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LABOURERS' (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883 to 1896.

MINUTES of Proceedings of District Council of Ballyshannon  
under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 3<sup>rd</sup>  
day of February 1906.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. M. Maguire

OTHER COUNCILLORS:—Messrs. J. Wilson, J. Walsh,  
J. Gowan, J. Gorman, J. Doherty, M. Cassidy J.P.  
Mr. Guigan, B. McCafferty, P. Meehan, J. Quinn  
J. Gallagher Jun.

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

From Mr. J. S. Ellis, Warehouse date 25<sup>th</sup> January 1906,  
complaining of the state of the fences at the Labourers  
Cottage plots in Magheracar, and stating that he  
would hold the Council liable for all loss and  
damage caused by their not erecting a proper fence.

The Cottages referred to being still in the hands  
of the Contractor, the Clerk was directed to hand  
the letter to the Council's Solicitor in order that he  
may call on the Contractor to make good the fences,  
and inform him that he will be held responsible for  
damages.

From Mr. Morrison, Secretary, Great Northern  
Railway date January 25<sup>th</sup> '06 stating that Messrs.



**Form 1.—FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(For the Ordinary Meeting next after the Stated Finance Meetings only.)

**District.**

Meeting held the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 190 \_\_\_\_\_

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 month of \_\_\_\_\_ and the Ledger Entries to be made in respect of same as follows . . .

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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 Finance Stated Meeting held next before the above mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows :—

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The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the day of the last Stated Finance Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

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

1. The Register of Separate Charges.
2. The Register of Mortgages.
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Crawford & Lockhart Solicitors have handed him the Council's letter respecting the proposal to close all right of way across the Company's land at Bundoran between the farm house and the shore, and that the Company are quite prepared to widen and improve the existing roadway between the Hotel carriage drive and the shore in consideration of their obtaining powers to close the rights of way in question, this he has been informed would meet the wishes of the residents of the District -

In conclusion Mr. Morrison states that he understands that the part of the road between the Hotel Avenue and the farm house is of sufficient width -

It was proposed by Mr. J. Gorman, seconded by Mr. J. Doherty and resolved -

"That unless the Engineer of the Great Northern Railway arranges to meet the County Surveyor of this District within the next few days, with the view of providing proper roadway accommodations to the Sea through the Railway Company's lands in lieu of the existing right of way, we take all proper and necessary steps to oppose the Bill now promoted by the Great Northern Railway Co."

A claim for £5-14..6 for clothing ordered to be destroyed by the Medical Officer of Health of Ballintra District was sent in by Francis Mulhartaugh of Derris and the Council allowed £2 as compensation -

Mr. Steadman C. E. Engineer of Bundoran Sewerage Scheme reported to the Council that with a view to obtaining a better gradient for Sewer No. 3 and making it more secure against the action of

the sea he had altered its position. This entails extra excavation -

Mr. Ritchie, the Contractor for the works, having agreed to do all the excavation at 6/- per cubic yard, the Council approved of the arrangement -

A Specification for raising the side walls of the service reservoir of Ballyshannon Water Works was received from Mr. Steadman C. E.

The Clerk was ordered to advertise for tenders for the work -

An application for permission to take a Water supply from Ballyshannon Water Main, by Mr. Patrick McGoghren was ordered to be referred to Mr. Steadman C. E.

The Local Government Board's decision as to the lighting of Bundoran is respectfully requested -

Bryan Doherty of Magheracar and Joseph McGowan of Drimachrin tenants of Cottages were ordered to be noticed to pay arrears of rent due by them, or proceedings will be taken against them -

Bryan Doherty owes £2..2..0 and Joseph McGowan £1..10..0 -

The Clerk was ordered to advertise for an Architect to prepare plans &c - for a new Scheme under Labourers Acts -

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## PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

LABOURERS' (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883 to 1896.

MINUTES of Proceedings of District Council of Ballyshannon  
under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 17<sup>th</sup>  
day of February 1906.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. M. Maguire

OTHER COUNCILLORS:—Messrs. J. Wilson, J. Walsh  
J. Cowan, J. M. Lutyre, J. Cosman, J. Doherty, P. Breslin  
M. Cassidy, M. Gavigan, B. Mc Cafferty, P. Meehan  
J. Lunn, R. Sweeney, J. P. J. Gallagher, G. Moore

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

From Mr. L. R. Lipssett, Solicitor, enclosing for signature a Requisition to tax the costs of Messrs. King and Colquhoun under the Labourers' Acts No. 2 Scheme.

The Requisition was signed by the Chairman and Clerk and the Seal of the Council affixed thereto.

The consideration of applications from Architects for carrying out the professional work in connection with the proposed New Scheme under the Labourers' Acts was postponed.

The Applicant to be requested to send in plans of cottages to cost not more than £110, each for inspection of the

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17<sup>th</sup> day of July 1906

(Signed), M. Maguire  
Clerk of the District Council











Council on 3<sup>rd</sup> Proc.

From Local Government Board date 15<sup>th</sup> Feby, 1906, referring to previous correspondence respecting the proposed Public Lighting of Bundoran, the Board state that they deem it advisable before issuing a Scaled Order, investing the Rural District Council with the requisite powers of an Urban Authority, to carry out the undertaking, that each of the 3 accompanying maps should be signed, on behalf of the Council, and also that the Seal of the Council should be impressed on each map.

The directions of the Local Government Board were complied with -

Mr. P. McNulty C.E. wrote date 2<sup>nd</sup> February 1906 forwarding plans, Specifications, and Estimate for the proposed Water Supply for Ballintra -

Mr. P. McNulty states that he is of opinion that the Local Government Board will not be satisfied with the Supply of 10 Gallons per head per day but he carried out his instructions - He considers it would be advisable when the Council have undertaken the Scheme, to provide for a larger service reservoir which would supply at least 20 Gallons per head per day - This can be done very much cheaper now than at any future time, by lengthening the reservoir shown in the plans, or by building another alongside it so as to increase the capacity of the reservoir - Either would only cost about £30 - extra and would give more satisfaction in the Summer particularly in the event of an Extension in the near future.

The work would probably be done much cheaper

than the estimate, the difference would reduce the expenditure on an enlarged reservoir -

There is a splendid supply of Water at present but it falls off considerably during an exceptionally dry season such as last Summer, but in a variable Summer there will be an ample supply to the fountain and probably for all to be served, but that could not be guaranteed with tank at present shown, if the supply is extended to house supplies taken in it would not give a days supply in a dry Summer.

The plans &c. to be returned to Mr. McNulty for amendment as recommended by him -

An Application to the Board of Works for an instalment of £1000 of the Bundoran Sewerage Loan was signed by the Chairman -

M. Maguire

3<sup>rd</sup> March 1906



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 day of March 1906.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. M. Maguire

OTHER COUNCILLORS:—Messrs. J. Wilson, J. Walsh,  
J. Gowan, J. Daly, J. McIntyre, J. Gorman, J. Doherty,  
J. Breslin, M. Cassidy, J. P. M. Gavigan, B. Mc Cafferty,  
J. Quinn, R. Sweeney, J. Gallagher, G. Moore.

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The Local Government Board's Order under Seal date 26<sup>th</sup> day of February 1906, declaring the Provisions of Sec 80 of the Public Health, Ireland, Act 1896 to be in force in the District for the Lighting of Bundoran, and defining the Area of Charge for the cost of same—

A map of the Area of Charge was sent with the Sealed Order—

The Council directed that the Water supply at Bundoran be extended down the roadway past Mr. Sweeney's Hotel, and that a drinking fountain be erected there—

Mr. Daly proposed, Mr. Walsh seconded and it

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(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_  
 Clerk of the District Council



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was unanimously agreed to,

"That further proceedings under the Labourers Acts  
be postponed (for Scheme No. 3) for three months  
pending promised legislation on the subject -

It was agreed that there be no meeting of the Council  
on the 17<sup>th</sup> Instant -

M. Maguire

17<sup>th</sup> April 1906



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 under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 7<sup>th</sup>  
 day of April 1906.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. M. Maguire

OTHER COUNCILLORS:—Messrs. J. Gowan, J. M. Lutyre,  
J. Gorman, J. Doherty, J. Gallagher Jun.

