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STRABANE UNION.

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RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the District Council, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY,
the 26th day of September 1916.

In the Chair, Andrew Lowry Esq. J.P.

Other Councillors present marked thus ✓

Bates, John	M'Kinney, Michael
Brolly, James	M'Laughlin, James ✓
Boyle, Charles	M'Nulty, Philip
Campbell, Andrew J. ✓	Moody, Robert
Fleming, Robert J. ✓	Murray, Bernard ✓
Glenn, William	O'Donnell, Hugh
Harte, James ✓	Rankin, David
Henderson, John ✓	Sheldon, William A. ✓
Lapsley, James	Stoney, C. R. V., J.P.
Lowry, Andrew ✓	Taylor, John
Lyons, Alexander	Vance, Robert
M'Dermott, John, J.P. ✓	

Total Present, 9.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk produced the Treasurer's Books, showing the dealings during the Month.

The Financial Receipt and Expenditure Books were signed by the Chairman.

The Clerk submitted the following Report:—

Letter from the Clerk that he had been urgently & unexpectedly summoned from home on Monday evg. 25th inst. could not possibly wait till Tuesday's Meeting to get the Council's permission.

Approved.

*Circular letter from Committee of "Irish Evicted Tenants, Low Tenants' and Back-to-the-land Movement" dated 13th Sept 1916, stating the objects of the movement and enclosing copies proposals as to same
Read.*

*Circular letter from L. E.B. dated 18/9/16 No 89/M/1916 with reference to Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis & Poliomyelitis.
Read.*

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Circular letter from F. G. B. dated 12/9/16
No. H 2672/1916 drawing the Council's attention
to the Fine (Ireland) Act 1916.

Read.

Letter from Mr David Quigley, St Johnston,
dated 23rd Sept 1916 tendering for supply of oil,
cleaning and lighting St. Johnston lamps from
1st Oct 1916 to 31st March 1917 for the sum of £7:18:0

Referred to St. Johnston Lighting Committee.

Letter from Messrs Taylor & Son dated 20/9/16
drawing attention to their a/c - £3:18:6.

Portion of this a/c - £3:15:10 - was certified
correct by Lifford Lighting Committee & ordered to
be paid.

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The next Meeting of Council to be held on TUESDAY, the 24th day of October 1916.

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Council.

Strabane Rural District Council No. 2.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT. 1898.

Public Health Acts (41 and 42 Vic., Cap. 52, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the STRABANE No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL, acting as the Sanitary Authority under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held at STRABANE, in the County of Tyrone, on the 26th day of September 1916.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS ON THE COUNCIL, 23.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS PRESENT, 9.

In the Chair:— Andrew Lowry Esq. J.P.

Other Councillors as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Reports from the Medical Officers of Health of the following Districts, viz.:—

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.
<u>Raphoe.</u>	<u>Dr Snodgrass</u>	<u>Insan. closet of John Hewitt St. Johnston.</u>	<u>14 days notice to remove further from street.</u>

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in the Report Book of the Clerk to the District Council.

The following Reports were submitted under Infectious Disease (Notification) Act, 1889:—

District.	Name of Medical Practitioner.	Nature of Disease.
<u>Castlefin</u>	<u>Dr Weir</u>	<u>1 case Diphtheria.</u>

Letter from Messrs Wilson & Simms, Solrs., dated 28/8/16 stating they attended Raphoe Petty Sessions & obtained a Closing Order against Jas Laird of Cortaquirley, but without costs; also that they obtained an Order compelling Farrel to cleanse and disinfect his house, also without costs.

Read.

Letter from L. G. B. dated 23rd Sept. 1916 No. 45423: 1916, stating they had directed the issue of an Order under seal removing Mr Joseph McNaught from his office as San. Sub-Officer in the Rural District, on the ground of mental infirmity.

Ordered that advertisements be issued for a successor at a salary of £200 per annum as San. Sub Officer and £8 per annum as Inspector of Dairies, the appointment to be made on this day 4 weeks.

It was also ordered that Mr McNaught's salary be paid up to date of his removal.

Record of Sanitary Work performed since the date of last Meeting:—

Number of Orders or Notices to abate Nuisances, make connecting Drains, or perform other Sanitary work, served since last Meeting	...	...	...	...	...	Nil.
Number of Prosecutions for Neglect of Orders or Notices	...	...	...	...	...	Two.
Number of Convictions	"	"	"	...	...	Two.
Amount of Fines imposed by orders of Justices	...	...	...	...	£	: . . :
Fines levied amounting to	...	...	...	...	£	: . . :

Submitted Weekly Return of Duties performed by Sanitary Sub-Officers, showing:—

Number of Houses, Yards, and Premises inspected	...	...	...	...	...	53
Number of Houses, Rooms, or Premises Limewashed	...	...	...	...	...	Nil
Number of Dwellings Disinfected	...	...	...	...	...	Nil
Disinfecting Chamber used by persons	...	...	...	...	...	Nil
Articles of Clothing Disinfected	number	...	...	...	...	..
Clothing and Bedding destroyed by order of the Sanitary Authority to the value of	...	...	...	...	...	£ . . . :

Destruction witnessed by _____ Sanitary Sub-Officer.

The next Meeting of the Council to be held on TUESDAY, the 24th day of October 1916.

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Council.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

Labourers (Ireland) Acts (46 and 47 Vic., Cap. 60, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Strabane Rural District Council No. 2, acting as the Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 26th day of September 1916.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Andrew Lowry Esq., J.P.

Other Councillors present, as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.—9.

Letter from L. G. B. dated 28/8/16 No. L.7005:1916 with regard to the remedying of the defects in the cottages erected in pursuance of the Council's Unopposed & Opposed Orders of 1912, stating they will cause a final inspection to be made as soon as possible by one of their Architects with a view to the advance of the balance of the loan viz: £100.

Further letter from L. G. B. dated 19/9/16 No. L7416/19/1916 forwarding extracts from the report of their Architect Mr King on his recent inspection of above cottages, & expressing surprise at the condition of the cottages thereby disclosed: requesting that the Council take the report into their serious consideration comparing the details regarding each cottage with the recent report of the Council's Architect, Mr Kelly, who should be called on for an explanation in the matter: and adding that the Board are not satisfied that they would be justified in authorising the issue of the balance of the loan until they receive satisfactory assurances from the Council that they will take such steps as may be necessary to have the houses satisfactorily completed.

Ordered that Mr Kelly make a further report to be submitted to the L. G. B. as soon as possible, and also

that he submit a report to the Council's next Meeting on 24th proc.

Letter from Mr Wm Rutherford, Dundee, dated 16/9/16 applying for cottage in Dundee occupied by John Wilkin if same becomes vacant
Read.

Letter from Mr Brown, Rate Collector, St. Johnston, stating tenant John Wilkin of Dundee & his wife are in Scotland & the Rates are unpaid
Mr Alexander, Rent Collector, submitted a letter from the tenant stating he will return from Scotland by the end of October & asking the Guardians to keep his cottage for him till that time.

Ordered that the cottage be kept for him on condition that he pay the rates and return at the end of Octr.

The Office of Public Works forwarded Receivable Order dated 25/9/16 No. 3/44 for £224: 14: 3 instalment of loans.

The following a/c's were submitted & ordered to be paid :-

Hugh Shields, Raphoe Demesne,	Steeple for fencing	1/3 ^{d.}
	One day's work	4/-
Frank McConkell, Maghoreagh,	£7: 12: 0	work at cottages
Robt Hamilton, Killeen,	£1: 15: 0	Do.
John Donnelly, Lifford,	£1: 2: 6	Do.

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Next Meeting to be held on TUESDAY, the 24th day of October 1916.

(Signed), _____
Clerk of the Council.

FORM 26.
(Articles, 7, 8, 49.)

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT No. 2.

Meeting held the 26th day of September 1916.

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the preceding month and the Ledger Entries made in respect of same, as follows :—

TABLE (a.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Labourers Cottage Rents	{	64	7
Small Dwellings Act .. .. .				45	12
Burial Fees			8
Water Rents			
Other Receipts :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Interest allowed by Treasurer :—			
.. on Revenue Account			
.. on Loans			
Total Revenue Receipts	109	19	8
Loans received, viz. :—			
<i>nil.</i>			
Total as above lodged with Treasurer	109	19	8

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the last Finance Meeting, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

Accounts having been duly examined, Payments were ordered as follows, and the Treasurer's Advice Notes were duly signed: those under Article 16 being identified by that number.

TABLE (b.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
Salaries :-			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Office Expenses			
Burial Grounds Expenses			
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges :—			
Repairs	8	3	4
Law and Engineering			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses			
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act			
Sanitary Expenses :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges	2	14	6
Superannuation			
Repayment of Loans :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses of Local Committees :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses under Special Acts :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Intercepting Hospital			
Total Revenue Payments	10	17	10
Expenditure out of Loans, viz. :—			
Total Amount of Orders authorised to be issued			

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ended the last day of Aug 1916

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.			1907 Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.									
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement	168	17	11						
Total sums received to close of last month	109	19	8						
Total	278	17	7						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer, as per last Monthly Statement							143	19	1
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	Nil								
Total	Nil						143	19	1
Net Balance due..... <u>by</u> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	278	17	7				143	19	1
RECONCILEMENT.									
Balance per Bank Book due.. <u>by</u> Treasurer	287	8	7				143	19	1
Outstanding Orders	8	11	0						
Net Balance as above due..... <u>by</u> Treasurer	278	17	7				143	19	1

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of entries made therein, and authenticated the same by his signature:—

1. The Register of Mortgages.
2. The Register of Separate Charges.
3. The Labourers Acts Ledger.
4. The Labourers Acts General Rental.
5. THE MONTHLY ABSTRACT OF Rent Collection and Cash Account as follows:—

Collector's District No.	Date when each Collector attended to have his books checked.	NUMBER OF COTTAGES.		RENT COLLECTION.							COLLECTORS' CASH ACCOUNT.			
		Built.	Let.	Unoccupied.	Arrears due by Tenants at close of last Month.	Rents accrued during the Month.	Total for Collection.	Collected during the Month.	Arrears due by Tenants at close of this Month.	Balance (if any) in hands at close of last Month.	Collected during the Month.	Total to be accounted for by Collector.	Lodged with Treasurer during the Month.	Balance (if any) in hands at close of this Month.
I.	X	216	215	1	4 13 4	63 7 8	68 1 8	64 7 8	3 13 4		64 7 8	64 7 8	64 7 8	
II.		153	152	1	7 1 8	66 7	73 8 8	73 8 8	.		73 8 8	73 8 8	73 8 8	
Totals -		369	367	2	11 15	129 14 8	141 9 8	137 16 4	3 13 4		137 16 4	137 16 4	137 16 4	

The Rent Collection Book and the Report Books of the several Rent Collectors were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

On the Report Books of the several Collectors orders were made in individual cases as follows :

In what Collector's District.	Name of Tenant.	Nature of Report.	Order made by the District Council thereon.

Dated the 24th day of October 1916

(Signed), Andrew Loomy

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STRABANE UNION.

14

RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the District Council, at a ^{Special} Meeting held on TUESDAY,
the 24th day of October 1916

In the Chair, Andrew Lowry Esq J.P.

Other Councillors present marked thus ✓

Bates, John ✓	M'Kinney, Michael ✓
Brolly, James ✓	M'Laughlin, James
Boyle, Charles ✓	M'Nulty, Philip
Campbell, Andrew J. ✓	Moody, Robert ✓
Fleming, Robert J. ✓	Murray, Bernard
Glenn, William ✓	O'Donnell, Hugh
Harte, James ✓	Rankin, David ✓
Henderson, John ✓	Sheldon, William A. ✓
<u>Falbrath W.H. ✓</u>	Stoney, C. R. V., J.P. ✓
Lapeley, James	
Lowry, Andrew ✓	Taylor, John ✓
Lyons, Alexander ✓	Vance, Robert
M'Dermott, John, J.P.	

Total Present, 17.

~~The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.~~

The Clerk produced the Treasurer's Books, showing the dealings during the Month.

The Financial Receipt and Expenditure Books were signed by the Chairman.

~~The Clerk submitted the following Report:—~~

The meeting was specially summoned to appoint a Sanitary Sub. Officer and Inspector of Dairies in place of Mr Joseph McNaught who has been removed from office on account of mental infirmity. The salaries are £20 as Sanitary Sub. Officer and £8 as Inspector of Dairies and the district - Castlphin Dispensary District.

There were three applicants for the positions:-
Mr Charles George Woods of Finn Lodge. Castlphin.
Mr. Ernest Alexander. Coolshin. Castlphin.
Mr. John Williamson. Waterside. Londonderry.

On the motion of Mr Fleming seconded by Mr Glenn it was unanimously decided to appoint Mr Ernest Alexander to both positions. Subject to approval of the Local Govt. Board.

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(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Council.

Strabane Rural District Council No. 2.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

Public Health Acts (41 and 42 Vic., Cap. 52, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the STRABANE No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL, acting as the Sanitary Authority under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held at STRABANE, in the County of Tyrone, on the _____ day of _____ 191

NUMBER OF MEMBERS ON THE COUNCIL, 23.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS PRESENT, _____

In the Chair:—

Other Councillors as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Reports from the Medical Officers of Health of the following Districts, viz. :—

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in the Report Book of the Clerk to the District Council.

The following Reports were submitted under Infectious Disease (Notification) Act, 1889 :—

District.	Name of Medical Practitioner.	Nature of Disease.

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Record of Sanitary Work performed since the date of last Meeting:—

Number of Orders or Notices to abate Nuisances, make connecting Drains, or perform other Sanitary work, served since last Meeting
Number of Prosecutions for Neglect of Orders or Notices	...	...	...	...	...	...
Number of Convictions	..	..	..	..	..	..
Amount of Fines imposed by orders of Justices	...	...	...	£	:	:
Fines levied amounting to	...	...	...	£	:	:

Submitted Weekly Return of Duties performed by Sanitary Sub-Officers, showing:—

Number of Houses, Yards, and Premises inspected	...	...	...	...	...	...
Number of Houses, Rooms, or Premises Limewashed	...	...	...	...	...	...
Number of Dwellings Disinfected	...	...	..	...	...	...
Disinfecting Chamber used by persons	...	...	...	...	...	...
Articles of Clothing Disinfected	number	...	...	...	...	...
Clothing and Bedding destroyed by order of the Sanitary Authority to the value of	...	...	...	...	£	:

Destruction witnessed by _____ Sanitary Sub-Officer.

The next Meeting of the Council to be held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 191

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Council.

Record of Sanitary Work performed since the date of last Meeting:—

Number of Orders or Notices to abate Nuisances, make connecting Drains, or perform other Sanitary work, served since last Meeting	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Number of Prosecutions for Neglect of Orders or Notices	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Number of Convictions	"	"	"	...	...	...	...	...
Amount of Fines imposed by orders of Justices	...	...	...	...	£	:	:	...
Fines levied amounting to	...	...	...	...	£	:	:	...

Submitted Weekly Return of Duties performed by Sanitary Sub-Officers, showing:—

Number of Houses, Yards, and Premises inspected
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Disinfecting Chamber used by persons
Articles of Clothing Disinfected	number
Clothing and Bedding destroyed by order of the Sanitary Authority to the value of	£	:	:

Destruction witnessed by _____ Sanitary Sub-Officer.

The next Meeting of the Council to be held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 191

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Council.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

Labourers (Ireland) Acts (46 and 47 Vic., Cap. 60, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Strabane Rural District Council No. 2, acting as the Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 191 .

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Councillors present, as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

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STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

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PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Councillors present, as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

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Clerk of the Council.

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(Signed), _____
Clerk of the Council.

FORM 26.
(Articles, 7, 8, 49.)

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT No. 2.

Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 191

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the preceding month and the Ledger Entries made in respect of same, as follows :—

TABLE (a.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Labourers Cottage Rents			
Small Dwellings Act			
Burial Fees			
Water Rents			
Other Receipts :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Interest allowed by Treasurer :—			
„ on Revenue Account			
„ on Loans			
Total Revenue Receipts			
Loans received, viz. :—			
Total as above lodged with Treasurer			

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the last Finance Meeting, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

FORM 26.
(Articles, 7, 8, 49.)

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT No. 2.

Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 191

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the preceding month and the Ledger Entries made in respect of same, as follows :—

TABLE (a.)								AMOUNT.		
								£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council :—										
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Labourers Cottage Rents			
Small Dwellings Act			
Burial Fees			
Water Rents			
Other Receipts :—										
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Interest allowed by Treasurer :—										
„ on Revenue Account			
„ on Loans			
Total Revenue Receipts								
Loans received, viz. :—										
Total as above lodged with Treasurer								

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the last Finance Meeting, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of entries made therein, and authenticated the same by his signature:—

- I. The Register of Mortgages.
- 2. The Register of Separate Charges.
- 3. The Labours Acts Ledger.
- 4. The Labours Acts General Rental.
- 5. THE MONTHLY ABSTRACT of Rent Collection and Cash Account as follows:—

Collector's District No.	Date when each Collector attended to have his books checked.	NUMBER OF COTTAGES.			RENT COLLECTION.								COLLECTORS' CASH ACCOUNT.						
		Built.	Let.	Unoccupied.	Arrears due by Tenants at close of last Month.	Rents accrued during the Month.	Total for Collection.	Collected during the Month.	Arrears due by Tenants at close of this Month.	Balance (if any) in hands at close of last Month.	Collected during the Month.	Total to be accounted for by Collector.	Lodged with Treasurer during the Month.	Balance (if any) in hands at close of this Month.					
I.					£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
II.					£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
Totals -					£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d

The Rent Collection Book and the Report Books of the several Rent Collectors were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

On the Report Books of the several Collectors orders were made in individual cases as follows:

In what Collector's District.	Name of Tenant.	Nature of Report.	Order made by the District Council thereon.

SENTINEL, DERRY 20514

Dated the _____ day of _____ 191

(Signed), _____

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of entries made therein, and authenticated the same by his signature :—

1. The Register of Mortgages.
2. The Register of Separate Charges.
3. The Labourers Acts Ledger.
4. The Labourers Acts General Rental.
5. THE MONTHLY ABSTRACT OF Rent Collection and Cash Account as follows :—

Collector's District No.	NUMBER OF COTTAGES.			RENT COLLECTION.						COLLECTORS' CASH ACCOUNT.			
	Built.	Let.	Unoccupied.	Arrears due by Tenants at close of last Month.	Rents accrued during the Month.	Total for Collection.	Collected during the Month.	Arrears due by Tenants at the close of this Month.	Balance (if any) in hands at close of the last Month.	Collected during the Month.	Total to be accounted for by Collector.	Lodged with Treasurer during the Month.	Balance (if any) in hands at close of this Month.
I.				£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d
II.				£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d
Totals -				£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d

The Rent Collection Book and the Report Books of the several Rent Collectors were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

On the Report Books of the several Collectors orders were made in individual cases as follows :

In what Collector's District.	Name of Tenant.	Nature of Report.	Order made by the District Council thereon.

SENTINEL, DERRY 30514

Dated the _____ day of _____ 191

(Signed), _____

RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the District Council, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY,
the 24th day of October 1916.

In the Chair, Andrew Lowry Esq. J. P.

Other Councillors present marked thus ✓

Bates, John	M'Kinney, Michael
Brolly, James ✓	M'Laughlin, James
Boyle, Charles ✓	M'Nulty, Philip
Campbell, Andrew J. ✓	Moody, Robert
Fleming, Robert J. ✓	Murray, Bernard
<u>Galbraith, W.H. ✓</u>	O'Donnell, Hugh ✓
Glenn, William ✓	Rankin, David ✓
Harte, James ✓	Sheldon, William A. ✓
Henderson, John	Stoney, C. R. V., J.P.
Lapsley, James	Taylor, John
Lowry, Andrew ✓	Vance, Robert
Lyons, Alexander	
M'Dermott, John, J.P.	

Total Present, 11.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk produced the Treasurer's Books, showing the dealings during the Month.

The Financial Receipt and Expenditure Books were signed by the Chairman.

The Clerk submitted the following Report:—

Sealed Order was received from the L. S. B. dated 2nd Oct. 1916 No. 45423 removing Joseph McNaught from the office of San. Sub Officer in the Rural District. Ordered that Mr McNaught be paid the salary of San. Sub Officer up to the 2nd Oct. 1916 and also that he be paid his salary as Inspector of Dairies up to the same day when his appointment as such is terminated.

Letter from Mr James L. Brown, St. Johnston, dated the 9th Oct. 1916 that the St. Johnston Committee recommend the acceptance of Mr David Quigley's tender of £7:18:0 for lighting the street lamps of St. Johnston for six months.

Letter from Mr R. J. Whyte, Raphoe, dated the

20th Oct. 1916 that the Raphoe Committee recommend that the street lamps be not lighted this season owing to the extra cost of oil and other materials.

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The next Meeting of Council to be held on TUESDAY, the 28th day of November 1916.

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Council.

Strabane Rural District Council No. 2.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

Public Health Acts (41 and 42 Vic., Cap. 52, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the STRABANE No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL, acting as the Sanitary Authority under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held at STRABANE, in the County of Tyrone, on the 21st day of October 1916.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS ON THE COUNCIL, 23.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS PRESENT, 11

In the Chair:— Andrew Lowry Esq. J. P.

Other Councillors as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Reports from the Medical Officers of Health of the following Districts, viz. :—

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.
<u>Castlefin</u>	<u>Dr Weir.</u>	<u>Surroundings of Ballintraik Pump in a filthy condition.</u>	<u>Consideration adjourned to next meeting, the local Councillors in the meantime to be consulted as to employment of caretakers for this & Castlefin Pumps.</u>

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in the Report Book of the Clerk to the District Council.

The following Reports were submitted under Infectious Disease (Notification) Act, 1889 :—

District.	Name of Medical Practitioner.	Nature of Disease.
	<u>Nil.</u>	

Circular letter from L. G. B. dated 2nd Oct. 1916, No 96 M: 1916, requesting returns showing amounts paid for salaries to Sanitary Officers.

The Clerk submitted these returns which were signed by the Chairman and are sent herewith.

Mr Thos. Cathers' ac of 4/- for repairing two pumps at Raphoe was ordered to be paid.

Mrs. Weir and Snodgrass submitted Forms L for the half year ending 30th ult.

It was decided to have posters published in Raphoe district asking for tenders for taking care of Raphoe waterworks, including the effecting of any minor repairs at a cost not exceeding £2. for a period of three years from 1st January next.

Record of Sanitary Work performed since the date of last Meeting:—

Number of Orders or Notices to abate Nuisances, make connecting Drains, or perform other Sanitary work, served since last Meeting	...	...	...	.
Number of Prosecutions for Neglect of Orders or Notices	...	...	...	.
Number of Convictions	"	"	"	.
Amount of Fines imposed by orders of Justices	...	...	...	£ . : :
Fines levied amounting to	...	...	...	£ . : :

Submitted Weekly Return of Duties performed by Sanitary Sub-Officers, showing:—

Number of Houses, Yards, and Premises inspected	...	...	...	27.
Number of Houses, Rooms, or Premises Limewashed	...	...	...	.
Number of Dwellings Disinfected	...	...	...	.
Disinfecting Chamber used by persons	...	...	...	.
Articles of Clothing Disinfected	number	...	...	.
Clothing and Bedding destroyed by order of the Sanitary Authority to the value of	...	...	...	£ . : :

Destruction witnessed by _____ Sanitary Sub-Officer.

The next Meeting of the Council to be held on TUESDAY, the 28th
day of November 1916.

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Council.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

Labourers (Ireland) Acts (46 and 47 Vic., Cap. 60, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Strabane Rural District Council No. 2, acting as the Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 24th day of October 1916.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Andrew Quiry Esq. J. P.
Other Councillors present, as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Mr P. J. Kelly, Engineer, submitted detailed report with reference to the report of the Local Government Architect on the cottages erected under the last Scheme.

(Copy of this report is enclosed herewith).

Joseph Chambers' ac of £5..9..6 for repairs to cottage at Leansallagh was ordered to be paid.

The following estimates for repairs to cottages were accepted :-

Francis McCorbell £1..8..0 for repairs to chimney of cottage in Ballybun: and
John B. Parker £3..10..0 for repairs to cottage in Raphoe.

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Next Meeting to be held on TUESDAY, the 28th day of November 1916.

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Council.

Form 26.
(Articles, 7, 8, 49.)

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT No. 2.

Meeting held the 24th day of October 1916.

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the preceding month and the Ledger Entries made in respect of same, as follows :—

TABLE (a.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Labourers Cottage Rents	171	18	11
Small Dwellings Act			
Burial Fees			
Water Rents			
Other Receipts :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Interest allowed by Treasurer :—			
.. on Revenue Account			
.. on Loans			
Total Revenue Receipts	171	18	11
Loans received, viz. :—			
<i>Nil.</i>			
Total as above lodged with Treasurer	171	18	11

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the last Finance Meeting, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

Accounts having been duly examined, Payments were ordered as follows, and the Treasurer's Advice Notes were duly signed: those under Article 16 being identified by that number.

TABLE (b.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
Salaries: -			
General Charges	51	6	3
Separate Charges	4	17	6
Office Expenses	1	15	2
Burial Grounds Expenses			
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges:—			
Repairs	10	14	9
Law and Engineering			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses	48	7	8
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act			
Sanitary Expenses:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Superannuation			
Repayment of Loans:—			
General Charges	224	14	3
Separate Charges			
Expenses of Local Committees:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses under Special Acts:—			
General Charges		8	3
Separate Charges			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses:—			
General Charges			7
Separate Charges			
Intercepting Hospital			
Total Revenue Payments	342	4	5
Expenditure out of Loans, viz.:—			
<i>Nil.</i>			
Total Amount of Orders authorised to be issued	342	4	5

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ended the last day of September 1916.

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.			1907 Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.									
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement	278	17	7						
Total sums received to close of last month	171	18	11						
Total	450	16	6						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer, as per last Monthly Statement							143	19	1
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	10	17	10						
Total	10	17	10				143	19	1
Net Balance due <i>by</i> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	439	18	8				143	19	1
RECONCILEMENT									
Balance per Bank Book due <i>by</i> Treasurer	448	4	8				143	19	1
Outstanding Orders	8	6	.						
Net Balance as above due <i>by</i> Treasurer	439	18	8				143	19	1

RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the District Council, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY,
the 28th day of November 1916

In the Chair, *Wm. A. Sheldon Esq.*

Other Councillors present marked thus ✓

Bates, John	M'Kinney, Michael ✓
Brolly, James ✓	M'Laughlin, James
Boyle, Charles ✓	M'Nulty, Philip
Campbell, Andrew J. ✓	Moody, Robert
Fleming, Robert J.	Murray, Bernard
Glenn, William	O'Donnell, Hugh
Harte, James	Rankin, David ✓
Henderson, John ✓	Sheldon, William A. ✓
Lapsley, James	Stoney, C. R. V., J.P.
Lowry, Andrew	Taylor, John
Lyons, Alexander	Vance, Robert
M'Dermott, John, J.P.	

Total Present, 7.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk produced the Treasurer's Books, showing the dealings during the Month.

The Financial Receipt and Expenditure Books were signed by the Chairman.

The Clerk submitted the following Report

Letter from the Local Government Board dated 24th October 1916. No 49727. 1916 enclosing copy of their Auditor's report on his audit of Council's accounts for the half year ended 31. March. 1916.

Read.

Letter from the Local Government Board dated 24th October 1916. No. 50970. 1916 enclosing list of queries for answers respecting the overdue account of Messrs John A. Taylor & Son for work done for Lifford Lighting Committee.

Further letter dated 3. Nov. 1916 No. 51935 to know if the statement of the applicants (Messrs Taylor) that the delay in settling this account is due to the failure of the Lifford Lighting Committee to hold a meeting is correct. Also requesting explanation as to the difference between the amount claimed

£3.18.6 and that passed for payment £3.15.0.

Clark reported he had sent copy of this letter to Lifford Lighting Committee for explanation as to difference of amount and would send it on to Local Government Board.

Approved.

Sealed Order from the Local Govt. Board dated 18th November 1916 No. 57. In. 1916 fixing amount payable in respect of the Audit of Council's accounts.

Ordered that the amount £6.6.0 be paid.

Letter from the Local Government Board dated 31. Oct. 1916 No 51707 enclosing list of queries for answers respecting Mr Ernest Alexander who has been appointed as Sanitary Sub. Officer.

Further letter dated 18th Nov. 1916 No. 53554. 1916 sanctioning Mr Alexander's appointment for probationary period of twelve months as Sanitary Sub. Officer at £20 a year also sanctioning payment of £8 a year to Mr Alexander for acting as Inspector of Dairies.

Letter from the Local Govt. Board dated 27. Nov. 1916 No. 55953. 1916 requesting Council's views in regard to the working of the Summer Time Act 1916.

Consideration adjourned to next meeting.

The Resolution of Kells Urban District Council with reference to the failure of the Potatoe Crop was marked "Read."

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The next Meeting of Council to be held on TUESDAY, the 26th day of December 1916.

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Council.

Strabane Rural District Council No. 2.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

Public Health Acts (41 and 42 Vic., Cap. 52, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the STRABANE No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL, acting as the Sanitary Authority under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held at STRABANE, in the County of Tyrone, on the 28th day of November 1916.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS ON THE COUNCIL, 23.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS PRESENT, 7.In the Chair:— Wm. A. Sheldon Esq.

Other Councillors as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Reports from the Medical Officers of Health of the following Districts, viz.:—

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.
<u>Raphoe.</u>	<u>Dr. Hodgson</u>	<u>Insanitary House of Mrs. J. Clarke.</u>	<u>two weeks notice.</u>
<u>do</u>	<u>do.</u>	<u>Manure Heap too near house at Hugh in Stramagham.</u>	<u>Seven days notice.</u>

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in the Report Book of the Clerk to the District Council.

The following Reports were submitted under Infectious Disease (Notification) Act, 1889:—

District.	Name of Medical Practitioner.	Nature of Disease.
<u>Nil</u>		

The Clerk submitted the Circular Letter of the Local Government Board dated 18. Sept. 1916 No 89. In 1916 with reference to the diseases *Cerebro Spinal Meningitis* and *Poliomyelitis*.

Consideration was adjourned till next meeting.

Mr Stuart, B.S. reported that Mr Hays, the Owner of the field in which the Raphoe Reservoirs are situated has made a drain to carry water from his field. That this lowers the water in the Reservoirs and the result in the summer or dry months may be serious.

Referred to Raphoe Committee.

Mr Stuart's account of £5.18.9 for preparing specification and supervising work in connection with Raphoe Water Works was ordered to be paid.

The Clerk reported he had received three tenders for attending to the duties of caretaker of Raphoe Waterworks. He had sent these to the Local Committee who recommended the acceptance of the lowest, that of Thomas bathers, £8 a year.

The Council accepted this tender.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid:-

John Davison	£14.14.0	Keeping pumps in Repair
F. McGarron.	10/-	Repairing Raphoe Sewers.
Wm J. Lapsley.	15/-	blanning 50.
R. J. Whyte	2/-	Posting Bills

On the motion of Mr. Boyle seconded by Mr McKimney, Daniel Kelly, was appointed caretaker of Casterpin Pumps for one year at £5 a year.

Mr Henderson's proposal to advertise for tenders as done in the case of Raphoe caretaker was not seconded.

The Clerk was directed to ask the Local Plumbers for tenders for repairing bathpin Pumps for a period of one year, supplying all necessary parts etc.

Record of Sanitary Work performed since the date of last Meeting:—

Number of Orders or Notices to abate Nuisances, make connecting Drains, or perform other Sanitary work, served since last Meeting	...	...	4.
Number of Prosecutions for Neglect of Orders or Notices	...	...
Number of Convictions	"	"	"
Amount of Fines imposed by orders of Justices	...	...	£ : :
Fines levied amounting to	...	...	£ : :

Submitted Weekly Return of Duties performed by Sanitary Sub-Officers, showing:—

Number of Houses, Yards, and Premises inspected	...	...	27.
Number of Houses, Rooms, or Premises Limewashed	...	...
Number of Dwellings Disinfected	...	...
Disinfecting Chamber used by persons	...	...
Articles of Clothing Disinfected number	...	...
Clothing and Bedding destroyed by order of the Sanitary Authority to the value of	...	...	£ : :

Destruction witnessed by _____ Sanitary Sub-Officer.

