

Sides and channels filled with nuisance, stones and dirt (10) Bachelors Walk, side channels full up of dirt and surface drains blocked, (11) Wentworth Place dirty (12) Rocky Road, side drains all blocked up with grass dirt and rubbish and in consequence deeply water cut- (13) High St parts of road and path dirty and filthy etc etc.

The wall along the north side of Fitzwilliam Road is dangerous and badly in want of repair and coping. The sewage from the Convent and Hospital was the only water diverted into the new sewer which formerly went down through Messrs Pinn's premises.

Two senten^s to

John Parson, Town Surveyor.

Order. "That Roads Committee meet on Thursday next at 12 o'clock to deal with all matters in Surgeon's Report."

John Hall Willow

16th August 1904

Your Managing Committee met this evening and have given directions to advertise for a caretaker for Dunbar Quarry, such caretaker to be paid by builder 1/- per ton, if building is on Corporate Estate and three pence per ton extra if building not on the estate, the latter sum to be credited to the Urban Council, application for stones to be made to the Agent in the first instance and no stones to be allowed out of quarry without his written permit, we have given leave to Contractor for New Hospital to obtain 100 tons of stones.

We have considered Mr Michael Murphy's application for a lease of premises Ball Alley and recommend that same be granted at 15/- per annum, the owner of the other premises contained in the lease to be asked to fall in with Mr Murphy's application in order to expedite matters.

We have deferred considering Mr Rose's tender for draining of Well Field until we make an inspection of the plot.

Your Committee received a letter from Mr Rose confirming his tendering to do all the work in Town Surveyor's specification for £123. 10. 0 including sewer and have arranged for a deputation to wait on the Manager of the Hibernian Bank to ascertain rate of interest for a loan to cover the amount of Mr Rose's tender, to be paid off in five years.

An application to be made to the Local Government Board

for their sanction to the loan, Messrs McWhail, Murray, and Samuel E. Pinn to meet for the purpose of drafting the application.

We have directed that notice be posted prohibiting the burial of carcasses of animals on any public property in the town and that the person requiring such liberty make application to the Sub Sanitary Officer failing which proceedings will be immediately instituted against the offender. We have directed your Town Clerk to draw the attention of the parties referred to in Sub Sanitary Officer's report for non-compliance of sanitary notice, proceedings to take within one month if not complied with.

Signed Frank McWhail, Samuel E. Pinn,
Christopher Murray, Francis Murphy

(Resolution)

Moved by Patrick Quinn, Seconded by John Wynne and resolved
"That the Report of the Managing Committee be hereby confirmed and adopted" —

Read letter from Mr Kate Caldwell agreeing to surrender lease of premises Castle St under certain conditions to be granted a new lease of 31 years from 29th Sept 1904 for which is prepared an increased rent of 19/- per annum

Order. "That Mr Caldwell's letter be referred to Managing Committee to be considered in conjunction with Mr Michael Murphy's application for lease of houses in Ball Alley" —

Read a letter from Manager of Hibernian Bank stating his Directors have sanctioned the loan^{required} for building foundations Technical School at 4% (four per cent) to be paid off in five years subject to approval of Local Government Board.

Read a letter from Mr Daniel Byrne acknowledging service of sanitary notice and asking for extension of time to carry out the work.

Order. That Mr Daniel Byrne should make his application when time of notice expires on 12th instant —

Roads Letter

Town Hall Wicklow

16th August 1904

Your Roads Committee met this evening and having considered resolution to make a concrete footpath in High Street, have decided that we have no funds to meet the outlay, but as it is a necessary work we have asked your Town Surveyor to include same in his next annual estimate.

We have directed your Town Clerk to write to Balleece Quarry Co for a quotation for about 300 tons of Macadam to be broken to pass a two inch ring and 200 tons of 1½ inch, and also to the Railway Co for a special rate.

We have directed that Crowlock be put to work on the roads and that any casual labour required by the Town Surveyor and Waterworks Overseer to make application to the Chairman.

Signed, Frank M Phail, Samuel E Finn,
Francis Murphy, John Northing

(Resolution)

Proposed by Patrick Padua, Seconded by John Wyne and resolved
"That the Report of the roads Committee be hereby confirmed
and adopted."

Read a Tender from Balleece Wood Quarry Co for 500 tons of macadam delivered into wagons at quarry siding at 3/6 per ton to be delivered at Wicklow 7/6 per ton

(Resolution)

Proposed by Joseph Carroll, Seconded by Charles Davis and resolved
"That the Tender of Balleece Quarry Co to supply 500 tons
of macadam at their siding be hereby accepted at 3/6
per ton to be delivered from time to time as required."

Read a letter from D Coghlan Esq D W W Railways Co relative to carriage on macadam and stating the matter will have attention.

The Town Clerk stated that he waited on Mr Coghlan in Dublin and arranged with him to deliver the 500 tons of macadam at Wicklow Station at 1/6 per ton.

1st September 1904

The Waterworks Committee consisting of Messrs John Wyne, David A. Haskins and Charles Davis with the Engineer visited the Waterworks on Wednesday the 31st Ultimo, and after making a careful inspection of the Reservoir, filters and tanks at Supply streams, recommend the following:-

- 1 - Four inches of sand to be lifted off No 2 Filter.
- 2 - Weeds to be removed from edge of pond.
- 3 - Mr O'Connor to employ & men on Monday the 5th September to carry out the above work.

(Resolution)

Proposed by Francis Murphy, Seconded by James H. Hall and resolved
"That the Report of the Waterworks Committee be hereby
confirmed and adopted."

