

Medical Officer of Health's Report dated 21st April 1917

Therby report to you that W. Lyndon has reported to me that Walter Howe of Main St, Wicklow, (now) Fever Hospital is suffering from Scarlet Fever, otherwise the District is free from all forms of infectious disease. In above case all necessary precautions have been taken

W. J. McCormack

Medical Officer of Health

21/4/17

Order - "Medical Officer of Health's Report noted -"

Sanitary Sub Officers Report
30th April 1917

During the month I inspected 286 premises, and served nine notices under the Public Health Act's all of which have been complied with. Medical Officer of Health's attention has been directed to some sanitary subjects. The flushing and disinfecting of main drainage was carried out - Satisfactory. Complaints were made that an obstruction had occurred in Strand St. Sewer owing to it not being flushed, on examination it was found to be in thorough working order moreover this sewer is flushed twice weekly, a similar report was made to the late Mr. Pansy with the same result. I beg to bring under your notice dangerous state of premises owned by Mr. Thomas Doolittle on South Quay and I recommend that notice be served on the owner to have it levelled same being in a dangerous condition and a receptacle for nuisances. On the 9th Inst. at 8.30 pm a fire occurred at Messrs Haslam's premises Bridge St. I had the fire apparatus and hose laid on to the building and the fire extinguished in a short time.

I beg to apply for my usual uniform clothing

Patrick Doyle San Sub Officers

Order - "That San Sanitary Officers Report be referred to Committee and tenders invited for uniforms"

Read Dairy Inspectors Report dated 1st May 1917 stating that during the month the licensed Cow Keepers premises were kept in good order, however some of them could not have the manure removed as constant as usual owing to the busy time with the farmers putting in the crops however, the parties have promised to have it removed as soon as possible

Order - "Dairy Inspectors Report noted"

Read Waterworks Overseers Report 29/4/17 stating that on the 7th Instant he had to stop the men working at filter's treating on new iron filter plates. I repaired 6 services to fountains and W.C. fittings at Council's Cottages, also was testing at night for leaks and found several in services to houses, I served the usual notices and the work is in hand. Repaired pressure gauge on Convent Main and put a new wire in Meter at Valve House. I lined sand bucket frame with galvanized iron instead of canvas also repaired hose of washing machine and put new flange on same. I started the men to again to get new plates put in and had them cleaning the sand & gravel and put down fresh sand in filter bed. I would be obliged if your Council would regulate my payment for night work in Town and Waterworks as it is less in the Town for practically the same work. The springs are closing since the 1st of the month and the water in Reservoir is down 1-9" from old overflow.

James Mc Courcy - Waterworks Overseer

Resolution

Proposed by Francis Murphy, Seconded by S. E. Finn & resolved
"That James Mc Courcy, Waterworks Overseer, be paid
" at the rate of five shillings per night when on
" night work -"

Two tenders were received for scavenging viz/		
Patrick Doyle	Dispensary Lane	£ 11 0 0
William Doyle	Strand St	11 0 0

Order - "That the specification be referred to Committee and tenders again invited in accordance with specification approved of by Committee"

Read letter from Mr. S. Delahunt surrendering field at Dunbar paying all rent, rates & taxes up to 25th March last -

Order - "That surrender of field from Mr. S. V. Delahunt be accepted on
"terms stated"

Read a letter from Mrs. Margaret Murray Abbe, 26 dated 29/4/17 making an application for field at Dunbar lately in the possession of Mr. S. V. Delahunt

Resolution

Proposed by Francis Murphy, Seconded by Samuel E. Finn resolved
"That Mrs. Margaret Murray be hereby accepted Tenant
"of field at Dunbar lately in the possession of Mr. S. V.
"Delahunt from the 25th March last at the same
"rent and conditions" -

Read letter from Local Government Board dated 31st March 1917 forwarding Paying Order for £13. 2. 10 balance due in respect to sanitary salaries to 29 Sept 1916

Read letter from Local Government Board No 77 M = 26/4/1917 stating that Paying Orders in respect to grants for year 1916-17 have not in all cases reached the Treasurers of Local Authorities before the close of the financial year, and in order to secure uniformity these grants are to be treated as having been received within the financial year and should be dealt with accordingly.

