

That the Fairs and Markets Committee consist of full Council with Councillor Byrne as Chairman.
Passed unanimously.

The Technical Instruction Committee was appointed as follows:-

Very Rev R. T. Bolahan P.T., Rev A. P. Gleeson, Rev Canon Scott M.A. and Rev S. P. Boyd B.A.; on the motion of Councillor Magee seconded by Councillor Graynor.
Mr John W. Ryan - on the motion of Councillor Reigh seconded by Councillor Dunn.

Mr James Archer - on the motion of Councillor Doyle seconded by Councillor Graynor.

Messrs K. G. O'Carroll T. Dempsey and J. W. Reigh D.P. - on the motion of Councillor Magee seconded by Councillor Rooney.

Mr Michael Kelly - on the motion of Councillor Magee seconded by Councillor Archer.

Mr B. H. Doyle - on the motion of Councillor Mackey seconded by Councillor O'Carroll.

Fire Committee:- Very Rev R. T. Bolahan P.T. Rev Canon Scott M.A., Rev A. P. Gleeson B.A., Rev S. P. Boyd B.A. Mr Michael Kelly, Mr John W. Ryan, Councillors J. W. Reigh D.P., James Archer, K. G. O'Carroll, B. H. Doyle and Thomas Dempsey.

2600 Mr P. H. McCarthy B.E. wrote forwarding certificate for £1,500 in favour of Mr Louis Monks on account of Workmen's Dwellings contract.

On the motion of Councillor Doyle seconded by Councillor Dempsey the certificate was passed for payment.

2601 On the motion of Councillor Doyle seconded by Councillor Dempsey it was ordered that Mr McCarthy be paid £130 on account of meal fees in connection with Workmen's Dwellings Scheme.

2602 The Commissioners of Public Works wrote forwarding draft for £2000 being first instalment of Workmen's Dwellings loan.

The draft was signed by Chairman and Clerk to Council and ordered to be lodged.

2603 Correspondence with Western Valley Company in re coal contract from which it appeared that owing to delay in payment of last cargo of coal the company considered the contract had been broken and they refused to supply a further cargo unless they got 2/- per ton extra. Read.

A tender was received from the main Colliery Company for supply of cargo of coal at 17/6 per ton.

On the motion of Councillor O'Carroll seconded by Councillor Graynor the tender was accepted, Councillor Seale not voting.

2604 Report from Mr McCarthy approving
of plans for addition to Gauntor.

Plans approved

2605 Letter dated 21st January 1913 from
Mr Gauntor White enclosing plans for
addition to Sidemonton Passage.

Referred to Mr McCarthy for
report.

2606 Letter dated 18th January 1913 from
Mr J. J. Murphy, Solicitor, stating
that it would be necessary for Mr
Moore to take out decree in re
Bray Council v. Curmet Club.

Read. Decree to be taken out.

2607 Report from Mr Bowler in re
Mr Carroll's contract and Messrs
Muirlees Bickerton & Day's
contract. Referred to Electric
Light Committee.

2608 Letter from Norwich Union Fire
Insurance Company in re insurance
of Mr R. B. Knox, Improver at Electricity
Works, and letter from Mr Knox
in same matter, submitted. Referred
to Electric Light Committee.

2609 Dividend from Kingstown Council
for £108. 15. 3. submitted. Received
and lodged.

2610 Letter dated 24th January 1913 from
Local Government Board enclosing
extract from Medical Officer's return
relating to Bray Dispensary District

for half year ended 30th September
1912. Read and noted.

2611 Circular dated 13th January 1913
from Secretary Local Government Board
asking if the Council would place a
room at disposal of auditors in
connection with audit of the accounts
of approved societies under National
Health Insurance Act. Read - Room
to be placed at disposal of auditors

2612 Circular dated 11th January 1913 from
National Health Insurance Commission
in re applications for exception under
Schedule 1, Part II (b) of the National
Insurance Act. Read and noted.

2613 Circular from Local Government
Board enclosing copies of new
motor car Order. Left on table.

2614 Foot and mouth Disease (movement
of animals) Order of 1913, submitted
Left on Table.

2615 Letters from Mr J. Burgess Kiel in
re condition of crossings in various
parts of the Town. Referred to
General Purposes Committee

2616 Letter dated 21st January 1912
from Mr R. T. F. Greene asking that
Mr O'Deill be granted extension of
a fortnight in re completion of
his bond. Read - Extension granted.

2617 Matters in re Tool's holding at Purcell's Fields. Referred to Public Health Committee.

2618 Letter dated 20th January 1913 from Mr R. A. Howe in re light at corner of Sydenham Villas and Novara Rd., and neglect of that neighbourhood as regards police patrol. Read.

The electrical engineer reported that lamp had been attended to.

Read - Letter to be sent to police.

2619 Letter dated 23rd January 1913 from Mr R. Dempsey re failure of arc circuit on 19th Inst and failure of main st cable on 23rd Inst.

Read and noted.

*John W. Magee
Chairman
4 February 1913.*

a meeting of Bray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Bray at 8 pm, on Tuesday 4th Feb 1913.

Present:-

Councillor James M. Magee I.T. (in chair)
 " Joseph W. Leigh I.T.
 " J. J. Scannell I.T.
 " James Moran
 " John Bergin
 " Myles Byrne
 " Malachy O'Leary
 " Thomas Dempsey
 " W. W. Rooney
 " John Graynor
 " Hugh T. O'Carroll

2620 The minutes of meeting of 23rd January 1913 were read and confirmed.

2621 The report of meeting of General Purposes and Finance Committee of 28th January 1913 was adopted on the motion of Councillor Graynor seconded by Councillor Rooney.

The Financial Statement Receipts and Expenditure Books and Treasurers authority for making payments were submitted and signed.

2622 On the motion of Councillor Leigh seconded by Councillor Dempsey the report of meeting of Public Health Committee of 28th January 1913 was adopted excepting paragraph 2291 in re Tool's holding in Purcell's Fields which was referred back to Committee for further consideration.

2623 The report of meeting of Electric Light Committee of 28th January 1913 was adopted on the motion of Councillor Traynor seconded by Councillor Mackey.

2624 Letter dated 27th January 1913 from Secretary National Health Insurance Commission in re Council's application for exception under Schedule 1 Part II (b) of the National Insurance Act of the Clerks or other salaried officials in the service of the Council. Referred to General Purposes Committee.

2625 Letter dated 31st January 1913 from Local Government Board enclosing copies of new Order which they had made prescribing the regulations to be observed in future with regard to the payment from the rates of expenses of the Council in connection with general conferences of urban sanitary authorities. Read & noted.

2626 Circular dated 28th January 1913 from Mr. Secretary Association of Municipal Authorities of Ireland in re the most pressing reforms in the existing municipal law.
Referred to Public Health Committee.

2627 The minutes of meeting of Technical Instruction Committee of 27th January 1913 were left on table.

2627a Letter from Mr. Ross agreeing on behalf of Professor Liley and himself

to take £26. 5 0 in settlement of their fees in connection with explosion at Electricity Works. Read. Account to be paid.

2628 The following transfer of Bray Township 3 1/2% Redeemable Debenture Stock was approved and a certificate sealed and issued, viz:-
From Catherine Reilly to Anne Reilly £1,000.

2629 Letter dated 3rd Feb 1913 from Traffic manager D and S Ry Company in reference to conduct of Matthew Birney Garman, at Bray Railway Yard and asking if the Council would institute proceedings against Birney.

On the motion of Councillor Moran seconded by Councillor Reigh it was decided that no action be taken in the case.

