

7574 The consideration of tenders received for supplying General and Electrical Stores for ensuring twelve months was adjourned until Meeting to be held on 22nd Inst.

7575 The Town Clerk reported that the Railway Company proposed diverting that portion of Renvyleswell Road which ran parallel to the Railway line and it was ordered that the Railway Company be communicated with suggesting that, instead of diverting road as proposed, the portion running parallel to river might be carried under Railway at north side of North Pier of Harbour.

Circular dated 5th Decr from Revd George Keogh & Sons in re assent, dissent or neutrality
to D. by to by Bill Read.

7576 Correspondence between District Inspector, County Inspector & in re appointment of an Inspector for Bray under Explosives Act, instead of Dr. Conroy transferred to fourth, including a letter from County Inspector stating that Sergeant M. G. G. Donough might be appointed for Township of Bray including Harbour Area submitted. Read and ordered.

Sergeant M. G. G. Donough appointed Inspector under Explosives Act for Urban District of Bray and Harbour Area

7577 Report for month of November from Harbour Master. Referred to Harbour Committee.

7578 Letter from Secretary Technical Instruction Committee in re necessity for a crossing opposite gate of technical Schools. Referred to Overseer for report.

7580 Letter dated 4th Decr from Secretaries Office of National Education enclosing list of members appointed on Free School Attendance Committee for ensuring three

Years viz:-

By whom appointed	Name & Place of Residence
Philip Condyne	Battle Street
Rarkin Langton	Goldenhill
W. H. Farland	Pembroke House
Joseph F. Reigh	Glenoe
H. J. Ryan	Holywood
Rev Archibald Scott & factory	Bray
Rev A. Glenn	Rane
Rev The Revin C. C. Presbyterian	"
William Burke	Castle Street
Rev D. J. Malone C. C. Presbyterian	"

7581 Letter dated 5th Decr from Secy Local Government Board enclosing form to be used in future for the purpose of showing condition of the collection of Poor Rate. Read and noted.

7582 Letter dated 5th Decr from Mr. J. O'Hanlon, C.C. Submitting plans for two new villas to be erected on King Edward Road for Mr. George Widdick. Referred to Mr. Comber for report.

7583 Letter dated 6th Decr from Mr. Henry Lyons asking use of Town Hall on 23rd and 30th Decr for Annual Llyric and General Meeting of Kinnaroe Fontaine Society. Granted.

7584 Circular from Killarney Urban District Council re increasing of borrowing powers of Townships to be passed.

7585 Circular from Castle Urban District Council re compulsory purchase of unoccupied land. Passed.

7586 Report dated 3rd Decr from Mr J. Comber, C.C. re
Strand Road Sewer. Referred to Public Accounts Committee.

7587 Memorial signed by R. A. Dewey, Lydia A. Allen,
J. Garrett Leonard, Henry Thompson, Jane M.
Westropp, Fred Jacob, Wm Hall & A. K. Clarke
(residents of Tovara Avenue) protesting against
erection of workmen's dwellings in course of con-
struction by Mr Huntlett at rear of their houses
Submitted.

A deputation comprising Mrs Dewey & Mr Perrington
attended before the Council in the matter.

Mr Huntlett submitted Plans of the buildings in
question. Ordered - Referred to Mr Comber for
report

7588 Report dated 13th Decr from Mr J. Comber, reconn.
Pending approval of Plans submitted by Mr O'
Hanlon for erection of two villas on King Edward
Road for Mr Geo Heldrick.

Ordered - Plans approved.

7589 Letter dated 15th Decr from Mr D. Kelly in re state
of the foot paths etc Duncan Ave.
Referred to G. Committee.

7590 Letter dated 13th Decr from Capt. Hamilton and Craig
stating that judgment had been given against the
Urban Council in the case of Wicklow Co Council v
Grey Urban Council Read.

7591 Letter dated 13th Decr from Mr F. G. Caldwell in re
Architect required in connection with Artizans
Dwellings Schemes. Read.

7592 Peter Doyle applied for 5/- + 1/- each for 10/- as
compensation for clothes destroyed in walking through
Strand Sewer. Granted.

Councillor Huntlett handed in notices of motion for
next meeting:-

1. In re rescinding little Bay portion of
Artizans Dwellings Scheme.
2. A Biennial system of election.

The meeting adjourned until 2nd December at
10.30 am.

Philip Condrin

An adjourned meeting of Gray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Gray at 10.30 a.m. on Monday 22nd December 1902.

Present:-

Councillor T. Gordon (in Chair)
" G. H. Leigh
" John R. Lennox
" G. Sutton
" J. Jones
" M. H. R. Garland
" John Muirhead
" A. J. O'Carroll
" Matthew O'Byrne

1594 The consideration of tenders received for supplying & of General & Electrical Stores for ensuing year 1595 was deferred until adjourned meeting to be held on 29th Inst.

1596 It was proposed by Councillor G. Cornick and seconded by Councillor R. Garland:-

"That the sum of £ 848. 4. 11 be transferred from General Account to Loans Fund Account for the Purpose of paying Dividends due 1st Decr on Gray Township 3% of Redeemable Debenture Stock and chargeable against first renhomed account viz:-

On £ 483. 2. 4 for ½ Year 906. 1. 6
Less Income due @ 1/3 in the £ 56. 12. 7

" Amount received as fees and credited towards Payment of Dividends chargeable to this ac. 1. 4. 0 57. 16. 7

£ 848. 4. 11

Passed.

1597 It was proposed by Councillor M. H. Garland and seconded by Councillor G. E. Cornick:-

"That the sum of £ 779. 7. 4 be transferred from Harbour Account to Loans Fund Account for the Purpose of paying Dividends due 1st Decr on Gray Township 3% of Redeemable Debenture Stock chargeable against Harbour Undertaking viz:-

On £ 500. 00 for ½ Year 892. 10. 0

Less Income due @ 1/3 in the £ 52. 0. 8

Amount received as fees

and credited towards

Payment of Dividends

chargeable to this ac. 1. 2. 0 53. 2. 8

£ 779. 7. 4

Passed

1598 It was proposed by Councillor G. E. Cornick and seconded by Councillor G. Sutton:-

"That the sum of £ 135. 15. 9 be transferred from Electric Account to Loans Fund Account for the Purpose of paying Dividends due 1st Decr on Gray Township 3% of Redeemable Debenture Stock chargeable to Electric Light Undertaking viz:-

On £ 773. 6 for ½ Year 145. 1. 0

Less Income due @ 1/3 in the £ 9. 1. 3

Amount received as fees

and credited towards

Payment of Dividends

chargeable to this ac. 4. 0 9. 5. 3

£ 135. 15. 9

Passed

1599 It was proposed by Councillor G. Sutton and seconded by Councillor R. Langton:-

"That in accordance with the provisions of Sec 75 of the Gray Township Act 1890, we hereby order and determine that the sum of £ 10. 0, received in respect of transfer of Stock and Certificate, be

applied to relief of interest as follows:-
To credit of interest chargeable against sum at 1:4:0

- " - " Har " 1:2:0
- " - " Electric " 4:0
 2 2:0:0

Passed.

No. 100 It was proposed by Councillor G. Sutton and seconded by Councillor R. Langton.

"That the Dividends due and payable on 1st January Prox or £ 100,460 being Township 3% Op Redeemable Debenture Stock, as per Stockholders Register now submitted and signed be paid on that date viz:-

Interest	1883.12.6
less Income Tax	117.44.6
	1765.18.0

and the Registrar is hereby authorized and instructed to issue warrants accordingly.
Passed.

No. 101 Pursuant to advertisement tenders were received for supplying boulders for depositing near Harbour from:-

Mr James Valley	5/- per ton
D. Grack	5/-
S. Whelan	5/-

Ordered:- ½ tons to be taken from each tenderer. Harbour Master to deposit some at No 1 and 2 Steps Esplanade.

No. 102 Letter dated 6th Decr from Mr J. G. Johnston in re his tender accepted for Herbert Road Sewer £ 4,44.18.0 and stating he had looked over the calculations and found he was something over £ 100 short owing to a clerical error. He enclosed an amended tender at £ 385.2.0. Ordered:- Mr Johnston's tender accepted conditional on Mr Johnston accepting £ 500 for the work.

