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Messrs Carter & Copland

Amount to be invested to form

Banking Fund (under 1866 Act)

for Loans

90. 0. 0

Public Works Loan Board.

Interest due to Loan & Dray 1889

10% £235-4-1 2. 5% =

Int 11-13-8 from 132-5-4 in 146-9-0.

Martin Lawton Esq C.C.C (in Chair)
1/4/89

A meeting of Bray Township Commissioners was held in the Town Hall Bray on Monday 1st April 1889 at 11 o'clock am.

Present -

Martin Lawton Esq C.C.C (in Chair)

Matthew O'Brien

Thomas Craig (Clonalleen)

Matthew de Groot Jr.

Garrett Keane

Michael Byrne

Thomas Craig (Noreen) and

Robert By Davis Jr.

Mr Geo Keogh Esq solicitor to the Board was present.

The minutes of previous meeting were read & signed.

Letters from the Local Govt Board and Inspector's report in reference to the sanitary conditions of Herbert Terrace &c having been read. It was ordered that a special report concerning the matter should be asked from the Engineers.

A letter from Mr Hayes solicitor in reference to account of Mr J. J. McCormick was referred to Finance Committee as was also a letter from Mr John Bluck.

Frank P. Mooney and John J. Morris of Little Bray were granted Hackney carriage permits and an application from J. Evans Greystones was refused.

Mr William S. Littledale solicitor was enquiring probate re William Molony deceased who held £500 Bray Township Bond (881 Act). Ordered Town Clerk to note names of Executors on Register of Bonds & return Proclamation.

Accounts from Brown & Nolan, Freeman's Journal, Thos
Miller, T.E. McCormick, Daily Express & Local Govt
Board were received. Consideration postponed.

The Local Government Board wrote enclosing
cheque for £5 being amount of Vote towards
Sanitary Officers' Salaries.

Masters Hart and Compton were offered
to prepare current year Rate Book at usual
charge £7-7-0. Accepted.

The Road Overseers report was read and
an order was made to procure cast wheelbarrows.

The Water & Sanitary Inspectors reports were read

The Secretary Co. Wicklow funds jury awarding
enclosing Warrant due after spring levies
of 1889 £240-10-0 and it was ordered that the
Town Clerk should write for list of arrears
with dates of service of warrants.

On the motion of Mr. O'Brien seconded by
Mr. Nolan it was unanimously resolved—
"That the Collector is hereby called upon
to close his collections for the past year
and to press for all outstanding rates
without further delay as no excuse
will be accepted after this notice."

Mr. Keogh submitted draft agreements
with Mr. Richard Cuthbert re Water
Way-leave which was approved of.

Mr. Richard Cuthbert wrote enclosing
plans of house at Baybridge which
were referred to Engineer

The following cheques were signed:

Workmen's Wages £ 20-0-0

Macdonnell - Salary as Town Clerk
& Extra Sanitary Officer for
Quarter ended 31st March 1889. 40-0-0

Wm O'Neil - Salary as Cor. Draper
& Out Sanitary Officer
for March 4-6-8

James Connell - Salary as Draper
for Quarter
Ended 31st March 1889- 4-14-6

Patriotic Assurance Co
of Ireland Amount of
Insurance premium on Town
Hall & Fountain 4-10-0

Post Office - By ac of
Postmaster 25-0-0

Matthew Langton
15/4/89

A meeting of Bray Township Commissioners
was held in the Town Hall Bray on Monday
15th April 1889 at 11.30 a.m.

Present:-

Martin Layton Esqre C.I.C (in Chair).
Matthew Byrnes
Garrett Nolan
Thomas Craig (Constituted) &
Capt. J. H. Patrickeon

Mr. George Keopf & P. Solicitor to the Bd was in attendance.

The minutes of previous meeting were read & signed.

The Town Clerk submitted return of amount expended
on roads etc for year 1887 prepared in pursuance of
Commissioners Claim under Robate Date, Scotland and
Ireland Act. Ordered - To be signed & forwarded to
Local Govt Board as per letter of 6th Inst.

Two letters were read from the Secretary of County D.
Wicklow for July which were referred to Finance
Committee and the Town Clerk was directed to reply
that the Commissioners regretted delay and hoped
to have matters in question arranged as early date.

It was ordered that a new three inch water pipe
should be laid in new street through Quinn
Estate, as far as Cross-road.

Mr. Cuthbert's plans of house at Bray bridge
and Engineer's report thereon disapproving of same
having been considered the following resolution
was adopted on the motion of Mr. Craig seconded
by Mr. O'Byrne -

"That the Commissioners in their capacity
of Township Commissioners and Sanitary Authority

hereby express their disapproval of said plans &
the works contemplated & direct the Town Clerk
to give Mr. Cuthbert notice in accordance therewith"

A report having been read from Mr. Connelie CB in
reference to the suggestion to construct a sewer
through old Barrack Lane to Herbert Terrace.

It was proposed by Capt. Patrickeon seconded
by Mr. O'Byrne and adopted in reference to a sewer
through Herbert Road -

"That the proprietors of land and adjoining land
to be benefited by the proposed sewer be com-
municated with to enquire whether and to
what amount they would contribute towards
the cost of construction before coming to any
decision upon the matter."

The Roads Overseers report having been read. The
Town Clerk was directed to write to Mr. C. J. Doyle in
reference to his request to secure Veterinary
Fence Wall. Stones to be purchased Mr. J.
Lawlor for river wall to be on best terms.

The Water and Sanitary Inspectors reports were read.

Mr. Martin Doyle of Bray was granted a Hackney
Carriage licence & also a drivers licence.

Mr. James Carroll wrote in reference to Bank falling
at one of his Cottages on Bray Commons and the
attention of Roads Overseer was drawn to the matter.

The weighmaster applied for and was
granted a few days leave of absence.

The following communications were read

From Town Clerk Burrow-in-Tamese re Water Supply
- James Evans re Car Licence refused

From Mr. O'Byrne re overdraft
- " Browne & Nolan re account.

Several accounts were received & referred
to Finance Committee.

The following cheques were signed

Workmen's Wages £ 30-0-0

Mr. John Murray 'Hayseed' 1-00-0

" B. Fitzsimons 'Broken Stone' 21-16-2

Thos. Fortune
6 May 89 Ch.

A meeting of Bray Township Commissioners
was held in the Town Hall Bray on Monday
6th May 1889.

Present:-

Aldermen Mr. Henry Cochrane Esq (in Chair).
James Hennessy
Matthew O'Byrne
Garrett Nolan and
Jeremiah Sutton +
Michael Byrne

On the motion of Mr. Hennessy seconded by Mr.
O'Byrne the Chair was taken by Mr. Cochrane.

The minutes of previous meeting were read & signed.

Mr. Geo. W. Gmelch Local Government Board auditor
read extracting his annual report and abstract
of audit of Bray Township Accts for year
ended 31st December 1888 and stating for
information of Commissioners that the
accounts were kept & presented for audit
in a very satisfactory manner.

It was ordered that the report and abstract
should be published & printed and cir-
culated at board meetings.

Mr. Jane Pernor agent to the Earl of Pembroke
wrote under date 2nd May in reply to
letter received from Town Clerk stating amount
of contribution which the Estate would
make towards construction of sewers thro'
Herbert Road. No answer having been
received from Mr. Dickell the consideration
of matter had to be postponed.

A letter was read from Local Govt Board

in reference to state of Dock Terrace and an order made postponing any action in the matter pending Mr. Besels returns.

Letters from Mr. Quain and Mr. Robert Hodson were read, in reference to Sanitary conditions of Esplanade Terrace and Ardbrae, and referred to Roads Overseer.

It was ordered that the late Sanitary Officer should be provided with a new suit of uniform.

The Roads Overseer reported that Mr. Rehob 'Canaby' had commenced building at that premises without submitting plans. Town Clerk ordered to notice Mr. Rehob and to request that plans should be submitted.

