

10th Jan 03

Read letter of 9th inst from Messrs John & Robert Ramsay of Carrickane, protesting against the amount awarded them under the Labourers acts by Widwainy Arbitrator. The Council decided they had no power to interfere.

Read letters from the Local Government Board viz: 27th Decr to 70635. Acknowledging receipt of application for sanction to loan of £500 under the Labourers acts. 9th January to 176 n. Forwarding copy Local Government (Ireland) Act 1902.

7th January to 70635. Sanctioning loan of £500, in connection with Labourers acts.

Read letter of 9th January from Mr J. G. M. Starvey on behalf of Mr S. Cochrane. In reply to the Clerk, stating he would be prepared to accept £70 per acre for land taken under the Labourers acts - On the motion of Mr Mitchell recorded by Mr W. S. Lwaine it was ordered that the Local Government Board be requested to appoint an Arbitrator to act in the case.

Ordered that the Clerk instruct Mr Tracey Soler to take the necessary steps for having the leases of the various plots completed as soon as possible.

Messrs. Green and W. Arthur were appointed a Committee regarding Printing Contract.

adjourned till 14th February 1903.

Joseph McArthur Chairman

Quarterly meeting.

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

Quarterly
MINUTES of Proceedings at a Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on ~~Saturday~~ *Wednesday* the *21st* day of *January* 190*3*.

PRESENT:—In the Chair, *Joseph M. Arthur Esq.*
Other District Councillors: *Messrs Logan Peoples*

H. Llewaini, Simpson, Mitchell Long, Cunningham Green
Rolleston, Craig Coyle, Bradley & O'Donnell.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[FORM 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the.....day of.....1.....

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council						
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held next before the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows :—

	DR.			CR.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz. :—						
Salaries						
Burial Grounds Expenses						
Labourers Acts Expenses						
Sanitary Expenses :—						
General Charges						
Separate Charges						
Office Expenses						
Superannuation and Retiring Allowances						
Repayment of Loans :—						
General Charges						
Separate Charges						
Intercepting Hospital						
Expenses under Special Acts :						
General Charges						
Separate Charges						
Expenses of Local Committees :—						
General Charges						
Separate Charges						
Election, Law, and other Expenses						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued ..						

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

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

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of 1. including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

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

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

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

The Rent Collection Book and the Report Books of the several Rent Collectors were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature. On the Report Books of the several Collectors orders were made in individual cases as follows :—

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

27 January 1903

Read quarterly report from County Surveyor, ~~and~~ regarding condition of roads, and performance of contracts, stating same had been fairly carried out during past quarter. The report recommended Expenditure of £100 in cleaning out Canal at Binnfoot on condition that the Hon. J. A. B. Casey agrees to pay portion of cost. Mr. Gracy, Solicitor, read Council's opinion on the matter, and after discussion, it was ordered that Mr. Gracy write the Lough Swilly Railway Company, asking if they will bear a portion of the whole cost (which is not to exceed £150) of cleaning out the Canal.

Applications as on Published Sheet, were considered, and dealt with as follows: 1 to 11 passed, 12 rejected, 13 to 17 passed, 18 rejected, 19 to 23 passed, 24 and 25 rejected, 26 to 28 passed, 29 passed at £15, 30 passed, 31 to 33 rejected, 34 and 35 passed.

Recommendations as to proposals for payment Form 17/14 considered and passed.

The Clerk submitted his Estimate of Expenditure for year ending 31st March 1904 amounting to £262, and also County Surveyor's Estimate for like period, amounting to £1752 & 10, both of which were approved of.

The Council fixed Wednesday 4th February 1903, at 12 o'clock, as date of adjourned quarterly meeting to consider tenders.

adjourned till 4th February 1903.

Joseph McArthur Chairman

adjourned quarterly meeting held 4th February 03.

4 Feb
1903

Present in the Chair, Capt. W. Arthur Esq.
Other members, Messrs. W. Lohan, Peoples, Long, Craig, Mitchell, Rolstone, O'Donnell, Simpson, Glenn & Cunningham.

Tenders for items as on Published Sheet, were submitted and accepted in ^{each} case.

In the case of No. 22 the Contractor refused to perfect his Bond. In the other cases the Bonds were duly completed and signed in presence of a member of the Council.

adjourned till 15th April 1903 being date of next quarterly meeting.

Joseph McArthur Chairman

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of Proceedings at a Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on *Saturday* the *14* day of *February* 1903,

PRESENT:—In the Chair, *Joseph Arthur Esq*
Other District Councillors: *Messrs M. Hoare, Rolleston Logan, Alexander, Hanna, McGowan, Peoples, Green, Simpson Long Mitchell, O'Donnell & O'raig*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[Form 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the *14th* day of *February* 1903.

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of *February* 1903 and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	DR.			CR.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments	<i>46</i>	<i>15</i>	"			
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council				<i>46</i>	<i>15</i>	"
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held next before the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

Table with columns for Dr. (£ s. d.) and Cr. (£ s. d.). Rows include Salaries, Burial Grounds Expenses, Labourers Acts Expenses, Sanitary Expenses, Office Expenses, Superannuation and Retiring Allowances, Repayment of Loans, Intercepting Hospital, Expenses under Special Acts, Expenses of Local Committees, Election, Law, and other Expenses, Expenditure out of Loans, and Cr. Treasurer Total Amount of Orders issued.

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

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

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of January 1903 including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

Summary and Reconciliation table with columns for Ordinary Account (£ s. d.) and Loans Account (£ s. d.). Rows include Balance due by Treasurer, Total sums received, Balance due to Treasurer, Payments ordered, Net Balance due, and Reconciliation details.