Election by ballot of Harbour Commissioners in the room of Messrs John Northing and Nicholas A. Haskins who retire by rotation:

Proposed by F. M Phail, Seconded by David A. Haskins.
"That Messrs Northing and N. Haskins be re-elected
Harbour Commissioners."

Proposed by Charles Davis Seconded by Hugh R. McCarroll
"That Messrs Murphy and Northing be elected

There being three members proposed and only two vacancies to be filled a ballot was taken

Nicholas A. Haskins	1111111111	Total 12 Votes
John Northing	11111111	9 "
Francis Murphy	11111111	9 "

Mr Nicholas A. Haskins was declared elected and there being an equality of votes between Messrs Northing and Murphy for remaining seat, a second ballot was taken =

Mr W. John Nanting 1111111111 Total 11 Votes
 " Francis Murphy 11111111 8 do

Mr John Nanting having a clear majority of three votes was declared elected a Harbour Commissioner to represent the Council on the Wicklow Harbour Board.

The following tenders were received and considered for construction of water main Dunlur.

Messrs G. Kee & McVally.	Dungannon Co Tyrone	£ 228. 0 . 0
" William Baird.	Lower Abbey St Dublin	242. 4 . 6
" Dolan Kennedy.	Menlove Row "	199. 0 . 0
" William Rose	Fitzwilliam Sq. Wicklow	198. 0 . 0

(Resolution)

Proposed by Hugh R. Carroll, Seconded by David A. Hawkins resolved,
 "That Mr. William Rose's Tender at £198 be hereby accepted for water main Dunlur, work to be carried out in accordance with Tom Surveyor Specification and public advertisement =

Tenders for Sewer Summer Hill Wicklow.

Messrs G. Kee & McVally	Tendered at	£ 66. 0 . 0
" William Rose	"	30. 0 . 0

(Resolution)

Proposed by Francis Murphy, Seconded by Charles Davis and resolved,
 "That Mr. William Rose's Tender at £30 be hereby accepted for Sewer Summer Hill, work to be carried out in accordance with Tom Surveyor Specification"

Order "That Mr. Pansing be asked to arrange with Mr. Rose to allow connections to be made into new sewer Main St without prejudice to the Council"

Order "That the Militia Authorities attention be drawn to the objectionable practice of allowing hair cutting by their men on the outer promenade on Murray"

Order "That the Bathing Boxes be removed to storage on 20th Inst"

Order, That our Town Clerk be directed to draw the Sub Inspectors attention to the conduct of young men loitering about the Ladies' Bathing Place, during bathing hours.

Wicklow 6th Sept 1904

Gentlemen I submit report for the last month and beg to state that the public lighting of the Town to all appearance was well maintained. I made my usual sanitary inspections visiting over one hundred premises and disinfected one house. I served 18 notices as required by Statute for various sanitary purpose. I had drains and waterways repaired, flushed and cleaned on 11 occasions - By directions of your Chairman I had two foot planks put in the Wooden Bridge. I have requested to draw your Council's attention to the dangerous condition of the walls on Fitzwilliam Road and Market St with a view of having them put in order by the responsible parties. I would suggest that the Bathing Boxes be removed to storage for the winter.

The street-cleaner was attentive to his business - The Medical Officer's attention has been directed to some sanitary subjects.

I am etc

Michael Doyle Sanitary Officer.

Order "That Sub Sanitary Officer's Report be referred to the Managing Committee"

Read Waterworks Overseer's Report showing Reservoir to be down 9 ft 6 in from overflow and enumerating work done during the month. Mr. O'Connor further reports the water connection to Militia Barracks in a bad state and condemns it.

Order "That Militia Authorities be served with notice to provide a new service pipe"

Order "That Waterworks Overseer's Report be referred to the Waterworks Committee"

Read letter from Mr Richard Wake stating the County Committee have approved of the resolutions of the Urban Council and suggesting that every effort should be made to put the work in hand at once

Order "That our Town Clerk inform Mr Wake that application has been made to Local Government Board for sanction to the "outlay" =

Read letter from Mr Peter Muller for a lease of his house at "The Mall" and promising to expend £100 on permanent improvements =

Order "That Mr Muller's application be referred to Managing Committee"

Read a letter from Messrs Lipton asking permission to allow canteen to remain erected during winter and agreeing to pay a nominal rent"

Order "That Messrs Lipton's letter be referred to Managing Committee"

Read a letter from Messrs Ham & Baker stating they have put water meter in order and are returning same this day 31st August 1904.

Read letter from National Telephone Co offering to erect and maintain a private line between Town Hall and Waterworks at an annual rental of £16 on a five years Agreement = "Referred to Managing Committee"

Read an application from Mrs Ellen Carr for a lease of a field in her occupation at Dunbar for building purposes which was referred to the Managing Committee"

Read a letter from Mr Denis Kilbride on the subject of a Bill proposed to be introduced in next Parliament with regard to Public and Pot Still Industry in Ireland. (Marked Read)

Read letter from Local Government Board No 40.581 - 8th Aug 1904 relating to application to a Loan of £783. 16. 0 for the purpose of re-building the Market House and calling attention to the provisions of section 103 of the Public Health (Ireland) Act 1878 and stating that the procedure laid down therein should be carried out" =
(Action Taken)

Read letter from Local Government Board No 40.482 - 10th Aug 1904 giving their approval to the lease granted to Mr M. O'Brien for a term of 75 years from 25th March 1904 at the rent of £6. 5. 0 per annum.

Read letter from Local Government Board No 47. 278 - 16 Aug 1904 stating they have forwarded Mr O'Brien's draft lease to Messrs J. T. McCredy & Son, Merrion Square West for approval behalf of Local Government Board.

