"That the road running in front of Kovara Terrace and the road made by Quinn Minors in continuation therewith out to the Quinsboro Road be opened as a public road and Engineers be instructed to lodge plans at once."

Proposed by Mr Hennessy seconded by Mr Mc Farland :—

"That Florence Road be opened into the Main Street and Engineer be instructed to lodge plan of same."

Mr O'Byrne gave notice that he would oppose the purchase of two houses in Main Street leading to Florence road.

1099 In reply to a communication received from the Town Clerk of Athlone the following resolution was adopted on the motion of Mr Mc Cormick seconded by Mr Mc Farland :—

"That without questioning the existing D. W. & W. Ry rates we are of opinion that the recent increase of Rates in re the carriage of Goods by Rail is unjustifiable, and would tend to seriously injure Home Trade; and this meeting would call special attention to the already disproportionate way in which Ireland is taxed by the incidence of freight charges, owing to its distance from the large centres of population and want of competition in carriage of Imports and Exports."

1100 The following tenders were received for repairs of Caretaker's Cottage, Peoples Park :—

Mr Thomas Doyle Bray	£11	0	0
Messrs B. Brady & Sons —"—	9	15	0

The tender of Messrs Brady & Sons being the lowest and best offer was accepted.

1102 The Sec. Waterworks Committee Dublin Corporation wrote drawing attention to an alleged waste of water in the township and it was ordered that a special circular on the subject should be issued by the Town Clerk to residents and property owners in the township.

1103 A letter was read from Mrs Meade, Kingstown & Dublin road in reference to want of crossing at extreme end of Little Bray.

Referred to Roads Committee.

1105 Mr Comber wrote enclosing accounts:—

① in re Bray Head Electric Tramway;

② fees for 1892.

Ordered:—① to be recovered from promoters;

② referred to Finance Comte.

1107 A communication received from Mr Charles Dawson, Chief of Rates Department, Dublin Corporation in reference to Water Rent of 1892 was read and referred to Finance Comte.

1109 Mr William Slattery wrote stating that he was pressed by Engineers for payment of accounts re Bray & Ey Ry. The matter was left in the hands of the solicitor.

The following communications were read:—

From Stamp Office Custom House re Duty Stock Transfers—Read

" Town Clerk Clonmel re Creation of stock:—"—

" Mr Comber with plans showing electric lights —"—

" Sec Hibernian Bank re mortgage Coupons —"—

" Sec Waterworks Comte re Supply for Mr Thompson L. Bray—"—

Sanitary.

Letter No $\frac{145}{30-1-93}$ $\frac{1892}{}$ from L. G. Brd re Cholera. Read & noted

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Letter from L.G. Brd No $\frac{315-93}{25-1-93}$ re Importation of rags.
Read & noted

Letter No $\frac{2759/1893}{25-1-93}$ from L.G. Brd re Salary of Executive Sanitary Officer. Read.

The following communications were read :—
Letter No $\frac{2746-1893}{25-1-93}$ from Local Goverment Board enclosing letter Mr. Matthew O'Byrne dated 20th January '93 and letter No $\frac{3126-1893}{28-1-93}$ from L. G. Brd. enclosing letter from Mr. J. Plunkett objecting to the proposed increase of Executive Sanitary Officers Salary.

It was proposed by Mr Gow and seconded by Capt. Patrickson :—

"That having heard read and considered the communication addressed to the Local Govt. Board by Commrs O'Byrne & Plunkett we desire to place on record our absolute repudiation thereof. We consider that our Chairman could not with due regard to his own selfrespect and the dignity of this Board act otherwise than he did at meeting of 19th December and we commend his action and confirm decision of meeting. We beg to express our complete confidence in the efficiency of our Sanitary staff viz:— Medical Officer of Health, Dr Brew; Consulting Sanitary Officer, Dr Raverty; Surveyor, Mr P. T. Comber; Executive Sanitary Officer, Mr. P. Mac Donnell; Superintend-ent and Dairy Inspector, Mr James Connell, and Sanitary Sub Officer Mr O'Neill. We regard them as fully competent to deal with any question concerning sanitary affairs arising or likely to arise in the township, and deny and refute each and every assertion to the contrary. We most emphatically condemn the "uncalled for and unprovoked conduct of Commissioners O'Byrne & Plunkett".

Mr Plunkett moved and Mr O'Byrne seconded as an amendment :—

"That the Local Goverment be requested to send down and official to make inquiries into the financial position of the township and the correctness of these statements made to the Local Govt. Brd, no insinuations have been made against the efficiency of any officer of the Board."

There voted "for the amendment" Messrs O'Byrne & Plunkett (2); "against" Capt. Patrickson; Messrs Hennessy, Dunne, Condrin Toomey, Breslin, Gow, Mc Farland, Mc Cormick and the Chairman (10). The amendment was accordingly lost and the original motion put and carried by the same division.

A letter was read from Clerk Rathdown Union stating that his board had postponed for the present consideration of question of joining Commrs in re proposed erection of Contagious Diseases Hospital. It was ordered that the Chairman of the Public Health Committee, the Executive Sanitary Officer, Medical Officer of Health and Consulting Sanitary Officer should be authorized to make preliminary inquiries for securing of a site for Hospital.

Consideration of matters re proposed Shelters on Esplanade and lighting of Newcourt Road was postponed.

On the motion of the Chairman it was decided that special meeting of Commrs

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(as presentment sessions) should be held in the Town Hall on Monday 6th March at 11 am.

The following accounts were passed for payment and cheques signed: —

= General Account =

Mr Chr. Byrne
Cut stone for Crossings 4 - 10 - 0

Mr. E. Doyle
Thom's Official Directory 1 - 1 - 0

Income Tax Collector
Income Tax on Interest, Tolls, &c . . . . 21 - 2 - 6

Mr. B. Heazle
Poundage on collection of Township Rates . 30 - 0 - 0

Mr. Wm. O'Keill
Salary for January as Car Inspector . £3-10-0
San. Sub. Officer 16-8 4 - 6 - 8

Mr. Thomas Campbell
Crossings & Kerbings . 4 - 0 - 0

Mr. Edward Bourke
Horseshoeing &c . 1 - 19 - 0

Maurice Knight Esq. JP
Half years rent of Town Hall &c £45-0-0
Less Income Tax 1-2-6 43 - 17 - 6

Irish Daily Independent - advts. 0 - 18 - 6

Thomas Miller & Co
Uniforms &c . . 10 - 0 - 0

J. F. Coghlan Esq.
Oil suits . . . 3 - 18 - 0

Messrs Browne & Nolan
Stationery, Printing &c 8 - 11 - 6

Workmens Wages . . . . 75 - 0 - 0

= Harbour Loan Account =

W. J. Doherty Esq. C.E.
On account of contract for Harbour . . .
No 19 certificate . . £12,782
Previous payments £11,753
1029 - 0 - 0

Messrs W. G. Strype C.E. &
P. F. Comber C.E.
Balance of fees on £12,782 No 19 cert. £319-11-0
Paid 293-16-6
25 - 14 - 6

Mr T. A. Groves
Salary as Clerk of Works (Harbour) to 30th Jany '93 2 - 2 - 0

Mr T. A. Groves
Salary as Clerk of Works to 6th Feb 1893 2 - 2 - 0

Mr T A Groves
Salary as Clerk of Works to 13th Feb. 1893 . . . . 2 - 2 - 0

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— Stock Capital Account —

Mr Joseph Dollard

Stock Book . . . . 1 - 10 - 0

Messrs Browne & Nolan

Printing Stock prospectus &c 34 - 5 - 9

Messrs Guinness Mahon & Co

Commission on allotments

secured conveying premiums 4 - 5 - 10

A meeting of Bray Township Commissioners was held in Town Hall Bray at 10 Am on Monday 20th February 1893.

Present: —

Hy. Vincent Jackson Esq. JP (in chair)
Ald. Sir Hy. Cochrane, DL.
Edward Breslin, JP.
J. E. McCormick
James Hennessy
Matthew O'Byrne
Robert Gow
Martin Langton
Columba Dunne
W. H. McFarland
Robert Cuthbert
John Plunkett &
Capt. J. H. Patrickson

Mr Geo Keogh JP Solicitor was in attendance.

1120 The minutes of meeting of 6th February were read and confirmed.

1121 The minutes and report of Finance Committee and
1122 Public Health Committee were read and adopted.

1123 Messrs Geo Keogh & Sons wrote enclosing account for costs together with a requisition for taxation in re assignment from Mrs Kelly of premises required for Harbour. It was ordered that the requisition should be sealed and the costs taxed.

1124 It was proposed by Mr. McCormick seconded by Mr Langton and unanimously resolved: —

That a Petition be presented to Parliament by the Commissioners of this Township

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"in favour of Legislation to compensate Town Tenants for all substantial improvements, and to simplify and provide indefeasible title similar to that afforded by the Landed Estates Court."

