

Managing Committee Report dated 13th July 1905

Your Managing Committee met this evening to consider plans for Market, Artisans Dwellings and Sewer Abbey St. they report that in the absence of the Town Surveyor your Committee were obliged to adjourn the Meeting to Friday evening 14th Inst at 7.30 pm for the Town Surveyor's attendance. Signed, S. V. Delahunt Chm Francis Murphy, & M. Collins.

Managing Committee Report 21st July 1905

Your Managing Committee met this evening to consider plans of Market roof, Artisans Dwellings, Sewer Abbey St, Sanitary Officers Reports and other important matters.

Medical Officer of Health's Report.

1. That Dr Halpin's attention be called to previous decision of the Council that the Sewer at foot of Church Hill has been deferred to October.
2. That the Surveyor's attention has been drawn to Dr Halpin's report and requested to give more attention to the cleansing of the Streets and water channels.
3. 4. 5 & 6 The subject-matter contained in those reports have been dealt with in the Town Clerk's letter to Dr Halpin dated 7th Inst.
- 7 We have directed your Town Clerk to inform Dr Halpin that all the house connections in Wentworth Place are now connected with new main drainage system.

Having considered your Sub-Sanitary Officers Report we have directed Mr Pansing to make an inspection of drainage from Castle St and Summer Hill and report to the Council.

With reference to old drain on South Quay and Mrs Clara Graham's complaint in reference thereto, we have directed that Mr Pansing and Mr Doyle examine same, and that the Chairman, Messrs Pin and Murphy be given power to have the cause of complaint remedied if the Sanitary Authority are liable for the work.

We have asked Mr Pansing to supply an estimate of the cost of preparing maps of main drainage system, and water mains of the Township: =

Having considered claim from County Committee for extra work at Technical School foundations, we have asked Mr. Pin with the assistance of Mr Pansing to consider Messrs Murphy's claim and report to the Council, Engineer's Certificate to be handed back to him.

We have directed your Town Clerk to inform Mr Caldwell that the Council have nothing to do with Mr. Rose's claim.

We have asked Mr Pansing to supply your Town Clerk with particulars of 6 deep seal gullies for New St, Bridge St, Fitzwilliam Square, Quarantine Hill and Kluwantin Hill.

We have directed that plan of Sewer Friars Hill and the Parsonage be sent on to Mr Brooke at once, and ask him to take the necessary steps to have the Sewer constructed.

We recommend that the footpath in High Street be commenced within one month.

Meeting adjourned to Tuesday Evening 25th Inst at 7.30 pm.

Signed, S. V. Delahunt-Chm, Messrs Charles Davis, Francis Murphy, John Northing, Joseph W Carroll, Frank W. Shail Christopher Murray: =

Managing Committee Report 25th July 1905

Your Managing Committee met this evening to consider plans, Specifications and estimates for Market Improvements and Sewer Abbey St and approval of same.

With regard to the plans for Artisans Dwellings the matter is still under the consideration of the Council.

We have directed your Town Clerk to prepare form of application for Loan, to be submitted to our next monthly meeting for confirmation. =

That Mr Joppins attention be drawn to the indecent conduct carried on at the Bathing Places, and that a notice be provided defining the sections between the gentlemen and Ladies Bathing places. Ladies to bathe from Gas Works to old life boat house, gentlemen from gentlemen boxes to end of railway wall, no person to be allowed to bathe without proper costume, bathing prohibited between boat house and gentlemen boxes.

We have considered Gas Company's tender for public lighting and adhere to our original offer viz £ 1. 11. 3 per lamp

Mr Frank W. Shail dissented re Gas Company's Tenders and Mr Samuel E. Finn declined to vote on the question
Signed S. V. Delahunt Chmn Messrs John Northing
Frank W. Shail, Samuel E. Finn, Francis Murphy,
Joseph W. Carroll.

Managing Committee Report 27th July 1905

Your Managing Committee met this evening and having considered reply from Wicklow Gas Company, we have resolved under the circumstances to accept their tender viz £1. 12. 0 per lamp for 89 lamps; lighting for nine months to commence on 1st August and to end on 30th April 1906.

Signed S. V. Delahunt Chmn, Messrs Joseph W. Carroll,
Francis Murphy, Edmund M. Collins =

(Resolution)

Proposed by Edmund M. Collins seconded by W. H. Haskins and resolved
"That Managing Committee Reports dated 13th 21st
25th and 27th July 1905 be hereby confirmed and adopted"

Roads Committee Report 25th July 1905

Your Roads Committee met this evening and have directed your Town Clerk to obtain an estimate for 500 tons of macadam broken to pass through a two inch gauge, also for one inch. We have directed your Surveyor to reprimand two of your workmen.

Signed S. V. Delahunt, Chmn, Samuel E. Finn, John Northing, Francis Murphy, Frank W. Shail
dissenting: =

(Resolution)

Proposed by Francis O'Keefe seconded by E. M. Collins and resolved
"That Roads Committee's Report be confirmed and
adopted"

Waterworks Committee Report 13th July 1905

Your Waterworks Committee met this evening and beg to report that we have directed your Town Clerk to write to the Railway Co to provide a sewer valve for their water supply main in Brickfield Lane.

