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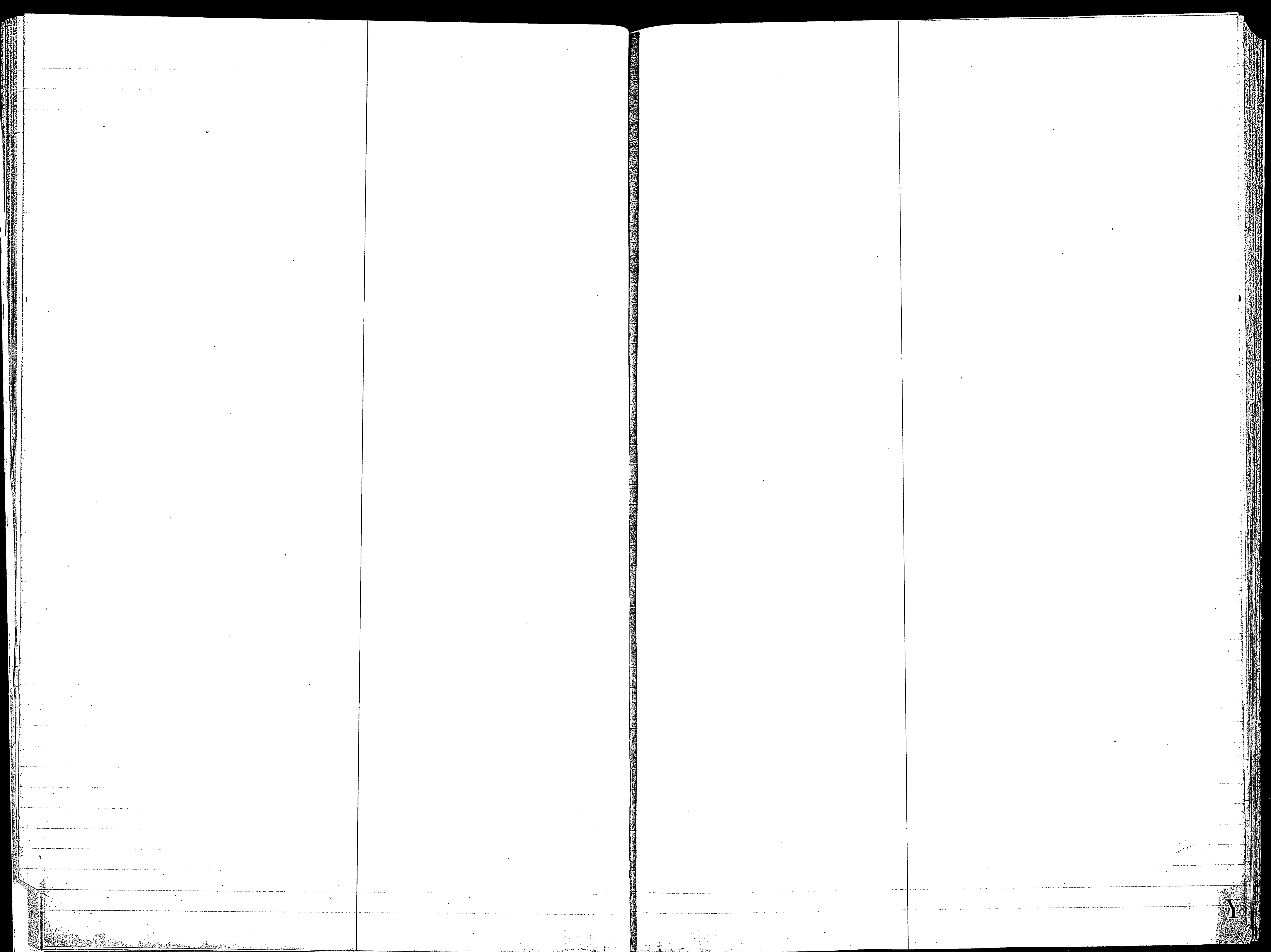
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A Half Yearly Meeting of the Donegal County Council was held on the 16th December 1913

Attendance

The members present were: Councillors William Falcough (Chairman), Carraghan, Cassidy, Burke, Bellamy, Davidson, Flood, Edward Falcough, Thomas Finlay, Hanna, Loney, Magee, McArthur, Mr. Donnelly, Mr. Fadden, Mr. Kelly, O'Donnell (Augh) O'Donnell (S.A.) and Mrs. Quigley.

Minutes

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed
Water Supply for Ballybofey and Otravolar
A Sealed Order, dated 19th Nov. 13, No. 57,920, from the Local Government Board, determining area of charge in connection with a supply of water for Ballybofey and Otravolar, was read.

Limit of expenditure on Roads

a letter, dated 24th Nov. 13, No. 56183. 1913 miscellaneous, from the Local Govt. Board, stating for the information of the Council, that inquiries have been addressed to them as to whether grants made by the Road Board to local Bodies in Ireland should be taken into acc. in determining the limit of expenditure on roads under Section 27 (2) of the Local Government (Ireland) Act 1898, and the Local Govt. Board desire to state that they have taken legal advice in the matter, and they consider that any expenditure out of the Rates should be taken into account for the purpose of calculating the limit of expenditure under the sub-section above referred to, was read.

a Copy of a Sealed Order, dated 20th Nov. 13, No. 61,160, from the Local Government Board, approving of the adoption of the Towns Improvement (Ireland) Act 1904 in Bundoran, also copy of an Order, dated 7th Oct. 13, No. 50,723 of the Local Government Board, approving of the boundaries of the town of Bundoran, were read.

Appointment of Returning Officer

On the motion of Councillor Thomas Finlay, seconded by Councillor P. H. O'Donnell, Mr. Edward Day, of K. was appointed Returning Officer

minutes signed by Mr. Wilson and Co. Reviewers &c. 1. 14.

in connection with the Election of Commissioners for the town of Bundoran.

Local Government Elections 1914.

a letter, dated 3rd Dec. 1913, No. 132 No. 1913 miscellaneous, from the Local Government Board with reference to the approaching elections of County and Rural District Councillors in 1914, having been read.

It was unanimously resolved on the motion of Councillor Wm. Falcough, seconded by Councillor Mr. Arthur that Mr. Bernard Mc. Fadden be appointed Returning Officer and Wednesday 27th May 1914, was fixed as the day of Election.

Overdue Accounts

a letter, dated 4th Dec. 13, No. 133. No. 1913 - miscellaneous, from the Local Govt. Board, advising to their Circular letters of the 19th Feb. 03 and the 2nd May 05 on the subject of Overdue accounts, and again calling attention to the time within which the payment of every debt, claim, or demand which is directly or indirectly payable out of the Rates must be made, having regard to the Statutory requirements of Section 51 (1) of the Local Government (Ireland) Act 1898, as amended by Section 4 of the Local Govt. (Ireland) Act 1902, was read.

Bunrana Urban Sanitary District

a Copy Sealed Provisional Order, dated 2nd Dec. 13, No. 63,546, of the Local Govt. Board, constituting the town of Bunrana an Urban Sanitary District, was read.

Food and Drugs Act

a letter, dated 20th Nov. 13, No. 9, 4007-13, from the Department of Agriculture &c, re samples taken in Co. Donegal by an Officer of the Department under Food and Drugs Act, was read.

a letter from Mr. Tho. O'Connell, Del. Ballyshannon, sub-sheriff of the Trustees of the late Mr. Robt. Dwaney, J.P. Rockville, Ballyshannon, re instituting legal proceedings against the Co. Council for that their Contractor collected a quantity of Road Scrapings and nuisances, and dumped same against Rockville Wall, and persisted in doing so after repeated warnings of the agent, having been read, the County Surveyor was directed not to permit road Scrapings in future to be placed against walls within the municipal boundary of the town of Ballyshannon.

Local Govt. Board written to 11. 12. 13.

sent thro. O'Connell to Mr. O'Connell 16. 12. 13.

Condition of a County Road

a letter from Captain W. H. Barton, the Waterfoot, Pettigo, directing the attention of the Co. Council to the condition of the main road between Pettigo and Letter bridge in Co. Donegal, having been read, the Secretary was directed to state in reply that the Co. Council have placed this road in charge of the County Surveyor re Missing Rings for Buncrana Pier

a letter, dated 26th Nov. 1913, from the Department of Agriculture & stating for the information of the Donegal Co. Council, that the Department understands that certain mooring rings ordered by them from Craig Engineering Works, Ltd. Londonderry, are now lying on the Quay at Buncrana.

These rings were ordered to replace some which were broken and to provide additional rings. As the Works at Buncrana have now been taken over by the Council and the accounts between the Department & the Council have been closed, it is presumed that the latter will make arrangements they see fit for the fixing of the rings, having been read, Mr. Stedman, Co. Surveyor, was directed to have the missing rings placed in position on the Pier

Proposed Increase of Railway Rates & Charges

a letter from the Secretary Henry Co. Council, stating that he has been directed by that body to ascertain whether the Donegal Co. Council would be prepared to co-operate with them in their opposition to the proposed increase of through Railway Rates, ^{having been read} the Secretary was directed to reply in the affirmative -

Royal Ulster Agricultural Society

a letter from the Secretary above Society requesting the Donegal Co. Council to nominate two members of their Body to act on the Council of said Society for the ensuing year, having been read, Cumilleora Gallagher and Mr. Perrett were nominated

Bank Books

The Bank Books in connection with County ap. were submitted, and signed by the Chairman

Treasurer's advice Notes

Treasurer's advice notes (General ap.) numbered from to (included) and dated 16th Dec. 1913 were submitted

by

Secretary Department of Agriculture written to 23. 12. 13

Secy. Co. Council written to 23. 12. 13

Secretary written to 23. 12. 13

by the Secretary and duly signed by the Presiding Chairman, and two members of the Council, Explosives act 1875

Removal of Licences under above act were granted to No. 134 and 135 messrs M. M. Donoghue & Coy, based on 9th, No. 123, Sarah Beatty, Rosneath.

Permission to lay a Sewer Pipe

an application by Mr. John D. Hess, Buncrana, for Chas. A. Rawney, General merchant, Buncrana, for permission to lay 12 feet of 6" iron sewer pipe in the Water Trench at Buncrana, from Estate Office Corner to Water Frating 12 feet therefrom said Trench on the right hand side of the main Street, having been considered, permission was granted subject to the approval of Mr. O'Sullivan Co. Surveyor

Contract No. 215, Letterkenny, R. D.

a letter from messrs Edward M. Hadden & Coy, Solicitors, main St. Letterkenny, stating that they have been instructed by Mr. James M. Flynn, Esq., to apply to the Co. Council to be relieved of a contract which he has taken for repair of a road No. 215, Letterkenny Rural District. The reason he wishes to be relieved of the contract is that he has only been recently discharged from the Hospital after having a severe attack of pneumonia, and is not able physically to work the road. Besides, his only horse with which he had to work died the other day, having been used it was unanimously decided not to cause said contract

Contract No. 183, Cherry R. D.

an application by Mr. Neil M. Daid, Rathfriland, Ballymolee, to be relieved of contract No. 183, Letterkenny Rural District, on the ground that he has been offered a good prospect of livelihood if he emigrates, having been considered it was decided not to accede to the applicant's request.

re the main Road

The consideration of a Notice of motion by Councillor Cole, re the main road, was in his absence, and at his request adjourned, as was also a Resolution by Donegal R. D. Council on the subject.

County advertisement

In accordance with Notice of motion duly given and signed

Mr. Hess written to 23. 12. 13

Mr. E. M. Hadden & Coy written to 23. 12. 13

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Spined by 6 members. Councillor Cassidy moved that the resolution on the books regarding the newspapers in which the Council's advertisements are to appear be rescinded and that the name of the Donegal Indicator be added to the list of newspapers entitled to receive the advertisements - Councillor Flood seconded Councillor Coakham and Mr. Forman supported the motion. Councillor Hanna proposed as an amendment that said resolution be not rescinded. Councillor George O'Connell a vote was then taken

For the motion - Councillors Coakham, Cassidy, Coakham, Flood, Edward, Faragher, Mr. Forman, Magee, Mr. Fadden, P. H. O'Donnell and Dringery - 10.

against - Councillors Mr. Faragher, Clarke, Davidson, Hanna, Lowry, Mr. Arthur, Mc. Neil, and N. O'Donnell - 7.

The Chairman declared motion carried and amendment lost. Proposals for Payment.

The Proposals for Payment, as reported on by the Finance Committee, in respect of half year ended 30th Sept. 1913, were without modification ordered to be paid.

In this connection a letter from Messrs Riplett and Ramage, Solicitors, Ballyvaughan on behalf of James Rosny of Tubber, Castlegarden, with regard to the payment in full of a road Contract No. 250, Ballyvaughan R. D. was read.

re Collection of Motor Car Licence Duties
 a Circular letter, dated 21st Nov. 13, from the Local Govt. Board on the subject of the Collection of Motor Car Licence Duties under the Finance (1909-10) Act 1910, and enclosing a further copy of the memorandum prepared by the L.G.B. Board in Nov. 1911, which contains a summary of the statutory provisions and the procedure in relation to these duties having been read, the Secretary was directed to have a notice inserted in local papers to the effect that the Donegal Co. Council will take proceedings forthwith against owners of motor cars and motor cycles who have registered in the County and who shall not have paid the duty thereon under said act, on or before 31st inst.

more copies and returns to be made to 29. 12. 13

advertisements inserted.

Domestic Treatment of Tuberculosis

a letter, dated 26th Nov. 1913 from the L.G. Board on the subject of Domestic treatment of Tuberculosis, having been read, the matter was referred to the Medical Tuberculosis Officer with a view to his carrying into effect the instructions therein contained.

re Correction of Charta

a Circular, dated Dec. 13, from the Board of Trade (Harbour Department) on the subject of the Correction of Charta of all changes which affect navigation, whether arising from natural causes or from the construction of Harbour Works was read.

Petty Sessions House in Newcastle

A Notice to Quit, dated 1st Dec. 1913, received from Catherine Baird, owner of the house and premises known as the Petty Sessions Court House, Market Square, Newcastle, said premises to be delivered up on the 14th July 1914, having been read, Mr. O'Sullivan, County Surveyor was directed to make enquiry in the town of Newcastle with a view to the purchase of premises suitable for petty sessions business.

Irish Education Act 1872

a letter, dated 5th Dec. 1913 from the Office of National Education, relative to the application by the Donegal County Council of the Compulsory attendance clauses of the Irish Education Act 1892, to the Chancellor G. D. and enclosing two copies of sample regulations which may be adopted by any local authority, having been read, the regulations were unanimously adopted and signed by the Chairman.

Fire Insurance - County Buildings

a letter from the General Manager and Secretary to the National Fire and General Insurance Coy. Ltd. making application for a transfer of the Fire Insurance under the control of the Donegal Co. Council, which they are prepared to accept at the same rates of premium as the Council pay at present, having been read, Councillor Coakham proposed that the Fire Insurance of the Donegal Co. Council be transferred to said Company at the same rates of premium as the Council pay at present. Councillor Coakham seconded, and the matter was unanimously agreed to.

Copy Regulations as adopted sent to Chairman of Education 8. 12. 13

re Breaking Road Material on Side of Roads
 a letter from Mr. John D. Weir, Chm. Tynstown, Ballinacraig,
 reaction of certain road Contractors in proposing
 to bring the Co. Council's Ombudsman to break
 down on the side of certain roads, having been
 roads, and having heard Mr. John D. Weir - who was present.
 the matter was referred to Mr. Stedman, Co. Surveyor,
 for his attention.

Reports of Co. Surveyor re Road Contractors

The County Surveyor reported a number of Contractors whom
 whom they were desirous of putting into operation 11-
 5th Dec. of the 6th and 7th Dec. 1906. When the Council
 directed them to proceed therewith. They also reported
 a number of Contractors whom they were desirous
 of prosecuting, at Quarter Sessions when the Council
 directed them to proceed therewith, particulars in each
 case to be furnished to the Solicitor to the Council.

Lighting Town of Bundoran.

Copy of an order of the Local Prot. Board, dated 26th
 day of February 1906, directing the District Council with
 Urban Surveyor for lighting and determining area of charge
 Bundoran. 1906-1906.

Loan of £10,000 - Buncrana Pier Extension

a resolution passed by Dunshannon P.D. Council
 emphatically objecting to the Contracting of a Loan of
 £10,000, or any other sum, for the improvement or
 extension of Buncrana Pier and to mortgaging County
 Rates and Revenue for the promotion of projects
 of the kind likely to result in losses for which
 the County rates shall be responsible, was read.

Dougal Co. Council v Roberts

a copy of a resolution of Berry vs. R.D. Council
 requesting the Dougal Co. Council to withdraw the
 proceedings against Mr. Roberts, owner of the Motor Bus
 on the Moville Road, was read, and no action taken

County accounts

The Secretary submitted tenders from the various
 Banking Companies ^{having branches} in Co. Dougal - in pursuance of
 a resolution passed by the Co. Council on the 25th
 day of Nov. 1913 - for the County a/c. After some
 discussion it was resolved on the motion of Councillor
 William Freaght, seconded by Councillor O'Connell, that

the Mermaid Bank (Lettinstown Branch) be continued as
 Treasurer of the County until 1st January 1915, and that
 immediately prior to that date the Secretary invite
 tenders for the Co. a/c. from the Head office of all
 Banks having branches in Co. Dougal.

Proposals for Works

The List of Proposals for Works formulated by the
 Various R.D. Councils and Proposal Committee
 was then considered.

Proposal Committee

all the Proposals on List were approved.

Rural District Council

Ballyshannon.

No action was taken regarding Nos. 5, 6, and 21. No. 35 was
 rejected. Remaining Proposals on List were approved.

Dougal.

Before proceeding with the List of Proposals for
 Dougal Rural District a memorial to Dougal Co. Council
 from the Ratepayers of Pettigo Parish regarding the
 condition of the roads in the parish, having been read
 and Councillor Flood having drawn the Council's
 attention to the fact that no person could be
 got to put in a tender for the repair of these roads
 and as a remedy he suggested that said roads
 be repaired by direct labour, the Council decided to
 place the roads in question in charge of the County
 Surveyor.

No action was taken regarding Nos. 150, 151, 190, 201,
 203, ~~204~~, 212, 221, 227, 257. Nos. ²⁰⁴ 220 and 249 were rejected. Nos. 154,
 155, 156, 167, 169, 170, 174, 178, were placed in charge of the
 County Surveyor for 12 months. Nos. 190, 191, 192, 195, 199, 200,
 209, 211, were similarly dealt with for a period of 6 months.
 Nos. 240, 260, were also placed in the charge of the Co. Surveyor.
 Remaining Proposals on List were approved.

Dunfanaghy.

No action was taken regarding No. 549. No. 39 was placed
 in charge of the Co. Surveyor for 12 months, Nos. 25, 26, 27,
 31, 32, 34, 36, were similarly dealt with for a period of
 3 months. Remaining proposals on list were approved.

Glenties.

a report of Mr. John Caffrey, County Surveyor, on the
 financial condition of Glenties Rural District and

Stating inter alia that his estimate for the ensuing financial year amounted to £5065.10.0, making an excess of £1182.3.0 over the legal annual limit of road expenditure. His sum would just be sufficient to meet the requirements of continuing contracts making no allowance for sudden damage or any contingencies. The District Council in adopting his report decided not to increase the legal limit of expenditure, this decision will result in 90 roads becoming derelict and no money will be available for sudden damage or works of any kind, having been used, the C.C. Council decided they could take no action, & that it would be a matter for the H. R. Council to apply through the C.C. Council for an increase in the limit of expenditure on roads.

No action was taken regarding Nos. 445, 448, 447, 454, 492, 500, 505, 524, Nos. 339, 356, 362, 367, 380, 387, 389, 420, 450, 493, 495, 499, 501, were placed in charge of the County Surveyor for 12 months. Nos. 323, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 369, 406, 407, 423, 437, 443, 454, 459, 465, 471, 476, 502, 516, were similarly dealt with for a period of 6 months. No. 513 was rejected. Remaining Proposals on list were approved.

Greenhouse

No action was taken regarding Nos. 508, 513, 519, 522, 566, 567, 573, 579, 580, 581, 587, 910, 913, 915, 916, 919, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 932, 934, 935, 941, 952, 986, 995, 998, 1003, 1013, 1020, Nos. 806, 807, 815, 820, 821, 831, 838, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 853, 854, 855, 857, 858, 859, 860, 862, 863, 865, 869, 870, 874, 875, 878, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 911, were placed in charge of the County Surveyor for 3 months. No. 938 was similarly dealt with for a period of 12 months. Nos. 945, 948, 956, 964, 966, 984, 993, 994, 996, 997, 999, 1000, 1001, 1002, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1012, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1021, and 1022 were rejected owing to lack of funds. Remaining proposals on list were approved.

Littlehampton

No action was taken regarding Nos. 237, 240, 242, 272, 277, 278, 992, and 995. Nos. 243, 245, 246, 252, 255, 257, 259, 260, were placed in charge of the County Surveyor for 3 months. No. 250 was similarly dealt with for a period of 12 months. No. 995 was also placed in charge of the County Surveyor. Remaining proposals on list were approved. It was decided to break Contract No. 235, April 1914.

No operate from 1st April 1914.
Lambourne No. 2

No action was taken regarding Nos. 916, 927, 931, 941, 888, 889, 890, 891, 894, 895, 896, 897, 900, 901, 902, 906, 913, 914, 917, 919, 924, 932, 936, 939 were placed in charge of the County Surveyor for 3 months. No. 903 was similarly dealt with for a period of 6 months. Remaining proposals on list were approved. Before approving of proposals Nos. 928 and 943, it was decided to break the former Contract No. 575 April 1911 and No. 504 Oct. 1912, to operate from 1st April 1914. It was also decided to break Contract No. 405 April 1910, and No. 503 Oct. 1912, to take effect from 1st April and 1st July 1914, respectively.

Welford

No action was taken regarding Nos. 407, 410, 4107, 4112, 4120, 4122, 4122 A, 4125, 4131, 4145, 4146, 4153, 4154, and 4159, Nos. 4082, 4093, 4097, 4116, were placed in charge of the County Surveyor for 3 months. Nos. 4129, 4132, 4135, 4157, 4158, were also placed in charge of the County Surveyor. Nos. 4137, and 4176 were rejected. Remaining Proposals on List were approved.

Stratton No. 2

No action was taken regarding Nos. 801, 806, 810, 824, Nos. 811, and 836 B, were placed in charge of the County Surveyor for 12 months. Nos. 827, 832, 833, and 834 were similarly dealt with for a period of 3 months. Remaining Proposals on list were approved. Before approving of Nos. 820 and 825, it was decided to cancel the previous Contract No. 572 July 1911, and No. 593 Dec. 1911, to take effect from 1st April 1914.

Strawford

No action was taken regarding Nos. 337, 338, 339, 340, 353, 354, 355, 358, 359, 361, 365, 371, 389, Nos. 346, 349, 352, 356, 366 and 368, were placed in charge of the County Surveyor for 3 months. Nos. 391, and 397 were rejected. Remaining proposals on list were approved.

Sealing of Roads

It was resolved that the Seal of the C.C. Council be affixed to all Roads in connection with proposals approved of at this meeting.

Deamont Sanatorium

The consideration of a draft agreement in connection with Deamont Sanatorium, and copy case to Council by the Secy to the Council; also opinion of Council was adjourned.

re Sib for Tuberculosis Central Dispensary
Dr. Regan, medical Tuberculosis Officer reported that he inspected the proposed site for Tuberculosis Central Dispensary, outside of Letterkenny. He interviewed the owner of the plot and ascertained that he would be willing to sell it to the Co. Council, but did not state the terms. Dr. Regan was requested to again see the owner of the proposed site and get him to state the lowest price he would be disposed to sell it to the Council.

Councillor William Faragher suggested that perhaps portion of the land attached to asylum Letterkenny, could be purchased as a site for the Tuberculosis Central Dispensary. On the motion of Councillor Hann, seconded by Councillor ^{Mr. Dermott} the Secretary was directed to ask the asylum Committee to consider the question at their next meeting and if they have no objection the Road Plot toward and Quarry Commission could be written to on the subject.

Committee of management Quarry asylum within 15

Confirmed,
James Dermott, Chairman
13th January 1914

Road Committee

a meeting of the above Committee was held at the Court House Letterkenny on the 16th day of December 1913.

Attendance

The members present were:

Honors James Clarke, J.P., Edward Faragher, J.P., Mr J. Hann, J.P. and Joseph McArthur J.P.

Mr. Hann was moved to the Chair.
re Purchase of Stone Breakers
On the recommendation of Mr. Stedman C. Surveyor it was resolved on the motion of Mr. Edward Faragher seconded by Mr. James Clarke, that one Stone Breaker, one Traction Engine, and a Van, be purchased for use in the northern Division of the County.

It was also resolved that one Stone Breaker, one Traction Engine and a Van, be purchased for use in the Southern Division of the County.

re Purchase of a Quarry

The County Surveyor for the Northern Division of the County having recommended the purchase of a quarry, it was resolved on the motion of Mr. Clarke, seconded by Mr. McArthur that the Quarry be purchased, that the position of the quarry be left in the hands of the Co. Surveyor and that he make enquiries with a view to the selection of a suitable one and report to the Co. Council in due course.

Dougal C. Hann & Thomas Robert
Garage Joyce St Derry.

Mr. Stedman C. Surveyor suggested to the Committee to investigate the case pending against Messrs Robert, Faragher, Joyce & Berry. Mr. Stedman stated that the Secy acting for Mr. Robert had been speaking to him and made some proposals regarding the case pending against him. The Committee decided to ask Mr. Stedman to request Mr. Robert's Secy to put any proposal he might wish to make and submit same to the Secy to the County Council in whose hands the case has been placed by that Body.

Methods of Working re Stone Breakers & Rollers.

The Committee decided to leave the question of the method of working re Stone Breakers and Rollers in Mr. Stedman's hands.

Confirmed
James Hann, Chairman
24th 2. 14

adopted by Co. Council
James Hann, Chairman
13th January 1914

Copy Minutes and a Special Meeting of the County Council was held on the 13th day of January 1914.

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Co. Surveyors,
Mr. Wickham,
L.P. Board
& Dr. Regan
5/2/14

Mr. Wickham attended

Attendance

The members present were:
Councillors James Dunlevy (Chairman), Wm. Feagha, Boyle, Callaghan, Clarke, Roberts, Edward Feagha, Kenna, Magee, Mr. Deane to High Council, and J. H. & Danielle.
Dr. Regan was also in attendance.

Minutes

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed
Reports of Committees

Report of Finance Committee - meeting held 14th Decr 1913, was adopted.
Report of Roads Committee - " " " " " "

Foods and Drugs act

The County Analyst's Report under Foods and Drugs act - Quarks ended 31.12.13, was read.

Explosives act 1875.

Renewal of Licenses under above act were renewed
14. John Dwaney & Son, 22 W. & Baird, 23 Messrs Guehr, Bros,
65. H. H. & J. A. Aiken, 70 Catherine Baird, 70 James O'Roberts,
93. W. J. Macmillan, 99 Patrick Callaghan, 101 James P. Mc Donnell,
No. 126, J. Brown & Coy, 128. James A. Johnston, No. 106, Daisy Lingley,
No. 25. Orona Brienne - James Wood. - 26 James Elliott, 132 P. H. O'Donnell
No. 14 William Kewen, Dundreg, 16 Anne Lingley, 17 James L. Brown.

Licenses and Pharmacy act.

Renewal of a License No. 5 under the Licenses and Pharmacy act was granted to Mr. H. H. Aiken Petigo.

Certificate to Store Carbide of Calcium

a Certificate to Store Carbide of Calcium was granted to Mr. Charles L. Bott, Rathmullen House, Rathmullen, as was also a Certificate to Mr. Patrick Callaghan - merchant Rathmullen -

Tuberculosis - Maintenance Grants

The consideration of a Circular Letter from the L. S. Board dated 5th Decr 1913 on the Subject of Tuberculosis - Maintenance Grants was adjourned.

Importation (Raw Tongue) (Ireland) Amendment Order of 1913

an Order dated 10th Decr 1913, of the Department of Agriculture, &c. and also as the Importation (Raw Tongue) (Ireland) amendment Order of 1913, was read,

a Circular letter dated 13th Decr 1913, from Dublin Castle, on the Subject of the precautions necessary in the manufacture, storage and use of Celluloid and Celluloid articles, was read.

Qualifications of Collectors of Poor Rates

a Copy of an Order, dated 5th Decr 1913, which the Local Government Boards have made amending the Public Bodies Order 1906 with regards to the qualifications for appointment as Collectors of Poor Rates in Ireland, was read
Lights at head of Puncrana Pier

a letter, dated 15th Decr 1913, from the Department of Agriculture, &c, stating for the information of the Douglough County Council that the Harbour Works at Puncrana has reported to them as follows:

"Regarding the lights at head of Quay. If these lamps are not put out during the Winter Fishing the drifters will damage the extension having been used. The Secretary was directed to write the Puncrana Electric Supply Coy with a view to ascertaining what their terms would be for lighting the lamps in question

Medical Superintendent of the Central Tuberculosis Dispensary.

a letter, dated 16th December 1913, from the L. S. Board, advising to their letter of the 18th Inst, and stating that they have extended, for a further period of 6 months their provisional approval to the appointment of Dr. Edwards Regan, as Medical Superintendent of the Central Tuberculosis Dispensary, to be provided by the Douglough County Council, was read

St. Patrick's Certified Insular Reformatory at Waterford

a Circular letter, dated 22nd Decr 1913 from Dublin Castle to the effect that from and after the 1st Apr 1914 St. Patrick's Certified Insular Reformatory at Waterford will no longer be open for the reception of Insular Males, the Managers having surrendered their Certificate as from that date, was read.

Administration of the Diseases of Animals Act and Order

a letter, dated 24th Decr 1913, from the Department of Agriculture, &c, on the Subject of the administration of the Diseases of Animals Act and Order

Copy letter filed to Veterinary Department 5.2.14

having been read, the matters therein referred to were agreed to, and the Secretary was directed to Communicate with the Temporary Inspectors appointed by the Co. Council on the Subject.

Collection of Motor License Duties

letter, dated 31st Dec 1913, from the Road Board relative to the Collection of motor License Duties, having been read, the Secretary stated that he had an advertisement inserted in the Local papers directing the attention of owners of motor Cars and motor cycles to the payment of these Duties, as in the event of some of the owners of motor Cars and Motor cycles who have registered in Co. Dúngal, not noticing the advertisement the Secretary was directed to have a circular printed and sent to each person having a motor Car or Motor Cycle registered in the Count.

Condition of a Road

letter, dated 2nd January 1914, from the Irish Light Officer Dublin drawing the Co. Council's attention to the fact that the road leading from the the Congested District Boards' gate above the gate at Arranmore, down to the Lake, and alongside of the Lake, is in a very bad and dangerous state of repair, and requesting that the County Council will have it properly repaired as soon as possible, &c. &c. having been read, the matter was referred to Mr. John Caffrey, County Surveyor, for his report.

Proposed Deep Water Pier at Burtanpost

a letter, dated 6th January 1914, from the Local Board requesting the furnished with Copies of plans, Specifications and Estimates in connection with the proposed deep Water Pier at Burtanpost having been read, the Secretary stated he wrote the office of Public Works on the Subject, to which he received a reply to the effect that one of their Officers is in the district making a survey and taking soundings and borings, and as soon as the plans &c. are available, Copies will be forwarded to the Co. Council.

re Damage to a Co Road

a Report, dated 30th Dec 1913 from Mr. John Caffrey County Surveyor, Dúngal, to the effect that the road from Ballybofey to Cloughan had been damaged by a

checked & signed Office minutes to 19/1/14

31.12.13
 under-written minutes to

C. J. D. D. written to
 19/1/14

Mr. Martin's written to
 19/1/14

appointments sent to Co. Surveyor 19/1/14

Thrashing machine - Owner Mr. Patrick Anderson, Castleferri, the cost to repair the damage is £3, and the owner of the machine is responsible for the amount, having been read, the Secretary stated that on receipt of the Report he wrote Mr. Anderson for payment of the amount of the damage (£3.)

Petty Sessions House at Killybegs

letter from the Clerk Petty Sessions Killybegs, stating that the Magistrates have directed him to call the attention of the County Council to the damp state of the Courtroom, due to the want of fire, which the Lord of the Manor is due to the refusal of the Council to supply him, or allow for coal which which he says is allowed to all other Courtrooms in the County: also stating that a new Press for the books, papers &c., is also required, having been read, the Council were of opinion that it was the duty of the owner of the premises to supply fire, and with regards to a press for books and papers &c. Mr. John Caffrey, Co. Surveyor, was directed to have one supplied at a cost not to exceed £1.

Permission to lay a Pipe

an application by Mr. Deas. Martin, J.D. Bruckles, for permission to put a privation water pipe along the roadside from his privation tank, and to the Cottage at the mill, and to cross the road there into the River - all for sanitary and domestic purposes, having been considered, permission was granted, Subject to the approval of Mr. John Caffrey, County Surveyor.

Food and Drugs Act

at the request of the County Surveyor R. D. P. Duggan, Serjt. Thomas Flanagan, Ussile, was appointed Inspector of Food and Drugs for Ussile Petty Sessions District. The Order of the Council was ordered to be affixed to the form of appointment.

Weights & Measures Act 1878 to 1904

at the request of the County Surveyor R. D. P. Duggan, it was proposed by Councillor Hanna, seconded by Councillor Dunlevy and unanimously resolved that we, the County Council of Dúngal, being the Local

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Copies of Resolutions sent to Co. Surveyor R. & S. 19/1/14

Local authority for the purposes of the Weights and Measures Act, 1878 to 1904, hereby Consent to the Ex-Officio Inspectors of Weights and Measures for the time being appointed in the Petty Sessions Districts of:
ardara Bunsraha Bunslog St. Cunningham
Killybegs Bunsfoot Letterkenny Stranoclar
Glenties Carradough Churchhill Rathmullan
Ballyshannon Drumfahony Merville Rameltan
Ballintra Paeracraugh Malin Belleford
Dowgal Dungess Raphoe Tannoy
Fetigo Arranmore Duffort

presenting before Courts of Summary Jurisdiction or Justice, any information, Complaint, or Proceeding arising under the Weights & Measures Act or in the discharge of their duties as such Inspectors

The Seal of the Council was ordered to be affixed to copies of resolutions to be sent to the County Surveyor.

Resignations of Members of Co. Dowgal Committee of appraisers

a letter from Mr. E. J. Roberts, Secretary Co. Dowgal Committee of appraisers enclosing letters received from Messrs John Scott, Killymount, Carradough, and John Mc. Cawley, Ballycovey, Newmill, Letterkenny, tendering their resignations as members of the Committee, was read.

Telegraph Poles

Letter from the Districtal Engineer, Post office Telegraphs Belfast stating

(1) that it is the intention of the Postmaster General to open or break up the footway at Carrick, County Dowgal, near the premises of Mr. Mary Anne Birmingham for the purpose of erecting a Pole to carry the Telegraph Wires into the above premises, and

(2) to open or break up the roadway at the new house Killybegs, for the purpose of shifting a pole which is at present opposite to the new entrance to the House, having been read, permission was granted Subject to the approval of Mr. John Caffrey, Co. Surveyor.

Kilduneedy Bridge

a letter from Mr. E. Mahony, Letterkenny, on the Subject of £1000 defered by Co. Surveyor on foot of a Contract

The Superintending Engineer Post office Telegraphs Belfast, written to 26/1/14

in connection with Kilduneedy Bridge, and threatening to take proceedings for its recovery if it is not paid at once, was read.

Building of a new pipe

a letter from Mr. Charles M. Purdie, Kesh, on the Subject of the building of a new pipe, and stating that as the water conveyed by the new pipe is now taken off his place in Ardara, yet the injunct done by it remains unrecompensed, having been read, the Co. Surveyor was directed to furnish the Council with a report.

Woods and Agricultural Seeds (Ireland) Act 1909

Copy of a resolution passed at the annual meeting of the Irish Seed and Nursery Traders Association on the Subject of above Act, was read, and no action taken.

Bunsfoot Petty Sessions

a Copy of a resolution passed by the Magistrates at the last sitting of the Court of Bunsfoot Petty Sessions recommending the Co. Council to increase the rent of Bunsfoot Petty Sessions House by a reasonable amount so as to allow the landlord to provide fuel for a Cozetaker; also a letter from Messrs D. & W. Donnell, Exchange Buildings, Derry, wishing to make an application for an increase of rent to £10 per annum of the Petty Sessions House at Bunsfoot, as the present rent (£6) is wholly inadequate to keep the premises order, pay taxes, pay Cozetaker, keep on fire, &c, having been read, it was resolved on the motion of Councillor Roberts, seconded by Councillor Howard, that the rent of said premises be increased to £8 per annum.

Alleged Injuries to a Horse & Car

a letter from Mr. Michael J. Rogers, Killybegs, in regard to a horse & car, alleged to have been caused through the bad condition of a Co-road at the end of Mevareen Rought, having been read, it was decided to deny all liability in the matter.

a Broken down Pipe

a letter from certain Ratepayers in Glenties Rural District regarding a broken down pipe on the road leading from Glenties to Ballinamore, via Craffy and

Mr. M. Purdie written to 19/1/14

Clark Petty Sessions Bunsraha, and J. Purdie written to 20/1/14

Mr. Michael Rogers written to 20/1/14

Attorney General
20/1/14

and Trevelagh, having been read, the County Surveyor reported that all the amount available for road maintenance, &c. was exhausted, the Secretary was directed to refer the Rate papers concerned to the R.D. Council

Condition of a County Road

a letter from the Rev. R. Knox, Meashdale, Ardara, drawing the attention of the Co. Council to the state of the road from Ardara to Longcross Point, having been read, the Secretary was directed to refer him to the R.D. Council

Condition of a County Road

a letter from Mr. O. McCloskey, Ballyglaban, Kicarr, enclosing a Petition of certain Rate payers in the Rural District, re Condition of the road from the bridge at Kicarr to where it joins the Co. road at Portabrown old School, having been read, the Secretary was directed to refer him to the R.D. Council re Proposed Loan of £300.

Copy of a resolution of Stranishel R.D. Council requesting the Co. Council to apply to the Local Govt. Board for their sanction to a loan of £300 for the purpose of reconstructing Glenmore, Abbott, and Breenagh bridges in Terra Conerda, &c. according to the plans and specifications of the Co. Surveyor. This sum of £300 with interest to be repaid in 10 years, at such rate number of years as may be allowed by the L.G. Board for the repayment of the loan, having been read, the Co. Surveyor stated that he estimated it would take £400 for reconstructing the bridges in question, consequently the Secretary was directed to inform the Clerk of the District Council to the effect that it would be necessary to have the matter brought again before that Body with a view to the whole estimated amount being embodied in their resolution re Dooish Quarry

Mr. Stodman County Surveyor reported that the best terms he could arrange with Mr. C. Dunnean owner of the land at Dooish containing a Quarry, are £500 for the plot he marked out with him. The County to fence the portion taken for Quarry. He (Mr. Stodman) recommended strongly that these terms be accepted and

Rev. R. Knox written to
20/1/14

Mr. O. McCloskey written to
20/1/14

Clark R. D. Council written to
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Reply to Co. Council written to
27/1/14

and that instructions be given to the Councils Solicitor to prepare the agreement, the (Mr. Stodman) to furnish him with map and particulars for doing.

The report was unanimously approved, on the motion of Councillor Dunlevy, seconded by Councillor Edward Foragher,

re Proposed Road Board Work.

Mr. John Gaffney, County Surveyor, Reported as follows
Gentlemen With regard to the reconstruction of the road in the South Division approved of at the last meeting of the Co. Council, I beg to draw the attention of the Council to the fact that it is essential that a uniform quality of metal be used in the surfacing of these roads. To achieve this end a Quarry will require to be purchased in some Central locality near the Railway. Adjacent to Dougal there are two Quarries, both of which contain an excellent quality of basalt. One of these the Railway passes through and there would be little difficulty in fitting in a Dredger. The other is some distance from the Line. I would respectfully suggest that one of these two Quarries be purchased and that a permanent Breaker, driven by an Oil engine, be installed.

This Quarry could be made the Centre for the distribution of a good quality of properly broken metal to Contractors in Dougal and parts of Ballyglaban and Stranishel Districts. I have received a quotation from the Dougal Railway Coy. to carry stone over their Lines at less than 7 pence per mile, and I am of opinion that the Company could be induced to carry it at 2 pence. By this means a uniform quality of good material could be supplied for the maintenance of the roads from Clady to Dougal, and from Ballyglaban to Killybegs at a somewhat similar price to what these roads are now costing, with the advantage of having a properly maintained surface.

In addition to a Breaker and Oil Engine the Council will require to purchase a 10 ton Roller in order that the Road Board work may be expeditiously carried out. The estimated cost of the whole of the plant is £7000 approximately.

Traffic Returns will require to be taken for seven consecutive days, so that it is necessary to employ

four men to take these returns on the respective roads
The time during which these are to be taken is from
6 A.M. to 10 P.M.

It was unanimously resolved on the motion of
Councillor Hanna, seconded by Councillor Dunlop that
Mr. Caffrey, Co. Downey, be authorised in conjunction with
the Chairman (Mr. Dunlop) to negotiate with the owners of
the Quarries mentioned in Mr. Caffrey's report, to ascertain
what terms they could be purchased. That Mr. Caffrey
be authorised to employ foremen for 7 days their
remuneration to be arranged by him and the County
Councillor for the division in which the ~~roads~~ ^{roads} are
situated and in respect of which the traffic over same is to be
noted.

Councillor William Farrell mentioned that a
Mr. Wicke of Cunninghamstown, had a good Quarry, he
(Councillor Farrell) in conjunction with Mr. Caffrey, Co. Downey,
were authorised to inspect the Quarry and interview
Mr. Wicke.

Councillor Hanna stated that Mr. Tom Fulton,
of Bogoy, Derry, had interviewed him regarding the
breaking of road metal and the supplying of same
to Road Contractors. He had a Quarry of his own and
therefore could supply the broken material at a
fair price. The Secretary was directed to communicate
with Mr. Fulton and request him to furnish the Council
with a quotation.

re Case Douglas Co. Council v Roberts

Mr. Roberts, Garage, Foyle St. Derry appeared before the
Council in reference to the action pending against him
for damage to the County road between Derry and
moville occasioned by excessive motor traffic. The Chairman
has stated that Mr. Roberts attended that day to make a
Statement and he was sure the Council would be prepared
to hear what he had to say. Inasmuch as there was an
action pending against Mr. Roberts, anything that would be
said by him or on behalf of the Co. Council would be
without prejudice. The Council having decided to hear Mr. Roberts
he made a lengthened Statement at the conclusion of
which the Chairman moved that having heard Mr. Roberts
he proposed that if the Submitter to the Co. Council in
the first instance a proposition before the 20th inst.
without prejudice to the pending action
as to what he is prepared to do in putting the
road

Councillor Farrell
& Mr. Caffrey
arranged
19/1/14

Mr. Fulton written
to
19/1/14

roads into such reasonable order as they were in before
the motor traffic went over them that the Council will
deal with him then as favourably as possible with
reference to the continuance of the traffic with
lighter machines, and that a small Committee consisting
of Councillors Wm Farrell, Edward Farrell, and William
Hanna, in conjunction with Mr. O'Badman, County
Downey, be appointed with Council powers to accept
or reject the proposals submitted by Mr. Roberts, said
Committee - if proposals received on 20th inst. to meet in
the office of the Secy. to the Co. Council on Tuesday
20th inst. at 12 O'Clock noon.

Councillor Gallagher seconded the motion, which was
unanimously agreed to.

Proposed Site for Central Tuberculosis Dispensary
In connection with the Council's proposal to take land
on the grounds of the Co. Bangor Asylum at L. St. Mary's
for a Central Tuberculosis Dispensary Councillor William
Farrell stated that the Asylum Committee of management
had agreed to give 10 acres and appointed Mr. William
Colburn J.P. to meet a member of the Co. Council to view
the land and arrange terms. On the motion of Councillor
Hanna, seconded by Councillor Madge it was decided to
appoint Councillor Wm Farrell to meet Mr. Wm Colburn
J.P. to settle the terms, the Council having unanimously
agreed to adopt the site as recommended, subject to
the approval of the Local Govt. Board.

It was resolved on the motion of
Councillor Hanna, seconded by Councillor Clarke
that the Local Govt. Board be asked to send their
responsible Officer to view the proposed site in
question with a view to the Board sanctioning it
and subsequently that the Landlord be applied to
for a Lease for 10 acres for 999 Years -

letter from the Local Govt. Board, dated 5th January
1914, referring to the Statement of expenditure incurred
by the Bangor Co. Council in respect of the treatment
of Tuberculosis during the period ended the 31st
March last and inquiring whether it is proposed
to apply to the Insurance Committee for a contribution
towards the salary of the Tuberculosis Officer
having

Councillor and Mr. Hanna were notified
to attend meeting 19/1/14

Local Board written to 14/1/14
Councillor Wm Farrell written to
20/1/14

Local Council
19/1/14

Local Board
written to
19/1/14

having been read, the Secretary was directed to request the Subscribers office to make out a statement showing what he would consider would be a reasonable amount for the Co. Council to apply for to the Insurance Committee.

Damage to a Co. Road between Ballylooney & Derrigal
a letter from Mr. Patrick McNamee, Colr. Barry, stating that Mr. Michael Curran of Barry has consorted him regarding the claims of the Naugre Co. Council in respect to road damage, &c. and on his behalf - but strictly without prejudice - he (Mr. McNamee) offers the sum of £50 in full settlement of these claims, having been read, it was decided to accept the sum of £50 in full discharge of the claim against Mr. Michael Curran, Building Contractor, Straub, Barry, for damages to the County road between Ballylooney and Derrigal.

Collection of Motor License Duties
Proposed by Councillor Dunlop, seconded by Councillor Hanna, and unanimously resolved, that Bernard M. Madden Esq. Secretary to the Co. Council be appointed as their Officer to Supervise the Collection of Motor License Duties under the Finance Act 1910 -

W. Callaghan, Chairman
14th February 1914

Copy minutes sent to the Co. Surveyors on the 21st day of February, 1914.
Mr. Wilson 14/2/14
and to each member of the Council 16/2/14

The Act to the Councils

A Quarterly Meeting of the County Council was held on the 21st day of February, 1914.
attendance

The members present were
Councillors William Faragher (Chairman), Callaghan, Clarke, Call, Davidson, Fess, Anthony Faragher, Edward Faragher, Foran (Hon), Hanna, Kelly, Dwyer, Magee, Meehan, M. Arthur, M. Barnett, M. Devitt, M. Kelly, O'Donnell, Kugel, and O'Sullivan, F. B.

A Doctor's Certificate to the effect that the Secretary was suffering from acute Rheumatism and unable to attend meeting was submitted. The Council expressed the hope that he would soon be restored to his usual health.
O'Donnell

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed
Reports of Committees

The Reports of the undermentioned Committees were adopted
Finance Working Committee held 13th January, and 5th Feb. 1914
Business of Meeting held 5th February 1914, amended.

Estimates for Year 1914-15

On the motion of Councillor Hanna seconded by Councillor Callaghan the Secretary's Estimates for the Service of the Finance Year ending 31st March 1915, as adopted by the Finance Committee at a meeting held on the 5th day of February 1914, were (without amendments) unanimously confirmed, and it was resolved to strike rates for "General Charges" and "Separate Charges" for the said Finance Year, in accordance with the figures contained in Form 45 and Form 46 - Public Bodies Order 1904

The Council also determined the amount to be demanded from Burrenna and Lattinany Urban District Councils

Proposals for Payment

The Proposals for Payment, as reported on by the Finance Committee in respect of Quarters ended 31st December 1913, were (without modifications) ordered to be paid.

Proposals for Works

The Proposals for Works formulated by the Proposal Committee were approved.

Treasurer's Advice Notes

Treasurer's advice notes for making payments out of the Finance County Funds ap. and numbered from to (inclusive), and dated 24th February 1914. were duly signed

State of a road in Arranmore

a letter from the Irish Rights Office, relative to the condition of the road leading from the C.D. Board site above the Dale at Arranmore down to the Dale, and alongside of Dale; also a report of Mr. Coffrey Co. Surveyor to the effect that the road referred to is not a County road at all. The Co. road ends 12 perches beyond the Congested Districts Board site and this portion of the road is in contact and in a good condition. The remainder of the road, however, is in very bad order and he understands was repaired by the Irish Rights Board many years ago. Nothing has been done to maintain this road for a number of years back, having been read. The key was directed to send a copy of the Co. Surveyor's report to the Irish Rights Office

Limit of Road Expenditure Ballyphannon R. D.

a sealed order, dated 19th January 1914. from the L.F. Board consenting to an extension of the limit of expenditure to £2250. in respect of the financial year ending 31st March 1914. was read.

Repetitions for the Control of Dogs

a letter, dated 8th January 1914. from the Department of Agriculture, &c. returning a copy of the proposed repetitions for the control of dogs in County Downgal between Anaret and Annis signed and sealed, was read.

Ballymacahill Bridge

a letter, dated 15th January 1914. from the C.D. Board, enclosing copy of a letter which they have addressed to Mr. John Coffrey, Co. Surveyor, to the effect that a draft for £79.0.0 in favor of James McGuire, being third and final payment of their grant toward the Ballymacahill road has been enclosed and requesting Mr. Coffrey to hand same to the contractor, was read.

Meenagigue Bridge

a letter, dated 15th January 1914. from the C.D. Board, enclosing copy of a letter which they have addressed to Mr. John Coffrey, Co. Surveyor, enclosing a draft for

£150

Secretary James Byrne Office
10/12/14

£150 in favor of Mr. Council Boyle, being third and final instalment of their grant toward cost of Meenagigue Road, and requesting Mr. Coffrey to hand the draft to the contractor, was also read.
Condition of certain Road in Glenties R. D.

a letter, dated 19th January 1914. from the L.F. Board enclosing copy of a letter which had been received from certain Ratepayers in Glenties R. D. relative to the condition of certain road in the District and requesting that the Co. Surveyor may be asked to furnish the Board with a report on the matter having been read, the Secretary stated that he received the report from Mr. Coffrey Co. Surveyor which he transmitted to the L.F. Board on 17th February 1914.

Supply of Water at Killybegs

a sealed order, 23rd January 1914. of the L.F. Board determining area of charge in connection with above water supply, was read.

Limit of expenditure on Road in Glenties R. D.

a letter, dated 9th February 1914. from the L.F. Board relative to the limit of expenditure on roads in the Glenties Rural District, requesting that the Co. Surveyor furnish an explanation with regards to the item in his estimate for the financial year ending 31st March 1915, dated April 1914. money available £1096.17.0, and also a statement of the reasons on account of which his estimate now considerably exceeds the limit of expenditure, having been read, the Secretary stated that he received the report asked for from Mr. Coffrey Co. Surveyor which he forwarded to the Local Govt. Board on 17th Feb 14.

Foot and Mouth Disease

a letter, dated 1st February 1914. from the Department of Agriculture, &c. desiring to bring specially to the notice of local authorities under the Diseases of animals act the fact that Foot and Mouth Disease has appeared again in Ireland, an outbreak having been confirmed at Naas, County Kildare, on 30th January 1914. and another on 1st Feb 1914. at Ballysodan in the Slane County, and trusting that all local authorities will instruct their inspectors to exercise special vigilance, and to impress on stockowners throughout their districts the importance of

of Live Watchfulness, so as to secure that there shall be no avoidable delay in recognizing any additional cases of the disease. Should such unhappily occur at other places and reporting them forthwith as the law requires, having been read the Secretary stated that he transmitted a copy of the letter to each of the Councils Veterinary Inspectors on 5th Feb, 1914.

Examination of Assistant Surveyors

22 a Circular, dated 28th January 1914, from the Local Board to the effect that an Examination of candidates for qualification as assistant Surveyors in Ireland, will be held under the direction of the Board at the Custom House Dublin, at 10 o'clock on Wednesday and Thursday the 4th and 5th March 1914, was read.

Superannuation of Officers

23 a Circular letter, dated 2nd February 1914, from the L.P. Board on above subject, was read.

28 Letter from Mr. Charles M. Devitte, Kierin, Co. Down, drawing the Council's attention to injuries caused through the water flowing from a new pipe, also a report from Mr. John Caffrey, Co. Surveyor to the effect that no injury whatever has been caused to the premises of Mr. Charles M. Devitte, Kierin, by surface water from the road. Water has always flowed from the drain on the side of the road near the house into the drain which passes through the foundations of these premises, and as this drain empties on marshy land away from the house no injury whatever could be caused by it to these premises; also that this house and grounds are in a state of complete dilapidation due to long neglect on the part of those responsible for their proper upkeep. Having been read, it was decided to take no action in the matter.

Chas M. Devitte writes to L.P. Bd. 4. 3. 14.

Application sent to L.P. Board 24/3/14

Loan of £400.

a Copy of a Resolution of Stranorlar R.D. Council requesting the County Council to apply to the Local Government Board for their sanction to a loan of £400. to reconstruct Gleemore, or both, and Breengh Bridges in Ferro Concrete, &c. in accordance with the County Surveyors Office Specification, said loan with interest to be repaid within a period of 10 years, or such greater number of years as may be allowed by the Local Govt. Board for the repayment of said loan, having been read, it was unanimously resolved on the motion of Councillor Caraghan seconded by Councillor Maguire that the request be acceded to, and that the Secretary make application to the L.P. Board for their sanction to said proposed loan.

Injury to a County Road

a Report of Mr. John Caffrey, Co. Surveyor, re damage done to the Co. road from Ballyroper to Bleggan by a Thrashing machine - Owner Mr. Patrick Anderson, Castlefin, Co. Wick, cost to repair damage is £3.0.0, having been read, the Secretary stated that he wrote Mr. Anderson on 31st Dec, 1913, but received no reply on the motion of Councillor Kenna seconded by Councillor M. Ashurst the matter was placed in the hands of the Council's Solicitor Road Board Grant.

Mr. Anderson writes to L.P. Bd. 2/3/14

34 Chas. R. P. Council writes to L.P. Bd. 4/3/14

34 a Copy of a resolution by Donaghely R.D. Council recommending the Donaghely Co. Council to strike a Rate of 2^d in the £ for the purpose of Road improvement in the Rural District, on the terms of the Road Board Grant, and on condition that the Road Board contribute their part of £9. for every £1. contributed by the Rural District, was read.

County Council Committee of Agriculture

a letter, dated 20th January 1914, from the Secretary County Council Committee of Agriculture enclosing letter received from Mr John Power, Curraheen, Dooclaney, tendering his resignation as a member of the Committee, was read

But recovered from defaulting Road Contractors, also Harbour Dues a letter, dated 4th February 1914, from the Clerk to the Council enclosing a Statement showing the monies he has received on behalf of the Council since furnishing last account amounting to £53. 8. 3, together with Cheque for same was read

Foods and Drugs Act

at the request of the County Inspector R. D. P. Kenny, the following members of the Force were appointed Inspectors of Foods and Drugs for the City, District Districts appearing opposite their respective names

<u>Stawr</u>	<u>City, District</u>
Supt. John Kennedy, R. & C.	Buncrana
Supt. John Cunniff, R. & C.	Wierford
acting Supt. James Walsh, R. & C.	Ballyshannon

Yon Mountargus Road

a letter from Mr John Roberts D.P., Ballyargus, relative to the condition of the Mountargus road in Buncrana Rural District and pointing out that no Contractor is willing to tender for the repair of said road was read.

Downing's Pier

a letter from the Fish Lenders at Downing's Pier Complaining about the Harbour Master at said Pier neglecting his duties, having been read, no action was taken.

Appointment of Flagman

applications for the position of Flagman, employed in connection with Roller No. 5, having been considered by Mr. Stedman Co. Surveyor having stated that since the former Flagman (Mr. J. Mc. Koybleu) tendered his resignation he has decided to remain on and desires to be reappointed to the position; also that Mr. Koybleu has now a good idea of the work and he would suggest that the Council retain his services. It was decided to re-appoint Mr. Koybleu, and the Clerk was directed, when informing him of his reappointment, to state that if any friction arises again the Council will take serious notice of it.

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Charges for 1913
subscribed to
1/12/14

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Forms of appointment
sent to Inspector, R. D. P.
26/2/14

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The Flagman's written to
16/12/14

Road Expenditure in Glenties R.D.

a letter, dated 2nd Feb'y 14, from the Clerk Glenties R.D. Council stating that he finds that as a result of the Co. Council at their last half yearly meeting, placing in the hands of the County Surveyor so many of the roads not tendered for at Glenties last adjourned half yearly meeting, the Road Expenditure of that District for the ensuing Financial Year, 1914-15, will exceed the legal limit by about £100. The District Council's decision is that the limit of £3,882. 15. 0 be adhered to, was read.

Pier at Postern

a letter, dated 14th Feb'y 14, from the Harbour Master at above Pier to the effect that there was a very high tide there on the morning of that date which swept away the Rife boat along with undermining the parts of the foundation of the Head Wall of the Pier, and emptied a lot of rough stones in the berth by taking away the embankment, being been read, the Secretary stated that this was one of the Piers constructed by the Board of Works under the Marine Works Act, and on receipt of the Harbour Master's report he communicated with the Board of Works on the subject

Explosives Act 1875

Renewal of Licences under above act were handed to the following and the Seal of the Council ordered to be affixed thereto.
No. 30, James King, Raphoe
No. 53, Wm. Dunne, Rosford, No. 72, W. H. M. O'Shea, Glenties, Co. Donegal, &
No. 105, J. J. Kelly, Rosford, No. 107, G. O'Shea & Co. Raphoe
No. 105, J. J. Kelly, Rosford, No. 107, G. O'Shea & Co. Raphoe

Permission to open old Road

an application by Mr. Edward Gallagher, Fuis, Bundoran, for permission to open the Co. road at Summerhill, Bundoran for the purpose of making a connection of water main, having been read, permission was granted, subject to the approval of the County Surveyor.

Permission to Store a Store Pipe

a letter from the Clerk Melford R.D. Council stating that he has been directed by the District Council to request the Co. Council to grant permission to store a leather hose pipe in a vacant house

Board of Works written to
16/12/14

Renewal
Licences

Edward Gallagher written to
16/12/14

Clerk of Council
and Melford
written to
16/12/14

at Rathmullan Pier having viewed it was decided to grant the permission sought for on the understanding that the Co. Council would not be responsible for the safekeeping of the keys. The Secretary was directed to write the Harbour Master to get the key of the house in question and keep it in his custody.

Dougal Co. Council v David Roberts

a letter from the Solicitor to the Council enclosing the agreement in duplicate settling the case, Dougal Co. Council v David Roberts to be read by the Council having been submitted the agreement was read and on the motion of Councillor Wm Gallagher, seconded by Councillor Hanna the seal of the Council was ordered to be affixed thereto.

In this connection on the motion of Councillor Mr. Swift, seconded by Councillor Coughlan, Mr. Sheehan, Co. Surveyor was directed to examine the Co. roads between Duff's bridge and Postolow and furnish the Co. Council with an estimate of the damage done to them by excessive motor traffic.

Site for a Central Tuberculosis Dispensary

a letter, dated 7th February 1914, from the Local J.P. Board relative to the acquisition of a site for a Central Tuberculosis Dispensary Co. Dougal and - stating that in view of the Secretary's explanation in his letter of 31st January last the Board will raise no further objection to the extent of the area proposed to be acquired on the grounds of the Littlehenny Lunatic Asylum, also that the Co. Council might now make inquiries whether an efficient system of sewage disposal can be carried out at the Littlehenny site, and if so, they should cause plans and a detailed estimate of the cost of the buildings to be prepared for the Board's consideration having been read, consideration of the matter was deferred to next meeting and Councillors Wm Gallagher, Wm Cahoon, and Mr. Sheehan were appointed with Council powers to meet in the meantime and (1) settle all matters between the Co. Council and the Asylum Committee arising in connection with the acquisition of the site in question and (2) to select a suitable Engineer for the purpose of inspecting the system of sewage disposal with a view

Agreement read & returned to Mr. Sheehan at 10/13/14

Councillors Wm Gallagher, Cahoon & Sheehan written to 9/13/14

view to its efficiency and preparing plans and specifications and estimate.

The Secretary was directed to instruct the Depts to the Council to notify the Landlord (Lord Southwell) of the proposed acquisition of the plot (10 acres) and obtain from him a lease for 999 years.

Dougal Co. Council v Simpson

a letter, dated 13th Feb'y 14, from Mr. Stuart C. Ross, Depts. 16 Bishop St. Derry, referring to the process issued by the Dougal Co. Council against Mr. John Simpson of Glendunagh, for £9.60 in respect of damages to a road leading to Benan Fort by excessive traffic, having been read, the matter was left in the hands of the Depts to the Co. Council and Mr. Sheehan, Co. Surveyor.

Heavy Motor Traffic on Co. Roads

Mr. Sheehan Co. Surveyor was directed to notice at once all owners of heavy motor cars that they will be held responsible by the Dougal Co. Council for damages to Co. roads by excessive motor traffic and inform them that the Council are open to receive an offer from them towards the upkeep of the roads and thus avoid litigation. Re Contribution from Co. Dougal Insurance Committee towards the Salary of Tuberculosis Officer.

Letters from the Local J.P. Board enquiring whether it is proposed to apply to the Insurance Committee for a contribution towards the salary of the Tuberculosis Officer having been read, Mr. Sheehan, medical Tuberculosis Officer, to whom the matter was referred at a previous meeting, stated that he considered that the proposition payable to the Co. Council by the Insurance Committee be 2/3. This proposition was agreed to and to be retrospective and date from the 1st Oct 1913.

Tuberculosis Maintenance Grant

A Circular letter, dated 5th Decr 1913, from the R.F. Board on above subject was read and consideration of the matter adjourned.

Dco. Co. Council written to 9/13/14

Stuart C. Ross written to 13/2/14

R.F. Board written to 5/2/14

Secretary Office of Education
and Mr. J. J. Moran
1/10/14

Mr. Moran Sec. R. H. B. B. B.
written to
10/10/14

Secy. School Attendance Committee
written to 3/10/14 and
Secretary Office of National
Education written to 4/10/14

Thurston R.D. School Attendance Committee
a letter from the Secretary Office of National Education
appending a list of persons whom they have appointed
in addition to those appointed by the Co. Council
as members of Thurston R.D. School Attendance Committee
was read.

In this connection a letter from Mr. Maurice
Rev. J. P. tendering his resignation as a member of
said Committee was read and resignation accepted
and on the motion of Councillor Hughes, seconded
by Councillor Carraghan the Rev. W. D. Doogan B.C.
of Crossroads, Killygordon, was appointed a member
of the Committee in his place.

re Exemption from License Duty on Motor Cars

A letter, dated 6th Feb. 14, from the Road Board
in connection with the collection of motor car license
Duties in Co. Downgal and with reference to the
exemption from duty of owners who allege that
their cars are "Hackney Carriages" having been read
the Secretary stated that 3 owners of motor cars in
the County made application for exemption from
payment of motor license duty under the Finance Act 1910
on the ground that their cars came under the definition
of "Hackney Carriage" and suggested that the matter
should be referred to the Co. Council for his opinion. This course was agreed to.

Dunfaughly R.D. School Attendance Committee

a letter from the Secretary Office of National Education
Dublin, on the subject of the operation of the Compulsory
attendance provisions of the Irish Education Act of 1892
in Dunfaughly R.D. also copies of resolutions passed by
(1) North West Downgal Teachers Association and (2) Fivedora
and Roxer Teachers Association urging the
continuance of the compulsory attendance provisions of
the said act in Dunfaughly R.D. and copy resolution
passed at a special meeting of Dunfaughly R.D. School
Attendance Committee, having been read, it was decided
to defer consideration of the matter until such time
as the question of the re-appointment of the
said Committee came before the Council.

