

Resolution

Proposed by Simon J. Doyle, Seconded by Vincent Byrne and resolved  
 "That Auditor's Report be referred to the Finance Committee  
 for consideration and report."

Read Report from Dr Joseph D. Sawyer, (Locum Tenens) for  
 Dr. W. D. Carmack that two patients suffering from Scarlet  
 Fever have been removed from their houses to the local Fever  
 Hospital on my advice. Mr. Byrne brother of Mr. Larry Byrne  
 Market Square and Paul Middleton of Quarantine Hill, I  
 have given instructions to the Sanitary Officer regarding disinfection  
 Aupt 25-1917

Tom Clerk stated that the houses had been disinfected and all  
 necessary precautions taken to prevent the spread of the disease

Sanitary Sub Officers Report  
 3<sup>rd</sup> September 1917

During the month I inspected 204 premises and served 6 Notices  
 under Public Health Acts for Sanitary purposes all of which  
 have been complied with. The flushing and disinfecting  
 of main drains was carried out - Satisfactory. The  
 Scavenger is still neglecting his duty, some of the back Streets  
 are not properly scavenged and the Doctors Steps require to be  
 cleaned down at least once a day. Two Patients were removed  
 to Fever Hospital and two premises disinfected. A drain on  
 St. Patrick's Road broke down same has been repaired and put  
 in working order. During the storm on the night of the 27<sup>th</sup> Ulms  
 five of the trees at The Mall were broken. During the month  
 the Springboard at mens Bathing Boxes was broken by the heavy  
 seas, I shall be glad to have your directions with regard to  
 removing Bathing Boxes and public seats to storage for the winter

The surface of the road leading to the Steam Packet Pier  
 has been broken by slinging timber over it, notice should be  
 served on the owner to discontinue the practice and to cart same  
 otherwise the Council will be put to considerable expense in  
 making up the road and keeping it in repair. I observed  
 that the road over the Stone Bridge had sunk about 12 inches

in the Centre, I immediately had a load of macadam spread over the  
 surface. On examination of the first arch I found some of the  
 stone sets displaced and in danger of falling down, I would  
 strongly recommend the Council to have this bridge examined as  
 I am of opinion it is not able to stand the heavy motor engine  
 traffic without immediate repairs. It is obvious that this traffic  
 has been the cause of the damage to the bridge.

I annex hereto a list of sellers and buyers who have of late  
 ceased to use the Public Market and who are causing an obstruction  
 to the public thoroughfare at Abbey St., I shall be glad to have  
 your directions in the matter.

Owing to the high prices of all necessaries of life I am unable  
 to live on my present wages and shall thank the Council to  
 grant me an increase.

Yours faithfully  
 Patrick Doyle - Sanitary Officer.

Resolution

Proposed by James Dunne, Seconded by S. J. Doyle resolved  
 "That our Sanitary Sub Officer Patrick Doyle  
 be paid an additional war bonus of 5/-  
 per week from this date."

Resolution

Proposed by Joseph M. Farrell, Seconded by M. J. O'Brien resolved  
 "That Sanitary Sub Officers Report be referred  
 to Committee with power to take such action  
 as may be necessary with regard to the  
 Stone Bridge and other matters contained  
 therein."

Read letter from William Doyle, Scavenger, complaining  
 that after he goes his rounds offensive nuisances  
 is deposited in the public Lane ways and that  
 it is unfair that he has to go back on them again  
 He asks the Council to put a stop to it.

Order - That Scavenger's complaint be referred to Committee

Read Waterworks Overseers Report 4/9/17 stating that the water in Reservoir is 2'-7" from old overflow and enumerating work done during the month -

Order - "That Overseers Report be referred to Committee"

Read Dairy Inspectors Report 4/9/17 stating that he had served two notices on Mrs Sarah O'Leary for allowing milk to be conveyed <sup>through</sup> the street in uncovered vessels and secondly the person handling the milk was dirty in person and clothing - with the exception of the above case the licensed Cow Keepers handling of the milk is satisfactory -

Order - "That Dairy Inspectors Report be referred to Committee"

Mr James McCall - Tenders for concrete footpaths viz Quarantine Hill £10.16.0 Market-Square from Miss Karanagh's down pipe to return corner Market Street - £4, From Staughlins door to flagged footpaths £3.16/-

### Resolution

Proposed by Laurence Byrne, Seconded by James Dunne resolved  
"That Mr James McCall's Tenders for concrete footpaths Market-Square & Quarantine Hill be hereby accepted at £10.16/-, £4, and £3.16/- respectively, work to be carried out to the satisfaction of the Council and Officers."