We have provided your sewer with a shears for clipping the hedges at Waterworks, and have directed Mr O'Connor to commence testing water mains tomorrow evening, and to continue testing until further orders.

Signed S. V. Delahunt, Francis Murphy, E. M. Collins.

(Resolution)

Proposed by Frank W. Shail seconded by D. H. Haskins and resolved
"That Waterworks Committee Report be confirmed and adopted"

(Town Surveyor's Report) August 1st 1905

The roads in the Urban District are in fair order at present. I have given the Contractor for the new sewers in Waterworks Place, Bridge St and South Quay, a final certificate, the work having been completed and maintained in accordance with the terms of his contract, except as regards time.

The Wooden Bridge has been repaired, and the street name plates painted, both works were properly executed.

The metal pipe crossing at New Hospital Road is laid, and the path at Mrs Mary Reilly's corner, raised and curbed.

I inspected the drainage of Castle St and find that it will be necessary to lay 80 feet of new girth pipe sewer from the end of the present pipe to the new manhole opposite Mrs Carroll's =

The cost of preparing a complete large scale map of the Urban District would be £29. 18. 0, I appended an estimate from Hodges & Fyffe for £11, for preparing and mounting the 5 ft Ordnance sheets, and my own fee would be 18 guineas.

I furnished your Clerk with particulars of deep seal gullies, &c - I have instructed Mr Joseph Higgins to repair the eaves gutters of Sullivan's House.

Herewith furnish plans, Specifications and estimates of abse, St Sever, and Market House, to be sent to Local

Government Board with application for loan.

The cost of laying a water main down Market Row would be £52 =

The present pipe sewer discharging the surface water from Mr Newbold's and Miss Frohman's houses in College St. should be diverted and extended across Summer Hill to join the main sewer at Mr Walls gate.

John Kensing Town Surveyor.

(Resolution)

Proposed by Samuel O'Pinn, Seconded by D. H. Mackinnon resolved
"That Town Surveyor's Report be referred to the Managing
Committee for consideration and report."

Sub Sanitary Officers Report - 1st Aug 1905

I submit report for the month of July and beg to state I made my usual sanitary inspections visiting over 100 premises and served 35 Notices under the Public Health Act for various sanitary purposes. At the Petty Sessions held yesterday Monday I had five cases before the Justices for disobedience of sanitary notices requesting them to have their drains connected with the new main drainage.

The Justices dismissed the cases holding that the Sanitary Authority should do the work. - Now gentlemen as I have some other cases which I am unable to deal with I would ask your Council for the assistance of a Solicitor.

During the month there has been 18 premises connected with the new main drainage system of the Town - I have to draw attention to a breach of the Bye Laws relative to the removal of materials from the foreshore and await your instructions. According to your instructions I had the main drainage of the Town disinfected and flushed with water twice weekly. The scavenging of the Town was fairly well attended. I would draw your Council's attention to some loose stones that are thrown from Railway wall across passage or pathway to Sea Murragh.

The Medical Officer of Health's attention has been directed to some sanitary subjects.

Michael Doyle Sub San Officer.

Medical Officer of Health's Reports 1st Aug 1905

1. Thereby report to you a pig sty in the yard of Francis Fox Strand St and I recommend it to be closed as this yard is not suitable for a piggery.
2. Thereby report to you again the dangerous state of sewer entering the main sewer at Mrs Mulhollens gate Wentworth Place, and I recommend that this sewer be ventilated at once to the satisfaction of your Engineer.
3. Thereby report to you again for the third time the dangerous state of sewer at bottom of Blunell Hill, also the escape of sewer gas over all the Town of which the public are making serious complaints and which is very offensive and dangerous to the public health.
4. Thereby report to you a piggery in Michael Sattens yard Courant Road, which is dangerous to the public health, and I recommend it to be closed also that some "Bye Laws" should be made with reference to piggeries, cow sheds etc.

James H. Walpin Medical Officer

(Resolution)

Proposed by Samuel O'Pinn Seconded by D. H. Mackinnon resolved
"That Sanitary Officers Reports be referred to the
Managing Committee for consideration and report."

(Waterworks Overseers Report.)

The reservoir is down 5 ft 6 inches from overflow. Overseers reports work done during month and several matters requiring attention -

Order. "That Waterworks Committee Report on the several
" matters referred to by Mr. Connor, in the mean
" time notice to be served with regard to ^{defective} water
" connections to premises Fitzmillian Road).

(Resolution)

Proposed by Frank M. O'hair, Seconded by D. H. Mackinnon resolved
 "That the Managing Committee be given power to engage
 the services of our Solicitor with regard to Sanitary cases
 dismissed at yesterday's Petty Sessions and to instruct him
 to take further action if they consider it advisable"

(Correspondence)

Read letter from Valuation Office dated 3rd 13th 15th & 17th
 August 1905 re Valuation Lists and appeals

Read letter from Local Government Board No 42.564 =
 12th July 1905 approving provisionally of the Sale of land
 to the Dominican Community. However, their final
 sanction will require to be under Seal.

Read letter from Local Government Board No 45.095
 19th July 1905 relative to a surcharge of £ 3. 3. 0 made
 at recent audit and enclosing forms upon which the
 parties aggrieved may appeal

Tom Clerk stated that he had forwarded Messrs Padiu, Davis
 & O'hair copies of Local Government Board letter and
 appeal forms together with copies of the surcharge =

Read letter from Mr P. A. Baker Auditor 7/7/05 requesting
 to be informed if the amount of surcharge £ 3. 3. 0 had
 been lodged with the Council's Treasurers.

