Town Hall Wicklow
19th May 1910

A Special Meeting of the Wicklow Urban District Council was held this day in pursuance to a requisition =

To appoint a Collector of Wicklow Townships Rate

To consider miscellaneous correspondence.

Members Present

Mr Nicholas A. Haskins in the Chair which was subsequently occupied by Mr James Jenow Vice Chairman.

Other Members Present

Messrs Edward M Collins, James Dunne, Michael P. O'Brien, Thomas P Newbold, Mathew Mc Donald, Patrick Fitzsimons, Francis Murphy, Peter Doolittle, James J. Mc Phail, William M Byne, Frank Mc Phail, Samuel E. Pim, S. V. Delahunt, James de Courcy, James Hamilton.

The following Applicants applied for the office of Collector of Wicklow Townships Rate.

Mr George Flood.	Fitzwilliam Square.	Wicklow
" Charles Davis.	High Street	"
" James J. Fallon.	St Patrick's Road.	"
" Patrick Clarke.	No 1 Leitrim Place	"

Mr Frank Mc Phail proposed and Mr N. H. Haskins seconded the appointment of Mr Patrick Clarke.

Mr Mathew Mc Donald proposed and Mr O'Brien seconded Mr Fallon

Mr Francis Murphy proposed and Mr de Courcy seconded Mr Davis

Mr James J Mc Phail proposed by Mr George Flood.

Resolved – That the four Applicants be balloted for

For Mr Patrick Clarke – Messrs Edward M Collins, James Dunne, Thomas P Newbold, Patrick Fitzsimons, Nicholas A. Haskins, James J Mc Phail, Frank Mc Phail Samuel E Pim, S.V. Delahunt (9)

For Mr Charles Davis. Messrs James Jenow, Francis Murphy, Peter Doolittle, W.M. Byne, James de Courcy and James Hamilton (6)

For Mr James Fallon. Messrs M Mc Donald & M. P. O'Brien (2)

Mr Patrick Clarke having a clear majority of Votes over the other two Candidates was declared duly elected Collector of Wicklow Townships Rate, in accordance with the following resolution.

Resolution

Proposed by Frank Mc Phail, Seconded by N. A. Haskins & resolved.
"That Mr Patrick Clarke be hereby appointed Collector
" of Wicklow Urban Rate at a remuneration of six
" pence in the pound on all Rates collected and lodged in
" accordance with public advertisement and to give the
" prescribed Bond with the Omnium Fidelity Insurance
" Company in the sum of Five hundred pounds for the
" due discharge of his duties as such Collector

Note of Vice Chairman – P Clarke elected subject to Public Bodies Order with regard to Bond being complied with. J.F.

Resolution

Proposed by Francis Murphy, Seconded by N. A. Haskins & resolved
"That all preliminaries in reference to the completion
" of Mr Patrick Clarke's Bond for collection of Urban
" Rate be ready for sealing and signing on or before
" Tuesday 7th proximo.

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Read letter from Local Government Board No 33.120 - 3/5/1910 enclosing for the information of the Council copy of the Report of the Auditor on his Audit of the Accounts of the Rathdrum Wicklow Joint Burial Board, with attested Abstract of the Accounts. -

Read an application from Buff Bills Circus for hire of Murrough on the usual conditions: (Granted)

Read letter from Mr George D Smith Liverpool, acknowledging receipt of advertisement in the "Heart of Erin" Tourist Guide Book for this year.

Read circular letter from Inland Revenue on the subject of Stamps duties:

Resolution

Proposed by Thomas P Newbold, Seconded by Francis Murphy & resolved
"That we, the Members of the Urban District of Wicklow, respectfully
"tender our sincere sympathy to Their Majesties King George
"V and Queen Alexandra and to the other Members of the Royal
"Family in their great sorrow consequent on the death of His
"Majesty King Edward VII, the loss of whose noble services in
"the sacred cause of peace we all deplore.

Wm Byrne Chmn
June 7th 10

WICKLOW URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

ELECTION OF URBAN RATE COLLECTOR.

NOTICE is hereby Given, that the Wicklow Urban District Council will, at their Meeting to be held in the Town Hall, Wicklow, at 11 a.m. on Thursday, 19th May, 1910, proceed to Elect a duly qualified person to act as

COLLECTOR OF URBAN RATES

in the Urban District. The person appointed will be required to perform all such duties in connection with the collection of Urban Rates as the Council may from time to time prescribe, and shall possess the qualifications, and conform to regulations prescribed in the Public Bodies Order, 1904, and give the name of a Guarantee Society, which will sign a Bond for £500 for the due and faithful discharge of his duties by such Collector.

The Collector will be paid a commission of 6d in the £ on all rates collected and lodged.

Applications and copies of Testimonials to reach undersigned before 11 a.m. on date mentioned.

The Council are not necessarily bound to make any appointment.

By Order,
FRANCIS W. MacPHAIL,
Clerk to the Council.

Town Hall, Wicklow,
3rd May, 1910.

Town Hall Wicklow
7th June 1910

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

No 1 To make an Urban District Rate of 3/6 in the £
2. To consider Finance Committees Report.
3. To consider Town Surveyors Report.
4. To consider Sanitary Officers Reports.
5. To consider Dairy Inspectors Report.
6. To consider Waterworks Overseers Report.
7. To consider Miscellaneous Correspondence.
8. To consider Tenders for hire of Bathing Boxes.