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

Monthly Abstract table with columns for Collector's District No., Number of Cottages (Built, Let, Unoccupied), Rent Collection (Arrears, Rents, Total, Collected), and Collectors' Cash Account (Arrears, Balance, Collected, Total, Lodged, Balance).

The Rent Collection Book and the Report Books of the several Rent Collectors were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature. On the Report Books of the several Collectors orders were made in individual cases as follows:—

Table with columns: In what Collector's District, Name of Tenant, Nature of Report, Order made by the District Council thereon.

14th Feb 1903

The Clerk submitted Sealed Order, received from the Local Government Board, appointing Mr J H A Swiney, arbitrator in connection with the taking of lands under the Landowners Part 2 Labourers Order 1902. Also read letter from Mr Swiney asking could a settlement not be effected without calling in his services, and from Mr Harvey, agent for Captain Cochrane stating he would not accept less than £70 per acre, and that if the arbitration was not proceeded with at once, he would proceed with the cropping of the lands, after discussion as to making another offer to Captain Cochrane, it was resolved that the arbitrator be requested to hold his inquiry as soon as possible.

Read letters from the Local Government Board viz: 9th Feb to 65874. enclosing Sealed Order regarding Expenses of Arbitration in connection with Labourers Scheme Part 1. 5th Feb to 15th 40 Stating Labourers Act 1883, was continued till 31st December 1903.

27th June no 71578. Sealed Order regarding Slague 20th Jan to 1336. Sealed Order prescribing form of Minute under Sec 18 & 19 of Local Government (Ireland) Act 1902.

Mr. Tracey Solicitor, being in attendance submitted correspondence in connection with Inch and Bunsfoot, road from Lough Swilly Railway Co offering £30 towards lowering the rock in bed of stream. Also read letter from Mr Barton agent for Lord Brassay, agreeing to pay one third of cost of cleaning canal. After discussion, Mr Hanna moved that the ~~stream~~ ^{canal} be cleared, which was seconded by Mr Logan, and passed. Mr Tracey was directed to interview the Directors of the Railway Co, and to write Mr Barton, with a view to getting a contribution from them in aid of the work. Mr Tracey to report at next meeting of Council.

Read letter from the Secretary of the Donegal County Council, regarding adoption of a system of Steam Rolling in the County. Mr Hanna moved that the Rural Council approve of the Scheme, which was seconded by Mr Mitchell and passed by 10 votes against 3.

Read Circular from the Donegal County Council of 21st Jan, regarding consents of owners and occupiers to taking of lands for and roads, and stating same should in future be attached to bonds for carrying out the work.

Read letter of 5th February from Todd & Mack Solicitors, regarding adoption of Labourers Acts in the District.

The Clerk submitted a number of Representations under the Labourers Acts, received from Killea, Three Trees and Ardstown Divisions. Ordered that they be considered at meeting on 14th March.

Read reports of Existing Nuisances from Medical Officers of Health of Killea and Burt Districts. Ordered that the usual notices be served on the parties in fault and in the event of their failing to comply therewith that legal proceedings be taken against them.

adj^d 14th March 1903. Joseph M. Arthur Chairman

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of Proceedings at a Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on *Saturday* the *14th* day of *March* 1903,

PRESENT:—In the Chair, *Joseph W. Arthur Esq*

Other District Councillors: *Messrs Hanna, Alexander, Simpson, Green, W. Gowar, Glenn, Peoples, Cunningham Craig, Long, Coyle, M. Lwaine, Logan, Rolstone, O'Donnell, Bradley, Cowan, Mitchell & Gungley*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[FORM 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the.....day of.....1.....

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council						
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held next before the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

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

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

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	Built.	Let.	Unoccupied.	Arrears due by Tenants at close of last Month.		Rents accrued during the Month.		Total for Collection.		Collected during the Month.		Arrears due by Tenants at the close of this Month.		Balance (if any) in hands at close of the last Month.		Collected during the Month.		Total to be accounted for by Collector.		Lodged with Treasurer during the Month.		Balance (if any) in hands at close of this Month.					
				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
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II.																											
III.																											
IV.																											
V.																											
VI.																											
Total																											

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

14th March
1903

Read letters from the Local Government Board viz:-
18 Feb'y to 31 m. Return regarding Labourers Act's expenditure.
19th Feb'y to 1448, Forwarding copy Auditor's report, and attached
abstract of accounts for half year ended 30th September 1902.
9th Feb'y to 18 m, Sealed Order regarding admission of the Press
to Council meetings.

19 Feb'y to 22 m, Circular regarding revenue accounts

Read letter of 21st Feb'y from Secretary General Post Office
Dublin, stating annual expenses of Newtoncunningham Telegraph
Office had been reduced to £41 per annum.

Read Circular of 12th March from the Secretary of Public
Works, stating loan of £500 under Labourers Order part 2
had been sanctioned.

Read letter of 13th inst from Mr. Tracey J.C. regarding not
having he had not yet received any reply from Lord Brassill's
agent, a joint inspection of the road by the Railway Company's
Engineer, and the County Surveyor, had taken place, but their report
had not yet been received. No action was taken by the Council
pending receipt of the report.

Pursuant to notice the Council proceeded to consider
Representations under the Labourers Act's received from Killea
Birdstown and Three Trees Divisions, and the Clerk submitted
reports from the Medical Officers of Health in connection therewith
after discussion, Messrs Alexander and H. L. Swaine were appointed
a sub-committee for Killea District, and Messrs Mitchell & Bradley for
Three Trees, and Messrs Logan, Simpson and Inghill for Birdstown, to
report to Council at next meeting.

