

No tenders were received for repairs to house in the occupation of Mr Dorcas Mitchell.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor Matthew Mustagh
 Seconded by Councillor William O'Grady.
 Resolved: That Mr John Kennedy be co-opted
 a Councillor in the room of Mr Wm Bourne.

Read letter from Manager, Gas Co, stating
 he was communicating with his directors re
 tender for Public Lighting.

Letter from W. S. & Rly Co stating they were
 prepared to increase their contribution for
 maintenance of Bolanney Road from £12 to £20
 per annum.

Order: Railway Co's offer accepted.

Letter from Railway Co, asking for account
 to be furnished up to & including 15th August

Order: Supplied

Letter from Mr M. Hodgson, stating the Council
 can have a few loads of Burnt Ore if required
 for footpath between Chemical Works & Town.

Tender from Ballece Quarry Co @ 9/- per ton
 for Macadam F. O. R. at Quarry siding.

Letter from Sec. Co Council requesting immediate
 payment of 1st instalment of Demand.

Order: 1st instalment to be paid forthwith.

Letter from Sec. General Councils of Co Council giving
 a list of firms from whom water meters & Sough
 Closets can be obtained

Order: Tenders to be obtained for a Water Meter.

List of Courses of Instruction proposed by
 Technical Instruction Committee for Session 1921-22

Letter from Gas Co opening roads for repairs to
 Gas mains.

Application from Board of Trade for 10/- Rent
 Foreshore.

Letter from Hail Curran sanctioning payment
 of £25 Bonus to Edward Kennedy, Sewer Rate Collector.

Letter from Hail Curran, stating that the
 Jurors & Franchise Lists are not to be prepared.

Order: Read. Instructions to be carried out.

Letter from Irish White Cross re grants feeding
 for necessitous School Children.

Order: Information to be supplied.

Letters from Mr J. H. McCarroll, Solicitor, re James,
 Delahunt, J. Woolittle; leases.

Letter from Mr McCarroll, re possession of lands
 in occupation of Michael Nolan.

Order: Solicitor to bring objections before
 Republican Courts.

Letter from Mr McCarroll, Solicitor re passage to
 Mr Woolfe's premises, Castle St.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor William O'Grady
 Seconded by Councillor Francis Murphy
 Resolved: That Mr Woulfe be granted a lease of passage for the same term as his lease of house. A clause to be inserted in lease that should houses be built on said plot the tenants to have a right of way through said passage.

Letter from S. J. Healy, asking for a right of way at rear of his premises at Monkton Road. (Commons Field)

Order: A right of way 12 ft wide from Boundary fences of existing fences is granted to Mr Healy & Canon from back of Entrance to their Gardens.

Tenders from Brooks & Thomas for Jolly Trap.

Application from Mr M. Woulfe to Tap Water Main at Castle St to make connection.

Order: Granted

Application from Messrs J. S. Hopkins & Sons for permission to cover in channel in front of premises at Abbey St to enable Motor Cars to get in & out

Order: Permission granted.

Application from Workmen for Oil Suits.

Order: Tenders to be obtained

Letter from Messrs Keogh, stating that they would require a Building Site near Coastguard Station

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor M. Mustagh
 Seconded by Councillor W. J. Haskins
 Resolved: That we request the W. S. & E. Rly Co, to restore the 4 a.m train from Wexford to Dublin, as the present train service gives passengers too short a time to transact business in Dublin and return the same day. We also consider that the 10-15 a.m train from Harcourt St to Wexford should be restored, as the mail train is too early and inconvenient, and that the last train from Harcourt St to Wexford should not leave sooner than 6-5 p.m. We are of opinion that these trains would be appreciated as a great convenience to the travelling public."

That copies of this resolution be sent to the Councils of Wexford, New Ross, Inniscorthy, Gorey, Arklow & Rathdrum.

Read letter from Mr John Barlow, stating that an Amusement Committee had been formed, and asking the Council to appoint representatives.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor Wm O'Grady
 Seconded by Councillor Jas Brennan
 Resolved: That Messrs Jas Everett, James Middleton, & Wm H. Kearney, be appointed to represent the Council on the Amusement Committee"

Application from Mr Edward Kennedy, Poor Rate Collector, asking to be granted an increased Soudage or a Bonus

Order: Consideration deferred to close of half year.

Letter from Mrs Cunningham stating she had to pay rates on two houses for the one time & asking for a refund.

Order: Referred to Finance Committee to make enquiries as to period she is in occupation of present house.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor Francis Murphy.
Seconded by Councillor James Smullen.
Resolved: - "That the following Councillors be hereby appointed to wait on the Ministry of Railways for a grant of £6000 for to carry out improvements to Waterworks: - Jas Everett; James Middleton & W. H. Kearney"

Application from Mr John Smullen for use of Murrough on Sunday 11th Sept 21, for the purpose of holding Sports in aid of J. A. Foresters Bands & also use of Market Hall tables.

Order: granted.

