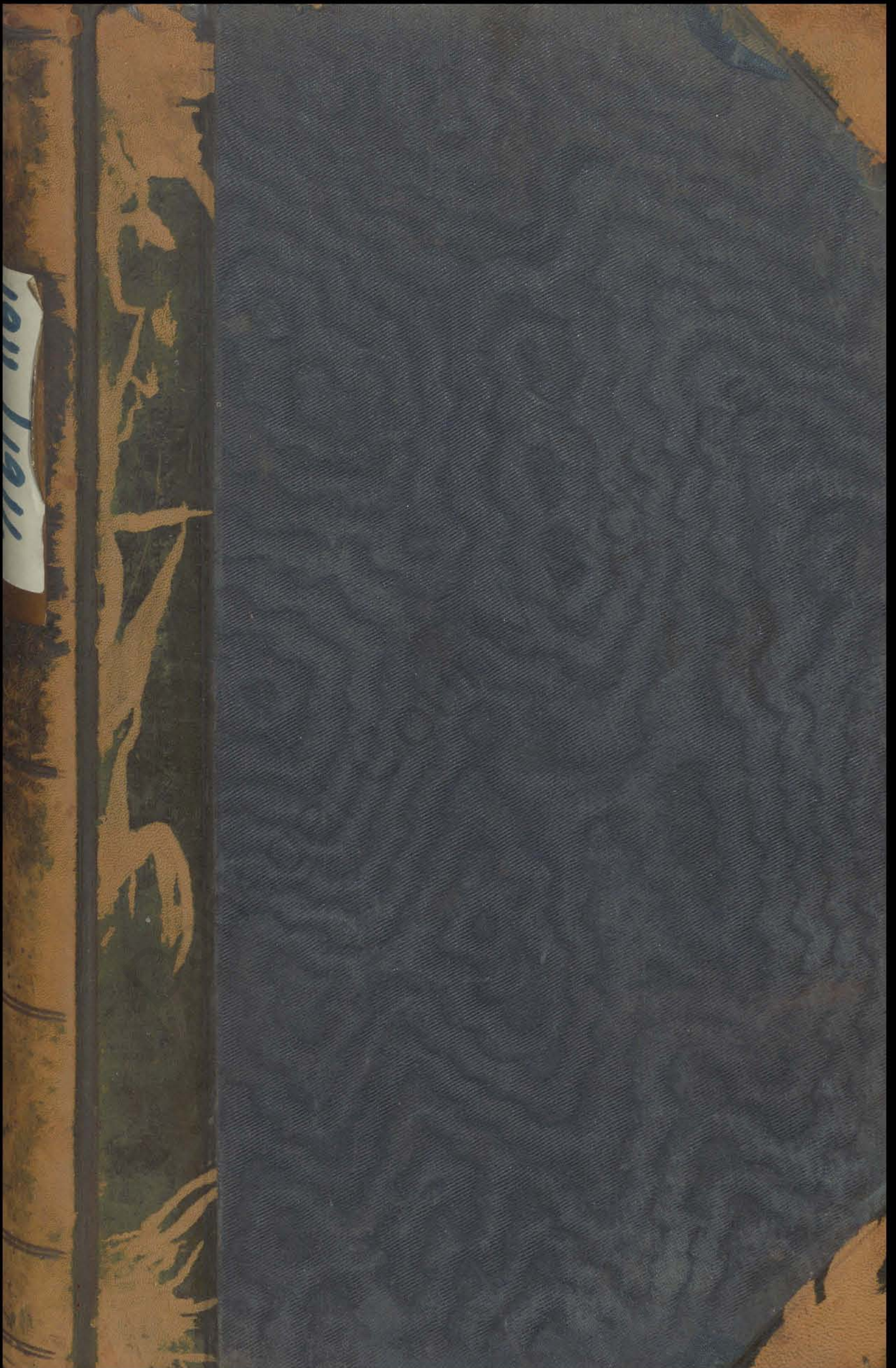


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Lilloharroff Urban District Council

N<sup>o</sup> of members on the Council 9.

N<sup>o</sup> of members present 9

Minutes of proceedings at meeting held on Monday the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of January 1911.

In the Chair Thomas Mulhern Esq M.P.

Other members present:-

Messrs Henry Gallagher

James Gibbons

Robert O'Connell

Patrick Doherty Junr

Patrick Doherty Junr

Philip Carroll

David McDevitt

John Ward

The minutes of last meeting were read and signed

On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills were ordered to be paid.

General account

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Service	Amount
112	John J. Larkins	Town Clerk	13 15 0
113	Patrick Dawson	Town Surveyor	14 0 0
114	Mary Ward	P.O. Office	2 15 0
115	Edward Pagan	Post Office	2 0 0
116	Andrew Mitchell	Water Manager	5 0 0
117	Mary Wilson	Office Keeper	1 5 0

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Service	Amount	Pts
Forward £				
118	John J. Larkins	Town Clerk	1 0 0	
119	John J. Larkins	Sub of pay	14 9 5	
120	Maurice Moragall	Horse work	8 5 0	
121	John J. Larkins	Forms	4 6	
122	Patriotic Assurance Co <sup>y</sup>	Insurance premium	15 0	
123	James O'Sullivan	Printed plates	10 10 0	

Loans account

124	John J. Larkins	Sub of pay	9 0 0
125	Granger Bros	Contract for work	15 12 0 0
126	John Mallon	Town Land Cost	27 15 1

Gasworks account

37	Andrew Mitchell	Gas Manager	25 0 0
38	John J. Larkins	Town Clerk	3 15 0
39	John J. Larkins	Sub of pay	53 12 10
40	W. Kennedy & O'Connell	Painting	16 4
41	John Mallon	Gas work	15 0
42	James McKeown	Coal	170 1 4
43	Patriotic Assurance Co <sup>y</sup>	Insurance premium	3 15 0

The following Letters &c. were read  
from the Local Government Board

N<sup>o</sup>. 74993: 1910, dated 5<sup>th</sup> December 1910

Acknowledging receipt of letter of the 1<sup>st</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> 1910 forwarding list of the persons on whom copies of the Limerick Urban District Order 1910 had been served, and requesting to be informed whether the service by post was effected by forwarding copies of the Order by post in prepaid and registered letters.

The Town Clerk stated that he had replied that the service by post was effected by forwarding copies of the Order by post in prepaid and registered letters.

N<sup>o</sup>. 176 1/1910 this, dated 6<sup>th</sup> December 1910

Forwarding copy of a Memorandum of Instructions as to Provisional Orders under the Housing of the Working Classes (Ireland) Acts 1850 to 1908 prepared for the guidance of Local Authorities under these Acts

N<sup>o</sup>. 75850: 1910, dated 10<sup>th</sup> December 1910

Acknowledging receipt of letter of the 6<sup>th</sup> December 1910 relative to the service on the persons interested of copies of the Limerick Urban District Order 1910

N<sup>o</sup>. 78642: 1910, dated 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1910

Relative to the application of the Council for the issue of the final instalment of the loan of £2700 sanctioned for the purpose of providing a water supply and requesting to be furnished with a statement of the work done and liabilities incurred under the loan up to date

Statement to be forwarded

N<sup>o</sup>. 75189: 1910, dated 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1910.

Relative to the application of the Council for sanction for a loan of £200 for the purpose of providing a scumple and station meter at the Gasworks and expressing their sanction for the loan in question in pursuance of Section 237 of the Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, repayment to be spread over a period of 10 years and requesting that they may be furnished for deposit in their Office with certified copies of the plans, specifications, and estimates which they referred.

Ordered that application be made to the Commissioners of Public Works for the loan and that certified copies of the Plans Specifications and Estimates be forwarded to the Local Government Board

From the Office of Public Works

N<sup>o</sup>. 1717 5/10, dated 21<sup>st</sup> December 1910.

Acknowledging receipt of application for £700 the final instalment of loan of £2700 sanctioned for the purpose of providing a water supply and stating that the application has been forwarded for the recommendation of the Local Government Board

From the Stone Office, Whitehall

N<sup>o</sup>. 199090, dated 31<sup>st</sup> December 1910

Requesting Returns relating to the production of Coke at the Occident Gasworks during the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> December 1910 Return to be forwarded.

From His Majesty's Inspectors Clooney Park Limerick, dated 8<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> 1910  
Forwarding notices of occupation of the unincorporated workshops viz:-  
Daniel Kelly (Saddler) Main Street Limerick  
James Gallons (Saddler) Main Street Limerick

From Mr Charles Keely, Litcherry (Kean Mills, dated 27<sup>th</sup> December, 1910.

Asking the permission of the Council to erect a Postgo into the loft of the "Bond Store". That he proposed to erect a temporary scaffolding (to be taken away when not required) and that he was prepared to sign any document the Council required in the way of his responsibility.

Ordered that the permission asked for be granted on Mr Keely signing an agreement to be prepared by the Council, which shall indemnify the Council from all actions arising out of accidents through the erection and use of the Postgo, and subject to the Postgo being constructed and erected to the satisfaction of the Town Surveyor.

The Record of work performed by the Sanitation Officer from the 28<sup>th</sup> day of November 1910 to the 24<sup>th</sup> day of December 1910 was submitted Examined and showed that 48 premises had been inspected.

The Water Manager reported that the extra pressure occasioned by the Drough Net supply continued to give trouble especially to the cast-iron cocks, but repairs were being carried out as expeditiously as possible. That all the street Fountains except two, one at Mr Clunes and one at Major Lane had been put in proper order, that fittings for these two are required before they can be repaired. That owing to the calls on his time during the month he had not time to ascertain the number of stop cocks & communication pipes that will be required but he hoped to report on same at next meeting. That as previously brought under the Council's notice he recommended that the positions of existing Fire Plugs be altered to the surface of the Footpaths, as at present it is difficult to locate same, and in case of fire a considerable length of time would be spent looking for same. He suggested the

provision of two additional Fire plugs one opposite the Bishop's place the other at Railway Square.

Ordered that the fittings required for the street Fountains be provided, and that the Water Manager report to next meeting of the Council the cost of altering the existing Fire Plugs and providing the two additional recommended of him as necessary.

Councillors P. O'Leary, J. and J. Devitt were appointed a Committee to fix a site for the street Fountain at present on Footpath at Mr. Clunes, this site being in the opinion of the Council unsuitable and the hydrant an obstruction.

The Gas Manager reported an excess of slack in last coils of Coal which was not satisfactory. He considered it advisable though having a good supply of Coal on hand that another coil should be ordered.

Coals ordered.

The Gas Manager's Collection Account was submitted Examined and showed considered satisfactory.

The Town Clerk reported having been served with a copy of a Petition of Mrs Charlotte Agnes Boyd of Ballymool under the Housing of the Working Classes, Act 1890 to 1908 and the Litcherry Urban District Order 1910 to the County Court of Donegal objecting to certain portions of said Order and praying that as regards said portions the Order may not become law without further inquiry.

Ordered that the Council's Solicitor be instructed to appear on behalf of the Council at the hearing of the Petition on the 17<sup>th</sup> January 1911.

The Council proceeded to consider the Extracts from the Report of the Local Government Board's Medical Inspector (Dr MacCarthy) on the sanitary conditions of the Urban District as entered on the Council's Minutes of the 5<sup>th</sup> December 1910 and referred to in the Board's letter No. 73678:1910 dated 1<sup>st</sup> December 1910.

As regards the Registration of Cowkeepers and Purveyors of Milk, the Council ordered the Inspector under the Cowsheds, Pairs and Milkshops Order to call with all the parties not yet registered and give them notice that unless they register before next monthly meeting of the Council, the Council will prosecute them for their default in not complying with the requirements of the Order.

The Council did not consider it necessary to make any Order as regards a systematic inspection of the meat and milk supplies.

The Sanitary Authority at their last meeting agreed to carry out domestic scavenging for certain parts of the District where dwelling houses are without yard or ash pit accommodation.

As regards the Bye Laws with respect to Common Lodging Houses it was ordered that public notice be given requiring the Keepers of all Common Lodging Houses in the Urban District to register their premises.

In respect to the provision of an efficient disinfecting apparatus for the District the Council is at any time prepared to join with the Board of Guardians of the Luteheriff Union and the Luteheriff Rural District Council in providing a properly equipped disinfecting apparatus for use on the entire Union.

The Council took up the consideration of the application of Dr Feunick Lane late Medical Officer of Health of the Urban District for superannuation allowance and notice in writing that same would this day come before the Council having been given to each member of the Council and the Full Council being in

attendance when in accordance with notice of motion given on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of November 1910 Councillor Philip Lane proposed:-

That the application of Dr Feunick Lane late Medical Officer of Health of the Urban District for superannuation allowance on retirement be granted and that the superannuation allowance be fixed at  $\frac{2}{3}$  parts of the annual salary of £8:0:0 paid to Dr Lane as Medical Officer of Health viz £5:6:8 per annum as from the 1<sup>st</sup> day of October 1910.

Seconded by Councillor Patrick Doherty Jun<sup>r</sup> and passed unanimously.

The sanction of the Local Government Board for the foregoing superannuation allowance is respectfully requested.

Ordered that the Town Surveyor report to next monthly meeting of the Council on the desirability of filling up a certain Lagoon hole at Pentry Hill and submit an Estimate of the cost thereof.

In accordance with notice of motion Councillor James Gibbons moved:-

That the Council in the interests of the Public Health of the District require the Owners of all dwelling houses in the Urban District at present with dry or earth closet accommodation to convert such dry or earth closets into water closets.

The motion was not recorded.

In accordance with notice of motion Councillor James Gibbons moved:-

That as regards the carrying out of the Council's resolution on the matter of the situation of the Mining Taxis the provisions of the Towns Improvement (Ireland) Act 1854 be put in force.

The motion was not recorded.

Councillor Thomas Mulhern gave notice that at next monthly meeting to wit: - That the Council frame Bye Laws for the Urban District and that provision be made in said Bye Laws with respect to the provision of water closets accommodation for all houses here forth to be erected in the District.

Councillor Strutt gave notice that at next monthly meeting to wit: -

That the Council consider the advisability of enclosing the present Cattle market, providing a proper water supply for same and the making of Bye Laws with respect to said market, and the charging of tolls in connection therewith.

Ordered that notice be served on Mr David Boal, Glencas, that the Council will at the expiration of six months from the date of said notice on him terminate the agreement dated 5<sup>th</sup> March 1895 under which he supplies the Council with water from his lands at Glencas.

Next monthly meeting of the Council to be held on Monday the 6<sup>th</sup> day of February 1911.

Thomas Mulhern Chairman

John J. O'Keefe

John O'Keefe

Letter from Urban District Council.

N<sup>o</sup> of Members on the Council 9

N<sup>o</sup> of Members present 6

Annual Meeting.

Minutes of proceedings at Meeting held on Monday the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of January 1911

In the Chair Thomas Mulhern Esq. M.P.

Ofs. Councillors present: -

Messrs Henry Jacoby

Strutt

Philip Connell

James Gibbons

Patrick Doherty Junr

The Returning Officer reported that at the Election of Urban District Councillors on the 16<sup>th</sup> January 1911 the following candidates were returned viz: - Thomas Mulhern (292 votes) Strutt (253 votes) Daniel H. Devitt (224 votes).

The following newly elected Councillors subscribed the Statutory Declaration accepting office, and took their seats at the Council viz: - Thomas Mulhern and Strutt.

It was proposed by Councillor Philip Connell and seconded by Councillor Strutt: - That Councillor Thomas Mulhern be re-elected Chairman of the Council for the ensuing year.

Passed unanimously.



Councillor Thomas Mulhern made the statutory Declaration accepting the office of Chairman of the Council for the ensuing year.

It was proposed by Councillor Philip Connell and seconded by Councillor John Ward:— That Councillor Henry Gallagher be elected Vice Chairman of the Council for the ensuing year.

Passed unanimously.

Councillor Henry Gallagher made the statutory Declaration accepting the office of Vice Chairman of the Council for the ensuing year.

It was unanimously agreed that the following Councillors constitute the Standing Committees for the year ending 23<sup>rd</sup> January 1912

Sanitary Committee :- The whole Council  
(3<sup>rd</sup> Term a Quorum)

Lighting & Water Committee :- Messrs Patrick Doherty Junr, Henry Gallagher, Philip Connell, John Ward, Daniel McDevitt and Robert McElroy

Cleanliness Committee :- Messrs Patrick Doherty Junr, Philip Connell, Daniel McDevitt, Patrick Doherty Junr, James Gibbons and Robert McElroy

Finance Committee :- The whole Council  
(3<sup>rd</sup> Term a Quorum)

The following were appointed to represent the Urban District Council on the Joint Committee of Technical Instruction for County Donegal for the year ending 23<sup>rd</sup> January 1912 viz:—

Rev James Keenan, P.D. Rev John Caffarty, A.C. Messrs Thomas Mulhern, Philip Connell, Henry Gallagher, and James Gibbons.

Ordered that the Town Surveyor submit at next monthly meeting of the Council a scheme, accompanied by maps and estimates of the cost for sewerage to Ramelton Road and Port Road with earthenware pipes so as to effectually drain that portion of the Urban District.

T. Mulhern Chairman.

John Doherty

John C. McE.

Limerick Urban District Council

N<sup>o</sup>. of Members on the Council 9

N<sup>o</sup>. of Members present 9

Minutes of proceedings at Meeting held on Monday the 6<sup>th</sup> day of  
February 1911.

In the Chair Thomas Muehler Esq. M.P.

Other Councillors present:-

Messrs. Henry Gallagher

Patrick Doherty Junr.

Patrick Doherty Junr.

Daniel McDewitt

Philip Canall

James Gibbons

Robert Malone Esq.

John Ward

The Town Clerk submitted the statutory declaration of Councillor  
Daniel McDewitt made on the 25<sup>th</sup> January last consequent on  
his re-election as Limerick Urban District Councillor.

The Minutes of last monthly Meeting were read and signed

The Minutes of the Annual Meeting were read and signed

On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee the  
following Bills were read & passed.

General Account

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Particulars	Amount	Paid
127	Donegal County Council	3 <sup>rd</sup> Instl. Demand	147	7 6
128	John J. Larkin	Election Expenses 2006	11	15 6
129	John J. Larkin	Sub <sup>y</sup> payments	10	11 6
130	James McDonagh	Horsework	9	11 7
131	John P. O'Neil	Printers	6	2 4
132	John J. & Kennedy Ltd.	Printing (Post Formulation)	1	17 6
133	Stenson & Turner	Dist. Cart. &c.	1	10 6
134	Guardians Limerick Union	Rent Rate Relief Fund	10	0
135	John J. & J. J. O'Neil	Minute Book	5	6
		Total	189	11 11

Loans Account

136	Colquhoun & King	Travelling Costs	22	19 10
		Total	22	19 10

Gasworks Account

144	John J. Larkin	Sub <sup>y</sup> payments	20	10 3
145	John J. & Kennedy Ltd.	Repayment interest	3	8 3
146	Alex. Brown & Son Ltd.	Insurance Costs	1	2 9
147	J. H. Connel Esq.	Printing	16	8
148	John P. O'Neil	Print Bot	3	6
		Total	26	1 5

The following Letters were read.

From the Local Government Board.

N<sup>o</sup>. 991:1911, dated 13<sup>th</sup> January 1911.

Informing the Council that they had recommended the Commissioner of Public Works to issue a sum of £700 being the balance of the loan of £2700 sanctioned for the purpose of providing a water supply.

N<sup>o</sup>. 1733:1911, dated 19<sup>th</sup> January 1911.

Informing the Council that the grant of superannuation allowance to Dr. Gane, as Medical Officer of Health of the Urban District is a matter for the approval of the Lord Lieutenant and that the Council should communicate with the Under Secretary on the subject.

N<sup>o</sup>. 120/11:1910, dated 20<sup>th</sup> January 1911.

Requesting to be furnished with a Return showing the state of the collection of the Poor Rate in the Urban District for the 31<sup>st</sup> Dec 1910.

Return has been forwarded.

N<sup>o</sup>. 4667:1911 dated 28<sup>th</sup> January 1911 & N<sup>o</sup>. 5763:1911 dated 2<sup>nd</sup> February 1911.

Inclosing a Form upon which application may be made by the Council for a loan under the Housing of the Working Classes (Ireland) Acts 1890 to 1908.

N<sup>o</sup>. 5301:1911, dated 31<sup>st</sup> January 1911.

Stating that they have received a copy of the Order made by the County Court in the matter of the Petition against certain parts of the Letter Kerry Urban District Order 1910 from which it appears that the Provisional Order was amended & the substitution of plots Nos. 1A and 2 of certain alternative plots marked A, B, C and D on a map filed in Court and requesting that the

Board may be furnished with a copy of the map referred to certified by an Officer of the County Board together with a Book of Reference showing the denominations and areas of each of these plots and the names of the respective owners, lessees and occupants.

Certified copy map and Book of Reference as required have been forwarded.

From Mr. J. P. Bamhill to J. C. E. Longueur Local Water Scheme, dated 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1911. Report on the completion of the works by the Contractor, and the total cost of same viz amount of original Contract £6808:2:11. Value of extras regularly ordered and executed in addition to the Contract £447:5:2 total £7255:8:1.

Mr. Bamhill also reported on certain works required to be done at the Town Reservoir, and which Dr. Moore R.M.S. on behalf of the Committee of Management of the Acryum who are carrying out the construction of the Reservoir in accordance with agreement considered it better to have executed by the Contractor, as he was unable with Acryum labour to undertake and carry out same.

Mr. Bamhill submitted drawings of the works and a tender for their execution from Messrs. Grange & Co. for the sum of £87:14:0 which sum he considered reasonable.

The Council provisionally accepted the tender and directed that the matter be brought before the next meeting of the Acryum Committee for their sanction.

From Messrs. Grange & Co., dated 28<sup>th</sup> January 1911.

Offering cast iron pipes @ £5:15:0 per ton as they lie in the goods yard at Letter Kerry Station.

The Council decided to offer Messrs. Grange & Co. at the rate of £4:10:0 per ton for 5 tons pipes.

From Messrs de Intyre Hoff March 26, dated 1<sup>st</sup> Feb 1911

List of Outworkers in connection with their shirt manufacturing Business at Main Street Limerick

The Town Surveyor reported that the Quarry hole at Oent Hill could be filled up in one day by the three surface men with a horse and cart, as the material for filling the hole was convenient. Ordered that the hole be filled up without delay.

The Town Surveyor submitted his scheme for the widening of the Ramellon and Post Roads accompanied by map, specification and Estimate. He estimated the cost £260.

The Council decided to carry out the scheme and approved the map, specification and estimate.

Resolved that application be made to the Local Govt. Board for their sanction for a loan of £260 for the purpose of carrying out the scheme.

The Local Government Board are respectfully requested to forward the necessary form of application for their sanction for the loan referred to.

The Sanitary Dub Office reported having inspected 22 premises from the 30<sup>th</sup> day of December 1910 to the 28<sup>th</sup> day of January 1911, and submitted particulars of his inspections during that period.

The Committee appointed to fix a site for the hydrant at present on footpath opposite Mr. McClure's premises reported that same should be removed to a site further down the Ramellon Road.

The Report was adopted by the Council and directions given to remove the hydrant to the new site.

The Water Manager reported that there were still breakages cropping up but that he was attending to same as speedily as possible. That the cost of changing the Fire Plugs as suggested would average 15/- each and 8 would require to be altered making the cost £6.0.0. That the main extension and fire plug to opposite the Palace would cost about £14 and to the Railway Tavern £2.10.0.

The Report was adopted and the works ordered to be carried out.

The Water Manager submitted a List showing the number of stop cocks required on communication pipes.

Ordered that the Water Manager submit an Estimate of the cost of providing these stop cocks to next monthly meeting of the Council.

The Gas Manager reported the arrival of a cargo of coal but that same was most unsatisfactory, there being an excessive quantity of slack and it seemed as if it was never screened.

Ordered that the Contractors be written to that the Coals are not in accordance with the Contract and that the Council will make a deduction from their account in consequence.

The Gas Manager's Collection Account was submitted examined and considered as fairly satisfactory.

The Rent Collector reported all the tenants as having paid their Rents up to the end of January with the exceptions of Michael O'Farrell (House No 2) £3.15.0 or 18 weeks arrears, and Michael O'Farrell (House No 3) 1/2 or one week's rent.

The Inspector under the Dairies, Cowsteds & Milkshops (Ireland) Order 1908 reported, a number of Cowkeepers and Purveyors of Milk as not being registered under the Order.

Ordered that the Inspector, as a notice by the parties that unless they request before next monthly meeting of the Council proceedings will then be ordered against them.

The Town Clerk submitted a copy of the Order made by the County Court in the matter of the petition of Mrs Charles Boyd against certain portions of the Littering Urban District Order 1910, amending said Order by substituting for sites No 1. 1a and 2 in said Order referred to, the alternative sites marked on map filed in Court A B C D and measuring 35.5 Feet in frontage from a point 2 yards west of well marked thereon and 60 Feet from front to rear and ordering that the said Order be confirmed in all other respects.

The Council unanimously agreed to take the alternative sites mentioned in the Order of the County Court, and directed that the necessary maps, schedules and Book of Reference be forthwith deposited at the office of the confirming authority (the Local Government Board) and copies thereof kept at the office of the Council.

The Town Clerk was instructed on receiving an acknowledgment from the Local Government Board that the maps, schedules and Book of Reference had been received by the Board to summon a special meeting of the Council in order that application may be made to the Local Government Board to appoint an arbitrator between the Council and the persons interested in the scheduled lands.

Whereas the Council at their meeting held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of January 1911 passed the following Minute and Resolution:-

"The Council took up the consideration of the application of Dr. Jemurk Carne late Medical Officer of Health of the Urban District for superannuation allowance, due notice in writing that same would this day come before the Council having been given to each member of the Council, and the Fuel Council being in attendance, when in accordance with notice of motion given on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of November 1910 Councilor Philip Carnall proposed: That the application of Dr. Jemurk Carne late Medical Officer of Health of the Urban District for superannuation allowance on retirement be granted and that the superannuation allowance be fixed at  $\frac{2}{3}$ nds of the annual salary of £8:0:0 paid to Dr. Carne as Medical Officer of Health viz £5:6:8 per annum as from the 1<sup>st</sup> day of October 1910. Seconded by Councilor Patrick Doherty Jnr and passed unanimously."

And whereas due notice in writing that the foregoing application would, again come before the Council at their meeting this day was given to each member of the Council and the Fuel Council being again in attendance.

Councilor Philip Carnall proposed and Councilor Patrick Doherty Jnr seconded the adoption of the foregoing Minute and Resolution of the 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1911 fixing the superannuation allowance of Dr. Jemurk Carne late Medical Officer of Health of the Urban District at  $\frac{2}{3}$ nds of his salary of £8:0:0 as Medical Officer of Health viz £5:6:8 per annum as from the 1<sup>st</sup> day of Oct 1910.

Passed unanimously.