Ordered advertisements involving tenders for erecting Labourers
Cottages, proposals to be considered at next meeting,
adjourned till 11th April 1903.

Joseph McArthur Chairman

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of Proceedings at a Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on *Saturday* the *11th* day of *April* 1903

PRESENT:—In the Chair, *Joseph M. Arthur J.P.*
Other District Councillors: *W. Hanna J.P. Dr. Alexander, J. Logan, C. Craig, R. Simpson, W. Green, J. O'Sullivan, A. Kaulston, C. Long J.P. J. Gledin, J. Peoples, J. Mc Nally, J. Mitchell, J. McGowan, J. Bradley, J. Quigley.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[Form 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the *11th* day of *October* *April* 1903

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments	8	9				
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council						
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents				8	9	
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above	8	9		8	9	

11th April 1903

Tenders for selection of Labourers Cottages were submitted but as it appeared a difficulty arose in regard to amount allowed for fences, it was decided to readvertise; tenders to be submitted at next meeting.

Read circular letters from the Local Government Board viz: - 6th instant, for return of Salaries of Sanitary Officers
25th ultimo, in regard to closing of accounts at 31st March.
8th instant, enclosing forms for return of officers
26th ultimo, for return under the Labourers Acts.

The Clerk submitted Malicious Injury Claim from Samuel Ramsey, Ballyderowen, for £20 on account of the shaft of Flax Mill. Ordered, that Mr Wilson, Solicitor, be instructed to defend the case.

Read circular letter of 31st ultimo, from the Secretary, County Council, in regard to accepting none but solvent securities in road contracts.

Read report regarding site for Labourers Houses in Three Trees, from Messrs Mitchell, and Bradley, after consideration the report was held over in the meantime.

The Clerk submitted Mortgage for loan of £500 from the Board of Works, in connection with Labourers Scheme Part II, when it was moved by Mr Hauna seconded by Mr Craig and Resolved "That our Corporate Seal be affixed to the Deed of Mortgage of this date now read, whereby security is given to the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland for the repayment of the sum of £500 proposed to be advanced by them to us under the Labourers Ireland Acts.

Further moved by Mr Hauna, seconded by Mr Craig, and Resolved that inasmuch as this Council does not immediately require from the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland, the entire of the sum of £500 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 requisition for each advance shall be intimated to said Commissioners by the Chairman of this Council for the time being countersigned by the Clerk, and that each such requisition shall be forwarded to the Accountant of the said Commissioners, and that all such advances shall be lodged to our credit as Landowerry, Rural District Council Loan Account in the Landowerry Branch of the Belfast Bank.

The Clerk submitted notification from the Local Government Board that £5 had been paid to the County Council on behalf of the Rural Council and a further sum of £4129 2 7 remitted under

under the Labourers Acts.

Adjourned till the 9th May 1903

Joseph McArthur Chairman

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of Proceedings at a ^{Quarterly} Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on *Wednesday* the *15th* day of *April* 1903

PRESENT:—In the Chair, *Joseph M. Arthur Esq. J.P.*
Other District Councillors: *D. Alexander, W. Green, A. Peoples, R. Simpson, J. Glenn, C. Craig, A. Paulston, J. Mitchell, J. Bradley, H. Boyle, J. Donnell, C. Long, P. Doherty, A. Cunningham.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[Form 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the.....day of.....1.....

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
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Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council						
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

12th April 1903 Read quarterly report from Co. Surveyor regarding condition of roads, and performance of contracts, stating the bad weather had affected the roads greatly.

Read joint report from the Co. Surveyor, and Mr Hall, Railway Engineer, regarding flooding of Burnfoot road, and recommending cleaning of stream, and excavating its bed in places. After discussion it was ordered that a copy of the report be forwarded to Mr Barton, Agent for Mr Brassey, asking if he will contribute one third of the cost.

Applications as on published sheet were submitted and dealt with as follows 1 to 20 panned. 21 & 22 rejected, 23 panned. 24 and 25 rejected. 26 panned. 27 rejected (a Committee to report at next Quarterly Meeting) 28 rejected, 29 panned. 30 rejected, 31 to 34 panned.

Recommendations as to Proposals for Payment on Form 13/14 considered and panned.

The Council fixed Wednesday 29th April at 12 o'clock as date of Adjourned Quarterly Meeting to consider tenders.

Adjourned till 29th April 1903

Joseph McArthur Chairman

29th April 1903

Adjourned Quarterly Meeting.
Minutes of proceedings at Adjourned Quarterly Meeting of Londonderry No 2 Rural District Council held on Wednesday 29th April 1903 at the Workhouse.
In the Chair Joseph McArthur J.P.
Other members present J. O'Donnell, W. Green, J. Bradley, R. Simpson, J. Mitchell, C. Craig, A. W. Long J.P., R. Cunningham

The Minutes of Quarterly Meeting were read and confirmed.

Tenders for items as on published sheet were submitted and accepted, the lowest being in each case, taken.

The various contractors were present with their Sureties, and perfected their Bonds.

Adjourned.

Chairman
Joseph McArthur

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of Proceedings at a Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on *Saturday* the *9th* day of *May* 1903.

PRESENT:—In the Chair, *Joseph W Arthur Esq*
Other District Councillors: *Messrs W. Gowan Mitchell, Craig, Simpson, Long, Colestone, Peoples, Glenn, W. Lawrence Hanna & D. Alexander.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

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FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the.....day of.....1.....