Letter dated 20th December from Mr H. Valley asking if it would be any appreciable saving of expense to the Township to be enabled to connect the proposed new sewer on Herbert Road with sewer in Parrack Lane by passing through his grounds.

Ordered:- Letter of thanks to be sent to Mr Valley stating at the same time that the Council had decided to carry sewer direct through Herbert Road to Main Street.

No. 103 Report dated 18th and 20th Decr from Mr J. G. Comber stating that the houses in course of erection by Mr Thos. Lett at corner of Nevada Avenue did not comply with the Township Bye Laws &c, and a further notice from residents of the District stating they would hold the Council responsible for any work done which might be contrary to the Bye Laws submitted.

Ordered:- Surveyor's attention to be called to Clause 3 of Bye Laws and required to set forth his reasons for disapproval of plans.

No. 104 Letter dated 20th Decr from Mr B. G. Oyne stating that he had been instructed by his Directors to inform the Council that they will take up the new issue of £ 1000 Stock at par.

Referred to Electric Light Committee

No. 105 Letter dated 18th Decr from Secretary D. & Co. Ry. in re D. & Co. Ry. Bill. stating that, apart from other considerations, it would not be within the power of the Company to alter the route of the intended Railway at this stage. The matter in re diversion of Ravenswell Road had been referred to Engineer for report.

Read.

No. 106 Letter dated 18th Decr from Messrs Thompson & Co asking permission to cross Gray Bridge with traction engine in re carrying of boiler to Electric Light Works.

Permission granted at carriers risk

7607 Circular dated 5th and 9th from Killarney Urban District Council in re Question of increasing borrowing powers of Townships. Postponed

7608 Circular dated 15th Nov^t from Cork Urban District Council in re Compulsory Purchase of unoccupied land. Postponed

7609 Letter dated 19th Dec^r from Margaret Larrey stating that she had been described as "Spinster" instead of "widow" in transfer of £500 from Stock transferred to her by Hibernian Bank, and asking to have the mistake rectified in the books of the Council. Read.

7610 The following letter received from Sister R. J. Hall was ordered to be inserted on minutes.

Sisters of Charity
Convent of the Holy Family
Brae, Co Dublin
Decr 20th

Dear Sir.

Will you kindly convey to the Gentlemen who so generously contributed to the Fund for the relief of the Poor of May, our sincere thanks and to assure them we will endeavour to distribute their charity to deserving objects, and hoping that the hundredfold of blessings will descend on the donors.

Yours sincerely,

Loyally & faithfully in P.C.
Sister R. J. Hall

7611 Letters dated 19th and 20th Dec^r from Mr. J. Allen re Water Inspector turning off water without notice, and report from Water Inspector in latter submitted. Referred to General Purposes Committee.

7612 Francis Larrelly wrote applying for Hackney Carriage Drivers licence. Granted.

The meeting adjourned until Monday 29th Inst at 10.30 am.

Philip Corcoran

An adjourned meeting of Dray Urban Council
was held in the Town Hall Dray at 10.30 a.m.
on Monday 29th December 1902.

Present:-

Councillor D. Bodkin (in Chair)
" G. H. McCormick
" John Hanly
" R. O'Dwyre
" J. Jones
" J. Sutton
" John H. Dermott
" D. Healy
" J. K. Leigh
" E. Lee
" W. H. Roarke
" A. Langton.

1613 Pursuant to advertisement tenders were received
for supplying General Stores for ensuing twelve
months from:-

1. The Remond Oil Cosy. Norfolk St Strand London
2. Robert Foley Little Dray
3. Messrs Harry Clarke & Co. 49 Castlebar E.C.
4. " Le Procurer & Co. Greenmount Oil Works Dublin
5. " C. Barefield & Co. 15 Westmoreland St Dublin
6. Stern & Co. 57 Gracechurch St London E.C.
7. Robinson Holt & Co. 52 Fadenhall St - - E.C.
8. St. Robinson & Co. 21 City Quay Dublin
9. John Cannon 100 Parnell Street Dublin
10. R. D. Ryan 30 Hanover St Dray
11. The Celanite Cement Co. 180 Great Brunswick St Dublin
12. C. P. Flory 142 Eden Quay Dublin
13. Messrs Smith & Sons Castle Street Dray
14. Dan Devitt 89 Hanover Street - -
15. Messrs Long & Laggart South City Foundry Dublin
16. The Reliance Lubricating Oil Co. London E.C.
17. Joseph Curran 3 Grattan St Dray

18. Messrs Martin & Co. 18 Stephen's Green Dublin
19. " Glenfield & Kennedy Kilmeny Park
20. John P. Griffin Rain St. Dray
21. Fredk. O'Reilly " " Dublin
22. E. J. Glanville Lower Lane St Dublin
23. Messrs Curran & Sons 98 Mid Abbey St "
24. The Portland Cement Company Dray
25. Peter Sedwidge
26. Geo. Sidon
27. Messrs H. & C. Martin North Wall Dublin
28. J. Thompson Castle St. L. Dray
29. Messrs J. & T. Beckford & Co. City Quay Dublin
The following tenders were accepted viz:-
Mr J. P. Griffin. Ironmongery, Dark. Oils,
Patty Glass (Fachine Oil)
excepted Light Timber,
Almonds of Wine

Messrs Long & Laggart. Cashings
Mr J. O'Reilly. Drums, Soap & Glazed
C'ware Pipes
Mr J. Foley. Harness
Messrs G. Martin. White Cement
The Celanite Cement Co. Celana - -
Mr Devitt. Horseshoeing & Smithwork
Mr J. Thompson. Cart wheels &c

1614 Vendors received for Electrical Stores were referred
to Electric Light Committee.

1615 Report dated 3rd Dec from Mr J. Comber stating
reasons for his not approving of plans submitted
by Mr John Hanly for erection of two small cottages
in Forester Lane owing to non. Compliance with By-Laws.
and letter dated 2nd Dec from Messrs A. & G. Goodbody
stating that their clients had instructed them to take
steps necessary to have By-Laws enforced in the matter.

Ordered Copy of Mr Comber's report to be
forwarded to Mr Hanly with a request to supply

further particulars required by the bye-laws as referred to in said report, and the matter to be further considered at next meeting.

7616 letter dated 23rd Decr from Local Government Board in re Herbert Road Sewer and Sanitary loan.
Referred to Public Health Committee

7617 Report of Randomys served in re Wicklow County Council and Bray Council, and correspondence with Messrs Hamilton & Craig submitted
Referred to G.D. Committee.

7618 It was proposed by Councillor G.B. Reigh & seconded by Councillor J.B. Mc Cormick:-

"That we the Bray Urban District Council have learned with deep regret of the bereavement which has overtaken our esteemed colleague Councillor A.J.O'Carroll owing to the death of his child (Mrs Ray O'Carroll), and we tender to him and to Mrs O'Carroll our most sincere sympathy and condolence."

Passed in silence Council Standing

Philip Condrin

A meeting of Bray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall, Bray at 10.30 am on Monday 5th January 1903.

Present:-

Councillor P. Condrin (in Chair)
J.B. Mc Cormick
John Plunkett
Mark Langton
J. Sutton
Hugh J.O'Carroll
Matthew O'Dowd
Joseph B. Reigh
Edward Lee
W.S. Garland

The minutes of meeting of 15th December 1902 and of Adjourned meetings of 22nd December and 29th December 1902 were read and confirmed.

On the motion of Councillor Plunkett the Standing Orders were suspended.

7619 The minutes and report of meeting of Public Health Com. of 30th December 1902 were read and adopted on the motion of Councillor Plunkett seconded by Councillor Gao.

7620 The minutes and report of meeting of General Purposes Committee of 30th December 1902 were read and adopted on the motion of Councillor Sutton seconded by Councillor Plunkett. The Financial Statement Receipts and Expenditure Books and Treasurer's Authority for making payments in accordance with same were submitted and signed.

