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Arklow Harbour Commissioners 9<sup>th</sup> May 1938

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Members present Mr Liam O Cleirigh Vice Chairman  
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The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read & signed  
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dated 12<sup>th</sup> April 1938

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to your erecting the office referred to in your  
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from them by your Association, on condition  
that if such shed or Store be surrendered hereafter  
neither the office nor shed be handed over to any  
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- (A) The Association to pay to the Commissioners the sum of £1 per annum for the use of the site, the first payment to be made on the first of 1938, and thereafter on the 1<sup>st</sup> May in each succeeding year
- (b) The permission hereby granted to be terminable by six months notice at the option of the Commissioners
- (C) If, for any reason, the Association cease to use the shed, the materials of which it is constructed may be removed by them, but they shall not be at liberty to allow any other person other than the Commissioners to take possession of the shed or to use it for any purpose.

I shall be glad to hear from you in due course whether the Association is satisfied to proceed with the work on the above terms "

And the reply dated 13<sup>th</sup> ~~inst~~ April 1938

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The Secretary was directed to consult Messrs. O'Connor as to the necessity of a formal agreement and insert copies of the two letters in the Minutes also keep copies of letters in the safe.

The question of obtaining some Departmental Assistance towards the repair of the South Quay wall was discussed. And Mr J. J. Birrhill proposed.

Mr Edward Daly Seconded.

"That the Chairman Mr J. P. Kavanagh and the Vice-Chairman Mr Liam O'Leirigh be appointed a Deputation to wait on the responsible Minister, with a view to obtaining assistance towards repair of the South Quay wall "

Passed unanimously

The Secretary was instructed to write to the Minister for Fisheries asking him to receive the Deputation, and also to write to Mr Moore T. D. to help in arranging the interview, and request Mr J. Everett also to co-operate with Deputy Moore

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Mr Edw. Daly proposed.

Mr Liam O'Clairigh Seconded.

"That the outgoing Chairman  
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Mr J. P. Kavanagh Seconded

"That Mr Liam O'Clairigh be  
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The Secretary was directed to inform the Departments of the state of affairs and further press for the services of the dredger.

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That the Secretary be instructed to consult Messrs O'Connor & Co Solicitors for advice as to the ~~method~~ procedure to be taken in the matter of transferring the maintenance of <sup>the</sup> roads referred to, to the care of the Arklow Urban Council.

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The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read & signed

A letter from the Arklow Pottery was read complaining of the obstruction of the timber on the Factory side of the Dock, asking for its removal, and requesting that the Factory side of the dock be reserved for the use of the pottery in view of the number of cargoes imported by the Pottery in the year.

The Harbour Master stated the last cargo to the pottery had been discharged without any complaints.

The letter was Marked read.

A letter from the E.S.B. enclosing quotation for Motor Lorry for gravel jetty at £197

Consideration of this matter, on the suggestion of Mr O'Leirigh was adjourned for three months

A letter from Messrs O'Connor & Co Solicitors was read advising the Commissioner the procedure to be adopted in transferring the care and maintenance of their roads to the Urban Council

After the matter was discussed

Mr Liam O'Leirigh Vice Chairman proposed  
Commr Edw Daly Seconded

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A copy of a letter from the local Branch of the Sea Fishers Ass. was read, complaining referring to the state of the Bar, and stating that their complaint had been forwarded also to the head office of the Association

The Harbour Master said he had forward his original copy to the Secretary Department of Fisheries - and had got a reply through the Board of Works, dated 6<sup>th</sup> July stating, with reference to your letter and previous correspondence in connection with dredging the we have to inform you that the Minister for Finance has sanctioned a grant not exceeding £100, towards the cost of the proposed dredging at Arklow Harbour.

We accordingly enclose a receivable order to enable you to lodge to our credit the sum of £100 being your Commissioners contribution towards the cost of the dredger

It is not expected that the repairs to the Yagan Bealach will be completed before the end of the month. The vessel will, on lodgement by you, of your contribution, be despatched to Arklow as soon as the repairs are completed

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"Adverting to your application for a grant towards the cost of carrying out repairs to the quay wall at Arklow Harbour, and to your letter of the 28<sup>th</sup> March last intimating that your Commissioners were prepared to pay the cost of a Survey by our Engineer to advise the extent of repairs necessary we have to inform you that if the necessary works can be carried out within a limit of £2,000 we would be prepared to recommend that a grant be sanctioned from the Employment Scheme Vote subject to a contribution of £500 from your Commissioners.

The Survey which will involve the clearing of the site will necessitate dredging and a Diver's examination, is estimated to cost £250 and we shall be glad if your Commissioners will lodge this sum to our credit beforehand.

In the event of the repairs being carried out by means of a grant from the Employment ~~Vote~~ Schemes Vote, the sum so lodged will be regarded as part of the Harbour Commissioners Contribution towards the cost of the work. -

The Meeting expressed satisfaction at the terms of the letter. And the Secretary was directed to reply agreeing to the conditions, and to forward to the Board of Works the £250. to meet the cost of the Survey.



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Proposed by Mr Liam O'Leirigh (Vice Chairman)  
Seconded by Mr Edw. Daly

"That the Harbour Board agree to the Conditions in the letter from the Commissioners of Public Works." "That the Harbour Commissioners contribute £500 towards the cost of the repairs to the Quay Wall

And that £250 be forwarded immediately in accordance with the terms of the letter to cover the cost of Survey and removal of the Debris"

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Mr Liam O'Cleirigh Vice Chairman presided

Members present were Commr Messrs Edw Daly and J. J. Birthistle

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and signed  
Correspondence, A letter from the Clerk of the Arklow Urban Council was read <sup>12<sup>th</sup></sup> July 38  
Stating: Dear Sir. I am to inform you that my Council at their Annual Meeting held on the 30<sup>th</sup> ult., appointed Councillors O'Cleary, Kavanagh, and Daly as their representatives on the Arklow Harbour Board for the ensuing year.

The Meeting decided that the signing of new Declaration ~~were~~ unnecessary  
from the Commissioners of Public Works dated 29<sup>th</sup> July 1938

Further to our letter dated the 6<sup>th</sup> inst we have to inform you that the repairs to the "Fay on Bealach" have now been completed and we hope to despatch the vessel to Arklow on Tuesday next the 2<sup>nd</sup> prox. to carry out dredging as approved.

The Harbour Master stated the "Fay on Bealach" had arrived on Thursday and started dredging on Friday Morning

A letter from Deputy S Moore was read, Acknowledging a letter of appreciation he had received from the Harbour Board



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The Secretary was instructed to call a special meeting of the Board to consider any question of importance which might arise in connection with the ~~work~~ being operations being carried out.

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Present. Commrs Mr J. J. Birtchelle and  
Lord Wicklow

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and signed  
Correspondence. From Messrs Thos Gerrard & Co Solicitors dated 9<sup>th</sup> September 38<sup>th</sup> stating

Parnell Quarries Arklow 1915 Ltd  
"Dear Sir - The above Company owned property known as the Rock Quarries at Arklow under a Lease from the Earl of Carylfort

This property included two plots at Arklow Harbour, and we believe that these plots were subsequently surrendered to you. This would have taken place in or after 1915

We would be glad to know if you have any records of the matter and if you still hold these plots

We understand that you gave the Company some other property in exchange for the plots and we will be much obliged if you will let us have a tracing showing the local situation of this property"

The Secretary was instructed to reply to Messrs Gerrard, requesting them to send down a representative to explore the position. The Secretary



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 Mr S.P. Kavanagh Chairman presided  
 present. Commrs Mr. J.J. Birthible

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The minutes of the prer

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Correspondence. From Messrs Thos Gerard & Co Solicitor  
 dated 9th September. 38th Stating

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Parnell Quarries Arklow 1915

Dear Sir - The above Company<sup>19</sup>  
 propesty known as the Rock Quarries  
 at Arklow under a Lease from the  
 Earl of Cary sofort  
 This property parluded two plots  
 at Arklow Harbour

and we believe

that these plots were

subsequently

surrendered to you. This would  
 have taken place in or after 1915

to know if

We would be glad

You have any records of the matter  
 and if you still hold these plots  
 we understand that you gave the  
 1 Company some other property in  
 exchange for the plots and we will be

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much obliged if you will

have a tracking showing the local  
 situation of this property

The Secretary was instructed to  
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 to send down a representative

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to render all the assistance he could.  
to the person sent down.

A quotation from the Sun Insurance Co  
Re Third Party Risks in connection with  
the repairs to South Quay Wall

The premium Payable to be £10. to cover  
up to the limit of £1,000 in respect of any  
one accident.

Period of cover to be 7 days, and no  
risk to attach to the underwriters after  
the expiration of that period

As the meeting had no information  
of the method of carrying out the repairs  
the question of Insurance was left over  
until such time as the information  
was available

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Mr J. P. Kavanagh Chairman presiding

Members Present were Messrs Liam Obleirigh Vice Chairman  
Commr. T. J. Butchelle

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and signed

Correspondence - The Secretary of the Arklow Pottery wrote

÷ "As you have probably noticed we are at the moment fencing round the Pottery to try and keep same more private. To enable us to finish the job in a reasonable manner we find it will be necessary for us to encroach on a small portion of your land running from the boundary wall across to corner of Dock Road. The post was pointed out to your Harbour Master this afternoon"

The Secretary was directed to get the Solicitor to draft an agreement embodying the condition that the Pottery remove ~~the~~ whatever posts be sunk on the Harbour Commissioners ground on receiving reasonable notice to do so from the Harbour Board.

The cost of such agreement to be borne by the Pottery  
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the bar could be sounded owing the sea.  
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as possible and the Chairman had immediately  
got in touch by telephone with the Departments  
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the Responsible Departments ~~and~~ informed them  
of the seriousness of the position and  
appealed for the services of the dredger.  
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Secretary to apply, and the matter was now  
a question for ~~Finance~~ the Minister of Finance

The members agreed that no effort should  
be spared to hasten the arrival of the  
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Arklow Harbour Commissioners 9<sup>th</sup> January 1939

The Monthly meeting of the Arklow Harbour Board was held on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> January. Mr J. P. Karanagh (Chairman) Presiding. Members present were Messrs Liam O'Leary B.C. Commr Edw Daly + L. J. Borthistle.

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were Read and Signed

The Arklow Pottery submitted an Agreement signed by the Chairman of the Pottery Co. and one of the Directors, also the Sales Manager and the Secretary to the Company.

The Agreement stated

"Should the Harbour Commissioners of Arklow at any time, require it, the Company will remove the fence at the rear of its Pottery in Arklow which the Company admits has been erected on ground the property of the Harbour Commr. which said fence is more clearly particularly delineated on the Map annexed hereto and thereon outlined in blue"

The Meeting considered this satisfactory

The Harbour Master read his report for Year ending 1938

The Chairman ~~paid~~ ~~begged~~ said he wished to take this opportunity to express his appreciation of the assistance he had received from the officials of the different Government Departments he had occasion to get in touch with in connection with affairs of the Harbour and also Deputy J. Moore



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The monthly meeting of the Arklow Harbour

9th January

Board was held on Monday

Mr S. H. Kavanagh (Chairman) presiding

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Arklow Harbour Commissioners 13<sup>th</sup> February 1939

The Monthly Meeting of Arklow Commissioners  
was held on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> February 1939  
Mr J. P. Kavanagh (Chairman) presiding  
Present Commissioners Messrs Edw. Daly and  
J. J. Birthistle

Minutes of the previous Meeting were  
Read & Signed

The Chairman proposed (Mr J. P. Kavanagh)  
Commr Birthistle Seconded

"That ~~the~~ Arklow Harbour Commissioners  
beg to tender to the Nuncio Apostolic  
their sincere regret at the death  
of our Holy Father Pope Pius XI "

Commr Daly Concurred and the Resolution  
was passed in Silence

The Statement of Accounts for Year ending 1938  
was submitted from Messrs Kavanagh & Son. Auditors

The Secretary stated that the Dredger *Fog an Beallach*  
had approximately ~~three~~ further days of the  
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the state of the bar was not yet ~~sat~~ satisfactory  
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The Secretary was authorised to spend £20 in material  
for road metalling

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Mr J. P. Kavanagh (Chairman) presiding  
Members present - Mr Liam O'Leirigh V. Chairman  
Commissioners Messrs J. J. Borthistle and Edw Daly.  
The Meeting was held to consider the  
Harbour Master's report of the damage  
caused to the Parnell Quarries Jetty  
caused by the Motor Ship "Goldfinder"  
the property of Mr H. Wilson Commercial Quay  
Wexford. When entering the Port on Friday  
3<sup>rd</sup> March, with a cargo of Coal for Arklow Pottery Ltd.  
The Harbour Master read a copy of the notice  
of the accident which he had served by  
hand on Capt Delany of the Goldfinder and copy  
of which he had sent by registered post  
to the owners of the ship.

The "Notice" stated - dated 4/3/39

"I regret to inform you that your Motor Ship  
"Goldfinder" when entering the Port of Arklow  
at approx 5-30 P.M. O'clock on yesterday the  
3<sup>rd</sup> inst crashed into the Jetty known as the  
Parnell Quarries Jetty causing partial collapse  
of the structure.

When a survey has been taken by a qualified  
engineer a claim to cover the amount of the  
damage as calculated by him will be duly  
forwarded to you -

Due notice of the time and date of the Survey  
will be sent you "

The Meeting unanimously recommended that  
Mr Caffrey C.E. be asked to make a survey of the damage  
and if his services were not available



6th March 1933

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Arklow Harbour Commissioner 13/3/39

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The Monthly meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> March 1939

Mr J. P. Kavanagh Chairman presiding  
Members present were Mr Liam O'Leirigh J.C.  
And Mr Edw. Daly.

The Minutes of the previous Monthly Meeting and Special Meeting held on 6<sup>th</sup> March were read & signed

Correspondence - Acknowledgement of Vote of Sympathy from the Nuncio Apostolic

An Agreement from the E.S. Board

Re Charges for Lighting for the Year Commencing April 1939 to 31<sup>st</sup> March 1940 was submitted

The Secretary was instructed to write ~~and~~ to the E.S. Board, Asking for a reduction of the Charges, further consideration of the Agreement postponed until next meeting

The Secretary Arklow Branch Irish Transport & G.W. Union wrote - Pointing out the bad state of the roads leading to the pottery works, over which some of their members had to travel three or four times each day.

The Secretary was instructed to reply stating that the taking over of the maintenance of the roads referred to would be considered at the next meeting of the Arklow Urban Council, and that in the meantime ~~temporary~~ <sup>minor</sup> repairs would be carried out by the Harbour Board

The Secretary informed the Board that he had received a letter from Mr H. Wilson Owner of the M.V. "Goldfinch" regarding the



Arklow Harbour Commissioner 13/3/39

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The Secretary further stated that the survey had taken place, and an agreement between the engineers as to the extent of the damage reached, but an agreement as to the amount of compensation had not been attempted. He expected Mr McCarthy's estimate in a day or two and promised to consult the Commissioners as to his further action when the estimate was received.

In connection with the state of the Bar Mr O'Leirigh expressed the view that the restrictions on the removal of gravel was having an injurious effect ~~in~~ that the gravel lodgement behind <sup>the pier</sup> tended to silt around the end, and into the mouth of the Harbours - and that removals of the lodgement from the back of the pier, prevented siltage of the entrance to that extent.

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The Secretary stated that the Chairman and himself were sparing no effort in obtaining the services of the Tug and Bealack for a further necessary weeks dredging under the same conditions as for the period just expired.

The bar was in a very unsatisfactory state with a ~~very~~ narrow channel through the centre of a shoal both North & South. He expected their efforts to be successful, but had not yet received a reply.

The Secretary ~~secretary~~ promised to remind the Board of Works of the position of the damaged portion of the South Quay Wall.

A/cs were passed for payment.

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10<sup>th</sup> April

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Arklow Harbour Commissioners 8<sup>th</sup> May 1939

The Monthly Meeting of the Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May. Mr T. P. Kavanagh (Chairman) presiding. Members present were Commr Messrs Liam O'Riagh B.C., Lord Wicklow, Edw. Daly.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Correspondence - Letter from Messrs Kearon & Lymell about mooring posts on Quay.

From Mr Brennan; enclosing copy of letter from Mr Ed Nicholson, owner of S.S. "Coombe Dingle" about some obstruction in the river which damaged the Steamer ~~propeller~~ "Coombe Dingles" propeller. The Secretary stated he had dealt with both matters referred to in the letters.

In the first case he had put down 2 new mooring posts and in the second case had replied to Mr Brennan.

to the effect that if he could find the obstruction he would have it promptly removed, and further informed Mr Brennan of vessels which had since used the Harbour of greater draft than the Coombe Dingle without any inconvenience whatever.

The reply to Mr Brennan which the Secretary read was approved by the Board.

The Department of Industry & Commerce wrote asking to be furnished with 2 Certified Copies of the Harbour Commissioners A/c's for the year ending 31<sup>st</sup> Dec. 1938.

The Secretary stated he had furnished the Copies required.

The Board of Works wrote forwarding statement of the Cost of Dredging carried out by the Fag sh Bealach during the period 21<sup>st</sup> Nov. 1938 to 1<sup>st</sup> April 1939 & enclosing refund of £4. 15. 3. being the amount by which the Harbour



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Board's contribution of £435. had exceeded the cost of dredging - viz £430-4-9

The Department of Industry and Commerce wrote in reply to the Harbour Commissioner request for the withdrawal of the restrictions on the removal of gravel from immediately south of the pier -

The reply stated the matter is receiving attention and a further communication will be addressed to you as soon as possible. It is presumed that there is no suggestion that licensing should be waived. The Minister would not be prepared to consider any departure from the practice of requiring all removals from the State owned foreshore to be covered by license under the foreshore Act.

Mr O'Cleirigh said his idea was that in the interests of the Harbour that all restrictions should be removed.

The Chairman suggested that a deputation from the Board wait on the Department to discuss the matter

The Chairman. Vice Chairman and Secretary were appointed

A letter from the E. S. B. in connection with the charges for Public Lighting during the coming year was read. Stating the charges were the same as previous years and no reduction could be allowed.