Councillors Present

Mr William M. Byrne in the Chair, which was subsequently occupied by Mr James Fenton Vice Chairman

Also Present

Messrs Edward M. Collins, Mathew Mc Donald, James Hamilton, James J McPhail, Francis Murphy, Peter Doolittle, Frank McPhail & N. A. Haskins

The minutes of the previous meeting were read over and confirmed after which the business was proceeded with: -

Resolution

Proposed by Francis Murphy, Seconded by E. M. Collins and resolved, "That we make the following Rate and assessment
"as herein set forth upon all occupiers or owners of
"all premises situate within the Urban District of Wicklow, for
"year ending 31st March 1911, A Wicklow Urban District Rate
"of 3/6 in the pound, whereof one shilling and a half penny is
"for maintenance of Wicklow Water Supply, One shilling and
"six pence farthing being interest and principal on
"Wicklow (Town) Stock raised to pay off Lisconbe
"Mortgage, borrowed for the repairs and improvement to

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"Wicklow Harbour, Four pence farthing special Loan under
"Wicklow Harbour Advances Act 1897, One penny for Technical
"Instruction, Four pence farthing for upKeep of New Cemetery,
"and one penny three farthings for Loan under Wicklow
"Harbour Act 1907. And that Notice of said Rate having
"been made be published as required by Law.

Dated this 7th day of June 1910

William M Byrne Chm
Francis Murphy
Matthew Mc Donald
James Hamilton
James J Mc Phail
E. M. Collins
} Six Urban District Councillors.

Francis. Wm. ac Phail
Clerk to the Council

Finance Committees Report
2nd June. 1910

Your Finance Committee met this evening and checked over Accounts, Books and Vouchers and found that during the past month there was lodged to your credit the following sums.

Francis Wm ac Phail.	Fines, Tolls &c	£ 4. 7. 5
Arthur Woolitte.	Corporate Cottage rents	43. 16. 3.
Registrar Petty Sessions,	Dog Licenses Duty	12. 11. 0
		£ 60. 14. 8

Giving a Cr Balance of £ 225. 18. 4

We recommend the following payments

Francis. Wm ac Phail.	One months salary including increase at the rate of £ 8 per annum	11. 18. 4
Same	Workmens Wages	24. 4. 8
Henry J. Mc ac Phail	One months salary	2. 10. 0
John Nansiny	Do	4. 3. 4
Patrick Doyle	Do	4 11 8
Edward Connor	Do	6. 0. 0
James Redmond.	Do	1. 0. 0
	Forward.	£ 54. 8. 0

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James Finlay	Caretaker of Grass Lands	"	10 0
Wicklow Co Infirmary	Annual Contribution	6.	6. 0
Wicklow Co Council	First-quarters payment of demand	352.	9. 0
Ballecce Quarries	Macadam	19.	3. 10
Thomas Wilkinson	Cartage on 103 Tons 9 Cwt Macadam @ 9d.	3.	17. 7
Kearon & Tyrrell	Pump packing	"	8. 0
Irish Land Commission.	Tithe Rent-Charge	2.	18. 2
Thomas Mc Namee	2½ % on collection Urban Rate &c	8.	19. 11
F. Wm ac Phail	Education Summons, Warrants &c	"	8. 0
Local Government Board.	Costs of Drainage Inquiry	8.	13. 4
Wicklow Press.	Advertising Poor Rate Notices	"	16. 0
Same	Do General	1.	12. 6
Reginald R. Mc ac Phail.	Work at Poor Rate Books	3.	0. 0
William J Mc ac Phail	Do & writing 900 Demands & Receipts	4.	11. 6
Hibernian Bank.	Principal on Bard of Houses Loan £ 25- Interest £ 4. 4. 6	29.	4. 6
Thomas Mc Namee	Poor Rate on Corporate Property	9.	1. 11
		£ 406.	8. 3

Signed Edward M Collins
Francis Murphy
William M Byrne
} Members of Finance Committee.

Resolution

Proposed by N. H. Haskins, Seconded by P. Woolitte & resolved
"That the Report of the Finance Committee be
"confirmed and adopted and that Treasurers
"advice Nos 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 £ 406. 8. 3" —

Resolution

Proposed by N. H. Haskins, Seconded by Frank M Phail & resolved
"That our Chairman and Vice Chairman Messrs
"Murray and Gernon wait on the Manager of the
"Hibernian Bank to obtain an overdraft to meet
"County Council payment-

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Resolution

Proposed by Frank McThail Seconded by M. McDonald and resolved
"That Thomas McNamee be appointed to collect water
"rents and domestic scavenging receipts.

Read letter from Mr Patrick Lavery re compensation allowed for bedding destroyed by burning = (See Mr Murphy's Notice of Motion)

Read an Account from Mr Rylands for £1. 2. 0 for Trees planted on the Mall-

Order. "That Town Clerk ascertain who ordered the trees and
"report to the Council! =

Read correspondence with the Hibernian Bank on the subject of an issue of Wicklow (Town) Stock to raise amount of Loan £1275 for drainage and water extension-
Bank propose to take the Stocks at £80 for every nominal amount of £100 stocks =

Resolution

Proposed by M. A. Haskins, seconded by Frank McThail & resolved
"That the question of the issue of Stock to the Hibernian
"Bank be referred to a special Finance Meeting to
"meet on Friday Evening next at 8.30 pm.