Tom Clerk stated that he had written to Mr. Baker
 informing him that the parties surcharged were
 about to appeal to Local Government Board.

Read letter from Local Government Board No 42.959 = 24/7/05
 stating they were prepared to give their sanction to the letting
 to Mr Peter Mullen at £ 4 per annum :-

Order: "That Mr Mullen be informed of the Local
 Government Board letter and ask him
 for his reply to same. —"

Read letter from Local Government Board No 46.265 = 27/7/05
 approving of the Lease ^{150 sq ft} to Carl Fitzwilliam for Tramway at
 £ 3. 3. 0 per annum

Read letter from Local Government Board No 117.11 = 26/7/05 requesting
 to be furnished with a statement showing in detail the full
 borrowing powers of the Council under Public Health Acts and
 other Acts and the amount of such powers remaining unexercised
 on 31st March 1903 and 1904.

Tom Clerk stated that he had complied with Local Government
 Board requirements.

Read a letter from Mr Frank Brooke acknowledging receipt
 of plan and estimate drainage from Friars Hill and
 The Parsonage No =

Read letter from Secretary, D. W. & W. Railway Co acknowledging
 receipt of letter on the subject of train facilities
 and stating the matter had been referred to the General
 Manager to report on —

Read letter ^{26/7/05} from National Laundry acknowledging receipt
 of order for 6 deep seal gullies and that same would
 be forwarded next week.

Read letter dated 26th July 1905 from War Department
 relative to the rent charged for drill ground on
 Murrays. —

Order: "That War Office letter be referred to Managing Committee
 for consideration and report."

Read letter from Wicklow Gas Co 28th July 1905
 acknowledging receipt of acceptance of tender
 for public lighting from 1st August 1905 to
 30th April 1906 at £ 1. 12. 0 per lamp.

Read letter from Ladies Dominican Convent enclosing Agreement for Sale under Land Purchase Acts duly signed

Read a letter from Col Welch on the subject of the decision of the Council not to sell and threatening to bring the matter before the Treasury, Local Government Board and Estates Commissioners.

Order: "That Colonel Welch's letter be referred to the Managing Committee"

Read a letter from Department of Technical Instruction acknowledging receipt of the appointment of Rev Thomas Barber, P. P. as successor to Mr Christopher Murray resigned on County Committee.

Read letter from Mr. Coyan enclosing copy of a question to be asked in the House of Commons with regard to recent surcharge for Irish Name plates

Read report from Mr. Devine on the necessity of appointing a caretaker for grass lands.

Order: That Agent's letter be referred to Managing Committee

(Resolution)

Proposed by D. H. Haskins seconded by Samuel E. Finn and resolved
 "That Messrs Collins, Fenon, & Carroll, Murray, Davis, and Murphy be hereby appointed to represent the Council at the unveiling of the The Bull Ring Monument, Wexford on Sunday next - 6th Instant

(Resolution)

Proposed by E. M. Collins seconded by S. E. Finn and resolved
 "That Messrs W. Carroll, Fenon, J. M. Shail, D. H. Haskins be hereby appointed to attend the Town Tenants Conference in Dublin on 24th Augst - 1905

Read a letter from Mrs Clara Frahan asking the Council to reconsider their letter of the 18th Inst on the subject of sewer South Quay.

Order: "That Mrs Frahan's letter be referred to the Managing Committee for further consideration"

Read a letter from Mr. Kirkpatrick, Newcastle, Co Down asking the Council to let him know the terms on which the Council and Harbour will give piece of ground on Quay for Saw Mill also what the Council propose to charge for rough ground alongside proposed tramway for the purpose of putting down timber for Saw Mill = Jul 31 - 1905.

(Resolution)

Proposed by Frank M. Shail, seconded by Samuel E. Finn and resolved.
 "That an agreement be prepared to let temporary to Mr Kirkpatrick a portion of the spare ground on the Murrone adjoining Mayses Cottages on South Side and Seaside of West Pier at a rent of 1/8 per month for dumping timber only and we also express our sanction to any letting which the Harbour Board may make as regards plot on North Quay for his temporary Saw mill Mr Pansing C. E. to prepare drawing of both plots."

(Resolution)

Proposed by E. M. Collins, seconded by J. M. Shail and resolved
 "That assignment of premises Bond St, Wicklow, from Mr. William Mayses to Wicklow Urban Council be now signed and sealed."

(Resolution)

Proposed by D. H. Haskins seconded by Peter Doolittle and resolved
 "That Mr John Flynn's tender for enclosing ground on Murrone be hereby accepted at £ 7 14/- seven pounds, ten shillings."