Uster and Connaught Railway

Mr. J. D. Coulson J.P. and Mr. W. J. Moran attended as a
deputation from the Bundoran Town Commissioners
to ask the County Council to assist the promoters
of the above Railway to obtain an Order-in-Council
authorizing the construction of said Railway, after hearing
the members of the deputation, and a letter read from
Mr. J. J. Moran, to E. P. O. A. G. S. Engineer, Dublin, on
behalf of the promoters of the Railway Councillor
James Clark proposed

That in view of the great benefits the construction
of the Uster and Connaught Railway will confer on the
district through which it will pass, and especially
on the district between Dligo and Bundoran, and
chiefly the Bundoran district, we hereby pledge our support
to that project and shall use all our efforts in securing
the Order-in-Council authorizing the construction of the
said Railway, provided there does not incur any
liability on the ratepayers of this County, and that the
gradients of the roads crossed by the said Railway,
in so far as same will be within the jurisdiction
of this Council shall be in accordance with the approval
of our County Surveyor.

Councillor Hanna having seconded the matter was
put to the meeting and unanimously passed.

J. J. Replevish

Letters from Messrs. Messrs. Fish Saleman, Aberdeen,
stating that the J. J. Replevish sustained considerable
damage at Rathmullan Pier on the 31st January 1914; also
Harbour Master's Report and letter from the Board
of Trade, having been read, it was unanimously
decided to deny all liability in the matter.

Downgal Co. Council & Michael Dineen, Berry

a further letter from Mr. P. Maxwell, Dub. Berry relative
to the claims by the Downgal Co. Council against Mr.
Michael Dineen, Berry, for damages to certain roads
in Co. Downgal, was read.

Meeting of Petty Sessions House at Pettigo

Letter from Councillor Daniel J. Flood stating that the
clock Petty Sessions Pettigo recently came to
the Magistrate who attend at the Petty Sessions House
there of the dampness in the Magistrate's room, and

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Certified Copy of Resolution
Sent to Mr. Moran a.d.m.

Board of Trade
written to
10/10/14
Staff. Berry
written to
10/10/14

in consequence the damage done to the Law Book, also that the Corn Petty Sessions had undertaken to see to the fire and supply the coal for the sum of £1. per annum. The Council decided they could not pay over the amount direct to the book, but they agreed to increase the rent of said premises by the sum of £1. per annum on condition that the Landlord of said premises would agree to hand over the latter amount to the book for the purpose stated. The Secretary was directed to write the agent for the Landlord conveying to him the Council's decision and requesting him to state if he is agreeable to the arrangement -

Lighting of Rathmullan Fair and its approaches

The consideration of a letter from Mr. J. C. Deeny, Ard-na-Caiche, Rathmullan, on the subject of the lighting of Rathmullan Fair and the approaches, was adjourned pending the receipt of a report from the Fair Committee

Plots for Nursery Purposes

A letter from the Secretary, Co. Donegal Committee of Agriculture stating that the Committee are taking two small plots of land from Messrs Henry Diver, Fivushinga, Carradunagh, and John McFinty, Mullislaunphray, Bannawarra, for nursery purposes on lease for a term of five years, with the right reserved to the Committee of surrendering the plots any year before a given date. The Department have informed the Committee that the lease must be between the Co. Council and the Lessor, and the Committee have had them drawn accordingly by the Council's Solicitor Mr. Wilson, who advises that the Seal of the Council should be attached to the lease when completed, was read. The Res. to the Co. Council here submitted John McFinty's lease and on the motion of Councillor Hanna, seconded by Councillor Wm Gallagher, the Seal of the Council was ordered to be affixed thereto -

Attorney General & Donegal Committee v. Patrick Diver

A letter from the Solr. to the Co. Council to the effect that in this case Mr. P. M. Gallagher, Solr. Donegal, has filed a defence, and has at the same time written a letter without prejudice, - a copy of which Mr. Wilson enclosed, and stating that it might be well to mention this at the Council meeting on Tuesday. In the meantime P. Ripatt

Councillor Flannery sees under to

Mr. B. M. O'Sullivan, Esq. Office Co. Donegal, written to 2/9/14 replied that he was agreeable to arrangement.

of agreement enclosed and returned to Mr. Wilson, at 2/11/14

Ripatt is sending the reply and his opinion as to the proposition in the letter will be available, having been read, it was decided to defer consideration of the matter till next meeting -

Messrs John Ward & Coy.

Nuisance opposite their premises

A letter dated 23rd Feb 1914 from Messrs John Ward & Coy. Killybegs, stating that nothing has been done to remedy the nuisance opposite their premises caused by O'Leary Railing, though the Co. Council at a previous meeting instructed their Surveyor to obtain a Writ of Habeas Corpus for that purpose, having been read, and the Co. Surveyor, stating that the work was in the hands of a Contractor, the Secretary was directed to write Messrs Ward and Coy. to that effect.

Contractor prevented from entering a Quarry

Mr. John Caffrey County Surveyor submitted the following Report
County Surveyor's Office
23rd Feb 1914

I beg to report that a Contractor named Phoolin, Kantawan a contract outbid from Killybegs to Carrick, No. 498, April 14. There is a quarry on the road side which has supplied this road with stone from a very early period. When the Contractor went to quarry stone he was prevented from doing so by a man named Crawford who was formerly the Contractor. This is the person now informed to whom the Quarry belongs. On the 9th inst. the Contractor applied before the Magistrate at Killybegs for an Order to enter this Quarry, but they refused to give him one. He was instructed by the Bench to go to another alleged quarry not near his contract. On the 21st inst. I paid a visit to this place and found that there is no quarry existing at the place where the Magistrate sent the Contractor. Besides this place is almost half a mile from his contract, whereas the proper quarry is on the roadside, and is at present being worked by the Contractor farther up the road.

In this connection a letter on the subject was read from the Contractor - John Phoolin -

The matter was referred to the Solr. to the Co. Council to take whatever action he deemed proper.

Messrs John Ward & Coy written to 4/8/14

Copy Co. Surveyor's Report sent to Mr. Wilson 4/8/14

County Surveyor's Report re Road Contractors

Mr. Stedman County Surveyor reported a number of Contractors whom he was desirous of prosecuting at Quarter Sessions when the Council directed him to proceed therewith, particulars in each case to be furnished to the Secy. to the Council

re Damages to Certain Piers

Mr. Stedman, Co. Surveyor reports as follows:-
Three parties have caused damage to Katakumelan Pier and two others to Buncrana Pier. I would recommend that your Secy. be directed to write the parties, & supplying him with the particulars and if the amounts claimed are not permitted to institute proceedings without delay. It is only by firm action being taken in such cases that any effective deterrent can be given to those abusing these structures unreasonably.

Katakumelan Cases are:-

- (1) D. D. Deenore - Capt. J. W. Callion - owners Messrs J. G. Has. & Co. of Jordan St. Glasgow.
- (2) Michael Deeny, Greengay, Katakumelan, Rate Collector & Harbourmaster.
- (3) D. D. Abernethy - Owners L. & L. Quilty Railway Buncrana Pier.
- (4) D. D. Braul P. S. 576. Capt. Alex. Reid Jew. Co. Messrs Irvine & Sons Buncrana.
- (5) D. D. Northern Scott, S. K. O., No. 214, Captain & Owner of S. Smith, Co. Messrs Welf. Bros. Buncrana.

The Report was adopted and the matter placed in the hands of the Secy. to the Council.

Hedge Cutting

Mr. Stedman County Surveyor reported that he has had a great many notices served re cutting of hedges, and while a number of parties have complied therewith a considerable number pay no attention to such notices and if this is allowed to remain it will only mean that many of those who now cut will fail also in future to do so. He would recommend that the Council's Solicitor get a direction to prosecute a few cases here and there as a warning to all of what will follow failure to cut hedges bounding Co. roads. The particulars to be supplied by the Co. Surveyor. The Report was adopted, and the Secretary directed to instruct the Secy. to the Council to prosecute all parties who do not cut their hedges on receiving notice from

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Copy Report sent to the Secy. to the Council 5/13/14

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the County Surveyor.

Re difficulty of obtaining Contractors for Roads placed in Co. Surveyor's hands

Mr. Stedman County Surveyor, Submitted the following report
Gentlemen

At half-yearly meetings many roads are placed in the hands of the County Surveyor to deal with.

When advertised again by him there is no response for many of them, while for others the tenders are prohibitive. The idea no doubt being that for lack of competition any figure might have a chance of securing such contracts. The practical result however, is that roads in such cases remain unattended until a contractor is secured at a subsequent meeting. Dunblawen R. District is about the worst in this respect and many complaints arise in consequence. I reply in such cases that if the parties who are using these roads would only interest themselves to send Contractors forward to tender for them that they could remedy the defect and remove further trouble, but I rarely get any aid from them.

Councillor Edward Foxgrip proposed that in view of the fact that Contractors cannot be obtained for certain important roads given into the charge of the Co. Surveyor and in order that those roads may be kept in a proper state of repair that a certain sum be transferred from the General account to the Subsidy ac. for the purpose of paying men employed by the County Surveyor to repair the road in question and which were given into his charge by the Co. Council. The County Surveyor to select what particular roads should be dealt with in this way.

Councillor M. Arthur having seconded the matter was unanimously agreed to.

Contract No. 366, Strabane No. 2 R. D.

Mr. Stedman County Surveyor also Submitted the following report
Gentlemen

The County road No. 366, April 19, Strabane No. 2 Rural District, for which Dan Henderson is Contractor is being badly injured owing to

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Copy Co. Surveyor Report sent to Mr. Wiseman 5/10/14

a defective drain or pipe being unfit to vent the water that is conveyed to it by the water table of roads. This pipe runs parallel to the road where a lane-way leads from the Co. road in which the following parties are interested, viz: John Alexander, James King, and Mr. Gallagher. I would suggest that you should be directed to write these parties and if the defect is not rectified then to take proceedings, the County Surveyor to supply the necessary particulars.

The Report was adopted and the Secretary directed to instruct the Council accordingly re Fire Insurance - Dargal County Council a letter, dated 2nd Feb'y 14, and addressed to the Presiding Chairman, Dargal Co. Council on above subject was read, and no action taken.

County Council v Certain Parties
The Solicitor to the Council in a letter dated 20th Feb'y 14 appended result of the following cases heard at Quarter Sessions.

County Council v Robinson - The County Court Judge gave a Decree for £10. which, however, has been appealed from by the Defendant.

Case v McManamin - In this case a Decree for £100- was given in respect of damage done by Traction Engine at Dargal.

Case v John Simpson - This was adjourned to next Sessions pending application by the Defendant to the Council.

Conferenced
Mr. Gallagher Chairman
24th March 1914

Board Committee

Copy minutes a meeting of the above Committee was held under the Chair of St. Andrew 24th day of February 1914.

of the Co. Council
14th March 14
and to each member
of the Co. Council
14th March 14

Attendance

The members present were:
Councillors Mr. Hanna, (Chairman), James Clark, Edward Gallagher, Andrew Power, Joseph M. Arthur
The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed
Factory and Workshop Act 1904.

Re Exemption of Certain Piers

Mr. O'Sullivan, County Surveyor, reported as follows:
Gentlemen,

As the result of correspondence with Inspectors of Factories I ascertained that the Secretary of State may by Special Order exempt from the Regulations under above act any Pier that he might consider a satisfactory case had been made out for exemption. The application for exemption to be made to him through the Department of Agriculture or C. D. Board. I would recommend that a claim for exemption should be made in the following cases and thus avoid unnecessary expenditure having regard to the unimportance of these Piers so far as traffic and dues are concerned.

Greenacre, Cuedaff, Malin, Portoolan, Postabeddy, Ballyneer, Kelybeg, Brunkles, Dargal, Bundoran.

On the motion of Councillor Edward Gallagher seconded by Councillor M. Arthur Mr. O'Sullivan and the Secretary Co. Council were directed to draft a Petition for exemption and send it to the proper quarter.

Re Lighting of Head of Buncrana Pier

Mr. O'Sullivan reported that he inspected above Pier with a view to ascertaining how the head of Pier could be lit. Mr. O'Sullivan's proposal of erecting a pole on the end of the masonry portion of the Pier to carry an Electric Lamp would no doubt light up the end in question, but as this light would be 20 Yards back from the actual end of timber work portion of the Pier there might be a risk of a vessel not detecting the end of timber work and hence he (Mr. O'Sullivan) would recommend to have a light on the

the very end of the Pier as it would prove a more effective Dipole to a Vessel that there was a structure out as far as the position of the light. There was no admits difficulties in placing a light in this position and he would like further to fix into the motor etc as to try and derive a satisfactory result.

In this connection a letter from Messrs The Buncrana Electric Supply Company was read

Mr. O'Sullivan was directed to consult with Mr. Swan, Buncrana, with a view to arriving at a satisfactory arrangement for lighting the head of the Pier in question
Re Road Inspections

Mr. O'Sullivan, County Surveyor, also submitted the following Report.

Centenary

Since the inspections of the roads for last week. Early meeting the majority of the maintenance Contractors have again been inspected and these inspections indicate in many cases deficiencies in work that should by now be performed. A few of the worst cases I am having prosecuted. Many roads suffer to a greater extent more from the effects of heavy rains than from any traffic that comes upon them. This could to a very great extent be avoided by more attention being given to drainage work by each Assistant insisting upon all watercourses & outlets being properly opened and maintained in that condition.

Another matter that could be avoided is measuring that is much too coarse and over 10" gauge specified, even where it has been screened by the Sizer. I have found metal measured through which the registers have been wired, and consequently the good effect resulting from screening nullified. In the case of the working of Steam Rollers while I have been able to effect an improvement in the amount of work done daily other further improvement would result by greater attention being given to see that the metal was not only properly supplied and spread and the Drivers checked re delays by more frequent inspections. I have provided forms for this purpose and that the Assistants might see that same are properly entered before forwarding to me.

Copy this resolution sent to each Assistant Co-Surveyor 1st May 1914

Councillor Edward Pezger moved that the Assistant Surveyors, whenever a Roller is working in their respective districts, make frequent inspections for the purpose of seeing that the metal was properly supplied and spread and the Driver of the Roller checked re delays. Further that the Assistant Surveyors be careful to see that the Diary kept by the Driver is correctly made out and signed and returned to the Assistant fortnightly for transmission by him to the County Surveyor. That the Co-Surveyors insist that the Diaries are returned to him properly filled up at the expiration of each fortnight.

That these Diaries be produced at the next meeting of the Road Committee.

Councillor Lowry having seconded the matter was unanimously agreed to

Whiff to Mobile Road

Mr. O'Sullivan, County Surveyor, also reported that for carrying out the work on this road in connection with the Road Board Grant it is very important to get a good quality of metal, being regard to the large outlay if a satisfactory result is to be achieved. Now he has given up a good deal of time examining all possible places where there was any likelihood of a good quality of Rock but he cannot find any that would recommend themselves to the road. He considers that the most economical course, having regard to the fact that a haulage must be paid, would be to purchase a Tractor Engine and four Waggon.

When this plant would not be employed at Road Board Work there would be a considerable demand for it at a remunerative rate to haul metal for Road Contractors where the Quarries for Dressing their road are situated some miles from home. Mr. O'Sullivan was directed to enter into communication with makers of Tractor Engines and obtain Estimates and report to next meeting of the Finance Committee.

adopted by Co. Council,
J. Gallaher Chairman
24th March 1914

Confirmed,

Chairman,

Copy minutes sent to each member of the Co. Council Co. Surveyors Mr. Wickham J.P.S. and Dr. Refau 9th April 14

A Special meeting of the County Council was held on the 24th March 1914.

Attendance

The members present were:

- Councillors William Doyle (Chairman), George Plon, Cassidy, Clark, Anthony, Parnell, Edward Parnell, Patrick Parnell, Hanna, Kelly, Lacey, Meehan, Mr. Arthur, Mr. Daid, and P. H. O'Donnell

The Medical Suberculosis Officer was also in attendance

Minutes

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Reports of Committees

The Reports of the following Committees were adopted

Finance - meeting held 5th Feb'y 14

Road - " " " 24th Feb'y 14

Deceased Estates - " " " " " " "

Proposals - " " " " " " "

Overhead Railway Bridge at Castlefu

In accordance with notice of motion duly given Councillor Wm Doyle moved - that the attention of the County Council be called to the urgent necessity of erecting an overhead Railway bridge at Castlefu Railway Station, as the present arrangement is most dangerous to the public.

Councillor Mr. Arthur seconded and the matter was unanimously agreed to -

The Secretary was directed to forward copies of the resolution to Co. Railway Joint Committee, Board of Trade and Board of Works -

Loan of £2,000 -

In accordance with notice of motion duly given Councillor Hanna moved that the County Council request the Local Government Board to sanction a loan of £2,000 to be obtained from the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland for the purpose of providing a Steam Roller, two Chain Breakers, one Traction Engine, one Producer, Plant and Equipment.

Said loan, with interest, to be repaid within a term of 10 years.

Councillor Clark having seconded the matter was unanimously agreed to.

Mr. Wickham

attached to 27.3.14

Application for loan sent to Local Government Board 2/12/13

Attorney General & County Council Patrick Diver

The consideration of a letter, dated 21st Feb'y 14, from the Sub. to the County Council re above case, was appointed to next meeting

Hay & Straw movement from Great Britain to Ireland

Order of 1914

A Circular letter, dated 24th Feb'y 14, from the Department of Agriculture & Fisheries, drawing attention to the terms of above Order, was read

Collection of Motor Car License Duties

a letter dated 10th March 1914, from the Road Board on above subject and enclosing a memorandum that had been prepared by the direction of the Board which it is hoped will prove of assistance to County Councils in carrying out their statutory obligations in this matter, was submitted and memorandum read, and the following resolution passed on the motion of Councillor Clark, seconded by Councillor Hanna.

Resolved - That the Secretary as the responsible officer for the Collection of Motor Car License Duties be authorised to institute proceedings against motor owners who have neglected or who refuse to pay the License Duty, and that he also be empowered to consult Mr. Wickham, Sub. Attorney, when necessary to take legal proceedings

Conditions of Certain Roads in Clontarf P.D.

letter, dated 24th Feb'y 14, from the Road Board respecting the limit of expenditure on roads in Clontarf Rural District, and stating that the Report of the County Surveyor on the subject (Copies enclosed) should be brought before the Dougal Co. Council, as they appear to indicate clearly that an increase in the limit of expenditure of public roads in the Rural District is required, and the Board will be prepared to make the necessary Order on application being made to them by the Co. Council, having been read, and Councillor P. H. O'Donnell having stated that Clontarf Rural District Council considered the Report much too high and therefore could not see their way to apply

copy resolution sent to Road Board 29/3/14

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apply through the Co. Council to the Local Government Board for an extension of the Cleary Limit of road expenditure, the Co. Council decided that under the circumstances they could not take any action in the matter.

Estate or Death Duty Cases

10 a letter, dated 27th Feb'y '14, from the Local Govt. Board stating that there will not be any deduction in respect of Land Purchase Liability made from the Estate or Death Duty Paid payable to Co. Donegal in the course of the next month, was read.

Salaries of Sanitary Officers

11 a Circular letter, dated 5th March 1914, from the Local Govt. Board enclosing an Order for £165.11.7, being the balance in respect of the amounts which were paid as salaries to the Sanitary Officers of the Rural District in Co. Donegal for the year ended 30th Sept, 1913, was read.

Medical and Educational Expenditure

12 a Circular letter, dated 5th March 1914, from the Local Government Board transmitting an Order for £746.5.3 being the balance in respect of the expenditure incurred for medical and educational purposes by the Board of Guardians of Unions included in Co. Donegal for the year ended 30th Sept last was read.

Rural and Urban Sanitary District

13 a copy of a Certificate, dated 14th March 1914, recd. from the Local Govt. Board to the effect that the Order constituting the town of Buncrana an Urban Sanitary District has now become absolute, was read.

Supply of Water at Glenties

14 a Copy of a Sealed Order of the Local Govt. Board, dated 3rd March 1914, determining area of charge in connection with a supply of water at Glenties and enclosing an Ordinance Sheet on which suggested area of charge was outlined in red, was read.

Weeds and Agricultural Seeds (Ireland) Act 1909

15 a letter, dated 9th March 1914, from the Department of Agriculture, &c. enclosing a copy of the Weeds and Agricultural Seeds (Ireland) Act 1909, and inviting the

the attention of the Donegal County Council to the provisions of said act relating to the destruction of noxious weeds in the hope that the Council may see their way to consent to part I of the act being put into operation this year, having been read.

Councillor Clark proposed that the County Council of the County of Donegal hereby consent to an Order being made by the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland, declaring that throughout the County of Donegal all plants of the following species, viz: Chick and Dock, are noxious weeds for the purposes of the Weeds and Agricultural Seeds (Ireland) Act 1909.

Councillor Callaghan Decided

Councillor Wm. Beagher, moved as an amendment a direct negative.

Councillor Cassidy Decided

A Vote was then taken on the motion

For Councillors - Callaghan, Clark, Edw. Beagher, Hawn, Kelly, Lewry, Mr. Arthur, Mr. Daid, - 8
Against Councillors - Wm. Beagher, Cassidy, Anthony Beagher, Patrick Beagher, Mulvan, Mr. Ellis, and P. A. O'Donnell - 7

The Chairman declared motion carried and amendment lost.

Condition of Roads on Arranmore Island

a letter, dated 10th March 1914, from the Local Govt. Board forwarding Copy of a letter recd. from Mr. Hugh O'Donnell, Arranmore, relative to the condition of the roads on Arranmore Island, and requesting to be furnished with the Co. Surveyor's report on the matter, having been read, the Secretary stated that he received the Co. Surveyor's report, which he has read, and was directed to transmit copies to the L.G. Board, and also to Mr. Hugh O'Donnell.

Excise Grant Treatment of Tuberculosis

a letter, dated 12th March 1914, from the Local Govt. Board, stating that directions have been given for the issue of a Paying Order for £150. from the Excise Grant in respect of the expenditure of the Donegal County Council on the treatment of Tuberculosis

16 Copies of Report sent as directed 20/3/14
17 Copy of Resolution sent to the Department of Agriculture, &c. 27/3/14

in the half year to the 30th Sept. 13, was read
The Secretary stated that the amount (£100) had been
lodged with the Treasurer of the County

The Council then took into consideration the question
of providing shelters for patients suffering from
Tuberculosis out of the Council's portion of the
Grant made available for Capital Expenditure under
the Finance Act 1911. After having heard the medical
Tuberculosis officer he was authorized to put
a shelter up for a patient, named, Mrs
Langhrey, of Shrove, Uxville.

re purchase of a microscope and certain accessories
provision for the supplying of a microscope
and certain accessories for use in the examination
of sputum by the Tuberculosis Medical Officer
appointed by the Dougal Co. Council out of the
Council's portion of the Grant made available for
Capital expenditure under the Finance Act 1911 were
considered, and on the motion of Councillor Clark
seconded by Councillor Hanna, the tender of Messrs
Archibald King & Son, Cutlers, 54 to 61 Forrest Road
Edinburgh, (being the lowest) was accepted. amount £20.6.8

Dougal County Council v. Robinson

a letter, dated 18th March 1914 conveying Judge's
decision in above case heard at Lifford at
Spring Assizes 1914, was read

re taking over of a Road

a letter from Mr. Mr. Hamilton Rapho, on the subject
of the taking over by the County Council from the
Strabane and Lifford Railway Company the road
from the Railway Station to the town of Rapho
through Mr. O'Keefe's Demesne, having been read,
it was resolved on the motion of Councillor Hanna
seconded by Councillor Clark, that the matter be
referred to Mr. O'Sullivan County Surveyor, with a view
to his reporting to the next meeting of the Council re
the condition of the road in question -

Children Act 1905

a notice, dated 23rd July 14, under the Children Act
1905, received from G. P. O. Banerjee, was read

articles ordered
9/04/14
C. A. Board written to
29/3/14

Mr. O'Sullivan written to
9/14/14

re Open Berths at Rathmullan Pier
for Ferry Steamers -

Letters from Messrs McCreedy & McFarland Ltd.
Rondanessy, reaction of Harbour Master
at Rathmullan Pier not keeping an open Berth
at all times for the Ferry Steamers, as directed
by Co. Council's resolution passed at a meeting
held on 16th January 12.; also report of the
Harbour Master in reference to the matter, having
been read, it was decided to send a copy
of the Correspondence including Harbour Master's
report, to Rathmullan Pier Committee for their
observations thereon.

In this connection a letter from the
Hon. Secretary Pier Committee to the effect
that he had spoken to some members
of the Committee to attend a meeting but they
would not as they said the Pier Committee
had no power, having been read, Councillor
Kelly proposed, and Councillor Edward Foreyphor
seconded and it was resolved, that the Secretary
request the Rathmullan Pier Committee to continue
to hold meetings until the annual meeting of
the Co. Council when a new Pier Committee will
be appointed

re Valuation Peterborough to Burtport Railway

a letter, dated 9th March 1914, from the Commission
of Valuation intimating that the Londonderry and
Lough Swilly Railway Company have not applied
for an extension of the period from exemption
from Poor Rates of the Peterborough to Burtport
Railway and Undertaking, and stating that under
the circumstances it is open to the Dougal
County Council to lodge an appeal for the
revaluation of the property under the provisions
of the Valuation (Ireland) Act, 1901, before the
20th inst. having been read, Councillor Anthony Foreyphor
proposed that this Council hereby appeals against
the present Valuation of the Peterborough to Burtport
Railway and Undertaking, in the Rural District
of Peterborough, Malinbeg, Dungannon, & Cautin, and
requests the Commissioner of Valuation, Dublin,

re
Hon. Secy. Pier Committee written to
9/04/14

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to re-value for both rating and other purposes the said Railway and Undertaking in accordance with the provisions of the Valuation Statutes, Enactments, and Orders in Council in that behalf made and provided; that the Local Government Board for Ireland be requested to sanction following Councillor Kelly Rescinded, and the matter was unanimously agreed to.

* This agreed and that the necessary notification in the matter be at once given by our Secretary to the Randonberry and Fingh Minisly Railway Company and to the Board of Works.

County Donegal Committee of Agriculture

a letter from the Secretary D. Donegal Committee of Agriculture enclosing two letters received from Messrs Patrick Ringley, Carrickbraghey, Clannony, and W. J. O'Driscoll & P. Rockfield House, Castlegui, tendering their resignations as members of the Committee was read.

Chabane No. 2 Rural District School attendance Committee

Letters 2 from the Rev. Alex. P. Leary, Faddyglass, Raphoe, Chairman Chabane No. 2 R.D. School attendance Committee, wishing to bring certain matters connected with the working of the Committee under the notice of the County Council, having been read, the Secretary was directed to request the Secretary to said Committee to furnish the Council with a statement showing dates of meetings of the Committee during year to 31st March 1914 and the attendances thereof of each member of the Committee.

Permission to Shift a Telegraph Pole

a letter from the Superintending Engineer, Post & Office Telegraphs, Belfast, giving notice of the intention of the Postmaster General to open or break up the roadway at Largyvore, near, at entrance of Mr. McPartly's farm for the purpose of shifting a pole, having been read, permission was granted, subject to the approval of Mr. Caffrey County Surveyor.

Permission to lay a drain pipe

an application by the Rev. John W. Aker, C.C. Amagry, for permission to lay a drain pipe at a depth of about 3 feet under the public road,

attended to in Feb. Report

Rev. Leary written to 9/14/14

Rev. School attendance Committee written to

Superintending Engineer written to 2/14/14

Rev. Mr. Aker C.C. written to 2/14/14

between Amagry R. & Barracks and the bridge, at a point about 20 Yards east of the escape gate nearest to the Barracks, having been considered permission was granted, subject to the approval of Mr. Caffrey County Surveyor.

Claim for Remuneration

a letter from Mr. P. Timony, Lough Ballintra, requesting to be remunerated for having repaired portion of a County road, having been read, Mr. Caffrey County Surveyor stated that Timony repaired the road in the absence of instructions from either him or the Assistant Surveyor for the District, and was therefore not entitled to any remuneration, the Secretary was directed to reply to Timony to that effect.

Intention to move gates

an application by Col. J. A. L. MacFarquhar, St. Columba, Mullin, for permission to move 10 gates in the Peenacah, Mullin road so as to bring them into a line with the hedge that runs along the foot path, having been considered, permission was granted, subject to the approval of Mr. O'Sullivan County Surveyor.

Proposed Bridge at Buncrowe

a letter from Mr. John Caffrey, County Surveyor, enclosing a Consent for taking land in connection with the above proposed bridge, and stating that the proposed bridge will it is thought cause a dislocation of Jewish traffic during the summer season and some of the local Councillors have obtained the consent in question, and propose to have the bridge built up stream so as to use the old one during the rebuilding. The road will require to be deviated for the new bridge if it is not built on the site of the existing one, as a contract has only been entered into for the erection of a new bridge on the site of the old one, a presentment would require to be brought forward and a contract entered into for the making and fencing of the new road and taking over the necessary land before the new bridge could be erected, having been read, the matter was referred to

Timony written to 2/14/14

Col. MacFarquhar written to 2/14/14

The Ballybannon R.D. Council -
Foods and Drugs Act

at the request of the County Inspector R. D. Keenan,
Sergeant Timothy Shanley was appointed an Inspector
under above act for Rathmullan Petty Sessions District
Petty Sessions House at Fethards

letter, dated 14 March 1914 from D. M. Sheehan Esq. the
Agency, Glaslough, Co. Monaghan, giving an undertaking
in connection with the decision of the Sanegal
Co. Council, at a meeting held on 24th Feb. 1914, providing
a fire in the Petty Sessions House at Fethards, was re-
Purchase of a Quarry at Fethards

Mr. Sheehan, Co. Surveyor reported that a Quarry is
badly needed to get a supply of metal for dealing
with the muck to mowle road. After devoting a
good deal of time searching for suitable stone he
would recommend that the County Council agree
to purchase a quarry from Mr. Kyle McE. Clokey, Mine
Kale, Fethards. Mr. Sheehan has gone into the matter
with him and he would subject to the Co. Council's
approval, require a plot for opening a Quarry
from Mr. Clokey for the sum of £40. Unless a
good show is obtained for carrying out the work
contemplated under the Road Board, the
request will be far from satisfactory.

On the motion of Councillor Keenan, seconded
by Councillor William Joseph, the matter was placed
in the hands of Mr. Wickham, Clerk to the Council, with
a view to his preparing the necessary agreement.
- Excessive Motor Traffic -

The consideration of a report of Mr. Sheehan, County
Surveyor, re damage by excessive motor traffic to
the road Lifford to Postsalon, via Redshanny and
Moxford, was adjourned, as was also copy of a
resolution of Lifford R.D. Council on same subject.
Land Purchase Bill

The following copy of a resolution of Dundalk R.D. Council
was unanimously adopted.

Resolved: "That a decade reduction provision
be inserted in the Land Purchase Bill, to be introduced
into Parliament for this County, such as is in the
Ashbourne Act, and also, that the same Coercion
be

Councillor Sheehan
written to
24/3/14

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be granted to the tenants who purchased under the
acts of 1903 and 1909:

Condition of a County Road.

a letter dated 11th March 1914, from Samuel Morrison,
Esq., No. 2 East Wall, Roudouersy, relative to the
bad condition of that part of the Carrisown road
from near about the black bridge to Frauge, and
past Carrisown National School, having been
read, the matter was left in the hands of Mr.
Sheehan, Co. Surveyor, and Councillor W. Arthur

Agreement between Sanegal Co. Council & David Roberts

A copy of a resolution of Dundalk R.D. Council
requesting to be furnished with the terms of the
a agreement entered into between the Sanegal Co. Council
and Mr. Roberts Esq., Foyil St, Blessy, having been
read; the Secretary was directed on the motion of
Councillor Edward Gallagher, seconded by Councillor
Keenan, to send a copy of the agreement, on
its receipt from the Clerk to the Co. Council, to
the Carrisown R.D. Council.

Ex proviso Act 1175

licences under above act were granted to the
undermentioned:

- Kennerly, No. 105, G. Clark & Coy, Ballinac, No. 130, Harrison Bros, Rofey.
- New Rivers, No. 157, G. McEneaney, Ballycorry, No. 151, P. McFadyen, Faerarragh.

No. 150, Deane Brennan, Buncrana

Resolved to pay Post Rates

A notice, dated 16th Feb. 1914, by certain ratepayers to
the effect that no Post Rates would be paid by
those residing in the townland of Fortnabraw, Meiford
Rural District, until they get a County road, was
marked "Read"

Treatment of Chronic Cases of Tuberculosis

A copy of a resolution passed by Co. Sanegal
Insurance Committee re utilisation of existing Poor
Law Dispensaries for the isolation and treatment
of chronic cases of Tuberculosis, was adopted

Copy of agreement
forwarded to
Mr. Wickham
copy of agreement
sent to
Sanegal R.D. Council
written to
2/4/14

Mr. Morrison, Clerk,
written to
2/4/14

David

Proposed Site at Letterkenny for Tuberculosis Sanatorium.

The following report was submitted, viz:-

We, the undersigned, being the Sub-Committee appointed by the County Council to select site and appoint architect in connection with the proposed Tuberculosis Sanatorium, beg to report that we have selected a site an asylum grounds at Letterkenny and have also appointed Mr. James G. McFalls of Londonderry as architect for the buildings proper, he to be solely responsible for the carrying out and completion of the contract, to give all certificates for work done and receipts for handing over to the County Council all buildings complete, his remuneration being at the rate of 4% on buildings. We have further appointed Mr. Michael O'Callaghan of Letterkenny to take out the quantities of required building in connection with Sanatorium at the rate of 2%, that he draw the required maps of land to be taken for Sanatorium purposes. That he take charge of the drainage in connection with the said buildings and be paid the usual remuneration signed

William O'Callaghan,
Thomas Meehan.

The Report was adopted

Councillor Meehan asked leave to suspend the Standing Orders in order that an application might be made to the Council by Mr. W. G. McHenry, Letterkenny, and leave having been granted, Mr. W. McHenry, who appeared before the Council requested permission to open the road at Port Bridge, Letterkenny, for the purpose of inserting a concrete block to hold a ring bolt for the purpose of getting an extra buoy to keep vessels in position at the wharf. On the motion of Councillor Hanna, seconded by Councillor Meehan permission was granted subject to Mr. McHenry signing the usual form of agreement with Mr. R. Rodenry, C. Surveyor, and carrying out the work in accordance with his directions.

memo for J. McFalls and
Michael O'Callaghan
written to 10/10/14
Copy Report sent to C. Council

31/3/14

Treatment of Tuberculosis

The medical Tuberculosis Officer submitted a report on above subject and pointed out that in order to achieve success, the information regarding the extent, distribution and characters of this disease in any district must be as complete as possible. There must be an intelligence department efficiently worked, and with this object in view he requested the County Council to urge the different Sanitary authorities or permit him to approach them with the object of having part I of the Tuberculosis Prevention (Ireland) Act 1908, which makes Tuberculosis a compulsory notifiable disease put into working order. The Chief Medical Tuberculosis Officer was directed to approach the various Sanitary authorities in the County with a view to having part I of the act above referred put into force.

James McHenry, Chairman,
21st April 1914

Copy minutes sent to each member of the Finance Co. 19/5/14
Mr. W. Wilson
4/5/14

The Public Council attended

A Special Meeting of the County Council was held on the 21st day of April 1914

Attendance

The members present were:-
Messrs James Dulevy (Chairman) Wm. Farrell, Boyle, Callaghan, Clark, O'Connell, Edward Farrell, Patrick Farrell, Hanna, Lavery, George Hooper, Muehler, Mr. Arthur, Mr. Fadden, and P. H. O'Donnell

Minutes

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed
Schedules of Irrecoverable Rates

Schedules of Irrecoverable Rates received from the Rate Collectors, were submitted and duly signed
Transfer to Asylum &c

Advice Notes containing amounts to be transferred to Committee of Asylum, Henry, Board of Guardians and R.D. Council, in respect of Quarters ended 30th June 1914, and numbered from to (inclusive) were duly signed.

re Collector Patrick Boyle

The failure of Collector Patrick Boyle to close his collection for the half year ended the 31st March 1914, within the time assigned for the purpose, and also of allowing him poundage for on the amount of his warrant for that period, was then taken into consideration, and on the motion of Councillor Dulevy, seconded by Councillor P. H. O'Donnell it was unanimously resolved to recommend the R.F. Board to sanction the payment of Poundage fees to Collector Boyle.

re Collector Abas Cassidy

The Council then took into consideration the question of providing a new Board for a lesser sum than that proposed under the present guarantee in the case of Mr. Abas Cassidy, Dundas, part of whose former District has now been constituted an Urban Sanitary District under the Public Health Act. On the motion of Councillor Hanna, seconded by Councillor P. H. O'Donnell it was unanimously resolved that the R.F. Board be requested to sanction the issue of a new Board for

Central Tuberculosis Dispensary at Rathenny.

A letter, dated 6th April 1914 from the R.F. Board to the effect that they saw no objection to the proposed arrangements for the appointment of an architect and Quantity Surveyor for the establishment of the Central Tuberculosis Dispensary at Rathenny, was read

In this connection the Secretary suggested that either the Co. Council or the Pub. Committee appointed by them ought to decide of what nature the structure is to be composed of and also the number of beds to be provided in the Central Tuberculosis Dispensary

It was decided to leave the matter in the hands of the Pub. Committee, they to report to the Council in due course

Limit of expenditure on roads in Glenties R.D.

A letter dated 3rd April 1914 from the Local Govt. Board relative to the limit of expenditure on roads in Glenties R.D., and requesting that the Co. Council will be good enough to take the question of the necessary annual amount of expenditure in the Rural District into consideration with the help of the County Surveyor, and to favor the Board with their views on the matter which, appears to be urgent having been read, and the matter duly considered Councillor Dulevy proposed that we recommend that the Glenties R.D. Council make application to the Local Govt. Board for their sanction to an increase in the legal limit of expenditure on roads in the Rural District in respect of the current financial year, having regard to the number of complaints received from certain ratepayers regarding the unsatisfactory condition of some of the roads, Councillor Muehler seconded and the matter was unanimously agreed to

Ward and Agricultural Deed (Ireland) Act 1909

A letter, dated 3rd April 1914, from the Department of Agriculture &c. transmits for the information

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of the Donegal Co. Council a copy of an Order made by the Department under part I of the Weed and Agricultural Seeds (Ireland) act 1909, in respect of the County of Donegal, was read
Trade Boards act 1909

a circular letter, dated 25th March 1914, from the Local Govt. Board on the subject of the Trade Boards act 1909. Contracts of Local authorities was read

Co. Donegal Joint Technical Instruction Committee
a letter, dated 23rd March 1914, from the Department of Agriculture, &c. enclosing copy of a communication which the Department have addressed to the Secretary to the Co. Donegal Joint Committee for Technical Instruction regarding the future operations of his Committee as affected by the recent order of the L.G. Board constituting the towns of Buncrana and an Urban District, having been read, the Secretary was directed to bring the letter a few before the Council at their annual meeting

Reports of Committees
Finance Committee - The Report of this Committee meeting held 24th March 1914, was adopted

a circular letter dated 6th March 1914, from the Local Government Board on the subject of the maintenance of law and form of agreement between Insurance Committees and County Councils; also a circular ³²IC dated 10 Feb'y '14, from the National Health Insurance Commission enclosing a copy of a model form of agreement which they have caused to be prepared for the assistance of Insurance Committees who propose to enter into permanent arrangements with Local authorities in pursuance of Sections 16 (1) and 64 (4) of the National Insurance act 1911, for the provision of treatment for persons recommended for Sanatorium Benefit, having been read, it was unanimously resolved on the motion of Councillor Hanna seconded by Councillor Dunlevy that Councillors William Gallagher and James Clarke, be appointed to consider the circulars and draft agreements in conjunction with the Dept.

to the County Council, and that the Insurance Committee be also requested to appoint two of its members to act in conjunction with Councillors William Gallagher and James Clarke and the Council's Clerk

The Sheep Scab (Local Regulations) (Ireland) Order of 1914

a circular letter, dated March 1914 from the Department of Agriculture, &c. enclosing copies of an order entitled the Sheep Scab (Local Regulations) (Ireland) Order of 1914, and at the same time inviting the earnest attention of the Local authorities to the new situation which demands that immediate and energetic measures should be taken by them to advance the object aimed at by the order, viz: the eradication of sheep scab from their respective districts, was referred to the Director of Animal Committee for consideration

a copy of an Order of the Department of Agriculture entitled "the movement of animals (Doubtful Ireland) temporary prohibition Order", was read.

Overhead Railway Bridge at Castlefin

Letters acknowledging receipt of copy of resolution in favor of the proposed erection of an overhead bridge at Castlefin Station, on the Donegal Railway, recently adopted by the County Council, were read.

Motor Service between Slenny & Portlaoine

a letter from Messrs Colburn and King, Esqrs. Slenny on behalf of Colonel B. J. Barton, Portlaoine, requesting the Donegal Co. Council's consent and approval to run a car from Slenny to Portlaoine once a day during summer months and enclosing plans and two photographs of the proposed car, also a report of Mr. Meddman Co. Surveyor having been read and having heard Mr. Colburn Esq. who appeared on behalf of Col. Barton, a Committee consisting of Councillors Colburn Mr. Fadden, Mulhern, Mr. Devitt, and Kelly, was appointed to go into the matter in conjunction with the Council's Clerk and Mr. Meddman County

County Surveyor. It was arranged that the Committee should meet at an early date. Councillor Corkoun was appointed convenor of the meeting.

Orabane no 2 R.D. School attendance Committee
a letter from the Secretary above Committee approving list of members of the Committee and their attendances at meetings held during last 12 months was read.

Retaking over of a road
The consideration of a letter from Mr. Mr. Hamilton, Raphoe, on the subject of the taking over by the County Council from the Orabane & R. Henry Railway Coy. the road from the Railway Station to the town of Raphoe, through Mr. O'Keefe's Demesne was adjourned to next meeting -

Attorney General & Danegal Co. Council & Patrick Diver
a letter from William Wrenn Esq. Solr. Orabane re above case was read. Patrick Diver appeared before the Council but as the case was pending it was decided not to go into the matter -

Exclusion of Hens
a copy of a resolution adopted at a large and representative Conference of Substitutedists against the exclusion of Hens, was read and no action taken.

Reports of examination of Steam Boilers the property of the Danegal Co. Council were submitted and read.

Remuneration of County Surveyors.
a copy of a resolution passed by the Council of the Institution of Civil Engineers of Ireland on the subject of the terms of remuneration for County Surveyors, was read.

Permission to cut trees
an application by Mr. Peter Malloy, Main St. Ardara for permission to cut trees growing on site of proposed new house he intends building, having been considered, permission was granted, subject to the approval of Mr. Caffrey County Surveyor.

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Food and Drugs acts

The Report of the County analyst in respect of Quarter ended 31st March 1914, was read

Claim for Compensation

a letter from J. Allan Osborne Esq. Solr. Belford, giving notice of claim for compensation against the Co. Council in respect of damages sustained to himself and to his motor cycle and Olds Car on the road from Kilmacrenan to Miesford in or about the townland of Portnasnea where he ran into a heap of staves which had been piled on the road; also a letter, dated 14th April 1914 from Mr. Osborne stating that at the request of the road contractor who admits liability he has decided to withdraw for the present any claims against the Co. Council, were read.

to Shipments of Live Cattle from the Port of Londonderry

Copy of a resolution passed by London Derry Chamber of Commerce, on the subject of the shipment of shore cattle from the Port of Londonderry to England and Ireland was unanimously adopted on the motion of Councillor Hanna, seconded by Councillor Clarke -

Copy of a resolution passed by the Irish Cattle Traders' and Stock Owners' association pointing out the danger that threatens the live stock industry of this country. The constantly recurring orders of the English Board of Agriculture compelling the immediate slaughter of Irish cattle at the place of landing have had the effect of almost closing the markets of Great Britain. The detention & compulsory sale of our stock in compounds where the feed meat traders have controlling influence, exposes our traders to the probability of being compelled to sell at a price arranged by their competitors whenever opportunity may arise, was also unanimously adopted.

Bancrofta Courthouse

Copy resolution adopted by the magistrates at Bancrofta Petty Sessions - that we instruct

C.A.A. written to 20/4/14

the Clerk to write to the County Surveyor drawing his attention to the urgent necessity that exists of having the Courthouse painted, also of providing steps to the main table, renovating the canopy repairing window frames, and other defects overhauled and set right, having been read Mr. Shadwan, Co. Surveyor, was directed to furnish a report on the matter.

re Blocking of a road
letter from Mr. Hugh D. Donnell, as a more stating that the road leading to Babypurrow Div. over the head of the Lur is blocked by a few boats and requesting that the said road be cleared to allow the people to get to the Lur by the road he had to the Co. Council, was read and no action taken.

Expenses act 1895.
Renewal of licences under above act were granted to Wm. Hoage, Ballyshanny (No. 12) and Robt. Orr, Carrifin, Co. Wick.

Appointment of Flagman
Mr. Shadwan County Surveyor reported that the flagman (P. M. Kauglin) of Kells str. left voluntarily a short time ago and he appointed, subject to the Council's approval, James M. Kauglin and as he is a satisfactory man for the post he (Mr. Shadwan) asked for the confirmation of his (Mr. Kauglin) appointment. The appointment was unanimously confirmed.

Payments in respect of works placed in charge of Co. Surveyor
Mr. Shadwan, County Surveyor, reported that to give effect to a resolution passed by the Co. Council that a sum of money be placed to the Disbursement ac. with a view to enable the Co. Surveyor to carry out by day labour where necessary. The contracts placed in his hand and as he (Mr. Shadwan) undert and that it is necessary that a small committee has to be appointed for signing the treasurer's authority and it would be well if this could be done without further delay - Councillors Hanna, Marshall, and Edward J. Jagger were appointed a committee for dealing with Co. Surveyor's Day Books and signing Treasurer's advice notes.

Shadwan 20/4/14

COUNTY OF DONEGAL.

Moved by Councillor JAMES DUNLEVY,
Seconded by Councillor WILLIAM GALLAGHER,
AND RESOLVED:

That the Council of the above-named County hereby make Rates on the property Rateable thereto, in the following Rural Districts under the provisions of the Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1898, and of Acts incorporated therewith, for the service of the year ending the 31st day of March, 1915, leviable in two half-yearly moieties, together with Arrears.
The Rates for the ordinary expenditure of the County for the service of the above-mentioned period, chargeable to the several Rural Districts, are at the following Rates in the Pound:-

Table with columns for Rural Districts (Ballyshannon, Donegal, Dunfanaghy, Glenties, Inishowen, Letterkenny, Londonderry, Milford, Strabane, Stranorlar) and sub-columns for County Charges, Union Charges, District Charges, and Totals. Includes a table for Rural District of Letterkenny with columns for Land, Agricultural, and Hereditaments.

AND WHEREAS, certain Separate Charges are chargeable on the Areas or Contributory Places hereunder mentioned, the following special Poundage Rates have been added to the Poor Rates above mentioned for the payment of such Separate Charges, and the same form part of and will be collected with the above General Poor Rate:-

Table with columns for Rural Districts (Ballyshannon, Donegal, Dunfanaghy, Glenties, Inishowen, Letterkenny, Londonderry, Milford, Strabane, Stranorlar) and sub-columns for Name of Special Area or Contributory Place, Purpose or Name of Charge, and Special Poundage Rate. Includes a table for Rural District of Letterkenny with columns for Name of Special Area or Contributory Place, Purpose or Name of Charge, and Special Poundage Rate.

And it is further resolved-That the Warrants for the Collection of the first and second moieties, together with Arrears of previous Rates, as above specified, be Signed and Sealed with the Seal of the Council and issued to the Collectors for the several Collection Districts; also that the Annual Estimate and Demand upon Banran and Letterkenny Urban District Councils in respect of the above financial year be Signed, and the Seal of the County Council affixed thereto.

And that as required by Article 97 of the Public Bodies Order, 1904, the Secretary of this Council be authorised to appoint Deputies for the Rural Districts of Ballyshannon, Donegal, Dunfanaghy, Glenties, Inishowen, Letterkenny, Londonderry (No. 2), Milford, Strabane (No. 2), and Stranorlar, for the purpose of examining the Books of the several Collectors of Poor Rate for those Rural Districts in respect of the Financial Year ending 31st March, 1915.

Dated this 21st day of April, 1914.

JAMES DUNLEVY, Chairman.
BERNARD M'PADDEN, Secretary to the County Council.

re Appointment of Engine Driver & Flagman

Mr. Steadman Co. Surveyor, stated that it would be necessary to appoint an Engine Driver and Flagman for a Steam Roller - On the motion of Councillor Hanna, seconded by Councillor Edward Joseph the Secretary was directed to issue advertisements inviting applications for Engine Driver & Flagman Salary per week of the former £9.10.0, and Salary per week of the latter 15/-

Vote of Condolence

Councillor Dumbrey moved that the Secretary be directed to convey to Mrs. Wm. M. Barnett, Rangoon, Balaclava, the sincere sympathy of the Council on the death of her late husband, Councillor Hanna seconded. The resolution was put to the meeting and passed in absence, the members standing

Conformed,
Jas. Dumbrey, Chairman,
19th May 1914.

Copy resolution
sent to Mrs. Barnett
advertisements
issued

a Quarterly meeting of the County Council was held on the 19th day of May 1914

Copy minutes sent to Mr. Boyle and Mr. Clarke and Mr. W. W. Wilson and Chairman of the Co. Council and to each other member of the Council of 6/14

Attendance

The members present were:

- Councillors James Dunlevy (Chairman) Wm. Fitzgerald, John E. Boyle, Clarke, Edward Fitzgerald, James Murray, Magee, Meehan, Mr. Arthur, Mr. Fadden, Mr. Rice, Meehan, and J. H. O'Donnell.

Minutes

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed

Reports of Committees

The Reports of the following Committees were unanimously adopted

Finance - meetings held 21st April and 8th May 1914

Propose - meeting held 8th May 1914

Sanitary meeting held 21st April 1914

Proposals for Payment

The Proposals for Payment, as reported only by the Finance Committee, in respect of Quarter ended 31st March 1914, were (without modification) ordered to be paid

Proposals for Works

Proposals for Works forwarded by the Proposals Committee were approved.

Treasurer's advice Notes

Treasurer's advice Notes for making payments out of the General account numbered from to (inclusive) and dated 19th May 1914, were submitted and duly signed

Collector Carridy's Bond

The Guarantee Bond of Collector Carridy, Buncrana, was submitted and signed and the Seal of the Council ordered to be affixed thereto.

Rates on Labourer Cottages

a letter from the Local Govt. Board, enclosing copy of correspondence between the Board and Collector W. F. Flaherty, Chadfield, and also relative to poor rates on Labourer Cottages in latter Collection District having been read its consideration was adjourned

Londonderry & Rathfriland Railway Coy
(Burlington Extension)

a letter from the Under Secretary, Dublin Castle, enclosing copy of memoranda received by His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant from the Londonderry and Rathfriland Railway Coy. for an extension by 10 Years of the period of exemption from assessment for Poor Rates in respect of the Burlington Extension Railway, under article 13 of the L. & R. I. (Burlington Extension) Order 1890, having been read.

attended to in Rate Department

Councillor Dunlevy moved and Councillor Clarke seconded, and it was unanimously resolved that a Special Committee be appointed to go into the matter, and if necessary proceed with findings to Lord Lieutenant, and that in the meantime he could be informed that the Council would, if possible, make a case for the Ratepayers, and at the same time request him not to come to any final decision if he was adverse to the County Council without receiving a deputation.

Committee. Councillors Dunlevy, Boyle, Clarke, Meehan, and Mr. Arthur

Treatment of Tuberculosis

a letter from the D. B. to the Co. Council stating that with regards to the conference between the Council of the Council and the Committee appointed by the County Insurance Committee, the Joint Committee met in Lifford on Tuesday the 5th of May, and the draft of the proposed agreement between the Co. Council and the Co. Council with reference to Tuberculosis treatment for insured persons and their dependents were considered, but no progress could be made with the matter, as the County Scheme has not yet been sufficiently formulated to permit of its being incorporated in these agreements. A scheme providing for both Institutional and Sanatorium treatment for all persons suffering from Tuberculosis in the County would have to be prepared and approved of both by the D. B. Board and the Insurance Commissioners before the agreement

with

with the Insurance Committee could be completed, and it is suggested that steps should be taken to definitely formulate a scheme covering all the foregoing, and have it submitted for approval by the necessary Bodies having been read.

Councillor Dunlevy proposed that the Council appoint a Quarantine Committee, consisting of three members, and that the Insurance Committee be asked to appoint these members ^{to act as a joint committee} for the purpose of dealing with the matter.

Councillor Shama seconded and the motion was agreed to.

members appointed by Co. Council - Chairman, Vice-Chairman, and Mr. Wm. J. Shama.

on the motion of Councillor Calanck, seconded by Councillor Hugo it was decided that the plans of the proposed Central Dispensary at Letterkenny prepared by Mr. McFrath, architect, Londonderry, be considered by the Joint Committee -

Agreement between the Co. Council & Col. B. J. Barton

The consideration of above agreement was adjourned to next meeting, owing to the fact that Messrs Colquhoun & King, Solicitors for Col. B. J. Barton had not returned the agreement to the Co. Council's Solicitors.

Buncrana Urban District

a letter, dated 18th April 1914, from the Local Road Board enclosing a copy of their Order of the 2nd Decr '13 constituting the Town of Buncrana an Urban District, and a copy of their Certificate of the 14th March 1914 relative thereto, was read.

Movement of quinine (Southern Ireland) Temporary Prohibition Order (No. 3)

an order of the Department of Agriculture &c dated 21st April 1914, cited as above, was read.

Hay & Straw (movement from Great Britain to Ireland) Revocation Order of 1914

an order of the Department of Agriculture, dated 23rd April 1914, cited as above, was read.

Isolation of advanced cases of Tuberculosis

a circular letter from the Local Road Board, dated 24th April 1914, on the subject of the urgent necessity of making provision for the proper isolation of

of advanced cases of Tuberculosis, so as to prevent the spread of infection from such cases having been read, the Chairman having stated that the suggestions contained in the Board's circular would have a great effect on the scheme to be adopted by the Joint Committee appointed by the Co. Council and the Insurance Committee for the County, and it should be considered in conjunction therewith, this course was agreed to.

Tuberculosis Dispensary at Letterkenny

Mr. J. P. McFrath, architect and Civil Engineer Londonderry, who was present submitted preliminary plans of Tuberculosis Dispensary at Letterkenny, but it was decided to refer their consideration to the Joint Committee appointed to formulate scheme -

Trade Board's act 1909. Contacts of Local authorities

a circular letter from the Local Road Board, dated 24th April 1914, on the above subject, was read, Road Board Grant.

a letter, dated 29th April 1914, from the Road Board referring to the County Surveyor's letters of the 30th January and 21st Feb, last, making application on behalf of the Donegal Co. Council for a grant towards certain works of road improvement in Co. Donegal, and stating that the Board are prepared to make a grant of £10,000 in respect of works of improvement estimated to cost £17,726, and enclosing draft statements of grant for verification of the proposed works, having been read, the Secretary stated that he forwarded the statements to the County Surveyor to verify particulars. He had had received the statements back and had returned them to the Road Board.

Payments out of Road Board Grant

On the suggestion of Mr. John Caffrey, Co. Surveyor Donegal it was decided that when Road Board remit amount of their grant towards certain works of improvement in Co. Donegal that a separate account be opened in Bank for the purpose of making payments to workmen, &c.

C. J. Board written to 14th April

Labours acts. Outstanding Loans

a Schedule, dated 24th April 1914, recd. from the Local Aut. Board showing particulars of amounts remitted to the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland toward the repayment of outstanding Loans under the above acts. Charges in certain Rural Districts in Co. Donegal was submitted. The Secretary was directed to write the L.A. Board for a list of the defuncts and their respective addresses.

Breaking Stones on Side of a Road

a letter dated 4th May 1914, from the Co. Inspector R. D. Lattinomy to the effect that it had been brought under his notice that a Steam Engine, used for breaking stones was being worked on the public road at Drumberg on 25th April 1914, and pointing out that it is illegal to use the Engine on the Side of the road, and an offence against 28 & 29 Vic, c. 63, Sec. 6. Having been read the Secretary was directed to reply to the effect that the breaking of Stones by machinery is of recent date and that the matter will be looked into.

Condition of a County Road.

a Letter dated 5th May 1914, from the Civil Lysts Office Dublin, on the Subject of the State of the County road leading from the Congested District Board's site down to the Lake at Drumora, having been read, the County Surveyor stated that this portion of the road was not under Contract. He was directed to bring a Proposal before the R.D.C. and request that Body to have said road put into proper repair.

Appointment of Co. Surveyors in Ireland.

a Circular letter, dated 6th May 1914, from the L.A. Board enclosing copy of a new order prescribing the qualifications of County Surveyors in Ireland, was National Insurance Act 1911, Part II

Employment Insurance

a Circular letter, dated 7th May 1914, from the Board of Trade, enclosing drafts of two Spende orders which the Board propose to make, pursuant to Section 103 of the above act, extending the provisions of Part II of the act (Unemployment

L.A. Board written to 21/5/14

County Inspector R. D. L. written to 21/5/14

Civil Lysts Office written to 21/5/14

Insured) to the Trade specified in the orders, was read, and no action taken.

Permission to erect Pillars

a letter from Mrs. Anne M. Vohr, Nesbitt Arms Hotel, Ardara, requesting the Council's permission to erect two Pillars for porch in front of her Hotel, on the same lines as Mr. O'Sullivan's at Denton, having been read permission was granted, subject to the approval of Mr. Caffrey, Co. Surveyor.

Retaking over of a Road

a letter from Mr. Mr. Hamilton, Raphoe, on the Subject of the taking over by the Co. Council from the Strabane and Pottersmerry Railway Coy. the road from the Railway Station to the town of Raphoe, through Mr. Stoney's Demesne, also a report of Mr. O'Sullivan, County Surveyor, having been read the Secretary was directed to write the Railway Company with a view to ascertaining what they intend to do with the road in question as the County Council cannot take the matter into consideration the road at present being in such an imperfect state. At the same time the Council were of opinion they had no legal power to take over said road and in this respect they would be guided by their Solicitor.

The Celebration of the 900th Anniversary of the historic Battle of Clontarf.

a Circular letter from the Town Clerk, Dublin, stating that the Dublin Corporation have decided, by resolution, to invite the aid of other Public, Educational and kindred authorities, in order to effect a fitting celebration of the nine hundredth anniversary of the historic Battle of Clontarf, was read and no action taken.

Permission to erect a Stone Wall

an application by Mrs. Hannah Mc Clinchy, Mrs. Clinchy's Hotel, Cloughan, requesting permission to erect a Stone wall opposite her house, having been considered, permission was granted subject to the approval of Mr. Caffrey, Co. Surveyor.

Mrs. Mc Vohr's written to 21/5/14

Mrs. Hamilton Railway Coy written to 16/6/14

Mrs. Mc Clinchy written to 21/5/14

Foods and Drugs Act

at the request of the County Inspector R. J. O'Rourke, the undermentioned members of the Force were appointed Inspectors under above act -
acting Sgt. Patrick Massey, Ballyshannon. Petty Sessions District Ballyshannon
acting Sgt. James Walsh, Killybeggs. Killybeggs

of documents sent to County Inspector R. J. O'Rourke 21/5/14

a letter from the Secretary Bridge Commissioners office, Derry, enclosing a copy of the Commission's accounts for the year ended 31st Dec. 1913, was read.

Landship on County Road

a letter from Miss Isabella Armstrong, Millview, Bridgetown, Co. Donegal, drawing the Co. Council's attention to a landship which has occurred on what is known as the 'new road' leading from Bridgetown on to the Ballintra road, having been read, the Co. Surveyor stated the Donegal R.D. Council at their recent half yearly meeting passed a proposal to have the said road repaired where the landship occurred and that the work would be tendered for at the adjourned half-yearly meeting of the District Council. The Secy was directed to write Miss Armstrong, to that effect.

Miss Armstrong writes to 21/5/14

Condition of a County Road

a letter, dated 2nd May 1914 from Mr. John A. Penderoy, Estate Office, Mountcharles, enclosing copy of a notice served on the Donegal R.D. Council to the effect that the Marquis of Conyngham intends to apply for a Mandamus directed either to the District Council or the County Council, as he may be advised, to have the road from Mountcharles P.O. along the shore to Donegal kept in repair, having been read, the County Surveyor stated that the Donegal R.D. Council at their recent half yearly meeting, passed a proposal for the repair of said road, and that the work will be tendered for at the adjourned half yearly meeting of the R.D. Council. The Secy was directed to write Mr. Penderoy to that effect.

Condition of the road in Arranmore

a further letter from Mr. Hugh O'Donnell, Arranmore relative to the condition of the road in Arranmore, having been read, the Secretary was

was directed to send a copy of Mr. O'Donnell's letter to the Greater R.D. Council
Motor Licence Duties

Copy of a resolution passed by Council (County) Committee the Irish Road Improvement Association on the subject of the payment of motor licence duties having been read, the Secretary stated that he had furnished the information solicited in copy resolution to the Road Board some time ago.

Explores Act 1875

Renewal of a Licence (No. 34) under above act was granted to Mr. James Ke, Ballybofey.

Condition of a County Road

Copy of a resolution of Donegal R.D. Council requesting the Co. Council to instruct the Co. Surveyor, Mr. Caffrey, to take steps to put in repair 500 perches of the road, between Green Crossroads and Carrickshandrum Bridge, having been read, it was decided to take no action as this was the road on which which the magistrates refused to grant an order to enter a Quarry for the purpose of obtaining road metal.

Secy

Donegal R.D. Council written to 21/5/14
Donegal R.D. Council written to 21/5/14

Permission to erect a porch

an application by Mr. Murray O'weeney, Dungle, requesting the Council's permission to erect an iron porch outside Hotel in Dungle, similar to the one Mr. Pat O'Donnell put up outside his premises in Glenties, having been considered permission was granted. Subject to the approval of Mr. John Caffrey, Co. Surveyor.

Town Surveyor in Buncrana Urban District

a letter from the Town Clerk Buncrana enclosing copy of a letter received from the R.D. Board regarding the proposed appointment of Mr. Edward O'Keefe, as Town Surveyor, in the Buncrana Urban District and wishing to be informed whether the consent of the Co. Council has been obtained to Mr. O'Keefe's acceptance of the position of Town Surveyor, having been read, the Secretary was directed to reply to the Town Clerk.

Town Clerk written to 21/5/14

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to the effect that the Co. Council have not been asked for their consent.

Forestry

A Resoln Duplicate from William Dixon to the Rosargal County Council in respect of a plot of ground taken by Co. Rosargal Committee of Agriculture for Forestry purposes were submitted and the Chair of the Council ordered to be affixed thereto.

Permission to open Co. road

An application for permission to open the road from Ardara Rectory to end of main water pipe in Ardara for the purpose of laying a condemned iron pipe was considered, and permission granted subject to the approval of Mr. Caffrey Co. Surveyor applicant - James Gudas East Fort, Ballyshannon

Limit of Road Expenditure Section R. 10.

A letter from the Clerk Section R. D. Council stating that the R. D. Council have declined to act on the recommendation of the Co. Council to apply to the L.G. Board for their sanction to an increase in the legal limit of expenditure on roads in the Rural District in respect of the current financial year, was read.

Sheep Deal.

A letter, dated 15th Aug, 1914, from the Department of Agriculture & Veterinary Branch, on the subject of a stray sheep reported to be diseased in a field in Lintre Estate and stating that Mr. W. Shaw, V.S. has informed the Department that after repeated visits he failed to find the animal and the Police State it has disappeared from the field and it is quite possible that it has strayed up the mountain which lies at the back of the field it was found in, and suggesting that the Local authority should take the matter in hand with a view to such preventive action as may seem to them to be necessary, having regard to the representations in the Department's Circular of March last, having been read, no action was taken.

