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RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL.

MISCELLANEOUS.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Council, in relation to matters other than those under Public Health and Labourers Acts, at a Meeting held on the 14 day of March 1925

PRESENT—In the Chair—

Mr. Chole, M.D. & Co.

Other Councillors—Messrs.

Messrs. U. Gallagh.

J. Downey, J. Varron, G. M. M. M. M.

Hugh. Cassidy, J. Murphy, J. M. Shore.

Letter G. 10123/1925 dated 3rd March 1925 from Ministry L. G. Dept. Re. Bonuses.

Minute No. Officers in receipt of some Letters from the Secretary, Co. Council re. Valuation of Valuation nos 524, 533, 576.

Letters from the Ministry Local Government.

stating that 750 tons of coal has been allocated to Londonderry and the distribution is in the hands of Mr. W. Grath L. G. Dept. Inspector

Letters from the Secretary Co. Council relative to the destruction by fire of Forms Returns requesting that copies in the office District Council be sent him

Minute book status be sent Returns Forms as requested

1011 553.75/24 Letter from the Ministry L. G. Dept.

4/3/25 enclosing extracts from the Returns Form L. furnished by the Medical Officer D. District for the half year ended 30/9/24 requesting the Council to give the necessary instructions to secure compliance with the Vaccination Act

Minute No. an officer has been appointed matter to be placed on the agenda for next meeting h. s. d. suggest fee to be given

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

to the officer appointed for each default noticed & successfully followed up.

Letter from the Secretary of Council, relative to
Rate Collection State of collectors in the district-
Clerk. stated the one. Collector Callaghan
closed for year 1924 for his books. Collector
Cassidy & Gorman were closing for Sept. 1924
within the next few days. others have not closed
for March 24 to yet.

Letter from the Secretary of Council enclosing
Copy of Revision of Valuation Ref 5556
for Donegal Rural District.

Minute part put in Press. & same
usual notice in the Clerk found. and
2 errors in list forwarded. Correct items
to Council & same has been forwarded to
Val. office

Letter dated Feb. 1925 from The Ministry L. G.
enclosing copy. The Adaptation (Vaccination
Ireland) Grant 1925

13/25 Letter from Mr. M. Croft, Letterbox Donegal
enclosing a. Memorial report of a meeting requesting the
Rural District Council to urge on the L. G. Dept. of Council
to procure seeds for the small farmers who will be
unable to procure same.

Minute Clerk stated that a meeting of the Committee of Agr.
was held a few days ago was collecting information as to the
number of such small farmers in each T. D. parish
that will not be in a position to procure seeds unless
the Council distribute seeds same as last year.

Memorial to be forwarded County Council with a request
from the Council to deal with the matter at next meeting.
Letters from The Commissioners Public Works relative to
the question of the Council taking over Coast Guard
Stations Ball Hill & Tribane.

Minute Commissioners Public Works to be requested
to let Council have terms.

The adjourned question appointment of Caretaker
Donegal Graveyard Anthony Lillipie Donegal
was appointed £. 6 rates to one for J. Dine.

List of Proposals Roads Works passed by the Donegal
Council at their meeting on 4th & a number of
Roads were placed in the hands of the Surveyor
where contracts were taken at a very reduced figure.

Minute Council are of opinion that such
Contractors should be compelled by law to carry out
their contracts seeing they signed bonds etc to do so.

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on

the _____ day of _____ 192

(Signed)

George Dunnington

Clerk of the Council.

The following Letters from the Local Government Department, or others, were read, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

1925/25 Letter from The Ministry Local Government Dept-
25/25 relative to the proposed waterworks scheme for Donegal.

The Minister regrets that the funds made available for the relief of unemployment here have been fully allocated and it is not possible but if the Council decide to proceed with the proposed work the Ministry will be prepared to consider an application for sanction to a loan to meet the cost. Clerk reported that 9 or 10 bursts took place in water main since last meeting he was having them repaired bursts took place where cuts had been made by previous Contractor had joints being made, seeing that proposed scheme cannot for the present be proceeded ^{with} he asked Mr Dundas to quote him for putting main in proper order make good all defective joints give a full supply of water Mr Dundas quoted him for the sum of £250 Mr Dundas also proposed putting right catch water basin Costs of these bursts are pretty heavy item Minute Matter referred to meeting residents of water area Clerk to get bursts attended to also. Fountains out of order.