W. H. Kearney
14/10/21

Town Hall, Wicklow,
4th October 1921

The usual Monthly Meeting of the Wicklow Urban District Council was held this evening in pursuance to notice. To transact the following business:-

- 1 To consider Finance Committee's Report
- 2 To consider Committees Reports
- 3 To consider Sanitary Officers Reports
- 4 To consider Waterworks Overseer's Report.
- 5 To consider Corporate Agent's Report
- 6 To consider tenders for repairs to house in occupation of Mr Thomas Mitchell
- 7 To consider tenders for Workmens Oil Suits
- 8 To consider Gas Co's Estimate for Public Lighting
- 9 To consider official correspondence.

Councillors Present

Mr James Everett, Chairman. Councillors W. H. Kearney; Jas Nichols; M. Mustagh; Jas Smullen; Peter McCoy; Geo Hoyle; Charles Davis; John Smullen; Jas Clarke; R. H. Daskins; John Kennedy; Frank Murphy;

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read over and confirmed.

Mr John Kennedy, took his Statutory Declaration.

Finance Committee Report 1st Oct 1921

Your Finance Committee met this day and checked over accounts, books, & vouchers and found that during the month there was lodged to your credit the following sums:-

W. M. Byrne: Township Rates £ 321-6-0
 do Rents Corporate, Cottage Grazing 75-16-8
 £ 397-2-8

We recommend the following payments:-

H. J. McShail. One month's Salary £25-0-0
 Same Workmens Wages 85-13-4
 John Clebourny. One month's Salary & Bonus 15-16-4
 B. O'Loole do do 12-15-8
 Hibernian Insurance Co. Insurance 1-10-0
 John Kane. Timber 3-3
 Hely's. Envelopes & S. S. Office Lining 16-6
 Browne & Nolan. 3 Moy Weekly Rent Books 6-0
 Seople. Advertising 16-6
 W. M. Byrne. Township Rate on Corporate Property 51-0-1
 do Soundage on £466-15/- Rents Collected 23-6-9
 £ 214-4-8

We have had before us Rental of Convent Road Cottages, and as those Cottages are a great loss to the Ratepayers we recommend that the tenants in arrears of rent be called upon to pay the arrears immediately. The same remarks applies to Bond St Houses.

(Signed) Jas Nichols
 Jas Middleton

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor W. H. Haskins
 Seconded by Councillor Charles Davis
 Resolved:- That the Finance Committee's Report be hereby confirmed & adopted and that cheques be issued for the payment of same.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE'S REPORT

10th September, 1921

We have given directions for two extra men to be engaged to break stones at the Mill.

We have directed that the Road Scrapings be carted to Inner Murrrough in order to fill up the hollow in same.

We have given the following orders:-

Fine material in River at Woodenbridge be spread on High St and Morton's Lane.

That a rough estimate be made of the cost of providing a Sewer at Bond Street.

That the Town Clerk ascertain the cost of making Concrete Posts the same as used by the Railway Co, and also to ascertain if the Railway Co have any second hand Barlow Rails for sale, as they are required for repairs to Bridge at Brickfield Lane.

That the Granite Posts on Murrrough be removed to Stores.

Estimates be obtained for the Timber for Town Hall Floor.

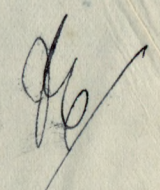
Estimates be obtained for Street Gullies.

Crossing at Woodenbridge be repaired and a Mason engaged.

We have directed your Town Clerk, to write to the representatives of the late Mr. T. M. Boolittle, and draw their attention to the dangerous state of the Wall, and to ascertain what they propose to do with the premises as they are in a very dilapidated condition.

We have inspected Commons Field, and have directed that the two Plot-holders who have paid for their Plots and signed the agreement be invited to attend the next meeting of the Allotment Committee.

John Smullen
 John Kennedy.
 James Brennan



Special Committee's Report

24th Sept, 1921

Your Special Committee met this evening, and directed your Town Clerk to purchase from the Railway Co, 4. 22ft & 2 12ft Barlow Rails as same is required to repair the Bridge in Brickfield Lane.

We find that the cost of constructing a Sewer in Bond Street would be approximately about £100.

We recommend that a Gully Trap be placed at Hillside in order to carry off the overflow of water that comes from Ballyguile.

We have given directions for the road material on South Quay to be removed to Murrough, and an extra horse & 2 men be engaged to remove same. The two men to also break Slig in the Mill for the Roads.

We have given directions for two granite posts be placed in position at Castle View between Haskins Wall & Sea Wall in order to prevent car traffic.

We have given directions for Granite Coping Sets on Murrough to be taken up and removed to Storage.

John Smullen

John Kennedy

James Brennan

Jk

Special Committee's Report

24th Sept, 1921

Your Special Committee met this evening, and recommend that disused Sewer Pipes on the Murrough be removed, and have directed your Town Clerk to write to the De-La-Salle Bros, asking for permission to open portion of their ground as the Sewer runs to the Angle at Railway Wall.

We recommend that the coping of path at River Side of Bachelors Walk be taken up, as this path is seldom used and the coping can be utilised elsewhere.

We have directed that the two men be continued on to take up the balance of the Granite Coping on the Murrough.

Your Waterworks Overseer has reported a waste of water in Mr. Murphy's premises at Church Street, the water being used for the washing of Motors & Hackney Cars. We have given directions to your Overseer to cut off the supply.