(Resolution)
 Proposed by E. M. Collins, seconded by Frank McShail resolved
 "That form of application to Local Government Board,
 "be now signed viz £ 300 for Market Improvements
 "£ 220 for Sewer Abbe St, and that immediate
 "steps be taken to have same carried into effect"

S. M. Delahunt
 Sept. 5th 1905 Chairman

Town Hall Wicklow
 5th September 1905

The usual monthly meeting of the Wicklow Urban District Council was held this day in pursuance to notice to transact the following business:—

1. To consider Finance Committee's Report.
2. To consider Managing Committee's Report.
3. To consider Road Committee's Report.
4. To consider Town Surveyor's Report.
5. To consider Sanitary Officer's Report.
6. To consider Waterworks Overseer's Report.
7. To consider miscellaneous correspondence.
8. To elect by ballot three members on Wicklow Harbour Board in the room of Messrs Frank McShail, Joseph McCarroll and Christopher Murray, who retire by rotation but are eligible for re-election.
9. To consider Mr. S. V. Delahunt's "Notice of Motion" that "steps be taken to obtain a Loan to repair houses situate in Bond St lately in possession of Mrs Magee, and that the Managing Committee with the Town Surveyor examine and report to the Council the cost of such repairs and amount of rent necessary to recoup the Ratepayers for the outlay."—

(Members Present)

Mr. S. V. Delahunt - Chairman, in the Chair, Messrs Peter Woolittle, James McShail, John Wynne, Joseph McCarroll, Christopher Murray, William M. Byrne, Edward Kennedy, William J. Haskins, John Northrup, James McCall, David H. Haskins, Nicholas H. Haskins, Charles Davis, James Gernon, Francis Murphy:—

The minutes of the previous meeting were read over and confirmed after which the business was proceeded with:—

Finance Committee Report 31st August 1905

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

Mr William Desaix	Corporate Rents	£ 44. 13. 9
" Francis W. Ashail	Miscellaneous items	5. 3. 6
" Michael Doyle	Township Rate & Meters	300. 1. 0
" Patrick Radin	One third moiety of surcharge for Irish Name plates	1. 1. 0
	Total	£ 350. 19. 3

Being a Cr Balance of £ 655. 17. 9

We recommend the following payments

Francis W. Ashail	One months Salary	£ 11. 5. 0
Same	Workmens Wages Act	18. 8. 11
Henry J. Maghail	One months Salary	1. 0. 0
John Pansy	Do	4. 3. 4
Michael Doyle	Do	5. 8. 4
Edward Connor	Do	6. 0. 0
Andrew Dunne	One months moiety Contract scavenger	4. 10. 0

Joint Committee Technical Instruction, Expenditures incurred altering foundations to Smit building to be stopped off Mr Wm Rose 17. 5. 0

Dublin Wicklow Railway Co	Carriage on Castings & setts	3. 1. 11
Frederick Bird & Co	Boards, brush & scrapers for Stews	2. 9. 0
John Flynn	Contract enclosing Marrough promenade	7. 10. 0
Richard Sheane	Repairs to Water Cart etc	7. 6
Ballece Quay Co	Macadam	2. 0. 3
National Family of Ireland Co	Six Street gullies	11. 5. 0
Smiths Premier Co	Crass & paper	6. 3
Mrs Wm Dublin Printing Co	Printing & advertising	9. 16. 9
Same	Par Rate Do Do	2. 11. 0
William Rose	Balances sewer contract, Waterworks Place etc	133. 0. 0
Same	Two manholes on South Quay	10. 0. 0
John Pansy	Engineers Fees H/pen 8/223	8. 18. 0
Treasurers Council	Second quarter payment Demand	216. 19. 3
	Forward	£ 476. 5. 6

William Rose	Extras for Connection to Main Sewer	3. 1. 2
Same	Balances Contract Technical School foundations after payment to Co Committee in respect of rectifying defective foundations	12. 15. 0
Patrick Crowlock	14 nights 14 weeks 7/10, 7 nights 7/10 for Watermain	3. 10. 0
Edward Connor	10 nights testing water mains 8/10	2. 0. 0
	Forward	£ 497. 11. 8

We recommend that an allotment of £ 126 Wicklow (Tann) Stock at 90% be made to the Hibernian Bank to meet payments due to Mr Rose for main drainage contracts signed P. V. Delahunt-Chren, Samuel E. Fin, John Northing, Christopher Murray, Francis Murphy.

(Resolution)

Proposed by William J. Haskins seconded by James Fernon and resolved "That the report of the Finance Committee be hereby confirmed and adopted, and that Treasurers Advice note for making payments to the several parties named therein be now signed by direction and on behalf of the Council amounting in the aggregate to the sum of £ 497. 11. 8

(Resolution)

Proposed by William J. Haskins seconded by James Fernon and resolved "That in pursuance to Order of the Hibernian Bank Limited dated 23rd of October 1903, for an issue of £ 2600 Wicklow (Tann) Redeemable Debenture Stock at £ 96 (Ninety six pounds) for every nominal amount of £ 100 Stock, and in accordance therewith, we hereby make an allotment to the Hibernian Bank of £ 126 Stock, which together with previous issues amounts to £ 2,326 Stock, and in pursuance to the powers conferred under Consent Order No 36899, dated 15th of October 1903, we hereby authorise a certificate for said £ 126 Stock to issue and be duly sealed and signed this 5th day of September 1905, proceeds to be placed to credit of Wicklow (Tann) Redeemable Stock Capital Account"

Signed P. V. Delahunt Chairman
W. J. Haskins } Cancellors.
James Fernon }

Managing Committee's Report 14th August 1905

Your Managing Committee met this evening and having considered your Town Surveyor's Report, recommend that Mr. Pansing and Sub Sanitary Officer examine the drainage of the District and report to the Council the cost of having same connected with the main sewer.