PH 7412/25 Letter from The Ministry Local Government
4/25 relative to area Donegal Water Supply.

The Ministry point out that the chargeability of the expenses of the Donegal Waterworks is at present regulated by an order of Feb. 1877 the terms of which are not in accordance with the present practice. The Ministry is of opinion that if an alteration of the area of charge is sought it should be in the direction of an enlargement say to the Dispensary District on the ground that the water supply is not a matter of purely local concern.

Minute Residents of area are agreeable to area at present and very strong objections would be to put same one. D District

Clerk reported that during month of Feb.
L47-1-6 has been paid water rents
Donegal but over £100 remains yet to be paid
Minute Notices to be put up requesting
the people to pay their water rents

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on Saturday
the 11 day of April 1925

Signed George Dunnington
Clerk of the Council.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 14 day of March 1925

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 Feb. 1925, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (A).	AMOUNT		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand—			
General Charges
Separate Charges
Labourers' Cottage Rents
Small Dwellings Act
Burial Fees
Water Rents	47	1	6
Other Receipts { General Charges
{ Separate Charges
Interest allowed by Treasurer { On Revenue Account
{ On Loans
Total Revenue Receipts	47	1	6.
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.

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	<i>Road Stools</i>	29	10	8
Burial Grounds Expenses			50	
Labourers Acts Ex- penses—Current Charges	Repairs	20	12	0
	Law and Engineering	...	...	...
	Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses	3	0	3
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		101	15	5
Expenditure out of Loans, viz.:—				
Total Amount of Orders Authorized to be issued				

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of the previous month, with the proper Debits and Credits.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of *Feb.* 192 *5*

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	354	10	5			
Total Sums received to close of last month	47	1	6			
Total	401	11	11			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	-	-	-			
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	107	15	5			
Total	107	15	5			
Net Balance due $\frac{\text{By}}{\text{To}}$ Treasurer (being difference of above totals)	299	16	6			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due $\frac{\text{By}}{\text{To}}$ Treasurer	328	16	6			
Outstanding Orders	29	0	0			
Net Balance as above due $\frac{\text{By}}{\text{To}}$ Treasurer	299	16	6			

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 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						COLLECTOR'S CASH ACCOUNT																										
		Build.	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.												
I.	$\frac{13}{2}$ 25/33	123	10		125	1	1	38	2	0	163	3	1	22	9	6	140	13	7	1	15	7	22	9	6	24	5	1	-	-	-	24	5	1			
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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 follow:—

In what Collector's District	Name of Tenant	Nature of REPORT	Order made by the District Council thereon
		1 Large number of tenants in arrears of a month upwards	
		Minute Rent Collector to be instructed to make a strong move to have a good collection next month so as arrears will be reduced by end of Fin Year	

NOTE.—Should any of the foregoing books or statements not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission should be explained on the Minutes

Dated this 14 day of Mar 1925
George Dunne
Clerk.

RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883 TO 1911.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Rural District Council, acting as the Authority,
under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on the 14
day of March 1925

PRESENT—In the Chair—

Mr. Mr. Daia

Other Councillors—

*Messrs. M. Gallagher, P. Downey,
J. Barron, G. Mennen, Hugh Lacey,
J. Murphy, J. M. Shaw*

*Clerk reported that Rent Collection for
past month has been very poor.
Minute Clerk requested to communicate
with Rent Collector to make a
strong move to have a good collection
for March so as arrears would be
reduced 1/2 cent of Ten Year.*

Clerk stated that it had been reported to him that 3 tenants that were evicted out of Labor Cottages had again taken forcible possession he reported the matter to the Guards and he recd. a reply that after 12 unsuccessful visits to Labor Cottages they caught tenants referred to in Cottages

Matter be placed with the authorities to have their proper deal with

Bill for L-13-1 Costs incurred by Rural Collector against tenants Labor Cottages
Minute Bill enclosed. (Sanction requested) for the information of Dept.