2630 Report from Mr. McCarthy recommending approval of plans for addition to Sidmouth Cottage. Plans approved.

2631 Letter dated from Norwich Union Insurance Company in re Mr. Souter's claim. Read - copy to be sent to Mr. Souter.

2632.3 applications for increases of salary were received from:-

J. Moore, E. O'Neill, P. Nolan, J. Garvey and E. Doyle Electric Light staff. Referred to Electric Light Committee
W. McEllan Referred to General Purposes Committee.

R. Guthbert. Referred to General Purposes Committee.

J. Scaggs. Referred to Harbour Committee.

- 2634 Letter dated 3rd Feby 1913 from Hon Secretary Father Healy Nursing Association asking use of Town Hall for annual meeting on 13th or 14th Inst
Granted

- 2635 Letter dated 3rd February 1913 from Mr Geo. Price stating that a deputation from golf club would wait on Council in re proposed widening of portion of Ravenswell Road. Read.

Messrs Geo Price and Baker attended and explained that the golf club would be willing to give the necessary ground for the widening of the road on condition that an unbreakable fence would be built at the place and a tide valve fixed on sewer at Ravenswell Road.

The matter was referred to Mr McCarthy.

- 2636 Statement of Dividend (£13. 5. 4) on Council's holding in Bank of Ireland Stock submitted. Received and lodged

- 2637 Letter from Recording Secretary Ancient Order of Hibernians in reference to sale of immoral Sunday papers outside in the streets on Sundays.

Referred to Law Agent for his advice as regards Council's powers to

prevent the sale of papers. Copy of Mr Moey's letter to be sent to police.

- 2638 Completed Fidelity Bond of the guarantee Society in reference to Mr B. Neill Kent Collector submitted.
Bond accepted

- 2639 Circular from Board of Trade in re Foreign War Ships. Left on table.

- 2640 Hay and Straw Order 1913 submitted
Left on table.

- 2641 Letter from Miss K. Scott asking that concrete path in Florence Road be extended as far as the Art Furniture Industry premises. Referred to Overseer for report.

- 2641a Councillor Rooney handed in notice of motion for next meeting in re providing in next estimate of Rates for the laying of several crossings.

- 2642 Application from Mr J. E. Grupper to have his premises 6 Goldsmith Terrace registered for the keeping of mixed explosives. Referred to Explosives Inspector.

James McCarthy
Chairman
18th February 1913.

A meeting of Bray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Bray at 8 pm, on Tuesday 18th February 1913.

Present:-

Councillor James M. Magee M.P.
(in chair)
" Joseph W. Reigh M.P.
" W. M. Rooney
" Patrick J. Dunne
" Thomas Dempsey
" M. Mackey
" John Bergin
" James J. Moran
" James J. Scannell J.P.
" John Traynor
" Hugh T. O'Carroll
" Ayles Byrne.

2643 The minutes of meeting of 4th Feb., 1913 were read and confirmed.

2644 Pursuant to notice of motion Councillor Rooney proposed and Councillor Traynor seconded:-

That the necessary cost of laying a number of granite or other crossings at Albert Avenue, Queensboro' Road opposite Post Office and Car Stand and Novara Avenue leading from Novara Terrace opposite Lis-na-bin also opposite Strand Stores, be included in next Estimate of Rates.

Passed unanimously

2645 Pursuant to advertisement tenders for tiling work at Electricity Works in accordance with specification of Engineer from:-

H. Leathope and Son	£146. 3. 6
Mr George Byrne	70. 0. 0
M. Sweeney and Lawler	62. 10. 0
Mr John Carroll	82. 10. 0

Councillor O'Carroll proposed and Councillor Reigh seconded:-

That the lowest tender (Messrs M. Sweeney and Lawler's) be accepted at £62. 10. 0.

Passed unanimously

2646 Letter dated 6th Feby., 1913 from Mr J. J. L. Murphy in re sale of immoral Sunday Papers & letters from District Inspector and Mr D. H. Donnelly in same matter, submitted Postponed.

2647 Letter from Mr Bradshaw and letter from Mr H. Chidley, Solicitor, re Goole's holding in Curcell's Terrace. Referred to Public Health Committee.

2648 Letter dated 4th February 1913 from Mr P. A. McPartly, in reference to plans submitted by Mr Plunkett for new shops in Albert Walk: no specification had been supplied and no 10 was to be built over an existing sewer which could not be sanctioned: the plans had been returned to Mr Plunkett for amendment. Postponed.

2649 Reports from Sergeant Seator regarding the registration Mr John E. Griffin's premises at 6 Goldsmith Terrace and Mr R. E. Ryan's premises 32 Main Street Bray for the keeping of mixed explosives. Read - Premises to be registered.

2650 Letter from Mr Andrew White re Michael White's car licences. Referred to General Purposes Committee.

2651 Letter dated 10th Feby 1913 from Mr W. J. Lawler making following suggestion in re messrs Birrells Bickerton and Day's &c, viz: - That firm's erector should stay with at the works one month after new set is running, the firm to give the service of their man free in consideration of Council agreeing to abandon any claim for damages owing to non-completion of their contract by specified date.

Read: - Mr Lawler's suggestion to be complied with.

2652 Letter dated 10th Feby 1913 from Mr P. J. Murphy enclosing Bill of Costs amounting to £67 17. 9 together with requisition to tax for sealing.

It was ordered that requisition be sealed and that Mr Craig, solicitor, should represent Council at taxation.

2653 Report from Electrical Engineer re failure of Strand lighting
Read

2654 Letter dated 11th Feby 1913 from Messrs Shields and Murray enclosing agreement in duplicate for sealing in re Council's undertaking to pay proportion of costs in re Omagh Railway Rating Case.

It was ordered that agreement be sealed.

2655 Letter from Countess of Aberdeen suggesting holding of a health week in Bray. Referred to Public Health Committee.

2656 Importation (Sheep from Scotland) Order of 1913. Left on table.

2657 Letter dated 8th Feby 1913 from Messrs Watkins Jameson and Pin in re damage likely to result to foundations of their mill house by discharge of water from Council's sluice gates, and report from Mr Lawler stating that the necessary work could not be done until the summer when the river is low. Read and noted.

2658 Copy of sealed Order dated 24th January 1913 from National Health Insurance Commission. Left on table.

2659 Letter dated 11th Feby 1913 from Mr Gordan re stone throwing at Fairgreen and letter from District Inspector stating that Police were attending to matter. Read and noted.

2660 letter from Mr S. B. Lett am 22 stating that Lord Meath would be willing to give the necessary land at Ravenswell for proposed widening of that portion of Ravenswell Rd running alongside railway provided he was put to no cost re conveyance of land etc.

Read - Copy of correspondence to be sent to Railway Co.

2661 Correspondence with Norwich Union Insurance Co., re Mr. Lawler's claim.

Read, and noted.

2662 Application from J Salmon for increase of wages. Referred to Harbour Committee.

Application from 20 labourers for increase in wages of 1/- per week. Referred to General Purposes Committee.

Councillor Mackey handed in notice of motion in matter.

2663 Letter dated 15th February 1913 from Miss Margaret Breuer re dangerous turning at Lattice Cottage corner of Sand Road and suggesting the rounding off of footpath at near Box.

The Overseer suggested the setting up of a motor danger sign at corner adjoining Lattice Cottage.

Read - automobile association to be asked to supply some danger signs.

2664 Report dated 18th Feb 1913 from Overseer stating that to extend concrete path on Florence Road as far as Bray art Furniture Industry premises would cost £ 1. 10. 6. Read. Work to be done.

2665 Letter dated 18th Feb 1913 from Mr John B Buckley asking use of Town Hall on 26th Feb for lecture on Canada Refused.

2666 It was ordered that Water Inspector should report if any additional hydrants are being provided or are necessary on new water main.