Mr. C. J. Doyle wrote no reply to letter from Town Clerk stating that he had purchased timber for purpose of repairing Veterinary Yard Hall. Ordered letter satisfactory see this matter is carried out.

Alderman Meade and Mr. D. Coulson submitted plans of new houses on Esplanade Road and Seaford Road respectively which were referred to Surveyor.

Bids were received for purchase of Manure on Fair Green and that of Mr. J. J. Atkinson of the Sheep Farm Enniskerry at £2 being the highest and best offer was accepted.

The water and sanitary reports were read & usual orders made.

It was ordered that the constables should put paths in order for current season town Clerk to provide whatever required by Overseer for carrying out work.

A memorial from Mr. Tobias Burke and others re state of footpaths in Little Bray was read & referred to Roads Overseer.

Mr. P. P. Longshaw of Park View wrote offering for sale a quantity of stones on Bray Commons. Ordered Mr. Sutton and Roads Overseer to purchase if good value.

Messrs Charles Carton and Michael Traynor and Peter McFinley of Bray were granted hackney carriage figures.

Peter McFinley and William Carton of Bray were granted licenses to drive hockney carriages in Bray Township.

The Rev. Mr. Irwin attended before the Board on behalf of Bray Industrial Exhibition Committee and asked for use of Town Hall & Market House with permission to erect boardings for exhibition on 24th, 25th & 28th Inst. Granted. Door to be put in boarding to admit direct to Town Hall & insurance arranged.

Consideration of a letter from Bray Temperance Band was referred to next meeting.

It was ordered that the Roads Overseer should be relieved from attending markets and requested to pay more

attention to state of roads & footpaths.

The Town Clerk was ordered to prepare Estimate of rates as soon as valuation books were returned and to call special meeting if necessary.

Several accounts were received the consideration of which was postponed.

Mr R. Simpson wrote stating that pipes & fittings for water supply in Florence Road had been forwarded - Read.

The following cheques were passed:-

Workmen's Wages £45-0-0

Mr O'Neill - Salary as Sub-Sanitary Officer & Gas Draper for April 4-6-8

The Mill. Drapery for 5 Weeks from
25th March 1889 4-0-0

James Lawlor - Stones for
river wall &c 2-0-0

J. Syrell - Earthworks 2-4-0

Mr B. Fitzgerald - "Broken Stones" 15-5-0

Mattie Langton
28/3/89

A meeting of Bray Township Commissioners was held in the Town Hall Bray on Monday 20th May 1889 at 11 o'clock am.

Present -

Arthur Langton Esqre CTC (in chair)
and Sir H. Cochrane DL

Capt. J. H. Patrickson

H. Vincent Jackson JP

Edward Berlin JP

Jeremiah Sutton

Garrett Nolan

Michael Byrne

Matthew O'Byrne

James Kenneedy and

Thomas Meade Esqres

Mr Geo Keohes JP also to the Board was in attendance.

The minutes of last meeting were read & signed.

A resolution was received from Bray Industrial Committee thanking the Commissioners for granting use of Town Hall & Market House for Exhibition & it was decided that the Rent should be free of charge.

Mr G. Carson wrote drawing attention to the dilapidated state of the small bridge crossing river near Dock Terrace and the Town Clerk was directed to communicate with the Railway Company on the subject.

The Town Clerk was directed to notice Mr Kehoe that works at Clonaboy could not proceed unless proper plans etc were submitted.

A letter was read from the Local Government Board - the consideration of which had been postponed - in reference to the Sanitary condition

of Dock terrace. It was ordered that the Sub Sanitary Officer should report on the matter for the information of the Commissioners and the Local Government Board.

The Town Clerk was directed to reply to a letter received from the Collector General in reference to amount due Dublin Corporation for Water Rates.

A letter was read from Bray St Neur's Temperance asking permission to practice in Market House until they obtained a more suitable place - granted.

Letters were read from Mr. Donovan, Mr. Tickell & Mr. Vernon & Mr. Leonard, in reference to the sanitary condition of Herbert Terrace, and the proposed sewer thro' Herbert Road. Mr. Vernon on the part of Lord Pembroke undertaking to bear about one third of the cost of a sewer under Herbert Road as recommended by Townclif Engineer, and Mr. Tickell thro' Mr. Leonard suggesting a sewer thro' Barrack Lane. The comit considered the recommendations of Townclif Engineer most feasible & directed the Town Clerk to inform Mr. Tickell of Lord Pembroke's offer & to state that if he made a similar offer the sewer thro' Herbert Road would be made.

Mr. J. McCormick submitted plans of houses (new) on Florence Road which were referred to Engineer.

Reports were read from Townclif Engineer recommending the Commissioners to approve of houses proposed to be built on Bray Strand by Mr. Meade & son Seaport Road by Mr. D'Conin. Approved of.

The Dairy Inspector was

granted a new suit of uniform.

An order was made that 2½" figures corresponding with plate should be painted on panels of hackney carts & on doors and backs of carts & plateaus.

The Water & Sanitary Inspectors' and Road Overseer's reports were read and usual orders made.

It was decided that the footpath from Mr. Burke's to Mr. Cutbouts in Castle Street should be concreted and pathway & road opposite Cordage repaired.

The Water Inspector was directed to report in reference to Water Supply to Mr. Murphy's houses at Newcastle.

Mr. Wm Cuff wrote offering to supply material and paint Barts stands on Esplanade for the sum of £2. Tender accepted.

Mr. Wm Long of Bray was granted a Hackney Carriage figure and Martha Long a driver's licence.

The following communications were read —

From Mrs Harris Little Bray - Referred to Overseer.
" see Gas Co re account.
" Mr. Ford " Electric Light.
" Mr. W. J. Lyne " Vtg of thanks from Amuse. Office
" Mr. Booth " account.
" Messrs Brown & Nolan do
" Mr. Holt Hobson " sewer at Adrae.
" Mr. Hy. Payne " Rec'd from Mr. Little Bray
" Mr. Casey " before

An application was read from Mr. Daniel Daly of Ballybrack for a Hackney Carriage licence & refused.

The Town Clerk was directed to advertise for tenders for renting of Ladies Baths and meeting adjourned to 24th Inst at 11-30 to consider same.

The following Cheques were signed —

Workmen's Wages £ 30- 0- 0

Public Works Com'd Inst due 1st May
on Roads & Footpaths Loan
Prif £90-9-8 Inst £79-9-4 169-19-0

Public Works Com'd Inst due 1st May
on Sanitary Loan 89- 13- 4

John Danning - Broken Stones " 15- 0- 0

P. P. Longshaw 3- 0- 0

Mr. Heyle Township Rates 58- 5- 0

Roads & Footpaths £c

Mr. Chr. Payne - Bridges & Xeps 21- 9- 8

John Breslin
3/6/1889

At a special meeting of Bray Township Commissioners it was held in the Town Hall Bray on Monday 20th May 1889 at 11-30 am for the purpose of considering Estimate of Rates for 1889.

Present —

Martin Lupton Esqre C.4.C. (in Chair)

Aldo Mr. Hy. Cochrane DL, JP.

Capt. J. H. Patricson

Jy. V. Jackson JP.

Edward Breslin JP.

Redmond Sutton.

Garrett Malone

Michael Byrne

Matthew O'Kynne

James Kennealy T.

Thomas O'Meara Esqrs.

Mr. Geo. Keph Predator to the Board was in attendance.

The Town Clerk read the resolution & notice concerning the meeting.

The Estimate of Rates prepared by Town Clerk having been considered

It was proposed by Redmond Sutton Hy. Cochrane DL seconded by Mr. James Kennealy & unanimously adopted "That having considered the Estimates and Statement of Rates for 1889 as submitted by Town Clerk we now approve of same and direct the necessary notice of 'Intention to Strike Rates' in accordance with said Estimates at an adjourned Special Meeting to be held for that purpose at 11-00 on 24th day of May 1889 be given by placard and advertisement".