Order. "That the following Leases be cancelled in respect
"to which new leases were signed and sealed as
"per resolution of the 3rd May 1910': =

Lease to Thomas Hayes dated 29th Sept 1821
" Peter Brien " 1st Oct 1860
" Charles Ralph " 6th Sept 1847
" John Doyle " 3rd Feb 1846
" Edward Henry Greg " 6th July 1846

Order. "That endorsement on lease to the Wicklow Golf Club
"be sealed and signed as per resolution of the 3rd
"May 1910.

Town Surveyors Report
2nd June 1910

The roads and public works are in fair condition.

Town Solicitor should be consulted with reference to the heavy weights crossing the Stone Bridge, they are injuring the structure, and I had to put up a warning notices in accordance with the statute.

The road to the Steam Packet Pier is still encroached upon by the storage of timber, proceedings should be taken against the offenders. The traffic from the Chemical Works to the Pier is carried on under great difficulty owing to this obstruction.

I feel it incumbent on me to again draw the Councils attention to the state of the corner at the north of the New Pier. The surface there is steadily subsiding owing to the gravel being washed out underneath.

If something is not done the work at that point will certainly give way when the next strong breeze from the north east occurs.

John Parsons. Town Surveyor

Order. That Town Surveyors Report be referred to the Managing Committee for inspection and report

Resolution

Proposed by Frank McThail, Seconded by Francis Murphy resolved.
"That the Managing Committee of the Harbour Board
"be asked to visit North Quay re timber obstruction

Resolution

Proposed by Frank McThail, Seconded by M. McDonald & resolved.
"That the Managing Committee visit the foreshore
"and Stone Bridge on Friday next re Engineer
"and Sanitary Officers Reports" =

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Sanitary Sub Officers Report
7th June 1910

I respectfully beg to report that during the past month I made my usual sanitary inspections visiting over 170 premises and served 10 Notices under the Public Health Act for various sanitary purposes. I have reported a case of keeping swine to the Medical Officer of Health. The scavengers were attentive to their work. The usual disinfecting of the Main Drainage and washing down of the Doctors Steps has also been carried out during the month. The Bathing Boxes have been painted as directed and placed in position and are now ready for use. Also the seats have been put in position on the promenade. I beg to draw your attention to the dumping of refuse at the bank near the Gas House, I would recommend a notice to be placed there against the dumping of refuse

Patrick Doyle Saw Sur Officer

Order. "That Sanitary Sur Officers Report be referred to the "Managing Committee" =

Sanitary Sur Officer called attention to the gully traps in the yards of the Councils Tenants in Bond Street which are blocked The yards referred to are No 1 Patrick Fox, No 2 Mrs Hall, No 3 Mrs Neild, No 4 Mrs Canavan.

Order. "That Saw Surveyors attention be called to the "houses referred to by Saw Sur Officer with "a view to have the gully traps put in order "and the stoppage removed.

Resolution

Proposed by Francis Murphy, Seconded by Mathew Mc Donald Resolved "That the resolution of the 5th April 1910 fixing Patrick "Doyles salary be varied so as to read £45 per annum as "Sanitary Sur Officer, and £10 per annum as Town Sergeant, "Inspector of Common Lodgings and Market Inspector, this "change becomes necessary in consequence of the letter No 30.007 "22nd April 1910 from Local Government Board fixing "the salary for Sanitary Sur Officer at £45 per annum.

"and not £50 per annum as stated in the resolution referred to "We further direct that Tenders be invited for Sanitary Officers "uniforms to be considered at our next meeting: =

Dairy Inspectors Report
7th June 1910

During the past I have visited the premises of the various licensed cow keepers and Milk Shops in the Urban District, and found the majority of them very clean and in good order, however there is a few who have not yet limewashed their premises, but having promised to do so during the ensuing week. I also beg to report that Messrs Smith, Canavan and Rutledge have not complied with the notice served on them last October, however the former two have made a reasonable effort, but the latter has taken no steps at all in the matter and therefore I shall be glad to have the Councils instructions as the premises in there present condition are altogether unsuitable for the carrying on the business of a Dairy Proprietor

James Redmond: Dairy Inspector

Order: "That Dairy Inspectors Report be referred to the Managing "Committee for consideration and report: =

Read Waterworks Overseers Report 5th June 1910, showing state of water in Reservoir to be 1'-9½" from old overflow and calling the attention of the Council to the waste of water caused by flushing sewers: =

Order. "That Waterworks Overseers Report be referred to the "Waterworks Committee"

Read letter from Commissioner of Valuation forwarding decisions in the several cases of appeal, and list of cases requiring revision to be included in the lists which are to be forwarded by the end of the present month in accordance with the Valuation Acts.

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Read letter from Dublin Castle thanking the Council on behalf of King George the Fifth for resolution of sympathy and condolence on the death of His Gracious Majesty King Edward the Seventh.

