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Seconded by Councillor James Middleton

Resolved: That in future all Circuses be charged £6 for use of Murrough.

Read letter from Surveyor of Taxes asking to be paid £100 on account of 1st instalment of Income Tax

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor James Nichols

Seconded by Councillor Peter Byrne

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do do Technical Committee

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Resolution

Proposed by Councillor H. H. Haskins.

Seconded by Councillor M. Mustagh

Resolved: "That Edward Cannon's tender at £13..10/- for "Steam Washing Machine be hereby accepted.
"Work to be carried out to the satisfaction
"of Waterworks Overseer.

P.M.A.P.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor James Everett

Seconded by Councillor James Middleton

Resolved: "That the workmen only work on Holidays up to 9 a.m.

Read application from Mrs Mary Anne O'Loole, St Patricks Road, Wicklow to have Slairng Registered under the Slairng Acts.

Application referred to Slairng Inspector for report.

Read a Petition from a number of Ratepayers protesting against the proposed Urban Rate of 10/- in £.

Application from Mrs Rosanna Helelin for a renewal of lease of her premises Castle St.

Order: That Mrs Helelin's application be referred to the Managing Committee

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Resolution

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| Propose | ROINN RIALTAIS ÁITIÚLA AGUS SLÁINTE PUBLÍ (Department of Local Government and Public Health). |
| Second | Reference No. TEACH AN CHUSTUIM (Custom House). |
| Resolve | 465081/37 BAILE ÁTHA CLIATH. (Dublin). |
| Wicklow ms. | |
| <i>Amount to be hereby accepted the satisfaction the town hall, Wicklow.</i> | |

*Machine
rented out
to the
Waterworks*

With reference to the application of the Wicklow Urban District Council for sanction to the borrowing of a supplemental loan of £485 for the purposes of their 28 and 10 house schemes, kindly submit at your earliest convenience particulars of the total liabilities of the Council up to the 31st March last under the following headings: Housing loans, Public Health loans and other loans segregating the various items into two groups i.e. debt chargeable against council's borrowing powers and debt not so chargeable

Housing Section

Report
Under
Resolution
of
Application
for
Inspected for
Anne O'Gode,
Clare Registered

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Order - That Mrs Helelin's application be referred to the Managing Committee

Read application from John Murphy, Kilpools for
grass for Cow

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor James Everett
Seconded by Councillor John Byrne

Resolved: "That we hereby direct our Treasurer the
"Hibernian Bank 8th, to make no payment
"out of our Funds to any person without
"our written Authority.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor James Middleton
Seconded by Councillor John Smullen

Resolved: "That a new Flag Staff with Sheeve, halyards
"complete and Tricoloured Flag with Coat
"of Arms of Wicklow - Green, White & Gold
"be purchased for Town Hall.

Read letter from Mrs Mary Byrne, Pound St,
asking to have her house repaired.

In accordance with Notice of Motion Mr Tao Murphy
moved that Miss K. Carroll be granted a renewal
of lease of Yard at North Quay.

Mr Murphy's resolution was defeated by 2 for
12 against.

In accordance with Notice of Motion Councillor
Wm O'Grady proposed & Councillor Jas Everett, Seconded
"That the annual contribution from the Council to the 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
2d in £ on the valuation of the Urban District"

On a vote being taken the above resolution was defeated
by 2 for - 12 Against.

J. Everett
6/7/20

Town Hall, Wicklow
8th June 1920

A Special Meeting of the Wicklow Urban District
Council was held this day in pursuance to notice
signed by Mess^r James Everett, George Doyle, William
Kearney, John Byrne, William O'Grady, W. H. Haskins.

