Town Surveyor's Report
November 1st 1910

The roads and streets are in fair condition, a good deal of repairs were recently carried out. The Balleece Quarry Co are not supplying the material up to time and the result will be late spreading and rough roads. The Lower Promenade is badly injured from carting seaweed, if this is allowed to continue there is no use in levelling it up again.

John Manning: Town Surveyor.

Resolution

Proposed by Frank McGhail, Seconded by James Jernon and resolved
"That the paling on the Lower Promenade be moved further
"in and promenade repaired and enclosed.

Resolution

Proposed by James McCurcy, Seconded by David H. Haskins & resolved
"That the tenders for sewers and water main be referred
"to the Managing Committee and Town Surveyor; to consider
"bills of quantities &c and report to a Special Meeting of
"the Council" —

Resolution

Proposed by Frank McGhail, Seconded by David H. Haskins & resolved
"That tenders for painting be referred to the Managing
"Committee and Town Surveyor and report to the Council.

Resolution

Proposed by Frank McGhail, Seconded by David H. Haskins & resolved
"That Mr James M. Calls Tender for cementing
"gable of Town Hall be accepted at £16. 2. 6
"work to be carried out in accordance with
"specification and satisfaction of Town Surveyor.

Sanitary Sub Officer's Report
1st November 1910

I respectfully beg to report that during the past month I made my usual sanitary inspections visiting over 200 premises and served 12 notices under the Public Health Act for various sanitary purposes. I have two parties summoned to Petty Sessions for non compliance with Sanitary notices and have reported to the Medical Officer of Health one case of the keeping of swine dangerous to the Public Health.

The disinfecting of the main drainage and washing down of the Doctors Steps was carried out as usual. — The Scavengers were attentive to their work, but it will be necessary that they have assistance from the road men during the winter season. The public lighting of the Town was well maintained. During a storm a considerable quantity of seaweed was thrown up on the Lower Promenade and although I warned the carters not to enter on this ground they persisted and took no notice of my warning the paling should have been put in closer to the wall to stop trespass.

Patrick Doyle San Sub Officer

Order. That Sanitary Sub Officer's Report be hereby approved of:

Dairy Inspector's Report
1st November 1910

I respectfully beg to report that I was reluctantly compelled to summon three Cow Keepers for non compliance with the regulations and owing to the non attendance of Magistrates on the 18th ultimo the cases had to stand over until this day.

The greater number of the Cow Keepers have had their Cowsheds limewashed and put in order for the housing of the cattle this month, whilst others have promised which if not carried out at once must be prosecuted

From and after the 1st of October licenses granted to Cow Keepers, Dairymen and Purveyors of Milk have been renewed for coming year, and two new applications

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are to be made to your Council this day.

James Redmond. Dairy Inspector

Order: That Dairy Inspectors Report be hereby approved of.

Read Waterworks Overseers Report showing height of water in Reservoir to be 3ft ½ inch from old overflow and enumerating list of work done since last Meeting :-

Read letter from Mr H. L. Murphy M.A. on the subject of Barrington Lectures delivered on the 12. 19 & 26 September :-

Resolution

Proposed by James Lennon, Seconded by Thomas P. Newbold resolved.
"That this Council desire to place on record their appreciation of the series of Barrington Lectures held in Wicklow during three weeks in September and the first week in October and we trust that a further series may be held here soon again :-

Read circular letter from Local Government Board No 141 Miscellaneous dated 4th October 1910 requesting a return showing salaries paid to Sanitary Officers for half year ended 30th September 1910

Order: That the returns as now submitted be signed by our Chairman and Clerk and forwarded to Local Government Board :-

Read letter from Local Government Board No 65.305 - 15/10/1910 stating Dr Halpin had been granted four weeks vacation and that Dr Thomas Lyndon had been appointed his temporary substitute

Read letter from Local Government Board No 55.409. 20/10/1910 requesting to know what action ~~what action~~ has been taken in connection with the report of the Auditor on his audit of the Councils Accounts for year ended 31st March 1910.

Read letter from Local Government Board No 30.007 - 24 Oct 1910 repecting the appointment on probation for a period of six months of Mr Patrick Doyle as Sanitary Sub-Officer and requesting that a report be obtained from the Medical Officer of Health as to the manner in which Mr Doyle discharged his duties while on probation.

