neext month and they will require to be painted.

The boxes are in bad repair as the roofs are leaking and other repairs wanted I would recommend the Committee to inspect them. The Wall along under the Mall is in a dirty condition I would recommend that it be properly cleaned and receive a coat of lime-wash. also several of the name plates of the different Streets have worn away with the weather and requires renewing. The public lighting has been well attended to during the month but some of the lamps have been broken by some person unknown. The Scavengers work of the Streets has been well attended to. I would recommend that the Manure off the Streets during the Summer be placed on the Council fields for top-dressing for neext Winter to improve the land as the Soil is poor on same.

Order:- That the Public Seats be painted. The Wall at the Mall cleaned & lime washed. Manure of Streets to be carted to Corporation Sands.

Read Waterworks Overseers Report stating that Water in Reservoir is at overflow, and enumerating work performed during the month. The Waterworks Overseer asked permission to have No.2. Filter Beds cleaned, and also to have Filter cleaned when required without waiting for Meeting of Council, and hence save delay.

Order:- That the Overseer have Filter Beds cleaned, and be hereby empowered to clean beds when necessary.

Dairy Inspector reported that the Cowkeepers premises are in fairly good condition.



Road Overseers Report:- During the month good progress was made with the cleaning of the water ways and hedges trimmed. Two waggons of macadam were spread at different places, and several loads of shingle were put on footpaths that wanted repairing. The Streets and roads are in fairly good condition with a few exceptions and these are being attended to.

I wish to bring to your notice the dangerous state of the Bridge at Brickfield Lane, it will have to be repaired before any cars pass over it.

(Signed) James Redmond

Order:- That the Railway Co be asked to have the necessary repairs carried out to the Bridge.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid and Treasurers Advice Note for same signed:- viz:-

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Edward Kennedy:- Soundage on £723-12-5 Town Rate Collected & lodged @ 5% | £36-3-6 | |
| Jas J. Finlayson. Painting Contract & Doors | 40-8-0 | |
| | £76-11-6 | |

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor Francis Murphy
Seconded by Councillor John Smullen
Resolved:- "That Treasurers Advice Note for the payment
" of £76-11-6 to Messrs E. Kennedy & J. J.
" Finlayson be hereby signed by direction
" and on behalf of the Council.

Town Agents Report. I measured 2 Allotment Plots surrendered by Mr Davis and gave possession to Mr Jas Kilty & Mr Jas Finlay. There remains one Plot to let. On visiting Ballyguile Praying Sand I found the entrance gate broken. I would recommend that a strong Chain & lock be kept on this gate with a key

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for each of the holders of Grazing Land

(Sgned) Wm. M. Byrne.

Order:- That Gate be repaired & lock & keys provided

Resolution.

Proposed by Councillor Wm A. Kearney
Seconded By Councillor Jeo Doyle
Resolved:- That Mr Henry Walty be granted the Slot on the Corporation Lands on the usual conditions

Applications were also received for Slots from Messrs Bartholomew O'Toole; Andrew Kirwan.

Letter from Local Government Board No. A. 501 re terms of acquisition of the lands proposed to be acquired by Local Authorities for Housing Schemes.

Letter from Local Government Board No. A. 399 acknowledging receipt of Maps of Sites.

Letter from Local Government Board No. A. 399. drawing attention to the provisions in Sec 1 (2) of the Housing Working Classes (Ireland) Act 1908. and stating that the annuity would be £6-4-6 per cent for loan

Letter from Local Government Board No. A. 501 forwarding note for information of Local Authorities & their Architects Say- out of Sites.

Letter from Local Government Board No. A. 399 stating that a Copy of the Inspectors Report on proposed housing scheme re Sites will be forwarded in a few days

Letter from Local Government Board forwarding



Cheque value £56-13-8 in respect of Death Duty Grant.

Read report from L. G. B. Inspector with reference to the proposed Sites selected for Housing Scheme.

Letter from Sec Burial Board enclosing demand (£ 44-11-6) for year ending 31-3-1920

Read letter from Secretary Dublin Clinical Hospitals re agreement to be entered into for treatment of poor patients.