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

From Local Government Board date 3<sup>rd</sup> April 1906,  
 notifying to the Council that an Order for payment of  
 £109, out of the share of the Rural District in the contri-  
 bution for year 1905 & 1906, out of the Exchequer Grant  
 has been forwarded to the County Council to be placed by  
 them to the credit of the Rural District -  
 A further sum of £20-3-5 has been remitted to the  
 Board of Works in repayment of loans granted for the  
 erection of cottages under Labourers' (Ireland) Acts, since  
 the passing of the Purchase of Land (Ireland) Act.

From Local Government Board date 10<sup>th</sup> March 1906,  
 enclosing extracts from the report of their Inspector,  
 Mr. McCarthy relating to the sanitary condition of  
 Ballyshannon Rural District and requesting that each

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(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_  
 Clerk of the District Council











of the matters referred to may receive careful consideration. A copy of Model Regulations as to Dairies, Cowsheds and Milkshops is enclosed and the Board trust that the Council will see fit to adopt them or a similar code in their District -

As regards the registration &c. of Common Lodging Houses the Board draw attention to Secs. 87 & 91 of the Public Health (Ireland) Act 1878, the provisions of which are mandatory -

A copy of Model Byelaws relating to such premises is enclosed for the Councils' information together with a copy of a Memorandum explaining the procedure to be observed in the making of Bye-laws.

The Board also urge the Council to take into consideration the question of providing in conjunction with the Belleek and Kinelongh Rural District Councils and the Guardians of Ballyshannon Union a suitable Ambulance and a properly equipped disinfecting apparatus for use in the Union -

The remarks of the Medical Inspector as to the manner in which the Sanitary Sub-Officer performs his duties, will, the Board trust receive early attention -

This Officer should be directed to make in future regular and systematic inspections of his district in compliance with the requirements of Art 17 (2) of Board's Sanitary Order (No 1) of 3<sup>rd</sup> May 1900 and in all cases where, as the result of such inspection nuisances are discovered the procedure indicated in Art. 17 (3) and (4) should be followed -

The Sanitary Sub-Officer should also be required to comply strictly with the terms of Art 17 (3) of the Sanitary Order -

The Inspector's observations relating to the various defects in the Sanitary condition of the Rural District should receive special consideration. Notices should be

served for the abatement of Nuisances, and in cases where notices are not complied with proceedings should be instituted against the persons in default in accordance with the provisions of Sec. 111 of the Public Health Act 1878.

The Board direct attention to Dr. McBarthys observations as to the number of reports made by the Medical Officers, and they desire to state that these Officers should be requested to show more activity in future, in the discharge of their duties, and devote more attention generally to the Sanitary condition of the Rural District -

In conclusion the Board desire to impress upon the Council the need for more energy on their part, and also on the part of the Sanitary Officers of their District, in connection with the administration of the Public Health Acts -

The Medical Inspector has called attention to various instances of neglect which appear to require prompt attention, and the Board request the Council as the Sanitary Authority responsible, will take the requisite measures without delay -

The several matters referred to in Dr. McBarthys report will receive attention -

From Local Government Board date 16<sup>th</sup> March 1906, referring to the plans and specifications forwarded on 7<sup>th</sup> Inst. in respect of the application for a loan of £250 for the purpose of providing a Water Supply in that portion of Ballintra situate in this Rural District, the Board state that the Section requires amendment so as to ~~have~~ <sup>give</sup> the height of its datum over ordnance datum and the position of the valves should be marked thereon -

The Specification requires amendment in order to



provide for 2½ feet, at least, of covering over water pipes and details should be given of the proposed covering with concrete at the crossing of the road and bridge -

An air-valve and hydrant are referred to in the Specification, but it is not quite clear what their object is or where it is intended to place them -

The plans &c. which are returned herewith when amended as required should be re-transmitted to this Office accompanied by the following documents:

A report from the Medical Officer of Health of the district as to the suitability of the source of supply and whether it is liable to pollution.

A report from the Engineer giving particulars of gaugings taken of the stream from which portion of the supply is to be taken, with the date of each gauging.

A detailed estimate of the cost of the works.

The Board further request to be informed what arrangement has been made with the owners of the stream and land for the right to take water therefrom -

Proposed by Mr. Maguire, seconded by Mr. M. Lutzke and passed

That, since the last Local Government Board Inquiry and the decision of the Board finding the Ballyshaunon District Council in default, the Ballyshaunon District Council decided to provide water for the portion of Ballintra Village in Ballyshaunon District -

This has given rise to correspondence and complaints from residents in that portion of the village situate in Donegal Rural District whose only water supply is from a pump at the extreme end of the village and which is frequently out of repair -

The Ballyshaunon Rural District Council having by Committee and their Engineer inspected various

proposed sources of supply have come to the conclusion that no satisfactory supply can ever be provided which does not supply the entire village and be taken from a source in Donegal Rural District which would be too expensive an undertaking for this Council but which would work satisfactorily and be comparatively inexpensive if Donegal and Ballyshaunon Rural Districts cooperated in the scheme -

Letters on the subject of the Bundoran Sewerage Scheme were received from Mr. R. Hamilton, Mr. P. Rafferty and Messrs. Alexander Irwin & Co.

The Clerk was directed to reply to the writers that the Council's Engineer has the matters referred to in the letters in his hands, and the Council felt confident that the work would be carried out in accordance with the plans approved of by the Local Government Board -

A Special meeting to be called for 5<sup>th</sup> May next to fix the rents of Cottages under No. 2 Scheme -

M. Maguire

21<sup>st</sup> April 1906



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 under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 21<sup>st</sup>  
 day of April 1906.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. M. Maguire

OTHER COUNCILLORS:—Messrs. J. Gorman, J. Doherty, J. Gowan  
M. Cassidy J. J. Gallagher

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

From Mr. A. Scott, Dublin, Architect of Labourers' Cottages  
 as follows:

I am again compelled to call the Council's attention to the very unsatisfactory state of the contract for the cottages and to the want of progress.

The contract was signed on 5<sup>th</sup> of August 1904, ten of the cottages were to be finished and fit for occupation within six months from date of possession, and remaining eight were to be completed within 12 months from date of contract, which date expired on 5<sup>th</sup> August 1905.

I reported the state of the contract in November last and suggested the desirability of giving to the Contractor extension of time, and on 2<sup>nd</sup> Decr. (which was practically five months after the expiration of the time named in the contract for completion of the works, the Council

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(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_  
 Clerk of the District Council











gave the Contractor a further term of four months which period expired on 2<sup>nd</sup> Inst.

All that has been done during the four months (extended time) was to finish two houses at Magheracaw, and the slating of the house at Blyhose, which was partly roofed in August of last year.

Out of 18 houses contracted to be built 9 houses may be said to be fit for occupation and one house (Blyhose) roofed and slated.

On the north side of the river one house at Parkhill was built last year but not roofed and one at Coolbeg partly built.

I understand that another house was commenced in Cashel but I have not seen it.

I refer you to the contract agreement which states "Time shall be considered the essence of the Contract." "The works shall be prosecuted without delay" - Further on it says, "Should the contractor not complete the said cottages and works in the times hereinbefore provided for same he shall be liable to a penalty of five pounds per week for each and every week that the buildings and works to be completed on each plot shall remain unfinished after the expiration of the times hereinbefore provided for completion of same".

For further particulars I must refer you to the contract agreement.

I would like to afford the Contractor reasonable time and every facility for carrying out the work if I saw that the work was proceeding even fairly well, which I regret to say is not the case.

Fencing consisting of timber posts and wire such as that at Dunsuckram cannot be certified for, no such fences being specified. Fencing of the kind might do very well as divisional fencing between plots as at Summer, but they are absolutely useless as external fences.

The Contractor complains that he cannot get sufficient money by way of instalments. I am sure you know that 85% of the value of the work done and 50% of the value of materials delivered on the site are the very outside sums which any Contractor can claim.

The Contract is £2659.10.0 and the amount paid on account is £1414 leaving a balance of £1245.10.0 against 9 houses unfinished and unbuilt. These figures speak for themselves, and I leave the Council to deal with the matter as it may think fit it well.

If the work had been carried out in accordance with the terms of the Contract or even in a reasonable time thereafter, the Contractor would be paid and attending to his business elsewhere, and the tenants would be in possession of their cottages and have their gardens under tillage and the Council would be in receipt of rents.

If the remainder of the contract is to be carried out at same proportionate speed it will be another year and a half before it is completed.

The Council decided to allow the Contractor a further extension of time of four months.

From Local Government Board date 7<sup>th</sup> April 1906, informing the Council that the Board have recommended the Board of Works to issue £800 being a further instalment of the loan of £2380. sanctioned for Bundoran Sewerage.