Read letter from Local Government Board No 91 M. 26/5/1910, requesting a return of the arrears of Poor Rate on the 31st March 1910 =

Read circular letters from Local Government Board No 87 M. 31=5=1910 No 46 M. 7 April 1910, No 41 M. 11th April 1910, No 87 M 30/5/1910,

Order. "That the Returns asked for by Local Government Board be furnished by our Town Clerk.

Read letter from Omnium Insurance Corporation requesting copy of the Bond required for Rate Collectors —

Clerk stated he had referred to Company to the form of Bond prescribed in the Public Bodies Order, copies of which can be obtained from Messrs Healy & Dollard: —

Read letter from Mr Patrick Clarke enclosing receipt from Omnium Insurance Corporation for £3. 15. 0 being in the nature of a cover note:

Order. "That Rate Collectors Warrant be sealed and "signed not to issue until Bond is completed" =

Read letter from Messrs J. H. M'Carroll & Co undertaking on behalf of Mr William White to pay all costs attending Petition and Lease =

Read circular letter from Dublin Castle forwarding copy of an order under the Polling Districts and Registration of Voters Ireland (Act) 1908.

Read correspondence with Messrs George Smith & Co Mr Burgess re the subject of advertising Wicklow in "The Heart of Erin"

Read resolution from Dublin United Trades Council and Labour Leque on the subject of the increased duties on the distilling and brewing industries (Refered to Committee)

Read letter from Galway Co Council on the subject of Irish Medical association to create a National or State Medical service

Order. "That letter from Galway Co Council be refered to Committee"

Read letter from Misses Wynne's thanking the Council for resolution of sympathy and condolence on the death of their Father Mr John Wynne" =

Tenders for Caretaker Bathing Boxes

John Magrainor tendered at 30/= for season.

Resolution

Proposed by Francis Murphy, Seconded by James Hamilton resolves
"That John M'Grainor Tender for Caretaker of
"Bathing Boxes at £1. 10. 0 for coming season be hereby
"accepted on the usual conditions, Caretaker to Sign Agreement
"before taking over possession of the Boxes" =

Resolution

Proposed by William M. Byrne, Seconded by N. H. Haskins resolves
"That we the Members of the Wicklow Urban Council unanimously protest
"against the form of the Kings Accession Oath by which the doctorines
"of millions of His Majesty's Subjects is declared to be blaspemous and
"Idolatrious, we call upon the Government to introduce a Bill deleting
"such Offensive words from the Kings Oath, copies of this resolution to be
"forwarded to the Prime Minister, The Chief Secretary for Ireland
"and John E. Redmond M.P.

Notice of Motion

That the resolution giving Mr Lavery £1. 6. 0 be rescinded and that he be given the full amount claimed for the destroying of his clothes

Signed. Francis Murphy 7/6/1910

Wm Byrne Chairman July 5th 1910

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Town Hall Wicklow
30th June 1910

A Special Meeting of the Wicklow Urban District Council was held this day in pursuance to a requisition Signed by Messrs Mathew Mc Donald James Hamilton, S. V. Delahunt, Edward M Collins, Peter Doolittle, Patrick Fitzsimons to transact the following business

1 To make provision for payment of Dividends to Stock Holders
2 To consider Finance Committees Report
3 To approve of Valuation Lists for ensuing Valuation of changes of Occupiers and Immediate Lessors =

Councillors Present-

Mr. Nicholas A Haskins in the Chair, Messrs S. V. Delahunt, Edward M Collins, David A. Haskins, James Hamilton and Mathew Mc Donald.

Finance Committees Report
28th June 1910

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. Arthur Doolittle.	Corporate Cottage Rents	£181. 8. 1
" Patrick Clarke.	Urban Rate	75. 8. 1
		£256. 16. 2

Giving a Cr. Balance of £346. 6. 11

We recommend the following payments

Hibernian Bank.	Transfer of Funds to Dividend Fund Acct for payment of Dividends	357. 11. 0
Francis Mc Phail.	One months Salary	11. 18. 4
Same	Workmens Wages & Petty Cash	24. 11. 6
Henry J. Mc Phail	One months Salary	2. 10. 0
John Pansing	Do	4. 3. 4
	Forward £	400. 14. 2

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Patrick Doyle.	One months salary	4. 11. 8
Edward O'Connor.	Do	6. 0. 0
James Redmond	Do	1. 0. 0
James Finlay	Do Caretaker of Grass Lands	" 10. 0
John Byrne	Insurance Band St Houses	" 15. 0
Same	Do Murphy Stones	" 6. 0
Collector of Income Tax.	Income Tax on Waterworks & circus Lettings	" 10. 6
John Kelly	One years Poor Rate on Waterworks	2. 2. 10
Smith Premier Co.	Paper, stencils &c	1. 6. 10
Wm Flynn	Notice Boards	" 8. 0
Messrs Stelz	Rate Forms	" 5. 4
Wm J. Mc Phail	Writing Urban Rate Book, totting & checking	Same 2. 0. 0
Reginald Mc Phail	Writing 900 Demand & Receipts & 2/6 ps	1. 11. 6
Dr Halpin	Three months moiety of Salary	1. 15. 0
Wicklow District Asylum.	Balance contract public lighting to 30th April 1910	73. 12. 0
	Total Payments £	497. 8. 10