Letter from Mr Howard Collins, Solicitor, sending notice of appeal against valuation assessed on the premises of the Wicklow Gas Co

The following claims were received from Mr Francis Kennedy, Solicitor on behalf of Mr Jos Darcy & Mr S. D. Delahunt viz:- Mr Jos Darcy £12 for portion of a wooden Sailing
Mr. S. D. Delahunt. £64-10/- for Hay, barrel & 3 humpers

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor James Smullen
Seconded by Councillor Peter McEvoy.
Resolved:- "That Mr Magee, Solicitor, Bray be instructed
"to act on behalf of the Council in opposing
"the claims for Compensation made by
"Mr Jos Darcy for £12, & Mr S. D. Delahunt
"£ 64-10/-

Application from Messrs Henry Walty, William Dickenson, Edward Canavan stating that there were to many Cows on the Grazing Lands, and asking the Council to increase the Acreage.

The Town Agent was instructed to ask Mr Jos Darcy to give up the portion of the lands above the allotment Slots.

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Letter from Dept Agriculture re Black Scab in potatoes.

Letter from Mr Jos Darcy complaining of timber being deposited on Public Road.

Quotation from Glenfield & Kennedy for Manhole Cover £4-15/-

Notice from Gas Co repairing Gas Main

Letters from Mr Sowey, Architect re Housing Scheme

Letter from Sec Technical Instruction Committee asking the Council to reconsider their decision with reference to increasing 1d Rate.

Letter from General Valuation Office asking that notice of Appeals against valuation be forwarded without delay.

Application from Denis Hanlon for Field at Castle St lately in the occupation of Jarrett Hanlon deed.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor Francis Murphy
Seconded by Councillor James McCall
Resolved:- "That Denis Hanlon be let the Field at
"Castle St lately in the possession of
"Jarrett Hanlon as a weekly tenancy
"at the rate of per week, until
"such time as same is required for
"Housing Scheme.

Read application from Mr Patrick Savage for a renewal of lease of his premises Market Square, Wicklow

Order:- That Mr P. Savage's application be referred to Managing Committee



Resolution

Proposed by W. A. Haskins
Seconded by James Smullen
Resolved:- "That the Chairman, Vice Chairman & Councillor
"Wm H. Kearney act as a Special Committee
"with the Town Clerk in connection with
"sending poor patients to Dublin Hospitals
"for treatment. Said Committee to have
"full power to deal with all cases
"requiring treatment

Letter from L. G. Board enclosing copy of Inspector's Report on proposed Sites for Housing Scheme.

Letter from Mr J. H. McCarroll, acknowledging receipt of vote of condolence.

Letter from Mr J. H. McCarroll, Solicitor, re compelling Owners holding leases to put property into repair & also re the letting of Corporation Lands.

Letter from Miss Sarah Clarke enclosing £2 being the balance due for the treatment of her Sister Josie Clarke at Water Hospital.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor James Smullen
Seconded by Councillor Edward Byrne
Resolved:- "That tenders be invited for repairs to
"Water Cart.

In accordance with Notice of Motion Councillor Wm H. Kearney moved that Dr A. A. O'Connor's Salary be increased

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## Resolution

Proposed by Councillor Wm H. Kearney
Seconded by Councillor James Smullen
Resolved:- "That Dr Obonnor's Salary be increased
"to £25 subject to the sanction of
"the Local Government Board.

Read

In accordance with Notice of Motion Councillor John Smullen moved that two additional men be engaged

An amendment was proposed by Councillor D. H. Haskins & Seconded by Councillor Jas McCall that one additional man be employed.

The Chairman took a vote with the following result:-
For ~~Amendment~~ Resolution:- Councillors Jas Everett; John Smullen; James Smullen (3)
For Amendment:- Councillors Jas Doyle, D. H. Haskins Jas McCall; Peter McEvoy; Francis Murphy; Wm H. Kearney; Edward Byrne (6)

The Chairman declared the amendment carried.

## Resolution

Proposed by Councillor D. H. Haskins
Seconded by Councillor James McCall
Resolved:- "That an additional man be employed
"permanent"

## Notice of Motion

That the matter of increase of bonus granted to our officers at Special Meeting be rescinded and that the Finance Committee go fully into the officers present salaries and report to Council.