1. To approve of plans and specifications of the proposed Housing Scheme.
2. To consider Committee's Report.

Councillors Present: Jas Everett, Jas Nichols, Jas Middleton, John Byrne, Peter Byrne, Jas Doyle, Wm Kearney, Ed Byrne,
W. Mustagh, James Brennan, James Connelley, John Smullen, Colvillor

Proposed by Councillor M. Mustagh

Seconded by Councillor W. H. Kearney

Resolved: "That we go into Committee on the question of
the plans in connection with Housing Scheme.

The Council went into the draft Maps & specification
in connection with houses proposed to be constructed on the
Munrough, and after careful consideration the following
resolution was passed thereon

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor James Brennan

Seconded by Councillor James Middleton

Resolved: "That the draft plans and specification of
"the proposed houses on the Munrough Site
"as now submitted be approved subject
"to the houses being Semi-detached"

Read an application from the Feis Committee
for the use of the Market Hall tables on the day
of the Feis

Order: "That the application of the Feis Committee
be acceded to.

New St, Wicklow,
8th June 1920

Gentlemen;

On Sunday night at about 12-30 I was called to bring out the fire hoses to a fire which broke out at the old Gaol. Men engaged are William Hanlon, Hilmantin Hill; Bernard Kavanagh, ditto; John Byrne ditto Charles Kavanagh, High St; Richard Manning, Dispensary Lane.

Your Obedient Servant
Bartholomew O'Soole.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor M. Mustagh
Seconded by Councillor John Byrne

Resolved: That we the Wicklow Urban District Council strongly protest against the reckless manner in which Military Motors are driven through the Town as on several occasions damage to property has occurred and there is great danger to the inhabitants if this conduct is persisted in.

James Everett
6/7/20

Town Hall, Wicklow
6th July 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 Committee's Report
2. To consider Committees Reports
3. To consider Sanitary Officer's Report
4. To consider Waterworks Overseer's Report
5. To consider Dairy Inspector's Report
6. To elect two representatives on the Co Infirmary
7. To elect a representative on the Wicklow Foreshore Committee
8. To approve of plans & specifications for houses proposed to be erected on the Murrough.
9. To consider Mr Francis Bergin's report on the condition of Waterworks.
10. To approve of lists of tenements requiring revision of valuations and changes of Occupiers & Immediate Lessees.
11. To consider official correspondence.

Councillors Present

Mr James Everett, Chairman in the Chair; Messrs Wm A. Kearney, Charles Davis, C. M. Byrne, Edward Byrne, John Smullen, M. Mustagh, James Middleton, William O'Grady, James Brennan, John Byrne, James Nichols, George Loyle.

Finance Committee's Report
1st July 1920

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

| | |
|-----------------------------------------|----------------|
| Wm. M. Byrne. Corporate & Cottage Rents | £ 94 .. 8 .. 1 |
| Register Petty Sessions. Dog Licenses | 2 .. 14 .. 11 |
| | £ 94 .. 3 .. 0 |