Clerk stated that a number of tenants Labor Cottages in the Dunkinagh District have not paid their rates he blamed Rate Collector somewhat because he has been urging on him for the last 2 years to summon a few of these tenants before the District but he has notices printed and sent to each tenant of Rate Collector (Copy enclosed) but he had not seen Collector since to know result
Minute Approved

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on

the 11 day of April 1925

(Signed)

G. Dunnington

Clerk to the Council.

Donegal
RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL.

MISCELLANEOUS.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Council, in relation to matters other than those under Public Health and Labourers Acts, at a Meeting held on the 18 day of April 1925

PRESENT—In the Chair—

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Other Councillors—Messrs. *Mr. Dunion Mr Cahill*
B. Friel Hugh Cassidy Mr Gallagher
P Downey.

13674/25 Letter from The Ministry Local
25/3/25 Government forwarding copy of a
Parliamentary Question Deputy P Byrne, requesting
particulars re Loans Donegal R. D C

Minute Attended to.

103581/1925 Circular Letter from The Ministry
27/3/25 Local Government requesting the
furnished with statistical particulars

Minute Forms forwarded.

11. 143.57/25 Letter from The Ministry Local
30/3/25 Government stating that the usual
fee for noticing and successfully following
up Vaccination Defaulters is at the rate of 6^d

Minute Fee of 6^d approved. appointment left
over to next meeting Clerk was questioned if he
could take appointment his reply was that
same rested with the local Government

Dept. in former years Post Cards were sent
by Clerk to Defaulters

1.13549/25 Letter from The Ministry Local
26/3/25 v. 18/3/25 Government relative to claims
v. 16/5/25 during occupation British
15/4/25 Military Forces Donegal Workhouse
Minute attended to.

7 14596/1925 Letter from The Ministry
Miscellaneous Local Government stating
28/3/25 that the date of Elections
County Councillors have been fixed for
23rd June and on that date Rural
District Councils will cease to function

6th April 25 Letter from The Secretary
Co Council stating that the
his Council have decided that they have
no means to show that the Bonds Roads
destroyed by fire had been duly executed
therefore fresh bonds were not required

3/3/25 Letter from The Sec. Co Council stating that
7th May next has been fixed next Half-year
meeting Donegal R.D.C.

Clerk stated that one of the Forms got
broken last Half-year meeting
same would be required for next meeting
Minute book repaired

Clerk stated a Credit Balance
of £327 = 14 - 10 Donegal R.D.C.
on 3/3/25.

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on

the 7 day of May, 1925

(Signed,)

G. D. Dunne

Clerk of the Council.

Dougal
RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 AND 42 VIC., CAP. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Rural District Council, acting as the Sanitary

Authority under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held at *Dougal*

in the County of *Dougal* on *18* day of *April* 192*5*

Number of Members on the Council, *21*

Number of Members present, *9*

IN THE CHAIR—

McDara

Other Councillors Present—

*M Dunne M Cassidy
M Cahill B Trill M Gallagher
D Downey*

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

District	Name of Officer	GENERAL SUBJECT	PARTICULARS
<i>Maunshals</i>	<i>M J. Sullivan</i>	<i>Manure heaps, not close to houses</i>	<i>Notices to be served, to have recommendations in O.H. carried out</i>

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

The following Letters from the Local Government Department, or others, were read, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

PH 131.03/25 Letter from The Ministry Local
2/3/25 Government-making arrangements as
to the terms & conditions upon which the
services of Mr J J Mc Caffrey, was engaged in
connection with the improvement of the water
supply in Pettigo
Minute Bill of Mr Laffrey forwarded
Local Government Dept

Clerk stated that on 23/3/25 two officers
Free State Army called with him re a supply
of water for their men at Pettigo and as matter
was urgent he agreed to give a supply at
15/- per month Minute Approved

Sum of £68-16 is due. B.O Works Instal & Interest
Loans. Pettigo & Donegal Waterworks. — To be paid

Clerk stated that he summoned a meeting re supply
Donegal on 30/3/25 relative to Donegal Water Supply,
and as supply is still defective it was unanimously
decided that Council accept the tender of
Mr J Dundas to clear water main at £250
Mr W^m J Doherty Derry to prepare a specification
Minute Local Government Dept to sanction
a loan of £250 for 10 years with Board of Works
Copy of specification will be forwarded as soon as
rec^d from architect See L. G. Letter 1079/25/25
dated 2/3/25

Clerk stated that there was a credit balance
£106 Donegal Water works. $\frac{3}{4}$ 2.5 but
Instalment of Loan £48 now due also other
items of expenditure, water rents
Donegal accrued £135 = £10 paid
to end of March £71 = 18 leaving arrears
£63 = 8-0.