The sanction of the Lord Lieutenant for the foregoing grant of superannuation is respectfully requested.

Councillor Thomas Mulhern in accordance with notice moved:-

That the Council frame building Bye Laws for the Urban District and that provision be made in said Bye Laws with respect to the provision of trade closet accommodation for all houses here forth to be erected in the District.

The motion was agreed to and the following Committee appointed to draw up the Bye Laws for submission to the Council viz:- Councillors Thomas Mulhern, Peter McElwee, Philip Caneel, John Ward, Patrick Doherty Junr and the Town Clerk.

Councillor John Ward deferred for 3 months the motion of which he had given notice with respect to the cattle market in order that an estimate might be prepared of the Town Surveyor of the cost of carrying out the works of enclosing the market, and providing a trade supply to same, and that the approximate number of cattle brought into the market may be ascertained. The Town Surveyor's estimate to be submitted at next meeting.

The consideration of the Resolutions of the O'Donnell Branch of the United Irish League re erection of houses of direct labour was further deferred.

Next Monthly Meeting of the Council to be held on Monday the 6<sup>th</sup> day of March 1911

W. Gallagher Chairman

John P. O'Connell  
Town Clerk

Litter Keryff Urban District Council.

N<sup>o</sup> of Members on the Council 9

N<sup>o</sup> of Members present 6

Minutes of proceedings at Meeting held on Monday the 6<sup>th</sup> day of March 1911.

In the Chair. Henry Gallagher Esq

Other Members present:-

Messrs Philip Caneel

Patrick Doherty Junr

Patrick Doherty Senr

Robert McElwee Esq

John Ward

The Minutes of last Meeting (Monthly) were read and signed.

The Minutes of last Quarterly Meeting were read and signed.

On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills were ordered to be paid

General account.

No	Name	Service	Amount	Shs
137	Donegal County Council	Final Audit Demand	147	7 5
138	O'Donnell Dist Bd Commr	Technical Dist. Rate 1910-11.	17	18 4
139	Gasworks Account	Public Lighting	82	0 0
140	Macmillan Monaghy	Horse Tax	5	12 0
141	Mary Ann Crea	Survey 1910-11.	4	0 0
142	Shelagh Larkin	Pub. of payments	12	9 0
143	James Harris	Summons	4	14 10
144	John P. O'Connell	Summons	1	13 0
		Forward	275	14 7

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Service	Amount	Pths
		Forward £	275	14 7
145	Henry Ward	Postage fees	24	2 3
146	Leit Carre	Supplies	1	6 8
147	Stevenson & Turner	Lead Piping etc.	2	10 11
148	Glenfield & Kennedy Ltd.	Rubber trucks	10	3
149	Dallord Ltd	Stationery	2	5 6
150	McKenney & O'Callaghan	Printing	1	0
		Total £	306	11 2

### Loans account

151	John O'Connell	Law Costs	160	11 8
		Total £	160	11 8

### Gasworks account

49	James McKeown & Co	Coal	327	8 11
50	John J. Larkin	Subs. pay's	19	7 1
51	Paul Kennedy	Paints etc.	5	12 1
		Total £	352	8 1

The following Letters etc. were read.

From the Local Government Board

N<sup>o</sup> 13/11/1911/Mis, dated 7<sup>th</sup> February 1911.

Plague precautions - Destruction of Rats - accompanied by copies of an order made in pursuance of their powers under Section 49 of the Public Health (Ireland) Act 1878, authorising Sanitary Authorities to incur the necessary expenditure for the destruction of rats in their respective districts.

N<sup>o</sup> 6509/1911, dated 28<sup>th</sup> February 1911.

Acknowledging receipt of letter of the 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1911 with enclosures relative to the order made by the County Court on the Petition against certain parts of the Letter Kerry Urban District Order 1910.

N<sup>o</sup> 27. M. 1911, dated 14<sup>th</sup> February 1911

Requesting to be furnished with particulars of the liabilities (if any) incurred by the Council in respect of repayments of principal and of interest on foot of moneys borrowed under the sanction of the Board for the purposes of the Housing of the Working Classes (Ireland) Acts 1890 to 1908 in the financial year commencing on the 1<sup>st</sup> April last, and ending on the 31<sup>st</sup> March 1911.

Return to be forwarded

N<sup>o</sup> 7254/1911, dated 17<sup>th</sup> February 1911

Relative to letter of the 7<sup>th</sup> February 1911 as to the appointment of an Arbitrator in the matter of the lands which the Council are authorised to acquire under the Letter Kerry Urban District Order 1910, and stating that they have in course of preparation an order confirming the Provisional Order except the portion thereof in respect of which a Petition was presented to the County Court. That immediately on receipt of a copy of the Board's order the Council should pass a resolution requesting the appointment of an Arbitrator in the matter and a copy thereof should be forwarded to the Local Government Board without delay.

The Council respectfully request the Local Government Board to expedite the issue of the Confirming Order referred to by them in order that the scheme may be proceeded with without delay.

N<sup>o</sup> 7986/1911, dated 18<sup>th</sup> February 1911

Relative to the proposal of the Council to make Bye Laws with respect to new buildings in the Ashwell District and forwarding copies of their Model Code on the subject together with a memorandum showing the procedure to be observed in making Bye Laws.

N<sup>o</sup> 3011/1911, dated 22<sup>nd</sup> February 1911

Relative to the provisions of Section 51 (h) of the Local Government (Ireland), Act 1898, as amended by section 2 of the Local Government (Ireland), Act 1900 which require that the Poor Rate should be made immediately prior to or at the beginning of the period for which it is to provide and requesting the Council to take steps to ensure that the Rate Books are completed in sufficient time to enable the rate for the coming year to be made not later than the 30<sup>th</sup> April next.

Ordered that the Estimate of Rates required for the year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1912 be submitted at next monthly meeting to the Council.

N<sup>o</sup> 7936/1911, dated 23<sup>rd</sup> February 1911

Enclosing Form in which application may be made for sanction to the loan of £260 required for the purpose of carrying out a scheme for the sewerage of the Ramelton and Port Roads, and requesting to be furnished with a plan specification and estimate of the works proposed to be carried out under the loan in question.

Form of application was signed by the Chairman Combraugh by the Town Clerk, and directed to be forwarded to the Local Government Board with plan, specification and estimate as requested.

From the Under Secretary Dublin Castle.

N<sup>o</sup> 2611, dated 14<sup>th</sup> February 1911

Re Superannuation of Dr. Fenwick Coome - Acknowledging receipt of letter of the 13<sup>th</sup> February and stating that the subject would be considered.

N<sup>o</sup> 2500, dated 17<sup>th</sup> February 1911

Conveying His Excellency's Consent to the pension of £3:6:8 per annum awarded by the Council to Dr. Fenwick Coome then late Medical Officer of Health.

From the Commissioners of Valuation

N<sup>o</sup> 59392, dated 28<sup>th</sup> February 1911.

Forwarding the revised Valuation Lists for 1911 relating to the Limerick Urban District, dated 1<sup>st</sup> March 1911.

From the Department of Agriculture

N<sup>o</sup> 4609-11, dated 8<sup>th</sup> February 1911

Requesting information as to whether the Council have entered into a lease for the acquisition (a) of existing buildings, or (b) of a site for Technical School Buildings.

The information sought has been supplied.

From the Secretary of the Donegal County Council

N<sup>o</sup> 51, dated 3<sup>rd</sup> March 1911

Notifying in pursuance of Article 70 of the Public Bodies Acts 1904 that the amount which will be demanded from the Council for the period of the financial year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1912 will be for

County Charges	£405: 17: 5
Municipal Charges	269: 16: 1
Special Charges viz	
Limerick Railway	40: 6: 2
Total	£715: 19: 8



From Messrs James & Melrose & Co Contractors for supply of Gas Coal, dated 17<sup>th</sup> February 1911.

Relative to letter of the 12<sup>th</sup> February 1911 as to inferior quality of last cargo of coal supplied, and stating that they cannot entertain the claim for a deduction off the amount of the account, but that they were having the matter thoroughly enquired into so that every reasonable investigation may be made.

Ordered that a sum of £18 be deducted from the account in respect of this cargo, this sum being in the opinion of the Gas Manager, a reasonable deduction having regard to the inferior quality of the coal supplied.

From the Guardians of the Limerick Union, dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb 1911. Inquiring on what terms the Council would supply the Workhouse with trabh from Lough Salt Meams.

On the motion of Councillor Patrick Doherty seconded by Councillor Robert O'Connell it was unanimously agreed that the Council would give the Guardians a supply of trabh for the Workhouse from the Lough Salt Meams for the sum of £15.0.0 per annum.

From Messrs Grange Bros Contractors Lough Salt Waterworks, dated 13<sup>th</sup> February 1911. Stating that the Council were asking them to accept £2.10.0 per ton less for paper than the Council could purchase their elsewhere.

From St. Anne's B.M.O. Asylum Limerick dated 19<sup>th</sup> Feb 1911 stating that the Committee of Management of the Asylum had approved of the tender of Messrs Grange Bros for carrying out certain works at the Town Reservoir for the sum of £87.14.0 and also of the payment of £10 additional for Engineer's Fee.

From Messrs Grange Bros, dated 22<sup>nd</sup> February 1911.

Acknowledging receipt of letter of the 18<sup>th</sup> inst. notifying them that their tender for works at the Town Reservoir had been accepted, and stating that they would arrange to have the work proceeded with.

The Medical Officer of Health reported the dwelling house occupied by Anne Boyle at Back Road and its surroundings as being in an unsanitary state and recommended that the dwelling house be thoroughly cleaned up and lime-washed.

Notice to be served on the occupier, and 14 days allowed to carry out the recommendations of the Medical Officer of Health.

The record of work performed by the Sanitary Sub Office from the 30<sup>th</sup> January 1911 to the 25<sup>th</sup> February 1911 was submitted examined and showed that 58 premises had been visited and inspected.

The Town Surveyor reported on the cost of enclosing the cattle market his estimate being as follows:-

Enclosing wall 140 perches Masonry @ 7/6 per perch	£49.0.0
Gates (2) H.D. 11' x 5 1/2' @ 6 each	12.0.0
Brickwork Grouches (4) @ 12/6 each	50.0.0
Walls supply to Grouches	7.0.0
Incidental	12.0.0
	<u>£100.0.0</u>

The subject was held over pending the consideration of Councillor Ward's adjourned motion.

The Town Surveyor reported that the gable of house occupied under the Council by John Sullivan was bad owing to damp, and that it would be necessary to have the external plaster stripped to find the source.

Ordered that the necessary work be carried out and that same be left in the hands of the Town Surveyor.

The Water Manager reported that since last meeting all the Fire Pumps had been tested and after a good deal of trouble they are all now in good order, with the exception of one at the Kelly's mill, and as there is a want of pressure at this place he concluded the main must be blocked more or less from the Gas Works gate to the point referred to. That in order to remedy this the main would require to be cut and if possible the scrapes put through same. That an outbreak of fire occurred in Mr James Gibbons' property on the 26<sup>th</sup> February but fortunately was noticed in time. That he turned out with the hose but did not get an opportunity of using same. He requested to be allowed the same remuneration for his services as Captain of the Fire Brigade as his predecessor had viz £5. per annum. That he estimated the cost of putting the stop cocks on the several communication pipes requiring same at an average of 9/- each.

The Report was adopted. Ordered that the main between the Gas yard and Kelly's mill have the scrapes passed through same and that the application of Mr. M. Steel for remuneration as Captain of the Fire Brigade be placed on the agenda for next monthly meeting. No order was made in the matter of stop cocks on communication pipes.

The Gas Manager reported that he had nothing special to draw to attention of the Council for except the question of the proposed scrubbers which should be taken into consideration early so as to be available for next season's requirements.

The Gas Manager's Collection account was submitted Examined & considered fairly satisfactory. The following amounts were shown as Bad Debts.

1088	P. Badantus	£ 0. 8. 8
95	James McKeef	0. 18. 1
164	James McKeef	0. 2. 1
	Total	£ 1. 8. 10

The Rent Collector's Account was submitted and showed all the tenants as clear to date with the following exceptions, Michael O'Connor (House 11.2) £4. 11. 8 on 22<sup>nd</sup> March arrears. George Stonest (House 11.5) 8/4 on first week's Rent.

The Town Clerk reported that the Rent Collector had in accordance with the provisions of the Public Bodies Order 1904 lodged on or before the 28<sup>th</sup> day of February 1911 the true amount of the second month's Rates included in his Warrants for the financial year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1911.

The Rate Collector Mr. Dwyer had submitted schedule of uncollected irrecoverable Rates for the half year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1911 and claimed repayment of same from the Council under Article 92 of the Public Bodies Order 1904.

The Council recommended that the amount claimed £32. 19. 7 be struck off as irrecoverable and refunded to the Collector for the reasons stated in the Schedule.

On the motion of Councillor Curran it was unanimously agreed to ask the Post Office authorities to make provision for having all the Letter Boxes in the Urban District collected for each outgoing mail.

On the motion of Councillor Curran it was decided to again direct the attention of the Constabulary to the practice of drawing trucks on the Footpaths with a view to having the offenders prosecuted under the Towns Improvement Act.

Proposed by Councillor Philip Connell, seconded by  
Councillor Henry Gallagher, and unanimously

Resolved:— That we the Litter Kerry Urban District Council  
have learned with much regret of the intended departure of  
Mr John Dugg, Councillor, for Canada. During a great  
number of years past Mr Dugg acted as Councillor for the  
Council in the various important public works in which the  
Council was concerned and in that capacity carried out the  
business entrusted to him to the entire satisfaction of the  
Council. That the Council desires to put on record their appreciation  
of his services and to wish Mr Dugg and his family every success  
in the future.

Next Monthly Meeting of the Council to be held on Monday  
the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of April 1911

Philip Connell Chairman

John Dugg

Journalist

Litter Kerry Urban District Council

N<sup>o</sup>. of Members on the Council 9

N<sup>o</sup>. of Members present 3

Special Meeting

Minutes of proceedings at Special Meeting held on Saturday  
the 11<sup>th</sup> day of March 1911.

In the Chair Philip Connell Esq

Other Councillors present:—

Messrs Patrick Doherty Junr

Robert McColme Esq

The Town Clerk read the summons concerning the Special  
Meeting:—

The following Letter was read

from the Local Government Board

N<sup>o</sup>. 6509: 1911, dated 7<sup>th</sup> March 1911.

For working Copies of an Order made by them concerning  
the Litter Kerry Urban District Order 1910, as amended.

Donegal County Archives

Proposed by Councillor Robert McEneaney, seconded by  
Councillor Philip Connell, and unanimously

Resolved:-

That application be made to the Combermere Authority,  
the Local Government Board, to appoint an arbitrator between  
the local authority, the Letterkenny Urban District Council,  
and the persons interested in the scheduled lands or lands  
injuriously affected by the execution of the scheme in the  
matter of the Letterkenny Urban District Order 1910 as  
amended and confirmed by the County Court, and confirmed  
by the Local Government Board so far as compensation for  
the same has not been made the subject of agreement.

Thomas Mulvaney Chairman.

John Dalton  
Town Clerk.

Letterkenny Urban District Council

N<sup>o</sup>. of members on the Council 9

N<sup>o</sup>. of members present 6

Minutes of proceedings at meeting held on Monday the 3<sup>rd</sup>  
day of April 1911.

In the Chair Thomas Mulvaney Esq. J.P.

The members present:-

Messrs Henry Gallagher

Philip Connell

Patrick Doherty Junr.

Patrick Doherty Senr.

John Ward

The minutes of last monthly meeting were read and signed.

The minutes of last special meeting were read and signed.

On the Report and Recommendations of the Finance Committee  
the following bills were ordered to be paid

General account

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Source	Amount	Paid
1	John Larkin	Town Clerk	13 15 0	
2	Pat Dawson	Town Surveyor	4 0 0	
3	John Ward	Jan Sub Office &	2 15 0	
4	Edward Pagan	Med. Officer Health	2 0 0	
5	John Burns	Superannuation	1 6 8	
6	and accounts	Water Manager	5 0 0	
7	John Wilson	Office Keeper	1 5 0	
		Toward	30 1 8	

No	Name	Service	Amount	Other
		Forward £	30	1 8
8	Walter Connel	Town Clock Repair	1	0 0
9	Henry Wood	Refund in Council Rates	32	19 7
10	Henry Wood	Town Rate Collected	1	12 11
11	Macneil Storage	House work	4	1 3
12	David Bose	Water supply	5	0 0
13	John Parker	Sub of pay/s	10	15 11
14	Bank of Ireland	Shall' Loans P/d	132	4 6
15	Bank of Ireland	do	28	15 5
		Total	246	11 3

## Loans account

16	John Parker	Sub of payments	4	4 0
		Total	4	4 0

## Gasworks account

1	And. A. Mitchell	Gas Manager	25	0 0
2	John Parker	Town Gas	3	15 0
3	Collector Customs & Excise	Excise Tax	6	3 1
4	Bank of Ireland	Shall' P/d Loans	116	9 3
5	John Parker	Sub of pay/s	13	19 6
		Total	165	6 10

The following Letters & were read.

From the Local Government Board

No 27 on 1911, dated 9<sup>th</sup> March 1911.

Relative to liabilities (if any) incurred by the Council in the financial year ending on the 31<sup>st</sup> March 1911 in respect of borrowing for purposes under the Housing of the Working Classes (Ireland) Act 1890 to 1908.

The Town Clerk stated that no borrowing had been effected by the Council during the period referred to, and that he had so informed the Local Government Board.

No 12927, 1911, dated 13<sup>th</sup> March 1911.

Returning list of arrears of rates for the period ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1911, with the Rules of the Board, duly stamped thereon.

No 12906, 1911, dated 14<sup>th</sup> March 1911.

(Acknowledging receipt of certified copies of plans of erections and Estimates of the works proposed to be carried out by the Council under the loan of £200 sanctioned for the purpose of providing a scrubber, and station water at the Gasworks.

No 13301, 1911, dated 16<sup>th</sup> March 1911.

(Acknowledging receipt of letter of the 11<sup>th</sup> March with enclosure relative to the appointment of an Arbitrator in the matter of the lands authorized to be acquired compulsorily by the Local Board of the Dublin District Order 1910 as confirmed, and stating that the Board have given directions for the making of an order appointing the Arbitrator, copies of which will in due course be transmitted.

N<sup>o</sup> 13301: 1911, dated 23<sup>rd</sup> March 1911

Forwarding copy of an order made by the Board appointing Mr Herbert H. Andrews of Colmar O'Donovan as Arbitrator in the matter of the lands which the Council propose to acquire compulsorily in pursuance of "the Limerick Urban District Order 1910".

N<sup>o</sup> 13868: 1911, dated 24<sup>th</sup> March 1911

Forwarding copies of the Auditor's Report on the Audit of the Accounts of the Donegal County Joint Committee of Technical Instruction for the last year ended the 31<sup>st</sup> March and 30<sup>th</sup> September 1910 together with attached abstracts of the accounts.

N<sup>o</sup> 12610: 1911, dated 25<sup>th</sup> March 1911

Transmitting order for payment of the sum of £4:0:3 in respect of the amounts which were paid as salaries to the sanitary officers of the Urban District for the last year ended 30<sup>th</sup> September 1910 and arrears of the previous last year.

(Amounts loaded to credit of the Council.)

From the General Valuation Office Dublin.

N<sup>o</sup> 59776 dated 29<sup>th</sup> March 1911.

Requesting all appeal notices against the Revised Valuation Lists issued on the 1<sup>st</sup> March to be forwarded.

The Town Clerk stated that no appeals had been taken against the Lists and that he had so informed the Council of Valuation.

From the Chief Secretary Office Dublin Castle

N<sup>o</sup> 99/2649 dated 18<sup>th</sup> March 1911.

Order for payment of £6:18:5 being amount payable further on account to the Council in respect of Estate Duty Grant for year ending 31<sup>st</sup> December 1911.

(Amount loaded to credit of the Council.)

From the Office of Public Works

N<sup>o</sup> 3148-11 dated 14<sup>th</sup> March 1911.

Relative to the Council's application for a loan of £200 to provide a scrubber and station water at the Council's Park Works and stating that the Board have recently been informed that the Lord Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury regard a loan as a commercial purpose for which loans ought not at the present time to be made from Public Funds and in the circumstances the present application cannot be entertained.

The Town Clerk stated that on receipt of the foregoing letter he opened negotiations with the Treasurer of the Council, the Belfast Banking Company Limited for the loan with the result that Treasurer was prepared to advance the sum required on mortgage at the rate of 3<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> per cent per annum interest, the loan to be repaid in 20 half yearly instalments of £10 each.

The Council unanimously decided to accept the offer of the Treasurer, and to execute a mortgage of the Rates for said sum on the foregoing terms.

From Mr Herbert H. Andrews, Arbitrator in the matter of the Limerick Urban District Order 1910, dated 25<sup>th</sup> March 1911.

Fixing Tuesday the 18<sup>th</sup> day of April 1911, as the date of Inquiry.

From the Guardians of the Leicestershire Union, dated 2nd March 1911.

Relative to the terms on which the Council are proposed to supply the Union workhouse with water from the Leicestershire Salt Works viz £15 per annum and stating that the Guardians considered this sum excessive but are prepared to pay the Council £5 a year for the supply.

The Council decided to inform the Guardians that in arriving at the sum of £15 per annum for a water supply to the workhouse, the Council had made provision against water closets and baths being provided for the Institution and that the sum of £15 was to cover all charges in connection with same. However, as it now appears that water closets and baths are not to be provided, the Council are prepared to accept £5:0:0 a year for the water supply on the clear understanding that should water closets and baths be at any time hereafter put into the Workhouse the Guardians are to pay for same at the same rate as charged for water supplied to such in the Urban District.

From Rev John McCabberby A.M., dated 14th March 1911.

Thanking the Council for the resolution of condolence passed on the occasion of his Father's death.

The Water Manager reported that during the month, a few small bursts occurred, all of which had been made good.

That all the special water tax had been paid with the exception of Mr Robert McCabberby's.

The Gas Manager's report stated that he had nothing special to bring under the notice of the Council. He submitted a list of outstanding arrears.

The Record of work performed by the Sanitary Pub Office from the 27th day of February to the 28th day of March 1911 was submitted & examined and showed that 52 premises had been visited and inspected.

The Rent Collector's account was submitted and examined and showed the following tenants in arrears at the 31st March 1911 to the amounts stated viz:-

Michael O'Connor	£ 8. 4 (26 Weeks Rent)
Michael McCann	16. 8 (4 Weeks Rent)
John Calhoun	16. 8 (4 Weeks Rent)

From the Urban District Council of Leicestershire dated 28 Feb 1911.

Forwards the following Resolution for adoption by the Council.

"Whereas the Government have agreed to introduce legislation whereby an additional million pounds will be set aside as a grant in aid to the erection of houses for rural labourers in Ireland.

"And whereas, up to the present, only the income on the endowment sum of £180,000 has been allocated towards Urban Housing Schemes under the Act of 1908.

"Resolved: That we call on the Irish Members of Parliament to urge the Government to provide a more liberal grant in aid of the Housing of the Urban Working Classes who, are forced to occupy dwellings which, are veritable, disease traps and to pay exorbitant rents therefor and whose claims for better housing is just as strong as that of the rural labourer and requires most urgent attention."

The Resolution was unanimously adopted.



The Town Clerk reported having received a wire on Sunday morning the 2<sup>nd</sup> April that a burst had occurred in the Long Sact Water main at Killeaseman. That he at once notified Messrs Orange, O.P. representative who was attending to the matter.

Mrs Anne McCarry, Litter Kerry, made application to the Council for a water supply to one of her fields on the grounds that in the year 1904 she allowed the Council to carry a water main through said field on the understanding that when the Council had sufficient water they would give her a supply to the field.

Ordered that the application be granted. Also to carry to bear the cost of procuring and fitting up the requisite cast iron ball cock and to pay the Council at the rate of 1/6 per annum for the water supply.

The Town Clerk submitted the Estimate of Rates required for the financial year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1912 by which it appeared that the following poundage rates would be required viz:

<u>Poor Rates</u>	
In respect of County Charges	5 0
Union Charges	1 7
Depante Charges viz:	1 0
(1) Litter Kerry Railway	2 6
(2) Phoenix & Litter Kerry Railway	3 5
<u>Total Poor Rate</u>	<u>3 1</u>

### Town Rates

In respect of the Ordinary Expenditure of the Council under the Local Govt (Ireland) Act 1898	1 3
Town Improvement (Ireland) Act 1854	7
Public Health (Ireland) Act 1878	2 2
Burial Grounds	2
<u>Total Consolidated Town Rate</u>	<u>14 2</u>

The Estimate was unanimously accepted and on the motion of Councillor Philip Carroll seconded by Councillor Patrick Doherty, first the thanks of the Council were conveyed to the Town Clerk for the manner in which he had prepared, submitted and explained the Estimate.

Ordered that the Rate Book, and Collectors Warrants be ready for signing and sealing, at a special meeting of the Council to be held on Monday the 24<sup>th</sup> day of April 1911.

The rate to be payable in two half yearly sums, one payable on the making of the rates and the other payable on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of October 1911.

The Council took up the consideration of the application of Mr Andrew A Mitchell, Water Manager, for an annual allowance of £50.0.0 per annum, duties as Captain of the Fire Brigade.

Inasmuch as the offices of Water Manager and Captain of the Fire Brigade were some years ago fused and the salary of £20 per annum fused for the amalgamated office the Council considered it would be necessary to give notice of motion to rescind the resolution fusing the offices. But inasmuch as Mr Mitchell had been called upon to do a large amount of extra work consequent on burst pipes, defective cast-iron ball cock and on the Long Sact Water supply being turned on to the Town the Council was of the unanimous opinion that he should be allowed

A gratuity for the services thus rendered by him, and on the motion of Councillor Patrick Doherty, seconded by Councillor McEltern it was unanimously decided to award him a gratuity of £5 for the extra services above mentioned.

The Council opened and considered Tenders for the supply of Gascoal for the Financial Year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1912.

The Tender of Messrs Sands & Kelcey of Lambert to supply Brownhill Splint Gascoal from Raploch Colliery in terms of a contract for the sum of 18/3 per ton was accepted.

Next Monthly Meeting of the Council to be held on Monday the 1<sup>st</sup> day of May 1911.

W. Challopier Chairman

John J. McKim

John C. McKim

Litter Keriff Urban District Council

N<sup>o</sup> of Members on the Council 9.

N<sup>o</sup> of Members present 6.

Special Meeting

Minutes of proceedings at Special Meeting held on Monday the 24<sup>th</sup> day of April 1911.

In the Chair Henry Gadagfer Esq.

Other Members present:-

Messrs James Gibbons

Patrick Doherty Esq.

John Ward.

Daniel McDevitt.

Philip Connell

The Town Clerk read the summons convening the special meeting of the Council.

The Minutes of last meeting were read and signed.