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Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council						
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

27 May 1903

Read letter of 2nd inst from Mr Barton. Stating the Hon J.A. Brassay would agree to pay one third of the total sum not exceeding £200 for lowering the bed of Burnfoot river. Also read letter from Secretary to the Lough Swilly Railway Coy. Stating they would not contribute more than £30 towards the cost and on conditions satisfactory to their Engineers.

After discussion, it was decided to ask the County Surveyor for an estimate of what the work would cost according to the requirements of the Railway Company.

On the motion of Mr Hanna, seconded by Mr McNeill the seal of the Council was affixed to requisition to have Mr Tracey's costs in connection with Burnfoot road taxed.

Tenders for erection of Labourers Cottages submitted, when the following were accepted viz:-

David Moody, Burt for 2 houses in Castleforward Division £265 and 2 at Moleny £270.

Thomas Rott Drumbooy, 2 houses in Murrer Greggan £259

David Stewart Carrigan, 2 in Castlekine, and 2 in Allaghtany £268. Patrick Rotary Kilcar 2 at Newtoncunningham £259.

Mr Duffy Jock 2 at Carrachance £261

Tenders were received accepted for 2 houses in Specogue and 2 in Magherabeg.

Requisition for first instalment of Loan of £500 under the Labourers acts was signed by the Chairman.

Resolution from Ballymoney Rural Council regarding Land Bill was adopted.

Reports of Committees regarding Labourers Cottages in Birdstown and Killea divisions were held over till next meeting.

Read Circular of 21st April 1881 from the Local Government Board, asking for return under the Labourers acts for the House of Commons.

adjourned till the 17th June 1903

Joseph M^o Arthur

Annual Meeting

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of Proceedings at a Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on *Monday* the *1st* day of *June* 190*8*.

PRESENT:—In the Chair, *Mr Joseph Warburton*.

Other District Councillors: *Messrs Peoples, Long, Craig, Bradley, Logan, Simpson, Mitchell, Kaulstone, Green, Coyle, O'Donnell, Warburton, Mahally.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[Form 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the.....day of.....1.....

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

	DR.			CR.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council						
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held next before the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows :—

Table with columns for Dr. and Cr. accounts, subdivided into pounds, shillings, and pence. Rows include various expenses like Salaries, Burial Grounds Expenses, Sanitary Expenses, etc.

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

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

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

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

Summary and Reconciliation table with columns for Ordinary Account and Loans Account, subdivided into pounds, shillings, and pence. Rows include Balance due by Treasurer, Payments ordered, and Net Balance.

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

Large table with columns for Collector's District, Number of Cottages, Rent Collection, and Collectors' Cash Account. Rows are numbered I to VI, with a Total row at the bottom.

The Rent Collection Book and the Report Books of the several Rent Collectors were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature. On the Report Books of the several Collectors orders were made in individual cases as follows :—

Table with columns: In what Collector's District, Name of Tenant, Nature of Report, Order made by the District Council thereon. The table is mostly blank with a diagonal line drawn across it.

27 June 1903

On the motion of Mr Mitchell seconded by Mr Long & supported by Mr Craig, ~~Mr Mitchell~~ was unanimously elected Chairman of the Council for the ensuing year.

Moved by Mr Logan, seconded by Mr Simpson that Mr C. Long be elected Vice Chairman.

Mr Bradley moved, and Mr Peoples seconded the election of Mr Joseph Mitchell.

On a division, Mr Mitchell was elected by 7 votes against 2. The following being the voting viz:-

For Mr Mitchell, Messrs Peoples Craig Bradley Green Cople O'Donnell & Whalley.

For Mr Long Messrs Logan & Simpson.

Mr Boulston did not vote.

adjourned till next annual meeting on 2nd June 1904

Joseph M. Arthur Chairman

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LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of Proceedings at a Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on *Saturday* the *13th* day of *June*, 1903,

PRESENT:—In the Chair, *Joseph W Arthur Esq.*
Other District Councillors: *Messrs Mitchell, Hanna,*

Craig Green, Peoples Simpson, M. Glovine Logan Roulstone
Cowan and Glenn

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[Form 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the.....day of.....1.....

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council						
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

13th June 1903

Read Circular letter of 10th June, from Secretary of Donegal County Council, Enclosing copy resolution passed by that body regarding notices of motion in respect of new roads.

Read report from County Surveyor regarding cost of carrying out improvements at Burrenfoot road, and estimating same at £247 10^s 0. After discussion, on the motion of Mr Mitchell, seconded by Mr Bolstone, it was resolved

that the County Surveyor be asked to put in a proposal to raise the road to next quarterly meeting of the Rural Council.

Read Circular of 14th May, from the Home Office regarding Bake Houses.

Read Circular of 21st May to 83rd from the Local Govt Board, regarding acceptance of tenders for public works, and suggesting a deposit should be lodged with each tender, on the motion of Mr Mitchell, seconded by Mr Cowan, it was resolved that any contractor, whose tender has been accepted but who refuses or fails to complete his bond be debarred from again obtaining a contract in this Rural District for three years. This to apply also to the sureties of any such contractor, and intimation to this effect to be given on the public notice required under article 16 (2) of the Procedure of Councils Order 1899, on the motion of Mr Hanna, seconded by Mr Craig it was

resolved that Mr Gracey, Solicitor pay costs of all solicitors in connection with titles to Lands for Labourers cottages.

Reports of Committees, regarding Labourers Houses in Bredston, and Killea divisions, which had been held over from last meeting were considered. After discussion it was decided to postpone taking any further action for three months.

Read Circular from the Local Government Board of 22nd May regarding pasteurisation of milk.