Tenders for a 10-ton Steam Roller

Mr. ~~Caffrey~~ Submitted tenders to supply a 10-ton Steam Roller, and on the motion of Councillor Clarke, seconded by Councillor Hanna the lowest tender

Caffrey Duplicate returned to Mr. Caffrey 21/5/14

Mr. Gudas in return to 21/5/14

tender for £440 4 10, was accepted

Establishing of Technical School

A letter from the Secretary Co. Rosargal Joint Technical Instruction Committee stating that the Committee have decided to establish this year two Technical Schools in Ballyshannon & Lettaskey, and for the purpose they propose renting a house at each Centre on a short lease

The Committee have been informed that it is necessary that the Leases should be made to the Co. Council and desire that the Councils consent to the leasing of the houses should be secured, having been read, it was unanimously resolved on the motion of Councillor McArthur, seconded by Councillor Clarke, that the said Leases be made to the Co. Council -

Appointment of Engine Driver

Applications for the position of Engine Driver in connection with Steam Road Roller were then considered.

Councillor Clarke proposed that Mr. Rogers, Mr. Bride St. Raphael, be appointed

Councillor Hanna seconded

Councillor William Gallagher proposed that Mr. McFlinty of Costanama Castle be appointed

Councillor McFadden seconded

A vote was then taken

For Mr. McFlinty - Councillors Dunlop, Mr. Gallagher, Boyle, Edward Gallagher, Lowry, Magee, Mulhern, Mr. Fadden, Mr. Del, Mr. Kelly & P. H. O'Donnell - 11.

For Rogers - Councillors Clark, Hanna, & McArthur - 3

The Chairman declared Mr. McFlinty appointed

A letter from George Mc Dermott, Ballinacree, applying for a transfer, being driver of No. 6. Engine in the Southern Division of the County to the position of Driver of New Steam Roller in the northern Division, having been read, the matter was left in Mr. Chadman's hands to arrange

Appointment of Flagman

Applications for the position of Flagman in connection with Steam Road Roller were then considered

Mr. Chadman to write to 21/5/14

The following persons were proposed and seconded

Proposed by	Seconded by	Name of person proposed & seconded
① Councillor M. Arthur	Councillor Edward J. Gallagher	James Lynch, Carragehouse, Burrenfoot
② Councillor Magee	Councillor M. E. Lee	John Kelly, Canal Quays, Westport
③ Councillor Hanna	Councillor Clarke	John Peoples, Dundas St Johnston
④ Councillor Lowry	Councillor Boyle	William Coyle, Ballentackey, Rathoe
⑤ Councillor Wm. Gallagher	Councillor P. A. O'Donnell	John Patton, Lisie's mill, Cusheen

a vote was then taken

For Lynch - Councillors Edward J. Gallagher, and M. Arthur - 2

For Kelly - Councillors Dunlevy, Magee, M. Hadden, & M. Lee - 4

For Peoples - Councillors Clarke, and Hanna - 2

For Coyle - Councillors Boyle, Lowry, Mueharn, 3

For Patton - Councillors Wm. Gallagher, M. Lee, & P. A. O'Donnell - 3

a vote was then taken as between Peoples and Lynch.

For Peoples - Councillors Dunlevy, Clarke, Hanna, Lowry, Magee, and members - 6

For Lynch - Councillors Wm. Gallagher, Boyle, Edward J. Gallagher, Mueharn, M. Arthur, M. Hadden, M. Lee, & P. A. O'Donnell - 8

Peoples having received the least number of votes dropped out and a vote was taken as between Coyle, Patton, and Lynch.

For Coyle - Councillors Dunlevy, Boyle, Lowry, & Mueharn - 4

For Patton - Councillors Wm. Gallagher, Clarke, Magee, M. Lee, and P. A. O'Donnell - 5

For Lynch - Councillors Edward J. Gallagher, Hanna, M. Arthur, M. Hadden & M. Lee - 5

Coyle having received the least number of votes dropped out and a vote was taken as between Patton, Lynch, and Kelly.

For Patton - Councillors Wm. Gallagher, Clarke, Magee, & P. A. O'Donnell, 4

For Lynch - Councillors Boyle, Edward J. Gallagher, Hanna, Lowry, & M. Arthur, 5

For Kelly - Councillors Dunlevy, Magee, Mueharn, M. Hadden, M. Lee, 5

Patton dropped out and a vote was then taken as between Kelly and Lynch.

For Kelly - Councillors Dunlevy, Wm. Gallagher, Clarke, Magee, Mueharn, M. Hadden, & M. Lee - 7

For Lynch - Councillors Boyle, Edward J. Gallagher, Hanna, Lowry, M. Arthur, M. Lee, and P. A. O'Donnell - 7

Having

Having each received an equal number of votes the Chairman gave his casting vote in favor of Kelly and declared him duly appointed Flagman -

Councillor William Gallagher proposed that flagmen employed in connection with Ottau Kales and Stone Breakers be permitted, when a vacancy occurs, to the position of Engine Driver, after 2 years service and being of full age, provided they are recommended for the position by the County Surveyors of the County.

Councillor Dunlevy seconded and the matter was unanimously agreed to.

Confirmed,
James Dunlevy, Chairman,
14th June 1914.

Copy minutes sent to Mr. Sweeney Secy. of Board Co. Surveyors and Mr. W. W. Mason 15/6/14 and to each member of the Council 18/6/14

Mr. W. W. Mason did not attend

The Annual Meeting of the County Council was held on Thursday the 8th June 1914.

Attendance

The Members present were: Councillors James Dunlop, Wm. J. Sadgler, Boyle, Callaghan, Clark, Colburn, Coll, Davidson, Doherty, Flood, Anthony Sadgler, Edward Sadgler, Jack Stuan, Mr. Torman, Kelly, Lowry, Magee, Mitchell, McConalogue, McSwitt, Mr. Madden, McEneaney, Mr. Finlay, Mr. Kelly, Mr. O'Donnell, James F. O'Donnell, and Patrick A. O'Donnell

Councillor James Dunlop, the retiring Chairman occupied the chair until the Chairman for the Year was appointed

Declarations of acceptance of Office

The Councillors present signed their Declarations of acceptance of Office.

Co-opting of additional members

Councillor Dunlop moved that Mr. Joseph M. Arthur, J.P. Carronawaddy Burt. be co-opted an additional member of the Council, Councillor Mitchell seconded, Councillors William Doherty and Clarke supported the motion which was put to the meeting and declared unanimously agreed to

Councillor Edward Sadgler moved that Mr. M. Muehler J.P. Letterkenny, be also co-opted an additional member of the Council, Councillor Colburn seconded and the matter was unanimously agreed to

Minutes

On the motion of Councillor William Sadgler, seconded by Councillor William Doherty, the minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Appointment of Chairman

Councillor William Sadgler moved that Mr. James Dunlop be re-appointed Chairman of the Council for the Year Councillor Colburn seconded, Councillors Clarke and Lowry supported the motion which was put to the meeting and declared unanimously agreed to

Appointment of Vice-Chairman

Councillor James Dunlop moved that Councillor William Sadgler be re-appointed Vice-Chairman of the Council for the Year, Councillor Francis Callaghan having

having seconded the matter was unanimously agreed to

Finance Committee
The following Committees were then appointed Councillor Dunlop moved that all the members of the Council constitute the Finance Committee, Councillor Edward Sadgler seconded and the matter was unanimously agreed to

Proposal Committee
Councillor William Sadgler moved that all the members of the Council constitute the Proposal Committee, Councillor Edward Sadgler seconded and the matter was unanimously agreed to

Review of Animals Committee
On the motion of Councillor Dunlop seconded by Councillor Colburn the Review of Animals Committee was re-appointed with the exception that Councillor James F. O'Donnell was appointed a member of said Committee in room of the late Mr. Wm. McDesmett

Asylum Committee
On the motion of Councillor Wm. Sadgler seconded by Councillor Edward Sadgler the Asylum Committee was re-appointed with the exception that Councillor James F. O'Donnell was appointed a member of the said Committee in place of the late Councillor McDesmett

County Poor Law Infirmary Committee
On the motion of Councillor Clarke seconded by Councillor Magee the County Poor Law Infirmary Committee was re-appointed with the exception that Anon Edward Adams Dufford was appointed a member of said Committee in room of the Rev. W. L. Rutledge who has left the District

Letterkenny Fever Hospital Committee
On the motion of Councillor Dunlop seconded by Councillor Anthony Sadgler the Letterkenny Fever Hospital Committee was re-appointed

Rameltan Fever Hospital Committee
On the motion of Councillor Dunlop seconded by Councillor Anthony Sadgler the Rameltan Fever Hospital Committee was also re-appointed

Clark a member of the Asylum Committee 15/6/14

Mr. H. Duffin was appointed a member of the County Poor Law Infirmary Committee 15/6/14

County Donegal Joint Technical Instruction Committee

On the motion of Councillor Dunlevy seconded
Decided by Councillor Edward Sheehy for
Co. Donegal Joint Technical Instruction
Committee was re-appointed

Local Pension Committee

Councillor Dunlevy moved that all the
members of the Council nominate the
Local Pension Committee, Councillor William
Sheehy seconded, and the matter was
unanimously agreed to. It was decided
that 4 members form a Quorum.

Rathmullan Pier Committee

On the motion of Councillor Kelly seconded
by Councillor Davidson the following
persons were appointed members of
Rathmullan Pier Committee

- Wm. Rev. James Canon Sheehy V.P. Rathmullan
- Rev. John Brewster ... do
- Captain Fitzmaurice O'Shea ... do
- Edward Gurney, Pier Hotel ... do
- John St. Duney, Postmaster ... do
- John McEvoy ... do
- Patrick Callaghan ... do
- Michael Boney, Greengary ... do
- Thos. O'Donnell, Cross Hotel ... do
- Charles Legg ... do

Members of Pier Committee
10/6/14

National Insurance Act 1911. Insuring Certain Employees
The Consideration of a Report of the Secy. to the Co. Council
as to the liability to insure Employees of the
Donegal Co. Council under above act, was referred
to the Finance Committee

Motor License Duties

A letter from Mr. Wm. Wilson, Col. Strabane, on the subject
of the Collection of motor License duties, and
stating that the definition of a Hackney Carriage
under Section 4 of the Customs and Inland Revenue
Act 1888, is "any Carriage standing or plying for hire" if
the applicants for exemption have their cars
for hire to any person who wants them, he thinks
they would be Hackney Cars within the meaning
of the exemption, but of course they would have
to satisfy the Council as to their being in this
position, having been read, the matter was referred
to the Secretary to deal with

Scheme for the treatment of persons suffering from Tuberculosis

A scheme formulated by the Joint Committee appointed
by County Donegal Insurance Committee and the
County Council, respectively, for the treatment
of persons suffering from Tuberculosis, was
submitted and on the motion of Councillor
Dunlevy, seconded by Councillor William Sheehy
it was unanimously adopted and the Secretary
directed to transmit copies of the Scheme
to the Local Joint Board and Insurance
Commission, respectively, for their approval

Copy Scheme sent to Local Board
and National Health Commission
10/6/14

Ms. Sheehy
written to
10/6/14

Harbour master
written to
10/6/14

The Consideration of an application by Mr. D. Morrow,
College St. Ballyshannon, Rev. Secretary Ballyshannon
District Nursing Association for a grant to the
fund of the association, was dismissed for
the present

A letter from the Captain in charge of miners
Loughswilly, Rathmullan, complaining of the
inconvenience caused to the landing and embarkation
of officers and Libertymen by reason of the
Sijfers, at times, remaining alongside Rathmullan
Pier

County Donegal Joint Technical Instruction Committee

On the motion of Councillor Dunlevy seconded by Councillor Edward Seery for Co. Donegal Joint Technical Instruction Committee was re-appointed

Local Pension Committee

Councillor Dunlevy moved that all the members of the Council nominate the Local Pension Committee, Councillor William Seeger seconded, and the matter was unanimously agreed to. It was decided that 4 members form a Quorum.

On the motion of Councillor Kelly seconded by Councillor Davidson the following persons were appointed members of Rathmullan Pier Committee

Rathmullan Pier Committee

- Very Rev. James Canon Seeger S.P., Rathmullan
- Rev. John Brewster ... do
- Captain Fitzmaurice Acton ... do
- Edward Seery, Pier Hotel ... do
- John St. Seery, Portwalter ... do
- John McFerry ... do
- Patrick Callaghan ... do
- Michael Seery, Greenvary ... do
- Thos O'Donnell, Cross Kells ... do
- Charles Legg ... do

members of Pier Committee notified 19/6/14

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Scheme for the treatment of persons suffering from Tuberculosis

a scheme formulated by the Joint Committee appointed by County Donegal Insurance Committee and the County Council, respectively, for the treatment of persons suffering from Tuberculosis, was submitted and on the motion of Councillor Dunlevy seconded by Councillor William Seeger it was unanimously adopted and the Secretary directed to transmit copies of the Scheme to the Local Port Board and Insurance Commission, respectively, for their approval

Copy Scheme sent to Port Board and National Health Commission 19/6/14

Mr. McFerry written to 19/6/14

Harbour master written to 19/6/14

The consideration of an application by Mr. D. Sparrow, College St. Ballyshannon, Rev. Secretary Ballyshannon District Nursing Association for a grant to the funds of the association, was approved for the present

a letter from the Captain in charge of mine-layers Longbowley Rathmullan, complaining of the inconvenience caused to the landing and embarkation of officers and Libertymen by reason of the Sijfers, at times, remaining alongside Rathmullan Pier

Pier for no apparent purpose, having been read the Secretary stated that on receipt of the letter he wrote the Harbour Master to try and regulate the traffic at the Pier so as to minimize the inconvenience complained of at Rathmullan Pier

a letter from the County Surveyor R. D. P. Letherbury stating that a steamer on N.M.S. "Apollo" was drowned at Rathmullan on 19th May 1914 by falling over side of Pier there. On the 20th inst. an Inquest was held at which a verdict of drowning was found. The jury added a rider drawing attention to the very dangerous state of the Pier at Rathmullan through having neither lights nor protecting rail, having been read, the matter was referred to Rathmullan Pier Committee for consideration.

Dunurane Committee

arising out of a letter, dated 30th May 1914, the Council appointed the following persons (10) as members of the Dunurane Committee for Co. Downgal
James Dunlop Esq. Downgal, Michael Cassidy, J.P. Erno View Ballyshannon, James Grant J.P. Goshill, Wm. Roberts J.P. Buncrana, William Searles, J.P. Castlefm, Wm. Hanna J.P. Whitehouse Carrigan, Mr. Mulron J.P. Letherbury, Hugh McNeill J.P. Bieford, Mr. Dan McNeill, Knap Park, Glenties, and Miss Berrie Moss, Lifford.

a letter, dated 1st June 1914, from Messrs Roberts and Sons, Garage, Foye at, Berrry, on the subject of the motor service between Berrry, Moville, & Greencastle, and the size of motor cars, and requesting the Downgal Co. Council to grant authority to them to run cars up to, but not exceeding 5 1/2 tons when fully loaded having been read, the Secretary was directed to state in reply that the Co. Council, as at present advised, cannot ^{accord} to the request.

to Edward O'Callaghan, Assistant Surveyor

a letter from Mr. Edward O'Callaghan, Assistant County Surveyor, Buncrana, stating that the Urban District Council of Buncrana, have appointed him as Town Surveyor for the Urban area, and requesting the Co. Council to consent to this arrangement, having been read,

Copy letter sent to Pier Committee 10/6/14

Commissioner written to 9/6/14

Messrs Roberts & Sons written to 10/6/14

Mr. Edw. O'Callaghan and Town Clerk written to 10/6/14

it was unanimously resolved on the motion of Councillor William Doherty, seconded by Councillor McConlogue, that the Council consent to this arrangement

Permission to erect a Shed

an application by Mr. Charles Kelly, Petermanny Steam mill, Petermanny, for permission to erect a shed at or near the Quay at Dougal, in which to store food, having been considered, permission was granted subject to the approval of Mr. Coffey County Surveyor, and to Mr. Kelly entering into an agreement with the County Council to remove said shed at any time when called upon on receiving a month's notice and paying to the Council a nominal rent of 7/- per annum. The agreement to be prepared by the Dept. to the Council and Mr. Kelly to pay the cost of its preparation

Explosives Act - 1875

a Renewal of a Licence (No. 87) was granted to Mr. Andrew Wilkinson, General merchant, Greenlong

Private & Pharmacy Act

Renewal of a Licence (No. 4) under above act was issued to Mr. Charles A. Ramsay, General merchant, Dunfanaghy.

Harbour dues at Malinhead Pier

a letter from the Harbour Master at Malinhead Pier on the subject of the refusal of certain parties to pay dues on goods landed on said Pier having been read, the Secretary was directed to obtain particulars of the amounts due and subsequently to instruct the Dept. to the County Council to institute proceedings with a view to the recovery of the amounts.

Restrictions on Shipment of Cattle

a letter from the Secretary Londonderry Chamber of Commerce forwarding copies of two letters from Exporters of Cattle; also copy resolution passed by the Chamber regarding the restrictions on shipment of cattle, having been read, the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Chas. Kelly written to 10/6/14

License issued

re Attendance of Jurors at assizes
 a letter from the Town Clerk Belfast, stating that
 Complaints have reached the Law Committee of that
 Corporation of the trouble and inconvenience caused
 to Jurors summoned to the assizes, who have to
 remain in attendance in case they should be called,
 and the assistance of the Committee has been
 requested in an effort to obtain some relief, and
 asking if the Dougal Co. Council would be willing
 to join in making representation to His Excellency
 the Lord Lieutenant, with a view to bringing about
 for the County generally, an extension of such
 portions of the Common Law Procedure (Ireland) Act
 1853 amendment act 27 and 28 Vic, c 28, which applies
 only to Co. Down, as would be applicable and
 would give the relief sought, and enclosing for the
 information of the Council a copy of this act having
 been read. In the motion of Councillor Edward Gallagher
 seconded by Councillor Colman the Council unanimously
 agreed to join in a representation to the Lord
 Lieutenant with a view to bringing about the relief
 sought.

Road Clerk Belfast written to 12/16/14

Labourers Act - Outstanding Roads

a letter from the Local Foot Roads (Labourers) Department
 on the subject of the amounts remitted to the
 Commissioners of Public Works under the Purchase
 of Land (Ireland) Act 1891, and the Labourers (Ireland)
 Act 1906, having been read the Secretary was directed
 to again request the Local Foot Roads to
 furnish the Co. Council with a list of the
 defaulter and their respective addresses
Loan of £2,000.

In connection with a loan of £2,000 to be
 obtained from the Commissioners of Public Works
 in Ireland the following undertaking was given
 on the motion of Councillor Dunne seconded by
 Councillor Wm Gallagher, and the Secy of the Council ordered
 to be affixed thereto.

Purpose of Loan - Purchasing Ottawa Rolling Plant

The Dougal County Council hereby undertake that the
 instalments in repayment of the loan now proposed,
 as well as of any existing loans will be punctually
 remitted at the dates at which they become due, viz:-

Undertaking sent to Board of works 17/1/14

Monday and 1st November, in each Year."

Rates on Labourers Cottages - Collector Mr. Luchey's District

a letter from the Board of Foot Roads enclosing copy of
 correspondence between the latter body and Collector Mr. Luchey
 relative to rates on certain Labourers Cottages in his
 District, was read. On it being intimated that the
 collector had not adopted the Board's suggestion of
 making a further claim upon the Council for refund
 of the arrears in these cases, the County Council
 decided to take no action, and regard, however, the
 second paragraph of the Board's letter, outlining an
 arrangement under which the Rates could be collected
 along with the rent on such holdings it was decided
 to refer the matter to each Rural District Council
 in the County.

Rating of Burtport Railway Extension

The Report of the Special Committee appointed for the
 purpose of formulating representations in opposition
 to the application of the Londonderry & Long Down
 Railway Coy. for an extension by 10 Years of the
 period of exemption from assessment for local
 Rates in respect of the Burtport Extension Railway,
 under article 13 of the Order in Council, was submitted
 and approved by the Council and directions
 given to forward a copy thereof to His Excellency
 the Lord Lieutenant.

County Dougal Committee of Agriculture

The following persons were appointed members of
 above Committee

- The most Rev. D. D. O'Connell, Joseph W. Arthur J.P. The most Rev. D. MacHugh,
- The Right Rev. Monsignor McFlynn J.P. D. D. The Right Rev. Monsignor Walker,
- J.P. D. D. The Very Rev. Canon Kelly J.P. D. D. The Very Rev. Canon Daly, J.P.
- The Very Rev. Canon Roberts J.P. The Very Rev. Canon Ferguson, J.P.
- The Very Rev. Canon Maguire D.D. J.P. The Very Rev. Canon McFadden
- J.P. D. D. The Very Rev. Canon Downey, J.P. The Very Rev. Edward McKernan
- D. D. J.P. The Very Rev. George McMeel, D.D. J.P. The Very Rev. Hugh O'Leary,
- J.P. D. D. Rev. F. J. Brennan J.P. Rev. Jas. Cannon J.P. Rev.
- Anthony Farrell J.P. Rev. John Gibbon J.P. Rev. Jas. Hassan,
- J.P. Rev. Hugh Kerr J.P. Rev. Jas. Maguire J.P. Rev. James
- Morris, J.P. Rev. Patrick McCafferty J.P. Rev. Francis McCallagh,
- J.P. Rev. Cornelius McManamin J.P. Rev. Hugh McManamin J.P.
- Rev. John M. Mackey, J.P., Rev. Philip O'Doherty J.P., Rev. James

County Council Committee of Agriculture Contd

Rev. James O'Hara, P.P. Rev. Michael Sheerin P.P. Rev. Hugh Gallagher, adm.
 Rev. John Mc Cafferty, adm. Rev. James Black, Rev. John Barry, C.C.
 Rev. John Duggan C.C. Rev. Edward Doherty, C.C. Rev. Charles Kennedy, C.C.
 Rev. Michael McHugh, C.C. Rev. P. Sheridan C.C. Rev. C. Tinnis, C.C.
 Rev. John Kinsella, Henry Rogge, G. James Bower, G. Patrick Bower, G.
 Charles Boyle, G. John Boyle, G. Bracey, G. Michael Cassidy, D.P.
 Francis Callaghan J.P. James Clarke J.P. Michael Callan, J.P. William
 Colman J.P. Albert Corcoran, Thomas Davidson, Michael Devine
 Wm. Doherty, Michael Dunne, W. H. Donnellson, Edw. Gallagher, D.P.
 Wm. Gallagher, J.P. Wm. Gallagher, J.P. (Annapolis) Thos. Jordan, J.P.
 Wm. J. Hanna, J.P. James Haumen, J.P. James Harke, John Harris, J.P.
 Major E. H. Johnston, J.P. Chas. Keely, Pat. Keely, J.P. Andrew Lowry, J.P.
 Jas. McCall, Edward McFady, J.P. John Mc Dermott, J.P.
 Francis McDevitt, J.P. James McFehan, John McFegan, James
 McFougale, Michael McKinney, Jas. McLaughlin, Thos. McMeety,
 George Magee, Wm. Magee, Michael McGuire, Joseph Mitchell Thos.
 Mulhearn, J.P. Bernard Murray, John O'Donnell, Hugh
 O'Donnell, P. O'Donnell, J.P. Wm. J. O'Donnell, Samuel
 Rankin, also Rowland, Council H. Ward, J.P. and
 John Ward.

Identification Mark for a motor Car

A letter from Mr. Murray, Dunmore, Dunmore, requesting the
 County Council to assign to him a special identification
 mark for a motor car, having been read, it was decided
 that the identification mark be I.H. and that the figure
 I be inverted after the letter C. It was also resolved
 that the annual fee for such identification mark be £1.

Conferred,
 H. Gallagher, Chairman,
 23rd June 1914.

Copy handed
 sent to each
 member of the
 Co. Council
 in Wm. Wilson
 & Co. Curriers
 2/7/14.

Mr. Wilson attended

A Half-Party meeting was held on the 23rd day
 of June 1914.

Attendance

The members present were:-

Councillors William Gallagher, Boyle, Call, Edward Gallagher,
 Jacob Jordan, Hanna, Keely, Downy, Magee, Mitchell
 McFury, McNeil, Hugh O'Donnell, James P. O'Donnell,
 Patrick O'Donnell and Wm. Lisle.

Councillor William Gallagher - occupied the chair

The medical Tuberculosis Officer was also in
 attendance

Minutes

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed

Proposals for Payment

The Proposals for Payment, as reported by the Finance
 Committee in respect of half Year ended 31st March
 1914, were (without modification) ordered to be paid

Treasurer's advice notes

Treasurer's advice notes (enclosed) numbered from 1 to
 including and dated 23rd June 1914, were submitted
 by the Secretary and duly signed by the Presiding
 Chairman, and two members of the Council

Claim for Payment on foot of Road Contracts

A letter from Mr. Jas. Boyle (Jas.), Tullagh, Carrigart, Misses
 Ruwal District, requesting to be paid in respect
 of work done to two Road Contracts, having
 been read, and Mr. O'Donnell, Co. Curriers, stating
 that he had to be prosecuted, no action was taken
 re No main Road

A Notice of motion by Councillor Call re placing
 of all leading or trunk roads in the County
 under the sole control of the Co. Council and
 maintained as a County at large charge was
 then taken up but the presiding Chairman ruled
 that before the motion could be considered a
 motion to rescind the No main road resolution
 would require to be made

In this connection the consideration of
 copy of a resolution of Dunmore R.D. Council
 against the taking over by the Co. Council of the
 main road in the County, was adjourned

Loan of £2,000

a letter, dated 19th May 14, from the Local Govt. Board expressing their sanction to a loan of £2,000 - being obtained for the purpose of purchasing Oteam Rolling Plant; also a letter, dated 10th June 14, from the Local Govt. Board stating that they have recommended to the Commissioners of Public Works the loan in question were read.

Eschequer Grant in aid of Tuberculosis

a letter, dated 9th June 14, from the Local Govt. Board stating that with regard to the Eschequer grant in aid of Tuberculosis that grant is available for defraying half the net expenditure of the Ld. Council incurred in a scheme for the treatment of Tuberculosis, approved by the Local Government Board. As regards Capital expenditure on the establishment of Hospitals and Dispensaries for Tuberculosis, it would be open to the Donegal Co. Council, subject to the Board's sanction, to defray by means of a loan, the balance of Capital outlay not covered by the County share of the Sanatorium Grant, was read.

Scheme for the treatment of Tuberculosis

a letter, dated 19th June 14, from the Local Govt. Board relative to the scheme for the treatment of Tuberculosis prepared by the Joint Committee of representatives of the Donegal Co. Council and Donegal County Insurance Committee and stating that the scheme appears to have been carefully prepared and subject to any alterations which it may be found necessary to make, the Board are pleased to give their approval to it.

As regards Capital expenditure, it will be observed on reference to the Board's letter of the 22nd ult. return that the Donegal Co. Council might receive on a sum of roughly, £2,500, as being at present available from the Sanatorium Grant in aid of the accommodation to be supplied by the Ld. Council, after deducting the estimated amount required to meet the cost of the twenty beds provided by the Women's National Health Association on behalf of the County at Deamunt Sanatorium.

The balance of the Capital outlay could, with the Board's approval, be raised by means of a loan and the annual amount required to meet

Ld. Board written to 24. 6. 14

meet the interest and sinking fund could be charged to the maintenance account, one half being defrayed from the County rates and the other half by the Eschequer Grant.

The Board note that the estimated annual expenditure amounts to £4,200 and the receipts from the Insurance Committee are calculated at £1,775, half of which would be borne by the County Rates and half by the Eschequer Grant was read.

The Secretary was directed to write the Local Government Board and point out that the Donegal County Council never agreed to take any beds at Deamunt and at the same time to state that the Council are only bound by the scheme above referred to -

In this connection the following Sub-Committee was appointed to take charge of the scheme in conjunction with a Sub-Committee to be appointed by the Insurance Committee for County Donegal -

- Councillors Duvy, W. F. O'Connell, W. Brennan, James Col, Edward F. O'Connell, W. J. Hanna, Andrew Leary, George Magee, Thomas Meehan, Patrick McFadden, James F. O'Sullivan, and Patrick H. O'Sullivan.

Revision of Valuation

On the motion of Councillor Meehan, seconded by Councillor Boyle, it was unanimously resolved that the changes indicated in the Valuation Lists to be forwarded to the Valuation Office Dublin, and the opinion of this County Council, necessary and should be made by the Commissioners of Valuation in the Valuation Books to be issued for Rating purposes on the 1st March 1915.

Re Purchase of a Quarry

The consideration of a letter from Mr. O'Sullivan, County Surveyor, re purchase of a Quarry at Craytown, Ballinacraig, was adjourned -

Re Loan of £2,500

Mr. O'Sullivan, County Surveyor, reported that of a loan obtained in Nov. 1911, for the purchase of Road Plant there remains a balance unexpended of £300. He would like to advise of this for the purchase of a Wagon's

Sp Board
written to
2/16/14

to deliver road metal. If the Council agree, he would draft, with the Secretary, a letter to L. Govt. Road before seeking tenders. So as to ascertain whether the Road has any objection to this balance being so utilized. The report was unanimously agreed to on the motion of Councillor Hanna seconded by Councillor Muehlem.

Method of ordering Stores for Rollers &c
Mr. Madigan, County Surveyor, reported as follows
Gentlemen

The auditor at his recent audit raised a point about the ordering of Stores in connection with Road Roller Works and the pricing of many in the hands of the Secretary for meeting District items. The matter can be put all right by the Co. Council passing a resolution such as the following

That the method of ordering Stores for Road Rollers and Stone Breakers by order dockets issued by the Drivers and the app. checked by the Co. Surveyor continue in force as hitherto as it works well practically and obviates delays that must otherwise occur owing to the scattered positions of the Plant while at work. The resolution was unanimously adopted on the motion of Councillor Edward Gallagher, seconded by Councillor Muehlem

Irish Education act 1902 in Duffinaghly R.D.
The consideration of a resolution of Duffinaghly Rural District Council "that the resolution passed by the Duffinaghly R.D. Council on the 13th Decr '12, requesting the Dougal Co. Council to rescind their resolution of the 25th August 1901 putting into force the Compulsory Clause of the Education (Ireland) act 1902, in the Duffinaghly Rural District be rescinded"; also copy resolution on the Subject passed at a meeting of the Rosquee and Doe Teachers' association, were adjourned

Contract No. 393, Glenties R.D.
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Mr. Madigan written to
6/17/14

R. & W. written to
6/17/14

Lawrence written to
2-04/6-14

Contract No. 130 and 145, Glenties R.D.
a copy of a resolution of Glenties R.D. Council requesting the Co. Council to relieve Pat. McDevitt of 10 rivacours, new mills, of two Contracts No. 130 and 145, commencing April 12, as the amount allowed is inadequate to work these Contracts, and the County Surveyor be requested to add these Contracts to his list of applications having been read, no action was taken

Re. Mr. Alex. Cassidy, Buncrana
a letter, dated 6th Decr 1914, from the Buncrana Buncrana, stating that the Buncrana Urban District Council request to be informed if the Dougal Co. Council consent to Mr. Alex. Cassidy, Post Rate Collector, for the latter body undertaking the collection of the Rate for the Urban District Council, having been read, it was unanimously decided to consent to Mr. Cassidy acting in the manner stated

List of Proposals for Works
The List of Proposals for Works formulated by the Parish P.D. Council and Proposal Committee was then considered

Proposals Committee
all the Proposals on List were approved
Rural District Council
Ballyshannon

No action was taken regarding Nos 54, 57, 62, 63, 72, 74, 75, 78, 81, 83, 85, No. 79 was rejected, Nos 64, 65, were placed in the County Surveyor's hands for 6 months, Remaining Proposals on List were approved

Dougal
No action was taken regarding Nos 7, 16, 17, 18, 19, 29, 30, 40, 42, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 55, and 56, Nos 5, 20, 30, 36, 39 were placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor for 6 months, No 38 was timely dealt with for a period of 12 months, and Nos 14, 15, for a period of 3 months, Nos 89 and 125, were referred back to the R.D. Council, Remaining Proposals on List were approved

Duffinaghly
No action was taken regarding Nos 73, 76, 79, 80, 563, 567, 570, No. 564, was rejected, Nos 47, 48, 50, 52, 54, 59

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Method of ordering Stores for Rollers, &c
Mr. Madigan, County Surveyor, reported as follows
Letter

The auditor at his recent audit raised a point about the ordering of Stores in connection with Road Roller Works and the placing of money in the hands of the Secretary for meeting such items. The matter can be put all right by the Co. Council passing a resolution such as the following

That the method of ordering Stores for Road Rollers and other Machinery by order dockets issued by the Drivers and the a/c checked by the Co. Surveyor continue in force as heretofore as it works well practically and obviates delays that must otherwise occur owing to the scattered positions of the Plant while at work. The resolution was unanimously adopted on the motion of Councillor Edward Gallagher, seconded by Councillor members

Irish Education Act 1892, in Duffinaghly R.D.
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Mr. Madigan's written to 16/7/14

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Proposals Committee
all the Proposals on List were approved
Rural District Council
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No action was taken regarding Nos. 54, 57, 62, 63, 72, 74, 75, 76, 81, 83, 85, No. 79 was rejected, Nos. 64, 65, were placed in the County Surveyor's hands for 6 months, Remaining Proposals on List were approved

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59, 60, 61, 65, 66, 67, 69, 71, 72, 74 were placed in charge of the County Surveyor for 6 months and No. 74 was similarly dealt with for a period of 12 months. No. 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

Remainig Proposals on List were approved
Leitrim
No. 607, being a Provisional Proposal (and the only one on list) was approved.

Leitrim
No action was taken regarding Nos. 1046, 1047, 1078, 1080, 1094, 1101, 1103, 1111, 1117, 1118, 1142, 1166, 1193, 1196, 1197, 1236, 1228, 1239, 1245, 1253, 1255, 1257, 1258, 1267, 1269, 1272, 1274, 1194, 1195, 1196, 1262, 1227, 1231, 1232, 1233, 1234, 1235, 1236, 1238, 1240, 1244, 1246, 1252, 1254, 1260, 1263, 1265, and 1271 were rejected, Nos. 1030, 1031, 1032, 1034, 1037, 1039, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1056, 1057, 1062, 1067, 1068, 1070, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1079, 1087, 1088, 1089, 1095, 1096, 1106, 1115, 1124, 1125, 1128, 1129, 1136, 1138, 1140, 1150, 1153, 1154, 1155, 1156, 1158, 1159, 1160, 1163, 1165, 1167, 1169, 1172, 1173, 1174, 1175, 1177, 1178, 1179, and 1181 were placed in charge of the County Surveyor for 9 months. No. 1248, was also placed in charge of the County Surveyor. Remaining Proposals on List were approved.

No. 1251, being a Provisional Proposal, was approved.
Letterkenny

No. action was taken regarding Nos. 307, 325, 327, 328, 334, 335, 336, 337, 1038 and 1044. Nos. 302, 304, 306, were placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor for 9 months. Nos. 308, 312, 313, 314, 315, 323, were placed in charge of the County Surveyor for 6 months. Nos. 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, were placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor for 12 months. Nos. 1032, 1033, 1040 and 1046 were also placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor. Remaining Proposals on List were approved.

Before confirming Contracts Nos. 316 and 319, the previous Contracts Nos. 238 July 1913, and 183 July 1912, respectively, were rescinded.

Londonderry No. 2.
No action was taken regarding Nos. 999, 1003, 1007, 1011, and 1014. Nos. 955, 956, 958, 962, 963, 964, 966, 967, 970, 971, 973, 975, 980, 981, 985, 989, 994, 997, were placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor for 6 months. Nos. 1017 and 1021 were also placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor. Remaining Proposals on List were approved. No. 1023, a Provisional Proposal, to make 160 perches

Mr. Wilson written to

perches of new road from George Nichols of Ballynahone to B. Amoor Road, in townland of Ballynahone, Duni proposed to be expended £60- having been considered it was resolved. at the request of Berry St. 2 Rural District Council. on the motion of Councillor William Gallagher, Decided by Councillor Hanna, that the land through which the proposed new road is intended to run be taken Compulsively, and that the Order to the Co. Council be directed to take the necessary proceedings with a view to acquiring the land. The cost of such proceedings to be charged against Londonderry St. 2 Rural District.

Magill
No action was taken re Nos. 4211, 4220, 4222, 4226, 4227, 4246, 4249, 4250, Nos. 4190, 4192, 4193, 4194, 4195, 4197, 4198, 4199, 4207, 4208, 4214, 4221, 4233, 4234, were placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor for 9 months. Nos. 4242, 4245, 4248, 4252, 4258, 4259, and 4262, were also placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor. Remaining Proposals on List were approved.

Strabane No. 2.
Nos. 876, 880, 881, 889, 890, were placed in charge of the County Surveyor for 6 months. Nos. 878, 879, 884, were placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor for 12 months. Nos. 875 and 882 were also placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor. No action was taken regarding Nos. 879, and 885. Remaining Proposals on List were approved.

Strabane
No action was taken regarding Nos. 404, 416, 424, 431, 433, 429, 435, Nos. 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 406, 407, 408, 409, 413, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, and 423 were placed in charge of the County Surveyor for 9 months. Remaining proposals on list were approved.

Sealing of Roads
It was resolved that the Seal of the Co. Council be affixed to all Roads in connection with Proposals approved of at this meeting.
Shelters for patients Suffering from Tuberculosis
at the request of the medical Tuberculosis Officer. The Council decided to purchase two Shelters for patients suffering from Tuberculosis out of the Council's portion of the fund made available for Capital

Mr. J. J. ... 6/7/14

Mr. J. J. ... 24/6/14

Capital expenditure under the Finance Act 1911. The shelter to be supplied by Mr. J. J. ... and to be similar to the one already supplied by him to the Council at a cost of £15. The medical tuberculosis officer was authorized to place the order. One of the shelters to be kept at usville for the present, and the other one to be delivered at Fochall Railway Station, (on the L. Venny to B. & S. post. Pay.) for use by a patient named John Roberts, of B. & S.

Limit of Road Expenditure. Dunshowan R.D.

A copy of a resolution of Dunshowan R.D. Council requesting the Donegal Co. Council to apply to the Local Government Board to extend the legal annual limit of expenditure on roads in Dunshowan Rural District for current financial year by £200 for repairing banks and money damage bridges having been considered, it was unanimously resolved on the motion of Councillor Hanna, seconded by Councillor George, that the request be acceded to.

Condition of a County Road

A letter from Mr. G. L. Young, High Sheriff for Co. Donegal, on the subject of the dangerous state of the road leading to the shore at Cuedaff, having been read, Mr. Madman, Co. Surveyor, reported that said road had recently been repaired and Mr. Young was satisfied to this effect.

Contract No. 140, Cherry R. R.

A letter from Mr. J. Buchanan, Fannyberry, Letterkenny, Rural District, requesting the Co. Council to relieve him of Contract No. 140, 1st April 1912, he having been appointed an attendant in Derry Lunatic Asylum, having been read the Council decided that in the first instance the application to have Contract cancelled should be made to Letterkenny R.D. Council.

Fintona Quarry

A letter from Mr. William Wilson, Sub. Strabane, stating that an order authorizing the Contractor to enter "Fintona Quarry" was obtained on 6th June and same was handed to the assistant Surveyor who will no doubt take the necessary steps to avail himself of the order. was read.

Mr. J. J. ... 6/7/14

re Erection of a Building within 30 feet from Centre of Road
A letter from Mr. John Caffrey, County Surveyor, stating that Messrs. The Donegal Co-operative Agricultural and Dairy Society, Ltd. were erecting a building as an addition to their premises within 30 feet from the Centre of the public road at Bridgestown. He had a notice served on the Secretary in April to remove this but instead of doing so the Company proceeded to complete the work and the Building is now finished, having been read it was decided to ask the Dairy Society to enter into an agreement with the Co. Council to remove the Building in question when called upon by the Co. Council to do so.

Rathmullan Dier Committee

A letter from Commander A. Acton, Rathmullan, regarding that whilst he is away, the active list of St. Mary the cannot serve on Rathmullan Dier Committee, was read.

Quarterly Meetings of County & R.D. Councils

The Secretary submitted a list of dates for holding Quarterly meetings of County and R.D. Councils, and Propose Committee, as fixed by him for the Year 1914-15. The dates were unanimously approved.

Road Board Grant

A letter, dated 13th June 1914, from the Road Board enclosing particulars of grants from the Road Improvement Funds, made by the Road Board to the Donegal County Council towards the cost of works of road improvement, was read.

A letter, dated 16th June 1914, from the Road Board enclosing a cheque for £1,500, being the first instalment of the Road Board Grant to the Donegal Co. Council, was also read 100 2854

Dr. Edward Regan, Medical Tuberculosis Officer

A letter, dated 16th June 1914, from the Local Govt. Board stating that they have extended, for a further period of 6 months, their provisional approval of the appointment of Dr. Edward Regan, as medical Superintendent of the Central Tuberculosis Dispensary to be established by the Donegal Co. Council. was read.

Road Board Grant.

Mr. O'Shadman, Co. Surveyor reported as follows
Guarantee

As the Road Board has now made a first instalment of money, it would be advisable for the Co. Surveyors to get a direction to proceed with the work. I would suggest that same should run as follows:-

That the Co. Surveyors be directed to proceed with the carrying out of the Schemes approved by the Road Board as soon as the first instalments for each are received by the Secretary. That the County Surveyors make all necessary arrangements for carrying out the work directly, either by direct labour or wherever portions of the work can be more economically carried out by Contract the County Surveyors are to make all the necessary arrangements accordingly.

The report was unanimously adopted on the motion of Councillor Hanna, seconded by Councillor Wm. Gallagher -

Auditors Report.

The auditors Report on County Council accounts in respect of half year ended 30th Sept, 1913, was read

County Council v. Diver

a letter, dated 20th June 1914, from the Clerk to the Co. Council stating that this case has now been settled and a Consent signed by the Defendant which is enclosed to be read by the Council. This Consent will be made a rule of Court, and the costs taxed in due course and application made for payment thereof to Mr. Diver having been read, in conjunction with the Consent, the Seal of the Council was, on the motion of Councillor Hanna, seconded by Councillor Wm. Gallagher, ordered to be affixed thereto.

Tuberculosis (N Order of 1913)

The Secretary reported that with reference to a 3 year old heifer, the property of Mr. James Fallon, Cloughfin, Urney reported by the Veterinary Inspector to be suffering from Tuberculosis with emaciation, the owner of said animal refuses to accept the valuation put on by the Inspector and that it would be necessary for the Co. Council under article 6.(1) of above mentioned

order.

Consent affixed and sent to Mr. Diver

to appoint a Valuer. On the motion of Councillor Gallagher (Wm) seconded by Councillor Hanna, Mr. Joseph Lennon, of Magheragh, Claudy, was appointed re Flagman Steam Road Roller

Mr. O'Shadman
Co. Surveyor
24/6/14

Mr. O'Shadman, Co. Surveyor reported that Bernard Mc Finley, who was flagman in connection with one of the Council's Steam Rollers went away and he appointed a man named John Mc Berueto to fill the vacancy. Mr. O'Shadman's action was approved

Reports of County Surveyors Re Road Contractors

The County Surveyors reported a number of Contractors against whom they were desirous of putting into operation the 5th Sec. of the 6th and 7th Wm. A. 1st, 1914, when the Council directed them to proceed therewith. They also reported a number of Contractors whom they were desirous of prosecuting at Quarter Sessions when the Council directed them to proceed therewith, particulars in each case to be furnished to the Clerk to the Council.

Re Construction of a Protection Wall or Breakwater on Duniskeragh Island

Councillor James F. O'Donnell moved that the Co. Council of the County of Donegal express upon the congested District Board the urgent necessity of having a protection wall or breakwater built on Duniskeragh Island before the coming winter for the safety and protection of the lives of the inhabitants which number 150. The protection wall or embankment which existed on this Island was carried away by the storm or high seas in February last, resulting in the sea entering the dwellings of the inhabitants and carrying off all the dried seaweed which they had stacked up for making kelp, which is their only means of existence on the Island. Councillor Boyle seconded and the matter was unanimously agreed to

Copy this resolution sent to the C.A.B. 24/6/14

Burtonport Pier Extension

Councillor James F. O'Donnell moved that the Donegal Co. Council urge the Board of Works to proceed forthwith with the extension of the Pier at Burtonport in order to enable the Fishing Industry to be carried successfully this winter

Copy resolution sent to Board of Works 24/6/14

Councillor

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Gentlemen

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The report was unanimously adopted on the motion of Councillor Hanna, seconded by Councillor Wm. Gallagher -

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County Council v. Rivers

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Clear affidavit sent to Mr. O'Keefe

Mr. O'Keefe
24/6/14

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The County Surveyors reported a number of Contractors against whom they were desirous of putting into operation the 5th Sec. of the 6th and 7th Wm St^{ls}, 1914, when the Council directed them to proceed therewith. They also reported a number of Contractors whom they were desirous of preventing at Quarter Sessions when the Council directed them to proceed therewith, particulars in each case to be furnished to the Clerk to the Council.

re Construction of a Protection Wall or Breakwater on Dunkeeragh Island

Councillor James F. O'Donnell moved that the Co. Council of the County of Donegal express upon the Congested Districts Board the urgent necessity of having a protection wall or Breakwater built on Dunkeeragh Island before the coming winter for the safety and protection of the lives of the inhabitants which number 150. The protection wall or embankment which existed on this Island was carried away by the Storm or high Seas in February last, preventing the Sea entering the dwellings of the inhabitants and carrying off all the dried seaweed which they had stacked up for making kelp, which is their only means of existence on the Island. Councillor Boyle seconded and the matter was unanimously agreed to

Burtonport Pier Extension

Councillor James F. O'Donnell moved that the Donegal Co. Council urge the Board of Works to proceed forthwith with the extension of the Pier at Burtonport in order to enable the Fishing Industry to be carried successfully therewith

Councillor

Copy this resolution sent to the C. D. B. 24/6/14

Copy resolution sent to Board of Works 24/6/14

Such Works, they will take over possession of the works on completion, and also agree to maintain them, having been read, it was resolved on the motion of Councillor Doberty, seconded by Councillor H. O.

Resolved that the works be taken over by the Co. Council on completion and that the works have been done to the satisfaction of the Co. Surveyor and that in the meantime the C.C.B. send a copy of specifications to the Co. Surveyor.

Quoraun and Rathmullan Harbours

a letter, dated 29th June 1914, from the Congested District Board, stating that they have informed the Board of Works of the decision of the Saugeal Co. Council with regard to above Harbours, and have suggested that steps be taken accordingly by the Board of Works, having been read

Quoraun Urban Sanitary District

a letter dated 30th June 1914, from the Local Government Board enclosing copy of a letter which they have addressed to the Dunabreen Rural Sanitary Council respecting the question of adjustments arising out of the Constitution of Quoraun Town as an Urban Sanitary District, was read,

re New Road at Raphoe

a letter from the Strabane and Letterkenny Railway Coy. in reference to the new road at Raphoe and stating that they regret the Company cannot see their way to spend any more money on it, was read.

re Breaking Road metal on County Roads

The Secretary mentioned that the District Inspector R. D. at Raphoe called with him in reference to the breaking, by machinery, of Road metal on County Road which is an offence against 28 and 29th Div. C.O.B. Sec. 6. and hoped the Co. Council would take some action with a view to remedying the existing state of affairs. The Secretary and Mr. Steadman, Co. Surveyor, were authorised to draft a reply to Complainant

Rathmullan Pier

Copy of a resolution passed by Rathmullan Pier Committee to the effect that in the interests of the public and to prevent accidents an iron railing should be put round Rathmullan Pier, but as extensive improvements works are about to be started

Started at the Pier they think the p. Railing might be postponed until at the Pier are completed, as the destroyed during the progress of strongly urging the necessity of having lighted, especially during the fishing when any of H.M. Ships are at the Pier the lighting of the Pier should be delayed, having been considered, the Co. a railing should be put round the improvements are completed and should be adequately lighted. It was directed to bring forward a view to providing lamps, the P. in view tenders for supplying the said lamps.

Lamp to be put round Pier

Road Board Grant

a letter, dated 30th June 1914, from the Road Board enclosing a cheque for £629, being the first instalment No. 2352, was read -

re mode of making payments to Workmen out of the Road Board fund

a letter, dated 1st July 1914, from the Road Board re mode of making payments to workmen out of the Road Board fund, having been read, the opinion that the Finance Committee should be authorised to attend meetings held by the Co. Council to attend meetings held by it was resolved on the motion of Councillor M. Arthur that the sum of £600, and out of the amount received from the Road Board be lodged with the Treasurer to the credit of account No. 2, for the purpose of making payments to workmen, &c.

On the motion of Councillor M. Arthur, the County Surveyor were authorised to issue under the Workmen and also under the National Insurance

County Surveyor's Office
written to
1914

Started at the Pier they think the putting up of the Railing might be postponed until the improvements at the Pier are completed, as the railing might get destroyed during the progress of the Works, and strongly urging the necessity of having the Pier adequately lighted, especially during the fishing season and when any of H.M. Ships are anchored off Kilmallan. The lighting of the Pier should be attended to without delay, having been considered, the Council agreed that a railing should be put round the Pier after the improvements are completed and that the Pier should be adequately lighted. Mr. O'Sullivan Co. Surveyor was directed to bring forward a Proposal with a view to providing lamps, the Pier Committee to invite tenders for supplying the oil and lighting said lamps.

Road Board Grant

a letter, dated 30th June 1914, from the Road Board enclosing a cheque for £629, being the first instalment under grant No. 2352, was read.

Resolved of making payments to Workmen &c.

out of the Road Board Grant

a letter, dated 1st July 1914, from the Local Government Board re made of making payments to workmen &c, out of the Road Board Grant, having been read, the Council were of the opinion that the Finance Committee could not find it convenient to attend meetings held fortnightly and it was resolved on the motion of Councillor Dunlevy seconded by Councillor Mr. Arthur that the Finance Committee be directed to transfer to Messrs O'Sullivan and Mr. Caffrey, County Surveyors, sums of £600, and £200, respectively, out of the amount received from the Road Board and lodged with the Treasurer to the credit of Subsidiary account No. 2, for the purpose of making payments to Workmen, &c.

On the motion of Councillor Dunlevy, seconded by Councillor Mr. Arthur, the County Surveyors were directed to have the Workmen insured under the Workmen's Compensation Act and also under the National Insurance Act 1911.

Weeds and Agricultural Seeds

(Ireland) Act 1909.

a letter, dated 27th June 1914, from the Department of Agriculture &c. referring to the Weeds and Agricultural Seeds (Ireland) Act 1909, and stating that the Department have arranged to commence the work of inspection under said Act at an early date, and requesting that the Council will assist the Department as far as possible in this matter by taking such action as may be necessary to have all roads and lands in their control kept clear of noxious weeds during the coming season, having been read, it was resolved, on the motion of Councillor Hume, seconded by Councillor Mr. Arthur that the County Surveyors be instructed to direct the assistant Co. Surveyors to see that all County roads are kept clear of noxious weeds.

Limit of Expenditure on Roads in Glenties R.D.

a letter, dated 26th June 1914, from the Local Government Board, relative to the limit of expenditure on roads in the Glenties Rural District, and directing the County Council's attention to the terms of Sub-section 3 of Section 22 of the R.F. Act 1908, which gives power to a County Council to appeal to the Local Government Board in the case of default of a District Council to take the necessary steps to keep the public works in their District in good condition and repair, having been read, Councillor J. A. O'Donnell (the representative for Glenties R.D.) stated that the Glenties R.D. Council have appointed a Committee to meet at an early date to go into the whole question with the County Surveyor and his assistants and suggested that the County Council defer consideration of the Board's letter until after the Committee have met for the purpose stated. The request was acceded to.

Civic Exhibition (Ireland) 1914

a letter from the Councils of Aberdeen, enclosing a formal invitation to the members of Rosbeg Co. Council to attend the Civic Exhibition (Ireland) 1914 to be held in Dublin.

Recd. of a grant
written to
1914

Considered & forwarded
written to
1914

Dublin, on Wednesday 15th July, 1914. having been read.
Councillor Dunlop and Councillor W. J. Gallagher undertook
and on the motion of Councillor Mr. Arthur, seconded
by Councillor J. H. O'Donnell were deputed to attend the
said Exhibition on behalf of the Congal Co. Council

Extension Works at Burtisport Harbour

a letter, dated 2nd July 1914, from the office of Dublin, Dublin,
on the Subject of Extension Works at Burtisport Harbour
and enclosing a plan of the works which it is proposed
to carry out, and asking whether the Congal Co. Council
have passed a resolution agreeing to the terms with
enclosure to the Development Commissioners' letter of 17th
Oct 1913, communicated by the C.D. Board to the
Devy. Congal Co. Council on the 20th inst, specifying the
conditions on which the Commissioners would make
a grant not exceeding £2,000 towards the cost of the works,
having been read, Councillor Hanna moved that the
Congal Co. Council agree regarding Burtisport Pier to the
same conditions as are embodied in the letter of the
Congal District Board to the said Council, dated 15th
June 1914, regarding the proposed extension of the
Pier at Tuncrowa and Rahamulla -

Steam Road Rolling in Counties R. & D.

a letter, dated 6th July 1914, from the Clerk Counties R. & D.
Council on above Subject, was read.

Ballyvaughan Pier

a letter from the Harbour Master at Ballyvaughan Pier to the
effect that the Pier is in bad order, some of the planks
having fallen away, having been read, the matter was
referred to Mr. Stedman Co. Surveyor -

re. Valuation of Burtisport Extension Railway

a letter from the General Valuation and Boundary Survey of
Ireland, Dublin, with reference to the decisions on appeal
issued to the Devy. Congal Co. Council on the 1st June 1914, and
the Secretary's letter of the 2nd inst (W.S.D.), and stating that
owing to the fact that only portion of the Loughswilly
and Lough Swilly Railway (viz. Burtisport Extension) was
held for revision and that the decision of the Board
rebutant in Council declining to further except that portion
from local Rates was not made known until a recent
date, the Commission has for the present rated the
Burtisport Extension at the valuation of buildings plus
that

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that of the land, leaving the question of a valuation of
the whole system on Profits until next year, and asking
if the Co. Council will therefore put the whole of the
Loughswilly and Loughswilly Railway on a
supplemental list for revision and send it
to the General Valuation Office at once, a revaluation
will be made in due course, having been read,
it was unanimously decided on the motion of Councillor
Dunlop, seconded by Councillor Doherty to agree
to the suggestion.

application by Mr. C. Stedman Co. Surveyor for clerical assistance

a letter from Mr. Stedman, County Surveyor, pointing out
the demand made upon his time in connection
with Clerical works thereby preventing his giving
the attention he desired to matters that would
result in greater saving to the County and asking
for the necessary Clerical assistance, having been
read, and Mr. Stedman having addressed the Council
in support of his application Councillor Hanna moved
that Mr. Stedman be allowed £1.10.0 a week for a
Clerk and that he (Mr. Stedman) be responsible for
not only the qualifications but also the duties of such
Clerk. Councillor Clarke seconded.

Councillor Callaghan moved as an amendment
that the application be not entertained. Councillor
Wagee seconded.

Councillor Edward Gallagher suggested to the
mover of the motion to withdraw from it the rate
of remuneration per week, and a Sub-Committee could
be appointed to go into the matter. Councillor Hanna
having agreed to do so, a vote was then taken on
the motion, as amended.

For - Councillors Clarke, Davidson, Doherty, Edw. Gallagher, Hanna,
Kelly, and Mr. O'Shaughnessy - 7.

Against - Councillors Dunlop, W. J. Gallagher, Callaghan, Wagee, and
J. H. O'Donnell - 5.

The Chairman declared motion carried and amendment lost

Councillor Edward Gallagher then moved that the following members
of the Council be appointed as a Sub-Committee for the purpose
of arranging the duty of the Clerk, and report to the Council
in due course. Councillors Dunlop, Doherty, Hanna, Mr. Arthur & Edw. Gallagher
Councillor Hanna seconded and the matter was agreed to

Confirmed
W. Gallagher
C. Callaghan

Copy Minutes sent to R. P. Board County Surveyors Mr. Summary & Mr. Wilson 9/9/14 and to each member of the Council 10/9/14

Mr. Wilson attended

A Quarterly Meeting of the County Council was held on the 25th August 1914

Attendance

The members present were: Councillors Mr. J. J. Boyle, C. Carraghan, Cassidy, C. Carr, Doherty, J. J. Doyle (Anthony), J. J. Finner (Jacob), Hanna, Kelly, L. L. L. McF., Mr. A. A. A., Mr. D. D. D., Mr. E. E. E., Mr. F. F. F., Mr. G. G. G., Mr. H. H. H., Mr. I. I. I., Mr. J. J. J., Mr. K. K. K., Mr. L. L. L., Mr. M. M. M., Mr. N. N. N., Mr. O. O. O., Mr. P. P. P., Mr. Q. Q. Q., Mr. R. R. R., Mr. S. S. S., Mr. T. T. T., Mr. U. U. U., Mr. V. V. V., Mr. W. W. W., Mr. X. X. X., Mr. Y. Y. Y., Mr. Z. Z. Z. - Councilor Mr. J. J. J. occupied the Chair.

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed

Reports of Committees

The Reports of the following Committees were unanimously adopted

Finance Committee. meeting held 7th July and 7th August 1914

Proposed Committee. meeting held 7th August 1914.

Proposals for Payment.

The Proposals for Payment, as reported on by the Finance Committee, in respect of Quarter ended 30th June 1914 were (without modifications) ordered to be paid

Treasurer's advice Notes

Treasurer's advice Notes (Circulars etc.) numbered from to (inclusive) and dated 25th August 1914, were submitted by the Secretary, and duly signed by the Presiding Chairman and two members of the Council.

Proposals for Works

The Proposals for Works formulated by the Proposed Committee were approved.

Loan of £400.

On the Motion of Councillor Magee seconded by Councillor Carraghan the following Copy of a Resolution passed by Stranorlar Rural District Council, was unanimously adopted.

That we, the Stranorlar Rural District Council request the County Council of Donegal to apply to the Local Government Board for their sanction to a loan of £400 to reconstruct Lennone, Arlatt, and Breedy's Bridges in Ferro Concrete, &c. in accordance with the Co. Surveyors' specification.

Said loan with interest, to be repaid within a period of 10 years or such greater number of years as may be allowed by the Local Government Board for the repayment of this loan.

The Secretary was directed to make application

Form 26th application for proposed loan sent to R. P. Board 19/10/14

to the Local Govt. Board for said loan

Limit of Expenditure on Road

Lushawen Rural District

A Resolved Order, dated 2nd July 1914, of the Rural Govt. Board assenting to an increase of £200 in the annual Limit of Road Expenditure Lushawen R.D. in respect of the Year ending the 31st March 1915, was read.

Condition of portion of Co. road

leading to Arranmore Lighthouse

A letter dated 15th July 1914, from the Irish Light Office in the subject of the Condition of that portion of the road leading to Arranmore Lighthouse from Rabgarrow up to the Congested Districts Board's gate, having been read, the Secretary stated that he replied to the effect that the Congested Districts Board had not brought in his proposal for dealing with said road, owing to insufficiency of funds available in Districts R.D.

Civic Exhibition

A letter from the Councils of Aberdeen, deploring on her own behalf, and on behalf of the Executive of the Civic Exhibition to express their appreciation of the action taken by the members of the Donegal County Council in attending the Inaugural Ceremony of the Civic Exhibition, thus greatly enhancing its value in the eyes of the Country, was read.

Technical School at Bellefleur

An agreement - The very Rev. Canon Meehan and Michael Maguire Esq. with Donegal County Council - Bellefleur Technical School. was submitted and the Deal of the Council ordered to be affixed thereto.

Lease taken for Quarry Purposes

An agreement - Transfer of Quarry and agreement - Donegal to Donegal County Council - in duplicate - relative to certain collateral matters in connection therewith were submitted, and the Deal of the Council ordered to be affixed thereto.

Letter to the Technical School

A letter and counterpart - Donegal - was sent to County Council in connection with Bellefleur Technical School.

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Checked and returned to Sec. to the C. Council 26/10/14

was submitted and the Seal of the Council ordered to be affixed thereto -

Loan of £2,000.

The Secretary submitted a deed of mortgage in connection with the proposed loan of £2,000. to be obtained from the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland for the purpose of purchasing Steam Rolling Plant, when it was moved by Councillor McArthur seconded by Councillor J. H. O'Donnell 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 thousand pounds, proposed to be advanced by them to us under the Local Government (Ireland) Act 1898 and the incorporated wording or extending act."

It was also moved by Councillor McArthur seconded by Councillor J. H. O'Donnell and resolved - that inasmuch as this 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 intimated to said Commissioners by the Chairman of this Council for time being, countersigned by the Secretary County Council, and that each such requisition shall be forwarded to the accountants of the said Commissioners, and that all such advances shall be lodged to our account as "Loan of Steam Rolling Plant, in the Rathfriland Branch of the Northern Bank."

The Seal of the Council was then affixed to the deed of mortgage when it was signed by the Chairman and two members of the Council, and the Secretary.

The Secretary was directed to transmit it to the Board of Works, accompanied by copies of the foregoing Resolutions and Certificate that the deed of mortgage for the sum of £2,000. was duly entered in the Register of mortgages of the Donegal County Council; also Declaration by the Secretary to the Council that he was present at the meeting at which the Resolution was passed. "That

Requisition for first instalment £1,000. sent to accountants of Public Works, 20/7/14.

The Corporate Seal of the Council be affixed to the said Deed of mortgage, and when the Seal was so affixed -

Motor Car License Duties

a circular letter, dated 6th August 1914, from the Roads Government Board enclosing copy of a Certified Statement received from the Postmaster General showing the value of the motor License Duties levied during the year ended the 31st March 1914, by each County and County Borough Council in Ireland, was read.

re Drift nets.

Bye Laws made by the Department of Agriculture &c. prohibiting having on board any boat, est. or curragh in certain Tidal Waters in Ballinacorney, Rathfriland, and Renssberry Districts, drift nets of certain dimensions, were read.

County Donegal Committee of Agriculture

a letter, dated 6th July 1914, from the Secretary County Donegal Committee of Agriculture, enclosing letter from Mr. John Mc Dermott, Rosapin, Ballinacorney, declining to act as a member of the Committee, was read.

Rephuisid.

a letter, dated 7th July 1914, from Mr. Dungan Reunis, Secretary Aberdeen Mutual and General Marine Insurance Company Ltd. with reference to the alleged damage to above vessel by a projecting belt from one of the piles at Rathfriland Pier on 31st January 1914.

The claim by the owners of the 'Rephuisid' is as understood, and if it is not to be admitted he would be obliged if the Secretary Co. Council would advise him who will accept service on behalf of the Donegal County Council, as it would be necessary for the Company to take immediate action.