The next Meeting of the Council to be held on TUESDAY, the 26th
day of December 1916

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Council.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

Labourers (Ireland) Acts (46 and 47 Vic., Cap. 60, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Strabane Rural District Council No. 2, acting as the Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 28th day of November 1916.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Wm. A. Sheldon Esq.

Other Councillors present, as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Letter from the Local Government Board dated 15. Nov. 1916 No. L. 9027:1916 that they will not authorize the issue of the balance of the Loan in connection with the 1913 Labourers Order until they are satisfied that the cottages have been properly completed. They will await in the first instance a certificate to that effect from the Engineer.

Work was directed to ask Engineer for certificate.

Similar letter from the Local Govt. Board dated 21st Nov. 1916 No. L5965:1916 with reference to the cultivation of plots by Labourers.

Referred to collector to report tenants who have not their plots cultivated.

Letter from John Ogilby, tenant of cottage in Dooan, complaining of neighbouring tenant Milligan.

Ordered that Rent collector caution Milligan.

Ordered that Rent collector Alexander take steps to recover possession of cottage in Dooan of which John Walker is tenant.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid:—
Joseph Chambers. £1. Repairs to cottages.

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John G. Kincaid	10/-	Repairs to cottages.
Joseph Chambers	7/-	do.
J. McCall	3. 10. 0	do.
J. McCall.	6. 11. 10	do.

The Council accepted Tenders of Joseph Chambers to repair cottage in Ruffee Tomparks at £5.15.0.

The Council directed that Joseph Chambers be asked to tender for repairing cottages in Beltany according to Engineer's specification.

But collector bathers was directed to ask for tenders for repairing floor of cottage in Tyfin occupied by J. McCallum.

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Next Meeting to be held on TUESDAY, the 26th day of December 1913

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Council.

Form 26.
(Articles, 7, 8, 49.)

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT No. 2.

Meeting held the 28th day of November 1916

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the preceding month and the Ledger Entries made in respect of same, as follows :—

TABLE (a)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council :—			
General Charges	66	5	.
Separate Charges	62	5	.
Labourers Cottage Rents	99	.	8.
Small Dwellings Act			
Burial Fees			
Water Rents			
Other Receipts :—			
General Charges		4	4.
Separate Charges			
Interest allowed by Treasurer :—			
„ on Revenue Account			
„ on Loans			
Total Revenue Receipts	227	15	.
Loans received, viz. :—			
Total as above lodged with Treasurer	227	15	.

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the last Finance Meeting, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

Accounts having been duly examined, Payments were ordered as follows, and the Treasurer's Advice Notes were duly signed: those under Article 16 being identified by that number.

TABLE (b.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
Salaries:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Office Expenses	1	6	3.
Burial Grounds Expenses			
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges:—			
Repairs	5	9	6.
Law and Engineering			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses			
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act			
Sanitary Expenses:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges	14	5	1.
Superannuation			
Repayment of Loans:—			
General Charges	501	9	6.
Separate Charges			
Expenses of Local Committees:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses under Special Acts:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses:—			
General Charges	6	6	.
Separate Charges			
Intercepting Hospital			
Total Revenue Payments	528	16	4
Expenditure out of Loans, viz.:—			
Total Amount of Orders authorised to be issued	528	16	4

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ended the last day of October 1916.

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.			1907 Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.									
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement	439	18	8						
Total sums received to close of last month	227	15	.						
Total	667	13	8						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer, as per last Monthly Statement							143	19	1
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	342	4	5						
Total	342	4	5				143	19	1
Net Balance due by Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	325	9	3				Dr.		
RECONCILEMENT							143	19	1
Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer	571	9	6				143	19	1
Outstanding Orders	246	.	3						
Net Balance as above due Treasurer	325	9	3				143	19	1

RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the District Council, at a Meeting held on ^{Wednesday} TUESDAY, the 27th day of December 1916

In the Chair, Wm. A. Sheldon Esq.

Other Councillors present marked thus ✓

- | | |
|-----------------------|------------------------|
| Bates, John ✓ | M'Kinney, Michael |
| Brolly, James | M'Laughlin, James ✓ |
| Boyle, Charles | M'Nulty, Philip |
| Campbell, Andrew J. ✓ | Moody, Robert |
| Fleming, Robert J. ✓ | Murray, Bernard ✓ |
| Glenn, William | O'Donnell, Hugh |
| Harte, James | Rankin, David |
| Henderson, John ✓ | Sheldon, William A. ✓ |
| Lapsley, James | Stoney, C. R. V., J.P. |
| Lowry, Andrew | Taylor, John ✓ |
| Lyons, Alexander ✓ | Vance, Robert ✓ |
| M'Dermott, John, J.P. | Yalworth W.H. ✓ |

Total Present, 11.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk produced the Treasurer's Books, showing the dealings during the Month.

The Financial Receipt and Expenditure Books were signed by the Chairman.

~~The Clerk produced the Voluntary Report~~

As Tuesday the 26th December, the day on which the Council Meeting should have been held was a Bank Holiday, the meeting was summoned for to-day 27th December.

The meeting was specially summoned to consider the estimate and demand for the year 1917-1918. The Clerk submitted the Estimate which was approved. Signed by the Chairman and ordered to be sealed.

(Duplicate Copy Sent herewith.)

The Clerk submitted Bills of costs from Messrs Wilson and Simms Solicitors, amounting to £10.10.0. The Council decided not to send the Bills for taxation and referred them to the Clerk to settle with Solicitors.

With reference to the circular letter of the Local Government Board dated 27. Nov. 1916 No 55953 the Council decided to reply that they were not in favour of the Summit Time Act being renewed in 1917 and other years.

Letter from the Local Government Board dated 29. Nov. 1916 No. 57885, acknowledging receipt of Paying Order for £6.6.0 - Audit 422.

Letters from the Local Govt. Board dated 23rd Nov. 1916 No 57065 4th December 1916 No 58090 and 20th Dec. 1916 No 59232 with reference to the acceptance by the Council of a tender for road maintenance other than the lowest were adjourned for consideration to the Half Yearly meeting in the month of May.

Letter from the Local Government Board dated 8 Dec 1916 No. 58749 extending time for payment of Messrs Taylor & Sons account of £3. 15. 10.

Letter from the Secretary of the Donegal County Council dated 13th Dec. 1916 enclosing copy of provisional declaration that in the County there be no roads transmitted as main roads.

Approved.

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January 1917.

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Council.

with reference to the Circular letter of the Local Government Board dated 18. Sep. 1916 relative to Cerebro Spinal Meningitis and Poliomyelitis. Mr Sheldon gave notice of motion that on this day month he will move that these diseases be declared compulsorily notifiable under the Infectious Diseases (Notification) Act 1889.

Sheldon reported he had asked the Local Plumbers to tender for keeping 6 bathpans Pumps in repair, but had only received one reply - from Mr John Davison. Mr Davison stated he would not be prepared to enter into a contract unless the Pump at the Diamond were put into a safe condition by fitting new supports etc.

Ordered that Mr Davison be asked for a quotation for putting the pump in a safe condition.

Mr Donnelly reported that the Pump at Mr Harpur's bathpan, ~~requires~~ requires repairs.

Ordered that Mr Boyle D.C. be asked to employ a local man to fix this pump.

Sanitary Sub. Officer Y. S. Alexander reported that James Laird, Mountstomies, has not yet carried out the repairs ordered for his house.

Referred to the Solicitors.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

Labourers (Ireland) Acts (46 and 47 Vic., Cap. 60, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Strabane Rural District Council No. 2, acting as the Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on ~~TUESDAY~~ ^{Wednesday} the 27th day of December 1916.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Wm. A. Sheldon Esq.

Other Councillors present, as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Mr P. J. Kelly, Engineer, reported (date 23.12.16) that he has not been able to complete the Ballymore cottages. If possible he will have work done for next meeting.
Read.

Mr George McDermott, Ballymore, submitted an account £3.5.0 for repairing cottages in Biddston and Drumlum.

The account was ordered to be sent to Mr. Kelly, Engineer.

The Tender of Mr Joseph Chambers £2.11.6 for repairs to cottage No. 276 at Beltany was accepted.

Another tender from same person to repair four cottages in Beltany £152.18.0 was adjourned for consideration to next meeting.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid :-
£. to Gorkill £6.12.0 and £1.5.0 Repairs to Cottages.

Rent Collector Gleason reported that the sidewall of cottage in Carrickmore occupied by Michael Houston is cracked from top to bottom.

Ordered that Engineer be asked to examine and report.

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(Signed), _____
Clerk of the Council.

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(Articles, 7, 8, 49.)

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT No. 2.

Meeting held the 27th day of December 1916.

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the preceding month and the Ledger Entries made in respect of same, as follows :—

TABLE (a.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Labourers Cottage Rents	40	.	2
Small Dwellings Act			
Burial Fees			
Water Rents			
Other Receipts :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Interest allowed by Treasurer :—			
.. on Revenue Account			
.. on Loans			
Total Revenue Receipts	40	.	2
Loans received, viz. :—			
Total as above lodged with Treasurer	40	.	2

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the last Finance Meeting, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

Accounts having been duly examined, Payments were ordered as follows, and the Treasurer's Advice Notes were duly signed: those under Article 16 being identified by that number.

TABLE (b.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
Salaries:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Office Expenses			
Burial Grounds Expenses			
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges:—			
Repairs	11	19	8
Law and Engineering			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses			
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act			
Sanitary Expenses:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges	20	12	9
Superannuation			
Repayment of Loans:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses of Local Committees:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses under Special Acts:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses:—			
General Charges	2	10	.
Separate Charges	3	15	10
Intercepting Hospital			
Total Revenue Payments	38	18	3
Expenditure out of Loans, viz.:—			
Total Amount of Orders authorised to be issued	38	18	3

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ended the last day of November 1916.

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.			1907 Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.									
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement	325	9	3						
Total sums received to close of last month	40	.	2						
Total	365	9	5						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer, as per last Monthly Statement							143	19	1
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	528	16	4						
Total	528	16	4				143	19	1
Net Balance due ^{to} Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	163	6	11				143	19	1
RECONCILEMENT.									
Balance per Bank Book due ^{by} Treasurer	383	1	11				143	19	1
Outstanding Orders	546	8	10						
Net Balance as above due ^{to} Treasurer	163	6	11				143	19	1

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of entries made therein, and authenticated the same by his signature:—
 1. The Register of Mortgages. 2. The Register of Separate Charges. 3. The Labourers Acts Ledger. 4. The Labourers Acts General Rental.
 5. THE MONTHLY ABSTRACT of Rent Collection and Cash Account as follows:—

Collector's District No.	NUMBER OF COTTAGES.			RENT COLLECTION.						COLLECTORS' CASH ACCOUNT.					
	Built.	Let.	Unoccupied.	Arrears due by Tenants at close of last Month.	Rents accrued during the Month.	Total for Collection.	Collected during the Month.	Arrears due by Tenants at close of this Month.	Balance (if any) in hands at close of last Month.	Collected during the Month.	Total to be accounted for by Collector.	Lodged with Treasurer during the Month.	Balance (if any) in hands at close of this Month.		
I.	216	216	✓		63 6	63 6	59 12 8	3 13 4	8 7 8	59 12 8	68 . 4		68 . 4		
II.	153	151	2		44 . 8	44 . 8	40 . 2 4 . 6			40 . 2 40 . 2	40 . 2				
Totals -	369.	367	2		107 6 8	107 6 8	99 12 10	7 13 10	8 7 8	99 12 10	108 . 6 40 . 2		68 . 4		

The Rent Collection Book and the Report Books of the several Rent Collectors were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

On the Report Books of the several Collectors orders were made in individual cases as follows:

In what Collector's District.	Name of Tenant.	Nature of Report.	Order made by the District Council thereon.
		X. Rent collector Gathers reported he did not get collection lodged in time owing to illness. (£67. 12. 8 lodged in Dec.) WAT	

Dated the 23rd day of January 1914

(Signed), Andrew Long

STRABANE UNION.

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RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the District Council, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY,
the 23rd day of January 1917.

In the Chair, Andrew Lowry Esq J.P.

Other Councillors present marked thus ✓

Bates, John	M·Kinney, Michael ✓
Brolly, James ✓	M·Laughlin, James
Boyle, Charles	M·Nulty, Philip ✓
Campbell, Andrew J.	Moody, Robert ✓
Fleming, Robert J. ✓	Murray, Bernard
Glenn, William ✓	O'Donnell, Hugh ✓
Harte, James ✓	Rankin, David
Henderson, John ✓	Sheldon, William A. ✓
Lapsley, James	Stoney, C. R. V., J.P. ✓
Lowry, Andrew ✓	Taylor, John
Lyons, Alexander	Vance, Robert ✓
M·Dermott, John, J.P.	<u>Galbraith W. H. ✓</u>

Total Present, 14.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk produced the Treasurer's Books, showing the dealings during the Month.

The Financial Receipt and Expenditure Books were signed by the Chairman.

The Clerk submitted the following Report:—

The clerk reported he had been summoned to rejoin the Army and asked leave of absence till Council's next meeting. He nominated the Assistant Clerk, Mr D. F. Russell, to act for him in his absence.

Approved. Leave granted.

The meeting was specially summoned to consider the letter of the Local Government Board dated 17. Jan. 1917 No. 10/1917 with reference to supplying seed potatoes oats and manure to the occupiers of small holdings and labourers cottages.

It was unanimously resolved that be. the Strabane No. 2 Rural District Council, at this, a special, meeting called at the request of the Local Government Board for Ireland to consider the question of

The adoption of a scheme for supplying seed potatoes
 seed oats and manure to the occupiers of small holdings
 and Labourers cottages in our District with a view to
 increasing the food supply in the country during the
 continuance of the War do hereby instruct our Chairman
 to communicate with the Military Authorities as to
 whether our block will be available to assist us in the
 carrying out of this Scheme and we adjourn the
 consideration of the adoption of the Scheme pending
 their reply.

Instructions were given for notices to be
 published in the district inviting applications from
 occupiers of cottages and small holdings for seed
 and manure.

Bicircular Letter from the Local Government
 Board dated 22. Jan'y. 1917 No. 14. M. with reference
 to provision of allotments.

Read.

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_____ 191

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Council.

Mr Sheldon proposed in pursuance of notice of motion that the Council declare the diseases known as cerebro spinal meningitis and Poliomyelitis to be compulsorily notifiable under the Infectious Disease (Notification) Act 1889. This was seconded by the Chairman and passed subject to the approval of the Local Government Board.

Mr Davison, Plumber. Skelone submitted a quotation for repairing pump at Bosthpi, erecting three new oak stays and two heavy oak slats for base of pump - £ 6. 10. 0.

This quotation was accepted. provided the price includes the sinking of pump an extra 10 feet.

Letter from Sanitary Sub officer that Pump in the Diamond. Bosthpi. is out of order.

No order made.

Record of Sanitary Work performed since the date of last Meeting:—

	E. Alexander	L.S. Alexander
Number of Orders or Notices to abate Nuisances, make connecting Drains, or perform other Sanitary work, served since last Meeting	7.	
Number of Prosecutions for Neglect of Orders or Notices		
Number of Convictions " " " "		
Amount of Fines imposed by orders of Justices	£ :	:
Fines levied amounting to	£ :	:

Submitted Weekly Return of Duties performed by Sanitary Sub-Officers, showing:—

Number of Houses, Yards, and Premises inspected	76.	30.
Number of Houses, Rooms, or Premises Limewashed		
Number of Dwellings Disinfected		
Disinfecting Chamber used by persons		
Articles of Clothing Disinfected number		
Clothing and Bedding destroyed by order of the Sanitary Authority to the value of	£ :	:

Destruction witnessed by _____ Sanitary Sub-Officer.

The next Meeting of the Council to be held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 191

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Council.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

Labourers (Ireland) Acts (46 and 47 Vic., Cap. 60, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Strabane Rural District Council No. 2, acting as the Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 23rd day of January 1917.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Andrew Lowry Esq J.P.

Other Councillors present, as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Letter from the Local Govt. Board dated 2nd January 1917 No. L 10979. 1916 enclosing letter received from Frank Irvine relative to the tenancies of two adjoining Labourers Cottages.

Ordered that the L. G. Board be informed the Council are of the opinion there is no foundation for the complaints contained in Irvine's letter.

[Letter returned herewith.]