Order: "That Dr Halpin Medical Officer of Health be requested to "furnish a report in accordance with Local Government "Board requirements.

Read letter from H.M. Inspector of Explosives dated 26/10/1910 on the subject of the appointment of an Inspector under the Explosive Act 1875

Clerk stated, that he had replied stating that Sergeant John O'Leary R.I.C. had been appointed Inspector and was carrying out the duties of the office

Read letter from Mr Thomas Gregory on the subject of the sale to him of his farm under the Irish Land Purchase Acts -

Resolution

Proposed by Frank M'Grail, Seconded by James Lennon resolved.
"That a copy of Mr Gregorys letter be forwarded "to Mr Joseph A. McCarroll Solicitor for his "observations thereon his reply to be laid before "the next Special Meeting :-

Read letters from Mr Edward J. Burrow Cheltenham and Mr Patrick Mac Dowell Town Clerk Bray on the subject of advertising Wicklow and forwarding a series of pocket guides for the Councils observation

Resolution

Proposed by James De Courcy, Seconded by Francis Murphy resolved
"That correspondence from Messrs Edward J. Burrow "and Mr Mac Donnell be referred to the Managing "Committee for report and consideration -

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Read letter from Commissioner of Valuation No 58236 = 31/10/910 enclosing Schedules showing alterations in Valuations recently made by the Court of Quarter Sessions, which are to be adopted for rating purposes.

Read letter from Mr E. N. Wynne, Secretary, Co Council enclosing copy of a resolution adopted by the Finance Committee of Wicklow Co Council on the subject of the loss of about £2000 a year in consequence of the failure of the Government to provide the full amount payable out of the Irish Taxation Account.

Resolution

Proposed by Joseph M Carroll, Seconded by James McCourcy & resolved.
"That the Government be called on to make good the 32% "deducted from the Local Taxation Account and that in "future the full amount be paid from the consolidated "Fund as before the passing of the Local Government Act "1898 and that copies of this resolution be sent to Mr Birrell "Mr Muldoon and Mr John Redmond.

Read letter from Richard White requesting to know what steps have been taken about the passage at rear of Monkton Row! –

Order. "That Mr Joseph McCarroll Solicitor be asked how the matter "stands =

Read letter from Mr Joseph H. McCarroll acknowledging receipt of resolution to include in the Sale to Mr John Keogh a field lately in the possession of Edward Kennedy –

Read letter from Mr John Coghlan, Traffic Manager, W & W. E. Railway re on the subject of the railway rate on macadam =

Read card from Mr Richard Sheane acknowledging receipt of order for pipe fittings and tools for Waterworks =

Read card from Ballece Quarries stating that they were doing their best to send on supply of macadam =

Read applications from Edward Smith, Marlton Road, James Kennedy, New Street and Mrs Charlotte E. Moody, Summer Hill for licenses to enable them to carry on the trade of Cow Keepers Dairymen and Purveyors of Milk in their respective premises.

Order. That applications be referred to the Dairy Inspector for report.

On the motion of Francis Murphy, Seconded by James McCourcy & resolved
"That resolution from North Dublin Union on the subject of State "aid for the blind and deaf Mutes be adopted: =

Resolution

Proposed by Frank M Phail, Seconded by James Hamilton & resolved.
"That the attention of the Board of Irish Lights be called "to the necessity of placing a suitable light on the "Horse Shoe Buoy, South of Wicklow Head, as such would "be of immense value to the fishermen of Wicklow and "Arklow and also of Shipping on this coast, owing to the "close proximity of the Arklow Banks, that a copy of "this resolution be sent to Mr John Muldoon. M. P. "asking him to use his Kind influence in the matter, "the Irish Lights Board, Arklow & Wicklow Harbour Boards.

J H H Hawkins Chairman
Dec 6 1910

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Town Hall Wicklow
7th November 1910

A Special Meeting of the Wicklow Urban District Council was held this day in pursuance to a requisition signed by Messrs Mathew McDonald, David H. Haskins, Edward M Collins, Patrick Fitzsimons, William M Byrne and Nicholas H. Haskins.

To consider Managing Committees Report on the subject of the acceptance of tenders for drainage, water main, and painting Town Hall.