Repairs to Rephuisid	£ 77. 10. 0
Demurrage, 3 days	30. 0. 0
Surveyors fees and expenses	1. 4. 6
	<u>£ 108. 14. 6</u>

having been read, the Secretary stated that on the 7th July last he replied to the effect that the Donegal County

Council at a meeting held on the 24th Feb. 1914, denied all liability in the matter. The Secretary also stated that the owners of the Parcel in question had issued a Civil Bill for £50. damages which he forwarded to the Solicitor to the Co. Council to defend

Contract No. 142 Dunfonghy R. D.

a letter from Mr. Patrick O'Donnell, mearanear, Dundora, enclosing a Doctor's Certificate and requesting to be relieved of above Contract, having been read it was decided to break the contract on condition that the Contractor & his Estates keep said road in a proper state of repair till a new contractor is obtained. Courthouse at Caradough

a letter from the Under-Sheriff for Co. Donegal stating that he received a communication from the Clerk of Petty Sessions Caradough, saying that he had been directed by the Magistrate at Caradough Petty Sessions on the 16th July last, to bring under notice the urgent necessity for repairs to the Courthouse, which is very dilapidated and neglected - and that he (the Under-Sheriff) would be glad if this matter were brought before the County Surveyor with a view to getting him to repair and make necessary arrangements to have the Courthouse put in order, having been read, the Secretary stated that on receipt of the letter he wrote the County Surveyor who brought a proposal before the last meeting of the Proposee Committee for the repair of said Building.

re Injury to the Surface of a Road

a letter from Mr. John Caffrey, County Surveyor, Donegal, stating that there is a pipe which crosses the road near the Police Barracks in Donegal, on the road to Burtport this pipe conveys water from the river to a dam and owing to defects in the masonry of which it is constructed allows the water to percolate into the surface of the road. This leakage softens the crust of the road and allows holes to form. He was informed that this pipe had been repaired in the past by the landlord the Marquis of Conyngham - and he (the Co. Surveyor) wrote his agent at Mountcharles to have the said pipe repaired. But he has neither acknowledged his letter nor repaired the pipe, having been read, Councilor Boyle stated that the said pipe has recently been repaired.

Contractor - written to 27/07/14
Under-Sheriff - written to 27/07/14

re Caradough Courtkeeper

a letter from the Under-Sheriff Co. Donegal, stating that Mr. Lindsay, who was appointed Courtkeeper on her husband going to America, will cease to be Courtkeeper from the 1st August 1914, and that Mr. S. J. Smith, Clerk of Petty Sessions Caradough, had been appointed Courtkeeper from the 1st August 1914, was read,

Judge Crier at Quarts Sessions

a letter, dated 29th July 1914, from His Honor Judge Cole, stating that his Court Crier - Mr. James Faulkin, gave up his post last June and has left his service, and enclosing a revocation of Mr. Faulkin's appointment and also new appointment, was read.

Contract No. 145 Dunfonghy R. D.

a letter from Mr. John M. Bride, Middleton, Bessybeg, requesting the Co. Council to relieve him of a contract No. 145, Dunfonghy Road District, and enclosing a Doctor's Certificate, having been read, it was decided to cancel said contract on condition that the Contractor & his Estates keep it in a proper state of repair until a new contractor is obtained.

Children Act 1905

a notice, dated 8th August 1914, under the above act from acting Dept. James Walsh, R. D. Killybegs, was read as was also a notice, dated 10th August 1914, received from Mr. Robert Thompson, C. F. & Raphoe.

Explosives Act 1875

Licences under the Explosives Act 1875, were granted to the following
No. 103, Maria O'Donnell, merchant, Mullspiddiff, Anagry.
No. 104, John Polesine, merchant, Ballintra, Co. Donegal.
No. 105, John O'Beid, merchant, Downing.

Contractor - written to 27/07/14
Licences
Mr. Thompson has written to 27/07/14

a letter from Mr. Joseph Fraughan, Bundoran, drawing the Council's attention to the fact that in process of building a new house at Drumachris Bundoran, he has been found fault with and delayed by Mr. Caffrey, County Surveyor. The roadway at place is 60 feet from sidewalk to sidewalk of houses on each side. He thought he was not infringing in any way on public property by putting in two bay windows which came out 2 feet. The space here between roadway and house line is

is not used as footpath and when it is used as such the wall have windows removed if desired having been read, it was decided to leave the matter in the hands of Mr. Coffey Co. Surveyor.

Interference with a Footpath.

Mr. Steadman Co. Surveyor reported that Mrs. M. Rugglin of Merville, has interfered with the footpath in Merville St. by cutting a well in down in front of her door with a view of improving, in her opinion, the entrance to her house, the floor of which is situated below footpath level. This act of hers has made the footpath at this place dangerous for pedestrians, particularly after dark. Mr. Steadman served notice on Mrs. M. Rugglin without result and it is now a matter of taking proceedings through the Council's Solicitor to prevent others taking any similar liberty. The Council directed the Secy. to instruct the Lab. to the Co. Council to institute proceedings against Mrs. M. Rugglin, the Co. Surveyor to furnish him with particulars.

Distribution of Government Contracts

Councillor Carraghan moved that the Standing orders be suspended with a view to bringing an important matter before the Council. Permission having been given, he moved that we view with alarm, by reason of the war, the present partial curtailment of industrial employment in this County, and the dark outlook for the future in the various industries, viz: Hosiery, White Woollen manufactures (Gloves, Hosiery, Blankets, Rugs &c) Carpet Factories, Cottage Industries, and generally.

We hereby earnestly appeal to the Government, under the exceptional circumstances, to assist in alleviating the hardships of the workers, by placing with manufacturers a share of orders for goods such as they require, which the County is in a position to supply. By this means they can to some extent relieve acute distress and hardships of the work people through scarcity of employment.

That copies of this resolution be forwarded to the Lord Lieutenant for Ireland, the Prime Minister, the Chief Secretary for Ireland, the President of the Board of Trade, the Secretary of State for War, the Director of Contracts, War office, Whitehall, London, S.W., Vice President of the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction.

Copies of Resolution sent as directed 25/10/14

The Secretary suggested District Board, John Redmond, Esq., M.P. Right Hon. Sir Edward Carson, K.C. M.P., and the members of the County Councilor Lorry seconded, the Chairman put the resolution to the meeting and their being no amendment he declared it passed unanimously.

Sheep Dipping Inspectors Returns

The Secretary here mentioned that Sheep Dipping Inspectors John McEaden, of Aughlin, and Joseph Ward of Corrairie had failed to furnish him with their returns of sheep dipped during months of duty last. The returns should be made immediately after the expiration of each month and be had to write them twice before the returns were received. The Secretary was directed to write the Inspectors concerned that unless they furnish him in future with their returns of the number of sheep dipped within ten days after the expiration of each month, their fees will be curtailed.

re Maintenance of Main Roads

In accordance with notice of motion duly given, and signed by 6 members Councillor James F. O'Donnell moved that the Resolution of the 21st and 22nd Feb, 1900, dealing with the cost of the maintenance of main roads be, and is hereby rescinded. Councillor Boyle seconded, Councillors Wm. Doherty and J. O'Donnell supported the motion.

Councillor McEee proposed as an amendment that the resolution referred to be not rescinded, Councillor Jacob Foran seconded.

Before taking a Vote Copy of a resolution of George R.D. Council - "That it has been resolved that the Co. Council take over the main roads, the R.D. Council believe that it would be unwise for the Co. Council to do so, and that such a course would not mean a saving to the Ratepayers." was read.

Voting

For the Amendment - Councillors Wm. Foran, Carraghan, Cassidy, Jacob Foran, Tho. Foran, Lorry, Magee, Marshall, McEaden, McEee - 10.

Against - Councillors Boyle, Carrane, Doherty, Kelly, McEewitt, McEewitt, McEewitt, O'Donnell (Hugh), O'Donnell (James F.) and O'Donnell (P. F.) - 10.

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The Voting being equal the Chairman gave his Casting Vote in favour of the amendment and declared it carried.
Limit of Road Expenditure in Counties R & D.

a letter, dated 26th June 1914, from the Road Est. Board relative to the Limit of Expenditure on roads in the Counties of Ros and Down, and directing the County Councils attention to the terms of Sub Section 3 of Section 52 of the R.G. Act 1898, which gives power to a County Council to appeal to the Local Est. Board in the case of default of a District Council to take the necessary steps to keep the public works in their district in good condition and repair, having been read, it was decided to take no action in the matter.

County Surveyors Report re Contractors.

Mr. Steadman, County Surveyor, reported a number of Contractors whom he was desirous of prosecuting at Quarter Sessions when the Council decided him to proceed therewith particulars in each case to be furnished to the Solicitor to the Co. Council.

Dunfaughly R.D. School Attendance Committee

a letter, dated 10th July 1914, from the Office of National Education Dublin, to the effect that the period of service of the School Attendance Committee for Rural District of Dunfaughly, was terminated on the 30th Sept. and requesting to be furnished with particulars as to the persons appointed by the Rosbeg Co. Council, to be members of a new Committee from 1st Oct. 1914, having been read. It was unanimously resolved on the Motion of Councillor James H. O'Donnell, seconded by Councillor M. Arthur, that the following persons be re-appointed members of a new Committee from 1st Oct. 1914.

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| Rev. John Byrne S.P. Costahorn | Chas. McFadden, Enniscorthy |
| Rev. John Murray C.C. Costahorn | D. MacDonnell, Falcarragh |
| D. MacFarr, Dunfaughly. | |

Road Board Grant Paying Wages of Workmen.

a letter, dated 31st July 1914, from the Local Est. Board, respecting the procedure to be adopted by the Rosbeg County Council in paying the wages of the workmen employed on the roads in the County towards the improvement of which the Road Board are making Grants, having been read, the Secretary was authorized to reply to the

Local

Have filled up and returned to Secretary of National Education

L.G. Board was then 2
16-9-14

Local Government Board conveying his views on the matter Autumn Sheep Dipping (Ireland) Temporary Order of 1914 a letter, dated 20th July 1914, from the Department of Agriculture, &c, Dublin, transmitting, for the information of the Rosbeg Co. Council, a supply of copies of an Order, made by the Department on 27th July last and entitled the "Autumn Sheep Dipping (Ireland) Temporary Order of 1914, which is designed to secure that during the autumn period of the present year, i.e. between the 1st August and 15th Nov; neat sheep throughout Ireland shall be dipped twice (instead of once as in other years) with an interval of not less than 7 days, and not more than fourteen days between the dippings, was read.

Restrictive Insects and Fests Act 1877 & 1907.

a letter, dated 10th August 1914, from the Department of Agriculture, &c enclosing copy of an Order made by the Department under the Restrictive Insects and Fests Act 1877 and 1907 for the purpose of preventing the spreading in Ireland of American Osageberry weevil, and Beach weevil etc. &c, &c, having been read, no action was taken.

Proposed Lease for Sanatorium at Attinemy.

a letter, dated 11th August 1914, from the Order to the Co. Council stating that with regards to correspondence with Lord Southwell's agent as to granting a lease to the Co. Council of portion of the land of Knockraunna, containing 13a 0r 16p, described on the map prepared by Mr. Dwyer as a site for a Sanatorium, it is understood that this plot of land forms part of the holding of the ayeen authorities under Lord Southwell from year to year. It would be necessary in dealing with the plot in question to have the rent apportioned, and an appropriate part of it paid on the proposed site. Lord Southwell is willing to give a lease for 999 years, but as he is only tenant for life, it does not at present appear that he would have power to give such a long lease. The Council has power to buy the land, and it might be advisable to consider whether it would not be better to arrange with Lord Southwell's agent to redeem the apportioned part of the rent and acquire the fee simple. There would be no legal difficulty about this.

having

having been read, it was resolved on the motion of Councillor Shaw, seconded by Councillor Carraghan that the water be placed in the hands of the Solicitor to the Co. Council, to arrange the terms with Lord Donnell and the appointment of the rent with the asylum Committee -

Re Purchase of a Sample of Margarine

a letter, dated 6th July 1914, from the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland on the subject of a sample of margarine purchased by one of their officers from a certain merchant in Co. Long and which was not labelled in accordance with the Statutory requirements, having been read, the Clerk stated that he attended to the matter.

Petty Sessions House at Woville

a letter, dated 17th July 1914, from Mr. M. C. Feeley, Esq. Barrister at Law, stating that pursuant to Notice to Quit served on 1st Dec. last, the time for giving up possession of the Petty Sessions House at Woville expired on the 14th inst.

As possession has not been over to his client - Mr. Catherine Baird - he is instructed to issue Execution.

Mr. Baird has no objection to enter upon a new letting of the Petty Sessions House to the Co. Council at the rent of £10. a Year, having been read the Council decided to offer the owner of said premises a rent of £8. per annum. In the event of her not accepting this offer the Clerk was directed to advertise for premises in Woville suitable for Petty Sessions business.

Re Damages to a Motor Car

a letter from Mr. Murray Dwyer, Dundee, stating that his motor car met with an accident on 12th July 1914, at Rathfriland, and got partly smashed up for which he intends to make a claim. The accident occurred through a breach in the centre of the road at Rathfriland through the bursting of a pipe; also letter enclosing an estimate of what it cost to repair the car, having been read, it was unanimously decided to deny all liability in the matter.

Fever Hospital at Ranelagh.

a list of Governors of the Fever Hospital at Ranelagh submitted for running 3 years, and approved at a meeting of Governors held on 17th July 1914, was read.

Mr. Feeley written to 27/8/14

Murray Dwyer written to 27/8/14

- Copies of resolutions passed by Dunsinnow R.D. Council
- (1) Strongly protesting against the borrowing of £2,000 for Steam Rolling Plant.
- (2) Strongly protesting against the changing of Council meetings from Quarterly to Half-Yearly
- (3) Strongly protesting against the seeds and weeds act being put into force. were read.

Selection of the Grand Jury

In accordance with notice of motion duly given Councillor W. Moberly moved that this Council do enter their protest against the action of the Sheriff of this County for the partiality displayed in the selection of the Grand Jury of said County. Councillor Boyle seconded and the motion was agreed to.

A letter from the Hon. Secretary South Dunebeg Roads Improvement Committee stating that at the last meeting of the Committee a deputation was appointed to attend the Co. Council meeting on 25th Aug. 14, also stating that the following Resolutions were passed at a meeting of the Committee held on the 14th Aug. 14

- (1) That this meeting recommends that the County Council should endeavour to make arrangements with the Road Board by which a resident Engineer and the necessary Plant should be let to the Council for the purpose of road improvement
- (2) That the Co. Council should give the Railway Companies sufficient notice when they are going to steam roll the roads over the Railway bridges

also a letter from the Clerk Ballyvaughan R.D. Council stating that that body request the Dunebeg Co. Council to take the necessary steps to have the roadway at Railway bridge at Templemore put into proper repair, having been read, Councillor Cassidy introduced a Deputation from Ballyvaughan consisting of Messrs. Wyatt, Reynolds, and Evans who brought under the Council's notice the condition of the roadway over the Railway bridge at Templemore and the fences and approaches thereto, after some discussion

Clk R. D. Council written to 27/8/14

Copy resolutions and to Wm. Moberly 26/8/14

G. C. Kelly Esq. (C) written to 27/8/14

discuss the Recty was directed to write the Ry. Company to have said roadway fences and approaches put into a proper state of repair, and referred the other matters to Mr Coffey, ^{of Curragh} Rathmullen and Buncrana Piers

Arising out of a letter from the office of Public Works Dublin, dated 30th July 1914, No. 10,029, on the subject of the proposed works to be carried out at Rathmullen and Buncrana the following resolution was, on the motion of Councillor Roberts, seconded by Councillor W. J. Maguire, unanimously adopted.

"That having before us the letter of 30th June from the Loughside District Board we hereby approve of the plans submitted for the proposed works at Rathmullen and Buncrana and do agree to the following order of

- priority of importance, namely:-
- Order of priority of works
- Rathmullen Pier Extension
 - Dredging at Buncrana
 - South Pier, Buncrana
 - South Quay, Buncrana
 - North Quay, Buncrana

If it should be necessary to reduce the works in order to come within the amount of the money available, while still attaining a satisfactory result, the Co. Council agrees that such proportionate parts of the North Quay and South Quay may be cut out as the Board of Works may find necessary for this object".

Power of attorney. It was moved by Councillor Roberts, seconded by Councillor W. Arthur, and unanimously resolved. "That the Co. Council refuse to give Power of attorney as they are of opinion that considering they are contributing £10,000 to Buncrana and Rathmullen works the disbursement of said amount should be made by the County Council. Payments to be made as Certificates are issued by Board of Works, and in the proportions as arranged".

Sealing of agreement. It was also unanimously resolved "That this Council, before agreeing to authorize their seal to be affixed to any agreement, such as referred to in the last paragraph of the letter, dated 30th July 1914, ^{No. 10,029} from the Board of Works, would request the Board to submit a draft of said agreement for consideration".

Copies of resolutions sent to Board of Works 9/9/14
Buncrana

Burtonport Pier

Regarding a letter from the office of Public Works Dublin, dated 12th August 1914, No. 10,027 on the subject of the proposed execution of certain works at Burtonport Harbour, the Council decided not to agree to a contribution exceeding £1,000, and accordingly adopted resolution in the form "B" Copy of which accompanied letter above referred to. But that before the Seal of the Council be affixed to the agreement referred to in paragraph 7 of the said Resolution, a draft copy of said agreement be submitted to the Council for consideration

Resolution ("B")

Proposed by Councillor Roberts
Seconded by Councillor Bayle, and unanimously resolved - That the County Council of Donegal hereby agree to the following:-

1. To contribute the sum of £1,000 towards the cost of certain works to be executed at Burtonport Harbour in accordance with the plan at present before them, dated July 1914, of which they hereby approve
2. If in the opinion of the Commissioners of Public Works it becomes necessary to reduce the works in order to come within the amount of the money available while still attaining a satisfactory result such reduction may be made in the new wharfage accommodation on the Railway side of the new Fetto Causeway Pier
3. That the works be carried out by the Commissioners of Public Works under the provisions of the Acts & Fisheries acts
4. To give the Commissioners of Public Works Power of Attorney to draw the £1,000 to be contributed by the County Council as they may require it
5. To maintain the works when finished.
6. That if the cost of the proposed works falls short of £1,000 the whole of the saving thereby effected shall be deducted from the Development Fund advance, and that the final instalment of the advance from the Development Fund will not be paid until the Lord Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury are satisfied that the Works have been completed and are in use

Copy resolution sent to Board of Works 9/9/14

7. To enter into an agreement with the Commissioners of Public Works embodying the above conditions and to authorize the Deal of the County Council to be affixed to such agreement.

re Appointment of Engine Driver

Mr. Stedman County Surveyor, reported that he had to discharge Patrick Craig an Engine Driver in connection with one of the Council's ^{Mr. Stedman's actions were approved of and} Tram Rovers. The Secretary was directed to insert an advertisement inviting applications for the position, Salary to be £1.10.0 per week. The appointment to be made at a meeting of the County Council to be held on 15th Sept. next.

attached account of the papers

Confirmed,

James Dunlop, Chairman,
15th Sept. 1914.

A meeting of the Sub-Committee appointed by the County Council at a meeting held on the 7th July 1914, for the purpose of arranging the Salary of Clerk for Mr. James H. Stedman, County Surveyor, was held at the Courthouse Rifford on Tuesday the 25th day of August 1914.

Attendance.

The members present were:-

Councillors Wm. Doherty, Wm. J. Hanna, and Joseph McArthur.

On the motion of Councillor McArthur, seconded by Councillor William Doherty, Councillor Hanna

Deleted James Dunlop was moved to the Chair - Chairman 15th Sept 1914

Councillor Doherty moved that the Salary of Clerk for Mr. Stedman, Co. Surveyor, be fixed at £50. per annum, rising by £5. per annum until a maximum of £75. is reached, and that the Clerk insert an advertisement inviting applications for the position, that the applicants send their applications to Mr. Stedman, and that the appointment of a suitable Clerk be appointed by the Co. Council on the recommendation of Mr. Stedman.

Councillor McArthur seconded, and the matter was unanimously agreed to.

It was further resolved that the Clerk to be appointed be under the control of the County Council and that he be liable to be suspended or dismissed by them on the complaint of Mr. Stedman County Surveyor.

Adopted by Co. Council
James Dunlop, Chairman

Copy Minutes sent to Rect. & Board, Col. Co. Council County Surveyor and Chairman of the Comtee 20/9/14 and to each member of the Comtee

A Special Meeting of the County Council was held on the 15th day of September 1914
Attendance

The members present were:-
Councillors James & Dunlevy (Chairman) W. Farrell, Robert Edward Farrell, Hanna, Magee, Mitchell, Muehler, McArthur, Mr. Donahue, Mr. Smith, Mr. White, and Patrick H. O'Donnell

The Collector to the Council was seen in attendance
Members

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed
Bunradda & Rathmullan Tiers

In accordance with notice of motion duly given and agreed by 6 members, Councillor Robert moved to rescind any resolution, or other Record in the proceedings of the Council at its last meeting, which in terms, or by implication, prohibits the signing of Deeds of attorney to the Board of Works in respect of payment out of the £10,000 - to be borrowed by the Council to the Contractor for, or otherwise in respect of the said works, and that said Deeds of attorney, in the terms required by the Board of Works be duly executed and forwarded to the Board.

Councillor Muehler seconded and the matter was unanimously agreed to.

a letter, dated 9th Sept. 1914 from the Local Est. Board relative to the arrangements Local authorities may adopt in the case of any of their employees who join His Majesty's Forces, was read

Vote at Bunradda Rathmullan & Burtanport
Letters (2), dated 9th Sept. 1914, from the Local Est Board expressing their sanction to Loans of £10,000 and £1,500 respectively, for Tiers at Bunradda, Rathmullan and also Burtanport, were read.

re Extension of Collection Period
Applications from the Fair Rate Collectors in the Phannon Rural District for an extension of the Collection period for the current half-Year ending 30th Sept. 1914, having been read, it was unanimously decided not to accede to the request contained in the applications.

Board of Works minutes to 17/9/14

Condition of the Collection of the Poor Rate

a letter, dated 4th Sept. 14 from the Local Government Board with reference to the Return showing the Condition to the 31st August 1914 of the Collection of the Poor Rate in Donegal County, for the current half-Year, and drawing attention to the large amount of Rates outstanding, and pointing out that the amount collected is substantially less than that collected at a similar period in previous Years.

also, that the Collectors should be informed that, having regard to the early date which they received their warrants, the Board will not be prepared to entertain any application for an extension in the event of any Collector failing to close by the 30th inst. having been read, the Secretary stated that on the 5th inst. he transmitted a copy of the letter to each Collector of Poor Rates in the County

Appeal against Rateable Valuations of all the Buildings
The Council then took into consideration the question of their being represented at the hearing before the County Court Judge at - - at October Sessions at Letterkenny of the appeal by the Donegal Railway Coy. Company against the Rateable Valuations of all the Buildings on the Burtanport Extension Railway.

Councillor Dunlevy moved that the Collector to the Council and our Secretary, and Mr. J. Cannon of the Rate Department - Co. Council Office - attend at the next October Sessions at Letterkenny in connection with said appeal that in the meantime our Secretary and Mr. J. Cannon Brief Mr. Wilson, the Council's Solicitor, and at the same time ^{in person} Brief Mr. John Mackay, Solicitor, who, it is presumed, will appear on behalf of the Commissioner of Valuation in support of the Valuations. Councillor J. H. O'Donnell seconded, and the matter was unanimously agreed to

Appointment of Engine Driver
On the recommendation of Mr. O'Sullivan, County Surveyor, William McCallion, Castleward, Newtownmumignan, was, on the motion of Councillor Dunlevy, seconded by Councillor Mitchell, appointed Engine Driver in connection with one of the Council's Steam Rollers.

In this connection Councillor W. Farrell referred

refers to the resolution passed at a meeting of the Co. Council on the 17th May 1914, re presenting Flagmen, after a Years Service, to the position of Engine Drivers, and asked both the County Surveyors if any of the Flagmen were eligible for the position. The County Surveyors replied in the negative.

Petty Sessions House in Town of Merville

The Secretary mentioned that he had not received any applications from persons having suitable premises in town of Merville for Petty Sessions business, and that he understood there were no suitable houses except the premises owned by Mr. Baird, Merville, which the Council had rented at £6. per annum until Mr. Baird applied for an increase in the rent, and subsequently served a Notice of Quit. At the last meeting of the Council they agreed to give Mr. Baird a yearly rent of £8. for the said premises but she, through her Solicitor, declined to accept less than £10. per annum. The Council, under the circumstances agreed - on the motion of Councillor Dunlavy seconded by Councillor Edward Gallagher, to a yearly rent of £10. being given for the premises owned by Mr. Baird and which were previously rented by the Council for Petty Sessions Business.

Tuberculosis Ireland, Order 1913

The Secretary mentioned that Mr. John Kelly, Rosewood, Killybegs, had a Cow which reacted to the Tuberculin Test and was declared by Mr. McEhane, V.C. to be suffering from Tuberculosis with Emaciation.

Mr. Kelly refused to accept the valuation put on said animal by Mr. McEhane and that under article 6(1) of above mentioned Order it would be necessary for the Council to appoint a Valuer. Councillor Wm Gallagher suggested, that Mr. Patrick Kelly, D.D. Dallymore, be asked to Value the Cow referred to, which suggestion was agreed to.

Distribution of Government Contracts

A letter, dated 3rd August 1914, from the War Office, on the subject of the Resolution adopted by the Sanagall County Council re Distribution of Government Contracts, was read.

Mr. McEhane, Henry, Esq.
6 Canine St. Bann
written to 10/9/14

Mr. Patrick Kelly, D.D.
Dallymore
written to 22/9/14

Sheep Dipping Basin

A letter from Mr. Michael Ruddy, Sheep Dipping Inspector Gilbo, Claudy, stating that the Sheep Dipping Basin in his Custody is worn out, and that he could purchase a second hand iron Tank for about £4. or £5 pounds, if the Co. Council would grant him permission to do so, on the motion of Councillor Hanna, seconded by Councillor Soberty, Ruddy was authorised to purchase the Tank he refers to, at the lowest price possible.

A letter, dated 3rd Sept. 1914, from the Clerk Elector R. D. Council, stating that a very large number of Fishermen, Adventurers, Factory hands and other labourers are now out of work in Elector District owing to the War, and that by direction of the Board of Guardians he has written to the Road Board asking them to give a substantial grant towards road improvements in that District in order to create employment for these poor labourers who are willing and anxious to work but cannot get it; also requesting the Co. Council to instruct their County Surveyor to prepare a scheme of proposed road improvements, having been read; on the motion of Councillor P. H. Donnell the request was acceded to.

Limit of Road Expenditure - Elector R. D.

A letter, dated 3rd Sept. 1914, from the Clerk Elector R. D. Council on the above subject, was read.

Use of a Tractor Engine on a Co. Road

A letter dated 3rd Sept. 1914, from the Clerk Elector R. D. Council to the effect that he has been directed by that Body to notify the County Council that a Tractor Engine is using the main road between Killybegs and Fintona Bridge, and is injuring, or is likely to injure the road; also a report of Mr. Caffrey, County Surveyor, stating that on the 20th August 1914 he had a notice served on the owner (trading under the name of Messrs. M. Pregor, & Sons, Belfast, to cease the extraordinary traffic and to restore the road surface. His reply was that it was not extraordinary traffic and he refused to comply with the terms of the notice. The Co. Surveyor suggested that legal proceedings should be instituted.

Michael Ruddy, Inspector
to 10/9/14

Mr. W. Deane, written to
22/9/14

at sure against this firm. Councillor Dunlevy moved that the C. Council be instructed to take proceedings against Messrs McFiegar, & Law, Belfast, and that he employ a Belfast Solicitor or attend there himself. The Co. Surveyor was directed to furnish Mr. McFiegar with the Notice of Proceedings in Council. Mr. McFiegar & Law, Belfast, were perpetually excluded from the County Council under the Act.

a letter from Mr. Caffrey County Surveyor stating that he made several applications to have the men employed on the Road Board work insured, but none of the Companies would accept the risks, and under the circumstances he thought it would be well to have them insured with the other employees of the County Council, having seen read the Secretary stated that he furnished Mr. Caffrey with the name and address of the Co. Company with whom the employees of the County Council are insured.

Loan of £1500

a letter, dated 7th Sept. 1914, from the Commissioners of Public Works enclosing a draft in favor of the Senegal County Council for £1500, being 1st instalment of loan for Steam Rolling Plant, was read.

Employers Act 1905

a decision under the Employers Act 1905, was passed to Mr. Andrew Kee, merchant, a bye-gate, County, and the Chair of the Council, order to be affirmed.

Report of Committee

The following Reports of Committees were adopted
Proposal Committee - meeting held 20th August 1914
Scholarship Committee - meeting held 8th Sept 1914

Councillor William J. Fogarty took exception to the whole report of the Special Committee appointed by the Co. Council for the purpose of arranging the salary of Clerk to Mr. James A. O'Sullivan, County Surveyor. He was of the opinion that a Clerk to Mr. O'Sullivan should not be appointed by the Council and accordingly moved that the said report be deleted.

Councillor P. H. O'Donnell seconded, Councillor Magee supported the motion.

Councillor Standa moved as an amendment that the Report of the Special Committee be adopted. Councillor William J. Fogarty seconded, Councillors Clarke and Mitchell supported the amendment.

A vote was then taken

For the amendment - Councillors Clarke, Fogarty, Edw. J. Fogarty, Standa

James J. 27/9/14

Standa, Mitchell, Mr. Arthur, & Mr. Devitt - 7.
Against - Councillors Dunlevy, Mr. Fogarty, Magee, Mitchell, McConlogue, Mr. Kelly, & P. H. O'Donnell 7.

The voting being even the Chairman gave his casting vote against the amendment, and declared the motion carried.

Loan of £1500

Purpose of Loan, Building a Pier at Burt Support.

On the motion of Councillor Dunlevy, seconded by Councillor Mr. Fogarty the undermentioned undertaking was given to the Board of Works and the deal of the Council ordered to be affirmed thereto.

The Senegal County Council hereby undertake that the instalments in repayment of the loan now proposed, as well as of any existing loans, will be punctually remitted at the dates at which they become due, viz: 1st May, and 1st November in each year.

James Dunlevy, Chairman
Bernard M. Fadden, Secretary

Dated 5th September 1914.

Crediting of certain roads in Strabane No. 2 P. D.

Councillor Clarke brought under the notice of the Council the condition of certain County roads in Strabane No. 2 Rural District and moved that the assistant Surveyor for the District be directed to furnish the Co. Council with a Report of the dates on which he visited or inspected said Road - a Road from Rossinore to Rathfriland, and from Divilly Burn to St. Johnston in the Lifford and Roundlerry road, Road between Belmont and Claudy, and the road from Crossmaglen to Councilor Clarke's farm, Councilor Standa seconded and the motion was affirmed.

Councillor Clarke proposed that each Deputy Surveyor in the County submit fortnightly returns to the County Surveyor of the visits made by them in connection with the various County roads in their respective districts, and that the County Surveyor submit those returns to the County Council at their next subsequent meeting after receipt of same. Councillor Dunlevy seconded and the matter was unanimously agreed to.

Application to be released from a Contract

a letter from Mr. Patrick J. Cole, Carradough, County, for Mr. Henry Doberty, Carradough, for the repair of the Streets of Carradough, wishing to be released

Underwriting sent to Board of Works 17/9/14

Mr. P. J. Keay assistant Surveyor written 27/9/14

Copy Resolutions sent to each County and assistant Surveyor 27/9/14

released from the Board, having been read, no action was taken -

Sanatorium Benefit

Agreement with Insurance Committee

a letter, dated 15th September 1914, from the Director to the County Council, on the subject of the agreement between the Douglas Co. Council, and the Insurance Committee for Co. Donegal, having been read, it was referred to the Joint Committee of the Co. Council and Insurance Committee, appointed to deal with the scheme for the treatment of Dependent of a Distress Committee

arising out of correspondence recd. from the Board Government Board on the subject of 100 measures necessary to deal with any distress that may arise in consequence of the war. A Distress Committee was appointed on the motion of Councillor Dunlop seconded by Councillor M. Arthur -

Constitution of Committee

Description of Member

Chairman of Council

Name	Address
James Dunne, Esq.	Dougal
Patrick M. Lacey, J.P.	Falcarragh
Patrick H. & Donald H.	Doocebery
Wm. Dolan, J.P.	Buncrana
Mr. McFadden	Rottisherry
Wm. J. Hanna, J.P.	Carrigan
Hugh McDevitt, J.P.	Albionford
James Clarke, J.P.	Portshall
George Magee, J.P.	Ballybofey
Michael Cassidy, J.P.	Ballyshannon

Councillors

Representatives of Distress Committee

Michael Cassidy, J.P.	Ballyshannon
Patrick M. Lacey, J.P.	Castlemurray
John Muligan	Dunfarraghy
P. H. & Donald H.	Doocebery
John Scott, J.P.	Killyman, Carradough
Philip Carrol	Rottisherry
Mr. McLaughlin	Berry
James Dwyer	Ramilton
E. C. Herdman	Carricklee
Harry Callaghan	Castlebans

Chairmen of Board of Guardians

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Insurance Committee

- Rev. Michael O'Shea, J.P. Tubau Berry
- Rev. Wm. F. Garstin, Donnybeg, R. Henry
- Rev. John M. Coffey, Rev. Rottisherry
- 15. Hugh Mc. Wainock, Donegal
- James Mc. Said, Maghera, Carradough

Employers of Labour

- William Faragher, J.P. Castelfin
- Chas. Kennedy, Lettera
- John McLaughlin, Buncrana
- Mr. Robt. Temple, Factory, Donegal
- Edward Faragher, of Uwendun, Berry
- Patrick Mc. Neil, Ardara
- Patrick D., Dunahilly
- Al. W. Weir, Cowry

Trade Unions

Spindle Women's Organisation

- Mr. Harry Faragher, Dunahilly, Stranorlar
- Mrs. Berrie Moore, Rifford

Older's and Sailors' Families Association

- Lady D. Bam, Ardara
- Mrs. Boyton, Cowry

Other Philanthropic Agencies
any other members

Total ...
Number of Women on Committee ...

Carrigrohilly,
Jan. 1915, Chairman
5th Nov. 14

Copy Minutes sent to Mr. Wilson, Col. Strabane, Mr. Dunlop, & Co. Liverpool 18/11/14 and to each member of the Co. Council 19/11/14

A Special Meeting of the County Council was held on the 5th day of November 1914.

Attendance

The members present were: Councillors James Dunlop (Chairman), Wm. Faragher, Francis Cavanagh, James Clark, William Colbourn, Samuel Davidson, Jacob Foran, Mr. Foran, Wm. James Hanna, George Magee, Joseph McArthur, George McEneaney, Patrick McFily, Hugh O'Donnell, Patrick O'Donnell and Neal Quigley Minister.

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed re Collector James P. Faragher.

The Secretary here mentioned that Collector James P. Faragher failed to attend before the Deputy Checker to have his ^{for two fortnights ended 31st Oct. 1914} Books checked. Councillor Hanna proposed that Collector Faragher be asked for an explanation and at the same time that he be warned that he must attend regularly in future to get his books checked.

Councillor Dunlop seconded and the matter was unanimously agreed to - re Messrs Roberts & Sons

The Secretary also brought under the notice of the Council that Messrs Roberts & Sons, Garage, Tully St. Derry, had not lodged the sum of £250 in respect of injuries to the County road between Derry and Naville, through excessive heavy motor traffic. Councillor Dunlop moved that the two promissory notes in the Secretary's custody be sent on to the Treasurer of the County for collection, and in the event of the amount not being paid forthwith that the matter be placed in hands of the Council Solicitor with a view to the recovery of the amount.

Reports of Committees

The Report of the Finance Committee - Meeting held 6th October 1914 - was unanimously adopted.

Treasurer's Advice Note

Treasurer's advice notes containing amounts to be transferred to the Committee of Management, Asylums, Rathfriland, Board of Guardians & R.D. Council in respect of Quarter ending 31.12.14 were submitted and duly signed.

Written to from Mr. Re-Department

Promissory Notes sent to Council

Main Roads

a Notice of motion, signed by six members: that the Resolution of the 21st and 22nd February 1900, dealing with the Cost of the Maintenance of Main Road be, and is hereby rescinded, was then taken into consideration.

a telegram from Councillor James F. O'Donnell, Bursupost, regretting being unable to attend meeting and requesting that Notice of motion to rescind the main roads resolution be allowed to stand over next meeting, having been read. The Chairman ruled that in pursuance of Standing Order No. 21, the motion must be dropped, and shall not again be set down on the Notice Paper except upon fresh Notice.

Bursupost Pier

a letter, dated 10th Oct. 1914, from the Office of Public Works, referring to copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Council, relative to the execution of works of improvement at Bursupost Pier, and in compliance with the concluding portion of the Resolution transmitting drafts of the agreement and Power of attorney which had been prepared to give effect to the terms of the Board's letter of the 12th August and of the Resolution having been read. Councillor Hanna proposed that the County Council hereby approve of the draft agreement and Power of attorney as submitted. Councillor McArthur seconded, and the matter was unanimously agreed to. The Chairman tested on draft agreement and Power of attorney the Council's acceptance.

Bunrana and Rathmullan Piers

In connection with a loan of £10,000 to be obtained from the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland, the following Undertaking was given on the motion of Councillor Hanna, seconded by Councillor McArthur, and the Seal of the Council ordered to be affixed thereto.

Purpose of Loan - Improvements at Bunrana and Rathmullan Piers

"The Donegal County Council hereby undertake that the instalments in repayment of the loan - now

Documents returned to Office of Public Works 12/11/14

Undertaking sent to Office of Public Works 9/11/14

by the Local Government Board, cannot possibly be carried out."

Councillor Hanna Deane and the ~~water~~ were unanimously agreed to

Local Government Elections

a letter, dated 23rd September 1914, from the Local Government Board forwarding copy of an Order which they have made amending the Rules in the Urban District Councils and Town Commissioners (Ireland) Election Order 1905, regarding the appointment of polling agents by Candidates for election as Urban District Councilors and as Town Commissioners, was read.

Limit of Expenditure on Road in District

a letter, dated 24th Sept. 1914, from the Local Government Board relative to the limit of expenditure on roads in Districts Rural Districts and stating that the Board regret that the Dromed Co. Council has not been guided in this matter by the report of the Co. Surveyor, and adding that the Board hope that the matter will again be considered by the Co. Council after receipt of a report at an early date from the Special Committee appointed by the District R.D. Council; also a letter from the Clerk R.D. Council referring to previous correspondence and stating that instead of clarifying the roads, as first proposed, the District Council have now decided that the roads be reduced all round in width and tonnage by 150% at least and more where possible. This will save £706, a Year, to be spent on roads at present out of Contract for the want of money. Having been read, Councillor Patrick H. Donnell stated that the District Council are opposed to the County Council taking any action. It was decided not to proceed further in the matter.

Schedules of uncollected Rates

The Rate Collectors Schedules of uncollected Rates for half Year ended 30th Sept. 1914, were Submitted and duly Signed.

re Collection of Certain Rates by Collector Mr. Ginty

a letter from the Local Govt Board enclosing copy of a letter which the Board received from Mr.

John

John Harkin, Nieranie, Dogbar, relative to the action of the Poor Rate Collector - Charles Ginty - Stranorlar Rural District - in connection with the Collection of Rates due by him; also letter of explanation from Collector Mr. Ginty, having been read, the Council considered the explanation satisfactory.

Case of Foss and Drugs Act

a letter, dated 15th October 1914, from the Department of Agriculture &c, Dublin, relative to the Case against Messrs A. H. and S. A. Allen, v. St. J. Duggan, in regard to a Couple of margarine purchased at their premises by an Officer of the Department and stating that arrangements have been made for the attendance of Mr. Patrick Duggan, the Officer in question, at Duggan Petty Sessions on 27th Oct. 14 for the purpose of giving evidence, and that in the view of the Department the Case in issue is which the local Inspector of Foss and Drugs should have legal assistance and they will accordingly be glad if a Solicitor is instructed to appear on behalf of the Co. Council; also a letter from the Local Inspector of Foss and Drugs referring to the case which, in his opinion, is one which requires a Solicitor, and it is the custom in other Counties for the Solicitor of the Co. Council to attend and prosecute, having been read, the Secretary stated that he directed Mr. Wm. Wrenn, Barr. Stranorlar, to attend at Duggan Petty Sessions on 27th Nov. 1914, the Secretary's action was approved.

Duties of Assistant Surveyors

a letter, dated 20th October 1914, from the Local Government Board. With reference to the entries in the Minutes of proceedings of the Dromed Co. Council on the 15th Sept. 14, relative to the duties of Assistant Surveyors in the County, and calling the attention of the Co. Council to the Board's letters of the 27th Sept. 1911 and the 14th June 1910, as to the necessity for the duties of Assistant Surveyors being clearly defined, having been read, it was decided to take no action.

Contribution towards payment of Salary of Tuberculosis officer on the motion of Councillor Dunlop, seconded by Councillor Hanna, it was unanimously decided to make application to the Insurance Committee for Co. Donegal for payment of £200 - being the Committee's Contribution - from the 1st Oct. 1913 to the 30th Sept. 1914, towards the Salary of the Tuberculosis officer appointed by the Co. Council Salary of Tuberculosis officer £600. per annum. 2/3 = £400.

Tuberculosis (Ireland) Order of 1913

A letter from the Department of Agriculture & Veterinary Branch, Dublin, with reference to a law the property of Mr. J. Kelly, Crossroads, Killygordan, and stating that the Department are advised the Local authority should now proceed with the slaughter of the animal concerned, in pursuance of article 5 of the Tuberculosis (Ireland) Order of 1913, should the owner's objection to the slaughter be made in writing in accordance with the article mentioned the necessary Departmental authorisation for slaughter will be issued on hearing from the Secretary to the Co. Council to that effect, having been read.

It was unanimously resolved on the motion of Councillor Dunlop, seconded by Councillor Clarke that the Department of Agriculture (Veterinary Branch) Dublin be asked to issue the necessary authorisation for slaughter.

Ballynass Pier

On the motion of Councillor McEneaney, seconded by Councillor Dunlop, Mr. McEneaney (Faddy), Ballynass, Farnborough, was appointed Harbour Master at above Pier at a Salary of £400. per annum, plus 10% on all dues collected.

Inspection of Certain Co. Roads

A Return of the rates for inspections, - received from Mr. P. J. Kelly, Assistant Co. Surveyor, - of Certain Co. roads in Strabane No. 2 Rural District was submitted and Mr. O'Sullivan Co. Surveyor was directed to inspect the Co. roads in question and furnish the Co. Council with a Report prior to their meeting on 21st inst. The Assistant Surveyor's Reports re road inspections to be submitted to the Council at

Department of Agriculture & Veterinary Branch written to 20.11.14

Memo re Faddy (Faddy) written to 20.11.14

at same meeting re John McEdden, Chief Dipping Inspector The Secretary brought under the notice of the Council the quantity of Sheep Dip used by the Chief Dipping Inspector in Donegal Rural District

The Secretary was directed to write and inform the Inspector that he must be more careful in future in the use of the Dip & that the Council will make arrangements for the appointment of a Successor. The Secretary mentioned that perhaps it might work out better financially for each Sheep owner to supply his own Dip but the consideration of the matter was adjourned until the question of the re-appointment of the various Inspectors came up for discussion

Tuberculosis (Ireland) Act 1908

Copies of Resolutions passed by Ballyshannon and Berris No. 2 R.D. Councils adopting part I of the Tuberculosis (Ireland) Act 1908 were approved.

Food and Drugs Act

at the request of the County Inspector R. J. G. Letterenny, the following members of the Force were appointed Inspectors of Food and Drugs and the Order of the Council ordered to be affixed to forms of appointment.

Name	Rating
acting Capt. James Coffey, R. I. C.	arranmore
Mr. Staunton, P. I. C.	Binnacra
Det. Hugh Mackey, R. I. C.	Bunfavanagh

Children Act 1908

A notice under above act received from the Clerk Petty Session Lettereny was read.

Annual Meeting Irish Co. Councils General Council

A letter from the Secty. Irish Co. Councils General Council stating that the annual meeting of the Irish Co. Councils General Council should be held on Friday 11th Dec. 14, and that notice of any questions which the Donegal Co. Council may desire to have discussed at the meeting should reach the Secretary not later than Thursday, Nov. 26th in order that they may be included on the agenda, was read.

Clara R. D. Council written to 9/11/14

Appointment Form forwarded to County Inspector R. J. G. 9/11/14

Chas. P. O'Sullivan
Committee - 2/19/14

Quinfaughy R.R. School Attendance Committee
a letter from the Office of National Education, Dublin, appending the names of members of above committee which have been appointed for the period of 3 years from 1st Oct. 14, was read

a letter, dated 2nd Oct. 14, from Mr. John Coffey, County Surveyor, stating that in accordance with a resolution recently passed by the Dougal Co. Council as to the advisability of promoting flagmen to the position of drivers of Steam Rollers, he has transferred Terence Quinn flagman from this position to that of Driver of No. 2 Roller, was read

Paid to Wm. Dougal Co. Council
an agreement Mr. Catherine Baird Moore, with Dougal Co. Council, re letting premises Situate at Market Street, in the town of Naville for the transaction of Petty Services business was submitted and duly executed and the Order of the Council ordered to be affixed thereto.

re Signing & Witnessing Contractors Bonds
a letter from the Clerk Dunsdown R.D. Council, on the subject of the signing and witnessing of Road Contractors Bonds. Having been read, the Secretary was directed to write Mr. James McLaughlin, assistant Surveyor, regarding a Bond which he witnessed and request him to explain why he signed the said Bond as witness and subsequently was unable to prove it.

Wm. Devine's Criminal Injury application
a letter, dated 15th Oct. 14, from the Solr. to the Co. Council stating that with reference to Wm. Devine's Criminal Injury application at Rathenny Criminal Court Judge awarded £50. damages with costs and expenses, to be levied off the Rural and Urban Districts of Rathenny, and that it was not advisable to appeal, was read.

application for a contribution out of Road Board Grant
Copy of a resolution passed by Dunsdown Rural District Council re applying to the Road Board for a grant of £300 - to repair the road from Dingley Point to Clontarf Querris, was read

agreement and draft
to be presented to Council
20-11-14

re James McLaughlin
witness to
20-11-14

Placing of Road Metal

a letter from Messrs A. Wier & Coy. Ltd. Railway Pl. Strabane, stating that a heap of road metal has been put down on Mr. John Dougherty's land at Ruskay, County, and that they have instructions to take proceedings if it is not removed at once, was read, the Secretary having stated that he referred the matter to the Comptroller.

Explosives act 1914

The following persons were granted renewal of license under above act
No. 100, W. J. Campbell, Essex, Sligo, No. 100, Daniel O'Callaghan
Kildrum

A new license No. 107, was granted to Andrew O'Sullivan, Drogheda & Harrogate Stone Dresser.

James McFegor & Sons

a letter from the Solr. to the Co. Council, referring to instructions received to prosecute Messrs James McFegor & Sons, after some correspondence with Messrs McFegor's Solicitor, Mr. Conroy, the latter offered without prejudice to pay £100 in satisfaction of damage to road, between Fintona & Killybegs, which the Co. Council agreed should be accepted, and that amount has now been paid in full discharge of liability. Under the circumstances this is a good settlement, was read.

Decees returned - marked "No good"

a letter, dated 19th Oct. 14 from the Solr. to the County Council stating that the Sheriff has returned marked "No good" the two Decees obtained in the following cases in April last, was read.

- The Co. Council v James Kelly & son.
- Dame v James Boyle (John) & Walter

Wicks average 1914

a circular letter, dated 2nd Nov. 14, from Dublin Castle, enclosing a copy of the Ulster Wicks average Order 1914, was read.

The Motor Car act 1903

a letter, dated 27th Oct. 14 from the Local Govt. Board stating for the information of the Council, that the Expiring Rural Continuance act 1914, which read, the Royal assent on the 7th August last, the motor car act

1903, was continued until the 31st Dec, 1915, was read

Auditor's Report

The Auditor's Report on the County Councils a/c, in respect of half year ended 31st March 1914, was read.

Central Tuberculosis Dispensary at Letterkenny
A letter from the R.F. Board (dated 11th Nov 14) relative to the plans of the institution for Tuberculosis which the Douglas Co. Council propose to establish at Letterkenny, having been read, it was unanimously decided, on the motion of Councillor Dunlop, seconded by Councillor Hanna, not to proceed further with the scheme until the Council have some definite information as to the amount of the Contribution from the Co. Council vice versa.

Closing of the Pier at Buncrana

A notification, dated 23rd Oct 1914, from the Colonel R.A. Commanding Royal Irish Defence, to the effect that at the request of the Admiral Commanding N.M. Fleet a Proclamation has been passed closing the Pier at Buncrana when the Fleet is being hoisted. O'Leary, was read.

Confirmed.

Wm Gallagher, Chairman

24th Nov 1914

Copy minutes sent to Chairman, R.F. Board, Co. Councilors & members of the Council Secy.

A Quarterly Meeting of the County Council was held on the 24th November 1914.

Attendance

The members present were:

Councillors William Farrell, Carraghan, Cassidy, Clarke, Roberts, Flood, Edward Farrell, Thomas, Hanna, Keely, Rowry, M. Arthur, McEneaney, McFuley, O'Donnell (Hugh), O'Donnell (James P.), O'Donnell (P. H.) and Dunley.

The Solicitor to the Council was also in attendance

Councillor William Farrell (Vice-Chairman) occupied the Chair.

Minutes

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed

Reports of Committees

The Reports of the following Committees were unanimously adopted:

Finance Committee - Meeting held 5th Nov 14
Proposed Committee - " " " "

Proposals for Payment

The Proposals for Payment, as reported on by the Finance Committee, in respect of Quarter ended 30th Sept 1914, were (without modification) ordered to be paid.

Proposals for Works

The Proposals for works formulated by the Proposal Committee, were approved.

Bank Books

The Bank Books in connection with County a/c were submitted and signed by the Chairman

Main Roads

A Notice of Motion, signed by six members.

That the Resolution of the 21st and 22nd February 1900, dealing with the cost of the maintenance of Main Roads be, and is hereby rescinded was moved by Councillor James P. O'Donnell and seconded by Councillor Edward Farrell. Councillor William Farrell Opposed

Councillor McFuley proposed as an amendment that the Resolution referred to in motion be not rescinded, Councillor Hanna seconded.

a Vote was then taken
For the motion - Councillors Clarke, now Robert, Edward
Faragher, Kelly, McFieley, O'Donnell (Hugh)
O'Donnell (James P.) & O'Donnell (P. H.)
and Neal Quigley - 9.

Against - Councillors William Faragher, Callaghan,
Cassidy, Flood, Mr. Farman, James Lowry,
McArthur, and Mr. Egan 9

The voting being equal the Chairman gave his casting
Vote in favor of the amendment and declared it
passed unanimously.

re appointment of assistant to the Co. Surveyor
Councillor Clarke, in accordance with notice duly
given, moved that a Clerk be appointed to assist
the County Surveyor for the Northern Division of
the County in Office Work. Councillor Hanna
seconded. Councillor McFieley supported the motion.

The Chairman ruled that the motion was
out of order as there was a resolution to
a similar effect on the Books which had not
been reconsidered. Councillor Clarke thereupon agreed
to withdraw his motion and gave notice that he
would move at the next meeting of the Co. Council
that the salary of assistant to Mr. O'Donnell,
Co. Surveyor be fixed.

a Deeds Order (dated 11th Nov. 1914) of the Local Government
Board revoking their Order of the 20th Feb. 1906,
amongst other things declaring the provisions of
Section 80 of the Public Health (Ireland) Act 1878 to
be in force within the limits or boundaries of a
certain area or contributory place, consisting of
portions of the Townlands of Drumacree, Magheracree,
and Finer, was read.

Tuberculosis Dispensary at Letterkenny

a letter, dated 4th Nov. 14, (No. 50576:1914) from the
Local Government Board relative to the plans of the
Dispensary for Tuberculosis which the Donegal
County Council propose to establish at Letterkenny
was submitted, and consideration thereof deferred
till next meeting.

agreement County Council of Donegal with the
Insurance Committee for Co. Donegal

The consideration of a draft agreement - The Co. Council
of Donegal with the Insurance Committee for County
Donegal in connection with the treatment of insured
and non-insured persons in the County was
again adjourned, pending the receipt of a definite reply
from the Local Government Board as to the
amount of the Sanatorium Grant the County Council
will receive.

Central Isolation Hospital

a Copy of a resolution passed by the Insurance
Committee for Co. Donegal, recommending the County
Council to direct that the plans for the proposed
Central Isolation Hospital at Casement, Donegal,
and Fletter, be prepared by the architect Mr. J. P.
McGrath, Berrig, in consultation with the doctors
of the Workhouses and Hospitals concerned, and
the Medical Tuberculosis Officer, and that those
Buildings be proceeded with at the same time
as the Central Tuberculosis Dispensary at Letterkenny
was unanimously adopted.

In this connection, on the motion of Councillor
Cassidy, seconded by Councillor Kelly, Mr. Michael
O'Callaghan, Letterkenny, was appointed to take out
the quantities of required Buildings at the rate
of 2%.

It was further resolved that Mr. J. P. McGrath,
Berrig, be solely responsible for the carrying out
and completion of the said Buildings. To give
all certificates for work done and generally for
handing over to the Co. Council the Buildings
complete, his remuneration being at the rate of
4%.

Levy of a Rate for Agricultural & Technical
Instruction purposes

On the motion of Councillor Hanna, seconded by Councillor
McArthur, Copy of a resolution passed by County
Donegal Committee of Agriculture requesting the County
Council to levy a Rate of one penny in the £ for
agricultural and Technical Instruction purposes,
during the financial year ending 31st March 1915, was
unanimously

Extract sent to Mr. J. P. McGrath
of Mr. Michael O'Callaghan
10/12/14

Copy to Committee
written to
10/12/14

unanimously adopted.

re Collector James P. Gallagher

The Secretary reported the failure of Collector James P. Gallagher, Glenties Purse District, to attend with his Books at the Deputy Clerk's Office for the purpose of having his accounts checked in respect of the three Consecutive fortnights ended 14th Nov^r 14, and submitted at the same time a letter received on 24th inst. from this Office acknowledging receipt of few previous communications addressed to him from the Office in the matter, in which he stated that he considered it a hardship to have to attend at Deputy's Office when he had no rates collected, but that he would do so on 26th or 27th inst. The Council thereupon, on the motion of Councillor Hanna, seconded by Councillor McArthur, unanimously decided that Collector Gallagher be informed that it is his bounden duty to attend before the Deputy on the appointed day, at the expiration of each fortnight, and there and then submit his books and accounts for the purpose of being checked by this Office, and that failure on his part to comply with this requirement in future will result in the Council taking the necessary steps to suspend him from Office.

Belgian Refugees

a letter, dated 12 Oct. 1914, from the Local Govt. Board on the subject of the accommodation in Ireland for Belgian Refugees, having been read, it was decided not to take any action for the present inasmuch as provision has been made in several Districts in the County by Boards of Guardians and other Local Committees for the reception of Belgian Refugees.

Employment of Women

a Circular letter, dated 18th Sept. 14, from the Local Govt. Board on the subject of employment for women who have been temporarily thrown out of employment as a consequence of the War, was read, no immediate action being deemed necessary.

Collector James P. Gallagher, written to from Rate Department.

amount lodged with Treasurer

Clk. R. D. Council written to 20/11/14

Clk. R. D. Council written to 26/11/14

Mr. Dunne written to 26/11/14

Review of Renewals - names

a letter, dated 13th Nov. 1914, from the Local Govt. Board relative to a Scheme of allowances adopted by the Government for the dependants of Sailors and Soldiers engaged in Naval and Military Service, was read

Lodgment of £25. in respect of damages to a Co. Road

The Secretary stated that Messrs Roberts & Sons Garage, Foyce St, Bessy, had lodged the sum of £25, in respect of damages to the County road between Bessy & Muville

Permission to erect poles

Copy of a Resolution of Ballyshannon R.D. Council requesting the Co. Council to grant permission to erect poles on roadway, at portion of Blymore townland, in connection with the lighting of the Village of Belleek, having been read, permission was granted. Subject to the approval of Mr John Caffrey Co. Surveyor.

Permission to open a County Road

Copy of a Resolution of Glenties R.D. Council requesting the Co. Council to grant permission to that Body to open the Co. road for the purpose of laying down pipes in connection with Duglae Drainage having been read, permission was granted. Subject to the approval of Mr John Caffrey Co. Surveyor

re Erection of a Store along a Co. Road

a letter from Mr. F. S. Dunlop, Ardara Road, Meenabarra, near Glenties, with reference to a small store he built along the Co. road having been read it was decided to request him to enter into an agreement with the Co. Council through Mr. John Caffrey, Co. Surveyor, to take down said building when called upon by the Co. Council to do so

Explosives Act 1875

Licenses under the Explosives Act 1875 were granted to No. 158, Mary Meehan, Shopkeeper, Castlefui, No. 159, Robert Cairns, Grocer, Castlefui, No. 160, Denis Kelly, Merchant, Cheshillie

Renewal of Licenses under said Act were issued to the following, No. 80 Mr. Shaw, Chieford, No. 94, F. Miller, Market St, Ballyshannon, No. 121, John McDonnell, Bridge House, Gortahork, No. 145 Michael Hammond, The Mall, Ramelton, No. 147, F. Graham, Ballyshannon.

Passes and Pharmacy act.

renewal of a Licence, No. 9 under the above act was granted to Mr. John Gallen, Surgeon.

re P. D. Heary, Esq.

letter, dated 18th Nov. 14, No. 4794, from the Department of Agriculture (Veterinary Branch) stating that the Department have been informed by Mr. J. D. Heary, Veterinary Inspector to the Local Authority for Co. Down, under the Diseases of Animals Act, that he has been selected by the military authorities to proceed at once to Canada with the object of purchasing horses for army purposes, and that he is accordingly arranging for a period of leave of absence during which Mr. M. O'Hane, V. S. Dunblaney, is to act as his substitute for the performance of his official duties and adding that the Department have no objection to offer to this arrangement, assuming that the Local Authority for Co. Down approve of it, having been read, the Council unanimously approved of the arrangement.

re Death of Mr. Wm. V. Hoare

The Secretary mentioned that Mr. Wm. V. Hoare, Rottenham, who was one of the Council's Inspectors under the Contagious Diseases of Animals Act for the Districts of Dunfarghy, Rottenham, and Melford, died on the 17th Nov. 1914, and that it would be necessary to make arrangements with a view to the appointment of a successor. The Secretary was directed to insert a notice in the Local papers inviting applications for the position. 3 qualified Veterinary Inspectors to be appointed under said Act and also under the Tuberculosis (Ireland) Order of 1913, for the Districts of Dunfarghy, Rottenham, & Melford, respectively.

Salary of each Inspector £30 per annum, plus scale of Fees sanctioned by the Department of Agriculture, &c. (Veterinary Branch) for services rendered under the above-named Act. The appointments to be made by the Council at a meeting to be held on 15th Dec. 1914.

It was resolved that the following Veterinary Inspectors be appointed to act in the Districts appearing opposite their names under the latter date. Remuneration to be at the rate of £30 per annum.

Department of Agriculture (D. A.) written to 26.11.14

Notice inserted in Local papers.

Department of Agriculture (D. A.) written to 25. Nov. 14

<u>Name of V. S.</u>	<u>District for which appointed</u>
Thomas F. O'Brien	Dunfarghy Union
S. G. O'Neil	Rottenham Union
Frederick G. Beck	Melford Union

The Secretary was directed to write and request them to state if they will accept the temporary appointment.

Harbour Works at Bunsupost, Co. D.

Proposed by Councillor James F. O'Donnell, Decided by Councillor William O'Shea, and unanimously resolved. That in view of the late developments in Mifinlaying on the fishing grounds on the coast of this County. The want of employment and the manner and conditions under which the inhabitants on the seaboard from Arranmore to Tory Island at present exist. We ask the Congested Districts Board and the Board of Public Works to commence the Harbour Works at Bunsupost, and to have some landing facilities constructed at Magheragallon, Ballynaas, Ballintra Strand, Arranmore, and Duniskeragh Islands, in order that the fishermen may find some employment during the coming Spring, now that they are debarred from continuing their usual means of livelihood.

re Proposal for raising a County Road

Mr. Sheehy, County Surveyor, reported that there was a work placed in his hands by the Co. Council in Melford Rural District, re improving a low portion of the road leading from Rathmullan to Oughastlin.

To carry out his Specification for raising the road at this place, an adjoining occupier is raising objections and states that it will cause flooding of part of his land. He (Mr. Sheehy) does not agree in this but considers that the improvement should be carried out and brings the matter forward with a view to asking that the S.C. to the Co. Council be instructed to defend any action should matters go that far. It was unanimously decided that Mr. Wilson, the Council's S.C., be directed to defend any action that might be taken by the occupier referred to in Mr. Sheehy's Report.

written to 26.11.14
Copy resolution sent to Board of works and C.D. Board 26.11.14

re John Patton - Flagman Breaker No. 6
 Mr. Caffery, County Surveyor mentioned that he
 procured a man named John Patton to act as
 Flagman for Breaker No. 6, and he wished the
 Council to confirm the appointment. Salary
 107⁷ per week. The Council unanimously agreed to
 do so. On the motion of Councillor Wm. Faragher seconded by
 Councillor ^{Casey} ~~Casey~~ confirmed.

re John Dwyer - Flagman
 Mr. Steadman, County Surveyor, also proposed that he
 had to employ a man named John Dwyer to
 act as Flagman for Breaker No. 7 - Salary 107⁷ per week.
 He was a proper person for the position.

On the motion of Councillor Hanna seconded by
 Councillor McArthur, the appointment was confirmed.
 Proposed New Road in townland of Ballinahone
 Derry, Co. D. R. D.

Mr. Wrenn, Mr. O'Hara, who was present, mentioned
 that some particulars were required in connection
 with a proposed new road in townland of Ballinahone
 Derry Co. D. in respect of which the Co. Council
 at a meeting held on 23rd Jan 14, decided him to take
 the necessary proceedings with a view to acquiring
 the lands through which proposed new road is
 intended to run. Mr. Steadman tried to obtain the
 required particulars and with this object in view he
 brought the matter before Derry Co. D. Council. The
 District Council appointed a Committee with the
 object of determining if a settlement could be
 come to thus obviating the necessity for Court
 proceedings. His Report ^{of the Committee} had yet been received and
 he (Mr. Wrenn) desired to know if he should
 now proceed to put the Co. Council's compulsory
 powers into force. It was unanimously decided
 that Mr. Wrenn take the necessary steps forthwith
 to carry out the original instructions of the Co. Council.

County Surveyors Reports re Road Contractors
 The County Surveyors Reported a number of Contractors against
 whom they were desirous of putting into operation
 the 5th Sec. of the 6th and 7th of 1864. When the Council
 directed them to proceed therewith. They also reported
 a number of Contractors whom they were desirous
 of prosecuting at Quarter Sessions when the Council
 directed

directed them to proceed therewith, particulars in each
 case to be furnished to the Clerk to the County
 Council -
 re Procedure for Payment of Workmen out of Road Board Grant.
 a letter dated 17th Nov. 14, No 61199/1914, from the Road
 Government Board, in reference to the procedure
 for the payment of workmen employed on
 the roads in Co. Down, towards the improvement
 of which the Road Board are making grants
 in respect of which a resolution was adopted
 by the Down Co. Council at a meeting held on
 5th Nov. 14, and stating that their Inspector of
 Audit, Mr. J. W. Drury issued attend the meeting
 of the Co. Council at Rifford on 24th Nov. 14 for
 the purpose of discussing the matter with the Council
 having been read, Mr. Drury, who was present, stated
 that the Road Government Board wished to meet
 the County Council in every possible way, but having
 regard to decisions in the Courts it was illegal
 for the Council to place sums in the County
 Surveyor's hands out of which payments could
 be made by them, and if anything happened
 up in future the Road Government Board would
 be found fault with if they had not informed
 the County Council as to the legality or otherwise of
 placing sums of money in the hands of certain of
 their officials for disbursement, therefore the Road Govt.
 Board had no other alternative but to dissent
 from the present procedure adopted by the Council,
 and the Board request the Co. Council to adopt
 instead the procedure, as laid down in article
 43 (c) of the Public Bodies Order, 1904.

After a considerable discussion
 in which it was pointed out by several of the
 Councillors that it would be impossible to have
 a Quorum fortnightly for the purpose of signing
 into the County Surveyor's Pay Sheet & signing
 Treasurer's advice Notes, it was, however, subsequently
 decided that the Council would do their best
 and endeavour to comply with the Road Government
 Board's requirements.