Read letter from Local Government Board No 40.526 - 11 Aug 1904 relating to the proposal to grant Denis Byrne Strand St Wicklow a lease of his premises for 75 years and stating they are satisfied from the report of their Inspector that no sufficient reasons exist for granting a lease for so long a period as 75 years. The Board are therefore not prepared to sanction the proposal as set forth in the draft lease, returned herewith -

Order "That Local Government Boards letter be referred to the Managing Committee"

Read letter from Local Government Board No 40.936 - 22 Aug 1904 with reference to the proposed sale to Mr Thomas Freyne of an Agricultural Holding and requesting to be informed whether the approval of the Estates Commissioners has yet been obtained to the sale =

Order "That Local Government Boards letter be referred to Mr McCarroll Solicitor in accordance with resolution adopted this day" =

Read letter from Local Government Board No 153 H - 30th August 1904
drawing attention to the outbreak of Small-pox in various parts of
Ulster and recommending the adoption of the Infectious Disease (Notification)
Acts 1889 and 1890.

Order "That Local Government Board's letter be referred to Managing
Committee for report."

Read letter from Commissioners of Valuation acknowledging receipt
of Valuation Lists."

Read an application from Hon Secretary of Sports Committee
for use of Inner Murragh on 12th Instant.

Order "That permission be given Sports Committee to use Inner
Murragh for the Annual Athletic & Cycling Sports on
payment of One Shilling" =

(Resolution)

Proposed by Francis Murphy, Seconded by Charles Davis and resolved
"That the question of advertising for tenders for balance
of Riverage Scheme be referred to the Managing Committee
with power to act" =

(Resolution)

Proposed by Charles Davis, Seconded by Francis Murphy resolved
"That a Committee consisting of Messrs McCall,
Pim & Gernon be appointed to have the Gaelic
Name Plates put in their position at once
by a competent man."

(Resolution)

Proposed by David A. Haskins, Seconded by James McCall & resolved
"That previous resolutions be rescinded authorising
W. Carroll, Solicitor to draft all Bases, in order
to facilitate Mr O'Conor" =

In rescinding resolutions Messrs F. McHale, D. Haskins, James McCall,
N. Haskins, S. C. Pim, W. A. Haskins, John Wynne, Patrick Padin (8)

Yanot - Messrs Joseph McCarroll, Hugh McCarroll, C. Murray,
Charles Davis, James Gernon, Edward Kennedy, F. Murphy,
and Thomas Kavanagh (8)

There being an Equality of Votes the Chairman gave his casting
vote in favour of the resolution and declared it carried =

(Resolution)

Proposed by D. A. Haskins, Seconded by S. C. Pim and resolved
"That 12 rustic seats be placed as arranged by Managing
Committee" =

(Resolution)

Proposed by Edward Kennedy, Seconded by W. McCarroll & resolved
"That the Mall wall be whitewashed and two
rustic Seats placed on 'The Mall'"

Mr Francis Murphy's "Notice of Motion" to have a gas lamp
erected in middle of Coates Lane was referred to the
Managing Committee, an estimate to be procured from
the gas Company for the work" =

(Notice of Motion)

I give notice that I will at next ordinary or general
Meeting raise the question of the length of lease to be
given and the rent to be charged to Earl Fitzwilliam
for tramway North Quay Christopher Murray 6/9/04

(Notice of Motion)

That I or some one for me will propose that liberty
be given to plant trees on Mall as may be arranged

Samuel C. Pim 6/9/04

Signed &
Frank McHale R
4th Oct 1904

Town Hall Wicklow
4th October 1904

The Quarterly Meeting of the Wicklow Urban District Council was held this day in pursuance to notice to transact the following business.

1. To consider Finance Committee's Report.
2. To consider Manuring Committee's Report &c.
3. To consider Roads Committee's Report's.
4. To consider Town Surveyor's Report.
5. To consider Sanitary Officer's Report's.
6. To consider Waterworks Overseers Report.
7. To appoint a representative on Wicklow School attendance Committee in the room of the Rev George A Christie resigned.
8. To appoint two members on Local Committee of Technical Education in the room of the Father Clarke resigned and Mr Peter O'Brien deceased.
9. To consider an application from Joly Club for a Lease of land at Drumbar proposed to be purchased from Mr Byrne.
10. To consider Tenders for Piers, Wentworth Place, South Quay and Bridge Street.
11. To consider Estimate for mud carts.
12. To consider Tenders for Scavenging.
13. To consider miscellaneous correspondence.
14. To consider Mr Christopher Murray's Notice of Motion "That I will at next meeting raise the question of the length of lease to be given and the rent to be charged to Earl Fitzwilliam for tramway on North Quay.
15. To consider Mr Samuel E. Pin's Notice of Motion "That I on some one for me will propose that liberty be given to plant trees on Mall as may be arranged."
16. To consider Mr James McCall's Notice of Motion "That I will propose at next meeting that our Road men be provided with oil suits for winter.
17. To consider Mr Hugh R. Carroll's Notice of Motion "That I or some other Councillor for me shall move at next meeting that the Small Dwellings Acquisition

"Acts be adopted.
W. 18 To consider Mr Frank McHail's Notice of Motion "That I or some other Councillor for me shall move at our next quarterly Meeting that our Town Clerk be directed to give 30 days public notice by advertisement or otherwise "That it is my intention to move a resolution at a specially convened meeting to be held on Thursday 10th of November 1904, to have the Market House repaired and re-roofed at a cost not to exceed £200 and that all previous resolutions having reference to said improvements be rescinded.