John Breslin
3/6/1889

An adjourned special meeting of Bray Township Commissioners was held in the Union Hall Bray on 24th May 1889 at 11-ans for the purpose of striking rates for 1889.

Present -

Master Bayliss Esqre C.C. (in Chair)

Matthew O'Byrne

Serenius Button

Garrett Nolan &

Michael Byrnes

The Town Clerk - read the requisition and notice convening the meeting & submitted poster and advertisements in such form indicating of intention to strike rates.

It was proposed by Mr O'Byrne seconded by Mr Button and unanimously adopted.

"That the following rates be assessed on all ratable property within the township of Bray for year 1889 viz:-

A Bray Township Rate of one shilling and one penny in the pound for the purpose of defraying the general expenses of the township; a rate of fourpence in the pound for the purpose of defraying the expenses in connection with the water supply of the township and to be called the Bray Township Water Rate. A rate of two shillings in the pound to be called the Bray Township Draining Fund Rate for the purpose of defraying the Draining Fund necessary to be provided for money borrowed on mortgage and interest thereon, and a Sanitary Rate of sixpence in the £ (pound) for the purpose of defraying as empowered by Public Health Act the expenses incurred for sanitary purposes

of the township."

The Rate Book was signed by the Commissioners present.

It was proposed by Mr Nolan seconded by Mr. Mc. Rae & unanimously adopted -

"That the first moiety of the rates now struck be payable on 28th May 1889 and the second moiety of said rates on 28th day of November 1889.

C. W. Martin
3/1/89

In adjourned meeting of Bray Townships Council was held in the Town Hall Bray on Monday 24th May 1884 at 11-30 am to consider tenders for
- Renting of Ladies Baths -

Present.

Martin Lupton Esq C.C (in Chair)
Matthew Byrne
Premiah Sutton
Garrett Nolan &
Michael Byrne

Pursuant to advertisement submitted tenders for
renting of Ladies Baths from 1st June & previous
to 1st November were received from Mr P. Langshaw
Mr Rice and Mr John Fitzgerald.

Mr Langshaw offered £60 for current year and a pro-
gressive rent for six successive years afterwards
Mr Rice offered £90 for current year.

Mr John Fitzgerald offered £90 for season and
agreed to pay balance of £31-12-4 due from
last year plus security for both amounts a
joint bond with Mr B. Lacy 116 Main St Bray &
Mr J. Hickey 112 Main St Bray.

It was proposed by Mr Sutton & Byrne seconded by Mr
Lutton & unanimously adopted -

"That Mr Fitzgerald's offer be accepted &
that Mr Hickey be directed to have a simple
bond securing the rent and balance due
perfected & signed in Town Hall at 12
oc on Friday 31st Inst.

Mr Fitzgerald agreed & promised to have his sureties
in attendance.

Edward Brudenell Esq JP (in Chair)
Matthew de frost JP
Thomas Craig (Clonallen)
Michael Byrne
Matthew O'Byrne
James Hennessy &
Sir Henry Cochrane B.C. JP

A meeting of Bray Township Commissioners was
held in the Town Hall Bray on 3rd June 1884
- at 11.00 am -

Present -

The minutes of special and adjourned meetings
held on 20th & 24th May were read & signed.

A letter was received from the "Metrolological Office" in
reference to a site for Weather gap at present
in Boat House and on the motion of Mr de Frost
the matter was referred to Messrs Craig (Clonallen),
and Hennessy.

It was proposed by Sir H. Cochrane seconded
by Mr O'Byrne and unanimously adopted -
"That the names of the sureties for Ladies
Baths Contractor - Messrs B. Lacy and J. Hickey
of Bray be substituted by those of Mr Thomas
Mellor of Meath Road Bray, and Mr Nicholas
Leeds of main St Bray."

The Rate Collector's Book & Warrant were
conformed and signed and given to
Mr Heazle for collection.

A considerable amount of correspondence
between the Town Clerk & Local Poor Board re
Contribution due Bray under Probate Duties Act
was submitted & approved of.

The Town Clerk was directed to reply to a letter read from Mr. Fowler Chairman of Bray Industrial Club, and to ask that damage done in Engineer's Office during exhibition should be repaired.

A report was read from Mr. Comber approving of plans of houses to be built by Mr. McCormick on New Road. The report was adopted.

Mr. Wilmett with submitting plans of alterations at Glenaboy. Referred to Mr. Comber for report.

The Road Overseer's report having been read it was ordered that Mr. Cathbert should sell grass on Esplanade and that all street refuse should be deposited on Old Road & kept for raising North End of Esplanade.

The Water Inspector reported in reference to a letter of Mr. Murphy referred to him that a supply from Ryehill Villa to Grosvenor Terrace would be of good service if other houses such as the Coast Guard Station and Melrose were connected to it without additional cost. There was seldom much water in Mr. Murphy's houses but his sisters would fill over night if not through neglect. Read.

Messrs S. Collins and Patrick Draynor (1) were granted hackney carriage figures & Mr. Collins was also granted a drivers license.

A long letter was read from Mr. Cathbert in answer to Engineer's report disapproving of the house he proposed erecting near Bay Bridge. The Commissioners did not deem it advisable to depart from the decision already arrived at and the Town Clerk was directed to reprimand

Mr. Cathbert to communication already served on him.

Letters were read from Mr. J. Parry & Mr. B. Brady & referred to Road Overseer.

The Pub Sanitary Officer's report was read & he was ordered to inspect sewage outfall from Mr. B. Lacy's premises.

The Town Clerk was directed to refer the different reports & relative to drainage of Herbert Tee & district to Local Part Board.

The following communications were read.

From Mr. Vernon Ryde - re Renting Town Hall

- W. J. Shannon re Dublin City
- Messrs Kelly & Lloyd re Rent of Town Hall
- Superintendents Concert re Ladies Baths
- Alliance Gas Co. re account
- Hibernian Peace Places Co. re Insurance
- Mr. Longfellow re account.
- Mr. Keay re Bonds.

On the motion of Mr. O'Reilly Resolved by Mr. de la Poer - Mr. Wm. H. McFarland of Main St. Bray & Mr. James Bruce of Crow Banks were accepted sureties for Mr. George Kite collector in £1000 Mr. Keay to compute Bond.

The following Cheques were signed -

Carl D'Meath - Half year account of Town Hall to 1st January
1889 = £45 - -

To Mr. Kite Hall 1-166 Lodge 8-4-8 2-2-4 £ 42-17-8

Markmen Wages

£ 35-0-0

Wm O'Neill - Salary for May as
Car Driver & Sub Sanitary
Officer 4-6-8.

P. H. Comber Esq - Fees for reporting
re plans to Town 16th
to May 11th 1889 3-13-6

Messrs Hart & Cummins.
Acc't for preparing oak book 9-7-0.

Gab' Miller "Dairy Driver Uniform" 4-9-0

Gab' Miller "Sub Sanitary Officers Uniforms" 2-4-0

R H Davis Esq
17 June 1889

A meeting of Bray Township Commissioners was held
in the Town Hall Bray on Monday 17th June 1889
at 11.00 am.

Present:-

Robert H. Davis Esq (Chairman)
Alderman Mr H. Cochrane Esq.
Thomas Gray (Chairman).
Garrett Nolan
Mathias de la Poer Esq.
Edward Brosnan Esq.

On the motion of Mr Nolan seconded by Mr H. Cochrane
the Chair was taken by Mr Davis.

The minutes of previous meeting were read & signed.

Letter was read from Mr Richard Cuthbert in reference
to his new building at Bray Bridge which the commis-
sioners had refused to sanction. The commission
after due consideration decided to adhere to previous
order and the Town Clerk was directed to advise Mr
Cuthbert accordingly.

The Town Clerk was instructed to summon Car Concil
to sign leases for current year.

Mr Fitzgerald wrote offering to supply 40 suits
required for Ladies Baths (a) 6/- each and
other articles required at shop price. Offer
accepted new suits to be checked.