Signed - Edward M Collins, S. V. Delahunt, James Hamilton } Members of Finance Committee

Resolution

Proposed by Mathew Mc Donald Seconded by James Hamilton and resolved "That the Report of the Finance Committee be hereby "confirmed and adopted and that Treasurer Advice "Note for making payments to the several "parties named therein be now signed by directors "and on behalf of the Council amounting in the aggregate "to the sum of £ 497. 8. 10

Resolution

Proposed by S. V. Delahunt, Seconded by D. A. Haskins & resolved "That the Wicklow (Town) Redeemable Stock Register of Stock "Holders as now submitted for half year to the 1st July 1910 "be signed and the nett amount of Dividends set forth "therein £357. 11. 0 be transferred by Paying Order No 645 from "general Account to the Wicklow (Town) Dividend Fund.

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"Account, and our Registrar is hereby authorised to issue the
"necessary Dividend Warrants in connection therewith."

Resolution

Proposed by S.V. Delahunt, Seconded by David A. Haskins and resolved
"That our Town Clerk write to Mr. Keogh, Stock Broker, asking
"him what steps are necessary to obtain a Stock Exchange
"quotation for the Wicklow (Town) 3½% Redeemable Debenture
"Stock, and the cost of same.

Resolution

Proposed by S.V. Delahunt, Seconded by David A. Haskins and resolved
"That the Valuation Lists as now submitted be hereby
"approved of and be forwarded to the Commissioner of
"Valuation"=

Read letters from the Dublin & South Eastern Railway Co appealing against the Valuation of their premises.

Resolution

Proposed by James Hamilton, Seconded by Mathew Mc Donald and resolved
"That our Solicitor Mr. Joseph A. McCarroll be instructed to
"attend at the hearing of the Railway Companys appeal
"against the Valuation of their premises, and to support
"the Commissioner of Valuation against any reduction
"being made in their Valuation

Passed Wm Byrne Chmn
July 5th 1910

Town Hall Wicklow
5th July 1910

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

To elect Seven Councillors to represent the Council on the Rathdrum and Wicklow Joint Burial Board.
To consider Committees Report.
To consider Town Surveyors Report.
To consider Sanitary Officers Reports.
To consider Dairy Inspectors Report.
To consider Tenders for Sanitary Officers Uniform.
To consider Miscellaneous Correspondence.
To consider Mr Francis Murphys "Notice of Motion" That the resolution giving Mr Lavery £1. 5. 0 be rescinded and that he be given the full amount of his claim for his clothes destroyed by order of Medical Officer of Health

Members Present

Mr William M Byrne in the Chair, which was subsequently occupied by Mr. Christopher Murray Chairman.

Also Present

Messrs James Hamilton, Frank McPhail, David A. Haskins, Peter Doolittle, Joseph McCarroll, Nicholas A. Haskins.

The minutes of the previous meetings were read over and confirmed after which the business was proceeded with.

Resolution

Proposed by David A. Haskins, Seconded by James Hamilton and resolved: "That the following Rates be struck off as
"irrecoverable viz Poor Rate, First Moiety £35. 1. 1,
"Second Moiety £31. 19. 4 Urban Rate £48. 0. 6 and
"we direct our Chairman to sign on our behalf the
"necessary documents in connection therewith!"=

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Resolution

Proposed by Joseph McCarroll, Seconded by Peter Doolittle and resolved.
"That the following Councillors be hereby elected to represent
"the Wicklow Urban District Council on the Rathdrum & Wicklow
"Joint Burial Board Messrs Christopher Murray, James
"Gernon, Edward McCollins, Frank McGrail, S.V. Delahunt,
"Samuel E Pim and William M Byrne: —

Town Surveyors Report
30th June 1910

The road and public works are in fair condition and there is nothing special to report to this meeting. Arrangements should now be made for years supply of Macadam.

John Mansing — Town Surveyor.

Resolution

Proposed by Frank McGrail, Seconded by Peter Doolittle and resolved
"That 600 tons of macadam be ordered from the Balleeca
"Quarry to be delivered on or before 1st of October 1910, and
"that the Railway Company be written to for a reduction
"in the Railway Charges.

Resolution

Proposed by Nicholas H. Haskins, Seconded by Christopher Murray & resolved: That seven days notice be served on Mr. Kirkpatrick
"and others to keep a road way for traffic on North
"Quay a clear 18 feet; and if same is not done immediately
"proceedings to be taken:

Order. "That the seats on the Fancy Murrough be removed to outer
"promenade to the positions indicated by the Town Surveyor.

Order. "That the Harbour Board be asked to provide a boat slip
"at New Pier.

Order. "That Mr. Brooke be written to drawing his attention to the
"neglected state of the ground around the Halpin Obelisk
"and to ask if Earl Fitzwilliam would allow the
"Council to look after the upkeep of the place, or to

appoint a local Committee for the purpose.

Order. "That the Committee appointed with reference to the Parnell
"Monument be summoned to consider Councils resolution."

Sanitary Officers Reports
4th July 1910

I respectfully beg to report that during the past month, I made my usual sanitary inspections visiting over 190 premises and served 12 notices under the public health Acts.