Members Present: Mr Frank McHail Chairman in the Chair

Also Present

Messrs Patrick Nadin, Christopher Murray, Francis Murphy, Joseph McCarroll, David Haskins, Hugh R. McCarroll, Peter Dorlitt, John Nonthing, Nicholas H. Haskins, Edward Kennedy, James Gernon, James McCall, Samuel E. Pin, James F. McHail and Charles Davis.

The minutes of the previous meeting was read over and ordered to be signed after which the business was proceeded with.

Town Hall Wicklow
29th September 1904

Your Finance Committee met this evening and checked over accounts, books and vouchers and found that during the month there was lodged to your credit the following sums,

Mr William Desair	Corporate Rent	£ 127. 11. 2
" Michael Doyle	Township Rate	133. 10. 1
His Majesty's Treasury	Contribution in Lieu of Rates	70. 8. 7
Francis W. McHail	Probate Estate Duty Grant	27. 10. 5
Same	Miscellaneous Monies	10. 4. 4
	Total	£ 362. 9. 7

Giving a Cr. Balance of £ 639. 18. 3

We recommend the following payments-		
Francis Waghail	One months Salary	£ 11. 5. 0
Same	Workmen wages Account	24. 15. 2
Henry Waghail	One months Salary	1. 0. 0
John Parson	Do	4. 3. 4
Michael Doyle	Do	5. 0. 0
Edward O'Conor	Do	6. 0. 0
Dr. James St. Halpin	Three months moiety of Salary	1. 15. 0
Andrew Dunn	Scavenger	4. 10. 0
Board of Public Works.	Interest & principal on Loans	29. 14. 2
Same	Interest & principal on Harbour Loan	53. 6. 8
Wicklow School Attendance Committee Expenses to 30/9/04	12. 18. 6	
Thomas Pellettie	Insurance Anti-Sans Dwellings	1. 10. 0
John Flynn	Work and materials supplied	. 13. 6
Ham Walker	Fitting new parts into water meter	1. 18. 6
Michael Doyle	Township Rate on Corporate Property	25. 1. 9
Wicklow Co Council	Quarter payment of Leeman's	217. 5. 5
Managa Free Press	Advertising	. 9. 6
Wicklow People	Do	10. 8. 10
Wicklow News Letter	Do	12. 4. 11
Thomas Dunn	Inn Syle's Uniform, cap & over coat	5. 17. 0
Patriotic Insurance Co	Insurance of Workmen	1. 17. 6
Francis Waghail	Petty Cash for wages etc	10. 0. 0
Total £		<u>441. 9. 9</u>

Signed

Hugh R. M. Carroll

Charles Davis

James McCall

William J. Haslewood

(Resolution)

Proposed by Francis Murphy, Seconded by Hugh R. M. Carroll, resolved
 "That the Report of the Finance Committee be hereby
 "confirmed and adopted and that Treasurers
 "Authority for making payments to the several
 "parties named therein be now signed by
 "direction and on behalf of the Council amounting
 "in the aggregate to the sum of £ 429. 12. 3" =

(Resolution)

Proposed by Joseph McCarron, Seconded by James McCall and resolved
 "That inasmuch as the roads are now done by direct labour
 "the standing amount of petty cash in Town Clerk's hands is
 "insufficient; we therefore direct a Paying Order to issue
 "for a further sum of £ 10 to be accounted for at our
 "next Finance Meeting and also a Paying Order for Insurance
 "of workmen £ 1. 17. 6" =

Town Hall Wicklow
 13th September 1904

Your Managing Committee met this evening and having considered
 Mr. Ellen Carr's application for a lease of her field at
 Dunheen for building purposes have directed your Town Clerk
 to inform Mr. Carr of the rules and regulations with regard
 to leasing building sites on the Corporate Estate at Dunheen.
 We have requested your Town Clerk to ask the Local Government
 Board for a copy of Mr. Price's report on the subject of Denis
 Byrne's lease, as the Urban Council are anxious to facilitate
 him in consequence of the large outlay made on the promise
 of a lease of 75 years.

We recommend the adoption of the Infectious Disease
 (Notification) Act - 1889, and the Infectious Disease
 (Prevention) Act - 1890 and that steps be taken to put
 same in force.

We have directed your Town Clerk to inform Messrs. Lipson
 that the Council will charge a rent of one pound per annum
 for use of the site upon which the hut is erected.

Having considered Mrs. Caldwell's application for a new
 lease of 31 years of her house in Castle St. recommend
 that same be granted, the rent to be £ 2 per annum,
 and that Mr. Michael Murphy be granted a similar
 lease at £ 1. 17. 2 per annum, Mr. Murphy to expend £ 50
 on permanent improvements.

We recommend that Mr. Daniel Byrne be granted a
 further extension of one month to carry out sanitary
 requirements.

We have directed your Town Clerk to advertise balance of

Sewage Scheme, tenders to be considered at next monthly meeting.
Having inspected the dangerous state of the wall on Fitzwilliam Road have directed your Town Clerk to draw Lord Fitzwilliam's attention to the matter, with a view to having the wall repaired as same is positively dangerous to the Public more especially to children who frequent the locality, as a temporary protection we have made arrangements to have four strands of barbed wire placed along the most dangerous parts of the wall.

We have ^{also} directed that the County Surveyor's attention be called to the wall of the Court House yard, same is overhanging two feet and dangerous to the public.

Having inspected Mr. Peter Mullens holding at the Mall have requested him to furnish a plan and particulars of the contemplated improvements to our next meeting.