Pursuant to applications received it was ordered that certificates should be sealed and issued to the following holders of the Bray Township 3¾ per cent Redeemable Stock for amount standing in their names, viz: —

1126 No 19 Cert Patrick Egan Esq. Bridge House Tullamore £500.
1128 " 20 " Miss J. E. Moses 16 Leeson Park Dublin £200.
1127 " 21 " Thos Hamilton Burke Esq. M.D, 1 Waterloo Rd Dublin £1500.
1125 " 22 " William Edie Esq. Galtrim House Bray. £400.

1129 The Overseer reported that house at corner of Chapel Lane, Little Bray, occupied by Mrs Sherman was in a dangerous state. Referred to Mr Comber by Town Clerk.

1130 Two letters were read from the Secretary Waterworks Committee in reference to alleged waste of water in Bray Township. It was ordered that a general house to house inspection should be made by Commissioners' Inspector; the Waterworks Committee to be advised accordingly.

1131 Mr Bernard Casey applied for license to erect a slaughterhouse at rere of No 81 Main St. Bray. Referred to Public Health Committee.

The Chairman brought under the notice of the meeting Mr Crossley's scheme for advertising tourists' resorts throughout the kingdom and asked that the Commissioners should support the scheme. Ordered: - "Consideration postponed."

1132 The Revd Superioress Loretto Convent, Bray wrote stating that she was about to make a French drain in connection with the sewer of that premises. Referred to Engineer by Town Clerk.

1138 Messrs Casey & Clay solicitors wrote stating that Mr Keogh desired to have his costs returned to him with a view to adding thereto. Ordered: — Mr Clay to have costs taxed as furnished. No further costs to be entertained.

1134 Consideration of matter in reference to Lord Meath's claim re Fishery rights at Bray Harbour postponed.

1135 Mr Christopher Doyle, rere Goldsmith Terrace, Bray applied for and was granted a driver's license.

1136 Communication received from Mr Kelly Water Inspector Blackrock in reference to hydrant fittings was read and referred to Public Health Committee.

1138 Dr. Toomey being absent motion standing in his name re footpath at Sidmonton Place was not entertained.

The following matters in reference to Electric Lighting of township were referred to Special Committee of whole Board to meet on 27th February 1893 viz: —

1137 Letter from Mr Mc Donald re Electric Lamp in Bray
1137a " " Mr Harriss " ~"~ ~"~
1139 Electric Light Newcourt Road — Mr Murphy's letter.
1140 " " Killarney Rd — Mr O'Byrne's motion.
1141 " " Mr Porte's reports & Mr Harriss' letters

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1142 Electric Light - Lamp on Esplande out of range.
1144 Letter, Mr Heather re Lamp Brady's Bridge &c &c.

1143 It was ordered that tenders should be invited for renting of Refreshment Stand and Fair Green Tolls to be considered at next meeting.

1148 Consideration of Mr Plunkett's motion in reference to opening Eglinton Road was postponed.

1156 A deputation comprising Major Beatty; Mr Martin Madden, JP; Mr Anthony Jesson and Capt. David C. Jones waited on the Board and handed in a memorial from the owners and residents of Novara Terrace protesting against the proposed presentment for acquiring road opposite that Terrace and stating that alternate course through Southern end of pleasure ground would not be objected to. It was ordered that the Town Clerk should ask the memorialists if they were prepared to guarantee that the land required for alternate course with proper title would be granted to Commissioners free of costs.

The following communications were read:—

1149 From Capt C. H. Baker protesting against opening roads as above
1150 " Revd Mr Brady, do do do.
1151 " Mr Charles Clifford, do do do.

1152 The Committee appointed to interview owners of houses to be taken in re-widening of western end of Florence Road submitted a report signed by Commissioners Mc Farland, Hennessy, & Plunkett to the effect that Mr Mc Cormick was prepared to accept £275 for six cottages to be taken from him, and Messrs Robinson were willing to accept reasonable compensation. The subject was referred back to the Committee for further information.

1153 Mr O'Byrne's protest against the purchase of Nos 13 & 14 Main St. was submitted and marked "Read."

1159 Mr Louis Nolan wrote stating that he was erecting stabling at rere of No 60 Main Street.
Communication referred to Mr Comber.

1160 A report was read from Mr Keogh in reference to Mr Slattery's costs in re Bray & Enniskerry Ry and it was ordered that the Solicitor to the Board should take whatever steps he considered necessary in the matter.

Sanitary Business

1154 Communication from L.G.B. No 1631/10-2-92 Contribution towards Salaries. . . . — Signed and ordered to be credited.

1155 Do. No 5679/16-5-93 re Precautions against Cholera . . . . — Ex Sanitary Officer's reply of 17th Feby '93 was read & confirmed.

1158 Letter, A. Holton stating he would submit plans for stable at Albert Walk. . . — Order of Public Health Committee to be complied with.

1162 Overseer reported that Mr Sutton had taken down boundary wall at Upr Dargle Rd at back of Esmond Terrace and was building concrete wall instead. — Referred to Township Engineer.

1147 Letter from Executive Sanitary Officer Rathmines re Roller &c. — Read.

"

Mr Mc Cormick handed in notice of motion to allot £1000 The Bray Township 3½ per cent Redeemable Stock (Harbour Loan) at next meeting.

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The following accounts were passed for payment and cheques signed :—

— General Account —

Messrs John Morris & Sons
Hose Couplings &c . 13 - 0 - 0

P. F. Comber Esq. C.E.
Fees . . . . . 33 - 12 - 3

Wm Graham Esq.
Timber &c . . . 10 - 0 - 0

Dublin Corporation
Balance of Water
Rent for year 1892. . 231 - 16 - 1

Workmens Wages . . . . . 55 - 0 - 0

Mr Maurice Dempsey
Stones . . . . 2 - 0 - 0

Messrs B. Brady & Sons
On account of contract
for repairing Cottage
Peoples Park . . . 7 - 0 - 0

— Stock Capital Account —

Evening Mail
Advertising Stock
Prospectus . . . 6 - 7 - 6

— Harbour Loan Account —

Mr T. A. Groves
Weeks salary as Clerk of
Harbour Works to 20th Feb '93. 2 - 2 - 0

Mr. T. A. Groves
Salary as Clerk of
Works to 27th Feb. '93 2 - 2 - 0

H. V. Jackson
6th March 93

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A Special Committee of full Board was held in Town Hall Bray at 4-30 PM on Monday 28th Feby 1893 for the purpose of considering matters in reference to Electric Lighting of Township.

Present :—

Hy. Vincent Jackson Esq JP (in chair)
Ald. Sir Hy Cochrane DL
Edward Breslin JP
Matthew O'Byrne
Martin Langton
Philip Condrin
W. H. Mc Farland
J. E. Mc Cormick
Columba Dunne &
Capt. J. H. Patrickson.

Mr Keogh Solicitor to the Board was in attendance.

1163 & 1164 The Town Clerk submitted Electric Light Agreement; report from Mr A. E. Porte; and communications &c referred from last meeting to Committee. Mr Keogh explained the position of affairs and the Commissioners sent for Messrs Gordon & Co's Manager, Mr Harriss for further information on the subject. Mr Harriss stated that he was not at liberty to give the required information or any undertaking whatever in reference to the contract.

It was ordered that the Town Clerk should write to the Liquidator, Mr Norris in reference to the circumstances which had arisen and ask him to inform the Commissioners as to whom they were to correspond with in matters concerning the contract and undertakings of the Company.

1171 It was also decided that Town Clerk should write to Board of Trade to know if contractors had complied with their requirements in reference to Electric lines &c.

1170 1172 Letter of Mr Heather and Overseers report in reference to bridges having been read it was ordered that Town Clerk should write to the Railway Company asking them to abate alleged nuisances, summonses to issue in default.

The following communications were submitted:-

1165 Letter from Mr Harriss re Lamp in Vevay.
1166 " " Mr Mc Donald re Do.
1167 " " Mr Murphy " Newcourt Road.
1168 " " Mr Mc Crea " Killarney —"—.
1169 Motion of Mr O'Byrne " Do.

Consideration postponed until after contract is completed.

It was ordered that new arc Light at North end of Esplanade should be put in line with lamps already erected.

H V Jackson
6th March 93

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A meeting of Bray Township Commissioners was held in Town Hall Bray at 10 am on Monday 6th March 1893

Present :—

Hy. Vincent Jackson Esq JP (in chair)
Edward Breslin Esq. JP
Ald. Sir Hy. Cochrane DL
W. H. Mc Farland
Philip Condrin
Columba Dunne
Robert Gow
J. E. Mc Cormick
Martin Langton
John Plunkett
James Hennessy
Capt. J. H. Patrickson
Robert Cuthbert & M. O'Byrne

Mr Keogh Solicitor was in attendance.

1173 The minutes of meeting of 20th February were read and confirmed.

1174 The minutes and reports of Finance Committee and Public Health Committee were read and adopted.

1174 The minutes &c of Committee of the full Board in re Electric Light (meeting of 27th February) were read and confirmed.

1177 Mr J. D. A. Norris who signed himself as "Receiver and Manager" of "J. E. H. Gordon & Co" wrote stating that he would supply any information required by the Commissioners in re the contract and undertakings of that firm.

Read and filed.

1178 A letter was received from the Assistant Secretary the Board of Trade stating that the question of prescribing regulations applicable to an Electric Light installation similar to that of Bray was under consideration.