Councillors Present

Mr James Gernon, Vice Chairman, in the Chair, Messrs Frank McPhail, James Hamilton, Patrick Fitzsimons, James De Courcy, Mathew McDonald, Hon P. Newbold, Joseph McCarroll, William M Byrne, David H. Haskins.

Read Managing Committees Report recommending the acceptance of Mr William Clarke's tenders for sewers and water main.

Resolution

Proposed by William M Byrne, Seconded by Thomas P Newbold resolved
"That after careful consideration of the Tenders for Sewerage
"and water main we consider it would be more
"economical to advertise the whole scheme of Sewerage
"as one contract the tenders before us for portion of the
"Scheme already advertised being too high, and we
"therefore direct that fresh advertisements be issued for
"the 21st November Instant at 11 o'clock =

Resolution

Proposed by William M Byrne, Seconded by Mathew McDonald and resolved,
"That Norman McKays Tender for painting Town Hall be accepted at
"£9. 8. 6, work to be carried out within one month in accordance with
"the Town Surveyors specification" =

Nicholas H Haskins Chairman
Dec 6 1910

Town Hall Wicklow
21st November 1910

A Special Meeting of the Wicklow Urban District Council was held this day in pursuance to a requisition signed by Messrs Thomas P. Newbold, Mathew McDonald, David H. Haskins, S. V. Delahunt, Nicholas H. Haskins and Edward M Collins

To consider Tenders for Sewers and Water Main.
To consider Miscellaneous Correspondence
To sign and seal requisition for 1st Instalment of Loan

Councillors Present

Mr James Gernon Vice Chairman, in the Chair, Messrs James Hamilton, James De Courcy, Nicholas H. Haskins, Patrick Fitzsimons, Mathew McDonald, Frank McPhail, David H. Haskins, Samuel E Pim, William M. Byrne, Joseph McCarroll, Michael Allen O'Brien, James Dunne & S. V. Delahunt.

Four Tenders were received and considered for construction of Sewers and Water main viz.

Mr. P. J. Kinlen	Greystones	Sewers =	£ 1164. 15. 3	for
		Water Main	41. 6. 9	
" Robert Mosley	Bray	Sewers =	1100. 0. 0	"
		Water Main	36 17. 0	
" McKee & McNally	Ramdsrood	Sewers =	1378. 12. 9	"
		Water Main	51. 1. 0	
" William Clarke	Wicklow	Sewers =	1140. 18. 0	"
		Water Main	38. 9. 3	

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Resolution

Proposed by James De Courcey, Seconded by Nicholas H. Haskins & resolved. "That having considered four tenders for drainage "and water main, we hereby accept the tender of "Mr. William Clarke for the sum of £1179. 7. 3 "(Eleven hundred and seventy nine pounds, Seven Shillings "and three pence) on the advice and recommendation "of our Town Surveyor." —

Resolution

Proposed by James Gernon, Seconded by James De Courcey & resolved "That Mr. Joseph M Carroll's name be substituted "for that of Mr. James De Courcey as a Delegate "from this Council to attend Convention of the "United Irish League, and that the Town Clerk be "directed to notify the General Secretary of the United "Irish League of the change."

Resolution

Proposed by Frank W Hail, Seconded by William M Byrne & resolved. "That application be made to Earl Fitzwilliams asking "him to kindly hand over to the care of the Urban "Council the enclosed plot of ground in Bachelors "Walk. —

Read letter from Board of Works dated 9th November 1910 stating they were prepared to issue the first instalment £600 of Loan for sewers and water main on receiving a requisition signed by the Chairman of the Council and countersigned by the Clerk as provided in resolution of the Council dated 1st November 1910

Order. "That requisition now laid before us be signed "by our Chairman and Clerk as requested by "the Board of Works for an advance of £600

Read letter from Mrs. Elizabeth Davis, High St., complaining of insanitary Lane opposite her house.

Order. "That Mrs. Davis be informed that the Council are about "to construct a drain to carry off the nuisance which "she complains of: —

Read letters from Messrs P. A. M. Carroll & Co. enclosing copies of letters from Messrs Wm. Fry & Son Solicitors for the Dublin & S. E. Railway Co. on the subject of the demand made on the Company for local rates and disputing the amount of Rates demanded.