The Terms for public High Pier lighting as submitted by the E. S. B. for the Year April 1<sup>st</sup> 1939 to March 31<sup>st</sup> 1940 were agreed to by the Commissioner

J P Kavanagh

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A Special Meeting of the Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June 1939

Mr J. P. Kavanagh Chairman presiding

Present: Commissioners Mr Edw Daly, Mr J. J. Borthistle and Lord Wicklow

The meeting was called to consider an offer of £420 from Mr H. Wilson Commercial Quay Wexford in settlement of the Harbour Commissioners Claim for damage done to the Parnell Quarries Jetty by Mr Wilson Motor vessel "Goldfinder" when entering the Harbour at 5.30 P.M. O'clock on 3 March 1939.

Mr J. J. Borthistle proposed  
Lord Wicklow seconded

"That in accordance with the advice of our Technical advisers and our Chairman's recommendation we hereby agree to accept the offer of £420 on behalf of Mr H. Wilson in settlement of damage to Parnell Quarries Jetty done by the M.V. "Goldfinder" passed unanimously."

J. P. Kavanagh

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There was no meeting on June 12<sup>th</sup> for want of a Quorum

Messrs Liam O'Leirigh H.C. & Mr Edw. Daly were present

There was no meeting for want of a Quorum on 10<sup>th</sup> July  
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Mr J. P. Kavanagh Chairman presiding  
Members present were Commrs Liam O'Leirigh V.C.  
and Mr. Edw. Daly

The Meeting was held for the purpose of electing Chairman and Vice Chairman for the coming year, and all other business which came before the Board for consideration  
Proposed by Mr Liam O'Leirigh V.C.

Seconded by Mr Edw Daly (Commr.)

"That the Outgoing Chairman Mr J. P. Kavanagh be re-elected Chairman for the coming year"

passed unanimously

Proposed by Commr Mr Edw Daly

Seconded by Mr J. P. Kavanagh (Chairman)

"That the Outgoing Vice-Chairman Mr Liam O'Leirigh be re-elected Vice-Chairman for the coming year"

passed unanimously

The Minutes of the May Monthly meeting and of a Special Meeting held on June 5<sup>th</sup> were read and signed

In connection with the matter of the restrictions on the removal of gravel from South of the pier

The Secretary was directed to arrange an interview with the Managing Director of the Arklow Pottery and a Deputation from the Harbour Board consisting of the Chairman & Vice Chairman

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Mr Liam O Cleirigh<sup>vice</sup> proposed.  
Comms Mr Edw. Daly seconded

"That a Committee be appointed to draft a Copy of Standing Orders to guide the Board in matters of procedure and that said draft be submitted to next Ordinary Meeting for approval"

passed unanimously

The Committee appointed consisted of the Members present at the Meeting.  
The Harbour Master & Secretary's Salary was considered by the Board.

Mr Liam O Cleirigh Vice Chairman proposed  
Comms Mr Edw Daly seconded.

"That we the Arklow Harbour Commissioners agree to supplement the existing Salary of the Harbour Master by a bonus of  $2\frac{1}{2}\%$  on Current Yearly revenue. This Award to be retrospective on and from the 1<sup>st</sup> July 1939"

passed unanimously

A letter from Mr. Brennan was read<sup>1/2</sup> making a claim for cost of discharging a cargo of coal from S.S. "Coombe Dingle" at Wicklow in January of this year, owing to the ship not being able to enter Arklow on account of the state of the bar. The letter requested that the writer be given credit for wharfages due, to the amount of her claim.



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The following order was made

That the "Secretary to have full amount of Dues and other debts if any due by Mr Brennan" Collected

The Clerk to the Arklow Urban Council wrote dated 11<sup>th</sup> July 39

"I am directed by my Council to inform you that they have selected Councillors O'Cleirigh, Kavanagh, and Daly as their representatives on your Board for the coming year" Marked noted

The Secretary of the Wicklow Co Council wrote dated 20<sup>th</sup> July 1939. ~~enclosing copy of~~ stating. I beg to hand you herewith copy of a resolution passed at the recent Annual Meeting of Wicklow Co Council, selecting, appointing and continuing in office their existing representatives on your Board

Copy of resolution.

Resolved:- Having regard to the provisions of the Local Elections Act 1937 we hereby select appoint and continue in office until their successors shall have been appointed each and every representative who has been elected by this Council, on any Committee or Public Body nominated wholly or partly by this Council. Passed

Councillor O'Cleirigh and the Chairman dissenting in the case of Councillor Berthistle's continued membership of the Arklow Harbour Board.

J J Kavanagh  
11<sup>th</sup> Sept 1939

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Arklow Harbour Commissioners 11<sup>th</sup> September 1939

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Mr J. P. Kavanagh Chairman presiding  
Members present were Commr Mr Liam O'Leirigh J. Chairman and Mr J. J. Borthistle

The Minutes of the previous Meeting held on 25<sup>th</sup> July were read and signed

The Secretary stated that in reply to his request to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Finance to receive a Deputation from the Harbour Board to discuss the question of repair to the South Quay Wall he had received the following letter

From the Parliamentary Secretary dated 2<sup>nd</sup> August  
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I am desired by the Parliamentary Secretary to refer further to your letter of the 29<sup>th</sup> ultimo and to inform you that Deputy Seamus Moore has since been in touch with this Office and explained that the intention of the proposed Deputation was to press for the early execution of repairs to the South Quay Wall Arklow. This matter has been carefully examined by the Parliamentary Secretary but in view of the facts already conveyed with regard to the demands on our engineering staff at present, he much regrets that he sees little possibility of putting the work in hands during the present year.

From The Secretary Commissioner of Public Works dated 2<sup>nd</sup> August  
Repairs to South Quay Wall

With reference to your letter of 12<sup>th</sup> June last  
And to your visit to this office on the 13<sup>th</sup> ultimo



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In this connection we are advised that the works are in much the same condition as two years ago and that the likelihood of further damage this winter which would materially affect the cost of repair is remote.

~~Removal of Gravel from South of the Pier~~

The Secretary stated he had endeavoured to arrange for the Interview (proposed at the previous meeting) with the Managing Director of the Pottery, and had received the following letter in reply to his request. I have your letter of the 27<sup>th</sup> inst and regret that my Chairman will be unable to meet a Deputation from your Board until some time in September (dated 31<sup>st</sup> July 1939).

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Consideration of Mr Liam O'Brien's motion for drafting copy of Standing Orders was postponed at Mr O'Brien's suggestion.

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The Monthly Meeting of the Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> October 1939

Mr J. P. Kavanagh Chairman presiding  
Commissioner Messrs Liam O'Leirigh Vice Chairman, and  
Lord Wicklow were also present

Minutes of previous Meeting were read and signed

The Secretary reported he had sounded the bar and found that it had ~~worsened~~ shoaled somewhat from the recent Northeasterly Gales. He stated he had made three sounding finding  $8\frac{1}{2}$  feet by the South pier  $10\frac{1}{2}$  feet in the centre and 10 feet North:

It was unanimously decided that the services of the "Fag an Bealach" be obtained ~~as obtained~~ as soon as possible - and the Secretary was directed to apply for her services in the usual manner, on the same conditions as heretofore

A discussion was held with regard to the Public + Pier Lighting in the Harbour Area. ~~Further consideration~~ as affected by Air Raid Precaution regulations; further consideration of this matter was left over until a later date

The Secretary stated that at the Chairman's suggestion he had the pier whitened in sections in order that it might be more easily seen especially if a black out of the pier light should occur. The Meeting unanimously approved.

J P Kavanagh  
13th Nov 1939



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Mr S. P. Kavanagh Chairman presiding  
Commissioners present were Messrs Liam O'Leary (Vice Chair)  
Mr J. J. Birthistle. and Lord Wicklow

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed

Correspondence - A letter from the Electricity Supply Board in connection with Air Raid precautions Regulations was read stating. 8<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1939

"I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated 7<sup>th</sup> inst., concerning Cowling and switching of Public Lighting System in the Harbour Area Arklow, and to confirm that the amount stated in my letter of the 6<sup>th</sup> idem permits of the Public Lighting System in the Harbour Area being independently controlled from the town lighting system.

The Charge of £31-10-0 applying to the particular work carried out in the Harbour Area provides for a separate Master switch in the Garda Barracks for instantaneous switching, and permits of the Harbour lamps being continued in operation during the lighting hours already agreed upon

It is hoped that the foregoing information is in accordance with your requirements"

The Chairman expressed the view that the cost of each of the two <sup>items</sup> should have been furnished (i.e. The cost of Cowling already carried out, and the cost of the proposed independent switch)

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And read the following reply dated 26<sup>th</sup> October from The Office of Public Works.

In reply to your letter of the 10<sup>th</sup> instant, requesting the provision of the services of the "Fag an Bealach" for a fortnight's dredging at Arklow Harbour we have to inform you that the Minister for Finance has sanctioned a State Contribution up to a £50. Maximum of 25% of the cost of the ~~fortnight's~~ dredging now required. The all in cost of a fortnight's dredging would be approximately £216. and the proportion of this sum payable by your Commissioners would amount to £166

We enclose a Receivable Order for lodgment of this latter amount and on receipt of notification of lodgment, the vessel will be dispatched"

The Secretary further stated, he had replied to the letter stating he had not been authorised to accept the services of the dredger on those conditions, and as the bar was not too bad, and seemed likely to improve under the then existing weather conditions, had not considered it necessary to ~~call~~ have a special meeting. On sounding the bar on the previous Thursday he regretted he found it had worsened. And on the advice of the Chairman he had written the Department of Fisheries asking them to reconsider the question and grant the 50% assistance as heretofore



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This was considered satisfactory by the Meeting and the Secretary was directed to forward the Paying order for £116. to the Board of Works as soon as possible  
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Arklow Harbour Commissioners 11<sup>th</sup> December 1939

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Mr J. P. Kavanagh Chairman presiding

Members present Commr Mr Liam O'Leirigh Vice Chairman

Mr J. J. Birtistle

Minutes of previous Meeting were Read & Signed  
Correspondence - From the E.S.B. dated 24 November 1939  
in connection with A.R.P. Lighting regulations  
stating (1) The cost of Cowling the 10 Lamps in  
the Harbour Area - £1-0-0

(2) The ten lamps are at present controlled by  
the main lighting system, and therefore  
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of them remaining in operation all night  
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independent switching. The cost of this work  
would be £30.10.0

The Secretary pointed out that more than  
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of the cost of installing the independent switch  
✓ On the instruction of the Chairman  
he had written the E.S.B. to that effect.

The Reply dated 6<sup>th</sup> December. Stating

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of the costs which have been quoted to you for  
the special switching arrangements necessary



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The Meeting was called in connection with the Harbour Commissioners request to the Arklow Urban District Council to take over the Roads in the Harbour Area.

Correspondence - A letter from the Arklow Urban District Council dated 8<sup>th</sup> January 1940, was read.

Minute - "I am to refer to your letter 15<sup>th</sup> July last regarding your Board's request to my Council to take over the Roads at present under your control, and to state that the Department of Local Government have directed my Council to consider the position carefully from the point of view of the charge which would fall on the Rates of the Urban Area.

I am to point out that a Capital expenditure of £4,650 would be necessary in order to leave the Roads in a proper state condition. In addition to this, there would, of course, be the annual Cost of Maintenance.

My Council wish to be informed as to the amount of annual Contribution your Board would be prepared to make in the matter "

Signed J. Gregory Cannon

Mr Liam O'Leary Proposed

Mr T. J. Burthistle Seconded

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Arklow Harbour Commissioners 12<sup>th</sup> February 1940<sup>42</sup>

The Monthly Meeting of Arklow Harbour Board was held on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> February 1940  
Mr J. P. Kavanagh Chairman presided  
Members present Mr Liam O Cleirigh Vice Chairman and Lord Wicklow

The Minutes of the December Meeting and Special Meeting on January 12<sup>th</sup> were Read and Signed

Correspondence - A letter from the Board of Works was read - dated 20<sup>th</sup> January - stating that the proposals for a grant from the Employments Scheme Vote towards reconstruction of the Roads in the Harbour Area, would be eligible for consideration on its merits in competition with any other proposals for the coming year, and subject to its being found satisfactory in respect of unskilled Labour content, and a reasonable contribution towards the cost from the Harbour Commissioners.

The Secretary stated he had acknowledged receipt of the letter.

Mr O Cleirigh informed the Meeting of the Urban Council's progress in the taking over of the Roads, and it was decided that as the Urban Council had the matter in hand, the Secretary's acknowledgement of the letter was sufficient.

A letter from the Sea Fishermen's Assn was read dated 31<sup>st</sup> Jan 1940. Stating

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The Secretary stated he had on receipt of the letter written warning the Association it would be necessary ~~for~~ to get the Harbour Board's permission to install the water supply.

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The Auditors Statement of the A/c's of the Harbour Commissioners for the year ending 31<sup>st</sup> December 1939 was submitted and considered satisfactory

Lord Wicklow proposed - Chairman seconded.

"A vote of Sympathy with the bishops Clergy and people on the death of Most Rev. Dr Byrne Archbishop of Dublin" passed unanimously "

Mr Cleirigh proposed. Chairman seconded

That we the Arklow Harbour Commissioners extend our deepest Sympathy with the relatives of Peter Barnes, and James McCormack in their sad bereavements occasioned by the executions in England. - Unanimously passed

The question of obtaining a further period of dredging on the bar by the "Fag or Bealach" was left in the hands of the Chairman & Secretary

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Mr H.P. Karanagh (Chairman) presided  
Present Messrs Liam O'Cleirigh Vice Chairman  
Commr. Lord Wicklow and T.J. Borthistle

Minutes of previous Meeting were read & signed  
Correspondence - from the Vicar Capitular

Acknowledging vote of sympathy for the death of Arch Bishop Byrne

From - Department of Fisheries and Board of Works granting a further weeks dredging by "Tag on Bealach" on the same conditions as the previous period

The Secretary stated the Tag on Bealach had completed the weeks dredging on Saturday the 9<sup>th</sup> had left the Bar in fairly good condition and sailed for Dun Laoghaire on this morning

In connection with the proposed repairs to the South Quay wall the Secretary stated he had written to the Board of Works, but had only received a card acknowledging his letter.

The Secretary was directed to write to Deputy Moore requesting him to press the matter with the Commissioners of Public Works

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From Messrs Kearon & Tyrnell - protesting against the Harbour Board's decision of the previous meeting "not to grant the reduction in the wharfage charge on future ochre shipments which had been in force when the Avoca ochre



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be made to your Commissioners in respect  
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Minutes of previous Monthly meeting were read and signed  
Correspondence from Allied Employers Federation in connection with the question of wage fixing  
Marked Read -

From Office of Public Works dated 6<sup>th</sup> April 1940  
Stating - "With reference to your letter of the 1<sup>st</sup> instant relative to the proposed repairs to the South Quay wall at Arklow Harbour, I am directed by the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Finance to inform you that the approval of the Minister has now been obtained to the making of a Grant from the Employment Schemes Vote towards the cost of the project and it is hoped to have the work put in hands by our Engineer at an early date."

I am to say that the execution of the work will be authorised, subject to certain conditions which will shortly be notified to your Board "

Marked Read & Noted

From The Department of Finance acknowledging receipt of an inquiry from the Secretary relative to the assistance from the Department towards



The monthly meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissions  
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To the Harbour Master Arklow - Stating

We are shortly expecting some timber to arrive here for shipment and will require a berth to store same pending the arrival of the vessel to take it.

We will be glad to hear if we can make suitable arrangements, and oblige "

The Harbour Master stated the only place available at present, was the west side of the Dock.

The Matter was left in the hands of the Harbour Master to make the best provision he could.

From the Electricity Supply Board, quoting terms for Public lighting in the Harbour Area for the coming year - viz £5 per lamp per year for all night lighting, or £3 per lamp per year for lighting until midnight -

It was decided to provide for five lights lighting all night, and five lighting until Midnight - 5 at £5 per lamp, and 5 at £3 per lamp

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A Special Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May at 3-30 P.M. O'clock.

Mr J. P. Karanagh, Chairman presided  
Present Messrs Liam O'Leirigh Vice Chairman  
and Commr L. J. Borthistle & Edw Daly

The Meeting was called to consider a Draft Agreement from the Commissioner of Public Works in connection with the proposed repairs to the South Quay wall, and any other ~~business~~ necessary business

A Deputation from the local branch of Irish Transport & Gen. Workers Union was received and requested the Harbour Board to endeavour to facilitate Merchants who required shipping space for Pitwood ~~at~~

It was suggested that the Area available for dumping Pitwood be marked off in spaces; The Harbour Master stated that there was only one applicant for space who had not been accommodated, and he felt assured he would be in a position to accommodate Mr McCartan with the necessary accommodation at ~~an~~ early date.

The Deputation then withdrew  
In connection with the repairs to the South Quay wall  
A Draft Copy of an Agreement from the Board of Works was read, and it was proposed by

Mr Liam O'Leirigh

Seconded by Mr L. J. Borthistle

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A letter from Mr T. P. Karanagh dated 27<sup>th</sup> May 1940.  
 Stating Dear Sir

Will you please ask your Board to consider my application for the use of ground from the Charter School to Brennam's site for the purpose of storing timber and erecting sheds for Milling and storing timber.

I am prepared to take the ground at a nominal rate or purchase the site for a reasonable sum as the Commission may decide.

It was unanimously decided to give whatever frontage required at 1/- per foot frontage per annum.

Aps were passed for payment including £250 to the Commissioners of Public Works, being the Harbour Board's final <sup>part of the</sup> contribution (£500) towards the estimated cost of repairs.

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It was decided that the question of reducing the charges, would be considered after the cessation of hostilities.