Jane ~~McAuley~~
Clarkson

1 March 1913.

a meeting of Bray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Bray at 8/30 pm on Tuesday 4th March 1913.

Present :-

Councillor James M Magee 28.
(in chair)
" Joseph W Keigh 28.
" W M Rooney
" Thomas Dempsey
" Malachy Mackey
" James Archer
" John Bergin
" Myles Byrne
" Patrick J Dunne
" Hugh T O'Carroll.

2669 The minutes of meeting of 18th Feb 1913 were read and confirmed.

2670 The report of meeting of general Purposes and Finance Committee of 26th February 1913 was adopted on the motion of Councillor O'Carroll seconded by Councillor Dunne.

2671 Councillor Mackey moved and Councillor Rooney seconded the adoption of report of Electric Light Committee of 28th Feb 1913.

Councillor O'Carroll moved and Councillor Dempsey seconded as an amendment:-

"That report be adopted paragraph 1601 being deleted and matter re applications for increases of salary referred back to committee" There voted for the amendment

Councillors Dunne, Dempsey, O'Carroll, Keigh, Magee (5) against Councillors Rooney, Mackey, Byrne, Archer, Bergin (5). The chairman gave his casting vote in favour of the amendment.

On the amendment being put as a substantive motion there voted:-

"For" Councillors Dunne, Rooney, Dempsey, Mackey, Archer, O'Carroll, Keigh Magee (8) against Councillors Byrne and Bergin (2)

2672 Councillor Byrne moved and Councillor Archer seconded the adoption of report of meeting of markets and Fairs Committee of 25th February 1913. Carried unanimously

2673 Pursuant to notice of motion Councillor Mackey moved and Councillor Dempsey seconded:-

"That the wages of those workmen applying for increase of wages be increased by one shilling per week from 1st April next, and that all resolutions dealing with increases of salary being passed or disposed of in the month of February be rescinded in so far as they relate or refer to those workmen's applications."

Carried unanimously.

2674 Letter dated 28th February 1913 from Secretary D and S.E. Railway Company in re Sticney diversion stating that they could not undertake to widen portion of Ravenswee Road unless the council would be prepared to defray cost which

was estimated at £500. Read.

- 2675 Report dated 1st March 1913 from Mr P. H. McCarthy re application of Dublin artisans Dwelling Co., for approval to plan showing railing proposed to be erected on portion of concrete platform in front of Maitland Cottages, and for a path on flank of no 2 cottage in continuation of the Maitland Street path. Mr McCarthy saw no objection to railing but it should be kept further back the curb so as to leave a path of 3 ft. 6 ins. clear. He did not approve of path as proposed.

Referred to Little Bray Councillors to inspect site with Mr McCarthy and report to next meeting of Council.

- 2676 Draft from Board of Works for £500 in re Watermans loan.

Ordered: - Draft to be signed and lodged to credit of ^{new} Watermans &c.

- 2677 Letter from Board of Works stating that Council's application for second instalment on account of loan of £10000 sanctioned for housing scheme had been forwarded for recommendation of Local Government Board, and circular from Local Govt Board enclosing forms for completion in matter. Read - Forms completed and returned to Local Govt. Board.

- 2678 applications for further instalments of housing and Watermans loans,

submitted. Signed.

- 2679 The Commissioner of Valuation wrote forwarding revised valuation lists. Left on table.

- 2680 The minutes of meeting of Technical Instruction Committee of 24th Feb., 1913, were left on table.

- 2681 Letter dated 4th March 1913 from Mr R. B. Knox applying for one years leave of absence from Electricity Works. from 2nd April 1913. Read - Engagement to be terminated on 2nd April 1913.

- 2682 Circular dated 22nd February 1913 from Hon Secretary Association of Municipal Authorities of Ireland asking Council to pass a resolution in favour of state aid for municipal Housing Schemes.

Councillor Reigh proposed and Councillor O'Carroll seconded:-

That we the Bray Urban District Council desire to impress on H. M. Govt. the urgent necessity that exists for providing money for schemes of housing under the Housing of the Working Classes Acts on terms similar to those under the Factories Acts and that copies of this resolution be sent to Prime Minister the Chancellor of the Exchequer, the Chief Secretary for Ireland, Mr John Redmond M. P. and Captain Donelan M. P.

Passed unanimously

2683 Letters dated 20th and 22nd Feb., from the manager automobile association stating that he would call out to Bray in re "Danger" signs required
Read.

2684 Letter dated 18th February 1913 from Mr P. O'Daly general secretary Gaelic League inviting council to take part in gaelic Demonstration on 17th March. Read - any Councillor desirous to attend Demonstration

2685 Letter dated 1st March 1913 from Mr Louis Monks forwarding Cover note for £6 000. 0.0 re Fire Insurance on Workmens Dwellings. Read.

2686 Letter dated 3rd March 1913 from Mr J. E. Charley Cheshire Lines Committee re tourist bookings from Manchester etc to Bray. Read.

2687 Letter from Mr J. McElwee asking permission to draw sand from mill race. Referred to Overseer for report.

2688 Letter dated 3rd March 1913 from Mr J. McElwee stating that he had been asked to quote for freight etc., on cement and bricks in connection with railway and asking to be favoured with a special rate for dues on cement and bricks, also charge for use of shed at Harbour for temporary storing cement etc.

Ordered:- Cement to be charged at 6d per ton. Bricks to be charged at

8d per 1000. Shed to be charged for at 1d per ton per day.

2689 Letter dated 4th March 1913 from Mr P. H. McCarthy approving of plans submitted by Mr Plunkett for erection of four shops in Albert Walk. Plans approved Letter from Mr Plunkett asking to have water main extended in Albert Walk. Referred to Water Inspector for report.

2690 Draft for £52. 8. 10 being final instalment in re Harbour grant. Received and lodged.

2691 Letter dated 4th Feb 1913 from Mr T. Scrags making application for small remuneration for collection of Harbour Dues and toces. Referred to Harbour Committee.

2692 Application from J. Salmon for increase of wages. Referred to Harbour Committee.

2693 Letter from Mr P. Mulligan in reference to stone ware pipes he had for sale. Referred to Overseer for report.

2694 Application from members of Electric Light Staff. Referred to Electric Light Committee.

2695 Councilor Magee handed in notice of motion for next meeting to the effect that the 50% rate charged on coal imported via Bray Harbour be increased to 70% or 7d per ton.

2696 Councillor Magee moved and Councillor Rooney seconded:-

"That we the members of Bray urban council have learned with deep regret of the death of our esteemed townsmen and former colleague the late Mr. T. Conran who was for three years chairman of the council and we hereby tender to his wife and brother our hearty sympathy in their sad bereavement"

Passed in silence the Council standing.

*James M Magee
Chairman
18 March 1913*

2667 A Special meeting of Bray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Bray at 8³⁰ pm on Tuesday 4th March 1913 pursuant to following requisition:-

Bray 26th February 1913

The Clerk

Bray Urban Council.

Please convene a Special meeting of Bray Urban District Council to be held in the Town Hall Bray on Tuesday 4th March 1913 for the purpose of considering estimate of Poor Rates for year ending 31st March 1914 and taking such action in reference thereto as may seem advisable.

Signed:-

John Bergin

Thomas Dempsey

B. H. Doyle

J. W. Reigh

James Archer

Present:-

Councillor James M Magee (in chair)
 " Joseph W Reigh
 " W. M. Rooney
 " Thomas Dempsey
 " Malachy Mackey
 " James Archer
 " John Bergin
 " Myles Byrne
 " Patrick J. Dunn
 " Hugh T. O'Carroll.

The requisition and notice convening meeting were read.