The Clerk submitted Order for payment of 1st instalment of £150 of Loan, under Labourers Act.

Read reports of existing nuisances from Medical Officers of Health of Burt. and Kilderry Districts, and also reports regarding sanitary condition of National Schools. Ordered that the usual notices requiring abatement of nuisances be served on the parties at fault and in event of their failure to comply therewith, that legal proceedings be taken against them.

adjourned till 11th July 1903

Joseph McArthur Chairman,

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

Special
MINUTES of Proceedings at a Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on *Saturday* the *27* day of *June* 1903,

PRESENT:—In the Chair, *Joseph W. Arthur Esq.*

Other District Councillors:

*Messrs Mitchell, W. Gowan
Peoples Long, Simpson, Rolleston, Hanna, W. Lorraine,
& Craig.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[FORM 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the.....day of.....L.....

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council						
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held next before the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

Table with columns for Dr. (£ s. d.) and Cr. (£ s. d.) detailing various expenses such as Salaries, Burial Grounds Expenses, Labourers Acts Expenses, Sanitary Expenses, Office Expenses, Superannuation and Retiring Allowances, etc.

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

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

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

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

Summary and Reconciliation table with columns for Ordinary Account (£ s. d.) and Loans Account (£ s. d.), including rows for Balance due by Treasurer, Total sums received, and Net Balance due.

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

Large table for Monthly Abstract of Cottage Rent Collection and of Rent Collectors' Cash Account, with columns for Collector's District No., Number of Cottages (Built, Let, Unoccupied), Rent Collection (Arrears, Rents accrued, Total for Collection, Collected during the Month), and Collectors' Cash Account (Arrears, Balance in hands, Collected during the Month, Total to be accounted for, Lodged with Treasurer, Balance in hands).

The Rent Collection Book and the Report Books of the several Rent Collectors were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature. On the Report Books of the several Collectors orders were made in individual cases as follows:—

Table with columns: In what Collector's District, Name of Tenant, Nature of Report, and Order made by the District Council thereon. The table contains a diagonal line indicating no entries.

27 June
1903

The Chairman stated he had called the special meeting to consider what action the Council should take on the occasion of His Majesty's visit, and proposed that a loyal and dutiful address be presented to His Majesty on the occasion of his visit to Londonderry.

Mr Charles Craig seconded the motion which was passed unanimously.

The draft address was then read and approved of and ordered to be suitably prepared for presentation and the Chairman and Vice Chairman were appointed to present it.

Joseph McArthur Chairman

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of Proceedings at a Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on *Saturday* the *11th* day of *July* 190*7*

PRESENT:—In the Chair, *Joseph W Arthur Esq.*
Other District Councillors: *Messrs Mitchell, Rolleston, Craig Long, Simpson, Lurgley, Peoples and O'Donnell*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[Form 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the.....day of.....1.....

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council						
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

11th July 1903.

Read letter from Lord Plunkett asking the Rural Council to notify him before Tuesday 14th inst of the names of the Councillors to present the address to His Majesty. Resolved that Mr. Marshall Chairman and Mr. Dickson Vice Chairman represent the Council on the occasion.

Read application from the Clerk for remuneration in connection with his work under the Labourers acts. After discussion the matter was adjourned until next meeting for enquiries to be made as to amounts paid in other Districts.

Read letter of 17th June from the Secretary Donegal County Council, enclosing letter from W. P. O'Hagan M.P. regarding damages sustained by Mr. Ambrose Patten of Derry in journeying over the Binnacree road on 15th April and claiming compensation. After discussion it was decided to make no order on the subject, as the claim was directed against the County Council.

Read letter of 10th inst from Dr. Spruille Medical Officer of Health of Kilderry District, stating that Sookheen Graveyard was in a most unsanitary condition. Ordered that a copy of the letter be sent to Rev. James Kane P.P. for his observations.

Read letter of 22nd June to 36170 from the Local Government Board, asking what order was made by the Council on the Board's Circular of 22nd May, regarding pasteurisation of milk. Ordered that the Local Government Board be informed that no action was taken inasmuch as there are no creameries in this District.

The Clerk submitted audit notice from J. H. King Esq. Auditor.

Read Circular letter from the County Council, regarding notices of notice in respect of new roads.

Read Circular of 27th June from the Local Government Board, enclosing memorandum under the Factory and Workshop Act 1901.

Ordered that legal proceedings be taken against the Lough Swilly Railway Co. for failure to comply with notices served on them under the Public Health Act.

adjourned till 8th August 1903.

Joseph M. O'Brien Chairman

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of Proceedings at a Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on *Wednesday* the *15* day of *July* 190*5*

PRESENT:—In the Chair, *Joseph M. Arku, Esq.*
Other District Councillors: *Mitchell, A. Hooper, J. McGowan, A. Raulston, R. Simpson, J. Bradley, R. Cunningham, C. Craig, J. O'Donnell, S. O'Sewan, J. Quigley, J. Logan, W. Green, W. MacKinnon, Esq.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[Form 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the.....day of.....1.....

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council						
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

15th July 1903

Read quarterly report from County Surveyor regarding condition of roads and performance of contracts, stating the estimated balance available for outlay in the District was £33-1-0.

List of ~~the~~ applications as on published sheet was considered, and dealt with as follows.
 35 to 38 passed, amount in latter case being reduced to £20, on report of Committee. 39 rejected. 40 to 43 passed. 44 passed as a Provisional Proposal. 45 against 2. 46 rejected. 47 to 49 rejected. 50 to 54 passed, amount in No 53 being reduced to 4, and perches in No 54, increased to 300.

