

Wicklow Town Redeemable Debenture Stock. Direct
payment of Dividends.

Order:- Dividends to be paid. Resolution signed in Book.

Consider monthly report of Sanitary Sub-Officer.

Order:- Disinfectant to be obtained.

Overseer to call on Council's men to clean gullies
etc., when necessary. Oilskins and Overcoats to be obtained.

Re:- 10 New Houses at Dunbur Road. Consider Report
of Engineer.

Order:- Services of Clerk of Works dispensed with as from
Saturday 31st December 1932. Copy report to Department of
Local Government.

Relief Grant of £1,000. Consider Report of Engineer.

Order:- Steamrolling of stones on Streets to be completed.

The Commissioner signed the following Advice Notes:

Relief Grant	£490. 15. 9
General Account	£155. 5. 0
Housing Account	19. 9. 4
Housing Account	£400. 0. 0

To/

P. J. Meghen, Esq., B.E., B.Sc.,
Commissioner,
Wicklow Urban District.

2nd Jan. 1933.

Sir:

10 New Houses at Dunbur Road.

The recent wet weather has caused several bad
damp patches to appear in the rere of each of these houses.
The water would appear to be entering at points under each
window sill and at the junction with the concrete roofs over
outoffices.

I notified the contractor to remedy the faults on
26th ult. and only today received an acknowledgment of my
letter. Works have been suspended by the contractor since
24th ult. but he has not given any reasons to me.

Under the circumstances there does not appear to be
any necessity for retaining the services of the Clerk of Works.

And in this regard, I am bound to say that the latter
has always endeavoured to give me all the assistance in his
power.

Yours faithfully,

Signed: J. T. O'Byrne.

Relief Grant £1,000.

To: P. J. Meghen, Esq., B.E., B.Sc.,
Commissioner,
Wicklow Urban District.

2 Jan. 1933.

Sir:

In accordance with the arrangements made at your last meeting all available men were employed on the Relief Grant for the Urban District and the amount certified by me up to Friday 30th December is £952. 14. 5½.

The following works were carried out:

- A. 754 cubic yards stone carted from Quarries to Town.
- B. 260 cubic yards rolled in on Kilmantin Hill.
- C. Manhole covers and Stop cock covers raised on Kilmantin Hill and partially on High Street.
- D. There are about 400 cubic yards stone lying on the streets and roads to be rolled in.
- E. Concrete footpath completed at Convent Road Cottages.
- F. Concrete kirbing on part of Bayview Road (from top of Morton's Lane to Miss Nolan's).
- G. Opening dykes on Corporation Lands, cleaning up Water-works, Crushing stone in Millyard and clearing Ballalley sites.

Yours faithfully,

Signed: J. T. O'Byrne,
Engineer.

P. J. Meghen
6. 2. 33

Minutes of Meeting held on Monday, 6th February, 1933, by Mr. P. J. Meghen, B.E., B.Sc., Commissioner appointed to administer the affairs of Wicklow Urban District.

Minutes of last Meeting read and signed.

Correspondence:-

Circular 56/33. - 2. 1. 33. From Department of Local Government and Public Health enclosing form for Statistical particulars to be completed and returned.

Order:- To be completed.

Circular G.55/2/32. - 4. 1. 33. From Department of Local Government and Public Health dealing with revision of Bonus payable to Government employees.

Order:- Read.

G.112150/1932. - 4. 1. 33. From Department of Local Government and Public Health enclosing copy Sealed Order regarding appointment by Commissioner of representatives of U.D.C., on Bodies mentioned therein.

Order:- Read and noted.

S.69184/32. - 6. 1. 33. From Department of Local Government and Public Health that Minister had remitted surcharge of £2. 7. 6 paid for hire of Motor Car to Dublin with deputation, and directing attention to Circular letter of 9th July 1932.

Order:- Noted. Persons concerned notified.

P.H.120839/1932. - 6. 1. 33. From Department of Local Government and Public Health with reference to appointment of Veterinary Inspector in Urban District, that it will be necessary to fix salary (subject to approval of Minister) and then approach Local Appointments Commissioners in matter.

Order:- Department to be asked to sanction Salary of £26. 0. 0 per annum.

S.120835/32. - 9. 1. 33. From Department of Local Government and Public Health that the amount of arrears due by the Urban District Council to Commissioners of Public Works in respect of Loan Instalments to 1st ult. was £2152. 8. 11 with a further sum of £561. 8. 5 penal interest, making a total of £2713. 11. 4, and requesting Commissioner to consider what steps could be taken to pay off same.

Order:- Inform Department that the Commissioner is engaged considering the question of best method of repaying various Council liabilities, and expects to be able to indicate soon what steps he will take.

G.1742/1933. - 11. 1. 33. From Department of Local Government and Public Health, that Minister, Department of Industry and Commerce had not received return of rents in connection with Mid-November cost of living Inquiry and requesting same to be forwarded.