Confirmed,
 15th Dec. 14
 Chairman

Copy minute sent to each member of the Co. Council
Dec. 8th Board
Robt. Co. Council
& Co. Surveyors
9th January 1915

A Half Yearly Meeting of the County Council was held on the 15th day of December, 1914

Attendance

The members present were:
Councillors J. Dunlevy (Chairman), W. F. Gallagher, C. Cassidy, Clarke, Davidson, Roberts, Flood, Anthony Gallagher, Edward Gallagher, Jacob Forman, Kelly, Lowry, Magee, Mitchell, McArthur, McConlogue, Mr. Devitt, Mr. Fadden, Mr. Eie, James F. O'Donnell, and Patrick A. O'Donnell.
The Clerk to the Council was not present.

The minutes of previous meeting were approved
Resolutions also introduced

Transactions advised to be numbered from to conclusion and dated 15th Dec. 1914 were submitted and duly signed.

Reports of Committees

The reports of the following Committees were adopted
Finance - Meetings held 5th Nov. and 8th Dec. 1914.

re appointment of Clerk for Mr. Chadman, Co. Surveyor
A notice of motion signed by his members that the resolution passed on the 7th July 1914 agreeing to allow Mr. Chadman a Clerk, be rescinded, was moved by Councillor William Gallagher and seconded by Councillor Francis Cassidy.

Councillor Clarke moved an amendment a direct negation, Councillor Mitchell seconded and Councillor Roberts supported the amendment.

The Chairman having spoken a Vote was taken for the motion - Councillors Dunlevy, W. F. Gallagher, Cassidy, Flood, Anthony Gallagher, Jacob Forman, Magee, McConlogue, Mr. Fadden, Mr. Eie, James F. O'Donnell and Patrick A. O'Donnell - 18.

Against - Councillors Clarke, Davidson, Roberts, Edward Gallagher, Kelly, Lowry, Mitchell, McArthur, & Mr. Devitt - 9

The Chairman declared motion carried and amendment lost.

As a result of above decision a notice of motion in the name of Councillor Clarke, "That the Dougal Co. Council proceed to fix salary of Clerk for Co. Surveyors' Office in the Northern Division"

Division" was not proceeded with.

Distinction for Tuberculosis at Rottamney

a letter, dated 11th Nov. 14 from the Dougal Board, relative to the plan of the distinction for Tuberculosis which the Dougal Co. Council propose to establish at Rottamney, was read, and no action taken pending a reply from the S.P. Board with reference to the amount of the contribution from the County Council of Dougal will receive. For above reasons the execution of a draft agreement - The Co. Council of Dougal with the Insurance Committee for Co. Dougal - was deferred.

Co. Dougal Joint Technical Instruction Committee

a letter, dated 23rd Nov. 14 from the Secretary County of Down Joint Technical Instruction Committee, enclosing a letter read from the Very Rev. Canon Drury, D.D., Killybegs, tendering his resignation as a member of the Committee, was read, and resignation accepted.

Councillor Roberts moved that the Rev. J. J. O'Robert, D.D., be appointed a member of said Committee in place of the Very Rev. Canon Drury, D.D., resigned. Councillor W. F. Gallagher seconded.

Councillor Kelly moved that the Very Rev. Edward Canon Maguire, D.D., D.P., Tully, be appointed Councillor Mr. Devitt seconded.

Councillor Anthony Gallagher moved that the Rev. John M. Kelly, D.D., Tully, be appointed Councillor McArthur seconded, and the Chairman supported.

A Vote was then taken

For Father O'Robert - Councillors W. F. Gallagher, W. Roberts, Edward Gallagher, and Patrick McConlogue - 4.

For Mr. Maguire - Councillors Cassidy, Davidson, Flood, Kelly, Mitchell, Mr. Devitt, and Patrick O'Donnell - 7.

For Father M. Kelly - Councillors Dunlevy, Cassidy, Clarke, Anthony Gallagher, Jacob Forman, Lowry, Magee, McArthur, Mr. Fadden & Mr. Eie - 10.

Father O'Robert having received the least number of votes dropped out and a Vote was then taken

as between Mr. Maguire and Father Mr. Kueby
 For Mr. Maguire Councillors Wm. Gallagher, Cassidy, Davidson,
 Roherty, Flood, Edward Gallagher, Keely
 Mitchell, Mr. Devitt, J. P. H. & D. Donnell - 10
 For Father Mr. Kueby, Councillors Neulevy, Gallagher, Clarke, Anthony,
 Gallagher, Jacoby, Korman, Henry, Magee,
 Mr. Arthur, Mr. Fadden & Mr. Lee - 10.
 Councillors M. Conalogue and James P. Donnell did not
 vote.

The voting being equal the Chairman gave his
 casting vote in favour of Father Mr. Kueby and elected
 him elected a member of St. Paul's Joint Christian
 Instruction Committee -

Prior Navigation Improvement Act 1915.

A circular letter, dated 24th Nov. 1914 from the Royal
 Government Board forwarding a copy of above
 act, and drawing the Council's attention to its
 provisions, was read and no action taken.

Provisional Order - Urban Sanitary District
 A letter, dated 26th Nov. 1914 from the Royal Government
 Board, forwarding a copy of a Provisional Order
 made by the Board constituting the town of
 Bunderan an Urban Sanitary District, was read.

Appointment of Veterinary Inspectors

The Council then proceeded to appoint three qualified
 Veterinary Inspectors under the Diseases of Animals
 Act and Tuberculosis (Ireland) Order 1913, one for
 each of Union Districts of Dunfarghly, Rathfriland,
 and Bliford.

Councillor Neulevy proposed that Mr. F. O'Brien, P. O. Falcarragh,
 be appointed for the Union District of Dunfarghly
 Councillor Magee seconded, and the appointment
 was unanimously agreed to.

On the motion of Councillor Mr. Devitt, seconded
 by Councillor Mr. Arthur F. P. Beck, P. O. Bliford,
 was appointed for the Union District of Bliford.

A telegram from J. C. Currie, P. O. Rathfriland,
 stating that he was acquiring another practice and
 withdrawing application for Inspectorship for
 the Union District of Rathfriland, was read and
 there being no other candidates for the position
 the Secretary was directed to issue an

Copy to Committee and
 to Mr. Maguire
 to 22. 11. 14

advertisement inviting applications for the position
 for said Union District at the same rates
 of salary and remuneration. The appointment
 to be made by the Council at a meeting to
 be held on the 12th January 1915.

On the motion of Councillor Keely,
 seconded by Councillor Devitt, Mr. F. P. Beck, P. O.
 Bliford, was appointed temporary until the
 12th January 1915, as Inspector for the Union
 District of Rathfriland, at the rate of £30. per
 annum, plus 50% of fees for duties under
 the Tuberculosis (I) Order of 1913.

In Mr. Currie's letter, dated 27th Nov. 1914,
 from the Department of Agriculture & expressing
 the Department's approval of the appointment
 under the 15th Nov. 1914 in the name made by
 Douglas Co. Council on 24th Nov. 1914 of the undersigned
 Veterinary Inspectors to discharge the Veterinary Inspection
 duties in the Union. Districts shown opposite
 their respective names, with remuneration at the rate
 of £30. per annum, was read.

Name	Address	Union District
J. C. Currie, P. O.	Rathfriland	Rathfriland
Mr. F. O'Brien, P. O.	Falcarragh	Dunfarghly
F. P. Beck, P. O.	Bliford	Bliford

Swelbassa Bridge

A letter, dated 27th Nov. 1914, from the C. D. Board
 enclosing copy of a letter recd. from the District
 R. D. Council regarding the Swelbassa Bridge,
 Co. Down, was read, and no action taken
 the County Council being of opinion that
 the matter was one for the District Council
 to deal with.

Road Board Grant

Copy of a Resolution passed by Derry No. 2 Rural
 District Council "that following up our resolution
 applying for a portion of the Road Board
 grant of £10,000, agreeing to pay our portion in
 accordance with the terms of grant on any
 allocation being made to Derry No. 2 District,
 and it having now been definitely arranged to expend
 a sum of £2240 - in Derry No. 2 R. D. of which

Department of Agriculture
 Messrs J. P. O'Brien & Beck
 written to 22/11/14

C. P. Board
 written to

The Road Boards have undertaken to contribute £2,000 - We agree to find the balance, and desire to ask the Co. Council to take the necessary steps towards this end, was read.

Loan of £2,000

a letter, dated 3rd Dec^r 14, from the L^o Board stating that they have recommended the Commissioners of Public Works to issue a sum of £2000 (on the Council making the necessary application therefor), being a further instalment of the Loan of £2,000 sanctioned for the purpose of purchasing Steam Rolling Plant, was read.

Deduction of Income Tax for Year 1914-15

A memorandum, dated 20th Nov^r 14, from the Inland Revenue Somerset House, London, as to deduction of Income Tax for the Year 1914-15 from payments made, after the 5th Dec^r 1914 was read.

Dougal Marine Works

a letter, dated 1st Dec^r 14, from the C^o Board acknowledging the receipt of the Secretary's communication of the 26th Nov^r 14, and stating that the Board of Works have control of the arrangements for the proposed improvement works at Booterstown. The Congested Districts Board improved the Pier at Inchicore last year and they consider the landing facilities there are now adequate. at Dúnshingaigh also satisfactory works have been completed. as regards the other works mentioned in the Resolution, the Board, owing to financial difficulties consequent on the War, are not in a position at present to entertain any scheme for harbour improvements. was read.

Dublin Castle as a Red Cross Hospital

a letter from the Consuls of Aberdeen on the subject of a scheme whereby the State Apartments of Dublin Castle are to be converted into a Red Cross Hospital for the accommodation of wounded soldiers returning from the War, and stating that City of Dublin Branch of the British Red Cross Society have taken the lead in collecting funds for providing the needed equipment, but they hope that the other Counties of Ireland will wish

to

The Hon. Secretary City of Dublin Branch of the British Red Cross Society written to 24/12/14
Postals written to Mr. Rafferty written to 24/12/14
24/12/14

to have a certain number of beds of their own in the above-named Hospital and that the Dougal Co. Council will recommend the scheme, and arrange that so many beds may be called by the name of their County; also that it has been estimated that £10. will equip each bed, was read, and no action taken.

Permission to Concrete a foot-path

Subject to the approval of Mr. O'Donnell County Surveyor, permission was granted to Mr. R. Rafferty, Creelagh, to concrete the foot-path in front of his house in the Village.

re Condition of Certain Co. Road

a letter from Certain Ratepayers residing in the Townland of Ballinacry - Dunshingaigh R. District relative to the bad condition of certain roads in said townland, having been read the matter was referred to the Co. Surveyor for a report.

Children's act 1908

a notice, dated 1st Dec^r 14, from the C. P. O. Fitzsimons under above act, was read.

re Contract to repair Dunshingaigh R. D.

a letter from the Clerk Dunshingaigh R. D. Council stating that the District Council directed him to send a letter from James McFingee, Crosscreech, with the request that the Co. Council try and obtain a grant in aid from the War office, owing to the extraordinary Military traffic on Contract No. 1547. The District Council prefer this action to relieving McFingee of said Contract having been read, the Secretary was directed to bring the matter before the War Department

re purchase of an old Crane

a letter from the Harbour Master at Buncrana Pier relative to the purchase of an old Crane belonging to the Co. Council on the Pier and offering £2. for it, having been read, the matter was referred to Buncrana Pier Committee

Dunrobin to Buncrana Pier

a letter from the Harbour Master at Buncrana Pier reporting that the O. S. Loch soon owned by

Treasury was Department which had London written to 24/12/14
Covenancy of New Quay Pier Committee written to 24/12/14

by Mr. John G. Stewart, Custom House Quay, Glasgow, damaged one of the Piles on the Pier at Buncrana on the 1st Dec. 14, having been read, the Secretary stated that on the 7th Dec. 14 he wrote Mr. Stewart regarding the damage and stated that a claim would be made against him by the Council after the extent of the damage had been ascertained. In this connection Mr. O'Sullivan reported that on the 1st Dec. 14 the S.S. Loch Doon unnecessarily struck the Buncrana Pier & dislodged that it split one of the fender piles, and also twisted the heavy wrist iron strapping piece connected with same. To renew this fender, remove the bolts & connecting same (which owing to rust will necessitate cutting in some cases); also removing bolts and repairing twisted strap and the workmanship connected with this repair will, he estimates, take £11.

The Secretary was directed to make a claim against Mr. Stewart for the amount, and in the event of his not paying the amount that the letter to the Co. Council be directed to institute proceedings with a view to its recovery.

re Injury to the Steamer "Aberfoyle" at Rathmullan Pier

a letter from Sir John McFarland, Londonderry, enclosing two reports relative to injury to the Steamer "Aberfoyle" at Rathmullan Pier on the 2nd Dec. 14, also a subsequent letter from Sir John stating that notwithstanding the facts are all gathered he would suggest that the Co. Council be not troubled with the complaint, having been read, it was decided, under the circumstances to adjourn consideration of the matter till next meeting.

re Contract, No. 6, Dunfanaghy R. D.

a letter from Mr. John Bell, Road Contractor, Carrickmahon, Derrybeg, Dunfanaghy R. D. desiring to be relieved of Contract No. 6, having been read, it was decided not to cancel the Contract.

re Withdrawing Signature to Bonds

an Explanation by Mr. A. D. McLaughlin, Assistant Co. Surveyor, in answer to several questions re

Mr. John G. Stewart
written to 19/11/14

Call written to
19/11/14

a certain signature to a Road Contractor's Bond which he witnessed, but subsequently was unable to prove Bonds, was not considered satisfactory, the Secretary was directed to write him to that effect and at the same time to ask him to be more careful in future so that the like may not occur again.

re Chas. Kennedy Driver of Stone Breaker No. 9.

an application by Charles Kennedy, Driver of Stone Breaker for full pay as from 23rd Nov. 14, he being off duty through a breakdown of the Breaker having been read Mr. O'Sullivan Co. Surveyor reported as follows:-

"With regards to this application Kennedy has been paid on the usual scale, half pay while machine was idle - I wrote him at the time about the matter. When I was ready to start the Breaker again I wrote Kennedy and he replied that he was not going to come, then, without a days notice, had to make other arrangements -

I advanced the flagman of No. 3 John O'Sullivan to be driver of No. 7 in Kennedy's place & appointed as flagman to him John Mc. Baird.

As flagman to No. 3 Koller to fill O'Sullivan's place I appointed Patrick Roberty.

Further, as John Sweeney, flagman to No. 9, left I appointed in his place Patrick Mc. Roberty.

I now ask you to confirm these appointments.

The Council decided not to accede to Kennedy's application for full pay from the date mentioned (23rd Nov. 14) but confirmed the appointments referred to in Mr. O'Sullivan's Report.

Explosives at 1875

Renewal of Licences under above act were granted to the undermentioned persons.

- No. 114, Mr. Ke. Ballyporey, No. 123, J. Blaney, Rosneath,
- No. 129, J. Stewart, Newcastle, No. 134 & 135, M. McKeough,
- & Coy. Carradavagh, No. 142, Mr. Murphy, Ballyporey,
- No. 148, James Moore Rosneath.

Licences renewed

re - Kennedy written
21. 11. 14.

Co. Surveyor's Reports re Road Contractors
 Mr. Stadiam, Co. Surveyor, reported a number of Contractors against whom he was desirous of putting into operation the 54th Sec. of the 6th and 7th W. H. C. 116, when the Council directed him to proceed therewith. He also reported a number of Contractors whom he was desirous of prosecuting at Quarter Sessions when the Council directed him to proceed therewith, particulars in each case to be furnished by him to the Solicitor to the Co. Council.

Decees Marked No Good

A letter dated 4th Decr. 14 from the Clerk to the County Council to the effect that the Sheriff returned to him two Decees obtained against Hugh D. Russell and Dutcher (Nos 593 and 594) at January Sessions 1914, both marked No Good having been read the Clerk to the Co. Council, who was present, stated that the Board (Emergency Board) Act stopped the execution of these Decees and now they are out of date and must be renewed. He was authorized to apply for new Decees.

Marine Works at Duncrana, Rathmullan, and Burtport

A letter, dated 14th Decr. 14, from the Office of Public Works, Dublin, referring to the correspondence on the subject of the Marine Works at Duncrana, Rathmullan, and Burtport proposed to be carried out with the aid of grants from the Development and Sea Fisheries Funds, and stating that having regard to the actual financial conditions since the preliminary negotiations for these works took place, the Board considered it necessary to seek the direction of the Treasury as to whether they were at liberty to proceed with the undertakings. The Roads Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury have now informed the Board that they have found it necessary to restrict advances of this kind from the Development Fund as a general rule to cases of serious distress consequent upon the war, and as no such special reason exists in the cases under consideration, they have decided, with the concurrence of the Development Commissioners, that the assistance promised from the Development Fund

for

for these works must be postponed to a more convenient opportunity, having been read, Councillor Mr. Roberts moved that whereas it appears that the Treasury is delaying its sanction to the Contract for the marine works arranged to be executed within County, this Council think it necessary to make the following declaration

The works in question were marine works absolutely necessary for the maintenance and development of the great Fisheries of the North West of Ireland. The principal work was recommended by the Allport Commission thirty years ago as an Imperial Work. The Development Commission several years ago with the approval of the Treasury, allocated to the work some £32,500. This Council, with the sanction of the Local Govt. Board, undertook a loan amounting to £11,500. to make up the entire estimated cost of the work. The Board of Works as the sole Statutory Body do authorize and undertake the carrying out of the work, and plans were prepared and ready when the war broke out. Even after the war tenders were advertised for, but when the contract was to be declared it was found that Treasury sanction had again to be obtained. It has not yet been obtained and it is evident that pressure for new loans for other parts of Ireland is the cause of the delay. We have no objection of course to any such loans from the Imperial Treasury, but we entirely object to having money already earmarked and set aside for Co. Donegal works being used by delay, or otherwise, to facilitate some new work elsewhere.

We fully recognize the prudence of the Treasury in the limitation of new funds to cases of special urgency and distress during the period of the war; but at the same time must emphatically protest against attempting to apply it to funds such as ours which have been definitely allocated and earmarked years before the war commenced.

We have a contract with the Board of Works, procured and approved of by the Council

Conceded

County District Board, and approved and chiefly financed by the Development Commission.

We have entered into all the requisite arrangements and incurred the corresponding liabilities and we can neither imagine it possible that all this can now be merely regarded as a scrap of paper, or that any one of the Contracting parties can either delay or refuse to carry out a public undertaking so carefully worked out in detail.

We have already submitted that were this a question even of a new Road it would be inevitable with all our North Western Fisheries closed down and the people on our Coast side not farmers selling at war prices but practically all purchasing consumers struggling with increased prices.

We therefore call on our Parliamentary representatives in this County together with Sir J. B. Donoherty, the member for Derry City, which is specially interested, to take immediate action towards having this work proceeded with and the temporary stay which has delayed the declaration of a Contractor at once withdrawn, and we hereby appoint the following members of our Council, Chairman, Vice-Chairman, James P. O'Donnell, J. P., Wm. Kelly, Esq. and William Roberts, J. P., and also the Chairman of Road District Committee, to act with the above-named Gentlemen in the matter, and if necessary arrange for an early deputation to the Roads Commissioners of the Treasury, and that our Secretary forthwith prepare a Statement of the material facts and documents, with dates and particulars. Councillor Kelly presided and the matter was unanimously agreed to.

a letter of Mr John Markin Ballinabreen Ballinacraig stating that his Street is continually flooded after rain, he cannot get into his office houses unless wading through 3 or 4 inches of Water. This has been caused by the Contractor putting on a heavy coating of Owers, and threatening to take

Copy of resolution handed in at a meeting

Markin was present at meeting of Council and the resolution was not written to the Council

take whatever remedy he may be advised, having been read, the matter was referred to the County Surveyor for a report.

Christmas gifts from United States
Circulars from the Royal Inst. Board regarding Christmas gifts from United States; also a telegram wishing to ascertain what steps, if any, were being taken to furnish the Board with the required information, having been read, on the suggestion of the Chairman the Secretary was directed to send the circulars referred to, to Lady Stewart Parnell & Co.

C. J. Parnell
Lady Stewart Parnell
written to 1. 10. 1914

Re Measurement of Road material

Councillor Magee mentioned that the Contractor for the Creghan road, in Omeagher Rural District, had not the material for measurement on the 1st Oct. last, but had it ready a few days after and he (Councillor Magee) desired that the Assistant Surveyor be given instructions, without creating a precedent, to again visit the said road for the purpose of measuring the material. The Council decided to instruct the Assistant Surveyor accordingly.

Mr. H. Cavanagh, Assistant Surveyor, was present when the direction was given.

Re Matters Connected with Co. Road

Mr. O'Shadman, County Surveyor reported as follows:-
(1) Mr. John McFarland the Carter, Newtownmumma, has removed a portion of the County fence on road, on 5th July 1914 Derry No. 2 R. D.

(2) Mr. A. Robinson of Ray, Maunscunningham, has by quarrying limestone at Ray Quarry undermined the side slope of road, and in my opinion rendered the road liable in the course of time to slide into the Quarry hole at this place, unless measures are taken to restore the side slope of road that has been interfered with.

(3) A number of occupiers having hedges adjacent along Co. roads are not cutting same although I have had served the usual notices upon them. If this is allowed to go on it will mean

mean every great number of others acting similarly
 In the above matters I would suggest that
 the Solicitor be instructed to take proceedings
 on the Co. Surveyor furnishing him with the
 necessary particulars in all cases where he
 (the Co. Surveyor) is unable to rectify the matters
 above complained of without recourse to
 legal action. The Council unanimously approved
 of the County Surveyor's suggestion.

Review of Proposals for Work

The List of Proposals for Work formulated by
 the various R.D. Councils and the Proposal
 Committee was then considered.

Proposal Committee

all the Proposals on the List were approved.

Barrow District Council

Ballyshannon

No action was taken regarding Nos. 93, 94, 95, 100, 101,
 102, 96, 97, 98, and 103, were placed in charge of the
 County Surveyor for 3 months. Remaining Proposals
 on List were approved.

Downpatrick

No action was taken regarding Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 7,
 10, 11, 16, 18, 24, 26, 27, 31, 32, 38, 39, 40, 41, 45, 47, 61, Nos.
 64 and 65 (1) were rejected. Nos. 46, 49, 50, 52, 53, 54, were
 placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor for 6 months
 Nos. 19, 24, 35, and 44, were similarly dealt with for a
 period of 3 months. Remaining Proposals on List
 were approved.

Dunfmlagh

No action was taken regarding Nos. 97, 98, and 99.
 Nos. 86, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 95, 96, 104, 105, 106, 107, 109, 111, & 112
 were placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor for 12 months
 Remaining Proposals on List were approved.

Centurion

No action was taken regarding Nos. 659, 662, 667, 696,
 703, 705, 718, 714, 715, 809, 823, 826, 830, 831, 835, 836, 844, 848,
 849, 850, 851, No. 855 was rejected, Nos. 669, 672, 694, 724, 728, 729,
 730, 733, 734, 741, 744, 754, 755, 760, 763, 771, 812, 814, 828, 834, 846
 were placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor for 6 months
 No. 800, was similarly dealt with for a period of 12
 months. Remaining Proposals on List were approved.

Dunhowan

No action was taken regarding Nos. 132, 6, 133, 5, 134, 9, 135, 9,
 139, 2, 140, 6, 140, 7, 140, 9, 141, 5, 142, 5, 142, 9, 143, 9, 144, 7, 146, 6, 146, 8,
 Nos. 12, 81, 12, 83, 12, 85, 12, 86, 12, 87, 12, 88, 12, 89, 12, 91, 12, 92, 12, 94, 12, 95, 12, 96, 12, 99,
 130, 1, 130, 2, 130, 4, 130, 7, 132, 5, 133, 1, 133, 3, 133, 4, 134, 3, 134, 4, 135, 1, 135, 3, 136, 0, 136, 3,
 136, 8, 137, 1, 137, 2, 137, 5, 138, 2, 138, 3, 138, 4, 138, 5, 138, 6, 139, 1, 139, 3 & 139, 8 were
 placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor for 12 months
 Nos. 141, 0, 141, 9, 142, 7, 143, 1, 143, 2, were rejected. Remaining
 Proposals on List were approved.

Letterkenny

No action was taken re Nos. 382, 383, and 153. No. 1054
 was rejected, Nos. 335, 336, 339, 340, 346, 350, 351, 354, 359, 360, 362,
 364, 365, 368, 367, 370, 371, 372, 373, 380, 385, 388, 393 and 394,
 were placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor for
 12 months. Before approving of No. 373, it was
 decided to cancel the former contract No. 239, July
 1913 form. To operate from 1st April 1915.
 Remaining Proposals on List were approved.

Roughan District Council

No action was taken re Nos. 114. Nos. 1, 3, 12, 14, 23, 24,
 29, 30, 31, 32, 35, 36, 41, 43, 46, 47, 48, 49, were placed in
 charge of the Co. Surveyor for 12 months. Remaining
 Proposals on List were approved.

Portlough

Nos. 8, 10, 12, 15, 22, 34, 35, 39, 40, 54, 57, 60, were placed in
 charge of the Co. Surveyor for 12 months. Remaining
 Proposals on List were approved. Before
 placing No. 57 in the Co. Surveyor's hand it was
 decided to break the previous contract No. 257,
 July 1912 form. To operate from 1st April 1915.
 No. 67, was also placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor

Strabane No. 2

No action was taken regarding Nos. 897 and 912.
 No. 898 was placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor for
 12 months. Remaining Proposals on List were
 approved.

Stranorlar

No action was taken re Nos. 458, 460, 462, 465, 468, 469, 470,
 455, 456, 458, 461, 462, 464, 467, 468, 475, 476, 479, 486,
 483 & 487, No. 439, 441, 459, 470, 477, 478, were placed
 in charge of the Co. Surveyor for 3 months. Remaining
 Proposals on List were approved.

Sealing of Bonds

It was resolved that the Seal of the Council be affixed to all Bonds in connection with Proposals approved at this meeting.

Proposals for Payment

The Proposals for Payment as reported on by the Finance Committee in respect of half year ended 30th Sept. 14 were (without modification) ordered to be paid

Contract No. 181, Retherkenny R.D.

In this connection James Reid Road Contractor, Meenalee, appeared before the Council in reference to £5. struck off by the Co. Surveyor on foot of Contract No. 181, Retherkenny R.D. The Co. Surveyor explained that the amount was struck off on account of short measurement of Road material. Action was therefore taken

Contract No. 1869, 7-10-10, Dunshannon R.D.

Joseph Roberts Road Contractor, Leoplin, Limerick, appeared before the Council regarding sum of £5. 10. 0 and £2. struck off on foot of Contract No. 1869 7-10-10 respectively. The County Surveyor stated that from the returns furnished by his assistant this Contractor put no material on these contracts. After meeting to the assistant Surveyor's explanation the Council directed Mr. Sheridan to fully investigate the Contractor's complaint and subsequently furnish the Co. Council with a report.

Contract No. 1372, Dunshannon R.D.

Seamus Langhin, Road Contractor, Leoplin, Limerick, was appeared before the Council re the sum of £7. 16. 0 struck off on foot of Contract No. 1372, Dunshannon R.D. The Co. Surveyor stated that from the assistant report this Contractor did not supply the full material, hence the cause for striking off the amount. The Contractor has complained that he received no notice of shortage of material from the County Surveyor's assistant. The Co. Surveyor was also directed to fully investigate this case and report to the Council in due course

Confirmed

James D. Dunlevy Chairman
12th January 1915

Copy minutes sent to the Co. Surveyor & Mr. Dunlevy & Mr. Kelly to Co. Council
10.2.15
and to each member of the Council
20/2/15

A Special Meeting of the County Council was held on the 12th January 1915.

Attendance

The members present were -
Councillors James Dunlevy (Chairman), Wm. Langhin, Caughlan Clarke, Robert Hanna, Kelly, Dewey, Magee, McArthur, McNeill and J. H. O'Sullivan. The Co. Council was also in attendance

Minutes

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed

Reports of Committees

The Report of the Finance Committee - meeting held 15th Dec. 1914, was adopted

Treasurer's advice notes

Treasurer's advice notes containing accounts to be transferred to Committee of management, asylum Retherkenny, Board of Guardians, R.D. Council and County Council Committee of Agriculture and Dist. Technical Education Committee, were duly signed

Tuberculosis Dispensary at Retherkenny

The consideration of a letter dated 4th Nov. 14, from the Local Government Board, relative to the plan of the Dispensary for Tuberculosis which the Dougal Co. Council propose to establish at Retherkenny, was again approved, pending the receipt of a letter from the Local Government Board with reference to the amount of the Sanatorium Grant which the Dougal Co. Council will be entitled to receive

A letter dated 22nd Dec. 14, from the Local Government Board, stating that they requested the Tuberculosis Officer for Co. Dougal to confer with them in regard to the arrangements for the treatment of Tuberculosis in the County and expressing the hope that the Deputy to the Co. Council might find it possible to be present at the same time, having been read, the Secretary stated that on receipt of the letter he replied to the effect that he did not think that he could in any way give the Board any information that they have not already got from the minutes of proceedings at meetings of the

Sealing of Bonds

It was resolved that the Seal of the Council be affixed to all Bonds in connection with Proposals approved at this meeting.

Proposals for Payment

The Proposals for Payment as reported on by the Finance Committee in respect of 1877-78 and 30th Sept. 14 were (without modification) ordered to be paid

Contract No. 181, Rethemny R.D.

In this connection Jas. Mc. Said, Road Contractor, Mkenatse, appeared before the Council in reference to £5. struck off by the Co. Surveyor on foot of Contract No. 181, Rethemny R.D. The Co. Surveyor explained that the amount was struck off on account of short measurement of Road material. No action was therefore taken.

Contract No. 1869, R.D. Dunshaw R.D.

Joseph Roberts, Road Contractor, Roplin, Liverpool, appeared before the Council regarding sum of £5.10.0 and £2. struck off on foot of Contract No. 1869 & 1870 respectively. The County Surveyor stated that from the returns furnished by his assistant this Contractor put the Contractor complained that he received no notice of shortage of material on these contracts. After referring to the assistant Surveyor's explanation the Council directed Mr. Stedman to fully investigate the Contractor's complaint and subsequently furnish the Council with a report.

Contract No. 1878, Dunshaw R.D.

Denis Mc. Rughlin, Road Contractor, Roplin, Liverpool, also appeared before the Council re the sum of £7.16.0 struck off on foot of Contract No. 1878, Dunshaw R.D. The Co. Surveyor stated that from the assistant report this Contractor did not supply the full material hence the cause for striking off the amount. The Contractor has complained that he received no notice of shortage of material from the County Surveyor's assistant. The Co. Surveyor was also directed to fully investigate this case and report to the Council in due course.

Confirmed

Jas. D. [Signature] Chairman
12th January 1915

Copy minutes sent to the Co. Surveyor & Mr. Robt. to Co. Council and to each member of the Council
20/2/15

A Special Meeting of the County Council was held on the 18th January 1915.

Attendance

The members present were -
Councillors James Dunlevy (Chairman), Wm. Gallagher, Vaughan Clarke, Robert Hanna, Kelly, Dewey, Magee, McArthur, McNeill and J. H. Ross. The attendance at the Council was also Minutes

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed

Reports of Committees

The Report of the Finance Committee - meeting held 15th Dec. 1914, was adopted

Treasurer's advice notes

Treasurer's advice notes containing amounts to be transferred to Committee of management, O'Connell Rethemny, Board of Guardians, R.D. Council and County Hospital Committee of agriculture and Joint Technical Inspection Committee, were duly signed

Tuberculosis Dispensary at Rethemny

The consideration of a letter dated 4th Nov. 14, from the Local Government Board, relative to the plans of the Dispensary for Tuberculosis which the Dougal Co. Council propose to establish at Rethemny, was again approved, pending the receipt of a letter from the Local Government Board with reference to the amount of the Sanatorium Grant which the Dougal Co. Council will be entitled to receive

A letter dated 22nd Dec. 14, from the Local Government Board, stating that they requested the Tuberculosis Officer for Co. Dougal to confer with them in regard to the arrangements for the treatment of Tuberculosis in the County and expressing the hope that the Deputy to the Co. Council might find it possible to be present at the same time, having been read, the Secretary stated that on receipt of the letter he replied to the effect that he did not think that he could in any way give the Board any information that they have not already got from the minutes of proceedings at meetings of the

the Dougal Co. Council and correspondence and as far as he (the Secretary) could see from the attitude of the Council, he thought it would be desirable for the Local Govt. Board to send a representative to discuss the whole matter with the Council as he feared that this was the only way in which the matter could be properly settled up. The Secretary's action in the matter was approved of.

Mr. Ryan - Subordinate Officer - who was present stated that at the request of the Local Govt. Board, he attended at the office of the Board, and understood that the Council's reference to in correspondence by the Council with the Local Board had been paid away to the Women's National Health Association.

The Council expressed surprise at such a course being taken, and on the motion of Councillor Dunlop, seconded by Councillor Clarke, the Resolution was directed to write the Local Board with a view to ascertaining by what authority the said amount was transferred to the Women's National Health Association.

Draft Agreement.

The consideration of a draft agreement - The County Council of Dougal with the Insurance Committee for Co. Dougal - for approval, was adjourned.

Restrictive Duties and Tests Act 1907

a letter, dated 9th Dec. 14, from the Department of Agriculture, &c., on the subject of the above Act and enclosing a memorandum on the subject, covered

Duties of Assistant Surveyors

a letter, dated 10th Dec. 14, from the Local Govt. Board with reference to the entry in the minutes of proceedings of the Dougal Co. Council on the 5th Nov. last, and previous correspondence relative to assistant Surveyors in the County, and pointing out that some difficulties may arise in the absence of regulations clearly defining the duties of assistant Surveyors, and suggesting that the Co. Council would do well to reconsider the matter with the aid of the County Surveyors and County Collector, having been read, Councillor Roberts proposed that a Sub-

Committee

Copy of Board written to 20.1.15

Copy of Board written to 19.1.15

Sub-Committee be appointed for the purpose of defining the duties of assistant Surveyors. Councillor Clarke seconded and the matter was unanimously agreed to.

The following Councillors were then appointed members of the Sub-Committee Dunlop, W. J. Gallagher, Clarke, ^{Roberts} Hanna, Magee, McArthur, McDevitt and J. H. O'Sullivan.

The Secretary was directed to write the Local Govt. Board for copies of Regulations prepared by other County Councils in Ireland, and that he place them before the Sub-Committee when they meet.

Council of Agriculture

A circular letter, dated 11th Dec. 14, G. 1587-14, from the Department of Agriculture, &c. enclosing a copy of the regulations for the appointment of members of the new Council to act from 1st April 1915, having been read, Councillors W. J. Gallagher and Callaghan were unanimously appointed.

National Insurance Act 1911

a letter, dated 11th Dec. 14, from the Local Govt. Board, relative to the mode of charging the contributions of Co. Councils, under the National Insurance Act 1911, as employers of workmen on roads and other Public Works, was read.

Courts Emergency Powers Act 1911

a circular letter, dated 10th Dec. 14, from the Government Board, enclosing a copy of above-named Act, passed in connection with the present war, was read.

Pier at Culladuff

a letter, dated from the office of Public Works Dublin, relative to the bad condition of Culladuff Pier was submitted and its consideration deferred to next meeting. Mr. O'Sullivan Co. Surveyor was, in the meantime, directed to prepare a report on the matter.

Approval of Appointment of Veterinary Inspectors

a letter, dated 5th January 1915, from the Department of Agriculture, &c., approving of the appointments of Messrs. Mr. F. O'Brien, D. O. and F. P. Beck, &c. to

Copies of Regulations sent to members of Sub-Committee 26.1.15

The part of the Agriculture written to 11.1.15

to act as Veterinary Inspectors to the Dougal Co. Council in the Union Districts of Dunfermline and Milford, respectively, was read.

Appointment of Veterinary Inspectors

The Council then proceeded to appoint a Veterinary Inspector for the Union District of Rottenburgh. Councillor Kelly stated that a Veterinary Surgeon was expected to come shortly to Rottenburgh to practise, and that he might be an applicant for the position of Veterinary Inspector to the Council if the appointment was adjourned for a time. He therefore moved accordingly. Councillor William Roberts seconded.

Councillor Hanna moved as an amendment that the appointment be proceeded with, as per the terms of the advertisement. Councillor Clarke seconded.

A Vote was then taken

For the motion - Councillors Dunlop, W. Fitzgerald, Roberts, Kelly, and J. A. Donnell - 5

Against - Councillors Callaghan, Clarke, Hanna, Lowry, Magee, Mr. Arthur, & Mr. Kelly - 7

The Chairman declared motion lost, and amendment carried.

The Council, as a result of the voting, proceeded with the appointment. Councillor Hanna moved that Mr. A. Dudgeon, M.B. Co. Railway Road, Strabane, be appointed as the Council's Veterinary Inspector for the Union District of Rottenburgh. Councillor Clarke seconded.

Councillor Dunlop moved that Mr. F. W. Shaw, D. S. Dougal, be appointed. Councillor Roberts seconded.

A Vote was taken

For Dudgeon - Councillors W. Fitzgerald, Callaghan, Clarke, Hanna, Kelly, Lowry, Magee, Mr. Arthur, Mr. Kelly and J. A. Donnell - 10.

For Mr. Shaw - Councillors Dunlop and Roberts - 2.

The Chairman declared Mr. Dudgeon appointed. Dunfermline Act 1911. Dispensary at Rottenburgh. A letter from the Tuberculosis Officer, Le Dunsable premises in the town of Rottenburgh for dispensary purposes, and enclosing a letter from a Mr. Carrall

Department of Agriculture and Mr. Dudgeon written to 19/1/16

Carrall, Rottenburgh, offering a building for the purpose at an annual rent of £8 - having been considered. The Secretary stated that at a recent meeting of the Dunfermline Council for Co. Dougal Mr. Carrall's offer came before them which they accepted, but the National Health Dunfermline Commission subsequently pointed out that the matter was one for the Co. Council to deal with.

Councillor Clark moved that Mr. Carrall's offer be accepted subject to the approval of the R.P. Board. Councillor Hanna seconded and this being no amendment, the Chairman declared the motion carried.

Rathmullan Pier

I. Letters and Reports from Sir John M. Forland, Berrymore, relative to the obstruction of the Ferry Steamer at Rathmullan Pier; also Harbour Master's Report

II. Report of the Harbour Master at Rathmullan Pier re injury to the Ferry Steamer "Aberfoyle" at the Pier on 2nd inst., and letter from Sir John M. Forland, also

III. Report of the Harbour Master at Rathmullan Pier re a pile of sawn timber which was on the Pier about 8 days; also letter and report from Sir John M. Forland; were submitted, and on the motion of Councillor Kelly, seconded by Councillor Hanna, the matters were referred to Rathmullan Pier Committee for investigation and report. The Secretary was directed when sending on the documents to the Port Committee, to request that they meet and go fully into the complaint. Bundoran Pier

A letter, dated 16th Dec 1911, from Inspector of Factories Clooney road, Berrymore, pointing out that the chains are off some stanchions at Bundoran Pier having been read, the matter was referred to Mr. John Caffrey, Co. Surveyor, Dougal Limit of Road Expenditure.

Milford Rural District

Copy of a resolution of Milford R.D. Council that the Dougal Co. Council be requested to apply to the

Mr. Carrall written to 19/1/16
Reports and letters sent to Mr. Shaw & Rappamunon Barry J. 19/1/16

Copy of Resolutions
 written to
 16/1/15
 Road Board
 written to
 20/1/15

the Local Govt. Board to increase the Limit of Expenditure on Road in Milford Rural District by £200. for ensuing financial Year for repair of roads and other miscellaneous works having been considered, it was unanimously resolved that the request contained in said resolution be acceded to -

Road Board Grant

On the motion of Councillor Dunlop, seconded by Councillor Hanna, it was resolved to make application to the Road Board for the 1st instalment of grants for the Cappanahun-Belack, Davigab & O'haunlor (Chairman R. District) and Clunier Dunlops Roads.

Children Act 1908.

A notice dated 20th Dec. 14. under the Children Act 1908, received from the C. P. O. Thurston, was read
Weekly Classes in Irish for National Teachers.

Copy of a resolution passed at the recent annual meeting of the Irish Co. Council's General Council calling the attention of County and Urban Technical Committees to the Scheme of the Department of Agriculture &c. for weekly classes in Irish for National Teachers, was read.

Sheep Scab

Copy resolution passed at the recent annual meeting of the Irish Co. Council's General Council strongly urging every Co. Council in Ireland to put into operation in the most efficient manner possible the Regulations and recommendations of the Department of Agriculture &c. with a view to stamp out completely Sheep Scab in Ireland, otherwise, there is great danger of the Industry of Sheep breeding being seriously imperilled was unanimously adopted.

Formation of a Central Bureau of Enquiry

Copy resolution passed at the recent annual meeting of the Irish Co. Council's General Council, on the subject of the formation of a Central Bureau of Enquiry into all matters relating to Co. Council administration in Ireland, was also unanimously adopted.

Copy of a resolution adopted by the Irish County Councils General Council at their recent annual meeting

Copy of Resolutions
 written to
 16/1/15

meeting strongly urging Co. Councils when framing their Schemes for University Scholarships for the coming Year, to insert a provision compelling all students obtaining such Scholarships to reside at properly constituted Hostels, approved by the Council, was referred to the Scholarships Committee for consideration.

Royal West Agricultural Society.

Councillors Clarke and Mearns were nominated to act on the Council of above Society for the ensuing Year.

Erection of Telegraph Lines

A letter dated 1st January 1915 from the Acting Superintending Engineer, Post Office Engineering Department, Adborough House, Dublin, stating that under the provisions of the Defence of the Realm Act the Admiralty require said Department to construct, without delay, lines of telegraph between (1) Seelin to G. S., and a point near the Carrick Post office and (2) Shephaven to G. S. and the main road to Dunfanaghy, and that the works would therefore be put in hand forthwith, was read.

Dr. P. O'Carroll
 written to
 20/1/15

A letter from Dr. P. O'Carroll, Coroner for Dunblowen District enclosing rider to Report of Jury in connection with Inquest on remains of Annie Mc Guinness at Rathnallan on 26th Dec. 14, having been read, Councillor Dunlop moved a vote of sympathy with the relatives of the deceased, and disagreeing with the findings of the jury as to any neglect on the part of the County Council, Councillor Mearns seconded the motion which was unanimously passed.

Order

"That as this is the second fatal accident which has occurred recently at Rathnallan Tis, we desire to condemn in the strongest possible manner the dangerous and neglected state of the Tis, and to point out that the protecting chains which were recommended some time ago have not been provided, and that the holes which were dug

dug in the frame blocks along the edge of the Pier several months ago, and left unfiled, are a source of great danger to the Public
 "That in the interest of the public we recommend that immediate steps be taken by the Co. Council to remove the present dangerous state of affairs at this Pier"

County Analyst's Report

The County Analyst's report under Food and Drugs acts in respect of Quarter ended 31st Decr. 1914, was read.

Permission to lay a drain pipe

Subject to the approval of Mr. John Coffey County Surveyor, Dougal, permission was granted to Mr. Joseph Robinson, Frankel, Breunagh, Letterkenny, to put a 4-inch drain pipe under the Co. road in the townland of Frankel (about 60 Yards from Tullybross manning).

Alleged injuries to a Horse & Car

a letter, dated 5th January 1915, from Mr. Patrick M. Finlay J.P., Auctioneer, Breunagh, Letterkenny, stating that owing to a large stone being on the road his horse and side car got overturned and damaged, and wishing to know if the County Council would make good the damage, having been read it was unanimously decided to deny all liability in the matter.

a letter, dated 9th January 1915, from Mr. M. Finlay stating that the above accident occurred on 30-12-14 at Drumackoo, at 2 p.m., was read.

Carbide of Calcium

Renewal of Certificates for the storing of Carbide of Calcium were granted to

Mr. Chas. L. Batt, Rathmullan House, Rathmullan, and Mr. Patrick Ballag, Iron Merchant, Rathmullan.

Poison and Pharmacy Act.

Renewal of a license under above act was granted to Mr. Faylett Hamilton Aiken, Pettigo.

re Hire of Council's Steam Roller

a letter, dated 9th January 1915, from the Town Clerk, Buncrana, stating that the Urban District Council desired to be informed if the Co. Council would hire

Robinson written to 16/1/15

Mr. Finlay written to 16/1/15

Renewal of Licenses issued

Clark Buncrana U.D. Council written to 16/1/15

New Licenses and Renewal of Licenses issued

hire a Steam Roller, and the Council's terms for same, having been read, the Dicty. was directed to state in reply that the Co. Council have no power to hire this Steam Road Rolling machinery

Explosives Act 1875

Renewals of Licenses under above act were granted to

No.	Name	Address
70	James ^{Watt} Baird	Rudroon, Newcastle.
77	Joseph Orr Lynch	Tullybrook, Manorcunningham
78	James O'Doherty	Melin, Co. Dougal
81	George Gallagher	Kerrykeel, Letterkenny
83	John P. O'Connell	Dougal
86	John O'Sweeney & Son	Cheshamport, Pettigo
88	James Egan	Rathmullan
99	Patrick O'Sullivan	Rathmullan
101	James J. M. Doon	Lissey Point, Derry
106	Samuel Dingley	Killybegs
116	Samuel Dingley	St. Johnston
117	James L. Brown	St. Johnston
119	Wm. J. Crampsey	Clonmany
128	James A. Johnston	Co. Rathfriland
132	Patrick A. O'Donnell	Doocastle
162	George Peoples	Glenties
163	Wm. Keenan, Buncrana	Pettigo
167	H. A. & A. Aiken	Pettigo
168	John M. O'Grady & Coy.	Downroad, Killybegs
169	John Dweeney & Son	Bungloe
170	Alexander Council & Coy.	Manorcunningham

New Licenses under said act were granted to
 164. ^{James} O'Connell, Dungannon
 165. Patrick Gallagher, Cully Bridge
 166. O'Harney & Coy, Dungannon

The deal of the Council was ordered to be applied to above Licenses.

Condition of a Co. road

a letter from Miss Bevan Clarke, Belmont, Lifford, complaining of the bad condition of the County road at her father's house and stating that when there is heavy rain, it is flooded and when the flood subsides a thick layer of mud remains, having been read, the matter was referred to Mr. O'Sullivan, Co. Surveyor.

Copied,
 W. G. O'Sullivan, Chairman
 25th Feb. 1915.

A meeting of the Sub-Committee appointed by the County Council on 15th Dec '14, to consider the question of the grant from the Development Fund; also loan applied for by the Douglas Co Council from the Treasury for the purpose of carrying out improvements at Buncrana, Rathmullan and Buncrana Pier, was held at the Courthouse, Lifford on the 1st February 1915.

Attendance

Present were: Councillors Wm Doherty, Wm Hanna, and William Kelly; also Edward Deery Esq. J.P. Hon. Secy. Rathmullan Pier Committee -

a Telegram from Councillor Jas J O'Donnell re his inability to attend meeting, was read.

On the motion of Councillor Doherty seconded by Councillor Kelly, Councillor Hanna, was moved to the Chair -

Councillor Doherty submitted a Statement which he had drawn up for consideration by the Sub-Committee, after the Sub-Committee had fully gone into the Statement. Councillor Hanna proposed that the Statement as submitted by Councillor Wm Doherty be agreed to and that copies of same be forwarded to Sir J.B. Dougherty M.P. for Derry City and the four M.P.s for Co. Downgal, with a view to his approaching the Treasury on the subject.

The Secretary was directed to respectfully refer the members of the suggested Deputation to the concluding paragraphs of the Statement as to the distress question, and that this being a non-Political matter the Secretary was also directed to state that perhaps the County members and Sir J.B. Dougherty would ask Mr. Redmond and any other Political leader, they would think desirable to accompany the Deputation -

adopted by Co. Council,
W. Kelly Chairman,
25th Feby. 15.

Copy minutes sent to R.F. Board, County day of February, 1915.
Surveyor, Mr. Dunlop
7 C.C. to the County Council
Attendance
The members present were:

Councillors Dunlop, Wm Farrell, Clarke, Doherty, Edw. Farrell, Mrs. Finnan, Hanna, Kelly, Lowry, Mr. Arthur, Mr. Madden, & Mr. Melia.

Councillor Wm Farrell (Vice-Chairman) occupied the Chair and subsequently Councillor James Dunlop (Chairman)

Minutes

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed

Vote of Condolence

Councillor William Farrell proposed a vote of Condolence with the relatives of the late Mr. George Magee J.P. a member of the Council, whose death they all deeply regretted.

Councillor Hanna seconded the resolution with which the Secretary associated himself. The motion was passed in Silence

Vote of Condolence

Councillor William Farrell also proposed a Vote of Condolence with Councillor Francis Carrigan, on the lamented death of his Wife.

Councillor Wm Doherty seconded the resolution with which the Secretary also associated himself, and which was passed in Silence.

Reports of Committees

The Reports of the following Committees were adopted:

- Proposed Committee - meeting held 9th Feby 15
- Finance Committee - meetings held 12th January and 9th Feby 15
- Estimates for Year 1915-16.

On the motion of Councillor Clarke, seconded by Councillor Melia, the Secretary's Estimates for the Service of the Financial Year ending 31st March 1916, as adopted by the Finance Committee at a meeting held on the 9th day of February 1915, were (without amendments) unanimously confirmed and it was resolved to Obtain Rates for General Charges and Depreciate Charges, respectively, for the said Financial Year in accordance with

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and to each member of the Council

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The Secy to the Council did not attend

Mr. & Mrs. James Magee & Hugh Magee written to 1 March 15

Councillor Frank Gallagher written to 1st March 15

with the figures contained in Form 45, and Form 46, - Public Bodies Order 1904

The Council also determined the amounts to be demanded from Bundoran, Bellefleur and Letterkenny Urban District Councils

Proposals for Payment

The proposals for payment, as reported on by the Finance Committee in respect of Quarters ended 31st Decr 1904, were (without modification) ordered to be paid.

Proposals for Works

The proposals for works formulated by the Finance Committee were approved.

Peamount Sanatorium

a letter dated 4th Feby 15, from the Road Dist. Board on the subject of a sum of an amount which the Road Dist. Board wish to be deducted from the County share of the Capital Grant in respect of 20 beds in Peamount Sanatorium, having been read, Councillor Dunlop proposed that having read the letter of the Road Dist. Board, of the 4th Feby 15, this Council protest against the Local Government Board repeatedly stating that we agreed to take 20 beds in Peamount Sanatorium. No such resolution was ever passed by this Council, and unless the £1,400. is returned to our Grant we absolutely refuse to proceed with a scheme. We dont our Secretary to send copies of this resolution to the members of Parliament of the County, and we respectfully ask them to take action in the matter. We also request him to send a copy of this resolution to the Chief Secretary at the Local Government Board whom we think they will rule this Council in the matter against which we strongly protest.

Councillor Hanna seconded.

The Resolution was unanimously passed.

Tuberculosis Dispensary at Letterkenny

The consideration of a letter, dated 4th Novr 1904 from the Road Dist. Board relative to the plans of the contribution for Tuberculosis which

Copies of resolution have made as directed

which the Dougal County Council propose to establish at Letterkenny, was again adjourned.

Draft Agreement.

The consideration of a draft agreement - The County Council of Dougal with the Insurance Committee for Co. Dougal, was also adjourned

a letter dated 4th January 1915 from the National Health Insurance Commission on the subject of the proposed contribution by the Insurance Committee for the County of Dougal to the Dougal Co. Council in respect of the services of the Tuberculosis Officer as medical adviser to the Committee, and suggesting that in view of the fact that the Tuberculosis Officer was appointed by the Council in the interest of the entire tuberculous population of the County, both insured and non-insured the contribution towards the salary and expenses of this officer should bear the same ratio to the total amount of such salary and expenses as the number of insured persons resident in the County bears to the total population of the County i.e. the contribution should be one thirteenth of the total salary and expenses of this Officer, having been read, the Council were of opinion that the one thirteenth would not represent the amount which the Council would be entitled to receive from the Insurance Committee, inasmuch as the total population of the County includes a considerable proportion of non-insured persons whom the Council consider would not be entitled to benefits as they would be in a position to defray the cost of treatment themselves, but the County Council would agree to the ratio based on the total number of insured & non-insured who would be entitled to treatment.

Treatment of persons other than insured persons and exempt persons.

a letter dated 19th January 1915 from the National Health Insurance Commission pointing out that

National Health Insurance Commission letter to 14th March 1915

that it is open to the Dougal Co. Council to make arrangements for the treatment of persons other than insured persons and exempt persons, having been read.

Councillor Dunlop moved that this Co. Council extend Donalsonium treatment to all non-insured persons in the County, except those non-insured persons who would be in a position to defray the cost of treatment themselves and exempt persons. Councillor Weather Decided and the motion was unanimously agreed to.

Branch Tuberculosis Dispensaries

a letter, dated 29th January 1915 from the Local Govt. Board stating that they see no objection to the proposal of the Dougal Co. Council to use the Dispensaries at Bannadogga, Dougal, & Flettier as Branch Tuberculosis Dispensaries and to give accommodation at Lethamony for a Temporary Tuberculosis Dispensary at £100 a year, and that the latter arrangement should be regarded as provisional pending the establishment of a permanent Central Dispensary, was read. It was resolved that the letter to the Council prepare an agreement in connection with premises taken for a Temporary Tuberculosis Dispensary at Lethamony.

Letters from the C. D. Board and Local Government Board, respectively, regarding the present condition of Tweebarra Bridge, Co. Dougal, and referring to the action of the County R.D. Council in not having said bridge repaired, having been read it was unanimously resolved on the motion of Councillor Dunlop, Decided by Councillor Wm. Forde to appeal to the Local Government Board under Section 82 (b) of the Local Government (Ireland) Act 1900, and also to request the Board to make an Order under Section 15 of the Public Health Act 1906.

Buncrana & Rathmullan & Burtispost Piers

a letter from Mr. Hugh A. Law, M.P. on the subject of the statement prepared by the Sub-Committee appointed by the Co. Council with a view to approaching the Treasury re grants for

Statute Book demand
Committee written to
1st March 1915

Mr Wm. Wainwright
written to 29/1/15 to prepare
an agreement

C. D. Board and C. D. Board
written to 1st March 1915

for Buncrana & Rathmullan and Burtispost Piers, was read.

Ouedaff Pier

a letter, dated 30th Dec. 14 from the Office of Public Works, Dublin, relative to the condition of Ouedaff Pier, and a pending approximate estimate of the cost of the necessary repairs if carried out under the direction of the Board of Works; also report of Mr. O'Sullivan Co. Surveyor, having been read.

Councillor Hanna moved that as the Board of Works consider the repairs at Ouedaff Pier necessary, and have furnished this Council with an approximate estimate of the cost of such repairs, we hereby request the Board of Works to carry out the necessary repairs at the estimated cost (£250) named by the Council. Councillor Weather Decided and the matter was unanimously agreed to.

Buncrana Pier

a Report of Mr. O'Sullivan County Surveyor regarding damage done to Buncrana Pier by boats in the service of the Admiralty since they took over this Pier in Oct. 14, and estimating the cost of the necessary repairs to make good the damage, at £400, having been read. The Secretary was directed to transmit a copy of the Report to the Admiralty.

In this connection a letter from the Harbour Master at Buncrana Pier referring to the damage done to the Pier by boats belonging to the Admiralty and also employed by them as mine sweepers; and also regarding the amount he has lost in Commission since the Pier was taken over by the Admiralty, having been read, the Secretary was also directed to send a copy of the letter to the Admiralty.

Re Stone Breakers, &c.

Mr. O'Sullivan Reported as follows:-
Gentlemen

The County Stonebreakers are now working

Board of Works written to
1st March 1915

Copy of Co. Surveyor's Report
sent to Admiralty
1st March 1915

Copy letter sent to Admiralty
1st March 1915

working some time, and while the aim in fixing the rate of hire in first instance was on the low side so as to encourage a demand for the m^{ch} and thereby get a better quality of metal broken for the roads. The time has now arrived in which the question of hire should be reconsidered so as to make the outlay and receipts more nearly balance. The present rates are 25/- per day for No. 6 and 30/- per day for the other three Breakers, plus a half day's allowance in each case for travelling expenses I would suggest that the 1/2 day for travelling expenses be done away with and a rate of £2. per day be charged for the breakers with exception of No. 6. which might be 35/-

The Report was unanimously adopted

The Sleeping Pans

Mr. Spadman also reported that the Sleeping Pans were each equipped on arrival by the County ^{Surveyors} with bedding, utensils &c. Some of the drivers have asked him to renew these things and he desired to know if he is to do so from time to time as articles appear to require renewal, on the motion of Councillor Staines seconded by Councillor Marshall the C^o Surveyor was authorised to renew the articles mentioned by him as they appear to require renewal and to use his own discretion in their selection

Flagman for No. 9

Mr. Spadman, C^o Surveyor, also reported that the Flagman J. M. Bennett, having left he appointed Wm. M. Brown to keep things going and would ask Confirmation of his appointment on the motion of Councillor Dunlevy, seconded by Councillor Marshall, the appointment was confirmed.

Local authorities (Disqualification Relief)

Act 1914

a circular letter, dated 15th January 1915, from the L. B. Board drawing attention to the provisions of above act was read

Veterinary Inspector

a letter, dated 10th January 1915, from the Department of Agriculture &c (Veterinary Branch) approving of the appointment of Mr. A. Dooey, M.R.C.V.S. Railway Road, Strabane, to act as Veterinary Inspector under the Diseases of Animals Act in the Union District of Pettiberry, was read.

Council of Agriculture

a letter, dated 19th January 1915, from the Department of Agriculture relative to the appointment of Messrs Wm. Gallagher J. & Francis Gallagher J. P. as representatives of the Bangor Co. Council on the Council of Agriculture for the period 1915-1918, was read.

Land Purchase Committee

a letter, dated 22nd January 1915, from the Irish Land Commission re two cases of default in County Londonderry in the payment of Land Purchase annuities having been read, it was unanimously resolved, on the motion of Councillor Dunlevy, seconded by Councillor Staines, to request the Irish Land Commission to again put the two holdings up for auction and the Secretary or his nominee were directed to attend the auction and purchase the farms for the amount due, as the Council could not allow the innocent ratepayers to be mulcted in the amount of the instalments all the time the said holdings remain unoccupied.

Dept Land Commission written to returned

Limit of Road Expenditure

Abilford R. 19

a Dealed Order, dated 10th Feb 1915, of the L. B. Board assenting to an extension of the Limit of expenditure on roads in Abilford Rural District to £4,400.0.0 for the year ending 31st March 1916, was read.

Rates of Subrent - County ap^{ts}

Mr. M. Sherry, manager Thibermaw Banks (Pettiberry Branch) attended before the Council for the purpose of going into the interest which accrued in connection with the County ap^{ts} between 31st Dec. 13 and 31st Dec. 14. The Council decided to leave the matter in the hands of the Secretary and decided

him

him to report to the next meeting of the Council
In the meantime the Secretary was directed
to ask for terms for the County account from
Head office of all Banks having Branches
in Co. Down.

Road Road Grants

a letter dated 22nd January 1915 from the Road
Board enclosing a Cheque for £2120.
Being payments on account of Grants
Nos 2350, 2351, and 2353, was recd

In this connection a letter dated 16th
Feb 15 from the Road Board enclosing copy
of a letter received from the Chairman of
Stranorlar R.D. Council on the subject of the
Grant for the Doneyd. Stranorlar Road, and
stating that the Chairman's statement appears to be
correct viz: that the Scheme approved by the
County Council at their meeting on Nov. 23rd
1913 provided for a grant of £1666. to an
expenditure of £1666. on the said road and
that the Road Board find that in the former
grant made on the 18th June 14 the grant to the
expenditure on the Doneyd. Stranorlar road was
reduced to £1366. At the same time the grant
to the work on the Ballyplannan - Belleek Road
in the Ballyplannan Rural District was increased
from £600. to £700. having been read the Secretary
stated that at the request of the Road Board he
returned the two grants (2350 and 2353) in order
that they might be cancelled and new grants in
accordance with the Scheme approved by the
County Council at their meeting on the 23rd Nov 13
issued, under which the grant to the Doneyd.
Stranorlar Road was £1666. and to the Ballyplannan
- Belleek Road £700.

Tuberculosis (I) Order 1914

a letter, dated 22nd January 1915 from the Department
of Agriculture (Veterinary Branch) advising to the
Scale of Fees suggested by the Veterinary
Medical Association of Ireland in connection
with Duties under the above Order and
stating that in case the Scale in question has
been

attached to
12/15/15

been adopted by the County Council that
concurrently with the coming into force on
the 1st Feb. 15, of the Tuberculosis (Ireland)
Order 1914, the Department's approval of such
Scale must be taken as being limited in the
following manner, viz: that while the fee for
examination of additional animals shall be
4 per head, as hitherto, the maximum amount
allowable on any occasion in respect of
such examination shall be £1. The modification
was agreed to.

Bunessara Pier

a letter dated 1st Feb 15 from the Dever of the
S. S. Loch Ross relative to the damage done
to Bunessara Pier on 1st Dec 14, and stating
that he received report from Captain of
Steamer in which he denies having done any
damage to this Pier at any time, and at the
same time pointing out that the said Steamer
was in hands of the Admiralty and he (the
owner of the Steamer in question) can therefore
accept no liability, having been read the Secretary
was directed to make application to the
Admiralty for amount estimated by Mr
Sheridan, Co. Surveyor, as being necessary
to repair the damage done to Pier

Erection of Telegraph Poles

Subject to the approval of Mr. James H. Sheridan,
County Surveyor, permission was granted to
the Post office authorities to erect two telegraph
Poles with the necessary wires and also
to alter the position of four of the existing
poles on the Kilmacrossan Road, Letterkenny

Breaking Down along Co Roads

a letter from the District Inspector R. D. Raphael
stating that he received a complaint of a
Obstacle having been set up at Doneydunora,
near Castlefin, to the obstruction and inconvenience
of users of the roads having been read, the
matter was left in the hands of Mr. John Caffrey,
Co. Surveyor, and he was directed to write
the District Inspector to the effect that if any
further complaints are made the Co Council
will

manager W. B. Bouch
written to
25/2/15

were along up the road during operations
Permission to erect a Railway

Subject to the approval of Mr. Coffrey, Co. Surveyor, Davigal permission was granted to the Western Banking Coy. Ltd. to erect a railway around a small plot of ground adjoining the Bann premises at Ardara

County Davigal Committee of Agriculture
a letter from the Secretary Co. Davigal Committee of Agriculture enclosing letter received from Mr James Mc Keehin, Ballinacorney, tendering his resignation as a member of the Committee, was read and resignation accepted.

Harbour Master at Burtanport
a letter, dated 13th Feb'y 15, from Councillor James F. O'Donnell, Burtanport, pointing out that the Harbour Master at Burtanport Sir went to America in Jan'y last, and as he intended to return in a short time he did not wish to tender his resignation and when leaving deputed a man to act for him until he would return having been read, the consideration of the question of the appointment of Harbour Master at said Sir was adjourned till next meeting

Regulation re Detention of Cattle
Copy of a resolution passed by the Cattle of Ireland Cattle Trade Association as to having revoked the Regulation in force imposing two hours compulsory detention on Cattle in the Inspection Yards at the Port of Embarkation, was adopted

Permission to erect a Ditch
Subject to the approval of Mr. John Coffrey, County Surveyor, Davigal, permission was granted to Mr. Charles Friel, Foxcross, to erect a Ditch in front of his house, Foxcross

Explosive Act 1875.
Removal of Licenses under the above named act were granted to the following persons.