Letter from Mr H. Brown. Rate Collector. That Catherine Ballin and Bernard Donnelly, tenants of cottages, have not paid their rates.

Ordered that Rent Collectors warn these tenants that if rates are not paid they will be evicted.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid:-

Yonel McGoal.	£1. 5. 0	Repairs to cottages.
Samuel Barr.	15. 0	50.

The tender of J. McGoal to repair cottage in Typpin for £4.5.0 was accepted.

Yonel McGoal's tender of £7 to repair cottage No. 201 was refused.

Mrs Bryson, tenant of cottage in Ringsend, appeared before the Council and explained that the paling posts of fence around her plot had rotted away and requested the Council to erect new fence.

Ordered that paling posts be provided and thorn quicks set subject to the approval of the Local Government Board.

Ordered that clerk write Margaret McElhinney, tenant of a cottage, warning her against the destruction of hedge between her plot and land of adjoining farmer.

Sanitary Sub. Officer E. Alexander reported he had served notices on 19 tenants of labourers cottages to abate nuisances. That all but 7 had been abated. He gave chymist's names.

Referred to Rent collector.

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Next Meeting to be held on TUESDAY, the 27th day of February 1917

(Signed), Wm. H. Ingram
Clerk of the Council.

Form 26.
(Articles, 7, 8, 49.)

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT No. 2.

Meeting held the 23rd day of July 1917.

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the preceding month and the Ledger Entries made in respect of same, as follows :—

TABLE (a.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Labourers Cottage Rents	178	8	6.
Small Dwellings Act			
Burial Fees			
Water Rents			
Other Receipts :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Interest allowed by Treasurer :—			
" on Revenue Account			
" on Loans			
Total Revenue Receipts	178	8	6
Loans received, viz. :—			
Total as above lodged with Treasurer	178	8	6.

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the last Finance Meeting, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

Accounts having been duly examined, Payments were ordered as follows, and the Treasurer's Advice Notes were duly signed: those under Article 16 being identified by that number.

TABLE (b.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
Salaries:—			
General Charges	45	6	9
Separate Charges	4	0	10
Office Expenses	9	17	1
Burial Grounds Expenses			
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges:—			
Repairs	7	17	
Law and Engineering			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses			
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act			
Sanitary Expenses:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges	2	13	10
Superannuation			
Repayment of Loans:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses of Local Committees:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses under Special Acts:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses:—			
General Charges		2	6
Separate Charges			
Intercepting Hospital			
Total Revenue Payments	69	18	.
Expenditure out of Loans, viz.:—			
Total Amount of Orders authorised to be issued	69	18	.

Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ended the last day of December 1916.

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.			1907 Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.									
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement									
Total sums received to close of last month	178	8	6						
Total	178	8	6						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer, as per last Monthly Statement	163	6	11				143	19	1
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	38	18	3						
Total	202	5	2				143	19	1
Net Balance due ^{to} Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	23	16	8				143	19	1
RECONCILEMENT.									
Balance per Bank Book due ^{by} Treasurer		18	1				143	19	1
Outstanding Orders	24	14	9						
Net Balance as above due ^{to} Treasurer	23	16	8				143	19	1

RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the District Council, at a ^{Special} Meeting held on TUESDAY,
the 13th day of Febry. 1917.

In the Chair, Andrew Lowry Esq., J.P.

Other Councillors present marked thus ✓

Bates, John	M'Kinney, Michael
Brolly, James ✓	M'Laughlin, James
Boyle, Charles ✓	M'Nulty, Philip ✓
Campbell, Andrew J.	Moody, Robert
Fleming, Robert J.	Murray, Bernard ✓
Glenn, William ✓	O'Donnell, Hugh
Harte, James	Rankin, David
Henderson, John ✓	Sheldon, William A. ✓
Lapsley, James	Stoney, C. R. V., J.P.
Lowry, Andrew ✓	Taylor, John
Lyons, Alexander	Vance, Robert
M'Dermott, John, J.P. ✓	

Total Present, 9.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk produced the Treasurer's Books, showing the dealings during the Month.

The Financial Receipt and Expenditure Books were signed by the Chairman.

The Clerk submitted the following Report:—

The Meeting was specially summoned to consider applications for supplies of seed potatoes oats and manure from occupiers of small holdings and tenants of Labourers' Cottages.

The Clerk reported he had received eight applications from tenants of Labourers' cottages and five applications from occupiers of small holdings.

On the motion of Mr McDermott, seconded by Mr Boyle, it was unanimously resolved to ask the L. G. Board and Dept. of Agriculture to extend the time for sending on the applications to a date subsequent to the 27th inst., as they consider the time allowed was too short, and they expected to get a good many more applications.

Dated the 27th February 1917.

Andrew Lowry

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The next Meeting of Council to be held on TUESDAY, the 27th day of

February 1917.

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Council.

Strabane Rural District Council No. 2.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

Public Health Acts (41 and 42 Vic., Cap. 52, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the STRABANE No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL, acting as the Sanitary Authority under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held at STRABANE, in the County of Tyrone, on the _____ day of _____ 191

NUMBER OF MEMBERS ON THE COUNCIL, 23.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS PRESENT, _____

In the Chair:—

Other Councillors as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Reports from the Medical Officers of Health of the following Districts, viz. :—

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in the Report Book of the Clerk to the District Council.

The following Reports were submitted under Infectious Disease (Notification) Act, 1889:—

District.	Name of Medical Practitioner.	Nature of Disease.

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Record of Sanitary Work performed since the date of last Meeting:—

Number of Orders or Notices to abate Nuisances, make connecting Drains, or perform other Sanitary work, served since last Meeting
Number of Prosecutions for Neglect of Orders or Notices	...	...	...	...	...	...
Number of Convictions	"	"	"	...	...	...
Amount of Fines imposed by orders of Justices	...	...	...	£	:	:
Fines levied amounting to	...	...	...	£	:	:

Submitted Weekly Return of Duties performed by Sanitary Sub-Officers, showing:—

Number of Houses, Yards, and Premises inspected	...	...	...	...	...	...
Number of Houses, Rooms, or Premises Limewashed	...	...	...	...	...	...
Number of Dwellings Disinfected	...	...	...	...	...	...
Disinfecting Chamber used by	persons	...	...	...	...	...
Articles of Clothing Disinfected	number	...	...	...	...	...
Clothing and Bedding destroyed by order of the Sanitary Authority to the value of	...	...	...	...	£	:

Destruction witnessed by _____ Sanitary Sub-Officer.

The next Meeting of the Council to be held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 191

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Council.

Record of Sanitary Work performed since the date of last Meeting :—

Number of Orders or Notices to abate Nuisances, make connecting Drains, or perform other Sanitary work, served since last Meeting	...	...	...	...	...	...
Number of Prosecutions for Neglect of Orders or Notices	...	...	...	...	...	...
Number of Convictions	"	"	"	...	...	...
Amount of Fines imposed by orders of Justices	...	...	...	£	:	:
Fines levied amounting to	...	...	...	£	:	:

Submitted Weekly Return of Duties performed by Sanitary Sub-Officers, showing:—

Number of Houses, Yards, and Premises inspected	...	...	...	...	...	...
Number of Houses, Rooms, or Premises Limewashed	...	...	...	...	...	...
Number of Dwellings Disinfected	...	...	...	...	...	...
Disinfecting Chamber used by persons	...	...	...	...	...	...
Articles of Clothing Disinfected	number	...	...	...	...	...
Clothing and Bedding destroyed by order of the Sanitary Authority to the value of	...	...	...	...	£	:

Destruction witnessed by _____ Sanitary Sub-Officer.

The next Meeting of the Council to be held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 191

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Council.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

Labourers (Ireland) Acts (46 and 47 Vic., Cap. 60, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Strabane Rural District Council No. 2, acting as the Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 191 .

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Councillors present, as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

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STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

Labourers (Ireland) Acts (46 and 47 Vic., Cap. 60, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Strabane Rural District Council No. 2, acting as the Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 191 .

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Councillors present, as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

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Next Meeting to be held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 191

(Signed), _____
Clerk of the Council.

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Next Meeting to be held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 191

(Signed), _____
Clerk of the Council.

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(Articles, 7, 8, 49.)

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT No. 2.

Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 191

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the preceding month and the Ledger Entries made in respect of same, as follows :—

TABLE (a.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council :—			
General Charges	66	5	
Separate Charges	62	5	
Labourers Cottage Rents	102	18	4
Small Dwellings Act			
Burial Fees			
Water Rents			
Other Receipts :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Interest allowed by Treasurer :—			
on Revenue Account			
on Loans			
Total Revenue Receipts	231	8	4
Loans received, viz. :—			
Total as above lodged with Treasurer	231	8	4

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the last Finance Meeting, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

Form 26.
(Articles, 7, 8, 49.)

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT No. 2.

Meeting held the 27 day of March 1917.

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the preceding month and the Ledger Entries made in respect of same, as follows :—

TABLE (a.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Labourers Cottage Rents	1024	12	8
Small Dwellings Act			
Burial Fees			
Water Rents			
Other Receipts :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Interest allowed by Treasurer :—			
" on Revenue Account			
" on Loans			
Total Revenue Receipts	1024	12	8
Loans received, viz. :—			
Total as above lodged with Treasurer	1024	12	8

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the last Finance Meeting, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

Accounts having been duly examined, Payments were ordered as follows, and the Treasurer's Advice Notes were duly signed: those under Article 16 being identified by that number.

TABLE (b.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
Salaries: -			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Office Expenses			
Burial Grounds Expenses			
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges:—			
Repairs			
Law and Engineering			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses			
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act			
Sanitary Expenses:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Superannuation			
Repayment of Loans:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses of Local Committees:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses under Special Acts:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Intercepting Hospital			
Total Revenue Payments			
Expenditure out of Loans, viz.:—			
Total Amount of Orders authorised to be issued			

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ended the last day of _____ 191

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.			1907 Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.									
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement									
Total sums received to close of last month	231	8	4						
Total	231	8	4						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer, as per last Monthly Statement	23	16	8				143	19	1.
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	69	18							
Total	93	14	8				143	19	1
Net Balance due...../.....Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	137	13	8						
RECONCILEMENT.									
Balance per Bank Book due...../.....Treasurer	141	5	6				143	19	1
Outstanding Orders	3	4	10						
Net Balance as above due Treasurer	137	13	8				143	19	1

Accounts having been duly examined, Payments were ordered as follows, and the Treasurer's Advice Notes were duly signed: those under Article 16 being identified by that number.

TABLE (b.)							AMOUNT.		
							£	s.	d.
Salaries:—									
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Office Expenses			
Burial Grounds Expenses			
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges:—									
Repairs			
Law and Engineering			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses			
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act			
Sanitary Expenses:—									
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Superannuation			
Repayment of Loans:—									
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses of Local Committees:—									
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses under Special Acts:—									
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses:—									
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Intercepting Hospital			
Total Revenue Payments							
Expenditure out of Loans, viz.:—									
Total Amount of Orders authorised to be issued							

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ended the last day of Feb 1917.

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.			1907 Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.									
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement	137	13	8						
Total sums received to close of last month	1024	12	8						
Total	242	6	4						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer, as per last Monthly Statement									
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	6	15	0						
Total	6	15	0						
Net Balance due.....Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	235	11	4						
RECONCILEMENT.									
Balance per Bank Book due.....Treasurer	241	17	4						
Outstanding Orders	6	5	0						
Net Balance as above due.....Treasurer	241	11	4						

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The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of entries made therein, and authenticated the same by his signature:—
 1. The Register of Mortgages. 2. The Register of Separate Charges. 3. The Labourers Acts Ledger. 4. The Labourers Acts General Rental.
 5. THE MONTHLY ABSTRACT of Rent Collection and Cash Account as follows:—

Collector's District No.	Date when each Collector attended to have his books checked.	NUMBER OF COTTAGES.		RENT COLLECTION.					COLLECTORS' CASH ACCOUNT.					
		Built.	Let.	Unoccupied.	Arrears due by Tenants at close of last Month.	Rents accrued during the Month.	Total for Collection.	Collected during the Month.	Arrears due by Tenants at the close of this Month.	Balance (if any) in hands at close of last Month.	Collected during the Month.	Total to be accounted for by Collector.	Lodged with Treasurer during the Month.	Balance (if any) in hands at close of this Month.
I.					£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d
II.					£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d
Totals -					£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d

The Rent Collection Book and the Report Books of the several Rent Collectors were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

On the Report Books of the several Collectors orders were made in individual cases as follows:

In what Collector's District.	Name of Tenant.	Nature of Report.	Order made by the District Council thereon.

Dated the _____ day of _____ 191

(Signed),

STRABANE UNION.

RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the District Council, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY,
the 27 day of Febry. 1917.

In the Chair, Andrew Lowry Esq. J.P.

Other Councillors present marked thus ✓

Bates, John	M'Kinney, Michael ✓
Brolly, James ✓	M'Laughlin, James
Boyle, Charles ✓	M'Nulty, Philip
Campbell, Andrew J.	Moody, Robert ✓
Fleming, Robert J. ✓	Murray, Bernard
Glenn, William ✓	O'Donnell, Hugh ✓
Harte, James ✓	Rankin, David
Henderson, John ✓	Sheldon, William A. ✓
Lapsley, James	Stoney, C. R. V., J.P.
Lowry, Andrew ✓	Taylor, John
Lyons, Alexander	Vance, Robert ✓
M'Dermott, John, J.P. ✓	<u>Galbraith, W.H. ✓</u>

Total Present, 14.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk produced the Treasurer's Books, showing the dealings during the Month.

The Financial Receipt and Expenditure Books were signed by the Chairman.

~~The Clerk submitted the following Report:—~~

The Clerk reported receipt of Preliminary
notice of application for compensation for criminal
injury from Samuel Lyons of Lismoghery - £50.
Referred to Solicitors to oppose.

Letter from Mr John Early, caretaker of Lifford
Waterworks requesting an increase of salary.
Read.

Sprabane No. 2 Rural District Council.

Seed Potatoes, Oats + Manure Supply.

Minutes of Special Meeting held on Tuesday
27th Feby. 1917.

In the Chair: Andrew Lowry Esq., J.P.

Other Councillors present as per ordinary
Minute Sheet.

The Clerk reported he had received three applications for above from small holders + 21 applications from tenants of labourers' cottages; the total amount of the applications amounting to 13½ cwt Oats, 79 cwt potatoes, + 33 cwt. manure.

The Council decided, owing to the small number of applicants, to proceed no further with the proposed Scheme.

Dated the 27th day of March, 1917.

~~Clerk of the Council.~~

Andrew Lowry Chairman.

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The next Meeting of Council to be held on TUESDAY, the 27th day of March 1917.

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Council.

Strabane Rural District Council No. 2.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

Public Health Acts (41 and 42 Vic., Cap. 52, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the STRABANE NO. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL, acting as the Sanitary Authority under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held at STRABANE, in the County of Tyrone, on the 27th day of February 1917.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS ON THE COUNCIL, 23.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS PRESENT, 14.

In the Chair:— Andrew Lowry Esq. J.P.

Other Councillors as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Reports from the Medical Officers of Health of the following Districts, viz.:—

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.
<u>Raphoe</u>	<u>Dr Snodgrass</u>	<u>Dwellinghouse in Gortadrigley unfit for human habitation.</u>	<u>One month's notice.</u>
<u>Do.</u>	<u>Do.</u>	<u>House of James Quinn, Raphoe in filthy state.</u>	<u>One week's notice.</u>

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in the Report Book of the Clerk to the District Council.

The following Reports were submitted under Infectious Disease (Notification) Act, 1889:—

District.	Name of Medical Practitioner.	Nature of Disease.
<u>Raphoe.</u>	<u>Dr Snodgrass.</u>	<u>1 case Diphtheria.</u>

Letter from L. G. B. dated 27th Jan. 1917 No. 4544 approving of the resolution of the Council declaring Cerebro Spinal Meningitis + Poliomyelitis diseases compulsorily notifiable permanently; requesting to be informed of the date fixed by the Council on which this extension shall come into operation + requesting also to be furnished with copies of the newspapers + copy of the handbill containing advertisement on the subject.

The Council fixed the 1st April next as the date from which their resolution should take effect, + the Clerk was directed to have posters published through the District + advertisements issued in the local newspapers.