The Medical Officer of Health reported that Penrose
cottages were in a very unsanitary state and the
Town Clerk was directed to have Dr Brew recommendations
carried out.

The Road Overseers report was read and the

Town Clerk was directed to order small water of carts & hose required for watering paths & sea wall.

Daniel Lawless was appointed to attend to Esplanade & instructed to summon persons launching boats on or across Sea Wall which should be cleared up daily.

It was ordered that the Commissioners men should clean up and put sea wall in order.

Mr. Comber reported favourably of proposed alterations at Clonaboy which were approved of.

Plans were submitted by Mr. John Reunkens of houses which he proposed erecting in extension of Florence Lee. Referred to Engineer.

Mr. B. Heagles wrote asking the Commissioners to increase his percentage on rates collected from 5th to 6th commencing with current years warrant. On the motion of Mr. Craig seconded by Rev. Mr. Cochrane the request was complied with.

The consideration of applications for car licences from messrs. O'Berry & Denis Doyle was postponed.

The following communications were read:-

From Mr. W. Prohaw re account Town Clerk to pay.

- " Licence fees " " " "
- " Gardiner Coyne, Kemptown Hall " " "
- " Vernon Ryde " " " "
- " A Bond, Cape Court on Whit Monday.
- " Dublin Jd. Jury, Warrant for 1889
- " Local Port Board, Water Byes-Laws.
- " " Probate Duties Act
- " " Sanitary Condition Report to
- " Mr. Grimes " Interest on Bonds.

From Kiely & Lloyd re Town Hall Rent.

" Ag. P. Jackson re Water supply co.

" Geo. Keogh " Bonds &c

" Mr. O'Shaughnessy, Mayor Getty Sessions Office

" Mr. Thompsons re Exports &c

" Rev. Mr. Seymour " Seaport Rd (referred to Peacock).

The following cheques were signed:-

Royal Bank of Ireland - To meet interest
on Sea Wall Bonds. £ 600-0-0

The Daily Express.

Amount of account for
advertising - - - - - 11- 3- 0

Workmen's Wages 35-0-0

To Dublin Grand Jury "1888 Warrant in full" 42-12-2

Mr. Ed. Cummins Income Tax on Conn.
Property 3- 11- 6

Mr. B. Heagles Comm on rates collected
& charged 10- 0- 0

J. G. McCormick - Amount of account
for cement, bricks &c 71- 2- 1

Mattie Mulligan
17/7/89

A meeting of Bray Townships Commissioners was held in the Town Hall Bray on Monday 1st July 1889 at 11.30 am.

Present

Martin Lawton Esqre C.T.C. (Chairman)
Thomas Craig (Vice-Chairman)
Marmus de Boot Jr.
Edward Breslin M.P.
Matthew O'Byrne
Michael Byrne
W. P. Jackson M.P.
Garrett Nolan
James Hennessy &
Capt. J. H. Patterson

The minutes of previous meeting were read & signed.

Mrs Barrow of Mattemont Villa wrote stating that the public road near her house was badly lighted. Referred to Inspector.

Letters from Miss Westropp Novard and Mr. Geo Cassin of Marine Tee re state of street sanitary matters, were referred to Road Officer.

A letter was read from the Local Government Board refusing to employ their Engineering staff to reconcile the difference of opinion between Mr. Leonard E. E. and Mr. Comber concerning the drains of Herbert Lee & district. It was ordered that the Town Clerk should again ask Mr. Tickell to contribute towards the proposed sewer in Herbert Road - Mr. Comber to report on the matter to the Meantime and attend next meeting.

Mr. Gaomey wrote returning cheque for amount of account due Daily Express and asking

for £1-3-0 costs. Ordered - If insisted on costs to be paid and advertising account scored.

Demo Daye, James Barry and George Whelan were granted Hackney carriage papers and the latter was also granted a drivers licence.

The Road Officers report was read and an order made to have sewer in Hudsons Tee attended to.

It was decided that fountain fittings &c required by Water Gaspar should be ordered.

The Sanitary Inspectors report having been read an order was made that annual at 101 car stand should be repaired.

Attention having been drawn by Mr. James Corley to the fact that Mr. Richard Cuthbert had blocked up entrance from River to Boat Club yard at Dock Terrace, a committee consisting of Messrs Jackson, Breslin and the Chairman was appointed to report to next Board on the matter.

An application from Mr. C. Doyle for half cost of concreting pathway opposite No 33 Main St was read & refused.

Mr. Richard Cuthbert re-submitted his plans of house at Bray Bridge slightly amended. Referred to Engineer.

A letter from Mr. Stanley of Dargle Road re Water supply was read & referred to Inspector.

Inquiries were received for making of small hand watering cart and that of Mr. Wm Murphy at £4-15-0 being the cheapest & best

offer was accepted.

Mrs & James Coffey and Edward Beffo attended before the Board on behalf of Amusement Cllr and drew attention to certain repairs required on Esplanade & asked that new band stand should be furnished with music stand & lights. An order was made complying with the requests of the deputation.

Mr Comber Cllr reported concerning Mr Blunkett's plans of new houses at Florence Terrace, that if certain specified repairs were carried out the plans might be approved of. Orders approved of provided Mr Blunkett undertakes to make alterations suggested by Mr Comber.

The following communications were read:-

From Mr Danz Vernon re Sanitary condition of ^{Realty of the Herbert College} Herbert College
" Allance Gas Co re acct.
" Mr W. G. Syme Sanitary matter
" W. J. Shannon " Co Dublin for July Cens
" A Board re Cape boat on Whit Monday (and)
" Kelly & Lloyd " Town Hall rent receipts.

The following cheques were signed:-

Workmen's wages £ 20-0-0

Macdonell. Salary to Town Clerk &
Extra Sanitary Officer
for A ended 30/6/89 40-0-0

Mr O'Neill Salary as Cor Major
& Extra Sanitary
Officer £ 40-0-0
June 1889 4-6-8

James Banell - Salary as Dairy Master for
Or ended 30th June 1889 — £ 4-17-6

Geo Wilkins Esq Half yrs interest to 1st July
1889 on £ 100 1866 Bond
less Income Tax 2-8-9

Miss Eliza Wilkins Half yrs interest to 1st July
1889 on £ 500 1866 Bond &c 12-3-9

Mr Richard Culley Half yrs interest to 1st July
1889 on £ 500 1866 Bond &c 12-3-9

Mr T. M. Murphy Half yrs interest to 1st July
1889 on £ 600 1866 Bond &c 14-12-6

Mr Wm Devine Half yrs interest to 1st July
1889 on £ 500 1866 Bond less
Tax & plus 1/4 excess of last time 12-4-10

Miss May Leader Half year interest to 1st
July 1889 on £ 500 1866 Bond &c 12-3-9

John Neill Forage a/c to 1st July 12-9-6

John Tyrell Smith work 3-2-10

Martin Langton
15/7/89

A meeting of Bray Townships Commissioners
was held in the Town Hall Bray on Monday 15th
July 1889 at 11 o'clock.

Present

Martin Langton Esqre (Chairman)

Edward Breslin JP.

Thomas Craig (Councillor)

Matthew de Paolis JP.

H. Vincent Jackson JP.

Mathew O'Byrne, Michael Byrne.

Garrett Nolan and

Capt D. H. Patriceddo

Mr J. F. Comber C.E. Township Surveyor was in attendance.

The minutes of previous meeting were read & signed.

It was ordered that a cheque for £335-6-8 should be issued and forwarded to Messrs Darton & Copland for investment in India 3 Per Cent Stock to form Sea Wall Loan Fund.

The Town Clerk submitted correspondence with Registrar of Petty Sessions in reference to portion of tides in Bay Petty Sessions Court due the Township which was considered most satisfactory.

A letter was read from the Secretary of the Regatta Club asking permission to erect usual enclosure on Esplanade for Annual Regatta on 14th & 15th August. The application was acceded to.

The water keeper's report was read & following orders made.
Water pipe to Mr. Stanley refused.
Lamps to be erected at bridge in Loretto Avenue.