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| No. 82. R. Butler, Caradrough. | No. 172. Wm. Buchanan, Millford. |
| 107. Lodwin J. Cahelo, Bridgetown. | 85. Jas. A. Rainey, Dunfanaghy. |
| 171 James G. King, Raphoe | 72. Maheda Oliver, Bowoy. |
| | 13. W. Hammond, Drumkyle, Ballinacorney. |

True written to
26 Feb'y 15

James G.

Local Prosecutions

Mr. John Coffrey, Co. Surveyor, reported a number of Contractors whom he was desirous of prosecuting at Quarter Sessions when the Council directed him to proceed therewith, particulars in each case to be furnished to the Solicitor to the County Council.

Expenditure - Treatment of Tuberculosis
The Secretary stated that an Order for £0.12.0. had been received by him, being the balance of the amount payable to the Co. Council in respect of the Year ended 31st March 14 out of the Special Grant for the treatment of Tuberculosis

Chas. O'Shaughnessy
R.D. Council written
to 1st March 15

Copies of Regulation
sent as directed 26/3/15

re Co-optation of a member
The Secretary was directed to place an agenda for next meeting of the Co. Council the co-optation of a member in place of the late Councillor Magee and that in the meantime the Secretary inform the Clerk & Treasurer R.D. Council of the Co. Council's intention

Duties of Assistant Surveyors
With reference to the Committee appointed by the Council for the purpose of defining the duties of assistant Surveyors in the County Councillor Edward Foxburgh was appointed a member of the Committee in room of the late Councillor Magee. Regarding the copies of Regulations received by the Secy from certain other Counties, he was directed to have copies printed and sent to each member of the Committee and Co. Surveyors, and on the 6th day after that he summoned a meeting of the Committee for the purpose of defining the duties of assistant Surveyors. Tuesday to be day of meeting. Hours 11 o'c.

Coupinued,
W. Gallaghy Chairman
23rd March 1915

a Special Meeting of the Co. Council was held on the 23rd day of March 1915.

Attendance

The members present were Councillors Wm. Farrell, Callaghan, Galaska, Roberts, Flood, Mr. Johnson, Kelly, Dewry, Mulhearn, Mr. Arthur, McHadden, McNeill and J. H. O'Donnell

Councillor Wm. Farrell (Vice-Chairman) occupied the Chair. The Secy to the Council also attended.

Minutes

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed. County Dougal Committee of Agriculture

On the motion of Councillor Wm. Farrell, seconded by Councillor Callaghan, the Rev. Michael O'Mullin P. O. Taber, was appointed a member of above Committee

Co. Option of a member

On the motion of Councillor Wm. Farrell, seconded by Councillor P. O'Donnell, Councillor Francis Callaghan was co-opted to represent the County Electoral of Dougal in room of the late Councillor George Hagan.

Reports of Committees

The Report of the Proposal Committee meeting held 25th Feb. 1915 was adopted.

Harbour Works at Buncrana Pier

The Secretary having reported that the Harbour works at Buncrana Pier had gone to America the Council directed him to have an advertisement inserted in papers inviting applications for the position. Salary £4- per annum, plus 10% on all dues collected. The appointment to be made by the Council at a meeting to be held on 20th April 1915.

Veterinary Inspector

Mr. J. O'Brien, M.R.C.V.S. Falmouth, having resigned the position of Veterinary Inspector for the Union District of Dunfally. his resignation was accepted and the Secretary was directed to issue an advertisement inviting applications for the position. The appointment to be made at a meeting of the Co. Council to be held on 20th April 1915.

Secy Co. Dougal
Committee of Agriculture
and
Mr. Johnson
24/3/15

advertisement inserted

advertisement issued

Peamount Sanatorium

The consideration of a letter, dated 3rd March 1915 from the Local Govt Board, acknowledging receipt of copy of a resolution of the Dougal Co. Council in regard to beds in Peamount Sanatorium was deferred to next meeting.

Tuberculosis Dispensary at Letterkenny

The consideration of a letter from the Local Govt Board relative to the plans of the Institution for Tuberculosis which the Co. Council of Dougal propose to establish at Letterkenny, was approved to next meeting.

Draft Agreement

The consideration of a Draft Agreement between the County Council of Dougal and the Inverness Committee for Co. Dougal was also deferred to next meeting.

Contribution by the Inverness Committee for Co. Dougal to the Dougal Co. Council

The consideration of a letter from the Commission on the above subject in respect of the services of the Tuberculosis Officer as medical adviser to the Committee, was also approved to next meeting.

Forestry Lease

A Forestry Lease in duplicate was submitted and the Secy of the Council ordered to be affixed thereto.

Bundoran Urban Sanitary District

A letter, dated 12th March 1915 from the Local Government Board, intimating that no Petition had been lodged against Bundoran being constituted an Urban Sanitary District under the Public Health Act as from the 1st April 1915, also a letter from the Board relating to the Order Constituting the town of Bundoran in the Co. of Dougal an Urban Sanitary District and stating that the Order has now become absolute and enclosing copy of Certificate to that effect which the Local Government Board have made, were read.

Lease made and returned 24/3/15

Collector Mr. Muckers

On the motion of Councillor Mr. J. P. Clarke, Resolved by Councillor Clarke, £300. was fixed as the amount of new Chantry in the case of Collector Muckers, consequent upon portion of his existing District under the Council becoming an Urban Sanitary District, as from 1st April 1915

Payment of Poundage

On the motion of Councillor Mr. J. P. Clarke, Resolved by Councillor Mr. J. P. Clarke the Council recommended the payment of Poundage fees to Collectors J. F. P. Clarke, M. P. Clarke, and J. M. Waters on Rates (supplemental) collected and lodged by them in respect of Station Buildings, Gate houses &c. on the L. Derry to Bunsowen Railway for the current year

Valuations in Certain Railway Buildings

The Secretary submitted a schedule of changes made as the result of last revision in the valuations of the L. Derry to Bunsowen, Bunsowen Junction to Letterkenny, and Letterkenny to Bunsowen Railway Station Buildings Gate houses &c. in the County, which was read

Deduction from the Estate or Death Duty Grant

A letter, dated 2nd March 1915 from the L. J. Ross stating that the amount which will be deducted in respect of Land Purchase liability from the above-named grant payable in Co. Donegal in the course of the month, is a sum of £49.11.3 was read.

Road Works in Co. Donegal

A letter, dated 14th March 1915, from the Local Govt. Board enclosing copy of a letter read from Mr. V. Evans, Honorary Secy. of the Irish Road Improvement Association, relative to road works in Co. Donegal, was read. The Secretary stating that he had sent a reply to the Board

A letter, dated 24th Feb'y 15, from the Secy. to the Council enclosing a Statement showing the money he read, on behalf of the Co. Council since furnishing his last account, amounting to £129.14.6, together with a cheque for same, was read.

Children Act 1908

A notice, dated 3rd March 1915, under the Children Act 1908, received from the C. P. O. Rathmullan, was read.

Road Keeper at Stranorlar

A letter from the C. P. O. Stranorlar, stating that there were no applicants for the position of Road Keeper at Petty Sessions held on 3rd March 1915, was read. Councillor Callaghan was of opinion that a keeper could be procured. The matter was left in his hands.

Injury to a Cart

A letter from Mr. John A. Hamilton, Secy. D. D. Stranorlar, Derry, stating that Mr. Wm. McKinley of Ballylaw, instructed him that owing to the extremely bad condition of the road running from the main road at Ballylaw to the mountain his milk cart was upset whereby he had incurred a loss of £79. by reason of the injury to his cart and loss of milk, and he claims that the Co. Council should compensate him of same, having been read, the Council decided to deny all liability in the matter and in the event of a Civil Bill being issued that the Secy. to the Co. Council be instructed to defend the cart.

Stranorlar R.D. School Attendance Committee

A letter from Mr. George McLaughlin, Secy. Stranorlar R. D. Council School Attendance Committee, stating that by the lamented death of Mr. George Magee a vacancy has occurred in above Committee and that the Committee have increased the salary of the School Attendance Officer, Mr. Patrick Heron, from £20. to £35. a year, having been read, Councillor Clark moved and Councillor Mr. Arthur O'Connell and it was resolved that Councillor Fred. Callaghan be appointed a member of said Committee in place of the late Councillor George Magee.

A card dated 13/3/15, from the manager Industrial School, Drogheda, wishing to ascertain if the Donegal Co. Council

John A. Hamilton written to 24/3/15

Geo. McLaughlin written to 24/3/15
Mr. Magee Proposed Industrial School Drogheda written to 24/3/15

Co. Council will agree to the transfer of Joseph McKeown - at present in above school to the Keelbegs Industrial School as he is now of an age for transfer, having been read, the Council agreed to the transfer.

Explosives Act - 1875

A License No. 30. was issued to Mr. John Caffrey, Co. Surveyor, Bangor.

A License No. 70, under said act was issued to William McDevitt, The Mass. Keweenaw.

Cinematograph Act, 1909

A License (No. 6) under the above act was granted to Mr. Anthony Timony, Ballybannon Post-office.

A letter from the Harbour Master at Postoffice Dist. stating that in order to ascertain measure of water and Mr. Holland intend sending this Spring by their Ferry Steamers Wauwies to Postoffice and be the (Harbour Master) wishes to know if he will allow charge 6 for each time the Steamers enter the Harbour or come alongside of the Pier or will be charge 3 per ton on stuff discharged having been read, the Council decided that the charge be 6.

A letter, dated 15th March 1915, from the Local Govt. Board enclosing copy of a letter which they have addressed to Gentles P. D. Council relative to the maintenance of Swelbarra Bridge was read.

Tuberculosis Prevention (Ireland) Act 1908

A letter dated 16th March 1915 from the Chief Officer P. D. Council stating that the District Council have agreed to adopt Part I of above named act and the necessary steps will be taken when the adoption legally voted and duly advertised, was read.

The following copy of a resolution passed by Bundoran Town Commissioners, was read.

That we hereby agree to pay the Dougal Co. Council on demand the full amount certified for by their Co. Surveyor on foot of all Road contracts

Harbour Master written to 24th March 1915

Contracts which extend into the new Urban District of Bundoran, from time to time until the said Contracts expire.

Removing Sand from Side of a Road

A Report received by Mr. John Caffrey Co. Surveyor from the District Inspector R. D. re persons removing sand from the side of the Shore Road at Bundoran, directly opposite the Public House on the Shore and facing "Rogey Point", for about 300 Yards along the road, having been read, it was unanimously resolved on the motion of Councillor O'Connell, seconded by Councillor Martin, that the persons named in the report be prosecuted and that the D.C. to the Co. Council be directed to institute the proceedings.

Leaving of a Quarry

Mr. John Caffrey, Co. Surveyor, reported that he had made arrangements to quarry Ostrac at Laputa, Ballybannon, and as this property is in the hands of Trustees it cannot be sold. The Trustees are willing to lease an acre of it at £3. per annum. The Council decided to take a lease for 21 Years, at the yearly rent of £3. and the D.C. was directed to instruct the D.C. to the Co. Council to consult with Mr. O'Sullivan, D.C. Ballybannon, with a view to the preparation of a lease.

Quarry in townland of Jostuagole

Mr. O'Sullivan, Co. Surveyor, brought before the Council the difficulty that existed re getting good road metal in Athabane No. 2 Rural District, and recommended that a quarry he had found in the townland of Jostuagole, Ballintra, should be purchased. The terms he had arrived at with the owners of the land having been considered, the Council decided that the quarry was to be purchased.

The owners of the land Joseph Jardine Bray of Daleview House, Keelbegs, and the wife of J. O'Sullivan to receive each £50. for the land taken both for quarry and approach road thereto. Deeds to be prepared and the land taken

Mr. Wilson, D.C. Athabane written to 24th March 1915

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taken fenced at the expense of the Co. Council.

The Co. Surveyor was directed to prepare the map and furnish all necessary particulars to Mr. William Wilson for preparation of the agreement.

County Quarries

Mr. O'Sullivan Co. Surveyor reported that two Road Contractors named John Monaghan, Deane & Plunkett and William Magee, Gough, Carrigan entered Rosalee Quarry on their own account, and that no one should be allowed to enter a County quarry without having first obtained the permission of the Co. Surveyor; moreover, such Contractors must, when quarrying, work on the general lines laid down by the Co. Surveyor for the proper opening of the Quarry; also he would suggest that each Contractor be charged at the rate of 7 pence for all road metal removed from Rosalee or any other Co. Quarry.

The Report was unanimously approved and the Secretary directed to write the two Contractors referred to in Mr. O'Sullivan's Report.

County account

The following quotations - Rate of Interest on County account were submitted

	Interest on Credit Balances	Interest on Debit Balances
Western Bank Ltd.	2 1/2 %	4 %
Northon Banking Coy. Ltd.	2 1/2 %	4 %
Belfast Banking Coy. Ltd.	2 1/2 %	4 %
Merchants Bank Ltd.	2 %	2 1/2 % or 3 %
as an alternative	2 1/2 %	3 %

should the Council prefer these latter terms.

Councillor Callaghan moved that the quotations - viz. 2 1/2 % on Credit Balances and 3 % on Debit Balances - received from the Merchants Bank Ltd. be accepted and that these terms take effect from 1st April 1915. Councillor Wrenn seconded, and the matter was unanimously agreed to.

Holdings of Duffan & Steele

The Secretary stated that he received a communication from the Irish Land Commission to the effect

that

that the above holdings would be auctioned at Letterkenny Courthouse on 26th March 1915 and setting out the total amount due on each holding. The Secretary was directed to attend the auction and buy and purchase the holdings at the amounts due on them on behalf of the Co. Council, and in the event if the holdings being purchased by him he was authorised to make arrangements with the auctioneer to let the lands.

Confirmed
Jas. Drummond, Chairman,
20th April 1915

attached to

Recd. Meridian Bank, College Green, Dublin, written to 24th March 1915

A meeting of the Sub-Committee appointed by the Co. Council for the purpose of defining the duties of assistant County Surveyors in the County, was held at the Courthouse, Rifford, on Tuesday 20th April 1915.

Attendance

The members present were:

Councillors James Dunlevy, Wm Farrell, James Clark, William Roberts, Edward Farrell, Wm J. Hanna, Joseph W. Arthur, Patrick H. O'Donnell - Mr. O'Keefe was also present.

Councillor Dunlevy was moved to the Chair
Councillor William Roberts and Mr. James H. O'Keefe, County Surveyor submitted each a Scheme embodying the proposed duties of assistant Surveyors. The Schemes having been read over Councillor Dunlevy moved that Councillor Wm Roberts and Mr. O'Keefe meet by arrangement with a view to formulating one Scheme from the two submitted and that the latter Scheme, when drawn up, be submitted to the Committee for their consideration and subsequent report to the Co. Council

Councillor Hanna having seconded the matter was unanimously agreed to
Councillor Hanna moved that any reference in Schemes submitted to the effect that assistant Co Surveyors in the County be allowed to have private work be eliminated but that the assistants be allowed to complete any private work they may at present have on hand.

Councillor William Farrell seconded and the matter was unanimously agreed to

adopted by Co. Council
James Dunlevy - Chairman
25th May 1915

Copy Minutes sent to J.P. Ross, Mr. Co. Council, Co. Surveyors & Chairman

May 1915. and also to other members of the Co. Council May 1915

A Special Meeting of the County Council was held on the 20th April 1915

Attendance

The Members present were:

Councillors James Dunlevy (Chairman), William Farrell, Callaghan, Clarke, Roberts, Farrell (Edward), Jacob, former Hanna, Lowry, Muehler, W. Arthur, Mr. De Witt, Mr. Hadden, Hugh O'Saunell, James F. O'Saunell, and Pat. H. O'Saunell.

The Clerk to the Council was also present

Minutes

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed

Reports of Committees

The Reports of the following Committees were adopted

Finance Committee } meetings held 23rd March 1915
Deputies of Finance Committee }

Clerk reports written to 12/5/15

The Company written to 21st April 1915

Inspection of Roads in Urban Area
A letter, dated 16th April 1915, from the Town Clerk, Bundoran, stating that the Bundoran Urban District Council request to be informed whether the County Surveyor is to supervise the work under the unexpired contracts in the Urban area, so far as relates to maintenance of roads and footpaths, &c. having been read, the Secretary was directed to reply in the affirmative

A letter, dated 17th April 1915, from Messrs. The Orchard Refinery Coy. Ltd. Harold Road, Mullavee, Chesham, Belfast, stating that they were putting on a 5-ton tractor, and 2 trailers on the road from Gartin mine to Churchhill Station, and wishing to ascertain if this would be in order, having been roads. The Council decided they could not allow a vehicle of the weight mentioned to be used as it would be most injurious to the County roads.

Treasurers advice notes

Treasurers advice notes containing accounts to be transferred to Committee of Asylums, Bettebany, Boards of Guardians and Rural District

District Council in respect of Quarter ending 30th June 1915 were submitted and signed Motor Cars for Assistant Surveyors

In accordance with notice of motion, duly given, Councillor William Doherty moved - That each assistant Surveyor in the County be provided by this Council with a two seater motor car, to remain County property, same to be kept in proper order by each Surveyor at his own expense as to Insurance, Costs of running, depreciation, and repair and each Surveyor to have thereon and inspect each road within his district at least once every month. Said motor car after 7 years in County Service - to become the absolute property of said Surveyor who will use same for County Work while in Office. Resolved by Councillor E. Gallagher Councillor Hanna moved as an amendment that the matter be postponed until such time as a Scheme prescribing the Duties of assistant County Surveyors has been formulated. Councillor Wm Gallagher seconded.

After some discussion the Councillor Doherty withdrew the motion

Treatment of Tuberculosis - Sanatorium Fund

A letter dated 3rd March 1915 from the Local Government Board acknowledging receipt of copy of a resolution of the Dougal Co. Council in regard to beds in Permanent Sanatorium and drawing attention to the letter dated 29th Aug. 13 of the Secretary to the Co. Council, notifying to the Board the unanimous adoption by the County Council of Scheme No. 2, which included the purchase of 20 beds at Permanent Sanatorium and stating that as the amount of Dues available for further Capital expenditure in connection with provision for the treatment of Tuberculosis in Co. Dougal is upwards of £3,200 the County will lose the benefit of this sum if the Council do not proceed with their Scheme having been read. Councillor Clarke moved - That the Dougal Co. Council had before them the

Local

Copy resolution sent to L.G. Board

Local Government Board's letter of the 3rd March 1915, No. 12,069, relative to the Capital Fund available for the treatment of Tuberculosis in the County, and in this connection the Council would refer them to their letter of the 17th June 1914, approving of a Scheme formulated by a Joint Committee of the Co. Council and Insurance Committee on 25th May 1914 and unanimously adopted by the Co. Council on 13th June 1914. The Board will observe that in referring to this Scheme that there is no provision for the purchase of beds and they cannot understand why the L.G. Board seen now to graft to this Scheme the clause in a former Scheme which was subsequently abandoned. We request the Local Government Board to send a representative to discuss the question with the Co. Council.

Councillor Hanna having seconded the matter was unanimously agreed to.

Tuberculosis Dispensary at Letterkenny

A letter from the Local Government Board relative to the Plans of the Institution for Tuberculosis which the Co. Council of Dougal propose to establish at Letterkenny having been read consideration of the matter was again deferred

re payment of fees

A letter from Mr J. P. McFarlane, architect, Derry, making application for the sum of £100 on account of fees in connection with plans &c., of the proposed Tuberculosis Dispensary at Letterkenny, having been read, consideration of the matter was adjourned

Draft Agreement

The consideration of a draft agreement between the Co. Council of Dougal and the Insurance Committee for Co. Dougal, was also deferred.

at the request of the Secretary of the Board of Works it was decided to rate 100 Reps. of the Letterkenny Railway Coy. for the Section

Section of the ~~R~~ Letterkenny Railway Co. in this County between Teaban Junction and the Boundary of Letterkenny Urban District under the provisions of 23 Vic. Cap. 4, Sec 6.

Contribution in respect of Salary of Tuberculosis Officer
a letter dated 14 January 1915, from the National Health Insurance Commission on the subject of the contribution by the Insurance Committee for Co. Donegal to the Sanitary Co. Council in respect of the services of the Tuberculosis Officer as medical adviser to the committee; also a letter dated 31st March 1915, from the Local Gov. Board on the subject, having been read, it was unanimously resolved on the motion of Councillor Dunlevy, seconded by Councillor Staud, that the Council adhere to their former resolution passed at a meeting held on the 5th Nov. 1914 to the effect that the Insurance Committee for Co. Donegal contribute 2/3 of the annual salary (£100) paid by the Council to the Tuberculosis Officer for his services as medical adviser to the Committee and that the contribution be retrospective as from the 1st Oct. 1913.

a letter, dated 18th March 1915, from the Local Gov. Board, stating that instructions have been given for the issue of a Paying Order for £75, in respect of the treatment of Tuberculosis for 1/2 year ended 31.3.15, was read

Appointment of a Harbour Master Burtounport Pier

John Gallagher, Burtounport, was on the motion of Councillor James F. O'Donnell, seconded by Councillor J. O'Donnell, appointed Harbour Master at Burtounport Pier, at a salary of £4. per annum plus 10% on all dues collected

Quays at Donegal

On the motion of Councillor Dunlevy, seconded by Councillor Clark Mr. E. J. Cummins, Milltown, Donegal, was appointed Harbour Master for the Quays and Harbour at Donegal, at

Commission & Affairs
transacted 11/17/15

John Gallagher written to 20th April 1915

Cummins written to 3. May 1915

a salary of £4. per annum, plus 10% on all dues collected.

Appointment of Rate Collector

The Secretary was directed to issue an advertisement inviting applications for the position of Rate Collector in room of Collector Gallivan, and the appointment to be made by the Council on 25th May 1915. Remuneration to be in the £.

Appointment of Temporary Veterinary Inspector

Mr. Frederick F. Beck, M.R.C.V.S. Meaford, was appointed Veterinary Inspector for the Union District of Donaghadee, pending a regular appointment thereto

County Donegal Joint Scheme for Technical Instruction

a letter, dated 23rd March 1915, from the Department of Agriculture to have sent copy of a communication which the Department have addressed to the Secretary to the Co. Donegal Joint Committee for Technical Instruction regarding the future operations of his Committee as affected by the recent Order of the Local Government Board constituting the town of Bundoran an Urban District, having been read, it was unanimously resolved not to reduce the number of representatives of the existing contributing authorities (County Council and Urban District Council of Letterkenny) Employees who joined His Majesty's Forces a letter, dated, 29th March 1915, from the Local Gov. Board on the subject of the arrangements which might be adopted by Local authorities in case of any of their employees who joined His Majesty's Forces, was read

Appointment of Medical Superintendent of the Central Tuberculosis Dispensary

a letter, dated 1st April 1915, from the Local Gov. Board intimating that the Board have extended for a further period of 6 months their provisional approval of the appointment of Dr. Edward Regan, Letterkenny, as medical superintendent of the Central Tuberculosis Dispensary, to be established by the Sanitary Co. Council, was read

advertisement inserted in papers 19/1/15

Mr Beck and Department written to 11/1/15

Local Gov. Board written to 12/1/15

re Condition of a County Road

a letter, dated 7th April 1915 from the Board of Road, enclosing copy of a letter received from Mr. McManus, Junior, Co. Kerry, relative to the condition of the road leading from Ballybogy to Trusk, having been read, the Secretary was directed to send a copy of Mr. McManus's letter to Mr. Cuffey, Co. Kerry
Contract No. 1047 Dunshaven R.D.

a letter, dated 8th April 1915 from the War Office stating that on the evidence obtained it does not appear that Mr. McManus has any claim for compensation in respect of extraordinary ^{military} traffic on Contract No. 1047 Dunshaven Rural District, having been read the Secretary was directed to send a copy of the letter to the Rural District Council
Holdings of John Duggan and James Stole

a letter from the Dist. to the Co. Council enclosing the transfers of above Holdings from the Irish Land Commission to the County Council and requesting the Co. Council to issue a Paying Order for the purchase money £1114 and referring to taking over possession of said holdings, having been read, it was resolved that the transfers be sealed with the Seal of the Council and that a Paying order for £1114 (purchase money) be issued in favor of the Irish Land Commission, and also that a Paying Order for £5114:0, being fees in connection with the sale of the two holdings in question be issued in favor of Mr. J. Februit, Auctioneer, Magazine Street, Sandanaherry. The Dist. to the Council was directed to take the necessary steps with a view to getting possession of the holdings as soon as possible on behalf of the Co. Council. It was also directed that should the former owners of the holdings retain possession of them that he obtain an injunction and should they disobey the injunction that steps be also taken to have them imprisoned. The Dist. to the Council was also directed to request the Constabulary to see that the late owners should not in any way interfere with the buildings or if they become aware of any trespass on the land by the late owners to be good enough to report the matter to us.

Copy letter sent to Co. Kerry 11/4/15

Copy R.D. Council Sandanaherry & written to 11/5/15

Transfers sealed and returned to the Dist. Co. Council, 21. 4. 15

Damage to a Milk Cart &c.

a further letter, dated 29th March 1915, from Mr. John A. Hammett, Dist. Kerry, relative to the damage to a milk cart, the property of Mr. William McHilley of Ballylawn, alleged to have been caused owing to the bad condition of the road running from the main road at Ballylawn to the mountain, was read

Ireland as a Health and Tourist Resort

Copy of a resolution of Limerick Co. Council on the subject of inaugurating a movement in support of the claims and the advantages of Ireland as a health and tourist resort was unanimously adopted

appointment of Temporary Temporary Inspector a letter, dated 13th April 1915 from Mr. F. S. Reavy, District, Dundoran, requesting that Mr. Baker, M.R.C.O.S. be appointed to discharge temporary the duties of Temporary Inspector in the Union Districts of Dingle & Ballyshannon until her husband returns home, having been read it was unanimously resolved on the motion of Councillor Dunlevy, seconded by Councillor Hanna, that Mrs. Reavy's request be acceded to.

Contract No. 634 Ballyshannon R.D.

Copy of a resolution of Ballyshannon R.D. Council recommending that Michael Finny of Tullymore, Ballyshannon, be relieved of Contract No. 634 was application by the Contractor requesting that said Contract be rescinded, having been read, it was resolved not to relieve Finny of said Contract.

Payment on foot of a Road Contract

a letter from Mr. Charles M. Cornick, Dist. Kerry, on behalf of Edward M. Rayburn, Glenties, Carndonagh, requesting payment on foot of a road Contract, was referred to Mr. Staden Co. Kerry

Establishing of a Depot for the reception of military

Copy of a resolution passed by the Irish Cattle Traders and Stock Owners Association to

Mrs. Reavy written to 20. 4. 15

Contractor and John R.D. Council written to 21. 4. 15

Mr. M. Cornick written to 21/4/15

Recy. association written to 2/14/15

Letter sent to the Superintending Engineer Post-office Engineering Dept. Dublin 2/14/15

Mr. John Falvey, written to 21. 4. 15

Mr. Mayor to R. S. O' Office Victoria Barracks Recfart. written to 24/4/15

to the effect that a permanent depot fully equipped for the reception of military and Government stores and supplies be established in Dublin was, on the motion of Councillor Neulavy, seconded by Councillor Clarke, unanimously adopted

Permission to erect an overhead Telegraphic Line
an application on behalf of the Postmaster General for permission to erect an overhead telegraphic line from the Crossroads Dublin of Sheehaven Coastguard Station to the Board of Trade Watch Hut on Parkmore Hill Sheehaven having been considered, permission was granted, subject to the approval of Mr. Sheehana, Co. Surveyor.

National Insurance Act 1911. - Sheckers
a resolution passed by the Insurance Committee for County Downgal recommending the Co. Council to provide a Shecker for one of the patients sent by the Committee to Rocklake Sanatorium to be used when the patient returns home from the Sanatorium, having been read, it was resolved on the motion of Councillor Hanna seconded by Councillor Wm. Gallagher that two Sheckers be provided and that the order for their construction be placed with Mr. John Gallagher Quay St. Merville.

Permission to open a Co. road
an application by the military authorities for permission to lay a cable along the public road between Buncrana and Rudden Camp for the purpose of lighting the Camp with Electricity, having been read, permission was granted, subject to the approval of Mr. Sheehana Co. Surveyor to lay the cable along the portion of Kild County road within the jurisdiction of the Co. Council application would require to be made to the Buncrana Urban District Council for permission to lay the cable along the remaining portion of the road within the Urban Council's area

Tuberculosis Prevention Act 1908.

a letter from the Clerk Justice R.D. Council stating that on reconsideration of the matter, after due notice to each member, the District Council deferred the question of adopting Part I of the above mentioned act, was read

Site at Keshing for Dispensary

a letter from the Solicitor to the Co. Council relative to the negotiations which have been opened with the Solicitor for Lord Oubwell as to the purchase of the site on the 10 district asylum farm for Sanatorium and stating that a formal offer has been sent to his Lordship's Solicitors. They however write that they cannot entertain any offer unless an undertaking is given to Lord Oubwell that his costs, both of Solicitor and Valuer will be paid by the Council whether the matter proceeds or not, having been read, it was resolved on the motion of Councillor Neulavy seconded by Councillor Wm. Gallagher to give the undertaking asked for

Decees returned. Marked "no goods"

a letter, dated 12th April 1915, from the Solicitor to the Co. Council to the effect that the Decees obtained against David Mc Farland of Drumway and his Sureties has been returned by the Sheriff marked "no goods" having been read, the Secretary was directed to write the various R.D. Council pointing out that many Sureties accepted by them in connection with road contracts are turning out insolvent, and requesting that some solvent Sureties be taken in Road Contracts in future.

Explosives Act 1905.

a Licence under above act was granted to Mr. C. Mc Fadden merchant, Errigal Hotel, Falcarragh as was also renewal of a Licence, No. 102 to William Judge, merchant, Ballybojey

Copy of a resolution of Inishowen R.D. Council requesting the Co. Council to direct the Inspector of weights & measures to visit Duleep Point and

The R.D. Co. Council written to 2/14/15

Charles Warriner R.D. Council written to 21/5/15

County Inspector written to 21/5/15

and Tholin Head on his rounds for the purpose of adjusting the weights of traders &c. in those districts, having received the request was acceded to, and the Secretary directed to communicate with the County Surveyor on the matter.

Appointment of Deputy Coroner

A letter from James Boyle Esq. Coroner for the District of Raphoe enclosing, in duplicate, a ^{dated 17th April 1915} appointment of Edward F. O'Sullivan, Mountcharles, County Donegal, as his Deputy Coroner, which appointment has been approved by the Chairman of the Co. Council, was read.

Lights at the approaches to Burtisport

Councillor James F. O'Donnell moved that in consequence of the want of lights at the approaches to Burtisport, the fishing fleet experience some difficulty on dark nights in reaching the Harbour. We ask the County Council Board to have lights erected on the sites marked out by their Engineer in October last in order that the boats engaged at the fishing may reach the Harbour in safety.

Councillor J. H. O'Donnell seconded and the matter was unanimously agreed to.

Revival of the Kelp Making Industry

Councillor James F. O'Donnell moved that owing to the fishing population on the islands of Arranmore, Duniskeragh, Awey and other islands off the coast of this County being unable to reach the fishing grounds in their open boats following of Donegal Fishing, Kelp Stakes, and Lobster market and the failure of the Kelp Making Industry on these islands. We ask the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction to take such steps to revive the Kelp Making industry on our coast in order that the makers may earn a living wage to assist them to procure food stuffs (which are now at famine prices) during the coming winter. Councillor Dunlevy seconded and the matter was passed unanimously.

Copy sent to the C. D. Board 25/4/15

Copy sent to Department of Agriculture 26/4/15

COUNTY OF DONEGAL.

Moved by Councillor JAMES DUNLEVY, Seconded by Councillor HANNA, AND RESOLVED:

That the Council of the above-named County hereby make Rates on the property rateable thereto, in the following Rural Districts under the provisions of the Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1898, and of Acts incorporated therewith, for the service of the year ending the 31st day of March, 1916, leviable in two half-yearly moieties, together with Arrears. The Rates for the ordinary expenditure of the County for the service of the above-mentioned period, chargeable to the several Rural Districts, are at the following Rates in the Pound:-

Table with columns: Rural District, To be Levied on Agricultural Land, Sums deducted of the Agricultural Grant, To be Levied on other Hereditaments, In respect of County Charges, Union Charges, District Charges, Total.

AND WHEREAS, certain Separate Charges are chargeable on the Areas or Contributory Places hereunder mentioned, the following special Poundage Rates have been added to the Poor Rates above mentioned for the payment of such Separate Charges, and the same form part of and will be collected with the above General Poor Rate:-

Table with columns: Rural District, Name of Special Area or Contributory Place, Purpose or Name of Charge, Special Poundage Rate, In respect of County Charges, Union Charges, District Charges, Total.

And it is further resolved-That the Warrants for the Collection of the first and second moieties, together with Arrears of previous Rates, as above specified, be Signed and Sealed with the Seal of the Council and issued to the Collectors for the several Collection Districts; also that the Annual Estimate and Demand upon Buncrana, Bundoran, and Letterkenny Urban District Councils in respect of the above financial year be Signed, and the Seal of the County Council affixed thereto.

And that as required by Article 97 of the Public Bodies Order, 1904, the Secretary of this Council be authorised to appoint Deputies for the Rural Districts of Ballyshannon, Donegal, Dunfallynagh, Glenties, Inishowen, Letterkenny, Londonderry (No. 2), Milford, Strabane (No. 2), and Stranorlar, for the purpose of examining the Books of the several Collectors of Poor Rate for those Rural Districts in respect of the Financial Year ending 31st March, 1916.

License Duty payable under
the Finance Act 1910

The Secretary mentioned that Mr. Wm J. Weir,
of Ballinacraig, paid the sum of £2.2.0 as
Licence Duty on his Ford motor car for the year 1910,
and that the horse power of all Ford cars
is 20 and according to the ^{prescribed} Scale the Duty
is £6.6.0 which would leave a balance of
£1.1.0 due by Mr. Weir in addition to £0.3.0
Duty on his car for year 1911. The Secretary
also pointed out that he received a letter
from Mr. Weir to the effect that in County
Lynane £4.4.0 is the fee collected on Ford cars.

Mr. Weir writes to

Councillor Dunlop moved that the
Secretary in all cases insist that the proper
Duty according to the horse power of the
respective car be paid, and in the event
of the owner of any motor car or motor cycle
not paying the correct Duty the Secretary
institute proceedings through the J.P. to the
Co. Council for its recovery; also any owner
of a motor car liable for Duty for year 1911
be prosecuted if the Duty is not paid
forthwith.

Councillor McArthur seconded and the matter
was unanimously agreed to.

Schedules of Uncollected Rates

Schedules of uncollected Rates furnished
by the Rate Collectors for period ended
31st March 1910 were submitted and the
recommendations of the Co. Council with regard
to each item are set out in the Return in
the columns assigned for the purpose.

Confirmed,
Jas Dunlop, Chairman,
25th May 1910

Copy minutes sent to each member of the Co. Council, Local Govt. Roads, Co. Council and Co. Surveyors 3/6/15

A Quarterly Meeting was held on the 25th day of May 1915.

Attendance

Members present were: Councillors James Dunlop (Chairman) Wm Farrell, John E. Boyle, Callaghan, Cassidy, Cleary, Colburn, Cole, Davidson, Doherty, Edward Farrell, Jacob Forman, Hanna, Kelly, Lowry, Mitchell, Muehlen, McConaigue, McFadden, McNeil, O'Donnell (Hugh) O'Donnell (P. H.) and Quigley. A letter of apology from Councillor McArthur for non-attendance was read.

Motion

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed

Reports of Committees

The Reports of the undermentioned Committees were unanimously adopted: Division of annual meeting held 20th April 1915; Assistant Surveyors.

Proposals for Finance - 6th May 1915. Proposals for Payment - 20th April and 6th May 1915.

The Proposals for Payment, as reported on by the Finance Committee, in respect of Quarter ended 31st March 1915, were (without modification) ordered to be paid.

Proposals for Work

The Proposals for work formulated by the Proposal Committee were approved.

Bank Books

The Bank Books in connection with the County accounts were submitted and signed by the Chairman.

Appointment of Poor Rate Collector

The Council then proceeded to consider applications for the position of Poor Rate Collector for the District Electoral Division of Castleforward, Killa, and Newbawnmunnigham. Remuneration ? in the £.

Councillor Muehlen proposed that Wm O'Donnell be appointed. Councillor Wm Doherty seconded. Councillor Wm Farrell proposed that Jas. McFarty be appointed. Councillor Lowry seconded. Councillor Wm Kelly proposed that Edward Lynch be appointed. Councillor Cassidy seconded.

Councillor Wm Colburn proposed that John Kelly be appointed. Councillor McFadden seconded. James Boyle and H. Farrell also having spoken on behalf of Wm O'Donnell. Councillor John Kelly, seconded. Vote was then taken.

For Wm O'Donnell - Councillors Boyle, Callaghan, Colburn, Davidson, Doherty, Farrell (Edw), Mitchell, Muehlen, McConaigue, McFadden, McNeil, O'Donnell (Hugh) and Quigley - 13.

For McFarty - Councillors Dunlop, Wm Farrell, Clark, and Lowry - 4.

For Lynch - Councillors Cassidy, Jacob Forman, Kelly, O'Donnell (P. H.) - 4.

For Kelly - Wm O'Donnell having received a majority of votes over the other two candidates the Chairman declared him duly appointed Poor Rate Collector. Subject to the approval of the Roads Government Board.

Asylum Committee

Councillor Colburn proposed that the Rev. John McCafferty and Peter Lattin be appointed members of the Committee of Lattinhamy District Asylum in room of the late Rev James B. Cannon, P. H.

Councillor Muehlen seconded, and the matter was passed unanimously.

Tuberculosis Dispensary at Lattinhamy

A letter from the Local Govt. Board relative to the plans of the Institution for Tuberculosis which the County Council of Donegal proposed to establish at Lattinhamy, having been read, consideration of the matter was again adjourned.

Draft Agreement

The consideration of a draft agreement between the Co. Council of Donegal and the Donegal Committee for Co. Donegal was also adjourned.

Schedules of uncollected Rates

Schedules of uncollected Rates furnished by Collector Lynch and the Rep. of the late Collector Patterson for period ended 31st March 1915, were submitted and the recommendations of the Council with regard to each item are set out in the Schedules in the columns assigned.

Chair & Asylum Rev. John McCafferty and Peter Lattin 2nd Dec 1915

assigned for the purpose
Guarantee Bond of Collectors Muelhorn
The new Fidelity Guarantee Bond of Collector Muelhorn for £300. was signed by the Chairman and the Seal of the Council ordered to be affixed thereto

Scholarship allocated to Mr Michael J Blake
a letter from Henry Browne M.A. University College, Dublin, stating that the President has recommended him to apply to the Dougal Co. Council kindly to extend Mr Michael J. Blake his Scholarship for another year owing to exceptional circumstances having arisen, having been read the Council decided they could not accede to the application, as their Scholarship Scheme would not admit of such a course being taken

Payment of arrears of Rates
a claim by Collector D. Fogarty, Attorney, for payment of 2nd and 3rd years arrears of rates prior to 1st April 1915 (the arrears for year ended March 1915 in the case having already been authorised to be refunded by the Co. Council, on the holdings situated at Ruskey, Manorcummin, since recently purchased by the Dougal Co. Council from the Land Commission, and amounting to £5.0.0 and £4.11.0, respectively, having been considered, Councillor Buckley proposed and Councillor Colburn seconded that such sums as the Local Govt. Board may approve of be refunded, which was unanimously agreed to.

Sheep Dipping Bath
an application by Mr. John W. Cadden, Sheep Dipping Inspector, Dougal Rural District for a new Dipping Bath as the one at present in his possession is almost useless, having been considered, it was unanimously decided that to be provided with a new Dipping Bath.

Condition of Certain Road Works
a further letter, dated 4th May 1915, from the Local Govt. Boards relative to the recent communication which the Board received from Mr. J. Evans, Ballyhaunis, with regard to road works in the County, and

Henry Browne M.A.
in relation to
2/6/15

and requesting that the County Surveyor favor them with a report giving full information as to the following matters referred to in Mr. Evans letter: (1) The state of the roads specified by that gentleman, and (2) as to the practice of leaving unrolled metal on the roads, and adding that the Board are of opinion that the Co. Council would do well to take into consideration at the earliest opportunity the question of providing a basin for each County Surveyor for the purpose of performing the routine works now attaching to their office. The appointment of such officers would enable the Co. Surveyors to devote more time to the responsible duties in connection with the supervision of the various public works in their districts, having been read the Secretary stated that he obtained the report asked for by the L.G. Board, from Mr. Coffrey Co. Surveyor which he transmitted to the Board.

The Council unanimously decided not to appoint a clerk for each of the two County Surveyors.

Lighting town of Lifford
a dated order of the Local Government Board, dated 11th April 1915, determining area of charge upon which all expenses incurred by Othman, No. 2 R.D. Council in connection with the lighting of the town of Lifford shall be chargeable, was read.

Labours Act - Repayment of Outstanding Loans
a schedule, dated 19th April 1915, received from the Local Govt. Board (Labours Department) showing particulars of amounts permitted to the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland towards the repayment of outstanding loans under the Labours Act charged on certain Rural Districts in Co. Dougal was read.

Swabarra Bridge
a further letter from the C.D. Board enclosing copy of a letter re Swabarra Bridge maintenance which has been addressed to the Secretary of the L.G. Board; also letters from the latter body

Report sent to R. Board
11/6/15

C.D. Board
written to
2/6/15

Reply of L.G. Board
written to
2/6/15

on the same subject having been read, Councillor Patrick H. O'Donnell stated that the Executive R. D. Council at their recent Quarterly meeting passed a Proposal for £200 with a view to having said Bridge repaired.

Road Rolling Machinery - Ordering of Stores

a letter, dated 20th April 1915, from the Board of Road stating that they will raise no objection to the procedure for ordering stores in connection with road rolling machinery in the County as outlined in the report of Mr. Sheehy County Surveyor dated 26th April 1915 was read.

Pier at Portlough

a letter, dated 22nd April 1915 from the office of Public Works, Dublin, stating that they read a report that the East side of Portlough Pier has bulged outwards by 6 inches, and is cracking on top, having been read, the matter was referred to Mr. Sheehy County Surveyor for his attention.

Wharfedale Harbour Landing Rights

a letter from the C. D. Board stating that with reference to Wharfedale Harbour Landing Rights it would be premature to fix definitely the position of any lights or beacons until the course of the dredging of the approach to the proposed Landing Place is decided upon, was read.

Borrowing by Harbour Authorities

a letter, dated 1st May 1915, from the Board of Trade on above subject, was read.

Borrowing by Local Authorities

a Circular letter, dated 4th May 1915, from the P. D. Board on the subject of borrowing by Local authorities was also read.

Ballyphannon Technical School

The original Deed and Counterpart in connection with Ballyphannon Technical School, were submitted and the Seal of the Council ordered to be affixed thereto.

Finance Act (1909-10) Act 1910. Duties on Land Values

a circular letter dated 4th May 1915, from the District Valuer Commissioners of Inland Revenue, appending particulars of provisions Valuation

Board of Works written to 2/6/15

Trans. of R. D. Council written to 2/6/15

Original Deed & Counterpart sent to Mr. Sheehy 3/6/15

put an Overhaule and Card in town of Ballyphannon under the above act, having been read, the Secretary was directed to communicate with the District Valuer Commissioners of Inland Revenue on the subject.

Use of a Tractor &c

a letter, dated 23rd April 1915, from Messrs. The Orchard Refinery Coy. Ltd., Belfast, relative to the proposed use by them of a Tractor &c. on the road from Fartin mines to Churchhill Station, having been read, the Secretary was directed to refer the Company to Mr. Sheehy County Surveyor.

County Council Committee of Agriculture

a letter from the Secretary of County Council of Agriculture having submitted letter received from the Very Rev. Dr. McMeel, P. P., Pettigo, tendering his resignation as a member of the Committee having been read, his resignation was accepted.

On the motion of Councillor Dunlop, seconded by Councillor Carraghan, Councillor Daniel J. Flood, Pettigo, was appointed a member of the said Committee in place of the Very Rev. Dr. McMeel P. P.

Road Contracts running into Buncrana

a letter, dated 27th April 1915, from the Buncrana Urban District Council stating that that Body agree to the Co. Council making a demand upon them for their portion of the total amount certified by the County Surveyor from time to time on foot of contracts, - portions of which run until the Urban area - until they expire, was read.

Holdings purchased from Land Commission

a letter, dated 6th May 1915, from the Secy. to the Council stating, that as directed, he employed Mr. O'Pea, auctioneer, to try and let the holdings purchased by the Co. Council from the Land Commission, which he did, and enclosing copy of a letter received from him, were read.

Company written to 2/6/15

Secy to Committee Mr. Flood written to 2/6/15

Demand Upon Dundoran U.D. Council

Copy of a resolution adopted by Dundoran Urban District Council requesting the County Council to accept half yearly, instead of Quarterly instalments, in payment of its Demand on the Urban District of Dundoran having been read, the Council decided they had no power to assent to the request

Contract No. 631.

a letter from the Ballypharman R.D. Council stating that that Body again request the County Council to relieve Mr. Jimmy, Tullymore, Ballypharman of Contract No. 631. Ballypharman Rural District, having been read, it was unanimously decided not to cause said Contract

Contract No. 249. Keshy R.D.

a letter from the Glen Rotherham R.D. Council intimating that that Body recommends the Co. Council to relieve Dominick Martin of Dessera of Contract No. 249, commencing 1st April 1914, and enclosing a Doctors Certificate, having been read, it was unanimously resolved on the motion of Councillor Dobdy, seconded by Councillor William Faragher that said Contract be broken

Contract No. 469 Straussler R.D.

Copy of resolution of Straussler R.D. Council requesting the Co. Council to break the Contract No. 469, entered into by John Kamigian of Curraghnaman in Decr. 14, as he has sold out all his effects and left the County, having been read, Councillor Gallagher stated that the Director for Kamigian has no effects and proposed that the Contract be broken, Councillor Dumbrey seconded, and the matter was unanimously agreed to

Repayment of Harbours Dues

a letter from the Harbours Works at Portsalon Pier stating that Messrs McBreath & Mr. Harland refuse to pay Dues at the rate of 3^d per ton on manure landed on said Pier, having been read, the Secretary was directed to instruct the Clerk to the Co. Council to institute proceedings with

Stuart Clark written to 2/6/10

Clark R.D. Council written to 2/6/10

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a view to the recovery of the amount due
Condition of a Sewer pipe

a letter from Mr. Hugh C. Cochrane, Lifford, relative to a Sewer pipe from the County House which runs through the Rectory garden and discharges into a drain at the bottom of it, having been read, the matter was referred to Mr. Adamson, County Surveyor, for his attention.

Letter from Fever Hospital

a application by the Committee of management of the Rotherham Fever Hospital for payment of the sum of £19.15.1, being the deficit certified by the Local Government auditors to exist in the accounts of the Committee for year ended 31.3.10 having been considered, it was unanimously resolved on the motion of Councillor Dumbrey seconded by Councillor W. Faragher, to assent to the application

Regulations for the Control of Dogs

Copy of a resolution of Dumbrowan R.D. Council requesting the Co. Council to enforce their order relative to the Control of Dogs at night as the worrying of sheep is doing an in parts of Dumbrowan at present, having been read, the Secretary was directed to bring the matter under the notice of the County Surveyor, R.D. Council

the Working of Councils Steam Rolling Plant

a letter from the Glen Rotherham Urban District Council stating that he has been instructed to enquire whether the Co. Council would be willing to let the Urban District Council have the use of one of the County Steam Rollers, and if so, on what terms, having been read, the County Surveyor stated that for the present the Councils Steam Rolling Plant was fully occupied

Explosives Act 1875

Renewal of a Licence, No. 115, under the above act was granted to Messrs John Myers & Coy, Ballypharman, as was also a Licence, No. 175, under said act to Messrs James Ke & Coy, Main St. Ballypharman

Mr. Cochrane written to 2/6/10

Dobdy R.D. Council written to 2/6/10

County Surveyor written to 2/6/10

Messrs James Ke & Coy

Review items

Mr. Roarty written to 21/6/15

M. J. Roarty written to 29/7/15

Permits and Pharmacy act

a licence (No.) under above act was granted to Mr. John Cavanagh, Drumawair, Freeman street

Permission to remove a Kerbside

an application by Mr. Hugh Roarty, the corner House, Dunglea, for permission to remove 24 feet of Kerbside along the Cavencore road, opposite water works, having been considered, the matter was referred to Mr. John Coffey, County Surveyor, to use his own discretion as to whether the permission ought to be granted

Purchase of two holdings from the Irish Lands Commission

a letter, dated 29th April 1915, from the Local Govt Board with reference to the purchase by the Rosbeg Co. Council of two holdings from the Irish Lands Commission, and requesting to be informed under what ^{statutory} authority the Co. Council are acting, having been read, the Secretary was directed to state in reply-

- (1) That at Common Law the Co. Council are liable on behalf of the Ratepayers
- (2) On the holdings in question there are large quantities of Road material which the Co. Council propose utilizing, thus saving the expenses of providing land for Quarries on holdings elsewhere.

Condition of employment in the United Kingdom

Circular letter, dated 16th March 1915, from the L.G. Board enclosing for the information of the Local Relief Committee, copy of a circular, dated 10th March 1915, issued by the Government Committee on the Prevention and Relief of Distress regarding the conditions of employment in the United Kingdom, were read

Unrecoverable Rates

a letter from Collector Dunion regarding ratings numbered 1540 and 1700 in his district which the Co. Council at their meeting held in April last disallowed subject to the sanction of the Local Government Board, and stating that the Rates in these two cases were uncollectable, there being no effects having been read, the

Council

Council decided not to ask the ruling already made and which had been approved by the Local Government Board.

Road Committee

Councillor Dulevy proposed that a Road Committee be established in the County to be composed of the following members of the Co. Council. Three members to form a permanent Committee to have a meeting 2 or 3 times a week. Councillors Dulevy, W. J. O'Farrell, Cavanagh, Clark, Cochran, Cole, Davidson, Doherty, Edwards, Farrell, James, James, John, James, Hanna, Loney, Mitchell, Meehan, Mr. O'Sullivan, McConlogue, Mr. O'Sullivan and F. H. O'Sullivan.

Councillor Clarke seconded and the matter was unanimously agreed to.

Rathmullan Pier

The following copy of a resolution of Rathmullan Pier Committee was unanimously adopted. That in the opinion of the Pier Committee the Ferry Steamer should have the preference as to berth when possible, and where the loading and unloading of other Steamers are not interfered with and that the Harbour Master be instructed accordingly. The Council also approved of the recommendation of the Committee that the Harbour Master books and accounts be laid before the Committee at their meetings for examination.

re Purchase of beds in Dedmans Sanatorium

a further letter, dated 28th April 1915, from the Local Govt Board with reference to the resolution passed by the Rosbeg Co. Council relative to the purchase of the Sanatorium and stating that the Board will insist that their Medical Inspector Dr. Stephenson to attend the meeting of the Co. Council as requested at which the above matter will be considered, having been read, Councillor Dulevy shortly explained the negotiations with the various National Health Association and the Local Government Board and stated that a joint Committee of the County Council and Rosbeg Sanatorium Committee met on the 26th May 1914 and formulated a scheme on the assumption that the Sanatorium would be a certain sum and that it was transferred that of this sum an amount of £4000 had been allocated to the L.G. Association for 20 beds which the Co. Council say they now finally agreed to purchase. Dr. Stephenson then referred at length to minutes of the Council and correspondence with the L.G. Board, and contended, on behalf of the Board, that the Rosbeg Co. Council must be taken as having agreed to purchase the beds. Other members of the Co. Council having spoken Councillor Dulevy proposed that we respectfully ask the L.G. Board to allow the Rosbeg Co. Council to proceed with their scheme formulated on 25th May 1914, and on the understanding that the Capital sum would be such an amount as is mentioned in the scheme. Councillor Clarke seconded. The Chairman put the resolution to the meeting and there being no amendment declared it passed unanimously. Dr. Stephenson stated that he would put the Council's views before the Local Govt. Board. Confirmed, J. Dulevy Chairman

Mr. Roarty written to 29/7/15

A meeting of the Sub-Committee appointed by the Co. Council for the purpose of defining the duties of assistant Co. Surveyors in the County, was held at the Townhouse Dufford on Tuesday 25th day of May 1915.

Attendances

The members present were:
Councillors James Dunlevy, Clarke, Roberts, Gallagher, Edward, Hanna, and P. H. O'Sullivan

Councillor Dunlevy occupied the Chair
Minutes

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed
Duties of assistant Surveyors

Councillor Wm Roberts and Mr James H. Headman - County Surveyor submitted a Scheme which they had formulated by the request of the Committee at a meeting held on 20th April 1915 defining the duties of assistant County Surveyors in the County. After due consideration the said Scheme was unanimously adopted, on the motion of Councillor Hanna, seconded by Councillor Clarke copy of same, when approved of by the Board of Council, to be sent to the Co. Surveyor and each of 100 assistant Co. Surveyors and also a supply to be sent to the Clerk of the Parish R.D. Councils in the County for distribution amongst each member of District Council.

On the motion of Councillor Hanna, seconded by Councillor Clarke the Sub-Committee thanks were accorded to Councillor Wm Roberts and Mr James H. Headman for the trouble they had taken in the preparation of the Scheme

On the motion of Councillor Hanna, seconded by Councillor Dunlevy it was unanimously resolved that the assistant Surveyors in the County be directed to furnish within one week to the Secy. Co. Council a list of all the private works they may have on hand at present and at the same time to state the probable time it will take for their completion.

adopted by Co. Council.
James Dunlevy, Chairman
8th June 1915

Copies of Scheme sent to County and returned to Surveyor 29/6/15 and also a supply sent to the Clerk R.D. Council for distribution among 29/6/15

Assistant Co. Surveyors taken to 29/6/15

COUNTY OF DONEGAL.

DUTIES OF ASSISTANT COUNTY SURVEYORS.

1. The Assistant County Surveyors shall, subject to the veto of the County Council, conform to all such regulations and directions given, in all matters pertaining to County work, by the County Surveyor, who is responsible to the County Council for their duties as well as his own.
2. They shall be exclusively engaged in outside County work five days each week for eight hours per day, and on one day each week at their home engaged at clerical county work. Each shall keep a diary, and forward to the County Surveyor a fortnightly return, setting forth exactly how his time has been occupied each day, and also give the details regarding any matter encountered requiring immediate attention. For this purpose a supply of note-books shall be procured by the Secretary for the Assistant County Surveyors, in which a record of all matters connected with the several Contracts visited shall be entered, including measurements and any complaint regarding quantity or quality of the materials supplied. Particulars re measurements and state of each Contract shall be entered in the Quarterly Returns at present in use, and sent to the County Surveyor. Furthermore, a copy of any entry shall be sent by the Assistant Surveyor to any County or District Councillor asking for same, and these books and diaries shall be submitted to the County Council or Road Committee at each of their meetings.
3. They shall in their respective districts lay off and carefully superintend all works in progress, and it shall be the duty of the Assistant County Surveyors to instruct the Contractors and teach them their duties, also to encourage them to properly fulfil their Contracts, in order that they may be paid the full amount of their Contracts. To attain this end, each Contractor must be notified by the Assistant, prior to the inspection of his Contract, to meet the Surveyor on his Contract, and the Surveyor shall spend the time necessary for going over his Contract with him, pointing out all defects and how they are to be remedied; also fix a reasonable date with the Contractor for a second inspection, within which such defects must be made good. Failing compliance, money proportionately to be then "struck off."
4. They shall inspect all bridges, culverts, and pipes, also the inlet and outlet channels to same, prior to the 15th April of each year, and report to the County Surveyor all defects, with a detailed estimate of the repairs, so that same might be put in order before the 20th July.
5. When any of the County Council's Road Plant is working in an Assistant's district, he must inspect same daily, at a time best suited, to check that the Plant is regularly working the full hours prescribed in the Driver's Regulations, and to see that the work done is satisfactory, both as to quantity and quality. He must for each Contract go over the road with the Road Contractor, and select the weaker portions of it to which the metal, in all cases, must be first applied, and give directions to the Driver accordingly.
6. They must attend the Half-yearly and Adjourned Half-yearly Meetings of the Rural District Councils in their several districts, and also the Half-yearly Meetings of the County Council, and any other Meetings which the County Council or County Surveyor may direct, and be prepared with their books to give the information required by the Council concerning any road or work in their respective districts.
7. They shall attend all Prosecutions authorized by the County Council when so required by the County Surveyor or County Solicitor, and be fully prepared to give evidence.
8. They shall also attend at such other places in their Districts as they shall be required by the County Surveyor, and shall aid, as directed, in the preparation of Plans, Specifications, &c., in connection with any County Work, also make any necessary Inspections and Reports connected therewith.
9. In future the Assistant Surveyors shall not undertake any private business, but shall be at liberty to complete any works they have already undertaken.
10. They shall be entitled to three weeks' holidays in each year, the periods to be arranged by the County Surveyor, and no Assistant is to leave his District without the permission of the County Surveyor.

As adopted
James Dunlevy
Chairman
25th May 1915

Copy minute
sent to Westgrove
Co. Surveyor
Mr. Wm. Wilson
Chairman of
the Co. Council
15th June 1915
and to each
member of the
Council on
June 1915

The Annual Meeting of the County Council
of Duncraig was held on Tuesday the 8th
day of June 1915.

Attendance

The Members present were
Councillors James Dunlevy (Chairman) Wm. Farrell,
Boyle, Callaghan, Cassidy, Clarke, Devine, Davidson,
Doherty, Dunphy (Edward), Forman (Jacob), Hanna, Keely,
Lowry, Mitchell, Marshall, McNeill, O'Donnell
(Hugh) and O'Donnell (J. H.)

The undersigned Chairman and
Representatives of the various R.D. Councils
present, signed their Declarations on taking
their seats as County Councillors.

Members James Davidson, Michael Devine,
Jacob Forman, Andrew Lowry, Joseph Mitchell,
Patrick A. O'Donnell.

Minutes

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed

Election of Chairman

Councillor Hanna moved, and Councillor McArthur
seconded, and it was unanimously resolved
to re-appoint Councillor James Dunlevy Chairman
of the Council for the Year.

Councillors Clarke and Lowry opposed
Supported the motion.

Election of Vice-Chairman

Councillor Callaghan moved, Councillor Keely
seconded, and it was unanimously resolved
to re-appoint Councillor William Farrell
Vice-Chairman for the Year.

Councillor McArthur supported the motion

Appointment of Committees

All the members of the Finance and Proposed
Committee were re-appointed

All the members of the Bureau of annual
Committee were re-appointed with the exception
that Councillor Devine was appointed a member
of the Committee in room of Councillor Hodges,
decd.

County Duncraig Sanitary Committee

The Revd. Patrick O'Doherty, P.P. Carrick, was appointed

Ready to Committee
written to 17/6/15
for date 8-11-15 P.P.
written to 17/6/15

a member of the Co. Council Supervisory Committee
in place of the late Rev. J. C. Cannon P.P.
Councillor Michael Devine was also appointed
a member of said Committee in place of the late
Councillor George Magee.

Asylum Committee

On the motion of Councillor Wm. Farrell, seconded by
Councillor Carraghan, Councillor Michael Devine
was appointed a member of Henry District Asylum Committee

Report of Committee

The adoption of the Report of Assistant County
Surveyors Sub-Committee, meeting held 25th May 1915
was then taken into consideration
Councillor Kelly moved that the consideration of
the Report be adjourned for 3 months in
view of the fact that the Assistant Co. Surveyors
had not an opportunity of going into the
Scheme defining the duties of Assistant Surveyors
which has been prepared by the Sub-Committee
with a view to their submitting any objections
they might have, and that those officials be
furnished with copies of said Scheme,
and that subsequently any objections they
may have be considered

Councillor Carridy seconded
Councillor Clark moved as an amendment
that the Report of Assistant Co. Surveyors Sub-Committee
meeting held on 25th May 1915, be adopted.
Councillor Hanna seconded.

Having heard Mr. Edward M. Fadden, Esq., R. Esq., who
appeared on behalf of the Assistant Surveyors,
a vote was then taken

For the motion - Councillors Boyle, Carraghan, Carridy,
Jacob Forman, & Kelly. 5
Against - Councillors Quilty, Wm. Farrell, Clarke,
Davidson, Devine, Doherty, Edw. Farrell,
Hanna, Lacey, Mitchell, Mr. Arthur McNeill,
O'Donnell (Kilgobbin) and O'Donnell (P. A. H.)

The Chairman declared motion lost and amendment carried

Tuberculosis (Ireland) Order 1914
Cost of Tuberculin

a letter, dated 18th May 1915, from the Department of
Agriculture, &c. stating that with reference to the
application of the Tuberculin test under the
above-mentioned Order the salary paid by
the Co. Council to their Veterinary Surgeons for
work under the Order must be regarded as
including the cost of Tuberculin for the purposes
of the test

Warrant of Collector Wm. O'Donnell

The Warrant of Collector Wm. O'Donnell was
submitted and signed, and the Seal of the
Council ordered to be affixed thereto.

J. D. Baker, P. D.

a letter dated 20th May 1915, from the Department
of Agriculture, &c. (Veterinary Branch) acknowledging
receipt of the letter from Dept. Council
intimating that Mr. J. D. Baker, V. S., Bundoran, has
been appointed to act as substitute for Mr.
P. D. Reavy, V. S., Bundoran, who is absent from
the District, was read.

Poundage Rate

a letter, dated 20th May 1915, from the Local Govt.
Board, approving of the Poundage Rate of 6
in the £ to be paid the person appointed
Collector of Poor Rates in place of Mr.
Robert Patterson, decd., was also read.

Outbreak of Sheep Scab.

a letter, dated 22nd May 1915, from the Department
of Agriculture, &c. (Veterinary Branch), forwarding
copies of a letter and telegram addressed
by the Department to Mr. Snodgrass, V. S., in
reference to Sheep Scab cases, together with a
copy of Mr. Snodgrass' reply thereto, having
been read, the Resoln. was directed to State in
reply that the Co. Council were of opinion
that seeing the disease had disappeared and
that all the Sheep were effectively dipped Mr.
Snodgrass could not be expected to proceed
further in the matter.

attached to
the Report

Ready the Department of Agriculture
(A.S.) written to 17/6/15

Maintenance of Public Works - Form of Tenders.

A letter from the Road Government Board, stating that they have considered it desirable to issue some slight amendment in the form of tender and contract previously prepared by them for use in connection with the ordinary maintenance of public works, and enclosing a copy of the amended form, having been read, the amendment which provides for the termination of the contract at any time during its currency in case of neglect on the part of the contractor, was approved.

Road Works in Co. Donegal.

A further letter, dated 24th May 1915, from the Road Government Board forwarding to be submitted to the Donegal County Council for their consideration, a copy of the Report of Mr. Coffrey County Surveyor, respecting the road works in the County referred to in the recent communication of Mr. J. Evans, and stating that the Board consider that the practice mentioned by Mr. Coffrey of having the stones spread on the roads before the rollers arrived to roll them, ought to be abandoned, was read.

Contract for which no tenders have been received

A letter, dated 2nd June 1915, from the Road Government Board referring to the recommendation contained in the Report of the Auditor on the accounts of the Donegal Co. Council with regards to the advertisements by the Co. Council of contracts for which no tenders have been received by the several R.D. Councils, having been read, the City explained the procedure re dealing with such contracts, as laid down in article 24(1) of the Procedure of Councils Order 1899, and pointed out that on a former occasion, the Co. Council acting on the Auditor's suggestions directed that the procedure be adhered to. Accordingly advertisements were issued with the result that not a single tender was received at the adjourned meeting of the Co. Council, the County thereby being put to considerable and unnecessary expense without any result. In the circumstances he suggested that the Board be asked to allow the Co. Council to depart from the procedure for issuing contracts for which no tenders have been received, by the various R.D. Councils and allow the Co. Council to deal with all such contracts at their next meeting by placing them in the Co. Surveyor's charge whom they do decide. Mr. Kelly also stated that the Co. Surveyor explained to the Auditor at a recent audit of Co. that in most instances they succeeded in getting contractors without in any way varying the amount of money or quantity of material

A copy of Board written to 11/6/15

material as contained in the original Proposal formulated by the R.D. Councils. The Board was directed to reply to the R.D. Councils to this effect.