Two Tenders was received and considered for scavenging -

William Doyle, Strand St tendered at £7  
George Byrne - Monkton Row " " £9

### Resolution

Proposed by Samuel O'Riain, Seconded by S. J. Doyle resolved  
"That William Doyle's tender for public & domestic scavenging month of September be hereby accepted at £7 work to be carried out in accordance with specifications -"

Read circular letter from Local Government Board 30/9/17 and Under Secretary forwarding Paying Orders for £18 in relief of Sanitary Officers salaries and £206.1.9 being a payment on account of Harbour Rates for year ended 31 March 1917

Read circular letter from Royal Insurance Co with regard to Workmen's Compensation Act - increase of weekly allowances under the 1906 Act by 25% from 1<sup>st</sup> September 1917 until six months after the termination of the War for accidents to employees and stating they were prepared to cover the liability by an addition of 10% to the premium

Order - "That Royal Insurance Co's terms be accepted"

Read letter from Local Government Board No 129 H. 1/9/17 forwarding copy of Local Government (Allotments and Land Cultivation) Ireland) Act-1917.

Read letter from Mr Arthur Doolettle thanking the Council for their resolution of condolence occasioned through the death of his son recently killed in France -

Read an application from Dorcas Mitchell for repairs to the down of her house in Dyke St.

Order - "That Mr Doolettle have the repairs carried out"

Read an application from Mr W. Brennan for a license to carry on the trade of Cow Keeper, Dairyman & Purveyor of Milk.

Order - "That Mr Brennan's application be referred to Dairy Inspector for report -"

Read a letter from Dublin Wicklow Manure Co requesting to be furnished with particulars of maintenance charges for Chemical Road, since last payment -

Order - "That Manure Co's request be complied with"

Read letter from Ballece Wood Quarry Co stating they will forward  
two waggons of 1 1/2' macadam immediately, our present price  
for material loaded in waggons at the Quarry siding is 57-  
(five shillings per ton) - Order - Noted -

Resolution

Proposed by Laurence Byrne, seconded by Samuel O'Flinn & resolved  
"That in accordance with Notice of Motion I beg to move  
" that the resolution dated 3<sup>rd</sup> April 1917, granting new  
" leases of Vava Lodge and Hillside to Mrs Hamilton and  
" Miss Nolan be rescinded on the grounds that they have  
" through their Solicitors decided that the matter remain over  
" until the present leases are nearer expiring"

Notice of Motion

I beg to give notice that I will move at next meeting  
that the river wall at Lestimon Place be repaired as soon  
as the Council can finance the cost and thus save further  
destruction of the property -

Signed - Joseph McCarroll

Laurence Byrne  
Chairman

2/10/1917

2/9/17

Town Hall Wicklow  
2<sup>nd</sup> October 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 Committee's Report's
2. To consider Sanitary Officers Report's
3. To consider Dairy Inspectors Report-
4. To consider Waterworks Overseers Report-
5. To consider Tender for Scavenging.
6. To consider applications for renewal of Dairy and  
Cow Keeper's Licenses.
7. To consider miscellaneous Correspondence.
8. To consider Mr. S. J. Doyle's Notice of Motion that  
I or someone for me shall move at next  
meeting to consider the advisability of lighting  
some of the public lamps in the principal  
thoroughfares during coming winter -
9. To consider Mr. Joseph McCarroll's Notice of Motion  
that I shall move at next meeting that  
the damage to the river wall at Lestimon  
Place be repaired to save further destruction  
of the property -

Councillors Present

Mr Laurence Byrne, Chairman, in the Chair  
Messrs Charles Davis, Simon J. Doyle, James  
Dunne, Henry Hamilton, James J. O'Shaill  
and Matthew McDonald -

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

Finance Committee's Report  
27<sup>th</sup> September 1917

Your Finance Committee met this day and checked over Accounts Books and Vouchers and found that during the month there was lodged to your credit the following

Francis W <sup>ac</sup> Phail Grant-in-aid of Sanitary Salaries	£ 18. 0. 0
Same Balance Death Duty Grant year ended 31/3/17	32. 5. 7
Same On Account of Same . ended 31/3/18	24. 15. 11
Same Sale of lead to Dinning Co of Ireland	2. 11. 3
Same Hire of Ambulance Car	1. 11. 6
Same Water Supplied to Co Council	3. 0. 0
Same Town Court Fines	6. 6
Arthur Doolittle Corporate Cottages & Grazing Rents	31. 8. 7
William M Byrne - Township Rate	88. 15. 11
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	£ 202. 15. 3