We recommend that Messrs Reilly & M. Foley be paid the sum of One Pound each as compensation for ^{their} ~~the~~ labour on the Allotment Plots, as we find that the Plots in the Commons Field are not suitable.

We had an interview with Mr. Edward Cannon concerning his application for a passage at back of his premises at Monkton Row, and Mr. Cannon states that so long as he has permission for a cart to come through the Commons Field to his premises he is quite satisfied. Mr. Cannon states he will not go to the expense of Paling off a Passage.

John Kennedy

James Brennan

John Smullen.

Jk

SPECIAL COMMITTEE'S REPORT

1st OCTOBER, 1921.

We have given directions for the Church Road, Station Road & Chapel Road to be cleaned.

We recommend that the Bridge at Brickfield Lane, be repaired and that Lane be blocked at turn of dumping ground in order to prevent Cars from using the Lane.

We have given directions to your Waterworks Overseer to turn on the Water to Mr. Francis Murphy's premises, Church Street.

(Signed) John Smullen

John Kennedy.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor Wm H. Kearney
 Seconded by Councillor Charles Davis
 Resolved: That Special Committee's Reports
 "dated 10th; 14th; 24th Sept & 1st Oct
 1921; be hereby confirmed
 & adopted.

Public Health Committee

1st October, 1921

We have had before us Sanitary Notices served by the Sanitary Officers, and recommend that proceedings be instituted against the several parties who fail to comply with the notice.

We recommend that the Public Health Committee be empowered by the Council to fix prices after consultation with the Merchants on all food & other commodities in order to put a stop to profiteering.

(Signed) James Middleton

James Nichols

James Brennan.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor W. H. Kearney.
 Seconded by Councillor James Smullen
 Resolved: That Public Health Committee's Report
 "dated 1st Oct 1921, be hereby
 confirmed & adopted."

Read Sub Sanitary Officer's Report enumerating work performed during the month by direction of Special Committee

Read Waterworks Overseer's Report stating that water in Reservoir is down 13'-8" from overflow, and enumerating work performed during the month.

Read Corporate Agent's Report stating that the gate leading to Upper Allotment Plots at Ballyguile is broken & also that at Commons Field leading from Coopers Lane. Both seem to have been done by force & maliciously.

One tender was received for repairs to Mrs Dorcas Mitchell's house at High St. being that of Mr Thomas McCall at £18-10/-

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor John Smullen
Seconded by Councillor James Smullen
Resolved: "That Mr Thomas McCall's tender at £18-10/- for repairs to house in the occupation of Mrs Dorcas Mitchell, be accepted. Work to be carried out to the satisfaction of Special Committee & in accordance with Specification."

The tenders for Workmen's Oil was deferred as only one tender was received being that of Mr John Shaw.

Read letter from Gas Co stating that they were prepared to carry out the Contract for Public Sighting on the same conditions as last year, and that in the event of any reduction being made in the price of gas the Council will be given the full benefit of same.

Order: That Mr Newbold & The Manager, Gas Co, be asked to attend a Committee Meeting of the Council on Wednesday evening next to discuss the price charged for gas in the Urban District.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor W. H. Ashkins
Seconded by Councillor John Kennedy
Resolved: "That Committee of the Whole Council be called for Wednesday next at 6-30 p.m. to discuss with the Manager Gas Co & Mr Newbold the price charged for gas"

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor John Smullen
Seconded by Councillor Charles Davis
Resolved: "That Gas Co's tender for Public Sighting be accepted for one month."

Letter from Hail Treann stating that the decision of Hail Treann with reference to non-cooperation with the British Government in connection with the preparation of jurors & franchise lists is irrevocable and is not open to be reviewed by this Department. With regard to the loss of fees that will result to certain officials owing to this decision the attitude of the Department is that the local authorities should revise the salaries of their officials taking this loss into consideration and should arrive at an amount which will be an adequate remuneration for all work attaching to their offices.

Order: Read & approved.

Read circular letter no. 53. Hail Treann, re superannuation of Local Officers.

Read letter from David Keenan, re The Rates
+ Criminal + Malicious Injury Claims (Circular No. 51)

Letter from David Keenan requesting to be
informed of the amount hitherto paid by the
Council to Wicklow Fever Hospital.

Letter from Minister for Social Government,
stating he will receive the Deputation between
11 + 1 on any day except Friday + Saturday

Letter from Minister for Social Government,
stating there are no funds at the disposal
of this Department for a grant in connection
with proposed improvement to Wicklow Waterworks,
and suggesting that the Engineer might be asked
to suggest a temporary arrangement whereby the
waste of which he complains might be remedied
at less cost than his present estimate.

Circular David Keenan, Trade Dept
Recclusionion of British goods.

Letter from Mr J. H. McCarroll, Solicitor,
stating that Ejectment for possession of Grazing
Sands was issued against M. Nolan. Before
receipt of instructions to bring case before
Republican Court.

Order:- Town Clerk to consult Solicitor with a
view of having case withdrawn.

Letter from Mr J. H. McCarroll, requesting to be
supplied with date of old Lease of John Woodville's
holding Quarantine Hill.

Letter from Mr McCarroll requesting to be supplied
with date the Lease Miss Nolan expires of premises
in Bath St. Sanigan + or -

Order:- Information to be supplied.