Read and filed.

1179 Consideration of matters in re Electric lights deferred from previous meeting was postponed.

1180 Communications received from the Solicitors of the Earl of Meath and those of Commissioners in re Fishery rights at Bray Harbour were further considered and it was ordered that the Arbitration should take its course.

1181 Pursuant to notice of motion Mr Mc Cormick moved and Mr Langton seconded :—

"That in exercise of the powers of Bray Township Act 1890 and resolution of 11th May 1891 creating £30,000 Bray Township 3¾ per cent Redeemable Stock we hereby allot to Hibernian Bank Limited, 27 College Green Dublin £1000 of said stock at par and authorize the Registrar to issue sealed certificate for same to said bank. Proceeds to be placed to credit of Bray Township Harbour Loan Account."

Passed unanimously and certificate sealed accordingly.

1182 Consideration of motion standing in Dr Toomey's name in reference to footpath at Sidmonton Place was postponed.

1183 Mrs Craig Granitefield Rochestown Avenue, Kingstown applied for certificate for amount of Bray Township 3¾ per cent Redeemable Stock standing in her name. Ordered: Certificate

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to be sealed and issued.

1184 Letters were read from Mr Wm Slattery and Mr Keogh in reference to former's costs in re Bray & Enniskerry Railway. Mr Slattery desired to have costs taxed by Taxing Master High Court of Justice and Mr Keogh stated it would be preferable to have them taxed by the Arbitrator before whom the parties appeared. Ordered: Matter left in the hands of Mr Keogh for taxation by Arbitrator.

1185 Mr W. Boyd Fortview wrote drawing attention to state of footpaths at Novara &c.
Read: - Referred to Overseer.

1186 A communication was received from the Secretary Irish Land Commission asking for information in reference to Fair Green Tolls.
Read: - Town Clerk to reply

Pursuant to advertisements tenders were received for renting of Refreshment Stand and Fair Green Tolls and the following were accepted: —

1188 Mr Tobias Burke for Refreshment Stand @ £4-10 per annum
1187 Mrs Bridget Doyle " Fair Green Tolls " £26 " "

Mr Patrick Mc Donald, Newtown Vevay Bray and Mr Patrick Dempsey of Meath Rd. Bray were accepted as sureties for Mrs Doyle and it was ordered that the necessary bond should be completed as soon as possible.

1189 Mr David Sheehy M.P. Hon Sec Irish National Federation wrote enclosing tickets for admission to convention to be held in Dublin on 8th Inst. Ordered: Tickets to be handed over to any Commissioner making personal application therefor.

1191 A letter was read from the Revd Mr Huband asking for use of Town Hall for Industrial Exhibition to be held on 30th and 31st of May.
Ordered: Granted on same terms as in previous years.

1192 Miss Williams French School Sidmonton Place Bray wrote drawing attention to the inconvenience occassioned by removal of lamp from opposite school and asking that it should be restored.
Ordered: Lamp to be replaced on completion of Electric Light contract.

1193 A circular was received from the Assistant Under Secretary asking for a return required by Parliament under the Shop Hours Act 1892 (Inspection). Referred to Town Clerk.

1194 The Secretary of the Railway and Canal Rates Association wrote enclosing resolutions &c adopted at recent meeting held in the Mansion House. Referred to Town Clerk.

1197 A letter was read from the Revd Mr Seymour asking the Commissioners to construct a footpath opposite his houses on Seapoint Road. Referred to Roads Committee

1198 The following resolution was proposed by Mr Gow and seconded by Mr Langton: —

"That the Sanitary Loan Account be combined with General Account so as to simplify accounts as suggested by Auditor in last report.

Passed unanimously.

1199 Mr Mc Cormick proposed and Mr Hennessy seconded the following resolution: —

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"That we respectfully beg to direct the attention of the County Surveyor and Grand Jury of Wicklow to the disgraceful state in which the Bray and Enniskerry Railway Company have left the Dargle Road outside the boundary of this township; and we impress on them the necessity of taking immediate steps to compel the Company to undo as far as possible the great injury rendered to one of the best and most picturesque of the County Wicklow thoroughfares"

Passed unanimously.

1200 The Petition to Parliament adopted at last meeting in re Town Holdings was submitted duly engrossed.

Ordered to be sealed and forwarded through County member.

1201 It was ordered that Town Clerk should obtain estimates for large safe for holding Township records &c.

1202 It was proposed by Mr Plunkett and seconded by Mr Hennessy:—

"That the following committee inspect and report on improvements necessary at Fair Green, viz:—Messrs Condrin; Mc Farland; O'Byrne; Mc Cormick; Langton, and Plunkett."

Passed unanimously.

It was ordered that Town Clerk should have all particulars in reference to Public Shelters on Esplanade by next meeting.

1204 Mr Plunkett submitted a letter he had received from Mr Porter of Douglas Advertising Comᵖᵃ re Piers &c. Consideration postponed until next meeting.

1205 A letter was received from Mr Harrison drawing attention to state of footpath opposite St Pauls Church. Referred to Road Overseer.

1207 Messrs Geo Keogh & Son wrote stating that their costs in reference to assignment from Mrs Kelly of lands &c required for Bray Harbour Works had been taxed and certified at £28-17-9.

It was ordered that the amount should be paid.

1208 Mr Comber wrote recommending approval of building erected at rere of 60 Main St.

Approved.

Mr Mc Cormick gave notice that at next meeting he would move that the salary of Mr J. Connell, Overseer be increased.

The following communications were read:—

1190 From Messrs Exshaw & Glenn re Stock Certificates—Read

1209 " P. F. Comber, C.E.—Wall at Mr Sutton's, Bray Commons—"

Sanitary Business

1195 The Local Govt. Board wrote sanctioning the increase of the salary of Executive Sanitary Officer to £36 per annum. Read and approved

1196 The Secretary Sanitary Institute wrote enclosing particulars of ensuing examination for Sanitary Officers. Referred to Public Health Committee.

1206 Mr Bernard Casey wrote asking Commissioners

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to reconsider decision in reference to his application to erect a slaughter-house at rere of 81 Main Street. Refused.

The following accounts were passed for payment and cheques signed: —

General Account

Mr Fredk Jacob
Hardware &c &c 5 - 10 - 2

Mr John Neill
Forage . . . 10 - 0 - 3

Mr David Byrne
Oats, bran . . 8 - 18 - 0

Mr Robert Simpson
Hose, pipes, &c 8 - 7 - 0

Mr Chr. Byrne
Kerbing &c . . 6 - 5 - 10

Mr Wm O'Neill
Salary for Feby.
Car. Inspr. £3-10-0
San Sub Officer 16-8 4 - 6 - 8

Messrs B. Brady & Sons
Balance of account for repairing Caretaker's Cottage Peoples Park . . 2 - 15 - 0

A. E. Porte Esq.
Report on Electric Light &c 6 - 10 - 10

Alliance Gas Co.
Sea Wall Account 12 - 2 - 0

Workmens Wages 55 - 0 - 0

Harbour Loan Account

Mr T. A. Groves
Salary as Clerk of Works to 6th March 1893 2 - 2 - 0

Mr. T. A. Groves
Salary as Clerk of Works to 13th March 2 - 2 - 0

W. J. Doherty Esq. C.E.
On account of contract for Harbour Works, No 20 cert. £13,717
Previous payments £12,782
935 - 0 - 0

Messrs Geo Keogh & Sons
Costs in re assignment of land from Mrs Kelly for Harbour Works . . 28 - 17 - 9

Stock Capital Account

Messrs Bruce & Symes
Commission on Allotment secured conveying premium (Mrs Sinclair £1000) 3 - 2 - 6

T. P. Hayes Esq.
Commission on

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allotment of Bray
Stock (Dr Burke £1000) 3 - 15 - 0

J. D. Carnegie & Co
Commission of 25 % on allotments of £2000 to J. D. Carnegie & £100 " Jas. St Lawrence £7-17-6
Fee for applying to Stock Exchange for quotation . . . £21-0-0

28 - 17 - 6

H. V. Gallwey
7th March 93

1210 A special meeting of Bray Township Commissioners as Presentment Sessions was held in Town Hall Bray at 11 am on Monday 6th March 1893 pursuant to the following requisition:—

Bray 28th February 1893

"To the Town Clerk
Bray

Dear Sir,

Please convene a special meeting of Bray Township Commissioners to be held in Town Hall Bray at 11 am on Monday 6th March 1893 as Presentment Sessions, to pass, reject or otherwise deal with applications to have new roads opened to the public between the Quinsboro' Road and Novara, and Florence Road and Main Street.

Signed:

James Hennessy
Robert Cuthbert
Martin Langton
Philip Condrin
W. H. Mc Farland

Present:—

Hy. Vincent Jackson Esq. JP. (presiding)
Edward Breslin JP
Ald. Sir Hy. Cochrane DL
W. H. Mc Farland
Philip Condrin
Columba Dunne
Robert Gow
J. E. Mc Cormick
Martin Langton
Matthew O'Byrne
John Plunkett
James Hennessy
Robert Cuthbert &
Capt. J. H. Patrickson.