With regard to map of drainage and water supply, your ^{Surveyor's} ~~Surveyor's~~ reports the cost will be £11 to Messrs Hodges & Figgis and £18.18.0 to Mr. Pansing total £29.18.0, we recommend that the consideration of same be deferred until the full sewage scheme is carried out.

We recommend that the present pipe sewer discharging the surface water from Messrs Newbold and Graham's houses in Colley Row be diverted and extended across Summer Hill to join the main sewer at Mr. Wall's gate your Surveyor reports the cost will not exceed £3 or £4.

We have directed that a Mason be procured to scrape and point the arches and parapet of the Stone Bridge under Mr. Pansing's supervision.

We have directed that notice be served on Francis Fox to discontinue the keeping of swine and that Michael Sutton be also served with notice that if he neglects to keep his premises in a sanitary condition the Council will make an order to discontinue the keeping of swine.

We have directed Mr. Pansing to give a report and estimate on ventilating shaft from Melton Villas sewer to Church Hill.

Having considered your Medical Officer of Health's Report on the subject of street ventilators, we recommend that the ventilators be left as they are for the present.

We have directed your Sub Sanitary Officer to consult with Mr. J. H. McCarroll, Solicitor, in reference to the cases dismissed at Petty Sessions on 31st Ultimo re connections with main sewer and any other cases outstanding:—

We have directed that proceedings be taken for the removal of gravel opposite Old Lipo Boat House.

Having re-considered the application from Mrs. Graham with regard to sewer South Quay, we have directed that the sewer be opened up and cleaned and a pipe sewer run into the river:—

We recommend that Michael Finlay be engaged to look after the grass lands at Five Shillings per month.

Having already considered Colonel Welch's application we re-affirm our former opinion.

We have directed your Town Clerk to answer the letter from War Department re hire of Murrugh viz:— That the Council are prepared to let on the same terms as this year.

We have asked your Town Clerk to write again to Mr. Muller for a reply to Local Government Board's letter re his lease.

We have authorized your Chairman to sign and seal a lease to Carl Fitzwilliam approved of by your Solicitor and Local Government Board.

Having considered letter from Chief Secretary we have directed your Town Clerk to inform the Harbour Board that the Council are still prepared to contribute £300 towards protective works on Murrugh.

Signed S. V. Delahunt Chairman
Joseph McCarroll } Councillors.
Charles Davis }

(Resolution)

Proposed by James Fernon, Seconded by Christopher Murray and resolved
"That Michael Finlay be appointed caretaker of Corporation
"Lands at a salary of Five Shillings per month and that
"the Managing Committee's Report be adopted with the above
"Substitution of 1/- for 7/- per month"

Road Committee's Report 31st Augst 1905

Your Road Committee met this evening and have directed your Town Clerk to order two waggons of one inch chippings and two waggons of two inch macadam:—

We have considered tender for 500 tons macadam from Ballecco Quarry Co. at 3/9 per ton, and recommend that same be accepted: We have asked for a quotation for five stone screenings 3/8 inch mesh:— Your Committee have employed Robert Vickers to assist road men, and Thomas Doyle and his attendant to set the gullies, concrete footpath in High Street and repairs to Stone Bridge: Signed S. V. Delahunt, S. C. Fin, C. Davis, J. Murphy, W. Murray:—

(Resolution)

Proposed by W. J. Haskins, seconded by John Wynne and resolved,
"That the Report of the Roads Committee be generally confirmed
"and adopted" =

Town Surveyors Report 5/9/05

The public works in your district are in fairly good order, very little damage being done to them during the heavy rain storm. I had the Sewer in Main St. opened, and I find large quantities of sand, ashes, bath bricks and small stones are getting into it from some of the yards and old gulleys about Coats Lane and New Street. All the houses and yards should have direct piped connections with the new sewer, at present most of them are drained into old, ^{built} gulleys which communicate with the main sewer and some premises not being provided with proper yard gullies, the debris above mentioned finds its way into the pipe sewer, which was skilfully laid, with proper falls, but only constructed to take sewage and surface water, which it is quite capable of doing, consequently, ~~when~~ ^{where} the above defects are remedied, it must be cleared out periodically. In a previous report I recommended two gullies to be set in New Street, these also as well as the two gullies recently set there must be piped to the main sewer, the cost of the latter work will be about £8. 10. 0.

I estimate the cost of the extension of Castle Street Sewer recommended in my last report at £16. 18. 6.

The small sewer extension at Miss Frahm's on Summer Hill £2. 5. 0 and the ventilating column on Church Hill £7. 10. 0.

The construction of the Tramway on the Murrrough has been commenced, and is being carried out in accordance with the terms of the Wicklow Tramways Order, 1905.

John Hausing, Town Surveyor

(Resolution)

Proposed by W. J. Haskins, seconded by John Wynne and resolved,
"That Town Surveyor Report be referred to the
"Roads Committee for consideration and report" =

Sub Sanitary Officers Report 5/9/05

I submit report for the month of August and beg to state that I made my usual sanitary inspections visiting over 90 premises and served 8 notices as required by statute for different sanitary purposes.