J J Kavanagh  
14<sup>th</sup> Oct 1940

There was no Monthly meeting held on June 10<sup>th</sup> for want of a quorum - The Chairman 'Mr J. P. Kavanagh' only was present. + Mr Edw Daly

There was no Monthly Meeting on July 8<sup>th</sup> 1940 (no quorum)

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Arklow Harbour Commissioners

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A Special Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on 9<sup>th</sup> August at 3.06 PM.  
present Mr Liam O'Leary (Vice Chairman) presiding  
Lord Wicklow and Mr J. J. Birtwistle

The following Resolution was  
Proposed by the Chairman Mr Liam O'Leary  
Seconded by Lord Wicklow

" That in connection with the transfer of roads, the Arklow Harbour Commissioners agree to contribute an initial sum to the Arklow Urban Council of £750. plus £50 per annum Year for a period of 5 years towards Maintenance, instead of the amount previously proposed, viz: An initial sum of £200. plus £50 per year for a period of 5 years towards Maintenance "

passed Unanimously

J J. Kavanagh

14<sup>th</sup> Oct 1940



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Arklow Harbour Commissioner 14<sup>th</sup> October 1940 54

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Mr G. P. Kavanagh (Chairman) presiding  
Present ~~Present~~ Liam Obleirigh Vice Chairman  
Lord Wicklow and Edw Daly

Minutes of previous Monthly and Special Meetings were read and Signed

Correspondence - From The Wicklow Co Council  
And from Arklow Urban District Council  
re appointing their representatives on the  
Harbour Board

The Election of Chairman and Vice Chairman was  
adjourned to the next Meeting

Correspondence - From Mr Brennan claiming  
priority for discharging her cargoes  
at the West side of the Dock.

The Harbour Master was directed to  
facilitate Mr Brennan as far as  
possible in giving her preference  
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were advised it would not be practicable  
to have the dredging requested executed  
in conjunction with the repairs to the  
South Quay Wall. They would however  
be prepared to consider an application from  
the Harbour Board for the hire of the "Saxfrage"  
when she had completed her present work

No Action was taken

From The Sea Fisheries Association

Requesting the Harbour Commissioners



Wklow Harbour Commissioner

14th October 1940

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A draft agreement (from Messrs O'Connor & Co solicitors,) between the Harbour Commissioner as one party and Mr T. P. Kavanagh the other in connection with the letting of the plot of ground at the rear of Messrs Brennan's premises was submitted

The Amount of rent to be charged was discussed and agreed to by both parties at £6 per year for the plot for the ~~carry~~ conducting of this business

Mr O'Cleirigh took the Chair, ~~The~~

The Secretary read the Draft agreement Lord Wicklow proposed  
Commr Edw Daly seconded

" That the Harbour Commissioners agree to let the plot of Ground at the rear of Brennan's Coal Yard To Mr T. P. Kavanagh at a yearly rent of £6.

The Conditions of tenancy to be the same



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A letter from the Vulcan Boiler Insurance Co was read - stating they had ceased to transact business in Eire - and it was unanimously agreed to accept a proposal for the Boiler Insurance from the Ocean Accident + Guarantee Corporation Ltd - who offered the same conditions as the Vulcan Boiler Insurance

It was further decided to take out a Public Liability policy with the Hibernian Fire + General Insurance Co. if the premium was reasonable  
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11<sup>th</sup> Nov 1940



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 Mr T. P. Karanagh Chairman presided  
 Member present Mr Liam Obleirigh Vice Chairman  
~~Mr Edw Daly~~. Minutes of previous Meeting  
 were read and signed

Mr Liam Obleirigh proposed  
 Mr Edw Daly seconded

"That the present Chairman Mr T. P. Karanagh  
 be re-appointed Chairman of the Arklow Harbour  
 Commissioners until the next annual Meeting"  
 passed unanimously

Proposed by Mr Edw Daly  
 Seconded " Mr T. P. Karanagh

"That Mr Liam Obleirigh Vice Chairman  
 be reappointed Vice Chairman of the  
 Arklow Harbour Commissioners until  
 the next Annual Meeting"

passed unanimously

Mr Liam Obleirigh suggested that  
 a new harbour office be erected in  
 a more convenient situation than the  
 site of the present one,

After some discussion, exploring of  
 the position was referred to the  
 Chairman and the Secretary

The Secretary was instructed to apply  
 to the Parliamentary Secretary to the  
 Minister for Finance, for a grant  
 from the Employment Schemes Vote  
 towards the reconstruction of the  
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Seconded by Mr Edw. Daly.

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passed unanimously  
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Mr Liam O'Leirigh (Vice Chairman) presiding.

Commr present Mr Edw Daly and Mr J. J. Birthistle

Minutes of previous Meeting were read & signed  
Correspondence - from Messrs Kearon & Tyrrell offering £1-0-0 for the old boiler as scrap

The ~~price~~ offer was considered low, and the sale was left to the Secretary, to endeavour to obtain a better offer.

A further letter from Messrs Kearon & Tyrrell requesting a discharging berth near the Harbour shed to be reserved for their ships to discharge

The Meeting decided that Messrs Kearon & Tyrrell were being fairly accommodated and the letter was marked read

From the Arklow Pottery pointing out the bad condition of the road by the works leading to sea

The Chairman stated the road was the responsibility of the Urban Council, but recommended the Harbour Master to put down a few loads of Metat in worst ~~parts~~ places

From the Sea Fisheries Ass. Ltd Dublin dated 14<sup>th</sup> Dec 1941  
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" In view of the termination by the Harbour Commissioners of the Association's tenancy of the Harbour shed on 31<sup>st</sup> March next, it is desired to secure a site at Arklow on which alternative accommodation may be erected

After exhaustive local enquiries the Association is of the opinion



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Accordingly, I am instructed to make formal application to your Commissioners for a letting of the plot of ground in question. Should your Commissioners be prepared to give the Association a long lease of this plot of ground, it would be proposed to utilise it for providing such marketing and other shore facilities as may be considered necessary for the fishermen Members

The plans for the structures to be erected on the site would be referred in due course to your Commissioners, and would be subject to any reasonable requirement of theirs as to type of construction to be adopted

It would be much appreciated if your Commissioners could communicate an early decision in the matter, intimating ~~at the~~ ~~meantime~~ same time, what the precise terms of letting would be

The Commissioners unanimously decided to grant a lease for 50 years at £3-0-0 per Annum subject to the stipulation that the lease to lapse in the event of the Sea Fisheries ceasing to exist before the expiration of the 50 years

~~The owner~~ Any structures which will be on the site to become, in that case, the property of the Harbour Board to be used in the interests of the fishermen



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stating - The amount available for Arklow  
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I am to say however, that consideration  
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Present Messrs T. P. Kavanagh - Liam O'Leirigh and Edw Daly.

Proposed by Commr Mr Edw Daly

Seconded by Mr Liam O'Leirigh

That the outgoing Chairman Mr T. P. Kavanagh be re appointed Chairman of the Commissioners for the coming year.

passed unanimously

Proposed By Commr Mr Edw Daly

Seconded by The Chairman Mr T. P. Kavanagh

That Mr Liam O'Leirigh be re appointed Vice Chairman for the coming year.

passed unanimously

~~The Electricity Supply~~

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and signed

Correspondence - Included from Electricity Supply Board

A quotation for Public Lighting the Harbour Area for the year April 1941 to March 1942

As the quotation was similar to previous years it was unanimously decided to accept it.

A further letter from the E. S. B. recommending reduced consumption was read

The Secretary stated that on receipt of the Circular he had consulted the Chairman Vice Chairman & Commissioners, and on their advice, had instructed the E. S. B. to discontinue until further instructions the Lighting of all the ten lamps in the Harbour area



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seconded. " The Chairman Mr T. P. Kavanagh

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The Secretary's action was confirmed and approved of by the Commissioners

A letter from the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Finance was read

stating - That the Commissioners application for a grant towards improvement of the Roads in the Harbour Area, would be discussed with the Department of Local Government and Public Health when the current year's programme of Road works is being prepared - Market Road.

In connection with the proposed construction of a wharfe jetty above the Dock entrance the Secretary read from the Commissioner of Public Works. Stating - We have no functions or authority in the matter of affording technical advice to Harbour Authorities, we regret therefore that your request for engineering advice is not one <sup>to which</sup> we can accede.

Mr O Cleirigh expressed the view that the construction of the jetty at present was inadvisable owing to possible decrease in revenue due to the war. the Secretary stated that Mr Caffrey had promised to give him some technical advice and the matter was left over for consideration at a later meeting

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Seconded " Mr G. P. Kavanagh Chairman

That the Sanitary Man (Tom Byrne's) wages be increased from 10/- to 15/- per week; As it was necessary that he should have National health and unemployment cards stamped

passed unanimously

Accounts were passed for payment including a sum of £9-3-9 for back stamping Tho Byrne Cards

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Mr J. P. Karanagh Chairman Presiding  
Member Present Mr Liam O'Brien Vice Chairman  
Comms Mr Edw Daly & Lord Wicklow  
Minutes of previous Meeting were read and signed

Correspondence from Arklow Urban District Council and Wicklow Co Council  
Stating "there was no change in their respective representations on the Harbour Board for the coming year."

A letter from the Office of Public Works.  
Stating - It had been intended to despatch the dredger Saxifrage to Arklow at the end of June for the purpose of completing the work in connection with the repairs to South Quay wall -

- viz 1<sup>st</sup> Breaking up of concrete slabs in river bed
- " 2<sup>nd</sup> Dumping pieces of these and other debris along toe of wall
- " 3<sup>rd</sup> Staunching joints in wall face in a few places.
- " 4<sup>th</sup> Removing ~~projections~~ small portions of concrete apron and trimming off of projections.

But owing to the coal shortage we feel that the carrying out of these works might well be postponed.

The Harbour The meeting was in agreement with the terms of the letter as regarding items No 3 & 4 but expressed the view that the removal of the concrete slabs and debris was urgently necessary as they were a source of danger



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The monthly meeting of Arklow Harbour  
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Mr S. P. Kavanagh Chairman presiding

Members Present Mr Liam O'Leirigh Vice-Chairman

Comms Messrs J. J. Borthistle and Edw Daly

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and signed

Correspondence - between the Harbour Commrs and

Messrs Kearon & Tyrrell in connection with closing of the windows in Kearon & Tyrrell's Store near the Dock  
The Harbour Board's Letter to Kearon & Tyrrell - Stated <sup>dated 17<sup>th</sup> July 1941</sup>

"I am to confirm the arrangement between the Harbour Board and your Goodselfs under which you agreed to close, at your expense the upper window in the Gable end of your Store near the Dock Bridge at South Quay Arklow, in consideration of being paid the sum of five pounds for which I enclose paying order

My Board is to be entitled to close the lower window in the gable end of the same store when it suits them to do so, and at their expense but, if and when they do ~~to~~ close this window My Board shall be obliged to open a new ~~store~~ similar window in the front of the store facing the river

Please acknowledge receipt and confirm this arrangement

And from Kearon & Tyrrell in reply dated 21<sup>st</sup> July 1941

We beg to acknowledge receipt of your cheque £5-0-0. and confirm arrangement as per your letter dated 14<sup>th</sup> instant The terms of which are acceptable. Signed for and on behalf of Kearon & Tyrrell

R. T. Kearon



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was held on Monday 10th November 1941

Mr S.P. Kavanagh Chairman presiding

Members present Mr Liam O'Cleirigh Vice-Chairman

Commrs Messrs. Y. J. Birthisle and Edw Daly

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Correspondence-between in the Harbour Comm

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The Harbour Boards Letter to Kearon + Lyrrell - Stated dated

1/4/1941

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from Kearon & Tyrrell in reply date 21 July 1941

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we beg to acknowledge receipt of your

cheque £50.0. and confirm arrangement as per

Your letter dated 17th instant the terms of which are

Acceptable. Ligned for and on behalf of Kearon + Tyrrell

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Marked read (It was decided to mark the obstructions and put up a notice near the spot)

A copy of a letter received by the Arklow Urban Council dated 3<sup>rd</sup> July was read - Stating

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If such plan be approved by the  
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Arklow Harbour Commissioners 8<sup>th</sup> December 1941 70

The Monthly Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> December 1941

Mr H. P. Karanagh (Chairman) presiding  
present Commissioner Mr Liam O'Leirigh Vice Chairman  
and Mr Edw Daly.

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and signed

Correspondence - From Board of Works + Department of Fisheries acknowledging receipt of letter from the Harbour Board requesting that arrangements be made for the speedy despatch to Arklow of the Dredger "Fag on Beallach" should her services be urgently required by the Commissioner to clear the Entrance of the Harbour

From Arklow Pottery Co re deepening of berth in front of the Pottery work.

It was decided to endeavour to obtain the service of the "Fag on Beallach" to deepen the berths in the Dock, when she came to Arklow.

A letter from the Arklow Pottery Ltd asking for a lease of a plot of Ground at the sea side of the pottery

And it was proposed By Commr Liam O'Leirigh  
Seconded " " Edw Daly

That The Arklow Harbour Commissioners are prepared to let to the Arklow Pottery Ltd on Lease, as hereinafter mentioned a plot of ground at the rear of the plot on which the Buildings of the Arklow Pottery Ltd are at present erected and extending from the last mentioned plot approximately 200 feet towards the sea

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The Harbour Commissioners reserve a right of way not less than 12 feet wide through the said plot

The Arklow Pottery Ltd to be responsible for the costs incurred in the draft, including a plan of the site being endorsed on the Lease"

passed unanimously

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Arklow Harbour Commissioners 9<sup>th</sup> February 1942 72

The Monthly Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commrs. was held on 9<sup>th</sup> February 1942

Mr Liam O'Leirigh Vice Chairman Presiding  
Members present Commr Messrs J. J. Birtistle  
and Edw. Daly.

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and signed.

The Auditors report and Abstract of A/c<sup>s</sup> were for the year ending 31<sup>st</sup> December 1941 were submitted, and passed.

Correspondence ~~for~~ in connection with dredging the Berths in the Dock ~~were~~ read. - The latest letter from the Commrs of public works ~~stating~~ dated 26 January 1942 stating "In reply to your letter of the 17<sup>th</sup> January, 1942 we have to inform you that we are at present considering the question of having the dredger "Saxifrage" sent into dock for repairs and consequently we are not in a position at the moment to say whether the dredger could be sent to Arklow. We expect to arrive at a definite decision in the matter in about 10 days time when a further communication will be addressed to you."

The consideration of dredging was therefore left over for a later Meeting

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Arklow Harbour Commissioner 9th February 1942

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Mr Edw. Daly Seconded

"That the Solicitors to the Harbour Board seek Counsel's advice as to the rights of the Harbour Commissioners to hand over to the Arklow Urban District Council the public roads running through ground the property of the Harbour Commissioners with a view of repairing and the future Maintenance of such roads.

passed unanimously

Mr C. J. Louth was instructed accordingly

Mr J. J. Birthistle proposed

Mr Edw. Daly Seconded

"That the Harbour Master & Secretary's wages be increased to £3-10-0 per week. as from the 1<sup>st</sup> January 1942 (Standard Wage)"

passed unanimously

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# Arklow Harbour Commissioners 9/3/42

The Monthly meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on 9<sup>th</sup> March 1942

Mr J.P. Kavanagh (Chairman) presiding  
Members present were Commrs Messrs Liam O Cleirigh (Vice Chair)  
J.J. Burthistle Edw Daly, Mr Louth Solicitor was in attendance

Minutes of the previous Meeting were read & signed  
Correspondence - In connection with instructions received from the previous Meeting. Messrs M.J. O'Connor & Co. Solicitors, submitted Mr Art O'Connor B.L.'s replies to the question, as to the Harbour Commissioners right to hand over the repair and future Maintenance of the roads in the Harbour Area to the Arklow Urban District Council

Mr O'Connor B.L. expressed the opinion that the Commissioners had the right to hand over the roads, and that the Urban Council had power to repair and maintain such roads as connected any two public roads.

The Secretary was directed to forward the report and opinion of Mr Art O'Connor B.L. to the Arklow Urban District Council for their Guidance

The Harbour Master was directed to have the pier Light Tower scaled & painted

The Meeting recommended the bridge over the dock entrance be re-sheated as soon as the timber is available and that the sheeting be covered with a coating of Tarmac.

Proposed by Commr <sup>Mr</sup> J.J. Burthistle  
Seconded " Mr Edw Daly

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Commissioners in lieu of the Bank of Ireland  
and we hereby authorise the Managers  
of the Munster and Leinster Bank Limited Arklow  
to take all steps necessary to have the  
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Mr S. P. Karanagh Chairman presiding  
Present Mr Liam O Cleirigh Vice-Chairman  
and Commissioner Mr Edw Daly.

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and signed

Correspondence - A letter from the Arklow Pottery Co referring to the deepening of the discharging berth  
It was decided that the Harbour Master wait on the Departments concerned with dredging with a view to obtaining the services of one of the dredgers to do the work in as satisfactory a manner as possible.

From <sup>Messrs</sup> Kearon & Lyrnell - offering to close the window in the Gable end of their near the Dock and put in a new window in the front wall at a cost of £15. to the Commissioners

As it was expected that the building of the proposed Harbour Office and Store would be undertaken in the near future, the meeting decided they would deal with the matter as previously agreed on, and close the window in the gable and open one in the front when the building would be started

The Arklow Urban Council wrote to say they were arranging for the taking over of the repair and Maintenance of some of the Roads in the Harbour Area  
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As the Terms were similar as for previous years - they were unanimously accepted by the Commissioners

A letter from Messrs M.J. O'Connor & Co in connection with the proposed lease of the plot of ground by the Harbour Board to the Arklow Pottery was read stating - Dear Sirs: Harbour Commissioners + Arklow Pottery Ltd 14/3/42

Referring to this matter: we send you herewith copy letter we have today received from Messrs Cox & Co Solicitors, from which you will see that their Clients' object in acquiring the proposed plot was to protect themselves in case it was afterwards claimed that the Parnell Quarries had a right of way over such plot and that they do not admit that any such right of way is now in existence. This reason is exactly opposite to that which the Commissioners had in insisting on the right of way being reserved by the Lease, and you will note that the Pottery do not want the Lease if the Harbour Commissioners insist of the right of way in question being reserved by same.

We take it that the Commissioners will insist upon same; but we shall be glad to hear from you as to this as soon as possible

Copy of letter from A Cox & Co Solicitors 42-43 St Stephens Green Dublin dated 15<sup>th</sup> March 1942 To Messrs M.J. O'Connor & Co

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It would seem to us that the suggestion which we made, namely, that our clients when called upon by your clients to do so, would grant them any right of way for which they ask, would fully safeguard your clients

If your clients cannot see their way to make the lease in the way which we have suggested, then we think there would be no use in our clients proceeding with the matter further

At the same time, our clients would like to thank your clients for the trouble which they took, and for their desire to facilitate the Pottery

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79 Arklow Harbour Commissioners 11<sup>th</sup> May 1942.