We recommend that a bracket-fas lamp be erected on the corner of Coates Lane in High Street instead of the centre and thereby obviate the necessity of laying a fas main at a cost of £H. 5. 0.

Signed = Frank M'Phail, Francis Murphy, Nicholas A. Hastings, Samuel E. Pin, Edward Kennedy, James Jernon, Hugh McCarroll, James H. Hall.

Mr. Jernon moved and Mr. E. Kennedy seconded to have a fas lamp erected in centre of Coates Lane = Resolution lost the voting being 6 against and 4 for

(Resolution)

Proposed by Samuel E. Pin, Seconded by David A. Hastings and resolved
"That the lamps on corner of High St be moved to opposite corner at Mrs. Brien's"

Mr. Jernon moved and Mr. Kennedy seconded "That the breaches in the wall at Fitzwilliam Road be repaired by the Council"
Resolution lost the voting being 9 against and 3 for —

(Resolution)

Proposed by Christopher Murray, Seconded by N. A. Hastings and resolved
"That Notice be served on Earl Fitzwilliam to repair wall in High Street"

(Resolution)

Proposed by Nicholas A. Hastings, Seconded by James H. Hall and resolved
"That a barding be put up at dangerous part of Fitzwilliam Road Costing £H. 2 Same to be taken and to be without prejudice to Earl Fitzwilliam's right"

(Resolution)

Proposed by James Jernon, Seconded by Charles Davis and resolved
"That Mr. J. A. McCarroll Solicitor be directed to draft and draw up lease granted to Michael Murphy on behalf of the Council" =

(Resolution)

Proposed by David A. Hastings, Seconded by Patrick Padin and resolved
"That the Report of the Managing Committee be highly approved and adopted" =

Sam Hall Wiclow

8th September 1904.

Your Roads Committee met this day and have directed that two extra men be employed on Monday next to assist at work on roads and that Thomas Rourke act as working Overseer and time keeper under the directions of the Town Surveyor.

We have directed that Crooklock be allowed to attend Market each Wednesday as heretofore. We recommend that Estimates be obtained for one mud Cart and laid before our next meeting and that two wagons of macadam be ordered at once.

The several roads referred to by the Town Surveyor to be put in order, Your Committee have adjourned the Meeting to Tuesday next 13th instant at four o'clock for the attendance of your Town Surveyor.

Signed Francis Murphy
James H. Hall
Nicholas A. Hastings
Samuel E. Pin.

Town Hall Wicklow.
13th September 1904

1. Your Roads Committee met this evening and have made arrangements with Mr. Pausing to have the two gullets on Pathways Road at Friars Hill cleared and if possible the gips lowered to drain water off road, and to keep in view the raising of the centre of this and all roads in the District.
2. We have directed Mr. Pausing to inspect above road and see if an additional gullet cannot be constructed at a nominal cost.
3. Having considered your Town Surveyor's Report we recommend that the surface of the road over Stone Bridge be shaded with macadam and that our Town Clerk order a further supply of six wagons to be delivered within two weeks and if necessary a second horse and cart to be engaged.
4. We have directed that the first two wagons ordered be at once spread on Murphy's Lea Road and that Mr. Dayle be requested to draw the attention of the Scavenger to the dirty state of Strand Street and to have same put in order at once.
5. With regard to the Water Supply to Mr. Pin's premises diverted into new main sewer we recommend that Mr. Pin be given a supply of water from Reservoir to be cut off if necessity arises.

Signed = Frank McHale, Francis Murphy, John Northing
Nicholas Haskins, James McCall.

(Resolution)

Proposed David Haskins, Seconded by Joseph Carroll and resolved
"That no mud cart be purchased."

(Resolution)

Proposed Hugh P. Carroll, Seconded by David Haskins and resolved
"That paragraph 5 in Roads Committee's Report dated 13 Sept be struck out of same."

(Resolution)

Proposed Hugh P. Carroll, Seconded by Frank McHale and resolved
"That the Roads Committee be asked to view the road at Friars Hill and North Quay road and report to the Council on same."

(Resolution)

Proposed by Joseph Carroll, Seconded by James McCall and resolved.
"That the Reports of the Roads Committee dated the 8th and 13th
September 1904 be hereby confirmed and adopted with the exception
of paragraphs relative to purchase mud cart and water supply to
Mr. Pin's premises."

Read letter from Mr. John Coghlan Traffic Manager D. & W. & Wexford Railway Co. stating that if the Council get 500 tons of macadam from Balliee Quarry to Wicklow within three months and pay at the rate of 1/- per ton for same in wagon load of six tons, he will rebate three pence per ton on such quantity -

Order - That the terms of the Dublin & Wicklow Railway be hereby accepted as per their letter 19th September 1904.

Wicklow 4th October 1904

Surveyor's Report

Gentlemen

The work on the public roads has been fairly carried out during the past quarter. The state of the stone bridge, footpaths, walls etc previously reported on is naturally getting worse, and if something be not immediately done, especially to the bridge parapets and the wall on Fitzwilliams Road, the works may turn out very costly later on.

Provision should now be made for the winter repairs to the unflagged paths in the district and a good supply of clean screened pit or river gravel procured and stored in depot.

I found that carting and spreading the road metal direct from the railway wagons did not work satisfactorily and I was obliged to have some of it stored in depot. I would recommend that the supply already ordered be sent on and stored in such convenient places as the Roads Committee decide on.

The path on Summer Hill is unfit to walk on and should be concreted, gravel is unsuitable for this path.