The flushing and disinfecting of the main drainage of the town was carried out according to your Council's directions. There have been three house drains provided and connected with main drainage.

I had one patient conveyed to Fever Hospital in the ambulance car and disinfecting one house. The public lighting of the town according to your directions commenced on the 1st of August, and up to the present I have no fault to find with the management.

I would draw your attention to the following reports, 4th July drainage Mull Alley, also a water fountain which is in the centre of the public thoroughfare and when it is altered from its present position. I would recommend that an intercepting trap be placed between it and main sewer, 2nd May, Market Regulations 30th

July 1904, Wellfield drainage hoping those reports will get consideration - The Street-cleaner was attending to his business. The Medical Officer of Health's attention has been directed to some sanitary subjects; =

Michael Doyle Sub Sanitary Officer

Order: "That Sub Sanitary Officers Report be referred to the Managing
"Committee for consideration and report" =

Waterworks Overseers Report 5/9/05

Reservoir is down 6 1/2 inches from old overflow, sand in filter beds should now be washed, ^{sand in} two beds will require to be lifted to surface and replaced by sand from storage depot.

Order: "That Waterworks Overseers Report be referred to the Water
"works Committee for consideration, Committee to meet
"on Thursday next at 7. 30 pm."

(Resolution)

Proposed by Christopher Murray, seconded by John Northey resolved,
"That the work of having air and sewer valves
"put in position be left to the Waterworks Committee"

Read letter from Dublin Wicklow Railway Co stating they regret they cannot see their way to put on additional trains to Wicklow as suggested by the Council, at the present time =

Read two letters from D. W. P. Railway Co on the subject of sewer water main in Brickfield Lane. =

Order: "That permission be granted provided the work is done to the satisfaction of Waterworks Overseer."

(Resolution)

Proposed by Christopher Murray, seconded by John Northey and resolved "That the Railway Co be asked to extend pipe drain from new railway station down to low water channel and to cover up same" =

Read a letter from D. W. P. Wickford Railway Co stating they were arranging to repair water main across the river to old Station and asking permission to do so.

(Resolution)

Proposed by John Northey, seconded by W. J. Haskins and resolved "That the Railway Co be granted the necessary permission to relay water pipes to old Railway Station" =

Read a letter from District Inspector acknowledging letter re Bathing Regulations and stating the matter shall have attention. =

Read a letter from Mr. Kirkpatrick acknowledging receipt of resolution re dumping ground for timber

Read letter from Surveyor of Income Tax asking for particulars of the receipts and expenditures of Wicklow Urban District Council =

The Clerk stated that he had supplied the information asked for and that he hoped to be able to obtain a rebate for ^{of the} Income Tax paid on Wicklow Town Stock viz £26 per annum.

Read a letter from Local Government Board No 53 M of 8/05 for return showing receipts and expenditure of the Council for year ended 31st March 1905.

The Clerk stated that he had complied with Local Government Board requirements.

Read a letter from Local Government Board No 53 977: 30/8/05 approving of the lease to Peter Mullen of The Mall Premises of 75 years at the rent of £4 per annum, Mr Mullen to expend £150 on improvements in accordance with plan & specifications draft lease to be submitted to Messrs S. J. Meredith & Son, Solicitors of Merrion Square, West, Dublin, for approval on behalf of the Board.

Order: That copy of Local Government Board's letter be forwarded to Mr Peter Mullen asking him to comply with same.

Read circular letter No 53 52 H from Local Government Board stating that their Engineering Inspector Mr Cowan would hold an inquiry at the Town Hall on 19th Inst at 11 o'clock into the application for loan of £520 for Market Improvements and sewer Abbey St.

(Resolution)

Proposed by James Fernon, seconded by Christopher Murray and resolved "That a Committee be appointed to appear and support application of the Council before Local Government Board's inquiry consisting of Messrs S. V. Delahunt, J. M. Phail, Pim, Fernon, W. Haskins, Murray & McCarroll =

(Resolution)

Proposed by John Northey seconded by John Wynne and resolved "That we adopt the resolution of the Irish Cattle Traders Association condemning the practice of public boards purchasing imported frozen meat and call upon such institutions to assist the native producer by giving their custom to the home article

Order. That permission be granted to Sports Committee to use under
Munrogh and public seats for their Annual Sports -

Letter read from Mrs Clara Graham asking the Council to have
wall of field at Summer Hill repaired as a sudden breach
had taken place in it.

Letter read from Dorcas Mitchel to have her house in High St
put in order before the winter.

Letter read from Frederick Haughton claiming £4. 10. 0 for
making connection to main sewer.

Letter read from Mr Francis Kennedy claiming 10/- costs awarded
in cases dismissed at Petty Sessions.

Letter read from Richard White for a back passage to his premises
Monkton Row

Order. "That Messrs Graham, Mitchel, Kennedy, Haughton and
"White's applications be referred to the Managing Committee
"for consideration and report."

Read a letter from Hallows & Hamilton Solicitors with regard
to Board of Trade's claim 15/- 3 years rent of foreshore -

Order. "That Messrs Hallows & Hamilton's letter be left in the hands
"of the Town Clerk and Mr W Carroll Solicitor to report on."

Read an application of Thomas Williams for permission
to take a connection of water supply to Mr Richford's premises
into James Kennedy's yard.