7621 The minutes and report of Electric Light Committee meeting of 19th December 1902 were read and adopted on the motion of Councillor Mc Cormick seconded by Councillor Sutton.

1622. The minutes and report of Harbour Committee meeting of 19th December 1903 were read and adopted on the motion of Councillor Reigh seconded by Councillor McCormick.

1623. Letter dated 1st Janv from Mr G. L. Johnston naming Arthur Gore Ryder of 3 Sidmonton Square Dray and James Mc Kee of Steam Saw Mills, Dungannon, Co Tyrone as his sureties in re Herbert Road Sewer contract and asking the Council to alter the deed of contract to the effect that in the event of rock being found in the trench, he be allowed 1/- per square yard of rock (measured on the section) in no case the sum to exceed £100.

Letter dated 3rd Janv from Mr A. J. Taylor Solicitor claiming compensation on behalf of Mr Geo Dixon in re cancelling of his contract for Herbert Road Sewer.

Ordered:- Unless Mr Johnston proceeds with contract at £500 Mr Dixon to be asked to name his sureties.

1624. Councillor Dunleath withdrew his motion to rescind little Bay portion of Artizans Dwelling Scheme

1625. Pursuant to advertisements applications were received for post of Architect in re Artizans Dwelling project from:-

J. M. Aggibotham

L. A. Boyd

Hos. Hanly Deane

R. H. Butler

John J. O'Hanlon

J. J. Derry

J. Burke Lowry

J. C. Caldwell

Wilmot

G. F. Jeckell

G. F. Moore

Referred to Public Health Com. for report.

1626. Pursuant to notice of motion Councillor Dunleath moved

and Councillor Jones seconded:-

"That the Triennial System of Election be adopted by this Council."

He voted "For" the motion Councillors Langton, McCormick, Lee, Reigh, Dunleath, Dwyne, Mc Farland and Jones. (8)

"Against" Councillor Sutton & the Chairman (2)

The motion was accordingly carried.

1627 Report dated 3rd January from Mr P. J. Conner recommending approval of amended Plans submitted by Mr Dunleath for erection of two houses in Forester Lane.

Ordered:- Plans approved.

1628 Letter dated 30th Dec and 3rd Janv from Head & Casey and Bay re widening of Florence Road and letter from Mr W. H. Johnston submitted. Postponed

1629 Letter dated 1st January from Mr Geo Mcullagh re Town Hall Clock. Referred to General Purposes Committee.

1630 Lodgment Receipt for Dividends on Rathmines Stock and Dublin Corporation Stock £11.9.8 + £9.18.1 respectively submitted. Ordered:- Received & Lodged.

1631 Circular dated 18th Nov from Castle Urban Council re compulsory purchase of unoccupied land. Postponed.

1632 Circular dated 22nd August from Killarney Urban Council re borrowing powers of Urban Districts. Postponed.

1633 Letter dated 5th Janv from Mr J. Barry asking permission to move out sailing at Ordees Street.

Referred to General Purposes Com.

7635. Letter dated 27th Decr from Mrs A. Fitzgerald asking an extension of time for payment of balance of amount due by her (£15) in re her contract for ladies paths. Ordered - Extension granted if Assurance Company agree.

7636. Letter dated 5th Janry from Mr John Manning offering 50 tons of screened shingle at 2/- per ton.
Referred to Overseer for report.

7637. It was proposed by Councillor Dr Dermott and seconded by Councillor Jones:-

"That we the members of the Bray Urban District Council desire to tender our deep and heartfelt sympathy with our respected townsman Mr Thos. Keenan Strand Hotel Bray in the sad bereavement which has befallen him by the death of his beloved wife"

Passed in silence.

7638. Councillor O'Byrne handed in notice of motion for next meeting re creation of Stock.

Philip Condon

The Annual meeting of Bray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Bray at 10.30 am on Friday 23rd January 1903.

Present:-

Councillor P. Condon (in Chair)
Sir Henry Cochrane DL
James P. Re Cornick
W. A. H. Farland
John H. Dermott
Edward Lee
Isaac Jones
Joseph M. Reigh
H. T. O'Carroll
Denis Healy
Matthew O'Byrne
J. Luther
P. C. J. Lane *
C. A. H. Crea

7637. The minutes of meeting of 5th January 1903 were read and confirmed

7638. The following Councillors having signed the necessary Statutory declarations took their seats at the Board:-

Name of Councillor.	Ward.
Edward Lee	East
Victor C. J. Lane	"
Charles H. H. Crea	"
Denis Healy	West
Hugh T. O'Carroll	Little Bray

7639. Councillor Jones moved and Councillor Re Cornick seconded:-
"That Councillor W. A. H. Farland be elected Chairman of Bray Urban District Council for one year or until his successor is appointed"

Councillor Reigh moved as an amendment and Councillor H. Dermott seconded:-

"That Councillor Sutton be elected Chairman of Bray Urban District Council for one year or until his successor is appointed"

The Council decided to vote for each Councillor by name and they voted "For Councillor McFarland" - Councillors Sir A. Cockayne, Isaac Jones, Edward Lee, J.B. McCormick, S.A. de Grea, P.B. Le Fanu & W.H. McFarland (7)

"For Councillor Sutton" - Councillors D. Condron, D. Kealy, G.W. Dermott, H.J. O'Carroll, Mr O'Dwyre, J. McReagh and J. Sutton. (7)

There being an equality of votes last were drawn which resulted in favour of Councillor McFarland who was declared elected, and signed statutory declaration accepting office.

Councillor McFarland on taking the Chair returned thanks for his election and proposed:-

"That the last thanks of this Council are due and hereby tendered to Councillor Condron for the dignified and impartial manner in which he conducted the business of the Council during the past two years"

Councillor McCormick seconded the motion which was adopted.

Councillor Condron briefly replied.

On the motion of the Chairman votes of thanks were passed to the retiring Chairmen of the various Committees of the Council viz:- Councillor Sutton, Chairman General Purposes Committee, Councillor Harcourt Chairman Public Health Committee, Councillor J.B. McCormick, Chairman Electric Light Committee, Councillor R. O'Dwyre Chairman Fairs & Markets Committee, & Councillor Leigh Chairman Harbour Committee.

The Councillors present briefly replied.

Mr Councillor J.B. McCormick moved and Councillor R. O'Dwyre seconded:-

"That the Public Health Committee consist of the full Council and that Councillor Edward Lee be appointed

Chairman of the Committee for ensuing year and that Quorum be three" Passed.

No. 40A Councillor W.H. McFarland proposed and Councillor Jones seconded:-

"That the General Purposes and Finance Committee consist of the full Council, and that Councillor Sutton be appointed Chairman for ensuing year. That three be a quorum." Passed

No. 40B Councillor Lee proposed and Councillor O'Dwyre seconded:-

"That the Harbour Committee consist of the full Council and that Councillor Joseph McReagh be appointed Chairman of Committee for ensuing year, and that three be a quorum." Passed

No. 40C Councillor J. Sutton proposed and Councillor G.W. Dermott seconded:-

"That the Electric Light Committee consist of the full Council, and that Councillor McComick be appointed Chairman of the Committee and that three be a quorum." Passed

No. 40D Councillor J.B. McCormick proposed and Councillor J. Sutton seconded:-

"That a Markets and Fairs Committee be appointed, to consist of full Council, and that Councillor R. O'Dwyre be appointed Chairman, and that Quorum be three." Passed

No. 40E Councillor W.H. McFarland moved and Councillor O'Carroll seconded:-

"That the Ordinary meetings of the Council be held on first and third Mondays of each month at 10.30 a.m. until further arrangement" Passed unanimously

7641. The Clerk of the Council reported that Mr John Grennan having absented himself from meetings of the Council for six months was consequently disqualified as a member of the Council and submitted necessary form of declaration under Article 13 (9+10) Application of Enactment Order 1898 &c. declaring seat vacant, for signature.

Ordered - Office of Mr J. Grennan of Alexandra Lee Bray as Urban District Councillor for Bray 102 District Electoral Division of the Urban District of Bray declared vacant and that said vacancy be notified to Mr Grennan by letter signed by Clerk to the Council and in usual manner for publication of notices.