Order - "That Local Government Board letter be complied
"with"

Read letter from Local Government Board No 58 M = 3/4/17 requesting a return showing the total number of persons registering as Cow Keepers, Dairymen and Purveyors of Milk on the 31st March last -

Clerk stating that the returns asked for by R. G. Board had been supplied to them -

Read circular letter No 16420 - 19/4/17 from Local Government Board re rate of interest on Local Loans.

Read circular letter from Dr. Thomas Browne, Local Government Board Inspector stating that he proposes to inspect the Wicklow Urban District on Tuesday 1st May 1917 at one pm.

Read letter from Local Government Board No 80 M = 30/4/17 re Local Government Elections -

Read letter from Commissioners of Valuation 4/4/17 acknowledging receipt of notices of appeal from Patrick Fitzsimons and Matilda McHail -

Read letter from Department of Agriculture No 31075 - 19/4/17 re threshing facilities for coming autumn -

Read letters from Messrs John Redmond, Captain Donelan, Chief Secretary and Chancellor of the Exchequer acknowledging the receipt of the Council's resolution re Education Bill -

Read letter from Messrs Guinness Mahon & Co requesting to know if the Council would care to make an offer for Madam Mandel holding of £500 Wicklow (Farm) Stock - "Noted"

Read letter from Mr. Hamilton and J. H. McCarroll Solicitor re granting of new leases to Messrs Nolan & Robinson passed at last meeting -

Read a Petition Signed by Messrs Fitzsimons, D. H. Haslam's Flood, Carr, Kennedy, Butler, Burke, Roney, Murray, Fallon and A. Drumm complaining of traction engines being allowed to travel the Main St, same being injurious to the building thereon -

Order - "That traction engines in future be directed to go
"round Wentworth Place -

Read an application from Andrew Kinsella High St for a renewal of two leases of his premises in Castle St.

Order - "That Mr Kinsella's application be referred to Committee"

Read an application from Mrs Maryannell Mahan for a license to sell milk in one of Mr Joseph Phillips houses Main St.

Order - "That Mrs Mahan's application be referred to the Dairy Inspector for Report" -

Read an application from Messrs Joseph Darcy and Peter Lalor for remaining portions of Corporation Land above allotment-plots -

Order - "That Messrs Darcy & Lalor's application be referred to allotment-Committee"

Read an application from Louis Carroll for an allotment-plot - "Referred to Committee"

Read Auditor's Report re Audit of Sanial Board's Accounts

Read resolution of Dublin Corporation re Provisional Government of Russia -

On the motion of Francis Murphy, seconded by Mr Gregory the resolution was adopted -

Read letter from Municipal Corporation Authorities of Ireland on Communal Kitchens -

Read letter from Madams O' Mahilly forwarding copies of resolution re the Prison treatment of the Countess de Markievicz -

It was resolved to adopt the resolution of the Kilkenny Corporation

L Byrne Chairman

5/6/14

Town Hall, Wicklow
8th May 1914

A Special Meeting of the Wicklow Urban District Council was held this day in pursuance to a requisition signed by Messrs Laurence Byrne, M. J. O'Brien; Thomas H. Willis; M. McDonald; D. H. Haskins & N. H. Haskins.

1. To consider tenders for Scavenging
2. To consider report from Town Clerk re collection of Poor Rate.
3. To consider the advisability of forming a Volunteer Fire Brigade.

Present

Mr Laurence Byrne, Chairman in the Chair; Messrs Charles Davis; N. H. Haskins; Francis Murphy; M. J. Haskins; S. C. Sim; S. J. Hoyle.

Four tenders were received for Scavenging, and it was decided to only consider the tenders of Messrs William Hoyle & Patrick Hoyle; inasmuch as they were the only two to tender at the previous meeting:-

Patrick Hoyle tendered at	£ 8-10-0
William Hoyle do	4-0-0

Resolution

Proposed by M. J. Haskins

Seconded by N. H. Haskins

Resolved: "That the tender of William Hoyle at £4-0-0 for the month, for the carrying out the work of Scavenging in accordance with specification be hereby accepted."