The Board also request that they may be furnished with tracings showing the deviations which have been made in the lines and levels of the sewers.

The instalment has been received.

The Local Government Board are requested to return



the original plans in order that the deviations may be marked thereon -

From Local Government Board date 19<sup>th</sup> April 1906, acknowledging receipt of Council's Minutes of 7<sup>th</sup> Inst. containing an entry of the Board's letter of 10<sup>th</sup> Ult. communicating Dr. McBarth's report relating to the sanitary condition of the District, and with reference to the Order made thereon the Board point out that the Council would do well to take the requisite steps in regard to each of the several matters to which attention has been directed by Dr. McBarth and to this the Board suggest that the report should be again considered by the Council -

The Medical Inspector's report to be considered at the Special Meeting on 5<sup>th</sup> Inst.

A claim for extras in the Bundoran Sewerage Contract amount £299.11.6 was sent by Mr. Patrick Ritchie contractor -

The claim was certified as correct by Mr. Steadman the Council's Engineer, and was approved of by the Council -

M. Maguire

5<sup>th</sup> May 1906



## BALLYSHANNON UNION.

Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1898.

## PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

LABOURERS' (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883 to 1896.

MINUTES of Proceedings of District Council of Ballyshannon  
 under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 5<sup>th</sup>  
 day of May 1906.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. M. Maguire

OTHER COUNCILLORS:—Messrs. J. Walsh, J. Gowan,  
J. Daly, J. Doherty, P. Breslin, M. Cassidy J.P.  
Thomas M. Lutyre,

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

*From Local Government Board date 4<sup>th</sup> May, 1906, referring to the resolution of the Council on 21<sup>st</sup> Ult. extending for a further period of four months the time within which the Contractor for the erection of certain cottages under the Labourers' Acts may complete his contract, the Board state that they consider that having regard to the extraordinary delay which has occurred in completing these cottages the penal clause in the Bond should have been put in force against the Contractor instead of granting him a further extension of time to complete his contract. The Board further state that by their action in this matter they are rendering themselves personally liable for any charges on the rates occasioned by additional visits to the cottages having to be made by the Architect*

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(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_  
 Clerk of the District Council











and also for the amount of rents lost by reason of the cottages not having been completed in the stipulated time -

When the Council decided on granting an extension of time to the Contractor for the erection of the Labourers cottages, the matter of penalties was fully discussed and the Council arrived at the conclusion that it would be easier, cheaper and more advantageous in every way to extend the time than to enforce the penalties and take over the contract, which would cause still further delay.

The Council unanimously agreed that the rent on the cottages in No. 2 Scheme be at the rate of one shilling and sixpence per week -

Agreements for the tenancy of the several cottages at present ready for occupation were ordered to be prepared for signature by the tenants -

From Local Government Board date 26<sup>th</sup> April 1906, forwarding to be laid before the Council a letter received by the Board from Mr. Thomas Orr, Solicitor relative to the Application of Michael Connolly for a cottage under the Labourers Acts.

Mr. Orr in his letter date 18<sup>th</sup> April 1906, states that Michael Connolly applied some time ago and was granted a Labourers Cottage in Finnes, he informed me that a man named Gavigan who is not a labourer is trying to get possession of it - Connolly wishes to know when he may expect to get into occupation - He is the person entitled, the Representation having been signed on his behalf and the Inspector having granted the application -

Connolly's name was in the Representation as alleged, he was then resident in the District (he was a bill poster) since then he left the District, and in his absence the Council decided to give the Cottage to an eligible labourer -

From Mr. R. H. Reid, Solicitor, date 2<sup>nd</sup> May 1906 enclosing for the Seal of the Council thereto a requisition to tax a bill of costs due to him -

The Seal of the Council was affixed to the requisition -

The Report of Dr. Brendan McCarthy was considered and the following observations were made known by the Council -

The Council cannot see any great necessity for adopting bye-laws as regards Dairies, Cowsheds & Milkshops. Milk as an article of food is efficiently looked after by the Inspector of Food and Drugs under the Authority of the County Council -

The Council does not think there is any Common Lodging House in the District to which the Act, (Public Health) applies -

The matter of providing a disinfecting apparatus is adjourned for consultation with Belleek and Kinelough District Councils -

The Sub-Sanitary Offices to be noticed in accordance with the Board's letter and an Extract therefrom given to him -

The desirability for the abatement of Nuisances to be urged on the Sanitary Officers and Notices on owners and occupiers not complied with in future to be followed by prosecution -

Monaghan

19<sup>th</sup> May 1906



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 under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 19<sup>th</sup>  
 day of May 1906.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. M. Maguire

OTHER COUNCILLORS:— Messrs. J. Gowan, M. Cassidy J.P.  
B. McCafferty, R. Sweeney J.P. J. Gallagher Jun

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

From Mr. Orr, Solicitor, Ballyshannon date 9<sup>th</sup> May 1906,  
stating that Mr. Wm. Johnston of Bundoran complains of  
the open sewerage drain, through the field adjoining his  
house in Bundoran, which is the cause of much annoyance  
loss and inconvenience, and is most injurious to his house.  
Last season Mr. Johnston failed to let his house to a  
most desirable tenant on account of the open drain  
referred to.

Mr. Johnston requests the Council to have tiled pipes  
laid, and the drain closed at once, otherwise he will  
be obliged to institute proceedings against the Council  
and this he has no desire to do if he can possibly avoid it.

Works for the sewerage of Bundoran are at present in  
progress.

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(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_  
 Clerk of the District Council



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(For the Ordinary Meeting next after the Stated Finance Meetings only.)

**District.**

Meeting held the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 190\_\_\_\_\_

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 month of \_\_\_\_\_ and the Ledger Entries to be made in respect of same as follows . . .

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Cr. Other Receipts ...						
Cr. Loans received ...						
Total as above ...						

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Elections, Law, and other Expenses						
Expenditure out of Loans ...						
Cr. Treasurer :—						
Total Amount of Orders issued ...						

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the day of the last Stated Finance Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

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

1. The Register of Separate Charges.
2. The Register of Mortgages.
3. The Labourers Acts Ledger.
4. The Labourers Acts General Rental.







Mr. McNulty, C. E. to be instructed to inspect & report on the matter complained of by Mr. Johnston -

Dr. Gossacadden, Medical Officer of Health, Ballintra, sent in a claim for Notification of Infectious Diseases as the cases claimed for in some instances were out of date, the Council could not pay without authority from the Local Government Board -

The Local Government Board are requested to forward the necessary <sup>forms</sup> to be filled for payments due in previous half year, and not applied for in due time -

Thomas Rooney, a tenant of a Labourers Cottage in Summer Townland, attended before the Council and stated that he would not take up occupation of the cottage -

The Agreement signed by Thos. Rooney was ordered to be cancelled -

Mr. Gowan proposed, Mr. Cassidy J.P. seconded and it was passed unanimously - That the cottage be given to Hugh Gallagher, Ballyshannon -

Thomas W. Intyre  
2. 6. 06.



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2<sup>nd</sup> day of June 1906

(Signed),

[Signature]  
Clerk of the District Council

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MINUTES of Proceedings of District Council of Ballyshannon  
under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 2<sup>nd</sup>  
day of June 1906

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. Thomas M. Lutyre

OTHER COUNCILLORS:—Messrs. J. Wilson, T. Walsh, J. Gowen,  
P. Breslin, M. Cassidy, P. M. Canigan, B. McCafferty,  
J. Meehan

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

An Application to the Board of Works for an instalment of £300 of the Labourers' Cottages Act's Loan was signed by the Chairman.

Mr. P. Breslin proposed, Mr. Gowen seconded, and it was passed unanimously,  
"That in Union with the Irish Race the World over, we, the members of the Ballyshannon District Council desire to place on record our profound sense of the irreparable loss the Irish Nation has sustained by the death of one of Ireland's greatest and most heroic sons, Michael Davitt. We beg to tender to Mrs. Davitt and family our deepest sympathy in their sad bereavement."

The Clerk was directed to forward a copy of the Resolution to Mrs. Davitt.

Murray with 16 - June '06











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 \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19 .

(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_  
 Clerk of the District Council

*Annual Meeting*  
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Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1898.

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LABOURERS' (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883 to 1896.

MINUTES of Proceedings of District Council of Ballyshannon  
 under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Monday, the 5<sup>th</sup>  
 day of June 1906.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. R. Sweeney J.P.