D. H. Haskins



## Notice of Motion

That I or some other Councillor shall move that we take necessary steps to take possession of all Corporate Grazing Lands at present let to Tenants.

John Smullen.

Jas Everett
4/5/20

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Town Hall, Wicklow
13th April 1920

A Special Meeting of the Wicklow Urban District Council was held this day in pursuance to a requisition signed by Councillors James Everett,

## Present

Mr James Everett, Chairman in the Chair; Councillors L. Davis, W. H. Kearney, E. Byrne, Jas McCall, S. McEvoy, F. Murphy, John Byrne, Jas Brennan, Jas Nichols, Jas Middleton, Wm Olgrady, Geo Doyle, Jas Smullen

## Resolution

Proposed by Councillor John Byrne
Seconded by Councillor Jas Middleton
Resolved:- "That this Meeting of the Wicklow Urban District "Council specially convened, do hereby enter an emphatic "protest against the continued inhuman, and barbarous "treatment, meted to our fellow Countrymen in "Mountjoy Jaol, whose only crime is the love of their "Country, Ireland, and we hereby demand their "immediate release. That copies of this "resolution be handed & sent to the representatives "of the Allied and of nuetral Countries."

## Resolution

Proposed by Councillor Wm Olgrady
Seconded by Councillor Jas McCall
Resolved:- "That the Chairman, Vice Chairman, Councillors Geo Doyle, "Jas Smullen, Jas Middleton, Jas Brennan, John Byrne, "Jas Nichols & Town Clerk be hereby appointed a "Deputation to present the Council's resolution to the "American Consul this evening."

James Everett 14/4/20



Town Hall, Wicklow
4th May 1920

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 Finance Committees Report
2. To consider Committees Reports
3. To consider Clerk's Statement - Estimate of Townships Rate.
4. To seal and sign Poor Rate Collector's Warrant.
5. To consider Sanitary Officers Reports.
6. To consider Waterworks Overseer's Report
7. To consider Dairy Inspector's Report
8. To consider official correspondence
9. To consider Mr D. H. Haskins "Notice of Motion" "That the matter of increase of bonus granted to our officers at Special Meeting be rescinded and that the Finance Committee go fully into the officers present salaries and report to the Council.
10. To consider Mr John Smullen's "Notice of Motion" "That I or some other Councillor shall move that we take the necessary steps to take up possession of all Corporate Grazing Lands at present let to tenants.
11. To consider Mr John Smullen's "Notice of Motion" "That I or some other Councillor shall move that a rate of one penny in the £ be struck for amusements purposes.

## Councillors Present

Mr James Everett, Chairman in the Chair; Messrs James Smullen; James Middleton, James Brennan, James Nichols, John Byrne, Peter McEvoy, James Clarke, George Doyle, Edward Byrne, James McCall, Wm H. Kearney; Wm Olgrady; John Smullen; D. H. Haskins; Francis Murphy; Charles Davis; M. Murtagh.

The minutes of the previous meetings were read over and confirmed.

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# Finance Committee's Report
## 29th April 1920

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:-

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| H. J. MacShail. | Refund for Treatment of Josie Clarke at Mater Hospital | 2. 0. 0 |
| " " | In respect Sanitary Salaries | 15. 0. 2 |
| " " | do Recoupment Harbour Charges | 45. 15. 4 |
| | | £62. 15. 6 |

Balance to Cr £348. 13. 6

We recommend the following Payments:-

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| H. J. MacShail. | One months Salary & Bonus | | £21. 9. 0 |
| Same | Workmens Wages | | 140. 14. 4 |
| John Welbourcy. | One months Salary & Bonus | | 15. 16. 4 |
| B. O'Toole | do | do | 11. 11. 8 |
| James Redmond | do | | 1. 0. 0 |
| Edward O'Connor | do | & Superannuation | 4. 7. 6 |
| Wm. M. Byrne. | Soundage on £1529. 14. 10 @ 9d Rates Collected & lodged | | 61. 12. 6 |
| Same | 5 Weeks Bonus to 3/5/20 | | 5. 15. 0 |
| Eye & Ear Hospital | Treatment of Patients | | 5. 8. 0 |
| Board of Works | Sinc & Interest on San Loans | | 54. 9. 10 |
| Same | do Harbour | | 53. 6. 8 |
| T. J. Jelletlie. | Insurance | | 16. 9 |
| | | | £349. 10. 10 |