Town Clerk's Report re Collection of Poor Rate
8th May 1914

Gentlemen;

I beg to draw the Council's attention to the Poor Rate Collector's receipt for Fidelity Bond, and to state that the National Benefit Assurance Co. will recognise no receipt except issued from their Office on the official form., therefore I have not handed the Poor Rate Books to the Collector.

I am informed that Mr Kennedy is working at his trade in Dublin, and therefore I shall thank the Council to direct what steps I am to take in the matter and oblige.

Your Obedient Servant
Francis W. MacShail
Town Clerk.

Order: Town Clerk not to hand over Poor Rate Books to Collector until he receives the official receipt from The National Benefit Assurance Co for Premium on Fidelity Bond.

Read letter from Mr Edward Kennedy, Poor Rate Collector stating that he always did his best to collect the rate, and expecting to make still better progress in the future.

Read applications from Messrs Joseph Wacey & Peter Salob for the remaining portion of Corporation Sands which has not been used for Allotment Slots.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor Francis Murphy

Seconded by Councillor W. J. Haskins

Resolved: "That Mr Joseph Wacey's application for remaining portion
" of Corporation Sands unused for Allotment Slot be accepted
" provided he pays the sum of £4 per acre and pales
" same off at his own expense.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor Francis Murphy

Seconded by Councillor W. J. Haskins

Resolved: "That David Tyndall be instructed to look after hose
" under the supervision of our Sub San Officer, who is
" to report monthly on same. Mr James Heboaroy (Sen)
" to take charge in case of fire, and be paid at the
" rate of 10/- for each fire.

L. Byrne, Chairman
5/6/17

Town Hall Wicklow
5th June 1917

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 confirm Finance Committee's Report.
2. To consider resolution from Wicklow Harbour Commissioners for the advance of £1000 sanctioned by Local Government Board in accordance with the Wicklow Harbour Order 1916.
3. To consider Managing Committee's Report.
4. To consider Sanitary Officers Report.
5. To consider Dairy Inspector's Report.
6. To consider Waterworks Overseers Report.
7. To consider Tenders for San San Officers Uniform
8. To consider official correspondence.

Councillors Present

Mr Laurence Byrne, Chairman, in the Chair
Messrs Michael J. O'Brien, Richard Sheane,
Francis Murphy, William J. Haskins, Charles
Davis, Francis B. Greff, Nicholas H. Haskins
Simon J. Doyle, James J. MacShail =

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

Finance Committee's Report
31st May 1917

Your Finance Committee met this afternoon and checked over accounts, Books & vouchers and found that during the month there was lodged to your credit the following sums.

Francis W^m Phail - Town Court Fines £ 7. 0
 Arthur Woolittle - Corporati & Cottage Rents 15. 7. 6
 £ 15. 14. 6

giving a Balance of £ 114. 13. 4.

We recommend the following payments

Francis W ^m Phail. One months salary	£ 11. 18. 4
Same Workmens wages	33. 16. 5
Henry J. Macphail One months salary	4. 6. 8
Patrick Doyle Do less 1/3 Insurance	4. 10. 5
Same Five weeks war bonus	1. 5. 0
James McConcey One months salary, less 1/3 Ins.	5. 7. 1
James Redmond Do	1. 0. 0
Edward O'Connor Do Superannuation	4. 7. 6
Edward Kennedy - Poor Rate	10. 12. 0
Wicklow Gas Co Lighting two public lamps	3. 0. 0
Smith Premier Co - Typewriting paper	19. 4
Treasurers Co Infirmary, annual contribution	6. 6. 0
Williams Doyle - Tender for scavenging	7. 0. 0
Superintendent-Mercantile Marine, one years rent (1915-16) to Board of Trade for certain rights of freshet	5. 0
	<u>£ 94. 13. 9</u>

Poor Rate Account

Edward Kennedy - Poor Rate collected & lodged
 to 31/5. 1917 } £ 192. 8. 5

We recommend the following payments

Treasurers Co Council - First quarter Demand	£ 279. 6. 11
Kelly Limited Abstract forms	1. 1. 0
Hibernian Bank - Transfer of funds to general acct	1. 1. 6
Edward Kennedy - Repaid of irrecoverable rates	52. 0. 5
Same 5% poundage on £ 515. 4. 4 Poor Rate collected and lodged	25. 15. 3
£ 359. 5. 1	