I had one patient conveyed to Fever Hospital in ambulance car and one premises disinfected. Your Medical Officer of Health recommends that I should have a suitable overall to wear whilst disinfecting premises.

I would recommend a gate to be erected on the Inner Murrough to stop trespass, keys could be given to the parties who have right of access. The Scavengers were attentive to their work.

Patrick Doyle Sanitary Officers.

Order. "That Sanitary Officer be supplied with a
"suitable overall as recommended by the Medical
"Officer of Health, and report referred to the
"Managing Committee: —

Dairy Inspectors Report.
5th July 1910

During the month of June I inspected the Con Keepers premises and milk Shops and found them with two exceptions to be in good order, I have constantly warned the parties referred to and they have take no notice, although they have repeatedly promised to carry out my directions — If there is not an improvement proceedings must be taken as the premises are in a neglected and dirty condition: — If their names are published it will not serve their business, however, the public must be protected from the liability of contracting disease through the negligence on the part of those Con Keepers.

I beg to draw the Councils attention to my previous

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reports with a view to some action been taken in the matter.

James Redmond : Dairy Inspector

Order. "That Dairy Inspectors Report be referred to the Managing "Committee =

Read Waterworks Overseers Report shewing the state of water in the Reservoir to be 1'. 3½" from old overflow and recommending a general cleaning of filter beds and sand in store put down and washed). The 8" main and 2 small mains in valve house requiring packing.

Edward Cranson : Overseer

Order. "That Overseer have mains packed and general cleaning "of filter beds left over until next monthly meeting.

Read letter from Miss Halpin, Summer Hill, drawing the Overseers attention to waste of water going on at the fountains Monklow Row by boys from Ball Alley, Irish Town No; = allowing the taps of the fountains to run for four hours. = burning candles of the

Order. "That the matter be brought under the notice of the police"

Tenders for Suit Sanitary Officers Uniform

1	Mr. John Olgrady	Suit & Cap	£	4.	4. 0
2	Same	do		4.	2. 6
3	Same	do		3.	17. 6
1	P. J. Byrne	do		4.	15. 0
2	Same	do		4.	5. 0
3	Same	do		3.	17. 6
4	Same	do		3.	10. 0
	Same	Overcoat from £2.10.0 to		3.	12. 6
	John McGuinn	do		3.	10. 0

Resolution

Proposed by D. H. Haskins, Seconded by Christopher Murray, Resolved
"That John Maguires Tender for overcoat at £3. 10
" and John Olgradys Tender for suit and cap at £3 =
" 17/6 be hereby accepted

Read letter from Dublin & South Eastern Railway Co 15/6/1910, claiming to be entitled to assessment on one fourth only of the rateable Valuation of £132 and £147 referred to in the Valuation Lists as Station premises at Wicklow.

Resolution

Proposed by David H. Haskins, Seconded by Peter Doolittle and resolved.
"That our Clerk inform the Dublin & South Eastern Railway
"Company that the demand made on the Company is made
"in accordance with the Acts of Parliament governing same,
"which provides that the Company are clearly liable for the
"full rate on the valuations of £132 and £147 respectively

Read an application from Mr Edward Kennedy, Main St Wicklow for a new lease of his premises The Mall in the occupation of Edward Cranson.

Order. That Mr. Kennedys application be referred to the Managing Committee

Read letter from Messrs Hamilton & Craig threatening law proceedings for amount of first instalment due to County Council in respect of Demand for 1910 – 11

The Clerk stated that at the last Council Meeting a resolution was adopted appointing the Chairman and Vice Chairman to wait on the Managers of the Hibernian Bank for an overdraft and no action has been taken =

Read circular letter and resolution from County Council on the subject of the Parnell Monument.

Order. That our Clerk summon Committee appointed some time ago to consider Co Council letter and resolution =

Read letter from H. L. Murphy Esq M.A. on the subject of Barrington Lectures and enclosing a syllabus of the Lectures, Council to select not more than four subjects.

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Resolution

Proposed by Frank McPhail, Seconded by D.H. Haskins and resolved.
"That the following be appointed a Committee to arrange for
"Barrington Lectures Messrs Murray, McPhail, McCarroll,
"N. Haskins, W.M Byrne, S.V. Ledabrent, Jno. Collins,
"Thomas Newbold —

Read letter from Rating Department-Treasury, Commissioner of Valuation and Local Government Board on the subjects 1 Contribution in lieu of Rates, 2 valuation lists and appeals. 3. Rates made for current year.

Read letter from Local Government Board enclosing amended regulations made by the Lord Lieutenant-in pursuance to the Cinematograph Act-1909: —

Read letter from the Chief Secretary acknowledging receipt of the Councils resolution!

Mr. Francis Murphy's "Notice of Motion" fell through he not been present to move it.

Read letter from Tenants "Bond and Strand St Houses." No action taken"

James Gernon Chr
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Town Hall, Wicklow
4th August 1910

A Special Meeting of the Wicklow Urban District Council was held this day in pursuance to a requisition signed by Messrs M. J. O'Brien; M. McDonald; Frank McPhail; N. H. Haskins; Francis Murphy; Edward M. Collins. To transact the following business:-

1. To consider Finance Committee's Report.
2. To consider Managing Committee's Report.
3. To consider Town Surveyors Report.
4. To consider Sanitary Officers Reports
5. To consider Dairy Inspector's Report.
6. To consider Waterworks Overseer's Report.
7. To consider miscellaneous correspondence

Members Present

Mr James Gernon, Vice Chairman in the Chair; Messrs J. S. Newbold; James Hamilton; Frank McPhail; Joseph McCarroll; M. J. O'Brien.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read over and confirmed, after which the business was proceeded with.