Giving a Cr Balance of £ 5 .. 1 .. 3

We recommend the following payments:-

| | | |
|------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------------|
| H. J. MacShail. | One month's Salary & Bonus | £21. 9. 0 |
| Same | Workmen's Wages | 146. 13. 4 |
| John Hebourney. | One month's Salary & Bonus | 15. 16. 4 |
| B. O'Soole | do do | 12. 15. 8 |
| Jas Redmond | One month's Salary | 1. 0. 0 |
| Edward O'connor | do Superannuation | 4. 4. 6 |
| Wm. M. Byrne. | 4 Weeks ^{Bonus} Wages to 28-6-20 | 4. 12. 0 |
| Same | Boundage on £442. 12. 2 Rents | |
| " | Collected & lodged @ 1/- £23. 12. 9 | 26. 12. 9 |
| " | Postage £3 | |
| Jas Co. | Jas. Meter Rent & damage to Samp | 7. 8. 8 |
| Balatine Inv Co. | Wires & Diagrams | 4. 6 |
| John Kane. | Board & hire of Sadder | 1. 18. 6 |
| Jim Bros | Table Covers | 2. 2. 0 |
| Brooks, Thomas & Co | Bump Fittings | 1. 0. 0 |
| John Shaw. | Leather for Bump Washer | 3. 11 |
| Hely's 8 th | Envelopes | 6. 3 |
| A. W. Irwin. | Contribution to Co Infirmary | 6. 6. 0 |
| W. G. Byrne. | Insurance | 1. 1. 0 |
| Gibson-Lloyd & Co. | Premium on Township Rate Collector Bond | 3. 15. 0 |
| M. S. A. MacShail. | 5 yrs Rent to 30/6/20 yard South Daag. | 2. 10. 0 |
| Corn Co | 1 Ton Coal | 1. 8. 4 |
| Miller & Co. | 1 Ton Coal | 2. 14. 0 |
| Rev & M. C. Sheehy. | Treatment Dora Finlay | 2. 0. 0 |
| Postmaster General. | Trunk Charges | 6. 4 |
| Wicklow People | Printing & Advertising | 8. 2. 0 |
| Same | do do | 2. 14. 0 |
| Frank Roland. | Sarch Boxes | 2. 10. 0 |
| Sheane Bros | Filter Plates etc | 52. 0. 4 |
| Edward Cannon. | Washing Machine | 13. 10. 0 |
| Co Printing Co | Advertising | 3. 3. 6 |
| Brown & Nolan. | Rate Books etc | 4. 9. 6 |
| <hr/> | | £383. 3. 11 |

We have increased the amount of Betty Cash in Town Clerk's hands from £30 to £40 in consequence of the increase in Betty Cash Account from month to month
(signed) John Byrne. W. H. Kearney

Special Committee Report
5th June 1920

Your Special Committee met this day and have had before us Returning Officer's Account of Election Expenses, and we recommend that the sum of £69. 8/- be paid in full discharge of the account for election of Guardians.

(Signed) James Middleton
James Everett
H. H. Haskins

That the ratepayers not ask this sacrifice of the Returning Officer to forego what he is legally entitled to.

(Signed) James Nichols

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor James Brennan
Seconded by Councillor Charles Davis

Resolved: "That majority report of Special Committee be hereby confirmed & adopted"

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor John Smullen
Seconded by Councillor Charles Davis

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 £452. 11. 11"

MANAGING COMMITTEE MEETING

2nd JULY, 1920

Your Managing Committee met this evening, and having had before them Mrs Rosanna Devlin's application for a renewal of lease of house and premises Castle Street, Wicklow, recommend that a renewal of said lease be granted for a term of 75 years from 25th March, 1920, at an increase of 20% in the present rent. That a clause be inserted that the sum of £70 be expended on said premises and that the house be insured in the sum of £300.

We have had before us Miss Nannie Keogh's application to fence Field in her possession and regret we cannot accede to her request.

We recommend that an Engineer be engaged to prepared plans and specifications for the following works:- Building 2 Urinals South Quay; Repairing Wall at Leitrim Place; Repairs to Cottages at Convent Road, Bond & Strand Streets Houses.

We also recommend that a Concrete Kerbing be constructed at Castle Street.

That advertisements be inserted for erecting and supplying Flag Staff for Town Hall.

We have had before us The Wicklow Corn Co's plan of proposed Office Buildings on South Quay and approve of same.

(Signed) James Everett
James Middleton
James Smullen
James Brennan
John Smullen
James Nichols.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor William O'Grady

Seconded by Councillor Wm H. Kearney

Resolved: "That the Report of the Managing Committee dated

"2nd July 1920 be hereby confirmed and adopted

San Sub officer's Report

6th July 1920

I inspected over 300 Premises & served 50 notices on the different Owners and Agents under the Public Health Act. for various Sanitary purposes none of these notices have been complied with but a couple of Owners have promised to comply. I also had 40 premises lime-washed and supplied lime for same. The usual flushing and disinfecting of the mains & fully traps has been carried out twice during the month.