Members of Finance Committee
 (Signed) Laurence Byrne Chm
 Charles Davis
 M. J. O'Brien

Resolution

Proposed by Francis Murphy, Seconded by Charles Davis & 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 £ 453. 18. 10"

Read an application from the Wicklow Harbour Commissioners
 dated 15th May 1917 for the sum of £ 1000, being the
 amount stipulated by the Local Government Board, to
 Supplement Government Grant under the powers conferred
 on them by the Wicklow Harbour Order 1916, said advance
 being urgently required to pay Contractors =

Resolution

Proposed by Nicholas H. Haskins, Seconded by Charles Davis & resolved
 "That pursuant to the Wicklow Harbour Order 1916
 " and sealed order of Local Government Board
 " dated 15th February 1917, we hereby direct our
 " Town Clerk to sell as much Government War
 " Loan 5% Stock as will with the expenses
 " realize £ 1000 Cash and that said proceeds
 " be lodged to credit of the Wicklow Harbour
 " Commissioners " Harbour Improvement Account"

Minutes of Managing Committee Meeting
 31st May 1917

Councillors Present

Mr Laurence Byrne Chairman Messrs Charles
 Davis, Michael J. O'Brien, Francis Murphy -

Your Committee have had before them an application
 from Mr. Andrew Kissella for a renewal of leases

of houses in Castle Street - and have deferred consideration of same until next Managing Committee Meeting -

We have considered Mrs M. S. A. McThail's application for a new lease of stable in New St - and recommend the Council to grant same at an increase of 20% on the present rent - lease to date from the 25th March 1917.

We have let to Mr Charles Davis the remaining portion of the allotment field containing about one and a half plots on the usual terms and conditions viz at the rate of 5/- per plot. -

Your Committee have had before them a letter from Miss Owens with regard to three old cabins in the Ball Alley which are dangerous and unfit for occupation, we recommend that she be given permission to remove same in order to give ground space to her other premises which are included in the one lease -

Adverting to the Sanitary Officers Report we have directed your Town Clerk to call Mr Thomas Doolittle's attention to the insanitary condition of his premises on South Quay, and to request him to have same put in proper repair.

Mr John Byrne has called our attention to the dangerous state of the pavements leading to his house in Market Square, and we have asked Mr James McCall to give an estimate for the construction of a concrete footway from the flagged footpath to his house -

Signed - Lawrence Byrne Clerk
Francis Murphy
M. S.'Brien
Charles Davis
Members of Managing Committee

Resolution

Proposed by N. A. Haskins Secinded by J. B. Freese resolving
"That the Report of the Managing Committee dated 31st Ultimo be confirmed and adopted."

Read a Tender from Mr James McCall, New Street, for construction of concrete footpaths Market Square at £2. 16. 0

Resolution

Proposed by Francis Murphy, Secinded by Charles Davis and resolving
"That Mr James McCall's tender at £2. 16. 0 for concrete footpaths Market Square be hereby accepted" -

Read Report from Dr W. J. McCormack calling attention to the keeping of Swine on Mrs Murray's premises Fitzwilliam Square same being unsuitable and recommending that notice be served to have same removed to a more suitable premises. 5/6/17

Order - "That the usual notice be served to comply with Medical Officers Report" -

Read two letters dated 31st Ultimo and 4th Instant requesting the ambulance car to be sent out to Rathnew for two patients suffering from Typhoid Fever -

Clerk stated that Dr Lindons request had been complied with and patients removed to Fever Hospital =

Sanitary Sub Officers Report
4th June 1917

During the past month I visited 324 premises and served 16 notices under the public Health Acts for sanitary purposes -

The Medical officers attention has been directed to the keeping of Swine on unsuitable premises. The usual flushing and disinfecting of main drains has been carried out satisfactory. The siphon in the flushing tank on the Main St

sewer is out of order and will require to be repaired.

The Scavenger has been attentive to his work, By directions of your Chairman I have given him the oil skins returned by Patrick Doyle.

During the month I had one patient removed to the Fever Hospital in ambulance car from the Royal District.