18th April 25 Letter from W^m J Doherty Civil
Engineer, Derry, stating that he would
have a specification for water main
Donegal prepared in a few days.
Clerk stated that Mr. O'Doherty called
with him on 9th inst. & went into matter
Minute approved.

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on

the 7 day of

1925

Signed

Clerk of the Council.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 18 day of April 1925

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 March 1925, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (A).	AMOUNT		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges	18	0	0
Labourers' Cottage Rents	72	11	6
Small Dwellings Act			
Burial Fees			
Water Rents	22	14	6
Other (General Charges			
Receipts (Separate Charges			
Interest (On Revenue Account			
allowed by Treasurer (On Loans			
Total Revenue Receipts ...	113	6	0
Loans Received, viz.:—	✓	✓	✓
Total, as above, lodged with Treasurer ...	113	6	0

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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		...	...	2	7	11
Burial Grounds Expenses		...	...	
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges	Repairs	...	...	
	Law and Engineering	...	...	
	Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses	...	...	12	8	7
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act		...	...	
Sanitary Expenses	General Charges	...	...	
	Separate Charges	...	...	
Superannuation		...	...	
Repayment of Loans	General Charges	...	...	
	Separate Charges	...	...	60	5	2
Expenses of Local Committees	General Charges	...	...	
	Separate Charges	...	...	10	13	0
Expenses under Special Acts	General Charges	...	...	2	2	0
	Separate Charges	...	...	
Elections, Law, and Other Expenses	General Charges	...	...	
	Separate Charges	...	...	
Intercepting Hospital		...	...	
Total Revenue Payments				87	16	8
Expenditure out of Loans, viz.:						
Total Amount of Orders Authorized to be issued						

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of the previous month, with the proper Debits and Credits.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of March 1925

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	299	16	6			
Total Sums received to close of last month	113	6	0			
Total	413	2	6			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	-	-	-			
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	87	16	8			
Total	87	16	8			
Net Balance due $\frac{\text{By}}{\text{To}}$ Treasurer (being difference of above totals)	325	5	10			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due $\frac{\text{By}}{\text{To}}$ Treasurer	327	14	10			
Outstanding Orders	2	9	0			
Net Balance as above due $\frac{\text{By}}{\text{To}}$ Treasurer	325	5	10			

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 5.—THE MONTHLY ABSTRACT of Rent Collection and Cash Account as follows:—

Collector's District No.	Date when each Collector attended to have his Book checked	Number of Cottages			RENT COLLECTION									COLLECTOR'S 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.	
I.	17 425	133	123	10	140	13	7	38	2	0	178	15	7	50	0	1	128	15	6	24	5	1	50	0	1	74	5	2	72	11	6	1	13	8	
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In what Collector's District?	Name of Tenant	Nature of REPORT	Order made by the District Council thereon
1	A large number of tenants' habits cottages in arrears.	Minute Rent Collector ordered to take action	

NOTE.—Should any of the foregoing books or statements not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission should be explained on the Minutes

Dated this 18 day of April 1925
E. Dunne
 Clerk.

Donegal
RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883 TO 1911.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Rural District Council, acting as the Authority,
under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on the 18
day of April 1925

PRESENT—In the Chair—

Mr E. M. Daid

Other Councillors—

Messrs M. Dunnington
Hugh. Basset, P. M. Cahill, P. Downey,
M. Gallagher, B. Friel

Donegal R. D. C.
N 071 80/4459/1925 Letter from the
26/3/25 Ministry Local
Government requesting to be informed
what steps the Council have taken
with the Labors Cottage & plot at
Lifford to the agricultural labourers.
Minute Papers were put up writing
applications but without any result.

16/4/25 Letter from Richard M. Linnell
requesting the Council to have fences
Labors Plots repaired Brannyhaver
Ballymurray his land
Minute Tenants of Labors cottages
to have fences repaired

Clerk stated that a summons had been issued
against a man named Torrens for possession of a cottage
at Ballintra. Father Murphy, Esq. sent him L2 to the
Case withdrawn for the present.