### Resolution

Proposed by Councillor John Smullen
Seconded by Councillor James Smullen
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 £349. 10. 10"



## SPECILA COMMITTEE'S REPORT

24th April, 1920

Your Special Committee met this day and inspected Bond & Strand Streets Houses, and recommend that the following repairs be carried out:

1. Chimneys to be cemented and properly flashed. Houses to be lime-washed; Windows and doors to be painted and weather boards affixed where necessary; Galvanised Roofs to be tarred, and in No.7 House Bond Street Galvanised roof to be repaired. No.8 Galvanised roof and front door to be repaired. Eastern Gable of Strand St Houses Slates to be repaired. No.2. House Strand Street Ceiling to be repaired. No.3. Strand Street new concrete Floor. No.6 New R & V Sheeting Ceiling and floor bedroom repaired. New door step.

No.7. New Floor, backdoor repaired, stairs and Walls & Back kitchen to be repaired.

No.8. 2 Panes glass, latch, back-kitchen door floor to be repaired.

(Signed) James Everett. Chairman
James Middleton
James Brennan
James Nichols
Peter McEvoy

### Resolution

Proposed by Councillor James Smullen
Seconded by Councillor John Smullen
Resolved:- "That Special Committee's Report dated 24th April "1920, be hereby confirmed & adopted

The following Gentlemen as a Deputation on behalf of the Ratepayers were received & their views heard in connection with the proposed Township Rate for year 1920-21 Messrs N. H. Haskins; R. N. Wynne; Jos Harcy; J. Hopkins; Thos Kennedy; R. Sheane; J. J. McShail; S. Byrne, M. Burke; H. Lynch.

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Councillors D. H. Haskins Notice of Motion fell through for the want of a seconder.

In accordance with notice of motion Councillor John Smullen moved the following resolution:-
Proposed by Councillor John Smullen
Seconded by Councillor James Middleton
Resolved:- "That a sum equal to one penny rate in the £o
"be included in this year's estimate for to
"provide amusements.

"The Council having carefully considered Statement & Estimate of "Township Rate passed the following resolution thereon.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor John Smullen
Seconded by Councillor W. H. Kearney
Resolved:- "That having considered Clerk's Statement & Estimate of Wicklow "Township Rate for Year ending 31st March 1921 as now submitted we hereby adopt same modified so as to make a total Rate of 10/8 in the £; whereof for Principal & Interest on (Wicklow) "Town Stock raised to pay off Luscombe Mortgage expended on the repairs & improvements of Wicklow Harbour for Special Loan under Wicklow Harbour Advances Act 1897 for upkeep New Cemetery; 1d for "Technical Instruction for Maintenance of Public Water Supply and for Roads and Public Works. "That notice of intention to make such rate be published as required by Law.

An amendment was proposed by Councillor D. H. Haskins seconded by Councillor M. Murtagh "That a 10/- Rate be struck for ensuing year.

A vote was taken with the following result. For Amendment 3. Against 15. "The Chairman declared the resolution carried.



Managing Committee Meeting

17th April, 1920

Your Managing Committee met this day, and have had before them Clerk's Statement and Estimate of Township Rate, and recommend that a Township Rate of ~~11/-~~ 10/8 in the £ be struck for ensuing year.

We recommend that Mr. Patrick Lavery be granted a renewal of lease of house & premises Market Square. Wicklow, for a term of 75 years from 25th March, 1920, at an increase of 20% in the present rent. The premises to be insured for the sum of £400.

We have instructed your Town Clerk to write to Mr. Lowey, asking when the Council may expect to receive the plans in connection with the proposed Housing Scheme as the time is drawing to a close for the deposit of same with the Local Government Board.

(Signed) John Byrne, James Middleton; James Everett; James Nichols; Peter McEvoy; D. H. Haskins; James Brennan; Wm H. Kearney.

Mr. D. H. Haskins objected to a 11/- being struck for Township Rate.