Swabarra Bridge

a letter, dated 7th June 1915, from the Local Gov. Board relative to the maintenance of Swabarra Bridge, Co. Donegal, and forwarding a copy of a letter addressed by the Board to the Glenties R.D. Council on the matter, was read.

In this connection a letter dated 2nd June 1915, from the Glenties Rural District Council, stating that that body, at their half yearly meeting on the 12th May 1915 formulated a Provisional Proposal for painting and repairs to above bridge, at a cost of £200, but without deciding to set a loan for the purpose, as they had then no hopes of getting the R.D. Board to contribute half the cost (£100) and that the R.D. Board have since decided to contribute nothing, and the District Council are now faced with the whole cost of the work which they consider excessive all in one year, by reason of the depleted state of their Road Funds, and the poverty of the district generally. The District Council therefore directed him to request the Co. Council to obtain a loan of £200 for the purpose of the work, having been read, the Co. Council pointed out that the Board of Works would not issue any loans and recommended that the Glenties R.D. Council ascertain from their Treasurer if he would issue a loan and if so, on what terms?

Temporary Dispensary at Letterkenny.

Agreement. Philip Carroll with Donegal Co. Council an agreement. Philip Carroll with the Donegal County Council, in connection with the temporary dispensary at Letterkenny under the Tuberculosis prevention (Ireland) Act 1908 was submitted, and the Seal of the Council ordered to be affixed thereto.

Peamount Sanatorium

a letter from the Hon. Secty. Wm. St. Mach. associations enclosing a memorandum in reference to the building and equipping of Peamount Sanatorium

Copy R.D. Council written to 11/6/15

Agreement to Mr. Wm. St. Mach. submitted 11/6/15

Copy minutes sent to the Chairman of Council of Road & Co Surveyors & Mr Wm Wickham & Co Surveyors 8th July 1915 and to each member of the Co Council July 1915

A Half Yearly meeting was held on the 24th June 1915.

Attendance

The members present were: Councillors James Dunlop (Chairman) Wm Gallagher, Royce Gallagher, Clarke, Cole, Devine, Roberts, Edw Gallagher, Jacob Forman, Thomas Forman, Dewry, Mitchell, W. Arthur, W. Caudalogue, W. Webb, J. Samuel (Aug^r), J. Samuel (James F.), J. Samuel (P. H.) and Lurgan.

The Clerk to the Co Council was also in attendance

The under mentioned Chairman of certain R.D. Councils present signed their Resolutions on having their seats as County Councillors Messrs Thomas Forman, David Cole, J. W. Caudalogue.

Minutes

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed

County Council Committee of Agriculture

On the motion of Councillor Lurgan, seconded by Councillor W. Caudalogue Mr Wm Wickham, Co Surveyor, was appointed a member of Co Council Committee of Agriculture

Proposals for Payment

The proposals for payment, as reported on by the Finance Committee, in respect of Quarter ended 30th June 1915, were (without modification) ordered to be paid

a letter from Mr Hugh Dewry, Road Contractor, Buncrana, relative to a sum of £20, which he stated was "struck off" on foot of Contract No. 911, Dewry No. 2 Rural District, having been read, the County Surveyor stated that the amount referred to was "deferred" and not "struck off". Mr Dewry was directed to reply to Dewry to this effect.

a letter from Mr Peter McKean, Reiter, Killybegs, objecting to the sum of £14.6 being "struck off" on foot of Contract No. 37, Electric Rural District, having been read, the Co Surveyor stated that 17/6 represented the pre-estimated value of shortage in road metal

a letter from Mr John Roberts, Ballyannor Reiter, relative to the amount "struck off" on foot of Contract No. 1701, Ballyannor R.D. having been read the Co Surveyor (Mr. O'Mahony) stated that

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it was owing to a shortage in the amount that the money was "struck off"

a letter from Mr F. G. Alexander & Co.

Dublin Barrington, with reference to the sum of £20.12.0 "struck off" on foot of Contract No. 870, Dewry No. 2, R.D., Contractor: Bernard Magee of Tregle, having been read, and having heard the Contractor who was present, the County Surveyor stated that the Contractor had not the material for measurement at the prospective.

Treasurer's advice notes

Treasurer's advice notes numbered from 325 to 397 inclusive, and dated 24th June 1915, were submitted and duly signed.

Quarterly Meetings of County & R.D. Councils &c.

The Secretary submitted a list of dates for holding Quarterly and half yearly meetings of County and R.D. Councils, and proposed Committee, as fixed by him for the Year 1915-16. The dates were unanimously approved.

In this connection a letter from Mr Hugh Dewry No. 2 R.D. Council, appending copy of resolution passed by that Body requesting the Co Council to alter dates of half yearly meetings of the former Body from second Wednesday in May and November to first Wednesday, having been read, the Secretary stated that the dates were arranged to meet the wishes of the District Council

Report of Committee

The Report of the Finance Committee - meeting held 2nd June 1915, was adopted.

Main Roads

In accordance with notice of motion duly given and signed by 6 members, Councillor Boyle moved - That the Resolutions of the 2nd and 22nd February 1900, dealing with the cost of the maintenance of Main Roads be, and is hereby rescinded.

Councillor James F. Samuel seconded Councillors Clarke and Roberts supported the motion.

Councillor William Gallagher moved as an amendment a direct repudiation, Councillor Gallagher seconded

Clara Dewry No. 2 R.D. Council written to 11/15

Decided

The Chairman supported the amendment
A Vote was then taken
 For the motion - Councillors Boyle, Clarke, Cole, Roberts,
 Edw. Farrell, McConalogue,
 McNeill, O'Donnell (Hugh),
 O'Donnell (James), O'Donnell
 (J. H.) and Ringley - 11

Against - Councillors Dunlop, Wm. Farrell, Callaghan,
 Devine, Jacobson, Mr. J. J. Ryan,
 Rossy, Mitchell, W. Arthur - 9

The Chairman accordingly declared motion carried
 and amendment lost.

Suberculosis Dispensary at Rathfriland
 a letter from the Govt. to the Co. Council stating that
 the address of Road Southwell have at length
 written that they will give the 1/3rd part of
 the holding of the asylum Committee for a sum
 of £227.0.0 and that the yearly rent for the
 balance of the holding will be £7.10.0 and
 requesting that the matter be brought before
 the Co. Council so that they can determine whether
 Road Southwell's offer should be accepted having
 been read, consideration of the matter was adjourned
 until the Council are in a position of
 ascertaining definitely the amount of the
 Sanatorium grant they will receive.

Suberculosis Dispensary at Rathfriland
 The consideration of Plans of the proposed Tuberculosis
 Dispensary at Rathfriland workhouse, to be formed
 from portion of the Canal Ward (under Old West)
 also specification and estimate was also adjourned.

Revision of Valuation
 On the motion of Councillor Dunlop seconded by
 Councillor Wm. Farrell, it was unanimously resolved
 that the changes indicated in the Valuation Lists
 to be forwarded to the Valuation Office Dublin,
 are, in the opinion of this Council, necessary
 and should be made by the Commissioners of
 Valuation in the Valuation Books to be issued
 for Rating purposes on the 1st March 1916.

Holdings purchased by Co. Council from Irish Land
 a further letter, dated 5th June 1915, from the Local
 Government Board relative to the purchase
 by the Dougal Co. Council of two farms
 from the Irish Land Commission, was read
Establishing of a Telegraph Office

a sealed order, dated 4th June 1915, of the Local
 Govt. Board determining area of charge on which
 all expenses incurred, or which may be incurred
 by the Council of Milford Rural District in
 connection with the establishing of a Telegraph
 Office at Glenar, in the townland of Tirlydew,
 was read.

Obanua No. 2 R.D. School attendance Committee
 The undermentioned persons were appointed members
 of above-named Committee from the 1st Sept. 1915.
 Messrs Wm. Farrell, J. J. Castlefu, Daniel Cusally, Lifford,
 Rev. A. O'Neill J. J. Murrey, Rev. A. J. Reilly, Ballyhenon,
 Raphoe, and the Reverend Archdeacon Gold-Adam,
 Lifford.

Irrecoverable Rates
 a letter from Collector Dunne requesting the County
 Council to reconsider their decision refusing
 to refund the Rates on the lands of Mrs. Finny,
 Drumkeen, and Edward Kelly of Magheracrossan,
 which are sites lying waste, and no person
 will take them, having been read, consideration
 of the matter was adjourned.

Damage to Gas Main
 a letter, dated 3rd June 1915, from the Ocean Accident
 & Guarantee Corporation, Ltd. relative to a claim
 by Mr. Fred Miller, Ballyshannon for damage to
 Gas main in Streets of Ballyshannon, caused
 by one of the Councils Engineer on 20th March 1915.
 having been read, it was unanimously decided to
 deny all liability in the matter.

Contracts Nos. 559 and 549, Inshewen R.D.
 applications by Messrs Daniel Lynch, Ballyshannon, Lifford,
 and John Roberts of same address (Road Contractors)
 to be relieved of their contracts, having been considered,
 it was decided not to accede to their request.

Form filled up and
 returned to Board
 of National Education
 11/15

Withdrawn to
 17/15

Tenders for County Printing

A copy of a resolution passed by Westmeath Co. Council protesting against the action of the Dublin Corporation destroying competition for Public Contracts by refusing to accept tenders from Provincial Firms when the lowest, and handing their contracts to Dublin houses exclusively, was read.

Criminal Injury application

A letter from the K.O. to the County Council conveying the decision of the County Court Judge at Keshigo Sessions on Friday 11th June in connection with Criminal Injury application of Edw. M. Sweeney L. 50. Dunfanaghy Rural District - Compensation fixed at £25. to be levied off Creel and also see Castle Electoral Division. was read.

Condition of a Wall

Letters from Alfred Stubbs of Col. Phillipshamon relative to the bad condition of a wall running through the lands of Mr. W. H. O'Leary, Dooly, adjoining public road leading from Clonham to Mace having been read, and the County Surveyor stating that he was of opinion that the wall referred to was not County property, it was unanimously decided not to take any action in the matter.

Contract No. 54 Dunfanaghy R. D.

Copy of a resolution of Dunfanaghy R.D. Council requesting the Co. Council to break Contract No. 54 in Dunfanaghy R. D. in the name of James Shanley of Ballymystown, having been read, the County Council refused to break said contract until a fresh contract had been entered into.

Permission to erect a fence

An application by Mr. J. S. Bolton, Co. Council Office, Derry, for permission to erect a ditch or fence along the side of the County road, in front of the Masonic Hall in Inch Balin, having been considered, permission was granted, subject to the approval of Mr. O'Sullivan, County Surveyor.

Mr. O'Leary written to 11/15

Mr. A. M. Council written to 11/15

Mr. Bolton written to 11/15

Explosives act 1905

A Licence No. 34 under the above act, was granted to Charles Gallagher, Grimaltipin Lower, Dougal, Petty Sessions House at Arranmore, a letter from the Clerk Petty Sessions, Arranmore, stating that Mr. O'Sullivan, R.M. divided him to point out the absolute necessity of executing the following repairs in the Petty Sessions House at Arranmore. To patch ceiling where plaster has fallen off, to replace 5 broken panes, and put shutters on windows to protect same; also to furnish 4 chairs and an armchair, and to put in a new grate, and finally to lime wash both inside and outside, having been read, the matter was referred to the Board of Guardians - the owners of said premises.

Booigan & Steele Holdings

A letter from the Solicitor to the Co. Council enclosing copy extract from police reports on holdings at Rossmoy, purchased by Dougal Council from the Irish Land Commission, was read.

Sheep Dipping Bath

A letter from Mr. James S. Wray Sheep Dipping Inspector in Strabane No. 2 R. D. stating that the Bath he has is completely worn out and asking the Co. Council to supply him with a new one, having been read, his request was acceded to, and the Secretary was directed accordingly.

Children act 1905

A notice, dated 22nd June 1905, under above act and received from the C.D. O'Sullivan, was read.

Condition of a Co. road

Letter, dated 20th June 1905, from Mr. Philip O'Doherty Col. 11 East Wall Derry, sub-chief of the Ratepayers of Carradough and Bixhit who use the main road from Carradough to Derry, drawing attention to the bad state of said road for about 5 miles more or less, and asking the Co. Council to have said road put into

C. O. P. written to 11/15
Clerk of Union written to 11/15

Philip O'Doherty written to 20/6/05

a Satisfactory State of repair at once having been read Consideration of the matter was adjourned till next meeting, and the County Surveyor in the meantime was directed to prepare a report on the condition of roads complained of.

Appointment of Flagman

Mr O'Keefe County Surveyor reported that Mr Brennan flagman of No 9 Breaker left without any notice and he appointed Dan McFarley in his place.

The flagman of No 7 Breaker also left and he Mr O'Keefe appointed in his place James O'Sullivan a brother of the Green as these men are doing Satisfactorily

he (Mr O'Keefe) asked the Co Council to confirm these appointments, which request was granted

Permission to build a wall

an application by Mr Pat Foster, Brenchless, for permission to build about 2 perches of a wall opposite his house in the townland of Calhoun, having been considered, permission was granted, subject to the approval of Mr John Caffrey, Co. Surveyor.

Vinyl photograph act 1909

a Licence under above named act was granted to Mr C. Warren, The Cinema, Hamilton Hall, Dundoran.

Dr Edward Repair appointment

a letter dated 10th June 1915 from the R.F. Board advising to previous correspondence and stating that they have extended for a further period of six months their provisional approval of Dr Edward Repair's appointment as medical superintendent of the Tuberculosis Dispensary to be established by the Dougal Co. Council, &c, was read.

List of Proposals for works

The List of Proposals for works formulated by the various R.D. Councils, was then considered.

Mr. L. O'Keefe written to 17/15

Ballyhamon

No action was taken regarding Nos 119, 123, 126, 127, 128, 134, 141, Nos 121, 129, 130, 131 and 132, were placed in charge of the County Surveyor for 6 months. No. 136, was also placed in charge of the County Surveyor, No. 139, was rejected. Remaining Proposals on List were approved.

Dougal

No action was taken regarding Nos 3, 7, 8, 14, 15, 16, 23, 24, 25, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 40, 42, 43, 44, 46, Nos 12, 55, 56, 57, 58, 61, 62, 63, 64, 76, 77, 79, 83, 84 were placed in charge of the County Surveyor for 6 months. Nos 16, 19, 20, 25, were similarly dealt with for a period of 3 months. Remaining proposals on List were approved.

Burroughly

No action was taken regarding Nos 124, 129, 130, 133, 134, 136, 137, 138, 139, 141, 143. Nos 115, 117, 120, 121, 122, 123, 125, 126, 127, and 142, were placed in charge of the County Surveyor for 9 months. Nos 502 and 503 were also placed in charge of the County Surveyor. Remaining proposals on List were approved.

Before approving of No. 142, it was decided to cancel the former contract No. 142, approx 1913. Pat O'Sullivan Contractor

Glenties

No action was taken regarding Nos 861, 889, 905, 907, 908, 914, 922, 925, 928, 929, 938, 939, 945, 946, 947, 959, 961, 972, 977, 978, 980, 981, 989. Nos 891, 919, 927, 953, were placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor for a period of 12 months. Nos 864, 868, 873, 876, 884, 887, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 899, 900, 913, 917, 920, 921, 936, 937, 943, 949, 952, 953, 963, 964, 966, 967, 974, 976, 979, were placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor for 6 months for repairing and painting the five arched

Bridge was then taken into consideration, and in this connection Copy of a letter, dated 7th June 1915, addressed by the R.F. Board to the Glenties R.D. Council was read. On the motion of Councillor P. O'Sullivan it was decided not to finally consider the matter until after the next Quarterly meeting of Glenties R.D. Council as it was anticipated that in the meantime some arrangement might be come to between

Christy O'Keefe R.D. Council written to 17/15

The C.D. Road and Quarter R.D. Council with a view to a grant towards the repair of the said structure being received from the former body Remaining proposals on List were approved.

Maintenance Works

Quirkhewen

No action was taken regarding Nos 1470, 1473, 1474, 1476, 1480, 1481, 1482, 1485, 1486, 1494, 1503, 1508, 1520, 1511, 1512, 1513, 1543, 1544, 1548, 1552, 1563, 1571, 1575, 1580, 1584, 1586, Nos 1471, 1477, 1483, 1487, 1492, 1495, 1496, 1499, 1506, 1507, 1531, 1538, 1540, 1547, 1561, 1565, 1566, 1567, 1570, were placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor for 9 months. Remaining proposals on List were approved.

No. Special and miscellaneous

10-1-75

Mr. O'Headman, County Surveyor, reported as follows:

Gentlemen

"With regards to Quirkhewen District although I pointed out at the District meeting the money available, nevertheless, works were passed by the District Council causing the Limit of Expenditure to be exceeded. I am therefore compelled by Section 15, Sub-Section 4 of the Procedure Order to certify that unless the works from page 27 to 41, inc, are rejected that the money available will not be sufficient to maintain the roads in the District.

The maintenance of the existing roads is the first charge on the Limit of Expenditure before any new works can be entertained.

J. O'Headman M.A.I.
Co. Surveyor
21.6.75

The consideration of the list was then proceeded with Nos 1596, 1609, 1618, 1626, 1627, 1671, being very necessary works were approved, and 180 remaining numbers on list were rejected.

Letterkenny

No action was taken re Nos 398, 399, 400, 402, 429, 430, 431, 437, 439, 460, 461, 466, 1083, 1084 and 1094. Nos 395, 405, 406, 408, 409, 419, 420, 422, 423, 426, 434, 436, 440, 441, 442, 446, 450, 452, 455, 462, were placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor for 9 months. Nos 467 and 443 were similarly dealt with for a period of 12 months.

Nos 1076, 1078, and 1079, ^{1082 A, 1082a, 1085} were also placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor

No. 1086, was rejected. Remaining proposals on List were approved Randawberry No 2

No action was taken regarding Nos 78, 74, 77, 78, 79, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 94, 95, 97, 99, 100, 102, 104, 107, 121, Nos 59, 60, 61, 63, 70, 71, 72, 86, 89, 91, 106, 108, were placed in charge of the County Surveyor for 9 months. Nos 112, 114 and 115, were also placed in charge of the County Surveyor. Remaining Proposals on List were approved. No (being a provisional proposal) was approved.

Bilford

No action was taken re numbers 91, 93, 95, 124, 129, 130, 155, 158, 173, 184, 187, 190, 191, 193, Nos 97, 98, 99, 100, 103, 105, 106, 107, 116, 117, 122, 123, 124, 125, 134, 135, 136, were placed in charge of the County Surveyor for 9 months. Nos 147, 171, 175, 176, 178, 179, 183, 196, 197, and 204, were also placed in charge of the County Surveyor. Nos 165, 168, 169, were rejected.

With reference to No 204, for building a Dod and Stone fence in Keshland of No. 204 the Co. Surveyor stated that one of the occupiers whose land runs along the road where it is proposed to build the fence objects to said fence being erected, but that he (Mr. O'Headman) was of opinion an arrangement could be come to, if not, the erection of the fence would not be proceeded with.

Orabane No 2

No action was taken regarding Nos 922, 954, and 966, Nos 926, 927, 936, 937, 940, 941, 942, 943, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, were placed in charge of the County Surveyor for 9 months. Nos 952, 964, 967, & 968 were also placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor. Remaining proposals on List were approved.

Shanahilly

No action was taken regarding Nos 490, 494, 501, 503, 545, 546, Nos 489, 492, 493, 495, 496, 497, 500, 502, 504, 505, 506, 509, 528, 530, 530 A, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536.

539, 540, 543, 544, 547, 548, 550, 551, 552, 554, 558, 559, 560, 562, 563, 565, 566, 567, 569, were placed in charge of the Co Surveyor for 9 months.

No. being a provision and proposal was adjourned

With reference to No. 550, for repairing the old existing pipe in the townland of Keshaw, opposite where James Maxwell lived, on Patrick Harold's Contract road from Killygordan to Strabane. Mr. John Elliott, Esq. Strabane appeared before the Council on behalf of a Mr. Blair in opposition to the proposal being approved and pointed out that the repairing of the pipe in question would result in the water flowing through a tunnel flowing over a field of Mr. Devine.

Mr. Devine, Esq. Strabane, appeared before the Council on behalf of a Mr. Devine and stated that he was advised that when rain came Mr. Devine's Street got flooded and if the pipe referred to were repaired the flooding would not take place.

Councillor Dunlop moved that the proposal be rejected. Councillor Clarke seconded. Councillor Carraghan moved as an amendment that the proposal be approved. Councillor Foran (Jacob) seconded.

A Vote was then taken
 For the motion - Councillors Dunlop, Clarke, Bell, Roberts, Lowry, Marthor, W. Conalogue, O'Donnell (A.P.) and O'Donnell P.H. - 9
 Against - Councillors W. Freely, Boyle, Carraghan, Devine, Jacob Foran, Mr. Foran, Mitchell, McNeill, & O'Donnell (Hugh) - 9.

The Voting being equal the Chairman gave his Casting Vote in favor of the motion, and declared it passed.

The proposal was accordingly rejected.

Dealing of Roads

It was resolved that the Deal of the Co. Council be be affixed to all Roads in connection with proposals approved at this meeting.

Road Prosecution

* Mr. Caffrey Co. Surveyor, reported that certain road contractors were neglecting their Contracts and being unable to make anything of them he recommended that the 5th Section of 6 and 7 W.C. 1110 be put into operation against them. The Report, with names of Contractors appended, was approved and signed by the Chairman.

Approved,
 W. Gallagher, Chairman,
 24th August 1915.

Copy minutes sent to the City of Roskilde, day of August 1915.

Robt Co Council
to Roskilde
23/9/15 and
to each member
of the Council
24/9/15.

Attendance
The members present were:
Councillors William J. O'Connell, (Chairman) Boyle, O'Connell,
Clark, Cahoon, Doberty, Mitchell, W. Arthur, W.
Fadden, W. J. McFinn, Pat. J. McNeill, James
F. O'Donnell, Pat. H. O'Donnell.

The Col. to the Co. Council was also in attendance

Minutes
The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Proposals for Payment
The Proposals for Payment, as reported on by the Finance Committee, in respect of Quarters ended 30th June 1915, were (without modification) ordered to be paid.

Proposals for Works
The Proposals for Works formulated by the Proposal Committee, were approved.

Bank Books
The Bank Books in connection with the County Accounts were submitted and signed by the Chairman.

Erection of Urinals
In accordance with notice of motion duly given, Councillor Doberty moved that the Roskilde Urban District Council be granted permission to erect two Urinals - one in North and one in South Side of Waste Yard of the rear of Roskilde Courthouse - for the public convenience.

Councillor W. J. O'Connell seconded and the matter was unanimously agreed to. The Council however pointed out that the permission of the H. J. Sheriff for the County should also be obtained.

Supply of Water at Fosse
A Sealed Order, dated 24th June 1915, of the R. J. Board determining area of Charge in connection with a supply of Water at Fosse, was read.

Auditors Report
The Auditor's Report on County Councils a/c in respect of half Year ended 31st March 1915, was read.

Weeds and Agricultural Dead Act 1909
A letter from the Department of Agriculture, requesting the Roskilde Co. Council to be good enough to assist the Department in the administration of above Act

Copy Roskilde & O'Connell written to 24/9/15

act by taking the necessary steps to ensure that all roads and lands in the Control of the Council shall be kept cleared of noxious Weeds throughout the present season, having been read, no action was taken.

Llewelarra Bridge
Letters, dated 7th, 23rd, and 31st July 1915, from the Local Gov. Board relative to the maintenance of Llewelarra bridge in the Glebe Rural District; also a Sealed Order, dated 11th August 1915, of the Local Government Board, extending 100 limit of expenditure on roads in said Rural District by a sum of £200, in respect of the current financial year; and a letter from the Local Government Board on the subject, having been read, Councillor P. H. O'Donnell moved, that owing to the poverty that exists in the Glebe Rural District we consider that the present is not an opportune time for exceeding the limit of expenditure on roads for the repairs of Llewelarra Bridges and that this should be discussed at their half yearly meeting in November 1915.

Councillor McNeill seconded, and the matter was unanimously agreed to.

Works not tendered for
A letter, dated 8th July 1915, from the Local Gov. Board referring to the entry in the minutes of proceedings of the Roskilde Co. Council on the 8th inst. relative to the recommendations made by the Auditor in his report for the half Year ended the 30th Sept 1914, with regard to the advertisement by the County Council of Contracts for which no tenders have been received by the Rural District Council, and stating that they are not possessed of powers which would enable them to vary the provisions of article 24 (1) of the Procedure of Council's Order 1899, was read.

Re Repairing an old Roadway
A letter, dated 12th July 1915, from the Estates Commissioners, Irish Land Commission, enclosing copy of letter dated 30th Nov. 1914, which was issued to the Rev.

Copy resolution sent to R. J. Board 24/9/15

Rev. to W. Duggan, C.C. Kelly Jordan, in connection with a free grant of £50. as a contribution towards repairing the old roadway which traverses the townland of Ruskykie & Owenagadragh, provided, certain conditions be fulfilled, was read.

Treatment of Tuberculosis - Encheques Grant

Letter, dated 21st July 1915, from the Local Gov. Board advising to the Return of estimated expenditure of the Douglas Co. Council on the treatment of tuberculosis for the half-year ended 30th Sept. 1915, and stating that they have given directions for the issue of a paying order for £44. from the Encheques Grant in respect of the half-year in question, was read.

Motor Car Licence Duties

a letter, dated 23rd July 1915 from the Local Gov. Board, forwarding copy of the Certified Statement received from the Postmaster General showing the value of the motor car licence duties levied during the year ended the 31st March 1915, by each County & County Borough Council in Ireland was also read.

Sale of Food and Drugs acts

a letter, dated 26th July 1915 from the Local Gov. Boards on the subject of the Sale of Food and Drugs acts, was read.

Maintenance of Main Roads

a letter, dated 29th July 1915, from the Local Government Board on the subject of the resolution of the Douglas Co. Council proposing to rescind their former Resolutions of the 21st and 22nd February 1910, dealing with the cost of the maintenance of main roads, and enclosing a copy of the Board's Order of the 17th February 1909, prescribing the procedure to be carried out, and also enclosing a form of Queries showing the particulars required to be furnished to the Board in connection with declarations by County Councils with respect to main roads, having been read, Councillor Boyle proposed that the County Council be directed to submit a Report for

Co. Councils written to P.D. 1915 to prepare reports

Consideration of the Council embodying therein all roads in the County they consider should be main roads, and that we hereby adopt the procedure laid down in Local Gov. Board Order of the 17th Feb. 1909.

1909. Co. Councils reports to be considered at half-yearly meeting of Co. Council to be held on 14th Dec. 1915. Councillor Jas. F. O'Sullivan proposed, and the matter was unanimously agreed to.

Holdings purchased from the Irish

Land Commission

a letter, dated 8th June 1915 from the Local Government Board relative to the purchase by the Douglas County Council of two farms from the Irish Land Commission, and stating that they are advised that a County Council have no power to purchase land except for some purpose authorised by Law, as under Section 10 of the Road (Ireland) Act 1898 for the purpose of any of their powers and duties, or under Section 10 of the Land Act of 1909 for the purposes referred to in that Section, also that the Board are not aware of any Statutory provisions of legal authority that would enable a County Council to acquire and work farms from the Land Commission so as to recoup themselves for the loss caused by the default of tenants in the payment of their purchase annuities, was read.

In this connection letters from the former occupiers of the two holdings submitting certain offers, with a view to their being restored to possession, having been read, it was decided, after some discussion, to leave the matter in the hands of the Solicitor to the Co. Council and Clerk.

Bundoran Urban District Adjustments

a letter, dated 5th August 1915, from the Local Government Board relative to the adjustments of property consequent upon the Constitution of Bundoran Urban District, and the proposal of the Bundoran Urban District Council and the Ballyshannon R.D. Council to appoint an arbitrator to carry

out such adjustments and stating that the participation of the Naugatog Co. Council is not essential so far as the adjustment of such balances is concerned, inasmuch as they can be dealt with by the auditor, if however, there is proposed to be any exemption of the Urban District from bearing its full valuation share of all or any County at large charges it would be well that the County Council should take part so that the order of adjustment may also embrace any provisions necessary for the settlement of financial relations under Section 71 of the Local Govt. (Ireland) Act 1898 having been read, the Secretary stated that in his reply to the Local Govt. Board he pointed out that it was not proposed that there be any exemption of the Urban District from bearing its full valuation share of all or any County at large charges. The Secretary's action was approved.

Tuberculosis Prevention (Ireland) Act 1905
Part II.

a letter, dated 13th July 1915, from the Local Govt. Board transmitting copy of a Form of abstract of accounts which the Board have prepared for the use of the Tuberculosis Committee of management appointed in pursuance of part II of above Act, was read.

Bond of Collector O'Donnell

The Parents Bond of Collector Wm O'Donnell was signed and the Seal of the Council ordered to be affixed thereto.

Assistant County Surveyor Returns of Private Works

Returns of private works which certain Assistant County Surveyors have on hand were submitted and read.

In this connection a letter from Mr. Ancher O'Connell Assistant County Surveyor, referring to the regulations adopted by the County Council under which Assistant Surveyors are prohibited from accepting private work and pointing out that he is an existing officer under the Local Govt. Act 1898 and that under his appointment by the Board he was permitted to do private work and requesting to be exempt from accepting such work having been read, it was unanimously resolved on the motion of Councillor Roberts, seconded by Councillor Colohan that he be exempted from the clause referred to and that Mr. Ancher O'Connell who is also an existing officer - be exempted also

Mr. Ancher O'Connell & Mr. Ancher O'Connell
written to 21/9/15

Criminal Injury application

a letter from the Solr. to the Co. Council stating that with reference to the Criminal Injury application of Patrick Roan for £45. the County Court Judge found Malin and fixed the compensation at £22. to be levied off the Electoral Division of Killygordon, was read

Case Magrath v the County Council

a letter from the Solicitor to the Co. Council stating that in the above case - (accident at Rathmullen Pier) the County Court Judge held that the County Council were not liable and dismissed the case on the merits, was read.

Application for permission to use

a letter from Mr. David May Rowings, requesting the County Council to allow a Motor Lorry to be used to carry fish from Rowings to Greenlough or L. L. Rowings (Weight of Lorry 2 1/2 tons), having been read, the matter was referred to Mr. Staddon, Co. Surveyor, who stated that the roads would not bear the heavy traffic. It was decided not to grant the permission sought for.

Mr. May written to 21/9/15

a letter from Mr. Sam McDevitt, Ballyeast, Keweenaw, requesting permission to let the end of a shed, which he is about to erect, slightly protrude over the parapet of a bridge in the townland of Ballyeast, having been considered, the matter was placed in the hands of the County Surveyor to deal with.

Mr. McDevitt written to 21/9/15

Armagh Petty Sessions House

a letter from the Clerk Greater Board of Guardians re repairs required to the Petty Sessions House at Armagh, and stating that the Guardians have decided to get the Roads Guardians to visit and report thereon to them, was read.

Condition of Co. roads

a letter from Messrs Francis Kennedy (Ardagh) and John McEwan (Meehan) District Councillors, relative to the condition of two County roads. One between the meeting at Keelogs, and the Contant road at Acton, and the other, a continuation, from the Contant road

Mr. McEwan Kennedy written to 21/9/15

roads at aches to the 5-foot arch at maenabradan having been read the matter was referred to Mr. John Caffrey, Co. Surveyor for his attention

Cutting of Hedges

letter from - Francis Holan, Fort Stewart, Letterkenny, drawing attention to the very high hedges near a very bad crossroads close to Portadown was read

Keeper for Pound at Stranorlar

a letter from the G. P. O. Stranorlar, stating that a Pound Keeper had been appointed at Stranorlar and that he had signed the agreement prepared by the Gov. to the Co. Council was read

Permission to erect a line of telegraph

a letter from the Superintendent Engineer, Post Office Telegraphs, stating that the Postmaster General, acting on a requisition received from the Admiralty, is about to erect a line of telegraph under the powers conferred upon him by the Defence of the Realm Act between Buncrana and Coeshie on the Carndaraugh road.

having been read, permission was granted subject to the approval of Mr. O'Meara, County Surveyor.

Condition of certain Co. Roads

a letter signed by certain ratepayers residing in Derrybegney, Derrybegney Rural District drawing the Council's attention to the bad state of the roads in Derrybegney, especially the three roads at Aughaweel, Greenhill and Green road, having been read, the County Surveyor stated that he had got two of the roads repaired and that the Contractor for the third road was going to be prosecuted for neglecting his contract.

Contract No. 549, Derrybegney R. D.

letter from Mr. John Sobety, Road Contractor, Ballyamoon, Rinefort, relative to a Contract, No. 549, Derrybegney R. D. which he desired to be rescinded by the County Council, having been read, the Secretary pointed out that the Council had the matter before them for consideration at a meeting held on 24th June

June

John Sobety
written to
2/9/15

June 1915. when it was decided not to rescind said Contract

Sheep Dipping Bath

a letter from the Douglas Brothers Ltd. stating that they are unable to supply Sheep Dipping Bath as they have no stock of Otahisway Bath and they are unable to obtain further supplies from makers while the war is on, was read.

Court Orier

Letters from His Honor Judge Cook, stating that his Court Orier, Thomas Parker, had ceased to be so who had rejoined the army and that he had nominated and appointed Mr. James Franklin of Glenties, Fahan, Court Orier for the County Court of Donegal, as and from 1st July 1915. were read

Conscription

Copies of Resolutions against Conscription were marked "read"

Claim by Harbour Master at Buncrana

a claim for £50. by the Harbour Master at Buncrana Pier in lieu of Commission on Harbour Dues for year ended 5th August 1915. having been considered the Council unanimously decided that they could not entertain the claim.

The Secretary was, however, directed to write the Secretary to the Admiralty on the matter -

Children Act 1908

Notices under above act received from the Clerks of Petty Sessions at Douglas and Stranorlar were read.

Uniform Cap for Harbour Master at Rathmullan

a letter from the Harbour Master at Rathmullan Pier making application for a Uniform Coat and a Cap, having been read it was decided to supply him with a cap only and Mr. O'Meara, Co. Surveyor, was directed to procure a Uniform Cap and have it sent to Mr. Ward Harbourmaster.

Laputa Quarry, Ballyamoon Rural District

In connection with the purchase of above Quarry the deal of the Col. Council was ordered to be applied to the Rathmullan Quarry Farm read from the Gov. to the Co. Council

Harbour Master
written to
2/9/15

John Sobety
written to
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Re Erection of a Railing

a letter from Maxwell J. Boyle, Beauty Lodge, Roscommon. Calling the attention of the County Council to the dangerous cliff at the rear of his house, and suggesting that a railing be erected for the protection of the public, was read.

Limit of Road Expenditure Discharged Rural District

Copy of a resolution passed by Discharged Rural District Council requesting the Co. Council to ask the Local Government Board to allow the Limit of expenditure on roads in Discharged Rural District to be increased by £250 - for the current financial year was on the Motion of Councillor Wm Doberty seconded by Councillor William Gallagher, unanimously adopted.

National Registration Act 1915

Copy of a resolution passed by Kerry Co. Rural District Council, requesting the Roscom Co. Council to apply the provisions of the above named act in that County, having been read, Councillor Doberty moved that no action be taken, Councillor Boyle seconded, and the matter was agreed to.

Explosives Act 1875

Licences under the Explosives Act 1875 were granted to Messrs O'Sullivan, Day, Wm St. Raphael - No. 1777

W. J. Buchanan, Drogheda, Fenta, No. 178

A Store Licence, No. 35, under said act was also granted to W. M. J. O'Hara, Drogheda, C.D.S., Fenta.

Tables of Interest on Local Loans

Circular letter dated 20th August 1915 from the Local Government Board transmitting a copy of a further notice which has been issued by the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury in pursuance of the Public Works Loans Act 1897 (60 & 61 Vict. c. 51) was read.

re Defaulting Contractors

W. O'Sullivan, County Surveyor, reported a number of Contractors who were neglecting their contracts and being unable to make anything further of

J. J. Boyle written to 2/9/15

Chas R. O. Council written to 2/9/15

of them he recommended that same be presented at Quarter Sessions. The Report, with names of Contractors appended, was approved and signed by the Chairman.

Reports of Committees

The Reports of the following Committees were adopted
Finance Committee - meetings held 22nd June, 7th, 20th, & 30th July and 6th August, and 16th August 1915.

Proposal Committee - Report of meeting held 6th August 1915.

Special Committee

Councillor O'Sullivan proposed that the Report of the Pub. Committee appended for the purpose of considering applications for increase of Salaries by (1) Members of the Office Staff (2) Mr. John Caffrey, Co. Surveyor, and (3) Certain Drivers of Steam Rollers and Steam Tractors and Flagmen - meeting held 6th August 1915. Be not adopted and that the consideration of the applications be postponed for 12 months. Councillor McFie seconded and the matter was agreed to.

Finger Posts

Councillor Blake drew the Council's attention to a very reprehensible practice which was prevalent at Rosbeg, namely, the destruction of Finger posts which were erected on the roads there. He understood the Automobile Association had offered a reward of £2. to anyone giving information that would lead to the conviction of offenders, and he was of opinion it would be to the advantage of the Co. Council to offer a further reward of £5. The Council decided they had no power to spend public money in that way.

Weight of Motor Bus used on Muff & Merville Roads.

W. O'Sullivan, Co. Surveyor, reported as follows:-

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With regards to the Muff - Merville Road the heavy Motor Bus of Messrs Roberts is running three times weekly which is contrary to the terms of a agreement entered into with the County Council. During the last three weeks the driving has been done

done with better judgment than formerly, the traffic being spread over a greater extent of the road surface.

Messrs Watt also have on a heavy motor Van on this road and it also uses several other County roads.

Some lorries drawn by two horses carrying mineral water also use this road as well as several other roads. The narrow iron shoe tyres (owing to the heavy loads carried) make these lorries very severe upon County roads.

Very few roads in the County are constructed to carry traffic of the above nature and it is very unfair to the rate payers who have to maintain them.

The Clerk to the Council was instructed to write Messrs Roberts directing their attention to the terms of their agreement with the County Council and pointing out that the terms are not adhered to; also that the motor Bus they are using on the Muff-Moyle Road is excessive in weight and that if they do not comply with the terms of the agreement with the Congreg Co. Council proceedings will be instituted against them.

The Clerk to the Council was also instructed to communicate with Messrs Watt directing their attention to the use of a heavy motor Van on the Muff-Moyle road and also on several other roads in Co. Downgal.

Fartan Soapstone Mines

Mr. O'Sullivan County Surveyor, also reported as follows:

Gentlemen

Some time ago the Company working the fartan Soapstone Mines sought permission from the Council to use a traction engine on the roads between their mines & Churchville Station. I pointed out at the time that the road they proposed to use would never stand traffic of this nature and the Council declined to accede to the Company's request.

The Clerk to the Council writes to Messrs Watt on 4/9/10

The Clerk to the Council writes to Messrs Watt on 4/9/10

Later the matter came before the Council and at my suggestion a letter was written by the Secretary intimating that their manager and I should have an interview. The idea being to see if the Company would take over the roads at present contract rates and be responsible for their upkeep finding the necessary extra capital to make good the damage their traffic was bound to do to the roads.

I am not aware that any reply was received to this offer & meeting me with a view to an arrangement being arrived at on some such basis as the above.

The Company simply put on their engine and went ahead destroying the roads without any attempt to aid in their repair and if they are not stopped it will only be a matter of a short time when they will be bogged themselves, which would be all right, were it not for the fact that all ordinary users are being landed into a worse plight daily.

The Clerk to the Council was directed to communicate with the Company on the matter.

Purchase of the Reeves Estate

Proposed by Councillor James F. O'Donnell, Recorded by Councillor John E. Boyle, and unanimously resolved. That owing to the fact that the Reeves Estate, which is still unpurchased, is the poorest and most congested in the County, that after the passing of the Land Act of 1909, now over six years ago, the Congreg District Board were asked to purchase the Estate; that it was surveyed and valued a considerable time ago, and the Congreg District Board were about to make an offer for it to the Marquis of Conyngham when the War commenced. That the Marquis has disposed of all his other Estates in this County; that after comparing the Reeves property with the Glenties Estate, and the number of acres purchased which the Congreg District Board paid the Marquis for Glenties, we are sure that actual

purchase

Copy resolution sent to the C. D. Board 4/9/10

purchase, irrespective of improvements on the Estate, would be a matter of much consequence to the individual tenant, and an annual cash saving of over £1,000- to the tenants and we appeal to the Congested Districts Board to make their offer to the Landlord, and proceed without further delay with the actual purchase, even if they have not the necessary funds to carry out improvements on the estate for a few years.

Randawerry & Congdowilly Railway Valuations
 a letter dated 10th July 1915, from the D.C. to the County Council, relative to the appeal of the R. Derry and Congdowilly Railway Company and the Board of Works regarding Valuations put on the Company's Railway property, was read.

On the motion of Councillor Doherty, seconded by Councillor Caccaghnan it was unanimously resolved that in the event of a further appeal Mr. Wilson, Esq. Strabane, be directed to appear on behalf of the Co. Council.

Copy of a resolution passed by the members of the Glencolumbkille and Carrick Irish National Teachers Association requesting the County Council to pass a resolution demanding the reinstatement of Mr. Moxfield who has been unjustly dismissed by the National Board; also copy of a resolution on same subject passed by Derry City & Counties Teachers Association, having been read, the Secretary was directed to write above Associations and state that the Donegal Co. Council will adopt any resolution the Associations submit to them on above subject.

Confirmed,
 W. J. Gallagher Chairman,
 19th Oct. 1915

a Special Meeting was held on the 19th day of October 1915.

Attendance

The members present were:-
 Councillors Wm. Flood, (Chairman) Caccaghnan, Davidson, Devlin, Doherty, Edw. Flood, Jacob, J. J. O'Connell, Hanna, Lowry, Mr. Arthur, Mr. Devitt, Mr. Fadden, members O'Donnell (Nephew) and O'Donnell, (P. M.)

Minutes

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed
Reports of Committees

The Reports of the undermentioned Committees were unanimously adopted:

- Proposals — meeting held 24th August, 1915.
- Scholarships — " " 7th Sept. 1915
- Finance — meeting held 25th August 8th and 20th Sept. 1915.

The Consideration of a Notice of Motion signed by six members of the Council. That the resolution of the County Council passed at a meeting held on the 24th day of August 1915, rejecting and postponing the consideration of the Report of the Sub-Committee of the Council of the 6th August 1915, on the question of the Salaries of the Officers be rescinded, and that the said Report of the Sub-Committee be adopted was on the motion of Councillor Hanna, seconded by Councillor Doherty adjourned to next meeting when it was hoped the Chairman would be present.

Tuberculosis Act 1908

The Consideration of a Report of Dr. Regan, Medical Tuberculosis Officer, to the effect that Ballyshannon Union has put part I of the Tuberculosis Act 1908 into operation, as the result of which he has received a list of all the Tubercular Cases in the Union, the greater number of which he has already seen or visited, and as he is unable to keep in touch with them he respectfully asks the County Council to appoint a nurse to look after them and their households, or five a grant to Ballyshannon District Nurse for her services, was also deferred.

— till

the next meeting for the attendance of the Chairman
Scheme for Sanatorium Benefit

a Recommendation by the Insurance Committee for
County Donegal - That the Co. Council prepare a
new Scheme for Sanatorium Benefit, based on
the amount of the Capital Grant now available,
and suggesting that the Joint Committee of the
County Council and the Insurance Committee that
prepared the previous Scheme now proceed
to submit a fresh Scheme to the County
Council for approval, was unanimously
adopted, and the matter referred to the Joint
Committee above mentioned to formulate another
Scheme.

a Recommendation of the Insurance Committee
for County Donegal. That the Co. Council provide
a Stipend for a patient sent by the Committee
to Desmond Sanatorium when he returns
home, was unanimously adopted on the motion
of Councillor Hanna seconded by Councillor
Doherty.

County Donegal Joint Technical Instruction Committee
Councillor Devine was appointed a member
of above Committee in room of the late Mr.
George Magee.

a letter from the War Office with reference to the
Circular letter, dated 16th April 1915 entitled
"organization of Labour", which was issued
by the Local Government Board Dublin to
Local authorities in Ireland, and requesting
to be informed to what extent it has been
possible to release eligible men from the County
Council employment was read.

Bundoran Urban District - Adjustments
a letter from the Local Government Board, dated
referring to previous correspondence relative to the
adjustments consequent upon the Constitution of
Bundoran Urban District, and stating that having
regards to the terms of article 6 of the Board's
Order

Mr. Devine and
Reply to Committee
written to
28.12.1915

order of the 21st November 1914, constituting the town
an Urban District, it may perhaps be unnecessary
to include the County Council within the scope
of the adjustment proceedings, and the Urban
District Council have been informed accordingly, was
read.

Limit of Road Expenditure - Dushowen R. D.

Letters from the Local Government Board, on the
subject of the application of the Donegal
County Council for an extension of the limit of
expenditure on roads in the Dushowen Rural
District; also copy of a Deed order, dated 4th
October 1915, of the Board consenting to an
extension of the limit of expenditure for the
Year ending 31st March 1916, was read.

Sale of Food and Drugs acts

a letter, dated 20th Sept. 1915, from the Department
of Agriculture, &c. relative to samples of Butter
purchased by an officer of the Department
under the Sale of Food and Drugs acts, which
were duly submitted to the Public Analyst for
Co. Donegal, who certifies that they proved to
be genuine, was read.

Food and Drugs Prosecution

Letters from the Department of Agriculture relative
to proceedings in respect of a sample of
Butter purchased by an officer of the Department
at Donegal Butter market on the 20th inst. from
Michael Quinn, Tullyraghena, Donegal, having been
read the Secretary stated that the case was
in the hands of the Sol. to the County Council.

Rate for Agriculture and Technical
Instruction purposes

Copy of a resolution passed by Co. Donegal Committee
of Agriculture requesting the County Council to levy
a rate of one penny in the £ for agricultural
and Technical Instruction purposes during the
Financial Year ending 31st March 1917, having been
read, it was unanimously resolved, on the motion
of Councillor McArthur, seconded by Councillor
Carraghan, to accede to the request.

Mr. Atkinson Co. Surveyor
C. O. R. Dushowen R. D. Council
written to 28.12.1915

Reply to Committee
written to 22.9.1915

Maintenance of Live Stock (Ireland) order of 1915
A copy of the maintenance of Live Stock (Ireland) order of 1915, made by the Department of Agriculture, &c, was read.

Motor Car act 1903

A circular letter, dated 20th Sept. 1915, from the Local Government Board stating for the information of the Dougal Co. Council that by the Expunging Laws Continuance Act 1915, which received the Royal assent on the 29th July last, the motor car act, 1903, was continued until the 31st Decr. 1916. was read.

Shilburne St. R.D. School attendance Committee

A letter, dated 6th Sept. 1915, from the Secretary's Office of National Education, Dublin, appending names of members of above Committee, to act for a period of 3 years from the 30th Sept. 1915, was read.

Schedules of Uncollected Rates

Schedules of uncollected Rates furnished by the Rate Collectors for the period ended 30th Sept. 1915, were submitted and the recommendations of the Co. Council with regard to each item are set out in the Returns in the columns assigned for the purpose.

A Demand by Collector Daniel Gallagher for the moiety of Rates, together with arrears, amounting to £11.11.9 on two farms purchased by the Co. Council from the Land Commission, having been considered, it was decided to pay the amount, subject to the approval of the Local Government Board.

Refund of Rates

An application by Collector Peter O'Donnell for a refund of Rates on a holding in his Collection District was not considered, the Secretary having stated that the Collector issued a Process and that the Rates had been paid by the agent on behalf of the Landlord.

Reply to Committee written to 11th Sept. 1915

Re Hire of Steam Rolling Plant.

A letter from the Town Clerk, Bundoran, stating that the Urban District Council desired to be informed whether the Dougal Co. Council would be willing to hire out the services of the County Steam Road Roller, when operating in the town of Bundoran, and if so, on what conditions? Having been read, the Council decided they could not do so.

County Council Scholarships

A letter from Mr. Michael O'Byrne, Kesh, on the subject of the allocation of the Dougal Co. Council Scholarships, a daughter of his being an applicant for one, having been read, the Secretary was directed to state in reply that the Scholarships were awarded according to the Scheme and previous Rules drawn up by the Scholarships Committee and adopted by the Co. Council.

Sheep Dipping Inspector Certificate R. D.

A notification of the death of Mr. James O'Donnell, Sheep Dipping Inspector, Certificate R. D., was read. The Secretary stated that he would Mr. James O'Donnell, Junr. a son of the decd., to carry on the inspection of the Sheep Dipping in said Rural District until the expiration of the prescribed Dipping period in the current year at the rate of £0.2. per week, inclusive of all expenses. His action in the matter was approved of.

Sale of Food and Drugs Act

Applications by certain Inspectors under above Act for the following articles:

- 1 Seal to mark Samples
- 1 Hand Bag to carry material for taking Samples, and
- a Supply of bottles suitable for containing Drugs, and referring

the Council to the 4th paragraph of Circular from the Local Government Board, dated 26th July 1915 No. 65/116/1915, miscellaneous, having been considered it was unanimously

Resolved

County Inspector and Food & Drugs Inspector of Dougal & Ballyshannon to 23rd Oct. 1915

Town Clerk Bundoran written to 22nd Oct. 1915

resolved that the Co. Inspector be authorised to invite quotations for the supply of the articles above mentioned to each Inspector of Food and Drugs in the County and to accept the lowest quotation and subsequently to send the quotations and account for articles purchased to the Dist. Co. Council

Annual Meeting of Dist. Co. Council General Council
a letter from the Secretary Dist. Co. Council's General Council stating that the annual meeting of that body will be held on Friday 10th Decr. 1915, at the office of the Dublin Co. Council, 11 Rutland Square, and that notice of any questions that the Dougal Co. Council may desire to have discussed at the meeting should reach him on or before Thursday 25th Novr. having been read the Secretary was directed to transmit to him copy of the Resolution adopted by the Finance Committee, re Salaries of Public Officials

Defaulters under the Land Purchase Act
a letter from the Secretary Dist. Co. Council's General Council forwarding for the information of the Dougal Co. Council copy of letter received from the Secretary Dist. Lands Commission in response to representations made to the Commission by the General Council on the subject of the withholding from the Co. Councils of the identity of defaulters under the Land Purchase Act in respect of the arrears of whose annuities deductions are made from the Grants in aid of Road Taxation, was read

Nuisance on County Property at Killybegs
a letter from the Clerk Electors R.D. Council enclosing a report received from the Medical Officer of Health at Killybegs relative to a nuisance on County Property (Killybegs Quay) there having been read, the County Surveyor stated that the matter had been attended to

Children Act 1908
Notices, dated 30th Aug, 5th Sept, and 2nd Oct, 1915, from the Clerks of Petty Sessions at Moyille, and

Copy Resolution transmitted 11/11/15

Copy R.D. Council to follow to 23rd Oct 1915

and Letter Kenny, were read
County Analyst's Report
a Report of the County Analyst under Food and Drugs Acts in respect of Quarter ended 30th Sept. 1915, was read.

Permission to build an addition to a House
an application by Mr. Thomas Fisher, Ardara, for permission to build an addition to his house near the diamond of Ardara, having been considered permission was granted, subject to the approval of Mr. John Caffrey County Surveyor.

Berthage of Steamers at Downings Pier
a letter from Mr. John R. Wilkinson, Milroy, Carrigart, complaining regarding the berthage of steamers at Downings; also letter from the Harbour Master on the subject, were read.

Explosives Act 1875
a Licence No. 179 under above Act was granted to Bridget McHugh, merchant, Ardara; as was also a renewal of a Licence, No. 156, to Andrew McKeel, Augheygaet, Drumkeen Stranorlar.

Sheep Dipping Suspect - Strabane No. 2 R.D.
a letter from Mr. James A. Wray, Rockfield, Castlefin, tendering his resignation as sheep dipping Inspector for Strabane No. 2 Rural District was read, and resignation accepted.

On the motion of Councillor McNeill seconded by Councillor W. Gallagher Mr. Richard Kelly, Brexnaught, Castlefin, was appointed Sheep Dipping Inspector for said Rural District from the 20th Oct. 1915, to the 15th Novr. 15 at the remuneration of £2. per week, inclusive of all expenses.

Permission to erect Poles
an application by Mr. P. Gallagher, manager, the Reuplersone Co-operative Society, Dungloe for permission to erect one or two poles on Dungloe Street for the purpose of carrying across an Electric Wire for the use of their Woollenery Factory, having been considered permission was granted, subject to the approval of Mr. John Caffrey, County Surveyor.

Mr. Fisher written to 22nd Oct 1915

Mr. Kelly & Wray written to 19th Oct 1915
copy sheep dipping report to Mr. Kelly 20th Oct 1915
copy of report of application written to Council 20th Oct 1915

Mr. P. Gallagher written to 23rd Oct 1915

Economy in the use of Gold Coin
Circular, dated 29th Sept. 1915, from the Treasury Chambers on above Subject, was read.

Assented, by Guardians from Patients in Union & Fever Hospitals
Councillor Wm. Gallagher proposed that the Secretary be directed to request the various Clerks of Unions in the County to furnish the Co. Council with a Statement showing
(1) The amount received by the Guardians during the 5 Years ended 31st March 1915 from patients treated in the Union Hospitals; and
(2) The amount received from Paying Patients in the Fever Hospitals during same period
Councillor Roberty seconded, and the matter was unanimously agreed to

Stone Breaker, No. 7. Appointment of Driver

At the request of Mr. Sheehy, Co. Surveyor, the appointment by him of V. G. Glenn as Driver for above Breaker was confirmed, on the motion of Councillor Hanna, seconded by Councillor Roberty
Wages of Flagman

Mr. Sheehy, Co. Surveyor, reported that a matter that gives trouble is the 15/- rate per week for Flagman. It is hard to keep or get men at this rate of a Dublin kind, owing to rise in prices generally and scarcity of labour and he thought it would be well to allow a 10/- increase, say to 15/- per week, so as to overcome the difficulty. The Council refused to grant the increase

Reports of Mr. Sheehy re Road Contractors

Mr. Sheehy, County Surveyor, reported that certain Road Contractors were neglecting their contracts and being unable to make anything of them he recommended proceedings being taken at Quarter Sessions. The Report, with names of Contractors appended was approved and signed by the Chairman, particulars in each case to be furnished to the Secy. to the Co. Council.

Mr. Sheehy also reported a number of Contractors who were neglecting their contracts and against whom he was desirous of putting into operation the 54th Sec. of 1860

Circular sent to the Clerk of each Union 29/10/15

6th and 7th, 1914, when the Council directed him to proceed therewith

Tuberculosis (Ireland) Order of 1914

a letter, dated 21st August 1915, No. 295-15, from the Department of Agriculture (Veterinary Branch) Dublin enclosing an Order dated 17th August 1915, suspending, as from 1st Sept. 1915, inclusive, the operation of all the provisions, save one, of the Tuberculosis (Ireland) Order of 1914. (Provision not suspended Article 12 (1) (Diseased animals not to be brought for shipment)) was read.

The Elections and Registration Act 1915

Circulars dated 17th August 1915 and 6th Sept. 1915, No. 42452/1915 and 11. 116: 1915 from the Local Government Board, on above Subject, were read

Quelbarra Bridge

A letter, dated 1st October, 1915, from the Local Govt. Board with reference to the Secretary's letter of the 2nd Sept. last, stating that the Dougal Co. Council have postponed the question of repairing the Quelbarra Bridge in the Glenties Rural District until after their half yearly meeting in November and stating that one of their Inspectors who had recently been in the neighbourhood inspected the condition of the structure and a copy of his report in the matter is enclosed and that from this report it is evident that the condition of the Quelbarra Bridge is even more serious, and the need for immediate repair even more imperative, than appeared from the Co. Surveyor's Report of the 10th November 1914, and the Local Govt. Board accordingly desire again to urge upon the County Council and the Council the necessity for taking prompt steps for the repair of the Bridge. & having been read Councillor Hanna proposed that Mr. Caffrey, Co. Surveyor, be directed to immediately attend to the most dangerous portions of said bridge, the remaining portions to be dealt with in the usual way by a formal Proposal

Secy. L. J. Keogh 29/10/15

Proposed which Councillor P. A. O'Sullivan stated would be brought forward at next half-yearly meeting of Gentles R.D. Council.

Councillor Roberts seconded and the matter was unanimously agreed to

Payment of Poundage Fees

The Council recommended the Local Govt. Board to sanction payment of Poundage fees to Collectors Flood and Davigan in respect of their collections for the half-year ended the 30th Sept. 1915, their final lodgements not reaching the County Treasurer until the 1st and 5th inst., respectively.

The Council being satisfied that the delay in making these remittances to the Co. Treasurer, approved through its intervention by Collector James P. Gallagher

a telegram dated 1st Oct. 1915; also a letter bearing same date and received in Co. Council office on 2nd Oct. 1915, requesting the Depty. Co. Council to grant him an extension to complete his collection in respect of half-year ended 30th

September 1915. Having been read, the Secretary stated that he replied to Collector Gallagher that he had no power to grant the extension sought for & that he had duly reported the matter to the Local Government Board and to his (Superior) Officer. The Secretary further stated that

Gallagher had since lodged the full amount of his Warrant, a letter, dated 13th Oct. 1915, No. 54,617, ^{was received} from the Local Govt. Board stating that the County Council should seriously consider whether in view of the facts that Collector Gallagher had failed to close his collection within the prescribed time and had not his books checked for the last fortnight, they should retain his services any longer. It was decided to warn

this officer that future failure on his part to lodge the amount of his Warrant within the prescribed time, or to attend regularly with his books at the Deputy Checkers' Office for the examination of his accounts, would result in drastic action being taken against him. In reply to the Chairman the Collector, who was in attendance, gave a verbal undertaking to strictly

Comply

L. G. Board written to from Rate Department

Local Govt. Board written to from Rate Department

Comply in the future with the provisions of the Public Bodies Order 1904, and in consequence of this assurance, the Council resolved to recommend the Local Government Board to sanction the payment to him of full poundage fees on his collection for the half-year ended 30th Sept. 1915.

Confirmed

W. Gallagher Chairman
23rd Nov. 1915

Copy Minutes sent to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors and Co. Council & Chairman of the Co. Council
7/12/15
and to each member of the Council
9/12/15

A Quarterly Meeting was held on the 23rd day of Nov. 1915.

Attendance

The members present were: Councilors Wm. Farrell (Chairman), Collaghan, Cassidy, Edward Farrell, Hanna, Lowry, Mitchell, Mr. Sudden and D. H. O'Sullivan.

The Del. to the Council was also in attendance

Minutes

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed

Reports of Committee

The Reports of the following Committee were adopted Finance— Report of meeting held 19th Oct. and 5th Nov. 1915 Proposal— Report of meeting held 5th Nov. 1915

Decision of Official

The consideration of a Notice of motion, signed by 6 members of the Council, "That the Resolution of the Co. Council, passed at a meeting held on the 24th day of August 1915, regarding and post-poning the consideration of the Report of the Sub-Committee of the Council of the 6th August 1915, on the question of the salaries of the Officials, be rescinded, and that the said Report of the Sub-Committee be adopted." was on the motion of Councilor Hanna, seconded by Councilor Edward Farrell, adjourned till next meeting for the attendance of the Chairman.

Tuberculosis Act, 1908

The consideration of a Report of St. Regan, Medical Tuberculosis Officer, to the effect that Ballyphannon Union has put part I of above act into operation as the result of which he has received a list of all the Tuberculosis cases in the Union, the greater number of which he has already seen or visited, and as he is unable to keep in touch with them he respectfully asks the County Council to appoint a Nurse to look after them and their households, or give a grant to Ballyphannon District Nurse for her services, was also discussed till next meeting for the attendance of the Chairman

Treatment of Tuberculous insured persons

Letters from the Local Health Board and National Health Insurance Commission enclosing forms of

of agreement between Co. Councils & County Borough Councils and Insurance Committee in reference to the treatment of Tuberculous insured persons, having been read, consideration of the matter was adjourned till next meeting.

Proposals for Payment

The Proposals for Payment, as reported on by the Finance Committee, in respect of Quarters ended 30th Sept 1915 were (without modification) ordered to be paid.

Proposals for Works

The Proposals for Works formulated by the Finance Committee, were approved.

Bank Books

The Bank Books in Connection with the County accounts were submitted and signed by the Chairman

Treasurer's Advice Notes

Treasurer's Advice Notes in Connection with the General a/c, numbered from to inclusive, and dated 23rd Nov. 1915 were submitted and duly signed.

Receiving

A letter from the Lord Mayor of Belfast stating that as arranged at the Conference held on the 2nd inst. he enclosed Memorandum embodying Suggestions on the policy and programme of the Department of Receiving, and adding that these are merely Suggestions and may be modified or amplified in accordance with local requirements, was read.

Appointment of Sheep Dipping Inspectors

A letter from the Department of Agriculture & approving of the appointment of Mr. Richard Kelly, Drexuagh, Castlefu, as from the 19th Oct. last, to the position of Sheep Dipping Inspector for Strabane No. 2 Rural District, was read.

Councilor Lowry here enquired when the appointment of a Sheep Dipping Inspector for Strabane No. 2 Rural District would be made, having in view the fact that Mr. Kelly's appointment was of a temporary nature.

The Secretary stated that a Sheep Dipping Inspector would also require to be appointed for Glenties Rural District in room of the late James Donnell of Kilmara, Glenties.

After some discussion it was decided that sheep dipping inspectors be appointed for Glenties and Strabane U.S. Rural Districts by the Director of animals Committee at a meeting to be held during month of April next. When the re-appointment of the various other Sheep Dipping Inspectors in the various districts comes up for consideration the Secretary would be directed to have an advertisement inserted in due course inviting applications for the positions.

Winter assign order in Council

A letter from Dublin Castle enclosing a copy of the Winter assign order in Council, was read. The City stated that he wrote to the Manager, Hibernian Bank (Peter Henry Brand, Treasurer) to make the necessary arrangements with a view to withdrawal (if any) from Co. Donegal, attending Winter assign, being paid their expenses.

Payment of Rates and Arrears

A letter from the Local Govt. Board relative to the proposed payment to Collector Daniel Gallagher of certain Rates and arrears on two farms recently acquired by the County Council from the Irish Land Commission, and stating that the Board are of opinion that the Co. Council have no statutory power to make the payment in question, having been read it was decided not to make the payment in question.

Overside Accounts

A Circular letter, dated 8th Nov. 1915 from the Local Government Board on the Subject of Overseas Accounts, was read.

Receipts from Patients treated in Union Hospitals and paying patients in Fever Hospitals and returns received from the various Clerks of Unions in the County, showing the amounts received from

- (a) Patients treated in the Union Hospitals, and
 - (b) paying patients in the Fever Hospitals,
- were read.

of amounts returned to Mr. Donnell 21/11/15

Holdings purchased from Irish Land Commission
Agreements between Donegal Co. Council and Duggan and Steele, former tenants of the two holdings at Ruskey, purchased by the Council from the Irish Land Commission, were submitted and approved, and the Deal of the Council ordered to be affixed thereto.

Criminal Injury applications

A letter from the Solr. to the County Council stating that the Criminal Injury application of James Moore (£500. 10. 0) was heard by the County Court Judge when the same was refused with Costs and that Mr. Deau's application (£41. 10. 0) was also heard and the same refused without Costs, was read.