Order:- Furnished.

17. 1. 33. From Department Industry & Commerce, acknowledging receipt of Form B giving particulars of rents etc.,

Order:- Read.

H.Circ. 4/31. - 11. 1. 33. From Department of Local Government and Public Health with reference to allocation of Irish Housing Fund, and asking for particulars of liabilities etc.

Order:- To be furnished.

File No. RFU. 132. - 12. 1. 33. Unemployment Relief Grant, £1,000. From Department of Local Government and Public Health that a payment of £150. 0. 0 was made to Urban Treasurer on the 10th, and enclosing Forms 16 7 18 for completion, to be

returned together with final requisition when work completed.

Order:- Forms to be completed and returned.

Circ. 5/33. - 13. 1. 33. From Department of Local Government and Public Health to forward list of all pensionable officers in the service of the Council who have attained the age of 65 years or who will attain that age before 31st March next.

Order:- None.

No. G.34/33. - 13. 1. 33. From Department of Local Government and Public Health dealing with rating of New Buildings.

Order:- Noted.

G.4369/1933. - 16. 1. 33. From Department of Local Government and Public Health enclosing Sealed Copy Order dismissing H. J. MacPhail from offices of Town Clerk and Executive Sanitary Officer.

Order:- Noted.

Circ. No. 7/33. - 18. 1. 33. From Department of Local Government and Public Health, with reference to supplies of roofing materials in Saorstad, and requesting information as to number of houses in Schemes being formulated, or being prepared which will require to be roofed before 31st March, also number of houses to be roofed before 30th June next.

Order:- Unlikely to have any further houses ready for roofing before 31st March 1933.

Circ. No. 45/32. - 23. 1. 33. From Department of Local Government and Public Health requesting monthly returns of (a) Schemes being carried out and (b) Schemes being formulated for provision of houses.

Order:- Furnished.

P.H.97971/1932(A). - 25. 1. 33. From Department of Local Government and Public Health of an intended issue of recoupment from School Meals Grant of £24. 0. 0 Second Instalment 1932/1933.

Order:- Noted. Lodged.

H.7621/33. - 3. 2. 33. From Department of Local Government and Public Health that Minister had sanctioned appointment of Joseph Lalor as Clerk of Works in connection with Housing Scheme.

Order:- Read and Noted.

H.9922/33. Wicklow Urban Dist. - 4. 2. 33. From Department of Local Government and Public Health sanctioning proposal to obtain overdraft not exceeding £500 for purposes of Housing Scheme at present being carried out in Wicklow, at usual rate of Interest.

Order:- Copy to be sent to Bank.

7. 1. 33. - From Office of Public Works, that no advance can be made on foot of Housing Loan until arrears of loan instalments and penal interest are paid, and enclosing Duplicate Receivable Orders.

Order:- Pay Public Health and Housing Instalments.

4. 1. 33. - From E. J. H. Hopkins on behalf of Wicklow Ratepayers' Association, enclosing following Resolution:- "That the Wicklow Ratepayers' Association request the Commissioner having charge of the affairs of the Wicklow Urban Council, that having ascertained the deficiencies in the Council's funds, he should obtain a long term loan to meet the same."

Order:- Noted.

4. 1. 33. - From E. J. H. Hopkins with the following Resolution:- "That the Wicklow Ratepayers' Association consider

"the present number of members (21) on the Urban Council is too large a representation in proportion to the population of the Town, and we suggest a representation of 9 members, and hereby request the Commissioner having charge of the affairs of the Urban Council of Wicklow to take such steps as may be necessary to give effect to the terms of this resolution."

Order:- Noted. Department to be asked to consider this matter.

17. 1. 33. - From E. J. H. Hopkins acknowledging Commissioner's reply to above Resolutions.

Order:- Noted.

23. 1. 33. - From Loughlin Sutton, Hon. Sec, Wicklow Ratepayers' Association that Mr Harold B. Hopkins had been nominated by the Association to fill one of the vacancies on the County Wicklow Vocational Education Committee.

Order:- Noted. Notify Vocational Committee.

11. 1. 33. - From P. O'Reilly, Contractor, with reference to payment of Instalment due him on foot of Certificate of Engineer.

Order:- Sanction to be asked to an overdraft on Housing A/c. in order to pay Contractor.

17. 1. 33. - From Secretary, Electricity Supply Board with reference to transfer back to the Council of the premises for which the Council claims rent from the Electricity Supply Board.

Order:- Noted. Commissioner to discuss this with Electricity Supply Board.

5. 1. 33. - From O. Plunkett estimating for installation of Electric Light in Harbour Board Offices and on stairs thereon £2. 17. 9.

Order:- Accepted.

6. 1. 33. - From Messrs J. H. McCarroll & Co., stating that they had received letter from Messrs Stewart & Orr, Solicitors for Mrs M. T. Murray, that necessary repairs had been put in hands and asking for an adjournment of case for one month to enable repairs to be completed.