Resolution

Proposed by James McCall
Seconded by Councillor John Smullen
Resolved:- "That Managing Committee's Report dated 17th "April 1920 be hereby confirmed & adopted

San Sub Officer's Report:- During the month inspected 250 premises & served 6 notices under S. H. Act for various sanitary purposes, some of which have been complied with & the others have promised to comply with same. I had 6 premises lime-washed. The usual flushing of main drainage has been carried out satisfactory. I wish to have the Council's instructions with regard to two Yards or premises on South Quay as they are in an insanitary state. It is usual to have the Seats put on the Murrough & Pier this month & wish to get permission to do so.

"The Footpath along by the old houses in Castle St

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needs to be cleaned up. I have got this work done several times and the old Walls are raked down on it again by persons unknown. I would recommend that the Owner be made level the Walls to the ground. The Scavengers work of the Streets has been satisfactory during the month.

Order:- "That the seats be put out on the Murrough & Pier.

Waterworks Overseers Report:- "The Water in Reservoir is at overflow, I had filtering beds cleaned during the month and flushed all mains, and made 6 night inspections. I repaired fountain in High St and Sluice Valves on South Quay and at Marlton Road. While taking up the Sand Washing Machine from No. 2. Beds on the 29th April, the Chain of Saitent Pully Block suddenly burst without warning, and the Machine which is over ½ Ton in weight fell back down into filtering beds, smashing one flight of Iron Ladder, 6 Slates and also part of Pully Block, the Machine itself also got smashed one end in small pieces and the bottom in two pieces. This Machine I might add is very awkward to get up and down into beds and entails a lot of risk in doing so. No. 2. Beds are now minus 6 Metal Slates which will want to be replaced as soon as possible. I tapped main in New Street to Mrs Downs premises.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor James Nichols
Seconded by Councillor M. Murtagh
Resolved:- "That tenders be invited for a Teak Washing "Machine for Waterworks

Roads Overseers Report:- Since last meeting space around the Old Mill Wall was cleaned and sand got ready to rebuild it. This rebuilding should be done as soon as possible and the Gate erected, if not a considerable amount of



good road material will be unfit for use owing to parties committing nuisance in the Yard. Water Channels and other improvements were made to protect the surface of the roads and Streets. When the weather is more suitable for Stone breaking there are some places that must be attended to, and flags will be got at the same time to make the Kerb for the footpath at Strand Street.

Dairy Inspector reported that the Cowkeepers continue to keep their premises in good order.

Letter from Local Government Board No. 41/1900 – 6/4/20 stating that Mr J. M. Flood, B. L. would give a Lecture on S. R. System on 12/4/20.

No. H. 501 – 7/4/20 re rate of interest & repayment of Loans granted to Local Authorities subsidising Housing Schemes.

No. 59 M – 8/4/20 requesting to be furnished with return showing total number of persons registered as Cowkeepers, Dairymen & Purveyors of Milk.

No. H. 501/310 – 8/4/20 enclosing copy of The Housing Working Classes (Petitions) Order 1920.

No. H. 399/9/20 stating Deputation from Council would be received on 22/4/20 at 11-30 a.m.

No. H. 501 – 23/4/20 enclosing copies of revised conditions governing Grants to private persons or bodies of Persons constructing Houses.

No. 30391 – 24/4/20 requesting abstracts of Accounts relating to Stock & Loans Fund.

No. 30646 – 30/4/20 sanctioning increase of £35 Salary to Dr O. a. OConnor.

Enclosing P/O. value £15. 0. 2 in respect Sanitary Salaries.

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The following tenders were received for Slates for Filter Beds viz:-

Mark

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|---|---|---|
| Messrs Sheane Bros | 35/- | each |
| Hammond Sane | £2.. 2/- | do |
| Jonge & Jaggart | 2.. 6.. 9 | do |

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor W. H. Kearney
Seconded by Councillor Jas McCall
Resolved:- That Messrs Sheane Bros tender at 35/- each
" for Filter Bed Slates be accepted.

Read letter from Railway Co re repairs to Bridge at Northern end Brickfield Sane.

Letter from Mr Magee, Solicitor, acknowledging receipt of instructions to act on behalf of the Council in connection with Claims made by Messrs Darcy & Delahunt for compensation

Letter from Mr Jas Sheridan re Housing Scheme.

