street, Dublin.

Read: Copy report to be sent to Minister for Local Government.

871

Letter from Minister for Local Government stating that a Sworn Enquiry would be held at a later date into the hospital facilities for the areas formerly included in the Rathdown Union, as to what were the hospital requirements of these areas, the number of patients requiring treatment in the year, and as to the desirability of converting portion of Rathdown Workhouse into a hospital or erecting a Cottage Hospital in Bri Chualann.

Read: Council to be represented at Enquiry whenever held.

Circular from Trades Council re Conference to be held on 9th January 1925.

Read.

872

Circular from Minister for Local Government re Postponement of Local Elections.

Read and noted.

873

Circular from Minister for Local Government stating that where road works are carried out under a Government Grant the expenses which might be incurred by Postal Authorities through alterations to Telegraphic Posts etc. should be charged under the scheme and paid direct by local authority to Department of Posts and Telegraphs.

Read. Cost of improvements to various corners to be charged under Grant also.

Letter from Minister for Local Government sanctioning allowance to Mr B.J. O'Connell, Electrical Engineer for extra work done in connection with installation of new Plant at Council's Electricity Works.

Read.

875 Transfer £1700 Bri Chualann Stock, Hurdall and Another to the Council.
Completed: Stock to this amount extinguished.

(a) Power of Attorney over sale of £407.7.10 Bank of Ireland Stock.
Completed.

876 Letter from Mr E. V. Mullane offering £2 per week for permit to give Concerts on South Bandstands during Season 1925, and proposing to supply a Punch & Judy Show also.

Read: Consideration deferred: Concert Parties to be advertised for, and advertisement to be inserted for Fruit and Ice Cream Stalls on Esplanade.

877 Letter from Mr H. Mitchell applying for pitches on Esplanade for Putting Green, Tennis Courts, and Dance Marquee as follows

Tennis Courts	£50 for Season
Putting Green	£50 for Season
Dance	£75 for Season

and asking for sole right to utilize the sands for Children's Competitions etc.

Read: Mr Mitchell's offers accepted for one year only subject to compliance with the Council's requirements. Proposal re Competitions on Sands approved.

878 Letter from Hon. Sec. St. Kevin's Catholic Burial Society thanking Council for the use of Town Hall for Meetings.

Read and noted.

879 Letter from Mr P. Mooney, Main Street, stating he closed his shop on Wednesday, 29th December shortly after the Inspector left.

Read and noted.

880 Letter from Manager, National Bank, Dun Laoghaire, stating that the Bank were not mortgagees in possession of McTamara's Cottages and could not be held liable for repairs, which should be carried out by Mrs McTamara.

Read Referred to Mr Craig, Solicitor, for advice.

(a) Electric Light Accounts in arrear to be forwarded to Mr Craig for attention.

881 Letter from Mr J. Kenny, Poor Rate Collector, asking if Council are going to pay Poor Rates on their houses as formerly, otherwise he would have to start collecting, as his collection closes in February.

Read: Minister for Local Government to be asked for directions in the matter having regard to the fact that a scheme has been submitted for the sale of these houses to the tenants.

882 The following tenders were received for fencing clumps of trees planted in new Park on The Head, viz:-

Messrs O'Connell	Main Iron Standards	£11.12.0 per 100	Barbed Wire	£23.0.0 per ton
	Steel	do	do	do
	do	£9.12.0	do	do
Smith Pearson	Iron Standards + Wire	@ 2/1 per yard	Wicket Posts	£7.10.0 each
do (Supply only)	do	£8.12.6 per 100	Barbed Wire	£22.5.0 per ton
J. Hencham & Co.	Iron Standards	£9.15.9 do	do	£19.10.0 per ton
J. Hencham & Co.	do	1/9d. each	do	£19.0.0 per ton
Brooks Thomas & Co.	do	3/.	do	£18.0.0 per ton
Kennan Sons	do	1/3 + 1/10 each	do	£22.0.0 per ton

9^d per yard extra for time in erecting same.