Councillor Reigh proposed and Councillor Magee seconded :-

That having considered statement and estimate of Poor Rates as submitted for year ending 31st March 1914 we hereby adopt same so as to make Poor Rate for said period two shillings ^{and six pence} in the £ and order that notice of intention to make said Rate at a special meeting to be held on 1st April 1913 be published as required by law."

Passed unanimously.

Jewry Maggs
Chairman
18 March 1913.

A meeting of Bray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Bray at 8pm. on Tuesday 18th March 1913

Present

Councillors James M. Maggs J. P. (in chair)
Hugh T. O'Carroll
William M. Rooney
Thomas Dennehy
Nyles Byrne
Malachy Mackey
" John Bergin

2696 The minutes of meeting of 4th March 1913 were read and confirmed

2697 It was ordered that the following letter received from Mrs Condren be inserted on the minutes, viz:-

Castle Street
Bray. 11. 3. 13

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The Chairman & Gentlemen. Bray Urban District Council
Gentlemen,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 4th inst passing a vote of sympathy with me and my brother in law in the recent sad event of my husband's death.

I heartily thank you for your kind expressions of sympathy.

Yours faithfully
(Sd) A. Condren.

2698 Pursuant to notice of motion, Councillor Maggs moved and Councillor O'Carroll seconded :-

"That pursuant to powers conferred by section 30 of the Harbours, Docks, and Piers Clauses Act 1847, and the Bray Township Act 1866 to 1895, we hereby order, That the 50% rate charged on coal imported via Bray Harbour be increased to 70% or 8d per ton"

Passed

- 2699 Acknowledgment of Council's resolution in re State aid for Housing Schemes in Urban Districts were received from the Prime Minister, Chancellor of Exchequer, Chief Secretary for Ireland, Mr John Redmond M.P. and Captain Donelan M.P.
Read and noted.

- 2700 Report dated 14th March 1913, from Mr McCarthy T.S. in re plans of Artizans Dwellings, to fit railings in portion of the platform in front of Raikland Cottages stating that he with Councillors Dempsey and Bergin and Mr Hickey representing the Artizans Dwellings, Coy, had inspected the place. His recommendation which had the approval of Sub Committee was that a path 3' 6" wide should be left and that there should be no encroachment on narrow lane way at head of Raikland St. and that sharp corner should be taken off platform so as to give easy access to road in front, from laneway.

Report adopted.

- 2701 Letter dated 6th March 1913 from Mr J. N. Collier stating that he considered charge for storage at Harbour excessive and offering 10/-^{per week} for use of shed. Read:-

Previous order in matter to be adhered to

- 2702 Letter dated 10th March 1913 from Hon Secretaries Irish National Teachers Congress inviting Council to attend Public Meeting to be held in Mansion House on 25th Inst. Read. Invitation accepted.
- 2703 Letter from Mr S. P. John re stables at rear of Norman House. Referred to Public Health Committee.
- 2704 Letter dated 13th March 1913 from Mr A. Fleming asking permission to give Gramophone Concerts on Bray Head Park. Granted during pleasure of Council.
- 2705 Letter dated 4th March 1913 from Mr Victor Vernon asking permission to give entertainments on Esplanade during Summer months. Refused.
- 2706 Letter from Mr Murphy Solicitor enclosing certificate of taxation of his Bill of Lading. Referred to Finance Committee.
- 2707 Report from Overseer stating that he and Electrical Engineer intended using sand in Hill Race for Councils purposes, and also reporting that he saw no advantage in purchasing 9" from Mr Mulligan. Read and noted.
- 2708 Letter from Mr Thomas O'Reilly asking that bushes on Esplanade opposite Grand Hotel be trimmed. Mr Scrivens reported that other people in the neighbourhood objected to the

cutting of trees.

Ordered:- Bushes to be pruned

- 2709 Letter dated 14th March 1913 from Yorkshires Insurance Company, asking for share in Councils Fire Insurance. Referred to General Purposes Committee. Quotations to be invited from other Companies.
- 2710 Letter dated 11th March 1913 from Mr. E Lawless applying for employment in Councils Electricity Works. Referred to Electrical Engineers for report.
- 2711 Letter dated 14th March from Mr. P. McCarthy stating that he had sent Local Government Board certified copies of plans and specifications approved by them in re Watermains and Workmen's Dwellings Contract. Read and noted. A report was read from Mr. McCarthy in re advisability of cleaning Watermains. Read. - Mr. McCarthy to inspect pipes and report to General Purposes Committee.
- 2712 Letter from Local Government Board in re cost of obtaining an order limiting speed of Motor Cars in Bray. Adjourmed.
- 2713 Letter dated 12th March 1913 from Mr Andrew White asking to have Car Licenses standing in his name transferred to Michael White. Read.
- 2714 Report dated 12th March 1913 from

Water Inspector stating that cost of extending Water Main in Albert Walk to Mr. Plunkett's new Shop would be £2. 17. 0

Read

Mr. Plunkett's application to have Main extended refused.

- 2715 Letter dated 4th March 1913 from Mr. G. F. Grey asking Council to extend Water Main to Miss Murphy's houses at Bray Head or to defray portion of the expense. Refused.

- 2716 The following transfers of Bray Township 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ % Redeemable Debenture Stock were approved and certificates sealed and issued:-

From Messrs Smith & King to Mr. Hon. J. A. Dawson	= 100
" " " J. F. Dawson } 50	
" " " R. C. Stokes } 50	
" " " James Brennan 100	

- 2717 Circular dated 10th March 1913 from Secretary Local Government Board forwarding order for payment of the sum of £25. 15. 0 being balance in respect of the amount paid as salaries to Sanitary Officers. Received & lodged.

- 2718 Letter from Surgeon Kennedy in re his account in connection with accident to Mr. Fowler. Referred to Electric Light Committee.

- 2719 Letter from Mr. Fowler in re his Workmen's Compensation Claim. Referred to Electric Light Committee.

27/9 Proposed by Councillor James M. Mages
Seconded by " John Haynor

" That the following amounts be transferred from undermentioned Accounts to Consolidated Loans Fund Account to form Banking Fund for redemption of Bray Township 3½% of Redeemable Debenture Stock viz:-

No		Contributory Accounts			
	Amount	General	Harbour	Electric	Total
1	Consolidated				
10	See 25 Bray	35,460			
9	Ack. 95				
11	Consolidating Paths	1,818			
12	Sea Wall	1,500			
12A	" "	350			
13	Paid in Advance	2,546			
16	Shore Divers	2,424			
17	New Impregnates	1,847			
18	Artigians Divers	3,643			
20	"	11,500			
22		6,000	382	18.8	
1	Consolidated				
10	Under See 5 Bray	30,000			
9	Ack. 95				
10	Harbour 95 Dec	14,600			
10A	"	303	340	8.3	
14	Electric	2,782			
15	"	4,954			
19	"	6,643			
23	"	1,110	133	0.9	11,567.8

Passed unanimously

Proposed by Councillor James M. Mages
Seconded by " John Haynor

" That the sum of £350 be transferred from General Account to Harbour Account on account of Harbour Rate for year ending 31st March 1913"
Passed unanimously

Proposed by Councillor James M. Mages
Seconded by " John Haynor

" That the sum of £300 be transferred from General Account to Electricity Works Account to meet extra expenditure consequent on Explosion at E.L. Works, increased price of Cargo of Coal, and delay in erection of New Diesel Engine
Passed unanimously

Proposed by Councillor James M. Mages
Seconded by " John Haynor

" That the sum of £164.5.10 be transferred from Harbours Account to General Account being refund of payment in respect of Income Tax &c as follows:-

Year 1912-13

1/2 Year ended 30.6.12	£8.17.10
1/2 " " 31.12.12	£8.17.10
	97.15.8

Less Amount paid direct to Income Tax Authorities as per Assessment

30.3.2
64.12.6

Collector's Commission on £1,000 Star Rate @ 4d

16.13.4
84.5.10

Proportion of Clerical Expenses

80.0.0
£ 164.5.10

Passed unanimously

Proposed by Councillor James M. Wages
 Seconded by " John Haynor
 " That the sum of £160.00 be
 transferred from Post Rate Account to
 General Account for cost of preparation
 of Rate Books, Blocking, Clerical
 Expenses &c

Passed unanimously

Proposed by Councillor James M. Wages
 Seconded by " John Haynor
 " That a Paying Order for £1861.5.4
 be lodged with Hibernian Bank
 as against documents for investment in
 authorized securities to form Sinking
 Fund necessary for redemption of
 monies borrowed under the Gray
 Township Act.