A flap broke down our main drain in New St. Same has been repaired. Arrangements are being made to have Bathing Buses placed in position for Summer Bathing.

On the 3rd Instant the Road Engine "Voca Express" broke eight of the curbing at Festinus Place.

Order - "That flushing tank be repaired and put in order -"

Order - "That the damage caused to the curbing and water main Bridge St by Messrs Shearn's Engine be referred to our Solicitor Mr. J. H. Carroll to recover the amount of the damage -"

Read a Tender from William Doyle for public and domestic Scavenging during month of June at £7. 0. 0

Resolution

Proposed by Francis Murphy, Seconded by Charles Davis & resolved
 "That William Doyle's tender for public and domestic Scavenging be hereby accepted at £7 work to be carried out in accordance with specifications -"

Sanitary Inspector's Report
 5th June 1917

The licensed Car Keeper's premises are in a clean and satisfactory condition - I recommend that Mrs Ellen Bradshaw be granted a license as Car Keeper.

and Mrs Margaret McJahan as Purveyor of Milk.

Read Waterworks Overseer's Report of 6/17 enumerating work done during the month and requesting that some extra new plates be provided for the filters fearing the others may give up - The water in Reservoir is 3 ft from old overflow - Overseer would feel grateful to the Council if they could see their way to give him some extra remuneration owing to the increased cost of living -

Resolution

Proposed by J. J. Doyle, Seconded by W. H. Huskins and resolved
 "That extra plates be provided for filter beds
 " and a screen for lifting valves, Overseer's application for extra remuneration be referred to the Managing Committee -"

Order - "That permission be given to Mr. A. Nolan to obtain a supply of water from the main to his stable and coach house at Milton Villa"

Read a letter dated 2/5/17 acknowledging the receipt of the Council's letter of 15/5/17 to send his Tractor round by Wentworth Place. Some time ago I was stopped by the late Mr. Pansing in consequence of the drain and water main being very near the surface in Wentworth Place and therefore under the circumstances I shall continue to use Able St Bridge St.

Resolution

Proposed by J. J. Doyle, Seconded by W. H. Huskins & resolved
 "That Notices be served on the owners of the Tractors
 " not to bring same through Able St and Bridge St as they are a danger to the traffic"

Read circular letter from Irish Maltsters association -
Letter noted -

Read an application from Mr Mark Conway for a new lease of premises Kilmartin Hill which he purchased from the Representatives of the late Mr Peter Karanagh and undertaking to build a new house at a cost of over £200 -

Resolution

Proposed by Francis Murphy, seconded by Simon J. Doyle (secretary)
"That we hereby agree to accept a surrender of the
" lease of the premises Kilmartin Hill formerly in the
" possession of the Representatives of the late Mr Peter
" Karanagh and that a new lease for 75 years from
" 25th March 1917 be granted the present owner Mr
" Mark Conway at 2/6 per annum conditional
" on his carrying out the terms of his application and
" lodging a plan of the building before its erection, we
" further give permission for the erection of a hoarding
" and to store the old materials at the back wall
" during the building operations -

Read a second application from Mr Mark Conway for a lease of his house in Castle Street the ground of which is included in Mr Andrew Kinsella's lease for which he receives 5/- per annum as ground rent and asking the Council when they are considering Mr Andrew Kinsella's ^{application} for a new lease not to include his plot and house in same -

Order - "That Mr Mark Conway's application be
" referred to the Managing Committee for
" consideration -

Read a letter from Mr Joseph P'arcy accepting the Council's terms and conditions for the balance of allotment field -

Read letter from the Home Department acknowledging the receipt of the Council's letter of the 14th Instant re political prisoners.

Read a letter from Mr Butler Dominic asking the Council to notify the Commissioners of Valuation that he requires a revision in the building known as the Marine Hotel on the grounds that it is used for educational purposes.