List of Recommendations as to Proposals for Payment on Form 12/14 submitted and passed without alteration.

The Council fixed Saturday 25th July at 10.30 as date of Adjourned Quarterly Meeting to consider tenders.

Adjourned till the 25th July 1903

Joseph McArthur Chairman

25th July 1903

Adjourned quarterly meeting on 25th July 1903.

Present in the Chair, Joseph McArthur Esq.
 Other members, Messrs Hanna, M. Shwaine, Mitchell, Long, Whalley and Peoples.

The Chairman, and Mr Hanna were appointed to give evidence on behalf of the Council before the Poor Law Reform Commission.

Tenders for items as on published sheet were submitted and accepted, the lowest being taken in each case.

There were no tenders for Nos 40, 41, 42, 43, 53, & 54.

The various Contractors were present with their sureties, and perfected their Bonds.

Adjourned till next quarterly meeting on 14th Oct 1903

Joseph McArthur Chairman

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of Proceedings at a Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on *Saturday* the *8th* day of *August* 190*7*.

PRESENT:—In the Chair, *James W. Arthur Esq*
Other District Councillors: *Messrs Hanna Simpson*

Adelstone, Craig, Whalley Green, Bradley Gungley Long Glenn,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[FORM 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the.....day of.....1.....

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council						
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

24 Aug 1903

The Revd. James Kane, P.P. Skahoon, appeared before the Council and made an explanation, in regard to the condition of Skahoon Graveyard, which he stated was not over crowded, but owing to no proper supervision being exercised in past years, the graves were not properly laid out and took up too much space in some parts, and too little in others. After discussion, it was ordered that the Clerk ask the Local Government Board whether the Graveyard can be handed over to the custody of the District Council.

Tenders for erection of two Labourers Cottages in Speenogue, and two in Magherabeg, were submitted when that of S.G. Mooney & Co. Derry to erect the first two at £274 and the latter two at £269 was accepted subject to the Contractors submitting the names of two approved Securitars to a Committee of the Council, Messrs. George Simpson and the Chairman were appointed the Committee, to meet on 15th inst at 12 o'clock.

Read letter of 28th ult from the Local Government Board forwarding copy auditor's report, and attested Abstract of Accounts for half year ended 31st March last.

Read letter of 18th July to 44839, from the Local Government Board, stating they presumed copies of the Circulars relative to the pasteurisation of milk had been sent to the Medical Officers of Health in the Rural District. The Clerk stated this had been done.

Read letter of 1st inst from Lord Plunketh forwarding copy of His Majesty's gracious Reply to the address of the District Council.

Read Circular of 17th ult from the Poor Law Reform Commission, in reference to the giving of evidence at the forthcoming Local Inquiry.

Pursuant to special notice the Council proceeded to consider the Clerk's application for remuneration for work done under the Labourers Acts before A. J. Cottages being proposed and 18 authorised. On the motion of Mr Hanna seconded by Mr Bradley, it was unanimously resolved that the Clerk be granted £50 for his services.

Adjourned till 17th September 1903.

Joseph M. Arthur Chairman,

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of Proceedings at a Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on *Saturday* the *12th* day of *September* 190*2*.

PRESENT:—In the Chair, *Joseph Arthur Esq JP.*
Other District Councillors: *D Alexander, Messrs Craig*

Simpson, Whalley, Peoples, Long Green, Coyle, Rolleston, Mitchell & Glenn.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[FORM 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the *12th* day of *September* 190*3*.

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council	<i>65</i>	<i>10</i>				
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above	<i>65</i>	<i>10</i>		<i>65</i>	<i>10</i>	

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held next before the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz. :—						
Salaries						
Burial Grounds Expenses						
Labourers Acts Expenses						
Sanitary Expenses :—						
General Charges						
Separate Charges						
Office Expenses						
Superannuation and Retiring Allowances ...						
Repayment of Loans :—						
General Charges						
Separate Charges						
Intercepting Hospital						
Expenses under Special Acts :						
General Charges						
Separate Charges						
Expenses of Local Committees :—						
General Charges						
Separate Charges						
Election, Law, and other Expenses	15	17	11			
Expenditure out of Loans	565	7	10			
Cr. Treasurer				581	5	9
Total Amount of Orders issued ...						

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

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

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of August, 1903 including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement				256	12	11
Total sums received to close of last month	65	10				
Total	65	10		256	12	11
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly statement	15	15	11			
Payments ordered at above-mentioned Meeting	15	17	11	565	7	10
Total	31	13	10			
Net Balance due ^{by} Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	33	16	2	308	14	11
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due ^{by} Treasurer	49	14	1	575	8	7
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting) ...	15	17	11	884	3	6
Net Balance as above due ^{by} Treasurer	33	16	2	308	14	11

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

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

The Rent Collection Book and the Report Books of the several Rent Collectors were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature. On the Report Books of the several Collectors orders were made in individual cases as follows;—

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

17 Sept
1903

Read letter of 7th inst. from the Secretary, Poor Law Reform Commission, announcing public sitting at Letterkenny on 29th September. Messrs Hanna, Warburton and Simpson were appointed to represent the Council at the Enquiry.

Read letters from the Local Government Board viz: 31st August to 12986, sending copy revised instructions, with regard to Provisional Orders.

31st August to 127060, sanctioning payment of £50 to the Club for his services in connection with scheme A, under the Labourers Act.

10th inst to 36471, asking for forms sent with their letter of 23rd June, regarding loan under Labourers Act, to be completed, and returned as soon as possible.