The Town Clerk submitted the Rate Book for the year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1912, duly appraised, and certified by him. The Rate Book was sealed, and signed, as required.

Notice of Poor Rates and Town Rates having been made for the forthcoming published.

The Rate Collector's Warrants for the Financial Year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1912 were submitted, and were duly sealed and signed on behalf of the Council.

It was moved by Councillor Philip Carrall  
and seconded by Councillor Daniel McDermott  
and Resolved:-

That our Corporate Seal be affixed to the Deed of  
Mortgage of this date now read whereby security is given  
to the Belfast Banking Company Ltd for the repayment  
of the sum of Two Hundred Pounds proposed to be advanced  
by them to us under the Public Health (Ireland) Act 1878.

The Corporate Seal of the Council was in accordance  
with the foregoing Resolution duly affixed to said Deed  
of Mortgage.

Thos Mulhern Chairman.

John J. O'Keefe

John O'Keefe

Lillekeriff Urban District Council.

N<sup>o</sup> of Members on the Council 9

N<sup>o</sup> of Members present 6

Minutes of proceedings at Meeting held on Monday the 1<sup>st</sup>  
day of May 1911.

In the Chair Thomas Mulhern Esq. J.P.

Other Members present:-

Messrs Philip Carrall.

Daniel McDermott

John Ward

James Gibbons

Patrick Whelan Esq.

The Minutes of last Special Meeting were read and signed.

On the Report and Recommendations of the Finance Committee  
the following Bills were ordered to be paid.

General Account

No	Name	Particulars	Amount	Paid
17	John J. O'Keefe	Subs. pay	18 0 4	
18	Municipal Mortgage	Mortgage	58 0	
19	Underscribed	Gratuity (Mortgage)	50 0	
20	McKeown & O'Connell	Printing	27 0	
21	Stewart & Turner	Lead	16 2	
22	Thos. Patterson	Not. Intentional Discharge	5 0	
			Total	31 16 6

Loans Account

23	John J. O'Keefe	Subs. pay	1 0	
24	James Gibbons & Co	Law Cost (Mortgage)	55 0	
			Total	56 0

## Gasworks etc.

No	Name	Service	Amount	Rate
6	Shug Larkin	Subst. parts	13	13 0
7	Mary Ward	Rates	9	15 9
8	Thos. Glone Ho. Let	Meters	14	2 0
9	Stevenson & Turner	Piping	2	11 5
		Total	40	6 2

The following letters &c. were read.

From the Local Government Board

N<sup>o</sup> 51 M 1911, dated 7<sup>th</sup> April 1911.

Requesting Return of the cases of Infectious Disease in the Limerick Urban District notified in pursuance of the provisions of the Infectious Disease (Notification) Act 1889 during the year ended the 31<sup>st</sup> March 1911

Return showing 3 cases of Scabiosa, duly forwarded.

N<sup>o</sup> 42 M 1911, Mins, dated 7<sup>th</sup> April 1911

Requesting a Return showing the names of the several officers employed by the Urban Council made up to the 1<sup>st</sup> April 1911

Return forwarded

N<sup>o</sup> 38. M 1911, Mins, dated 11<sup>th</sup> April 1911

Requesting a Return showing the total number of persons registered in the District of the Urban Sanitary Authority on the 31<sup>st</sup> March 1911, as (1) Bowkeepers & Darrymen (2) Purveyors of Milk.

Return forwarded

N<sup>o</sup> 15900/1911, dated 12<sup>th</sup> April 1911.

Relative to the application of the Council for sanction to, or loan of £260 for the purpose of, carrying out a sewerage scheme for Ramelton, and Port Roads, and stating that they will instruct their Engineering Inspector Mr Price to hold a local inquiry with respect to the application of the Council for sanction to the loan referred to, and that the inquiry will be held at the office of the Council on Tuesday the 2<sup>nd</sup> May 1911. @ 11 o'clock am.

N<sup>o</sup> 18396/1911, dated 21<sup>st</sup> April 1911.

Informing the Council that Limerick they will not require to be furnished with a statement of the sums paid by the Council as salaries to the Sanitary Officers of the District in respect of the half year ending the 31<sup>st</sup> March for the purpose of reimbursement out of the Local Taxation (Ireland), account pursuant to section 58(2)(b) of the Local Government (Ireland) Act 1898 as amended by the Local Government (Ireland) Act 1902. As an alternative the Board have recommended to His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant that if the money available in the account is insufficient for the purpose an advance in respect of such expenditure for the period of twelve months ending the 30<sup>th</sup> Sept each year may be made to the Council to the extent of one half the amount that was paid to them in the local financial year ended the 31<sup>st</sup> March 1902.

From the Department of Agriculture & Technical Instruction for Ireland.

N<sup>o</sup> 1371/11, dated 6<sup>th</sup> April 1911

Requesting to be informed what rate was struck for the purposes of Schemes under the Technical Instruction (Ireland) Act 1898 over the Urban District for the financial year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1911, and what sum was realised by the levy.

Information requested applied.

From the Secretary, Donagh County Council  
N377 dated 15<sup>th</sup> April 1911

Forwarding Annual Estimate and Demand of the County  
Council on the Urban Council for the financial year ending  
31<sup>st</sup> March 1912

From H. M. Inspector of Factories dated 29<sup>th</sup> April 1911  
Forwarding notice of Occupation of Workshop by John  
Kennedy, Tailor, Workshop - Hamshab Litterkerry.

From the Guardians of the Litterkerry Union Dated 29<sup>th</sup>  
April 1911.

Relative to water supply to the Litterkerry Union Workhouse  
and stating that the Guardians are of opinion that the amount  
proposed to be charged by the Council is excessive - that in  
order to have the matter settled the Guardians decided to  
apply to the Council to have a supply of water laid on to the  
workhouse premises for which they are prepared to pay the  
Urban Council the ordinary trade rate leviable annually  
on the valuation of the Urban District, on the valuation of the  
workhouse which is situate within the Urban District  
boundaries. And if at any future date cloths and hanks or  
cists be erected the Guardians agree to pay for same according  
to the scale provided by the Bye Laws in force in the Urban  
District from time to time.

It was decided that the Guardians be informed that the  
Council cannot on the terms stated let them have the required  
water supply. It was ordered that the Guardians attention  
be directed to the Award of the Most Rev<sup>d</sup> Mr. O'Donnell  
made between the Council and the Guardians in the matter  
of the water supply to the Union Workhouse. That the Award  
determines the parties who are to fix the amount to be paid  
by the Guardians to the Council for the water supply viz

the Chairman of both bodies and an umpire appointed by them  
before going into the matter. That the Council have requested their  
Chairman to carry out the duty cast upon him by the Award in  
question and it remains for the Guardians to likewise request  
their Chairman. That as soon as the amount to be paid by  
the Guardians to the Council has been fixed in accordance with the  
provisions of the Bishop's Award the Council will have the  
necessary connection made and the water turned on to the workhouse.

From the Urban District Council Blackrock dated 7<sup>th</sup> April 1911  
Resolution as follows:-

"That the Government be earnestly requested to bring in at the  
earliest possible date a short act amending Section 2, ss 408  
of the Town Tenants (Ireland) Act 1906. by the inclusion of the words  
"including a building lease" these words in the section having the  
effect of, depriving Lessees under Building Leases of all benefits  
of the Act".

The Resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Record of work performed by the Sanitary Sub-Committee from 27<sup>th</sup>  
March 1911 to 29<sup>th</sup> April 1911 was submitted Examined and showed  
that 77 premises had been visited and inspected.

The Water Main Report reported that only a few minor leaks  
had occurred since last monthly meeting and that these had  
been repaired, one at Major's Lane was this day being repaired.  
That he had got some of the fire plugs changed to positions on  
the Footpaths and was awaiting <sup>Special</sup> Castings for the remainder

The Gas Manager reported that he intended now to get ready the Foundations for the proposed alterations consequent on the Scrubber and Station, which being checked

The Gas Manager's Collection Account was submitted and Examined and showed 14 Gas Consumers in arrears of their Bills due at 31<sup>st</sup> December 1910 amounting in the aggregate to £ 31.3.5 in addition to the amount of the Bill for Gas to end 31<sup>st</sup> March 1911

The Town Clerk was instructed to write the different parties for payment or in default that legal proceedings would be taken against them.

The Rent Collector's Account was submitted and Examined and showed all tenants paid to date with the exception of Michael Donnan (House No. 2) who is in arrears £ 1.5.0 or six weeks rent.

The Collection was deemed satisfactory

Councillor John Ward further deferred for six months his motion relative to the enclosing of the Cattle Market and the making of Bye Laws in relation thereto. The number of Cattle Exhibited in each Fair to be ascertained under them.

The Returning Officer at the coming Election of Guardians made application to the Council for authority to have 2 Polling Stations for the Urban District, there being a Contest not only at the Guardians Election but also at the Election of County Councillors for the District.

The Application was unanimously granted.

Next Monthly Meeting of the Council to be held on Monday the 5<sup>th</sup> day of June 1911

Whalley Chairman

John Ward

Donnan

Limerick Urban District Council.

N<sup>o</sup> of members on the Council 9

N<sup>o</sup> of members present 6.

Minutes of proceedings at meeting held on Monday the 5<sup>th</sup> day of June 1911.

In the Chair Henry Gallop Esq

Other members present:-

Messrs James Gibbons

Robert McClure

Patrick Doherty Junr

Philip Carroll

John Ward.

The Minutes of last monthly meeting were read & agreed.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills were ordered to be paid

General account

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Source	Amount	R/s
25	Henry Larkin	Sub of payments	15	18 8
26	Maurus McMoraghe	Housework	6	10 9
27	Mr Falconer	Books	15	0
Total £			23	4 5

Loans account

28	The Local Govt Board	Expenses incurred	22	18 6
29	Henry Larkin	Sub of payments	2	2 6
Total £			25	1 0

Gasworks account

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Source	Amount	R/s
10	Henry Larkin	Sub of payments	12	2 2
11	Ed Dubran Ho Ltd.	Gas Cost granted	3	11 0
12	Ed Dubran Ho Ltd.	Meters	1	12 8
Total £			17	5 10

The following Letters &c. were read.

From the Local Government Board

N<sup>o</sup> 77 to 1911 dated 8<sup>th</sup> May 1911.

Requesting the Council to forward a Paying Order for £22:18:6 amount payable to the Board in connection with the applications of the Council for a Provisional Order and Loan under the Housing of the Working Classes Acts and for a Loan for Gasworks

Payment ordered.

N<sup>o</sup> 12734: 1911 Misc. dated 16<sup>th</sup> May 1911

Forwarding copies of orders which they have made amending the Motor Cars (Use and Construction) (Ireland) Order 1904 and the Heavy Motor Car (Ireland) Order 1908.

N<sup>o</sup> 25777: 1911 dated 2<sup>nd</sup> June 1911

Stating that they have had before them the report of their Inspector Mr Price, on the inquiry held by him with respect to the application of the Council for sanction to a loan of £260 for the purpose of constructing sewers for the Ramelton and Port Roads; also the evidence tendered in support of the application. That it appears the proposed outfall for the sewage to be discharged is into a stream which is a tidal tributary of the river Purcell & that the work is

designed to remedy a nuisance which at present arises through the discharge of crude sewage into an open roadside drain. In this connection the Board desired to point out that the Council will not thereby be relieved of any liability they may incur by permitting the discharge of sewage into the stream. That the Council should make formal application to the Harbour Department of the Board of Trade, Whitehall London, for consent to the construction of the outfall in tidal water, and an Ordnance map indicating the position of the proposed works should accompany such application.

The plans specification &c were returned for amendment in certain respects as indicated.

Ordered that the necessary application be made to the Harbour Department, Board of Trade and that the plans and specification be amended as required by the Board.

From the Commission of Valuation

N<sup>o</sup> 60537, dated June 1911.

Enclosing List of cases requiring revision and requesting that should the Council consider such revisions necessary that the cases be included in the Lists which are to be forwarded by the end of the present month.

From the Registrar of Petty Sessions Cork dated 1 June 1911  
 Acquainting the Council that the proportion of surplus moneys arising from the sale of Licences under the "Dogs Regulation (Ireland) Act 1865" for the year 1910 amounts to £5.16.8 for the Urban District of Limerick which sum has been directed to be paid over to the Treasurer of the Council.

From the Secretary, Strabane & Letterkerry Railway dated 10<sup>th</sup> May 1911.

Relative to assessment of rates on the Railway premises owned by the Strabane & Letterkerry Railway at Letterkerry and sending a copy of a Certificate of the Commissioner of Valuation setting out the apportionment of the rateable valuation of Letterkerry Station (distinguishing between the items liable to fuel rates and those liable to one, quarter rates and asking that instructions be given for the Demand notes for the rates for the current period to be based on the figures supplied by the Valuation Commission.

The Town Clerk stated that the rates were assessed in accordance with the valuation included in the Valuation Lists issued by the Commissioner of Valuation and that the request of the Railway Company could not be complied with.

From Mr Daniel Kelly, Paader, Letterkerry

Requesting a supply of water for a field in his occupation at Pentry Hill through which the Council sometime ago carried a water main.

Ordered that a supply of water be given Mr Kelly to be fit up at his own expense a cistern and ball cock and pay the Council at the rate of 1/- a year for the water supply.

From Mr Charles Clatter, Letterkerry, dated 20 June 1911.  
 Applying as agent for Mrs Susan Gallagher and Mr P. F. McQuilley joint owners of house property at Rosemount Lane, to the Council to take over the maintenance of a road at Rosemount.

The matter was referred to the Town Surveyor for his report.



The Record of work performed by the Sanitary Sub Officer from 1<sup>st</sup> May 1911 to 27<sup>th</sup> May 1911 was submitted & examined and showed that 66 premises had been visited and inspected.

The Gas Manager reported the arrival since last meeting of cargo of coal but that same was of very inferior quality being only a common split, that it was deficient in weight both to gas and coke.

The Water Manager reported that the Lough Salt process was still making itself felt in some of the original cesses that there had been a good many bursts during the past month all of which Towns had been attended to.

The Gas Manager's Collection Account was submitted and examined and showed that some progress had been made since last meeting in getting in the arrears, the amount of arrears being now £27:2:10.

The Rent Collector's account was submitted and examined and showed all tenants paid to date with two exceptions viz House No. 2 to do for £2:5:10 due and House No. 5 George Street 4/2 due.

The following were appointed a committee to report to the Council on the desirability of altering the site of the Gas Lamp at present standing at Drunken's Druff on Port Road viz: Councillors P. Carnell, R. M. Clark, and A. J. Gallagher.

Report to be considered at next meeting.

Councillor James Gibbons gave notice that at next monthly meeting of the Council he would move:— That the Council carry out the recommendations of the Medical Officer of Health with respect to the provision of hot closets for dwelling houses at St. Columba's Terrace owned by Mrs. Finnegan and the concreting of the yards attached to said dwelling houses which works were allowed to stand over until the completion of the Lough Salt Works Scheme.

Next Monthly Meeting of the Council to be held on Monday to 3<sup>rd</sup> day of July 1911

H. W. Mulholland Chairman

John J. Kenney

John B. O'Rourke

Literken Urban District Council

N<sup>o</sup> of members on the Council 9

N<sup>o</sup> of members present 7.

Minutes of proceedings at meeting held on Monday the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of July 1911.

In the Chair Thomas Mulhern Esq JP.

Other members present:-

Messrs Henry Gallagher

Patrick Doherty Junr.

Philip Carroll

Robert McElwain Esq

Patrick Doherty Junr.

James Gibbons

The Minutes of last meeting were read and signed.

On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills were ordered to be paid.

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Service	Amount	Pkts
30	John J Larkin	Doublets etc	13 15 0	
31	Pat <sup>r</sup> Dawson	Down Dumps etc	4 0 0	
32	Mary Ward	P.S. Office etc	2 15 0	
33	Edward Reagen	Bed etc Health	2 0 0	
34	John McNamee	Superannuation	1 6 8	
35	And a Mitchell	Water Manages	5 0 0	
36	Mary Wilson	Office Keeper	1 5 0	
37	Thomas McCorrill	Doublets etc Keeper	1 0 0	
38	Maurus McMoraghe	Housework	4 13 9	
		Forward £	35 15 5	

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Service	Amount	Pkts
		Forward £	35 15 5	
39	John J Larkin	Sub of payments	11 0 6	
40	John J Larkin	Collection Expenses (Edw)	12 10 0	
		Total £	59 5 11	

Loans account

41	John J Larkin	Sub of payments	2 1 6
42	Maurus McMoraghe	Housework	10 6
		Total £	2 12 0

Gasworks account

13	And a Mitchell	Gas Manages	25 0 0
14	John J Larkin	Housework	3 15 0
15	John J Larkin	Sub of payments	16 18 6
		Total £	45 13 6

The following Letters etc. were read  
 From the Local Government Board  
 N<sup>o</sup> 84 - L/1911, dated 9<sup>th</sup> June 1911.  
 Requesting Annual Return of Receipts and Expenditure etc.  
 of the Council for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 1911.  
 Return to be furnished.

N<sup>o</sup> 84-M/1911 M<sup>o</sup>, dated 8<sup>th</sup> June 1911

Requesting Return showing for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 1911 the amounts of any included in the accounts to the Council which were provided by rates assessed in respect of a water supply provided for the Urban District.

Return to be forwarded

N<sup>o</sup> 98 M/1911, dated 20<sup>th</sup> June 1911

Requesting to be furnished with copies of the notices of all rates made in the Urban District for the term of the current financial year.

Notices forwarded

N<sup>o</sup> 33 634:1911 dated 27<sup>th</sup> June 1911

Acknowledging receipt of Payment Order for £22:18:6 being the amount payable to the Board by the Council in connection with their applications for a Provisional Order under the Housing of the Working Classes Act, and for a loan for Gasworks.

From the Commissioners of Valuation dated 28<sup>th</sup> June 1911.

Acknowledging receipt of Lists of Tenements requiring revision in the Urban District.

From the H. H. Andrews, Combr. Co. Down, dated 26<sup>th</sup> June 1911. Stating that Mr. Andrews is at present laid up ill but that he will attend to the Award under the Litter Kerry Urban District Order 1910 as soon as he is better.

From the Guardians Litter Kerry Poor Law Union, dated 23<sup>rd</sup> June 1911.

Stating that at the meeting of the Guardians on the 23<sup>rd</sup> June 1911 it was unanimously decided that immediate steps be taken to provide the Workhouse with an efficient supply of water, and that the Guardians require the Urban District Council of Litter Kerry to have the water laid on to the Workhouse immediately for which supply the Guardians agree to pay the Urban District Council the sum of seven Pounds a year. That the Guardians requested a special meeting of the Council to be called (if necessary) to have this matter attended to without further delay.

The Town Clerk informed the Council that on receipt of the foregoing letter he wrote the Clerk of the Union as follows:

"Dear Sir. I have yours of this date. I beg to refer you to my last letter on the subject of the water supply to the Workhouse in which I pointed out to the Guardians that the Award of the most Rev<sup>d</sup> Dr. O'Donnell fixes the amount in which the amount to be paid by the Guardians to the Council for the water supply is to be determined. The Council will not depart from the terms of His Lordship's Award; but as soon as the sum referred to has been fixed in accordance with the Bishop's Award the rate will be laid on to the Workhouse premises. As already notified to you the Council have called upon their Chairman to carry out the duties cast upon him by the Award. He is willing and ready to act and only awaits the Chairman of the Guardians joining with him in the appointment of an Engineer."

The Council replied, and confirmed the foregoing reply.

The Record of work performed by the Sanitary Pub Officer from 29<sup>th</sup> May 1911 to 24<sup>th</sup> June 1911 was submitted Examined and showed that 68 premises had been visited and inspected.

The Gas Manager reported that he having had a month's experience of working with the Coal Contract for this season he could only reiterate opinion expressed in last report, in fact the coal has not one redeeming feature, and it will be utterly impossible for him to work with same during the winter months.

That the Contractor for Scullery had got same erected but the connection was not yet fully completed.

That he expected to get started with Kitchen Waste House during the week.

Ordered that the Coal Contractors be written to as to the inferior quality of the coal supplied.

The Gas Manager's Collection Account was submitted and Examined and showed that no progress had been made during the month in getting in any of the arrears. The Manager's time however was fully occupied during the month superintending the erections of the Scullery at the Gasworks.

The Water Manager reported a few minor bursts on pipes during the month but that these will gradually diminish, as the deficient pipes are repaired. He reports an outbreak of the same last week at Mr. Bennett Langdon's premises which was put out by the fire extinguishing appliances of the Council, the supply of water from Longwell being abundant and the pressure all that could be desired.

The Gas Manager made application for and was granted 14 days leave of absence.

The Rent Collector's Account was submitted and Examined and showed the following in arrears on the 26<sup>th</sup> June 1911 in the amounts stated:-

No 1 John Coulson	£0. 16. 8
No 2 M. O'Connell	2. 5. 10
No 3. John Cannon	16. 8
No 4 J. Galtoun	16. 8
No 5 J. O'Connell	4. 2

Total £5. 0. 0

The Committee appointed at last meeting to report on the desirability of altering the site of the Gas lamps at present standing at Brinkling trough on Port Road reported that they could not recommend any alteration from the present position of the gas lamps; but were in favor of a bracket lamp being provided for a part of the District in the locality requiring to be lighted.

Ordered that the Gas Manager report on the cost of having the Bracket Lamps provided.

Mr. James Gibbons in accordance with notice moved that the Council carry out the recommendations of the Medical Officer of Health with respect to the provision of water closets for St. Columba's Terrace and the cementing of the roads attached to the dwelling houses.

On reference to the Minutes of the Council in this matter it was found that the Medical Officer of Health in a further report had recommended the Council not to insist on the erection of water closets for the premises referred to and that the works considered necessary by the Committee

appointed by the Council to inspect the houses and  
yards had been carried out by the police and that since  
that date no report respecting these premises had been  
received from the Medical Officer of Health.

The motion was not seconded.

Next Monthly Meeting of the Council to be held on  
Monday the 14<sup>th</sup> day of August 1911.

H. Mulhern Chairman.

John G. O'Keefe

John G. O'Keefe

Litter Kerry, Urban District Council

N<sup>o</sup>. of Members on the Council 9

N<sup>o</sup>. of Members present 6

Special Meeting.

Minutes of proceedings at special meeting held on  
Thursday the 27<sup>th</sup> day of July 1911.

In the Chair Thomas Mulhern Esq. J.P.

Other members present:-

Messrs Henry Gallagher

Philip Connell

Patrick Doherty Esq.

Robert Colme Esq.

John Ward

The Town Clerk read the summons concerning the special  
meeting.

The following letters were read.

From the Local Government Board N<sup>o</sup>. 35070:1911  
Litter Kerry Union. dated 13<sup>th</sup> July 1911. For forwarding  
for the information of the Council the accompanying  
copy of a letter which they had addressed to the Board  
of Guardians of the Litter Kerry Union relative to the  
question of providing a water supply for the Workhouse

From the Guardians of the Limerick Union.

Letter, dated 15<sup>th</sup> July 1911

(Stating that the Guardians requested the Council to supply water for domestic purposes to the Limerick Workhouse under Section 53 of the Waterworks Clauses Act 1847.

The Town Clerk informed the Council that he had replied on the 20<sup>th</sup> inst to the Guardians' letter, that on the Council receiving an undertaking from the Guardians to pay the Council for the water such sums as might be fixed in accordance with the terms of the award of the Most Rev D. O'Donnell the required water supply would be given.

The Council ratified and confirmed the foregoing reply.

Letter, dated 21<sup>st</sup> July 1911 (stating that the Town Clerk's letter of the 20<sup>th</sup> inst was read at the meeting of the Guardians on the 21<sup>st</sup> inst, that the Guardians however decided to offer the Council £7.10.0 a year for the required water supply for domestic purposes (inclusion of baths &c) and trusted that the Council would have the water laid on to the Workhouse for this sum.

The Council having considered the foregoing letter unanimously agreed that the sum of £7.10.0 a year for the required water supply to the Workhouse for domestic purposes (inclusion of baths &c) be accepted on same being formally fixed in accordance with the award of the Most Rev D. O'Donnell by the Chairman of the Guardians, the Chairman of the Urban Council and their respective.

The Guardians to be informed accordingly and should

should they agree to this course at their meeting to-morrow the connection for the water supply to the workhouse will at once made.

James Mulholland

Chairman

John J. Parker

Town Clerk

Limerick Urban District Council.

N<sup>o</sup> of members on the Council 4.

N<sup>o</sup> of members present 6.

Minutes of proceedings at meeting held on Monday the 14<sup>th</sup> day of August 1911.

In the Chair Thomas Mulcahy Esq. M.P.

Other members present:-

Messrs Patrick Doherty Esq.

Daniel McDevitt

Henry Gallagher

Philip Connell

James Gibbons.

The minutes of last monthly meeting were read and signed.

The minutes of last special meeting were read and signed.

On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills were ordered to be paid.

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Service	Amount	Pths
443	John J. Larkin	Publ. Ch. payfs	12	11 2
444	Mauns M. Moragse	Household	5	13 4
445	Stratane & Henry Railway	Guarantee	30	0 0
			£	48 4 6

Loans account

446	John J. Larkin	Publ. Ch. payfs	£	2	0	0
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N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Service	Amount	Pths	
16	John J. Larkin	Publ. Ch. payfs	£	14	9 9

The following Letters &c. were read.

From the Local Government Board.

N<sup>o</sup> 109/M: 1911, dated 21<sup>st</sup> July 1911.

Circular relative to the satisfactory state of the collection of the Poor Rate, and stating that the Collector should be urged to use all due diligence with the collection &c.

The Collector, attention has been called to the terms of the circular.

N<sup>o</sup> 113/M: 1911, dated 28<sup>th</sup> July 1911

Requesting to be informed whether the provisions of the Public Libraries, Act (Ireland) 1855 have been adapted by the Council.

The Town Clerk stated he had replied that they had not been adapted by the Council.

N<sup>o</sup> 35693: 1911 dated 8<sup>th</sup> August 1911

Transmitting an order for payment of £0:17:4 being the balance in respect of the amounts which were paid as salaries to the Pauper's Officers of the Limerick District for the two 4<sup>th</sup> years included in the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> Sept 1910 having regard to the provisions of Section (5) of Section (8) of the Local Government (Ireland) Act 1898.

From the Chief Secretary's Office, Dublin Castle.

N<sup>o</sup> 102 of 9, dated 31<sup>st</sup> Jul 1911

Order for payment of £3,009 being the balance of the amount payable to the Council as a Road Authority in respect of the State Duty Grant for the year, ended the 31<sup>st</sup> March last.

From the Commissioner of Valuations

N<sup>o</sup> 60860, dated 6<sup>th</sup> Jul 1911. Acknowledging receipt of List Change of Names requiring revision in the Urban District.

N<sup>o</sup> 61205, dated 21<sup>st</sup> Jul 1911.