Giving a Cr. Balance of £ 241. 18. 4

We recommend the following payments

Francis W <sup>ac</sup> Phail One months Salary	£ 11. 18. 4
Same Workmens wages & petty Cash	45. 5. 0
Henry M <sup>ac</sup> Phail One months Salary & 4 weeks war bonus	6. 6. 8
Nathaniel Doyle Do less of Insurance	4. 10. 8
Same Four weeks war bonus	2. 0. 0
James Mc Corucey One months Salary less of Insurance	5. 19. 0
James Redmond Do	1. 0. 0
Edward O'Connor Do Superannuation	4. 7. 6
Arthur Doolittle Sp on £ 213. 17. 5 Rents collected & lodged	10. 13. 10
Dr W. J. M <sup>ac</sup> Cormack. Three months Salary	1. 15. 0
William Doyle - Scavenger	7. 0. 0
James Mc Call Tender for Footpath Market Sq	3. 16. 0
John Flynn Repairs to Strand & Bond St Houses	3. 7. 6
John Byrne Insurance of Artizan Dwellings	1. 10. 0
Messrs O'Connell Acct for expenditure book.	3. 10. 0
Brown & Nolan Stationary Account	1. 9. 6
Smith Premier Co Typewriting paper	13. 6
Dr S. C. Railway Co Carriage on Macadam	1. 5. 11
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Forward	£ 116. 8. 5

Brought Forward		£ 116. 8. 5
Wicklow School Attendance Committee: Expenses for quarter	11. 5. 0	
Colbrook Technical Committee. First-half of 1 <sup>st</sup> Rate	13. 6. 5	
Treasurers Freshire Conference Committee: One years contribution		
towards Freshire Maintenance due 1/7/17	33. 6. 8	
Board of Public Works. Principal Interest on Sanitary Loans	61. 2. 8	
Same Do Do Harbour Loan	53. 6. 8	
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Signed. Laurence Byrne, Chmn }  
Charles Davis } Three Members of Finance Committee  
Matthew Mc Donally }

Resolution

Proposed by James J. Mc Phail, Seconded by Henry Hamilton 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 £ 288. 15. 10 "

Committees Report 11/9/17

Your Committee examined the Stone Bridge this afternoon and have given directions to make up the road at each end with six inches of macadam -

Signed. Samuel C. Finn }  
Richard Sheane } Members of Committee  
Thomas Gregory }  
James J. Mc Phail }  
Nicholas A. Washburn }

Resolution

Proposed by Charles Davis, Seconded by James Dunne and resolved,  
"That Committee's Report dated 11/9/17 be hereby  
" confirmed and adopted "

Read letter from Messrs Millen Co addressed to the Wicklow Harbour Commissioners stating they were going to close down on Friday next in consequence of the unreasonable demand made by Labourers.

### Resolved

Proposed by Simon J. Doyle, Seconded by James J. Whail and resolved  
 "That the following Councillors interview the Labour Union with regard to Messrs Millen Co's letter, Messrs Laurence Byrne, Simon J. Doyle & Henry Hamilton and try to come to an amicable arrangement."

Read Notification from Dr. Lydon that three children of John Dunne Convent Road were suffering from Scarlet-Fever

Town Clerk stated that the children had been removed to Fever Hospital and house disinfected. =

### Resolution

Proposed by Simon J. Doyle, Seconded by James Dunne & resolved  
 "That the Managers of the Day Schools in the Town be respectfully asked to have them closed during the existence of the present outbreak of Scarlet-Fever"

### Sanitary Sub Officers Report 1<sup>st</sup> October 1917

During the month I visited 258 premises and served 12 Notices under the Public Health Acts all of which have been complied with - Five Patients were removed to Fever Hospital one of whom was from the Rural District; Four premises were disinfected - The flushing and disinfecting of main drainage was carried out - Satisfactory and the Scavenger more attentive to his work - Two drains were repaired Convent Road & Rathnew Road. The Doctor's Steps require to be pointed and some of the planks in Wooden Bridge repaired. Several mornings during the month, the large granite Stone at bottom of Mortons Lane was rolled out at night time into the public road, & had it put back in position with the

assistance of four workmen - The Bathing Boxes have been removed to storage and I shall be glad to have your directions as to the public seats.

Patrick Doyle: - San Sub Officer

Order - That San Sub Officers Report be referred to Committee

### Resolution

Proposed by Simon J. Doyle, Seconded by Charles Davis & resolved  
 "That the roof, doors and windows of Town Hall be repaired and put in order before the winter, estimates for same to be laid before Special Meeting" =

### Dairy Inspectors Report 3<sup>rd</sup> October 1917

During the past month the Licensed Cow Keepers and Purveyors of Milk kept their premises in good order Messrs Bessie Kennedy, Margaret Clarke and William Brennan have complied with Local Government Board Order and I recommend that they be granted licenses and also renewal of the licenses to the other applicants. Notice was served on Edward Canavan, Bond Street, for carrying on trade or business of Cow Keeper and Purveyor of milk without been duly licensed - I understand that he is about to connect his premises with main sewer and it would be well for the Council to see that it is done properly -