Ordered that the following a/c be paid:-

Thomas Bathers, Raphoe, 3/-; repairs to Raphoe waterworks.

Mr J. S. Alexander, San. Sub Officer, reported that James Laird of Montertinney was prosecuted at Raphoe Petty Sessions on 27th Jan. for insanitary house and was fined 10/- and 10/- costs.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

Labourers (Ireland) Acts (46 and 47 Vic., Cap. 60, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Strabane Rural District Council No. 2, acting as the Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 27th day of Febry. 1917.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Andrew Lowry Esq. J.P.

Other Councillors present, as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Letter from L. G. B. dated 30th Jan. 1917 No. 2748/191, that they will not raise any objection to the Council's proposal to provide paling posts & thorn quinces in connection with the fencing of the cottage plot at Ringsend.

Letter from L. G. B. dated 1st Feb. 1917, No. 2990, that the Rent Collectors should be required to furnish reports on the 21st Febry & 21st March showing as regards each tenant in their respective districts what has been or is being done in the matter of tillage of the plots this season. A further report should be obtained on the 21st April setting forth the names of the tenants who may have failed to fulfil their legal obligations in regard to tilling their plots.

The Clerk reported he had communicated with the Rent Collectors and asked each to have this report for the meeting.

Mr J. S. Alexander, Rent Collector, submitted report with reference to the cottages in his district.

Mr A. H. Cathers, rent collector, did not submit any report.

Ordered that the L. G. B. be informed that there are a number of tenants who have grown

potatoes in their plots several years & now have them laid out in first or second year's grass, & have got land from the neighbouring farmers for potatoes, & that they be asked to inform the Council if these tenants will have to cultivate their plots.

Mr P. J. Kelly, Engineer, reported he had the cottages in Ballynabreen completed according to the recommendations of the local Councillors. He applied for payment of his a/c of £3:3:0 for inspections of cottages at Beltony & Castlefin.

Ordered that this a/c be paid.

Mr Kelly also reported that he had inspected the cottage in Carrickmore occupied by Michl. Houston. He finds there has been a considerable settlement in the main back wall which has caused a serious crack in the foundations extending over the windows to the eaves. He recommended that the gable should be rebuilt from founds up, arches & opes rebuilt & the gable & back wall plastered in cement. He suggested this work should be done by direct labour.

Referred to the local District Councillors to get quotations.

There were complaints from Mr Saml ^{McBlain} Kelly & Mr Andrew Hetherington, tenants of two new cottages in Ballyholey, complaining that their cottages are not correctly finished.

The Engineer reported that there was no cause for complaint.

Complaint from Mr Philip Gallen of Gortnagrace of smoke in his cottage.

Ordered that the Rent Collector get quotations to fix the flues.

Complaint from Francis Irwin, tenant of cottage in Kilmonaster, with reference to neighbouring tenant.

Read.

Mr Alex Brown, Rate collector, St. Johnston reported that Bernard Donnelly, tenant of cottage in Lifford Commons had paid no attention to the warning about non-payment of rates.

No action taken.

There were two applications for vacant cottages.

Referred to the local District Councillors in each case.

The following apes were ordered to be paid:-

Joseph Chambers.	9/4	Repairs to cottage.
Do.	£2: 11: 6	Do.
J. Mcorkell	1: 17: 9	Do.
Do	1: 18: 4	Do.
Wm. McLaughlin	10/-	Do.

On the motion of Mr Harte, seconded by Mr Boyle, it was ordered that Mr McCaffrey, Strabane, be asked to measure the plot attached to Labourers cottage in the townland of Doochan occupied by John Ogilby, and the plot attached to adjoining cottage, and report to the Council.

Mr Batters, Rent Collector, was ordered to have the floor of cottage in Ballylast occupied by Thos. Burns repaired at a cost not exceeding £5.

It was ordered that the clerk caution Mrs Marjorie Gibson, tenant of cottage in Magherabony, against interfering with the fences of adjoining farmers.

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Next Meeting to be held on TUESDAY, the 27th day of March 1917.

(Signed), _____
Clerk of the Council.

FORM 26.
(Articles, 7, 8, 49.)

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT No. 2.

Meeting held the 27th day of February 1917.

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the preceding month and the Ledger Entries made in respect of same, as follows :—

TABLE (a.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council :—			
General Charges	66	5	.
Separate Charges	62	5	.
Labourers Cottage Rents	102	18	4
Small Dwellings Act			
Burial Fees			
Water Rents			
Other Receipts :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Interest allowed by Treasurer :—			
.. on Revenue Account			
.. on Loans			
Total Revenue Receipts	231	8	4
Loans received, viz. :—			
Total as above lodged with Treasurer	231	8	4

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the last Finance Meeting, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

Accounts having been duly examined, Payments were ordered as follows, and the Treasurer's Advice Notes were duly signed: those under Article 16 being identified by that number.

TABLE (b.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
Salaries: -			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Office Expenses			
Burial Grounds Expenses			
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges:—			
Repairs	6	5	
Law and Engineering			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses			
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act			
Sanitary Expenses:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Superannuation			
Repayment of Loans:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses of Local Committees:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses under Special Acts:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses:—		10	
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Intercepting Hospital			
Total Revenue Payments	6	15	
Expenditure out of Loans, viz.:—			
Total Amount of Orders authorised to be issued	6	15	

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ended the last day of January 1917.

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.			1917 Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.									
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement									
Total sums received to close of last month	231	8	4						
Total	231	8	4						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer, as per last Monthly Statement	23	16	8				143	19	1
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	69	18							
Total	93	14	8				143	19	1
Net Balance due <i>by</i> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	137	13	8						<i>Dr</i>
RECONCILEMENT									
Balance per Bank Book due <i>by</i> Treasurer	141	5	6				143	19	1
Outstanding Orders	3	11	10						
Net Balance as above due <i>by</i> Treasurer	137	13	8				143	19	1

RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the District Council, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 27th day of March 1917.

In the Chair, Andrew Lawry Esq., J.P.

Other Councillors present marked thus ✓

Bates, John	M'Kinney, Michael
Brolly, James ✓	M'Laughlin, James
Boyle, Charles	M'Nulty, Philip
Campbell, Andrew J.	Moody, Robert
Fleming, Robert J. ✓	Murray, Bernard
<u>Galbraith, W.H.</u> ✓	O'Donnell, Hugh
Glenn, William ✓	
Harte, James	Rankin, David ✓
Henderson, John ✓	Sheldon, William A. ✓
Lapsley, James	Stoney, C. R. V., J.P.
Lowry, Andrew ✓	Taylor, John
Lyons, Alexander ✓	Vance, Robert ✓
M'Dermott, John, J.P.	

Total Present, 10.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk produced the Treasurer's Books, showing the dealings during the Month.

The Financial Receipt and Expenditure Books were signed by the Chairman.

The Clerk submitted the following Report:—

Letter from L. G. B. dated 3rd March 1917 No 47 M. 1917, with reference to Potatoes & Oats Seeds Supply. No action taken.

Letter from L. G. B. dated 21st March 1917 No. 53 M. 1917, with reference to utilizing waste food, also waste paper etc. Read.

Letter from Dept. of Agriculture dated 13th March 1917 with reference to the maintenance of Live Stock Order 1915.

Referred to Veterinary Inspector.

Messrs Wilson & Elliott, Solicitors, forwarded Notice

of application for £50 compensation for malicious burning of mountain.

The Council decided not to instruct their Solicitors to oppose this claim.

It was ordered that Messrs Wilson & Simms' Bill of Costs amounting to £10:10:0 be paid without taxation subject to the approval of the L. S. Board.

The Clerk reported he had advertised for tenders for printing and had received three tenders.

The Council accepted the lowest, that of Mr James Colhoun, Londonderry.

The Meeting was specially summoned to consider a declaration of Dunegal Coy. Council that there be no roads maintained as main roads in the County.

No action taken.

The Clerk reported that he had been summoned to join the Army and requested leave of absence.

Consideration adjourned to next Meeting, the Assistant Clerk, Mr D. J. Russell to act as Clerk in the meantime.

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The next Meeting of Council to be held on TUESDAY, the 24th day of April 1917.

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Council.

Strabane Rural District Council No. 2.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

Public Health Acts (41 and 42 Vic., Cap. 52, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the STRABANE No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL, acting as the Sanitary Authority under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held at STRABANE, in the County of Tyrone, on the 27th day of March 1917.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS ON THE COUNCIL, 23.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS PRESENT, 10.

In the Chair:— *Andrew Lowry Esq., J.P.*

Other Councillors as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Reports from the Medical Officers of Health of the following Districts, viz.:—

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.
		NIL.	

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in the Report Book of the Clerk to the District Council.

The following Reports were submitted under Infectious Disease (Notification) Act, 1889:—

District.	Name of Medical Practitioner.	Nature of Disease.
<i>Raphoe.</i>	<i>Dr. Snodgrass.</i>	<i>1 case Enteric Fever.</i>

Sanitary Sub Officer Ernest Alexander reported
that one of the Castlefin pumps is out of order.
Consideration adjourned.

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Record of Sanitary Work performed since the date of last Meeting:—

	<i>E. Alexander</i>	<i>J. S. Alexander</i>
Number of Orders or Notices to abate Nuisances, make connecting Drains, or perform other Sanitary work, served since last Meeting ...	1	3
Number of Prosecutions for Neglect of Orders or Notices ...	.	.
Number of Convictions " " " ...	.	.
Amount of Fines imposed by orders of Justices ...	£ . :	: .
Fines levied amounting to ...	£ . :	: .

Submitted Weekly Return of Duties performed by Sanitary Sub-Officers, showing:—

Number of Houses, Yards, and Premises inspected ...	59	32
Number of Houses, Rooms, or Premises Limewashed ...	.	1
Number of Dwellings Disinfected ...	.	1
Disinfecting Chamber used by persons ...	.	.
Articles of Clothing Disinfected number ...	.	Clothing & Bedding.
Clothing and Bedding destroyed by order of the Sanitary Authority to the value of ...	£ . :	:

Destruction witnessed by _____ Sanitary Sub-Officer.

The next Meeting of the Council to be held on TUESDAY, the 24th
day of April 1917.

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Council.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

Labourers (Ireland) Acts (46 and 47 Vic., Cap. 60, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Strabane Rural District Council No. 2, acting as the Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 27th day of March 1917.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Andrew Lawry Esq. JP.

Other Councillors present, as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Letter from L. G. B. dated 14th March 1917 No. L2606 relative to the cultivation of plots of land let to tenants under the Labourers' Acts.

Read.

Letter from Mr P. J. Kelly, Engineer, dated the 24th March 1917, requesting payment of balance of fees under Labourers Scheme as the cottages are now completed.

Ordered that Mr Kelly be asked to furnish Certificate that cottages have been completed according to Specification as required by the L. G. Board.

Mr McBaffrey, Strabane, reported that he had surveyed the plots of land attached to the two cottages in the townland of Doochan, and found the area of plot attached to cottage No. 124 as 1 rood + 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ perches exclusive of fences, yard and house, and area of plot attached to cottage No 125 as 1 rood + 20 perches. His fee for this was £1:1:0.

No action taken.

Ordered that Mr McBaffrey's fee be paid.

Ordered that £6 be paid the Clerk, balance

of fees in connection with Labourers Scheme.

Ordered that Mr Kelly, Engineer, be asked to furnish particulars and date of account of £3:3:0 ordered to be paid at last Meeting.

Mr A. McMullan of Dundee complained of annoyance caused by tenant of a Labourers cottage.

Referred to Rent Collector.

The Rent Collectors were ordered to see that none of the tenants of cottages closed up the ventilators in their cottages.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid:

Dan. Doherty, Porthall,	13/4,	repairs to cottages.	
Geo. H. Gibson, Ballyholeey,	£3:14/-		Do.
John C. Parker, Raphoe.	£3:15/-		Do.
Joseph Chambers, Do.	6/-		Do.
Do.	£1:8:1.		Do.
Do.	£5:15:0.		Do.
John Lafferty, Ballindrait,	£2:10:6.		Do.

Mr F. McCorkeel's ac of £5 was adjourned for particulars.

The tender of Mr Alex. McLaughlin of St. Johnston to repair three labourers' cottages at Carrickmore for £12 was accepted, Mr Fleming D.O. to have the work carried out.

The tender of Mr Thomas Dunleavy to repair Ward's cottage at £4:1:8 putting in new floor and 8/- putting in new ventilators was accepted.

The Rent Collectors submitted reports on the number of tenants showing what work had

been done by each in regard to tillage of his plot.

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Next Meeting to be held on TUESDAY, the 24th day of April 1917.

(Signed), _____
Clerk of the Council.

FORM 26.
(Articles, 7, 8, 49.)

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT No. 2.

Meeting held the 27th day of March 1917.

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the preceding month and the Ledger Entries made in respect of same, as follows :—

TABLE (a.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Labourers Cottage Rents	104	12	8
Small Dwellings Act			
Burial Fees			
Water Rents			
Other Receipts :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Interest allowed by Treasurer :—			
“ on Revenue Account			
“ on Loans			
Total Revenue Receipts	104	12	8
Loans received, viz. :—			
Total as above lodged with Treasurer	104	12	8

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the last Finance Meeting, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

Accounts having been duly examined, Payments were ordered as follows, and the Treasurer's Advice Notes were duly signed: those under Article 16 being identified by that number.

TABLE (b.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
Salaries:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Office Expenses			
Burial Grounds Expenses			
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges:—			
Repairs	7	16	11
Law and Engineering			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses			
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act			
Sanitary Expenses:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges		3	
Superannuation			
Repayment of Loans:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses of Local Committees:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses under Special Acts:—			
General Charges	1	10	6
Separate Charges			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses:—			
General Charges	1	.	.
Separate Charges			
Intercepting Hospital			
Total Revenue Payments	10	.	5
Expenditure out of Loans, viz.:—			
Total Amount of Orders authorised to be issued	10	.	5

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ended the last day of Feb'y 1917.

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.			¹⁹¹³ 1902 Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.									
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement	137	13	8						
Total sums received to close of last month	1074	12	8						
Total	242	6	4						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer, as per last Monthly Statement							143	19	1
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	6	15	.						
Total	6	15	.				143	19	1
Net Balance due..... <i>by</i> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	235	11	4						
RECONCILEMENT.									
Balance per Bank Book due..... <i>by</i> Treasurer	241	17	4				143	19	1
Outstanding Orders	6	6	.						
Net Balance as above due..... <i>by</i> Treasurer	235	11	4				143	19	1

RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the District Council, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY,
the 24th day of April 1917.

In the Chair, Andrew Lowry Esq., J.P.

Other Councillors present marked thus ✓

Bates, John	M'Kinney, Michael
Brolly, James ✓	M'Laughlin, James
Boyle, Charles	M'Nulty, Philip
Campbell, Andrew J.	Moody, Robert
Fleming, Robert J.	Murray, Bernard
<u>Galbraith, W.H. ✓</u>	O'Donnell, Hugh
Glenn, William	
Harte, James	Rankin, David ✓
Henderson, John ✓	Sheldon, William A. ✓
Lapsley, James	Stoney, C. R. V., J.P.
Lowry, Andrew ✓	Taylor, John
Lyons, Alexander	Vance, Robert ✓
M'Dermott, John, J.P.	

Total Present, 7.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk produced the Treasurer's Books, showing the dealings during the Month.

The Financial Receipt and Expenditure Books were signed by the Chairman.

~~The Clerk submitted the following Report:—~~

Read letter from Mr Wm H Ingram, Clerk of the Council, applying for leave of absence for the duration of the War or until he is released from the Army, and asking that the Council would keep his position open for him and allow him his salary while on the Army, and pay same direct to his mother.

On the motion of Mr Sheldon, seconded by Mr Rankin, the Clerk was granted leave of absence as requested, full salary to be paid him, and the Paying Orders to be made payable to his mother, Mrs Ingram.

On the motion of Mr Galbraith, seconded by Mr Rankin, Mr A.W. Perry, Clerk of Londonderry Union, was appointed temporary

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Clerk of the Council at a remuneration of 15/- a week.

Read letters from L. G. B. viz :-

5th April No. 37, for annual return of officers.

19th April No. 16420 re Rates of Interest on Local Loans.

31st March No. 60 M regarding disposal of Old Books etc.