From information received on the 22nd June I went to Black Castle and saw that a pony had been left there half burned. I served notice on the Owner of same to have it removed and properly burned, and he refused to comply with the notice or to do anything with it, therefore I had to get the Council's men and when they had the clay removed off it we found it could not be removed and had to buried it at the Black Castle. I would recommend the Council to deal with this case as the Owner has given a lot of trouble on several occasions. The shrubs in the enclosure at Leitrim Place is getting destroyed with the goats as there is two bars of the railing gone. I would ask that the Water be put in the W.C. in the Cottage Bond Street as soon as possible.

The Scavengers work on the Streets during the month is satisfactory.

(Signed) B. O'Toole.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor C. M. Byrne

Seconded by Councillor John Byrne

Resolved: "That the account for Burial of pony be sent to the Owner (Hugh Kehoe) and should he fail to pay same, he to be brought before a Republican Court".

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor M. Murtagh.
Seconded by Councillor Charles Davis.

Resolved: "That Mr Gleeson be engaged to prepare
" plans & specifications for Drains,
" repairs to Wall Leitrim Place; &
" Cottages Bond, Strand St and Convent
" Road. at a fee of 5% on the amount
of the Contract

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor John Smullen

Seconded by Councillor C. M. Byrne

Resolved: "That the following be appointed to go into
" the question of the insanitary houses in the
" district and report: Chairman, Wm H. Kearney
" M. Murtagh; Jas Nichols.

Waterworks Overseer's Report

6th July 1920

The Water in Reservoir is down 2'-1" below old
overflow, on same date last Season it was down 5'-9"

I started men to clean No. 1. Filtering beds on 30th
instant and turned on No. 2. beds. No. 1. Beds are
leaking very badly at present, in fact they are much
worse than when they were opened before. All
the streams coming into the Reservoir are now
running very slow, and hardly equal what is
leaking out of No. 1. Beds. I repaired fountain on
Munroagh, Friar Hill, Bank and at Woodenbridge.

There are several services to fountains which
want to be renewed or partly renewed and I would be
obliged if Council would give me permission to have
same done.

I received new Washing Machine which is a success.

(Signed) John Debcourcy.

Order: That the necessary fittings for fountains
be obtained

Dairying Inspector's Report: As directed I inspected Mrs
O'Toole's premises and found that a reasonable effort
has been made to comply with the regulations for
this season of the year, however there is no cowshed
but that will be erected in due course.

(Signed) James Redmond

Order: License as Surveyor of Milk be issued.

Road Overseer's Report: Owing to the rapid growth
of the grass during the past month the men were
chiefly employed in removing it from the water
channels along the streets and are continuing
this work on the roads which most needed it.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor Charles Davis

Seconded by Councillor C. M. Byrne

Resolved: "That our Chairman (Mr. Jas Everett) and
" Mr. Wm H. Kearney be hereby appointed
" to represent the Council on the Co
" Infirmary

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor W. H. Kearney

Seconded by Councillor Charles Davis

Resolved: "That Mr. James Everett, be hereby
" appointed to represent the Council
" on the Wicklow Foreshore Committee

Letter from Mr Lowey enclosing plans & specification for the Workmen's dwellings proposed to be erected on the Monaghan, Site Plans & also Ordnance Map.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor John Smullen
Seconded by Councillor Charles Davis

Resolved: "That we hereby approve of the plans & specification for the Workmen's Houses proposed to be erected on the Monaghan and that our Town Clerk make an application for a Loan of £26,650-0-0 for Housing Scheme as per Engineer's estimate

Engineer's Report on Waterworks

5th July 1920

I inspected your Waterworks on May 22nd and I have since carefully examined the approved plans and specifications. According to your Caretaker the water consumption in the town varies from 45,000 gallons per day in Winter to 60,000 gallons per day in Summer, and in order that the filtration system should be effective, it must be capable of dealing with the latter quantity.