Order:- Noted.

30. 1. 33. - From S.S.O., reporting that repairs had been carried out, and that there were no complaints from either tenants.

Order:- Noted.

6. 1. 33. - From Electricity Supply Board estimating for the erection of lamp at "Shanty Lane" at £14. 10. 5.

Order:- Too expensive. Adjourned.

7. 1. 33. - From Arthur Cox, Solicitor for Electricity Supply Board, asking for a payment on account of debt due by Council.

Order:- Replied to.

9. 1. 33. - From Dublin and Wicklow Manure Co., Ltd., with reference to Water Rent.

Order:- Rent to cover period to 31st March 1933.

13. 1. 33. - From V. J. Stevens, that the Water Meter rent was unreasonable having regard to the fact that 2s/6d covers the water used by him, and suggesting that a flat rate be charged in his case.

Order:- List to be examined and charges to be amended.

11. 1. 33. - From L. W. Dalby, Wicklow District Gas Co., Ltd., referring to "Wicklow Gas Act 1910" and various Acts which it incorporates, also stating that further damage had been discovered due to steamrolling operations.

Order:- Read.

14. 1. 33. - From L. W. Dalby, Wicklow District Gas Co., Ltd., complaining of further damage to Gas Mains on Kilmantin Hill.

Order:- Read.

30. 1. 33. - From L. W. Dalby, Wicklow District Gas Co. Ltd., that steam rolling of High Street and New Street had added to damage already caused to gas mains. That owing to extent of damage to mains on Kilmantin Hill his Directors had decided to relay new pipes on both sides of Hill.

Order:- Read.

14. 1. 33. - From Mrs McPhail applying for refund of 9s/- paid by her for repairing public drain which caused flooding of her house on South Quay.

18. 1. 33. - Report of S.S.O., on same.

Order:- Adjourned to next Meeting.

14. 1. 33. - From J. T. O'Byrne, B.E., for £25. 0. 0 fees in connection with Relief Grant £1,000. 0. 0.

Order:- To be paid subject to sanction.

14. 1. 33. - From J. T. O'Byrne, B.E., for payment of £50. 0. 0 on account of £100. 0. 0 due on Housing Scheme.

Order:- To be paid subject to sanction.

13. 1. 33. - From Mrs K. Kearney that she would pay rent in full in a month's time.

Order:- Noted.

16. 1. 33. - From W. J. Haskins for refund of rates paid on premises in Church Street, Valuation having been reduced on appeal.

Order:- Refund to be made.

25. 1. 33. - From Mrs Esther Clarke, Leitrim Place, Wicklow, for renewal of Lease dated 29th September 1835 in

respect of numbers 14 and 15 Leitrim Place, Wicklow.

Order:- Question of renewal at increased rent to be considered.

From S. V. Delahunt, Bayview, Wicklow, for renewals of following Leases :-

Lease dated 4th May 1857 - Wicklow Commissioners to Frederick Halpin - Yard at South Quay.

Lease dated 4th May 1857 - Wicklow Commissioners to Frederick Halpin - Dwellinghouse adjoining above yard.

Lease dated 7th December, 1874 - Town Commissioners to Henry MacPhail - House at Main Street, Wicklow.

Order:- Question of renewals at increased rent to be considered.

30. 1. 33. - From Hibernian Bank to let them have Paying Order for £44. 4. 6 being half yearly Instalment and Interest on Housing Loan to 7th February 1933.

Order:- To be paid.

Consider tenders for Oilskins for Council's workmen from the following:- C. Magee, £1. 5. 0 per suit. J. Passant, £1. 5. 6 per suit. P. J. Byrne, £1. 17. 6 per suit.

Order:- Adjourned.

16. 1. 33. - Consider report of Waterworks Caretaker.

Order:- Adjourned.

31. 1. 33. - Consider report of Waterworks Caretaker on damage to water mains caused by steamrolling.

Order:- Adjourned.

Application from H. J. MacPhail for £22. 2. 0 fees due under Vaccination Acts.

Order:- Read.

19. 1. 33. - Report of Medical Officer on unvaccinated children in Urban District.

Order:- Notices to be served on defaulters.

1. 2. 33. - From Branch Manager, Ocean Accident and Guarantee Corporation Ltd., re Fidelity Guarantee Bonds of Wm M. Byrne Rate and Rent Collector.

Order:- Accept Bond at £250. 0. 0.

2. 2. 33. - Consider monthly report of Sub-Sanitary Officer.

Order:- Read.

3. 2. 33. - From Clerk, Rathdrum and Wicklow Joint Burial Board for payment of £19. 5. 0 quarterly instalment due by the Council.

Order:- Pay.

3. 2. 33. - From Clerk, Rathdrum and Wicklow Joint Burial Board enclosing estimate for year 1933/1934 showing amount of Demand on U.D.C., £88. 5. 0.

Order:- Noted.