James Redmond - Dairy Inspector

Order - That Dairy Inspectors Report be referred to Committee

### Resolution

Proposed by Charles Davis, Seconded by James J. Whail & resolved  
 "That applications for Licenses to carry on the trade of Dairyman, Cow Keeper and Purveyor of Milk be renewed for ensuing year and that new Licenses be granted to Mrs Bessie Kennedy, Mrs Mary Clarke & Mr Brennan

Read Waterworks Overseers Report 2/10/17 stating water in Reservoir is 1' 10" from old overflow. Mr Jellens has had a general cleaning and six new plates put in position to replace the cracked ones, four men were employed at the work. Some timber is required to go round Sand depot to prevent same being scattered about -

Order - That Overseers Report be referred to Committee

William Doyle, Strand St. Fined for Scavenging at £7. 17. 6 =

Resolution

Proposed by Charles Davis, Seconded by James J. M. Thail & resolved  
"That William Doyle's Tender for public and domestic Scavenging be hereby accepted at £7. 17. 6. work to be carried out in accordance with specification

Read letter from Secretary, Irish National Education requesting the Council to appoint one half of the Wicklow School Attendance Committee for three years from 1<sup>st</sup> January 1918 -

Resolution

Proposed by Charles Davis, Seconded by James J. M. Thail & resolved  
"That the Urban District Council of Wicklow hereby appoint Rev Patrick Ryan C.C., Principally of St. La Salle Schools, Rev Frico, Miss Emily Owens and Mr. M. Hugh as the Council's representatives on the Wicklow School Attendance Committee for three years from 1<sup>st</sup> January 1918 -

Read letters from Local Government Board forwarding Orders for £32. 5. 7 and £24. 15. 11 Death Duty Grant -

Read letter from W.S. & Co. Railway Co re maintenance of New Railway Road at Dollanney and stating they cannot agree to pay £20 per annum for the work

Order - That Railway Co's letter be referred to Committee

Read letter from Mr J. H. McCarroll Solicitor re Nolan and Mark Conroy Leases -

Read letter from John McNeill Belfast stating he will forward scrapers for 9" and 12" sewers next week.

Read Circular letter from Dublin Chamber of Commerce re Commercial and Industrial Policy in Ireland - "Notes"

Resolution

Proposed by S. J. Doyle, Seconded by James J. M. Thail and resolved  
"That estimates be obtained for repairs to wall at Lecture Place and Fitzmilliam Road.

Resolution

Proposed by S. J. Doyle, Seconded by Charles Davis and resolved  
"That a number of the public lamps be lighted during the winter season, Committee of the whole Council to select the positions of the lamps, A Special Meeting to be convened to confirm Committee's Report our Town Clerk in the mean time to obtain an estimate from the Gas Co for the lighting

Laurence Byrne  
Chairman

6/12/17

Town Hall, Wicklow  
17<sup>th</sup> October 1914

A Special Meeting of the Wicklow Urban District Council was held this day in pursuance to a requisition signed by Mess<sup>rs</sup> Laurence Byrne, Samuel R. Sim; Matthew McDonald; David H. Haskins; Thomas H. Willis and N. H. Haskins.

1. To consider Committee's Report.
2. To consider Gas Co's tender for Public Lighting

Councillors Present

Mr Laurence Byrne Chairman in the Chair; Mess<sup>rs</sup> S. J. Doyle; James G. McShane; Charles Davis; James Dunne; Henry Hamilton; Samuel R. Sim.

MANAGING COMMITTEE MEETING

12th October, 1917

PRESENT

Mr Laurence Byrne, Chairman in the Chair., Messrs S.J. Doyle., Francis Murphy., N.H. Haskins., Henry Hamilton., James Dunne.

Your Committee met this evening and recommend that the following public lamps be lighted viz:-

1. Opposite White Gates.
2. Opposite Fern Hill Gate
3. Rectory Gate
4. Tennis Ground
5. Marlton Road Corner
6. Roman Catholic Church
7. Halpin's Memorial
8. Rooney's Corner
9. Hopkins Corner
10. The Mall Pillar
11. 2 Doctor Steps (one at each end)
12. Opposite Coate's Lane Main Street
13. McGuirk's Corner

14. Courthouse
15. Opposite Carroll's Corner Summer Hill
16. Flynn's Corner do
17. Stringer's Corner Castle Street
18. Quarantine Hill
19. Hospital Gate Kilmartin Hill
20. Murphy's Corner, New Street
21. Kane's Corner, Hillside
22. Middle Dispensary Lane
23. Thomas Lee's Fitzwilliam Road
24. Protestant Church, Church Hill
25. Miss Darcy's, Church Street
26. Miss Kennedy's, Wentworth Place
27. Stone Bridge (Bridge Street side)
28. Connor's Corner, Bond Street
29. Woodenbridge (Bachelors Walk Side)
30. Centre Strand Street Upper
31. Law's Lane, Strand St Lower
32. Castle View
33. Artisans Dwelling's Bond Street
34. Clarke's Corner, Leitrim Place.
35. Haskins Bungalow, Church Hill
36. Abbey Gate, Abbey Street  
opposite
37. Methodist Church, Bay View
38. Convent Road
39. Melancholy Lane.