OTHER COUNCILLORS:—Messrs. J. Walsh, J. Gorman, J. McIntyre,  
J. Daly J.P. J. Breslin

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

Mr. J. Breslin proposed, Mr. Daly J.P. seconded,  
"That Mr. M. Maguire, Ballyshannon be re-elected as  
Chairman for the ensuing year—

Passed unanimously—

Mr. Daly proposed and Mr. Walsh seconded  
"That Mr. Thomas Gorman, Bundoran be re-elected vice-  
Chairman for the ensuing year—

Passed unanimously—

Amaguire  
16<sup>th</sup> June '06



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**District.**

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The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the day of the last Stated Finance Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

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

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 under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 16<sup>th</sup>  
 day of June 1906.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. M. Maguire

OTHER COUNCILLORS:—Messrs. J. Corvan, J. M. Lutzke,  
P. Breslin, M. Cassidy J.P. M. Conigau,

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

*From Donegal County Council date 11<sup>th</sup> June 1906, stating that the Department of Agriculture have decided on establishing in each District stations for the compulsory dipping of sheep, and requesting that the Council will let the County Council know within 10 days where in the District the Council would consider most convenient to establish stations—*

*The Council considered that one dipping station at Ballyshannon would be sufficient, and Messrs. Maguire Cassidy J.P. and Breslin were appointed as a Committee to arrange for a site for the station—*

*M. Maguire*

*16 July 1906*

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(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_  
 Clerk of the District Council



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 under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 7<sup>th</sup>  
 day of July 1906.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. M. Maguire

OTHER COUNCILLORS:—Messrs. J. Loherty, M. Cassidy J.P.,  
J. Quinn, R. Sweeney J.P., J. Duffy, J. Gallagher,  
~~C. W. Brown, J. K. K. K.~~

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

From Mr. Steadman C.E. Engineer of the Bundoran Sewerage works stating, that he understands that several parties in Bundoran are about to connect with the new Sewers; and pointing out the importance of having the work done under supervision and on an approved method, otherwise the success of what has been a heavy expenditure would be greatly impaired—

Mr. Steadman to be instructed to prepare a proper plan for making house connections with the new sewers in Bundoran—

From Mr. Orr, Solicitor, Ballyshannon, date 23<sup>rd</sup> June 1906—stating with reference to a sewer running through a field belonging to Mr. William Johnston

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7<sup>th</sup> day of July 1906  
 (Signed), [Signature]  
 Clerk of the District Council











at Bundoran, that he was under the impression that the Council had directed their Surveyor to have the required improvement made at once but nothing has been done. He is now about to institute proceedings without further notice -

Provision is being made in the new Sewerage Scheme for all sewerage in Bundoran -

Messrs. Doherty, Gorman and Lucey J.P. with Mr. Peter McNulty C. E. to visit the sewer complained of -

Murphy  
4<sup>th</sup> Aug '06



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LABOURERS' (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883 to 1896.

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 under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 4<sup>th</sup>  
 day of August 1906.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. M. Maguire

OTHER COUNCILLORS:—Messrs. J. Wilson, J. M. Lutyre,  
J. Daly, J. P. J. Gorman, M. Cassidy J. P. R. Sweeney J. P.

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

From Local Government Board date 31<sup>st</sup> July 1906, enclosing for the information of the Council a copy of the Auditor's report on his Audit of the Council's accounts for the Half years ended 30<sup>th</sup> Sept 1905 and 31<sup>st</sup> March 1906

The report is as follows:

" I have the honour to report to the Local Government Board that I have audited the accounts of the Rural District of Ballyshannon for the half years ended 30<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1905 and 31<sup>st</sup> March 1906 and herewith I forward the Abstracts duly certified.

The eighteen cottages which the Council is building under the Labourers' Acts are not yet completed. Under the terms of the contract ten were to have been finished by February 5<sup>th</sup> 1905, and the remaining eight by 5<sup>th</sup> August 1905. At the time of Audit July 1906 only

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4<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1906.

(Signed), M. Maguire  
 Clerk of the District Council



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nine were completed -

The action of the Council towards the Contractor is, to put it mildly unduly considerate and I hope when the final payments are being made the Council will remember the loss to the rates of the rents that would have accrued had the cottages been completed at the date contracted for, and any expense which the delay may have occasioned -

The Auditor's report will receive the Council's attention -

From Local Government Board date 25<sup>th</sup> July 1906, acknowledging receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting the payment by the Council of Mr. Gorscadden's account and stating that they have assented to an extension of the time within which the Council may pay a sum of 18/6 in settlement of the account, to a period not later than 31<sup>st</sup> Inst.

Mr. L. R. Dipsett L. L. D. Solicitor for Messrs. G. G. Hamilton, James Hamilton and Mrs. Hamilton, wrote date 24<sup>th</sup> July 1906, stating that he would be glad to have the reply of the Council as to whether it would now be a suitable time to have an arbitration as to the compensation to be paid to his clients in the case of the Bundoran Sewerage Works.

Mr. Dipsett to be communicated with asking the amounts claimed for way leave, and trespass by his clients -

On the recommendation of Messrs. Sweeney and Gorman it was Ordered that 30/- be allowed Mr. W. Johnston of Bundoran for cleaning out a drain in West End, Bundoran -

The Clerk was directed to advertise for tenders for lighting Bundoran for one year - Tenders to be considered on 18<sup>th</sup> Inst.

Murray

18<sup>th</sup> August 1906



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LABOURERS' (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883 to 1896.

MINUTES of Proceedings of District Council of Ballyshannon  
 under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 18<sup>th</sup>  
 day of Aug 1906

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. M. Maguire

OTHER COUNCILLORS:—Messrs. J. Goun, J. Doherty, P. Breslin,  
M. Cassidy J.P. R. Sweeney J.P.

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

The extension of time allowed to Mr. O'Kane, Contractor for the erection of the Labourers' cottages under Scheme No 2 having expired the Clerk was directed to request the Architect to report as to the present condition of the Works.

The Rent Collector of the Cottages reported two tenants as in arrears of rent—viz. Bryan Doherty arrears £1.17.6  
 William Carby " 18..0

The Clerk to write to the tenants calling on them to pay up the arrears—

From Local Government Board date 17<sup>th</sup> August 1906,  
 enclosing an order under seal fixing the amount payable by the Council for the Audit of their accounts for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March last—

Next Meeting of the Councillors to be held on SATURDAY, the  
18<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1906

(Signed), M. Maguire  
 Clerk of the District Council



**Form 1.—FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(For the Ordinary Meeting next after the Stated Finance Meetings only.)

**District.**

Meeting held the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 190 \_\_\_\_\_

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 month of \_\_\_\_\_ and the Ledger Entries to be made in respect of same as follows . . .

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
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Burial Grounds Expenses ...						
Labourers Acts Expenses ...						
Sanitary Expenses :—						
General Charges ...						
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Office Expenses ...						
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Intercepting Hospital ...						
Expenses under Special Acts :—						
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Expenses of Local Committees :—						
General Charges ...						
Separate Charges ...						
Elections, Law, and other Expenses						
Expenditure out of Loans ...						
Cr. Treasurer :—						
Total Amount of Orders issued ...						

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the day of the last Stated Finance Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

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

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The amount payable under the Order is £5..5..0

There was only one tender for the Lighting of Bundoran from 1<sup>st</sup> September next, till 17<sup>th</sup> March 1907, from Mr. Mary Early amount £35-

The tender was unanimously accepted -

Mr. Steadman C. E. Engineer of Bundoran Sewerage Works, laid before the Council regulations to be observed by all parties making connections with the Main Sewer in Bundoran.

The Council approved of the regulations and ordered them to be printed and posted up in Bundoran, and a copy to be forwarded to the Local Government Board.

M. Magnin

6<sup>th</sup> October 1906



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## BALLYSHANNON UNION.

Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1898.

## PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

LABOURERS' (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883 to 1896.

MINUTES of Proceedings of District Council of Ballyshannon  
 under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 15<sup>th</sup>  
 day of September 1906.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. Thomas M. Intyre J.P.

OTHER COUNCILLORS:—Messrs. J. Gowen, P. Breslin, J. Quinn  
R. Sweeney J.P.