Finance Committee's Report
4th August 1910

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

Francis W. McPhail	Estate Duty Grant, Fines etc	£25. 8. 5
Arthur Woolittle	Corporate Rents	56. 4. 8
Patrick Clarke	Urban Rates	253. 9. 2
		£335. 2. 3

Giving a Cr Balance of £230. 17. 0

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We recommend the following payments :-

Francis W. MacDonnell	One months Salary	£ 11 . 18 . 4
Same	Workmens Wages	27 . 18 . 2
Henry J. MacDonnell	One months Salary	2 . 10 . 0
John Sansing	do	4 . 3 . 4
Patrick Doyle	do	4 . 11 . 8
Edward OConnor	do	6 . 0 . 0
James Redmond	do	1 . 0 . 0
James Finlay	Caretaker Grass Sands	10 . 0
Arthur Woolittle	5% on £ 252 . 17 . 11 Rents collected & lodged	12 . 12 . 11
Wicklow School Attendance	Committee Expenses to 30/6/1910	11 . 5 . 0
Wicklow Gas Co	Gas Town Hall 15/9; Valve House 8/8	1 . 4 . 5
Th. Gelletlie	Insurance of Officials Workmens Compensation Act	8 . 0
Samuel E. Sim	Building Wall on South Quay as per resolution	15 . 0 . 0
Wicklow People	Advertising	3 . 1 . 3
Wicklow Press	do	15 . 6
Wicklow News Letter	do & Printing	4 . 18 . 6
Same	Door Rate Notices etc	2 . 8 . 6
Patrick Clarke	Urban Rate on Corporate Property	22 . 12 . 11
Edward OConnor	Night work at Meter & Mains	. 10 . 0
Patrick Crowlock	Scouring Water Mains 14 Nights @ 1/6 14 Sundays Cleaning Steps @ 6d & 2 Nights at Water Mains with Overseer	1 . 19 . 0
John OGrady	Town Sergeants Uniform & Cap	3 . 14 . 6
John Maguire	Over Coat	3 . 10 . 0
		£ 145 . 15 . 0

(Signed) James Gernon
J. S. Newbold
James Hamilton

Resolution

Proposed by Joseph McCarroll
Seconded by M. J. OBrien

Resolved:- "That the Report of the Finance Committee be hereby confirmed and adopted
" and that Treasurers Advice Note 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 £ 145 . 15 . 0

Managing Committees Report
25th July 1910

Your Managing Committee met this evening and having had before them Mr Frank Walshs application for hire of Murrough for Regatta week; direct our Clerk to inform Mr Walsh that they regret they cannot see their way to accede to his application.

(Signed) William M. Byrne
S. D. Welahunt
James Hamilton

Order:- That the Report of the Managing Committee dated 25th July 1910 be hereby confirmed and adopted.

Town Surveyors Report
25th July 1910

Gentlemen;

During the past month the roads and streets have been well kept, and are now in fair condition.

I have already reported on the defective method of filling the Water Cart, but no order was made. More than half the time is wasted with the present arrangement.

The open joints in the timber groynes along the Murrough, which I reported on some time ago are getting worse, and should be attended to at once if the utility of the groynes is to be preserved.

A post and rail fence should be erected at both ends of the Sowes Promenade.

Cyclists should not be allowed to ride along the New Pier. Notice was served on the Owner of the timber obstructing the road to S. S. Pier, but was not complied with.

Proper sanitary accommodation should be provided without further delay in connection with Cottages in the Ball Alley, and at the Wooden-foot-Bridge.

(Signed) John Sansing
Town Surveyor.

Order:- Town Surveyors Report referred to Managing Committee.

Order:- Town Surveyor to report on the Road in Fitzwilliam Square.

Order:- Town Surveyors attention to be drawn to New Railway Road.

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Order:- Town Surveyor to supply an estimate for readjusting timber groynes along Foreshore.

Order:- Wicklow Harbour Commissioners to be asked to prohibit Cyclists riding on the New Pier.

Order:- Messrs Mark Byrne & Canavan be written to warning them against throwing refuse down on Sea Beach at New Pier.

Order:- Town Agent to report on Corporate Rents.

Resolution

Proposed by Frank McGrail
Seconded by J. S. Newbold
Resolved:- "That a sum of Fifty shillings be expended on Railing on Lower "Promenade."

Sub Sanitary Officer's Report
2nd August 1910

Gentlemen,

I respectfully beg to report that during the past month I made my usual sanitary inspections visiting over 160 premises and served 5 notices under the Public Health Act for various sanitary purposes.

I have also carried out the usual disinfecting of the main drainages and the washing down of Doctor Steps. The Scavengers were attentive to their work. Kindly let me have your directions as to dumping ground for Street refuse. The public lighting commenced on the 1st instant.

(Signed) Patrick Doyle S. S. Offr.