Boyle Sons Iron Barbed Wire Fence 2/6 per yard Wickets £3.5.0 each
(Alternative) Steel do 2/3 do, Boiling Standards if necessary 1/6 each extra
J. Furlong Pointed Standards, Wire, Shaming Posts, delivered only £210.0.0

Surveyor recommended the acceptance of Messrs Boyle's Alternative tender at the price quoted, without wicket gates.

Mr. E. Byrne proposed and Mr. G. Byrne seconded that the alternative tender of Messrs J. J. Boyle for fencing 1105 yards @ 2/3 per yard plus 1/6 d per standard if rock is met with, be accepted.

Passed unanimously.

883 It was decided that Surveyor put the work of erecting a boundary wall on The Head into hands at once, quotations to be obtained for iron ladders over boundary wall.

884 Plan of proposed alterations to Marine Cottage submitted by John Sutton approved.

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20. 1. '25

A Meeting of Ori Chualann Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall, Ori Chualann, at 7 p.m. on Tuesday 20th January 1925.

Present: Councillor P. Ha Mucicada (in chair)

" E. Byrne
" J. Metcalfe
" P. Kealley
" J. A. Jordan
" Patrick Martin
" S. J. McCorry
" George Byrne.

885 Minutes of Meeting of 6th January 1925.

Read and confirmed.

886 Circular from Minister for Local Government re postponement of local elections.

Read and noted.

887 Letter from Minister for Local Government enclosing copy of an Order remitting surcharge in the case of Michael Byrne.

Read and noted.

888 Letter from Minister for Local Government stating that the question of approving of Coluicill's Hospital for reception of patients from Ori Chualann is under consideration.

Read.

Letter from Minister for Local Government notifying holding of Sworn Enquiry at Loughlinstown into hospital accommodation etc at 11 a.m. on 27th January 1925.

Read and noted.

Circular from Trades Council re Conference to be held on 22nd January 1925. at 8 p.m.

Read:

(a) Account for £19:16:0 from Coluicill's Hospital for James Brinnion.
Account to be returned as treatment was only authorised for 28 days and no extension was applied for.

(b) Letter from Messrs F. Gibson-Lloyd Co. returning account for treatment of Robert Douglas in Health Hospital, who met with an accident while in the

employment of Mr J. M. Ballier, and stating that this man was in receipt of weekly compensation.

Read: Account to be returned to the Hospital Authorities.

889 Letter from Minister for Local Government stating it would appear that Miss F. C. Anglin would be entitled only to a superannuation of 1/60th for each year's service and that any greater superannuation would require his sanction.

Read: Minister to be written to.

(a) Application from Technical Instruction Committee for Council's annual contribution.
Postponed.

890 Letter from Hibernian Bank extending period of repayment of loan of £5000 to 10 years.

Read and approved

Copy Specification of Works under Grant of £6000 and loan of £4000

Read and approved. Mr McCarty to be required to exercise close supervision on all work during the period of the grant and to arrange for gangers and all other details.

It was decided to appoint Mr James Sheridan temporary timekeeper during the duration of the grant at £2:10:0 per week starting from 21st January.

Paths in Main St. and on Bunsboro Road to be concreted and a strip 12" to 15" left next the shops for the laying of electric light main; paths at Upper Bangle Road, Blackburn's Cottages to Casey's, Ardee Street, Herbert Road, and Seapoint Road, to be tar macadamised.

Provision to be made in grant for a new groin at Sea Wall and path at Esplanade from the Baths down to be tar macadamised.

(a) Quotation from Messrs Chapman and Chapman for a Portable Granulator 12" by 5" delivered f.o. O. Ori Chualann for £248.