Order - "That Mr Butler Dominic's application be referred
" to special meeting at which the revision lists
" will be under consideration

Read copy of resolution of Town Clerks Secretaries of County Councils held in the City Hall, Dublin on the 31st Ultimo re Representation of the People Bill now before Parliament -

Resolution

Proposed by Simon J Doyle, seconded by F. Murphy (secretary)
"That we hereby adopt the resolution of the Town
" Clerks Secretaries of Co Councils, Urban and
" Rural Councils and that copies of same be
" forwarded to our Parliamentary Representatives
" requesting them to do all in their power to have
" same incorporated in the Representation of the People
" Bill now before Parliament and that a
" wire be now sent asking for their kind
" support in the matter

Read a letter from Mr O'Shaughnessy, Manager of the Hibernian Bank enclosing Mortgage deed for execution re Loan of £445 to pay costs of Wicklow Harbour Order 1916

Read letter dated 26/3/17 from Local Government Board giving their sanction to the Loan -

Resolution

Proposed by N. H. Waskins, seconded by Francis Murphy, resolving
 "That the Mortgage Deed to the Hibernian Bank
 for Loan of £2,445 to pay costs of the Wicklow
 Waterworks Order 1916, be sealed and signed and
 that the Bank's attention be called to the high
 rate of interest charged on the Loan, the National
 Bank rate to the Co Council under similar terms
 and conditions being only 3½% interest =

Read letter from Local Government Board No 24,727. 18/5/17
 with reference to the lists of Incommensurable Poor Rates
 for year ending 31st March 1917

Order - "That Local Government Board letter and
 arrears lists be referred to the Managing
 Committee" =

Read letter from Local Government Board No 24,866
 19/5/1917 enclosing extracts from their Medical
 Inspectors Report - Dr Brown for consideration =

Order - "That Dr Brown's Report be referred to the
 Managing Committee" =

Read letter from Local Government Board letter No 85
 re Maternity and Child Welfare - order "Noted"

Read a similar letter from Local Government Board
 No 87 M dated 16/5/17 enclosing circular letter and
 leaflet - order - "Noted"

Read circular letter from Local Government Board No
 27341. 25/5/17 enclosing copy of the Parliament and
 Local Elections Act 1917 =

Order - "Noted"

Read circular letter from Commissioner of Valuation dated
 June 1917 enclosing list of cases requiring revision =

Read Local Government Board letter No 21,197 = 3/5/17 enclosing
 auditor's Report and abstract of the accounts of the County
 Wicklow Joint Technical Instruction Committee.

Read circular letter and Income Tax form from Surveyor
 of Taxes -

Order - "That Mr Newbold be asked to complete the
 form"

Received letter from Mr J. H. McCarroll enclosing
 Thomas Wilkinsons new lease in duplicate of
 houses High St for execution =

Order - "That Wilkinsons lease be referred to the
 Managing Committee for perusal and
 if same be found correct - we hereby
 direct that it be sealed & signed"

Read letter from Mr J. H. McCarroll enclosing Bill
 of Costs in connection with leases of the Caldwell
 estate -

Order - "That Mr McCarroll's bill of costs be referred
 to the Finance Committee for perusal
 and report"

Read circular letters from Local Government Board
 re annual Return of Local Taxation Forms and
 receipts for Water public and private sources.

Order - "That Local Government Forms be completed
 and returned to them as requested" =

Read letters from Messrs Guinness Mahon & Co and Cadogan
 & Sons Stock Brokers asking the Council if they would
 wish to offer for £500 Wicklow Town Stock =

Resolutions

Proposed by Francis Murphy, Seconded by W. H. Hasleus & resolved
 "That Mrs Byrne's attention be called to the insanitary
 "state of the house formerly occupied by Patrick Kavanagh
 "and to request her to have same put in order"

Order - "That our Corporate Agent Mr Arthur Doolittle
 "be given authority to provide a fire grate for
 "the house at Convent Road in the possession of
 "Mr Ryan"

Order - "That our Town Clerk write to our Members of
 "Parliament calling their attention to the large
 "quantities of unmanufactured native timber
 "leaving Wicklow for English Ports and to ask
 "them to urge on the Government to have same
 "manufactured in Wicklow where every facility
 "is to be had for the purpose"

Three tenders were received and considered for Sanitary
 Serv Officers uniform clothing

Mr P. J. Byrne - Fitzwilliam Square, Wicklow
 " Fred Haughton Market Square "
 " John Maguire - Main Street "

Resolution

Proposed by W. H. Hasleus, Seconded by C. Davis resolved
 "That John Maguire's tender at £5 for Sanitary
 "Officers uniform clothing be hereby accepted"

Lawrence Byrne
 Chairman
 9/7/1917

Town Hall Wicklow
 28th June 1917

A Special Meeting of the Wicklow Urban District Council
 was held this afternoon in pursuance to a requisition
 signed by Messrs Lawrence Byrne, Charles Davis, Simon
 J. Doyle, Nicholas H. Hasleus, Thomas H. Willis and
 Samuel E. Pinn to transact the following business.