On the motion of Mr. O'Byrne seconded by Mr. de Byrnes - The water inspector was instructed to lay a

2" water pipe from Ryankam Villa to Railway Bridge Newcast Road.

The Road Overseers report damage and it was ordered that kerbing at entrance to Main Car Stand should be repaired & road opposite Duncairn Tee & Railway Road widened.

The car inspectors were instructed to prevent all vehicles from approaching entrance to Carlisle Ground on occasions of fire works & other sports.

The Rev C. H. Brown 'manse' submitted plans of Teachers residence proposed to be erected near Presbyterian Schools which were approved of.

A letter received from Mr. Crowe of Brighton Terrace was read & referred to Banting Sub Offic.

Mr. Cutbells letters and amended plan of house at Bay Bridge having been considered together with Engineers report thereon it was unanimously decided to adopt Mr. Comber's report (disapproving of work). The plans were accordingly rejected & the Town Clerk was directed to return same with a copy of Engineers report to Mr. Cutbells and to call on him to remove building forthwith.

The Engineer was directed to report re boundary wall Seapoint Road footpath to meet making.

It was ordered that Mr. J. H. Rooney's costs re Barry Esques action should be paid.

An order was made that Mr. Comber should prepare specifications &c for concreting footpaths from Mr. Burke's to Mr. Cutbells in Castle St Tenders to be conducted at next meeting.

A letter from Mr. Trekeill & a report from Engineer having been read in reference to draining Herbert Tee St was

Proposed by Mr. O'Brien seconded by Mr. Brislin & adopted.
That tenders be invited for construction of
Barrack Lane sewer. Mr. Tickle to contribute
£20 towards £54 of cost & half any additional
outlay if rock occurs.

The Road Overseer's & Sub-Sanitary Officer's reports
were read & usual orders made.

The following communications were read.—

From Collector General re Statute Water Rates a/c
— Mr. Kippinill re rates in Novena Avenue
" Rimpson re account.

The following Cheques were signed—

Meter Boxes & Co-pand.

Amount required to be invested in
India 3 per cent Stock to form Lending
Fund for Sea Wall Loan - 333-6-8

Workers Wages

30-0-0

Daily Exps "Cost of Service" 1-3-0

Mr. Dan Murphy.

Amount of contract
for making & supplying
hand Watering Cart 4-15-0

Matthew Lant
5/8/89

A meeting of Bray Township Commissioners was held in
the Town Hall, Bray on Monday 5th August 1889,
at 11 o'clock am.

Present.

Master Lupton Esq. C.C. (in Chair).

Clerkman, Mr. H. Cochrane M.P.

Matthew O'Brien.

Edward Brislin Esq. M.P.

R. H. Davis J.P.

Garnett Tolson.

Jeremiah Sutton,

Michael Byrne

H. Vincent Jackson J.P.

Mathias de groot J.P.

Thomas O'neill &

Capt. J. J. Patrickson.

Mr. Geo. Kipphill Esq. Solicitor & Mr. P. G. Comber Engineer were present.

The minutes of previous meeting were read & signed.

A letter was read from Mr. R. Hobson in reference to the
drainage of Andrae & referred to Road Overseer.

Mr. James Lant wrote on behalf of the Londonderry Chamber of
Commerce enclosing copy of a memorial presented by
to the First Lord of the Admiralty Treasury in favour of
retaining the Canadian Mail Service via Lough Foyle route
On the motion of Mr. H. Cochrane seconded by Mr. Davis
the memorial was unanimously endorsed by the
Commissioners. Mr. Lant to be advised accordingly.

The Secretary of the Local Government Board wrote advertising
to the Correspondence of the Town Clerk urging the necessity
for inclusion of amount paid on accts of Roads Board &
Interest there on in return under Probate Duties Act
and stating that the various sums so paid might
now be included. Ordered - Read & deemed satisfactory.

The Town Clerk submitted a large amount of correspondence which he had entered into with Bank of Ireland concerning payment of dividends on Commissioners Stock. Ordered Commissioners to be noticed for next meeting relative to sealing power of attorney &c for raising dividends.

Pursuant to advertisements the following tenders were received for sewer in Barrack Lane. - viz:

Mr John Black Kilmacanogue £140.

" Robert Simpson Dublin 99-12-6

Messrs B Brady & Sons Bray 42-0-0

It was proposed by Sir H. Cochrane seconded by Mr Berlin and unanimously adopted:-

"That the tender of Messrs Brady be accepted

"Mr Tuckell to lodge to the credit of the County

"the sum of £24-12-6"

Tenders were received pursuant to advertisement for concreting footpath in Little Bray from Mr C. Burke to Mr Cutburt and that of Messrs B. Brady & Sons at £64 being the lowest & best offer was accepted. Commissioners to supply sand.

The Road Overseer and Sanitary & Water Inspectors reports were read and usual orders made.

Plans submitted by Mr Denio Doyle and amended plans submitted by Mr Bennett were referred to Engineer.

Robert Walsh and Henry Gorman of Little Bray were granted hansom carriage permits & John McAdams of Newtown Vevay was granted a drivers licence.

The correspondence between Mr O'Shaughnessy & Town Clerk re contribution to townships of

portion of Petty Sessions fines being considered satisfactory the matter was left in the hands of the Town Clerk.

The Town Clerk was directed to write to the Secretary of the B.W & W.R.Y. stating that the Commissioners would take over small footbridge crossing Bray River near Dock Terrace in the event of the company putting it in proper order.

It was ordered that tenders should be invited for repairs of Seapoint Road wall to be considered at next meeting.

The Road Overseer was directed to concrete small portion of footpaths near Duncairn Terrace & Mellors' House.

Mr McAlpin's letter and account were referred to Mr Coulter for a committee report.

A letter having been read from Mr McCrea the road overseer was cautioned in reference to neglected state of roads.

Mr Richard Cutburt attended before the Committee and made a long statement concerning building wall & sewer on river bank. The commissioners refused to take any steps beyond what had been conveyed to Mr Cutburt already.

The following communications were read:-

From Local Post Board re account for Audit.

" Mr John Plunkett re lamp lighting.

" Co Wicklow Jury enclosing warrant.

The following Cheques were signed-

Workmen's Wages

£35-0-0

Mr. John O'Neill - Forage a/c

£ 4-10-6

William O'Neill - Salary for Aug £ 4-6-8

Receiving summons &c last

name Tee Doyle 1-2-0 5-8-8

Mr B Heagley - On a/c of pounds 2 25-0-0

Mr. C. Simpson - Waterworks fittings etc 39-16-1

Mr. Fitzgerald Payed for Esplanade 2-11-0

James Hennessy
19th Augt 89

Mr. John O'Neill - Forage a/c £ 4-10-6
William O'Neill - Salary for Aug £ 4-6-8
Receiving summonses last name Tee Doyle 1-2-0 5-8-8
Mr B Heagley - On a/c of pounds 2 25-0-0
Mr. C. Simpson - Waterworks fittings etc 39-16-1
Mr. Fitzgerald Payed for Esplanade 2-11-0

A meeting of Bray Township Commissioners was held in the Town Hall Bray on Monday 19th Augt 1889 at 11 o'clock.

Present

James Hennessy Esqre (in chair)
Matthew de' foot JP
Matthew O'Byrne
W^y Vincent Jackson JP
Michael Byrne Esqrs.

The minutes of previous meeting were read & signed.

On the motion of Mr O'Byrne the Chair was taken by Mr Hennessy.

On the recommendations of Mr Comber plans submitted by Mr Denis Doyle Kilmacanoe for houses on Seymour Road were approved of.

Messrs Jackson, O'Byrne and Hennessy were appointed to enquire and report as to removal of windmill on Seymour Road from its present site.

Letters were read from Dr Justice Meldin asking permission to erect tennis courts on south end of Esplanade and the Town Clerk was directed to reply that the request could not be complied with.