Read letter & wire from Mr Sowey L. C. re his appointment as Architect to Housing Scheme & stating that Mr Sheridan was assisting him in the work.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor James Middleton
Seconded by Councillor James Nichols
Resolved:- " That Mr Sowey be requested to attend Committee
" Meeting on Saturday next & bring plans &
" specifications for approval by Committee"

Read application from Miss Kathleen McCarroll for renewal of lease of Yard on South Quay.



Read letter from Mr J. Turner, President I. N. A & F. W. Union stating that the rate of wages for casual labourers was 10/- per day.

Order:- That casual Labourers be paid at the rate of 10/- per day.

Letter from Town Clerk, Enniscorthy, asking to be supplied with information as to Housing Scheme.

Report from Sergt. Jones, R. I. C. re damage to Mr J. Darcy's premises "The Dries"

Report from Hd Const Stowes R. I. C re the burning of Mr S. D. Delahunt's Hay.

Resolution from Carrick-on-Suir Urban Concil re decontrol of butter, bacon & other Food Stuffs

"Approved"

Letter from Valuation Office acknowledging receipt of notice of appeal lodged by Jas Co

Letter from Mr Francis Bergin C. E. stating his fee for inspection of Waterworks & reporting on condition of same

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor James Brennan
Seconded by Councillor James Smullen
Resolved:- " That Mr Francis Bergin be engaged to inspect Waterworks Waterworks & report at a fee of 10 Guineas & travelling expenses. Mr Bergin to meet Committee on Saturday 15th instant.

Application from Mr J. Darcy & Wicklow Corn Co. asking to revise Price of Coal.

"No action taken"

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Letter from Irish Fibrous Plaster Co re Orion Panel system.

Resolution from Queenstown Urban Council re prohibition of Emigration

"Adopted"

Letter from Sarne Urban Council asking to be informed as to the amount of rates in the £ for ensuing year.

Order:- Information to be supplied.

Letter from United Slotholders Union.

Letter Municipal Authorities Association re Housing.

Letter from Railway Co requesting to be supplied with copy of rate notices

Order:- Copy of rate notices to be forwarded to Rly Co.

"Two tenders were received for repair to Water Cart viz:-

| | |
|---|---|
| Messr S. Clarke | £9-15-0 |
| " White Bro | 10-0-6 |

Order:- That tenders be deferred.

Resolution from Middleton Urban Council re fixity of tenure at a fair rent.

"Adopted"

Read application from Mr J. Barlow for use of Town Hall on Whit Sunday night for a Dance

"Granted"



Application from Miss B. Lynch & Mr J. Costelloe for use of Murrough on Sundays to 13th June 1920.

Order:- That use of Murrough be granted to Feis Committee

Read letter from Mr Frank R. Jonnn, Birmingham, asking for a specimen of the Coat of Arms Wicklow.

Order:- That a specimen of the Coat of Arms be forwarded to Mr Frank R. Jonnn.

Application from Messrs E. Canavan, H. Valtz & Wm Dickenson for change of grass for their Cows.

Letter from Miss Nannie Keogh to have her field fenced.

Order:- Referred to Managing Committee

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor James Smullen
Seconded by Councillor John Smullen
Resolved:- "That Messrs James Everett, Jas Nichols, Jas "Middleton, Jas Brennan, Jas Smullen, Jas "McCall, C. Davis, John Smullen, W. H. "Kearney, John Byrne, be appointed a "Special Committee to go into the question "of the lettings of the Corporation Sands "& also leases & report.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor Charles Davis
Seconded by Councillor James McCall
Resolved:- "That the Stock in the name of Mr S. Condrin, Decd "be transferred to Rev Father Colahan S.S. Bray "as Executor of the above deceased

Notice of Motion

That the resolution refusing to grant a new lease to Miss McCarroll, be rescinded, and that a renewal of the lease be granted. James Everett 3/4/20

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Town Hall, Wicklow
3rd June 1920

A Special Meeting of the Wicklow Urban District Council was held this evening in pursuance to a requisition signed by Messrs Wm Olgrady; Peter Byrne, Charles Davis; John Byrne; Wm H. Kearney; James Everett.