The declaration of vacancy was signed by Councillors Mr Garland, Lockhart & Mr Dermott and countersigned by Clerk to the Council

7642. On the motion of Councillor Mr Cormick seconded by Councillor Jones the applications received for post of Assistant Electrical Engineer were referred to Electric Light Committee for consideration.

7643. On the motion of Councillor O'Byrne it was ordered that all motions relative to creation of Stock (if at ordinary meetings) be placed on Agenda after Committee meetings.

7644. Letter dated 17th Jan 1903 from Secretary Technical Instruction Committee enclosing Circular from Department of Agriculture & Technical Instruction re appointment of Committees in course of Office &c of Bray Urban Technical Instruction Committee.

Councillor Mr Dermott proposed and Councillor Lee seconded:

"That the following be appointed members of Bray Urban District Technical Instruction Committee for ensuing year viz:- Post Rev Dr Donnelly, Dr. T. Arkleison Scott LL.D. Rev A. J. Glenn B.A. Rev D. J. Colohan C.C.

Mr J. Rossiter P.L.G. Mr Jas B. He Corry U.D.C.
Mr W. H. de Lacy U.D.C. Mr P. B. Feeney P.P.
U.D.C. Mr Joseph K. Reigh U.D.C. Mr J. Sutton
U.D.C. Mr J. T. Carroll U.D.C.

Passed

7645. Letter dated 15th January 1903 from Mr G. Johnston accepting Contract for Herbert Road sewer at £550 and letter dated 8th January 1903 from Messrs Hamilton & Craig in re Mr Johnston's Contract submitted. Referred to Public Health Committee.

7646. Correspondence in re widening of Florence Road submitted. Referred to P.H. Committee

7647. Letter from Messrs Hamilton & Craig in re their Bills in connection with Promenade Pier and letters from Mr C. D. McNeill in same matter submitted. Referred to General Purposes Committee.

7648. Letter dated 8th January 1903 from Local Government Board forwarding copy of Provisional Order altering the financial relations between the Bray Urban District and the Counties of Wicklow & Dublin and stating that the Council should put themselves in communication with Mr Feary's Parliamentary Agent, Mr H. E. Joyce Whitehall London who would take charge of the confirming Bill when introduced into Parliament.

Ordered - Town Clerk to communicate with Mr Joyce.

7649. Circular dated 9th January 1903 from Secretary Local Government Board enclosing copy of the Local Government (Ireland) Act 1902. Referred to Town Clerk.

7650. Letter dated 6th January 1903 from The Philanthropic Reform Association enclosing petition to Lord Lieutenant in re Street Trading by Children. Referred to Public Health Com.

7651 Letter dated 8th January from Mr Fitzgerald stating that she would lodge balance due by her in re rent of Ladies Baths in or about 4 months time.

Time extended to 25th March 1903.

7652 The following letter received from Mr Thomas Keenan was ordered to be inserted on minutes:-

Grand Hotel, Gray
Co Wicklow. Friday 9th Jan 1903.

Dear Mr. McDonnell.

I duly received copy of resolution passed by your Council at their meeting on the 7th Inst expressing sympathy with me on the death of my beloved wife. I am very grateful for same and I request that you will please convey to your Council the sincere thanks of my family and myself.

Yours very truly

D. McDonnell Esq
Gray Urban Council, Gray.

Mr. T. Keenan

7653 Letter dated 8th January from Dr. D. Curran, Cork Rathdown Union enclosing copy of resolution re necessity for a new burial ground for Gray District.
Referred to Public Health Committee.

7654 Correspondence with Messrs Hamilton & Gray in re County Council & Gray Urban Council submitted.
Referred to General Purpose Committee.

7655 Letter dated 15th January from Lockhart, D. & B. Dryboy acknowledging receipt of letter from Council re receipts of Factories and Pumping Plant Electric Light Works.
Read

7656 Circular from Killarney Urban District Council in re borrowing powers of Urban District
Referred to Public Health Committee

7657 Circular from Castle Urban Council re compulsory purchase of unoccupied lands.
Postponed.

7658-9 Letter dated 8th January from Mr Frank Power and letter dated 15th January from Mr J. Pendome re Esplanade Concert. Postponed until next meeting.

7660 Matters in re Little Gray Baker Supply. Postponed.

7661 Circular dated 20th January 1903 from Sanitary Institute re 1903 Congress. Referred to Public Health Committee.

7662 Letter dated 23rd January from Prof. Murphy Hendon Carpenters Society asking use of Town Hall on 16th March for Annual Ball of the Society.
Granted at usual fee of.

7663 Letter dated 23rd January from Mr Henry Lyons St. Kevin's Corkie Society asking use of Town Hall for general meeting of Corkie Society on Tuesday Feb 10th.
Granted

7664 Letter dated 23rd January 1903 from Mr A. Grager re water main at Novara Co. Referred to Water Inspector to report to General Purposes Committee.

7665 Matter in re Gas Meter. Referred to Public Health Committee.

7666 Councillors Jones, Lee & Leigh landed in notices of motion for next meeting in re construction of boat slip at Gray Head.

MTHW Farland
27/1/1903

A Special Meeting of Bray Urban District Council
was held in the Town Hall Bray at 11. am on Friday
27th Janv 1903 pursuant to the following requisition viz:

Bray.

January 26th 1903.

To the Clerk.
Bray Urban District.

Please convene a Special Meeting of Bray
Urban District Council to be held at 11 oc in the
Town Hall Bray on 27th day of January 1903
for the purpose of co. offing a Councillor on
East Ward in room of Mr John J. Grennan disqualifed
Signed:-

Henry Cochrane
J. E. Re Cornick
A. H. Re Garland
Isaac Jones
P. C. Le Jane

Present:-

Councillor A. H. Re Garland (in Chair)
Sir Henry Cochrane Dr.
Philip Condren
Jas. E. Re Cornick
P. C. Le Jane
Edw. Lee
Matthew O'Dwyre
Denis Healy
Hugh T. O'Carroll
" J. Sutton
John Re Dermott
J. B. Leigh
C. A. Re Crea &
Isaac Jones

The Clerk to the Council read the requisition and notice
convening the meeting.

Councillor Sir H. Cochrane moved and Councillor
Jones seconded:-

"That Mr Charles W. Re Donogh of Swan St
Bray be and is hereby elected a Councillor
for East Ward (Bray 1st District Electoral
Division) in place of Mr John J. Grennan
whose seat has been declared vacant."

Councillor Condren moved as an amendment and
Councillor Re Dermott seconded:-

"That Mr Thomas Kiernan of Grand Hotel Bray
be and is hereby elected a Councillor for
East Ward (Bray 1st District Electoral
Division) in place of Mr John J. Grennan
whose seat has been declared vacant."

There voted for the amendment:- Councillors
Re Dermott, Leigh, Healy, O'Carroll,
Condren, O'Dwyre + Sutton (7)

"Against" Councillors Sir Henry Cochrane,
Re Cornick, P. C. Le Jane, I. Jones
Edw. Lee, C. A. Re Crea + Mr Chairman (3)

The Chairman gave his casting vote against the
amendment which was declared lost.

The original motion was then put and there voted:-

"For" Councillors Re Garland, Jones, Lee,
Re Crea, Le Jane, Re Cornick +
Sir H. Cochrane (7)

"Against" Councillors Re Dermott, Condren,
O'Dwyre. (3)

The motion was declared passed

W. H. Garland
27/1/1903

A meeting of Bray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall, Bray at 10.30 a.m. on Monday 3rd February 1903.

Present:-

Councillor W.H. de Garland J.P. (in Chair)
" Sir A. Cockayne D.L.
" Mr. E. McCormick
" Philip Condron
" Edward Lee
" John de Bennett
" G. Sutton
" Denis Reilly
" Isaac Jones
" Ernest H. Bea
" H. J. O'Carroll
" Joseph H. Reigh
" Matthew O'Dwyer
" Charles H. McDonagh

Mr. C. H. McDonagh signed the usual statutory declaration and took his seat at the Council.