The Commissioner signed the following Advice Notes:-

General Account	£164. 1. 4
Poor Rate Account	10. 7

atmt. G. Meagher
6-3-33

Minutes of Meeting held on Monday, 6th March, 1933, by Mr P. J. Meghen, B.E., B.Sc., Commissioner appointed to administer the affairs of Wicklow Urban District.

Minutes of last Meeting read and signed.

Correspondence:-

R/RFU/132. - 15. 2. 33. From Department of Local Government and Public Health sanctioning payment of £25. 0. 0 fees to Mr O'Byrne, B.E., out of Council's funds in connection with work under Relief Grant of £1,000.

Order:- Noted. To be paid.

Circular 56/33. - 21. 2. 33. - From Department of Local Government and Public Health requesting particulars as to statistical information for 1931 - 1932.

Order:- To be furnished.

Circular F.18/33. - 21. 2. 33. From Department of Local Government and Public Health that Minister is prepared to consider recommendations from County Councils as to suitable date for holding Local Government Elections, between 23rd June and 1st July next.

Order:- Noted.

Circular 45/33. - 2. 3. 33. From Department of Local Government and Public Health to furnish monthly return of Schemes being carried out and Schemes being formulated for provision of houses.

Order:- Furnished.

Circular 21/33. - 2. 3. 33. From Department of Local Government and Public Health enclosing form for completion showing full particulars of Officers and members of the Council.

Order:- To be completed and returned.

H.13242/1933 - 3. 3. 33. From Department of Local Government and Public Health sanctioning payment of £100 to Mr J. T. O'Byrne, B.E., his fees in connection with Housing Scheme at Monkton Row.

Order:- Noted. Balance of fees to be paid when work finally certified.

L.A.13/12/32. - 24. 2. 33. From Local Appointments Commission that they recommend Mr John McGrath, Ballynew House, Castlebar, Co. Mayo, for appointment as Town Clerk and Executive Sanitary Officer.

Order:- Mr McGrath appointed Town Clerk and Executive Sanitary Officer in accordance with conditions of appointment. Acting Town Clerk to write to Mr McGrath and inform him of his appointment and that it is conditional on his taking up residence in the Wicklow area and assuming his duties before the end of the month.

7. 2. 33. - From Town Clerk, New Ross enclosing resolution regarding relief of rates.

Order:- Noted.

10. 2. 33. - From Hibernian Bank that Directors had sanctioned overdraft of £500 on account of Housing Scheme 1932.

Order:- Noted.

11. 2. 33. - From Bank of Ireland enclosing Request for Transmission of Dividends by Post, for execution.

Order:- Request signed by Commissioner.

15. 2. 33. - From Secretary, County Council enclosing resolution with reference to extension of time for striking rates for year 1933/34.

Order:- Noted.

16. 2. 33. - From Dr A. A. O'Connor, M.O.H., that this was

a bad time for vaccinations, and that it would be advisable to postpone all vaccinations for two months.

Order:- Noted. Minister to be informed.

21. 2. 33. - From Superintendent J. Greany, G.S., for use of Town Hall on Sunday the 5th March 1933, for purpose of holding public meeting under auspices of N.A.C.A.,

Order:- Granted.

22. 2. 33. - From Messrs McCarroll, Solicitors, Re U.D.C., V. O'Neill, that Ejection for non-payment of rent and Ejection on Title were heard by Circuit Judge who granted Orders in both cases with stay until 1st April next, in order to give Defendant an opportunity of paying up arrears and costs.

Order:- Noted.

23. 2. 33. - From John Power drawing attention to shore running through his premises at Market Square.

Report of S.S.O., on same.

Order:- Refer to County Surveyor.

24. 2. 33. - From Hibernian Bank for Paying Order for £133. 19. 6 being £100 Instalment and £33. 19. 6 Interest in respect of Income Tax Loan Account.

Order:- To be paid.

23. 2. 33. - Application from Martin Brien, New Street, for renewal of tenancy of Bank at rear of Convent Road Cottages.

Order:- Granted.

4. 3. 33. - Application from William Rooney, Fitzwilliam Square, for renewal of tenancy of fields held by him, and asking that drains be opened up in order that water which flows over the field might be carried away.

Order:- Granted.

3. 3. 33. - From L. W. Dalby, Manager, Gas Works, regarding

recent flooding of houses on Murrough, and damage to Sea-Wall.

Order:- Noted. Remarks on foreshore to receive careful consideration.

4. 3. 33. - Application from Joseph Lalor for payment of £18. 11. 8 balance due him as Clerk of Works on Housing Scheme at Dunbur Road.

Order:- Pay £18. 11. 8.

From J. T. O'Byrne, B.E., estimating cost of extension of Main Sewer from corner of Marlton Road to corner of Friar's Hill road at £285. 0. 0.

Order:- Noted.

Report from J. T. O'Byrne, B.E., that houses are finished and ready for occupation, and that fencing would cost £50. 0. 0.