To transact the following business:-

1 To consider Finance Committee's Report including payment of Stock-holders Dividends
2. To Make an Urban Rate of 10/8 in the £. for year ending 31st March 1921.
3. To consider Committee's Report
4. To consider Sanitary Officers Reports
5. To consider Waterworks Overseer's Report
6. To consider Dairy Inspector's Report
7 To consider official correspondence
8 To consider Mr Francis Murphy's "Notice of Motion" that I or some one for me shall move at the next Council Meeting that the resolution declining to grant a renewal of lease of Yard on North Quay to Mr J. H. McCarroll, be rescinded and that a renewal of the lease of said premises be granted to Miss McCarroll
9 To consider Mr Wm Olgrady's "Notice of Motion" I hereby give notice that at next meeting of the Wicklow Urban District Council, I or some other Councillor for me shall move that the annual contribution from the Council to the Co Wicklow Joint Technical Instruction Committee be the maximum amount authorised by the provisions of the Technical Instruction Acts 1889 & 1891 viz:- Amount not exceeding the product of a rate of two pence in the £ on the valuation of the Urban District.

Councillors Present.

Mr James Everett, Chairman in the Chair, Councillors John Mullen, James Middleton; James Nichols; Geo Doyle, Peter McEvoy; Edward Byrne; James Brennan, James Clarke, Wm Olgrady; Fras Murphy; M. Murtagh; W. H. Haskins; Peter Byrne; John Byrne



The minutes of the previous meeting were read & confirmed.

Finance Committee's Report
3rd June 1920.

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

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| H. J. MacShail:- Rebate of Insurance & Fines | £5 | 6 10 |
| Wm. M. Byrne. Corporate Rents | 139 | 7 10 |
| | £144 | 14 8 |

Giving a Cr Balance £138. 3. 4

We recommend the following payments:-

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| H. J. MacShail:- One month's Salary & Bonus | £21 | 9 0 |
| Same Workmens Wages | 123 | 10 11 |
| John Delbourcy. One month's Salary & Bonus | 15 | 16 4 |
| B. O'Toole do do | 12 | 15 8 |
| Same Balance due for month April | 1 | 4 0 |
| James Redmond. One month's Salary | 1 | 0 0 |
| Edwd Oconnor do Superannuation | 4 | 7 6 |
| Wm. M. Byrne 4 Weeks Bonus to 31/5/20 | 4 | 12 0 |
| Treasurer Co Council. 1st Instalment of Demand | 348 | 3 2 |
| Postmaster General. Telephone | 7 | 0 8 |
| Registrar St S. Dun's Hospital. Treatment Thos Lee | 7 | 12 0 |
| Charles Davis. Premium on Poor Rate Collectors Bond | 3 | 2 6 |
| Clogrennane Lime Works. 2 Tons Lime | 5 | 8 0 |
| Edward Kennedy. Refund irrecoverable Poor Rate less 18/5 carried forward from last half year | 41 | 9 6 |
| Hibernian Bank. Transfer Funds from General Account to Dividend Fund | 149 | 3 0 |
| Edward Kennedy:- Poor Rate on Corporate Property | 13 | 17 4 |
| (Signed) James Middleton, Jas Everett. | £790 | 11 7 |

The Returning Officer submitted account of expenses in connection with Election of Guardians, payment of which was deferred

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## Resolution

Proposed by Councillor W. A. Haskins
Seconded by Councillor Thos Murphy
Resolved:- That the account of Election Expenses be eliminated and the matter be considered by a Committee to be appointed and the following members:- Chairman, Thos Murphy W. A. Haskins; Jas Middleton, Jas Nichols. Committee to meet on Saturday 5th June '20 at 3 O'clock.