31st August to 127115. Regarding Eskabeen Graveyard, and pointing out Sec 187 of the Public Health Act 1878, and Sec 20 of the Act of 1896, and stating that the Council should consult their solicitor on the matter. Ordered that Mr Tracy direct the Council as to the steps to be taken with a view to the Graveyard being taken over by them.

Read letter of 11th inst. from W. Tracy, Esq. stating Mr D. G. Mooney and his partners, had signed contract and bond for erection of cottages at Speenogue & Jahan.

Read letter of 10th inst. from Mr Tracy, stating sanitary prosecutor against the Lough Swilly Railway Company had failed on the ground of informality in the form of summons. The summons had been issued before he had been consulted in the matter. Ordered that the medical officer furnish a further report regarding the nuisance complained of to next meeting of Council.

Read circular of 9th inst. from the Secy of the County Council, regarding mode of procedure in connection with applications for new roads.

Letters from two contractors, regarding delay in building of Labourers Cottages were referred to the architect.

The Club submitted a number of representations under the Labourers Act, when, after discussion, it was decided to postpone the consideration of same till 10th October, in order to allow of others being received.

Read reports of existing nuisances from medical officer of Port Dispensary District. Ordered that the usual notices requiring abatement of the nuisances be served on the parties at fault, and in event of their failure to comply therewith, that legal proceedings be taken against them.

adjourned till 10th October 1903.

Joseph McArthur Chairman.

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of Proceedings at a Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on *Saturday* the *10th* day of *October* 1903

PRESENT:—In the Chair, *Joseph M Arthur J.P.*

Other District Councillors: *W Hanna J.P., W MacIlwaine J.P., J Mitchell, A Raulston, J J McEwan, J Simpson, W Green, C Craig, A Peoples, J Bradley, Jagan, C W Long J.P.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[FORM 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the *10th* day of *Octr* 1903

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

	DR.			CR.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council						
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents				8	9	
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above				8	9	

10th Octr 1903

The clerk submitted Notice received from Mr William Doherty, Solicitor, respecting proposed Light Railway to Morville. On the motion of Mr Mitchell, seconded by Mr Hanna, it was unanimously Resolved. That this Council express their assent to the proposal.

Read letter of 1st instant No 55169, from the Local Government Board enclosing copy account furnished by Mr. H. H. Swiney, Arbitrator, in connection with Part II of the Labourers Order. The Council raised no objection to the account.

Read letter of 21st September from Mr Barnhill, Architect regarding application by two of the Contractors for an extension of time in regard to the building of Labourers Houses, stating it would be well to refuse the application and that when finally settling up their accounts, the penalty for delay might be reduced.

Read circular from the Local Government Board of 6th instant regarding Consumption. The Council took no action as posters had been put up through the District on a former occasion.

Read circular letter from the Local Government Board of 6th instant, enclosing forms for return of Sanitary Salaries.

The clerk submitted a number of Representations received under the Labourers Acts, when it was ordered that a Special Meeting be called for 14th November to consider same.

Adjourned till the 14th November 1903

J. H. Alexander
Chairman

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of Proceedings at a ^{quarterly} Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on Wednesday the 11th day of October 1903

PRESENT:—In the Chair, Joseph W. Arthur J.P.
Other District Councillors: C. W. Long J.P., R. Simpson, T. W. Vally,
C. Craig, H. Boyle, J. Imigowan, Shewan, J. Mitchell, R. Cunningham,
A. Peoples, J. W. Mac'Shane J.P., A. Rualston, W. Green, J. O'Donnell, J. Hogan,

Geo. Surveger, and Assistants also present.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[FORM 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the.....day of.....1.....

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council						
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

14th October 1903

Read Quarterly report from the Co Surveyor, regarding condition of roads, and performance of contracts and stating that the available margin of expenditure was £715.8.2. The report further stated that if the Council wished to have the use of the steam roller in their District, sanction would be required to the necessary outlay for the purpose.

After discussion it was ordered that the Co Surveyor make application at next quarterly meeting for £100 for this purpose.

Applications as on published sheet were considered
No 44 Provisional Proposal from last quarterly meeting was rejected by 8 votes against 7. No 55 to 58 passed. 59 rejected. 60 passed. 61 rejected. 62 + 63 passed. 64 rejected. 65 to 69 passed. 70 passed as a Provisional Proposal by 10 against 3. 71 rejected.

List of recommendations as to Proposals for Payment on Form $\frac{12}{14}$, submitted and passed.

The Council fixed Wednesday 4th November at 12 o'clock as date of Adjourned Quarterly Meeting to consider tenders.

Adjourned till the 4th November prox.

Joseph M. Arthur Chairman

4th Nov/1903

Adjourned Quarterly Meeting.

Minutes of proceedings at adjourned quarterly meeting of Londonderry & Rural District Council held on 4th November 1903.

In the Chair, Mr Joseph M. Arthur J.P.
Other members, A. Peoples, J. Mitchell, H. Boyle, J. Glenn, J. Bradley, J. O'Donnell, A. Raulston, D. Bowan.

The minutes of quarterly meeting were read and confirmed.

Tenders for items as on published list were submitted, and the lowest in each case was accepted.

The various contractors whose tenders had been accepted were present and perfected their Bonds.

Adjourned till next quarterly meeting

Joseph M. Arthur Chairman

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of Proceedings at a Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on *Saturday* the *14th* day of *November* 1903.

PRESENT:—In the Chair, *D'Alwanter*, afterwards *W. Warkur*,
Other District Councillors: *Messrs Hanna. W. Gowan*

Robinson. Simpson, W. Lawrence Craig, O'Donnell, Gen. Logan Mitchell
Hong

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[FORM 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the.....day of.....1.....