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Mr Geo Keogh Solicitor to the Board was in attendance.

1211 The following matters were submitted for consideration of meeting :—
Original notices and requisition and notices convening meeting (read by Town Clerk).
Notice sent to each Commissioner on deposit of applications.
Application from Mr P. J. Comber, Township Surveyor for widening &c of Western end of Florence Road at its junction with Main St as per deposited plan which was laid on the table.
Application signed by Mr Geo Keogh and Mr B. Brady in the same matter.
Notice served on Owners and Occupiers of premises to be taken and all others interested.
Mr William O'Neill proved service of the different notices.
Mr Alfred Bailey proved the publication of the notices at Town Hall and Police Station.

After a protracted discussion the following resolution was proposed by Mr Hennessy and seconded by Mr Mc Farland :—

"That the application for the laying out, widening, making and opening to the public of the road at the Western end of Florence Road and out into and adjoining the Main Street of Bray being in the Parish, Townland and Township of Bray, Barony of Rathdown and County of Wicklow, the length of such work being 99 yards or thereabouts as shewn and colored pink upon the map lodged with the Secretary of the Grand Jury of the County of Wicklow, and with the Town Commmissioners of Bray, be acceded to and the said road laid out, widened, made and opened to the public according to the said lodged plan and in accordance with the 6th section of the Bray Township Act 1881 and of the several Acts incorporated therewith."

There voted "for" the resolution :- Capt Patrickson Messrs Gow, Breslin, Hennessy, Plunkett, Langton Mc Farland, Condrin, Dunne, Cuthbert and the Chairman.
"Against" - Mr O'Byrne
"Did not vote" :- Mr Mc Cormick.
The Chairman declared the resolution carried

The Secretary submitted : Application from Mr P. J. Comber, Township Surveyor for making and opening up of New Road from Quinsboro' Road to Novara Avenue via Novara Terrace as per deposited plan which was laid on the table.
Application signed by Mr Geo Keogh and Mr B. Brady in the same matter.
1216 Circular forwarded to Residents of Novara Terrace &c after last meeting re alternate route for this road.
1217 Reply, Mr Beatty for self and others
1218 -"- Capt. David C Jones, same matter
1219 -"- Capt. C. H Baker, . . do.
1220 -"- Mr Chas Clifford, . . do.
1221 -"- Revd. Mr Brady, . . do.
Mr William O'Neill proved service of the different notices.
Mr Alfred Bailey proved the publication of the notices at Town Hall and Police Station.

After a protracted discussion the following resolution was proposed by Mr Gow and

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seconded by Mr Breslin :—

"That the application for the laying out, making and opening to the public of the road from a point in the Quinsborough Road between the Prince of Wales and Goldsmith Terraces and terminating at a point in the Novara Avenue at the present gate entrance to Novara Terrace being in the parish Townland and Township of Bray, Barony of Rathdown and the County of Wicklow and being 412 yards or thereabouts in length through the same as shewn and colored pink upon the map lodged with the Secretary of the Grand Jury of the County of Wicklow and with the Town Commissioners of Bray, be acceded to and the said road laid out, made and opened to the public according to said lodged plan and in accordance with the 6th section of the Bray Township Act 1881 and with the several Acts incorporated therewith."

There voted "for" the resolution : Messrs Gow; Cuthbert; Plunkett; Hennessy; Condrin; Langton; Dunne; Mc Cormick; Breslin and the Chairman (10).
"Against": Mr O'Byrne. (1)
"Did not vote": Capt J. H. Patrickson (1).
The Chairman declared the resolution carried.

The following were appointed as Special Committee in reference to above roads, viz:—
Messrs Hennessy, Langton, Mc Farland, Toomey, O'Byrne, Plunkett, Gow, and the Chairman.

H. V. Jackson
20th March 93

A meeting of Bray Township Commissioners was held in the Town Hall Bray at 10 am on Monday 20th March 1893.

Present:—
Hy. Vincent Jackson Esq. J.P. (in chair)
Ald. Sir Hy. Cochrane D.L
Matthew O'Byrne
Columba Dunne
John Plunkett
James Hennessy
Robert Gow
Martin Langton
J. C. Mc Cormick
Philip Condrin
W. H. Mc Farland &
Capt. J. H. Patrickson

Mr Geo Keogh, Solicitor to the Board was in attendance.

1223 The minutes of meeting and Special meeting (Presentment Sessions) of 6th March were read and confirmed.

1225 Mr James W Drury M.A. Auditor, wrote stating that he would attend at the Town Hall Bray at 10-30 am on Monday 10th April to audit accounts of Commissioners for year ended 31st December 1892. Read.

1226 The minutes and reports of Finance & Public Health Committees were read and adopted.

1227 The reports of meetings of 13th and 16th March of Special Committee re New Roads were read and discussed together with correspondence showing that both presentments passed at

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Special meeting of 6th March would be traversed.

Mr Mc Cormick proposed and Mr Hennessy seconded the following resolution:-

"That the presentments for opening the Florence and Novara Roads be withdrawn -ceeded with and that proceedings be commenced forthwith under the Sanitary Acts to open same and that application be made for a loan for such purpose."

Passed - Mr ~~Jackson~~ Lawson dissenting.

The Town Clerk was directed to advise the Secretary of County Wicklow Grand Jury accordingly.

1228 The minutes and report of Special Committee re Fair Green were read and adopted.

1229 A report from Town Clerk re Stock Capital Account having been read: It was proposed by Mr Plunkett and seconded by Capt. Patrickson:-

"That the allotment of £210 made to Hibernian Bank in re application for £10,900 Bray £3-15-0 R.D. Stock be hereby cancelled and their deposit of £545-0-0 refunded; That £500 Sea Wall Bond No 53 held by Hibernian Bank be redeemed by a cash payment out of Stock Capital Account, and that bonds, No 36, £100; 37, £100; 52, £900; 54, £500; 55, £500 and 56, £500 be redeemed by an allotment of £2,420 & payment of £6-13-4 cash; and that necessary cheques and certificate be issued to give effect to this resolution."

Passed unanimously.

1230 The statements and Estimates of Rates for current year were laid on the table and discussed.

Capt. Patrickson gave notice that he would move the adoption of the Estimates as submitted at next meeting.

1231 Pursuant to notice of motion Mr Mc Cormick moved:-

"That the salary of James Connell, Road Overseer, be increased from this date to one pound, five shillings per week, exclusive of the amount he receives as Dairy Inspector."

Mr Condrin seconded the resolution which was adopted. Mr O'Byrne desired it to be recorded that he did not vote in this matter.

1232 The Secretary Local Government Board wrote expressing the sanction of his Board to the application of the Bray Urban Sanitary Authority for a loan of £540 for the purpose of erecting public shelters on Esplanade and of purchasing an escape and other fire appliances (Sec 237 Public Health Act).

The Town Clerk was directed to take all the necessary steps to have the matter proceeded with at once. Messrs Mc Farlane to be advised to commence erection of shelters forthwith.

1233 The Secretary Waterworks Committee wrote drawing further attention to the alleged waste of water in the Township. Read.

1234 + 1235 Correspondence from Lord Meath's agent and Solicitor to the Commissioners in reference to claim for Fishery rights at Bray Harbour was considered. Postponed until next meeting.

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1236 Tenders for supplies were received from Messrs F. Jacob; F. O'Reilly; John Murray; John Neill and C. Sullivan.

Referred to Committee of full Board.

The following communications were read:—

1237 From County Surveyor re Bray & Cy. Ry — Read.

1238 " Mr John Sweetman M.P. re Petition, —"—

1239 " Sec. Land Commission " Bray Fair, —"—

1240 A letter from Mr Porter re Douglas Pier was read and referred to Town Clerk.

1244 Mr John Neill submitted plan of two cottages proposed to be erected at Market Square.

Referred to Engineer.

1245 It was ordered that the watering carts should visit Veray Road.

1246 Thomas Ballance applied for and was granted a hackney carriage license.

1247 A letter was read from Mr John Fanning stating that the Collector had threatened to take proceedings against him for recovery of rates on house at Eglinton Road which was un-finished. The Collector was instructed to accept half of the rates in the matter.

1248 The Road Overseer's report having been read:

It was ordered that the attention of the Manager and Receiver of Messrs J. C. R. Gordon & Co should be drawn to the manner in which the Esplanade was being injured by the employes of the Company, and that he should be informed that the Com^rs would not tolerate the practise of bringing horse and machine on Esplanade in future.

Mr Plunkett handed in notice of motion to allot £1000 Bray Township 3¾ Redeemable Stock (Harbour Loan) to Hibernian Bank Limited at next meeting.