Clerk stated that rent collection Labors cottages has been most unsatisfactory for the past 6 months £40 less collected than previous year. Minute Rent Collector requested to take action in each case

10/4/25 Letter from Thomas Coughly requesting cottage in Dumbinech. Clerk stated that cottage had been occupied by a man named C. Dora recently demolished from Free State Army and had gone to US but his wife was in cottage & paying & paying the rent of same. Minute Cottage not vacant no action taken

Letter from W. Floyd tenant Labors cottage Raham near requesting to be allowed to remain in cottage for a few weeks as his children had the measles. Clerk stated that a decree had been obtained against this tenant for possession of cottage but he had been in communication with his brother-in-law (Floyd's) in Philadelphia and that morning he rec^d a draft for £3-18-0 one year rent which he handed to rent collector. Minute approved

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on

the 7 day of May 1925

C. M. Daid (Signed)

George Dunmore

Clerk to the Council.

DONEGAL RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL.

MISCELLANEOUS.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Council, in relation to matters other than those under Public Health and Labourers Acts, at a Meeting held on

Saturday the 30 day of May 1925

Number of Members on the Council, 21

Number of Members present,

PRESENT - In the Chair -

Mr Charles McPae

Other Councillors -

Messrs M. Durnison, D. J. Flood, Mr Memmin P Downey, M. Gallagher, Hugh Cassidy, Mr Pae

A resolution passed, drawing the attention of the County Council as to the bad state of the 1st class Rd from Dittigo to Lough Derg copy of Res. to be forwarded to The Secretary Co Council with a request that he forward copies of same to Mr John Caffrey County Surveyor. Secretary Road Board

25th May 25 Letter from The Secretary County Council requesting to be furnished with copies Estimate of Demand for Donegal R.D.C. for year 24-25 as copies in Co Council were destroyed Minute Furnished.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

That we draw the attention of the County Council to the dangerous state of the footpaths in the town of Donegal. A contract was entered into 12 months ago to have them repaired & nothing has been done since

G. 26 186. 1925
Miscellaneous

Letter from The Ministry Local Government drawing the attention to the provisions of section 8 sub-section (2) (3) and (4) of the Local Government Act 1925 where Rural District Councils will cease to function on the 23rd prox and their powers & duties will be administered by the County Boards of Health pending the arrangements to be made by the County Councils after the appointed day 1st Oct. next when such Rural Councils finally cease to exist. As a matter of administrative convenience the Minister considers that the existing D.C.s may arrange for the payment of the full salaries of officials due for the period ended 3rd June 25 should be 30th June 25? at their Finance Meetings in that month subject to the P.O. being dated 1st July.

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on

the 13th day of June 1925

(Signed)

George Dunne
Clerk of the Council.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

DONEGAL RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL.

Meeting held the 30 day of May 19 25

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 _____ 19____, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

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Separate Charges			
Labourers' Cottage Rents	35	3	6
Small Dwellings Act			
Burial Fees			
Water Rents	1	5	10
Other Receipts:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Interest allowed by Treasurer:—			
on Revenue Account			
on Loans			
Total Revenue Receipts ...	36.	9	4
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.

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	114	0	11
			Separate Charges	10	12	6
Office Expenses	...	...	...	1	18	7
Burial Grounds Expenses	...	...	...
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges	...	...	Repairs	101	17	3
			Law and Engineering	8	9	6
			Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses	7	7	0
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act	...	...	...
Sanitary Expenses	...	...	General Charges			
			Separate Charges			
Superannuation	...	...	...	1	18	4
Repayment of Loans	...	...	General Charges			
			Separate Charges	68	16	0
Expenses of Local Committees	...	...	General Charges			
			Separate Charges	51	13	0
Expenses under Special Acts	...	...	General Charges			
			Separate Charges			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses	...	...	General Charges	11	12	0
			Separate Charges			
Intercepting Hospital	...	...	...
Total Revenue Payments				378	51	
Expenditure out of Loans, viz :—						
Total Amount of Orders Authorized to be issued						

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of the previous month, with the proper Debits and Credits.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of April 19...