Order:- Adjourned for further inspection.

4. 3. 33. - From L. Sutton, Hon. Sec. Ratepayers' Association that they had appointed Messrs J. Connor, J. J. Fallon, W. J. Haskins and H. B. Hopkins to fill four of the vacancies on the Harbour Board.

Order:- Four nominated to be appointed.

Consider reports of Waterworks Overseer dated 16. 1. 33, 31. 1. 33 and 28. 2. 33.

Order:- Overseer to obtain estimate for new piping; for larger piping to Fitzwilliam Road and for part renewal of Friar's Hill fountain.

14. 1. 33. - Application from Mrs Martha McPhail, for refund of 9s/- paid by her for repairing public drain which caused flooding of her premises at South Quay.

Report of S.S.O., on same.

Order:- Refund 9s/-

Consider applications to be registered as Cowkeepers,

Dairymen or Purveyors of milk, from the following:-

Margaret Clarke; John Lalor; Miss D. Wall; William Brennan;
Miss A. Kennedy; Patrick Brien; Patrick Rooney; Catherine Doyle;
Matthew Olohan; Michael Dawson; Thomas O'Carroll; Martin Brien;
M. Carr; George Flood; Henry Nalty; Hughes Brothers.

Order:- Registered.

Execute Lease and Memorial to Mr Michael J. Doyle, Castle-
View, Wicklow.

Order;- Signed and Sealed.

Application from William Dickenson, Monkton Row, for renew-
al of eleven months letting of field at Dunbur Road.

Order:- Granted.

Consider Monthly Report of S.S.O.,

Order:- See notes on report.

Tenders for Oil Suits considered.

Order:- Mr Magee's tender at £1. 0. 0 per suit accepted.

The following Advice Notes were signed by the Commissioner:

General Account	£363. 7. 11.
Housing Account	18. 11. 8.
Poor Rate Account	£101. 6. 3.
Relief Grant Account	70. 10. 9.

Patrick J. Meghen
10. 4. 33

Minutes of Meeting held on Monday, 10th April,
1933, by Mr P. J. Meghen, B.E., B.Sc., Commissioner
appointed to administer the affairs of Wicklow Urban
District.

Minutes of last Meeting read and signed.

Correspondence:

Ilch. G.26/33. - 10. 3. 33. From Department of Local
Government and Public Health with reference to furnishing of
Minutes of Proceedings to the Department and Resolutions re-
quiring sanction.

Order:- Noted. To be attended to.

P.H.12873/33. - 20. 3. 33. From Department of Local Govern-
ment and Public Health sanctioning proposal of Commissioner to
fix salary of £26 per annum for position of Veterinary Inspector
for supervision of meat and milk supplies in the Urban District.

Order:- Local Appointments Commissioners to be asked to fill
vacancy. One name only to be supplied.

File No. R.F.U./132. - 20. 3. 33. From Department of Local
Government and Public Health that a payment of £200 in respect of
Grant of £1,000 was made to Urban Treasurer on 16th inst., Works
No. R.897.

Order:- Noted.

Circ. No. 45/33. - 22. 3. 33. From Department of Local
Government and Public Health requesting to be furnished with
Monthly Return of Schemes being carried out, and Schemes being
formulated for provision of houses.

Order:- Noted. To be furnished.

Circ. H.22/33. - 23. 3. 33. From Department of Local
Government and Public Health enclosing Form for completion in
respect of annual return under Housing of Working Classes.

Order:- To be furnished.

R.U./132. - 25. 3. 33. From Department of Local Government and Public Health enclosing Forms Nos. 97, 16 and 18 for completion in respect of balance of £22 due from Relief Grant of £250.

Order:- To be completed.

30. 3. 33. - From Department of Local Government and Public Health enclosing £14. 6. 2 balance of proportion of Salaries of Sanitary Officers during year ended 30th September 1932.

Order:- Noted.

R.2/353. - 10. 3. 33. From Office of Public Works for payment of £22. 10. 0 half-year's rent of Coastguard Station to 29th September 1933.

Order:- To be paid.

24. 3. 33. - From Office of Public Works that arrangements be made for discharge of Instalment due 1st November 1932 amounting to £12. 6. 3 in respect of Harbour Loan.

Order:- Adjourned.

6. 3. 33. - From Superintendent J. Greany, G.S., thanking Commissioner for use of Town Hall on 5th March for meeting under auspices of N.A.C.A.,

Order:- Noted.

C.M.D./L. - 9. 3. 33. From Messrs Lewis & Mounsey, enclosing Transfer, Scrip for £3,000 - 3½% Wicklow Town Redeemable Debenture Stock and Death Certificates of O. C. McClintock Jones and F. B. H. Mulock.

Sign and Seal Certificate.

Order:- Certificate signed and sealed.