7667 The minutes of meeting of 23rd January and of special meeting of 1st January were read and adopted.

7668 On the motion of the Chairman the Standing Orders were suspended.

The minutes and report of meeting of Public Health Committee of 20th January 1903 were read and adopted on the motion of Councillor Lee seconded by Councillor Jones.

7669 The General Purposes Committee report of 26th January 03 was taken as read and adopted on the motion of Councillor Sutton seconded by Councillor de Bennett.

The Financial Statement Receipt & Expenditure Book and Treasurer's Authority for making payments in accordance with same were submitted and signed.

7670 The report of meeting of Harbour Committee of 20th January 03 was read and adopted on the motion of Councillor Sir Henry Cockayne seconded by Councillor Jones.

7671 The report of meeting of Electric Light Committee of 20th January 1903 was read and adopted on the motion of Councillor Mr. McCormick seconded by Councillor Jones.

7672 Councillor Jones motion in re boat slip fell through for want of a seconder.

7673 Pursuant to notice of motion Councillor Lee proposed and Councillor Reigh seconded:-

"That Mr. Clegg shall prepare plans with the co-operation of five members of the Council, to provide the fishermen and others with a boat slip at the South end of Bray Strand at a cost not to exceed £500. The Committee to report further to the Council in the matter and that the Finance Committee be requested to include amount required in next estimate unless Capital is available. The Sub Committee to be Councillors Lee, Reigh, H. Bea, Condron, Lee and the Chairman."

Passed.

7674 Councillor Reigh withdrew his motion in re boat slip.

7675 Mr. T. Lewis Town Clerk's Office, Mr. A. Bailey Highmarks and Mr. Wm. H. Bellan Sanitary Sub Offices applied for increases of salary.

On the motion of Councillor Mr. McCormick seconded by Councillor Jones the applications were referred to Finance Committee for report and recommendation.

7676 Notice dated 2nd January 1903 from Mr. A. Jonas solicitor for Dublin Corporation stating that the Dublin

Corporation would on 1st January 1903 withdraw
the men engaged in cleaning Consumption of works
which passed into little Bay. Read

7677 Letter dated 23rd January 1903 from Secretary D. W.
& H. to the Railway Bill and diversion of
Ravenswell Road. Referred to General Purposes Com.

7678 Circular dated 13th Novt from Castle Urban Council
re Compulsory Purchase of unoccupied land
Read.

7679 Letter dated 23rd January from The Automobile Club
of Great Britain & Ireland in re Proposed Automobile
Race to be held in Ireland and asking if the Council
could see their way to support a Bill to be introduced
into Parliament to enable the race to be held in Ireland.
On the motion of Councillor H. Cornick ^{and seal} seconded
by Councillor Jones it was decided to sign a petition
in favour of the Bill.

7680 It was ordered that Bonds in re Mrs. Taylor & Sons
Contract for Poles and Mrs. Glazier & Phillips
Contract for 175 K. b. Alternators be signed and sealed.

7681 Letter dated 20th Jan'y from Mr. Hoblan to his tender
for supplying granite boulders and letter dated 27th
January from Harcourt Rector in same date.
Read

7682 Letter dated 15th January from Mr. J. Pendone, Letter dated
8th January from Mr. Frank Lowe and letter dated 29th
January from Mr. J. G. Newson asking permission to
bring concert parties on to the Esplanade next season
and asking fees. Referred to Harbour and
Esplanade Committee.

7683 It was ordered that the seal of the Council be affixed to

Petition of Philanthropic Reform Association to
end Pecking in re Street Trading by Children

7684 Sealed Order of Local Government Board dated 27th
January 1903 in re regulations as to Cholera,
Yellow Fever & Plague.
Referred to Public Health Com.

7685 On the motion of Councillor Sutton seconded by
Sir H. Cochrane it was decided to have the roads
of the District Steam rolled in view of the forth
coming visit of the Automobile Club to Ireland,
and the Town Clerk was directed to write to the
Chairman of the Rathdown Rural District Council
suggesting that similar action should be taken
in the Rural Districts.

7686 It was ordered that the seal of the Council be affixed
to requisitions to the Posts of Peter H. Byrne, John
Redfern & T. Allen in re Provisional Orders.

7687 Mr. J. E. Redfern submitted plans for erection of
ten houses on Gray Commons.
Referred to Mr. Comber.

7688 Letter dated 2nd February from Mr. Ballance stating
that Hackney Driver Licence granted him for six
months had expired and asking for a full licence
Licence granted for a year.

7689 Councillor Mr. Garland handed in notice of motion for
next meeting to rescind motion in re adopting
Biennial System of elections.

7690 Councillor Mr. Comber handed in notice of motion to
rescind resolution re adoption of Committee Report.

The Sub Committee (Councillors Mr. Garland, Sutton & Lee)

appointed by General Purposes Committee in reference
to action of Deans & Co. Cornick & Hollay in re
Promenade Pier reported ad interim to the Council.
The Committee was re-appointed by Council with
full power to settle action or act otherwise

MINUTE AND MANNER
16/2/1903

Councillor Edward Lee moved and Councillor G.A.
Re. Grea seconded -

"That we the Bray Urban District Council desire
to respectfully point out to His Majesty's Gov.
ernment that the limitations of the Public Health
Act, in reference to the borrowing powers of
Urban District Councils, render it practically
impossible for many Irish Towns to avail of
the provisions of the Act for the better housing
of the working classes, and, as the establishment
of such dwellings would in all cases create
a corporate property and would not be a
burden on the ratepayers, we suggest that a
provision should be made in the next local
Government Act Amendment Bill that the limitation
of borrowing powers in the Public Health (Ireland)
Act 1878 shall not apply to loans required under
schemes for the better housing of the working classes,
and that provision should also be made with the
Treasury to advance money required for such
schemes at a rate not exceeding 3 per cent.

Passed unanimously

A meeting of Bray Urban District Council was held
in the Town Hall Bray at 10.30 a.m. on Monday
16th February 1903

Present -

Councillor W.H. Garland J.P. (in Chair)
" A. Cochrane J.P.
Edward Lee
H.B. Le Tague J.P.
Philip London
J. Sutton
" R. Re. Grea
" G. Re. Donagh
" Denis Healy
" H. J.O. Russell
" J. Re. Dermott
Isaac Jones
" G. B. Reigh
" R. O'Dwyre

The minutes of meeting of 2nd February 1903 were
read and adopted.

1692 On the motion of the Chairman the Standing Orders were
suspended.

1693 The report of General Purposes and Finance Committee
meeting of 9th February 1903 was read and adopted
on the motion of Councillor Sutton seconded by Councillor
Re. Dermott.

1694 The report of Public Health Committee meeting of 13th
Feb was read and adopted on the motion of Councillor
Re. Grea seconded by Councillor Sutton.

1695 The report of Esplanade & Harbour Committee meeting of 10th
Feb was read and adopted on the motion of Councillor
Reigh seconded by Councillor Re. Donagh.

7695A The report of Electric Light Committee meeting of 7th May 1903 was read and adopted on the motion of Councillor ^{Rich} R. H. Kilkenny, seconded by Councillor Sir A. Cockane.