Letter from Mr McCarroll, stating that Grazing
Tenants had refused to give up possession of
Sands.

Letter from Messrs Deleahunt + Sim, asking the
Council to receive a deputation from the Grazing
Tenants

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor W. H. Kearney
Seconded by Councillor James Nichols
Resolved:- That the Council receive a deputation
of Corporation Tenants as asked for
in the letter of 10th Sept 1921, by
Messrs Deleahunt + Sim.

Amendment

Proposed by Councillor James Smullen
Seconded by Councillor John Smullen
Resolved:- That the matter of Grazing Sands be
left in the hands of the Solicitor

On a vote being taken the resolution was
carried by 7 for + 6 against.

Letter from His Grace Most Rev Dr Byrne,
Archbishop of Dublin thanking the Council for
resolution of congratulation.

Letter from Richmond Hospital stating they will
admit MacCarthy + Clarke for treatment.
Proposed by Councillor Jas Clarke + Seconded by Councillor John Smullen
+ Resolved:- That Mr P. Blake's tender at £402-4/- for Pipes etc at Waterworks
be accepted

Letter from Mr Bergin C. E. re construction of Open Air Filters.

Letter from Sec Co Council stating that the Co Council agreed to the proposal of Urban Council to apply to Dublin Corporation for a loan of £6000. for improvements to Waterworks

Letter from D. S. & Rly Co re train service.

Letter from Co Smiting Co re wastage of Water + charge made for same.

Letter from Technical Committee re whole-time Irish Teachers.

Letter from Ocean Insurance Co. stating Mr W. M. Byrne, had not renewed policy.

Letter from Industrial Development Association asking the Council to appoint Delegates to attend Conference on 19 & 20th Oct '51

Order:- That the following Councilors be hereby appointed to represent the Council at Industrial Development Association Conference Messrs J. Kennedy, W. H. Haskins & Jas Nichols.

Letter from James Redmond resigning position of Slainy Inspector.

The tender of Messrs Crowe at £2-5-4 for timber to repair Town Hall floor was accepted.

The tender of Messrs Lockrell at £3 for Gully Traps was accepted.

Letter from Co Smiting Co. stating that the complaint re Waste of Water has been stopped, and that the Council

will not enforce the order fixing a charge of 2/- per week for extra water.

Order:- Water to be charged for at 2/- per week.

Letter from Kate Byrne, James Darcy, Julia Crowlock & Martin Byrne, stating that they had been sued for £3-9/- rent and as the houses were insanitary, they would be glad the Council would give some advice in the matter.

Order:- No action taken.

Letter from D. S. & Rly Co enclosing draft agreement for maintenance of Railway Road.

Order:- Approved.

Application from Residents of Dispensary Lane, to have Public Lamp lighted during the winter.

Order:- Referred to Special Committee

Application from Mrs Margaret White for lease of Yard on Quarantine Hill to run in conjunction with lease of her house.

Resolution

Proposed by Councilor Geo Doyle

Seconded by Councilor Jas Murphy

Resolved:- That Mrs Margaret White be granted Yard at Quarantine Hill on lease for the unexpired term of lease of her House + premises Castle St at the yearly rent of One Pound per annum

Letter from Mr R. A. Burke, stating that when the late Lord Fitzwilliam gave the ground for railway he stipulated that there should run a train from Wicklow to Dublin daily early, to which Railway Co agreed.

Order:- Town Clerk to write Railway Co to restore the 8-20 a.m. train in accordance with above agreement

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor Jas Everett
 Seconded by Councillor Jas Nichols
 Resolved: That we the Wicklow Urban District Council hereby beg to convey to Mr Matthew Mustagh, our deepest sympathy with him and the Members of his family in the great loss they have sustained through the death of his Brother.

James Everett
 7/11/21

Town Hall, Wicklow
 9th November 1921

A Special Meeting of the Wicklow Urban District Council was held this day in pursuance to a requisition signed by Messrs W. Haskins; Wm O'Grady; John Kennedy; James Middleton; Jas Brennan; W. H. Kearney
 To transact monthly business:-

1. To consider Finance Committee's Report
2. To consider Committees Reports
3. To consider Sanitary Officers Reports
4. To consider Waterworks Overseer's Report
5. To consider Coporate Agents Report
6. To consider tenders for grazing of Commons Field
7. To consider tenders for construction of Mural on North Quay
8. To consider tenders for workmen's Oil Suits
9. To appoint a representative on the County Board of Health
10. To execute agreement with Railway Co, for maintenance Blarney Road
11. To consider reply from Gas Co, re price of Gas.
12. To consider official correspondence.

Councillors Present

Mr James Everett, Chairman in the Chair; Messrs Jas Smullen; John Smullen; W. H. Kearney; Geo Hoyle; Jas Clarke; Jas Middleton; Wm O'Grady; Jas Nichols; M. Mustagh; Jas Brennan; John Kennedy; Jas Murphy; Charles Davis; W. H. Haskins.

The minutes of the previous Meetings were read over and confirmed.