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	32	5	10			
Total Sums received to close of last month	36	9	4			
Total	361	15	2			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	-	-	-			
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	378	5	1			
Total	378	5	1			
Net Balance due ^{to} Treasurer (being difference of above totals)	130	10	4			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due ^{by} Treasurer	130	10	4			
Outstanding Orders	147	0	3			
Net Balance as above due ^{to} Treasurer	16	9	11			

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 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 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.			
I.	23/574	133	123	10	128	15	6	38	20	166	17	6	35	3	5	13	14	1	1	13	11	35	3	5	36	17	4	35	3	6	1	13	10	
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VIII.																																		
IX.																																		
X.																																		
		TOTALS																																

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
1		<p>Number of tenants in arrears of a month upwards Rent collector to have arrears reduced as much as possible seeing that Councils are taken over by Council after 23 June.</p>	

Note—Should any of the foregoing books or statements not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission should be explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 20 day of May 1905

George Dunne
Clerk of the Rural District Council.

DONEGAL RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 VIC., CAP. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Rural District Council, acting as the Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held at the Workhouse, Donegal, in the County of Donegal, on the 30 day of

May 1925

Number of Members on the Council,.....21Number of Members present,.....9

PRESENT— IN THE CHAIR—

Mr C. McDaia

OTHER COUNCILLORS—

*Mess^{rs}. M. Dunneon, D J Flood**Mr Memmin, Mr Daia, Mr Downey,**M. Gallagher, Mr Cassidy*

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
<i>Donegal.</i>	<i>D. W. Harwood</i>	<i>Manure heaps too close to dwelling houses & dwelling</i>	<i>Notices served where recommendations M O H. carried out</i>
<i>Mountcharles</i>	<i>D. E. O'Sullivan</i>	<i>houses in a filthy state</i>	

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

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

VOPH 16148/1925 Letter from The Ministry
20th April 1925 Local Government
sanctioning the payment of £10-17 to
J. J. Laffrey, Asst. Co. Surveyor for his
services in connection with the Pettigo
Water Scheme.

VOPH 23683/25 Letter from The Ministry
20 May 1925 Local Government
sanctioning the payment of £13-5
in connection with the Pettigo Water Scheme
The Minister's Letter VOPH.16148/25
dated 20th April may be considered
as amended in that respect.

VOL. 19257/1925 Letter from The Ministry.
21st May 1925 Local Government enclosing
a form in which application may be
made by the Council for sanction to a loan
required for carrying out of repairs to the
Donegal water supply system

Minute As Council are of opinion
that a Grant can be got for the
purpose matter left over to next meeting

M. 22346/25 Letter from The Ministry
12th May 1925 Local Government
sanctioning the appointment of
Dr. Maggie J. McColgan as Medical Officer
of Health of Pettigo & D.D. @ £15 per year.
Relating to Minute Council 18/4/25 Donegal
Water Supply Contract with Mr. Dundas
Enclose Copy of Specification
Sanction granted

PH 20814/1925⁴ Letter from The Ministry
 30/4/1925 Local Government stating that
 representations have been made to The Ministry
 in respect of the non-payment of a sum of
 £128 claimed by Mess^{rs} O'Hara & Co. Sligo
 from the Donegal R.D. Council on foot
 of their Contract for scraping the water
 main for the supply of Donegal Town

PH 21531/1925 Letter from The Ministry
 6th May 25 Local Government
 returning copy of a report of Mr Caffrey
 on the work carried out under the
 Contract scraping water main Donegal
 water scheme.

PH 23439/25 Letter from The Ministry
 16/5/25 Local Government
 stating that the claim of Mess^{rs} O'Hara & Co
 appears to be a matter to be dealt with
 by the Rural District on the advice
 of their Engineer & Legal Adviser

If the contract
 contains a clause specifying that
 payment would be made only on a
 satisfactory supply being obtained the
 contractor in signing the contract would be
 regarded as having agreed to the provision
 as a binding part of their contract
 Minute last ^{part} ~~part~~ of spec. contains a
 clause that payment will be only made
 upon a satisfactory supply of water being
 obtained Mess^{rs} O'Hara signed a bond
 to that effect

PH 239 12/25 Letter from the Ministry Local Government
 14/5/25 relate to a letter which appears in the Irish Times
 of 13/5/25 from Rev. D. Lilly, Donegal relate to
 Donegal. Abbey Burial Ground.