Before the winter sets in I would strongly recommend that a crossing similar to that at Mr. Rooney's corner, be constructed from Mr. Francis Phillips corner to the Abbey.

wall across Abbey Hill - This is a very necessary work and if the funds of the Council will permit it should be done at once.

I enclose three tenders for mud carts. The construction of the New Sewer on Summer Hill is nearly completed - The work at the New Water Main on at the Technical School foundations is not yet commenced. I furnished the Contract-plans and specification for the balance of the new sewerage scheme to your Town Clerk and tenders have been duly advertised for.

The waste of water according to the last diagram furnished to me by the Caretaker is not excessive being about 900 gallons per hour.

Dear Gentlemen &c
John Hausing, Town Surveyor.

(Resolution)

Proposed by Hugh R. Carroll, Seconded by Christopher Murray Marshall

"That the Town Surveyor Report be referred to Roads

"Committee with power to have a crossing made at-

"Abbey Street,

Wicklow 4th October 1904

Supt Sanitary Officers Report

Gentlemen //

I submit report for the month of September and beg to state that I made my usual sanitary visitations inspecting over 150 premises and served 10 notices under the Public Health Act for various sanitary purposes. I had one patient conveyed to Fever Hospital in the Ambulance Car and disinfected eight premises. I had drains and water ways repaired flushed and cleaned on thirteen occasions. I also acting on instructions had the main drains of the Town disinfected. The street-cleaner was attentive to his business. The public lighting of the Town but for a few exceptions was carefully attended. I would suggest to your Council that the iron work of the water cart be scraped and all painted.

The painting on the Sea Murrough requires to be repaired either with wooden posts or iron standards. I have received £16. for trespass on Murrough with your permission I will hand it over to your permanent labourer. The Medical Officer

of Health's attention has been directed to some sanitary subjects - The only infectious disease at present in the Town is measles which is very prevalent.

Have the honour to be etc

Michael Doyle Supt Sanitary Officer,

Order, "That Mr. Doyle report daily to School Teachers the names of Parents whose children have been ill with measles."

Order, "That our Clerk write to the Managers of the Schools and ask them to exclude children whose homes are or have been infected with measles during the past month"

Read Waterworks Overseer's Report showing reservoir is down 10 feet from overflow and enumerating certain work done during the month. Mr. O'Connor asks for his usual supply of coals.

Order, "That Tenders be invited for supply of Iron and coal delivered at Waterworks"

Order, That permission be granted to Mr. James Ferron to make a connection from water main in abbey St.

(Resolution)

Proposed by Frank M. O'Hall, Seconded by David A. Higgins & Marshall

"That the Rev. Frederick Bellott be elected as one of our

"representatives upon the Wicklow School Attendance

"Committee in the room of the Rev. George A. Christie resigned"

(Resolution)

Proposed by Frank M. O'Hall, Seconded by Hugh R. Carroll & Marshall

"That the Rev. Thomas Byrne C.C. and the Rev. James

"Sherwin C.C. be elected as our representatives upon the

"Wicklow Technical Instruction Committee in the room

"of the Rev. Michael Clarke P.P. resigned and the late Mr.

"Peter O'Brien.

Read an Application from Mr John Nolan, Asst Secretary, Wicklow Golf Club asking the Council to give a promise of a lease of 31 years of the land proposed to be purchased from Mrs Judith Byrne.

(Resolution)

Proposed by John Notting, Seconded by David A. Haskins and resolved
 "That the Town Clerk is directed to write a letter to Mr.
 "John Nolan promising a lease of the proposed golf grounds
 "when the matter is placed before this Council on a Report
 "from the Managing Committee to which the documents and
 "letters are referred."

Two tenders were received and considered for Main Drains at Wentworth Place, Bridge St and South Quay.

Mr George Dixon Kingstown tendered at £ 640. 0. 0

Mr William Rose Fitzwilliam Sq Wicklow
 Tendered at 690. 0. 0

(Resolution)

Proposed by Charles Davis, Seconded by David A. Haskins
 "That the lowest tender be accepted for Main Drains"

(Amendment-)

Proposed by Hugh McCarroll, Seconded by Francis Murphy.
 "That Mr William Rose Tender be accepted."

A vote was taken with the following result-

For George Dixon's Tender Messrs F. McHail S. E. Finn,
 Christopher Murray, Charles Davis, Francis Murphy,
 James McCall, David A. Haskins & N. A. Haskins (8)

For William Rose Tender Messrs Hugh R. McCarroll, J. J. McHail,
 Joseph McCarroll, John Notting, & James Fenton
 Rodward Kennedy (6)

Messrs Patrick Padua and Peter Doyle did not vote.

The Chairman declared Mr George Dixon's Tender accepted provided his Sureties is satisfactory =

(Resolution)

Proposed by

"That Andrew Dunne's Tender for Scavenging be accepted
 "at £ 84. 10. 0 per month for three months work to be done
 "in accordance with Specification =

(Resolution)

Proposed by Francis Murphy, Seconded by Christopher Murray Resolved
 "That the Agreement for Sale of the farm at Dunburn
 "to Thomas Gregory be now Signed and sealed and that
 "the originating application be made and sworn by
 "the Town Clerk and that the Town Surveyor prepare
 "the necessary maps according to the instructions of
 "Mr Joseph D. McCarroll Solicitor =

(Resolution)

Proposed by Charles Davis, Seconded by Francis Murphy and resolved
 "That the following leases be now sealed and signed

1. Urban Council to Wicklow Gas Company offices Works

2. Urban Council to Wicklow County Council of the Mall Plot for Technical School.

3. Urban Council to Michael J. O'Brien of premises
 Market Square Wicklow.

4. Surrender of The Mall Plot to Wicklow Urban
 Council known as Nolans Old Corn Stores,
 From Mrs M. S. A. McHail.

5. Urban Council to Mrs M. S. A. McHail Lease
 of premises on South Quay being originally
 portion of The Mall Plot surrendered.