	General	Harbour	Electric	Total
Opposition of Dividends on Sinking Fund Investments in Land and not applied	306 8 1	224 17	173 12 7	704 17 8
Contributions from Account to make up amount which should be in Sinking Fund at end of year as per previous resolution	582 18 8	340 8 3	433 0 9	1156 7 8
	689 6 9	565 5 3	606 13 4	1861 5 4

and the Chairman and Clerk to the
 Council are hereby authorized to arrange
 with Mr. P. W. Tunney Stockbroker for
 investment of above mentioned sum.

Passed unanimously

2720 Quotations for purchase of New Diesel
 Engine were submitted from :-

National Boats & General Insurance Co. £600. £58.0.0
 London & Lancashire Insurance Co. £600. £36.0.0
 Mr. Bowler recommended acceptance
 of tender of London & Lancashire Insurance

Co. Ordered - New Diesel Engine to be purchased with
 London and Lancashire, bus to cost £400 at £36 per annum
 Policy to be sent to Electric Light Committee for approval.

2721 Letter from Mr. J. J. L. Murphy, Solicitor
 in re lease of Mrs. Bathurst bank at river
 to Council. Referred to General
 Purposes Committee.

2722 Letter from Mr. R. Gathert reporting several
 persons for selling fish on public footpath
 in Main St.

Read. Parties to be
 prosecuted. Mr. Murphy Solicitor to appear
 on behalf of Council.

2723 Letter dated 18th March 1913 from Captain
 W. J. Bombe Royal Humane Society asking
 Council to arrange for presentation of
 testimonial to Mr. F. Harold Clarke for
 saving life of Gentleman who got into
 difficulties while bathing.

Ordered - Captain W. J. Bombe
 to be informed that Council will be pleased
 to arrange for presentation at meeting to
 be held on 1st April.

2724 Letter from caretaker Town Hall re

Blinds required for Town Hall Windows.
Estimates to be procured.

- 2725 The Poor Rate Collector submitted list of
Irrecoverable Rates etc.
To be forwarded to Local Government
Board.

James A. Doyle
Chairman
1st April 1913

A Special meeting of Bray Urban District Council
was held in the Town Hall Bray at 8pm. on
Tuesday 1st April 1913 pursuant to the following
requisition viz:

Bray 27th March 1913

To the Clerks

Bray Urban District Council

Please convene a Special Meeting of Bray
Urban District Council to be held in the Town
Hall Bray at 8pm. on Tuesday 1st April 1913,⁴
for the purpose of striking Poor Rates for year
ending 31st March 1913, and to do all matters
having reference thereto.

Signed:-

Malachy Mackey
Joseph W. Reigh
Hugh T. O'Carroll
Thomas Dempsey
William M. Rooney.

Present:-

Councillor James M. Magee J.P (in chair)
William M. Rooney
James J. Moran
James J. Scannell J.P.
Thomas Dempsey
James Becker
Patrick J. Dunne
John Taylor
Joseph W. Reigh J.P.
Hugh T. O'Carroll
Myles Byrne
Malachy Mackey

- 2726 The requisition and notice convening meeting
were read.

2727 Councillor H. T. O'Carroll proposed and Councillor Reigh seconded:-

"That pursuant to the provisions of the Local Government (Ireland) Act 1898 to 1902, the Local Government Orders thereunder, the Poor Law (Ireland) Act, and the other Acts and Orders having reference thereto and the Estimates of the County of Wicklow County Council on Bray Urban District dated 25th February 1913, and in the manner prescribed or authorized in said Acts and Orders, we, the Bray Urban District Council, hereby make the following Poor Rate for the services of the year ending 31st March 1914, to be levied on all rateable property within the Urban District of Bray, viz:-

"A General Poor Rate of two shillings in the pound, whereof twelve pence in the £ is in respect of County Charges, and twelve pence in the £ is in respect of Union Charges." That the said Rate shall be payable in two installments, on the 1st April 1913, and on the 1st October 1913, and that notice of having made the said rates be published as required by law.

Passed unanimously.

2728. Councillor O'Carroll proposed and Councillor Rooney seconded:-

"That the Poor Rate Collector Warrant be sealed and signed and delivered to Mr Paul P. Mulcahy"

Passed unanimously.

2729 Letter dated 31st March from Mr P. Mulcahy applying for an increase of 1d in the £

in his commission, as owing to reduction in Poor Rates his income would be considerably decreased.

Councillor Dempsey proposed and Councillor Dunn seconded:-

"That Mr Mulcahy's remuneration for the coming year be 6d in the £ for collection of Poor Rate"

Councillor Moran proposed and Councillor Scannell seconded as an amendment

"That the remuneration be the same as last year" Were voted for the amendment Councillors Moran and Scannell (2) Against Councillors O'Carroll, Reigh, Byrne, Mackey, Dempsey, Doher, Rooney, Dunn, Faynor and Magee. (10)

The original motion was put and carried Councillors Scannell and Moran ~~were~~ voting against

*Jan 24 1913
Chairman*

15 April 1913

A meeting of Bray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Bray at 8 pm, on Tuesday 1st April 1913.

Present:-

Councillor James M. Magee J.P. (in chair)
 William H. Rooney
 James J. Moran
 James J. Scannell J.P.
 Thomas Dempsey
 James Archer
 Patrick J. Dunne
 John Haynes
 Joseph W. Reigh J.P.
 Hugh T. O'Carroll
 Myles Byrne
 Malachy Mackey

2730. The minutes of meeting of 18th March 1913 were read and confirmed.

- 2730a Councillor O'Carroll moved and Councillor Magee seconded:-

"That we the Bray Urban District Council have learned with deep regret of the death of the Rt Hon the Earl of Pembroke and we desire to convey to the Dowager Countess of Pembroke, the present Earl and his family our condolences and sympathy with them in their bereavement"

Passed in silence the Council standing.

- 2731 Councillor O'Carroll moved and Councillor Haynes seconded:-

"That report of meeting of General Purposes and Finance Committee of 25th March 1913 be adopted"

Councillor Reigh proposed and Councillor Mackey seconded:-

"That report be adopted, paragraph 2943 being amended as follows:-

"That Five Insurance be divided between Hibernian, Patriotic, London Lancashire and Fine Art and General Insurance Company"

There voted for the amendment Councillors Reigh, Byrne, Mackey, Dempsey, Archer & Magee (6) Against Councillors O'Carroll, Scannell, Rooney, Dunne, Haynes (5) Councillor Moran did not vote.

Councillor Scannell moved as a further amendment and Councillor Moran seconded:-

"That the whole Insurance be given to the Hibernian Insurance Company"

There voted for the amendment Councillors Moran and Scannell (2) Against Councillors O'Carroll, Reigh, Byrne, Mackey, Dempsey, Archer, Rooney, Dunne, Haynes and Magee (10)

The amendment being lost Councillor Reigh's amendment was put as a substantive motion and carried.