PH 258 27/25 Letter from the Ministry Local Government
 28/5/25 relate to Donegal. Abbey Burial Ground
 Minute Messrs. Downey, Hugh Cassidy, J. Stevenson
 Murphy appointed as a Committee to confer
 with the Clergy of the different denominations
 in the district - report to next meeting.

N. 23503/25 Letter from the Ministry Local Government
 29/5/25 stating that under Section 17 L. G. Act 1925
 which prescribe that the under-mentioned adoptive Acts
 shall extend to and be in full force and effect in every part
 of Saorstát Éireann. from & after the passing of the Act viz
 Infectious Disease (Notification) Act 1869
 " " Prevention " 1890

Public Health Acts Amendment Act 1890 Part III

" " Amendment Act 1907 Parts 4-5

Tuberculosis Prevention Act Ireland. 1908 Part 1

Letter from D. J. Flood. Pittigo area 25/5/25
 stating that the steam roller burst water main
 in Pittigo Minute Loch repaired

29/5/25 Letter from Gillespie Carutaker, Donegal
 Abbey Burial Ground. stating that Gate is left open
 of Burial Ground. & cattle stray in
 Minute Loch. be. procured for sale.

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council, to be held on Saturday
 the 13 day of the June 1925

(Signed)

George Dunne
 Clerk of the Council.

DONEGAL RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883 TO 1911.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Rural District Council, acting as the Rural Sanitary

Authority under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Sunday

the 30 day of May, 1925

PRESENT—In the Chair—

Mr Charles McDaia

Other Councillors—

Mess^{rs} U. Dummion, Hugh Cassidy,
J Downey, M Gallagher, J Mc Daia
D J Flood. C M Mcmenamin

16/4/25 Letter from Dan Carr.
tenant Labors. Cottage Rahau. Carr
stating that the storm of 15th inst
took away the roof of his shed
attached to cottage took a few
slates of cottage also

Minute To be repaired

DONEGAL RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MISCELLANEOUS

The Rent collector being present reported that spouting cottage 88 Dinkineely was broken walls of cottage was being destroyed

Minute Book repaired
Rent collector was ordered to have arrears reduced during coming month as cottages etc will be passing to the County Council after 23rd June.

In pursuance to notice to tender.

14 Applications were rec^d for vacant cottage at Drumlonagher. Mr. John Walsh Donegal being accepted tenant.

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on

the

13th

day of

June

19

25

Saturday

(Signed)

George Dunion

Clerk of the Council.

DONEGAL RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL.

MISCELLANEOUS.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Council, in relation to matters other than those under Public Health and Labourers Acts, at a Meeting held on

Saturday the 13 day of June 1925

Number of Members on the Council, 21

Number of Members present,

PRESENT --In the Chair--

Mr C McDaid

Other Councillors--

Miss P H Cassidy, J Murphy,
Mr Gallagher, J McDaid

12/6/25 Letter from. The Secretary,
Co. Council stating that
Ministry Local Government
have sanctioned their proposal
of 26th ult extending the time to
the 30th June 25 for the
closing of the rate warrants
for above year. The Minister
adds. no further leniency
should be shown to any
collector who has not closed
by that date

909 Letter from. The Secretary, Co Council
 1/6/25 relative to Collector Horrey, for year
 23-24 stating that Horrey's case
 will be considered & finally decided
 at County Council Meeting on
 16th inst.

Minute Clerk stated that he had
 commenced with Collector
 Horrey, that he should attend
 meeting Co Council on 16th inst.
 further he stated that for the
 last 3 years he had urged
 the members of the Council
 from that district to urge
 on the people to pay
 a large sum of arrears
 22-23 is also
 uncollected in that
 district

26.1925 Circular No. 26.186/1925
 of 29.5.25

Transfer of business from
 Rural District Councils
 Letter from The Ministry Local
 Government stating that the date
 3rd June 1925 in the last paragraph
 should read 30th June the
 intention is that salaries for the
 entire month may be authorised
 by the existing Councils

Proposed by, Mr C McDaia
 Seconded by, " H Bassiey & passed
 Taking the circumstances of
 born Haughey, Dromarone into
 account that he be released of
 bill for the maintenance of his son
 while in the Mater Hospital
 Dublin for special treatment

See Minutes R. D. C. 13/24
 bill £26 = 0 = 0

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on _____

the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed) George Dunnington

Clerk of the Council.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

DONEGAL RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL.