Finance Committee's Report
 29th Oct 1921

Your Finance Committee met this evening, and checked over accounts, books & vouchers, and found that during the month there was lodged to your credit the following sums:-

Wm. M. Byrne.	Rents Corporate & Cottage	£65. 18. 3
do	Township Rates	240. 2. 8
		<u>£306. 0. 11</u>

We recommend the following payments:-

H. J. MacShail.	One month's Salary	£25. 0. 0
Same	Workmen's Wages	101. 18. 4
John Delaney.	One month's Salary & Bonus	15. 16. 4
B. O'Sole	do do	12. 15. 8
Dr. A. A. O'Connor	Three months Salary	6. 5. 0
Thos McCall.	Repairs to Dorcas Mitchell's House	18. 10. 0
Joe Harey.	Coals Waterworks	3. 6. 8
John Hearn	Saling Soot	2. 19. 6
Hibernian Insurance Co.	Premium on Corporate Agents' Bond	2. 10. 0
do	Insurance of Employees	16. 5. 3
St. M. G. Sheehy.	Treatment Patient at Mater Hospital	1. 4. 0
Michael Foley.	Compensation for giving up allotment Slt	1. 0. 0
Andrew Keilly	do do	1. 0. 0
Collis Ward	Rent Town Hall to 29/9/21	2. 6. 2
W. S. Crowe	Timber Town Hall Flood	2. 5. 4
Sheane Bros	Repairs to gratings	1. 10. 0
C. Smithing Co.	Printing & advert	2. 10. 0
Sec. S. P. F. Band.	Balance 1 st Rate	13. 5. 0
H. J. MacShail.	Cost Summonses	5. 10. 0
Burial Board.	2 nd Instalment of Demand	14. 16. 9
H. J. MacShail.	Deputation Expenses	13. 0. 0
Independent.	Advertising	1. 10. 0
Irish Limes	do	1. 0. 0
Freeman	do	1. 0. 0
(Signed) J. Middleton, W. H. Kearney & J. Nichols		<u>£267. 4. 0</u>

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor Joe Clarke
 Seconded by Councillor Joe Smullen
 Resolved:- "That the Report of the Finance Committee be hereby confirmed & adopted & that cheques be issued to the several parties named therein"

Special Committee's Report

10th October, 1921

Your Special Committee met this morning, and have directed that the drain in Strand Street be cleared.

Your Committee approve of the draft Agreement with D & S. E. Railway Co. for maintenance of Railway Road.

We have given directions for Commons Field be advertised for Grazing on Eleven months system.

We have given directions for a Lamp to be lighted in Dispensary Lane.

J. Nichols
 W. H. Haskins

(Signed) James Nichols

Special Committee's Report, Haskins.

24th October, 1921

Your Special Committee met this morning, and have given directions for tenders be invited for the construction of Urinal on North Quay. Same to be roofed with concrete.

We have given directions for Stones to be spread on North & South Quays, and also Slig on Path at Summer Hill. Water tables on Bunbur road to be cleaned, and stones spread on Rathnew Road.

(Signed) D. H. Haskins

James Nichols

10/21/21

Special Committee's Report

31st October, 1921

We have given directions for the Bridge at Brickfield Lane
to be repaired this week. A Mason & ~~Carter~~ ^{Carter} to be engaged.

We have instructed your Waterworks Overseer to engage three men
to Skim Filter Bed, and wash Sand.

We have directed your Town Clerk to ascertain if we can get
Stones from the County Council, and if so at what price per ton.

That the following roads be cleaned this week:- Water Tables
at Fair Green & Convent Road.

(Signed) James Nichols

D. H. Haskins.

16/11/21

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor Jas Brennan
Seconded by Councillor Jas Smullen
Resolved:- "That Special Committee's Reports dated
" 10th, 24th, & 31st Oct 1921, be hereby
" confirmed & adopted "

COMMITTEE MEETING OF THE WHOLE COUNCIL

12th October, 1921

P R E S E N T

Mr James Everett, Chairman; Messrs D. H. Haskins; James Nichols;
James Brennan; James Middleton; James Smullen; James Clarke; Edward
Byrne; John Kennedy; George Boyle; Peter McEvoy; Francis Murphy;
G. M. Byrne; Matthew Murtagh.

Your Committee had an interview with Messrs T.P. Newbold &
W. M. Salby, in connection with the price charged for Gas in the
Urban District of Wicklow, and had also before ^{them} the prices charged in
other Towns in Ireland, and after careful consideration the following
resolution was adopted.

Proposed by Councillor D. H. Haskins & Seconded by Councillor F. Murphy
RESOLVED:- "That the Gas Co be asked to reduce the price of Gas to
Ten Shillings per 1,000 from 1st November, 1921, and to make a
similar reduction in the Slot Meters.

Messrs S. V. Delahunty, J. Pim & Thos O'Garroll waited on your
Committee as a Deputation from the Grazing Tenants, and put before them
their views with regard to the Grass Lands.