16th April No. 17220, regarding Wilson & Simms' Bill of Costs amounting to £10.10.0, stating they would raise no objection to payment being made without taxation, but the Council should satisfy themselves that the items are such as can legally be paid out of their funds.

The Clerk submitted Dividend Warrant for £1:8:11 Insurance Fund.

Read letter from Mr James McLaughlin resigning his membership of the Council.

The Resignation was accepted, & the Clerk was directed to send on the letter to the L.G.B.

Read letter of 18th April from the Board of Trade regarding rates of wages paid in the District, when the Clerk was instructed to reply to same.

Resolution from Carrickfergus Urban Council regarding prohibition of manufacture and sale of Alcoholic Drink during the War, was adopted.

Letter regarding Countess de Markievicz was marked read.

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The next Meeting of Council to be held on TUESDAY, the 22nd day of

May 1917.

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Council.

Strabane Rural District Council No. 2.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

Public Health Acts (41 and 42 Vic., Cap. 52, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the STRABANE No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL, acting as the Sanitary Authority under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held at STRABANE, in the County of Tyrone, on the 24th day of April 1917

NUMBER OF MEMBERS ON THE COUNCIL, 23.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS PRESENT, 7.

In the Chair:— Andrew Lowry Esq., J.P.

Other Councillors as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Reports from the Medical Officers of Health of the following Districts, viz. :—

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.
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were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in the Report Book of the Clerk to the District Council.

The following Reports were submitted under Infectious Disease (Notification) Act, 1889 :—

District.	Name of Medical Practitioner.	Nature of Disease.
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Read letter from L. G. B. dated 3rd April
No. 58 M for return under Dairies Order, 1908.

Monthly reports were submitted from
Inspectors J. & E. Alexander.

The Sanitary Sub. Officer was directed
to have carcass of horse which was causing
a nuisance buried at a cost not exceeding 10/-.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

Labourers (Ireland) Acts (46 and 47 Vic., Cap. 60, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Strabane Rural District Council No. 2, acting as the Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 24th day of April 1917.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Andw. Lowry Esq. J.P.

Other Councillors present, as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Read letters from L. G. B., viz:—

14th April No. L 3781, asking to be furnished with Reports made by the Rent Collectors respecting cultivation of plots.

Reports were submitted from Rent Collectors showing progress to present date, and the Clerk was directed to send these on to the L. G. B.

11th April No. L 3726, sanctioning payment of £6 to the Clerk as final instalment of remuneration under the Labourers' Acts. (Order of 1912).

5th April No. L 3395 enclosing letter from a tenant named Sam. Laird complaining of the condition of his cottage.

Ordered that the L. G. B. be referred to report of Mr Kelly, Engineer, on the cottage. Report submitted this day, viz:— "House completed: Gates Hung: Paths made."

Read letter of 18th April from Mr P. J. Kelly, Engineer, enclosing report on cottages, and stating the Council were aware of the repairs and finishing these cottages had

received, and it lay with the tenants in occupation to keep the surroundings in proper order, otherwise these cottages are completed.

Ordered that a copy of the Report be sent to the L. G. B. for their information.

The Clerk submitted a/c from Mr. Kelly giving details of his a/c for £3:3:0 for professional services when it was ordered that same be paid.

Read letter from Thos. Dunleavy stating the tenant of cottage at Dooras would not allow him to repair the floor unless the whole house was repaired. He proposed to repair the door frame &c. for 14/6 additional to his estimate submitted a last month.

This proposal was accepted and the Clerk was directed to write warning the tenant that he must let the contractor go on with the work.

Edwd Crawford, tenant of cottage at Lower Porthall, applied to have some repairs done to floor and parts of wall of his cottage.

Ordered that he be given a bag of cement on condition that he does the work himself free of cost to the Council.

Read letter from Andw. Hetherington, tenant of cottage at Raphoe Demesne, asking for paling posts and wire for his plot.
The Council took no action.

Ordered payment of £5 to Fras. McCorkell for repairs to house at Ballylast, items being submitted and account verified by Rent Collector.

Ordered payment of 12/9 to Rent Collector, expenses incurred in getting possession of house formerly occupied by James Hector.

Ordered that 5 panes of glass be put in vacant house at Beltony.

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Next Meeting to be held on TUESDAY, the 22nd day of May 1917.

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Council.

Form 26.
(Articles, 7, 8, 49.)

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT No. 2.

Meeting held the 24th day of April 1917.

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the preceding month and the Ledger Entries made in respect of same, as follows :—

TABLE (a.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Labourers Cottage Rents	170	15	6
Small Dwellings Act			
Burial Fees			
Water Rents			
Other Receipts :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Interest allowed by Treasurer :—			
.. on Revenue Account			
.. on Loans			
Total Revenue Receipts	170	15	6
Loans received, viz. :—			
<u>Nil.</u>			
Total as above lodged with Treasurer	170	15	6

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the last Finance Meeting, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the District Council, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY,
the 22nd day of May 1917.

In the Chair, *Andrew Lowry Esq., J.P.*

Other Councillors present marked thus ✓

Bates, John	M'Kinney, Michael
Brolly, James ✓	M'Laughlin, James
Boyle, Charles	M'Nulty, Philip
Campbell, Andrew J. ✓	Moody, Robert ✓
Fleming, Robert J. ✓	Murray, Bernard ✓
<i>Galbraith, W.H. ✓</i> Glenn, William ✓	O'Donnell, Hugh
Harte, James	Rankin, David
Henderson, John	Sheldon, William A. ✓
Lapsley, James	Stoney, C. R. V., J.P.
Lowry, Andrew ✓	Taylor, John
Lyons, Alexander ✓	Vance, Robert
M'Dermott, John, J.P.	

Total Present, 10.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk produced the Treasurer's Books, showing the dealings during the Month.

The Financial Receipt and Expenditure Books were signed by the Chairman.

~~The Clerk submitted the following Report~~

Ordered payment of £4:10:0 to Mr D.F. Russell for acting as temporary Clerk for nine weeks in January, February, March, + April, during the Clerk's absence on the Army.

Read letters from L. G. Board, viz:-

2nd May, No. 22193, sanctioning arrangements made regarding the Clerk's absence on the Army.

30th April, No. 80 M, regarding postponement of Local Government Elections.

1st May, No. 15578, stating Inquiry would be held on 22nd May into final Declaration of Donegal County Council that there be no main roads.

4th May, No. 21664, sending copy Auditor's

report and attested Abstract of Accounts for half year ended 30th Sept. 1916.

2nd May, 22/193, stating they had accepted resignation of Mr James McLaughlin, Rural District Councillor.

Mr Bernard Murray gave notice that at next meeting he would move co-option of a member in place of Mr McLaughlin.

17th May, No. 16676, regarding Maternity and Child Welfare.

The Council postponed action in the meantime, a proposal to refer the circular to a Committee for report thereon being defeated by 7 votes against 4.

Claim for Malicious Injury from James Holmes, Drumconnell, was referred to Messrs Wilson & Simms to defend.

The next Meeting of Council to be held on TUESDAY, the 26th day of June 1917.

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Council.

Strabane Rural District Council No. 2.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

Public Health Acts (41 and 42 Vic., Cap. 52, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the STRABANE No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL, acting as the Sanitary Authority under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held at STRABANE, in the County of Tyrone, on the 22nd day of May 1917.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS ON THE COUNCIL, 23.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS PRESENT, 10.

In the Chair:— *Andrew Lawry Esq. JP.*

Other Councillors as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Reports from the Medical Officers of Health of the following Districts, viz.:—

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.
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were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in the Report Book of the Clerk to the District Council.

The following Reports were submitted under Infectious Disease (Notification) Act, 1889:—

District.	Name of Medical Practitioner.	Nature of Disease.
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Report from Lifford Water & Sewerage Committee regarding stoppage of sewer, and proposal to make new one for £20, was referred back for more definite particulars as to what is suggested to be done.

Ordered that James Laird of Monterting and James Quinn of Raphoe be prosecuted for non-compliance with notices served on them under Public Health Acts should Council's Solicitors so advise.

Ordered, supply of implements be provided for Caretaker of St. Johnston Old Graveyard.

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Record of Sanitary Work performed since the date of last Meeting:—

	No. 3.	No. 4.
Number of Orders or Notices to abate Nuisances, make connecting Drains, or perform other Sanitary work, served since last Meeting	1	.
Number of Prosecutions for Neglect of Orders or Notices
Number of Convictions " " " "
Amount of Fines imposed by orders of Justices £	..	:
Fines levied amounting to £	..	:

Submitted Weekly Return of Duties performed by Sanitary Sub-Officers, showing:—

Number of Houses, Yards, and Premises inspected	59	43
Number of Houses, Rooms, or Premises Limewashed ... ..	.	.
Number of Dwellings Disinfected ... ..	.	2
Disinfecting Chamber used by persons ... ..	.	.
Articles of Clothing Disinfected number ... ..	.	.
Clothing and Bedding destroyed by order of the Sanitary Authority to the value of £	.	:

Destruction witnessed by _____ Sanitary Sub-Officer.

The next Meeting of the Council to be held on TUESDAY, the 26th day of June 1917.

(Signed) _____ Clerk of the Council.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

Labourers (Ireland) Acts (46 and 47 Vic., Cap. 60, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Strabane Rural District Council No. 2, acting as the Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 22nd day of May 1917.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Andw. Lowry Esq., J.P.

Other Councillors present, as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Read letters from L. G. B., viz:-

12th May, No. L5543, stating they would raise no objection to payment of £3:3:0 to Mr P. J. Kelly, Engineer, in connection with inspection of certain cottages.

1st May, No. L4629, stating they had recommended issue of £100, balance of loan of £43,500, granted under Labourers Acts, and calling attention to provisions of the Acts with regard to closing and demolition of houses.

Also read letter from the Irish Land Commission that the said amount had been paid to the Council's Treasurer.

4th May, No. L4627, regarding cultivation of plots, and stating tenants of those not cultivated should be warned that unless they take immediate steps to cultivate they would be liable to be dispossessed.

The Rent Collectors were instructed to finally warn tenants in default.

27th April. Notification of Eschequer Contribution of £106.4.1.

Ordered payment of following a/c's, viz:-

George McBasker. Putting window
panes in empty house at Beltony, 9/-
Thos. Dunleavy. Repairs £6:4:2.

Ordered that repairs be carried out
to house occupied by Thos. Wilson, Creaghades,
cost not to exceed £1:5:6.

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Strabane Rural District Council, No 2.

Minutes of proceedings of above Council
at Annual Meeting held on Friday, 1st
June, 1917.

Present:-

In the Chair: Andw. Lowry Esq., J.P.

Also present: Messrs Bates, Brolly,
Harte, Lyons, O'Donnell, Sheldon,
Vance, Galbraith.

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On the motion of Mr Sheldon, seconded
by Mr Brolly, it was unanimously resolved
that Mr Andw. Lowry, J.P. and Mr Jas. Harte,
J.P. be respectively re-elected Chairman and
Vice-Chairman for the ensuing year.

Dated the 26th day of June, 1917.

Jas. Harte
Chairman.

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Next Meeting to be held on TUESDAY, the 26th day of June 1917.

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Council.

Accounts having been duly examined, Payments were ordered as follows, and the Treasurer's Advice Notes were duly signed: those under Article 16 being identified by that number.

TABLE (b.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
Salaries: -			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Office Expenses		14	1
Burial Grounds Expenses			
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges:—			
Repairs	5		
Law and Engineering	4	8	9
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses		15	6
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act			
Sanitary Expenses:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges	5	11	10
Superannuation			
Repayment of Loans:—			
General Charges	506	7	3
Separate Charges			
Expenses of Local Committees:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses under Special Acts:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses:—			
General Charges		10	
Separate Charges	4	8	2
Intercepting Hospital			
Total Revenue Payments	527	5	7
Expenditure out of Loans, viz.:—			
1912 a/c		6	
Total Amount of Orders authorised to be issued	533	5	7

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ended the last day of April 1917.

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.			1916 1917 Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.									
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement	396	6	5						
Total sums received to close of last month	189	3	4						
Total	585	9	9						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer, as per last Monthly Statement							143	19	1
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	252	6	6						
Total	252	6	6				143	19	1
Net Balance due..... <i>by</i> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	333	3	3						
RECONCILEMENT									
Balance per Bank Book due..... <i>by</i> Treasurer	509	4	7				143	19	1
Outstanding Orders	176	1	4						
Net Balance as above due..... <i>by</i> Treasurer	333	3	3				143	19	1

RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the District Council, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY,
the 26th day of June 1917.

In the Chair,

James Harte Esq. J.P.

Other Councillors present marked thus ✓

Bates, John	M'Kinney, Michael ✓
Brolly, James ✓	M'Laughlin, James
Boyle, Charles ✓	M'Nulty, Philip ✓
Campbell, Andrew J.	Moody, Robert
Fleming, Robert J. ✓	Murray, Bernard ✓
Glenn, William ✓	O'Donnell, Hugh
Harte, James ✓	Rankin, David
Henderson, John	Sheldon, William A. ✓
Lapsley, James	Stoney, C. R. V., J.P.
Lowry, Andrew	Taylor, John
Lyons, Alexander ✓	Vance, Robert
M'Dermott, John, J.P.	

Total Present, 10.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk produced the Treasurer's Books, showing the dealings during the Month.

The Financial Receipt and Expenditure Books were signed by the Chairman.

~~The Clerk submitted the following Report:—~~

Pursuant to Notice, on the motion of Mr Murray, seconded by Mr Charles Boyle, Mr James Patton, Lisnamulligan, Castlefin, was co-opted a member of Council in room of Mr James M'Laughlin, resigned.

*Read letters from L. G. B. viz:—
25th May, No. 27341, enclosing copy Local Elections Act, 1917.
11th June, No. 101 M, regarding admission of Soldiers' dependents to Rate-aided Institutions.*

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The next Meeting of Council to be held on TUESDAY, the 24th day of July 1917.

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Council.

Strabane Rural District Council No. 2.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

Public Health Acts (41 and 42 Vic., Cap. 52, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the STRABANE No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL, acting as the Sanitary Authority under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held at STRABANE, in the County of Tyrone, on the 26th day of June 1917.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS ON THE COUNCIL, 23.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS PRESENT, 10.

In the Chair:—

James Harte Esq., J.P.

Other Councillors as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Reports from the Medical Officers of Health of the following Districts, viz.:—

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.
<i>Raphoe.</i>	<i>Dr Snodgrass.</i>	<i>Manure heap too close to Jas. Mitchell's dwelling house.</i>	<i>14 days to remove.</i>

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in the Report Book of the Clerk to the District Council.

The following Reports were submitted under Infectious Disease (Notification) Act, 1889:—

District.	Name of Medical Practitioner.	Nature of Disease.
<i>Nil</i>		

Mr Harte submitted report from Lifford Sewerage Committee recommending acceptance of proposal from James McBlay to take up, clean, relay, and provide new pipes where necessary of sewerage in Lifford at £20.

Also read reports from Medical Officer of Health regarding drains being stopped up at certain houses in connection with same.

On the motion of Mr Sheldon, seconded by Mr Boyle, the proposal was accepted, the work to be done as soon as possible.

Ordered payment of the following
acs. viz:-

John Davison, Repairing Pump in
Diamond, Castlefin. £6 : 10 : 0.

John Davison, Repairing Pump
at Harpur's, Castlefin. £1 : 2 : 2.

R. Stevenson & Son, Materials
for Pump at Ballindrait. £0 : 10 : 6.

W. J. Lapsley, Cleaning
Manholes Raphoe sewers. £0 : 15 : 0.

Record of Sanitary Work performed since the date of last Meeting:—

		<i>E. Alexander</i>		<i>J. S. Alexander</i>	
Number of Orders or Notices to abate Nuisances, make connecting Drains, or perform other Sanitary work, served since last Meeting	5	4.	
Number of Prosecutions for Neglect of Orders or Notices	1	
Number of Convictions	"	"	"	1	
Amount of Fines imposed by orders of Justices	£ . :	: 10/ (costs)	
Fines levied amounting to	£ . :	: .	