The Monthly Meeting of Arklow Harbour Board was held on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May 1942.

Mr L.P. Karanagh (Chairman) presiding  
present Mr Liam O'Cleirigh (Vice Chairman)  
And Commissioners Messrs J.G. Borthwell + Edw. Daly.

The Minutes of the previous Meeting  
was Read and Signed  
Correspondence. A letter from Mr P.J. Healy Secretary  
to the Wicklow Co Council dated 6<sup>th</sup> May 1942.

Stating - A Chara

It is with considerable regret I find  
myself in the position of having to write  
informing you that Mr Denis Condren 81 St  
Main St Arklow has become disqualified  
as a Member of Wicklow Co Council, consequent  
upon the operation of Section 57 of the  
Local Government Act 1941.

You will appreciate that in these  
circumstances he is no longer  
entitled to sit at Meetings of your Board  
Committee as a Member appointed by  
Wicklow Co Council - Marked Read noted  
from the Bank of Ireland dated 21<sup>st</sup> April 1941

relating to the transfer of the Boards Account to  
the Munster and Leinster Bank Ltd.

The Secretary was directed to reply  
informing the Bank of Ireland Agent that  
he had received instructions at a previous Meeting  
to have the account transferred, and regretted he  
had no further information as to the reason for  
the Harbour Boards' Action.



79 Arklow Harbour Commissioners 11th May 1942.

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held on Monday 17th May 1942

Mr J.P. Karanagh (Chairman) presiding

present Mr Siam O'Cleirigh Vice Chairman

"And Commissioners Messrs J.G. Birthiell & Edw.

Daly.

The Minutes of the previous meeting

was read and signed

Correspondence. A letter from Mr P.S. Healy

Secretarij

to the Wicklow Co Council dated 6th May 1942

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His with considerable regret I find

myself in the position of having to write

informing you that Mr Denis Condren 81 Lt

Maint St. Arklow has become disqualified

as a member of Wicklow-Co Council, consequent

Upon the operation of Section 57 of the

or local Government Act

1941.

you will appreciate.

that in these

circumstances he is

no longer

entitled to sit at meetings

of your Board

Committee as a member appointed

by

Wicklow Co Council- Marked Reau

noted

From the Bank of Ireland dated 21st April 1941

relating to the transfer of the Boards account to

the Munster and Leinster Bank

Ltd.

The Secretary has directed to reply

insorming the Bank of Ireland Agent that

He had received instructions at a previous meeting

have the account spansferred, and regretted he

had no further information as to the reason

for

the

Harbour Board's Action.



A letter from the Electricity Supply Board, ~~dated~~ 16<sup>th</sup> April stating that while they appreciated the Commissioner's proposal for reducing the service already quoted for, and while same would offer a small saving in electricity, the proposals were not of a nature which would materially assist the Board in the difficulties of supply during the coming year. It is not possible for the Board to make any reduction on their account in the charge which has already been quoted to you for public lighting in the Harbour Area ~~Orklow~~ during the year.

The Meeting decided not to discontinue the public lighting during the summer months.

The question of the most suitable dredger for the proposed deepening of the berths in the Dock &c, was discussed - and the Secretary was directed to apply for the services of the Bucket Dredger "Lycophus" as the one most likely to give satisfaction.

The ~~Harbour~~ Secretary reported the Sanitary Man unable through illness to carry out his duties.

It was decided to allow Larry White to 5/- a week to look after the work ~~while~~ the during Phos Byrnes' illness.

The Harbour Master was directed to inform the Owner of the wrecks in the Harbour that these must be removed as soon as possible otherwise the Commissioners would remove them at the expense of the Owners.

J. J. Kavanagh

8/6/42

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The Annual Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> June 1942

Mr G. P. Kavanagh Chairman presiding  
present Mr Liam O'Leirigh Vice Chairman  
and Commr Mr Edw Daly

Proposed by Mr Liam O'Leirigh  
Seconded by Mr Edw Daly

"That Mr G. P. Kavanagh be reappointed  
Chairman of Arklow Harbour Commissioners  
for the coming year"

Passed unanimously

Proposed by Mr Edw Daly

Seconded by Mr G. P. Kavanagh (Chairman)

"That Mr Liam O'Leirigh be reappointed  
Vice Chairman of Arklow Harbour Commissioners  
for the coming year"

Passed unanimously

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were  
read and signed

The Secretary was directed to write to Mr Caffrey C.E.  
asking him to furnish the plans &c of the proposed  
Harbour Office & Store immediately, and if unable  
to do so to reply to that effect, so that the  
Commissioners could make other arrangements

In connection with the dredging of the berths in  
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the Office of Public Works, and endeavour to arrange  
for the services of one of the dredgers to be  
available as soon as possible

G. P. Kavanagh

13/7/42



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] Arklow Harbour Commissioner

Commissioners

The Annual meeting of Arklow Harbour

1942

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Commissioners

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Proposed by Mr Edw Daly.

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(Chairman)

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Mr J. P. Kavanagh Chairman presiding  
Present also Mr Liam O'Leirigh Vice-Chairman  
Lord Wicklow Mr J. J. Borthistle

The Minutes of previous Meeting were read and signed

Correspondence - From The Secretary Wicklow Co Council dated 24<sup>th</sup> June 1943 stating

A Chara - At a Special Meeting of Wicklow Co Council held yesterday, Mr Denis Condren M.C.C. 81 St Main St. Arklow, was Co-opted member of Wicklow Co Council and at the same time was reappointed as representative of that Body on your Board.

A further letter from the Wicklow Co Council <sup>dated 26 June</sup> with the following Resolution passed on 23 June 1942

Resolved - "That having regard to the provisions of the Local ~~Government~~ Act Elections Act 1937 we hereby select, appoint, and continue in office until their successors have been appointed each and every qualified representative who has been elected by this County Council on any Committee or public body nominated wholly or partly by this County Council

Both letters were marked noted

In connection with the proposed dredging of the berth in the Dock the Secretary stated that the service of the Saffrage was now available, that he had obtained a permit from the Department of Supplies for the purchase of coal for her use

And was now waiting for a reply from the Department of Fisheries, as to the amount of assistance they were prepared to contribute



Arklow Harbour Commissioners

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From Mr J. P. Kavanagh. dated 13<sup>th</sup> July 1942.

Dear Sir - Will you kindly place before your Board, my application for a 99 years Lease of the plot, now occupied as a Sawmill and Timber Yard

It will be necessary to build a substantial fence or wall round the plot and before undertaking the heavy expense needed to do this, I would like better security than I have got in the existing tenancy.

The Chairman then left the Chair which was then occupied by Mr Liam Obleirigh (Vice Chairman)

The Meeting unanimously agreed to ~~the~~ grant the Lease, at the same yearly Rent as under the existing agreement (£6 per year) the costs of the Transfer to be borne by Mr Kavanagh. Messrs M. J. O'Connor & Co to draft the Lease

J P Kavanagh

10/8/42

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Mr G. P. Kavanagh Chairman presiding  
Comms present were Messrs Liam O'Leary V-C,  
Lord Wicklow J. J. Brathistle and Edw Daly

As only one Tender was submitted which was considered very High, it was decided to again ~~renew~~ advertise the work in the daily papers and the Wicklow people, with the proviso that Tenders would be considered to carry out the work in either Concrete, Bricks or Stone.

The Secretary was instructed accordingly  
An application from ~~Mr~~<sup>Messrs</sup> A. B. Brennan & Co Ltd to ~~have~~ for 99<sup>yr</sup> Lease of her holding, held under an agreement was considered

It was pointed out that portion of the plot held under the agreement was not being used for any business purpose - but for a potatoe Garden

It was decided to grant Messrs Brennan a Lease of the Ground on which permanent buildings have been erected, with an agreement similar to that already in existence for the unused portion of her plot - In accordance with the above Mr Liam O'Leary proposed.

Mr Edw Daly Seconded

That Messrs A. B. Brennan & Co be given a 99<sup>yr</sup> Lease for the plots on which her present Buildings and Coal yard stand And a continuation of the existing agreement for the remainder of the plot  
passed unanimously J. G. N.

Carklow Harbour Commissioner Special meeting 27/7/42  
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we are prepared to hire the dredger Saxifrage  
 to your Harbour Commissioner for 4 weeks dredging  
 The period of hire will extend from the time  
 the dredger leaves Dun Laoghaire until she returns  
 The Harbour Commissioner to supply the necessary  
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 £50 towards the cost - and on learning that the  
 Harbour Commissioner had lodged their Contribution  
 of £150 to the Credit of the Commr of public works, and  
 the 4 tons of Coal for the voyage had been delivered  
 at Dun Laoghaire - The Dredger would proceed  
 to Arklow

The Secretary stated he had arranged for the  
 transfer of the £150, and also for the ~~dispatch~~  
 delivery of the 4 tons of Coal at Dun Laoghaire  
 The letter was marked approved.

J. J. Kavanagh  
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The Monthly Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commrs. was held on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> August.

Mr T. P. Kavanagh (Chairman) presiding  
Also present Mr Liam Obleirigh Vice Chairman  
Mr Commissioner Edw Daly.

The Minutes of the previous Monthly meeting and Special Meeting held on 27/7/42 were read and signed

Correspondence - From Messrs O'Connor & Connolly <sup>solicitors</sup> with two copies of Mr T. P. Kavanagh's Lease of Plot of ground. Both copies to be sealed with the Harbour Commissioners Seal.

Mr T. P. Kavanagh left the Chair which was occupied by Mr Liam Obleirigh Vice-Chairman And the following Resolution was

Proposed by Mr Liam Obleirigh (Vice-Chairman)  
Seconded " Commr Edw Daly

"That the seal of the Arklow Harbour Commissioners be affixed to the Lease for Plot of Ground granted to Mr Thomas P. Kavanagh" The Seal was affixed  
Passed Unanimously.

There was some discussion about the Dredger "Laxifrage" which the Secretary reported as having arrived on the previous Thursday. The Secretary was directed to endeavour to use her services (whenever weather conditions stopped dredging operations) in removing the piles of the damaged Parnell Jetty

T. P. Kavanagh  
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Arklow Harbour Commissioners  
The monthly meeting of Arklow.

Harbour Commrs.

was held on Monday 10th

August.

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Mr S.F. Kavanagh (Chairman,

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87 Arklow Harbour Commrs. Special Meeting 17<sup>th</sup> August 1942

A Special Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on Monday the 17<sup>th</sup> August at 4. P.M. O'clock.

The Meeting was called ~~for~~ to consider "Tenders" for the erection of a new Harbour Office and Stores and any other necessary business.

Mr J. P. Kavanagh Chairman presided  
Member Present were Messrs Liam O'Leirigh J.C.  
and Commr Edw Daly.

Two tenders were submitted

One from Mr Peter Lymell Arklow 454-7-6

+ one from Mr John Cleary Builder & Contractor  
Grantham place Dublin @ £1390.0.0.

After lengthy consideration Mr Peter Lymell's tender was accepted, subject to the Architects approval of some slight alteration in the plan. And Mr Lymell's agreement to accept the alterations and carry out the work at the tender quoted.

J P Kavanagh

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August 1942

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Mr J. P. Karanagh Chairman presided  
Members present were Mr Liam O'Leirigh Vice Chairman  
Commr Mr J. J. Birthistle. Lord Wicklow

The Minutes of the previous Special were read and signed.

<sup>22/8/42</sup> A Letter from McCaffrey C.E. was read stating  
~~that~~ have discussed with the Contractor Mr Peter Tynell  
the alteration of the plans for the new Harbour Offices so as to  
change the Chimney and include fireplaces in the two  
additional Offices and he is agreeable to do the work  
without extra charge. ~~This is very~~ except for the cost  
of the two fireplaces

It was Proposed by Commissioners Liam O'Leirigh  
Seconded " " J. J. Birthistle

" That we hereby accept the tender  
of Mr Peter Tynell as amended by McCaffrey  
Engineer and agreed to by the Contractor  
Subject to his providing two Solvent  
Sureties or Fidelity Bond for the proper  
performance of the Contract at the cost  
of £ 754- 7- 6

passed unanimously  
The Secretary was directed to have the Contract  
completed by Messrs M. J. O'Connor & Co. and if possible have  
a meeting summoned to seal the agreement  
immediately the matter was in document  
was completed

A letter from Messrs Thomas Gerrard and Co Solicitors  
was read. 25 Westmoreland St dated 18 Aug 1942  
stating Mr David Frame

## Arklow Harbour Commissioners Special meeting

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A Special meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on 24th August 1942 at 4. P.M. O'Clock.

Mr. I. P. Kavanagh Chairman provided

Members present were Mr Liam O'Clairigh vice Chairman

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Dear Sirs

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We enclose a Map which Mr E. M. Murphy B.E. tells us shows in red the ground held in connection with the tramway and which was covered by a lease from the Arklow Harbour Commissioners to Travers. H. Falkner dated 25 November 1895. That lease was for 99 years at a rent of £1 per annum, and it contained a Clause, "that if the Quarry was not worked for a period of six months then the lease would lapse".

The Map also shows (Coloured blue) other property over which rights to work the tramway would be required.

We should be glad to know if the Commrs are prepared

- (A) To sell the fee simple in the plot and give the rights above mentioned  
 or (b) To Make a new lease of the plot and give the rights above mentioned  
 and (C) To do whatever else might be necessary to put the matter on a proper footing  
 We would be glad to hear from you and if you wish to discuss the matter with you at any time



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The Meeting unanimously agreed not to sell the fee simple in the plot, or grant a new lease at the present time, but were prepared to give sympathetic consideration to the questions whenever the quarries commenced operations

The secretary was directed to reply accordingly

J. P. Macarthy

8<sup>th</sup> August 1942

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August 1942



A Special Meeting of Arklow Harbours Commissioners was held on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> August 1942

Mr G. P. Kavanagh Chairman presided

Present Messrs Liam Obleirigh Vice Chairman

Commr Edw Daly + Lord Wicklow

The Minutes of the previous Special Meeting was read and signed

A letter was read from Messrs Thomas Gerrard & Co Solicitors 25 Westmoreland St Dublin C 4

In reply to the Harbours Commissioners letter refusing ~~the~~ to sell the fee simple or renew the lease of the plot of Ground between Kearon + Tyrnell yard and the sea, to Mr Frame the letter stated - dated 27<sup>th</sup> Aug.

Dear Sir - we are obliged for yours of the 26<sup>th</sup> inst which we will put before our Client

We know that you will appreciate that if the Quarries are to operate in the future it will be necessary to have the facilities asked for, as they would be most important to the working of the quarries, we feel sure however that from what you say in your last paragraph it is the intention of the Commissioners to give all necessary facilities so that the working of the Quarries would be a success

The Secretary was directed to write to Messrs Gerrard informing them of the present condition of the Jetty



9) Arklow Harbour Commissioner Special meeting. August 1942.

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In connection with the erection of the Harbour Office  
and Store

Mr Liam Obleirigh proposed

Lord Wicklow Seconded.

That the seal of the Arklow Harbour Board  
~~Commissioners~~ be affixed to the Contract  
between The Arklow Harbour Board and  
Mr Peter Gysell Contractor Lyndah Lane Arklow  
for erection of new Harbour Office and Store  
at a cost of 454-7-6.

passed unanimously. The Seal was affixed.  
The Secretary was directed to go visit the  
Departments concerned with the Dredger "Saxifrage"  
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In connection with the erection of the  
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Mr Liam O'Cleirigh proposed  
Lord Wicklow

seconded.

That the seal of the Arklow Harbour Board  
commissioners be affixed to the Contract  
between The Arkeow Harbour Board and  
Mr Peter Tyrrell Contract or "Lyndals Lane Arklow"  
for erection of new Harbour Office and Stone  
at a cost of 754-7-6.

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~~Mr~~ Mr McElheron + McDonagh representing Arklow Urban District Council and Mr ~~Edw~~ McCarthy representing Wicklow Co Council

The Minutes of previous Monthly & Special meeting held on 28<sup>th</sup> August were read & signed  
 Arising from the minutes of the special meeting the Secretary said he had applied for a further weeks dredging by the Saxifrage. as in order to complete the very necessary ~~which~~ dredging ~~could~~ which was done in the 4 weeks which she had been working.

The meeting approved the Action of the Secretary

Mr McCarthy raised the question of the Election of Chairman. And Mr McElheron proposed the election of Mr McCarthy for the Office of Chairman  
 The Chairman said the proposal was out of order  
 Mr McElheron and Lord Wicklow protested

Mr McCarthy also protested and asked the Secretary had he taken any legal advice, when he sent the Agenda for the election of Vice-Chairman  
 The Secretary stated he had no Law Agent to consult  
 Mr McCarthy if you had not, how did you conclude the ~~election~~ business was legal.

The Secretary stated he had no Vice-Chairman as Mr Cleirigh had ceased to be a member but Mr Kavanagh was still there, and he ~~that~~ knew definitely that the election of a Vice Chairman was in order



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Mr Kavanagh questioned the credentials of some of the Members present at the meeting & The Secretary read - Copy of Resolution passed by Wicklow Co Council (newly elected) At their Annual Meeting held on 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept 1942  
(Copy) proposed by: Councillor Edward Byrne  
Seconded " Councillor James Everett

Resolved - "That this Council, in pursuance of The powers vested in us. under Section 3(1) and Section 5(2) of the Local Government Act 1925 do hereby appoint the following two representatives on the Arklow Harbour Board to hold such Office until their successors have been appointed

Councillors Joseph Kavanagh Kilpise Ballinglen  
Patrick McCarthy Rory O'Connor place  
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passed. 11

The Secretary also read the following letter from Mr Gregory Bannan Town Clerk Arklow dated 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept '42

A Chara. I am directed by my Council to inform you that they have at their Annual Statutory meeting held on the 29<sup>th</sup> ult Appointed Councillors Thomas P. Kavanagh Edward McDonagh and John McElheron as their representatives on your Board



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I propose that Mr M<sup>c</sup>Carthy take the Chair to carry on the business of the Meeting. Lord Wicklow seconded.