2733. On the motion of Councillor Archer seconded by Councillor Dempsey the report of meeting of Harbour Committee of 25th March 1913 was adopted.

2734. The report of meeting of Electric Light Committee of 25th March 1913 was adopted on the motion of Councillor Haynes seconded by Councillor Dunne.

2735. The Chairman presented testimonial from Royal Humane Society to Mr F. Harold Clarke, which read as follows:-

"That F. Harold Clarke is justly entitled to the Honorary Testimonial of this

Society inscribed on vellum which is hereby awarded him for having on 24th October 1912, gone to the rescue of Thomas Reside who was in imminent danger of drowning in the sea at Bray and whose life he gallantly saved."

- 2736 Tenders for supply of General Stores for ensuing year were referred to Town Clerk for report.
- 2737 Tenders for supply of Electric Light Stores were referred to Electrical Engineer for report.
- 2738 Tenders for Printing Stationery etc for ensuing three years. Referred to Town Clerk for report.
- 2739 Tenders for winding of Town Hall Clock. Referred to General Purposes Committee.
- 2740 Letter from London Lancashire Insurance Co. covering insurance of New Diesel Engine. Read and noted.
- 2741 Letter from Mr P Tunney enclosing Contract notes in re Sinking Fund Investments. Read and noted.
- 2742 Letter dated 14th March 1913, from Hon Sec Association of Municipal Authorities of Ireland asking how many copies of report of the conference the Council would require. Ordered:- One copy to be purchased

- 2743 Dividends on Council's holdings in various Stocks were received as follows:-
Penbrook Township Stock £42: 7: 9
Rathmines Stock 48: 0: 0

Belfast Dock 21: 10: 6
Received & Lodged

- 2744 Circular dated 21st February 1913 from Clerk, Killarney Rural District Council enclosing copy of resolution relating to competitive examinations for clerkships on Great Southern and Western Railway which they asked the Council to adopt.

Councillor Scannell proposed and Councillor Maggs seconded

"That we regret to find the Chairman of the Great Southern and Western Railway Company stating at the last half-yearly Meeting of the Shareholders that the Directors contemplated altering the system of open competitive examination for clerkships in their service, that in the interests of fair play we earnestly request the Directors of the Company to refrain from adopting a course which could only be construed as an attempt to keep the nationalists child out of the service"

Passed

- 2745 Letter dated 26th March 1913 from Sister M. A. Bowater St Vincent's Hospital in re account in connection with Mr Hawker's accident. Councillor Moran proposed and Councillor Maggs seconded:-

"That the account be paid subject to approval of Local Government Board"

Passed.

- 2746 Letter dated 19th March 1913, from Secretary Local Government Board, acknowledging receipt of certified copies of the plans etc in re Workmen's Dwellings and Watermains

- Wans Read noted
- 2747 Letter dated 24th March 1913, from Secretary Local Government Board stating that they had recommended the Commissioners of Public Works to issue a further instalment of £2,000 re Workmen's Dwellings Loan
Read noted
- 2748 Correspondence with Secretary County Council Wicklow re cost of proposed Order limiting speed of Motor Cars in Bray. Read
A letter was read from Town Clerk Carrickfergus stating that his Council had paid direct to Local Government Board for a similar order.
Read - Town Clerk to communicate with County Council with view to having cost of proposed Order made a County at Large charge.
- 2749 Letter dated 31st March 1913 from Commissioners of Valuation asking that any appeals against the revised Valuation Lists should be forwarded to them at once
Read noted.
- 2750 Report from Inspector Cuthbert re fish sellers in Main Street
Read - Town Clerk to communicate with District Inspector. Summonses under Council's Bye-laws to be taken out against Bridget Earls, Mary Kinsella and Christopher Foley and all others who infringe the bye-laws.
Mr Murphy Solicitor to appear on behalf of Council
- 2751 The minutes of meeting of Technical Instruction Committee of 31st March 1913 were left on table

James Magee
Chairman
15 April 1913.

A Special Meeting of Bray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Bray at 8pm on Tuesday 15th April 1913 pursuant to following requisition viz:-

Bray 11th April 1913

J. H. Clark

Bray Urban District Council

Please convene a Special Meeting of Bray Urban District Council to be held in the Town Hall Bray at 8pm, on Tuesday 15th April 1913 to consider Estimates of Town Rates for year ending 31st March 1914 and take such other action in reference thereto as may seem advisable

Signed:-

James Archer
Malachy Mackey
Joseph W. Reigh
Hugh T. O'Carroll
John Bergin.

Present:-

Councillor James N. Magee J.P. (in chair)
John Graynor
William M. Rooney
P. J. Dunne
Thomas Dempsey
Malachy Mackey
Myles Byrne
James Archer
James Moran
John Bergin
T. P. Bradshaw
James Scannell J.P.

The requisition and notice convening meeting were read.

The Estimate of Rates for year ending 31st March 1913 and Statement of assets and liabilities at 31st March 1913 were submitted.

Councillor Magee moved and Councillor Scannell seconded.

'That Special meeting be called for 22nd Inst, to consider Estimate of Rates and that Special Meeting be called to revise and adapt rate on 29th Inst.'

Passed

Wm B Rooney
6/5/13

A Meeting of Bray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Bray at 8 pm on Tuesday 15th April 1913.

Present:-

Councillor James N. Magee J.P. (in chair)
John Traynor
William M Rooney
P. J. Dunne
Thomas Dempsey
Malachy Mackey
Myles Byrne
James O'Brien
James Moran
John Bergin
T. P. Bradshaw
James J. Scannell J.P.

2755 The minutes of meeting and special meeting of 1st April 1913 were read and confirmed

2756 It was ordered that the following letters be inserted on the minutes viz:-

Wilton House
Salisbury April 11th 1913

Dear Mr MacDonnell

Will you thank most
gatfully the Bray Urban District
Council for their kind words of help
and sympathy to me and my children
in our great sorrow. It has helped us
very much to bear this great grief.

I thank you also
yourself so much.

Yours very truly
(Sd) Beatrice Pembroke

Wilton House,
Salisbury.

Dear Sir,

Will you please convey to the
Bray Urban District Council the warmest
thanks of my brother and myself, for
their kind resolution of sympathy in
our sad loss.

Yours faithfully
(Sd) Pembroke

- 2757 Pursuant to advertisements tenders were received for Painting Workmens Buildings and fixing new Weatherboards in accordance with specification of Mr P McCarthy. P.E.
from :-

Mr J. Rockford £119 : 0 : 0
Chas Harris 45 : 0 : 0
Wm Browns 42 : 0 : 0

Councillor O'Carroll proposed and Councillor Rooney seconded:-

That the tender of Mr W Browns be accepted at £42 : 0 : 0

Passed.

- 2758 It was ordered that seal of Council be affixed to transfer of £300. Belfast Corporation 3½% Stock from Algernon H. Mackworth Praed to Bray Urban Council

- 2759 Letter dated 9th April 1913 from Mr J.J. Murphy, Solicitor, re cost of preparation of ~~out~~ of lease of Mrs Buthbert's bank at river.
Adjourned.

- 2760 Letter dated 11th April 1913 from Mr McPhail Gray Herald asking for share of Council's

advertisements.

On the motion of Councillor Scannell seconded by Councillor Bradshaw it was ordered that advertisements be given to Gray Herald in turn.

- 2761 Letter dated 12th April 1913 from Mr J Craig stating that as he gathered from newspaper and reports of meetings of the Council and from what he heard generally that the Council had ceased to regard him as their Solicitor and had given their business to another firm, he held himself at liberty to act against the Council in any case in which he might be asked to do so. He returned any original documents in his possession in connection with Bradshaw v Council^{100/-}, and the D. & S. & Railway Co v Council Nos 1, 2 and 3.