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

There being only a small attendance of Councillors

Mr. Sweeney, J.P. proposed, and Mr. Breslin seconded,  
That the Meeting be adjourned till 22<sup>nd</sup> Inst—  
Special notices to be sent to each member of the Council  
to attend for the consideration of the draft rules  
under the Labourers' Act 1906—

Wm. Quinn  
6<sup>th</sup> Oct '06

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(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_  
 Clerk of the District Council



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 under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 22<sup>nd</sup>  
 day of September 1906.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. M. Maguire

OTHER COUNCILLORS:—Messrs. J. Walsh, J. Gowau, J. M. Lutzke J.P.  
J. Daly J.P. J. Liberty, P. Breslin, M. Cassidy J.P.  
D. M. Cafferty—

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

From Local Government Board date 7<sup>th</sup> September 1906,  
 forwarding for the Council's attention thereto, extracts from the  
 report of Mr. O'Brien-Smith, their Engineering Inspector  
 on his recent inspection of Labourers Cottages erected and in  
 course of erection under the Labourers Order 1903, and stating  
 that having regard to the slow rate of progress the Council should  
 expedite the work.

The Inspector reports—Tonragree—"Materials on site"—Coolbeg—  
"Works Stopped"—Cashel—"Nothing done but foundations opened  
 plots fenced—"

"Of the 18 Cottages sanctioned 11 are completed, 2 are in progress,  
 and 5 are not commenced— There is one Contractor for the 18  
 cottages, who has undertaken 4 in the adjoining Rural District of

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Kinlough and who appears to be unable to cope with so much work, as the progress made since my last inspection in August - 1905, has not been satisfactory - Some of the works are stopped -

From Messrs. A. Scott & Sons date 24<sup>th</sup> August 06 acknowledging receipt of Oleski's letter of 20<sup>th</sup> August 06 asking for a report on Mr. O'Kane's contract for the erection of 18 Labourers Cottages in the District

Messrs. Scott state in reply that the contract was entered into on 5<sup>th</sup> August 1904 - All the works were to be completed within 12 months from that date under a penalty of Five Pounds per week - The Council has given the Contractor two terms of extension of time, to enable him to carry out and complete his contract, the last term has now expired -

9 Houses are finished and occupied, two more are practically finished - Two have been commenced and five others have not been touched - One of the houses, namely, that at Coolbeg is standing derelict for twelve months past -

The Matter was directed to be referred to the Council's Solicitor, with the view of the necessary steps being taken against the Contractor to dissolve the Contract -

The draft Rules under the Labourers Act 1906, were laid before the Council -

Messrs. Maguire, M'Intyre and Breslin were appointed as a Committee to consider the Rules -

From Local Government Board date 29<sup>th</sup> August 1906, forwarding to be laid before the Council a letter received from Mr J. P. Rafferty, relative to the construction of sewerage works at Bundoran, and the Board request to be furnished with Council's observations thereon -

The present contract for Sewerage at Bundoran has not as

yet been finally certified by the Engineer - When the final Certificate is received, the Council will take into consideration what further steps for extension will be taken -

Notices of claims for Malicious Injury to hay were received from John Lawton, Cashelard, amount claimed £10, and from Patrick Downey of same place, amount of claim £10-, were received and were ordered to be sent to the Solicitor to the Council with instructions to defend the Council in the cases -

From Mr. L. R. Lipsitt L.D. Solicitor for Mr. Hamilton, and Messrs. G. G. and James Hamilton Bundoran date 17<sup>th</sup> Sept 1906, stating that his clients are proceeding to appoint an Arbitrator to act on their behalf in assessing compensation for damages in carrying out the Bundoran Sewerage Works, and asking the Council to appoint an Arbitrator

Mr. Lipsitt to be informed that the Council will appoint their Arbitrator as soon as possible -

A letter date 22<sup>nd</sup> Inst from Mr O'Kane, Bundoran giving particulars of damage alleged to have been done to his property in Bundoran in carrying out the Sewerage Works there, was ordered to be forwarded to Mr. Steadman L.E. Engineer of the Works for his remarks thereon -

A man named William Fleming claimed £3.19.6 for bedding ordered to be destroyed in consequence of cases of Typhoid Fever having occurred in his house -

The Council allowed £2 - as compensation for the bedding destroyed -

*M. Maguire*  
6<sup>th</sup> Oct '06



The first thing I noticed when I stepped  
 out into the morning sun was a sense of  
 relief. The air was crisp and clear, a  
 stark contrast to the humidity of the  
 city. I had heard that the weather was  
 perfect, and now I knew it was true.  
 The sun was just starting to rise, and  
 the world was waking up. I took a deep  
 breath and felt a sense of peace wash  
 over me. It was exactly what I needed.  
 I had been so stressed lately, and this  
 was a chance to start fresh. I was  
 going to make the most of this trip.  
 I was going to enjoy every moment of  
 it. I was going to take in the beauty  
 of the landscape and the people. I was  
 going to create memories that would  
 last a lifetime. I was going to live.  
 I was going to be happy.

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 under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 6<sup>th</sup>  
 day of October 1906

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. M. Maguire

OTHER COUNCILLORS:—Messrs. J. Walsh, J. Lohan,  
J. Doherty, B. Mc Cafferty, R. Sweeney J.P.

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

From Mr. O'Kane, Contractor for the erection of Labourers' Cottages, date 6<sup>th</sup> October 1906, as follows:  
 " Referring to previous applications made to the Council I beg to refer you to paragraph 3 of my Contract for the erection of Labourers' cottages for the Council - I agreed to complete the 10 cottages on plots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6 for which I was to receive £1465 - I have completed the building of these cottages and they are now in the possession of the Council - I acknowledge to have received the sum of £1354, which leaves a balance of £111- due, which sum together with a sum of £37- due me for extras, as per my account makes the sum of £148 for which I shall be obliged to the Council for payment of -  
 As to the remaining eight cottages under the said

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(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_  
 Clerk of the District Council



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Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of \_\_\_\_\_ 190\_\_\_\_, including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Total sums received ...						
<b>TOTAL</b> ...						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Payments ordered at above-mentioned meeting ...						
<b>TOTAL</b> ...						
Net Balance due _____ Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)...						
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
Balance per Bank Book due _____ Treasurer ...						
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this Meeting) ...						
Net Balance as above due _____ Treasurer ...						

FORM 1 (continued)—MONTHLY ABSTRACT of Cottage Rent Collection and of Rent Collectors' Cash Account.

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.				
				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.
I.																										
II.																										
III.																										
IV.																										
V.																										
VI.																										



Contract, I have one finished two almost completed and five not commenced and I am now ready to commence and complete the remaining cottages forthwith and for this purpose I shall thank the Council to give me a reasonable time to do so.

Referring to the cottages completed and the two almost built, I have only received small sums on account, and as I am most anxious to complete the contract as soon as possible, I shall be obliged for the extension of time asked for, and would most respectfully <sup>ask</sup> for, say, three months from this date; and if possible I shall hand over possession of the cottages fully completed before the end of three months. Hoping the Council will meet me in the matter.

Consideration of the letter was postponed till next meeting of the Council.

From Local Government Board date September 29<sup>th</sup> 1906 stating, that they observe from Minutes of the Council on 22<sup>nd</sup> Inst. that the Council have granted a sum of £2- compensation to Mr. W. Fleming as compensation for bedding destroyed, owing to cases of enteric fever having occurred in his dwelling house, and the Board presume that a valuation of the articles so destroyed was made by the Sanitary Sub Officer and that a list of the same was kept for production if necessary, to the Auditor at his next Audit of the Council's accounts.

A list of the articles destroyed is kept.  
The Council fixed the amount to be paid to Mr. Fleming.

A notice of a claim for malicious Injury for the burning of a byre was sent in by Mr. Orr, Solicitor on behalf Dorcas Gonnigle of Corlea. Two cows were wholly destroyed

and a cow and calf injured by the fire -  
The amount claimed is £40..10..0-

It was decided that the Solicitor to the Council be instructed to appear on their behalf at the hearing of the claim.

On the motion of Mr. Sweeney J.P. seconded by Mr. Walsh Mr. James Dunleavy, Solicitor, of Donegal was appointed to act as Arbitrator on behalf of the Council in the matter of the claim of Messrs - G. G. Hamilton, James Hamilton and Mr. Hamilton for damages caused in the Bundoran Sewerage.

A claim for extra work at Bundoran Sewerage Works, amount £44..12..8 was sent in by Mr. Ritchie the contractor.

The claim was certified as correct by the Council's Engineer, and approved of by the Council.

Mr. Henry Coane J.P. was appointed to act as witness for the Council in the several arbitrations for claims for damages in connection with Bundoran Sewerage works, provided he consents to act.