Mr M<sup>c</sup>Carthy asked the Chairman if he was vacating the Chair - The Chairman said he was not.

Mr M<sup>c</sup>Elheron said it did not matter to Mr M<sup>c</sup>Carthy you have been proposed and seconded to carry on the business will you take the Chair and take a vote on it.

Mr Karanagh and Mr M<sup>c</sup>Donagh left the meeting. Mr M<sup>c</sup>Carthy, Mr M<sup>c</sup>Elheron and Lord Wicklow remained. Mr M<sup>c</sup>Carthy took the Chair ~~Mr M<sup>c</sup>Carthy~~ being proposed by Mr M<sup>c</sup>Elheron and seconded by Lord Wicklow.

That Mr M<sup>c</sup>Carthy take the Chair for the purpose of carrying on the business of the meeting and to receive proposition for the election of Chairman. Signed by J<sup>r</sup> M<sup>c</sup>Elheron & Lord Wicklow passed unanimously.

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his election to the ~~Chair~~ Vice Chair

The Secretary read a letter from the Office of Public Works  
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From The Secretary Arklow Pottery dated 14<sup>th</sup> Sept '42

Dear Sir - In order to keep the sand from slipping into our recently dredged berth I would be glad if you would ask your Board to have piles or wooden planks driven for a distance of about 25 feet from the wall of the berth

My Company would be prepared to contribute towards this expenditure which would <sup>keep</sup> a good depth of water in this berth for many years.

The matter was left over for consideration when expert advice had been obtained

An agreement Mr Bannon Town Clerk wrote dated <sup>12</sup>/<sub>9</sub> 42

Stating - I send you herewith Agreement between your Commissioners and my Council with regard to the roads recently taken over, and shall thank you to have same Sealed and signed at your Meeting Monday next 14<sup>th</sup> inst

You should also arrange to have a Paying Order drawn in favour of My Council at that meeting, for the sum of £ 150

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A Special Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> October @ 4 P.M. O'clock for the purpose of further considering the Agreement between the Urban Council and the Harbour Commissioners for the transfer of the Roads in the Harbour Area.

Present Mr P. J. Carthy Chairman

Commr Mr John M<sup>c</sup> Elheron & Lord Wicklow

A letter was read from The Manager of the Munster and Leinster Bank dated 3<sup>rd</sup> October 42  
Stating Dear Sir- Kindly note that the application of your Commissioners for an overdraft of £1,000 has been sanctioned by my Directors

Signed W. P. Sweeney - Manager

Members expressed their satisfaction

A letter from The Clerk Arklow Urban District Council dated 16<sup>th</sup> Sept  
Stating Dear Sir- I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of to-days date referring to Agreement in connection with the transfer of Roads and in reply beg to inform you that I discussed with the Wicklow County Manager the points made in the second paragraph thereof regarding suggested reduction in the initial contribution or alternatively that the remaining roads be taken over and am desired by the Manager to state that he is anxious, if possible to give effect to the original intention of the Council to take over the entire roads, and towards that end, as soon as the roads not already taken over are made



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Proposals have been made to the Department for the carrying out of the works on the roads taken over, and it is expected, therefore, that your Board will honour their undertaking regarding the financial arrangement already agreed to. Signed P. J. Gregory-Bannon

After some discussion it was unanimously agreed that the terms of the letter were satisfactory and. Mr John Mc Elheron proposed  
 Lord Wicklow seconded

That on the understanding contained in the A. W. District Council's letter of the 16<sup>th</sup> September 42 that the County Manager will as soon as possible proceed without any extra money consideration to have the remaining roads on the Harbour property declared as public roads and taken over by the Council



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to the agreement between the Arkleow Urban  
District Council and the Commissioners and  
a cheque for the sum of £ 750/0/0 (Seven hundred  
and fifty pounds) provided for in the said  
Agreement be paid over forthwith "

passed unanimously

The Seal was affixed by the Chairman and  
The Agreement signed by the Chairman & Secretary

The Secretary was directed to mention  
on his notices for the <sup>next</sup> monthly meeting

That a proposal to change the time for  
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Arklow Harbour Commissioners 12<sup>th</sup> October 1942 102

The Monthly meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> October 1942

Mr Pat Mc Carthy Chairman presided  
Member present Mr John Mc Elheron V. Chairman  
and Lord Wicklow

The Minutes of the previous Monthly and a Special meeting held on 3<sup>rd</sup> of October were read and Signed

Correspondence - A Card from the Office of Public Works acknowledging a letter received from the Harbour Board warning them that the services of the "Fag on Beallach" might at any time ~~from~~ be urgently required to dredge the bar.

From Messrs Kearon & Tyrrell claiming a sum of £10-14-4 for Compensation for damage to their Horse & Car through the collapse of a plank in the Dock Wharf. It was suggested that a lesser sum might be accepted by Messrs Kearon & Tyrrell and the Secretary was directed to make the best terms possible, and have a notice put up warning the public that no vehicle was to use the wharf at any time without the permission of the Harbour Master

From S. Marshall, dated 12<sup>th</sup> October 1942.

Dear Sir: With reference to conversation regarding the purchase by me from Lord Wicklow through Mr Miles Doyle Auctioneer of the Boat house, at North Quay Arklow

As it was a condition of Purchase that the property be subject to Rent of 1/- per year payable to the Arklow Harbour Board, as per copy of Resolution attached which read as follows

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I shall be grateful if your Board will be good enough to grant me an Agreement similar to that held by Lord Wicklow, I am of course prepared to pay the Legal Costs of an Agreement - S. Marshall

Unanimously decided to grant Mr Marshall the required permission.

Proposed by Lord Wicklow  
Seconded by Mr P. M. Carthy Chairman

That the Monthly meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners be held on the second Saturday of each Month at 3 P.M. O'clock, instead of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday at 4-30 P.M. O'clock, And this resolution rescinds any other resolution in Connection with the Matter which may be on the Minutes

Passed Unanimously

A/c's were passed for payment including £150.0.0 to Mr P. Tyrrell Contractor

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Monthly Meeting

Arklow Harbour Commissioners Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> November 1942 104

The Monthly Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> November at 3 P.M. 6 o'clock  
Mr Pat<sup>h</sup> McCarthy Chairman presiding  
Also Present Mr John McElheron Vice Chairman  
and Lord Wicklow.

Minutes of previous Meeting were read and signed  
The Irish National Insurance Co wrote advising further negotiations with Kearon & Synnells.  
In connection with their Claim for Injuries to their horse and cart

The Secretary was directed to continue the negotiations from Messrs O'Connor's Solicitors on behalf of Messrs A.B. Brennan

Referring to Messrs Brennan's Application for a Lease of the plot of Ground held by her under a six months Agreement. - This application had been considered at the July Monthly Meeting, when Messrs Brennan had been offered a 99 years for the portion of the plot on which permanent buildings had been erected with a continuation of the existing agreement for the remainder of the plot.

The application before the meeting stated that ~~she~~ Messrs Brennan intended to build a substantial wall around the latter portion of the plot and erect sheds &c. thereon.

After full consideration the Commissioners decided ~~that~~ to renew the offer made at the 2 July Meeting of the Board.

Correspondence from the Arklow Pottery Co was read claiming the exclusive right to a berth in the Dock which they stated had been specially dredged for their use at instance of the Department of Industry & Commerce



Arklow Harbour Commissioners

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on which permanent building had been erected

with a continuation of the existing agreement for

the remainder of the Plot.

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He had therefore taken no action as regarding the letter from the pottery but had acknowledged the letter from the Department of Industry & Commerce.

Informing them at the same time that every available facility had been granted to the pottery Co. and would continue to be given them, subject to the interests of other users of the Dock and harbour receiving the consideration they were entitled to. And promising a fuller statement after the Meeting.

The Commissioner approved of the Harbour Master's action, and decided they were unable to grant the exclusive right to a berth in the Dock.

The Secretary was directed to reply to pottery in accordance with their decision, and to send a full statement of the conditions in the Dock to Industry & Commerce, and copies of the letter to the Department of Fisheries, and to the Director of the Employment Schemes Office 51 St Stephens Green Dublin.

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Mr John McElheron ~~was~~ Vice-Chairman presiding  
Members present were Commr Mr Jos Kavanagh Kilpiper  
who signed the Declaration  
Lord Wicklow Mr Edw Mc Donagh.

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read & signed

Correspondence - A letter from Mr Gregory Bannon Town Clerk.  
dated 26<sup>th</sup> November 1942. Stating

I am directed by the County Managers to refer to your letter of the 23<sup>rd</sup> inst - The Managers desires me to inform your Board that he is communicating with the Department regarding the delay in sanctioning the alternative proposal to have the work carried out in Concrete instead of waterbound Macadam. and he is of opinion that the works will commence during the first week of the coming month.

~~from Messrs O'Connor & Co.~~

The Chairman informed the Meeting that the works on the roads provided for in the grants had commenced - at St Mary Terrace and the Harbour Board's <sup>Dock</sup> road would be started when St Mary was completed. He said the Amount available would be only sufficient to do about 150 yards of the road, but of course later on the remainder of the road would be completed from Messrs M. J. O'Connor & Co in connection with Mr Brennan's application for a lease of her plot. dated December 4<sup>th</sup>  
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She suggests that the entire rent should be reduced to £20, of which £15 should be placed on the Leasehold property and £5 on the plot which is being excluded from the Lease.

It was decided to grant the portion of the premises proposed to be Leased at £20 per Annum and the portion remaining under the existing Agreement at 1/- per foot (frontage) to Mr Brennan.

In connection with the Pottery Company's claim for an exclusive berth in the Dock, the Commissioners' further reply to the Department of Industry & Commerce was read. The Secretary states that copies of the letter had been posted to the Department of Fisheries and to the Director of Special Employment Schemes Office 51 St Stephens Green Dublin:

The Secretary of Dept of Fisheries had acknowledged receipt. The Director of Special Employment Schemes Office reply dated 4<sup>th</sup> December stated

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It was decided to ask the Director to receive a Deputation from the Harbour Board, consisting of representative of the interests involved, early in January of the new year.

It was Proposed by Mr Edu Mc Donagh

Seconded by Mr Mc Elheron  
and passed unanimously,

That The Agreement between S. Marshall and the Harbour Commissioners as decided at the October Meeting in connection with the plot at the North Quay on which the Boat House stands be confirmed, and the Seal of the Harbour Board be affixed there on

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Arklow Harbour Commissioners 9/1/43

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Mr P<sup>th</sup> McCarthy presiding (Chairman)  
Members present Messrs John Mc Elheron (Vice Chairman)  
and Edw Mc Donagh.

Minutes of previous Meeting were read & signed.  
Correspondence from

Mr Caffrey C. E. Stating the work on the Harbour Office was proceeding satisfactorily. That he proposed to instal two large Mantel registers in the small offices and a Composite fireplace in the ~~smaller~~ large office. That Mr Roy Kearon had permitted the Office to be built against his stone thus saving one wall, on condition that we paid him one half of the amount saved, this will leave more space.

I will inspect the work during and at the end of the period to advise the Commissioner.

It was decided (in connection with Mr Kearon's permission) that an agreement should be entered into with Mr Kearon, that he must not at any time remove the Gable wall referred to in Mr Caffrey's letter.

Letters from Office of Public Works and Dept. of Fisheries in connection with the hire of "Dredger".  
Each letter stating the Harbour Commrs must supply Coal for Bunker.

It was decided to explore the position in connection with the proposed deputation to the Director of Employment Schemes Office.  
Letters were read from Mr B. O'Rourke



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 And a reply to the request from the Director of the  
 Employment Schemes Office - Referring to  
 previous correspondence and stating  
 that No useful purpose would be served  
 by his receiving the Deputation

It was decided that the County Representatives  
 be asked to arrange for the Deputation to be  
 received by the Departments interested  
 And that the Chairman and Secretary attend  
 the Wicklow Co Council Meeting on the following  
 Monday, to see ~~the~~ Co Mr C. M. Byrne and  
 Mr J. Everett T.D. and instruct them accordingly

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Mr P. McCarthy Chairman presiding  
Also present were Mr Jno McElheron Vice Chairman and Lord Wicklow

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and signed

The Abstract of A/c's submitted by Messrs Evans & Son Auditors ~~was passed~~ for the year ending 31<sup>st</sup> December 1942 ~~was passed~~.

Referring to the effort of Senator O'Byrne and Deputy Everett to arrange for the Director of the Employment Schemes Office to receive the Deputation about the grant for the completion of the Dock walls. The Chairman stated, that he had been informed that arrangements were being made for the late Mr Hugo Flynn to receive the Deputation and that owing to his death it would be necessary to wait until his successor had been appointed.

The Secretary stated that as directed from the previous meeting he had notified the owners of the wrecks in the Harbour that if they did not remove the wrecks the Harbour Commissioners would take the necessary steps to have them removed and at the expense of the owners.

The Secretary was instructed to notify the owners that if the removal of the wrecks were not being attended to in fourteen days. The Commissioners would take the necessary steps to have this done.

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The monthly meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners  
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Mr V. McCarthy Chairman presiding

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Instructions were given to the Secretary to get the Latrines on the quays repaired and tarred.

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Arklow Harbour Commissioners 13<sup>th</sup> March 1943

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Mr Pats McCarthy Chairman presiding  
Also present Commr Mr John McElheron Vice-Chairman  
and Lord Wicklow.

Arising out of the Minutes the Chairman stated in connection with arranging for The Director of Employment Scheme's Office to receive the Deputation from The Harbour Board, (about a Grant for completing the Dock walls) He had been speaking to Mr J. Everett T.D. + Senator C. Byrne who ~~hope to~~ would do every thing possible to arrange the matter in the near future

A letter from Messrs Kevans & Son Auditors was read recommending the payment of the £148-17-6 Income Tax under Schedule D. Any relief in respect of the loss for the year 1942/43 will be allowed later by way of a Section 34 Claim. and recommending the holding up of Schedule A Tax for the Auditors further investigation

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It was decided to follow the Auditor's advice  
Mr Caffrey furnished a further Certificate of £25 for the Contractor of the New Harbour Office  
The Certificate stated that the Contractor was having difficulty in finding materials for the work but at the present time materials were coming and he expected the job to be completed in the course of a couple of weeks.

In connection with the removal of the wrecks from the Harbour. The Harbour Master



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Arklow Harbour Commissioners Special Meeting 23/3/43 116

A Special Meeting of The Arklow Harbour Board was held on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> March at 3 P.M. 8 o'clock.

The Meeting was called for the purpose of appointing the Deputation to see the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Finance (Mr Seán Moylan) with the object of obtaining a grant from State Funds towards the completion of the walls of the Dock.

Mr Patk McCarthy Chairman presided.

Also present Mr Jno Mc Elheron - & Lord Wicklow  
The Chairman (Mr McCarthy) Mr Mc Elheron  
Lord Wicklow were appointed.

A letter was read from Mr Everett T.D. stating that Mr Moylan The Parliamentary Secretary had agreed to receive the Deputation at or after 4 P.M. 8 o'clock on either Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> or Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> to suit the convenience of Mr Bernard O'Rourke.

A letter was read from Mr O'Rourke stating he would join the Deputation on Wednesday.

The Secretary was directed to arrange a car to leave Arklow about 1-30, - he also to accompany the Deputation.

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Mr Patk Mc Carthy Chairman presiding  
Present Mr John Mc Elheron & Lord Wicklow  
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A Special Meeting held on 23<sup>rd</sup> March ~~was~~ read  
and signed

The Special Meeting had been held for the purpose of arranging the for the Deputation to wait on the parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Finance with the view of obtaining a grant from State Funds to complete the walls of the Dock.

The Chairman (Mr Mc Carthy) informed the Meeting that the Deputation had put the case for the necessity of a grant before Mr Moylan who was very sympathetic and agreed they had a very good case, but that it would be necessary to obtain the support of the Department of Industry and Commerce; Senator C. M. Byrne and Deputy J. Everett who had introduced the Deputation and who had been furnished with the arguments supporting the application had arranged to wait on Industry and Commerce. They had informed him (the Chairman) that they had waited on Industry and Commerce, and intended to call on the Department of Fisheries. They were hopeful of a successful outcome of their activities.

In connection with the removal of the wrecks from the Harbour



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Conditions and rate of charges for Public and Pier lighting for the year April 1<sup>st</sup> 1943 to March 31<sup>st</sup> 44 were submitted by the Electricity Supply Board. As the terms submitted were similar to previous years, the Meeting unanimously agreed to accept same, and the Secretary was instructed accordingly.

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Mr John Mc Elheron (Vice Chairman) presided  
Also present Lord Wicklow and Mr Edw. McDonagh

The Minutes of the previous Monthly Meeting were read and signed

The Chairman <sup>Mr Mc Elheron</sup> proposed and Lord Wicklow seconded. A vote of sincere sympathy with <sup>Mr</sup> McCarthy the Chairman of the Board <sup>with his mother and all the family</sup> on his recent bereavement, <sup>and</sup> the death of his father R.I.P.

Mr McDonagh and the Secretary associated themselves with the resolution which was passed in silence all present standing

It was decided to call ~~a~~ Special Meeting ~~for 3~~ of the Commissioners for 3-30 P.M. O'clock on Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> of May to consider the question of the docks in the Harbour and the Board's application for a grant towards the completion of the Dock walls and any other business which required consideration

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Mr. John Mc Elheron presiding

Also present Lord Wicklow & Mr. Edw. McDonagh.

In connection with the application for a Grant from State Fund towards completing the walls of the Dock. The Secretary stated that he had written to Mr. B. O'Rourke, Deputies Everett & Cogan and Senator Byrne

asking them to endeavour to obtain a favourable reply from the Departments <sup>concerned</sup>.

And on the Wednesday day previous to the meeting Mr. O'Rourke informed him he would do all he

could do. - On the day before the meeting

Senator Byrne had called and informed him, that he (Mr. Byrne) had called on the

Secretary Department of Fisheries, who promised to recommend the Grant and Mr. Byrne believed

a favourable reply would come in the course of about a week.

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Mr. Mc Elheron then had suggested to Mr. Rush the possibility of later applying for a further Grant towards constructing a jetty on the River above the Dock entrance and Mr. Rush thoroughly approved of the project.