Requesting that any supplemental Lists of Amendments requiring revision in the Urban District may be forwarded not later than the 31<sup>st</sup> Jul.

From the Strabane & Letterkenny Railway Co. dated 4<sup>th</sup> Jul 1911. Forwarding Certificate of Arbitrator certifying the amount to be paid by the Council for the half year ending 31<sup>st</sup> December 1910 in respect of the Dividends guaranteed by them under the Strabane and Letterkenny Railway Acts 1903 and 1904. Amount £30,000

From the Executive of the Town Swains League Dublin, dated 29<sup>th</sup> Jul 1911. Re Annual Convention to be held in the City Hall Dublin on the 23<sup>rd</sup> August 1911.

The following were appointed delegates to attend the Convention on behalf of the Council, Councillors Thos. Muelton, Henry Gadsby, James Gibbons & Dan DeWit

From Messrs J. & J. Hagg Marsh & Co. dated 3<sup>rd</sup> August 1911. List of Outworkers in connection with their shirt factory at Main Street Letterkenny.

The Record of work performed by the Sanitary Sub Office from 3<sup>rd</sup> Jul 1911 to 29<sup>th</sup> Jul 1911 was submitted. Examined and showed that 72 premises had been visited and inspected.

The Gas Manager reported that he estimated the cost of putting up Lamp Bracket Post Road as recommended by Committee @ £3,000.

Ordered that the work be carried out.

The Water Manager reported that since last meeting there had been a considerable number of bursts in the water service most of which had been repaired. That the original main line stood the test well not a single break up to the present having occurred.

The Gas Manager's collection account was submitted and examined.

The Town Surveyor reported on the application that the Council take over and maintain a road at Rosemount. That the roadway has not been formed for the Council to take over. There is a path or lane paved off from 9 to 10 feet wide, barbed wire paling on one side, and that this is the only work carried out.

On the Report of the Town Surveyor the Council decided they could not take over the maintenance of the road as requested.



The Tender of Williams & Maccus to paint the Public Lamps Lamp Posts, Brackets &c. in accordance with Specification for the sum of £4:5:0 was accepted.

The Council decided to order from Messrs Minimat Ltd 3. B. Minimat Inc. Interglucers at the price of £3:5:0 each.

Next Monthly Meeting to be held on Monday the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September 1911.

W. Gallagher Chairman

John Larkin

John Larkin

Letter from Urban District Council.

N<sup>o</sup> of members on the Council 9  
N<sup>o</sup> of members present 5.

Minutes of proceedings at meeting held on Monday the 4<sup>th</sup> day of September 1911.

In the Chair Henry Gallagher Esq.

Other members present:-

Messrs Philip Connell

David & Devitt

Robert & Colne Esq.

James Gibbons

The Minutes of last meeting were read and signed.

On the Report and Recommendations of the Finance Committee the following Bills were ordered to be paid.

General Account

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Service	Amount	Pts.
47	Donegal County Council	1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarters Demand	309	19 10
48	John Larkin	Subs <sup>ts</sup> payments	13	0 6
49	Mauns & Donaghy	Housework	3	13 9
50	St. Morris & Sons Ltd	Hose pipe	13	6
51	Brown & Nolan Ltd	Fees	6	0
52	Minimat Ltd	Interglucers	9	15 0
			£ 337	8 7

## Lous account.

No	Name	Service	Amount	Rks
53.	John Larkin	Subs payments	4 6	
		£	4 6	

## Gasworks account

17	John Larkin	subs payts	16 7 5	
		£	16 7 5	

The following Letters &c. were read.

From the Chief Sanitary Officer Dublin Castle.

N<sup>o</sup>. 86 Oct 4, dated 29<sup>th</sup> August 1911.

Order for payment to the Council of £5:0:9 as an advance on account of the proportion of Expenses incurred by the Council for the year ending 30<sup>th</sup> Sept 1911 for Salaries of Sanitary Officers.

From the Portonry Co-Doregal Railway Joint Committee Dated 1<sup>st</sup> Sept 1911. Relative to supply of water for locomotives of the Company, at Limerick, offered £15 per annum and asking a price £2000 per 1000 Gallons to be granted.

The Council considered it would be more satisfactory to have a fixed annual sum for the supply and instructed the Town Clerk to ask the Company what sum they would be prepared to pay annually for the water required.

From the Parnell Monument Committee, dated 23<sup>rd</sup> Aug 1911. Inviting the Council to take part in the ceremony of the unveiling of the memorial to Charles Stewart Parnell which will take place in Dublin on Sunday the 1<sup>st</sup> October.

The whole Council were appointed Delegates to attend the unveiling ceremony.

From the Executive Committee of the Gaelic League, dated 21<sup>st</sup> August 1911, the following Resolutions:-

(1) "That we request the County Councils to make Irish (Oral and written), and Irish History essential subjects in their Scholarship Schemes".

(2) "It is right, and proper that Irish should be one of the subjects in all scholarship schemes for apprentices, and in all Technical Schools under County and Urban Councils."

On the motion of Councillor Daniel McDevitt the resolutions were unanimously adopted.

The Record of work performed by the Sanitary Sub Officer from the 31<sup>st</sup> day of July 1911 to the 26<sup>th</sup> day of August 1911 was submitted Examined and showed that 66 premises had been visited and inspected.

The Gas Manager reported that he was well on towards completion of works, scrubbers and station works.

As regards the Coal he corroborated his previous reports on the bad quality and suggested that no more of this quality should be ordered. That he had an interview with Messrs McKeown (the Contractors) Manager who gave him authority to state to the Council that they will supply their Siltstone Coal for the price stated in their original tender, and he advised this being accepted when ordering next cargo.

The Council decided to order a cargo of Siltstone Coal as

recommended by the Gas Manager.

The Water Manager reported that he had no special remarks to make. A few burst pipes cropped up during the month, and that these are getting fewer as weak spots are found out.

The Gas Manager's Collection Account was submitted examined and showed that since last meeting considerable progress had been made in getting in the arrears.

The Town Surveyor reported that Thomas Gallagher, the surface man in charge had been ill for the past few weeks but he expected he will soon get back to work again. That he had gratings, pipes & opened, at Urban House and had as he thought the water flowing into Mr. Carnell's premises substantially stopped; but he now found that there was still a slight flow of water. This he would have remedied during the week. That he had during the past month to open, clean and reconstruct a length of pipe at the Market Square, instead of surface water entering pipe it flowed over and injured surface of square.

The Report was adopted.

The Rent Collector's Account was examined and showed that at date of meeting all tenants had paid their rents up to date save John O'Connell 16/8 and Michael Thomas £5.

The Town Clerk was instructed to write Michael Thomas regarding immediate payment of the amount due by him.

Ordered that there be placed in each of the Police Barracks in town so as to be readily available in cases of fire occurring in the town or neighbourhood one of the minimum fire extinguishers provided by the Council.

Next Monthly Meeting of the Council to be held on Monday the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October 1911

J. O. Malherbe Chairman.

John O'Connell  
Town Clerk.

Litter Kerry Urban District Council.

N<sup>o</sup> of members on the Council 9

N<sup>o</sup> of members present 5

Minutes of proceedings at meeting held on Monday the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October 1911.

In the Chair Thomas Mulhern Esq. M.P.

Other members present:-

Messrs Philip Carrall

Daniel McDevitt

James Gibbons

Henry Gallagher

The Minutes of last Monthly and Quarterly meetings were read and signed

On the Report and Recommendations of the Finance Committee the following Bills were ordered to be paid

General Account

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Service	Amount	Pths
54	Str. G. Larkin	Town Clerk fee	13	15 0
55	Patrick Dawson	Town Surveyor	4	0 0
56	Mary Ward	P.P. Office fee	2	15 0
57	Edward Regan	M.O. Health	2	0 0
58	Quinn McNamee	Superintendent	1	6 8
59	And. McSheehy	Water Manager	5	0 0
60	Mary Wilson	Office keeper	1	5 0
61	Thomas McConnell	Town Clerk House	1	0 0
62	James McMonagle	Assessor	4	2 9
63	Mary Ward	Poundage fees	24	6 2
		Banded Forward	59	10 7

General Account

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Service	Amount	Pths
		Forward	59	10 7
64	David Bone	Water Supply	2	10 0
65	Str. G. Larkin	Jurors Lists	10	0 0
66	Mary Ward	do	3	9 0
67	Mary Ward	Fees. Rents	1	5 6
68	Str. G. Larkin	Sub. payments	15	5 11
69	Bank of Ireland	Instl P/I Loans	137	3 10
70	Bank of Ireland	do	28	15 4
71	Waband & Kerry Railway Co	Guarantee to 30 June 1911	30	0 0
72	Guardians Limerick Union	Rent Relief, 1911	10	0 0
		Total	288	10 2

Loans Account

73	Str. G. Larkin	Sub. payments	11	12 1
74	Hanna Donald Wilson	Scrubber	133	0 0
		Total	144	12 1

Gasworks Account

18	And. McSheehy	Gas Manager	25	0 0
19	Str. G. Larkin	Town Clerk	3	15 0
20	Str. G. Larkin	Sub. payments	35	11 5
21	Bank of Ireland	P/I Loans	115	9 9
22	Belfast Banking Co Ltd	do	13	10 0
		Total	193	6 2

The following Letters &c. were read

From the Local Government Board

N<sup>o</sup>. 31018/1911, dated 26<sup>th</sup> Sept 1911. Requesting to be informed how the question of the amendment of the plans &c. now stands in respect of the sewerage scheme for the Lanelton and Port Roads for the purpose of which application had been made for sanction to a loan of £260.

The Town Clerk stated that he had informed the Local Govt. Board that the plans &c. had been amended as required but that, application had been made to the Harbour Department Board of Trade, for their consent to the construction of outfall works into tidal waters, and that the Council, awaited the receipt of this consent before returning the amended plans.

From the Board of Trade (Harbour Department) N<sup>o</sup> H 12162 dated 30<sup>th</sup> Sept. Relative to application of the Council for their consent to the construction of an outfall sewer to discharge into the stream near Port Road Little Kerrow and requesting to be furnished with a longitudinal section of the proposed sewer showing how the pipe will be laid with reference to the surface of the shore and showing the levels of high and low water of ordinary spring tides, delineated thereon.

The Town Surveyor was instructed to prepare the drawing showing the particulars required by the Board of Trade

From the Chief Secretary's Office, Dublin Castle

N<sup>o</sup>. 100/269, dated 27<sup>th</sup> Sept 1911. Requesting to be paid £3:3:2 being amount payable on account to the Council as a Road Authority in respect of State Duty Grant for the year ending the 31<sup>st</sup> March next.

Account to be lodged with the Treasurer

From the Commissioners of Valuation.

N<sup>o</sup>. 61674, dated 5<sup>th</sup> Sept 1911. Forwarding a List of cases in which Valuations require revision, and requesting the Town Clerk to sign and return the List.

The Town Clerk stated that the cases referred to on the List were certain Herib Annual Rents that had determined, and that he had signed and returned the List to the Commissioners of Valuation.

N<sup>o</sup>. 61674, dated 7<sup>th</sup> September 1911. Acknowledging receipt of a Supplemental List of Tenements requiring revision in the Urban District.

From the Home Office, White Hall, dated 26<sup>th</sup> Sept 1911

Requesting that the Council's Medical Officer of Health be asked to furnish to the Committee appointed by the Home Secretary to enquire into the conditions of employment in the making up of articles of Linen, Cotton, and similar fabrics &c. with a brief statement showing the number of persons within the jurisdiction of the Council who employ Outworkers in the Trades mentioned in the first paragraph of the letter and the number of outworkers so employed

Request to be complied with

From the Office of National Education dated 29<sup>th</sup> Sept 1911

Stating that the period of office of the School Attendance Committee for the Urban District will terminate on the 31<sup>st</sup> December, 1911 and requesting to be furnished with particulars as to the persons appointed by the Council, acting as the Local Authority under the Irish Education Act 1892 to be members of a new Committee from the 1<sup>st</sup> January 1912.

Ordered that the appointment of the new Committee be placed on the Agenda for next meeting of the Committee

From the Strabane & Letterkenny Railway Co<sup>y</sup> dated 22<sup>nd</sup> September 1911. Enclosing certificate of Arbitrator of the amount to be paid by the Council for the half year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June 1911 in respect of the dividends guaranteed by them under the Strabane & Letterkenny Railway Acts 1903 & 1904. Amount £30.0.0

From the Secretary County Donegal Railway Joint Committee dated 23<sup>rd</sup> September 1911. Relative to supply of water for the engines at Letterkenny, and stating that their Engineer Mr. J. J. W. would call with the Town Clerk in the course of a few days on the subject.

From the Rev<sup>d</sup> Mother Loreto Convent, dated 20<sup>th</sup> Sept 1911. Application that provision be made for the supply of water for the Convent in case of an outbreak of fire. The application was granted, and it was decided that at same time provision be made for dealing with fire should it occur at the Cathedral.

The Record of work performed by the Sanitary Pub Officer from the 1<sup>st</sup> Sept 1911 to the 30<sup>th</sup> September 1911 was submitted Examined, and showed that 70 premises had been visited and inspected and one report sent to the Medical Officer of Health.

The Gas Manager reported that since last meeting all new plant in connection with scrubber, and station meter had been connected up and was working satisfactorily.

That he would be pleased when the new cargo of coal comes, as it has been hitherto working with the present supply.

The Water Manager reported that he had nothing special to bring before the Council. A few odd bursts had occurred during the past month but the number was decreasing.

Ordered that the street by drain removed from opposite Mr. Cline's premises be re-erected, at lamp post opposite Corraghlan premises at Port Road.

The Gas Manager's account of parties in arrears of their gas bills was submitted Examined and showed considered satisfactory.

The Rate Collector's account was submitted and Examined, and showed all tenants paid up to 25<sup>th</sup> September 1911, except Michael McDonnell £3.6.8 and John Calhoun 17/6, due to that date.

Ordered that the repairs necessary to sewer at Market Square be carried out by laying down the required number of 18" earthenware sewer pipes and that the tender of Mr. James Harris for the sewer pipes @ 6/6 per yard being the lowest be accepted.

The Rate Collector Mrs. Mary Hark submitted a schedule of uncollected Rates on vacant premises for the half year ended 30<sup>th</sup> Sept 1911, amounting to £29.13.10 and claimed repayment of same from the Council under Article 92 of the Public Bodies Act 1904.

The Council recommended that the Rates be struck off as irrecoverable for the reasons stated in the schedule, and the amount £29.13.10 refunded to the Collector.

The Tender of Mr. Robert Boal, Curraghlea opening 4/1 per ton for gas pipe up to the 31<sup>st</sup> day of March 1912 was accepted.

Mr Thomas Sweeney gave notice to the Council that at the end of October he will discontinue to keep the Dumping Ground.

The Town Clerk was instructed to advertise for a Dumping Ground, and to inform Mr Sweeney that he will require to give the Council six months notice as the letting was a yearly tenancy. In case however the Council procure a Dumping Ground they will not insist on the six months notice.

The Council agreed to order to Mr. Selgan for the sum of five shillings an accumulation of old broken tiles and slabs on the Council's lands which they do not require.

Next Monthly Meeting of the Council to be held on Monday the 6<sup>th</sup> day of November 1911

Thos. Mulhern Chairman

John J. Kelly

Town Clerk

Letter Kerry Urban District Council

N<sup>o</sup>. of Members on the Council 9

N<sup>o</sup>. of Members present 9

Minutes of proceedings at meeting held on Monday the 6<sup>th</sup> day of November 1911

In the Chair Thomas Mulhern Esq JP

Other members present:

Messrs Henry J. Kelly Esq

Patrick Doherty Esq

James Gibbons

Patrick Doherty J

Daniel McDevitt

Philip Connell

Robert McEneaney Esq

John Ward

The minutes of last meeting were read, and signed.

On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills were ordered to be paid

General account.

No	Name	Service	Amount	Pts
75	Mary Work	Rebnd unrecd bills	29	13 10
76	John Larkin	Public payments	24	8 1
77	Glavin & Kennedy Ltd	Piping to	8	5 11
78	Mauns McMoragha	Horsework	5	5 3
79	Alce Brown & Son Ltd	Pipes	2	17 0
80	Thos Sweeney	Rent Dumping Ground $\frac{1}{4}$ H.	2	0 0
81	Dallard Ltd	Books	9	1
		Forward	72	19 2

No	Name	Source	Amount	Pts
		Income	72	19 2
82	Mary M. B.	Misc. Rates	4	2
83	McKeeney, W. J. Callaghan	Printing	3	4
		Total	79	6 8

Income Account

84	John J. Larkin	Public pay	3	15 9
85	Alfred Brown Tom Lid	Repairs	2	11 1
		Total	6	6 10

Expenses Account

23	John J. Larkin	Public pay	41	6 7
24	Alfred Brown Tom Lid	Insurance &c.	13	2 9
25	Mr. Brown & Co Lid	Meters	11	3 11
26	Mary M. B.	Rates	9	15 9
27	Barnard Hill Don Lid	Relief &c.	4	3 6
28	Mr. St. Hamilton & Co	Paint	2	0 0
29	McKeeney, W. J. Callaghan	Printing	1	3
		Total	81	13 9

The following letters were read.

From the Local Government Board

No. 7586: 1911, dated 20<sup>th</sup> October 1911.

Relative to the Council's proposal to frame a code of bye-laws with respect to new buildings in the Urban District and inquiring how the matter now stands.

The Council in reply beg to state that this matter has

been placed in the hands of the Committee of the Council and that they may be expected shortly to report on the subject to the Council.

No. 18356: 1911, Misc., dated 4<sup>th</sup> October 1911

Requesting a Return showing the amounts paid as salaries to sanitary officers of the Urban District for the year ended the 30<sup>th</sup> Sept 1911 with a view to recompense being made in respect thereof to the Council in pursuance of Section 58(2) (k) of the Local Government (Ireland) Act 1898 as amended by Section 6(1) of the Local Government (Ireland) Act 1902.

Return has been forwarded.

No. 52429/1911, dated 10<sup>th</sup> October & No. 53,860/1911 dated 17<sup>th</sup> October 1911. Relative to List of arrears of rate in the Urban District for the period ended 30<sup>th</sup> Sept last and returning the List with the Rules of the Board, duly stamped thereon.

No. 43253: 1911, dated 25<sup>th</sup> Oct 1911.

Relative to the application of the Council for sanction to a loan of £5800 for the carrying out of a scheme for the erection of working class lodging houses under the Housing of the Working Classes Act and returning the plans &c. furnished in connection with the application and requesting that they may be amended as regards the capacity of the rooms as to comply with the Board's Memorandum & Instructions to Architects. Stating that a plan on a scale of 4 feet to an inch for each type of house will be submitted (Designs A.B.76). That the windows on the upper floor should be shown directly over the windows on the lower floor and all adpts must be covered. The Board also requested to be furnished with a report from the Medical Officer of Health as to the suitability of the alternative sites allowed in lieu of those preferred & requested. The Town Purveyor stated that he had not sufficient time



to have the amended plans ready for the meeting of the Council, he was engaged, at same and would have all in readiness shortly.

Ordered that the Town Clerk convene a special meeting of the Council on the receipt by him of the amended plans.

From the Board of Trade (Harbour Department) No. H. 13276 dated 28<sup>th</sup> Oct 1911

Relative to the application of the Council for their consent to the construction of an outfall sewer to discharge into the stream near Port Road Little Kerry, and informing the Council that as the proposed sewer will not, according to the plan furnished come below High Water mark of ordinary spring tides the Board's consent to the works does not appear to be necessary.

Ordered that the letter be forwarded with the amended plans to the Local Government Board.

Letter dated 14<sup>th</sup> October 1911. From Mr Herbert K. Andrews enclosing copy of his award in the matter of the Little Kerry Urban District Order 1910.

The Town Clerk stated that on receipt of the award he published the required notice & deposit of the Arbitrator's award and that the 21<sup>st</sup> day of November was fixed as the date for awarding in abstracts of £100.

From the secretary County Doregal Railway Joint Committee dated 23<sup>rd</sup> October 1911.

Relative to supply of water for the engines at Little Kerry and to the interview that the Engineer Mr. Quincey had with the Town Clerk on the subject, and suggesting that a fixed charge of £10 per annum be made for water to be used at them at Little Kerry.

The Council unanimously agreed to let the Company

have the water supply for the sum of £10 per annum.

From Rev. Broderick, Presentation Bro. Little Kerry dated 30<sup>th</sup> October 1911. Regarding the Council to take immediate steps to prevent all classes from using a corner at the Moorsby Gate as a urinal etc. That the nuisance had become unbearable recently.

Ordered that a notice board be put up at the place referred to.

The Medical Officer of Health reported that there is at present a few isolated cases of scarlet fever in the Urban District - isolation, and all due precautions are taken, and it is hoped by these means the disease will not spread any further.

The Sanitary Pub. Officer reports work performed from 2<sup>nd</sup> October 1911 to 28<sup>th</sup> October 1911 was submitted and examined and showed that 50 premises had been visited & inspected.

The Gas Manager reported that since last meeting a cargo of "Ducton" coal had been delivered and he was highly pleased with same. That all the new plant was in the course of working order and giving satisfaction.

The Water Manager reported that during the past month there had been a good number of bursts but that these were naturally being getting less as weak parts show.

The Gas Manager's collection account was submitted, examined, and considered satisfactory.

The Town Surveyor reported that Mr Patrick Anderson, Railway Road had made some improvements to his premises, the filling in of a basement which had an opening to the front street in line with edge of footpath. Since this opening has been filled in to be considered it would be a great improvement to that part of the town if the present footpath was continued towards Railway Station Lane length of 30 yards to end at Gateway leading into Mr Anderson's yard.

Ordered that the works referred to be carried out.

The Rent Collector's account was submitted and showed the following amounts in arrears up to the 31<sup>st</sup> day of October in the sums stated viz:- Mr Thomas £4:7:6 Mr Canon 16/8. Docton 4/- Red Street 4/-

The Collector was directed to advise Mr Thomas that unless the arrears were reduced by next meeting of the Council legal proceedings will be taken against him.

Tenders for a Dumping Ground were opened and considered, and that to Mr Thomas Sweeney for the existing Dumping Grounds one at Gle Lane and one at Oultown Bridge for the sum of four Pounds a year was accepted.

The Council proceeded to appoint a scavenger at the wages of 15/- per week as per advertisement.

Mr Michael Bradley was duly appointed.

Ordered that purchase man James Brennan be placed in charge in room of Thomas Gadsby deceased, and that his wages be at the rate of 16/- per week.

The following were appointed the members of the School Attendance Committee for the Urban District of Limerick under the Irish Education Act 1892 viz:- Thomas Philip Carroll, Thomas Mulhern JP, Patrick Doherty Junr, Robert McCune JP, and James Gibbons.

Ordered that inasmuch as there are a large number of leakages in connection with the water supply of the town, and works to be carried out in connection with the gas supply and fire fitting, that the Council employ a fully qualified plumber to assist the Gas Manager in getting all requisite repairs and new works ordered brought up to date.

Next Monthly Meeting of the Council to be held on Monday the 4<sup>th</sup> day of December 1911

W. Gallagher Chairman

John Parkin

John Parkin

Lisburn & Lough District Council.

No. of Members on the Council 9

No. of Members present 7

Minutes of proceedings at meeting held on Monday the 4<sup>th</sup> day of December 1911

In the Chair Henry Gullagher Esq

Other Members present:-

Messrs James Gibbons.

Robert McCune Esq.

Samuel McDevitt

Patrick Doherty Esq

Philip Connell

John Ward

The Minutes of last Monthly Meeting were read and signed

The Minutes of last Quarterly Meeting were read & signed

On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills were ordered to be paid

No	Name	Source	Quilt	Paid
86	John J. Larkin	Out of pay	27	7 1
87	James M. Monaghan	Housework	6	1 6
88	August Mahony	Oil Posts &c	2	8 0
89	James Miles Esq	Lamp stop costs	1	4 0
90	Alfred MacKay	Lamp Head	1	3 0
91	P. O. Reilly	Post & tele. costs	-	8 0
			38	11 7

Lease Account

No	Name	Source	Quilt	Paid
92	James Miles Esq	Gas & water bills	69	16 7
			69	16 7

Lease Account

30	John J. Larkin	Out of pay	14	12 6
31	Arch. St. Hamilton Esq	Paint	3	10 3
32	Alfred MacKay	Lamp Head	1	3 6
			19	6 3

The following Letters &c. were read.

From the Local Government Board

No. 58, 828: 1911, dated 14<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1911

Transmitted to be laid before the Council, a copy of the report of the Arbitrator in the matter of the Arbitration proceedings in connection with the lands authorized to be acquired compulsorily under the Lisburn & Lough District Order 1910, as amended.

The account amounted to the sum of £20:5:8.

The Council considered the account reasonable having regard to the amount of work done by the Arbitrator.

From the Home Office Form 416, dated 21<sup>st</sup> Nov 1911

Notice of change of District Inspector of Factories. Mr. P. R. Bennett (in place of Mr. Butler - transferred) is now the Inspector of Factories for the Londonderry District which comprises the Counties of Londonderry, Donegal and Tyrone.

From Mr H. Forbes Secretary Co-Dublin Railways Joint Committee dated 23<sup>rd</sup> November 1911.

Relative to water supply for the Engines at Lilliskerry and stating that at a meeting of his Board held on the 22<sup>nd</sup> November it was agreed to accept the offer of the Council to supply Lilliskerry Station with water for Locomotive and domestic purposes at the rate of £10 per annum.

The Medical Officer of Health reported that the Dwelling House occupied by Bridget Lynch near St. Lilliskerry was in an unsanitary condition and recommended that it be lime washed and generally made clean.

Ordered that within the period of 14 days allowed to carry out the recommendations of the Medical Officer of Health.

The Sanitary Public Officers report of work performed from the 4<sup>th</sup> day of November to the 25<sup>th</sup> day of November 1911 was submitted examined and showed that 62 premises had been visited and inspected.

The Gas Manager reported that as previously mentioned in his reports the Coals are pleasing him. He advised procuring another cargo of Swinchar Coal. (Ordered.)

The Gas Manager's Collection Account was submitted and examined and considered satisfactory.

The Water Manager reported a few small water pipes during the month, and that same had been repaired. That he had not yet succeeded in securing a plumber to assist him in carrying out the works referred to at last meeting and he considered it advisable to wait till the means for fire appliances had arrived as the days will then be longer.

The Rent Collector's account was submitted and examined and showed the following in arrears at the 27<sup>th</sup> Nov 1911 viz John Cullion 16/8, Michael O'Connor £5.4.2, John Cullion £1.0.10, and George Sturt 4/2.

Michael O'Connor appeared before the Council and asked time to enable him to clear up the arrears. He promised to make a payment of £3.0.0 on or before the 16<sup>th</sup> inst. and on this undertaking the Council deferred taking proceedings against him.