M. Maguire  
20<sup>th</sup> October 1906



and a man who will assist in the  
 The amount of the claim is \$1000  
 It was stated that the district is the amount of the claim  
 to appear on this behalf of the hearing of the claim  
 On the order of the hearing the amount of the claim  
 The amount of the claim is \$1000  
 to act on behalf of the district in the matter  
 of the claim of \$1000. The amount of the claim  
 and the amount for damages caused in the  
 damage.

A claim for the cost of the damage  
 amount of \$1000 was set in by the district  
 and the amount of the claim is \$1000  
 The claim was verified on behalf of the district  
 by the amount of the claim of \$1000.

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 day of October 1906

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. M. Maguire

OTHER COUNCILLORS:—Messrs. J. Walsh, J. M. Lutyre,  
J. Daly, R. Sweeney JP

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

From Mr. J. Steadman C. E. Engineer of the Bundoran Sewerage Scheme date 10<sup>th</sup> October 1906, reporting that the contractor has now practically completed his Contract, including the extras which have been carried out with the approval of the Council—

The only item to be dealt with is the allowance re Clerk of Works, that was to be made to the contractor in respect of the additional time required to carry out the extra work.

Owing to the tedious character of the work coupled with the delays that are inseparable from works carried out on a ~~shore~~ so liable to rough seas, it seemed better that when your Council recognised the reasonableness of an allowance, that I should keep a note of the progress. Having done so I consider

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4. The Labourers Acts General Rental.







that the Contractor should be allowed five months time, or in other words, that your Council should pay the wages of Clerk of Works for that period amounting to £50-

In finishing out his original contract the contractor has exceeded the time limit and must of course bear the corresponding loss re payments to Clerk of Works which amount to £35-

The position of affairs re the contract would thus stand as follows:

Amount of Original Contract	£1545..13..11
Extras	344.. 4.. 2
Allowance for Clerk of Works	50.. 0.. 0
	<u>£1939..18..1</u>
Total payments to Contractor	1790.. 9.. 0
Balance due	£ 149.. 9.. 1

The Report was approved of by the Council -

Mr. L. R. Lipssett wrote, date 20<sup>th</sup> Inst. in reply to the Clerk's letter,

That the amounts claimed by his clients as compensation for damages caused by the carrying out of the Bundoran Sewerage Scheme are, Mr. James Hamilton £75-

Mr. Hamilton and Others £1500. and Mr. G. G. Hamilton £50-

The Clerk was directed to request Mr. Lipssett to inform the Council of the Arbitrator appointed by his clients -

Mr. R. H. Reid, Solicitor to the Council wrote date 13<sup>th</sup> Inst. informing the Council that the County Court Judge had awarded the applicants in two cases of claims for Malicious Injury to pay the sum of £2.10.0 each -

*M. Maguire*  
3<sup>rd</sup> Nov. '06



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LABOURERS' (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883 to 1896.

MINUTES of Proceedings of District Council of Ballyshannon  
 under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 3<sup>rd</sup>  
 day of November 1906.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. M. Maguire

OTHER COUNCILLORS:—Messrs. J. M. Lutyens J.P. P. Breslin  
J. Gorman, M. Gavigan, R. Lucey J.P.

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

A requisition to tax the costs of Mr. Stubbs, Solicitor, for furnishing title of Mr. James Johnston to lands in Blyshore, and Magheracor acquired as sites for Labourers cottages, was received from Mr. L. R. Lipsitt, Solicitor, for signature and Seal of the Council—

The Requisition was sealed, and signed by the Chairman.

From Mr. Reid, Solicitor, a requisition for the taxation of costs in connection with Bundoran Sewerage Scheme was sent in for the Seal of the Council and the signature of the Chairman.

The requisition was signed by the Chairman and the Council's Seal affixed thereto:—

M. Maguire

1/12/06

Next Meeting of the Councillors to be held on SATURDAY, the

3<sup>rd</sup> day of Nov 1906.

(Signed),

M. Maguire  
 Clerk of the District Council



**Form 1.—FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(For the Ordinary Meeting next after the Stated Finance Meetings only.)

**District.**

Meeting held the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 190\_\_\_\_\_

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 month of \_\_\_\_\_ and the Ledger Entries to be made in respect of same as follows . . .

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Total as above ...						

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 Finance Stated Meeting held next before the above mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows :—

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Expenditure out of Loans ...						
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The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the day of the last Stated Finance Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

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

1. The Register of Separate Charges.
2. The Register of Mortgages.
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Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of \_\_\_\_\_ 190\_\_\_\_, including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Total sums received ...						
<b>TOTAL</b> ...						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Payments ordered at above-mentioned meeting ...						
<b>TOTAL</b> ...						
Net Balance due _____ Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)...						
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
Balance per Bank Book due _____ Treasurer ...						
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this Meeting) ...						
Net Balance as above due _____ Treasurer ...						

FORM 1 (continued)—MONTHLY ABSTRACT of Cottage Rent Collection and of Rent Collectors' Cash Account.

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.							
				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
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 under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 1<sup>st</sup>  
 day of December 1906.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. M. McGuire

OTHER COUNCILLORS:—Messrs. J. Walsh, J. Goran  
J. M. Intyre, J. Doherty, M. Cassidy, J. P. R. Sweeney & J.  
J. Gallagher.

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

From Mr. P. McPhelin, Cottage Rent Collector reporting that the tenants of Summer Cottages refuse to pay rent till the smoky chimneys are made right. The tenant in Parkhill cottage refuses to pay rent until his plot is fenced. Hugh Gallagher in Summer is three months in arrear. Bryan Doherty of Magheracast is five months in arrear and William Garty of Magheracast three months in arrear of rent.

The several parties in arrear to be written to calling on them to pay up the arrears or proceedings will be taken against them.

From Local Government Board date 23<sup>rd</sup> Novr 1906, stating that they have received the Medical Officers return form "B" relating to the Ballintra Dispensary

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1<sup>st</sup> day of Dec 1906.

(Signed),

M. McGuire  
 Clerk of the District Council



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(For the Ordinary Meeting next after the Stated Finance Meetings only.)

**District.**

Meeting held the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 190\_\_

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The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the day of the last Stated Finance Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

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

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District for the half year ended 30<sup>th</sup> September last from which it appears that Sanitary Sub Officer Higgins submitted no reports to him during that period and the Board request that the Council will be good enough to require this Officer to furnish an explanation in writing as to his neglect of duty in this respect.

Ordered accordingly.

From Local Government Board date 23<sup>rd</sup> Novr 1906 stating that the Board have had before them the Returns form "B" for the half year ended 30<sup>th</sup> Sept last and forwarding extracts therefrom for the consideration of the Council.

The extracts from the Returns are as follows,  
"The nuisances reported have not been abated."  
With the exception of one pump there is no Water supply, or almost none for the Village.

Consideration postponed.

From Mr. M. William, Corlatt House, Colones, date 10<sup>th</sup> November 1906, asking for permission to connect Rochfort Lodge near Bundoran with the Bundoran Water Supply.

The house being outside the Bundoran Water Area the Council declined to give the permission asked for.

The consideration of an application made by Mr. Steadman C. E. for extra remuneration in connection with Bundoran Sewerage Scheme owing to exceptional

circumstances in connection with the Work, was postponed.

Mr. R. H. Reid, the Council's Solicitor sent in the necessary documents for the appointment of an Arbitrator to act on behalf of the Council in determining the Amount to be awarded for damage by trespass, and way leave over lands in constructing the Bundoran Sewers and the documents were sealed.

Notices of the appointment of Mr A. M. C. Stewart of Londonderry as Arbitrator on behalf of the owners of the lands through which the sewers run were also received.

An application for an instalment of £300. of Bundoran Sewerage Loan was ordered to be forwarded to the Board of Works.

The consideration of an application for an increase of pay from Cottage Rent Collector was postponed.

There having been an Expenditure of £565 in excess of the Loan in No. 1 Scheme under Labourers Acts the Local Government Board are requested to sanction a supplemental loan for that amount.

Murray

15<sup>th</sup> Dec 1906



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under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 15<sup>th</sup>  
day of December 1906.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. M. Maguire

OTHER COUNCILLORS:— Messrs. J. Wilson, J. Walsh  
J. Gowan, J. M'Intyre J.P. J. Gorman, J. Doherty,  
P. Breslin, M. Cassidy J.P. M. Gavigan, B. McCafferty,  
P. Meehan, J. Quinn, R. Sweeney J.P. J. Callaghan

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

Read—A Certificate of taxed Costs on behalf of Mr. James Johnston, for furnishing title of lands in Blyhore and Magheracar acquired as sites for cottages was received from Mr. Stubbs Solicitor, Ballyshannon, amount £23-4-6.