We recommend that tenders be obtained for repairs to planking on Woodenbridge.

We have instructed your Town Clerk to ask Mr. Wm Clarke, to inspect the Wall at Fitzwilliam Road and advise as to what should be done with regard to same.

(Signed) Laurence Byrne, Chairman., Henry Hamilton, S.J. Doyle.  
Francis Murphy, N. H. Haskins, James Dunne.

Resolution

Proposed by Mr James Lunne

Seconded by Mr Charles Davis

Resolved: "That the report of the Managing Committee dated 12<sup>th</sup> Oct 1917 as amended be hereby confirmed and adopted."

Gas Works, Wicklow  
14<sup>th</sup> Oct 1917

Dear Sir: Public Lighting

In reply to your kind enquiry, we shall be pleased to do the Public Lighting as follows:-

30 Lamps £2.2.2 each per season

40 Lamps £1.14.10 " " "

50 Lamps £1.14.9 " " "

with a proportionate charge for any number between.

The period estimated for, is from November 1<sup>st</sup> to March 31<sup>st</sup>; excluding (as usual) 8 nights at each period of full moon; the lamps being lit one hour after sunset and extinguished at 10-30; the Company to do all repairs to lamps and supply mantles and all necessaries.

We could not undertake to have lamps ready before November 1<sup>st</sup>

(Signed) M. Tracey  
Resident Manager

Resolution

Proposed by Mr Charles Davis

Seconded by Mr James Lunne

Resolved: "That the Wicklow Gas Co's tender for the lighting of 40 Public Lamps at £1.14.10 each per season be hereby accepted."

Church Street, Wicklow  
14<sup>th</sup> Oct 1917

Dear Sir:

I examined the Wall at Fitzwilliam Road and find 41<sup>ft</sup> long will require to be taken down and rebuilt. This Wall is 40<sup>ft</sup> over the Yards; about 30<sup>ft</sup> long is 14<sup>ft</sup> high; and 11<sup>ft</sup> long 10<sup>ft</sup> high;

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50-1917  
Gordon Miller  
an Agent  
12<sup>th</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> 1917

and 11<sup>ft</sup> of Wall will be under the road level, a proper offset would require to be cut in the rock, to start the new Wall upon, and the Wall in its present state should be stayed or secured on account of the houses underneath it, as it is in a very dangerous condition at present.  
(Signed) William Clarke

Order: That Mr William Clarke be asked to prepare a specification for the rebuilding of Wall at Fitzwilliam Road; tenders to be invited for same, and considered at a Special Meeting to be held on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 1917.

Laurence Byrne  
Chairman  
6/11/1917

Middlewick v. Wicklow  
50-1917  
Gordon Miller  
an Agent  
12<sup>th</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> 1917

Town Hall, Wicklow  
23<sup>rd</sup> October 1917

A Special Meeting of the Wicklow Urban District Council was held this day in pursuance to a requisition signed by Mess<sup>rs</sup> Lawrence Byrne; M. J. O'Brien; Matthew McDonald; S. D. Delahunt; M. J. Butler & Francis Murphy.

1. To consider tenders for rebuilding Wall at Fitzwilliam Road.
2. To consider the question of the validity of the summonses issued against some twenty two young men in the Town under the Town Improvement Act 1854, and in which the Commissioners (now Urban Council) appear as Complainants

### Members Present

Mr Lawrence Byrne Chairman in the Chair; Mess<sup>rs</sup> S. J. Hoyle; M. J. O'Brien; S. E. Sim; M. McDonald; Francis Murphy; M. J. Butler & James Dunne.

### Resolution

Proposed by Mr Lawrence Byrne

Seconded by Mr James Dunne

Resolved: "That Mr William Clarke's tender at £ 98.16.0 be accepted work to be done in masonry according to specification"

### Resolution

Proposed by Mr S. E. Sim

Seconded by Mr M. McDonald

Resolved: "That Mr John Kane's tender at £ 95 be accepted in accordance with terms of specification"

The following vote was taken on the above resolutions:-

For Mr Wm Clarke: Mess<sup>rs</sup> S. Byrne; S. J. Hoyle; M. J. Butler; James Dunne; Francis Murphy (5)

For Mr John Kane: Mess<sup>rs</sup> S. E. Sim & Matthew McDonald (2)

Mr M. J. O'Brien declined to vote.