2165/32. - 7. 3. 33. From Chief Superintendent G.S., Wexford, claiming Medical Expenses for examination of Sergeant A.N. Connor amounting to £2. 3. 6.

Order:- Repudiate liability.

9. 3. 33. - From James McCall applying for £1. 18. 6 for repairing Council's Cottages at Bond Street.

Order:- To be paid.

10. 3. 33. - From Messrs J. H. McCarroll & Co., Solicitors, enclosing copy Opinion of Mr Joseph A. McCarthy, B.L., re Lease of Murrough to Amusements Committee.

Order:- Adjourned.

11. 3. 33. - From L. W. Dalby, Manager, Wicklow District Gas Co., Ltd., that he had been instructed to lodge claim for known expenses in connection with repairing mains and services damaged during steamrolling at Kilmantin Hill, High Street and New Street, and asking for payment of £5. 10. 6.

14. 3. 33. - Report from Mr J. T. O'Byrne, B.E., on same.

Order:- Repudiate liability.

16. 3. 33. - From Secretary County Council applying for second Instalment of County Council Demand.

Order:- To be paid as soon as possible.

16. 3. 33. - From Mr John Shea, Acting Town Clerk, Sligo, enclosing resolution calling on Government to amend Local Government Franchise Act so that forthcoming elections will be contested on the Parliamentary Franchise and that those with a Parliamentary vote are eligible as candidates.

Order:- Read.

J.V/R. - 21. 3. 33. - From Messrs Battersby & Co., Auctioneers, asking for particulars of premises in the District suitable for Factory premises.

Order:- Information to be supplied.

23. 3. 33. - From James McCall with reference to removal of gravel from river at Woodenbridge.

Report of S. S. O., on same.

23. 3. 33. - From James McCall applying for permission to remove shingle or gravel at entrance of Abbey River at Woodenbridge.

Order:- No further gravel to be removed.

5. 3. 33. - Application from Patrick Brien, Convent Road, for renewal of tenancy of fields at same rate as last year.

Order:- Granted.

10. 3. 33. - Application from Edward Doyle, The Mall, for renewal of tenancy of field at £9. 5. 0.

Order:- Granted.

23. 3. 33. - Application from Joseph Carr, Fitzwilliam Square, for renewal of tenancy of two plots at Ballyguile at £6. 0. 0.

Order:- Granted.

25. 3. 33. - Report of S.S.O., on dangerous condition of wall of coal on South Quay in occupation of Mr Joseph D'Arcy.

Order:- Serve Notice on Owner and Occupier.

27. 3. 33. - From Rev. E. N. Murphy, St. Malachy's, Beaufort Street, Liverpool, that he intended bringing boys to Wicklow as in past years for a fortnight commencing 10th July and asking if this date will be convenient.

Order:- No objection.

28. 3. 33. - From Wicklow Corn Co., Ltd., applying for permission to crush one tone Crystal Quartz with Council's Crusher and undertaking to pay expense involved.

Order:- Granted permission.

27. 3. 33. - From Mr J. DeCourcy, Waterworks Caretaker, estimating cost of new water service to Fitzwilliam Road houses and Fountain and cost of part new service to Fountain at Friar's Hill.

Order:- Work to be done.

29. 3. 33. - From Mr J. Brazil for four weeks salary to 28th March 1933 as Acting Town Clerk and Petty Cash due him.

Order:- To be paid.

Consider Statement of Expenditure in connection with Relief Grant £1,000.

Order:- Transfer £204. 13. 5 to General Account.

28. 3. 33. - From Urban District Council, New Ross, enclosing following resolution:- "That in the opinion of this Council it is expedient to implement resolution passed at meeting held on 7th February 1933 by refusing to strike a rate for repayment of monies obtained from Local Loans Fund under the various Public Health Acts, and for that purpose a resolution on the introduction of the local budgets be passed to reduce the estimates by an amount equivalent to the Annuities."

Order:- Read.

29. 3. 33. - From Secretary, Electricity Supply Board repudiating liability for damage to Council's houses during recent storm.

Order:- Demand payment.

3. 4. 33. - Consider Monthly report of Waterwork's Caretaker.

Order:- Noted.

3. 4. 33. - Consider Monthly report of Sub-Sanitary Officer

Order:- Noted.

Consider Tenders for supplying Overcoat for S.S.O., received from Messrs Kingston Bros., and J. Maguire.

Order:- Kingston Bros. at £3. 0. 0 accepted.

Consider public lighting of Town as contract with Electricity Supply Board expired on 31st March last.

Order:- Wait letter from Electricity Supply Board.

3. 4. 33. Report from Town Clerk stating (1) that he took up duty on 28/3/33, (2) that Collectors had not closed their collections within the prescribed time and that in view of difficulties he recommended that they be given until the 30th April.

1933 to close their collections, and sanction be requested to payment of poundage to them if they closed on or before that date and (3) requesting an allowance for assistance in the office for six months in view of disorganized state of the office work and the difficulty of getting rate books in order for 1933/34.