Order. "That our Town Clerk instruct Messrs M. Carroll to apply "for Rates in accordance with the Demand made on "the Railway Co, and that they inform the Railway Co that "their appeal at last quater sessions against the Valua-"-tion does not alter our Demand.

Read letter from Messrs M Carroll & Co Solicitors in reply to the Councils letter of the 4th Inst on the subject of the delay com-plained of by Mr. Thomas Gregory with regard to the completion of the sale of his farm under Land Purchase Acts.

Order. "That Messrs M Carroll's letter and explanation be "hereby approved of: —

Read Report from Messrs M Carroll & Co upon the recent Cases at Wicklow Petty Sessions under the Dairies, Cowsheds and Milkshops (Ireland) Order 1908, and Sanitary cases which was approved of: —

Read letter from Local Government Board No 66. 368 — 3/11/1910 enclosing copy of Notice "The Public Health (Foreign Meat) Ireland Amending regulations 1909. in regard to Meat imported into Ireland from the State of Queensland —

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Read letters from Irish Lights, Mr. Muldoon MP and Arklow Harbour Board acknowledging receipt of resolution of the Council respecting light on Horse Shoe Buoy =

Read letter from Mr. John Coghlan, Traffic Manager, W.S.E. Railway Co. stating that he cannot see his way to continue the Rate on macadam after the 600 tons are delivered. —

Read letter from United Irish League forwarding copies of an article written by Mr. T.P. Clancy MP on the question of local grants —

Read letter from New Ross Urban Council on the Subject of the registration of Slaughter Houses and asking for copies of Bye Laws in reference thereto.

Order. "That our Clerk reply to the letter from New Ross Urban Council =

Nicholas H Hartin Chairman
Dec 6 1910

Town Hall Wicklow
6th December 1910

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

Members Present:

Messrs M. J. O'Brien, James Hamilton, Mathew McDonald, N. H. Haskins, W. H. Haskins, P. Woolitte, S. V. Delahunt, Samuel E. Pim,

On the motion of Mr. M. J. O'Brien, Seconded by James Hamilton "That Mr Nicholas H. Haskins do take the Chair.

Finance Committee Report
1st December 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. MacNeill.	Instalment of Loan	£600. 0. 0
Same	Fines, Market Tolls	1. 5. 1
Arthur Woolitte	Corporate & Cottage Rents	38. 16. 6
Patrick Clarke.	Town Rates	55. 1. 1
		£695. 2. 8

Giving a Balance of £1231. 17. 3

We recommend the following payments

Francis W. MacNeill.	One months Salary	£11. 18. 4
Same	Workmens Wages	34. 13. 0
Henry J. MacNeill	One months salary	2. 10. 0
John Pansing	Do	4. 3. 4
Patrick Doyle	Do	4. 11. 8
Edward O'Connor	Do	6. 0. 0
James Redmond	Do	1. 0. 0
James Finlay	Caretaker Grass Lands	10 0
	Forward	£65. 6. 4

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	Brought Forward	£65. 6. 4
Hibernian Bank	Principal & Interest on Loan Bondt Houses	33. 1. 6
James McCall	On Acct contract cementing gable Town Hall	10. 0. 0
Norman McKay	Do Do Painting Do	5. 0. 0
John Flynn	Repairs to Convent Road Cottages, erection paling & Promenade, New windows do Town Hall	5. 12. 0
Irish Land Commission	Lite Rent Charge	2. 18. 2
J. Stone & Co.	Sluice Valve do	2. 1. 7
Dollards.	Minute Book	" 12. 5
H. Gillettes	Insurance Workmen & officials	3. 13. 9
Ballece Quarries	Acct for Macadam	61. 8. 0
D.B.E. Railways	Carriage on Same	44. 5. 7
Thomas Wilkinson	Cartage on 303 Tons Macadam & Qn	11. 7. 3
Edward O'Connor.	Night work at Water Mains	" 12. 0
Local Government Board.	Audit Fee	10. 10. 0
Superintendent Mercantile Marine,	One years rent of foreshore 25/3/10	" 5. 0
Treasurer Wicklow Co Council	Third instalment of Demand	252. 9. 0
James Redmond	For years gratuity looking after the removal of gravel from foreshore	2. 0. 0
		£511. 2. 7