(Notice of Motion.)

I hereby give notice that I will move at a specially convened Meeting the adoption of the Infectious Disease (Notification) Act 1889 and Section 3 of the Infectious Disease (Prevention) Act 1890 =

Frank McHail

(Notice of Motion.)

That a Committee be appointed to report on the desirability of selling the Town Estate to Tenants as done in other places of Cork &c &c &c No.

David St. Haskins

(Resolution)

Proposed by Joseph H. Carroll, Seconded by Nicholas St. Haskins Resolved

That this Meeting stands adjourned to Thursday next
"6th Instant at the hour of 7. 30 o'clock p.m."

Read a letter from Mr. John Byrne asking what the Council intend to do relative to the wall of Mr. Darcy's garden, which has fallen a considerable time ago =

Order. That as Messrs. Byrne and Davey are leaseholders the Council cannot see their way to interfere in the matter.

An application from James Byrne to be appointed caretaker of Dunbar Quarry was referred to the Managing Committee

Signed

Frank McHail (th)
1/11/1904

Town Hall Wicklow
6th October 1904

An adjourned meeting of the Wicklow Urban District-Council was held this evening to consider the business not disposed of at Quarterly Meeting.

Members present - Mr. Frank McHail Chairman in the Chair

Also Present-

Messrs Peter Doobittle, James McCall, John Wyzne, Nicholas St. Haskins, Samuel C. Pinn, Charles Davis, William J. Haskins, David St. Haskins, Francis Murphy, James J. McHail, Thomas Kavanagh, Christopher Murray, Joseph McCarroll, Hugh R. McCarroll.

Read letter from Local Government Board No 50.146 dated 19/9/04 on the subject of a loan of £133. 10. 0 to build foundations for a Technical School -

Read letter from Local Government Board No 53133 - 21 Sept 1904 on same subject and stating they will raise no objection to the expenditure proposed to be incurred being defrayed out of the current rates =

Order. That our Town Clerk ask the Local Government Board if the "Council are to infer that the loan sanctioned may be obtained from the Bank and that repayment is to be spread over five years."

Read letter from Mr. Richard Wake stating that the Lease of the Mall plot has been approved of by the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction =

Read a letter from Local Government Board No 53.066 - 13/9/04 on the subject of surcharges made at last Audit and enclosing forms to be filled up by the persons aggrieved under Section 12 of the Local Government Act 1891.

The Town Clerk stated that he had forwarded the documents over to the persons surcharged together with a copy of local P. letter,

Read a letter from Local Government Board No 53.617 = 28/9/04
on the subject of a Report of the Select Committee of the House of Commons with regard to Tuberculosis = "Referred to Managing Committee"

Read letter from Local Government Board No 55.361 = 28/9/04
on the subject of Denis Byrne's lease of premises Strand St. Wicklow,
and stating it is not the custom to furnish copies of their Inspector's Report = The Board do not consider that there is sufficient evidence of outlay or improvements to warrant a lease for 75 years =

(Resolution)

Proposed by Joseph W. Carroll, Seconded by James U. Thair and resolved
"That a full and explicit statement of all the facts in connection with Denis Byrne's lease be again placed before the Local Government Board pointing out that it is only Justice to grant the lease for 75 years, the Council being unanimously of opinion it should be granted" =

Read letter from Local Government Board No 55.368 = 30/9/04 acknowledging receipt of petition, praying for sanction to a lease to Mr. Mary O'Connor of a plot of ground at Kilmainham Hill and stating that in view of the small expenditure proposed and to the fact that 30 years of the existing lease remain unexpired, the Board are not prepared to give their approval to this proposal. The enclosures are returned herewith.

(Resolution)

Moved by David H. Stackins, Seconded by Samuel E. Pinn and resolved
"That Local Government Board's letter re Mrs O'Connor's lease be referred to the Managing Committee and that a copy be sent to Mr. Peter O'Connor for his observations thereon"

Read letter from Dublin County Council forwarding copy of a resolution passed by them in connection with the proposal to call on the Government to pass a "Marine Works Act" for the South Eastern Coast of Ireland.

(Resolution)

Proposed by Joseph W. Carroll, Seconded by Nicholas J. Haskins and resolved
"That we the Wicklow Urban District Council hereby adopt the resolution passed by the delegates of the County Councils of Dublin, Wicklow, Wexford and Waterford and direct that copies be forwarded to the Chief Secretary, Chancellor of the Exchequer and Prime Minister" =

Read letter from Mr. Sppin D. D. acknowledging receipt of resolution relating to young men loitering about the Ladies Bathing Place and stating the matter shall receive attention.

Read letter from Messrs James Kavanagh and Edward Dargy on the subject of being employed as Carters at 5/- per day which was referred to Roads Committee =

Read letter from Miss Nannie Rehov calling the attention of the Council to the hardship of paying rent for the houses built on her field from which the Council derive the benefit

Ordered "That Miss Rehov's letter be referred to the Managing Committee"

Read circular letter from His Majesty's Treasury acknowledging receipt of Memorial and stating the matter will receive attention =

Read letter from Mr. Peter Mullen enclosing estimate of the contemplated building at The Mall Wicklow.