1. To confirm Finance Committee's Report including
 payments of Stock Holders Dividends.
2. To confirm minutes of Managing Committee including
 approval of Messrs Wilkinson & Nolan's Leases.
3. To approve of list of tenements requiring revision of
 valuation and changes of occupiers & immediate ^{lettings}
4. To elect six members to represent the Council on
 the Rathdrum Wicklow Point-Duval Board
 for ensuing year
5. To consider official correspondence -

Councillors Present

Mr Francis Murphy - Presiding Chairman, Messrs
 Simon J. Doyle, S. V. Delahunty, Michael J. Butler,
 William J. Hasleus, James J. McPhail and
 Thomas H. Willis

Finance Committee's Report
28th June 1917

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

Francis W. McPhail Town Comm. Fines	£ 2. 9. 6
Arthur Doolittle, Corporate Cottages & Grazing Rents	124. 18. 10
William M. Byrne - Township Rents	66 19. 5
	<u>£ 194. 7. 9</u>
Giving a Cr. Balance of £ 215. 8. 10	

We recommend that the following Accounts be paid

Francis W ^{ac} Phail	One months salary	£ 11. 18. 4
Same	Workmens wages	20. 6. 2
Henry J. W ^{ac} Phail	One months salary	4. 6. 8
Patrick Doyle	Do less of Insurance	4. 10. 8
Same	Do War Bonus	1. 0. 0
James W. Conroy	Do salary less of Insurance	5. 7. 4
James Redmond	Do	1. 0. 0
Edward O'Connor	Do Superannuation	4. 7. 6
William Doyle	Do Scavenging Contract	7. 0. 0
Sanial Board	First quarter demand	16. 1. 9
School St. Committee	Expenses for quarter ended 30/6/17	11. 5. 0
Hibernian Bank	Principal & Interest on ^{Bond St. Hayes} Loan	26. 10. 0
John Kelly	One years Poor Rate (Waterworks)	2. 10. 10
Hugh Higgins	Two gates for allotment Plot	2. 10. 0
James McCall	Contract Footpath Market Square	2. 16. 0
John Byrne	Iron and Bond St. House 17 Stones 7	1. 1. 0
Wicklow People	Advertising (General)	3. 5. 0
Same	Do Poor Rate	14. 8
Kellys Limited	Poor Rate lodgment dockets	10. 6
William M. Byrne	Township Rate	20. 5. 4
James Cormac	Income Tax on Corporate Estate 198	5. 11
Arthur Doolittle	5 p on £199.19.1 Rents collecting & lodges	9. 19. 11
J. W. Cormack	Three months salary	1. 15. 0
Wicklow News Letter	Printing & advt (General)	7. 1. 0
Same	Do Do Poor Rate	3. 16. 0
Hibernian Bank	Transfer of funds to meet payment of Stock Holders Dividends	173. 4. 6
		£ 541. 9. 1

Dividend Fund Account

F. W. W ^{ac} Phail	Lodgment of Dividends on High St. Stock	£ 107. 18. 9
	Balance to Cr on Dividend Fund Act £111. 11. 1	

Poor Rate Account

E. Kennedy	Poor Rate collecting & lodges	£ 62. 18. 2
	Debit balance on Poor Rate Act £29. 11. 10	
Signed Simon J. Doyle, S. V. Delahunt, Members of Finance Committee		
U. J. Butler, F. Murphy		

Resolution

Proposed by Simon J. Doyle, seconded by William J. Haskins 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 £541. 9. 1"