Your Committee decided to leave the matter over to the Monthly
Meeting of the Council on Tuesday 1st November, 1921.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor G. M. Byrne.
Seconded by Councillor James Middleton
Resolved:- "That Committee's Report dated 12th Oct 1921
" be hereby confirmed & adopted "

Sanitary Sub officer's Report:- During the month the men
were engaged at Dunbar Road cleaning up water tables
& edging same & had stones spread on North & South Drays,
& part Rathnew Road. The Slot-holders agreed to sell

The stones at 4/ per load. I had them carted and spread on Cottage Road. I recommend that notice be served on the Owners of Sand to have their hedges cut down. I inspected the Council's Cottage in High St, and am satisfied that the repairs have been completed in accordance with the specification. The repairs to Town Hall floor is completed. I would recommend that the repairs to Bridge at Brickfield Lane be carried out this week.

I inspected 40 premises and served three notices under the Public Health Act for various sanitary purposes + had three premises lime washed. The flushing of the main drainage and Urinals on the South Quay has been carried out weekly. I had one Patient removed from Westcott to Fever Hospital. The Public Lighting has been well attended to during the month.

Some person is removing the road manure off the Inner Murrugh. I would recommend that the matter be put in the Police hands to have it stopped.

Orders:- Repairs to Bridge at Brickfield Lane be carried out. Removal of road material be reported to J. R. A. Police

Corporate Agents Report:- Messrs Nalty + Toole have discontinued use of Corporation grazing lands. There are therefore several vacancies

One tender was received for the grazing of Commons Field being that of Geo Byrne at £6.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor M. Mustagh
Seconded by Councillor S. Davis

Resolved:- That Geo Byrne's tender at £6 for the grazing of Commons Field for 11 months from 1st Nov 1921 be hereby accepted. Messrs Healy + Canon to have a right through the field to enter the rear of their premises if they so wish.

One tender was received for the construction of a Urinal on North Quay, being that of Mr John Kane at £69.0.0

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor James Middleton
Seconded by Councillor John Smullen

Resolved:- That Mr John Kane's tender at £69 for construction of Urinal on North Quay be hereby accepted.

Two tenders were received for Oil Suits for Workmen:-

J. Sawles + Son	25/- each
J. Shaw	19/- "

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor F. Murphy
Seconded by Councillor S. Davis

Resolved:- That Mr John Shaw's tender at 19/- each for Workmen's Oil Suits be hereby "accepted"

Read letter from Mr S. J. Doyle, re Workhouse Amalgamation + asking the Council to appoint a representative on County Board of Health.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor S. Davis
Seconded by Councillor James Smullen

Resolved:- That Mr Mathew Mustagh, be hereby "appointed to represent the Council on the "County Board of Health".

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor H. H. Haskins

Seconded by Councillor James Clarke

Resolved:- That Agreement with W. S. & Rly Co for
"maintenance Railway Road at Bolamey"
"be hereby sealed & signed on behalf
"of the Council"

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor Francis Murphy

Seconded by Councillor Geo Doyle

Resolved:- That lease of yard on South Quay
"granted to Mr Matthew Turner be
"hereby sealed & signed on behalf of
"the Council"

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor Francis Murphy

Seconded by Councillor James Clarke

Resolved:- That we hereby approve of draft lease of
"piece of ground granted to Mr Wolfe, for
"a passage to rear of his premises
"Castle St. The term of years to be
"the same as the present unexpired
"period of the lease of his house"

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor G. M. Byrne

Seconded by Councillor James Clarke

Resolved:- That the Independent, Irish Times &
"Leeman be paid their accounts
"for advertising the Fair."

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor Francis Murphy

Seconded by Councillor Geo Doyle

Resolved:- That draft of lease granted to Mr John
"Woodville of house & premises at Quarantine
"Hill, be hereby approved of on behalf
"of the Council"

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor James Middleton

Seconded by Councillor G. M. Byrne

Resolved:- That the whole Council be appointed
"a Committee to go into the question of
"the several lettings of the Corporation grazing
"Sands & report. Committee to meet on
"Tuesday evening next at 7-30 p.m."

Read letter from Gas Co stating that an announce-
ment as to price of gas will be made as soon
as the accountant has got out the figures
indicating the present financial position of
the Gas Company;

Order:- Adjourned to next Meeting.

Read circular letter ^{No. 55} from Hail Circann
re Superannuation of Officers.

Order:- Read & approved

Letter from the Minister Social Government Dept
stating he would receive deputation on 18/10/1921.
re Loan for Improvements to Waterworks.

Letter from Mr J. H. McCarroll, Solicitor, stating
that adjourned Civil Bills in the case of Waldron & others
will be heard at Quarter Sessions & asking to have defendant
in attendance.

Order:- No action taken.

Certificate from Dr McCormack, stating that the San Sub officer is suffering from an acute attack of influenza & will not be able to resume duty before 14th Oct 1921.

Letter from Gas Co, re Public Lighting.

Order: Adjourned.

Letter from W & S. Ry Co, re train service.

Letter from Messrs Lockrell, stating that owing to a strike in the ironfounders for over two months they are unable to procure gully traps.

Letter from Rural District Council Rathdrum asking to appoint three Delegates to attend the Conference re Unemployment.

Order: Read & approved.

Letter from Mr J. Sheane complaining of the building of a Slaughter house by Messrs Gregory & Sack up against his premises.

Order: Referred to San Sub officer for Report.

Notice of Appeal from Messrs Haggard & Bennett, Solicitors re compensation claim made by Post Master General.

Order: Read.

Application from Mr Thomas Gregory to have some repairs carried out to Old Dunbar Road.