Pursuant to advertisement the following tenders were received for repair of wall Seapoint Road: -

Mr Martin Dixon

Straps town £ 22-0-0

" Geo Byrne Bray

4-8-10

On the motion of Mr Jackson seconded by Mr O'Byrne, Mr Byrnes tender was accepted.

Letters from the Local Government Board re
Sea Wall sinking Fund returns, and reply of
Towns Clerk thereto were read & considered
satisfactory.

Mr. E. W. Mansell Secretary D. W. & W. R. wrote,
stating that as requested by Towns Clerk his
Board had consented to put small footbridges
over Bray river at Dock Terrace in proper
order on the understanding that the commis-
sioners take it over & maintain it. The Towns
Clerk was directed to reply that the Commis-
sions would take it over.

The question of sealing dividend warrants was
postponed to next meeting.

The Sanitary and Water Insp'rs reports were
read & considered satisfactory.

A report was read from the Road Overseer
in reference to Sea Wall & referred to Engineer.

The Engineer reported that Messrs Brady & Sons
had commenced construction of Back Lane
sewer and the work was proceeding satisfac-
torily.

Auslow Holton junior of Bray was granted a
Hackney carriage figure and John Torman
of Little Bray a drivers license.

The Town Hall caretaker having reported the
unsanitary conditions of lavatory &c an
order was made requesting Engineer to
have the matter rectified forthwith.

Accounts from Messrs McCormick

Dowson and Cuttbert were submitted & referred to
Finance Cllr.

The following communications were read:

From Mr. Comber re Macleod ap

-- Stansfields Aerated Co re By-Laws

-- J. F. Andrews re Income Tax certificates.

The following Cheques were signed.

Workmen's Wages £ 35-0-0

Messrs Bowes & Nolan
Stationery Printing &c 58 9-9

Mr. John Black - Broken Stones 43-4-5

Dr. H. Ravery. One year salary
as Consulting Sanitary
Officer to Apr 1889 £ 10-0-0

Matthew D'Byrne

A meeting of Bray Townships Commissioners was held in the Town Hall Bray on Monday 2nd September, 1889 at 11 o'clock am

Present—

Matthew O'Byrne Esqre Chairman
Thomas Craig (Chairman)
Terence de Root JP
James Hennessy
Garrett Nally
Jeremiah Sutton
H. Vincent Jackson JP X
Michael Byrne.

Mr George Hope Predator was in attendance.
At the end of Mr Sutton the Chair was taken by Mr O'Byrne.

The minutes of previous meeting were read & signed.

The Town Clerk was instructed to have weather gauge to be supplied by Meteorological Office erected at whatever position in township was considered most suitable & provide same.

A letter was read from Mr Quinn favouring the erection of Tennis Courts on Esplanade. The Commissioners refused to alter decision already arrived at in the matter.

The Town Clerk submitted a cheque which had been forwarded him from Local Government Board for £45-17/- in answer to claims lodged on behalf of our townships under the Probate Duties Scotland & Ireland Acts. The cheque was signed by the requisite number of Commissioners

and the actions of the Town Clerk in the matter was endorsed as most satisfactory.

The Road Overseers report and a letter from Mr B Brady having been read it was ordered: That 200 tons or thereabouts of broken stones equal to sample be taken from Mr. Richards Brady at Church Terrace at 3/- per ton and that 800 tons be advertised for in the usual way Tenders to be considered at next meeting.

The Sanitary Inspector was directed to summon Mr. A. H. Jones nuisance caused by heap of manure in Quins fields was immediately abated.

It was ordered that the commissioners men should start repairing face of Sea Wall where damaged, the Town Clerk to provide any stone or cement required.

The following resolution was adopted on the motion of Mr Jackson seconded by Mr Hennessy "That the Trustees of the Quin Minors be requested to put and keep in proper sanitary condition the stable lane at rear of Prince of Wales & Farriers Terraces or hand same over to the Townships Commissioners."

Letters were read from Mr. J. Farrelly and Mr. J. Syrell in reference to dangerous wall on latter's premises & Town Clerk was directed to serve notice on owner requiring him to have the matter attended to &c.

A letter was read from the agent of the Arburyans Dwellings stating that there were no traps or drains in ardee st to carry off water. Referred to Road Overseer for attention.

It was proposed by Mr. Hennessy seconded

recorded by Mr Jackson & adopted.

"That an order be given by this Board that all lamps on the Esplanade be put in immediate repair and kept lighted at night during the remainder of the season."

Complaints having been made by members of the Board & others that several of the Commissioners' men were neglectful & negligent in discharge of their duties it was decided on the motion of Mr Craig that the Town Clerk should be empowered to suspend any employee reported for or found neglecting his duty.

Mr Kennealy handed in a notice of motion for next meeting more fully dealing with the matter.

The Town Clerk having laid before the Commissioners correspondence detailing what the Bank of Ireland required in reference to sealing Power of attorney. Mr Thorpe advised that the document should be witnessed as suggested but as there was not any mode of affixing or attest seal prescribed it was unnecessary to go into that matter.

On the motion of Mr Craig seconded by Mr Jackson the following resolution was adopted.

"That the Township seal be affixed to Letter of Attorney to Messrs Barton & Copland to receive & give receipts for interest on the May Township Commissioners Consolidated Stock and that the Chairman shall sign any necessary Certificate that may be required by the Bank of Ireland." Mr Keogh & Mr Joseph McDermott witnessed the affixing of seal.

The following communications were read:

"From Mr John Plunkett re broken stones &c
" Occupier of Arnes Heath Road re lamps

From Mr Comber re sea wall repairs

" " R. E. Dawson re ardbrac drainage

" Messrs Browne & Nolan re descent from off

" Mr Leslie Ellis Belle Ville re Water Supply.

The following cheques were signed.

X

Sanitary A/c

Messrs O'Brien & Son on ac of Barrack

Lane Sewer (1st Inst) £ 20-0-0

General A/c

Workmen wages

£ 30-0-0

The Gas Meter Company for repairs & supply of gas Meters

50-13-2

Mr Price

Salary as Carpenter to
the Sanitary Officer for inst

4-6-0

John Neill

Forage A/c

5-6-1

Edward Beffo

Ironmongery to

14-1-9

George Byrne Out of Contract for
rep'g wall Seapoint Roads

4-7-0

David Dawson

Repairs of carts
Carpentry work to

12-1-0

Martha Langton
16/19/89

A meeting of Bray Township Commissioners was held in the Town Hall Bray at 11 am on Monday 16th September 1889.

Present —

Martin Langton Esqre CTC (in chair)
Alderman Sir Henry Cockraze Bt. M.
Mr Vincent Jackson JP.
Robert Mr Davis JP.
Thomas Craig (Cleonalton)
Norman de Groot JP.
Garrett Nolan
Thomas Craig (Novara)
Matthew O'Brien and
Capt. J. H. Patricked

The minutes of last meeting were read & signed.

A circular letter in reference to the sale of horse-flesh for human food was read from the Local Government Board & referred to Town Clerk.

Mr E.W. Mansell Secretary of the District Co wrote stating that the small footbridge over Bray river at Dock Terrace was now ready & might be taken over by the commissioners.

Proposed by Sir Henry Cockraze seconded by Mr. Craig Novara and adopted — "That the bridge be taken over by the ^{Bray} Commissioners: a notice board to be erected cautioning persons against injury to it etc."

The Town Clerk reported having received a letter from Alliance Gas Co re Electric Heat which had been forwarded to Mr. G. D. Hope. No communication was received regarding it.

A long letter was read from Mr. Quigans.

In reference to insufficient water pressure &c Ordered — Referred to Water Inspector — Town Clerk to reply.

The following tenders for broken stones to be supplied according to samples submitted were received pursuant to advertisements viz:—

Mr. C. P. Parnell M.P. @ 5/- per ton
" B. Brady Bray " 3/- "
" John Plunkett Kilmacanogue " 3/- "
" John Plunkett Bray " 2/8 "

After much consideration it was decided on the motion of Mr. Craig Novara seconded by Mr. O'Brien to accept 500 tons from Mr. Plunkett at 3/6 & 300 tons from Mr. Plunkett @ 2/8 per ton.