The Council decided to appoint a suitable person to act as caretaker of the Long Port waterworks at the Liffey, and fixed the salary for the office at the rate of £6.0.0 per annum.

Ordered that an advertisement be inserted in the "Derry Journal" and "Derry People" newspapers inviting applications from competent persons, and that the appointment be made at next monthly meeting of the Council.

Grants of right of Burial in the Lifford Cemetery  
were signed and sealed by the following:-

John S Larkin, Town Clerk, Lifford, one grave  
space 9 feet x 4 feet in Section H. and Francis  
O'Donnell, mason, 6 Colony Street Glasgow one grave  
space 9 feet x 4 feet in Section D.

Next Monthly Meeting of the Council to be held on Monday  
the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January 1912

W. M. M. M. Chairman

John S Larkin

John Clark

Lifford Cemetery Urban District Council.

N<sup>o</sup>. of members on the Council 9

N<sup>o</sup>. of members present 7.

Minutes of proceedings at Meeting held on Monday the 1<sup>st</sup>  
day of January 1912

In the Chair Thomas Mulvaney Esq. J.P.

Other members present:-

Messrs. Patrick Decharby Junr.

James Gibbons.

Patrick Decharby Junr.

Daniel McDevitt

Philip Conall

John Ward.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee  
the following Bills were ordered to be paid.

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Service	Amount	Paid
93	John S Larkin	Graves etc	13 15 0	
94	Patrick Dawson	Town Surveyor	4 0 0	
95	Mary West	P.S. Officer etc	2 15 0	
96	Edward Rogan	Grave Deeds	5 0 0	
97	John Lane	Superannuation	1 6 8	
98	Amos Accutched	Grave Manager	5 0 0	
99	Mary Nelson	Office Keeper	1 5 0	
100	Rev. J. H. Connell	Town Clerk Keeper	1 0 0	
101	Marius McMorris	Graves etc	6 17 0	
		<u>Graves etc</u>	<u>37 18 8</u>	

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N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Service	Amount	Rhs
		Income	37	18 8
102	John J. Larkin	Public pay	19	13 1
103	John P. Speer	Head of Bureau	3	10 5
104	Patrick Annan	Insurance	15	0
105	McKinnis, T. D. O'Donoghue	Printing	6	6
106	Steenerson & Turner	Pipes	17	0
		Total	63	0 8

## Lous account

107	Grainger B. C.	Contract (Reservoir)	87	14 0
108	John P. Speer	Book	19	8 2
109	Steenerson & Turner	Piping	9	18 2
110	Grainger B. C.	Pub. Contract H. Works	383	8 1
		Total	500	8 5

## Gasworks account

33	Anna A. Clark	Gas Manages	25	0 0
34	John J. Larkin	Double Clerk	3	15 0
35	John J. Larkin	Public pay	23	4 10
36	Alas. Brown Don. Ltd	Insurance	4	0 0
37	Patrick Annan	Insurance	3	15 0
38	Steenerson & Turner	Piping	3	10 1
		Total	63	4 11

The following Letters were read.

From the Local Government Board.

N<sup>o</sup> 50571-1911 his. dated 29<sup>th</sup> Nov 1911 Circular - Jari  
trage clauses in Contracts.

The Council agreed to the introduction into their Contracts  
of clauses on the lines indicated.

N<sup>o</sup> 14014/1911, dated 7<sup>th</sup> December 1911

Requesting that in future when the schedules of unaltered  
Rates (Form 58 of the Public Bodies Act 1904) are being  
transmitted for the Board's ruling they may be accompanied by  
the unissued Receipts for Rates in respect of which it is  
proposed that the amounts are to be allowed to Collectors  
whether such amounts are to be declared irrecoverable, or  
carried forward for subsequent collection.

N<sup>o</sup> 63574. 1911, dated 13<sup>th</sup> December 1911.

Returning for further amendment in regard to the following  
suggestions, the plans &c of the works proposed to be carried out  
by the Council for the erection of Working Class Lodging Houses  
under the Housing of Working Classes Act viz -

"The drains should be run in the lane way and not under the  
yard walls, and additional manholes should be provided."

"The ornamental label moulding over the entrance doors might  
be level instead of carved."

"The prices appearing in the Estimates seem to be too low."

And stating that when the foregoing suggestions have been  
carried out certified copies of the plans &c should be furnished  
together with a detailed statement showing how the amount  
of the loan applied for the purposes of carrying out the works  
in question viz £5800 is made up.

The Council agreed to alter the plans as suggested though  
they were of the opinion that such alterations were quite

unnecessary, as regards the prices set out in the Estimates the Council are satisfied on the advice of their Architect that they are sufficient.

Certified copies of the plans &c and detailed statement showing amount of loans applied for to be forwarded as requested.

N<sup>o</sup>. 64, 147/1911 dated 14<sup>th</sup> December 1911

Relative to loans sanctioned to the Council and the County Council of Donegal in respect of the Londonderry Waterworks scheme and stating that application has been received from the County Council for a supplemental loan of £1300, and as it appears that the total cost of the scheme when completed will be £8,968 while joint loans amounting to £7859 have been sanctioned, the total amount for which the Urban Council are liable (according to the Town Clerk's letter of the 2<sup>nd</sup> December to the Secretary of the County Council) would appear to be £2559. In view of this, and as the loan of £2700 sanctioned to the Urban District Council has been issued in full, pointing out that a sum of £1141 should be refunded by the Council to the Commissioners of Public Works.

The Council will on this account have a debit balance to the Commissioners of Public Works the unexpended balance of the loan of £2700 issued to them.

From the Commissioners of Valuation

N<sup>o</sup>. 62772 dated 4<sup>th</sup> December 1911

Requesting the Valuation Lists relating to the Urban District to be forwarded so that they may be corrected in accordance with the Annual Revision at present in progress.

N<sup>o</sup>. 62772, dated 7<sup>th</sup> December 1911

Acknowledging receipt of the Valuation Lists relating to the Urban District transmitted for revision.

From Messrs James McKeivie & Co. Auctioneers & Contractors for supply of Gas Coal, dated 23<sup>rd</sup> Decr 1911.

Relative to Cargo, Duncton Gas Coal ordered and stating it is absolutely impossible to send this coal earlier than about the 15<sup>th</sup> or 17<sup>th</sup> January. The only class they might possibly send immediately was Banrockburn which is classed exactly the same as Duncton in quality.

The Town Clerk stated that after consulting with the Gas Manager he had wired the Contractor to send on a cargo of Banrockburn as the stock on Lando was all but exhausted.

The Council ratified the action of the Town Clerk.

The Record of work performed by the Sanitary Sub-Office from 27<sup>th</sup> Nov 1911 to 30<sup>th</sup> Decr 1911 was submitted & examined and showed that 54 premises had been visited & inspected.

The Water Manager reported a noticeable decrease in leakage of water, but of course there is bound to be some occasionally.

That he had started putting in supply to Strabane and Lifford Railway Station and expected to finish same this week.

The Gas Manager reported that the worst of another season was got over, and that everything is going on satisfactorily.

That the change of coal was fortunate as otherwise he could not have succeeded in keeping up supply.

The Gas Manager's Collection Account was submitted  
Examined and considered satisfactory.

The Rent Collection Account was submitted and Examined  
and showed the following tenants in arrears at the 25<sup>th</sup>  
December 1911 in the amounts stated viz: - Mr Conroy £3:2:6  
Mr Cannon 12/6. John Calloway £1:0:10 and George  
Starnett 4/2. Total £5:0:0

The Town Surveyor reported that during the recent  
heavy rains a closed drain at Back Road became  
choked causing the water to rush down the Back Road  
and damage same badly. He recommended the placing  
of a person looking at a place indicated to catch rubbish  
and thus prevent drain again becoming choked. That  
he would notify the Dublin & Wick Railway Co. as to  
the cleaning and maintenance of new road (deviation  
leading to Gortlee) he received the enclosed letter from the  
Secretary asking whether the Council would be prepared  
to take over the road provided the Railway Co. put in  
such order as would satisfy their requirements.

Ordered that the Surveyor's recommendations be  
provided. The Council decided not to take over the  
road referred to.

On the motion of Councillor Patrick Doherty (Sec<sup>r</sup>)  
seconded by Councillor Patrick Doherty Junr, John  
Duffy, Goalbawn was unanimously appointed  
Comptroller of the Lough Salt trade works at the  
Lough at the salary of £6:0:0 per annum

The Town Clerk reported the death of Mr Thomas Conroy  
Town Clerk Keeper.

The Council appointed Mr. John Conroy, son of the former  
Officer, to the vacant position, salary at the rate of £4:0:0  
per annum.

Mr Thomas Pinneroy from whom the Council rent the  
Dumping Grounds wrote complaining that he was not getting  
all the refuse collected from the streets and that portion thereof  
was deposited elsewhere.

The Council having investigated the matter concluded that  
it would not be to the advantage of the Council to require the  
carts to be carted from the outlying roads to be carted to the Dumping  
Grounds; but they directed the Town Surveyor to see that the  
refuse from the streets was left at the appointed places

Read letters from the Clerk of the Melford R.D. Council and  
Lillo-Kerry R.D. Council relative to supply of water from the  
Lough Salt mains to the village of Kilmacrenan situated in  
the Melford R.D. Council and asking the terms on which the  
required supply will be given.

The Council having already agreed to give the supply  
for Kilmacrenan at the rate of 2<sup>d</sup> per 1000 gallons, all  
Expenses in connection with meters, mains, communication  
pipes, repairs &c. to be borne by the Melford R.D. Council,  
instructed the Town Clerk to inform the Melford R.D.  
Council accordingly and at same time to point out that  
it is to the Lillo-Kerry Rural District Council being  
an adjoining Sanitary Authority that the Melford Council  
can legally sell the water; but that the Lillo-Kerry  
Rural District Council can then sell to the Melford  
Rural District Council - Further that they should instruct  
their Surveyor to prepare the necessary agreement for



Exemption by the assessing bodies the costs of which must be borne by the ratepayers Council.

Next Monthly Meeting of the Council to be held on Monday the 5<sup>th</sup> day of February 1912

Mr. Mulholland Chairman

John J. Kelly

Journal

Letter Kerry Urban District Council.

N<sup>o</sup> of Members on the Council 9

N<sup>o</sup> of Members present 4

Annual Meeting.

Minutes of proceedings at Annual Meeting held on Tuesday the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of January 1912.

In the Chair Philip Canall Esq.

Other Members present:-

Messrs. Schmittard.

Patrick Doherty Jnr.

Daniel McDevitt.

The Returning Officer reported that at the Election of Urban District Councillors on the 15<sup>th</sup> January 1912 the following Candidates were returned viz:- Patrick Doherty Jnr (279 votes) Henry Gallagher (241 votes) Robert McElone (185 votes).

Declarations, accepting office made by the following newly elected Councillors were submitted viz:- Patrick Doherty Jnr., Henry Gallagher.

It was proposed by Councillor Philip Canall and seconded by Councillor Patrick Doherty Jnr:- That Councillor Thomas Mulholland be re-elected Chairman of the Council for the ensuing year.

Passed unanimously

It was proposed by Councillor Philip Carroll and seconded by Councillor John Wood; - that Councillor Henry Gallagher be re-elected Vice Chairman of the Council for the ensuing year.

Passed unanimously.

It was unanimously agreed that the following Councillors constitute the standing Committees for the year ending 15<sup>th</sup> January 1913

Sanitary Committee

3 to form a Quorum.

The whole Council

Lighting & Water Committee

(3 to form a Quorum)

Messrs Patrick Doherty, Rev. Henry Gallagher, Philip Carroll, John Wood, Daniel Devitt & Robert Clarke

Cleaning Committee

(3 to form a Quorum)

Messrs Patrick Doherty, Rev. Henry Gallagher, Daniel Devitt, Patrick Doherty, J. James Gibbons and Robert Clarke

Treasure Committee

(3 to form a Quorum)

The whole Council

The following were appointed to represent the Urban District Council on the Joint Committee of Technical Instruction for County Donegal for the year ending 23<sup>rd</sup> January 1913 viz

Rev James C. Cannon P.P.

Rev John C. O'Leary, A.M.

Thomas Mulhern.

Philip Carroll

Henry Gallagher &

James Gibbons

Thos. Mulhern (Chairman)

John J. O'Sullivan

James C. Cannon

Littleton Urban District Council.

N<sup>o</sup> of Members on the Council 9.

N<sup>o</sup> of Members present 7.

Minutes of proceedings at meeting held on Monday the 5<sup>th</sup> day of February 1912.

In the Chair Thomas Mulhern Esq. J.P.

The Members present:-

Messrs Patrick Doherty Junr

Patrick Doherty Junr

Philip Carnell

James Gibbons

Samuel M. Davitt.

John Mack

The Minutes of last meeting were read and agreed.

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read & agreed.

ON the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills were ordered to be paid.

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Service	Amount	Pts
111	Doregal County Council	2 <sup>nd</sup> Install Demand	154	19 11
112	Granger Bldg	Rents	81	0 3
113	W.L.G. Bond	Abolition Expenses	20	5 8
114	John J. Parkin	Carriage Expenses 1911	12	9 0
115	John J. Parkin	Pub. ac. payts	10	1 0
116	James McElroy	Housework	9	2 6
117	John J. Council	Keeping Jan Clock	7	10
118	N <sup>o</sup> West Island Landfill & Co. Ltd	Advertisement	4	6
			288	10 8

Gasworks Account

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Service	Amount	Pts
39	James W. Kelvin & Co	Coal	502	5 0
40	Glencraig Union & Railway Co	Rents	31	0 5
41	Thos. Glavin & Co Ltd.	Chairs	10	1 7
42	John J. Parkin	Pub. ac. payts	23	16 5
			567	3 5

The Declaration of Councillor Thomas Mulhern accepting the office of Chairman of the Council for the ensuing year was submitted.

The Declaration of Mr. Robert W. Glavin accepting office as Urban District Councillor on his return at the recent Election of Councillors for the District was submitted.

The following Letters were read.

From the Local Government Board

N<sup>o</sup> 8 W: 1911, dated 19<sup>th</sup> January 1912.

Requesting particulars of the liabilities (if any) incurred by the Council in respect of repayments of principal and of interest on foot of moneys borrowed after the 21<sup>st</sup> Decr 1908 under the sanction of the Board for the purposes of the Housing of the Working Classes (Ireland) Acts 1890 to 1908 in the financial year commencing on the 1<sup>st</sup> April last and ending on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of March next.

Met Return 2 sub.

N<sup>o</sup> 58828/1911, dated 21<sup>st</sup> January 1912

Relative to Arbitration proceedings in the matter of the lands authorised to be acquired compulsorily by the Council under the Litter Kerry Urban District Order 1910 etc  
Confirmed and Forwarding Copy of a Certificate made by them as to the amount of Costs, Charges and Expenses payable by the Council in respect of the Arbitration.

Amount £20.5.8

Payment ordered

N<sup>o</sup> 4346: 1912 dated 27<sup>th</sup> January 1912

Expressing their sanction to a loan of £5800 for the purpose of erecting Working Class Lodging Houses under the Housing of the Working Classes Act, repayment to be spread over a period of thirty years and the loan to be issued in four instalments of £1000, £2000, £2000 and £800.

The Town Clerk stated that he had made application on behalf of the Council to the Commissioners of Public Works for the loan.

From the Office of Public Works

N<sup>o</sup> 1257/12, dated 2<sup>nd</sup> February 1912.

Relative to the application of the Council for loan of £5800 for the purpose of erecting Working Class Lodging Houses and asking for an undertaking by the Council that the instalments in repayment of the loan, if made, as well as of any Trusting loans will be paid at the dates at which they become due viz 1<sup>st</sup> May N<sup>o</sup> N<sup>o</sup> in each year.

Undertaking required, given and ordered to be forwarded to the Commissioners of Public Works

From the Home Office.

N<sup>o</sup> 215,696, dated 1<sup>st</sup> January 1912.

Requesting Return relating to the production of Cakes at the Council's Gasworks, during the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> Decr 1911

Return to be forwarded.

From the Board of Trade (Harbour Department)

N<sup>o</sup> H 1251, dated 31<sup>st</sup> January 1912.

Relative to the proposal of the Council to construct an outfall sewer to discharge into the stream near Port Road, Litter Kerry and stating that upon receipt of a duplicate of the map and plan already forwarded, the Board of Trade will cause their formal consent to be inscribed upon both sets of drawings one of which will be retained in the Records of their Office, the other being returned to the Council, so far only as the interests of navigation are concerned, for proceeding with the construction of the works.

The Town Surveyor was directed to prepare the duplicate set required for transmission to the Board of Trade.

From the Commissioners of National Education.

N<sup>o</sup> B.O. 9/12, dated 16<sup>th</sup> January 1912.

Stating that the Local Authority of the Urban District of Litter Kerry having appointed one half of the School Attendance Committee for the place for the period of three years, from 1<sup>st</sup> July 1912, the Commissioners of National Education have under the powers conferred upon them by the Act 1892 directed that the remaining half shall consist of the following persons viz: Rev. Ron Miller, Rev. J. McCabberty A.M., John J. Galla G.P., James Benson and David McCauley

The said Committee will consist accordingly of the following members:

Appointed by the Local Authority: Philip Larnal, Thomas

Mulhern J.P. Patrick Dolan, Jr. Robert & Colene J.P. James Gibbons.

Appointed by the Commissioner of National Education :-  
 Rev. Ross Miller, Rev. John Cabbry, Rev. John J. Gallagher, James Benson, David McCullough.

Letter dated 17<sup>th</sup> January 1912

Referring to the List forwarded on the 16<sup>th</sup> Jan of persons appointed by the Commissioner of National Education to serve on the School Attendance Committee for Little Kerniff Urban District for a period of three years from the 1<sup>st</sup> January 1912, and stating that it would appear that previous Committees had not carried into practical operation the Compulsory attendance provisions of the Irish Education Act 1892, and requesting that the Council furnish the Board with their observations on this matter.

Consideration of the letter deferred till next monthly meeting of the Council.

From the L & L.D. Railway, dated 21<sup>st</sup> Jan 1912  
 Agreeing to pay the sum of 10/- each premium for five train cabs proposed to be erected & kept at Oldtown Station.

From Mr. J. Constance Esq. Local Govt. Auditor dated 1<sup>st</sup> February 1912

Notice of Audit for Saturday the 10<sup>th</sup> Feb 1912 of the accounts of the Council for the period ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 1911

The Record of work performed by the Sanitary Pub. Office from 1<sup>st</sup> January 1912 to 27<sup>th</sup> January 1912 was submitted, examined and showed that 444 premises had been visited and inspected.

The Sanitary Pub. Office reported that Mrs. Bridget Lynch had complied with the requirements of the Sanitary notice served on her respecting the lime-washing of premises occupied by her.

The Water Manager reported that during the month there had been a few minor bursts, and one large one on the old main from which it was a complete break, and new pipe had to be put in.

The Gas Manager reported, arrival since last meeting of, coal to Bannockburn Cool and although not a bad class is not near as good as "Duchas". He suggested ordering another coal of "Duchas" cargo to be ordered.

The Gas Manager's Collection account was submitted, and examined, and considered satisfactory.

The Rent Collector's account was submitted and showed the following tenants in arrears, at the 29<sup>th</sup> January 1912, the amounts stated, Michael & James £4.3.4, John Colclough £2.1.8, George Starnett £0.8.4. Total £6.13.4

The Town Clerk reported that Mr. John Conwell who was appointed at last meeting Town Clerk kept was about leaving the Town and could not discharge the duties able this date and consequently resigned the office.

On the motion of Councillor Thomas Mulhern, seconded by Councillor Daniel McDevitt, Mr. William Joyce, Town Clerk

was appointed to the Office, salary at the rate of £40.0.0  
per annum.

Ordered that in future a charge of 5<sup>d</sup> per load be made  
for Cinders at the Gas Yard.

Ordered that the Town Clerk issue an advertisement  
inviting tenders for the erection of 48 Working Class  
Lodging Houses, that four separate Contracts be  
invited as follows:-

- Contract No 1. 8 Houses @ Melmacshan Road  
" No 2 6 Houses @ Rosemount  
" No 3 9 Houses @ Rosemount  
" No 4 25 Houses @ Ballynacool Road

Tenders to be considered at next monthly meeting of  
the Council.

Next monthly meeting of the Council to be held on  
Monday the 4<sup>th</sup> day of March 1912.

Thos. Mulcahy Chairman

John J. Kelly

Town Clerk

Letter Kerry Urban District Council.

No. of members on the Council 9.

No. of members present 8

Minutes of proceedings at meeting held on Monday the 24<sup>th</sup>  
day of March 1912.

In the Chair Thomas Mulcahy Esq. J.P.

Other members present:-

Messrs. Henry Gallagher

Patrick Doherty Esq.

Patrick Doherty Esq.

John Ward

Robert McElvane Esq.

James Gibbons

Philip Carmichael.

The minutes of last meeting were read and signed.

On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee the  
following bills were ordered to be paid

General account.

No	Name	Particulars	Amount	Pence
119	Doregalbo Council	Final Dist Demand	154	19 11
120	Joint Tech. Dist Committee	Tech. Dist Rate	17	3 4
121	Gasworks account	Public Lighting	82	0 0
122	James McElvane	Housework	6	18 6
123	Mary Ann Brea	Janury 31/3/12	4	0 0
124	John Larkin	Pub. W. payments	11	11 7
125	John P. P. per	Shannon etc.	1	0 3
126	James Harris	Public papers etc.	28	3 1
127	Mr. Henry T. Callaghan	Printing	1	2
			<u>305</u>	<u>17 10</u>

## Loans Account

No	Name	Service	Amount	Pdts
128	David Kennedy	Account Dublin Co	11	14 5
129	John J. Larkin	Pub. W. paym'ts	5	11
130	H. Keenan & Co. Dublin	Printing	4	3
			£	12 4 7

## Gasworks Account

443	John J. Larkin	Pub. W. paym'ts	19	9 5
444	David Kennedy	Payments	3	7 4
445	Steuenson & Furner	"	9	8
446	John P. O'Neil	Plates &c	3	3
			£	23 9 8

The following letters &c. were read

From the Local Government Board

No. 6970/1912 dated 9<sup>th</sup> February 1912

Informing the Council that they had recommended to the Commissioners of Public Works the loan of £5800 sanctioned for the purpose of erecting working class lodging houses under the Housing of the Working Classes Act.

No. 8439/1912 dated 12<sup>th</sup> February 1912

Acknowledging receipt of Paying Order for £20.5.8 in payment of costs incurred by the Board on behalf of the Council in connection with arbitration proceedings under the Housing of the Working Classes Act.

No. 9354/1912 this dated 1<sup>st</sup> March 1912

Transmitting order for payment of the sum of £4.1.10 being the balance in respect of the amounts which were paid as salaries to the various officers of the Urban District for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> September 1911.  
(Amount to be lodged with the Treasurer)

No. 2340/1912 this dated 14<sup>th</sup> February 1912

Forwarding copy of "The Public Roads (Ireland) Act 1911"

No. 7275/1912, dated 16<sup>th</sup> February 1912

Forwarding a further account of the Arbitration in the matter of the Arbitration proceedings in connection with the lands authorized to be acquired compulsorily under the Limerick Urban District Order 1910, as confirmed, and stating that in the absence of objections within three weeks from date of letter the account will be certified in pursuance of Article 28 of the Second Schedule of the Housing of the Working Classes Act 1890.

The Council have no objections to payment of the amount claimed £3.44.0.

From the Commissioners of Public Works

No. 1785/12, dated 29<sup>th</sup> February 1912.

Informing the Council that the Lord Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury have sanctioned a loan of £5800 to the Council for the purpose of erecting working class lodging houses. The loan to be repaid in 60 years with interest at the rate of 3 $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent per annum, and will be issued to the Council in four instalments of £1000, £2000, £2000, and £800.

The Town Clerk stated that on receipt of the foregoing letter he forwarded Paying Order for £10 to meet the expenses of the preparation of the mortgage deed.

From the General Purvey and Valuation Office

No 63 585, dated 29<sup>th</sup> February 1912

Notifying that the revised Valuation Lists for 1912 relating to the Urban District had been forwarded

The Town Clerk stated that he had received the Lists and that same were now open for public inspection.

From the National Health Insurance Commission (Ireland)

Circular letter, dated February 1912

Relative to Lectures to explain the objects and provisions of the National Insurance Act.

The Council decided to co-operate with the Commission in the matter, and to facilitate the work of the Lecturers by obtaining a suitable hall in the town for the lectures.

From the Town Clerk, Belfast.

Letter dated 14<sup>th</sup> February 1912. Relative to Conference proposed to be held in Dublin on the 20<sup>th</sup> March 1912 on the subject of Railway Rates and requesting the Council to send two representatives to the Conference.

The Chairman and Town Clerk were appointed delegates to attend the Conference on behalf of the Council.

From Messrs James & Melville & Co. Contractors for Coal. Letters dated 20<sup>th</sup> Feb and 2<sup>nd</sup> March 1912 relative to, cargo of Gas Coal ordered and stored in the first instance that the Dockers strike at Glasgow prevented shipment, and letters that they found it impossible to arrange shipment of coal before the Coal Strike; but as previous matters are settled that they will have their immediate attention.

From Messrs J. & J. Hoffmann & Co. Dated 6<sup>th</sup> Feb 1912

List of outbursts in connection with the Gas Factory at Littleport.

The Medical Officer of Health reported that there had been a recurrence of scarlet fever in the Urban District. This second outbreak is attributed to the first cases being of the latent or ambulatory form and consequently did not come under the notice of a medical man.

The record of work performed by the Sanitary Inspector from 29<sup>th</sup> January to 2<sup>nd</sup> February was submitted examined and showed that 63 premises had been visited and inspected.

The Waterworks reported that during the week there had been a good number of burst pipes mostly occasioned by frost. That he intended during the week to scour the mains and clear off any deposit that may have accrued.

The Gas Manager reported that the cargo of coal ordered at last meeting owing to the coal strike had not come to hand. That he believed he had on hand sufficient to last to the end of the month or thereabouts, before which he hoped the coal crisis would be over.

The Gas Manager's Collection Account was submitted examined and considered fairly satisfactory.



The Rate Collector's account was submitted, examined and showed the following tenants in arrears in the amounts stated at the 26<sup>th</sup> February 1912, Michael Connor £5.0.0 John Coakley £1.0.10, George Farrell £0.8.4

Michael O'Connor appeared before the Council and requested to be allowed time to pay up the arrears. On his promising to pay £3.0.0 on account on or before the 18<sup>th</sup> inst. the Council deferred taking action against him.

The Town Clerk reported that the Rate Collector, Miss Mary Hard, did not lodge the full amount of the second month's Rates included in the collecting warrants for the year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1912, on or before the 25<sup>th</sup> day of February 1912. That she had applied to the Local Government Board on behalf of the Collector for an extension of time to the 31<sup>st</sup> March 1912 but which date the Collector stated she would close her collection.