Damage to Buff-Moyle and other roads

A letter from the Solicitor to the Co. Council enclosing copy of letter received from Messrs Watt in answer to letter sent them on 29th Sept. last, in pursuance of instructions as to damage to Buff-Moyle and other roads in Co. Donegal, having been read Councillor Hanna moved that the Solr. to the Co. Council in conjunction with Mr. O'Sullivan County Surveyor, institute proceedings against Messrs Watt and Company, if found necessary. Councillor Edward Gallagher seconded and the matter was unanimously agreed to.

The Conscriptio

Copy of a resolution passed by Cavan Urban District Council on the Subject of enforcing Conscriptio, was read.

The Condition of a Road

A letter from - E.R.B. Hart, Carrablaigh, Postsalow relative to the condition of the main road leading from Postsalow Hotel to Faudh Lijabane, especially the first mile of the road between Postsalow & Carrablaigh House, was read.

The permission to build a pipe

A letter from Mr. John Donnell Madavaugh, Pettinardawad, making application for permission to build a pipe across the County

Mr. Donnell to Co. Council written to 3/12/15

Mr. Donnell written to 3/12/15

County roads at his place, between Letter St. A. and Parochial House, having been read the Secretary stated that on receipt of letter he wrote O'Donnell to the effect that if his proposed pipe would be for the benefit of the County a notice of motion for its erection would require to be brought before the Gentles R.D. Council. If for his own convenience he (Redy) would submit his letter to the Co. Council. To this letter no reply was received. Councillor P. O'Donnell suggested that if O'Donnell would send pipe at his own expense permission be granted him to do so. Subject to the approval of Mr. John Caffrey, Co. Surveyor. This course was agreed to.

Decees-Marked No Goods
(Copy of O'Donnell and Dwyer's letter from the Del. to the County Council stating that certain Decees obtained at Dougal Sessions on 6th January 1914. and renewed at January 1915. have again been returned by the Sheriff endorsed No Goods, and that Mr. Wickham has informed the County Surveyor of the revision and has requested him to let him (Mr. Wickham) know if he hears of any goods while the Decees are in full force so that they could be repledged for execution having been read, the Council directed the Co. Surveyor accordingly.

Sale of Goods and Drugs acts
a letter from the Del. to the Co. Council conveying the decision of the magistrates assembled at Petty Sessions held at Dougal on 10th inst in connection with the case against Michael Quinn, Tullymagranda, Dougal, in respect of a sample of Butter purchased by an officer of the Department - Mr. E. Kenny - at Dougal Butter market on the 28th August last. - Decision: Fined £ with Court Costs was read.

Limit of Road Expenditure. Gentles R.D.
Copy of a Resolution of Gentles R.D. Council requesting the Co. Council to apply to the Local Government Board to fix a new Road

Road limit at £4000. for the Gentles Rural District, to enable the District Council to carry out Steam Rolling the road throughout the District, having been read, Councillor P. O'Donnell proposed, and Councillor Callaghan seconded, and it was unanimously resolved that the request be acceded to and ^{that it} applies only to the Financial Year ending 31st March 1917 -
Limit of Road Expenditure. Douganagh Rural District

Copy of a resolution of Douganagh R.D. Council asking the Dougal Co. Council to request the Local Government Board to increase their annual Limit of Expenditure on Public Works by £251.5.0 for the Financial Year ending 31st March 1917. having been read, the request was unanimously decided to on the motion of Councillor Callaghan, seconded by Councillor O'Malley.

Explosives act 1875
Renewals of Licences under above act were granted to the following
No. 50 Mr. Teare, Belfast, No. 101 James & Mrs. Cross, Dingley's Point, Kerry, No. 147 Francis Fahan, Ballyshannon, No. 157 Andrew O'Donnell, Douglas.

Bills of Costs
Joseph Alexander Esq. Del. Perry, was appointed to appear before the Taxing Master, on behalf of the Co. Council, on taxation of the undermentioned Bills of Costs furnished by the Del. to the Co. Council, and the Seal of the Council was ordered to be affixed to the Requisition to tax
(1) Costs incurred by Dougal Co. Council of and incidental to various matters.
(2) Disrespect of matters and incidental to a government of Road for purpose of a new Road in the townland of Ballynahora

Condition of a County Road
a letter from Mr. D. J. Killean, Kedron, Kerry, enclosing a Memorial from himself and six others of the principal Ratepayers who was

Shelby, Del. Post Road written to 29/11/15

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Bills of Costs sent to Mr. Alexander, Del. Requisition to tax returned to Mr. Wickham 30/11/15

Mr. Callaghan written to 2/12/15

The road from Aghaderry to the Bridge at Pinkerton which is in a very bad and dangerous state, and requesting that the Co. Council will see their way to have something done to said road without further delay, having been read, the County Surveyor was directed to attend to the matter.

re Removal of an Electric Pole

A letter from the Ballypharman Rural District Council stating that that body are having Labourer's Cottages erected at Ballypharman and they find that in one position the Electric light wires put up by Messrs Myles and Coy. Ballypharman obstruct the building of 3 Cottages (Nos 1, 2, and 3). To allow of these three Cottages (in townland of Carrisboy) being proceeded with it will be necessary for Messrs Myles & Coy. to have the wires removed at this place, this can very easily be done by changing one of the poles at present carrying the wire, and requesting the Council to notify Messrs Myles & Coy. to have wire removed so as not to interfere with the building of these Cottages, having been read, the Secretary was directed to write Messrs Myles & Coy. to have poles carrying Electric Wires diverted according to the directions of Mr John Caffrey, Co. Surveyor, so as to allow of the building being proceeded with.

Messrs Myles & Coy. written to 22. 11. 19

Report of Mr. Stedman re Certain Road Contractors

Mr. Stedman, Co. Surveyor, reported that certain Road Contractors were neglecting their contracts and being unable to make anything further of them he recommended that same be prosecuted at Quarter Sessions. The Report, with names of Contractors appended, was approved and signed by the Chairman particulars in each case to be furnished to the J.C. to the Co. Council.

Mr. Stedman also reported a number of Contractors who were neglecting their contracts and

and against whom he was desirous of putting into operation the 54th Section of 6th and 7th nos 4th, c. 16, when the Council directed him to proceed therewith.

Department of Agriculture Farm at Ballyhaice, Co. Cavan
Copy of a Resolution passed by Cavan County Committee of Agriculture - That we, the members of the Cavan County Committee of Agriculture, have read with surprise and confusion the conflicting statements appearing in the public Press as having been made by the Vice-President and the Secretary of the Department regarding the future of their farm at Ballyhaice

This qualification could, in our opinion, be made an extremely useful centre of education, and we call upon the Department to work the place as an ordinary economic tillage farm for the production of profitable food, during the period of the war, having been read, it was unanimously adopted

Contact No. 074, Derry No. 2, R. D.

Hugh Hearty, Contractor

Hugh Hearty, Contractor for No. 074, Derry No. 2, Rural District, appeared before the meeting and stated that some metal he had supplied had not been included in his measurement which led to £29 being struck off at the Derry No. 2 Nov. meeting. The County Surveyor having stated that he believed something of the kind had occurred, he Hearty being a good Contractor, the Council agreed that that sum should be deferred so as to give time for investigation.

Condition of Co. Road between Derry and Muville

A letter from the J.C. to the County Council stating that pursuant to instructions received a letter was addressed to Messrs Roberts and Sons, Foye St., Derry, on the 29th Sept. last complaining as to the condition of the road between Derry & Muville, and as to certain alleged breaches of the agreement entered into between the firm and the Council, and

enclosing

Copy to Co. Council written to 14. 11. 19

The J.C. Council written to 2. 12. 19

enclosing a copy of the firm reply having been read, Mr. Wilson was directed to request Messrs Roberto & Co. to comply with the terms of agreement and should they fail to do so that he institute proceedings against them on behalf of the County Council
 re County Road Gastan Mines to
Churchill Station

The Dir. to the Co. Council wrote to the effect that in accordance with the instructions received, application was made to Mr. De La Hay Moore, with the request that he opened communication with Mr. Steadman, Co. Surveyor, and also had an interview with that Officer, and submitted proposals to him with a view to remedying the matter complained of. Mr. Steadman will be able to report as to the result of these negotiations, and in the meantime nothing further has been done in the matter.

The Council decided to adjourn consideration of the matter until they had the County Surveyor's Report before them
 - Supply of Water at Topham
 A sealed order, dated 11th Nov. 1915, of the Local Government Board determining area of charge on which all expenses incurred, or which may be incurred by the Council of Strabane No. 2 Rural District in connection with a supply of water at Topham, shall be chargeable, was read.

Dougal Co. Council against Patrick Divers, Silverdale, Enniskillen.

Satisfaction Decree - affidavit and Requisition to enter Satisfaction on Judgment, was submitted and the Secy of the Council ordered to be affixed thereto.

Contract No. 1, Strabane No. 2 R.D.
 Messrs Edward Grayson and Daniel Wilson Quetters of a Contractor named James Conaghan appeared before the Council. It appears Conaghan left the County, thereby neglecting his Contract, when his Quetters were used

Referenced to Mr. Kelly to Mr. Council at 11/12/15

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Quetters Decisions and Decrees. The Decrees not to be levied if the repairs were properly carried out. The Quetters then procured a man named John McFittigan, to put the Contract in question in repair. This was done and the amount (£10) deferred paid to him, notwithstanding that the Contract had been properly repaired. The Decrees were levied and they therefore asked the County Council to refund them the amount paid on foot of Decrees less the Costs.

On the motion of Councillor Hanna seconded by Councillor Mitchell the Council unanimously decided to refund the amount less the Costs. Devising that the Road has not suffered, provided the Road Job. Road's Auction this arrangement.
 re John Patton, Flagonan.

It was unanimously decided to increase the weekly wages of John Patton, Flagonan Steam Road Roller No. 1, from 15/- to £1. at the expiration of one Year from date of his appointment, provided, he has performed his work to the satisfaction of the County Surveyor.

Mr. Kelly
Co. Surveyor
11/12/15

Confirmed,
 H. Gallagher Chairman
 14th December 1915,

Copy minutes
sent to Board
Salt Co. Council
Co. Surveyors
& each member
of the Co. Council
7th January 1916

A Half Yearly meeting was held on 11th 11th December 1915.

Attendance

The members present were:
Councillors Mr. Gallagher (Chairman) Gallagher,
Cannidy, Clarke, Davidson, Devine, Doherty,
Flack, Edward Peggler, Jacob Peman, Mr. Peman,
Kelly, Panny, Mitchell, Mr. Arthur, Mr. Madden, Mr. Fife,
Members J. H. O'Donnell and Walter Quigley.
The Co. Clerk was also in attendance

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed
Proposals for Payment

The proposals for payment, as reported on by the
Finance Committee in respect of Half Year ended
31st Decr. 1915, were (without modification),
ordered to be paid.

Treasurer's advice notes

Treasurer's advice notes were submitted and signed.

List of Proposals for Works

The List of Proposals for Works formulated by the
various R.D. Councils was then considered.

Dallyshannon.

No action was taken regarding Nos. 154, 155, 159, and
165. Nos. 156, 157, and 160, were placed in charge of
the County Surveyor for 3 months. Remaining Proposals
on List were approved.

Dauogob.

No action was taken re numbers 2, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 14, 23, 32,
33, 43, 45, 47, 63, 64, 70, 74, 76, 78, 124, 125, 126, 98, 101, and 122.
Nos. 15, 16, 20, 25, 40, 50, 51, 58, 68, 71, 72, 81, were placed in
charge of the Co. Surveyor for 12 months, and Nos. 18, 20, for
a period of 6 months. Nos. 12, 17, were dealt similarly
dealt with for a period of 3 months. Remaining
Proposals on List were approved.

Dunfanaghy.

No action was taken re no. 180. Nos. 140, 147, 148, 149, 150, 153,
155, 156, 157, 159, 160, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 168, 170, 171, 173,
174, and 179 were placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor for
3 months. Remaining Proposals on List were approved.

Glenties

No action was taken regarding Nos. 997, 998, 1000,
1007, 1011, 1012, 1020, 1021, 1026, 1032, 1056, 1067, 1069, 1070,

1075, 1077, 1078, and 1087. No. 1015, was placed in
charge of the Co. Surveyor for months, and
no. 1055, for a period of 6 months. Nos. 992,
1005, 1030, 1041, 1050, 1065, were rejected. Remaining
Proposals on List were approved.

Quirkstown

Nos. 1501 and 1528, were rejected. No. 1712 was placed
in charge of the County Surveyor for 12 months,
and Nos. 1711, 1713, 1714, 1715, 1718, 1719, 1720, 1721, 1722,
1723, 1724, 1725, 1729, 1731, 1732, 1733, 1734, 1735, 1736, 1738,
1742, 1747, 1752, 1755, 1758, 1760, 1763, 1775, 1777, 1778,
1779, 1781, and 1785, were similarly dealt with for
a period of 3 months. Before approving
of proposal No. 1754, it was decided to break
the former Contract, Nos. 563 and 565, in stamp
commencing 1st July 1913. Remaining Proposals
on List were approved.

K. Letterkenny

No action was taken re Nos. 513, 514, 518, 519, 520,
523, 525, 528, 529, and 1104, Nos. 477, 487, 488, 489,
495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 490, 492, 493, 499, 501, 505, 506,
507, 508, 509, 511, and 530, were placed in charge
of the Co. Surveyor for 3 months. Remaining
Proposals on List were approved.

Londonderry No. 9.

No action was taken re Nos. 154, 157, 162, 165, 166, 167,
Nos. 127, 128, 130, 132, 134, 135, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142,
144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 155, 163, 164, 170, and
171, were placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor
for 3 months. Remaining Proposals on List
were approved.

Before approving of Proposal
No. 131, it was decided to break the former
Contract, No. 969, in stamp commencing 1st Oct. 14

Meiford

No action was taken re numbers 247 and 250,
Nos. 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, and 221, 225, 227, 229, 230,
232, 235, 236, 237, 247, 248, 249, 251, 252, 253, 256, 257,
266, 267, were placed in charge of the Co. Surveyor
for 3 months. Nos. 294 and 295, were also placed
in charge of the County Surveyor. Remaining
Proposals on List were approved.

Before approving of no. 250, it was decided to break the former Contract, no. 4204 July 14. Contractor dead - and before approving of no. 265, it was also decided to cancel the former Contract, no. 4019, Oct. 1915.

Shabane 1915.

No action was taken regarding Nos. 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, and 911.

No. 915 was placed in charge of the County Surveyor for 12 months. Nos. 941, 956, 957, 990, 991 were also similarly dealt with for periods of 3 months. Remaining proposals were approved.

Shabane 1916.

No action was taken regarding Nos. 584, 585, 587, 588, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 599, 602, 604, 605, 607, 610, 611, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 630, 632, 640, 642, 643, 644, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 653, 653, 657.

No. 628 was placed in charge of the County Surveyor for 12 months. Nos. 600, 601, 605, 636, 641, and 652, were similarly dealt with for a period of 3 months. Remaining proposals and lists were approved.

Sealing of Roads

It was resolved that the Seal of the County Council be affixed to all Roads in connection with proposals approved at this meeting.

Salaries of Certain Officers

In accordance with notice of motion duly given and signed by 6 members, Councillor Kelly moved that the Resolution of the County Council passed at this meeting held on the 22nd day of August 1915 regarding and postponing the consideration of the Report of the Sub-Committee of the Council of the 6th day of August 1915, on the question of the Salaries of the Officers, be rescinded, and that the said Report of the Sub-Committee be adopted. Councillor Mitchell seconded, the matter was unanimously agreed to.

The consideration of the following matters was adjourned

a. Report of Dr. Regan, Medical Tuberculosis Officer

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on the Subject of the appointment of a nurse in Ballypharman Rural District.

(2) Letters from the National Health Insurance Commission and Local Govt. Board, respectively, on the Subject of an agreement to be entered into between County and County Borough Councils and Insurance Committees in regard to the treatment of Tuberculosis insured and exempt persons, recommended for Sanatorium Benefit and enclosing copies of the form.

(3) Letter from the Local Government Board relative to the arrangements for the treatment of Tuberculosis in Co. Down, and stating that the amount available for further Capital expenditure in connection with provision for the treatment of Tuberculosis in County Down, is upwards of £3200.

(4) Appointment of a member of Co. Down Technical Instruction Committee in room of Father Mc Nulty, J. J. Tennyson.

Maintenance of Live Stock (Ireland) Order of 1915, No. 2.

A Copy of above named order received from the Department of Agriculture, was read.

The Foot & Mouth Disease (Ireland) Order of 1915

and The Sheep Dipping (Ireland) Order of 1915.

A Letter from the Department of Agriculture, enclosing copies of above named orders was read.

Income Tax.

A Letter from the Surveyor of Taxes, Belfast intimating that he proposes assessing Income Tax on Balances to Credit of Down County Council for 1915/16, when the next assessments are made in March 1916, was also read.

Terms of a Road Contract.

A letter from the acting Clerk Landsdowny, W. 2, Rural District Council enclosing letter which that body received from Mr. Patrick Canning Beaghey, relative to the terms of his Contract

a. w. P. Kelly
referred to
22/12/15

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The District Council recommended his case to the favourable consideration of the Co. Council, having been read, no action was taken.

re Mr. Michael Hanrahan Lurganahammy
a letter from Mr. H. V. Falagher, Sol. O'Connell, stating that he had been instructed by Mr. Michael Hanrahan of Lurganahammy, to give the Co. Council notice that on Thursday 20th Oct. he was injured by reason of his horse being frightened by their Steam Breaker at Mousmora, the horse was also injured; also a further letter wishing to know if the Co. Council admit liability, so that he (Mr. Falagher) may send in particulars of claim, or else if liability is denied, having been read it was decided to deny all liability in the matter.

Road Contractor

a letter from John Craumpsey Contractor, Dooon, Coumsoff, stating that he is unable to complete the contract in his name. His brother unfortunately got his arm broken some time ago through an accident and consequently he (John Craumpsey) cannot do the work, having been read, it was decided not to cancel the contract.

a letter from Mr. D. A. Rayson, Conway Avenue, Conway, to the effect that the Traction Engine, &c. belonging to the Co. Council is often left on the premises without permission, and that in future they will make the usual charge of 4/- per day for use of the premises, having been read, it was decided not to take any action in the matter.

Wrightbridge on Rathmullan Pier

a letter from Mr. A. Hanrahan, Whitehouse, Ballymahon, Derry, wishing to ascertain if they would be disposed to sell their Wrightbridge erected on Rathmullan Pier, having been read, the Secy. was directed to issue an advertisement inviting tenders for purchase of said machine.

Mr. H. V. Falagher written to 22/12/10

Mr. John Craumpsey written to 22/12/10

Mr. Rayson written to 22/12/10

Mr. Hanrahan written to 23/12/10

Condition of two Co. roads

Copy of a resolution of Lurganahammy R.D. Council drawing the attention of the Co. Council and the County Surveyor to the injury done to the two roads leading from Buedaff to Merville, viz. (1) Glenelly and (2) Ballyharry by a Traction Engine belonging, it is stated, to the Dublin Milling Coy. in the carriage of heavy timber having been considered, the matter was placed in Mr. Wilson's hands to take whatever action he may deem necessary, after consultation with Mr. Stedman County Surveyor.

Pier at Ballymahon

a letter from the Harbour Master at Ballymahon Pier stating that the end of the Pier would require some repairs, as some of the timber post was carried away by the storm and high sea, having been read, Mr. Stedman, County Surveyor, stated that the matter was receiving his attention.

re Insurance Cleobogher Quarry Works

Mr. Stedman, Co. Surveyor, reported as follows:
Gentlemen:
The Insurance Inspector is pressing for payment of insurance on all men employed at Cleobogher Quarry in connection with Muff Merville road works from date of commencement of the works.

I pointed out to him that the men were constantly coming and leaving, some only working for a few days, and that the majority were sons of small farmers who only worked as it suited them on days when they were not required at their farms; further that the men would resent having money stopped for insurance when they had not cards, and that as it was imperative that I should get labour I had to make the most of things with a view to getting men as I could not get all I required. I wish to know how I am to act in the matter. Personally I consider

re Co. Council written to 23/12/10

I consider that under the circumstances I have detailed that the demand is unfair, and also from the further standpoint that none of the men will in the future benefit seeing that this class of men do not keep cards going, hence to pay up could only result in some possible benefit to others and even that is doubtful.

Having regard to the casual class of the labour, and the fact that most of it was local farmers' men, the Co. Council decided that no insurance was to be paid in regard to the part, but that from Dec. '15 it was to be paid and a further effort made to get the men to agree to pay their position and produce cards.

The Partial Stopping outlet drains from pipes
Mr. Steadman, Co. Surveyor, also reports as follows:
Gentlemen

On the road from Rathmullan to Cullinstin there are parties of the name of Canning who have blocked an outlet drain from a pipe through a defective joint that they have made over the drain from Co. road leading into their land and further they decline to clear this tile drain which passes through their land with result that the water is dammed back and rises upon the road in time of heavy rains.

There is also a case at Carronmoreville where parties who have piped a side drain for their convenience refuse to clear same when checked with result that road suffers in rainy weather.

Unless cases of this kind are dealt with promptly as a warning to others our roads are going to suffer through arbitrary acts of this kind by private individuals who merely consult their own convenience.

I would strongly recommend that both these cases be dealt with by prosecution of the offending parties.

The County Council directed their
Solicitor

Solicitor to take proceedings on particulars being furnished by the County Surveyor,
Re Stonebreaker No. 7

Mr. Steadman, County Surveyor, also reported
Gentlemen

While this Stonebreaker No. 7 was working for a Contractor in the Dushowen District the frame broke. This sometimes happens with Breakers, but the occasions are rare. I cannot account for it on this occasion. Mr. Groves is an experienced man with Breakers and he is perfectly certain that nothing other than stone got into the Breaker, neither can he assign any cause for the breakage. The repair is a costly one and will likely run about £60. I have taken the matter up with the makers, Messrs. Goodwin, B. & Co., Leicester, and they are having a stronger frame made.

Meanwhile I have hired Mr. Fulton's Breaker at the rate of £1. per day as there are a number of Contractors who have their stone ready and it would lead to great delay waiting on the new frame and result in metal being applied to roads at the wrong time of the year had this course not been adopted by me.

The County Council approved the course taken by the County Surveyor.

Permission to open County Roads

a letter from Mr. Connell Carr, Cappagh, Galway, requesting permission to open the Co. road for the purpose of drainage, having been read, permission was granted, subject to the approval of Mr. Caffrey, County Surveyor.

Condition of a County Road

a letter from - Francis Nolan, Post Stewart, Rathmenny, drawing attention to the condition of the Coast road (County) between Post Stewart and Ravelston, especially the mile and 1/2 from the Ferry on the Post Stewart side having been read, Mr. Steadman, County Surveyor, stated that a proposal for the

repair

repair of said road was passed by the Board of Council at their recent half yearly meeting at a fair price but as contractors could not be obtained to tender for the work

Alteration of a Pole and Wire

A letter from the Clerk Ballyphannon R.D. Council stating that Messrs Wyles & Coy, Ballyphannon, have, as requested, altered the Pole and Wires at Rabbers Cottage at Ballyphannon to such a position as not to interfere with the erection of the Cottage, was read.

Care-Free v. Wilkinson and another

A letter from the Dist. to the Co. Council conveying the decision of the Magistrate in the case taken by Patrick Free, Harbour Master at Dowungo Pier against a Mr. Wilkinson and another, for a breach of the Bye-Laws Rules and Regulations applicable to said Pier, was also read.

Contract No. 29. Dromphery R. D.

An application by Mr. Elias Stewart, Taylor, Dromphery, requesting the County Council to cancel his Contract No. 29. Dromphery Roads District, he being unable to perform his Contract on account of Steam Rolling, having been read the Secretary stated that in the Specification provision was made for the Steam Rolling of said road. It was decided not to break the Contract.

Powens & Pharmacy Act.

Renewal of a Licence (Act 9) under above act was granted to Mr. John Fallon, General Merchant, Douglas.

Explosives Act 1875.

Renewal of Licences under the Explosives Act 1875 were granted to the following persons:

- No. 114. Mr. W. Ballypherry, No. 100. W. J. Campbell, miford
- No. 120. Daniel Callaghan, ^{Kilbenny} No. 121. John W. Russell, Postabork,
- No. 123. Sarah Blaney, Roxna Hill, No. 129. P. Stewart
- Kilmaconnor, No. 140. James Moore, Remelton,

A Licence No. 109, under said act, was granted to Mrs. Faulkner, Merchant, Culluff.

Stewart 10/11/16

Reports of County Surveyors re Certain Roads Contractors.

The County Surveyors reported that certain Contractors were neglecting their Contracts, and being unable to make anything further of them they recommended that same be prosecuted at Quarter Sessions. The Reports, with names of Contractors appended were approved and signed by the Chairman. Particulars in each case to be furnished to the Dist. to the County Council.

The County Surveyors also reported a number of Contractors who were neglecting their contracts and against whom they were desirous of putting into operation the 5th Section of 6th and 7th W. A. C. 186. When the Council directed them to proceed therewith.

Petition

A Petition of Certain Road Contractors in the Castlefin District to the effect that owing to the increased price of all sorts of food, tools, working material, and wages of workmen since the war commenced, they are unable, except at great loss, to carry out the work of Contracts satisfactorily at the present rate of remuneration.

That following the example of the Co. Council of Tyrone they humbly appeal to the Douglas Co. Council to reduce on their several outstanding Contracts the amount of metal required by 25%, having been considered, Councillor William Ideaghi proposed that we request the Road Government Board to State if they will consent to the Douglas Co. Council agreeing to reduce the tonnage by 15% on all Maintenance Contracts in the County existing on 1st August 1914, and thereafter into since said date. Councillor Wm. Doherty seconded and the matter was unanimously agreed to.

Quarry at Laputa, Ballyphannon

Engrossment of Base and Compost in connection with the purchase by the Co. Council of a Quarry at Laputa, Ballyphannon, was submitted

Decided and returned to Mr. Wilkinson 22/11/16

and

and the Deal of the Council ordered to be
affixed thereto.

Re Ruddy Mcmenage Gleadow

Mr. Stedman County Surveyor reported as follows:-
Gentlemen

Arising out of item 2 on agenda
I desire to ask the Council to hold the Paying
orders of Ruddy Mcmenage on the following
contracts 921 & 922 April 14, Berry No. 2, and 771
Oct. 13, and 864 Oct. 14 Athabasca No. 2. until such
time as I can notify the Secretary to release
same.

The reasons are as follows:- For above Contract
Mcmenage had the metal broken at District County
Quarry prior to the date of Berry No. 2
meeting and he promised me to immediately
get the metal cast on to his contracts. As
it would have been hard upon him not to
have got money under the circumstances, I
certified above payments. His quantity of metal
justified this course, and I had no reason to
doubt his promise re the casting of metal.
However, as he has only partly fulfilled his
promise I consider it right to take this
course. The Co. Council decided to adopt
the course recommended by the County Surveyor.

re Magistrate Order to enter a Quarry

Mr. Stedman County Surveyor, also reported as
follows:-
Gentlemen,

With regard to road from L'Heury
Urban meeting to new mill, placed in my hands
by the Co. Council, I got a Magistrate Order to enter
a quarry for stone to repair road with.

The award returned by the Arbitrator
is grossly unfair, and as I know of a point
or two affecting its legality I would suggest that
the matter be referred to your Solicitor with a
direction for him to take what action he thinks
best in the matter after I have placed the facts
before him. Mr. Wilson was directed to act
as requested by Co. Surveyor in his report.

Wages of Flagmen

Mr. Stedman, Co. Surveyor, also brought before
the Council the question of pay to Flagmen
of Rollers, &c. as he was desirous of
ascertaining if their wage is to be raised
automatically from 15/- to 20/- per week after
they have put in 12 months Service under
the Council without his bringing each case before
the Council at a meeting. The Council unanimously
resolved that the wage of Flagmen be
automatically advanced to 20/- after one
Year's Service in the employment of the Council
Contract No. 498, April 1914

Gleadow R. 13

The Secretary reports that a Contractor, named
Shoelin, in Fletcher Rural District who had
got an order to enter a Quarry, and on
whose behalf the Co. Council instructed their
Solicitor (Mr. Wilson) to appear, reported
to Mr. Wilson that he had been summoned
to Petty Sessions to recover price of stones
taken, and Mr. Wilson having consulted the
Secretary, he (the Secretary) instructed Mr. Wilson
to attend at Kellybega Petty Sessions, on behalf
of Contractor, when the summons was dismissed.

The Council approved of the
Secretary's action.

W. Gallager Confirmed,

Chairman.
11th January, 1916.

Copy minutes sent to Rev. Pfr. Mr. Wilson, Mr. Strahan, Mr. Lewis and Mr. J. J. Dunlop 17/1/16 to each other member of the Co. Council Feb 16.

A Special meeting of the Donegal Co. Council was held on the 11th January, 1916.

Attendance

The members present were: Councillors William Farrell (Vice-Chairman) presiding, Coughlan, Cassidy, Clarke, Devine, Doberty, Farrell (Chairman), Farrell (Edward), Hanna, McArthur, and Mr. Connelley.

The Calt. to the Council was not in attendance

Minutes

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed

Reports of Committees

Finance - Report of meeting held 14th Dec. 1915. unanimously adopted.

Re Scheme defining duties of assistant Surveyors. In accordance with notice of motion duly given Councillor Wm Doberty moved - That the assistant Surveyors of the County shall be called upon to submit to the County Council at their meeting of 11th January 1916 all Diaries & Books in accordance with their duties as defined in paragraph 2 of Regulations made in Council last, Councillor Clarke seconded and the matter was unanimously agreed to.

It was further unanimously resolved, on the motion of Councillor Doberty, seconded by Councillor Clarke, that the several assistant Surveyors in the County transmit their Diaries and Books to the County Surveyor and that his initial same and submit them to the County Council at each of their Quarterly meetings.

The consideration of the following matters was further adjourned

(1) Report of Dr. Ryan Medical Tuberculosis Office on the subject of the appointment of a Nurse in Ballyshannon Rural District.

(2) Letters from the National Health Insurance Commission, and R.F. Board, respectively, on the subject of an agreement to be entered into between County and County Borough Councils and Insurance Committees in regard to the treatment of tuberculous

Copy resolution sent to each County and Assistant Surveyor 25/1/16

tuberculous insured and exempt persons recommended for Sanatorium Benefit, and enclosing copies of the form

Letter from the Local Govt. Board relative to the arrangements for the treatment of tuberculous in County Donegal, and stating that the amount available for further Capital expenditure in connection with provision for the treatment of Tuberculous in County Donegal, is upwards of £3200. Co. Donegal Joint Technical Instruction Committee

On the motion of Councillor Anthony Farrell, seconded by Councillor Hanna, the Rev. Joseph Boyle, & J. Termon, was appointed a member of above Committee, in room of Father M. Kelly, P.P.

Co. Donegal Committee of Agriculture

On the motion of Councillor Anthony Farrell, seconded by Councillor Hanna, the Rev. Joseph Boyle & J. Termon, was appointed a member of Co. Donegal Committee of Agriculture

Loss of Harbour Dues

a letter from Councillor Wm Doberty regarding a claim to the Admiralty in respect of loss of Dues at Buncrana and Rathmullan Pier owing to these Piers being commandeered by the War Department, having been read.

It was unanimously resolved on the motion of Councillor Doberty, seconded by Councillor Hanna that the Secretary communicate with the Rev. to the Admiralty and make a claim for the deficit in respect of the Dues collected at said Piers during the period from 1st August 1914 to 31st July 1915, also that a claim be made on behalf of the Harbour masters in respect of loss of Commission dues collected during same period.

Duties for Rab Collectors

a letter, dated 29th Dec. 1915, from the General Accident Fire and Life Assurance Corporation, Ltd. Dublin. Duties for Rab Collectors of Donegal Co. Council giving notice that the Corporation liability

Resolution to Committee 17/1/16

Admiralty written to

Copy Resolution of Council written to 11/1/16

Mr. Keegan written to 11/1/16

Copy Resolution of Council written to 11/1/16

liability will, in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Bonds, expire on the 1st April 1916 having been read, it was unanimously resolved on the motion of Councillor Hanna, seconded by Councillor Clarke that the Secretary invite quotations from leading Insurance Companies approved by the Local Government Boards.

Sheepers

On the recommendation of the Insurance Committee for Co. Donegal it was resolved that any of the Sheepers provided by the Council under the National Insurance Act 1911 that required to be repaired that the Medical Tuberculosis Office make arrangements with a view to having the painting carried out.

National Insurance Act 1911.

Copy of a resolution of Roscommon Co. Council that we express our opinion that the operation in Ireland of the National Health Insurance Act is needless, irritating alike to employers & workers and does not meet the approval of either of these two classes. It is almost a useless expense to the local Rates, and to the workers, as well as to the State, and we request Parliament to repeal the Act so far as it relates to the Rural Districts of Ireland. was unanimously adopted on the motion of Councillor William Gallagher, seconded by Councillor Anthony Gallagher.

Beds at Peamount

Copy resolution of Westmeath Co. Council leaving to ascertain the views of the Donegal Co. Council regarding a suggestion of the former Council, that the County Councils who have taken beds at Peamount, or who send patients there should take over Peamount altogether as it was considered that they could run it on more economical lines than at present and with greater advantage to themselves and to the County generally, having been read, it was decided to take no action

Copy Resolution of Council written to 25/1/16

Mr. Davison written to 25/1/16

David Wilson written to 25/1/16

L. Berry & Hugh Swilly Railway - Caradough Section
Copy resolution of Lushawen R.D. Council protesting in the strongest possible manner against the recent increase of Rates on the Berry to Caradough Section of the Landanary and Hugh Swilly Railway, having been read, it was decided that the Co. Council could take no action in the matter -

See Ireland Red Cross Sale

Copy resolution of Dublin County Council on the subject of the inauguration of a Special all Ireland Red Cross Sale in every County for the benefit of the wounded Soldiers who have fought in defence of our homes & Country having been read, no action was deemed necessary having in view the fact that several such Sales had already been held in Co. Donegal

Condition of a County Road.

a letter from Mr. H. Davine, Estate Office, Omagh, relative to the disrepairful State of the mail car road from the Tweeders Hotel to Derrybeg, and expressing a hope that some steps might be taken at once to put it in proper order, having been read, the matter was referred to Mr. Stedman, Co. Surveyor, for his attention.

a letter from Mr. David Wilson, Mr. Raphael, on behalf of Mrs. W. a Boyton of Coway House, Coway, re use of her ground at Coway with the Co. Council's Traction Engine &c. having been considered, no action was taken as the Council could not see their way to alter their previous decision on the matter. Mr. Wilson in his letter also mentioned that the Co. Council Traction Engine &c. also used occasionally his property in Diamond Raphoe, as also do the Contractors for depositing broken Stones, pending their being put on the roads, and requesting that in return for these privileges the Co. Council should do some surface repairs to the ground by levelling and rolling it. The Clerk was instructed to reply to Mr. Wilson stating that if any damage is done by the Roller to

to the Crest of the road on Diamond, Keshoo
the County Surveyor will have it repaired.

Road - Gastan Mines to Churchill Station

Mr. Stedman Co. Surveyor, reported that he had
got two of the Contractors concerned to
supply almost their quantities of metal and
also when they did so he would have the
additional metal, necessary to put a section
of the road in repair, supplied, and being
a position to sue the party who did the
injury to above mentioned road

Sale of Food & Drugs Act

Supt. R. Mc Cann R. D. O'Connell, Inspector under
Food and Drugs Act, reported that on 16th
16th Nov. 15, he purchased a quantity of Indian
meal for analysis and sent it to the County
analyst the following day. On the 20th Dec. 15,
he received a Certificate from him to the effect
that, in his opinion, the said sample was
adulterated. Owing to the length of time which
elapsed between the purchase of the article and
the receipt of the Public Analysts Certificate
proceedings could not be taken. He, the Inspector,
wrote the analyst on the subject, and received a
reply saying the delay was due to such a
pressure of work that the matter was overlooked.

The Secretary was directed to write
the Co. Analyst and ask him to explain cause
of delay in sending his Certificate to the Inspector
of Food & Drugs, and request him to attend
to samples of analyses sent by the various
Inspectors as soon as he receives them.

Food & Drugs Inspectors

On the recommendation of the County Inspector
R. D. L. Listerhewy, the following members of the
Force were appointed Inspectors under the Sale
of Food and Drugs Act

- I Supt. Hugh Mc Cormac to Bunsford Petty Sessions District
- II Supt. Wm J. Kennedy to Bunsford "

The Seal of the Co. Council was ordered to
be affixed to form of appointment.

Co. Analyst written to 20/11/16

Appointments sent to County Inspector on 17/11/16

Contract No. 1551 Dunshower R. D.

a letter from Mr. Noel Mc Laughlin, D. Carronmore
Mooille, relative to a contract No. 1551, Dunshower
Rural District tendered for by a Sam.
Carron. In his tender he inserted 30 tons
of Stones, and the assistant Surveyor
for the District informs him (Mr. Carron) that
the quantity of Stones in the County Books
is 50 tons, having been read, the Secretary,
stated that he referred to the tender in
question and that 30 tons of Stones
is the quantity of material mentioned therein.
No action was taken.

re Amount of an Award

a letter from Messrs Edward W. Padden & Coy.
Solicitors, L. Listerhewy, on behalf of Mr. Charles
William Posen Esq., threatening proceedings
against the County Council for £3. due him
on an award. The Council an order to enter
a Quarry on his lands and the arbitrators
appointed by the Court awarded him £3.
having been read, it was resolved on the
motion of Councillor Hanna, seconded by
Councillor Anthony Gallagher, that the whole
matter be placed in the hands of the Sol.
to the Co. Council and Mr. Stedman Co. Surveyor
to deal with as they think right.

Children Act 1908.

A notice, dated 31st Dec 1915, under the Children
act 1908, recd. from Mr. Wm. Kealy G. P. O. Shabane,
was read.

Grant in aid of Irish Education

a letter from the General Secretary "The Gaelic
League" stating that the Executive Committee
invite the Rosgal County Council to send
Delegates to represent them at the meeting
to be held in the Mansion House, Dublin,
on Monday 14th January 1916, to protest
against the threatened withdrawal, by the
Department of Agriculture & of Franks in
aid of Irish Education having been read
the action of the Gaelic League in the matter
was

Messrs Edward W. Padden & Coy. 20/11/16

was, on the motion of Councillor Wm. Gallagher, Decided by Councillor Cassidy unanimously approved of but no delegates were appointed to attend meeting

a Report of the Harbour works at Rathmullan to the effect that the glass of the wooden frame in which the weather glass, belonging to the County is in, is broken, and that the rain can get in and may injure the weather glass, having been read, Mr. Thomas County Surveyor, was directed to write Mr Dawson, the assistant Co. Surveyor for the District and get him to have a new pane of glass put in.

Explosives act 1875.

Renewal of Licences under the above act were granted to the undermentioned persons.

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| 70 Catherine Baird, Merville | 134 Wm. M. Mearns, Moy, Carrowbegh |
| 77 Joseph and Paul, Dallybrook | 135 James, do. |
| 78 Jas. O. Bolsty, Whalin | 139 Jas. McCreay, Throuslar |
| 83 W. Macmillan, Derrigab | 149 J. Keenan, M. Cumming Lane |
| 89 J. Wickham, Carrington | 151 P. McEwley, Falcarnagh |
| 99 P. O'Callaghan, Rathmullan | 153 Maurice O'Donnell, Mullaghbegh |
| 105 P. Clarke & Coy, Ballinacra | 156 A. Hea, Aughrany |
| 106 David Aughey, Killybegs | 159 Robt. Cairns, Carrigrohane |
| 116 Samuel Dwyer, St. Johnston | 160 Denis Kelly, Churchville |
| 117 Jas. R. Brown, do. | 163 Wm. Keown, Berrinbegh |
| 126 Edwin Coy, Derrigab | 165 Pat. Gallagher, Gully, Berrinbegh |
| 128 Jas. A. Johnston, Carrowbegh | 166 Thomas & Coy, Aughrany |
| 130 Hanson Bros, Laghey | 167 H. A. & P. A. Aiken, Pettigo |
| | 168 McCreay & Coy, Crossroads |
| | 169 Johnweeney & Son, Dugglas |
| | 86 O'Connell, Derrinbegh |
| | 181 W. J. Baird, Merville |

Licences issued

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a Renewal of a Licence, no. 5, under above act was granted to Mr. Hazlett A. Aiken, Pettigo.

Carbide of Calcium

Certificates to show Carbide of Calcium were granted to Messrs. Chas. L. Batt, Rathmullan House, Rathmullan, and Pat. Gallagher, Rathmullan

Limit of Road Expenditure

Dunfurlough R. D.

(A letter, dated 6th January 1916, No. 69,478, from the R. D. Board, stating that they have given directions for the preparation of an order assenting to an extension of the limit of expenditure on roads in Dunfurlough R. D. to £1900, for the Year ending the 31st March 1917, was read.)

Co. Surveyor and Clerk R. D. Board

Co. Surveyor and Clerk R. D. Board

Limit of Road Expenditure

Glenties R. D.

a letter, dated 6th January 1916, No. 69,478, from the Road Board, stating that they have given directions for the preparation of an order assenting to an extension of the limit of expenditure on roads in Glenties Rural District to £4,000, for the Year ending the 31st March 1917, was also read.

Revision of Jurors Lists

a letter, dated 4th January 1916, from the Local Board forwarding copy of an order in Council providing for the payment of certain officers in respect of their attendance at Court for the Revision of Jurors Lists during the Year 1915, was read.

Boyle West, a fraternal Society

Councillors Clarke & Arthur were nominated to act on the Council of above Society for the ensuing Year.

Injury to a County Road

Mr. Caffrey, County Surveyor, reported as follows: -
Derrinbegh

I beg to report that on the road from Derrinbegh to Crossy there is a mill pond near the Derrinbegh end of road. The mill race which feeds this pond has twice burst its banks recently with the result that the water has flowed on to the roadway. If this is allowed to continue the surface of the road will be seriously injured.

It seems that the pond is owned by parties named Mehan, who has leased

leased it to a man named Murray. all of these deny responsibility, and as notices to keep in proper repair have been served on each of the three persons concerned I am of opinion that the two owners and the Lease should be discontinued.

The County Surveyor was directed to Counsel the Solr. to the Co. Council and that the latter take whatever action he deems necessary.

Stealing Stones in Ballyphannon P. D.

Mr. Coffey, Co. Surveyor, also reported as follows:

Gentlemen,

I beg to report that two cases of Stealing Stones have occurred in the Ballyphannon Rural District. In each case the person was caught in the act and was of these having been warned returned and was caught again.

If some action is not taken by the County Council in this matter the public will think that anyone has a perfect right to remove Stones from the sides of the roads.

I therefore beg to suggest that proceedings be instituted against the parties who have been caught with a view to prevent further attempts.

Mr. Coffey was authorized to Counsel the Solicitor to the Co. Council with a view to the latter taking whatever action he later thinks fit.

Condition of a County Road

Copy of a resolution adopted by Enshannon R. D. Council concerning the deplorable condition of part of the leading road from Caradavagh to Derry, for seven miles between Glentogher Quarry and Dingle's Point, occasioned by the extraordinary traffic in transporting road metal over it with heavy traction engines, & more than a year ago for the purpose of improving the main road from
 -merville

merville to Derry, between Red Castle and Muff under the Road Road Scheme, having been read, Councilor Wm. Doherty introduced a Resolution from the District, consisting of Rev. Chas. Byrne, B. C., Rev. P. C. Duncanson, M. A., and Mr. John Deth, D. C. The members having spoken on the matter, the Council decided to leave it in the hands of Mr. Steadman Co. Surveyor.

Continued

Jam. W. Steadman Chairman
 24th February 1916.

Copy minutes A Quarterly Meeting of the Donegal Co. Council sent to R.F. Ross was held on the 24th day of February, 1916.

Co. Council and Chairman 14/2/16 to each other members of the Co. Council 16th March 1916

Attendance

The members present were: Councillors James Dunlop (Chairman), John E. Boyle, Carraghan, Clarke, Davidson, Doherty, Galloway (Eads), Hanna, Mr. Padden, Mr. Gee, Mr. Miller, O'Donnell (Mug), O'Donnell (Jan. #), and O'Donnell (J. #). - The Col. to the Council was also in attendance

Minutes

The minutes of previous meeting were approved

Reports of Committees

The Reports of the various committees were unanimously approved.

Finance meeting held 7th February 1916.

Proposals

Business of the Council

Estimates for Year 1916-17.

On the motion of Councillor Hanna, seconded by Councillor Wm. Doherty, the Secretary's Estimates for the Service of the Finance Year ending 31st March 1917, as adopted by the Finance Committee at a meeting held on the 7th day of February 1916 were (without amendments) unanimously confirmed, and it was resolved to strike Rates for Sewer Charges and Repairs Charges respectively, for the said Finance Year, in accordance with the figures contained in Form 15 and Form 16 - Public Bodies Order 1904.

The Council also determined the amounts to be demanded from Bundoran, Omurree & Letterkenny Urban District Councils

Proposals for Payment

The Proposals for Payment, as reported on by the Finance Committee in respect of 4 ended 31st Decr. 1915, were (without modifications) ordered to be paid.

Proposals for Works

The Proposals for Works formulated by the Proposals Committee, were approved

Bank Book

The Bank Books in connection with the County accounts were submitted and signed by the Chairman.

May and Shaw (movement from Great Britain to Ireland, Order of 1915.

a Copy of an Order of the Department of Agriculture &c. revoking above order was read re Collector Muehler.

a letter, dated 24th January 1916 from the Local Government Board, enclosing copy of a letter which they addressed to Mr. Michael Muehler, relative to the manner in which he discharged his duties as Post Road Collector in the County, was read.

Road Expenditure, Drumfahney Road

a Resolved order, dated 25th January 1916, of the Local Government Board, assenting to an increase in the expenditure on roads in Drumfahney Rural District in respect of Finance Year ending 31st March 1917, was read.

Road Expenditure, Glenties Road

a Resolved order, dated 26th January 1916, of the Local Government Board, assenting to an increase in Road Expenditure in the Glenties Rural District in respect of Years ended 31st March 1917 and 1918, respectively, was read.

Dr. G. Keegan Medical Tuberculosis Officer

a Letter dated 26th January 1916 from the Local Government Board stating that they have extended, for a further period of 6 months their provisional approval of the appointment of Dr. Edward Keegan, as medical Superintendent of the Central Tuberculosis Dispensary to be established by the Donegal County Council, was also read.

Treatment of Tuberculosis, Enchequer, Special Grant.

a letter, dated 31st January 1916, from the Local Govt. Board with reference to the expenditure of the Donegal Co. Council on the treatment of Tuberculosis for the Year ended 31st March 1915, and stating that directions have been

signed

Copy R.F. Ross written to 2/15/16

Given for the issue of a Paying order for £205.6.1 from the Exchequer maintenance fund, being the final payment for the year in question, was read.

Parliament & Representation act 1915.

a Circular letter, dated 4th Feb. 1916 from the Local Government Board enclosing a copy of above act was read.

Trade Boards act 1919.

a Memorandum, dated 3rd February 1916, from the Local Government Board enclosing Notice - Variation of minimum rates of wages for female workers in certain branches of the Tailoring Trade in Ireland to come into force on 3rd January 1916, was read.

Re Refund of amount paid on foot of a Decree.

a letter, dated 3rd February 1916, from the Local Government Board, relative to the proposal of the Dougal Co. Council, to refund the amount paid on foot of a Decree by Messrs Grayson and Dixon Quettles of a Contractor named J. O'Connell, and stating that, from the reports of the County Surveyor, the Quettles of the Contractor appear to have no proper claim in Law or equity to any refund in respect of the Decree obtained against them, was read.

Road Board Fund.

a letter, dated 2nd February 1916, from the Road Board enclosing Cheque for £1500, being the second instalment under Grant No. 2334 - Buff-Moaville road was read. The Secretary stated that he forwarded Cheque for above amount to Treasurer on 4th February 1916.

re reduction of Tonnage of Road Metal.

a letter, dated 3rd February 1916, from the Local Government Board stating that they cannot approve of the proposal to reduce the tonnage of road metal by 15% on all maintenance contracts in Co. Donegal existing on 4th August 1914, and those entered into since that date, was read.

Road Committee

a Report of Mr. Steadman, County Surveyor, recommending the appointment of a Road Committee having been considered, it was decided to form such a Committee for the purpose of dealing with all Reports in connection with roads and the carrying out of the Regulations formulated by the County Council for assistant Surveyors.

The following members of the Council were appointed to constitute the Committee.

Councillor Dunlop proposed that the Committee consist of 5 members of the Council, 3 members to form a Quorum the Chairman to have a casting Vote.

Councillor Hanna seconded.

Councillor J. O'Donnell moved an amendment that 10 members of the Council constitute said Committee, Councillor O'Connell seconded.

A Vote was then taken.

For 5 members - Councillors Dunlop, Clarke, Davidson, Doherty, Hanna, & Mr. Gill - 6.

Against - Councillors W. Farrell, Boyle, O'Connell, E. Farrell, Mr. Fadden, Mr. Kelly, O'Donnell (Hugh), O'Donnell (J. H.) and O'Donnell (P. H.) - 9.

The Chairman declared motion lost & amendment carried.

The Committee:

Councillors Cassidy, Jacob Forman, O'Connell (J. H.), Farrell (Edward), O'Connell, Mr. Arthur, Mr. Devitt, W. Farrell, O'Connell.

On the motion of Councillor Dunlop, seconded by Councillor Hanna it was unanimously decided that three members form a Quorum, and that the Secretary convene meetings of the Committee when he deems it necessary to do so.

The Secretary was directed to transmit a copy of the Scheme defining duties of assistant County Surveyors, to each member of the Committee.

Copy of Scheme sent to each member of the Committee 2/10/16.

Flagmen - Payment of half Wages

Mr. Steadman, County Surveyor reported as follows:

gentlemen

As matters stand at present the Drivers only receive half pay during the time Rollers or Breakers are idle -

Now in the Winter time days are lost owing to frost and exceptionally severe storms, or in other words through causes over which men have no control. The Flagman's Wages are much smaller than those of Drivers, and they feel it a hardship not to be treated on a similar footing to the Drivers regarding half pay when enforced to be idle through causes they cannot overcome.

If treatment, similar to that accorded the Drivers, were given to the Flagman there would be no likelihood of abuse, as a man would rather earn his full days pay by working than idle.

Again, the wages of a Flagman do not leave him a sufficient margin to meet enforced idle days - He has to live as well as the Driver -

Occasionally during a break down some days elapse before the repair is completed and it is not only hard on Flagman, but causes discontent when they do not get half pay under such circumstances.

Councillor William Sleagher proposed and Councillor Hanna seconded and it was unanimously resolved that the Flagman employed in connection with the Council's Steam Road Rolling Plant be put on the same category as Engine Drivers so far as half time wages is concerned.

re Main Roads

Mr. Steadman, County Surveyor, requested the Council to authorize him to get reports of Co. Surveyors re main roads printed and copies circulated among the members of the Co. Council. ^{of R.D. Council} Then the reports could be considered

considered at the next half-yearly meeting of the Co. Council. This course was agreed to on the motion of Councillor Hanna seconded by Councillor Buckley.

Children Act, 1908.

Notices under above act, received from the C. F. O. Chuschnie, D. S. R. S. C. Pungel - were read

Movement of animals from Ireland in the County of West Sussex. Copy of Resolution of Temporary S. R. Co. Council on the subject of the Regulations adopted by the Co. Council of West Sussex prohibiting the movement into the County of West Sussex of animals landed from Ireland since 20th Nov. 1905, was marked read.

a letter from Mr. Hugh McManis, Barrack St. Carlisle, stating that his son Hugh, who, until lately, held the position of Flagman on one of the Council's Steam Rollers, has now joined the army, and requesting the Co. Council to keep the position of Flagman open until his return at the expiration of the war, having been read, Mr. Coffrey, Co. Surveyor, stated that Hugh McManis left without giving any notice and he (Mr. Coffrey) had to appoint another flagman in his place. No action was taken.

Petty Sessions House at Ardara

a letter from the Secretary, Ardara Town Committee, stating that the Committee had to purchase the Petty Sessions House at ^{Ardara} ~~Widdoway~~ from the C. D. Board that they might save the locality the expense of building a new Court House, no other place being available. Now that in order to pay off the loan they are unable to do so except by raising the rent of the Petty Sessions House to £10 yearly, having been read, on the motion of Councillor McNeil, seconded by Councillor Doberty, it was resolved to increase the rent of said premises from £6 to £8 per annum. To take effect as from

John W. McManis written to 2/2/11

Archie Ardara Town Committee written to 2/2/16

from the 1st November 1915.

Copy recovered from departing Road Contractors a Statement of monies received by Mr. William Wilson, Solicitor, Athlone, on behalf of the Dangan County Council, since furnishing his last account amounting to £41.13.2 together with a cheque for same, was read Shore Road at Dertine.

a letter from Messrs Anderson & Rland Solicitors, Dublin, on behalf of the Marguerite Company, calling upon the Dangan County Council to put a repair at once, and keep in repair the Shore road at Dertine; having been read, Mr. Coffey, Co. Surveyor, reported that he was expending £20 on one portion of said road. He was directed to again inspect the road and furnish the Co. Council with his report.

Decees. Marked As Lost

Letters dated 11th and 20th January 1916 from the D.C. to the Co. Council stating that the Decees frauded in the following cases: Dangan Co. Council v. J. J. McBrody and John Maginnis v. the Co. Council have been returned by the Sheriff marked "no good", were read.

Sale of Food and Drugs acts

a letter from the County auditor explaining cause of delay in forwarding Certificates in connection with adulterated samples to certain Food and Drugs Inspectors was read and considered satisfactory.

Road Contractors' Books

a letter dated 22nd January 1916 from the D.C. to the Co. Council enclosing forms of Contractors' Books to which he has added the words "and any two or more of us immediately before we jointly and severally meet" having been read, it was unanimously resolved on the motion of Councillor Dunlop, seconded by Councillor Doherty that the recommendation

be

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be carried out.

Irish Employment Bureau

a letter from the Secretary, Irish Employment Bureau, 2 Dawson St. Dublin, requesting the Dangan Co. Council to approve of the formation of this Bureau was read and no action taken.

Traction Engine & Motor Waggon traffic

Copy resolution of Newtownards Rural District re the regulation of Traction Engines and motor waggon traffic on roads, was unanimously adopted on the motion of Councillor Hanna seconded by Councillor Doherty.

Re Contract No. 29, Buncrana, R.D.

Copy resolution of Buncrana R.D. Council requesting the Co. Council to rescind the Contract on road No. 29, in the name of Charles Stewart of Fagher, Ballymore, entered into Nov. 1915, having been read, Councillor Dunlop moved that we refuse to cancel said Contract Councillor Clarke seconded and the matter was unanimously agreed to.

re Erection of Barbed-Wire Fences

Copy resolution of Glenties R.D. Council that this Council is satisfied that a Barbed-Wire Fence on portions of the Co. road, Fintra to Ballyard Bog, is a nuisance and dangerous to persons, animals, or things using the said public road, and we ask the Co. Council to use their powers to have the said Barbed-Wire fence removed, and thus prevent injury to cattle, &c. having been read, it was decided that legal action could be taken against the person who put up the fence by those having cattle, &c. injured.

Case - Houston v. Co. Council

a letter from the D.C. to the Co. Council conveying Judge Cooke's decision in above case, was read, and a copy of the letter was directed to be sent to each County Surveyor with a view to their calling the attention of the the assistant Co. Surveyors to it, and all others concerned

concerned

Copy put to Clerk
Committee
2/10/16

Strawder R.N. School Attendance Committee
a letter from the Secretary Cloghan National Teachers
association enclosing copy of a Resolution
and Statistics of attendance of children
at certain schools in Strawder Rural
District having been read, the Secretary was directed
to send a copy of the letter &c. to the School
attendance Committee.

Quarry at Lurg

a letter from Pat^o Callaghan, Killybegs, Killybegs,
on the subject of an application by him
at Killybegs Petty Sessions for an order to
enter a Quarry at Lurg, belonging to Andrew
Crawford, having been read, Mr. Caffrey, Co. Surveyor,
reported that the matter was alright, and that
the case was decided in the County Councils favor of
Killybegs Petty Sessions. Re Condition of Certain Co. Roads

a letter from the Clerk Deery W.D. Co. Council
enclosing, by direction of that Body, letter received
from D. Hamilton, Falan, relative to the
condition of certain roads, and also to the
use of the Co. Councils Stone Breakers at Falan
having been read.

Mr. Steadman, County Surveyor, reported as follows:
Gentlemen

With regards to D. Hamilton's Complaint -
I do refer to the Breaker working at Falan for Contractor
H. Deery. I saw the Machine at work there and there
was nothing to prevent anyone passing. Perhaps
he refers to the metal spreads for Roller near
Bunessane.

It is very seldom a Breaker is working
on any particular road, perhaps once in the Year,
and only then a couple of days or so with any
Contractor.

I notice that some roads are, with reason
complained of. There are lying out of Contract
and if the local parties affected would aid
in finding contractors for them it would be much
appreciated and effect something practical.

For one apparently taking an interest
in the roads it is hard to reconcile a Complaint
over an inconvenience which, at any time, could
only

Copy Co. Surveyors Report sent to
Clerk R.D. Council 2/10/16

only be slight while Road machinery is at work
The Secretary was directed to send a
copy of the report to Deery W.D. Co. Council
Permission to Construct an Outlet

a letter from Rev. St. Doogan, C.C. Killygordan,
requesting the Co. Council to grant him permission
to construct a proper outlet to carry away
the water at Crossroad where there is
at present a little bridge, not sufficiently
large or deep for the purpose, having been
read, permission was granted subject
to the approval of Mr. Caffrey, Co. Surveyor.

Carbide of Calcium

a Certificate was granted to James Clarke,
Box, D.P. Postball, to have Carbide of Calcium
for use from 24th February 1916.

Explosives Act 1875

Renewal of Licenses under above act were
issued to the following persons
No. 11 James Faragher, Kerrykeel No. 170. Council & Coy. U. Cunningham
107 Godwin & Angelo Rodgers No. 182. Gernobrea, Pettigo
132 P. A. D. Russell, Doonbeg No. 185. Templemore Co-operative
Society Ltd. Dunglass
164 Matthew Couck, Deakinery No. 186. Mr. Walter M. Oliver, Cowsay

A new License, No. 182, was granted to James Hunter, Albiford.

Stone Licenses

Renewals of Stone Licenses under Explosives Act
1875, were granted to
No. 23 James Wood, Kildrum, No. 36. Hugh McFie, Glenties
New Licenses (Stone) were granted to
No. 37. M. J. O'Hare, C.E. Glenties, No. 39. John Davison, Dougal,
No. 38. Pat^o Cassidy, Aughamuck, No. 40. Frank Kearney, Pettigo

Doonbeg Improvement Committee

On the motion of Councillor Wm. Gallagher, seconded
by Councillor Edward Gallagher, the Rev. Joseph
McKerrey, J. P. Killygordan with a appointed
a member of above Committee in place of
the late Monsieur M. Langham.

Contract No. 592, Thabane No. 2, R. 10.

a letter from Bernard Mc. Mullen, Tullyvinney, Raphoe,
Contractor for road No. 592, Thabane, No. 2, R. 10,
requesting the Co. Council to change the quarry,
from which the stones for this road
were

Pat^o Callaghan
Killybegs
2/10/16

James Caffrey
Co. Surveyor
2/10/16

were to be taken to Lake's Quarry, at the
Barr. and at the same time to accept
80 tons of Stones instead of 100 tons for
the same amount (£25). (Yearely, having been read,
the Council decided they could not accede
to the request.

Craigtown Quarry

The Secretary submitted the following letter read
from the Deft. to the Council.

Herewith please find for sealing by the Co. Council
the following documents:

Transcript from Joseph Craig, Transcript from W^m John Wilkie,
agreement between the above mentioned and the
Council in triplicate

The purchase money originally agreed upon was £14.
of which £4 was payable to Mr Wilkie, £4 to the
Irish Land Commission to reduce the annuity on this
part of the holding, and £6 to Mr Craig, but owing
to a hitch which arose by reason of Mr Craig
not having his annuity reduced by the Irish Land
Commission, and with the sanction of the County
Surveyor, an additional sum of £7 has been paid
to Mr Craig, and he thereupon completed the deed.

Please obtain the County Council's sanction to
this additional sum of £7 and include a paying
order for it when arranging for the rest of the money.

The Council approved of the action
of their Deft. and Mr Stedman Co. Surveyor, in the matter,
and directed that the Council's seal be affixed
to the documents above referred to.

re Collector James P. Fallagher

Letters from the C.D. Board and Messrs Alder, Macken
and Coy. Barrow, apprising, intimating that they had
made payments, amounting to £13.16.2 and £15.10.3
respectively, during months of Nov. and Dec. 1915. to
Mr James P. Fallagher, Rate Collector, in respect of Rates
were read, and the Deft. having stated that these
amounts had not been lodged to the credit of
the Co. Fund by Collector Fallagher till February
1916, and a letter from the S.F. Board on the
subject, having also been read, it was decided
to take no further action, the Council having
already

already confirmed the minutes of the Finance
Committee recommending Fallagher's suspension
from Office.

re Securing Rate Collectors in Co. Downgal

The Secretary submitted proposals received from
certain approved Guarantee Societies for
Securing the Poor Rate Collectors in the County.

Councillor Blake proposed that
the terms, viz: 8 1/2%, offered by the Benham Fire and
accident Insurance Society, St. Michael's House, Postey,
London E.C. be accepted, and that in the
event of this Coy. not completing the arrangement
that the business be given to the National
Benefit Life and Property Insurance Coy.
Ltd., on the terms, viz: 9 1/2%, offered on their
behalf by Messrs Frank Gibson, Lloyd and
Coy Ltd, Insurance Brokers Dublin, Councillor
Kenna Deputed ^{of the County who appeared} re Damage to old Road

Mr Stedman, Co. Surveyor, reported re damage
done to a road near Barnes Gap,
on road between Kilmacrenan & Breealony &
from where it appeared that the Railway Coy.
(Bunhamport Extension) are responsible for
the damage. Mr Kenna proposed that Mr
Stedman confer with the Deft. and that the
latter write the Railway Coy. Councillor
Dunlevy Deputed and the matter was
unanimously agreed to.

re Condition of a County Road

A memorial, signed by the Ratepayers of
Cloughlisk, Buncrana, re condition of road
from near Bradley's Corner to Newry Mr Deft
having been read, Mr Stedman Co. Surveyor stated
that proposals were brought forward ^{by the District Councillor for the District} several
times to have said road repaired but no
person tendered for the work and that he
told the Assistant Surveyor for the District
to get something done to the road by
some person interested, but he could not
get a man except by paying him an exceptionally
large sum. The Council decided Mr Stedman
to have some repairs carried out
by

Philip Dobson, Rate Collector,
Buncrana
written to 9.3.16

by Sudden Breach.

Condition of a County Road

Councillor James H. O'Rourke referred to a new road in his district. Jack Rowan was the Contractor and got paid $\frac{2}{3}$ of the amount of his tender, but failed to complete the contract, and that nothing has been done to said road for the past nine years and over 100 households are affected thereby. The Council decided that the only remedy now was for the Councillor for the District to bring forward a petition or motion before Clifton P. O'Connell to have the road repaired for a term of years.

Road Prosecutions

Mr. Steadman, County Surveyor, reported that certain Contractors were neglecting their contracts and as he was unable to make anything further of them he recommended that same be prosecuted at Quarter Sessions.

The Report, with names of Contractors appended, was approved and signed by the Chairman, particulars in each case to be furnished to the Solicitor to the County Council.
 Approved.

James H. O'Rourke, Chairman,
 18th April, 1916.