In answer to a letter received from Mr. Michael Murphy it was decided to erect a gas lamp at Duncairn Avenue.

The Town Clerk handed in a cheque for £ 20 - 13 - 9 which he had received from the Registrar of Petty Sessions Clerks in answer to a claim for refund of portion of certain fines imposed in Bray Petty Sessions Court during 1886-7-8. The Town Clerk informed the Commissioners that he intended examining the books of Bray Petty Sessions Court for as many years back as they were procurable in order to ascertain amount of moneys due the Township & which had never been claimed or paid. Ordered — Satisfactory Town Clerk to get assistance if necessary.

In consequence of Mr. Hennessy's absence motion standing in his name was postponed.

The Sanitary & Water Inspectors' & Road Overseer's reports were read and usual orders made.

Mr John Plunkett's plans of houses on Florence Road were passed & signed by the Chairman.

Letters were read from Mr Comber and Mr Haye Parry C&C in reference to the construction of a sewer in Edmonton Road. Ordered Town Clerk to enquire and ascertain if Mr Kimpill is willing to bear one third of cost of sewer.

The Engineer forwarded a satisfactory report & certificates regarding Messrs Brady & Sons' contracts for Barrack Lane Sewer & Concreting footpaths. Ordered amounts certified to be paid.

Proposed by Mr Davis seconded by Mr Craig & adopted.

That the carriers be ordered to keep the cart harness & horses in clean order - that they be brought once a week to the Town Hall for inspection of Town Clerk who is to report once a month as to their condition.

It was ordered that a crossing should be constructed on Edmonton Road near New Lands and pathway to Mr. Giff's gate kerbels.

Complaints having been made regarding the horses and lighting of Novara and Edmonton Road the matter was referred to Town Clerk for attention - Report to be obtained from Road Overseer & the keeper

It was decided that the Peoples Park should be put in order the caretaker to get assistance if necessary.

A letter was read from Mr D Doyle stating that he could not go on with the houses he proposed to build at Seapoint unless unless the mural on Car stand was removed. Ordered to be removed to centre of stand.

The following communications were read:-

- Gas Alliance Gas Co re accounts
- " Gas Meter Co " Old Meters &c
- " J.M. Burke & Son re Quinn's Estate
- " Barton & Copland re dividends
- " Public Works Ban Board re instalments
- " George Heath Esq re Dividends
- " Mr. Comber re Tyrell's Wall
- " Phoenix & Stauding re Ardbrac sewerage
- " Royal Bank re Commissioners names

The Town Clerk reported having suspended James Nolan for leaving lamps lighting on Sea Wall all night on Sunday and until after 6.00 on Monday morning. Nolan who attended before the Board was severely reprimanded.

The following cheques were signed

Sanitary ac/c

X Messrs B Brady & Sons. P
On acct of contract for
Barrack Lane sewer 35-0-0

X Roads and Footpaths a/c.

Messrs B. Brady & Sons.

On account of contract for
concreting footpath Little Bray £ 15-0-0
General a/c

Workmen's Wages

55-0-0

John Sprells Smithwork 2-8-6

Martin Faughan
9/10/89

A special meeting of Bray Downslip Commissioners was held in the Town Hall Bray on 1st October 1889 at 9/10 o'clock.

Present:

Martin Faughan Esq. etc (in chair)
Matthew O'Byrne
Thomas Craig (Clonallion)
Garrett Nolan
Michael Byrne &
Jeremiah Sutton.

The Town Clerk read the notice & the requisition convening meeting to consider Grand Jury Warrants (Co. Wicklow) & take necessary steps to pay same.

The Town Clerk stated that the Warrants due for 1888 amounted to £ 486-5-4 & the 1889 warrants were also due.

It was proposed by Mr O'Byrne seconded by Thos^c Craig & adopted—

"That the sum of £ 486-5-4 be paid to the County Wicklow Grand Jury for two Warrants for year 1888."

Cheques signed

£ 486-5-4

Martin Faughan
9/10/89

A meeting of Bray Township Commissioners was held in the Town Hall Bray on Monday 4th October 1889 at 11 o'clock.

Present:-

Martin Rayton Esq. C.C. (in Chair)
Matthew Hayes
Edward Beslin JP.
H. Vincent Jackson JP.
Garrett Nolan
Thomas O'Meara
Jeremiah Lutton
Marinus de Root JP.
James Hennessy
Thomas Craig (Clonlton)
Thomas Craig Board
Capt. J. H. Richardson and
Fideman Sir Hy Cochrane Q.C.

Mr. George Keops J.P. solicitor to the Bd was present.

The minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

The Legal Govt Boards wrote asking to have communication from Mr. Vaize and others re Sanitary Condition of Dock Terrace returned. Ordered Town Clerk to comply.

A letter was read from Mr. G. Farrelly in reference to dangerous wall in rear of his house Market Square and it was ordered that Mr. Farrelly's landlord and adjoining tenant should be written to.

The Rev Mr. Kimpill Moore wrote on behalf of Mr. H. Kimpill declining to contribute towards cost of a sewer in Sedmerton Roads.

Mr. J. Dunne solicitor Belfast wrote asking for copies of the Commissioners Bye-Laws. Ordered Town Clerk to comply with request.

Mr. Gerrard solicitor to the Quin Estate wrote asking that the Commissioners should take over the roads constructed through the property of the minors. The Town Clerk was directed to draw Mr. Gerrard's attention to the fact that the Bye-Laws of the township required that the footpaths of all new roads should be kerbed before being taken over.

A letter from the Inspector General of the R.I.C. to the Town Clerk was read authorizing a representative of the Commissioners to examine the Police records at Bray in reference to unclaimed fines(morties) prior to 1886. The matter was considered satisfactory and left in the hands of the Town Clerk.

By leave of the Board Mr. Hennessy withdrew motion standing in his name.

The Roads Overseers report was read and it was ordered that the commissioners stables &c on Fair Green should be repaired.

It was ordered that three additional oil lamps should be erected in Little Bray and lamps in Board Chapel if thought advisable for the better lighting of the district.

On the motion of the Chairman the following gentlemen were appointed to act as Presiding Officers at elections to be held on 15th Inst viz:-

Mr. Martin Langton (Returning Officer) for East Ward
Matthew O'Brien for West Ward
R. H. Davis JP " Little Bray "

The Water Works report was read and it was ordered that a new pipe should be laid to fountain on Fair Green.

It was decided to order three tons of coal for Park. Carted and two tons for use at stables being yearly supply.

It was ordered that a sum of £ 204-5-6 be paid Gas Co on ac^t of Public Lighting to Town Hall account.

Mr. John Plunkett wrote under date 4th October stating that as the Commissioners had not given him the entire contract for 800 tons stones it would not pay him to open additional pounds for the amount of order given. He had supplied all the stones he had on the pounds & hoped the commissioners would excuse him for not being able to supply more.

He enclosed his account for 134 tons Sir H. Cochrane proposed and Mr. T. Craig (Chairman) seconded.—

"That Mr. Plunkett be asked to carry out his contract"

Mr. Playfair proposed and Mr. Hennessy seconded as an amendment:

"That Mr. Plunkett be paid the amount of his account furnished and that we release him of the remainder of his contract"

There voted for the amendment:

Messrs O'Byrne Hennessy and the Chairman (3)
Against Messrs Cochrane, Craig, Jackson, Craig,
Deafout, Patricks, O'Meara, & Breslin (P)

Messrs Rattan & Tolans declined to vote.
The Amendment was accordingly lost and the original motion carried by the same division.

It was ordered that £ 20 be paid Messrs Brady & Sons on account of contract for concreting foot-paths.

The Inspector was instructed to take down lamps on Sea Wall & Band Stand for winter months.