The Council ratified the action of the Town Clerk.

The Council proceeded to open and consider Tenders for the erection of 48 Houses and to do in connection therewith under the Housing of the Working Class Act in accordance with plans and specifications when the following tenders were accepted:-

Contract No 1. John Mannus, Ballinacorney  
8 Houses at Kilmacorney Road  
for £846.0.0

Contract No 2. John Mannus, Ballinacorney  
6 Houses at Rosemont for  
£582.0.0

Contract No 3. Patrick McGrath, Ballinacorney  
9 Houses at Rosemont for

£853.15.6.

Contract No 4.

James Johnston, Ballinacorney 25 Houses  
at Ballinacorney Road for £2523.3.0

Ordered that the necessary Contracts and Bonds be prepared by the Council's Solicitor, Mr Edward W. Quinn

The consideration of letters from the Commissioners of the National Education Board 17<sup>th</sup> January 1912 relative to the compulsory attendance provisions of the Irish Education Act, 1892 was further adjourned till next monthly meeting of the Council.

Next monthly meeting of the Council to be held on Monday the 1<sup>st</sup> day of April 1912

John Mannus Chairman

John Mannus

Town Clerk

Frederick MacCarthy  
27 March 1912

Lisdoonahilly Urban District Council.

N<sup>o</sup> of members on the Council 9

N<sup>o</sup> of members present 3

Minutes of proceedings at meeting held on Thursday the 4<sup>th</sup> day of April 1912

In the Chair Thomas Mulhern Esq JP

Other Councillors present:-

Messrs Patrick Doherty Esq

Philip Connell

The Minutes of last meeting were read and signed

On the Report and Recommendations of the Finance Committee the following Bills were ordered to be paid.

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Service	Amount	Rhs
1	John J Larkin	Town Clerk &c	13 15 0	
2	Patrick Dawson	Town Surveyor	4 0 0	
3	Mary Ward	S.P. Office &c	2 15 0	
4	James Regan	W.D. Street	2 0 0	
5	James McNamee	Superannuation	1 6 8	
6	And account cell	Water Mainage &c	5 0 0	
7	John Dubby	Land Tax &c	1 10 0	
8	Mary Wilson	Office Keeper	1 5 0	
9	William Boyce	Town Clerk Keeper	1 2 2	
10	Mary Ward	Purchase &c	23 4 7	
11	Mary Ward	Fees on Receipts	1 11 4	
12	James McNamee	Housework	8 5 0	
13	John J Larkin	put up pay's	15 8 6	
		found	80 13 3	

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Service	Amount	Rhs
		found		
14	Robert & Henry Railway Co	Guarantee	30 0 0	
15	Bank of Ireland	Inst. P/S Loans	134 17 7	
16	Bank of Ireland	do	28 5 8	
		total	273 16 6	

Loans account

17	John J Larkin	put up pay's	10 0 0
18	J.P.D. Bamfield	Bal fees &c	20 0 0
19	Patrick Dawson	do	16 3 3
20	Bamfield & Dawson	Fees Town Reserve	10 0 0
		total	56 3 3

Gasworks account

1	And account cell	Gasworks &c	25 0 0
2	John J Larkin	Town Clerk	2 15 0
3	John J Larkin	put up pay's	18 11 7
4	Bank of Ireland	Inst. P/S Loans	113 12 1
5	Belfast Banking Co	do	13 6 6
		total	174 5 2

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The following Letters &c. were read.

From the Local Government Board

N<sup>o</sup> 11,793/1912, dated 6<sup>th</sup> March 1912

Relative to the collection of the poor rate in the Urban District for the half year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1912, and stating that the Board do not consider that any sufficient reason has been advanced for extending the time for closing the collection so as to obtain the special advantages conferred by Article 92 (1) of the Public Bodies Order 1904

N<sup>o</sup> 11818/1912, dated 7<sup>th</sup> March 1912

Requesting to be furnished with certified copies of the plans &c. of the works proposed to be carried out under the loan of £5,800, sanctioned to the Council for the purpose of erecting working class lodging houses under the Housing of the Working Classes Act.

The Town Clerk stated that the certified copies of the plans &c. had already been furnished to the Board and that he had informed them accordingly.

N<sup>o</sup> 8697/1912, M.S., dated 12<sup>th</sup> March 1912

Forwarding copies of the Motor Cars (use and construction) (Ireland) Amendment Order 1912.

N<sup>o</sup> 33/1912, dated 16<sup>th</sup> March 1912

Stating that they have appointed Mr. M. Cosgrave Local Government Auditor, to audit the accounts of the Council, until further notice, in lieu of Mr. C. J. O'Connell

N<sup>o</sup> 15257, dated 27<sup>th</sup> March 1912

Expressing their sanction to a loan of £260 to the Council for the purpose of constructing sewers for the Ramelton and Post Roads, repayment to be spread over a period of 30 years, and the loan to be issued in two instalments of £200 and £60. The plans, specification, and estimate were returned, and the Board requested to be furnished with certified copies thereof for deposit in their Office.

Ordered that application be made to the Commissioners of Public Works for the loan and that certified copies of the plans &c. be forwarded to the Local Government Board.

From the Chief Surveyor's Office, Dublin Castle.

N<sup>o</sup> 101/1912, dated 8<sup>th</sup> March 1912

"Order for payment of £8.2.8 amount payable further on account to the Council as a Road Authority in respect of State Duty Grant for the year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1912

Amount placed to credit of the Council.

From the Board of Trade (Harbour Department)

N<sup>o</sup> H. 3450, dated 15<sup>th</sup> March 1912.

Relative to application of the Council for the consent of the Board of Trade for the construction by the Council of an out-fall sewer discharging into the stream near Post Road Limerick and transmitting duplicate plans of the proposed works upon which the formal consent of the Board of Trade has been subscribed as the authority of the Council as far as the interests of navigation are concerned for proceeding with the works, and requesting to be informed when the works have been completed.

The Town Clerk stated that he had forwarded a copy of the foregoing letter to the Local Government Board.

From the Solicitor Office of Public Works

Letter dated 3<sup>rd</sup> April 1912

Forwarding Draft Deed of Mortgage for £5800 for approval of the Council.

Ordered that the Draft Deed be submitted to the Council's solicitor, Mr Edward M. Madden, for approval.

From the Department of Agriculture &c

No 1238-12, dated 3<sup>rd</sup> April 1912

Requesting to be informed what rate was struck for the purposes of schemes under the Agriculture and Technical Instruction (Ireland) Act, 1899, over the Urban District of Liberties, for the financial year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1912 and what sum was realised by the levy.

The required information to be supplied

From the Commissioner of Valuation

No 64100, dated 3<sup>rd</sup> April 1912

Asking that any appeals against the revised Valuation List issued on the 1<sup>st</sup> March last, may be forwarded.

The Commissioner to be informed that no appeals had been received.

From HM Inspector of Factories

Reports 1048 & 1049, dated 4<sup>th</sup> March 1912 relating to Workshops (bakeries) of Mr James O'Donnell, Main Street and Mr Gallagher, Main Street.

The Council referred both reports to the P.O. Officer with instructions to see that the matters referred to receive immediate attention.

From Mr Thomas Sweeney, Limerick, dated 1<sup>st</sup> April 1912  
Relative to the necessity of constructing a pipe at Laneway in view of Beech Bank and other premises.

Ordered that the Town Surveyor be called upon for a report on the matter.

From Mr Patrick M. Prana Har, Ballyloe, dated 9<sup>th</sup> April 1912.

Relative to his tender that was accepted by the Council at last meeting for the erection of 9 working class Lodging Houses at Rosemount for the sum of £853.15.6, and stating that as he had got into some difficulties since tendering he will not be able to go on with the contract, and asking permission to withdraw his tender.

The Council decided to offer the contract to the next lowest tenderer, willing to accept same viz Mr John McManus, Ballyloe, for the sum of £870.0.0.

The Water Manager reported that there had been a few bursts during the week, but the number is still getting less, that he had the pipes scoured out but had not yet tested the Fire Plugs.

The Gas Manager reported that he had just calculated at last meeting when he reported having as much coal on hand as would last till the end of the month, as the stock was completely out on the 20<sup>th</sup>. That on the application of the Town Clerk the Committee of Management of the Gasworks had generally come to the aid of the Council and had given on loan a sufficient quantity of coal to carry on the Gasworks until the strike would be over.

The Gas Collector's account showing all parties in arrears of their gas bills, due 31<sup>st</sup> December 1911, at the 31<sup>st</sup> March 1912 was submitted and showed the total amount due as £121.14.2.

On investigation it was found that those shown in arrears included, Mr Thomas Mulhern (Chairman of the Council), Mr Philip Connell, Mr Daniel McDevitt, & Mr James Gibbons (Members of the Council) and the Gas Collector, acknowledged on being interviewed by the Chairman that he had not asked payment, either verbally or by furnishing bills to any of the foregoing from the date on which the accounts accrued viz 31<sup>st</sup> Decr 1911 until after the close of the financial year (31<sup>st</sup> March 1912) thus leaving them in arrears without having any opportunity of paying, and that the same facts applied to the following 17 gas consumers ~~viz~~ shown in arrears viz:- J. Norton, Mr John Hogg & Co., Mrs Mary Gallagher, Chas Langar, Dr Patterson, Mr Henry McQuilligan, 1<sup>st</sup> Presbyterian Meeting House, John Storey, John P. Piper, John Gallagher, McMoore, Mrs Condy, Bob Kelso, Joe Keel, Mrs Orr, Andrew McDevitt and Smalley.

The Gas Collector was severely reprimanded for his neglect of duty in this respect and he promised the Council that the like would not occur again.

The Town Clerk reported that the Rate Collector Mr Henry Ward had lodged with the Treasurer of the Council before the last day of March the full amount of the second moiety of the Rates included in the collecting warrants thus closing the accounts within the financial year.

The Rate Collector Mr Henry Ward submitted a schedule of uncollected Rates for the Year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 1912 and claimed repayment of same from the Council under Article 92 of the Public Bodies Ord. 1904. Amount £36.18.0<sup>5</sup>.

The Council recommended that the rates be struck off as uncollectible and refunded to the Collector for the reasons stated in the schedule.

The Council considered the letter of the Commissioner of National Education dated 17<sup>th</sup> January 1912 and instructed the Town Clerk to reply: "that the fact of the Compulsory attendance provisions of the Irish Education Act 1892 not being carried into practical operation in the Urban District does not in the least militate against the proper education of the children of the District and in the opinion of the Council there is no necessity in this District for carrying the Compulsory attendance provisions of the Act into practical operation."

The Rate Collector's accounts were submitted and examined and showed that at the close of the financial year the following tenants were in arrears viz:-

Michael O'Connor	18 weeks or	£3.15.0
Michael Cannon	3 weeks or	12.6
	Total	<u>4. 7. 6</u>

The Record of Work performed by the Sanitary Sub Office from 26<sup>th</sup> February to 30<sup>th</sup> March 1912 was submitted examined and showed that 81 premises had been visited and inspected.

The Town Clerk submitted the Estimate of Rates required for the financial year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1913 by which it appeared that the following poundage rates would be required viz:-

<u>Poor Rates</u>	
In respect of County Rates	1:10
Union Rates	1:2
Separate Charges viz:-	
(1) Limerick Railway	4
(2) Strabane Railway	4
<u>Total Poor Rates</u>	<u>3:8</u>

<u>Town Rates</u>	
In respect of the ordinary Expenditure of the Council	
Under the Local Govt (Ireland) Act 1898	1:3
Towns' Improvement (Ireland) Act 1854	7
Public Health (Ireland) Act 1878	2:8
Burial Grounds Act	2
<u>Total Consolidated Town Rates</u>	<u>4:8</u>

The Estimate was unanimously adopted

Ordered that the Rate Book and Collection Warrants be ready for signing and sealing at a special meeting of the Council to be held on Monday the 29<sup>th</sup> day of April 1912.

The rate to be payable in two half yearly sums one payable on the making of the rates and the other payable on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of October 1912

Next Monthly Meeting of the Council to be held on Monday the 6<sup>th</sup> day of May 1912

Henry Gallagher Chairman  
 John J. Parkin  
 Town Clerk

Limerick Urban District Council

No. of Members on the Council 9  
 No. of Members present 5

Special Meeting

Minutes of proceedings at Special Meeting held on Monday the 15<sup>th</sup> day of April 1912

In the Chair Thomas Mulhern Esq. J.P.

Other Members present:-

Messrs Patrick Doherty Esq.  
 James Gibbons  
 Paul Devitt  
 Philip Canall

The Meeting was specially convened for the purpose of appointing delegates to represent the Council at the National Convention to be held in the Round Room, Mansion House, Dublin, on Tuesday the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April 1912 for the consideration of the Home Rule Bill.

The Chairman (Councillor Mulhern) and Councillor Patrick Doherty Esq. were unanimously appointed delegates to represent the Council at the Convention

Henry Gallagher Chairman

John J. Parkin  
 Town Clerk

Lotts, Kinnel Urban District Council.

N<sup>o</sup> of members on the Council 9

N<sup>o</sup> of members present 6

Special Meeting

Minutes of proceedings at Special Meeting held on Monday  
the 29<sup>th</sup> day of April 1912.

In the Chair Henry Gallagher Esq

Other members present:-

Messrs Robert McElune J<sup>r</sup>

James Gibbons

John Ward

Patrick Doherty J<sup>r</sup>

Daniel McDevitt

The Town Clerk read the summons concerning the special  
meeting of the Council.

The Minutes of last Monthly and Special meetings  
were read and agreed.

The Town Clerk submitted the Rate Book for the year  
ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1913, duly appraised and certified  
by him. The Rate Book was sealed and signed as  
required.

Notice of Poor Rates and Town Rates having been  
made to the Town Clerk published.

The Rate Collector's Returns for the financial year ending  
31<sup>st</sup> March 1913 were submitted and were duly sealed and signed  
on behalf of the Council.

H. Gallyher Chairman

John J. Parkin

Town Clerk

Littleton Urban District Council.

N<sup>o</sup> of members on the Council 9.

N<sup>o</sup> of members present 7.

Minutes of proceedings at meeting held on Monday the 6<sup>th</sup>  
day of May 1912

In the Chair Henry Gallagher Esq

Other members present:-

Messrs Robert McColme Esq

Patrick Doherty Esq

Philip Connell

James Gibbons

John Ward

Daniel McDevitt.

The Minutes of last meeting were read and signed.

On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee  
the following bills were ordered to be paid  
General Account

No	Name	Service	Amount	Pts
21	Mary Hard	Inconveniences Rates	36	18 0
22	John Larkin	Subst. pay	10	10 3
23	Mauns M. Monagle	Stonework	4	19 4
24	Guardians Lenny Union	Rentable Relief Fund	10	0
		Total	52	17 7

Loans Account

No	Name	Service	Amount	Pts
25	Local Govt Board	Costs Application	3	4 0
26	Leagues Board	Compensation Board	39	0 6
27	John Kelly	do	2	0 0
		Total	44	4 6

Gasworks Account.

6	John Larkin	Subst. pay	14	12 6
7	John Ward	Priority Rates	11	5 0
8	Mr. Glavin & Co Ltd.	Meters	10	4 0
		Total	36	1 6

The following Letters &c. were read.

From the Local Government Board.

N<sup>o</sup> 35 - M/1912 Min. dated 3<sup>rd</sup> April 1912

Requesting to be furnished with a Return of the names &c  
of its officers employed by the Council as indicated in the  
Forms sent.

Return to be furnished

N<sup>o</sup> 41 - M/1912 Min. (dated 3<sup>rd</sup> April 1912)

Requesting Return of the cases of Infectious Disease in  
the Urban District notified in pursuance of the provisions  
of the Infectious Disease (Notification) Act 1889 during  
the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 1912

Return has been furnished



N<sup>o</sup>. 51. M 1912, dated 4<sup>th</sup> April 1912

Requesting to be furnished with a Return showing the total number of persons registered in the District on the 31<sup>st</sup> March 1912 as (1) Cowkeepers & Dairymen (2) Purveyors of milk, in pursuance of the Dairies, Cowsteds and milkshops (Ireland) Order of 1908.

Return furnished.

N<sup>o</sup>. 7275: 1912, dated 4<sup>th</sup> April 1912

Relative to Arbitration proceedings in the matter of lands authorised to be acquired compulsorily by the Council under the Letterkenny Urban District Order 1910 as confirmed and forwarding a copy of a Certificate which they have made as to the amount of the Purchase Cost Charges and Expenses payable by the Council in respect of the Arbitration, and requesting to be furnished with a cheque for the amount viz £3. 4. 0

Payment ordered.

N<sup>o</sup>. 19106/1912, dated 16<sup>th</sup> April 1912

Returning list of arrears of rate in the Urban District for the period ended the 31<sup>st</sup> March 1912 with the Returns of the Board, duly stamped thereon, and setting forth particulars in which receipts requesting to be amended are to be dealt with.

The procedure set forth in the Board's letter to be hereafter observed.

N<sup>o</sup>. 19,964/1912, dated 20<sup>th</sup> April 1912

Stating that they have recommended to the Commissioners of Public Works the loan of £260 sanctioned for the purpose of constructing sewers for Ramelton and Post Roads.

N<sup>o</sup>. 20655/1912, dated 25<sup>th</sup> April 1912

Forwarding Extracts from the Report of the Board's Medical Inspector, Dr. A. Gandy, relating to the Sanitary Condition of the Urban District, and requesting that each of the matters therein referred to may receive the careful consideration of the Council. The Board desired to call attention to the observations of the Medical Inspector in regard to the administration of the Dairies, Cowsteds and milkshops (Ireland) Order of 1908 in the District and the Council were asked to give effect to his suggestions thereon.

#### Extract

"The Sanitary Officer is the Sanitary Public Officer for the District. He has made three reports to the Medical Officer of Health and reports each month to the Urban District Council.

The Sanitary Public Officer acts as Inspector of Dairies, Cowsteds and milkshops in the District.

20 Cowkeepers have been registered. I think a stricter supervision of the conditions under which cows are kept is required, and improvements should be made in accordance with the Dairies, Cowsteds and milkshops Order 1908.

There is no systematic supervision of the meat supplies in the District.

Dr. Regan Medical Officer of Health made 4 reports during the past 12 months. I think more enquiry as to sanitary matters is required.

The Sanitary Authority have prohibited no prosecutions under the Public Health Act since last inspection.

I believe that much improvement could be effected by more vigorous administration of the Public Health Act.

The Sanitary Authority does not undertake the domestic scavenging. Some houses in the town are without yard or ash-pit accommodation.

By-laws in regard to Common Lodging Houses were enacted in 1905 but not enforced. The Common Lodging

Houses in the District, are not registered or regularly inspected.  
The Sanitary Authority have not provided an efficient  
disinfecting apparatus for the District. The Urban District  
Council are, however, willing to join with the Rural District  
Council in providing an efficient disinfecting apparatus for  
the joint use of both bodies."

The Council instructed the Inspector of Dairies, Cowsteds  
and milk shops to at once make a careful inspection  
of all cowsteds within the District and to call upon all  
parties whose premises were found not complying with the  
requirements of the Order of 1908 to improve their  
premises so as to meet the requirements of the Order. To  
make a further inspection before next monthly meeting  
of the Council and to report at next meeting any person  
then in default.

The Council, deferred for the present the enforcement of the  
Bye Law in regard to Common Leasing Houses

From the Office of Public Works

No. 4638/12, dated 15<sup>th</sup> April 1912

Relative to application of the Council for a loan of £260  
for the purpose of constructing sewers for the Ranelagh and  
Port Roads and asking for an undertaking that the  
instalments in repayment of the loan, if made, as well  
as of any existing loans, will be paid, at the dates at  
which they become due viz 1<sup>st</sup> May and 1<sup>st</sup> Nov in each year.

Required undertaking has been given

From the Sanitary District Council No 888, dated 18<sup>th</sup> April 1912.

Forwarding Annual Estimate and Demand by the County Council  
and Litterkerry Urban District Council for the financial year ending  
31<sup>st</sup> March 1913 (Amount £766.12.11)

From Mr Patrick Gallagher, Litterkerry, dated 6<sup>th</sup> May 1912  
Requesting a water supply for two small houses owned by him  
in Litterkerry and for a field of land also owned by him in  
Litterkerry

The Council granted permission for a communication pipe  
to be laid by Mr Gallagher at his own expense to the house and  
decided to charge him at the rate of 1/- a year for the supply to the  
field. The supply in both cases to be taken off the Glenamain.

From Mr W. O'Reilly, Litterkerry, dated 5<sup>th</sup> March 1912

List of Outwashes in connection with his business of  
making Ladies and Children's underclothing at Asylum Road  
Litterkerry

From Mr Thomas Sweeney, Litterkerry, dated 6<sup>th</sup> May 1912

Notice to the Council that he will require the Dumping ground  
for his own use on and after the 1<sup>st</sup> November 1912.

The Record of work performed by the Sanitary Pub Officer from  
1<sup>st</sup> April 1912 to 27<sup>th</sup> April 1912 was submitted Examined and  
showed that 56 premises had been visited and inspected.

The Sanitary Pub Officer reported that the matters referred to in the  
Reports of H.M. Inspector of Factories concerning the workshops  
(bakery) of Mr James O'Donnell and Mr J. Gallagher had been  
attended to and that the bakeries were now found to be in  
good order.

The Water Manager reported that during the month there had  
been some bursts all of which had been attended to.

The Gas Manager reported the arrival of Cwlo of Coals ordered previous to the strike, and although a little fine, are of Fair quality and that he was satisfied with the coal.

The Town Surveyor reported that the timber and zinc roofs of small tenement of Rose House having got injured through stress of weather he had them removed, and that it would be necessary to have same replaced in the new. He also reported on nuisance caused by sewage from the Council's houses at Port Road, and that he had got matters set right. He considered a little more care on the part of the occupiers of the houses would avoid any trouble in this direction.

The report was adopted.

The Town Surveyor reported on open sewers at rear of Belfast Bank premises which he considered most objectionable and suggested the option of two schemes to remedy the matter complained of: - one scheme he estimated would cost £20. The other scheme £17. 15:0

On the motion of Councillor Henry Galle the records of Councillor Philip Canall to date, was adjourned sub die.

The Gas Manager's Collection account was submitted and examined and showed considerable progress had been made since last meeting in getting in the arrears.

The Rate Collector's account was submitted and examined and showed that at 23<sup>rd</sup> April last the total rent in arrears was £7. 1: 8, and that since that date she had received of the arrears £3. 5: 10 leaving £3. 15: 10 still due.

The Collection was considered satisfactory.

The Town Clerk submitted details of the Expenditure of the Council for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 1912 on the maintenance of the streets & dust labour and, also in connection with the scavenging of the streets by direct labour, the total Expenditure being maintenance of streets £176. 6: 10 scavenging £259. 18: 0.

The Seal of the Council was affixed to the Contract of Mr James Johnston for the erection of 25 Houses at Ballinacree Road under the Housing of the Working Classes Act for the sum of £2523. 3: 0, and to the Contract of Mr John McManus for the erection of 23 Houses, 8 at Kilmacreehan Road, and 15 at Rosemount under said Act for the sum of £2298.

A Deputation of Merchants of the Town appeared before the Council in reference to the Shops Act 1912.

The Council decided to call a public meeting of the Occupiers of Shops and Shop Assistants for Wednesday evening the 8<sup>th</sup> inst @ 8 o'clock to arrange for the day for the week of Holy Holidays.

Next monthly meeting of the Council to be held on Monday the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of June 1912

Galleher Chairman

John Galleher

Town Clerk

Lillekerri Urban District Council.

N<sup>o</sup> of members on the Council 9

N<sup>o</sup> of members present 3

Special Meeting.

Minutes of proceedings at meeting held on Monday the 13<sup>th</sup> day of May 1917.

In the Chair Henry Gallagher Esq

Other members present:-

Messrs Patrick Doherty Esq.

Philip Connell

The Town Clerk read the summons convening the special meeting of the Council.

Read Letter from the Treasury, Dublin in Ireland endorsing Engrossed Deed of mortgage for £3800 loan under the Housing of the Working Classes Act for perfection.

It was moved by Councillor Patrick Doherty Esq. and seconded by Councillor Henry Gallagher and Resolved:-

That our Corporate Seal be affixed to the Deed of mortgage of this date now read, whereby security is given to the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland for the repayment of the sum of Five thousand Eight Hundred Pounds proposed to be advanced by them to us under the Housing of the Working Classes (Ireland) Act 1890 to 1908, and the incorporated, amending or extending Acts.

The Corporate Seal of the Council was in pursuance of the foregoing Resolution affixed to the Deed of mortgage which was also signed by the Chairman, and two members of the Council, and countersigned by the Clerk of the Council.

It was moved by Councillor Patrick Doherty Esq. and seconded by Councillor Henry Gallagher and Resolved:-

That inasmuch as the Council does not immediately require from the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland the total amount of the sum mentioned in the Deed of mortgage to them this day executed by this Council but prefer to receive the same by instalments as occasion may require

It is Resolved that the requisitions for each advance shall be submitted to said Commissioners by the Chairman of this Council for the time being countersigned by the Clerk of the Council and that each such requisition be forwarded to the Accountant of the said Commissioners and that all such advances shall be lodged for our account as Urban Sanitary Authority in the Lillekerri Branch of the Belfast Bank.

Henry Gallagher Chairman

Philip Connell  
Town Clerk

*Litter Korry / Urban District Council.*

N<sup>o</sup> of members on the Council 9

N<sup>o</sup> of members present 7

Minutes of proceedings at meeting held on Wednesday the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of June 1912

In the Chair Henry Gallagher Esq

Other members present:-

Messrs Patrick Doherty Esq.

James Gibbons

Robert McClune Esq.

Paul McDevitt

Philip Connell

Patrick Doherty Jr.

The minutes of last monthly and special meetings were read, and signed.

On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills were ordered to be paid.

*General Account*

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Particulars	Amount	R/s
28	John Larkin	Subsidiary pay	11	2 5
29	Mauns McLonagle	Horsework	4	12 6
30	Patrick, Esq	Insur. premium	4	13 8
		Total £	20	8 7

*Loans Account*

31	Local Govt. Board	Expenses approx. Loan	9	16 6
32	John Larkin	Subsidiary pay	1	11 0
		Total £	9	7 6

*General Account*

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Particulars	Amount	R/s
9	John Larkin	Subsidiary pay	27	2 9
		Total £	27	2 9

The following Letters etc. were read.

From the Local Government Board

N<sup>o</sup> 25702/1912, dated 14<sup>th</sup> May 1912

Acknowledging receipt of Payment Order for £3.4.0 in repayment of costs incurred by them on behalf of the Council in connection with Arbitration proceedings under the Housing of the Working Classes Act.