7696 Pursuant to advertisement applications were received for post of Surveyor and Architect from:-

1. T. J. Deery Dundalk
2. Louis O'Callaghan Dublin
3. Charles A. S. Braughton --
4. Charles H. N. Sutter Killiney
5. Geo. T. Roche Dublin
6. E. A. Loyet --
7. Francis A. Roche London
8. E. H. Morris Dublin
9. W. B. Wilson Carrickmacross
10. J. J. Fitzpatrick Dublin
11. Geo. Dene Roe Penbrooke
12. C. Baske Belfast
13. J. J. Higginbottom Belfast
14. J. J. McAneny Dublin
15. G. C. Wilmet --
16. Charles T. Leonard --
17. William Stirling --
18. J. S. Lucid --
19. Alexander Rawell --

The following conditions attaching to the appointment were read and approved:-

1. Appointment to be for twelve months, to be terminated by a months notice on either party to terminate the appointment, ^{when the appointment will be terminated by notice given to the Sanitary Board of the date of termination} ^{along with a sum increasing by increments of £100 per annum by Council, till a salary of £360 is reached.}
2. Person appointed to reside and have his office in, may and enjoy such private practice as may not interfere or be inconsistent with the office of Town Surveyor and Assistant Engineer, ^{but no practice which he would have if he were a Surveyor.}
3. He shall attend daily for at least two hours between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. at office to be provided by the Council.
4. To inspect at least once every working day all works and buildings in progress in the Urban District and report to the Council as to all matters coming under his notice

- which might call for special attention or otherwise
5. To prepare and plan drawings necessary for all other work to be completed and keep up to date the foot map of the Urban District, marking thereon, from actual observations and measurements, all sewers, drains, water and electrical mains, showing all manholes, junctions, house connections, hydrants, air valves, conserving stations, shrubbery &c.
- To perform all ordinary and extraordinary duties pertaining to the office of Town Surveyor and Engineer and such other duties consistent with that office as the Council may from time to time require without any claim beyond the salary attaching to the office as settled on appointment ~~there~~, except otherwise provided.
6. To give evidence in London or elsewhere when required by Council without any extra payment beyond travelling and hotel expenses, as allowed by Parliamentary Paying Officer to permanent officers.
7. To inspect premises in reference to which applications are made for Sanitary Certificate, and report as to sanitary condition of same.
8. To inspect such premises as the Sanitary Officers may require expert information in reference to, and attend Court when required to support any prosecution instituted by the Sanitary Authority with a view to having any premises put in a proper sanitary condition without charge.
9. To inspect such premises as the Sanitary Officers may require expert information in reference to, and attend Court when required to support any prosecution instituted by the Sanitary Authority with a view to having any premises put in a proper sanitary condition without charge.
10. To certify as to the chargability of all accounts making necessary distinction as between Capital and Revenue and endorse assessment books as to particular undertaking of the Council to which any account or paysheet is chargable and make necessary sub-divisions thereof and see that proper contracts are entered into for all current pipes and other articles required by the Council and that the goods supplied are equal to samples, and certify whether supplied

in accordance with contract.

12. To see that all roads, channels, footpaths, sewers &c of the Urban District are properly maintained cleaned and watered.

13. To see that the Works and Sanitary Inspector perform his duties in strict accordance with the Sanitary Byelaws & Regulations of the Council, and report fortnightly on the general conditions of the Urban District and in urgent cases to report at once to the Clerk to the Council or on any matter that may be reported to him by the Clerk to the Council between Council meetings.

14. To prepare all Plans, Sections, Specifications &c in reference to the Schemes of the Council for erection of houses, dwellings, and superintend same during erection, and discharge the duties of architect in connection therewith for a Commission of One

- per contractor to salary, for each and schemes not proceeded with and plans only get out one of each freely to be kept.
15. To organize an efficient fire brigade from amongst the staff of the Council and to have the men efficiently trained with at least a monthly practice and to see that all fire appliances are in a perfect state of preservation and efficiency and always ready for immediate use.

16. To see that the duties of the Road Surveyor are strictly carried out in accordance with the printed instructions, and to keep a book in which the

- To see that all roads, channels, footpaths and such other works are in perfect order, and horses, cart, harness and forge properly attended to.

It was decided that the election should be by ballot.

There voted 1st round for - Geo. T. Rose 9. C. H. T. Sutler

8. J. Higginbotham 6. G. B. Wilmet 3. & B. Stirling 1.

Geo. Wilmet & Stirling polled out and there voted 2nd round - Geo. Rose 8 and Sutler 7.

J. Higginbotham fell out and there voted 3rd round - Geo. Rose 7 and Sutler 7.

The Chairman gave his casting vote in favour of Mr Sutler who was declared elected on the motion of Councillor Dr. Farland seconded by Councillor Leigh.

L.G.J

Mr Sutler came before the Council and returned thanks for his appointment and signed Surveyor's Declaration and Conditions of Appointment.

169. Letter dated 16th Feb from Mr J. McCall Clark applying for increase of salary.

On the motion of Councillor Jones seconded by Councillor Sutler the application was referred to General Purposes Committee.

170. Letter dated 7th Feb 1903 from Secretary Automobile Club asking the Council to pass a resolution in favour of the proposed Automobile Race.

It was proposed by Sir Henry Cockane and seconded by Councillor O. Payne

"That we the Drag Urban District Council desire to place on record our approval of the proposal to hold the International Automobile Race in Ireland, and trust that His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant, if satisfied that the project meets the approval of the County and District Councils and the people of Ireland, will take such steps as may be necessary to induce A. & G. Government to pass necessary Bill through Parliament with as little delay as possible."

Passed unanimously

170. The Rt Hon. The Chief Secretary for Ireland, Mr D. J. Hogan, R. D. B. Field, R. D. & John Keenagh D. W. Cook acknowledging receipt of resolutions re loans for the "better Housing of the working classes". Read.

170. Letter dated 7th Feb from Mr D. J. Conner recommending approval of plans submitted by Mr J. D. Goodfellow for erection of two Pillars in Novara.

Ordered - Plans approved of.

170. Letter dated 7th Feb from Mr D. J. Conner recommending approval of plans submitted by Mr J. Clarke for erection

of shop on Florence Road. Ordered:- Plans approved of.

7705 Report dated 7th Feb by from Mr J. G. Conner in re Plans submitted by Mr J. G. Cornick for erection of ten cottages on plot between Mrs Edwards house and Redee Street and stating that the design was good but the ~~bedrooms~~ bedrooms were too small and each room was not provided with a fireplace. He could not therefore recommend approval of the plans.

A letter dated 11th Feb 1903 was submitted from Mr. H. Cornick drawing attention to the fact that the floor measurements of his proposed cottages were greater than those of the Artizans Dwellings and that each room of the latter did not contain a fireplace, and also that his plans infringed no by-law of the Council.
Referred to Mr. Sutton.

7706 Letter dated 13th Feb by from Clerk Rathdown Co. & Rural District Council stating that the communication of the Urban Council in re Steam Rolling of roads had been received and marked read. Read and noted.

7707 Letters dated 9th and 10th Feb by from Messrs. Hamilton & Craig enclosing requisitions to have Books of Roads & Dyne, Reckon and Allen in re Provisional Orders.

It was ordered that the requisitions be sealed and signed and that Messrs. Casy and Blay should attend at session on behalf of the Council.

7708 Letter dated 13th Feb by from Mr J. Murphy offering 100 tons of lime stone and gravel at 2/- per ton ex. sit.

Ordered:- Stones to be taken if required.

7709 Pursuant to notice of motion Councillor Sutton moved that Councillor Mr. Cornick and Councillor Lee seconded:

"That the motion of 6th October 1902 with reference to reports of Committees be rescinded and that it

be resolved that in future copies of reports of Committees be sent to each member before the day of next Council meeting at which they may be adopted" Passed unanimously.

7710 Pursuant to notice of motion Councillor Mr. Leeland moved and Councillor Jones seconded:-

"That the resolution of 5th January 1903 in favour of adopting the triennial system of Elections be rescinded."

There voted "For" the motion:- Councillors Conkin, Leigh, Mr. Cochrane, C. A. O'Brien, R. G. Jordan, E. Lee, W. H. Leeland, T. Jones + P. Rodenmott (9)
"Against" Councillors Sutton, O'Carroll and O'Dwyre (3)

The motion was declared carried.

7711 Letter dated 14th Feb by from Messrs. Hamilton & Craig enclosing copy of letter from Mr. J. H. Carroll asking for Cheque for £101.11.7, being £9.15.11 interest on amount due from 22nd July to date of payment of debt and £97.5.8 costs in re action of Wicklow Co. Council v Bray Urban Council.

Referred to Chairman of Council and Chairman of Finance Committee.

7712 Letter dated 14th Feb by from Admiralty stating that the latter in re Coast Guard boathouse had been referred to the Office of Public Works Dublin from whom a communication might be expected.

Referred to Special Sub Committee being charge of boathouse.

7713 Letter dated 15th Feb by from Messrs. Casy & Blay enclosing warrant to Sheriff and notice to Relieving Officer in re acquiring possession of House No. 13 Main St.

It was ordered that the warrant be

sealed and signed and delivered to Sheriff.