Letter from Mr McCormack, Hon Sec Local Technical Committee asking the Council to appoint four representatives on the Committee.

Order: That Messrs J. Kennedy, F. Murphy, Jas. Scullen & H. J. Marshall, be appointed to represent the Council on Local Committee.

Letter from Mr J. A. McCarroll, Solicitor, with regard to clause to be inserted in leases granted to Miss Sanyan, Leonard & Mr R. White re separate Sewerage connection.

Order: Referred to Committee.

Letter from Rathdrum Rural Council re Tillage.

Order: Adopted.

Letter from Mail Bureau stating that the expenses of Delegates appointed to attend Industrial Conference cannot be paid out of Councils Funds.

Order: Read.

Waterworks Overseer's Report stating that water in Reservoir is down 15' 2" from sill of overflow & enumerating work performed during the month. Several fountains were maliciously broken during the month.

Order: That broken fountains be reported to J. R. a. Police.

J. Swirell
Chairman
6/14/21

Town Hall, Wicklow
6th December 1921

The usual Monthly Meeting of the Wicklow Urban District Council was held this evening in pursuance to notice. To transact the following business

1. To consider Finance Committee's Report
2. To consider Committees Reports
3. To Make provision for payment Stock-holders Dividends
4. To consider Sanitary Officers Reports
5. To consider Waterworks Overseer's Report
6. To consider Corporate Agent's Report
7. To consider Mr John Smullen's "Notice of Motion" that the money allocated for Public Lighting be expended on Sabours in the Town.
8. To consider official correspondence.

Councillors Present

Mr Jas Bennett, Chairman: Councillors John Smullen, Edward Byrne; Geo Doyle; D. H. Haskins; M. Murtagh; John Kennedy; Jas Clarke; Jas Middleton.

Finance Committee's Report
3rd Dec 1921

Your Finance Committee met this day and checked over accounts, books & vouchers, and found that during the month there was lodged to your credit the following sums:-

W. M. Byrne.	Township Rates	£194. 19. 10
Same	Rents	23. 14. 8
		<u>£221. 14. 8</u>

We recommend the following payments:-

H. J. MacShail.	One month's Salary	£25. 0. 0
Same	Workmen's Wages	163. 1. 8
J. DeBourcy.	One month's Salary & Bonus	15. 16. 4
B. O'Stoole	do do	12. 15. 8
C. Council	3 rd Instalment of Demand	404. 4. 11
Peter Hoyle.	Rates on Waterworks	4. 14. 4
Jas Co.	Public Lighting	18. 1. 9
Sheane Bros	3. Gully gratings	5. 19. 0
Joe Sinn	Sewer Pipes	4. 0
Ham. Baker & Co.	Repairs to Water Meter	1. 12. 0
N. Lyndall.	Cleaning Urinals on 26 Sundays	1. 6. 0
Haskins Bros	Lead Pipe & Cement	23. 2. 4
S. D. McLaughlin.	Hardware Goods, Cement etc.	61. 19. 6
		<u>£738. 3. 6</u>

We have examined list of irrecoverable Poor Rates & approve of same. We recommend that Edward Kennedy, Poor Rate Collector be paid £30 on account of his poundage.

(Signed) W. H. Haskins
W. H. Kearney.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor John Smullen
Seconded by Councillor M. Murtagh
Resolved: That the Report of the Finance Committee be hereby confirmed and adopted and that cheques be issued to the several parties named therein"

Report Committee of the Whole Council

15th November, 1921

P R E S E N T

Mr. James Everett, Chairman; Messrs James Smullen; Wm H. Kearney; James Clarke; James Nichols; John Kennedy; B. H. Haskins; Charles Bavis; Matthew Murtagh

Your Committee have had before them Gas Co's letter refusing to reduce the price of gas, and also report from Mr. J. H. McCarroll; Solicitor, dealing with Gas Co's Act.

Read letter from Wicklow Trade Protection Association, stating they are anxious to give every possible assistance to the Council in their efforts to reduce the price of gas in the Town, and enclosing copy of a resolution calling on the Gas Co, to at once reduce considerably their price for gas.

Proposed by Councillor Francis Murphy.

Seconded by Councillor Matthew Murtagh

Resolved:-"That the Public Lighting be discontinued from to-night, and that a Petition be prepared and sent out for signature by the Gas Consumers in the Town calling upon the Gas Co to reduce the price of gas to 7/6 per 1,000 C.F.

Read letter from Wicklow Trade Protection Association, asking the Council to take steps to prevent strangers obstructing the streets with cars for the purpose of selling foreign tweeds, clothing materials etc on Fair Days, as such practice acts injuriously to the traders of the town who are ratepayers, and encourages the sale of inferior and foreign manufactured materials.

Proposed by Councillor James Nichols.

Seconded by Councillor Francis Murphy

Resolved:-"That the I. R. A. Police be asked to remove up to the Market Square strangers who attend to sell clothing on fair days"

Proposed by Councillor Francis Murphy.

Seconded by Councillor Charles Bavis

Resolved:-"That the I. R. A. Police be asked to see that no buying or selling of Market Produce on Wednesdays take place any where except in the Market Square"

Proposed by Mr. Murtagh

Seconded by Mr. Wm H. Kearney

Resolved:-"That the person cutting the Wire Fence on Commons Field be prosecuted.