It was ordered that in future security for payment of rent be required from tenants of Labourers cottages—

A Notice of application for compensation for a malicious injury amount £40.10.0 was received from Mr. Orr, Solicitor, Ballyshannon, on behalf of Dorcas Gough for the burning of a lye, whereby two cows were killed and a cow and calf injured.

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15<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1906.

(Signed), M. Maguire  
Clerk of the District Council











The Council's Solicitor to be instructed to defend the Council in the claim case -

Notice of the appointment of Mr. A. Stewart to act as Arbitrator on behalf of Mrs R. Hamilton of Bundoran, in assessing damage to her property in carrying out the Sewerage Scheme at Bundoran, was received from Mr. A. R. Lipssett, Solicitor -

Mr. John Higgins, Sanitary Sub Officer, Ballyshannon wrote, date 14<sup>th</sup> Decr. 1906, with reference to his failure to send in any Sanitary reports to Medical Officer of Health for Ballintra Dispensary District during Half Year ended 30<sup>th</sup> Sept. last, as stated in the Medical Officers report form "B" for that period -

Mr. Higgins' letter is as follows,

"I beg to report for the information of the local Government Board my reasons for not sending in any Sanitary reports for quarter ending 30<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1906, are as follows: I visited the District twice monthly and any nuisances found on inspection were removed before my next visit, any of which were not of a very serious nature, and gave no cause for further action, as the District as far as I know is in a fairly Sanitary state -

The Council considered the explanation satisfactory -

Dr. Gordon, Medical Officer of Health of Ballyshannon District, reported three cases of enteric fever and one case of Diphtheria in his District, the patients were all sent to Hospital and the houses disinfected -

The Clerk was directed to call the attention of the Engineer of Bundoran Sewerage Works to the condition

of the road to the shore at the sewerage tank, and also to the outlet pipe -

Murphy

5<sup>th</sup> January 1907



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MINUTES of Proceedings of District Council of Ballyshannon  
 under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 5<sup>th</sup>  
 day of January 1907.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. M. Maguire

OTHER COUNCILLORS:—Messrs. J. M. Lutyn J.P. J. Gorman  
M. Ganigan, P. Meehan, R. Sweeney J.P. M. Cassidy J.P.

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

From Mr. L. R. Lipssett, Solicitor date 5<sup>th</sup> Jan'y '07 stating that owing to certain incumbrances and difficulties that have arisen, Mr Atkinson is unable to make satisfactory title to the land taken from him under Scheme No. 2 Labourers Ireland Acts and it will therefore be necessary for the Council to lodge the purchase money in Court under the Act providing for this course—  
 The paying Order was enclosed by Mr. Lipssett for change of name of payee—

The name was changed as requested—

From Wm O'Kane, Contractor for building Labourers Cottages date 5<sup>th</sup> January 1907, claiming £350 for

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5<sup>th</sup> day of January 1907.

(Signed), M. Maguire  
 Clerk of the District Council



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work done on fourteen cottages finished and partly finished and stating that he has received no money on these cottages since 11<sup>th</sup> July 1906, and has completed a great amount of work since that date, he would request the Council to be good enough to call on the Architect for an inspection in view of his receiving an instalment to complete the Contract -

Mr. O'Kane was paid all amounts on account of his Contract when certified by the Architect -

As the time for completion of the Contract has long since expired, any further inspections of the Works must be at the Contractor's expense - Mr. Scott, the Architect of the Cottages to be requested to inspect the Work alleged to have been carried out since July last, provided Mr. O'Kane pays the cost of inspection -

From Local Government Board date 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1907, informing the Council that they have recommended the Board of Works to issue a sum of £300, being a further instalment of the loan of £2380, sanctioned for the purpose of carrying out a Sewerage Scheme for the town of Bundoran -

From Mr. R. H. Reid, Solicitor for the Council, stating that the claim of Dorcas Gougle for malicious injury had been dismissed at Ballyshannon Sessions on 3<sup>rd</sup> Inst -

Mr. Early, Contractor for the Lighting of Bundoran applied for payment of £25, on account of the Contract -

The Council ordered the payment of £17-10-0, being half the amount of the Contract -

The Clerk's Estimate and Demand for a rate for the financial year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1908, was laid before the Council, approved of, and signed by the Chairman and the Council's Seal affixed thereto -

On the motion of Mr. Gorman, it was agreed that two Urinals be erected in Bundoran, one in Church Street and one in the Lane at Queen's Hotel -

M. Maguire

19<sup>th</sup> January 1907



The Clerk has the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th inst. in relation to the account of the 18th inst. and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration.

In the matter of the 18th inst. it was agreed that the same should be referred to the proper authorities for their consideration and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration.

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day of January 1907.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. M. MaguireOTHER COUNCILLORS:—Thos. Walsh, J. Cowan, J. McIntyre J.P.,  
J. Daly J.P., J. Gorman, M. Cassidy J.P., J. Gullagher

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

From Mr. L. R. Dipsett, Solicitor date 19<sup>th</sup> Long 1907  
enclosing a Deed Poll conveying Mr. Atkinson's  
interest in the lands of Sminver to the Council, for  
execution by the Council—

The Deed was duly executed—

From John Flanagan date 11<sup>th</sup> January 1907, applying  
for a Labourers' Cottage, now vacant in the townland  
of Sminver—

Application granted, provided he gives satisfactory  
security for payment of the rent—

From Local Government Board date 17<sup>th</sup> January '07

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19<sup>th</sup> day of Jan 1907

(Signed),

M. Maguire  
Clerk of the District Council



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referring to entry on Council's Minutes of 5<sup>th</sup> Instant, relating to the proposal of the Council to erect two Urinals in Bundoran, the Board remind the Council that there is no record in their Department of an Order of the Board investing the District Council with the powers of an Urban District Council, as required by Sec. 49 of Public Health Ireland Act 1878, in respect of the provision of the Sanitary conveniences referred to.

Mr. Gorman proposed, Mr. J. Gallagher seconded, and it was passed unanimously "That the Local Government Board be, and are hereby requested to invest this Rural District Council with Urban Powers for the purpose of providing Urinals in Bundoran. The Area of Charge to be the same as already fixed by the Board's Order under Seal -

Mr. Thomas Walsh brought under notice of the Council the pollution of a stream which runs through the townlands of Ardeelau and Coolmore -

The Medical Officers of Health of Ballintra and Ballyshannon Districts to be directed to inspect and report on the matter, as the stream runs through both Districts -

M. Maguire  
2<sup>nd</sup> - February 1907



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 day of February 1907.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. M. Maguire

OTHER COUNCILLORS:—Messrs. J. Wilson, J. Gowau,  
J. M. Lutyre J.P. J. Gorman, J. Doherly, P. Breslin,  
M. Cassidy J.P. B. Mc Cafferty.

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

Representations under Labourers Acts were laid before the Council as under—

Ballintra Electoral Division	15	Representations
Ballyshannon Rural	17	.. ..
Ballyshannon Urban	20	.. ..
Bundoran	69	.. ..
Carrickboy	31	.. ..
Cavanarden	3	.. ..
Cliff	7	.. ..
Total	162	

Next Meeting of the Councillors to be held on SATURDAY, the  
2<sup>nd</sup> day of July 1907.

(Signed), [Signature]  
 Clerk of the District Council

Notices to be published for a meeting for consideration of Representations on 16<sup>th</sup> Inst.

From Local Government Board date 22<sup>nd</sup> January 1907



**Form 1.—FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(For the Ordinary Meeting next after the Stated Finance Meetings only.)

**District.**

Meeting held the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 190\_\_\_\_\_

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forwarding to be laid before the Council a communication received by the Board from Dr. J. D. Gondon J.P. relative to the condition of the Abbey Graveyard Ballyshannon, and requesting that the Board may be furnished with the Council's observations on the subject.

The Board also state that Dr. Gondon has since the receipt of his letter intimated to the Board that he does not now desire his letter to be regarded as of a private character.

Dr. Gondon's letter is as follows.

"I desire to state for the information of your Board that there is a graveyard in the immediate vicinity of Ballyshannon known as the Abbey Graveyard, which is in a scandalous state of congestion, there not being space at the present time almost for an infant - It is situated on the slope of a hill overlooking the Abbey River, only separated from the latter by the width of the roadway, and from that stream I am informed several people take their Water supply -

Borrowing graves is not an unusual occurrence, I therefore pray your Board to take the necessary steps with a view to an immediate inspection and if necessary holding a sworn inquiry into this shocking state of things.