7711 Mr A Fraser submitted Plans of a terrace of 6 houses and 1 detached Villa he proposed erecting at Myndham Park.

7712 Letter dated 15th Feb from Mr W. G. Lyne American Bank stating that his Directors would take up £1,000 of the Bray Township Debenture Stock in the Electric Bank at 10% per cent.
Ordered - £1,000 of Stock already created to be issued to Bank at 10% per cent.

Read & confirmed
W.T. McFaul M.A.

Meeting of Bray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Bray at 10.30 am on Monday 2nd March 1903.

Present:-

Councillor W. A. de Lirland (in Chair)
Sir Henry Cockrane D.L.
Joseph W. Reigh
C. H. de Donogh
C. H. de Crea
J. Sutton
John H. Dermott
Matthew O'Byrne
Isaac Jones
A. J. O'Carroll x
Denis Kealy

7713. The members of meeting of 16th Feb 1903 were read and confirmed.

7714. The report of General Purposes Committee meeting of 27th February was adopted on the motion of Councillor Sutton seconded by Councillor H. Dermott. The Financial Statement Receipt and Expenditure Book and Treasurer's Authority for making Payments in accordance with same were submitted and signed.

7715. The report of Electric Light Committee meeting of 27th Feb 1903 was adopted on the motion of Councillor Sutton seconded by Councillor Reigh.

7716. The report of meeting of Public Health Committee of 27th Feb was read and adopted on the motion of Councillor H. Crea seconded by Councillor Jones.

7717. The report of meeting of Harbour Committee of 27th Feb was read and adopted on the motion of Councillor Reigh seconded by Councillor Sir Henry Cockrane

7718. To Town Clerk submitted correspondence in reference to buildings in course of erection by Mr. J. Huntlett in Fretto Lane including a letter dated 21st Feb by from Messrs A & L. Goodbody stating that the bye-laws of the Council were not being complied with in the air space at rear of buildings, and a report from Mr. C. A. Sutton Urban District Surveyor stating that the block plan submitted for approval of the Council did not correctly show the adjoining buildings, the return building of No 3 Fretto Pillars being omitted and the air space which belonged to this house being marked on plans as available for the new buildings, and the plans were not being carried out in accordance with plans submitted as no rear was being provided nor could there be without encroaching on the rear space of Fretto Pillars.

A letter was also submitted from Mr. Huntlett asking that the plans be returned him.

Ordered:- One set of plans to be returned

It was proposed by Sir Ky Kochane and seconded by Councillor Mc Grea:-

"That it having come to our knowledge that the plans submitted by Mr. Huntlett for erection of cottages in Fretto Lane did not show the return building of No 3 Fretto Pillars, and as to erect the new building as shown on plans would encroach on the air space of said return building, we hereby call upon Mr. Huntlett to take such steps as will allow compliance with the bye-laws of the Council, or take down the new buildings"

Councillor Sutton moved and Councillor Mc Dermott seconded:-

"That on hearing from Mr. Huntlett in reference to compliance with bye-laws, the opinion of Council be taken if necessary in reference to the position of this Council relative to new building in course of erection by Mr. Huntlett in Fretto Lane"

Passed.

7719. Received Order dated 1st February from Local Govt Board in re admission of Press Representatives to meetings of Council. Read and noted.

7720. Acknowledgements were received from the Lord Lieutenant and the Chief Secretary for Ireland of resolution adopted by Council in re Automobile Race.

7721. Letter dated 18th Feb from Mr James O'Connor Esq acknowledging receipt of resolution re Housing of the Working Classes. Read.

7722. Circular dated 19th Feb from Local Govt Board in re Overdue Accounts. Read.

7723. Correspondence in re Mr Fraser's Plans for erection of terrace of 6 houses and a villa at Hyndham Park submitted. Ordered:- Mr Fraser's Plans approved of on consideration of the designs with bye-laws to satisfaction of Mr. Sutton.

7724. Circulars dated 23rd and 24th Feb inviting delegates from Council to Demonstration on 15th Inst. Read:- Councillors Sutton.

Mr. Dermott and O'Dwyre signified their intention of attending.

7725. Councillor Sutton proposed and Councillor Mc Dermott seconded:-

"That the following amounts be transferred from undermentioned accounts to Consolidated Fund Fund Account to form sinking Fund for redemption of Debentures of Redemovable Debenture Stock"

No of Accn	Accn Name	Amount of Stock	Contributory Accou General Harbour Electric
1/10	Consolidated under 50000 £	164 19 5	189 6 10
9.	Gas Works 75	30000 £	
10.	Harbour 75 Act	14400 £	31 5 4
11.	Engineering	188 6	168 9
12.	Gas Hall 75	1500 £	17 10 11
13.	Hyd. Works	2546 £	100 10 5
14.	Electric	2762 6	
15.	"	4754 8	
16.	Gas Works Imp. & Dwellings	2712 6	31 18 5
17.	"	1874 4	21 11 4
18.	"	3673 6	32 11 4
		101734	357 15 10 150 15 7
			Total £ 1928 5 4

Passed.

77252. Councillor Sutton proposed and Councillor Dr. Dermott seconded:-

"That a Paying Order for £160. 2. 5 be issued in favour of Messrs J. D. Carnegie & Co to invest in authorized securities to form Sinking Fund necessary for redemption of bonds borrowed under the Bray Township Act &c, Said sum being made up as follows:-

	General	Harbour	Electric	Total
Disbursement of £23,171.00 Divds on Sinking Fund	153. 8	591. 9	1944. 8	23317. 1
Investments in Lands and not Applied.				
Contribution from Up to date up amount which should be in Fund ahead of Paragon previous resolution.	40013. 11	35715. 10	44915. 7	90854
	57344. 7	41617. 7	16910. 3	11602. 5

and that the Clerk be and is hereby authorized to arrange with Stockbrokers for investment of the above mentioned sum.

Passed.

7726. Letter dated 26th Feb from Messrs. Holroyd and Holroyd re their application for Lamp at Duncan's Ic.

Referred to Electric Light Committee

7728. The Committee had under consideration all the tenders received, pursuant to advertisement for construction of proposed sewer on Herbert Road from King Edward Road to Main Street, together with letter dated 16th Dec from Mr. G. L. Johnston, whose tender had been accepted at £144. 8. 0, asking permission to amend his tender

in consequence of a clerical error and to which the Council had agreed, and a further letter dated 3rd Dec asking to be allowed for rock set in the construction of the sewer.

A report dated 28th February from Surveyor recommending that the contract be given to Mr. George Dixon at £650 and a letter dated 28th February from Mr. George Dixon in the latter were read.

After a protracted discussion the following resolution was proposed by Councillor Sutton and seconded by Councillor Dr. Dermott:-

"That, having reconsidered the tenders for Herbert Road Sewer, we hereby offer, as recommended by our Surveyor, the entire contract to Mr. George Dixon at £650, and that Messrs. Hamilton & Craig be instructed to prepare a supplemental contract for second portion of sewer."

Passed

7729. Report dated 28th February from Mr. C. Dutcher Surveyor stating that Mr. Dr. Cornick had informed him that it was not his intention to proceed with the erection of Cottages at Bray Commons at present.

Read and noted.

7730. Report dated 28th February 1903 from Surveyor re Proposed boat slip to at Newcourt Island.

Referred to Special Committee.

7731. Report dated 28th February from Surveyor in re letter from Messrs. Findlater & Co complaining of further encroachment on air space at Mr. Dr. Cornick's new buildings Florence Road, and stating that the buildings in question were being carried out in accordance with plans approved of by Council.

Ordered:- Town Clerk to write to Messrs. Findlater in the latter.

7732. Letter dated 28th February from Secretary County Council Wicklow enclosing Demand of County Council for Year ending First March 1904. £ 2089. 9. 4.
Considered satisfactory.

The Town Clerk was authorized to employ the necessary Clerks required for preparing Rate Books &c.

7733. Circular dated March 1903 from The Irish Trades Union Congress re adoption of Fair Wages Resolution by Council to. Referred to General Purposes Committee

7734. Letter dated 28th February from Messrs. Casey and Gray re Isaacs & Bray Urban Councils.
Referred to Special Com. & having charge of the matter.