## Resolution

Proposed by Councillor W. A. Haskins
Seconded by Councillor John Smullen
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 £490 - 11 - 7

## Resolution

Proposed by Councillor M. Murtagh
Seconded by Councillor Wm Olgrady
Resolved:- "That the Wicklow (Town) Redeemable Debenture
"Stock Register of Stock-holders as now submitted
"for the half year to 1st July 1920, be signed
"& the nett amount of Dividends set forth
"therein £265 . 15 . 10 less £116 . 12 . 10 be
"transferred from General Account to the
"(Wicklow) Town Dividend Fund Account,
"and our Registrar is hereby authorised
"to issue the necessary Warrants in
"Connection therewith"



## Resolution

Proposed by Councillor James Middleton
Seconded by Councillor James Nichols
Resolved:- "That we Make the following Rate & Assessment
"as herein set forth upon all Occupiers & Owners
"of all premises situate within the Urban
"District of Wicklow for year ending 31st
"March 1921. A Wicklow Urban District
"Rate of 10/8 in the £:- Whereof 1/6½ is
"for Principal & Interest on Wicklow (Town)
"Stock raised to pay off Luscombe Mortgage
"expended on the repairs and improvements
"of Wicklow Harbour; 4½d for Special Loan
"Wicklow Harbour Advances Act 1897. 3d
"for upkeep of New Cemetery; 1d for
"Technical Instruction; 1/10½ for mainten-
"ance of Wicklow Public Water Supply
"6/6½ for Roads & Public Works. That
"notice of said Rate having been made
"be published as required by Law and
"that same is due and payable on and
"after 3rd day of June 1920

Councillor Murtagh proposed a Rate of 10/- in £. which was Seconded by Councillor Haskins. On a vote being taken Councillor Murtagh's Amendment was defeated by 2 for — 13 against.

## Resolution

Proposed by Councillor James Nichols
Seconded by M. Murtagh
Resolved:- "That Sood Rate Collector's Warrant for
"Year ending 31st March 1921 be
"thereby sealed & signed.

## Sanitary Sub Officer's Report
## 1st June 1920

During the month I inspected 300 premises and served 6 notices under the Public Health Act for various sanitary purposes. Four notices have been complied with and the other two have not complied yet. I had notice served on Mrs Edward McEvoy for the removal of a Pig-house from

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the main Wall of her premises to the bottom of Yard on the 19th April, the same has not been done and wish to have the Council's instructions.

The usual flushing & disinfecting of the mains and gully traps has been carried out satisfactory.

I had a patient removed from Rathnew to Fever Hospital. The lime-washing of the Wall along the Mall is completed. On my inspection at the Pound House it is in a unsanitary state as the Water is coming in through the Walls and roof of same and there is no sanitary arrangements and four occupiers in same.

The Grating Cover of the Catch-pit on Kilmantin Hill has been broken by some one unknown same will need to be replaced as it is dangerous to the public at night as it does be thrown into the catch pit.

The Scavengers work on the Streets during the month has been satisfactory.

(Signed) Bartholomew Poole.

Orders: Another notice to be served on Mr Edward McEvoy to have Pig Stye removed from house to lower part of her Yard.
Grating Cover of Catch pit to be replaced.
Pound House to be inspected

Dairy Inspector's Report: The Cowkeepers Premises are in good Order.

Road Overseer reported work performed during the month.

Waterworks Overseer reported that the Water in Reservoir is 1" below old overflow, and stated that he had broken plates in Filter Beds replaced with new plates, and enumerating work done during the month.



Letter from Leis Committee asking to appoint two delegates to waite on the Shop-keepers re display of Irish Manufactured Goods.

Letter from Mr Jas Bergin acknowledging plans of Water mains.

Letter from Hibernian Insurance Co re insurance.

Letter from Messrs McDonagh & Boland on same subject.

Letter from Mr J. H. McCarroll, Solicitor, stating that Mr B. Kavanagh had paid arrears of rent.

Letter from Capt J. Ward, asking to have ashes removed from Jail occupied by Troops.
"Refused"

Notice from Gas Co re the opening of road to repair gas main.

Letter from Capt R. Crowe re nuisance on Murrough caused by the burning of Wilkinson's House.

Wire from Coal Controller notifying increase of 14/2 in price of Coal.

Letter from Mr M. J. Magee, Solicitor, re Mawey & Delahunt's Claim for compensation.

Letter from Mr T. B. Sowery re Housing.

Letter from Mr John Spencer re Sewer Ventilators

Letter from Military Authorities re permission to instal a one inch Water Supply to Jail

Order:- That the application of the Military Authorities for 1" inch Water Supply be refused as there is only a limited supply of Water in Reservoir.

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