Resolution

Proposed by S. V. Delahunt, seconded by U. J. Butler and resolved.
 "That the Wicklow (Town) Redeemable Redeemable Stock Register of Stock Holders as now submitted for the half year to 1st of July 1917 be signed and the nett amount of £6 Dividends set forth therein £284. 15. 7 less £111. 11. 1 be transferred from general Account to the Wicklow (Town) Dividend Fund Account, and our Registrar is hereby authorised to issue the necessary warrants in connection therewith"

Minutes of Managing Committee Meeting
 26th June 1917

Present

Mr. Laurence Byrne, Chairman, Messrs Simon J. Doyle, Charles Davis, Nicholas St. Haskins, Thomas H. Willis,

Having considered Andrew Rinzella's application for new lease of his premises Castle St, we recommend that the matter be further postponed -

We recommend that James W. Conroy's wages be increased from £65 to £72 per annum -

Advertising to Local Government Board's Medical Inspectors Report, we have directed our Sanitary SW Officer to make an inspection and report the number of insanitary houses in the Ulawa District -

We have handed over to your Agent for perusal Mr. Thomas Wickinsons lease of houses in High St and if found in order we recommend that same be executed at Special Meeting on 28th Inst -

We have had before us your Solicitor's letter dated 23rd Instant re Messrs Nolan's lease and direct that he be instructed to carry out the necessary legal formalities in connection therewith -

With regard to Mr W Carroll's bill of costs we recommend the Council to sign requisition for taxation, but at the same time to notify the Solicitor appearing for the Council on the taxation to draw the Taxing Master's attention to the items as the Council are not sure of their liability to pay them -

Cyprian Laurence Byrne	Chairman
Charles Davis	
Simon J. Doyle	Members of Managing Committee present
Nicholas H. Haskins	
Thomas H. Willis	

Resolution

Proposed by W. J. Haskins, Seconded by S. J. Doyle and resolved
 "That the minutes of the Managing Committee dated
 " 26th Instant be hereby confirmed and adopted" -

Resolution

Proposed by S. V. Delahunt, Seconded by S. J. Doyle and resolved
 "That Petition to Local Government Board praying
 " for their sanction to the granting of a new lease to
 " Messrs Nolan of houses Hillside & Varna Lodge be
 " sealed and signed and the necessary legal formalities
 " complied with" -

Resolution

Proposed by S. J. Doyle, Seconded by W. J. Haskins and resolved
 "That requisition for taxation of Mr J. H. W. Carrolls
 " bill of costs be sealed and signed" -

Resolution

Proposed by S. V. Delahunt, Seconded by Th^o H. Willis and resolved
 "That new lease of houses High St to Thomas Wilkinson
 " be sealed and signed" -

Resolution

Proposed by S. V. Delahunt, Seconded by W. J. Haskins and resolved
 "That valuation lists as now submitted be hereby approved of" -

Resolution

Proposed by Simon J. Doyle, Seconded by M. J. Butler and resolved
 "That the following Councillors be hereby re-elected to represent
 " the Council on the Rathdrum & Wicklow Joint-Burial Board
 " Messrs Francis Murphy, David H. Haskins, M. J. O'Brien,
 " S. V. Delahunt, Charles Davis, Thomas H. Willis with
 " our Chairman Mr Laurence Byrne" -

Read letter from Mr Patrick M. Murphy requesting to know if the Council would be disposed to sell their interest to the Dominican ^{Convent} ~~Convent~~ of houses known as Albert Cottages recently purchased by them from the representatives of the late Mr Caldwell -

Order - "That Mr Murphy's application be referred to the
 " Managing Committee for consideration and report" -

Read an application from Miss A. M. U. Phail for a renewal of lease of two houses at Summer Hill held under one lease at separate rents 16/6 and 9/9 respectively

Resolution

Proposed by W. J. Haskins, Seconded by S. V. Delahunt and resolved
 "That Miss A. M. U. Phail be granted a renewal of the
 " Lease of two houses at Summer Hill said new ^{leases} ~~leases~~
 " to operate as a surrender of the old Lease and to date
 " from the 25th March last at the an increase of 20%
 " on the present rent, the usual terms and conditions to
 " apply" -

Read letter from Mr Mark Conway dated 21/6/17 undertaking to carry out the conditions laid down in the Council's resolution of the 5th Instant with reference to new lease of premises Kilmartin Hill