We have given directions that drain from new Urinal on North Quay, be piped to Rive. Messrs J. Nichols; Fras Murphy & B. H. Haskins to point out position of drain to contractor

We have directed that Messrs Ronan's letter re Gas Co's Cottages be referred to Mr. McCarroll, Solicitor, to deal with.

Your Committee have had before them the several Lettings of the Corporation Grazing Lands.

Proposed by Councillor James Smullen.

Seconded by Councillor James Clarke.

Resolved:-"That all the Corporation Grazing Lands be taken up except the holdings held by Messrs O'Carroll; Fim & Mrs Hamilton.

Amendment proposed by Councillor Wm H. Kearney:- "That all the Tenants remain as they are and that the present rent be increased by 25%.

Their was no seconder to this amendment.

Amendment Proposed by Councillor B. H. Haskins; Seconded by Councillor Francis Murphy & Resolved:-"That all the Tenants remain as they are, and that the Tenants be asked to discontinue sub-letting otherwise the lands be taken up immediately.

On a Vote being taken the voting was as follows:-

For Amendment:- Councillors F. Murphy; Wm. H. Kearney; J. Kennedy;
J. Nichols; B. H. Haskins & G. Davis (6)

For Resolution:-Councillors J. Clarke; James Everett & John Smullen
(3)

The Amendment was declared carried by 6 to 3.

Resolution

*Proposed by Councillor D. H. Haskins
Seconded by Councillor M. Mustagh
Resolved:- That Committee's Report dated 15th Nov
1921 be hereby confirmed & adopted*

Two Councillors dissented to above resolution

COMMITTEE MEETING WHOLE COUNCIL

26th November, 1921

P R E S E N T

Mr. James Everett, Chairman; Councillors James Brennan; James Middleton; John Kennedy; George Boyle; Wm H. Kearney; James Clarke; John Smullen; Francis Murphy; B. H. Haskins.

We have had before us correspondence from the Gas Co, stating that they have made application to the Board of Trade for a revision of the price charged for gas.

Proposed by Councillor Francis Murphy

Seconded by Councillor James Nichols

Resolved:-"That our Town Clerk, be hereby requested to inform the Memorialists who signed the Petition to discontinue the use of gas on or after 28th instant, that the Gas Co, have not reduced the price of gas, and therefore the Council request the Memorialists to carry out their undertaking.

We have directed that the Owners & Captains of the Vessels be asked to give the use of their Ships Lamps for the Public Lighting.

Proposed by Mr. Francis Murphy

Seconded by Mr. George Boyle.

Resolved:-"That Joseph Kavanagh, be engaged temporary to light and look after the Public Lighting., Councillor Middleton, Nichols; Kennedy; & Brennan. to point out the positions the lamps are to be placed in.

Resolution

*Proposed by Councillor D. H. Haskins
Seconded by Councillor Geo Boyle.
Resolved:- That Committee's Report dated 26th
Nov 1921, be hereby confirmed and
adopted"*

SPECIAL COMMITTEE'S REPORT

26th November, 1921

Your Special Committee met this evening and ordered the following work to be carried out:-

Stones to be spread on North & South Quays. Slig stones to be broken and spread on Fitzwilliam Road. Rathnew Road from Fern Hill to Station Gates to be scraped and stones spread.

We have given instructions for two Waggon of Macadam be ordered for Main Street.

We have given directions for Gully Trap at Kilmartin Hill be taken up and replace same with a Grating. The Gully Trap to be put in Lower Strand Street.

(Signed) George Boyle,

Francis Murphy

James Clarke.

16/11/21

Special Committee's Report

3rd December, 1921

Your Special Committee have given directions for the following work to be carried out during the week:-

Stones to be spread on Main St. Water tables be cleaned on Upper Monkton Row; Chapel Road and Green Hill Road.

We have given instructions for notice to served on Land Owners to have their hedges cut.

We have given directions for Gully Trap to be placed in position on Kilmantin Hill.

George Boyle,

James Clarke.

Dec 12/21

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor W. H. Haskins

Seconded by Councillor John Smullen

Resolved:- That Special Committee's Reports dated "26th Nov & 3rd Dec 1921, be hereby "confirmed & adopted"

Read Sub San officer's Report enumerating work performed during the month by instructions of Special Committee

Orders:- Urinals be flushed twice a week
Tenders be invited for S. S. office Uniform & Overcoat. Car traffic be stopped in Brickfield Lane.

Read Waterworks Overseer's Report enumerating work performed during the month.

Order:- Filtering Beds to receive a general cleaning. Three sets Fountain fittings be ordered.

Corporate Agent's Report. Tho' Joe has given up his allotment plot at Ballygule, application for which may be received for Season 1922.

Order:- Referred.

Letter from David Eireann re Formation of Anti Profiteering Committee

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor John Smullen

Seconded by Councillor James Everett

Resolved:- "That a Public Meeting be called to form Anti Profiteering Committee. Weekly Committee to select a date."

Letter from David Eireann re Irish Inland Fisheries poaching.

Order:- Read & approved.