To efficiently filter 60,000 gallons per day a filter area of at least 120 square yards would be required, and in order to avoid a portion of the system being over-worked while the remainder is being cleaned, a filter area of at least 160 square yards should be provided, whereas the existing filtering area is only 100 square yards. Again, filters having a superficial area of 160 square yards should be about 5 feet in depth, whereas the existing filters are only 2 feet in depth.

It is evident, therefore, that the existing filters are deficient both in area and in depth, they are of a

completely antiquated type, and in my opinion should be replaced by open air filters of the proper area and depth to which should be added a covered clear water tank capable of holding one day's supply viz: 60,000 gallons.

It is difficult to estimate for any work at the present day owing to the rapid changes that are taking place in the prices of material and labour, but at present rates the cost of providing a suitable set of filters and clear water tank similar to those I have had constructed at Thurles, Newbridge, New Ross and elsewhere would be about £2,250

I shall write you in the course of a few days as regards the loss of pressure in the town, which so far as I can see, at present is mainly due to some obstruction in the main pipe. In the meantime I shall be glad if you will send me a meter chart for the current week and the pressures taken from the gauge on the end of the main pipe at 9, 10, 11, 12, 1, 2 O'clock each day. According to the specification reducing valves were to have been fixed in the valve house on each supply pipe leading from same, but I did not notice these on the occasion of my visit. Please ask the caretakers if they exist and let me know.

(Signed) Francis Bergin.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor M. Murtagh
Seconded by Councillor C. Davis

Resolved: "That Mr Bergin be asked to supply an estimate for enlarging the Waterworks so that the whole scheme may be carried out immediately"

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor W. H. Kearney
Seconded by Councillor Charles Davis

Resolved: "That we hereby approve of lists of tenements requiring change of names & occupiers."

Letter from Local Government Board No. 39222/20-10/6/20 enclosing plans of Waterworks.

Letter from Local Government Board No. H. 501-1105-18/6/20 enclosing Local Bonds Number of Housing.

Letter from Local Government Board No. H. 501/523-4/6/20 forwarding copies of draft regulations respecting Public Utility.

Letter from Local Government Board No. H. 501-1106 remuneration to be allowed to Clerks for services rendered in connection with Housing Schemes.

Letter from Board of Trade 2/6/20 re Profiteering (Amendment) Act 1920.

Same enclosing list of articles of Food with purview of Profiteering Acts.

Letter from Commissioners of Valuation requesting list of Rates for current year.

Judgement £2-14-11 in respect Dog Licenses.

Commissioners of Valuation enclosing lists requiring revision.

Resolution from Technical Committee re increase rate and asking to receive Deputation.

Letter from Irish Workers Club re Sarkin release.

Letter from Messrs Foley & O'Sullivan applying to be appointed Engineers to Waterworks extension.

Letter from Mr J. H. McCarroll, Solicitor enclosing cheque to Agent for £3-2-6 rent due on Reps R. Ost Holding.

Notice from Gas Co opening road to repair gas Main.

Letter from Mr Magee, Solicitor, reporting result of Judges decision in the cases of Messrs Melahunt & Lacey's claim for compensation.

Order:- Read - Decided no action to be taken.

Letter from Committee of Representatives of Dublin Clinical Hospitals re treatment of Poor Patients.

Letter from Town Clerk, Bray, re proposed charge of £1-1/- made by the Banks for the keeping of accounts.

Estimate from Jersey Fluid Co. for supplying Fluid "accepted."

Letter from Mr Matthew Hodgson, asking permission to put Cinders on road leading to Chemical Works on Inner Murragh.

Order:- Permission granted.

Post Card from The Mater Hospital stating that they will not be able to admit Country Patients for the present.

Letter from Mr James Nichols - To appoint delegates to represent Council at Meeting in connection with men on strike.

Letter from Kenny Bros re Irish Year Book.