Order. "That Mr Williams be given permission to take a connection
"of the public water supply main into Mr Kennedy's
"yard and not from the present supply pipe to the premises
"as same is contrary to the Regulations"

(Resolution)

Proposed by Francis Murphy, Secured by Christopher Murray and resolved
"That the Meeting, does be left out for the month of September
"and should the weather become stormy or dangerous to the boxes,
"the Chairman is hereby empowered to vary the order and have them
"removed to storage: -

(Resolution)

Proposed by W. J. Haskins, Secured by J. Northing and resolved
"That the question of granting licenses to persons storing
"petrol be referred to Managing Committee for consideration
"and report."

(Resolution)

Proposed by Francis Murphy, Secured by W. J. Haskins & unanimously resolved,
"That Messrs Joseph W Carroll, Christopher Murray and
"Frank Whelan be re-elected ex officio members on Wicklow
"Harbour Board in the room of those who retire by rotation"

(Resolution)

Proposed by S. V. Delahunt Secured by John Northing and resolved,
"That steps be taken to obtain a loan to repair houses
"situate in Bond Street, Wicklow, lately in the possession of
"Mr Magee, and that the Managing Committee with the Town Engineer
"examine and report to the Council the cost of such repairs and
"amount of rent necessary to recoup the ratepayers for the outlay"

S. V. Delahunt P. Clerk
Oct. 3rd 1905

Tam Hall Wicklow
12th September 1905

A special meeting of the Wicklow Urban District Council was held this evening in pursuance to a requisition signed by Messrs Charles Davis, James McCall, Peter Dowlittle, Edward Kennedy, James McShail, Edward McColliers to transact the following business.

To Consider Managing Committee's Report on the Subject of Main St and Market Square Sewer.
To consider Waterworks Committee's report on various matters in relation to Public Water Supply: =

(Members Present)

Messrs John Wynne, Samuel E. Pinn, John Northey, James J. McShail, David St. Haskins, Frank McShail, Christopher Murray, Joseph McCarroll, James Gernon & W. St. Haskins

Proposed by John Northey, seconded by Samuel E. Pinn resolved
"That Mr Frank McShail do take the Chair."

Managing Committee's Report 9/9/05

Your Managing Committee met this morning at the request of the Chairman to inspect work at new main sewer Market Square and Main St and to take such steps as are necessary to have the sewer and connections put in order.

We have directed that the sewer from man hole at New St to manhole at Market Square be thoroughly inspected and cleared of the obstruction therein.

We recommend that a manhole be constructed at the present opening opposite Mr McQuirk's corner, and that the present surface gully in Market Square be connected with main sewer by a pipe running in an easterly direction.

We are further of opinion that a pipe sewer should be constructed from manhole in main sewer

up New Street to a point connecting the two new gully traps just completed.

The existing pipe drain from Mr Rochfort's premises has not been connected with main sewer; we have therefore directed that same be connected whilst the ground is open.

Signed: - S. V. Delahunt, Samuel E. Pinn, Francis Murphy, John Wynne, Edward Kennedy, Christopher Murray.

(Resolution)

Proposed by John Northey, seconded by David St. Haskins and resolved.
"That the Report of the Managing Committee be hereby confirmed and adopted": =

Waterworks Committee Report 9/9/05

Your Waterworks Committee met this evening and understand from your Overseer that the inlets and surroundings of the Reservoir have all been cleared.

We have given directions to Mr O'Connor to have a diagram taken each week unless authorised by your Committee or Chairman otherwise.

We have directed that the leak in main near Wooden Bridge be stopped and that a heavier lead pipe be procured and put in position, also main to Friars Hill fountain and any other fountain which is found necessary.

We have directed your Town Surveyor and Overseer to put down scour and air valves at once, and when finished to commence cleaning filter beds.

We have arranged to have a french drain constructed from the hydrant in Summer Hill to main drain at Dayle's.

We recommend that the fountain at Ball Alley be moved to a position to be pointed out by your Committee and that a gully trap be placed under same.

Signed. S. V. Delahunt, John Northey, John Wynne, S. E. Pinn.

(Resolution)

Proposed by Joseph McCarroll, seconded by David St. Haskins and resolved.
"That the Report of the Waterworks Committee be confirmed and adopted"

S. V. Delahunt Chs
10/3/05

Town Hall Wicklow
3rd October 1905

The Quarterly Meeting of the Wicklow Urban District Council was held this day in pursuance to notice to transact the following business.

- 1 To consider Finance Committee's Report.
- 2 To consider Managing Committee's Report.
- 3 To consider Town Surveyor's Report.
- 4 To consider Sanitary Officers Reports.
- 5 To consider Waterworks Overseer's Report.
- 6 To consider Miscellaneous Correspondence.
- 7 To consider Tenders for cleaning streets etc.
- 8 To elect two members on Wicklow School Attendance in the rooms of Mr James Sheehan & Patrick Radin.

(Members Present)

Mr S. V. Delahunt, Chairman, in the Chair, Messrs John Wynne, Samuel O'Flinn, Edward M. Collins, Edward Kennedy, Peter O'Leith, Joseph M. Carroll, Francis Murphy, John Northing, Charles Davis, Frank McShail, Patrick Radin, Christopher Murray, David A. Haskins :-

The minutes of the previous meeting were read over and ordered to be signed after which the business was proceeded with.