7735. The Commissioner of Valuation wrote enclosing valuation lists for ensuing year. Noted.

7736. Letter dated 2nd March from Mr. J. G. Ferrard enclosing plan of proposed new system of drainage for Sea View. Referred to the Surveyor.

Mr. Jones handed in notice of motion for next meeting in re applications for increases of salary.

It was ordered that the widening of Florence Road should be carried out under the directions of Mr. Sutler, C.E. and that necessary certificate should issue for £500. Balance of loan

W.M. Durand
16/3/1903

A Special Meeting of Bray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Bray at 10.30 on Friday 6th March 1903 pursuant to the following requisition by

To the Town Clerk
Bray

Bray
6th March 1903.

Please convene a Special Meeting of Bray Urban District Council to be held in the Town Hall, Bray at 10.30 am. on Friday 6th March 1903 for the purpose of considering estimate of Poor Rate for service of the Year ended First March 1904, and, if deemed advisable, adopting same

Signed:-

Denis Healy
Philip Condon
Joseph B. Reigh
Hugh J. O'Carroll
W. A. de Garland

Present:-

Councillor Tom A. de Garland J.P. (in Chair)
" Sir A. Cochrane J.P.
" Charles A. de Grea
" Jas. D. de Cornick J.P.
" Edward Lee
" Joseph B. Reigh
" Matthew O'Dwyer
" John de Dermott
" Chas. M. de Donogh

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

It was proposed by Councillor Sir A. Cochrane and seconded by Councillor Reigh:-

"That having considered the Statement and Estimate of Poor Rate as submitted for Year ending First March 1904 we hereby adopt same so as to date"

The total Poor Rate for said Period One Shilling
and Sixpence in the Pound and order that the
notice of intention to make said Rate at a
Special Meeting of Council to be held on 27th
day of March 1903 be published as required
by law."

Passed unanimously

Letter dated 5th March from Mr. C. N. Satter Surveyor
asking leave of absence for two or three days.

Granted

W. H. M. Fullard
18/3/1903

A meeting of Bray Urban District Council was
held in the Town Hall Bray at 10.30 a.m. on
Monday 16th March 1903.

Present:-

Councillor W. H. M. Fullard (in Chair)
James D. He Cornick J.P.
Joseph M. Reigh
Edward Lee
Matthew O'Byrne
Lepis Kelly
Isaac Long
John H. Dernott

The minutes of meeting of 2nd March and of Special
Meeting of 6th March were read and confirmed.

Councillor He Cornick proposed and Councillor
Reigh seconded:-

"That we the members of the Bray Urban
District Council desire to tender our very
sincere sympathy to our esteemed Town
 Clerk and his wife Dornell in the great
 bereavement which has overtaken them by
 the death of their eldest daughter, Miss Roy
 Dornell, and that this meeting do
 adjourn as a mark of our respect"

Passed in silence the Council
standing.

The meeting adjourned until Monday 23rd March at
10.30 a.m.

W. H. M. Fullard
23/3/1903

An adjourned meeting of Gray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Gray at 10.30 a.m. on Monday 23rd March 1903.

Present:-

Councillor W. H. Reardon J.P. (in Chair)
Sir A. G. Cockayne J.P.
James D. H. Cornick J.P.
J. D. Leigh
Denis Kelly
John Re Dermott
J. Sutton
S. B. Re Donogh
Edward Lee
C. A. Re Crea
R. O'Brien
A. J. O'Carroll
P. C. Re Finn J.P.
Isaac Jones
Philip Condrin

1742. The minutes of meeting of 16th March 1903 were read and confirmed.

1743. The following letter received from Con Clark was ordered to be inserted on minutes viz:-

Beechfield
Gray 17th March 1903.

To Chairman and Members
Gray Urban District Council

Gentlemen.

I desire on my own and Mrs Reardon's behalf to thank you most sincerely for your kind resolution of condolence in the bereavement which has overtaken us in the death of our dear child. In our sorrow we deeply value the sympathy which has been extended to us

by the Council and all sections of our Town people whose kindness we will never forget.

Believe me,

Gentlemen.

Yours very sincerely
P. MacDonnell

1744. The report of meeting of Public Health Committee of 13th March was read and adopted on the motion of Councillor Lee seconded by Councillor O'Brien.

1745. The report of meeting of General Purposes Committee of 9th March was read and adopted on the motion of Councillor Re Cornick seconded by Councillor Sutton.

1746. The report of meeting of Electric Light Committee of 9th March was read and adopted on the motion of Councillor Re Cornick seconded by Councillor Leigh.

1747. Notice dated 5th March from Mr. G. Peter local Government Board stating that he would attend at the Town Hall Gray on Tuesday 1st March 1903 for the purpose of auditing the Accounts of the Council for the last financial year.

Read and noted.

1748. Pursuant to notice of motion Councillor Jones moved and Councillor O'Brien seconded:-

"That in future all elected officers and servants asking for increases of salary or wages shall be taken to have accompanied their application for same with their resignation and that the Council shall be at liberty as an alternative to accept the latter."

Councillor Sir A. G. Cockayne moved and Councillor

O'Carroll seconded as an amendment:-

"That the motion be rejected."

Here voted for the amendment Councillors Sir A. Cockrane, G. H. Rea, Edward Lee, C. H. de Lough, J. M. Reigh, Dr. O'Syne, A. J. O'Carroll & P. Condrin (3)

"Against" Councillors Jones & R. Cornick (2)

The amendment was accordingly carried.

7747 Letter dated 13th March 1903 from Secretary Local Government Board approving of proposed increase of £1 in re loan of £4,000 for the purpose of widening of Florence Road and defraying cost of Provisional Orders obtained by the Council under the Housing of the Working Classes Act. Read and noted

7748 Report dated 13th March from Mr. C. Sutton Surveyor recommending approval of plans submitted by Mr. T. Frazer for erection of terrace of six houses and a villa at Lyndham Park.

Ordered:- Plans approved.

7749 Report dated 13th March from Surveyor stating that he believed that the range in caretakers Kitchen could be made good and suggesting that an estimate for the work be obtained from Messrs. Maguire & Patchell
Ordered:- Range to be repaired

7750 Report dated 1st March from Surveyor recommending approval of plans submitted by Mr. Andrew Byrne for erection of a shed at Gray Commons.

Ordered:- Plans approved.

7751 Circular dated 10th March from the Am. Soc. Library Association re Public Libraries Bill 1903.
Referred to Public Health Committee

7752 Letter dated 17th March from Col. Rowan Hamilton asking

use of Gray Hall for purpose of holding meetings of the Gray Co-operative Horticultural Society.

Ordered:- Small room to be granted for 10/- per session.

7753 The report of Special Committee in re acquiring of boat slip at Gray Head was read and adopted.

7753A Letter dated 13th March from Secretary D. & B. Ryerson stating that instructions had been given for the preparation of draft lease of Gray Head Park to the Council. Referred to Special Committee.

7754 Letter dated March 1903 from Messrs. Peacock & Co re advertising Gray. Referred to Pavilion Committee.

7755 Letter dated 4th March from Am. Soc. Public League Dublin Banking Council for co-operation in re Prague Demonstration. Read.

7756 Circular dated 28th Feb by from Am. Soc. Irish Industrial Conference inviting delegates from Gray Council to meeting of Conference to be held in Royal University Dublin on 15th April 1903.

The following delegates were appointed in the matter viz:- Councillors Mr. H. C. Farland (Chairman) Sir A. Cockrane Dr. J. B. Rea, Cornick, P. J. C. O'Dwyer, J. M. Reigh, G. Sutton, G. Reardon, C. Jones, C. H. Rea & H. O'Syne.

7757 Letter dated 20th March from Mr. Thomas Kiernan stating that he had transferred his interest in Grand Hotel to his daughter Maria Kiernan and asking that he should be made liable for rates etc. Postponed.

7758 Letter dated 14th March from Messrs. Longfield Kelly & Armstrong Solicitors asking that the Council should disconnect drains which flow into the drain the