Submitted Weekly Return of Duties performed by Sanitary Sub-Officers, showing:—

Number of Houses, Yards, and Premises inspected	...	...	...	50	41
Number of Houses, Rooms, or Premises Limewashed	...	...	...	.	3
Number of Dwellings Disinfected	...	...	...	,	'
Disinfecting Chamber used by persons	...	...	...	,	'
Articles of Clothing Disinfected number	...	...	...	,	'
Clothing and Bedding destroyed by order of the Sanitary Authority to the value of	...	...	...	£ . :	':

Destruction witnessed by _____ Sanitary Sub-Officer.

The next Meeting of the Council to be held on TUESDAY, the 24th
 day of July 1917.

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Council.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

Labourers (Ireland) Acts (46 and 47 Vic., Cap. 60, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Strabane Rural District Council No. 2, acting as the Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 26th day of June 1917.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

James Harte Esq., J.P.

Other Councillors present, as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Read letter from Mr P. J. Kelly, Engineer, requesting to be paid final instalment of fees, viz. £10 : 2 : 6, due him under last Labourers Scheme.

The amount was ordered to be paid subject to the approval of the Local Government Board.

Complaint from John Laird, tenant of cottage at Bloughfin, that his plot only measured 1 rood & 37 perches, was marked read.

Mr Harte handed in notice of Motion that at next meeting he would move that the Commission paid Mr A. K. Bathers, Rent Collector, be considered with a view to increasing same.

Ordered that Jas. McBroary, tenant of cottage at Alt, be granted 2 st. of cement to fix his floor on condition he does the work.

Ordered payment of the following accounts:—

Wm McGinn,	Repairs,	16/3.
Thos. Dunleavy,	do.	£1:5:6.
Alec McLaughlin,	do.	£12:0:0.

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Next Meeting to be held on TUESDAY, the 24th day of July 1917.

(Signed), _____
Clerk of the Council.

Form 26.
(Articles, 7, 8, 49.)

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT No. 2.

Meeting held the 26th day of June 1917.

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the preceding month and the Ledger Entries made in respect of same, as follows :—

TABLE (a.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Labourers Cottage Rents	111	15	4
Small Dwellings Act			
Burial Fees			
Water Rents			
Other Receipts :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Interest allowed by Treasurer :—			
.. on Revenue Account			
.. on Loans			
Total Revenue Receipts	111	15	4
Loans received, viz. :—			
1912 a/c	100	0	0
Total as above lodged with Treasurer	211	15	4

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the last Finance Meeting, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

Accounts having been duly examined, Payments were ordered as follows, and the Treasurer's Advice Notes were duly signed: those under Article 16 being identified by that number.

TABLE (b.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
Salaries:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Office Expenses	6	7	9
Burial Grounds Expenses			
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges:—			
Repairs	6	13	2
Law and Engineering			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses			
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act			
Sanitary Expenses:—			
General Charges		8	
Separate Charges			
Superannuation			
Repayment of Loans:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses of Local Committees:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses under Special Acts:—			
General Charges		12	4
Separate Charges			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Intercepting Hospital			
Total Revenue Payments	14	1	3
Expenditure out of Loans, viz.:—			
Nil			
Total Amount of Orders authorised to be issued	14	1	3

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ended the last day of May 1917.

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.			Savings Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.									
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement	333	3	3						
Total sums received to close of last month	111	15	4				100		
Total	444	18	7				100		
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer, as per last Monthly Statement							143	19	1
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	527	5	7				6		
Total	527	5	7				149	19	1
Net Balance due <u>to</u> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	82	7	0				49	19	1
RECONCILEMENT									
Balance per Bank Book due <u>to</u> Treasurer	82	6	0				49	19	1
Outstanding Orders	0	1	0						
Net Balance as above due <u>to</u> Treasurer	82	7	0				49	19	1

STRABANE UNION.

RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the District Council, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY,
the 24th day of July 1917.

In the Chair, Andrew Lawry Esq. JP.

Other Councillors present marked thus ✓

Bates, John	M'Kinney, Michael ✓
Brolly, James ✓	M'Laughlin, James
Boyle, Charles	M'Nulty, Philip
Campbell, Andrew J.	Moody, Robert
Fleming, Robert J. ✓	Murray, Bernard
Glenn, William ✓	O'Donnell, Hugh ✓
Harte, James ✓	Raukin, David
Henderson, John ✓	Sheldon, William A. ✓
Lapsley, James	Stoney, C. R. V., J.P. ✓
Lowry, Andrew ✓	Taylor, John
Lyons, Alexander ✓	Vance, Robert ✓
M'Dermott, John, J.P.	<u>Galbraith</u> ✓

Total Present, 13.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk produced the Treasurer's Books, showing the dealings during the Month.

The Financial Receipt and Expenditure Books were signed by the Chairman.

~~The Clerk submitted the following Report:—~~

Read letter from L. G. B. dated 13th July,
No. 34734 regarding economy in use of timber.

Read letter from Messrs Wilson & Simms
regarding Criminal Injury application of James
Holmes, stating £90 compensation had been
awarded, to be levied off the Divisions of
Money West and Bloghard.

Read letter from Messrs Wilson & Simms
enclosing Form of Resolution under Housing
of the Working Classes Act for demolition of
the dwelling house of James Laird of Montfortinny.
On the motion of Mr Sheldon, seconded
by Mr Vance, the Council resolved that

it was expedient to order the demolition of said dwelling house.

The Circular from the Dept. of Agriculture regarding noxious weeds was referred to the assistant Surveyor.

Circular was submitted from the Dept for National Service, and the Clerk was directed to reply thereto.

The Clerk submitted Dividend for £1:12/- under Insurance Fund.

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The next Meeting of Council to be held on TUESDAY, the 28th day of Augt. 1917.

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Council.

Strabane Rural District Council No. 2.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

Public Health Acts (41 and 42 Vic., Cap. 52, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the STRABANE No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL, acting as the Sanitary Authority under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held at STRABANE, in the County of Tyrone, on the 24th day of July 1917.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS ON THE COUNCIL, 23.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS PRESENT, 13.In the Chair:— *Andrew Lewry Esq. J.P.*

Other Councillors as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Reports from the Medical Officers of Health of the following Districts, viz. :—

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.
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were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in the Report Book of the Clerk to the District Council.

The following Reports were submitted under Infectious Disease (Notification) Act, 1889 :—

District.	Name of Medical Practitioner.	Nature of Disease.
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Sanitary Officer E. Alexander reported that the caretaker of Castlefin Pumps informed him that the water from one of the pumps was being used for spraying purposes, causing the pump to be without water.

The Clerk was directed to get notices printed for posting at the pumps stating the water is for domestic use only.

Sanitary Officers submitted reports ^{under} ~~from~~ Dairies Order.

Sanitary Officer E. Alexander reported there was no lock on the Ballybogan Graveyard gate. He was directed to procure a suitable lock; the question of caretaker to be considered at next meeting.

Record of Sanitary Work performed since the date of last Meeting:—

E Alexander / J Alexander

Number of Orders or Notices to abate Nuisances, make connecting Drains, or perform other Sanitary work, served since last Meeting	...	...	...	...	...	4
Number of Prosecutions for Neglect of Orders or Notices	...	...	...	...	...	1
Number of Convictions	...	...	...	...	...	1
Amount of Fines imposed by orders of Justices	...	...	...	£	:	:
Fines levied amounting to	...	...	...	£	:	:

Submitted Weekly Return of Duties performed by Sanitary Sub-Officers, showing:—

Number of Houses, Yards, and Premises inspected	...	...	...	61	50
Number of Houses, Rooms, or Premises Limewashed	...	...	...	.	1
Number of Dwellings Disinfected	...	...	...	.	1
Disinfecting Chamber used by persons	...	...	...	.	1
Articles of Clothing Disinfected number	...	...	...	.	1
Clothing and Bedding destroyed by order of the Sanitary Authority to the value of	...	...	...	£	:

Destruction witnessed by _____ Sanitary Sub-Officer.

The next Meeting of the Council to be held on TUESDAY, the *28th* day of *August* 191*7*.

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Council.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

Labourers (Ireland) Acts (46 and 47 Vic., Cap. 60, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Strabane Rural District Council No. 2, acting as the Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 24th day of July 1917.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Andw. Lawry Esq., JP.
Other Councillors present, as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Read letter from L. G. B. dated 2nd July, No. M7200 regarding payment of £10:2:6 to Council's Engineer under Labourers Acts; stating such payments do not require their sanction, the matter being one for the Council on their own responsibility and having regard to the terms of the Engineer's appointment.

Pursuant to Notice the Council took into consideration motion by Mr Harte regarding commission paid Rent Collector Gathers, he at present receiving 5% under Local Govt. Board Scale.

Mr Harte proposed that he be granted £10 a year as a War Bonus for duration of war and six months afterwards, to date as from 1st April 1917, which Mr Henderson seconded.

Mr Fleming moved as an amendment that he be granted £5 on same terms, which Mr Galbraith seconded.

The amendment was passed by 7 votes against 5.

A further amendment by Mr Broolly, seconded by Mr O'Donnell, that the amount be £4:10/- was defeated by the same voting and Mr Fleming's amendment to grant £5 was carried.

Application by Rent Collectors for remuneration in connection with inspection of plots under Village Order submitted, when on the motion of Mr Galbraith, seconded by Mr Sheldon, it was ordered that £5 be allowed Mr. Bathers, and £3 to Mr J. S. Alexander.

Ordered payment of $\text{ap of } 15\text{p}$ to Robt McMenamin, Ardagh, for repairs to Labourers' cottages.

Mr Vance was asked to get an estimate for repairs of Boyle's cottage in Drumbeg for next Meeting.

Rent Collector J. S. Alexander reported that John Lynch, tenant of a cottage in Gaedonagh, is now in Scotland; his brother occupies the house and pays the rent.

The Council made no change in the tenancy in the meantime.

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Next Meeting to be held on TUESDAY, the 28th day of August 1917.

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Council.

(Form 26.
Articles, 7, 8, 49.)

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT No. 2.

Meeting held the 24th day of July 1917.

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the preceding month and the Ledger Entries made in respect of same, as follows :—

TABLE (a.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Labourers Cottage Rents	103	4	3
Small Dwellings Act			
Burial Fees			
Water Rents			
Other Receipts :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Interest allowed by Treasurer :—			
.. on Revenue Account			
.. on Loans			
Total Revenue Receipts	103	4	3
Loans received, viz. :—			
Total as above lodged with Treasurer	103	4	3

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the last Finance Meeting, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

Accounts having been duly examined, Payments were ordered as follows, and the Treasurer's Advice Notes were duly signed: those under Article 16 being identified by that number.

TABLE (b.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
Salaries: -			
General Charges	48	16	3
Separate Charges	8	17	6
Office Expenses	17	17	7
Burial Grounds Expenses			
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges:—			
Repair:	14	1	9
Law and Engineering			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses	4	11	8
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act			
Sanitary Expenses:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Superannuation	8	17	8
Repayment of Loans:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses of Local Committees:—			
General Charges		1	
Separate Charges			
Expenses under Special Acts:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Intercepting Hospital			
Total Revenue Payments	103	3	5
Expenditure out of Loans, viz:—			
1912 a/c.	10	2	6
Total Amount of Orders authorised to be issued	113	5	11

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ended the last day of June 1917.

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.			1907 Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.									
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement .. .. .	.	.	.			
Total sums received to close of last month	103	4	3						
Total	103	4	3						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer, as per last Monthly Statement	82	7	0				49	19	1
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	14	1	3				.	.	.
Total	96	8	3				49	19	1
Net Balance due..... <i>by</i> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	6	16	0				49	19	1
RECONCILEMENT.									
Balance per Bank Book due..... <i>by</i> Treasurer	6	17	0				49	19	1
Outstanding Orders .. .. .	.	1	.						
Net Balance as above due..... <i>by</i> Treasurer	6	16	0				49	19	1

RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the District Council, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY,
the 28th day of Augt. 1917.

In the Chair, James Harte Esq. JP

Other Councillors present marked thus ✓

Bates, John	M'Kinney, Michael ✓
Brolly, James ✓	M'Laughlin, James
Boyle, Charles	M'Nulty, Philip ✓
Campbell, Andrew J.	Moody, Robert
Fleming, Robert J. ✓	Murray, Bernard
Glenn, William	O'Donnell, Hugh
Harte, James ✓	Rankin, David
Henderson, John ✓	Sheldon, William A.
Lapsley, James	Stoney, C. R. V., J.P.
Lowry, Andrew	Taylor, John
Lyons, Alexander	Vance, Robert
M'Dermott, John, J.P.	

Total Present, 6.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk produced the Treasurer's Books, showing the dealings during the Month.

The Financial Receipt and Expenditure Books were signed by the Chairman.

The Clerk submitted the following Report:—

Read letters from L. G. B., viz:—
15th Aug. No. 41095, enclosing copy of letter sent to Donegal Boyl Council regarding main roads in the County
27th July No. 28088, regarding shortage of Milk supply.
The Council considered there was no shortage of milk in their district.

The Clerk submitted Form of Claim for Malicious Injury from John Henderson, when same was referred to the Council's Solicitors - Messrs Wilson & Simms - to defend.

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The next Meeting of Council to be held on TUESDAY, the 25th day of
September 1917.

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Council.

Strabane Rural District Council No. 2.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

Public Health Acts (41 and 42 Vic., Cap. 52, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the STRABANE No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL, acting as the Sanitary Authority under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held at STRABANE, in the County of Tyrone, on the 28th day of August, 1917.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS ON THE COUNCIL, 23.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS PRESENT, 6.

In the Chair:— *James Harte Esq., J.P.*

Other Councillors as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Reports from the Medical Officers of Health of the following Districts, viz.:—

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.
<i>Castlefin</i>	<i>Dr Weir</i>	<i>Insanitary premises of Thos. Devine of Fannawood.</i>	<i>14 Days to make Sanitary.</i>
<i>Do.</i>	<i>Do.</i>	<i>Insanitary Water supply at Millseessiagh.</i>	<i>Referred to Committee.</i>

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in the Report Book of the Clerk to the District Council.

The following Reports were submitted under Infectious Disease (Notification) Act, 1889:—

District.	Name of Medical Practitioner.	Nature of Disease.
<i>Nil</i>		

Thomas Burns was appointed Caretaker of Ballybogan Graveyard at £1 a year on the motion of Mr McKinney, seconded by Mr Henderson.

Dr Ueir, Medical Officer of Castlefin Dispensary District, reported that the Pump at Ballindrait was out of order, and that a new Pump of larger size was required.

Also read Petition from the inhabitants of the village requesting steps to be taken to have a proper water supply provided.

After consideration, Messrs Henderson, Broolly, and Harpe were appointed a Committee to endeavour to get a new Pump at a reasonable cost, and have same erected as soon as possible.

Read Report from Mr Cr. D.S., regarding condition of Byres & Cowsheds.

Sanitary Sub Officer Ernest Alexander ~~reported~~ reported regarding closet accommodation which had been directed to be provided in Birdstown, Ballindrait, and Millesesagh; but that nothing had yet been done owing to labour troubles.

The Council decided to take no action in the meantime, owing to harvest operations.

Record of Sanitary Work performed since the date of last Meeting:—

Number of Orders or Notices to abate Nuisances, make connecting Drains, or perform other Sanitary work, served since last Meeting	...	...	1	
Number of Prosecutions for Neglect of Orders or Notices	...	...	.
Number of Convictions	"	"	"	
Amount of Fines imposed by orders of Justices	...	...	£ . :	..
Fines levied amounting to	...	...	£ . :	..

E. Alexander *J. S. Alexander*

Submitted Weekly Return of Duties performed by Sanitary Sub-Officers, showing:—

Number of Houses, Yards, and Premises inspected	...	...	55.	60
Number of Houses, Rooms, or Premises Limewashed	...	...	.	.
Number of Dwellings Disinfected	...	...	.	.
Disinfecting Chamber used by persons	...	...	.	.
Articles of Clothing Disinfected number	...	...	.	.
Clothing and Bedding destroyed by order of the Sanitary Authority to the value of	...	...	£ . :	.

Destruction witnessed by _____ Sanitary Sub-Officer.

The next Meeting of the Council to be held on TUESDAY, the 25th day of September 1917.

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Council.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

Labourers (Ireland) Acts (46 and 47 Vic., Cap. 60, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Strabane Rural District Council No. 2, acting as the Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 28th day of Augt. 1917.

PRESENT—In the Chair, James Harke Esq. JP.