Order:- Information to be supplied.

Letter from Mr Bergin, Engineer, acknowledging receipt of plans of Waterworks.

Letter from Mrs Morgan, stating that her Husband is away and that he will attend to Sanitary Notice when he comes home.

Letter from Mr J. Sheane re cover on Stop-cock.

Letter from Local Government Board No. 3536/20 enclosing copy of Memo re steps to be taken in case of Smallpox.

Letter from Secretary to Council enclosing Demand 1920-21.

Letter from Coal Controller stating Government restrictions on Coal was withdrawn.

Letter Commissioners of Valuation requesting lists of Tenements requiring revision.

To appoint two Representatives to attend Congress Municipal Authorities of Ireland.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor Charles Hayes

Seconded by Councillor C. M. Byrne

Resolved: "That our Chairman & Vice Chairman be appointed to represent the Council at Congress of Association Municipal Authorities of Ireland."

Letter from Corporate Agent re Income Tax Account.

Order: No action taken.

Wire from Mr Gierce re hire of Murrough during Regatta

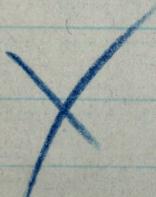
Order: Mr Gierce to be granted the use of Blot opposite Clarkes for Swing Boats. Right of way to be kept clear, and he charged £1 for Regatta Day & 10/- per day for any other day he may use same.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor C. M. Byrne

Seconded by James Nichols

Resolved: "That we request Dail Riireann to instruct their Members for Foreign Affairs to inquire into the imprisonment of James Sarkin and to urge the American government to release him



Resolution

Proposed by Councillor James Middleton

Seconded by Councillor James Nichols

Resolved: That windows of Boat House be built up.

Solicitor's Report on Town-Bark Holdings
6th July 1920.

Dear Sir,

I beg to report to the Council that pursuant to the instructions of the Managing Committee I attended at the Town Hall upon the 5th inst and investigated the facts of each case in the presence of the Chairman, Mr Kearney, the Town Agent, and yourself.

As a result of these investigations I find that there are 23 tenants of Town-Bark Holdings.

The tenant of a Town-Bark holding has no fixity of tenure, as Town-Bark holdings are by section 58 of the Sand Law (Ireland) Act, 1881, excluded from the benefits of the Act.

There are three statutory requisites to constitute a "Town-Bark" holding, namely (1) it must adjoin or be near a city or town (2) it must bear an increased value as accommodation land beyond its ordinary letting value for merely farming purposes (3) it must be occupied by a person living in the city or town or its suburbs.

Except as set forth in the enclosed list the tenancies are all yearly tenancies and as such can be determined by the usual notice to quit applicable thereto, which is as follows:—in cases where the character of the holding is agricultural or pastoral or partly such, if the tenancy was created before 15th August 1846, half a year's notice to quit expiring on the last gale day of the calendar year, and if the tenancy was created after 15th August 1846 then one year's notice to quit expiring on any gale day.

(Signed) J. H. McCarroll.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor John Smullen

Seconded by Councillor William H. Kearney.

Resolved:- "That our Agent be hereby authorised to give
"notice to the tenants of the Corporation Lands
"to give up possession of said lands on next
"Sale day in order to put the tenancies
"in order."

Notice of Motion

I hereby give notice that at the 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

(Signed) Wm H. Kearney

Read application from Edward Kennedy, Poor Rate Collector for a bonus

Notice of Motion

That Edward Kennedy, Poor Rate Collector be granted
a bonus.