Read noted

- 2762 Letter from Mr R. F. Heron stating that to entitle the Council to membership of Association of Municipal Authorities it would be necessary for the Council to purchase copies of the reports of the conferences to the value of £2 : 2 : 0

Read. Council to join Association and to purchase copies of reports up to £2 : 2 : 0

- 2763 Letter dated April 3rd 1913 from Mr J Murphy Solicitor stating that as directed he had instituted proceedings against C. Foley, Bridget Earls and Mary Kinsella in re fish selling.
read

Letter dated 14th April 1913 from Mr H. J. D. Maloney D.I. stating that it was not his intention to give the police any instructions.

to deal with the fish sellers. Read - Mr. Malone's attention to be called to his duties under the Towns Improvement Act and requested to perform same.

Letter from Mr. Patrick Doyle on same subject

Postponed.

2764. Letter dated 9th April 1913 from Mr. C. J. McEvine Secretary County Council Wicklow acknowledging receipt of Council's letter re Motor Car Order which would be attended to. Read and adjourned.

2765. Report dated 31st March 1913 from Mr. Fowler in re Fowler's application, stating that there was no vacancy at present but if a suitable vacancy occurred he would be pleased to recommend him. Read.

2766. Statement of £5. 15. 4 Dividend on Council's holding in Belfast Corporation Stock submitted. Received Lodged.

2767. Letter dated 2nd April 1913 from Mr. J. J. Moran enclosing Bill of Costs amounting to £5. 3. 5 incurred in case of Kirwan v County Council of Wicklow.

Ordered: Mr. Murphy to moderate costs same to be paid on moderation subject to approval of the Local Government Board.

2768. Letter dated 15th April 1913 from Secretary Public Library Committee forwarding copy of resolution asking Council to transfer to library Committee £300 lying in Bank.

Postponed

2769. Report on tenders for General Stores, Winding Town Hall Clock and Printing.

Referred to General Purposes Committee

- Report from Mr. Bowles on tenders for Electrical Stores. Referred to Electric Light Committee

2770. Plans of new Motor House at Glendare King Edward Road. Referred to Mr. McCarthy for report.

2771. Letter from Mr. M. Hollingsworth asking for increase of wages similar to other men. Read.

2772. Letter dated 15th April 1913 from Miss C. Humphries asking permission to have a Tobacco Stall on Esplanade.

On the motion of Councillor Scannell seconded by Councillor Barron, permission was granted to Miss Humphries to have a stall on Esplanade during pleasure of Council. Councillor Rooneys dissented to the order.

2773. Letter dated 15th April 1913 from Mr. P. H. McCarthy stating he had made an examination of 4" pipe between Killaney Lane and Town Hall. The pipe was badly corroded and the capacity reduced by one half. He considered it would be a great advantage to have the pipe cleared out. Read. Estimate to be got from Mr. McCarthy.

2774. Letter dated 15th April 1913 from Mr. P. Reilly asking instructions in re people grazing their

Horses and Coach on Fairgreen and Peoples Park. Summonses to be taken out if any further cases arises

- 2745 Letter from Mr George Blackburn applying for Hackney Carriages Drivers licence.
Application to be granted provided applicant perfect necessary forms

W M Rooney

6/3/13

Drs. Jowers application stating that there was no vacancy at present but it will be made available immediately if he is found to be entitled to same.
Resolved in this meeting to send Drs. Jowers application to the Board of Works and

Resolved on 1 April 1913
to grant Drs. Jowers application
to pay £3.5 incurred in cost of removal
and carriage of his furniture
and household goods to the
city of Dublin as professional
expenses to fit up Committee £300
and to allow him to do so in accordance with
the resolution of the Board of Works dated 1st April 1913.

A Meeting of Special Committees comprising full Council was held in Town Hall Bray at 8pm. on Tuesday 22nd April 1913 to consider Estimates of Townships Rates for year ending 31st March 1913

Present:

Councillor James W. Magee J.P. (in chair)
John Taylor
William M Rooney
Hugh T. O'Carroll
Malachy Mackey
Myles Byrne
Thomas Dempsey
Joseph N. Raigh J.P.
James J. Scannell
James J. Moran
John Bergin
Patrick J. Burns
James Archer
T. Rector Bradshaw
P. H. Boyle

The Estimate of Rates for year ending 31st March 1911 was submitted

It was recommended that Estimates as amended be adopted at 6/8 in the £ made up as follows
Town Rate 4/4 in the £ Water Rate 5/- in the £ Sinking Fund Rate 10/- in the £ and Harbour Rate 10d in the £.

List of Recoverables, Rebates and Prears carried forward was submitted

allowed & signed

A Special Meeting of Bray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Bray at 8 pm on Tuesday 29th April 1913 pursuant to following requisition
Bray. 24th April 1913.

To the Clerk.

Bray Urban District Council.

Please convene a Special Meeting of Bray Urban District Council to be held in the Town Hall Bray at 8 pm on Tuesday 29th April 1913 for purpose of adopting Estimates of Township Rates for year ending 31st March 1914, taking such other action in reference thereto as may seem advisable.

John Bergin
T. Dempsey
W. T. O'Carroll
W. Mackey.

Present

John Traynor
Councillor James M. Magee J.P. (in Chair)
J. W. Reagh J.P.
J. J. Scannell J.P.
J. P. Bradshaw
H. T. O'Carroll
J. J. Moran
John Bergin
Malachy Mackey
James Archer
Thomas Dempsey
Myles Byrne
John Traynor
P. J. Dunne
B. H. Doyle
Wm. M. Rooney

The requisition and notice convening meeting was read.

Councillor Magee proposed and Councillor O'Carroll seconded:

"That having considered Statement and Estimates of Town Rates for year ending 31st March 1914, we hereby adopt same so as to make a gross Rate of six Shillings and eight pence in the £ being Four Shillings and seven pence in the £ Bray Township Rate, whereof Two Shillings and three pence is for General and Sanitary expenses of the District under and pursuant to Bray Township Act 1866 to 1895; Two Shillings and one pence is for Sanitary and other expenses under and pursuant to the Public Health (Ireland) Act, the Public Parks Act, the Open Spaces Act 1877 to 1890; and Acts incorporated therewith; and for charges in respect of loans under and pursuant to the Public Health (Ireland) Act, the Housing of the Working Classes Act, the Electric Lighting Act and Acts amending or extending same. One Penny is for Technical Instruction pursuant to the Agriculture and Technical Instruction Act 1899 and Technical Instruction Act 1889 to 1891; One Penny is for expenses pursuant to the Public Libraries (Ireland) Act 1890, and One Penny in the £ is for advertising the District pursuant to Health Resorts (Ireland) Act 1909. A Bray Township Water Rate of Fivepence in the £ of which Threepence is for Public and Twopence for Domestic Purposes. A Bray Township Sinking

Fund Special Rate of Ten Pence in the £ and a Bray Township Harbour Rate of Ten Pence in the £, and we order that notice of intention to make said Rate at a Special Meeting of the Council to be held on 8th day of May 1913, be published as required by law."

Councillor Bradshaw proposed as an amendment and Councillor Scannell seconded:-

"That the rates be reduced by 6d in the £"

The Chairman twice requested Mr Bradshaw to hand in his amendment. Mr Bradshaw declined to do so, and the Chairman put his resolution, and after voting had started on original resolution, Mr Bradshaw handed in his amendment signed only by proposer, but the Chairman declined to accept it. The voting on the resolution was as follows:-

(a.) Councillors O'Barroll, Reigh, Doyle, Mackey, Byrne, Archet, Dempsey, Rooney, Dunn, Hayes, Magee
(1) Not voting. Councillors Bradshaw, Moran, Scannell and Bergin.