Read: Cn. P. Ha Mucicada proposed and Mr E. Byrne seconded that the tender of Messrs Chapman Chapman be accepted at £248. Passed unanimously

(b) Letter from Mr Johnston asking Council to receive a deputation from Brick and Stonelayers Union re wall on the Head.

Read: Deputation received consisting of Messrs Johnston, Sweeney, Bacolor and were informed that portion of the wall at Head would be done in masonry and masons employed.

(c) Letter from Mr McCorry complaining of condition of Water Main on Greenpark Road. Report from Water Inspector on pressure of water on Bangle Road etc.

Read: Further Report to be made: Surveyor to make an arrangement for supply

of water at night to men at Railway Station.

(d) Application from permanent men in charge of Christmas Work for extra remuneration.

Read: Application refused.

891 * Question of advertising for Fruit and Ice Cream Stalls on Esplanade. Advertisement to be inserted in "Irish Independent" and three local papers but not in the "Irish Times."

892 Letter from Mr J.H. Craig stating that Mr Quinn was complaining of damage to his roadway by Council's carts.

Read: Referred to Harbour Esplanade Committee.

893 Letter from Mr Craig enclosing copy of letter from Mr Bradshaw re 61 to 65 Main Street stating he had received no details of work proposed to be done and that the Trustee's Architect would inspect the premises and report.

Read: Referred to Surveyor to supply necessary details as to cost of drain.

894 Letter from Mr Craig enclosing copy of letter from Mr Bradshaw re St. Kevin's Terrace stating that Trustees will have no option but to take proceedings against Council unless some arrangement in the way of compensation is arrived at.

Read and noted.

895 Letter from Mr Craig enclosing copy of letter from Mr Bradshaw re Toole's Holding stating that Trustees will make application to the Court to compel the payment by the Council of £500 for Toole's Holding with interest.

Read and noted.

896 Letter from Mr Craig recommending that Notices re McManara's Cottages be served on Mrs McManara and on the Receiver of Rents.

Read: Notices to be served as recommended.

897 Letter from Mr Richardson, County Veterinary Inspector, stating he examined some of the milch cows reported to him and as these were not in his area his charge for such examination was £4.4.0.

Read

Copy letters sent to Mr Richardson and to Secretary, County Council, with reference to this matter, and stating that on enquiry from the Department of

Agriculture it was ascertained that the County Council should take immediate action in any cases reported hitherto in Urban or Rural areas.

Read: Awaiting reply from County Council.

898 Letter from Secretary, House Painters Society, asking Council to provide some employment for members of the Painters Society unemployed.

Read: Referred to General Purposes Committee for Surveyor's Report.

899 Letter from Minister for Local Government asking Town Clerk to make an appointment re proposed sale of Council's houses.

Read: Awaiting report of Town Clerk to Public Health Committee.

900 Letter from Clerk, Rathdown Board of Guardians, stating that S. Holmes has been registered as a Purveyor of Milk in his own area.

Read.

Application from Mr S. Holmes to be registered as a Purveyor of Milk within the Urban District.

To be registered.

901 Letter from Chief Engineer, P.O. Telephones, re alteration to telephone at Electric Light Works which was not carried out owing to Electrical Engineer's objections. Read.

Correspondence with Town Clerk and Electrical Engineer with reference to alteration to phone.

Read: Having considered correspondence between Electrical Engineer and the Council re alteration to telephone, the Council insist on alteration being carried out as directed and disapprove of Engineer preventing Council's orders being carried out, and further disapprove of tone of correspondence to Council through the Town Clerk.

902 Copy letter sent Mr Craig, Solicitor, with a list of electric light consumers in arrears. Read.

Letter from Miss Gannon agreeing to pay £5 on account of amount due and the balance in a month's time if light is reconnected.

Read: Instalment accepted as offered and premises to be re connected if a guarantee Form is signed by an approved party.

903 Copy letter sent Deputy Coroner's Surveyor with reference to flooding at vaulthouse. Read, awaiting reply from Deputy Coroner's Surveyor.