N<sup>o</sup> 21512/1912, dated 15<sup>th</sup> May 1912

For forwarding copies of Memoranda with covering Circular letters issued by the Home Office in regard to the administration of the Factory and Workshops Acts

N<sup>o</sup> 25426/1912, dated 16<sup>th</sup> May 1912

Relative to open sewers at the rear of the Bellfast Bank premises and stating that having regard to the opinion expressed by the Town Surveyor in his report to the Council, the Council would do well to obtain a report from the Medical Officer of Health on the subject, as the sanitary aspects in question is apparently prejudicial to the health of the locality mentioned.

The Medical Officer of Health reported that the sewer above referred to is a nuisance and dangerous to the public health, and recommended that the sewer be pipes (i.e. closed) and continued down to the Railway sewer.

Councillor Robert McClune proposed, Councillor Patrick Doherty Jr. seconded and it was passed unanimously, that the

Consideration of this matter be deferred for one month

N<sup>o</sup> 25183: 1912, dated 20<sup>th</sup> May 1912

Requesting that they may be furnished, for deposit in their office, with certified copies of the plans, specifications and estimate of the works proposed to be carried out by the Council under the loan of £260 sanctioned for the purpose of constructing sewers for the Ramelton and Port Roads.

Certified copies forwarded as requested.

N<sup>o</sup> 7011 1912 dated 21<sup>st</sup> May 1912

Stating that they have incurred expenses amounting to £7.16.6 in relation to the application of the Council for a loan for sewerage and requesting the Council to forward a Payment Order for the amount.

Payment Order

From the Office of Public Works

Ref<sup>n</sup> N<sup>o</sup> 5277/12 dated 10<sup>th</sup> May 1912

Informing the Council that the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury have sanctioned a loan of £260 to the Council for the purpose of constructing sewers for the Ramelton and Port Roads. The loan to be repaid in 30 years with interest at the rate of 3½ per cent.

The Town Clerk stated that he had forwarded the expenses of the preparation of the mortgage deed (£1.11.0) to be charged to the Bond's account as requested.

From the Registrar of Petty Sessions Clerk's Office, dated 21<sup>st</sup> May 1912.

Informing the Council that the proportion of surplus moneys arising from the sale of Licences under the Dogs Regulation (Ireland) Act 1865 amounts to £6.19.7 for the Urban District of Lilliskerry for the year 1911 and that this sum had been directed to be paid over to the Treasurer of the Council.

Amount has been lodged to the credit of the Council.

From Rev P. Delaney, St. Finian's College, dated 1<sup>st</sup> June 1912

Requesting to be informed at how much per year the Council would grant the College a supply of water for all purposes for their Farmstead at O'Callaghan's. The supply to be from the Glencor Reservoir the main from which passes some 200 yards from the Farmstead.

The Town Clerk pointed out to the Council that the Farmstead was not within the District of the Urban Council but was situated within the Rural District of Lilliskerry and that any water supply grant would have to be through the Lilliskerry Rural District Council.

On the motion of Councillor Patrick Doherty (seconded by Councillor Daniel De Witt) it was unanimously agreed to grant the requested water supply for the sum of £2.2.0 per annum subject however to the consent of the Lilliskerry Rural District Council being obtained to the Urban Council supplying the water.

The Medical Officer of Health reported that the closet in the yard of James Hays' do not square was very dirty and recommended that it be finished and made clean.

Councillor James Gibbons proposed and Councillor Patrick Doherty seconded it that in the interests of the Public Health, that notice be served on the owner of the

premises (Mrs Cahill Boyd, Ballymacool) requiring proper water closet accommodation to be provided for the premises and that a work be allowed for carrying out the works

Passed unanimously

From Mr Joseph Harper Land Steward to Mrs Cahill Boyd Ballymacool applying for a supply of water for a field at "New Lane" within the Urban District

Ordered that the supply be granted, Mrs Boyd to pay for same @ the rate of  $\frac{1}{2}$  a year

The Gas Manager reported that he had nothing special to bring before the Council. That all is in the working order.

He suggested arranging shortly for the seasons supply of coal.

Ordered that the usual advertisement concerning Tenders for the year's supply be issued.

The Gas Manager's Collection Account was submitted Examined and showed some progress had been made since last meeting in getting in the arrears.

The Water Manager reported that during the past month there had been a good many leakages all of which had been put in order. That he had all the sluice valves covered out and a waste connection made to one at Port Road to enable stretch of main to be thoroughly cleaned out that previously could not be done.

The Rent Collector's Account was submitted, and showed all tenants clear, as at the 27<sup>th</sup> May 1912 save one viz Michael O'Connor who owed £4:11:8 or 22 weeks rent at that date.

Michael O'Connor appeared before the Council and promised to make a payment on account within the month.

The Town Surveyor reported:— That new concrete Footpath had been laid down between Mrs Gallagher's and Major's Lane and that the new gravelled Footpath between Upper Barracks and Park, Anderson's gate entrance at Port Road had been started. That the other works passed by the Council would be carried out, and completed, during the month. That the Contractor for the erection of the Working Class Lodging Houses are engaged excavating the sites, and is expected to mark out some of the foundations during the week.

Councillor James Gibbons proposed, and Councillor Philip Carnell, seconded:— That the Council do not appoint any Inspector under the Shops Act 1912, as the Council are of opinion that the carrying out of the Act should be in the hands of the Police.

Passed unanimously

Councillor James Gibbons brought under the notice of the Council the great necessity that exists for the erection of at least 3 Urinals in the Town.

Ordered that inquiries be made as to the costs of providing and erecting same.

Mr. Hugh Madigan appeared before the Council and made application for a water supply to his house at Church Lane, the Council to lay down the necessary pipe at their cost for a pound indicated.

On the motion of Councillor Connell seconded by Councillor Patrick Doherty put it was unanimously decided: - That the water supply be granted, but that the Council do not bear any of the cost of the supplying or laying down of the pipe.

Next Monthly meeting of the Council to be held on Monday the 1<sup>st</sup> day of July 1912

Mr. M. J. O'Connell Chairman

Hugh Madigan

Journalist

Literkerry Urban District Council.

No. of Members on the Council 9.

No. of Members present 9.

Special Meeting.

Minutes of proceedings at meeting held on Thursday the 27<sup>th</sup> day of June 1912.

In the Chair Thomas Mulholland Esq. J.P.

Other Members present: -

Messrs Philip Connell

Patrick Doherty Junr.

Patrick Doherty Sr.

Henry Gallagher

James Gibbons

Robert M. Clune

Samuel M. Devitt

John Ward

The Journalist read the summons convening the meeting.

The following Letter was read: -

Literkerry 24<sup>th</sup> June 1912

Gentlemen

I have by resignation, all the appointments I hold under the Literkerry Urban District Council viz: Poor Rate Collector, Poor Rate Collector, Rent Collector, Sanitary Subcollector and Inspector of Bowsteds, Drains and Streets and I request the Council to accept this my resignation.

Thanking the Council for all their past kindness to me,

I remain,

Yours truly



Your obedient servant  
Mary Ward.

To the Littleton, Ireland District Council.

The Council, accepted the following

Councillor Robert McClure proposed, and Councillor Daniel Devitt seconded: - That the poundage for the Office of Rate Collector be fixed @ 6<sup>d</sup> and for the Office of Collector of Rents @ 9<sup>d</sup>.

Councillor Patrick Doherty Jun proposed as an amendment and Councillor Patrick Doherty Sen. seconded: - That the poundage for the Office of Rate Collector be 7<sup>d</sup> and for the Office of Collector of Rents 1/2 being the poundages hitherto attached to the Office.

Voting: - For the Amendment, Councillors Thomas Mulhern, Patrick Doherty Sen., Henry Gallagher, John Ward, Patrick Doherty Jun and Philip Carrall (6) For the motion, Councillors James Gibbons, Robert McClure, and Daniel Devitt (3).

The Amendment was therefore declared carried and the poundage fees for said Offices fixed accordingly.

The Council, decided not to make any change in the salaries attached to the Offices of Sanitary Public Officer viz £6 a year and dispenser of Druggs Constables & Watchmen viz £5 a year.

Ordered that Advertisements be issued for the filling of the vacant Offices and that the appointments be made at a special meeting of the Council to be held on Wednesday the 10<sup>th</sup> day of July next at 12 o'clock noon.

Thos. Mulhern Chairman

John J. Larkin Town Clerk

Littleton, Ireland District Council

N<sup>o</sup> of Members on the Council 9.

N<sup>o</sup> of Members present 7.

Minutes of Proceedings at Meeting held on Monday the 1<sup>st</sup> day of July 1912.

In the Chair: Thomas Mulhern Esq. JP

Other Members present:-

Messrs Henry Gallagher

Robert McClure JP

Daniel Devitt

Patrick Doherty Jun

Philip Carrall

James Gibbons

The Minutes of last Monthly, Quarterly and Special Meeting were read and signed.

On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills were ordered to be paid

General Account

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Service	Amount	Pts
33	John Larkin	Town Clerk	13	15 0
34	Pat Dawson	Town Surveyor	4	0 0
35	Mary Ward	P.S. Office	2	11 5
36	Edward Regan	Med. Off. Health	2	0 0
37	James Lorne	Superannuation	1	6 8
38	And. McIntosh	Water Manager	5	0 0
39	John Doherty	Constable Inspect	1	10 0
40	Mary Wilson	Office Keeper	1	5 0
		Forward	31	8 1

## General account (cont.)

No	Name	Particulars	Cents	Shs
		Forward £	31	8 1
41	William Boyfe	Town Clerk's fees	1	0 0
42	Maunsell Donaghy	Stores	4	5 10
43	John Larkin	Subs. payts	15	11 4
44	Thos. Patterson	Notifications &c.	17	0
45	Stms. Falconer	Books	15	0
		Total £	53	17 3

## Loans account

46	Mary Ramsay	Comp. Land	28	11 6
47	John Linnar	Compensation	5	0
48	James Glenn	do	10	0
49	Henny Gallagher	do	5	0
50	John Dorman	do	7	6
51	James Gallagher & P. H. Guley	Comp. Land	9	8 6
52	Robert O'Connell	do	32	7 0
53	Feunick O'Connell	Inspections &c	17	17 0
54	Thos. Patterson	do	2	2 0
55	William Cochran	Advertising	5	5 0
56	The Derry Journal Ltd	do	6	3 10
57	Patrick Dawson	Architect's fees &c	50	0
58	Edw. J. Morphy & Chas. J. Keegan	Comp. Land	33	2 6
		Total £	189	14 10

## Gasworks account

10	And. A. Mitchell	Gas Manager	25	0 0
11	John Larkin	Town Clerk (Subs. &c)	3	15 0
12	John Larkin	Subs. payts	14	5 5
		Total £	43	0 5

The following letters were read.

From the Local Government Board

N<sup>o</sup>. 69-1/1912, this dated 3<sup>rd</sup> June 1912

Requesting Return showing for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 1912 the amounts, if any, included in the accounts of the Council which were produced by rates, assessed in respect of, a water supply provided for the Urban District.

Return to be forwarded

N<sup>o</sup>. 27671/1912, dated 4<sup>th</sup> June 1912

Forwarding copy of a letter received from the Comptroller of the Lough Salt Water Scheme, together with a copy of the Board's reply thereto.

N<sup>o</sup>. 28370/1912, dated 4<sup>th</sup> June 1912

Acknowledging receipt of exhibited copies of the plans &c of the works proposed to be carried out by the Council under the loan of £260 sanctioned for the purpose of constructing sewers for the Ramelton and Port Roads.

N<sup>o</sup>. 69-1/1912, this dated 5<sup>th</sup> June 1912

Requesting Annual Return showing the Receipts and Expenditure of the Council for the financial year ended the 31<sup>st</sup> day of March 1912

Return to be forwarded

N<sup>o</sup>. 29246-1912, dated 7<sup>th</sup> June 1912

Requesting that they may be furnished with a statement of the number of families to be accommodated in the Working Class lodging houses to be erected under the

loan of £5800 sanctioned to the Council in pursuance of the Working Classes Act.

Statement to be Forwarded

N<sup>o</sup> 814/1912, dated 8<sup>th</sup> June 1912

Requesting copies of the notices of all rates made in the Urban District for the purpose of the current financial year to be Forwarded

Request to be Complied with

N<sup>o</sup> 31075/1912, dated 11<sup>th</sup> June 1912

Forwarding a copy of the Auditor's report on his audit of the accounts of the Donegal County Joint Committee of Technical Instruction for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 1911 together with attested abstracts of the accounts

N<sup>o</sup> 22114/12, dated 17<sup>th</sup> June 1912

Acknowledging receipt of Paying Order for £7.16.6 in repayment of costs incurred by the Board on behalf of the Council in connection with their application for a loan for sewers

N<sup>o</sup> 31979/1912, dated 18<sup>th</sup> June 1912

Referring to the entry on the subject contained in minutes of the Council on the 3<sup>rd</sup> June, and previous correspondence, and asking to be informed of the Council's reasons for postponing action, for six months, in regard to the nuisance arising from the sewer at the rear of the Bank premises in the Urban District, and stating that they note that the Medical Officer of Health is of opinion "that the sewer, referred to is a nuisance, and dangerous to the public health," and that he recommends the sewer to be piped (i.e. closed), and continued down to Railway Sewer

The

The Board in the circumstances reminded the Council of the provisions of Section 15 of the Public Health (Ireland) Act 1896 as regards any complaint of a nuisance which may arise in connection with the apparent omission of the sanitary authority to abate the nuisance referred to.

The Council having considered the foregoing letter and the estimate of the Town Surveyor for carrying out the works, decided to lay down a 9 inch earthenware sewer pipe and carry same through field owned by the heirs of Charles Langan, deceased, and occupied by Bartley Lamsay, the mouth of Finstuff Creek at the back of his premises at Rosemount. Length of sewer 93 lin. yds. Estimated Cost £17.15.0.

Councillor Carroll proposed, and Councillor Patrick Doherty Jun<sup>r</sup> seconded that the works be carried out by contract and that tenders be invited.

Councillor Henry Gallagher proposed, as an amendment, and Councillor Robert McElene seconded: - That the works be carried out by direct labour.

Voting for the amendment: Councillors Henry Gallagher, James Gibbons, Robert McElene, and Daniel McDevitt (4). For the motion: Councillors Mulhern, Doherty Jun<sup>r</sup> and Carroll (3).

The Amendment was therefore declared carried, and the works ordered to be carried out by direct labour. The Town Surveyor stated that he would be able to have same done by the surface men with the assistance of a mason.

The Town Clerk was instructed to invite tenders from the local merchants for the supply of the required pipes &c.

N<sup>o</sup> 33,775/1912, dated 26<sup>th</sup> June 1912.

Acquainting the Council that the Littleherry Guardians had granted one week's vacation to the Medical Officer of the Littleherry Dispensary, and had appointed D<sup>r</sup> Paterson as his temporary substitute, and that they had approved of

the arrangements made.

From the Office of Public Works

Letter, dated 12<sup>th</sup> June 1912

For working Draft Deed of Mortgage for £260. For approval.

The Town Clerk stated that the Solicitor to the Council had approved of the Draft Deed on behalf of the Council and that same had been returned to the Solicitor of Public Works

Letter, dated 25<sup>th</sup> June 1912.

For working proposed Deed of Mortgage for perfection by the Council

It was moved by Councillor Daniel O'Devitt and seconded by Councillor Robert O'Clune and Resolved:-

That our Corporate Seal be affixed to the Deed of Mortgage of this date now read, whereby security is given to the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland for the repayment of the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Pounds proposed to be advanced by them to us under the Public Health (Ireland) Act 1878, and the incorporated, amending or extending Acts.

The Corporate Seal of the Council was in pursuance of the foregoing Resolution affixed to the Deed of Mortgage which was also signed by the Chairman and two members of the Council and countersigned by the Clerk of the Council.

It was moved by Councillor Daniel O'Devitt and seconded by Councillor Robert O'Clune and Resolved:-

That inasmuch as this Council does not require immediately require from the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland the total amount of the sum mentioned in the Deed of Mortgage to them this day executed by this Council but prefer to receive the same by instalments, as occasion may require. It is Resolved that the requisitions for each advance shall be intimated to said Commissioners by the Chairman of this Council for the time being, countersigned by the Clerk of the Council. And that each such requisition shall be forwarded to the account of the said Commissioners and that all such advances shall be lodged to our account as Urban Sanitary Authority in the Limerick Branch of the Belfast Bank.

From the Commissioner of Valuation

N<sup>o</sup> 65015, dated 28<sup>th</sup> June 1912

Acknowledging receipt of Lists of Tenements requiring revision in the Urban District.

From the Limerick Rural District Council

N<sup>o</sup> 2796, dated 15<sup>th</sup> June 1912

Consenting to the Urban Council applying to the Limerick College Farmstead situated within the Rural District of Limerick.

The Town Clerk stated that the College Authorities had agreed to pay the sum named by the Council for the water supply viz £2.2.0 per annum.

The Gas Manager reported that he had nothing special to mention. All plant was working in satisfactory order.

The Water Manager reported that during the month there had been a good many leakages in water sources all of which had been repaired. That not one of the old mains had shown any signs of weakness notwithstanding the extra pressure.

That supplies had been connected to St. Thomas College, Larnstead, Mr P Gallagher, and Mrs Boyd's Fields as applied for and sanctioned by the Council.

The Gas Manager made application for and was unanimously granted 14 days leave of absence.

The Gas Manager's collection account was submitted and examined and showed progress made during the month in getting in the arrears.

The Town Surveyor reported:-

That his estimate for the erection of Urinals was £7.12.6 size 7' x 4' 8" which included excavation of site, concrete platform, soil pipe and water pipe; but did not include the cost of the Urinal.

That the Contractors for the building of dwelling houses for the Working Classes are making fair progress with their contracts. That the greater part of the past month had not been too favourable for building purposes owing to the continued wet weather.

The Town Clerk submitted quotations for Urinals of the size above mentioned viz £14.10.0 each, delivered at Lill's Cross Railway Station.

The question of erecting the Urinals was deferred till after the month of March next.

The proposal of Mr Robert Boul, Leinster to give  $\frac{4}{3}$  per ton for Gas fuel up to 31<sup>st</sup> March 1913 was accepted.

The following notice of motion was handed in:-

"I beg to give you notice that, at next monthly meeting I will move that the Resolution passed at last meeting, giving 7<sup>d</sup> poundage fees for collection of Rates and  $\frac{1}{2}$  for Rents be rescinded, and that the poundage rates be fixed @ 6<sup>d</sup> & 9<sup>d</sup> respectively."

(Signed) "Robert W. Clure".

1<sup>st</sup> July 1912.

The Anglo American Oil Company Ltd requested to be informed whether an offer of galvanised iron would be approved of by the Council for the storage of motor spirit.

The Council having ascertained that the erection would be on the Railway Company's premises, decided to make no objection to same.

Next monthly meeting of the Council to be held on Monday the 12<sup>th</sup> day of August 1912.

W. W. M. M. Chairman

John W. M. M.  
Town Clerk

Literary Urban District Council.

N<sup>o</sup> of Members on the Council 9

N<sup>o</sup> of Members present 9

Special Meeting.

Minutes of proceedings at meeting held on Wednesday  
the 10<sup>th</sup> day of July 1912

In the Chair Thomas Mulhern Esq JP

Other Members present:-

Messrs Patrick Doherty Esq.

Robert McElene

John Ward

Patrick Doherty Junr

Philip Carrall

Henry Gallagher

Daniel McDevitt

James Gibbons

The Town Clerk read the summons convening the special  
meeting of the Council

The Council proceeded in accordance with a resolution  
dated the 29<sup>th</sup> June 1912 and duly published to appoint  
a Poor Rate, Town Rate, and Rent Collector, for the Urban  
District, at a remuneration, for the collecting of Poor Rate,  
and Town Rate, of Seven Pence in the £1, and for the  
collecting of Rents One Shilling in the £1.

There were three candidates for the combined offices, but  
only two were proposed, and seconded.

Councillor Philip Carrall proposed and Councillor  
Patrick Doherty Junr seconded, that Mr John McElene

Literary be appointed.

Councillor James Gibbons proposed and Councillor Daniel  
McDevitt seconded as an amendment, that Mr James Peoples  
Literary be appointed.

Voting for the Amendment: Councillors James Gibbons  
and Daniel McDevitt (2). For the motion: Councillors Thomas  
Mulhern, Patrick Doherty Junr, Robert McElene, John Ward,  
Patrick Doherty Junr and Philip Carrall (6) (Councillor  
Henry Gallagher, did not vote.)

Motion was therefore declared carried and Mr John  
McElene, declared appointed to the offices of Poor Rate, Town  
Rate and Rent Collector.

The approval of the Local Government Board to the foregoing  
appointment is respectfully requested.

The Council next proceeded in accordance with a resolution  
dated 29<sup>th</sup> June 1912, and duly published to appoint a  
Sanitary Sub Officer, and Inspector of Constables, Drivers and  
Messengers for the Urban District, at the respective salaries of  
£6 and £5 per annum.

There were three applicants for the combined offices, only  
two however were proposed and seconded.

Councillor Henry Gallagher proposed and Councillor John  
Ward seconded: that Mr Alfred Peoples Literary be  
appointed to the offices.

Councillor Philip Carrall proposed as an amendment and  
Councillor Daniel McDevitt seconded the appointment of  
Mr Patrick McGrath, Literary.

Voting: for the Amendment: Councillors Thomas Mulhern,  
James Gibbons, Robert McElene, Daniel McDevitt and  
Philip Carrall (5) for the motion: Councillors Patrick  
Doherty Junr, John Ward, Patrick Doherty Junr and Henry Gallagher (4)

The Amendment was therefore, declared carried, and

and Mr Patrick McGrath was declared appointed  
to the offices of Sanitary Pub Officer and Inspector  
of Cowsteds, Dairies, and Milkshops.

The approval of the Local Government Board to the  
appointment is respectfully requested.

John Mulvihill Chairman

John J. McKee

John Clark

Liter. Kerry Urban District Council.

N<sup>o</sup>. of members on the Council 9

N<sup>o</sup>. of members present 4

Special Meeting.

Minutes of proceedings at meeting held on Thursday the 25<sup>th</sup>  
day of July 1912

In the Chair Thomas Mulhern Esq. M.P.

Other members present:-

Messrs. Henry Gallagher

Philip Connell

John Ward

The Town Clerk read the ~~minutes~~ resolutions concerning the special  
meeting of the Council.

The following letters were read.

From the Local Government Board

N<sup>o</sup>. 37,018/1912, dated 17<sup>th</sup> July 1912.

Relative to the proposed appointment of Mr John Clean  
as collector of Poor Rate in the Urban District and stating  
that they are of opinion that one bond should be given by  
Mr Clean to cover poor rate and town rate and that it  
should be obtained from one of the Guarantee Societies approved  
by them, a list of which was enclosed. That the bond should  
be in the form prescribed by the Public Bodies Act 1904 and  
should be of an amount adequate to cover both rates. That  
on receiving a satisfactory reply the Board will be prepared  
to entertain the question of approving Mr Clean's appointment.

The Town Clerk stated that he had informed the Local  
Government Board that Mr Clean would give a bond

from one of the approved Guarantee Societies, and that the sum of £200 was considered by the Council adequate to cover both rates.

N<sup>o</sup>. 38618/1912, dated 20<sup>th</sup> July 1912

approving of the appointment of Mr. John McLean as Poor Rate Collector in Little Kenny Urban District on the terms set out in the Query Form, and on the condition that he furnishes a Bond to cover Poor Rate and Town Rates from an approved Guarantee Society - (stating that to provide for the adequate security of the Collector the Board are of opinion that the amount of the Guarantee Bond should not be less than one-fourth of the total amount of the demands for Poor Rate and Town Rates, and that the Bond should be submitted in due course for the Board's approval.

The Council in accordance with the foregoing letter fixed the amount of the Guarantee Bond to cover both Poor Rate and Town Rates at £450 and instructed the Town Clerk to place on the agenda for next monthly meeting the question of the Council refunding to the Collector a portion of the premium payable on the Bond.

The Rate Collector's demands for Poor Rate and Town Rates for the financial year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1913 were submitted and signed and sealed on behalf of the Council as required.

John McLean Chairman

John McLean  
John McLean

Little Kenny Urban District Council.

N<sup>o</sup>. of Members on the Council 9

N<sup>o</sup>. of Members present 8.

Minutes of proceedings at meeting held on Monday the 12<sup>th</sup> day of August 1912.

In the Chair Thomas Mulhern Esq. J.P.

Other Members present:-

Messrs. Henry Gaafer

Patrick Doherty Esq.

James Gibbons

Robert McCune Esq.

Strawson

Daniel McDermott

Philip Carroll

The Minutes of last Monthly, Quarterly and Special Meetings were read and signed.

On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills were ordered to be paid:

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Service	Amount	P <sup>ts</sup>
59	John Larkin	Sub of pay	9	19 0
60	Maunth Monagle	Housework	6	14 3
61	Guarantans Lenny prior	Red Side Relief Fund	10	0
62	Lg. Board	Quail Fee	5	5 0
Total £			22	8 3



## Loans Account

No.	Name	Article	Amount	Pks
63	Patrick Doherty Jr	Purchase Money House	260 0 0	
64	Shm McManus	or of Condit House	280 0 0	
65	James Johnston	do	220 0 0	
66	William Kelly	Law Costs	9 4 8	
67	Shm Kelly	do	11 18 2	
68	Chas B Caldwell	do	6 15 2	
69	Shm J Doonan	Sub of payfs	19 2	
70	Chas B Caldwell	Law Costs	3 13 6	
		Total	792 10 8	

## Gasworks account

13	Shm J Loken	Sub of payfs	17 3 4
14	McGowan & Co Ltd	meter	5 6 3
		Total	22 9 7

The following Letters were read

from the Local Government Board

No. 87/M/1912 dated 9<sup>th</sup> Jul 1912

Requesting that a return showing the state to the end of June of the collection of the poor rate in the Urban District for the current year may be forwarded.

Return sent

No. 36911: 1912 dated 15<sup>th</sup> Jul 1912

Forwarding a Form of queries for answers regarding the Patrick McManus who has been appointed as Sanitary Pub Officer in the Urban District in rooms of Mrs Mary Wade who has resigned.

Queries answered and forwarded to the Local Govt Board

No. 37736/1912 dated 16<sup>th</sup> Jul 1912

Forwarding a copy of the report of the Auditor on his audit of the accounts of the Council for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 1911 with attached abstracts of the accounts.

Notes of Completion of audit to be forthwith published.

No. 38857: 1912 dated 23<sup>rd</sup> Jul 1912

Forwarding a copy of the Auditor's report on his audit of the accounts of the Donegal County Joint Committee of Technical Instruction for the financial year ended the 30<sup>th</sup> September 1911, and 31<sup>st</sup> March 1912 together with attached abstracts of the accounts.