The following accounts were passed for payment and cheques signed:—

General Account

The Freeman's Journal Ltd
Advertisements . . 4 - 7 - 6

Mr David Towson
Repairing carts &c . 10 - 1 - 5

Mr Edward Beggs
Ironmongery &c 3 - 7 - 5

Workmen's Wages . . . 55 - 0 - 0

Mr B. Heazle
On account of poundage on Col-lection of Township Rates . . . 25 - 0 - 0

Mr John Tyrell
Smithwork . . 2 - 8 - 10

Harbour Loan Account

Mr T. A. Groves
Salary as Clerk of Works to 20th Mar, 1893 2 - 2 - 0

Mr T. A. Groves
Salary as Clerk of Works to 27th Mar, 93 2 - 2 - 0

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Stock Capital Account

Joseph Dollard Esq.
Stock Book . . 1 - 7 - 0

The Freeman's Journal Ltd
Advts re Stock . 25 - 6 - 0

The Hibernian Bank Ltd
Balance required
to square Stock
Allotment. . . 6 - 13 - 4

The Hibernian Bank Ltd
Refund of deposit
on tender for £10,900
Bray Township 3¾
Stock . . . 545 - 0 - 0

A V Jackson
2nd March 93

A meeting of Bray Township Commissioners was held in Town Hall Bray at 10 AM on Monday 3rd April 1893

Present :—
Hy Vincent Jackson Esq JP (in chair)
Matthew O Byrne
Wm G. Toomey LLD
Robert Gow, J Plunkett.
Columba Dunne
Martin Langton &
Capt J H Patrickson

Mr Geo Keogh Solicitor to the Board was in attendance

1249 The minutes of meeting of 20th March were read and confirmed.

1250 The minutes and report of Special Committee
1251 re Tenders and of Finance and Public Health
1252 Committees were read and adopted.

1253 The following resolution was proposed by Mr Langton and seconded by Mr Dunne :—
"That the Bray Township Stock Capital Account be closed, balance of £72 - 1 - 7 to be transferred to General Account for payment of Solicitor's costs in matter, and 'Irish Times', 'Daily Express', 'Evening Echo', and 'Evening Mail', for advertising prospectus &c, and that Sea Wall Interest Account, (Royal Bank) be also closed and balance, if any, transferred to General Account."
Passed unanimously.

1254 The Town Clerk submitted certificate of

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presentment for opening of new road from Quinsboro' Road to Novara Avenue by Novara Terrace as fiated by Judge at Spring Assizes.

Messrs Molloy & Molloy, Solicitors wrote on behalf of leaseholders of Novara Terrace objecting to the presentment as fiated.

1255 Dr Toomey proposed and Mr O'Byrne seconded:-

"That the Town Clerk do write to the owners and occupiers of Novara Terrace the letter hereto attached with the consent hereto also attached for the purpose of deviating from the new line of road recently presented for."

—Copy of Letter—

"Sir,

As you are doubtless aware the presentment to open the road to the public from Quinsboro' Road to the Novara Road along the site of the present private road in front of Novara Ice and the road made by the Quinn Minors was duly fiated by the Lord Chief Baron at the last assizes and the Commissioners are now in a position and bound to open the road accordingly. But as the Commissioners are informed the occupiers of Novara Terrace would prefer that the road should be made in a straight line with that made by the Quinn Minors coming out on the Novara Road through the small plot in front of Novara Terrace at Doyle's cottage the Commissioners wish to meet their views as far as possible, and therefore propose that if they will have the enclosed consent signed by all the occupiers and owners of the houses in Novara Terrace and the plot in front thereof, within a fortnight from this day, the Commissioners will make the road as so requested, but the "Commissioners desire to let the inhabitants of Novara Terrace know that in the absence of such consent they will have no other course than to open the road as presented for; and this letter and said consent is written without prejudice to the presentment passed, and not to be obligatory on the Commissioners in the event of any owner or occupier omitting to sign said consent.

I am &c

—Copy of Consent—

"We the undersigned being the owners and occupiers of Novara Terrace and the plot in front thereof do hereby request and consent that the Bray Township Commissioners do vary the proposed line of road above mentioned by continuing the road made by Quinn Minors from the Quinsboro' Road between Prince of Wales Terrace and Goldsmith Terrace in a straight line to the Novara Road, of the same width as said road running through the plot in front of Novara Terrace and we hereby consent to sign whatever deed that may be necessary to vest the portion of said plot through which said road will run, free of every claim for compensation therefor in the Bray Township Commissioners for the purpose of such public road and in consideration thereof for such purpose, we to incur no expenses whatever in connection therewith".

Signed:- "

—"—

Passed unanimously

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1256 Dr Toomey proposed and Mr Langton seconded:-
"That a small footpath be made along the hedge of Mr Wylie's garden, Sidmonton Square." Passed.

1257 Consideration of matters re Lord Meath's Claim for Fishery Rights at Bray Harbour was postponed.

Mr Langton (for Mr Plunkett) moved pursuant to notice of motion :—
"That in exercise of the powers of Bray Township Act 1890 and resolution of 11th May 1891 creating £30,000 Bray Township 3¾ per cent Redeemable Stock, we hereby allot to Hibernian Bank Limited, 27 College Green Dublin £1000 of said stock at par and authorize the Registrar to issue sealed certificate for same to said Bank. Proceeds to be placed to credit of Bray Township Harbour Loan Account."
Dr Toomey seconded the motion which was passed unanimously, and certificate sealed and issued accordingly.

1259 Pursuant to notice of motion Capt Patrickson moved and Mr Langton seconded :—
"That having considered the Estimate and Statement of Rates as submitted by Town Clerk we now approve of same and direct the necessary notice of "Intention to strike Rates in accordance with said Estimate at a special meeting to be held for that purpose at 10 Am on 17th April 1893 be given by placard and advertisement."
Passed unanimously.

1260 Mr J. D. A. Morris (Receiver & Manager Messrs J. E. H. Gordon &Co) wrote asking if the Commissioners would have any objection to the reduction of height of arc lights.
Dr Toomey proposed and Mr Langton seconded the following resolution which was adopted :—
"That the Commissioners see no objection to the reduction of the height of the lamps, provided such reduction or this resolution shall not be taken as interfering with the existing contract."

1261 A draft for £67-10-8 was received from Chief Secretary's Office on account of Probate Duties Grant. Signed and passed for lodgement to credit of Commissioners' Account.

The following communications were read :—
1262 From Sec Brd of Works re Loan for Esplanade Shelters Read
1263 " Sec Local Govt Brd " do do do Read
1264 " Messrs Mc Farlane &Co " do do do —"—
1266 " Mr Elvery re Fire Hose &c . . —"—

1265 Mr Thomas Mc Evoy of Bray applied for and was granted licenses to own and drive a hackney carriage.

1268 Mr Comber, Township Surveyor, wrote recommending approval of Plans of two cottages proposed to be erected at Market Square by Mr John Neill. Approved of.

1269 The Township Surveyor reported that the plan of Stable proposed to be erected at Albert Walk by Mrs Balance would if passed cause the erection of an objectionable structure at the place. He could not recommend

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the plans for adoption.
Ordered: Not approved of.

1270 A report having been read from Engineer in reference to dangerous building at corner of Chapel Lane, Little Bray it was ordered that Mr Comber should be instructed to take necessary steps for immediate securing or removal of the house (Mrs Shermans).
Superintendent meanwhile to see the place properly supported.

1272 Mr John Fanning wrote asking to have water main extended as far as his new house, Florence Road. Ordered: Request to be complied with.

It was ordered that the Town Clerk should write to the Hon Secretaries of the local football clubs and ask them to repair the damage to railings of Peoples Park injured during matches between their teams & those of visiting clubs.

The following accounts were passed for payment and cheques signed: —

— General Account —

The Patriotic Assurance Co
Premium on Town Hall 4 - 10 - 0

Mr R. Foley
Repairing harness &c 2 - 12 - 6

Mr Chr Byrne,
Kerbing & Crossings 3 - 6 - 0

The "Irish Builder."
Advertisements re
Esplanade Shelters 1 - 3 - 0

Mr Wm O'Neill
Salary for March as
Car Inspector £3-10-0
Sub San. Officer 16-8 4 - 6 - 8

Mr P. Mac Donnell
Three months salary as
Town Clerk, Registrar
& Executive San. Officer. 71 - 10 - 0

Workmens Wages . . . . 35 - 0 - 0

Mr James Connell
Three months salary
as Dairy Inspector to
31st March 1893 . . 4 - 17 - 6

— Harbour Loan Account —

W. J. Doherty Esq.
On account of con-
-tract for Harbour Works
cert. No 21 - £14.667
Previous payments £13.717
950 - 0 - 0

Mr T. A. Groves
Salary as Clerk of
Works (Harbour) to
3rd April 1893 . 2 - 2 - 0

Mr T. A. Groves
Salary as Clerk of
Works to 10th April
1893 . . . . . 2 - 2 - 0

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P. F. Comber Esq. C E +
W. G. Strype Esq. C E

On account of fees
on £14667, No 21 cert-
-ificate £336-13-6
Paid 342-18-6

23 - 15 - 0

— Stock Capital Account —

Irish Daily Independent
Advertising Stock
prospectus . . 24 - 0 - 0

The Hibernian Bank
To redeem £500
bond No 53 . . 500 - 0 - 0

The General Account
Transferred to pay
accounts for advts
re prospectus &c 72 - 1 - 7

[illegible]
17th April 93

A special meeting of Bray Township Commission-
-ers was held in Town Hall Bray at 10 Am on
Monday 17th April 1893 pursuant to the following
requisition :—

Bray 10th April 1893

To the Town Clerk
Bray

Please convene a special
meeting of Bray Township Commissioners
to be held in Town Hall Bray at 10 00 Am
on Monday 17th April for the purpose of
striking rates for current years

Signed
Robert Cuthbert
Capt J H Patrickson
James Hennessy
Philip Condrin
W. H. Mc Farland.