Meeting held the 13 day of June, 1925

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 May 1925 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	26	10	0
Small Dwellings Act			
Burial Fees			
Water Rents		10	0
Other Receipts:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Interest allowed by Treasurer:—			
on Revenue Account			
on Loans			
Total Revenue Receipts ...	27	00	
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.

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					84	
Burial Grounds Expenses				2	00	
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges ...	{	Repairs ...	...	9	80	
		Law and Engineering ..	...		
		Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses ...	...	6	34	
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		13	87	
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:—						
				31	83	
Total Amount of Orders Authorized to be issued						

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of the previous month, with the proper Debits and Credits.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of May 1925

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	-	-	-			
Total Sums received to close of last month ...	27	00				
Total ...	27	00				
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	13	10	4			
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting ...	31	83				
Total ..	44	93	4			
Net Balance due ^{to} Treasurer (being difference of above totals)	20	18	2			
	144	18	7			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due ^{to} Treasurer ...	45	9	4			
Outstanding Orders ...	66	7	6			
Net Balance as above due ^{to} Treasurer ...	20	18	2			

DONEGAL RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

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
		<p>1. A large number of tenants' Labors cottages in arrears.</p> <p>Minute book. to urge on Rent collector to have arrears reduced</p>	

Note—Should any of the foregoing books or statements not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission should be explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 13 day of June 1925
G.D. Munro
Clerk of the Rural District Council.

Clerk. stated as directed by Council at
 their meeting, on 30th ult he summoned
 a meeting, Committee relative to The
 Old Abbey, Burial Ground Mess^{rs} Bossie,
 Downy, Murphy, & Stenenson councillors
 attended also present Rev. D. Kelly, Rev.
 Rev. Ryan B. Rev. Beacom.
 And. Rev. Father Sheridan P.
 Right Rev. Mon. J. Walker P.P. V.G.
 wrote stating, that he could not
 attend stated that in his opinion
 Old Abbey, Burial Ground should
 be closed

Committee marked out a part of
 the adjoining field the property of
 J. Brogan. as an extension to
 present graveyard and offered
 him £150. he has since replied
 that he will not accept less
 than £175, Clerk stated that
 he saw Mr. W. Cunningham.
 sent to surveyor to make out a
 map of parcel of land proposed
 to be acquired and as soon as
 Council would agree with owner
 he will have map made out.
 Clerk further stated that
 Rev. Mon. J. Walker P.P. V.G. called
 to day 13th inst & showed he the Clerk
 a letter which he was forwarding
 The Ministry Local Government
 Minute no action seeing owner
 of field would not accept offer
 made to him viz £150

4625 Letter from Mr James Dunleavy, Secy
Donegal enclosing bond signed by
Mr Dundas this serial is requesting to
have same sealed by the Rural
District Return again so as
same may be stamped

Minute Attended to

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council, to be held on _____
the _____ day of _____ 19__

(Signed)

George Dunnington
Clerk of the Council.

DONEGAL RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883 TO 1911.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Rural District Council, acting as the Rural Sanitary

Authority under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Saturday

the 13 day of June 1925

PRESENT—In the Chair—

W. C. Mc Daid

Other Councillors—

Mess^{rs} J. Mc Daid Hassidy
M. Gallagher Murphy

A. 82. 16048/1925 Letter from The Ministry
12/6/1925 Local Government relative
to the proposed repair of a
Labs cottage occupied by
Dan. Carr. & requesting to
be furnished with a specification
in relation to proposed work
Minute To be attended to

Receivable Order from Irish Land
Commission for £29-18-5
Inst. & Int. on Labs. Loans
Minute To be paid

5

Proposed by Mr M Gallagher.

seconded by Mr Cassidy

That Mr. John Ward has paid the
sum of £3 for taking care of the
vacant cottages at Inver
subject to the sanction of
the Local Government Dept.

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on _____

the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed)

G. Dunne

Clerk of the Council,