Order:- Sanction to be asked for an extension of time to the Rate Collectors, to the 30th April to enable them to close their collections.

Sanction to be asked to the payment of an allowance of £2 per week to the Town Clerk for six months in order to put office on proper footing.

3. 4. 33. - Letter of application from Town Clerk regarding use of office on second floor to be used by him for carrying on a Solicitor's practice.

Order:- Monthly tenancy of vacant office on second floor granted at 1s/- per month.

8. 4. 33. - Letter from Town Clerk requesting that a normal balance for Petty Cash be fixed pursuant to Public Bodies Order, and if the Commissioner thought well to allow payments of wages thereout.

Order:- An advance of £50 to be made to Town Clerk for Petty Cash and Wages Account to be made up each month on imprest system.

Arising out of reports of S.S.O., referring to dangerous buildings the Town Clerk pointed out that as far as he was aware the only manner in which such matters could be properly dealt with was by the Town Surveyor serving notices on the owners and occupiers. The Town Clerk pointed out that there was no person in the position of Town Surveyor and in this and other matters he was in a difficulty as to what to do.

Order:- Sanction to be asked to appointment of Mr J. T. O'Byrne B.E., as Town Surveyor at a salary of £50 per annum together with fees at 2½% on Housing Schemes or other Schemes costing over £500.

10. 4. 33. - Letter from Hom. Sec., Irish Labour Party,

Wicklow Branch, calling attention to unemployment in the Town and suggesting that the Government should be approached with a view to securing a Grant for the repair of the Foreshore, and calling attention to the necessity of a Housing Scheme.

Order:- Department of Local Government to be asked for a Relief Grant in order to repair the Foreshore.

The Commissioner signed the following Advice Notes:-

General Account	£416. 8. 2
Poor Rate Account	£407. 15. 2
Relief Grant Account	£204. 13. 5

Minutes of Meeting held on Monday, 1st May 1933,
by Mr P. J. Meghen, B.E., B.Sc., Commissioner appointed
to administer the affairs of Wicklow Urban District.

Minutes of last Meeting read and signed.

Correspondence:-

S.36920/33. - Wicklow U.D., - 19/4/33. From Department
of Local Government and Public Health that there are no Grants
at present available for allocation towards repair to Foreshore.

Order:- Noted.

G.36918/1933 - Wicklow U.D., - 20. 4. 33. - From Department
of Local Government and Public Health sanctioning employment of
temporary clerk for six months.

Order:- Noted.

G.36919/1933. - 20. 4. 33. - From Department of Local
Government and Public Health that if Rate Collectors closed
their Warrants on or before the 30th inst., the Minister will be
prepared to consent to their being paid such reasonable poundage
as the Commissioner may recommend.

Order:- Sanction to be asked to a payment of £50 on account
of poundage to Town Rate Collector. Extension of time until
15th of May to be asked for to close rates.

Circ. No. 45/33 - 22. 4. 33. - From Department of Local
Government and Public Health requesting Monthly Return of (a)
Schemes being carried out and (b) Schemes being formulated by
local authority for provision of houses.

Order:- Noted. Complied with.

P.H.37671/33(A). - 22. 4. 33. - From Department of Local
Government and Public Health setting out terms regarding proposed
appointment of Veterinary Inspector for supervision of meat and
milk supplies in the Urban District.

Order:- Request sent.

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R.S./33. - 27. 4. 33. - From Department of Local Government
and Public Health that appointment as Town Surveyor falls to be
made through Local Appointments Commissioners, and in order to
expedite making of request to Commissioners, Minister sanctions
proposals to remunerate part-time Town Surveyor at salary of £50
per annum, with fees on Department's scale for Housing Schemes
exceeding £500, and raising no objection to employment of Mr J.
T. O'Byrne on above stated terms pending receipt of recommenda-
tion from Local Appointments Commissioners.

Order:- Request to be made to Local Appointments Commissioners
to send down three names for vacancy.

I.R./94 - 28. 4. 33. - From Department of Local Government
and Public Health referring to circular letter of 9th May 1925,
relative to proposals to purchase Road Plant, and stating that
it should be understood in future no commitment is entered into
for purchase of road plant without prior sanction of Minister.

Order:- Read.

19. 4. 33. - From Mr A. Cullen, Solicitor, with reference
to costs due in cases of Rylands V. County Council and Urban
Council. (£88 : 13 : 11)

Order:- Noted. To be paid as soon as possible.

19. 4. 33. - From Mr A. Cullen, Solicitor, regarding costs
due in case of Urban Council V. O'Grady. (£11 : 11 : 6)

Order:- Noted.

22. 4. 33. - From Mrs M. Murtagh with reference to Notice to
Quit served upon her in respect of No. 4 Urban Villas, which she
has sub-let.

Order:- Instruct Messrs McCarroll, Solicitors, to take proceed-
ings for possession.