Present :-
Hy. Vincent Jackson Esq JP (in chair)
Ald. Sir Hy. Cochrane DL
John Plunkett
J. E. Mc Cormick
M. Langton
C. Dunne
P. Condrin
Matthew O'Byrne
Robert Gow
Robert Cuthbert
James Hennessy +
Capt. J. H. Patrickson

Mr Keogh Solicitor to the Board was in
attendance.

The Town Clerk read the requisition and
notice convening the meeting and also
advertisement and poster published in

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the matter.

It was proposed by Sir Henry Cochrane seconded by Mr Condrin and resolved :—

"That the following rates be assessed on all rateable property within the Township of Bray for the year 1893 viz :- A Bray Township rate of One shilling and sixpence in the pound for the purpose of defraying the General expenses of the Township; a rate of five pence in the pound for the purpose of defraying the expenses in connection with the supply of water to the Township and to be called the Bray Township Water Rate; a rate of One Shilling and four pence in the pound to be called the Bray Township sinking fund rate for the purpose of defraying the sinking funds necessary to be provided for money borrowed and interest thereon; a sanitary rate of sixpence in the pound for the purpose of defraying (Public Health Act 1878) expenses connected with the sanitary purposes of the Township and a Bray Township Harbour Rate of Threepence in the pound for the purpose of paying money raised under provisions of Bray Township Act 1890 for building of Harbour and purposes connected therewith. The first moiety thereof to be payable on 18th April 1893 and the second moiety on 18th October 1893."

The foregoing resolution having been adopted it was entered in Rate Book and sealed and signed accordingly.

H V Jackson
1st May 93

A meeting of Bray Township Commissioners was held in Town Hall Bray at 10 Am on Monday 17th April 1893.

Present :—

Hy Vincent Jackson Esq JP CTC (in chair)
Ald Sir Hy Cochrane DL
John Plunkett
J. E. McCormick
W. H. McFarland
Martin Langton
Columba Dunne
Philip Condrin
Matthew O Byrne
Robert Gow
Robert Cuthbert
James Hennessy &
Capt. J. H. Patrickson.

Mr Geo Keogh solicitor to the Board was in attendance.

1273 The minutes of meeting of 3rd April were read and confirmed.

1274 + 1275 The minutes and reports of Finance and Public Health Committees were read and adopted.

1278 Correspondence with Solicitor and Township Surveyor in reference to ruinous house at Chapel Lane Little Bray having been read it was ordered that Mr Comber should take the necessary legal proceedings forthwith.

1280 Mr Frederick O'Reilly Main St. Bray wrote enclosing a sample of Vectis cement and asking if the Commissioners would approve of it. It was ordered that the terms

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of the contract should be adhered to.

1282 + 1283 Letters were received from Messrs Molloy & Molloy solicitors and Messrs Hayes & Son solicitors on behalf of the leaseholders and owners of Novara Terrace in re proposal to acquire portion of pleasure ground for New Road. Mr Isaac Molloy attended before the Commissioners and agreed to have road continued in a perfectly straight line through pleasure ground at corner adjoining Doyle's cottage.

The further consideration of the matter was postponed for one fortnight to enable Mr Molloy to complete the conveyance. Mr Comber to give him any assistance required in the matter.

1284 A circular was received from the Commissioners of National Education asking what steps had been taken in pursuance of National Education Act 1892 in reference to appointing members of School Inspection Committee. Consideration of matter was postponed until next meeting.

1286 It was ordered that a certificate should be sealed and issued to Mr Michael J Hanmore for amount of Stock registered in his name.

1288 Letter received from Secretary D W & W. Railway in reference to condition of railway under-bridges in Bray Township was referred to Public Health Committee.

1289 Application for site for automatic machine on Esplanade or roadway near Railway Station considered and refused.

1291 Mr Michael Cronwell applied for license to own and drive a hackney carriage within the Township. Refused.

1292 A report having been read from Mr Comber in reference to Strand Road sewer, Cockbrook stream &c it was ordered that he should specify the cottages at south end of Strand Rd which could be drained by the existing sewers and that the proceedings already instituted should be enforced in these cases. The Engineer to further report as to best means of immediately draining the remaining cottages.

1293 Messrs J D Carnegie & Co wrote asking if Stock allotted to them could be tranferred before registering without deed to other parties.

It was decided the Solicitor of the Brd concurring that all transfers should be by deed; allottees who had paid up their instalments being registered and audited

1294 Messrs Mc Kenzies' estimate for No 4 7 ply galvanized strand wire at 17s 6d per cwt was accepted.

1295 An application was received from Mr Fredk Jacob Main St Bray for a transfer from Mr Martin Langton of a gunpowder license held by him for No 5 Quinsboro Rd Bray.

Mr Langton stated that he agreed to the transfer and the application was acceded to accordingly.

1296 The Car Inspector wrote applying for an assistant for Summer work.

Applications for the post were received from Mr Timothy Carey and Mr Daniel Casey the consideration of which was

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postponed until next meeting.

The following communications were read:—

1276 From Sec Co Wicklow Grand Jury re Spring Warrant 1893 - Read
1277 " Alliance Gas Co re Public Lighting account — "
1279 " Sec Royal Bank re Closing Interest account — "
1281 " Sec Little Bray G A A re Railings People's Park — "
1285 " Engineer's (Harbour) " account — Referred to Fine Com.
1287 " W Mac Farlane & Co " Esplanade Shelters — Read
1290 " Town Clerk Douglas re Iron Pier — "

Mr Hennessy gave notice that at next meeting he would move a resolution in reference to watering of Esplanade.

The following accounts were passed for payment and cheques signed:—

General Account

Mr Edward Bourke
Horseshoeing . 2 - 6 - 0

Mr David Byrne
Oats, bran, &c
for horses . . 5 - 6 - 6

Mr William Long
For horse purchased
by Comrs O'Byrne &
McFarland for township 14 - 0 - 0

Co Wicklow Grand Jury
2nd Half summer
warrant for 1892. 104 - 3 - 11

B. Brady & Sons
For shoring dangerous
building at Chapel
Lane, Little Bray . 1 - 12 - 0

Workmens Wages 40 - 0 - 0

Sea Wall Interest acc/ (Royal Bank)

General Account
Transfer of balance
of Sea Wall Int acct
remaining in Royal Bk 60 - 1 - 5

Harbour Loan Account

Mr T. A. Groves
Weeks salary as Clerk
of Works (Harbour) to
17th April 1893 . . 2 - 2 - 0

Mr T A Groves
Salary as Clerk of
Works to 24th April '93 2 - 2 - 0

H N Jackson
1st May 93

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A special meeting of Bray Township Commiss-
-ioners was held in Town Hall Bray at 10 AM
on Monday 1st May 1893 pursuant to the following
requisition :—

Bray 27th April 1893

"To the Town Clerk
Bray,

Please convene a special meeting
of Bray Township Commissioners to be held in
Town Hall Bray at 10 AM on 1st May 1893 for the
purpose of allotting £1000 Bray Township 3¾ per
cent redeemable debenture Stock (Harbour Loan)
to Hibernian Bank Limited, 27 College Green
Dublin.

Signed :—
W. H. McFarland
Robert Cuthbert
Robert Gow
Philip Condrin
James Hennessy

Present :—
Hy. Vincent Jackson Esq JP (in chair)
Ald. Sir Hy. Cochrane DL
Edward Breslin JP
Martin Langton
W. H. McFarland
Columba Dunne
John Plunkett
Matthew O'Byrne
J. E. McCormick
Wm G. Toomey LLD &
Capt. J. H. Patrickson

Mr Geo Keogh Solicitor to the Board was in at-
-tendance.

The Town Clerk read the requisition and notice
convening the meeting.

Mr Langton proposed and Mr Breslin second-
-ed the following resolution :—

"That in exercise of the powers of Bray
Township Act 1890 and resolution of
11th May 1891 creating £30,000 Bray Town-
-ship 3¾ per cent redeemable Stock
we hereby allot to Hibernian Bank,
Limited 27 College Green Dublin £1000
of said Stock at par and authorize
the Registrar to issue sealed certificate
for same to said bank. Proceeds
to be placed to credit of Bray
Township Harbour Loan Account."

Passed unanimously and
certificate sealed and issued accordingly.

H V Jackson
15th May 93

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A meeting of Bray Township Commissioners was held in Town Hall Bray at 10 A M on Monday 1st May 1893

Present :—

Hy. Vincent Jackson Esq. JP. CTC (in chair)
Ald Sir Hy Cochrane DL.
Edward Breslin JP.
Martin Langton
W. H. Mc Farland
Columba Dunne
John Plunkett
Matthew O' Byrne
J. E. Mc Cormick
Wm G. Toomey LLD. &
Capt. J. H. Patrickson

Mr Keogh Solicitor to the Board was in attendance.