(Finance Committee's Report) 28th Sept 1905.

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

Mr William Desaix	Corporate Rents	£ 24.12.6
Francis McShail	Probate Estate Duty Grant	29.14.3
Same	Miscellaneous monies	4.19.1
same	Grant in aid Sanitary Salaries	18.0.0
His Majesty's Treasury	Bounty in lieu of Rates	71.19.6
Michael Doyle	Township Rate	76.14.10
	Total	£ 226.0.2

fining a Cr Balance of £ 758.15.8

We recommend the following business payments

Francis W. McShail	One months salary	£ 11.5.0
Same	Workmens Wages Account	39.4.7
Henry D. McShail	One months Salary	1.0.0
John Pausing	Do	4.3.4
Michael Doyle	Do	5.8.4
Edward O'Connor	Do	6.0.0
Dr. Halpin	Three months moiety salary	1.15.0
Andrew Dunne	Scavenger	4.10.0
Michael Finlay	Cartage, grass sand one months wages	10.0
Thomas Jelletie	Insurance Artisans Dwellings	1.10.0
Board of Works	Interest & principal on Loans	29.2.2
School Attendance Committee	Expenses (quarter ended) 3/9/05	11.18.0
Michael Doyle	Township Rate	30.18.5
D. Wicklow Railway Co	Carriage on macadam	1.6.2
Free Press	Advertising Four Market	5.0
	Total	£ 148.16.0

Signed: - S. V. Delahunt Chmn
E. M. Collins
Francis Murphy
Charles Davis

(Resolution)

Proposed by John Northing, seconded by Samuel O'Flinn and resolved,
"That the Report of the Finance Committee be hereby
" confirmed and adopted and that Treasurers Advice
" Note for making payments to the several parties
" named therein be now signed by direction and on
" behalf of the Council amounting in the aggregate to
" the sum of £ 148. 16. 0

The Chairman stated that the wages ^{for the month} paid to workmen in connection with Main Street sewer was £ 22. 4. 4

Mauaging Committee's Report 26th Sept 1905

Your Mauaging Committee met this evening and having visited houses in Bond Street, have directed by Mr. Pansing to report generally and give an approximate estimate of the cost of repairs and alterations suggested by your Committee.

We recommend that a petition be presented to the Local Government Board under the Municipal Corporations (Ireland) Act for power to borrow the money necessary to carry out the contemplated improvements, and that the Hibernian Bank be asked the rate of interest on a loan for 10 years.

Having inspected new Sewer Main St, we find that the sewer has been cleared from man hole Town Hall to manhole opposite New Street.

A new nine inch pipe is being laid up New Street to be connected with the new gullies and house drains, the old gullies being closed up.

We have directed your Sub Sanitary Officer to take the necessary steps to have all the houses connected and proper yard gullies set in all cases.

We have made arrangements to have a nine inch pipe sewer laid up Coates Lane, instead of the present old gullet, to connect the house drains in a similar manner to New Street and a ventilating shaft to be erected in a suitable position.

We have had two new deep seal fullies set in New St at the junction of High St, emptying into High St main sewer which will assist in catching the water coming down New St before it reaches the fullies emptying into new main sewer.

We have directed Mr Pansing to have ventilating shaft erected on Church Hill sewer, cost not to exceed £4.

We have given Mr Desaix authority to have the small repairs made to Mrs Dorcas Mitchells house, High St.

Having visited Wall Alley, we have directed that the fountain be moved to a position pointed out by your Committee viz from Centre of road to a blank wall on east side, and that the open grating in centre of the road be closed up and a proper gully provided, to be set under fountain and piped to main sewer, also, that a gully trap be set at the end of Albert Cottages.

We recommend that the water flowing out on the road from a Spring at the rear of Mr. Murphy's premises be piped from front wall to main sewer.

We have arranged that the gully in Market Square be taken up and placed in position at Dunne's Bank, to replace the present grate which is not trapped and therefore dangerous to the public health, we have ordered four new deep seal fullies, one of which is to replace gully in Market Square and the other in the positions already decided on.

We have directed that notice be served on Mrs Rochford to carry out sanitary requirements reported by your Sub Sanitary Officer.

Our attention has been drawn to a water connection illegally taken off a branch instead of the water main which is contrary to the Bye Laws, we have directed that our Town Clerk serve Mr Rochford with notice to comply with instructions, receiving failing which proceedings be instituted immediately.

Having inspected the boundary fence of Mrs Spahans field we have no power to expend public money on such work.

We have referred Messrs Haughtons and Kennedy's application to Mr. J. H. McCarroll for his advice.

We recommend that Mr Michael Doyle be engaged to issue licenses for sale of petrol, and to act generally in relation thereto, for which he is to be paid the usual Commission of 5 per cent on the sales arising therefrom.

Signed: = S. V. Delahunt, Chairman.
 Samuel C. Pin.
 John Northey.
 John Wynne. } Councillors & Members of Committee.

(Resolution)

Proposed by Frank McQuail, Seconded by Bill Collins resolved.
 "That the Report of the Mauaging Committee be hereby
 " confirmed and adopted and that immediate steps
 " be taken to give effect thereto."