Signed. William Byrne Chm.
Francis Murphy
James Hamilton
Frank McShane
N. H. Hawkins
} Members of Finance Committee

Resolution

Proposed by S. V. Belahunt, Seconded by W. H. Hawkins and 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
"Wicklow Urban District Council amounting in the aggregate
"to the sum of £511. 2. 7"

Town Surveyors Report
6th December 1910

The roads and public works are generally in fair condition 660 Tons of metalling and screenings were spread up to date, at a cost of about 5/6 per ton delivered on the roads, it will take at least 300 tons more to maintain the roads during the winter, these should be ordered at once. The Bolarney road was greatly worn down from waterworks and timber traffic, it is now thoroughly repaired, drained and widened in parts.

I would strongly recommend that the width of the carriage way opposite the tennis ground be increased by about 6 feet, this can easily be done by reducing the present wide portion of the footpath round the curve to about 7 feet, same as the remaining paths, this will ease the turn and greatly facilitate traffic at that point. The Council men can do the work in dry weather. It will be necessary to repair the unflagged paths with screened sand from the flew, as there is a regular outcry against the whinstone screenings. The sand can be had for about 3/- per ton delivered.

I recently inspected the Reservoir embankment, and found the upper surface a good deal sunk below its original level, especially at the southern end. Of course this is gradually going on since the dam was built, but the time has now arrived when it should be banked up to its former level.

In previous report I recommended that planks in the timber groynes along the foreshore be adjusted, and the groynes repaired but nothing was done pending a Meeting of the Conference. The corner of the pitching opposite Mark Byrne's yard is also in a shaky condition and requires immediate attention.

New windows have been put in the Town Sergeants rooms, The Town Hall was painted and renovated and the gable end cemented – The Contractor for the new Sewerage commenced operations on the 28th Ultimo – The timber obstruction on the road to the West Pier still continues. The Council should request the Harbour Board to enforce their Bye Laws with reference to this.

John Pansing
Town Surveyor

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Order. That 200 tons of macadam be ordered from Ballace Quarry Co

Order. That Town Surveyors suggestions to widen road opposite Lawn Tennis ground be hereby approved and that the work be carried out as soon as practicable.

Resolution

Proposed by Samuel E. Pim Seconded by James Hamilton and resolved "That we obtain the sand for footpaths if possible from "Travel a Hawk, if not at the flew, Town Clerk to obtain "permission from War Office."

Order. "That the repairs to timber groynes be referred to the Conference "and that they be asked to have same put in order at once and "also the pitching opposite Mark Byrne's yard."

Order. "That the Harbour Board's attention be drawn to the obstruction "on the road to West Pier.

Resolution

Proposed by Samuel E. Pim Seconded by Mathew McDonald and resolved "That Patrick Doyle Sanitary Sub Officer be appointed to "superintend the Sewerage works under Mr Pansings "directions at a fee of £5. 0. 0.

Resolution

Proposed by Samuel E. Pim Seconded by W. H. Haskins and resolved "That we congratulate Colonel Surgeon Flynn on his "promotion but regret his severance from Wicklow as "Local Government Board Medical Inspector. Town Clerk "to convey resolution to Dr. Flynn."

Read a report from Dr. J. H. Halpin, Medical Officer of Health requesting ambulance car to be sent on Saturday to convey a child of Mr. Saunders, Clara Ashford, (Devils Glen) who is suffering from Scarlatina to Wicklow Fever Hospital ambulance will want to be there against 9. 30 am.

Town Clerk stated the Medical Officers orders had been carried out.

Sanitary Sub Officers Report
5th December 1910

I respectfully beg to report that during the past month, I made my usual sanitary inspections visiting over 220 premises and served 14 Notices under the Public Health Acts for various sanitary purposes. The Medical Officers attention has been directed to some sanitary requirements. The usual disinfecting and flushing of the Sewers and washing down of the Doctors Steps has been carried out during the month. The Scavengers were attentive to their work. I had one patient conveyed in ambulance car to the Fever Hospital from the Rural District – During the past month the public lighting was well maintained. I beg to draw the Councils attention to the condition of the paling on the upper promenade as some of the posts are broken and require to be renewed and also to the Lower Promenade as the Carters are still cutting up same with their Carts. I had two cases before the Magistrates at Petty Sessions, in one case a fine of 10/- was imposed and in the other an order was made for the sanitary arrangements to be completed within a fortnight.