The Chairman declared Mr William Clarke's tender accepted.

The tenders were as follows:-

I propose to take down and rebuild the Wall at Fitzwilliam Road, Wicklow, according to specification prepared for same, and to the satisfaction of the Urban Council or any Engineer they may appoint for the sum of Ninety eight pounds, sixteen shillings.

If the Wall from rock to road level is done in concrete for the sum of One hundred & seven pounds, twelve shillings  
(Signed) William Clarke.

I propose to take down and rebuild the portion of Wall on Fitzwilliam Road according to specification

No. 1. Concrete from foundation to road level. Masonry from road level to coping for the sum of Ninety-five pounds.

No. 2. Concrete from foundation to coping for the sum of Ninety pounds.

(Signed) John Kane.

### Resolution

Proposed by Mr S. J. Hoyle

Seconded by Mr Lawrence Byrne.

Resolved: "That we the Wicklow Urban Council hereby declare that we gave no authority for the institution of the prosecutions referred to in the attached schedule, against certain young men in the town summoned nominally under the authority of the Council by some person without our authority or direction and we hereby repudiate all responsibility therefor and direct that our Solicitor shall attend at the Borough Court to-morrow and point out to the Court that the summonses are unauthorised by this Council and that he be further authorised if the Magistrates give an adverse decision against our view, to take the necessary legal steps to have the legal question involved tested in the High Court and that the Common Seal of the Council be attached to this resolution and the attached schedule"

Lawrence Byrne  
Chairman

6/11/1917

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Tom Hall Wicklow  
6<sup>th</sup> November 1917

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- 1 To confirm Committee's Reports
- 2 To consider Sanitary Officers Reports
- 3 To consider Dairy Inspectors Reports
- 4 To consider Waterworks Overseers Report.
- 5 To consider Tenders for Scavenging
- 6 To consider estimates for repairs to Wooden Bridges
- 7 To consider official correspondence

Councillors Present

Mr. Laurence Byrne Chairman, in the Chair, Messrs Charles Davis, Richard Sheane, Thomas Gregory, David H. Haskins, Simon J. Doyle, Nicholas H. Haskins, Henry Hamilton, Samuel E. Pinn, Thomas H. Willis

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

Finance Committee's Report  
5<sup>th</sup> November 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

Francis Wm <sup>ac</sup> Phail. Hire of Ambulance, Fines etc	Rs. 14. 5
Arthur Doolittle. Corporate Cottages & Grazing Rents	62. 15. 5
William M. Byrne. Township Rate	48. 10. 1
A. M. Treasury. Bounty in lieu of Township Rate	37. 2. 11
	<u>Rs. 153. 2. 10</u>
Being a Cr. Balance of	Rs. 170. 7. 8

We recommend the following payments

Francis Wm <sup>ac</sup> Phail	One months Salary	Rs. 11. 18. 4
Same	Workmens wages	26. 3. 6
Henry J. M <sup>ac</sup> Phail	One months salary including fine & weeks war bonus @ 10/- per week	6. 16. 8
Natrick Doyle	One months Salary less 1/3 Insurance	4. 10. 5
Same	Five weeks war bonus @ 10/-	2. 10. 0
James W. Courcy	One months Salary less 1/3 Insurance	5. 18. 9
James Redmond	Do	1. 0. 0
Eduard Connor	his Superannuation	4. 7. 6
Francis Wm <sup>ac</sup> Phail	Fee for preparation of Jurors Lists	10. 1. 6
Eduard Kennedy	Same supplying list of Jurors	3. 15. 8
Burial Board.	Third instalment of Demands	16. 1. 9
Dr. E. Pailin	Carriage on macadam	7. 10. 1
James W. Call	Contract for concrete footpaths	14. 16. 0
Sheane Bros	Scum for Water Supply, Sewer Scrapers etc	2. 13. 9
John Kane	Repairs to Bathing Boxes	1. 7. 6
J. P. Stephens & Sons	Dried wine for Press Lands	1. 11. 8
Collier Ward	One years rent of Tom Hall	2. 6. 3
Wicklow Printing Co	Printing & Advertising	1. 9. 0
Wicklow Press	Advertising	1. 3. 0
Knocklyns	Beer for Gas Act	3. 1
Wicklow Gas Co	Gas Tom Hall Water House	4. 11
William Doyle	Scavenger	7. 17. 6
Eduard Kennedy	Poor Rate on Corporate Estate	10. 12. 6
		<u>Rs. 144. 19. 3</u>