Order:- Street refuse to be dumped in Brickfield Lane on and after 1st Oct 1910

Resolution

Proposed by Frank McGrail
Seconded by Joseph McCarroll
Resolved:- "That Mr Patrick Doyle, S. S. Offr. be hereby appointed to the position "of Inspector of Petroleum in the room of his father now deceased."

Dairy Inspector's Report
2nd August 1910

Gentlemen;

I respectfully beg to report that during the past month I made my usual inspection of the premises occupied by Cowkeepers and found them in good order with one exception in the latter case it is almost impossible to get the Owner to keep his place in anything like reasonable condition.

Gentlemen contrary to your orders there are two unlicensed Cowkeepers continuing to keep swine in close proximity to the Cowsheds, and one licensed party put swine back on his premises this state of things cannot be allowed to go on as the persons referred to are sometimes neglectful in the handling of milk, and therefore through their neglect danger to public health may arise.

(Signed) James Redmond
Dairy Inspector.

Order:- Notice to be served to discontinue the keeping of Swine, and if not complied with; to report same to the Council.

Order:- Notice to be served on Cowkeeper to have his premises put in proper order".

Read Waterworks Overseer's Report showing the state of water in the Reservoir to be 2'-6" from old overflow, and recommending No1. Filter Beds to be cleaned

Order:- Waterworks Overseer to have No1. Filter Beds cleaned.

Letter No. 42 132 from Local Government Board forwarding extracts from Medical Officer of Health's Report of the Wicklow Dispensary District of Rathdrum Union. for the Council's consideration.

Extract from Medical Officer's Returns,
Forms "L" for Half Year ended 31st March 1910.

No. 42, 132.

Wicklow Dispensary District

The District is not in good sanitary condition. Rathnew is very dirty and not cleansed.

The water supply is indifferent. Sewerage is wanted.

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There was an enquiry held here last summer, and plans of new sewers submitted to Mr. Cowan, Local Government Board Inspector, I consider it absolutely necessary that these sewers be constructed at once, also that the ventilating shafts for sewers be erected; these shafts are now nearly a year in Wicklow.

Read letter No. 24,213 from Local Government Board asking for a reply to their letter of the 11th April last, relative to the carrying out of the requirements of Articles 5 and 64 of the Public Bodies Order, 1904, in the Wicklow Urban District

Read letter No. 91 "M" from Local Government Board, relative to the arrears of rate in Wicklow Urban District for the year ended 31st March 1910; and asking to be supplied with the lists of arrears.

Read letter No 91 "M" from Local Government Board requesting to be supplied with a list of arrears of Sod Rate for the period ended 31st March 1910.

Read letter No. 57107 from Commissioner of Valuation informing the Council that the Annual Revision of Valuation is about to be made, and stating that if the Council have any Supplemental Lists of Tenements requiring revision to forward same not later than 31st July 1910; in order that they may receive due attention.

Read letter No. 48365 from Local Government Board enclosing copy of Trade Boards Act 1909, relative to employment in certain trades.

Read letter from the Under Secretary acknowledging receipt of the Council's letter re the Headquarters of the Resident Magistrate for Co. Wicklow from Bray to Wicklow.

Read letter No. 56864 from Commissioner of Valuation acknowledging receipt of an additional list of Tenements requiring revision.

Read letter No. 57005 from Commissioner of Valuation enclose copy of the appeal of the W & S. C. Rly Co against the Valuation of the Station at Wicklow.

Read notice of Audit from J. A. Baker Esq. stating that he would Audit the Accounts of the Wicklow Urban District Council on Tuesday 9th August 1910; at the hour of 10 Oclock a.m.

Read letter from Mr Joseph Keogh, Stock Broker, with regard to the quotation of Wicklow Town Stock on the exchange.

Read a further letter from Mr Keogh, stating, that, the Stock Exchange will be pleased to grant the quotation on payment of a fee of £5; together with a fee to their Solicitor, who may find it necessary to enquire into the security of the Stock; and stating that the Solicitor's fee will not amount to much, and also that the Broker applying for the quotation is also supposed to charge a fee of £5; which fee he was prepared to ~~do so~~ forego, if allowed to do so under the Rules of the Stock Exchange.

Resolution

Proposed by James Lemon.
Seconded by Frank McDonald
Resolved:- "That we hereby approve of Mr Joseph Keogh's letter of the 11th
"July 1910; and direct our Town Clerk to take immediate steps
"to give effect thereto"

Resolution

Proposed by Frank McDonald
Seconded by Joseph McCarroll
Resolved:- "That the Board of Works be again approached on the subject of
"Loan for new sewers, the Town Clerk to point out that the
"raising of the amount required by the issue of local municipal
"Stock would mean a serious loss to the Rates, and that the
"Board of Works be asked to issue the loan on the usual terms.

Read letter from Messrs Cooke, Tennyson & Tuke asking the Council if they required loans, and if so to give them the opportunity of tendering for same.

Read letter from Mr John Coghlan, W & S. C. Rly Co stating that the lowest rate he could quote for carriage on 600 Tons Macadam between Rathdrum & Wicklow is 1/4 per ton.

Read letter from Surveyor of Taxes re Income Tax due on Corporate Property, requesting same to be paid without further delay.

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