The Chairman declared resolution carried

W. M. Rooney

6/5/13

a meeting of Bray Urban District Council was held in the Town Hall Bray at 8 pm on Tuesday 6th May 1913.

Present:-

Councillor Wm Rooney in chair for portion of meeting, afterwards Councillor James W Magee Esq.
Councillor Hugh T. O'Barroll
" John Traynor
Malachy Mackey
Thomas Dempsey
John Bergin
James J. Moran
James J. Scannell Esq.
Myles Byrne.

2778 The minutes of meetings of 15th, 22nd and 29th April 1913 were read and confirmed Councillors Scannell, Moran and Bergin dissenting

2779 The report of meeting of General Purposes and Finance Committee of 29th April 1913 was adopted on the motion of Councillor O'Barroll seconded by Councillor Dempsey. The Treasurers authority and Financial Statements, Receipts and Expenditure Books were submitted and signed.

2780 The report of meeting of Public Health Committee of 29th April 1913 was adopted on the motion of Councillor O'Barroll seconded by Councillor Traynor.

2781 The report of meeting of Harbour Committee of 29th April 1913 was adopted on

the motion of Councillor Mackey
seconded by Councillor Rooney.

2782 The report of meeting of Electric Light Committee of 29th April 1913 was adopted on the motion of Councillor Graynor seconded by Councillor Byrne.

2783 The report of meeting of Markets and Fairs Committee of 29th April 1913 was adopted on the motion of Councillor Byrne seconded by Councillor Dempsey.

2784 Letter dated 2nd May 1913 from Mr. C. Queen Irish manager Automobile Association in re "Danger signs" applied for by the Council and Speed Limit Order.

Referred to General Purposes Committee.

2785 Letter dated 29th April 1913 from Secretary Local Govt. Board in re Council's proposal to increase poundage of Poor Rate collector stating that the Board directed him to point out that the collector had not carried out his collection in accordance with terms of his bond.

Reply of Town Clerk submitted.
Lead-matter adjourned pending reply to Town Clerk's letter.

2786 Letter dated 2nd May 1913 from Secretary Local Govt. Board stating that from the information before them they did not feel in a position to approve the lists of arrears of Poor Rate for the period

ended 31st March 1913 and the Council must act in connection therewith on their own responsibility, and be prepared to support their action before the auditor if called upon to do so.

Read and noted.

2784 Letter from Secretary Hibernian Bank enclosing following transfers of Stock viz:-

£200 Belfast Corporation Stock from J.E. Lowry to Bray Urban Council.

£300 Belfast City and District Water Commissioners Redeemable Stock from W. Wright to Bray Urban Council.

£750. Belfast City and District Water Commissioners Redeemable Stock from W. Higgins to Bray Urban Council.

It was ordered that seal of Council be affixed to transfers.

2788 Report from Mr. P. H. McCarthy B.E. recommending approval of plans for additions to Gladdagh cottage.

Ordered:- Plans approved.

2789 Report from Mr. P. H. McCarthy recommending approval of plans of proposed Motor House at Glendar. Plans approved.

2790 Letter dated 1st May 1913 from Secretary Bray Technical Instruction Committee enclosing abstract of Receipts and Expenditure of the Technical Instruction Committee for year ended 31st March 1913. Lest on table.

2791 Minutes of meeting of Technical Instruction

Committee of 28th April 1913.
Left on table.

2792 Circular dated 1st May 1913 from under Secretary Dublin Castle forwarding copy of an Order made by the Lord Lieutenant containing a regulation under the Shops act 1913. Read and referred to Inspector.

2793 Letter dated 30th April 1913 from Secretary Local Govt Board stating that the Board had recommended the issue of a further instalment of £1,000 re Housing scheme. noted.

2794 Plans of proposed motor house at Belvedere submitted. Referred to Mr Mc Garthy.

2795 Report dated 6th May 1913 from Electrical Engineer recommending the appointment of a switchboard attendant in place of J. Garvey Stoker, resigned, and that position be advertised. An application was received from J. Byrne for position as Stoker.

Ordered: Position to be advertised Byrne to be engaged until applications come in and to be informed that he should send in an application himself for the position.

2796 Edward Mc Dermott 69 Main St applied for and was granted a Hackney carriage Drivers licence.

2797 Statement of Dividend (£21. 6. 6) on Councils holding in Lurgan Stock. Received

and lodged.

2798 It was ordered that Mr Mc Garthy should prepare estimates and plans in re applying for a loan for concreting of footpaths.

2799 Letter dated 15th April 1913 from Secretary Public Library Committee enclosing copy of resolution asking Council to transfer to Library Committee £300 for purpose of investment.

Councillor Moran proposed and Councillor Scannell seconded:—

That the sum of £300 standing to credit of Public Library be invested in trust stock by Mr T. W. Tunney."

Passed unanimously.

2800 Letter dated 30th April 1913 from Secretary Local Govt Board acknowledging receipt of letter from Council asking that taxation be dispensed with in re our Morris costs. Read.

2801 Letter dated 6th May 1913 from Esplanade caretaker asking for uniform (tunic trousers and hat) and also for permission to have grass on Esplanade mowed. Ordered: Estimates to be invited for uniform. Esplanade to be mowed.

2802 Councillor Magee moved and Councillor Rooney seconded:—

(1) That we the Bray Urban District Council hereby make application to the Development Fund Commissioners for a grant for the

improvement of Bray Harbour under the Development and Roads Improvement Funds Act 1909 pursuant to scheme and estimate of Mr T. H. McCarthy C.E."

(2) That we the Bray Urban District Council hereby make application to the Development Fund Commissioners for a loan for the improvement of Bray Harbour under the Development and Roads Improvement Funds Act 1909 pursuant to scheme and estimate of Mr T. H. McCarthy C.E."

Passed unanimously.

2803 Letter from Mr Austin asking permission to erect a lamp opposite his premises, and what the Council's charges would be for supplying current for same.

The Electrical Engineer recommended that lamp should be connected to Mr Austin's own meter and switched on and off from his own hall, or as an alternative the Council to supply current and maintain 32 c.p. lamp at 40/- per annum.

Read:- Copy of Engineer's report to be sent to Mr Austin.

2804 Letter dated 6th May 1913 from Mr J. E. McDermott stating that he would be prepared to supply a small band for south bandstand during season on Tuesdays Thursdays and Saturday evenings if the Council would give the bandstand rent free.

Ordered:- Mr McDermott to be given bandstand rent free. Electric light to be paid for.

2805 Letter dated 6th May 1913 from Messrs W and J. Crowe in re statement in report of Council meeting in Wicklow People to the effect that there was a leakage of water in 2 Martello Terrace. Read:- Messrs Crowe to be informed that 2 Martello Terrace was erroneously printed for 2 Marlboro' Terrace.

A report was submitted from Water Inspector in reference to leakage at 2 Marlboro' Terrace.

Read and noted:- Water Inspector to be instructed to prosecute if repairs are not done in 48 hours after service of notice.

2806 Letter from Mr G. Brauer applying for permission to sell fruit on Esplanade. Referred to Sanitary Sub Officer for report.

2807 Memorial from several residents living on Esplanade asking that public bathing along Esplanade be prohibited. Read.

2808 Mr George Byrne attended and made a statement to the effect that when tendering for taking work at Electricity works he submitted a sample of tile to Electrical Engineer which he approved of and agreed that he should tender for, but notwithstanding the fact that his tender was only £4. 10. 0 higher