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Special meeting 22nd May 1843

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Harbour Commissionen

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A letter was read from the Irish National Insurance offering to contribute a sum of five pounds towards Messrs Kearon & Lyrell's Claim of £4-10-0 for injury to their horse & cart. &

The Meeting decided that the Harbour Commissioners contribute the further £2-10-0 required to meet the claim.

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Arklow Harbour Commissioners Annual Meeting 12/6/43 122

The Annual Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on Saturday June 12<sup>th</sup> 1943

Mr Pat Mc Carthy (Chairman) presiding  
Also Present Mr John Mc Elheron (Vice Chairman)  
And Lord Wicklow

The Minutes of the previous Monthly and a Special Meeting held on 22<sup>nd</sup> May were read and signed

Proposed by Mr John Mc Elheron  
Seconded by Lord Wicklow

"That Mr Pat Mc Carthy continue as Chairman of Arklow Harbour Commissioners for the coming year"

Passed Unanimously

Proposed by Lord Wicklow  
Seconded by Mr Pat Mc Carthy

"That Mr John Mc Elheron be continued as Vice Chairman of Arklow Harbour Commissioner for the coming year."

Passed Unanimously

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The meeting passed a further £25 to the Contractor but decided to consider the taking over of the building at the next meeting of the Board.



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A letter was read from the Sun Insurance Office dated May 1943  
 Stating - Emergency powers Order No 274

This order which is operative from 1<sup>st</sup> June 43 increases the Maximum weekly payment in case of total incapacity from 30/- weekly to 34/6

We are prepared to cover the additional liability on the understanding the Insured will pay an additional premium of 12½% on the premium payable on wages expended as from the 1<sup>st</sup> June 1943

It was unanimously agreed to pay the additional premium

P. Mc Carthy 10/7/43

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Arklow Harbour Commissioners 10<sup>th</sup> July 1943 124

The Monthly Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on Saturday July 10<sup>th</sup> 1943

Mr Pat McCarthy Chairman presiding  
Also present Mr John McElheron Vice Chairman  
and Lord Wicklow

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and signed

A letter from Messrs M. J. O'Connor & Co was read in connection with the Income Tax Assessment on the £750 paid by the Harbour Commissioners to the Arklow Urban Council in respect of the roads taken over by the Council.

The Solicitors advised that an appeal should be taken if the Inspector did not allow a substantial portion of the £750 free of tax

The Commissioners decided that an appeal be taken if necessary. The Secretary to instruct the Solicitors accordingly

In connection with the application for a grant from State Funds towards completing the Dock walls, Mr McElheron recommended that the proposal for constructing the South wall of the Dock be not proceeded with, but, that an alternative proposal for the construction of a wharf and deepening of the river immediately above the Dock entrance, and reconstruction of the Parnell quarries jetty, be submitted to the Minister of Fisheries

Mr McElheron's recommendation was unanimously agreed to by the Meeting  
The Secretary instructed accordingly



8th July 1943

Arklow Harbour Commission

The monthly meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on Saturday July 10th 1943

Mr Patt Mc Carthy Chairman presiding

Also present Mr John McElheron Vice Chairman and Lord Wicklow

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Arklow Harbour Commissioners 14<sup>th</sup> August 1943<sup>3</sup>  
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The Monthly Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners  
was held on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> August 1943

Mr. Pat<sup>r</sup> McCarthy (Chairman) presiding  
Present Messrs John McElheron Vice Chairman  
Comm<sup>r</sup> Ed McDonagh & Lord Wicklow

Minutes of previous Meeting were  
read and signed

Correspondence - From Manager Wicklow  
County Council - with subjoined  
Copy of resolution by Wicklow Co Council

Resolved "That having regard to the  
provisions of the Local Elections  
Act, 1937, we hereby Select, appoint and  
continue in office until their successors  
shall have been appointed, each  
and every qualified representative  
who has been elected by this Council  
on any Committee or public Body nominated  
wholly or partly by this Co Council  
passed."

The above resolution continuing ~~in~~ the Chairman  
Mr P. McCarthy & Comm<sup>r</sup> Mr Jos Kavanagh in office  
was Marked Read

The Secretary's letter to the Dept of Fisheries and  
The Minister's reply was read - stating

with reference to the suggested improvement at  
Arklow Harbour - That He the Minister is not the  
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A letter from the Secretary of Galway Harbour Board inquiring if the Arklow Harbour Commissioners were prepared to join a Conference for the purpose of considering what proposals if any, should be made to the Government for providing for the maintenance of Irish Harbours during the period of the Emergency.

The Secretary was directed to reply stating that as the Government were at the moment considering an application from the Arklow Harbour Commissioners for a Grant in aid, we do not think it advisable to join such a conference as your Board proposed.

Mr Caffrey C.E. was present at the meeting and recommended the taking over of the New Harbour Office, and the payment to the Contractor of 95% of the Contract price (£754-7-6 less £22-3-9) or 95% of £732-3-9.

The Meeting decided to take over the Office. A/cs were passed for payment including a sum of £36-1-9 to Mr Peter Tynnell making total payments to date £695-11-9. A sum = 5% of the Cost of the Building £36-12-0 being retained for 6 months.

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Arklow Harbour Commissioners 11<sup>th</sup> September 1943

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The Monthly Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> of September 1943 in the New Harbour Office

Mr Patk McCarthy Chairman presiding  
Also Present Mr Jno Mc Elheron Vice-Chairman  
And Commissioner Mr Edw Mc Donagh

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read & signed  
Correspondence was read in connection with the Commissioners' application for State aid towards completing the walls of the Dock:-

From Mr J Everett T.D. enclosing ~~letter~~ letter he had received from the Department of Industry & Commerce.

From the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Finance dated 24<sup>th</sup> August stating - I am desirous by the Parliamentary Secretary to refer to your letter of the 28<sup>th</sup> August regarding your application for a grant to carry out some improvement works at Arklow Harbour. The Parliamentary Secretary is making enquiries, and when a report comes to hand he will write to you again.

From the Minister of Industry and Commerce:-

To refer to your letter of the 25<sup>th</sup> ultimo in regard to your Commissioners' ~~letter~~ application for a grant towards the cost of proposed improvements at Arklow and to refer to a meeting held in this Department on 31<sup>st</sup> March last at which your Commissioners were represented by Senator Byrne & Deputy Everett. When attention was drawn to the fact that there was no evidence to show, that, given better organisation at the Dock, the facilities are insufficient.

Consideration of the reply to be made to this letter was left over to a later meeting.



Arklow Harbour Commissioners 11th September 1943

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Monthly meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on

Saturday 11th of September 1943 in the New Harbour Office

Mr Patk McCarthy Chairman presiding

Vice-Chairman

Also Present Mr Jno McElheron

Commissioner Mr Edw Mc Donagh

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As this application had arrived just before the meeting, the Commissioners decided that a special meeting should be summoned to deal with the matter

The Secretary was instructed to call a special meeting of the Board for 2-30 P.M. O'clock on ~~Wednesday~~ <sup>Thursday</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> Sept. The business to be mentioned in the summons convening the meeting. The Members present stating they required no further notification

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To Consider the letter from Industry & Commerce relating to the proposals for Dock & Harbour Improvement

And any other necessary business

Mr Pat McCarthy Chairman presided

Commr Mr J. McElheron Vice-Chairman and

Mr Edw McDonagh also present

The proposed Dock & Harbour ~~etc~~ Improvements were discussed with special reference to the

letter read at the previous monthly meeting <sup>dated</sup> 9/9/43

from the Department of Industry & Commerce

It was proposed by Mr Jno McElheron

Seconded by the Chairman Mr P. McCarthy

"That Mr E. M. Murphy C. E. be employed as Engineer in connection with the proposed Dock and Harbour Improvements"

passed unanimously

The Arklow Pottery Co Application to lease or purchase a plot of Ground adjacent to their existing plot was considered

Mr Jno McElheron proposed

Mr Edw McDonagh seconded (Passed unanimously)

"That the Arklow Pottery Co should be given the plot of ground consisting approx. 2 rods adjacent to their existing plot. the terms to be embodied in their existing lease, at an increase in their present rent of £1-10-0 per year. The lease to terminate on the same date as the existing lease"



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Mr Mc Donagh proposed.

Mr Mc Carthy seconded.

That the old Harbour office be put in the hands of Mr Denis Conner Auctioneer for Sale. The building to be removed in a specified time after the date of purchase passed unanimously.

A letter which was received from the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Finance just prior to the meeting and dated 22<sup>nd</sup> September 43

Referred to previous correspondence relative to the application for a grant for Dock and Harbour improvements, and stating that

The record of the interview which members of your Commission had with Mr Sean Moylan the Parliamentary Secretary's predecessor in office shows, that Mr Sean Moylan informed the Deputation that before he could consider the propriety of recommending a grant from the Employment Schemes vote towards the cost of the proposed works, the backing and sanction of the Department of Industry and Commerce would have to be forthcoming. In this connection I am to state that the primary function of the Employment Schemes vote is the relief of unemployment and any grant which is made must be proportionate to the unemployment position in the locality at the time

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Mr Pat McCarthy (Chairman) presiding

Present Mr Jno McElheron Vice-Chairman

Comms Lord Wicklow, Mr Edu M'Donagh

Mr Edu M. Murphy C.E. engineer to the Harbour Board in connection with proposed Dock and Harbour Improvement Scheme was also present.

Mr Murphy submitted plans and estimates for the proposed improvements.

(A) To Complete the Dock in the form of its original design that is to Complete the East Wall at a cost of £ 6385 dredging £3075 = £ 9460 " Build a Southern wall at a cost of £ 7623

Total Cost of both Walls and dredging £ 17083

Mr Murphy pointed out that if funds were not available to complete all this work. Any portion of the work could be carried out (at a proportionate cost) and give a proportionate improvement in the Dock accommodation. The remainder of the work could be continued from time to time as funds permitted.

~~As an alternative to scheme (A)~~ Mr Murphy submitted Scheme (B). Build a Jetty parallel with the South Quay Wall with a wall from it to the South quay and this form a basin in the river in which fishing boats could berth both at the South quay and at the newly constructed Jetty in the river.

Estimated Cost of Construction of Solid Jetty £11,125. Openwork Jetty £5,574.

Mr Murphy recommended that the whole Scheme of improvements be submitted to the Authorities, with the recommendation that they be carried out in the order in which they are given. He ~~But~~ expressed the view, that if the East Wall of the Dock was completed, and six Bollards <sup>placed</sup> along the



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Present Mr. Jno McElheron Vice-Chairman

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they be carried out in the order in which they are given

He' expressed the view, that if the East Wall of the Dock

was completed and six bollards ^ along the



Southern end of the dock. with sufficient dredging, ~~off~~ accommodation sufficient for the present trade would be made available. Further improvements could be carried out when trade became normal.

In reply to a query from the Harbour Master Mr Murphy said that any extension of the East wall with a proportionate amount of dredging would ~~be~~ increase the accommodation accordingly and would not embarrass the further continuation of the proposed improvements.

The Meeting unanimously agreed to carry out Mr Murphy's recommendations.

Mr Murphy promised to supply the Reports and plans required for submission to the various Government Departments concerned, by the end of the following week.

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Present Mr Pat Mc Carthy (Chairman) presiding  
Mr John Mc Elheron Vice-Chairman & Lord Wicklow

The Chairman expressed the thanks of the Commissioners to Lady Wicklow for her presentation of Ash Trays for the use of the Harbour Office  
Lord Wicklow promised to convey the Chairman's remarks to her Ladyship

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read signed  
A letter from the Secretary of the Galway Harbour Board relating to a proposed Conference of Harbour Authorities was marked read.

The Harbour Master informed the meeting of the State of the bar, and that on the advice of the Chairman and Vice-Chairman he had applied on the 25<sup>th</sup> October for the services of the "Fagan Bealach" to the Office of Public Works, and to the Department of Fisheries asking their customary Co-operation in obtaining her services.

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The Secretary stated he had applied for a permit to purchase 30 Tons of Coal and hoped to have the "permit" in a few days, and that Messrs Donnelly Coal Merchants Dublin had promised him to supply 30 Tons of either Coal @ approx 70/- per ton or Bricketts at 95/- per ton.



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Approved by the meeting

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The Meeting directed the Secretary to write to Mr Murphy C.E., and request him to explore the position in Dublin.

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The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read & signed  
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Relative to Income Tax Assessment.

Stating that they had succeeded in obtaining an allowance from the Inspector of Taxes of £450 as against the Assessment made on the Harbour Commissioners  
Messrs O'Connor & Co Solicitors also wrote stating they were definitely of opinion that this arrangement should be accepted by the Commissioners.

Messrs Kevans and son letter further stated that they had made a claim for repayment of taxes under Section 34, Income Tax Act 1918

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The Meeting directed the Secretary to arrange for the Fay an Bealach to deepen the berth at the Kynoch Jetty

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Mr Pat McCarthy (Chairman) presiding  
Present Commissioner John Mc Elheron (Vice Chairman)  
Lord Wicklow

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read & signed  
Dredging - Correspondence - The Commissioners of Public Works wrote dated 11<sup>th</sup> Dec. - Stating - They were prepared to hire the "Fay an Bealach" for two weeks work. The Department of Finance had contributed £100 in the interests of the fisher and the Harbour Commissioner were required to contribute £100. and supply the necessary coal.

The Secretary stated that the dredger had arrived, and had been working, but he feared the period provided for would be insufficient to put the bar in the necessary good condition. He had also applied for the Dredger to be permitted to deepen the berth at the Kynoch Jetty on the North side and expected the permission would be granted.

In connection with the monies retained from the Contractor of the New Harbour Office - Mr Caffrey Engineer attended, and the meeting left the matter of having the final repairs carried out, and a final settlement with the Contractor in Mr Caffrey's hands.

In connection with the Arklow Pottery Co's application for an additional plot of ground, to be embodied in the original lease, Messrs M. J. O'Connor & Co Solicitors wrote stating that the plan furnished by the Pottery Co did not agree with the plan on the original lease. The ~~second~~ <sup>stated</sup> that Mr Louth had suggested to the Pottery Co that the New plan should be drawn up by the Harbour Commrs Engineer at the Pottery Co's expense. The Pottery Co agreed offered to pay £2-0-0 but



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The Secretary was directed accordingly

Mr McElheron recommended that a map showing all the Harbour Commissioner property be obtained from Mr Murphy C.E. ~~while~~ and the Secretary was directed to find out from Mr Murphy the cost of same.

A letter from Mr Murphy C.E. was read stating he had been informed by the Board of Works that in connection with the Harbour Board's application for a grant from State Funds to complete the walls of the Dock, it would be necessary to have trial holes bored to show the strata of the ground at the Dock.

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The ~~Meeting~~ Meeting unanimously agreed to Mr Murphy's recommendation - The Secretary was instructed accordingly

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Arklow Harbour Commissioners 12<sup>th</sup> February 1944

The Monthly Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> February 1944

Mr Patk McCarthy Chairman presiding

Also present Commissioners John McElheron (Vice Chairman) and Lord Wicklow

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and signed

Messrs Kevans & Son Auditors submitted the Abstract of Accounts for the year ending December 31<sup>st</sup> 1943

Examined & passed.

A letter was read from Mr Gregory Bannon Town Clerk dated 9<sup>th</sup> Feb. 44 - Stating

"I am directed by the County Manager to state that following a conversation with the Town Surveyor on the subject of Road improvement works at present in progress on the Dock Roads, he formed the opinion the continuation of the concreting of short distance in the direction of the Dock Draw Bridge would add considerably to the amenities of the Area, but, as this would entail an excess expenditure of £150, he thought it would be well to have the views of the Board in the matter. The expenditure could be met from the Council's Harbour Road Fund, which, as you are aware is the Fund to which the Capital sum received from the Harbour Commissioners was lodged.

The Urban Council at their Meeting 7<sup>th</sup> Inst approved the Managers proposal in this connection "

The Secretary was instructed to reply stating the Harbour Board also approved of the County Managers' proposal

A letter from the Co Manager was read date 1<sup>st</sup> Feb. 1944

The letter ~~also~~ enclosed a copy of a letter received



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Wicklow Harbour Commissioners 12 February 1944

The monthly meeting of Wicklow

Harbour Commissioners

was held on Saturday 12

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Mr Patrick McCarthy Chairman presiding

Also present commissioners,

John McElheron (Vice Chairman)

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In connection with Dock Improvements  
A letter from Mr Ed M Murphy C.E. dated 7/2/44 was read stating. With regard to the Harbour I have been again in touch with the Board of Works and have given them some of the information sought. I am now awaiting Mr Lee's report in order to complete this.

As to a survey of the Harbour Board's property I would be prepared to make a complete survey of the Harbour Board's property and prepare a Map showing all the Harbour Board Boundaries for a fee of £25-0-0

It was decided that Mr Murphy's offer be accepted if Mr Murphy supplied 3 maps of a suitable size and quality.

The Secretary said that he considered a further weeks dredging on the bar necessary to ~~have~~ put the bar in a reasonably safe state. It was decided to apply for a further weeks dredging.

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Mr Pat<sup>r</sup> McCarthy (Chairman) presiding  
Commissioners present were Mr John McElhannon Vice Chairman  
and Mr Edw McDonagh.

Lord Wicklow sent a Message he was unable to attend through illness

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and signed

In connection with the Commissioners application for a grant from State Funds to complete the walls of the Dock & C.  
A letter was read from Mr Edw Murphy C.E. dated 9<sup>th</sup> March 44

stating - "In reply to yours of the 8<sup>th</sup> inst the position in regard to the Dock is, that I have prepared and sent to the Board of Works further plans and furnished them with all the information they require.

I had a conversation with some of the officials there two days ago and they will have the matter pressed forward as rapidly as possible" Marked read.

A letter from the Secretary Department of Industry & Commerce was read - relative to post war works which the Harbour Board had proposed should be undertaken and requesting the Board to submit particulars of same in their order of urgency

The Secretary was directed to ask Mr Murphy C.E to furnish the particulars required to the Department of Industry & Commerce.

A/cs were passed for payment and the Meeting Concluded.

Pat<sup>r</sup> McCarthy

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Commissioners present Mr John McElkeron (Vice Chairman)  
and Mr Edw Mc Donagh.