(Signed) Wm H. Kearney.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor John Smullen

Seconded by Councillor M. Martagh

Resolved:- "That our Solicitor Mr J. H. McCarroll be instructed to act
"on behalf of the Council in defending the case on behalf
"of the tenants against the proceedings instituted by
"Mr S. M. Furlong"

Letter from Mr John Barlow, applying for the use of
Upper Rooms in Town Hall on the evenings of Monday,
Wednesday & Thursday from 7-30 to 9-30 p.m. & also
Market Hall from 5 to 6 & use of Town Hall at 4 o'clock
on 1st Sunday of each month

Order:- "Permission granted"

James Everett
3/8/20

Town Hall, Wicklow
16th July 1920

A Special Meeting of the Wicklow Urban District Council was held this day in pursuance to a requisition signed by Messrs William H. Kearney, James Smullen, Charles Davis, James Nichols, John Smullen, John Byrne.

1. To consider Mr W. H. Kearney's "Notice of Motion" to increase Technical Instruction Rate from 1^d to 2^d in the £.
2. To consider Mr Wm H. Kearney's "Notice of Motion" that Edward Kennedy, Poor Rate Collector be granted a bonus.
3. To consider official correspondence.

Present

Mr James Everett, Chairman in the Chair; Messrs M. Murtagh, Wm H. Kearney, James Clarke, John Smullen, James Nichols, Edward Byrne, Peter McEvoy, Charles Davis, James Brennan.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor Wm H. Kearney

Seconded by Councillor John Smullen

Resolved: That the annual contribution from the Council to the Co Wicklow Tech 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 2^d in the £ on the Valuation of the Urban District

A vote was taken on the above resolution with the following result viz:- For Resolution Messrs Jas Everett, Wm H. Kearney, Jas Clarke, John Smullen, Edward Byrne, Charles Davis, James Brennan (4)

Against:- James Nichols, M. Murtagh, Peter McEvoy.

Resolution

Proposed by Wm H. Kearney

Seconded by Councillor John Smullen

Resolved: That Edward Kennedy, Poor Rate Collector be granted a bonus of 24/- per week.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor John Smullen

Seconded by Councillor James Clarke

Resolved: That a Caretaker be appointed at the sum of One Pound for caring the Bathing Boxes for the Season"

It was unanimously agreed to sign & seal copies of resolutions dated 2nd March 1920 acknowledging the authority of Hallireann.

Letter from Messrs Bailey & Gibson stating that they are unable to supply Flag for Town Hall.

Letter from Mr J. A. McCannell, Solicitor, reporting result of Magistrate's decision in the cases of T. M. Farlong v. Mr Morrissey & others.

Read letter from Sec, Wicklow Co Council enclosing copy of resolution to form Committee to act in co-operation with similar Committees to safeguard the food & fuel supplies for the people in the event of such a crisis arising.

Order: That resolution of the Co Council be referred to Public Health Committee with power to take the necessary steps in the matter and that the following Gentlemen be added to the Committee with further power to add to their number Messrs W. H. Kearney, M. Murtagh, Charles Davis, James Clarke, John Smullen, Edward Byrne & James Everett Chairman.

Resolutions from Catholic Abstinence Federation which were adopted

Resolution from Holt Sinn Fein Club re release of Mr R. C. Barton.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor Jas Brennan

Seconded by Councillor John Smullen

Resolved:- "That we ask the representative bodies of the Country to demand the release of our member of Slail Eireann Mr R. C. Barton, now a convict in an English prison, and we call upon Slail Eireann to do their utmost to secure his early Release"

Read circular letter from Cork Release Committee enclosing Memorial for signature for the release of James Corkin.

Read application from Town Clerk for three weeks leave of absence in August 1920

Order:- That our Town Clerk be granted three weeks leave of absence.

Read letter from Commissioner of Valuation declining to alter the valuations assessed on Jas Co Premises.

Read post card from Rev S. Matthews stating that he had given instructions to have the hedges round his field cut.

Resolution

Proposed by Councillor Peter McEvoy.

Seconded by Councillor James Everett.

Resolved:- "That the following be appointed an Amusement Committee Messrs James Nichols, John Smullen, Wm H. Kearney, James Everett, James Clarke, Charles Davis."

James Everett
3/8/20