Other Councillors present, as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Read letters from L. B., viz:—

2nd Augt. No. L 8090, stating they will raise no objection to payment of £5 per annum as a War Bonus to Mr Bathers, Rent Collector, during continuance of War.

2nd Augt. No. L 8090, stating they would raise no objection to proposed payments of £5 and £3 to Rent Collectors Bathers & Alexander for services in connection with cultivation of Plots.

Discussion took place regarding house occupied by a tenant called Kelly, which he was alleged to have sublet to a man called Hannigan who now applied for the cottage himself.

The decision on the matter was held over till the next meeting when the Council could ascertain the exact facts in the case.

Complaints regarding several houses being in bad repair from several tenants were referred to Rent Collector Bather to get estimates for repair and submit at next meeting.

Complaint from R. Mortland regarding

condition of fences around plot of Susan
McCrossan's cottage in Mullanbuoy was referred
to Rent Collector Cather for report at next Meeting.

Ordered payment of the following
apes, viz :-

George McBosker,	Repairs,	£0: 6: 6.
James Forish,	Do.	£2: 19: 7.

An estimate for repairs to a cottage
occupied by John Mitchell, Carrickadawson,
for £1: 16: 0, was accepted.

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Next Meeting to be held on TUESDAY, the 25th day of September 1917.

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Council.

Form 26.
(Articles, 7, 8, 49.)

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT No. 2.

Meeting held the 28th day of Augt. 1917.

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the preceding month and the Ledger Entries made in respect of same, as follows :—

TABLE (a.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council :—			
General Charges	66	5	0
Separate Charges	30	0	0
Labourers Cottage Rents	112	6	10
Small Dwellings Act			
Burial Fees			
Water Rents			
Other Receipts :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Interest allowed by Treasurer :—			
„ on Revenue Account			
„ on Loans			
Total Revenue Receipts	208	11	10
Loans received, viz. :—			
<i>Nil</i>			
Total as above lodged with Treasurer	208	11	10

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the last Finance Meeting, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

Accounts having been duly examined, Payments were ordered as follows, and the Treasurer's Advice Notes were duly signed: those under Article 16 being identified by that number.

TABLE (b.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
Salaries :-			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Office Expenses			
Burial Grounds Expenses			
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges :—			
Repairs		15	0
Law and Engineering			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses	8	0	0
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act			
Sanitary Expenses :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges	9	16	2
Superannuation			
Repayment of Loans :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses of Local Committees :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses under Special Acts :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Intercepting Hospital			
Total Revenue Payments	18	11	2
Expenditure out of Loans, viz. :—			
NIL.			
Total Amount of Orders authorised to be issued	18	11	2.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ended the last day of July 1917.

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.			1917 Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	1917	s.	d.
SUMMARY.									
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement	6	16	0						
Total sums received to close of last month	208	11	10						
Total	215	7	10						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer, as per last Monthly Statement							49	19	1
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	103	3	5				10	2	6
Total	103	3	5				60	1	7
Net Balance due..... <i>by</i> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	112	4	5				60	1	7
RECONCILEMENT.									
Balance per Bank Book due..... <i>by</i> Treasurer	133	8	5				60	1	7
Outstanding Orders	21	4	0						
Net Balance as above due <i>by</i> Treasurer	112	4	5				60	1	7

RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the District Council, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY,
the 25th day of Sept. 1917.

In the Chair, Andw Lowry Esq. J.P.

Other Councillors present marked thus ✓

Bates, John	M'Kinney, Michael
Brolly, James ✓	M'Laughlin, James
Boyle, Charles	M'Nulty, Philip
Campbell, Andrew J.	Moody, Robert
Fleming, Robert J. ✓	Murray, Bernard
Glenn, William	O'Donnell, Hugh
Harte, James	Rankin, David ✓
Henderson, John ✓	Sheldon, William A.
Lapsley, James	Stoney, C. R. V., J.P.
Lowry, Andrew ✓	Taylor, John
Lyons, Alexander	Vance, Robert
M'Dermott, John, J.P. ✓	<u>Pattor, James ✓</u>

Total Present, 7.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk produced the Treasurer's Books, showing the dealings during the Month.

The Financial Receipt and Expenditure Books were signed by the Chairman.

The Clerk submitted the following Report:—

Read letter of 1st Sept from L. G. Board, enclosing copy Allotments and Land Cultivation (Ireland) Act.

The Clerk submitted form of Claim for Malicious Injuries to Charles Harper and Wm Mitchell, and it was ordered that same be sent to Messrs Wilson & Simms to defend.

Read letter from Mr James L. Brown, Chairman of St. Johnston Lighting Committee, asking the Council to take tenders for lighting the village as from 1st November next to 1st March 1918, and stating that the proposals should include a sum for repairs.

Ordered that the Committee be directed to get quotations for this work and submit same at

The next Meeting of Council to be held on TUESDAY, the 23rd day of
October 1917.

(Signed), _____
Atty. Clerk of the Council.

Strabane Rural District Council No. 2.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

Public Health Acts (41 and 42 Vic., Cap. 52, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the STRABANE No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL, acting as the Sanitary Authority under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held at STRABANE, in the County of Tyrone, on the 25th day of Sept. 1917

NUMBER OF MEMBERS ON THE COUNCIL, 23.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS PRESENT, 7.

In the Chair:— *Andrew Lawry Esq. J.P.*

Other Councillors as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Reports from the Medical Officers of Health of the following Districts, viz.:—

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.
<i>Raphoe.</i>	<i>Dr Snodgrass.</i>	<i>Insanitary houses (8).</i>	<i>14 Days to improve.</i>

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in the Report Book of the Clerk to the District Council.

The following Reports were submitted under Infectious Disease (Notification) Act, 1889:—

District.	Name of Medical Practitioner.	Nature of Disease.
<i>Nil</i>		

Ordered that repairs be carried out to the walls surrounding Ballybogan Graveyard, and Mr Harte was requested to obtain an estimate for same.

Proposal from Mr John Davison to supply a pump for Ballintraik at £5:5:0, and 4/6 per yard for suction pipe was accepted.

On the motion of Mr Lowry, seconded by Mr Broolly, it was resolved as follows:—

Upon the consideration this day of the resolution of the Council passed on the 24th day of July 1917 and there being no objections made thereto by James Laird we hereby decide that it is expedient that an order for demolition of his dwelling house be made, the owner not having undertaken to execute forthwith the works necessary to render said dwelling house fit for human habitation, and we further order that our Solicitors do take the necessary steps to obtain an order of demolition of said dwelling house.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

Labourers (Ireland) Acts (46 and 47 Vic., Cap. 60, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Strabane Rural District Council No. 2, acting as the Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 25th day of Sept. 1917.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Andrew Lawry Esq., J.P.

Other Councillors present, as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

The following mps were ordered to be paid:-

<u>F. McBorkell, repairs,</u>	<u>£0: 15: 8.</u>
<u>Jos. Chambers, do.</u>	<u>1: 16: 0.</u>
<u>do. do.</u>	<u>0: 5: 0.</u>
<u>do. do.</u>	<u>1: 8: 6.</u>

Estimates for repairs to cottages were submitted and approved, as follows:-

<u>F. McBorkell, Castlefin, repairs to cottage in Gortnagrace</u>	<u>£ 3: 15: 0.</u>
<u>do. Cottage in Tievebrack</u>	<u>5: 14: 0.</u>
<u>do. do. Beoghard</u>	<u>4: 12: 6.</u>
<u>Jas. C. Oliphant, Castlefin, repairs to Cottage 149.</u>	<u>£ 3: 5: 0.</u>

Discussion took place relative to a house occupied by a man named Wm. Kelly, which it was alleged had been sublet to a man named Hannigan. When on the motion of Mr Henderson, seconded by Mr McDermoth, it was resolved that a notice to quit be served on both parties, and the house declared vacant and relet at a subsequent date.

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Next Meeting to be held on TUESDAY, the 23rd day of October 1917.

(Signed), _____
Acty Clerk of the Council.

(Form 26.
Articles, 7, 8, 49.)

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT No. 2.

Meeting held the 25th day of Sept. 1917.

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the preceding month and the Ledger Entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

TABLE (a.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Labourers Cottage Rents	106	9	8
Small Dwellings Act			
Burial Fees			
Water Rents			
Other Receipts:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Interest allowed by Treasurer:—			
„ on Revenue Account			
„ on Loans			
Total Revenue Receipts	106	9	8
Loans received, viz.:—			
<i>Nil</i>			
Total as above lodged with Treasurer	106	9	8

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the last Finance Meeting, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

Accounts having been duly examined, Payments were ordered as follows, and the Treasurer's Advice Notes were duly signed: those under Article 16 being identified by that number.

TABLE (b.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
Salaries:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Office Expenses			
Burial Grounds Expenses	0	1	6
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges:—			
Repairs	3	6	1
Law and Engineering			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses			
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act			
Sanitary Expenses:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Superannuation			
Repayment of Loans:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses of Local Committees:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses under Special Acts:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Intercepting Hospital			
Total Revenue Payments	3	7	7
Expenditure out of Loans, viz.:—			
<i>Nil.</i>	0		
Total Amount of Orders authorised to be issued	3	7	7

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ended the last day of August 1917.

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.			1917 Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.									
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement	112	4	5						
Total sums received to close of last month	106	9	8						
Total	218	14	1						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer, as per last Monthly Statement							60	1	7
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	18	11	2						
Total	18	11	2				60	1	7
Net Balance due <i>by</i> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	200	2	11				60	1	7
RECONCILEMENT.									
Balance per Bank Book due <i>by</i> Treasurer	210	15	1				60	1	7
Outstanding Orders	10	12	2						
Net Balance as above due <i>by</i> Treasurer	200	2	11				60	1	7

STRABANE UNION.

RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the District Council, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY,
the 23rd day of October 1917.

In the Chair, *Andrew Lowry Esq, J.P.*

Other Councillors present marked thus ✓

Bates, John	M'Kinney, Michael
Brolly, James ✓	M'Laughlin, James
Boyle, Charles ✓	M'Nulty, Philip
Campbell, Andrew J. ✓	Moody, Robert ✓
Fleming, Robert J.	Murray, Bernard ✓
Glenn, William ✓	O'Donnell, Hugh ✓
Harte, James ✓	Rankin, David ✓
Henderson, John	Sheldon, William A. ✓
Lapsley, James	Stoney, C. R. V., J.P.
Lowry, Andrew ✓	Taylor, John
Lyons, Alexander ✓	Vance, Robert
M'Dermott, John, J.P.	

Total Present, 12.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk produced the Treasurer's Books, showing the dealings during the Month.

The Financial Receipt and Expenditure Books were signed by the Chairman.

~~The Clerk submitted the following Reports—~~

*Circular letter from L. G. B. dated 22nd Oct. 1917, No. 134 M.,
requesting Ragae Returns.*

Referred to Clerks.

*Circular letter from L. G. B. dated 12th Oct 1917, No.
49123, with reference to Maternity and Child Welfare.
Read.*

*Letter from Messrs Wilson & Simms, Solicitors,
dated 17th October 1917, reporting that the County
Court Judge refused Criminal Injury Applications
of Wm Mitchell and Charles Harper.*

*Letter from Mr Jos. Elliott, Solicitor, dated 10th
October 1917, that the Criminal Injury Applications of
John Henderson had been withdrawn.*

Tender was received from Mr David Quigley, St. Johnston, £15:15:0, for lighting the lamps in the village of St. Johnston from the 1st November 1917 to the 1st March 1918.

The Council decided not to light the village of St. Johnston for this winter, and referred the matter to the St. Johnston Committee to provide for the storage of the lamps.

The following a/c's were ordered to be paid :-

8/9 to Brackett & Guy; Shovels &c. for St. Johnston Graveyard.

1/6 to Jas. Jackson; Repairs to pick &c. for St. Johnston Graveyard.

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The next Meeting of Council to be held on TUESDAY, the 27th day of November 1917.

(Signed), _____
acting Clerk of the Council.

Strabane Rural District Council No. 2.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

Public Health Acts (41 and 42 Vic., Cap. 52, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the STRABANE No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL, acting as the Sanitary Authority under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held at STRABANE, in the County of Tyrone, on the 23rd day of October 1917.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS ON THE COUNCIL, 23.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS PRESENT, 12.In the Chair:— *Andrew Henry Esq., J.P.*

Other Councillors as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Reports from the Medical Officers of Health of the following Districts, viz.:—

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.
<i>Castlefin.</i>	<i>Dr Weir.</i>	<i>Drain at rear of houses occupied by Gilroy & Gibson, Castlefin, require repairs.</i>	<i>14 days notice.</i>

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in the Report Book of the Clerk to the District Council.

The following Reports were submitted under Infectious Disease (Notification) Act, 1889:—

District.	Name of Medical Practitioner.	Nature of Disease.
<i>Raphoe.</i>	<i>Dr Snodgrass.</i>	<i>1 case Scarlatina.</i>

Mrs. Snodgrass and Weir submitted Forms
L for the half year ended 30th Sept. 1917.

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STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL No. 2.

Labourers (Ireland) Acts (46 and 47 Vic., Cap. 60, etc.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Strabane Rural District Council No. 2, acting as the Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 23rd day of October 1917.

PRESENT—In the Chair, *Andrew Lowry Esq., J.P.*

Other Councillors present, as per Ordinary Minute Sheet.

Letter from Messrs Wilson & Simms submitting Bill of Costs taxed to £16:3:4 for drawing out of Court money lodged by the Council in connection with the Labourers Order 1902 for Longvale Brick Works & requesting that Paying Order be sent to Messrs Wilson & Elliott, Solicitors, for this amount.

Ordered that the amount be paid out of the General account, subject to the approval of the L.G. Board.

There were two applicants for the vacant cottage in Dundee; Robt. Taylor and Mrs Nesbitt.

On the motion of Mr Rankin, seconded by Mr Campbell, it was decided to accept Robt. Taylor as tenant.

Complaint from Mr Patrick Gallagher, tenant of Cottage No. 263, Kiltobal, as to the condition of his cottage. Referred to the Rent Collector.

The following a/cs were ordered to be paid: £1:10:0 to George McCosker, Raphoe, for repairs to cottage occupied by Saml Byers, Downpark, Raphoe.

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Next Meeting to be held on TUESDAY, the 27th day of November 1917.

(Signed), John King Clerk of the Council.

(Form 26.
Articles, 7, 8, 49.)

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

STRABANE RURAL DISTRICT No. 2.

Meeting held the 23rd day of October 1917.

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the preceding month and the Ledger Entries made in respect of same, as follows :—

TABLE (a.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Labourers Cottage Rents	171	15	2
Small Dwellings Act			
Burial Fees			
Water Rents			
Other Receipts :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Interest allowed by Treasurer :—			
" on Revenue Account			
" on Loans			
Total Revenue Receipts	171	15	2
Loans received, viz. :—			
<u>Nil.</u>			
Total as above lodged with Treasurer	171	15	2

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the last Finance Meeting, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

Accounts having been duly examined, Payments were ordered as follows, and the Treasurer's Advice Notes were duly signed: those under Article 16 being identified by that number.

TABLE (b.)	AMOUNT.		
	£	s.	d.
Salaries :-			
General Charges	51	6	3
Separate Charges	6	17	6
Office Expenses	13	6	6
Burial Grounds Expenses			
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges :-			
Repairs	4	5	2
Law and Engineering			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses	51	5	2
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act			
Sanitary Expenses :-			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Superannuation			
Repayment of Loans :-			
General Charges	224	13	8
Separate Charges			
Expenses of Local Committees :-			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses under Special Acts :-			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses :-			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Intercepting Hospital			
Total Revenue Payments	351	14	3
Expenditure out of Loans, viz. :-			
<i>nil.</i>	.	.	.
Total Amount of Orders authorised to be issued	351	14	3

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ended the last day of September 1917.

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.			1917 Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.									
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement	200	2	11						
Total sums received to close of last month	171	15	2						
Total	371	18	1						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer, as per last Monthly Statement							60	1	7
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	3	7	7						
Total	3	7	7				60	1	7
Net Balance due..... <i>by</i> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	368	10	6				60	1	7
RECONCILEMENT.									
Balance per Bank Book due..... <i>by</i> Treasurer	371	19	1				60	1	7
Outstanding Orders	3	8	7						
Net Balance as above due..... <i>by</i> Treasurer	368	10	6				60	1	7

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