1299 The minutes of meeting and special meeting of 17th April were read and confirmed.

1300 1301 The minutes and reports of Finance & Public Health Committees were read and adopted.

1302 Tenders for sale of heap of manure at Fair Green Bray were received from Mr John Kelly Main Street and Mr Peter Byrne Kilbride Bray.
Mr Kelly's tender of £1-10-0 was accepted.

1303 Mr Thomas Craig wrote enclosing bill of costs in re legal matters attended to for Commissioners.
Referred to Finance Committee.

1304 Letters were received from Messrs Molloy & Molloy solicitors and Capt. Baker in reference to new road to Novara Avenue and it was ordered that Mr Comber should prepare specifications for opening of road by Doyle's cottage and that Town Clerk should invite tenders for next meeting.

1304A Mr James W. Drury M.A. Auditor, wrote enclosing copy of his report to the Local Goverment Board in re Bray Township Accounts for year 1892 together with an abstract thereof. The report stated that the Stock Capital Account had been audited down to its close (6th April 1893) and added :—

"The Town Clerk who has been appointed Registrar of the Stock deserves every credit for the manner in which the duties connected with the issue have been discharged by him and for the careful and accurate manner in which he has opened the necessary books of account: indeed his duties as Town Clerk in relation to the accounts generally appear to be most satisfactorily attended to."

Sir Hy. Cochrane, Mr Breslin and the Chairman endorsed the observations of the Auditor and:—

Mr Mc Farland moved :—

"That the report and abstract as read be printed for the information of Commissioners and published in the Dublin Morning and Evening Mail."

Capt. Patrickson seconded the motion which was unanimously adopted.

1305 + 1306 Letters from Mr Englebach and Mr Somers in reference to alleged bad smells at western end of Duncairn Terrace Bray were submitted by Town Clerk.

Read.

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1307 The Town Clerk reported that a writ had been served on him as against the Commissioners by Mr Wm Slattery in reference to proceedings for recovery of costs in re litigation with reference to Bray and Enniskerry Railway.

The Solicitor of the Board reported that Mr Slattery had been asked to have these costs taxed by Mr Abbott, Local Government Board arbitrator, but declined. It was ordered that application should be made to the court to have costs referred to Arbitrator for taxation.

1308 The Secretary Board of Works wrote asking to be supplied with Queens Printers copy of Bray Township Act 1890 Request complied with.

1309 Consideration of motion standing in the name of Mr Hennessy re watering of Esplanade was postponed.

1311 The Town Clerk submitted deed of transfer of £2000 The Bray Township 3¾% Redeemable Stock from Mr J. D. Carnegie 48 Dame St to Messrs William A. Mahony and Patk J. Kirwan, National Bank Ltd. Dublin. Transfer duly executed and certificate sealed and issued accordingly.

1312 The Sec. of Inland Revenue wrote giving information in reference to stamp duty on Debenture Stock transfers &c. Read.

1313 Mr Norris (Receiver and Manager of Messrs J. E. H. Gordon &Co) wrote directing the attention of the Commissioners to certain particulars in re contract for Electric Lighting of Township regarding which he required information or an admission of the accuracy of statements contained in the communication. Ordered:— Communication to be handed over to Solicitor of the Board for attention. The letter was handed to Mr Keogh accordingly.

1314 Tenders for cattle and sheep pens to be erected on Fair Green were received from Messrs Mc Kenzie & Son; A. J. Main & Co; Kennan & Son; and Francis Morton & Co; and referred to Special Committee already appointed in the matter for consideration and report.

1315 Messrs Mac Farlane & Co wrote stating that the Esplanade Shelters were being completed and asking that definite sites should be selected and marked out. The following Commrs were appointed with absolute power to fix position of Shelters; viz:— Messrs Breslin; Langton; Plunkett; and the Chairman.

1316 The Solicitor to the Board of Works wrote enclosing cancelled mortgage in connection with Stables and Haymarket Loan, together with lease of Town Hall. Read

1317 The Revd Pears Smith wrote drawing attention to the want of an Electric light opposite the Parochial Hall Novara Avenue. The Town Clerk was directed to inform Mr Smith that the matter would be considered on completion of Electric Light contract.

1318 A communication was received from Sec Local Govt. Board asking for returns under Housing of the Working Classes Act. Complied with.

1319 The Secretary D W & W Ry wrote stating that the Engineer of the Company had been

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instructed to repair the bridges complained of by the Commissioners but he had not yet sent in his report. The Esplanade Shelters Comee were authorized to inspect the bridges and take whatever action they considered necessary.

1320 Circular received from Secretaries National Education Board in reference to appointment of School Attendance Committee was again submitted, and it was ordered that the Town Clerk should make a report on the matter for next meeting.

1321 Applications for the post of assistant Car Inspect-or were received from Mr Timothy Carey and Mr Daniel Casey. Mr Carey was appointed at a salary of fifteen shillings per week.

1322 It was ordered that the Engineer should at once make an inspection of No 1 section of Sea Wall and invite tenders for securing its stability.

1323 A letter having been read from Mr Maurice Knight in reference to Lord Meaths claim for Fishery rights at Bray Harbour it was ordered that the Government arbitration should be allowed to take its course.

1324 The Caretaker of Town Hall wrote asking the Commissioners to supply new range for kitchen.
Granted.

1325 The Town Clerk submitted plans of alterations proposed to be made by Messrs Darcy & Sons at Old hospital Church Terrace. Referred to Engineer.

The following accounts were passed for payment and cheques signed :—

— General Account —

Mr John Neill
Forage . . . . 15 - 1 - 9

"Evening Echo"
Advertisements . . 3 - 15 - 8

"Irish Times"
Advts re Stock Prospectus 25 - 16 - 0

"Daily Express"
Advts re Stock . . 25 - 0 - 0

Mr B. Heazle
Bundage on collection
of Township Rates £ 12-14-11
Stamps 2-3-10
14 - 18 - 9

Mr Wm O'Neill
Salary for April as
Car Inspector, £ 3-10-0
San. Sub. Officer, 16-8
4 - 6 - 8

Workmens Wages . . . . 40 - 0 - 0

Joseph Manly & Son
Commission on allotmt
of Stock to the
Misses Nolan . . 0 - 10 - 0

— Harbour Loan Account —

W. J. Doherty Esq. C.E.

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On account of contract
for Harbour Works, No 22
certificate . . . £15,630
Previous payments £14,667

963 - 0 - 0

W. G. Strype Esq. C.E. &
P. F. Comber Esq. C.E.
Balance of fees on
contract for Harbour
Works (No 22 cert) . . 24 - 1 - 6

Mr T. A. Groves
Salary as Clerk of Works
to 1st May 1893 . . . 2 - 2 - 0

Mr T. A. Groves
Salary as Clerk of Works
to 8th May 1893 . . 2 - 2 - 0

Mr T. A. Groves
Salary as Clerk of
Works to 15th May 1893 2 - 2 - 0

T A Groves
15 May 93

A meeting of Bray Township Commissioners was held in Town Hall Bray at 10 AM on Monday 15th May 1893.

Present: —
Hy. Vincent Jackson Esq JP CHC (in chair)
Alderman Sir Hy. Cochrane DL
Edward Breslin JP.
Martin Langton
Columba Dunne
John Plunkett
Philip Condrin
Matthew O'Byrne
J. C. McCormick
Robert Gow
W. H. McFarland
James Hennessy
Wm G. Toomey LL.D. &
Capt. J. H. Patrickson.

Mr Geo Keogh solicitor to the Board was in attendance.

1326 The minutes of meeting and special meeting of 1st May were read and confirmed.

1327 The minutes of meetings of Finance and Public Health Committees were read and adopted.

1328 & 1343 The report of special committee appointed re cattle and sheep pens for Fair Green together with revised tender from Messrs Kennan & Sons Fishamble Street were read.

On the motion of Mr Langton the tender was accepted at £24-16-0 for all erected complete.

1329 Correspondence between the Solicitor to the

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Commissioners and the Receiver and Manager of Messrs J. E. H. Gordon & Co in reference to Electric Light Contract having been read :—

It was proposed by Mr McCormick seconded by Mr Breslin :—

"That Mr Porte be asked to revise his report in re Electric Lighting Contract and to inform Mr Keogh as soon as possible of particulars in re which the contract has not been completed or complied with, fee not to exceed two guineas."

Passed.

1330 Mr R. K. Clay wrote enclosing copies of bills of costs lodged with parliamentary taxing officer in London by Mr Geo Keogh. The following Committee was appointed to consider costs with full power to take whatever steps they considered necessary in the matter, viz :— Messrs Breslin; Langton; Hennessy; and Dr Toomey.

1332 On the motion of Mr Hennessy it was ordered that provision should be made for watering of Esplanade by purchase of a small handcart or otherwise.

1333 + 1335 It was ordered that tenders should be invited for Letting of Ladies' Baths, and construction of New Road to Novara Avenue to be considered at special meeting to be held on Monday, 29th May.