Lord Wicklow sent a message to say he would not be present through illness  
The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and signed

In reply to a question from Mr Mc Donagh the Secretary stated that the Customary Charges for Slipping and unslipping Cargo vessels had been £4-0-0, and the Meeting instructed the Secretary that as the costs had considerably increased he must in future charge according to the Schedule - namely all the expenses incurred by the Harbour Board in connection with the Slipping and unslipping of such Craft.  
Conditions and Charges for public + Pier Lighting for the year 1<sup>st</sup> April 1944 to 31<sup>st</sup> March 1945 were submitted from the Electricity Supply Board and unanimously agreed to by the Meeting

Mr Mc Elkeron informed the Meeting that Mr Edw Murphy - Engineer had informed him by phone that ~~with~~ everything necessary had been done in relation to the Board's application for a grant towards Dock and Harbour improvements.

The Meeting decided to keep in close touch with the position

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The monthly meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners  
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Mr P<sup>at</sup> McCarthy Chairman presiding  
The Commissioners present Mr John McElheron Vice Chairman  
Lord Wicklow and Mr Edw Mc Donagh.

The Minutes of the previous Meetings were read and signed

The Harbour Master reported ~~the~~ Larry White Bridge attendant and Dock Master being seriously ill and suggested that pending developments he be permitted to carry on in Whites absence (looking after things) and pay white his wages. this arrangement was agreed to

Mr John Mc Elheron proposed

Lord Wicklow seconded

" That application be made to the Revenue Commissioners Dublin Castle Dublin to have the port of Arklow made an approved Port for the purpose of Importation and Export of Goods.

Informing the Revenue Commissioners that we the Arklow Harbour Board are willing to place at their disposal a warehouse with office accommodation for their Officer "

Passed unanimously

A letter was read from Messrs John Tyrnell & Sons  
Yacht & Boat Builders Arklow - dated 8<sup>th</sup> May 1944

Stating - we wish to advise you that we are about to put down on the slipway opposite our yard two railway lines for the purpose of using bogies for hauling boats into our yard "

It was unanimously agreed to grant ~~the~~ Messrs Tyrnell the required permission



Krklow Harbour Commissioners

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The monthly meeting of Arklow Harbour  
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Mr Patt Mc Carthy Chairman presiding

The Commissioners present Mr John McElheron Vice Chairman

Lord Wicklow and Mr Edw McDonagh.

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read and signed

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Mr John Mc Elheron proposed

seconded.

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Commissioners Dublin Castle Dublin  
to have the post of Arklow made an  
approved Port for the purpose of Impostation  
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Informing the Revenue Commissioners  
that we the Arklow Harbour Board are  
willing to place at their disposal a warehouse  
with Office accomodation for their officer  
passed Unanimously

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letter was read from Messrs John Tyrrell & Sons  
Yacht & Boat Builders Arklow - dated 8th May 1941.

stating-We wish to advise you that we are about  
down on the Slipway opposite our yard two  
to put

tailway lines for the purpose of using bogies for  
hauling boats into our yard

It was unanimously agreed to grant the  
Messr Tyrrell the required

permission.



A <sup>dated</sup> letter which Mr C. M. Byrne T.D. had received from the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Finance, was read. Stating that

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The Annual Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on 10<sup>th</sup> June 1944

Mr Pat McCarthy Chairman presiding  
present Mr John McElheron Vice-Chairman  
and Lord Wicklow

It was proposed by Commr John McElheron  
seconded " Lord Wicklow

" That Mr McCarthy be Chairman of the  
Arklow Harbour Commissioners for  
the coming year."

passed unanimously  
Proposed by Mr McCarthy  
seconded " Lord Wicklow

That Mr John McElheron be appointed  
Vice-Chairman

passed unanimously

The Chairman & Vice-Chairman thanked the Meeting

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read & signed  
The Chairman proposed & Mr McElheron <sup>seconded</sup> a vote of sympathy  
with the relatives of Larry White (Deputy Harbour Master)  
recently deceased - passed unanimously

all members standing

Proposed by Lord Wicklow

seconded " Mr McCarthy (Chairman)

" That in view of Larry White Deputy Harbour Master (recently  
deceased) having not received any Holidays  
with pay during his long service with the Board.  
The Board pay Mr John Doyle's Bill for  
funeral expenses "

passed unanimously

The question of the appointing of a Deputy Harbour  
Master was discussed.



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10th June 1941

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Annual meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioner.

was held on 16th of June 1844

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Chairman

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The Secretary was instructed to put an advertisement in the window - applications for the post to <sup>be</sup> in by noon on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> June - a special meeting to consider the applications to be held on Saturday the 24<sup>th</sup> June.

A letter from Messrs Peter O'Connor Solicitor Waterford relating to certain funds of an Association called the Irish Harbour Association formed in the year 1906 and which ceased to function about the year 1915.

~~Mr Peter O'Connor~~ The letter ~~was~~ recommended that the fund amounting £15-15-0 with accumulated interest thereon be refunded to the Harbour Authorities in proportion to the amount subscribed, if the Harbour Commissioners agreed to this course.

Mr O'Connor's recommendation was unanimously agreed to by the meeting

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Arklow Harbour Commissioners *Special Meeting* 24 June 1944 150

A Special Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on Saturday June 24<sup>th</sup> 1944 for the purpose of appointing an assistant Harbour Master

Mr Patk McCarthy (Chairman) presided  
Commissioners present were Mr Jno McElheron Vice-Chairman  
Commissioners Mr Edw McDonagh + Lord Wicklow

There were six applications considered for the post.

proposed by Mr Edw McDonagh  
seconded by Mr McCarthy (Chairman)

"That Mr Wm O'Reilly's application be accepted  
and that he be appointed as Deputy Harbour Master  
at a weekly wage of £2-5-0

passed unanimously

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Arklow Harbour Commissioners 8/7/44

The Monthly Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners  
was held on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> July 1944

Mr Pat<sup>r</sup> Mc Carthy Chairman presiding

Present: Mr John Mc Elheron Vice-Chairman

Mr T. J. Birtistle representing the Arklow Urban  
District Council - replacing Mr T. P. Kavanagh.

The Minutes of the previous Monthly + Special  
meeting of the 24<sup>th</sup> June were read + signed

Correspondence read from - Arklow Urban District Council  
dated 30<sup>th</sup> June 1944 - Stating

I am directed by my Council to inform you  
that they have appointed Councillor T. J. Birtistle  
5 Main St Arklow as their representative on your  
Board in room of Mr T. P. Kavanagh who has  
now ceased to be a Member of the Urban Council  
from the Secretary Wicklow Co Council dated 30<sup>th</sup> June 44

Stating - I subjoin, for your information and  
suitable Action copy of a Resolution which was  
passed unanimously by Wicklow Co-Council  
at the Annual Meeting of the Body held on  
the 26<sup>th</sup> June 1944.

"Resolved - That having regard to the provisions  
of Section 13 of the Local Elections Act 1927

"We hereby select appoint and continue in Office  
until their Successors shall have been appointed  
each and every qualified representative  
who has been elected by this Council  
on any Committee of Public Body nominated  
wholly or partly by this Council

Passed unanimously "

A letter was read from Mr Joseph Kavanagh Kilpipe  
Ballinglen Co Wicklow - dated 3-7-44



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To the Secretary Harbour Board. Arkeow.

" Would you please ask your Committee at their next Meeting to accept my resignation as a Member - I shall always help & cooperate with the local representatives on the Co Council in anything for the betterment of your Harbour "

The letter was marked. Read.

The Commissioner expressing regret and instructed the Secretary to inform the Co Manager of Mr Karanagh's decision

Mr Edw Murphy submitted for the consideration of the Commissioner a draft plan of the Harbour Boards property -

The Meeting inspected the map and suggested alterations in the colouring to more clearly define the the Harbour Boards ~~under~~ <sup>land</sup> Grounds and Boundaries.

Other routine business was attend to

The Meeting concluded.

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The Monthly Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commr was held on 12<sup>th</sup> Aug 1944

Mr Pat McCarthy (Chairman) presiding

Commissioners present Messrs John McElcheron (Vice Chairman)

Edw Mc Donagh - J. J. Borthistle and Lord Wicklow

Mr Edw Murphy C. E. was also present

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read signed  
Correspondence. A letter from The Revenue Commissioner  
dated 10<sup>th</sup> August 1944 - Stating

They approve as a Sufferance Wharf for the landing  
and shipping of all goods except Tobacco, Saccharin,  
and wine in cask, for a period of Two years from  
the bond to be entered into the North, East, and  
West quays of Arklow Dock, Co Wicklow on  
the following conditions

- (1) That a secure transit shed be provided
- (2) that Bond in a penalty of £1,000 with 2 Sureties  
resident in Eire or an approved Guarantee  
Society be entered into

The letter further stated that the Revenue Commissioner  
approved of the Harbour Commissioners Store in  
the Harbour Office building, on the following conditions  
that the sliding door is extended by the addition of  
stout timber so as to completely cover the door opening  
and that it is provided with fastenings for securing  
it with Revenue and Merchants locks on the  
outside

That the windows be secured with iron bars in  
accordance with the regulations

That the alterations are carried out to the  
satisfaction of the Surveyor

That a bond in a penalty of £1,000 is entered into



Arklow Harbour Commissioners Monthly meeting 12/8/44

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The Secretary was instructed <sup>to endeavour</sup> to have the necessary alterations and improvements, priced by some contractors. And inquire from the Irish Alliance Insurance Co, the premium for the required security bonds.

Mr. Edw Murphy, C. E. submitted a draft plan of the Harbour Commissioners property, which was approved by the meeting.

A strip of ground alongside the North Dock, apparently the property of Lord Wicklow was considered, and Lord Wicklow informed the meeting that he was prepared to transfer the strip under long lease to the Harbour Board the Board to bear the cost of the transfer. General business was discussed and accounts passed for payment including £50 to the Arklow Urban district Council towards the Maintenance of the Harbour Roads. The Meeting concluded.

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The Monthly Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on Saturday the 9<sup>th</sup> September 1944

Mr Patk Mc Carthy (Chairman) presiding  
present - Mr John Mc Elheron Vice Chairman and  
Commissioner Mr J. J. Borthistle

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and signed

Correspondence - From Mr Edw Murphy C.E. enclosing Map of Harbour Board's properties at Arklow and an account of His Fee and out of pocket expenses totalling £30-18-0

The letter stated "This plan has been Mounted on Canvas and I would advise that it be fixed in a frame with glass covering"

The Secretary was directed to get Mr Thos O'Loole to fix the plan in accordance with the Engineers recommendation

~~A discussion on the danger of sitting of the bar was discussed~~

The position of the various undertakings was discussed and the meeting concluded

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Commissioners

The monthly meeting of Arklow Harbour

1944

was held on Saturday the 9th. September

Mr Patk

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# Arklow Harbour Commissioners Special Meeting 30/9/44

A Special Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> September 1944

Mr Pat McCarthy Chairman presiding  
Also Present Mr John McElherson Vice-Chairman  
And Commissioners Lord Wicklow Messrs J. J. Borthistle  
and Edw McDonagh.

The Meeting was called to meet Mr Murphy C. E.  
in connection with the Commissioners application  
for a grant from State Funds to complete the  
walls of the Dock.

Mr Edw Murphy explained to the Meeting  
the difference in his estimate of <sup>the</sup> cost of  
carrying out the ~~different~~ works and the  
Board of works engineers estimate.

And the Meeting decided that Mr Murphy  
call on the departments concerned with  
the view of arriving at a closer mutual  
estimate.

The Secretary was directed to inform the  
Department of Industry + Commerce that  
Mr Murphy had been directed to wait on them  
at their convenience.

Res were passed for payment including  
£41-17-1 to the Controller of National Health Insurance.

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The Monthly Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> October 1944

Mr Patk Mc Carthy Chairman presiding

Commissioners present Mr Jno Mc Elheron Vice Chairman

Lord Wicklow & Mr J. J. Birthistle

Mr C. J. Louth of Messrs O'Connor & Co Solicitors was in attendance

The Minutes of the previous Monthly, and Special Meeting held on the 30<sup>th</sup> September were read signed Correspondence - A letter from the Wicklow Co Council dated 20<sup>th</sup> September, with copy of resolution was read Copy of Resolution - "Resolved - That we hereby approve of the re appointment of Mr Joseph Kavanagh M.C.C. of Kilpipe Ballinglen as a representative of Wicklow Co Council on the Arklow Harbour Board to replace Mr J. Kavanagh M.C.C. Kilpipe Ballinglen who tendered his resignation to that Committee - passed "

From Mr Edw M. Murphy C.E. dated 12<sup>th</sup> October 44

Stating - He had an interview with Miss Beere and Mr Fanning of Industry & Commerce in regard to the work at the Harbour, and it has been arranged that an appointment will be made for me to meet the Engineer of the Board of Works to discuss the question of the costs of the work.

From The Arklow Pottery dated 26<sup>th</sup> September

Stating - We are interested in, for extension purposes a plot of ground 60 feet wide along the entire length of the South side of our present site.

Such a plot would include the present roadway to the beach, and we have written to the Urban Council on the construction of a new roadway outside the suggested plot.

We would be glad to learn that your



157 Arklow Harbour Commissioners 14th October 1844

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The monthly meeting of Arklow Harbou.

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Mr Patk Mc Carthy Chairman presiding

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Commissioners would be prepared to sell or lease this plot, and to have their terms as early as possible"

After some discussion

Mr J. J. Birthistle proposed

Lord Wicklow seconded.

"That the Commissioners Lease to Arklow Pottery Limited for 999 years at the yearly rent of £13-10-0 that Plot of ground to the South of the Pottery premises; reserving from such plot for its entire length a space not less than 35 feet in width alongside the fence separating the plot from the Golf Club property."

All costs in connection with said Lease to be borne by the Arklow Pottery Limited"

passed unanimously

J Mc Carthy 11/11/44

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The Monthly Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on November 11<sup>th</sup> 1944

Mr Patk McCarthy Chairman presided  
Commissioners present Mr John McElheron Vice-Chairman  
and Mr Joseph Kavanagh; Kilpipe  
Also present at the Meeting were the 3 Deputies  
for the County. Mr James Everett. Mr Thos Brennan  
and Mr Patk Cogan.

Mr C. J. Louth Solicitor of Messrs Connors & Co.

Mr Edw Murphy C.E. Engineer to the Harbour Board  
and Mr Dunne of Customs & Excise

~~were~~ The Minutes of the previous Meeting were  
read by the Chairman and signed

Mr John McElheron vice-Chairman proposed

Mr McCarthy Chairman seconded.

"That the Seal of the Arklow Harbour  
Commissioners be affixed to the  
Bonds with the Minister for Finance  
in connection with the Transit Shed  
and Suffernace Wharf at Arklow Dock."

Passed unanimously

In connection with the Lease by the Commissioners  
of the plot of Ground to the Arklow Pottery Ltd  
(Granted at a Special Meeting of the Board September 1943)

Mr John McElheron proposed.

Mr Joseph Kavanagh seconded

"That the Seal of the Harbour Board be affixed  
to the Lease from the Commissioners to Arklow  
Pottery Limited of the Plot of Ground adjacent  
to the original site of the Pottery Works"

Passed unanimously.



15.9 Arklow Harbour Commissioners 11th November 1844

The Monthly meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on November 11th, 1941

Mr Patt McCarthy Chairman provided

Vice-Chairman

Commissioners present Mr John McElheron and Mr Joseph Kavanagh,

Kilpipe  
the 3 Deputies.

Also present at the meeting were for the County. Mr James Everett. Mr. Thos Brennan And Mr Pattk Cogan.

Mr C.J. Louth Solicitor of Missr. O Connor & Co.

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seconded.

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That the Seal of the Arklow Harbour Commissioners be affixed to the Bonds with the Minister for Finance, in connection with the transit shed and sufference wharf at Arklow Dock.

Passed unanimously.

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Mr John McElheron proposed.

Mr Joseph Kavanagh seconded

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As each Deputy expressed their willingness to press the interested Departments to give the Grant, the Meeting decided that Murphy arrange to accompany the three Deputies to the Department of Industry & Commerce when the Deputies found it convenient to attend.

A/cs were passed for Payment including £6-0-0 premium to the Irish National Insurance Co Ltd for (2) £1000 Security Bonds for the Revenue Commrs. in connection with the Transit Shed and Sufferance Wharf.

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The Monthly Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on December 9<sup>th</sup> 1944

Mr Patk M<sup>c</sup>Carthy Chairman presiding  
Commr Mr John M<sup>c</sup>Elheron vice-Chairman

" Lord Wicklow, Mr J. J. Kirthistle & Mr Edw M<sup>c</sup>Donagh

we also present

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and signed

Mr M<sup>c</sup>Donagh - said the Harbour entrance was in a very unsafe state for fishing boats entering the Harbour. and suggested that ~~something should be~~ an effort be made to obtain the service of the Dredger Tug on Beallach

The Harbour Master was directed to have the bar sounded as soon as possible and report to the Commissioner

Mr John M<sup>c</sup>Elheron proposed

Mr M<sup>c</sup>Carthy seconded

That we the Arklow Harbour Commissioners hereby decide subject to the approval of the Minister for Industry & Commerce to pay the Harbour Master the Maximum Cost of Living Bonus as from the 11<sup>th</sup> December 1944  
passed unanimously

Aps were passed for payment including  
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1. 6 Arklow Harbour Commissioners 9th December 1941

The monthly meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioner  
was held on December 9th 1941

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Carthy Chairman presiding

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Mr Pat McCarthy (Chairman) presiding

Also present: Mr John McElheron, Vice Chairman

Lord Wicklow and Mr J. J. Birtistle

A letter from Deputy J. Everett was read informing stating that "the Deputation appointed at the Meeting Nov. 11<sup>th</sup> were to wait on the Parliamentary Secretary on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> January and inviting the Secretary to attend"

The Meeting considered the matter of urgent importance and decided that the Chairman Mr McCarthy

Mr John McElheron (Vice-Chairman) & Mr J. J. Birtistle and the Secretary join the Deputation.

It was also decided that the Commissioner on the deputation be authorized to make an offer of up to £1,000 if necessary if a contribution should be required from the Harbour Board, towards the cost of the proposed work.