No. 38129/1912 dated 23<sup>rd</sup> Jul 1912

Acknowledging receipt of the Town Clerk's letter of the 10<sup>th</sup> Jul returning duly filled up the Form of queries regarding the appointment of Mr Patrick McManus as Sanitary Pub Officer in the Letterkenny Urban District, and in reference thereto requesting to be furnished with a report from the Medical Officer of Health of the Urban District, as to the qualifications of Mr McManus for the position in question together with a copy of the newspaper containing the advertisement as required by Article 4 of the Boards Sanitary Code (192) of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Mar 1900

Requirements of letter have been complied with.

N<sup>o</sup> 102<sup>m</sup>/1911 dated 1<sup>st</sup> August 1912

Forwarding Order under the seal, determining the amount chargeable in respect of the audit of the accounts, receipts and expenditure of the Council, during the financial year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 1911 - Amount £5:5:0

Payment ordered

N<sup>o</sup> 21883/1912 M.S. dated 1<sup>st</sup> August 1912

Forwarding copies of Regulations made by them in pursuance of their powers under the Public Roads (Ireland) Act 1911 prescribing the manner of bringing the account Expenses recovered by a County Council under Section 1 in respect of damage done to a road; also Regulations prescribing the method of applying Fees received by a County Council or Borough Council in respect of licences granted to horse-drawn vehicles under Section 6 of the Act

N<sup>o</sup> 40869/1912, dated 3<sup>rd</sup> August 1912

Notifying that they have sanctioned the appointment of Mr Patrick Granaghan as Sanitary Pub Officer in Tolshan District, at a salary of Six Pounds a year as proposed by the Council. Further that the Board approve of remuneration at the rate of Five Pounds a year being granted to Mr Granaghan in respect of his services as Inspector of Dairies, Cowsheds and Milkshops in the Urban District

From the Commissioners of Valuation

N<sup>o</sup> 65252, dated 18<sup>th</sup> July 1912

Requesting any supplemental Lists of Valuations regarding revision to be forwarded not later than the 31<sup>st</sup> July

From the Accountant Office of Public Works dated 15 July 1912

Stating that the Commissioners of Public Works are now prepared to issue the first instalment (£200) of the loan of £260 for Sewerage works on receiving a requisition for the same signed by the Chairman of the Council, and countersigned by the Clerk of the Council as provided in the Resolution of the Council, dated 1<sup>st</sup> July 1912

Councillor Robert McElvene proposed that the works be let out to contract and that tenders be invited for carrying out same.

Councillor Philip Canall seconded the motion

Councillor Henry Gallagher proposed as an amendment: - That the works be carried out by direct labour. - Councillor James Gibbons seconded the amendment.

Voting for the amendment: - Councillors Henry Gallagher, James Gibbons, and Daniel Devitt. (3).

For the motion: - Councillors Thomas Mullen, Patrick Pothey, Paul, Robert McElvene, John Mad, and Philip Canall (5).

The motion was therefore declared carried and the Town Clerk was instructed to issue an advertisement inviting tenders for the carrying out of the works

From the Chief Sanitary Office Dublin Castle

July 9. N<sup>o</sup> 102 dated 5<sup>th</sup> July 1912. Order for payment to the Council of £3:3:0 balance Estate Duty Grant for year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March last. Amount has been credited to the Council

July 4 N<sup>o</sup> 85, dated 16<sup>th</sup> July 1912. Order for payment to the Council of £5:0:9 in respect of Sanitary Salaries on account for the year ending 30<sup>th</sup> Sept 1912

From the Town Tenants League Dublin dated 23<sup>rd</sup> Aug 1912.  
Requesting the Council to appoint delegates to attend  
the Annual Convention of the Town Tenants League in the  
Corky Hall Dublin, on Wednesday the 28<sup>th</sup> Aug<sup>r</sup>.

Messrs Thomas Duckert JP Robert McCune JP and  
Patrick Doherty (Pur) were appointed as delegates to attend  
the Convention on behalf of the Council.

From Mrs D. R. Kelly, Limerick dated 31<sup>st</sup> Aug 1912  
List of Outworkers in connection with her work depot  
Limerick.

From Messrs M. Inbye Hoag & Marsh The Limerick dated 3<sup>rd</sup>  
August 1912

List of Outworkers in connection with their shirt  
factory in Limerick.

The Town Clerk reported that on the 27<sup>th</sup> Sept he  
received a telegram from the caretaker at Long Salt  
that a pipe had burst at Goal, and that one of the screens  
was broken. He on receipt of the wire he dispatched a  
workman and had the damaged pipe replaced, and that  
the screen was being repaired.

From the Clerk of the Mallow Rural District Council dated  
5<sup>th</sup> Sep 1912. Stating that the Council had agreed to accept  
the terms on which the Urban Council proposed to let  
the village of Kilmacrennan have a water supply from the  
Long Salt main, and that they had instructed their solicitor  
to prepare the necessary agreement.

From the Clerk of the Limerick Rural District Council dated  
2<sup>nd</sup> August 1912 (stating that the Local Government Board had pointed  
out that it is not competent for the Urban District Council to  
directly give the required supply of water for Kilmacrennan to the  
Mallow Rural District Council and making application on  
behalf of the Limerick Rural District Council for the required  
supply, and asking on what terms it will be given).

The Urban District Council are fully aware that they cannot  
directly deal with the Mallow Rural District Council in this  
matter, and that this supply must if given by them be through  
the Limerick Rural District Council and they have already  
pointed out this to the Mallow Rural District Council. The terms  
on which the Urban Council will give the supply are contained in  
a letter of the Town Clerk to the Clerk of the Mallow Council dated  
the 10<sup>th</sup> day of January 1912, and a copy of this letter was directed  
to be forwarded to the Limerick Rural District Council. Mr.  
Edward W. Faalen, Solicitor, acts for the three bodies interested  
in this matter, and he is at present engaged in the preparation  
of the necessary agreements to be executed by the different  
Councils.

The Sanitary Public Officer reported that Mrs C. A. Boyd, Ballymacool,  
had not complied with the requirements of the Sanitary notice  
served on her regarding water closet accommodation to be pro-  
vided in lieu of any closet accommodation for premises at  
Market Square, Limerick, occupied by James Harjo and  
owned by her.

Ordered that inasmuch as the report of the Medical Officer  
of Health only recommended that the existing closet should be  
renovated and made clean, that a notice be served on  
the occupier requesting him to carry out the recommendations  
of the Medical Officer of Health within 14 days, and that a  
further report be obtained from the Medical Officer of

Heath as to whether the Kake Closet accommodation should be provided for the premises

The Kake Manager reported a few small faults in services during the month some of which he attributed to the result of a traction engine passing over the pipes

The Gas Manager reported that he was making preparation for the coming winter works

The Gas Manager's Collection Account was submitted examined and showed progress made since last meeting in getting in the arrears

The Rent Collector's Account was submitted and showed all tenants paid up to the 29<sup>th</sup> July last save Michael O'Connell who owed at that date £6.9.2. He however had made a payment of £2.1.8 since that date thus leaving due at this date 12<sup>th</sup> August 1912 £4.15.10

The Town Purveyor reported two wells as dangerous at Government Terrace and Cadogan Row.

Ordered that the prescribed notices under the Towns' Improvement Act 1854 be served

Mr H. H. Boyd Esq. Ballymacool appeared before the Council with the object of interesting the Council in the improvement of the Liberties Flat Market particularly in getting flat growers to bring their flat into open market for sale and not to dispose of same as is at present done in the mills.

It was decided to write the Liberties Board of Guardians and Rural District Council to co-operate with the Urban Council in this matter and if they approved of

same to call a Public Meeting for Friday the 23<sup>rd</sup> August at 3 o'clock pm in the Liberties Court House to ventilate the subject and decide the best means to be adopted to induce flat growers to offer their produce for sale in the open market.

Mr Boyd undertook to bear all expenses in connection with the holding of the meeting.

Tenders for painting the Public Lamps were opened and considered. That of Mr George Williams, Liberties @ £3.10.0 being the lowest was accepted

Tenders for the supply of such quantities of Gas Coal as the Council may require for the financial year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1913 to be delivered in such quantities and at such times as may be ordered, and in accordance with terms of advertisement were opened and considered. The tender of Mr Thomas Duncan 45 Rensfield Street Glasgow to supply Walker's (Pietstone) Gas Coal (Double Screened) @ 22/6 per ton was accepted.

Ordered that the Gas Manager keep a daily record of the number of tons of coal, carbonized, and of the daily make of gas as indicated by the Station Meters, and that the Record Book be submitted to each monthly meeting of the Council.

Councillor Robert McTear withdrew his motion, notice of which was given at last monthly meeting of the Council, relating to the poundage fees fixed for the collection of rates and rents.

The consideration of the question of refunding the Rate Collector portion of the premium on his Surety Bond was adjourned till next monthly meeting of the Council.

Next monthly meeting of the Council to be held on Monday the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of September 1912.

Thomas Mulholland Chairman

John J. Larkin

John O'Connell

Letter from Urban District Council

N<sup>o</sup> of Members on the Council 9

N<sup>o</sup> of Members present 6

Minutes of proceedings at meeting held on Monday the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of September 1912.

In the Chair Thomas Mulholland Esq. J.P.

Other Members present:-

Messrs Henry Gallagher.

James Gibbons.

Philip Conall.

John Wood.

Daniel McDermott.

The Minutes of last meeting were read, and signed.

On the Report and Recommendations of the Finance Committee the following Bills were ordered to be paid.

General Account

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Service	Amount	Paid
71	Donegal County Council	1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Instalments Demand	383	6 6
72	John Larkin	Pub. of payments	15	11 8
73	Mauns McDonaghe	Horsework	1	19 3
74	George McMauns	Painting Lamps	3	10 0
75	Albion Don Ltd.	Movable Goods	1	19 6
76	Derry Journal	Advtg		5 4
77	Samuel Kennedy Ltd	Mountain Lamps		19 3
			Total	407 11 6

## Lous Account

N <sup>o</sup>	Names	Office	Amount	Rhs
78	W. Keely	Laws books	3	15 0
79	W. Keely	do	2	16 4
		Total	£	6 11 4

## Gasworks account

15	Jansons & Kebri Co	Coal	136	5 1
16	Spaul Locks	Sub of parts	20	15 3
17	Al Brown Don Ltd	Furnace doors &c	4	14 6
18	Ed Ostram & Co Ltd	Gasworks	3	15 0
19	Stm Allan & Co	"Gas tools"	1	7 6
20	A. St. Hamilton & Co	Paint	16	0
		Total	£	167 3 4

The following letters were read

From the Local Government Board

N<sup>o</sup> 96/M. 1912, dated 14<sup>th</sup> August 1912

Circular relative to Collection of Rates.

The Rate Collector's attention has been directed to the terms of the Circular.

N<sup>o</sup> 43554: 1912, dated 14<sup>th</sup> August 1912

Acknowledging receipt of Paying Order for £5.0.0 in respect of the amount assessed upon the Council for the audit of their accounts for the year ended the 31<sup>st</sup> March 1911.

N<sup>o</sup> 43,687: 1912, dated 19<sup>th</sup> August 1912

Relative to the application of the Council for the issue of the second instalment of the loan of £5800 sanctioned for the purpose of erecting working class lodging houses under the Housing of the Working Classes Act, and requesting that they may be furnished with a statement of the work done and liabilities incurred under the loan up to date.

Statement furnished

N<sup>o</sup> 40939: 1912, dated 22<sup>nd</sup> August 1912.

Relative to previous correspondence respecting the John Cleary Rate Collector, in the Jerban District and requesting that they may be informed whether the Office has yet entered into the required Bond.

The John Cleary stated that he had replied that the required Bond had not yet been entered into by Mr. Cleary. That the delay has arisen owing to the difficulty in getting an approved Guarantee Society to undertake the security. Several of the Companies on the List supplied by the Local Government Board having written to say that they do not at present undertake this class of business. Negotiations are at present taking place with other Companies, and it is hoped one may be found to give the required Bond.

N<sup>o</sup> 32677: 1912, dated 23<sup>rd</sup> August 1912

Circular bringing under the notice of the Council the provisions of the Rag Stock Act 1911 (copy of which was enclosed) the object of which is to prevent the sale and use for manufacturing purposes of nucleus stock made from rags. (A copy of the Regulations made by the Board, "The Rag Stock (Ireland) Regulations," in pursuance of the Act, was also enclosed)

N<sup>o</sup>. 45521:1912, dated 26<sup>th</sup> August 1912  
 Acknowledging receipt of letter of the 24<sup>th</sup> August on the  
 subject of the Rate Collector's account.

N<sup>o</sup>. 42,002:1912, dated 26<sup>th</sup> August 1912  
 Forwarding copy of Circular letter issued by the Home  
 Office, London, with respect to the duty devolved on  
 Sanitary Authorities in regard to the Tenancy of shales &c  
 disused mines.

From the Office of Public Works  
 N<sup>o</sup>. 11728/12, dated 14<sup>th</sup> August 1912  
 Acknowledging receipt of application for £2000 the  
 second instalment on account of loan of £5800 sanctioned  
 for erection of working class housing houses and stating that  
 the application has been forwarded for the recommendation of the  
 Local Government Board.

The following Resolution from the Dublin County Council  
 was unanimously adopted:-  
 Resolved:- that this Council trusts there is no truth in  
 the report recently published that an English official is  
 about to be appointed to the Secretaryship of the Post Office  
 in Ireland to the exclusion of all existing Irish Postal  
 Officials; that the Postmaster General be informed that in the  
 opinion of this Council such an appointment would be  
 strongly resented in Ireland, and would be especially dis-  
 appointing in view of its inconsistency with the Home Rule  
 policy of the Ministry.

From the St. James Urban District Council dated 30<sup>th</sup> July 1912  
 Forwarding copy of Memorial sent by them to the Chief Secretary  
 in reference to certain anomalies in the rating provisions of the  
 Towns Improvement Act which affect the rating powers of Urban  
 Councils in Ireland.

The Memorial was adopted.

The Record of work performed by the Sanitary Public Office for  
 month ended 31<sup>st</sup> August 1912 was submitted and examined.

The Sanitary Public Officer reported that James Hayes of Market  
 Square had complied with the requirements of the Sanitary Notice  
 served on him respecting the closet in the yard of the premises occupied  
 by him.

The Gasmaster reported that the cargo of coal ordered since  
 last meeting had not yet arrived, but that the vessel was to  
 load this day. However he had on hand almost a month's supply.

The Works Manager reported that he had nothing special to bring  
 before the Council - there had been a few bursts during the month  
 but these were made good.

The Town Surveyor reported that the Contractors for the erection  
 of working class housing houses are proceeding with the work to  
 his satisfaction. That Mr. Williams had 17 houses well forward,  
 14 of them slated (and the remainder, all for first floor joists, yard  
 walls built to 8 houses. That Mr. Johnston had 12 in hand,  
 6 to wall plate and gables built, and 6 to first floor joists.

The Gas Manager's Collection Account was submitted and examined, and showed £50.13.5 in arrears.

Councillor Philip Carnall proposed, and Councillor Thos. Mulhern seconded; - that the Resolution of the Council requiring all parties adjoining a second Quarter gas bell to, accrue to be proceeded against for recovery of the amount due be put into operation.

Councillor James Gibbons proposed as an amendment; - that the Town Clerk first write, all such parties for payment of the amount due by them.

The amendment was seconded by Councillor Daniel McDermott.

Taking; - for the amendment; - Councillors Henry Gallagher, James Gibbons, John Ward, and Daniel McDermott (4).

For the motion; - Councillors Philip Carnall and Thomas Mulhern (2).

The amendment was therefore, declared, carried.

Councillor Henry Gallagher then proposed as a further amendment; - that the Gas Manager be, directed to call on the several parties for payment and report to next meeting of the Council. Councillor John Ward, seconded.

Taking; - for the further amendment; Councillors Henry Gallagher, James Gibbons, John Ward, and Daniel McDermott (4) against Councillors Philip Carnall and Thos. Mulhern (2).

The further amendment was therefore, declared, carried and ordered to be complied with.

The Rent Collector's Account was submitted, and showed all tenants paid up to 26<sup>th</sup> August 1917. Except Michael O'Connor who owes £5.4.2 or 2s towards rent.

The Town Clerk reported having issued the advertisement ordered involving Tenders for the construction of Sewers for the Ramelton and Port Roads, but that no tenders had been received by him.

Ordered that inasmuch as no tenders have been received in response to the advertisement that the construction of the Sewers be carried out by the Council by direct labour and that Tenders for the supply of the required pipes be invited.

The consideration of the question of refunding the Rate Collector portion of the premium on his Guarantee Bond was adjourned till next monthly meeting of the Council.

Next monthly meeting of the Council to be held on Monday the 7<sup>th</sup> day of October 1917.

H. W. Mulhern Chairman

John J. Ward

Town Clerk



Letter Kerry Urban District Council.

N<sup>o</sup> of members on the Council 9

N<sup>o</sup> of members present 9

Minutes of proceedings at meeting held on Monday the 7<sup>th</sup> day of October 1912.

In the Chair Thomas Mulhern Esq J.P.

Other members present:-

Messrs Henry Gallagher

Patrick Doherty Esq

James Gibbons

Patrick Doherty Jr

David McDevitt

John Ward

Robert McColme Esq

Philip Carroll

The Minutes of last meeting were read and signed

On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee the following bills were ordered to be paid.

General Account

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Particulars	Amount	Pts
80	Shelby Larkin	Fourteen etc	13 15	"
81	Pat Dawson	Down Surveyor	4 "	"
82	Pat McLaughlin	20.000 etc	1 15	7
83	Edw Regan	to Street	2 0	0
84	John O'Connell	Supernumeration	1 6	8
85	Andrews chell	Water Manager	5 0	0
86	John Dobby	Contractor Long Sack	1 10	0

General Ac Continued:-

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Particulars	Amount	Pts
87	Mary Nelson	Office Keeper	1 5	0
88	Mr Coyle	Donklock Keeper	1 0	0
89	Maurus McDonaghe	Horsework	3 12	3
90	Shelby Corrin	Jurors Lists	10 0	0
91	John McKeown	do	3 9	8
92	John McKeown	Pondage Fees Rates	27 1	8
93	John McKeown	Fees Reub Calculated	16	10
94	Mr Calhoun	Advertising	1 12	7
95	Shelby Glendonning	do	1 0	8
96	James McInerney Ltd	Lamp Post Cords	9	6
97	Derry Journal Ltd	Advertising	1 1	6
98	Shabane & Kerry Railway Co	Guarantee 30 June 1912	30 0	0
99	Bank of Ireland	Instl P/S Loans	134 10	6
100	Bank of Ireland	do	52 1	1
101	Edmond Printing Co Ltd	Printing &c	4 17	2
102	Shelby Corrin	Publ of payts	16 10	10
103	Aldr Mackay	Shelby Donklock	8 2	6
			Total £ 326 19 0	

Loans Account

104	John McKeown	on Contract House	530	"	"
105	James Johnston	do	410	"	"
106	Pat Dawson	on Architect Fees	50	"	"
107	Shelby Glendonning	Advertising	15	9	
108	Mr Calhoun	do	15	4	
109	Edmond Printing Co	Printing	5	0	
110	Shelby Corrin	Publ of payts	1	0	
			Total £ 991 17 1		

## Gasworks Account

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Service	Am't	Paid
21	And attached	Gasman's	25	0 0
22	John Larkin	Double etc	2	15 0
23	The Glenside Co Ltd	Meters	7	8 6
24	Paul Kennedy	Coals	9	13 2
25	Bank of Ireland	Inst <sup>l</sup> 1/3 Loans	112	11 6
26	Belmont Banking Co <sup>rs</sup>	do	13	3 0
27	Glenside Union Fire Ins <sup>rs</sup> Co	Relevts	15	16 5
28	John Larkin	Pub <sup>l</sup> of payts	29	16 10
29	Plummer & Turner	Pipes &	3	1 9
		Total £	220	6 2

The following Letters & were read

From the Local Government Board

N<sup>o</sup> 45521/1912, dated 12<sup>th</sup> Sept 1912 & N<sup>o</sup> 49132:1912 dated 4<sup>th</sup> Oct 1912. Relative to the security of the Linnit at Cleary, Rate Collectors in the Urban District and requesting that they may be informed whether the Bonds has yet been completed.

The Town Clerk stated that he had informed the Boards that the London & Lancashire Fire Insurance Co<sup>rs</sup> Ltd were now about issuing the required Bonds.

N<sup>o</sup> 103. In 1912 M<sup>o</sup>. dated 3<sup>rd</sup> Oct 1912.

Requesting a Return showing the amount paid as Salaries to the Sanitary officers of the Urban District for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> September 1912.

Return to be forwarded.

From the Chief Secretary's Office, Dublin Castle.

Oct 9. N<sup>o</sup> 101, dated 17<sup>th</sup> September 1912.

Order for payment of £ 4. 18. 2 on account State Duty Grant for year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1913.

From the Irish Industrial Development Association, Limerick, dated 14<sup>th</sup> September 1912. Requesting the Council to nominate two delegates to attend the All Ireland Industrial Conference in Limerick on Thursday and Friday October 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>.

Councillors Thomas Meehan, and John Ward were nominated as delegates on behalf of the Council.

From Mrs Isabella Corry, Scotch House, Limerick, dated 7<sup>th</sup> October 1912. Requesting a step to be taken from that to Footpath opposite her premises.

Application granted.

The Record of work performed by the Sanitary Pub Office from 2<sup>nd</sup> September 1912 to the 28<sup>th</sup> September 1912 was submitted and showed 72 premises visited and inspected.

The Sanitary Pub Officer reported 3 Houses at Rosemount as without closet accommodation, and 2 filthy closets in same locality, also a pool of stagnant water, and a heap of filthy refuse.

Ordered that notices be served on the owners and occupiers requiring in two of the cases the provision of closet accommodation and in the other the abatement of the nuisances. In the remaining case of no closet accommodation the Sanitary Pub Officer was directed to make further inquiry, and report to next meeting of the Council.

The Gas Manager reported the arrival since last meeting of cargo of Gas Coal, and that he was well pleased with same. He submitted account of daily manufacture of gas; but stated however that until a suitable weighing scale is procured he cannot be exact as to the weight of the charges and at present it is only approximate. That he had tested Station Meter twice and on the last occasion found same 16.66% fast and on the first test 18% fast.

The Water Manager reported that during the past month a few odd bursts in water pipes had taken place. That Dr. Moore R.S.M.P. Asylum reported what he considered a break in main at Clavin's Lane, Kilmacrenan Road, but on examination it was found to be a spring following the track of the pipe.

The Gas Manager's Collection Account was submitted examined and showed progress made since last meeting in getting in the arrears, the amount outstanding now being £37.2:5.

The Rent Collector's Account was submitted and examined and showed all tenants paid up to 30<sup>th</sup> September 1912 with one exception, Michael O'Connell who owes at this date £5:4:2 or 25 weeks rent.

The Rate Collector, Mr. John O'Leary submitted a schedule of uncollected Rates on vacant premises for the half year ended 30<sup>th</sup> September 1912 amounting to £39.10.7 and claimed repayment of same from the Council under Article 92 of the Public Bodies Act 1904.

The Council recommends that the Rates be struck off as irrecoverable for the reasons stated in the schedule and the amount £39.10.7 refunded to the Collector.

The Town Surveyor reported that the Contractors for the building of working class lodging houses are making fair progress with work. That Mr. John McManus has 8 houses rooved at Kilmacrenan Road, 9 half slated, at Rosemount and the last 6 houses in Rosemount some 5 feet high over floor level. That Mr. James Johnston has 9 houses slated 6 houses ready for slating, 3 houses for first floor joists and 2 houses 5 feet high over ground floor level.

Ordered that inasmuch as the term for which the Council hold the Dumping Grounds from the Thomas Sweeney will expire on the 1<sup>st</sup> November next, that the Dumping Grounds offered to the Council by Mr. John Gallagher, at the same rent, as paid Mr. Sweeney viz £4.0.0 per annum be accepted by the Council.

Mr. Edward McFadden, Solicitor to the Council submitted for sanction by the Council a Conveyance from Mr. Patrick Doherty just to the Council of all that plot or parcel of land containing 13 perches statute measure or thereabouts as there are no more particularly delineated and shown on the plan drawn on said Conveyance and thereon coloured blue together with two dwelling houses and premises erected thereon as now in the occupation of one Patrick O'Donnell and one John Boyce, and the road or laneway leading from Ramelton Road to the said plot of land, and dwelling houses as shown on said map, and also coloured blue which said lands and premises are situate in the town of Letterkenny Parish of Corwood, Barony of Kilmacrenan and County of Donegal to hold the same unto the Letterkenny Urban District Council, and their successors in the simple.

Ordered that the Seal of the Council be affixed to the Conveyance.  
The Seal of the Council was accordingly affixed to the Conveyance.

The Council then proceeded to fix the weekly rents to be paid in respect of the houses acquired under the aforementioned Conveyance.

Ordered that the rent of each house be provisionally fixed at 2/9 per week, rates and taxes to be paid by the tenant. This rent to be subject to revision on the completion of the Housing Scheme.

Councillors James Gibbons, Philip Farrell and David McDevitt were appointed a Committee to fix site for Public Lamp at Rosemount taken down in consequence of the erection of working class Leasing Houses.

A Deputation consisting of Rev J. B. Michael and Mr P. Coye of Kilmacrenan waited on the Council in reference to the proposed water supply to the village of Kilmacrenan with the object of getting the Council to alter on which it was agreed to give the supply for the village viz 2 per 1000 gallons.

The Council having heard the matter urged by the deputation unanimously agreed to dispense with the meter and instead thereof to let the village have a supply through a lead or iron pipe from the Long Salt main for the fixed sum of £10 per annum; provided the Engineer for the scheme be J. J. Bambert or J. B. F. reports that this arrangement is a feasible one.

Next Monthly Meeting of the Council to be held on Monday the 4<sup>th</sup> day of November 1912

J. Farrell Chairman

Philip Farrell  
James Gibbons

Letter Kinniff Urban District Council.

N<sup>o</sup> of Members on the Council 9

N<sup>o</sup> of Members present 5

Minutes of proceedings at meeting held on Monday the 4<sup>th</sup> day of November 1912.

In the Chair Philip Farrell Esq.

Other Members present:-

Messrs Patrick Doherty Esq.

Robert McElwaine

James Gibbons

John Wood

The Minutes of last Monthly and Quarterly meetings were read, and signed.

On the Report and Recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills were ordered to be paid.

General Account.

N <sup>o</sup>	Name	Price	Amount	Paid
111	John McElean	Refund in coverable Rates	39 10 7	
112	John Larkin	Sub of payments	24 9 10	
113	James McElroy	Housework	4 11 6	
114	Thomas Sweeney	Rent Dumping Grounds	4 0 0	
115	John McElean	Rates	4 10	
	Total		72 16 9	

Loans Account

116	James Johnston	on contract 3 <sup>rd</sup> week	216 0 0
117	John Horay	Law Costs	3 12 8
	Total		219 12 8