Poor Rate Account  
Payments for October

A. M. Treasury	Bounty in lieu of Poor Rate	Rs. 38. 0. 7
Eduard Kennedy	Second moiety of Do	47. 16. 2
		<u>Rs. 85. 16. 9</u>

Dividend Fund Account

Francis Wm <sup>ac</sup> Phail	Dividend on Consols	Rs. = 19. 6
Signed Laurence Byrne Chairman Simon J. Doyle		

### Resolution

Proposed by Henry Hamilton, Seconded by David H. Haskins and resolved  
 "That the Report of the Finance Committee be hereby confirmed,  
 " and adopted and that Treasurers Advices be for making pay-  
 " ments 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 £144. 19. 3." —

### Medical Officer of Health's Report's

24 Oct. 7. 1<sup>st</sup> November 1917

I hereby certify and declare that Molly Malone, Summer Hill  
 Wicklow and James Lambert of Summer Hill, Wicklow are  
 suffering from Scarlet-Fever:

Dr Lydon Reports that Thomas Dunne, Ballinlly, and  
 John Byrne, Wicklow Hotel are suffering from Scarlet-Fever  
 Dated 30 Oct & Nov 1<sup>st</sup> 1917.

Three of the above Patients have been removed to Hospital and  
 premises disinfected. In the case of James Lambert his Parents  
 refused to send him to Rathdunn Fever Hospital, the Patient  
 is being attended by Dr McCormack.

### Sanitary Sub Officers Report

5 November 1917.

During the past month 307 premises were inspected and nine  
 notices served for various sanitary purposes, all of which  
 have been complied with. Nine Patients were removed to  
 Fever Hospital and nine premises disinfected. — The usual  
 flushing and disinfecting was carried out satisfactory. — The public  
 lighting commenced on the 1<sup>st</sup> Inst, the illuminating power was  
 not as it should have been and the attention of the Gas Co  
 should be called to the matter.

Patrick Doyle  
 San Sub Officer

Daily Inspector reported that the licensed Cow Keepers premises are in  
 a clean and satisfactory condition — Water 6/11/17

### Waterworks Overseer Report

5 November 1917.

1. Repaired fountains in High St, Monkton Row, Bond St, Strand St  
 South Quay, Lower Strand St and Wooden Bridge, also repaired Stop  
 Valves at Marine Hotel and New St
2. Turned on water into No 1 filter on the 4<sup>th</sup>, same is working satis-  
 -factory. — The usual flushing of water mains was carried out.
3. The water in Reservoir is 1. 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ " from old overflow.

I would be obliged to the Council if they could see their way to  
 grant me the usual supply of Coals that was allowed Mr. Cannon  
 as owing to the increased cost of living I find it very hard to  
 make ends meet on my present salary.

James De Courcy — Waterworks Overseer

### Resolution

Proposed by David H. Haskins, Seconded by S. V. Doyle and resolved  
 "That having considered James De Courcy's two applications  
 " re Scouring mains and supply of Coals, hereby resolve to  
 " supply him with five tons of Coals annually in full  
 " satisfaction of the claims above mentioned"

William Doyle, Strand St tendered for Scavenging during  
 month of November at £7. 17. 6

### Resolution

Proposed by Simon J. Doyle, Seconded by R. Sheane and resolved  
 "That William Doyle's tender at £7. 17. 6 for public  
 " and domestic Scavenging be hereby accepted, work to be  
 " carried out in accordance with the usual Specifications"

Three Tenders were received for repairs to Wooden Bridge viz  
 Hugh Higgins Fitzwilliam Road, Wicklow £10. 0. 0  
 William Clarke Church St " 9. 10. 0  
 Bartholomew Toole New St " 7. 12. 0

Resolution

Proposed by Nicholas H. Haskins, Seconded by Charles Davis and resolved  
 "That Bartholomew Toolis tender at £7. 12s. for providing  
 " 12 <sup>oak</sup> planks in Wooden Bridge and 4 cross pieces be accepted  
 " oak timber to be free from sap and timber when ready to be  
 " inspected by Messrs Pius, Sheane & Hamilton"

Read circular letter from Local Government Board No 49. 123, dated  
 12/10/17 on the Subject of Maternity and Child Welfare, Provision of  
 food and milk in necessitous cases. — Order - Notes

Read sealed order from Local Government Board for £10. 10s. being  
 amount of Audit Fee. — Order - "Referred to Finance Committee"

Read circular letter from Dublin Chamber of Commerce on the Subject  
 of Commercial and Industrial Policy for Ireland. — "Notes"

Read letter from W & L. Railway Co re New Railway Road and  
 Lighting of same, stating the matter is being taken up by their  
 Chief Engineer. — "Send Clerk to arrange with Railway Co"

Read letters from Rev Canon Staples P.P. V.F. Rev P. B. Johnson M.A.  
 re closing of Schools during the prevalence of Scarlet Fever in the  
 District. — "Notes"

Read letter from Rev D. O. Pius stating he will have pleasure to act on  
 Wicklow School Attendance Committee. — "Notes"

Read letter dated Oct 2<sup>nd</sup> 1917 from Mrs Harriet C. Burns requesting  
 the Council to grant her a new lease of 3 & 4 St Edmund Place, Wicklow.