Patrick Doyle:= Sanitary Sub Officer.

Order = "That paling be provided for upper promenade and fixed "by our own men –

Dairy Inspectors Report.
6th December 1910

Since your last Council Meeting I had three Cow Keepers summoned before the Petty Sessions Court on the 13th Ultimo for non compliance with the Local Government Board regulations. In one case a fine of one guinea and costs were imposed and in the other two cases an adjournment was granted to enable them to comply with the requirements. One of the parties has carried out the Magistrates order within the time and the other if not complied with will come before the Court again.

The Cows are now housed for the winter and the premises are kept fairly clean, in some cases the Cows require more attention and I have drawn the Cow Keepers attention to the matter.

James Redmond. = Dairy Inspector.

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Order. "That Dairy Inspectors Report be hereby approved of"

Read Waterworks Overseers Report stating water in reservoir was 11 inches from old overflow. and enumerating work done during the month.

Order. "That Mr. O'Connor be supplied with 3 dozen split poles, 2 dozen 6ft ditto and that 8 inch water main be brought down to Valve House.

Resolution

Proposed by D. H. Haskins, Seconded by M. J. O'Brien and resolved
"That an application be made to the Rathdrum Rural District
"Council to have road leading to Waterworks maintained and
"put in proper order. Urban Council to contribute £5 per annum
"towards its upkeep.

Resolution

Proposed by Samuel E. Pim, Seconded by James Hamilton and resolved
"That repairs to reservoir embankment be left over for the present
"as we consider the weather is not favorable for such work.

Read letter No 31.839 from Local Government Board stating that in consequence of the appointment of Dr. Edgar Flinn as Chief Inspector of Reformatory Schools, the Board have appointed Dr. C. J. MacCormack as Medical Inspector of Dublin District.

Read Notice from H.M. Inspector of Factories that floor of Mr James Kennedys Bake House is in bad repair =

Order. "That Notice be served on Mr. James Kennedy to have floor
"of Bakehouse put in order."

Read letters from Messrs J. A. McCarroll & Co on the subject of Mrs William Clarke's Bond for sewerage contract; Railway Companys valuation appeal &c =

Read letter from Mr Frank Burke enclosing cheque £25 Earl Fitzwilliams Subscription towards the maintenance of Wicklow Foreshore, and acknowledging receipt of resolution to hand over the ground at Bachelor Walk which shall be laid before Earl Fitzwilliam first opportunity. and result made known in due course.

Read letter from Rev Mother Priores, Dominican Convent, complaining of insufficient water supply and asking the Council to have it rectified at once =

Read report from Mr. Pansing stating that the stoppage of the supply is sometimes caused by there being only a ½ inch pipe to serve the laundry and that the service pipes are quite insufficient for the requirements of such an establishment.

Order. "That a copy of Mr. Pansings Report be forwarded to the Rev
"Mother Prioress" =

Read letter from Messrs J. A. McCarroll & Co enclosing copy of a letter from Messrs W. Fry & Son Solicitors for the G.N.S. Eastern Railway &c together with cheque for £32. 18. 5.

Resolution

Proposed by Samuel E. Pim, Seconded by D. H. Haskins & resolved
"That our Town Clerk ascertain from Bray Urban Council
"how they stand with regard to the Railway Companys
"Rates, the reply to be laid before Finance Committee
"with power to instruct Solicitor in the matter.

Order. "That a license as Dairyman, Cow Keeper & Purveyor of
"Milk be granted to Edward Canaraw, Bond St, Wicklow

Read letter from Messrs Torney & Barber enclosing forms "Duties on Land Values" sent to them from the Inland Revenue thinking they were the Councils Solicitors.

Order. "That Land Values Forms be referred to Finance Committee."

Read letter from Lock Lights stating they cannot entertain the Suggestion to light the "Horse Shoe Buoy" =

Read an application from the Councils workmen for their usual oil Suits
Order. "That Tenders be obtained for oil Suits"

Signed
Frank McGhail
Jan 3rd 1911 Ch pro tem

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Town Hall Wicklow
30th December 1910

A Special Meeting of the Wicklow Urban District Council was held this evening in pursuance to a requisition signed by Messrs Samuel T. Pim, Peter Doolittle, Mathew McDonald, James Hamilton, D. H. Haskins, & James J. McGhail.