24. 4. 33. - From Messrs J. H. McCarroll & Co., Solicitors,
dealing with application of S. V. Delahunty for renewal of Leases

and objection to renewal of lease of Main Street premises, by Mrs Edwards who has now withdrawn objection.

Order:- Noted.

11. 4. 33. - From Hibernian Bank applying for £34. 15. 2 being £33. 6. 8 Instalment due on Foreshore - Sea Wall Loan and £1. 8. 6 Interest to 7th April 1933.

Order:- Pay.

11. 4. 33. - From Joseph Brennan, Irish Public Bodies Mutual Insurance enclosing statement showing £5. 16. 0 excess premium due in respect of E.L. Policy No. 313762.

Order:- Inform Irish Public Bodies Insurance that Commissioner considers original premium was sufficient.

13. 4. 33. - From U. D. C. Cashel, enclosing resolution protesting against continuance of 25% impost put on consumers of Shannon Scheme current a few years ago by Electricity Supply Board.

Order:- Adopted.

15. 4. 33. - From Dr A. A. O'Connor, M.O.H., with account for £70. 4. 0 due by the Council and requesting settlement of same.

Order:- Pay £50. 0. 0.

12. 4. 33. - From William Dickenson, Monkton Row, applying for field at Monkton Row at 1s/- per week.

Order:- Granted weekly tenancy at 1s/-.

Also applying for field at Dunbur formerly held by John Lacy at £2. 10. 0 per year.

From Edward Dickenson, at £3. 10. 0.

Order:- Granted eleven months' tenancy to Edward Dickenson at £3. 10. 0.

Adjourned application from Arthur Roche for building site adjacent to plot on which his present house is erected at

Dunbur Road.

Order:- Adjourned.

10. 3. 33. - Consider Counsel's Opinion adjourned from last meeting - Re Lease of Murrough to Amusements Committee.

Order:- No further action to be taken as regards this Lease. Amusements Committee to be offered a letting for the coming season only, at £25. 0. 0 to 30th October 1933.

4. 4. 33. - Consider Financial Statement for month ending 31. 3. 33.

Order:- Noted.

Consider Annual report of County Medical Officer of Health.

Order:- Read.

28. 4. 33. - From Mr J. T. O'Byrne, B.E., certifying for payment of £360. 5. 10 to Contractor for erection of 10 houses at Monkton Row.

Order:- To be paid.

29. 4. 33. - From Arthur Cox, Solicitor, repudiating liability on behalf of their clients Electricity Supply Board with reference to damage to Council's houses during storm.

Order:- Read.

Estimate of James McCall for repairs £1. 12. 6.

Order:- Accepted tender.

1. 3. 33. - Consider Auditor's Report dated 1st March 1933 for period from 1st April 1932 to 11th November 1932.

Order:- Consideration adjourned.

1. 5. 33. - Consider monthly report of Waterworks Caretaker.

Order:- Noted.

Consider letting of 10 new houses at Monkton Row.

Order:- Advertisement to be issued inviting applications for new houses at 7s/- per week and rates.

Consider tenders for letting of fields at Greenhill Road, Castle Gate and Dunbur.

Order:- Town Clerk to report.

20. 4. 33. - From Mr J. T. O'Byrne, B.E., estimating cost of tarring Kilmantin Hill, New Street, High Street and Bayview Road at £143. 0. 0.

Order:- Work to be put in hands when weather suits.

29. 4. 33. - From Secretary Ballece Wood Whinstone Quarry Co. Ltd., quoting for 100 tons of chippings F.O.R. Wicklow at 10s/6d per ton.

Order:- Approved.

Consideration of applications for refund of rates paid from Mrs Margaret Murray and Margaret White on grounds of vacancy

Order:- Mrs Murray six months granted. Margaret White to get proportion refund.

And from Matt Olohan, Supt. Greany, Sergeant Crotty, Misses Carroll and Dermot Turpin on grounds that they are entitled to remissions under Housing Acts.

Order:- Adjourned.

29. 4. 33. - To consider letters from Messrs J. H. McCarroll & Co., Solicitors, re Leases from Council to Robert Conway and Mrs Esther Clarke, and to execute same accordingly.

Order;- Signed and Sealed.

29. 4. 33. - To consider Town Clerk's Report on Town Rate Collection for the year 1931/32.

Order:- Adjourned.

29. 4. 33. - Report from Town Clerk on failure of Poor Rate Collector to furnish returns asked for, for the year 1931/32, and also on failure of Poor Rate Collector to attend for checking

Order:- Collector warned by Commissioner to attend regularly for checking and to carry out all orders of Town Clerk.

1. 5. 33. - From Clerk of Works for new houses at Monkton Row for payment of overtime as per his account for same.

Order:- Refer to Engineer.

The Commissioner signed Advice Notes for the following amounts:-

General Account	£177. 11. 1½
Housing Scheme Account	8. 10. 4

T. J. McEghen
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