Order - That Mrs Harriet Burns's application be referred to Committee

Read an application from the Council's workmen for their usual  
 supply of oil coats. — "Referred to Committee"

Read letter dated 24/10/17 from Mr Joseph H. Carroll, Solicitor  
 re cases before Borough Court and stating that the 21 cases were  
 dismissed.

Read an application from Mr O'Hara O.S. for copy of the Council's  
 resolution in connexion with the prosecution of riotous and indecent  
 behaviour read before the Court on 25/10/17.

Order - That Mr O'Hara be supplied with a copy of resolution referred to

Read letter from Association of Municipal Authorities in Ireland re  
 Government Grants in aid of housing of workers in Towns & Cities  
 "Notes"

Read letter & resolution from Arklow Urban Council re Valuation of  
 Urban Districts. — "Marked Read"

Read letter from D. B. Skiffington, Rathdown Rural District Council  
 "Marked Read"

Read resolution from Clons Urban Council with regard to restrictions  
 of prohibiting the shipping of Horses from Irish Ports to England, Scotland  
 and stating it will have the effect of preventing Farmers breeding  
 young horses next year. — "Notes"

Laurence Byrne  
 Chairman  
 4/12/17

Town Hall Wicklow  
4<sup>th</sup> December 1917

The usual monthly meeting of the Wicklow Urban District Council was held this day to transact the following business

1. To consider Committee's Report
2. To consider Sanitary Officers Report's.
3. To consider Drain Inspectors Report.
4. To consider Waterworks Overseer Report.
5. To consider tenders for scavenging.
6. To consider official correspondence.

Councillors Present

Mr's Laurence Byrne, Chairman. Mess David H. Haskins, Francis Murphy, Nicholas H. Haskins, Richard Sheane, Francis B. Grogan, Charles Davis, Simon J. Doyle

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

Finance Committee's Report  
30<sup>th</sup> November 1917

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

Arthur Woolittle Corporate, Cottages & Grazing Rents £ 65. 17. 5

Giving a Cr. Balance of £ 91. 5. 10

Poor Rate Account

Edward Kennedy - Poor Rate collected & lodged £ 168. 0. 10

Cr. Balance on Poor Rate Account £ 324. 4. 10

We recommend the following payments

Francis D.M. - Mail	One months salary	£ 11. 18. 4
Same.	Workmens wages	23. 2. 4
Henry D.M. - Mail	One months salary & war bonus	6. 6. 8
Patrick Doyle	Or less if - Insurance	4. 10. 8
Same	Four weeks war bonus	2. 0. 0
James De Courcy	One months salary less if - Insurance	5. 19. 0
James Redmond	Or	1. 0. 0
Edward O'Connor	Or Superannuation	4. 7. 6
Local Government Board	Audit Fee	10. 10. 0
Ballex Quay Co	Macadam	43. 11. 10
Thomas Jelletie	Insurance of Workmens	7. 8. 0
Joseph Wany	Costs for Waterworks Overseer & Town Hall	3. 8. 6
The Formalin Hygienic Co.	Formalin tablets	1. 4. 8
Paron & Nolan	Wages Book	1. 5. 8
Henfield & Kennedy	Vulcanite ball for hydrant	" 2. 10
William Clarke	Or Sect. contract with Fitzmilliam Ry	80. 0. 0
Bartholmeu Fole	Repairs to Wooden Bridge	7. 12. 0
William Doyle	Scavenger	7. 17. 6
		<u>£ 222. 5. 6</u>

50-1944  
Wicklow UDC v. Nat Bank  
Comroe City Bank  
an Court Order  
Certified & paid  
£177  
12/11/17

Poor Rate Account

Treasurers Co Council	3 <sup>rd</sup> Instalment of Demands	279. 6. 10
Edward Kennedy	Poundage on £ 575. 16. 9 Poor Rate collected & lodged	28. 15. 10
Same	Repaid of irrecoverable rates and Poor Rate carried forward to subsequent collection	49. 6. 1
	Total Payments	<u>£ 579. 14. 3</u>

Signed  
Laurence Byrne  
Simon J. Doyle  
Charles Davis  
Members of Finance Committee