To make provision for payment of Dividends to Stock Holders and Finance Business

Councillors Present

Mr Frank McGhail in the Chair Messrs James Dunne, Francis Murphy, Peter Doolittle James De Courcey, Francis B. Greg, Joseph McCarroll, Mathew McDonald and James Hamilton

Finance Committee's Report.
30th December 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

Francis W. MacGhail	Recoupment from Wicklow Harbour Board in respect to maintenance of quays	66 . 10 . 0
Same	Compensation from Royal Insurance Co for D. Nolors claim under Workmens Compensation Acts, Fines, Tolls &c	2 . 15 . 7
Arthur Doolittle	Corporate and Cottage Rents	253 . 1 . 4
Patrick Clarke	Urban Rates	27 . 1 . 8
		£ 349 . 8 . 7

Giving a Cr Balance of £ 1200 . 10 . 8

We recommend the following payments

Francis W. MacGhail	One months salary	£ 11 . 18 . 4	
Same	Workmens Wages & Petty Cash	30 . 17 . 6	
Henry J. MacGhail	One months Salary	2 . 10 . 0	
John Pausing	Do	4 . 3 . 4	
Patrick Doyle	Do	4 . 11 . 8	
Edward O'Connor	Do	6 . 0 . 0	
James Redmond	Do	1 . 0 . 0	
Dr J. H. Halpin	Three months Do	1 . 15 . 0	
James Finlay	Caretaker of Grass Lands	. 10 . 0	
Arthur Doolittle	5% on £ 366 . 18 . 11 Rents collected & lodged	18 . 6 . 11	
James McCall	Balance contract cementing gable Town Hall	6 . 10 . 0	
Wicklow School Attendance Committee	Expenses for quarter 31.12.10	11 . 5 . 0	
Wicklow Gas Co	McAree contract public lighting	80 . 0 . 0	
Richard Shearer	Materials supplied & work done	8 . 19 . 8	
Messrs Heally	Sanitary Officers Diary	. 7 . 10	
Freemans Journal	Advertising sewer contract	1 . 3 . 0	
Irish Times	Same	1 . 12 . 0	
Hibernian Bank	Transfer of Funds to Dividend Fund	352 . 13 . 0	
Norman McKay	Balance contract painting Town Hall	4 . 8 . 6	
William Clarke	First instalment sewer contract	187 . 0 . 0	
Patrick Cronlock	Scouring Water Mains & Scavenging	2 . 4 . 6	
		£ 737 . 16 . 3	

Signed Frank McGhail
James De Courcey
Francis Murphy
} Members of Finance Committee

Resolution

Proposed by Francis Murphy, Seconded by Joseph McCarroll & resolved
"That the report of the Finance Committee be hereby
"confirmed and adopted, and that Treasurer's 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 £ 737 . 16 . 3

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Resolution

Proposed by Francis Murphy, Seconded by James Hamilton and resolved
"That the Wicklow (Town) Redeemable Debenture Stock register
" of Stock Holders as now submitted for half year to the
" 1st January 1911 be signed, and the nett amount of
" Dividends set forth therein £357.11 less £4.18.0 be
" transferred by Paying Order No 792 from General Account
" to the Wicklow (Town) Dividend Fund Account, and our
" Registrar is hereby authorised to issue the necessary warrants
" in connection therewith."

Mr. Paying reported that he had inspected the foreshore with Mr Shannon on this day and recommended that large boulders be provided and thrown down at the breakwaters on Lower Promenade and that additional plants be added to the Groynes north of the foreshore as required.

Town Clerk stated that he had written to Mr Reid requesting him to take immediate steps to have the Engineers report carried out at once.

Resolution

Proposed by Francis Murphy, Seconded by James De Courcey, resolved
"That we hereby approve of our Town Surveyors report re
" foreshore and recommend that our Clerk's letter of the
" 30th Instant be carried out at once."

Notice of Motion

I beg to give notice to move at next meeting that a footpath be constructed from the north end of Lower Monkton Road on right hand side up to the junction with Dunbar Road.

Signed. Frank McPhail

Dec 30th 1910

Signed Frank McPhail
Ch Jnt Tem 218
January 3rd 1911

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