(Resolution)

Proposed by Charles Davis, Seconded by Francis Murphy and resolved
"That Peter Mullen be granted a lease of house at The Mall for 75 years at the same rate of rent as the other houses in the locality, provided he undertakes to expend the sum of £153. 10. 0 and subject to the sanction of the Local Government Board" =

Read letter from Mr Edward Kane calling the attention of the Council to the sewer immediately under the wall outside his premises, the stench coming from it is unbearable —

Order that Mr. Kane's letter be referred to Managing Committee —

Read a letter from Mr. Kate Caldwell acknowledging the receipt of resolution granting her 31 years lease of houses in Castle Street

(Resolution)

Proposed by Christopher Murray, Seconded by Charles Davis and resolved
"That the question of the length of lease to be given and the rent
"to be charged to Bart Williamson for tramway on North
"Quay be referred to the Managing Committee"

(Resolution)

Proposed by Samuel E. Pin, Seconded by Francis Murphy and resolved
"That we the Town Council agree to the proposal to plant
"Trees on top of the Mall position to be pointed out by the
"Managing Committee, Mr. Hopkins to supply the Trees
"and Mr Pin the iron protection railing and the Council to
"pay for labour"

(Resolution)

Proposed by James Mc Hall, Seconded by Charles Davis and resolved
"That tenders be invited for oil Suites for permanent
"workmen, the Road Committee to have power to accept the
"most suitable Estimate"

The Chairman put the resolution 11 Members voting for and 3 against
the resolution was declared carried.

(Resolution)

Proposed by Hugh R. Carroll, Seconded by Christopher Murray
resolved
"That the Small Dwellings Acquisition
"Acts be adopted by this Council"

(Resolution)

Proposed by Samuel E. Pin, Seconded by Hugh R. Carroll and resolved
"That we make application to the proper Government Department
"to grant the old County Prison to this Urban Council with a
"view to having a suitable portion of it converted into a Town
"Hall"

Passed with one dissentient

(Resolution)

Proposed by Frank Mc Hall, Seconded by David H. Hawkins and resolved
"That the Town Clerk give thirty days public notice that
"a resolution will be moved at a special meeting to be
"held on Thursday 10th November 1904 to have the Market to
"Stone repaired and re-roofed at a cost not to exceed
"£ 200, and that all previous resolutions having reference
"to said improvements be rescinded"

Passed 10 Members voting for and 4 against

Signed

Frank Mc Hall Ch.
1/11/904

Town Hall Wicklow

1st November 1904

The usual monthly meeting of the Wicklow Urban District Council was held this day, in pursuance to notice to transact the following business.

1. To consider Mr. Frank McShail's Notice of Motion "That we the Wicklow Urban Sanitary Authority hereby adopt the Infectious Disease (Notification) Act 1889, and the Infectious Disease (Prevention) Act 1890, and that Statutory notice be published by advertisement and hand bills that the above Acts shall come into operation on the 7th day of December 1904, a copy of the resolution to be forwarded to the Local Government Board."
2. To confirm Finance Committee's Report.
3. To confirm Manuring Committee's Report.
4. To confirm Roads Committee's Report.
5. To consider Town Surveyor's Report.
6. To consider Sanitary Officer's Report.
7. To consider Waterworks Overseer's Report.
8. To direct that tenders be again invited for Main Drainage Works.
9. To consider miscellaneous correspondence.
10. To sign and seal Mrs Caldwell and Michael Murphy's leases.
11. To consider tenders for Coal.
12. To consider Mr. David Haskins' Notice of Motion "That a Committee be appointed to report on the desirability of selling the Town Estate to Tenants as done in other places viz Carrickfergus"

Members present - Mr. Frank McShail Chairman, in the Chair

Also Present

Messrs Peter Woolittle, James McShail, Samuel C. Pinn, Hugh R. Carroll, John Northing, Edward Kennedy, Francis Murphy, John Wynn, Nicholas Haskins, David Haskins, Joseph Carroll, Charles Davis, James McCall, Christopher Murray and James Jernon.

The minutes of the previous meetings were read over and ordered to be signed after which the business was proceeded with.

(Resolution)

Proposed by Frank McShail, Seconded by John Northing and unanimous resolved "That we the Wicklow Urban Sanitary Authority hereby adopt the Infectious Disease (Notification) Act 1889, and the Infectious Disease (Prevention) Act 1890, and that Statutory notice be published by advertisement and hand bills that the above Acts shall come into operation on the 7th day of December 1904, a copy of the resolution to be forwarded to the Local Government Board."

Town Hall Wicklow

27th October 1904

Our Finance Committee met this evening and checked over accounts books, and vouchers and found that during the month there was lodged to your credit the following sums

Mr William Desair	Corporate Rents	\$ 75. 2 . 3
" F.W. McShail	Inheritance Consols	1. 4. 9
" Same	Taxes Irish Education Act 1893	4. 17. 6
" Same	Borough Rent	4. 6. 6
" Same	Miscellaneous Monies	1. 1. 10
Michael Doyle	Township Rate & Meters	132. 12. 5
	Total receipts for month	<u>219. 5. 3</u>

leaving a Cr. Balance of \$ 641. 19. 9

We recommend the following payments

Francis McShail	One months Salary	\$ 11. 5. 0
Same	Workmen's wages Account	36. 12. 3
Henry McShail	One months Salary	1. 0. 0
John Parsons	Do	4. 3. 4
Michael Doyle	Do	5. 0. 0
Edward O'Connor	Do	6. 0. 0
Andrew Dunne	Do	4. 10. 0
Brown & Nolan	Printing	. 13. 0
Irish Times	Advertising Service Contracts	1. 16. 0
Daily Independent	Do	14. 0
	Forward	<u>71. 13. 7</u>