The following communications were read:

From Mr. Wm. Sealeigh re Water Supply.
" J. D. Carnapie State of Roads &c
" G. Garrelly Wall Tyrells Forge.
" Baileys damage Town Hall
" Irish Times " accts.
" Mr. W. G. Cotton Gas accts.
" Collector General re Water Rent.

The following cheques were cashed

Workmen's Wages £ 30-0-0

Mr. McDowell salary as Town Clerk & Extra San Officers for
Or ended 30th Sept P. 40-0-0

James Connell Salary as Dairy
Inps't Ords de 30th Sep 89 4-14-6

W^m O'Neil Salary as Cart Master
& Sub Sanitary Officer
Or ended 30 Sept 1889 4-6-8

shak Times - Account for adols £ 26-1-0

Messrs the Allianco Gas Co
Town Hall ap 104-3-6
On ac Public Lighting 100-0-0 & 104-3-6.

Mr B Heagle On ac of lime 80
rates 25-0-0

Roads ac

X Messrs B Brady & Sons
On ac of concreting footpath
Little Bray 120-0-0

Mathlougha
21/10/89

The annual meeting of Bray Township Commissioners was held in the Town Hall at 11 am on Monday 21st October 1889.

Present

Martin Lupton Byrne (Chairman)
Edward Brosnan JP
Thomas Craig
W. H. McFarland
John Plunkett
Mathew O'Reilly
Columba Dunn
James Kennedy
James Coffey
Garrett Meenan
Thomas Meenan
Robert Ky Davis JP &
Capt. J. H. Patrician.

The following Commissioners elected on 15th October
(Inst) signed the usual Statutory declaration & took
their seats at the Board viz:-

East Ward
Messrs W. H. McFarland; James Coffey & John Plunkett

West Ward
Capt. James H. Patrician.

Little Bray Ward
Mr Columbus Dunn.

The minutes of previous meetings were read & signed.

Mr Lupton proposed and Mr Mathew
O'Reilly seconded.—

"That Mr James Kennedy
be elected Chairman of Bray Township Commissioners
for ensuing twelve months" Passed unanimously.

Mr. Hennery then took the Chair & returned
thanks for his election.

On the motion of Mr. Hennery seconded
by Mr. Morris Craig a cordial vote of thanks
was accorded the outgoing Chairman which
was replied to by Mr. Langton.

The following Committees were elected for ensuing
year, the Chairman to be an ex officio member of
each viz:

Finance Committee.

The full Board.

Care Committee

Messrs. Mr. Langton, R. H. Davis, W. H. McFarland, Mr. Byrne
James Coffey, and Capt. J. H. Pamplin.

Harbour Committee

The full Board.

Markets Committee

Messrs. Mr. O'Byrne, J. Coffey, G. Nolan, & W. H. McFarland.

Road Sanitary Committee

Messrs. E. Brechin St., Thomas Craig, Mr. Langton, C. Dunn,
W. H. McFarland & James Coffey.

Mr. Brechin proposed

That a special vote of thanks is due &
hereby tendered to the Secretary of
his Board (Mr. P. McDonnell) for the
earnest & efficient manner in which
he has always attended to the interests
of the Township thereby giving large amounts
of money for the ratepayers.

Mr. Davis concurred in the motion
which was supported by Mr. Craig &

the Chairman & unanimously adopted.

Mr. McDonnell thanked the commissioners for
their kind expressions & vote of confidence and
thanks.

Letters were read from the Local Government Board in
reference to return of Mr. Russ's communication
re Dock terrace. Ordered communication returned.

A circular letter from the Local Govt Board in reference
to infectious diseases was referred to Sanitary Comttee.

The secretary of the Railway and Canal Rates Assoc. wrote
asking the support of the Commissioners for the object
of the Assoc. The further consideration of matter
was postponed to next meeting, the Town Clerk to write
promising co-operation of the Board.

A letter was read from Mr. W. A. Trail in reference to
Bay Electric Tramway. Ordered town clerk to refer
Mr. Trail to promoters for information,
asked.

An amount of correspondence between, the Town
Clerk, Messrs. Barton & Copland; and the Bank of
Ireland in reference to dividends on stock invested
on behalf of the Commissioners under various
heads was submitted, from which it appeared that
large sums hitherto unclaimed might be
recovered for the Township. The action of
the Town Clerk was considered satisfactory
and the matter was left in his
hands.

Messrs. Barton & Copland wrote enclosing a lodgment
account for £ 43-14-0 as amount due the
Commissioners on consolidated Stock. In answer
to a letter of the Town Clerk an additional

sum of £14-19-11 was forwarded with a communication admitting mistake which had been made in the matter. Read & considered satisfactory.

The Town Clerk submitted "Letters of attorney" for raising dividends on Commissioners Three Per Cent Stock and also on an old investment of £249 made many years ago in the names of the Commissioners and the late Earl of Meath which had been lost sight of.

It was proposed by Mr. Bracken seconded by Mr. Lupton & unanimously adopted

"That the Township seal be affixed to 'Letter of attorney' to messrs Barton & Copeland to receive and give receipts "for interest on Bray Township Commissioners India Three per Cent Stock and that the Chairman shall sign any necessary "certificate that may be required by "The Bank of Ireland".

The document was sealed and signed by the Chairman, Town Clerk and messrs E. S. Davidson & Fitzwilliam Terrace Bray & Wm O'Neill Woodbine House Bray as witnesses.

It was proposed by Mr. Thomas Gray seconded by Mr. Mathew Begone & unanimously adopted

"That the Township seal be affixed "to Letter of Attorney" to messrs Barton & Copeland to receive and give "receipts for interest on the Bray "Township Commissioners consolidated "Stock invested in the names of "the Bray Township Commissioners "and the Earl of Meath deceased "and that the Chairman shall sign "any necessary certificate that may

"be required by the Bank of Ireland".

The document was sealed and signed by the Chairman and Town Clerk and by messrs E. S. Davidson & Fitzwilliam Terrace Bray and Mr. O'Neill Woodbine House Bray as witnesses.

The Road Overseers report was read and it was ordered that the sweeping machine should be repaired. The Town Clerk to write to the Earl of Meath in reference to travel for footpath.

The Sanitary & Water Insp. reports were read & usual orders made.

On the motion of Mr. Durme it was decided to invite Tenders to be considered at next meeting for building up gap in River Bank at Fairgreen.

A notice of Survey was received in reference to Mr. Mc Gadden's property & referred to Mr. Comber.

The Engineer reported that Messrs Brady & Sons had satisfactorily completed their contracts for Barrack Lane Sewer & Concrete footpath Little Bray. Ordered balances due to be paid.

Mr. Comber recommended that eleven yards of footpath in Castle Street opposite Mr. Cuthberts Coal yard should be paved with brick sets. The work would be worth 8/- per yard. Ordered Messrs Brady & Sons to be offered the work at this price.

The following communications were read:

From Surveyor of Roads Tax re rates no.

From Mr Michael Kelly re Bonds.
" Royal Bank re account.
" Mr Geo Rogers attendance at meeting
" Keily & Lloyd. Town Race Club.

Mr Pilkett handed in a motion
at motion for next meeting in reference
to the Financial Position of the Comm-
issioners.

The following cheques were
signed:—

X Roads account.

Mr Ch Byrne.
For new hedges and
crossings → £ 12-2-2

X Messrs Brady & Sons.
Balance of contract
for concreting footpath
Little Bay → 29-0-0

X Dentist Account.

Messrs Brady & Sons
Balance of contract
for constructing new
sewer in Barrack
Lane → 14-0-0

X General Account

Workmen's Wages → 30-0-0

Royal Bank of Ireland.

(Royal Bank)
Deduct interest on sea wall
mortgages → £ 9-2-6

Mr Robert Cuthbert
Account for Coals
Cement &c → 14-5-2

Messrs B Brady & Sons
Acc for pipe manhole
cover &c → 3-11-2

James Flannery,
14th Nov 89