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The Monthly Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on the 13<sup>th</sup> January 1945

Mr Pat<sup>r</sup> Mc Carthy (Chairman) presiding

Present: Commissioners Messrs John Mc Elheron Vice-Chairman  
Mr Edw Mc Donagh

The Minutes of the previous Monthly Meeting and a Special Meeting held on the 6<sup>th</sup> January were Read & Signed  
Correspondence from Messrs M.J. O'Connor also was Read dated 10<sup>th</sup> January 1945. Stating

Lord Wicklow's Solicitors have now approved of the draft Conveyance of the plot of ground at North Quay Arklow  
we are having the Deed engrossed and are sending it to Mr Murphy B.E. to have the Map of the plot endorsed thereon prior to having the Deed executed by Lord Wicklow

A letter from Mr Edw. M. Murphy B.E. enclosing copy of letter dated 11<sup>th</sup> January which he had sent to the Secretary Department of Industry & Commerce (Transport & Marine Branch) requesting an interview with the Department's engineer to discuss matters proposals regarding the Dock extension

The Harbour Master was directed to have the bar sounded and keep the Commissioners advised of the position, so that application ~~be~~ made for the services of the "Fagion Beallach"

Pat<sup>r</sup> Carthy  
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Mr Pat McCarthy Chairman presiding  
Also Present Mr John McElheron Vice Chairman  
and Lord Wicklow.

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were Read & signed.  
The Secretary presented Messrs Kevan & Son Auditors  
Statement of "Receipts & Expenditure" for the year  
ending 31<sup>st</sup> Dec. 1944 - Unanimously adopted  
The Correspondence - A letter from Messrs Peter O'Connor  
& Son, Solicitor O'Connell St Waterford dated 22<sup>nd</sup> January 45  
stating "with reference to our letter of June 1944 herewith  
we only recently obtained payment of the funds  
of the Association owing to the delay in  
obtaining Irish Grant of Probate of the will  
of the late Mr Thornton. We herewith enclose  
for £2-5-8 being your share of the funds of the  
Irish Harbour Association calculated in proportion  
to the Amount subscribed, less costs, as arranged."  
Marked Read.

Dredging - A letter was read from the Office of Public Works  
dated 29<sup>th</sup> January - stating

"In reply to your letter of 20<sup>th</sup> January 1945 we have to state  
that our dredger "Fay an Bealach" is available for dredging  
works. To do a fortnight's dredging at Arklow approximately  
40 Tons of fairly good coal would be required and it  
would be necessary for your Commissioners to  
make arrangements for the supply of this quantity  
of coal. about 15 tons would be needed for the double  
journey between Dunloughme and Arklow, and  
about 12 Tons for each week's work"

The Secretary stated that he had written to Messrs Donnelly  
& Sons Ltd. who had supplied coal for the previous dredging



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Messrs Tedcastle McCormick wrote dated 5<sup>th</sup> February,

stating - They had no coal suitable for bunkers in stock but could offer 40 tons of good quality coal blocks at 104/- per ton delivered at Dunloughaire."

The Secretary was directed to write to the Office of Public Works asking them to get their fuel expert to examine the coal blocks of Messrs Tedcastle McCormick and to see if the fuel is suitable to make steam for the "Fay an Bealach" engines."

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Mr M<sup>c</sup> Elheron proposed

Lord Wicklow seconded.

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Mr Patk Mc Carthy (Chairman) presiding  
COMMRS present: Mr John Mc Elheron Vice-Chairman  
Lord Wicklow and Mr Edw Mc Donagh

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed

Correspondence - A letter from the Revenue Commissioners dated 20<sup>th</sup> February stating - with reference to your application dated 26<sup>th</sup> January 1945, I am directed by the Revenue Commissioners to ~~state~~ inform you that the Transit Shed at West Quay Arklow Dock Co Wicklow, is finally approved as from the 11<sup>th</sup> November 1944, under the conditions set forth in their letter of the 10<sup>th</sup> August 1944"

Approved & Marked read.

From Messrs O Connor & Co Solicitors dated 26<sup>th</sup> February 1944

"Dear Sir - Lord Wicklow to Harbour Commissioners

The conveyance of the plot of ground at North Quay has now been executed by Lord Wicklow

It was part of the arrangement that Lord Wicklow's costs in connection with the matter should be defrayed by the Harbour Commissioners  
We send you herewith particulars of the costs and outlay which we have received from his solicitors amounting to the sum of £10-16-9 and we shall be obliged if you will please let us have Paying Order in favour of Messrs T. T. McCreedy and Sons for the Amount -"

The Commissioners expressed their appreciation and the Amount was passed for payment



The

Monthly meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners  
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Messrs M. J. O'Connor & Co Solicitors Dated 14<sup>th</sup> February 1945

Dear Sir Arklow Harbour Commissioners & Mr K. Brennan

With Reference to the correspondence we had with Mr Brennan and you in the year 1942 relative to the granting by the Harbour Commissioners to Mr Brennan of a Lease of the premises at South Quay Arklow which she holds under a yearly tenancy at the yearly rent of £25-6-0- you will recollect that the arrangement was that the Harbour Commissioners would grant Mr Brennan a Lease of that portion of the ground on which her stores were erected for a term of 99 years at a yearly rent of £20-0-0 and that they would allow her to continue on in possession of the plot on which no building stands under a yearly tenancy of at 1/- per foot frontage measurements. Mr Brennan is now prepared to take a Lease of the premises and to continue on as yearly tenant of the plot in question, but she considers that if she paid a rent of £20 under the lease and a yearly rent of ~~£~~ 5. for the plot it would be reasonable. According to the map, the frontage of the plot seems to be 170' which would amount to a sum of £8-10-0 per Annum which would make the entire rent on the lines suggested by the Commissioners £28-10-0 we would be glad if will bring the matter before your Commissioners for your consideration."

The Secretary was directed to ask the Solicitors if Mr Brennan was prepared to pay £20 per Annum for the Lease of the premises and £5-6-0 per year for the plot in question - Yearly Tenancy.



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M.J. O Connor & Co Solicitors dated 17th February 1945

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I hereby serve notice of Motion that I will at the next meeting of this Board propose that any decisions arrived at in connection with Mr Brennan's application for a lease of plot at the Meeting held on the 12<sup>th</sup> December 1942 be rescinded

Capt John Tyrnell wrote offering £ 6-10-0 for 10 old iron knees (Scrap) lying on the Harbour Board's ground this offer was unanimously accepted

from The Office of Public Works, dated 7<sup>th</sup> March 1945 stating- They had inspected the Coal Blocks quoted for by Messrs Ledcastle McCormick & Co and The Coal block would not be suitable for making steam for dredging purposes."

The Secretary was instructed to write to the Wexford Harbour Commr for particulars of their terms of hire &c. of their dredge "Grubbar"

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Mr. P. K. McCarthy (Chairman) presiding

Commissioners present Mr. John Mc Elheron (Vice Chairman)

Mr. Edw. Mc Donagh and Lord Wicklow

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and signed  
Correspondence - A letter from Industry + Commerce Transport + Marine Branch dated 4<sup>th</sup> April 1945 - stating

I am directed by the Minister for Industry + Commerce to refer to this Department's letter of the 5<sup>th</sup> March 1943 relating to the publication of Statistics of Shipping and to state that there is now no objection to the resumption of Publication of such Statistics"

From Mr. Edw. Murphy dated 12<sup>th</sup> April 1945 enclosing a copy of a letter he had sent to the Department of Industry and Commerce relative to the Commissioner's application for a grant from State Funds towards Completion of the Dock walls - Market Road

The Harbour Master reported the state of the entrance to the Harbour - soundings showed considerable shoaling a fishing boat having grounded entering a couple of days previously. He read a letter from Messrs. P. Donnelly & Son Coal Merchants Dublin, offering to supply 40 Tons of Emergency Coal @ 80/- per Ton on Rail Dublin. And stated he had written to the Office of Public Works requesting them to examine + report if the fuel was suitable for making steam for dredging. He had not yet received the report.

The Secretary was directed to wire the Office of Public Works on Monday morning for the report.



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C) Arklow Harbour Commissioners 14th April 1845

The monthly meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on Saturday 14th April 1845

Mr Patt McCarthy (Chairman) presiding

Commissioners present Mr. John Mc El'heron (vice Chairman)

Mr Edw Mc Donagh and Lord Wicklow

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed

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In connection with Mrs. A. B. Brennans application for a Lease of the plot of ground -

the Chairman Mr Patk McCarthy proposed

Mr Edw Mc Donagh seconded

In accordance with the "Notice of Motion" served at the last Monthly Meeting of this Board I beg to propose

That the decisions arrived at in connection with Mrs Brennans application for a Lease of plot. at the Meeting held on the 12<sup>th</sup> Dec 1942 be rescinded" passed unanimously

Mr McCarthy further proposed

Mr Mc Donagh & seconded

"That Mrs A.B. Brennan be granted a Lease of the plot of ground on which her existing permanent buildings are erected, for a period of 99 years at a yearly rent of £20 per And that she be granted a tenancy of that portion of the ground on which no buildings (permanent) are erected at an annual rent of £5-6-0"

That Messrs M.J. O'Connor ~~shall~~ be intructed to draw up the 99 yr Lease, and the Agreement embodying the Conditions of the existing agreement.

Mr Brennan to pay the Cost. "  
passed unanimously

A letter from Mr Gregory Bannon Town Clerk dated 12<sup>th</sup> April 1945 stating. I am directed by the County Manager to refer to your Board's letter of the 17<sup>th</sup> February last

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The Monthly Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> May 1945

Mr Patk M<sup>c</sup>Carthy Chairman presiding  
Also present Mr John M<sup>c</sup>Elheron + Lord Wicklow  
Mr C.J. Louth of Messrs M.J. O'Connor & Co Solicitors was also in attendance

The Minutes of the previous Monthly Meeting were read & signed

The Secretary informed the meeting that he had received a phone message to say that the Dredger "Fag on Bealach" would leave Dunhaughaire for Arklow the following Monday.

Messrs O'Connor & Co Solicitors submitted a draft of the proposed Lease to Mr A.B. Brennan of the plot of Ground granted at the previous Monthly meeting.

Mr M<sup>c</sup>Elheron proposed

Mr M<sup>c</sup>Carthy seconded

"That the Draft Copy of the Lease be approved & passed unanimously"

Mr C.J. Louth was instructed accordingly  
The Meeting instructed the Secretary to arrange if found necessary for a further weeks dredging by the "Fag on Bealach" on the bar, and in order to be in a position to pay for same to request the Bank to allow an overdraft of £1500.

Patk McCarthy  
9/6/45

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The monthly meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on Satur day 10th May 1945

Mr Patk Me Carthy Chairman presiding

Also present Mr John McElheron & Lord Wicklow

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A Special Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioner was held on Saturday the 2<sup>nd</sup> of June 1945  
 Mr P. Mc Carthy (Chairman) presiding  
 Member Present were Mr John Mc Elheron Vice Chairman  
 Lord Wicklow Mr T. J. Birthistle. Mr McDonagh sent Apology  
 Mr Edw Murphy B.E. Engineer to the Board.  
 was also present.

The Meeting was called for the purpose of receiving Mr Murphy's report as to the progress of the application for a grant from State Funds towards the Dock and Harbour Improvements.

Mr E Murphy informed the Meeting that he was preparing some further plans required by the Board of works, and that if the Commissioners were prepared to contribute a proportion of the cost of the work, he believed a Substantial Grant would be given by the Department from the Employments Schemes Fund.

It was proposed by Mr John Mc Elheron  
 Seconded by Mr T. J. Birthistle

"That we the Arklow Harbour Commissioners, are prepared to obtain a loan of £1,500 as our ~~contribution~~ contribution towards the building of the East wall ~~of the Dock~~ and other necessary works at Arklow Dock, subject to our obtaining a grant of about £4,000 towards the cost of these Works"

passed unanimously.

P. Mc Carthy 9/6/45



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was held on Saturday the 2nd of June 1945

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Mc Carthy (Chairman) presiding

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Mr. Edw Murphy C.E. Engineer to the Board.

was also present

The meeting was called for the purpose of  
receiving Mr Murphy's report as to the progress.

of the application for a grant from State Juris  
towards the Bock and HarbourUnprovements

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believed a substantial grant would be  
given by the Department from the Employments  
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seconded by Mr F.J. Birthible.

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Arklow Harbour Commissioners 9<sup>th</sup> June 45 174

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Mr Patk McCarthy Chairman presiding

Commrs Present were Mr John McElheron vice Chairman

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The Minutes of the previous Meetings were Read & Signed

Correspondence - The Secretary Read a copy of letter he had sent to the Department of Industry & Commerce.

Transport & Marine Branch Kildare St Dublin 4/6/45

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The following Resolution proposed by

Commissioner John McElheron and seconded by

Commissioner Thomas Borthistle was passed unanimously

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Signed Patk McCarthy Chairman

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Yours Faithfully

T. Desmond Secretary



Arklow Harbour Commissioners

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Lord Wicklow proposed

Mr McCarthy seconded.

That the Seal of the Harbour Commissioners be affixed to the Lease to Mr H.B. Brennan Ltd of the Plot of ground at South Quay Arklow and to the agreement with Mr H.B. Brennan Ltd relating to the plot of ground to be held under a yearly tenancy

passed unanimously

The Chairman affixed the seal to both documents

Mr McElheron proposed.

Mr Mc Donagh seconded.

That the Arklow Harbour Commissioners hereby adjourn the election of Chairman and Vice-Chairman for the coming year to the next meeting

passed unanimously

The Secretary was directed to apply for a further period of a weeks dredging and to apply to the Bank for increased overdraft to meet same.

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P. Mc Carthy 14/7/45



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The Monthly Meeting of Arklow Harbour Commissioners was held on the 14<sup>th</sup> July 1945  
~~Comm~~ Mr Patk McCarthy Chairman presiding  
 The Newly appointed Members signed the usual Declaration - all present  
 Representing Arklow Urban District Council  
 Messrs John P. Fitzgerald, James Tyrrell and John W. Sheehan  
 Representing Wicklow Co Council  
 Messrs Patk McCarthy reappointed  
 Mr J. J. McCrea Main St Carnew.  
 The Chairman welcomed the new members.  
 The business of the Election of Chairman for the coming year ~~was~~ adjourned from the June Meeting was then proceeded with  
 Lord Wicklow proposed.  
 Mr McCrea Seconded  
 "That Mr McCarthy be reappointed Chairman for the coming year"  
 Mr J. W. Sheehan proposed  
 Mr J. P. Fitzgerald Seconded.  
 That Commissioner James Tyrrell be appointed Chairman for the coming year.  
 A vote was taken -  
 For Mr McCarthy - Lord Wicklow. Mr McCrea and Mr McCarthy - 3  
 For Mr Tyrrell - Mr Sheehan Mr Fitzgerald and Mr Tyrrell - 3  
 Mr McCrea asked Mr McCarthy to give his casting vote for himself - Mr McCarthy declined to do so but expressed the view that he was entitled to hold the Chair until removed by a majority vote  
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removed by a majority vote) he be chairman  
for the coming year. If legal opinion be  
against Mr Mc Carthy's claim, then the election of  
Chairman for the coming year to be considered adjourned  
The minutes of the previous meeting were read & signed  
The Secretary was instructed to get legal opinion  
as to the position of the Chairman  
Correspondence was read

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the end of public lighting to the pier Beacon.

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This work will be of the greatest advantage to my Company as it will enable our Boat to unload opposite the gate of the Pottery, thus saving considerable Cartage.

The Secretary was directed to reply conveying to the Directors of the Pottery Co. the Commissioners appreciation of their very generous offer.

The Secretary furnished particulars of the financial position of the Board and the costs of the month's dredging just completed by the "Fag on Bealack" on the Bar. Stating also that the bar was still in a very unsatisfactory condition.

Commissioner Lyrell expressed the view

that if the same amount of dredging had been carried out in the fairway the bar would ~~have~~ be in a much better condition and Lord Wicklow suggested that the Board of Works be written to requesting that one of their Engineer be sent down to inspect the bar and advise the Commissioners as to how best to deal with the situation.

Lord Wicklow's suggestion was approved of.

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Arklow Harbour Commissioners 11<sup>th</sup> August 1945 182

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Present Commissioners Messrs Patk McCarthy  
J. Lynam J. J. McCrea J. W. Sheehan

J. P. Fitzgerald & Lord Wicklow

Mr McCarthy was unanimously appointed as Chairman for the meeting

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and Signed

All the Commissioners had read Mr Art O'Connor Senior Counsel's opinion as to whether Mr McCarthy was entitled to remain Chairman of the Harbour Board until removed by a majority vote.

Counsel's Opinion - Stated - In my opinion he is not entitled to continue as Chairman

He was entitled to sit preside at the Annual Meeting in June, but had not a casting vote for the election of Chairman

The presiding Chairman Has no Casting vote in the case of the election of a Chairman whether at an annual meeting, or any meeting when the regular Chairman is temporarily absent but the presiding Chairman has a Casting vote in the event of an equal division of votes in any other matter

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 Lord Wicklow seconded

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Commr <sup>Mr</sup> J. W. Sheehan proposed

" " J. P. Fitzgerald seconded

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For Mr M<sup>c</sup>Carthy. Mr McCrea Lord Wicklow Mr M<sup>c</sup>Carthy  
 For Mr Tyrrell. Mr J. W. Sheehan. J. P. Fitzgerald Mr Tyrrell.  
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 settle the matter by Lot

Mr M<sup>c</sup>Carthy's name + Mr Tyrrell name were  
 put in a hat.

The Chairman asked the Secretary whether the name drawn  
 from the hat or the one that remained in was Chairman  
 The Secretary thought it was a matter for the Members to  
 agree on

Lord Wicklow then pointed out there ~~is~~ was  
 only six members present; and that there  
 should be seven; and the position of Mr M<sup>c</sup> Tyrrell  
 the former representative of the Wexford Co Council  
 was discussed.

The Secretary was sent for Messrs M. J. O'Connor & Co's Solicitor  
 Mr C. J. Louth. who when in attendance advised  
 "That Mr M<sup>c</sup> Tyrrell had ceased to be a member of the Board  
 That the Board with the six members were a legal meeting  
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