1334 A report was read from Mr Comber in reference to the Cockbrook stream and sewer from Elsinore to Bray Head Hotel :—

It was proposed by Mr Plunkett and seconded by Mr McFarland :—

"That an overflow or inlet pipe 6" be placed from Cockbrook to south end of Main sewer; that the outlets of said sewer on beach be opened, cleared, and extended at once; and that Mr Comber's report be referred to Public Health Commee."

Passed.

1336 The Town Clerk submitted a report in reference to Irish National Education Act 1892, consideration of which was postponed until next meeting.

A circular received from Waterford Town Council in reference to the same matter was marked "read".

1337 Mr B. Brady wrote applying for an Electric lamp near his premises, Sidmonton Avenue :—

Consideration postponed until after completion of Electric Light Contract.

1338 A complaint was received from Mr Godkin, Kingstown, in reference to state of yard at Mr Kelly's premises Main St. and it was ordered that the attention of the Sub Sanitary Officer and Water Inspector be drawn to the matter.

1339 The Hon Sec Bray Boat Club wrote drawing the attention of the Commissioners to the fact that a wall was being built across the entrance to Club boathouse at Bray Harbour.

Referred to Harbour Committee.

1340 The Town Clerk submitted warrant duly prepared directed to Mr Benyamin Heazle, Dargle Road, Co Dublin for collection of Township rates for current year.

It was proposed by Mr Langton seconded by Mr Hennessy :—

"That the warrant for all rates for

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"year 1893 and arrears be signed and sealed and that Mr B. Heazle, our Rate Collector be paid the same pound-age as last year (6d in the £)."

The resolution was adopted and warrant sealed, signed, and delivered to Mr Heazle accordingly.

1342 Messrs John D'arcy & Sons wrote asking that a water main should be laid to their new premises Church Terrace. Ordered:— a one-inch main to be laid provided Messrs D'arcy pay half the cost.

1344 Messrs Holmes, Greig & Greig wrote drawing attention to amount of their costs (£38-3-3) due re parliamentary opposition to Dublin Corporation Provisional Order of 1885. Referred to special committee appointed in reference to Mr Keogh's costs.

1345 Michael Cranwell of Bayview Terrace, Bray and Patrick Cullen 22 Main Street applied for and were granted licenses to drive hackney carriages in Bray township.

1346 It was ordered that Mr Comber should be informed that Commissioners were very much displeased that nothing had been done in reference to dilapidated house at Chapel Lane Little Bray.

1347 Mr Keogh reported that Mr Slattery had now agreed to have his costs in re Bray & Enniskerry Railway arbitration submitted to Local Government Arbitrator for taxation, and enclosed requisition.

It was proposed by Mr Mc Cormick seconded by Mr Langton:—

"That a requisition to have bill of costs of Mr Slattery re Enniskerry Railway taxed by the Government Arbitrator be sealed with the Township seal."

Passed, and requisition sealed, attested and handed to Mr Keogh.

1348 The Committee appointed in re Esplanade Shelters &c at last meeting recommended:—

(1) That a specification should be prepared and tenders invited for:—
   - (a) Facing No 1 section Sea Wall and steps with stone.
   - (b) Erection of a few concrete groins to retain beach.

(2) That shelters should be provided:—
   - (a) One to be fixed opposite gate of Mrs Rice's garden near Marine Terrace.
   - (b) One slightly north of Montebello Tce.
   - (c) That C.I. verandahs should be placed at Ladies' Baths so as to serve as shelters.

(3) That the Commissioners should insist on Railway under-bridges at north & south ends of Brennans Tce being made water-tight.

(4) That C.I. urinals should be fixed at:—
   - (a) Railway bridge Albert Road.
   - (b) S.W. corner of No 2 Railway under-bridge.
   - (c) Boat-house, Strand Road.
   - (d) Bridge near entrance to Harbour Works.

Mr Mulhall, solicitor attended before the board and objected to the erection of a shelter opposite Mrs O'Neill's house Montebello Terrace. It was decided to keep to north of Terrace in question and the report was adopted.

1350 It was ordered that the attention of the police and

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Car Inspectors should be drawn to the obstruction caused :— on footpath opposite Main Car Stand by men standing there continually; and at back gate of railway station by baggage carts.

1354 It was ordered that the Town Clerk should write to the postmistress in reference to the wheeling of postal barrow along the footpaths &c.

1355 Mr William Long wrote offering block cart for £7-10-0. Ordered :— £7-0-0 to be allowed.

1356 The Sub Sanitary Officer reported that a shed had been erected in Kenny's lane for which plans had not been lodged. Ordered :— Mr. Comber to report in the matter.

Mr Jacob wrote objecting to a urinal erected at rere of No 7 Quinsboro' Road. Referred to Sub Sanitary Officer.

1341 The Solicitor Board of Works wrote asking for a return re outstanding loans. Referred to Town Clerk to furnish.

The following accounts were passed for payment and cheques signed :—

— General Account —

Mr John Murray
On account for cement, pipes &c . . . . 50 - 0 - 0

Messrs Hamilton & Craig
Obtaining possession of house at Fair Green . . . . 1 - 7 - 8

"Evening Mail"
Advertisements . 1 - 1 - 0

Messrs Mc Kenzie & Sons
Galvanized wire, 6cwt @ 17s. 6d per cwt 5 - 5 - 0

"The Freeman's Journal Ltd"
Advts . . . . . 1 - 5 - 6

Workmens Wages . . . . . 35 - 0 - 0

Mr William Long
For dray purchased by Commissioners 7 - 0 - 0

— Harbour Loan Account —

Mr T. A. Groves
Salary as Clerk of Works to 22nd May '93 2 - 2 - 0

Mr T. A. Groves
Salary as Clerk of Works to 29th May '93 2 - 2 - 0

H. V. J. A. Brown
5th June 93

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A special meeting of Bray Township Commissioners was held in Town Hall Bray at 10 am on Monday 29th May 1893 pursuant to the following requisition: —

Bray 22nd May 1893

"To the Town Clerk

Bray

Please convene a special meeting of Bray Township Commissioners to be held in Town Hall Bray at 10 am on Monday 29th May 1893 for the purpose of considering tenders for letting of Ladies' Baths and tenders for extension of new road to Novara Avenue.

Signed: —

James Kennessy
W. H. Mc Farland
Robert Cuthbert
J. H. Patrickson
Philip Condrin".

Present: —

Hy. Vincent Jackson Esq J.P. (in chair)
Edward Breslin J.P.
Matthew O' Byrne
Philip Condrin
John Plunkett
Robert Gow
W. H. Mc Farland
J. E. Mc Cormick
Martin Langton
Columba Dunne
W. G. Toomey L.L.D &
Capt. J. H. Patrickson.

The Town Clerk read the requisition and notice of meeting

Mrs Anne Fitzgerald, Glentaner, Meath Road Bray wrote offering £90-0-0 for use of the Ladies' Baths for season 1893 and naming Mr Patrick Doyle Quinsboro Rd Bray and Mr John Neill Market Square Bray as sureties.

On the motion of Mr O' Byrne seconded by Mr Langton the tender was accepted at £94-3-7 (£4-3-7 added money being balance due from last year's contract).

It was proposed by Dr Toomey seconded by Capt. Patrickson: —

"That a printed notice be put up in each box giving the authorized charges and requesting that any complaints in the management of the Baths be made to to the Bray Town Commissioners through the Town Clerk"

Passed

The following resolution was proposed by Dr Toomey and seconded by Mr Dunne: —

"That Mr Comber be requested to report to the Board why the house at end of Chapel lane has not been taken down"

Passed.

Only one tender having been received for construction of new road to Novara Avenue it was ordered that proposed sewerage works be omitted from plans & specifications and that tenders be re-invited to be considered at meeting to be held on Monday 5th June 1893.

Further complaints having been made of the annoyance caused by wheeling of postal barrow on footpaths it was ordered

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that the attention of the police should be drawn to the matter; the postal authorities to be advised that the Commissioners would have to take steps to protect the interests of the public in the matter.

On the motion of Dr Toomey it was ordered that an amended form of consent should be forwarded to Messrs Molloy & Molloy (for signature of parties concerned) in re conveyance to Commissioners of land required for new road to Novara Avenue.

H. Jackson
5th June 93

A Special meeting of Bray Township Commissioners was held in Town Hall Bray at 10 Am on Monday 5th June 1893 pursuant to the following requisition:—

"Bray 31st May 1893

"To the Town Clerk
Bray

Please convene a special meeting of Bray Township Commissioners to be held in Town Hall Bray at 10 Am on Monday 5th June 1893 for the purpose of alloting £1000 Bray Township 3¾ per cent Stock (Harbour Loan) to Hibernian Bank Limited 27 College Green Dublin.

Signed:—
Robt. Cuthbert
John Plunkett
J. H. Patrickson
W. H. McFarland
Matthew O'Byrne."

Present:—
Hy. Vincent Jackson Esq. JP. (in chair)
Ald. Sir Hy. Cochrane DL.
Edward Breslin JP.
Matthew O'Byrne
Philip Condrin
W. H. McFarland
Martin Langton
J. E. McCormick
Robert Cuthbert
John Plunkett
Columba Dunne &
Capt. J. H. Patrickson.

The Town Clerk read the requisition and notice convening the meeting.

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