An effort was made it is understood to add new ground but it fell through -

The District Council is of opinion that the Abbey Graveyard is not congested as there are numbers of vacant spaces still available - The Graveyard does not abut on the Abbey River - The stream which Dr. Gondon refers to being a Mill dam from which no one draws water - It is contemplated to enlarge the graveyard, but the

matter is not of urgency -

A sum of £2000 was bequeathed by Col. Bidwell, deceased, for the improvement of this graveyard, but his widow was left the income as an annuity, so that the money is not available during that lady's lifetime.

From Local Government Board date 30<sup>th</sup> January 1907, referring to the entry on minutes of 19<sup>th</sup> January 1907 respecting the proposed erection of two urinals in Bundoran the Board state that in order to be in a position to provide these sanitary conveniences it is necessary that the Council should be invested with the powers of an Urban Sanitary Authority under Sec 1 of Public Health Ireland Act 1896.

Before formal application for Urban powers is made the Council should publish notices in the newspapers and also put up posters in the locality affected, setting forth the precise nature of the application and giving particulars as to the following matters.

1. The proposed area of charge which should be confined to the area immediately benefitted, but which should comprise the complete townland or townlands in which the urinals are to be erected -
2. The estimated cost of the conveniences -
3. The estimated annual poundage rate in respect thereof on the area affected -

The notices should specify that the area of charge is delineated on a map which can be seen at the Clerk's Office at all reasonable hours, Objections if any, should be lodged with the Clerk within such period (say one month) as may be mentioned in the notice.

At the end of that period the Council should make application to the Board praying to be invested with Urban powers to carry out the undertaking, forwarding



at the same time any objections received by them and an Ordnance Map or tracing thereof showing the position of the Urinals, and the proposed area of charge indicated thereon -

From the Donegal County Council date 23<sup>rd</sup> Jan'y. 07 requesting to be furnished with the views of the District Council on the administration of the funds under the Agricultural & Technical Instruction Act -

This Council is not in a position to consider the question until they receive the information asked for by the County Council from the Agricultural & Technical Committee.

*M. Maguire*

16<sup>th</sup> Feb. 1907



## BALLYSHANNON UNION.

Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1898.

## PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

LABOURERS' (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883 to 1896.

MINUTES of Proceedings of District Council of Ballyshannon  
under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 16<sup>th</sup>  
day of February 1907.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. M. MaguireOTHER COUNCILLORS:— Messrs. J. Wilson, J. Gowan,

J. M. Lutyens J.P., J. Daly J.P., J. Gorman, J. Doherty  
P. Breslin, M. Cassidy J.P., M. Lavigan, B. McCafferty  
P. Meehan, R. Sweeney J.P., J. Gullagher Jun.

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

The Representations under Labourers Acts 1883 to 1906  
were considered, and a Scheme ordered to be prepared.

The District Councillors for the several Electoral Divisions  
comprised in the District were appointed as Committees  
for the selection of sites, with the assistance of the clergymen  
of the District.

Mr. J. G. Townsend A.M.S.C.E., Ballyshannon was unanimously  
appointed Architect, for carrying out the scheme at 10/- per  
plot, and 2% on cost of cottages.

Mr. R. H. Reid, Ballyshannon, was unanimously appointed  
Solicitor for carrying out the proposed scheme.

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16<sup>th</sup>

day of

July

19

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(Signed),

W. J. Wilson  
Clerk of the District Council











The Clerk was directed to procure the necessary Ordnance sheets for the marking of the selected sites thereon -

A man named John Kelm made application for a vacant Labourers cottage in Sminver, and his application was granted -

Mr. P. M. Phelim, Rent Collector, was authorized to take proceedings in the name of the Council against defaulting tenants of Labourers cottages -

From Local Government Board date 14<sup>th</sup> February 1907, referring to an entry contained in Minutes of the Council of 1<sup>st</sup> Decr. last relating to the Water Supply of the Village of Ballintra, and to the direction of the Council on 17<sup>th</sup> February last, that the plans &c. respecting a proposed scheme for providing a supply be sent to their Engineer for amendment, the Board request that they may be informed what has since been done in this matter -

Owing to the long illness and death of the Engineer the amended plans were not made out -

Mr. R. H. Reid, the Council's Solicitor, forwarded to be laid before the Council a list of the costs of the recent arbitration on claims for damages by persons through whose lands the new Sewers in Bundoran were constructed, also the damages awarded -

The costs of the Arbitrations and umpire are:

Robert Haire Esq. C.E. Umpire	£ 27..8..6
James Dunlavy Esq. Sol: Arbitrator	23..12..0
A. M. C. Stewart Esq. C.E. Do.	26..16..6
J. Steadman Esq. C.E. Witness	12..12..0
H. Coane Esq. J.P. Do	9..9..0
	<u>£ 99..18..0</u>

Damages Awarded -

James Hamilton, Bundoran	£ 1..0..0
James H. Scott, Dublin	2..0..0
Catherine Wilson "	16..10..0
B. G. Hamilton, Bundoran	4..0..0
Trustees of James Hamilton "	10..0..0
Rebecca Hamilton "	6..0..0
Sheil Trustees "	7..0..0
Patrick Kane "	3..10..0
William O'Kane	1..5..0
Total damages	<u>£ 51..5..0</u>

Claimants Costs.

James Hamilton	£ 5..11..6
Rebecca Hamilton	5..4..10
B. G. Hamilton	5..16..4
Patrick Kane	5..10..2
J. H. Scott	5..19..10
Catherine Wilson	6..13..1
James Hamilton's Trustees	6..12..1
William O'Kane	4..10..2
Sheil Trustees	6..9..8
	<u>£ 52..7..8</u>

Payment ordered next finance day -  
Almaguire

2<sup>nd</sup> March 1907







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PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. M. Maguire

OTHER COUNCILLORS:—Messrs. J. Walsh, J. Gowan,  
J. Gorman, J. Doherty, P. Breslin, M. Cassidy J.P.  
B. Mc Cafferty, P. Meenan and John Wilson

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

From Local Government Board date 21<sup>st</sup> Feb. 1907,  
 forwarding to be laid before the Council a further  
 letter which they have received from Dr. J. D. Condon  
 relating to the condition of the Abbey Graveyard,  
 and requesting to be furnished with the observations  
 of the Council on the subject—

With reference to Dr. Condon's letter as above referred  
 to—

The Council, including the Chairman referred to,  
 adhere to the decision arrived at, and the statements  
 contained in their Minutes of 16<sup>th</sup> Ult.

From Local Government Board date 28<sup>th</sup> February 1907,  
 referring to the entry in Council's Minutes on 16<sup>th</sup> Ult.

Next Meeting of the Councillors to be held on SATURDAY, the

24<sup>th</sup> day of March 1907.

(Signed),

J. M. Maguire  
 Clerk of the District Council



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relating to the provision of a Water supply for the portion of Ballintra Village situate in Ballyshannon Rural District the Board state that the Council should take steps to have the necessary works in this case carried out without delay -

The Board's instructions will be attended to -

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23<sup>rd</sup> March 1907



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PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER COUNCILLORS:—

Messrs. J. Wilson J. Lynam J. Roberts  
P. Breslin B. Mc Cafferty P. Mullan

The meeting was adjourned till 23<sup>rd</sup> inst.

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

Next Meeting of the Councillors to be held on SATURDAY, the

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OTHER COUNCILLORS:—Messrs. J. Wilson, J. Walsh, J. Gowan  
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R. Rooney, R. Sweeney & P.

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and signed.

Letters from Local Government Board and others were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

The Local Government Board are respectfully reminded that an instalment of £300 of the Loan of £3320- for No. 2 Scheme under the Labourers' (Ireland) Acts, was applied for in June last, and has not as yet been received from the Board of Works. The Board are requested to recommend the issue of the instalment by the Board of Works, as soon as possible.

The Board's decision as to the supplemental Loan of £565 applied for under No. 1 Labourers' Acts Scheme, in December last, is also respectfully requested.

From Local Government Board date 22<sup>nd</sup> March 1907 referring to previous correspondence and to the entry

Next Meeting of the Councillors to be held on SATURDAY, the  
27<sup>th</sup> day of March 1907

(Signed),

M. Maguire  
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