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council						
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held next before the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

Table with columns for Dr. (£ s. d.) and Cr. (£ s. d.). Rows include: Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.: Salaries, Burial Grounds Expenses, Labourers Acts Expenses, Sanitary Expenses (General, Separate, Office, Superannuation), Repayment of Loans, Expenses under Special Acts, Expenses of Local Committees, Election, Law, and other Expenses, Expenditure out of Loans, Cr. Treasurer, Total Amount of Orders issued.

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

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

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

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

Table with columns for Ordinary Account (£ s. d.) and Loans Account (£ s. d.). Rows include: SUMMARY (Balance due by Treasurer, Total sums received), RECONCILEMENT (Balance per Bank Book, Outstanding Orders).

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

Table with columns for Collector's District No., Number of Cottages (Built, Let, Unoccupied), Rent Collection (Arrears, Rents, Total, Collected), and Collectors' Cash Account (Arrears, Balance, Collected, Total, Lodged with Treasurer, Balance). Rows I-VI and Total.

The Rent Collection Book and the Report Books of the several Rent Collectors were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature. On the Report Books of the several Collectors orders were made in individual cases as follows:—

Table with columns: In what Collector's District, Name of Tenant, Nature of Report, Order made by the District Council thereon. Rows I-VI.

14th Nov 1903

Read letter of 5th inst. from John & Michael Doherty, tenants of Labourers Houses, asking for some repairs to same. Messrs. Messers Bradley & Donnelly were appointed a Committee to have same effected.

Read letter of 13th inst. from Mr Ross solicitor, stating he had furnished entire Bill of Costs in connection with recent Post law inquiry to the Board of Guardians. The Council approved of Mr Ross's action.

Read letter of 17th Nov. from Mr Tracey J.P., regarding St. Kabier Graveyard, stating he had been unable to discover in whom the ownership of the Graveyard is vested, and advising that the procedure under Sec 186 of the Public Health Act be adopted. On the motion of Mr Hanna, seconded by Mr W. Weston it was resolved that notices under the said section be posted for the statutory period, with a view to the Council acquiring the graveyard.

Read letter of 11th Nov. from Mr Tracey J.P., asking to have Paying Order issued in name of Hon. E. O'Connell altered as regards Payee, and made payable to himself and Mr John J. Tobay Solicitor, in order that it might be lodged in the Bank on Deposit receipt pending completion of the title. This would allow the land to be entered on at once for the benefit of the Houses, on the motion of Mr Alexander seconded by Mr Hanna, it was resolved that the Paying Order be altered in agreement with Mr Tracey's request.

Read letters from the Local Government Board viz. 2nd Nov. 1903, stating Mr J. J. Condon had been appointed Auditor.

28th Oct. to 59303, Again urging the Council to have posters and leaflets regarding dangers of Consumption distributed. After discussion, the Council decided there was no necessity for any further action.

The Clerk submitted Order for £1500, second instalment of Loan, under Labourers Acts.

Pursuant to special notice, the Council proceeded to consider Representations under the Labourers Acts and reports of Committees in connection therewith, recommending 2 houses in Bredstown 2 in Castleforward, 4 in Sack, 8 in Killea and 2 in Three Trees.

On the motion of Mr Hanna, seconded by Mr Rolleston the reports of the Committees were approved of and they were reappointed to arrange regarding sites, and prices (if possible) and report to Council on 15th December.

Mr O'Donnell brought under the notice of the Council the proceedings of the Lough Lirley Railway Company, in having Police drafted in in connection with the strike of their employees, and moved a resolution of protest against their action, which was seconded by Mr Craig. The Chairman ruled that the Council could not consider the motion, and it was not pressed.

The Clerk was authorised to issue advertisements of letting of such Cottages as the architect would certify to be ready, applications to be considered on 17th December.

Read Reports of Existing Nuisances from the Medical Officers of Health of Killea, and Burt Districts, ordered that the usual notices requiring abatement of nuisance be served on the parties at fault and in event of their failure to

to comply therewith that legal proceedings be taken against them.

adjourned till 12th December 1903,
Joseph M^cArthur

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of Proceedings at a Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on *Saturday* the *17th* day of *December* 19*03*.

PRESENT:—In the Chair, *Joseph Warburton Esq*

Other District Councillors: *D'Alexander, Hanna Simpson, Jugley Mitchell, O'Donnell Craig, M. Shaurin Long, Roulstone Green, Glen Wally, Bradley Peppes M. Gowan*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[FORM 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the.....day of.....1.....

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council						
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held next before the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

Table with columns for Dr. (£ s. d.) and Cr. (£ s. d.) for various items like Salaries, Sanitary Expenses, Repayment of Loans, etc.

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

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

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

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

SUMMARY and RECONCILEMENT table with columns for Ordinary Account and Loans Account in £ s. d.

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

Large table for monthly abstract of cottage rent collection with multiple columns for collector districts, arrears, rents, and cash accounts.

The Rent Collection Book and the Report Books of the several Rent Collectors were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature. On the Report Books of the several Collectors orders were made in individual cases as follows:—

Table with columns: In what Collector's District, Name of Tenant, Nature of Report, Order made by the District Council thereon.

12th Dec 1903

Read letters from the Local Government Board viz:-

10th inst to 147/jm. Requesting payment of £6. 6 for auditing of District Councils accounts.

3rd inst to 136/jm. Forwarding amendments to Labourers acts 26 Nov to 66690. Acknowledging receipt of Paying Order for £11. 7. 4 arbitrators expenses.

26. 4. 18 to 66375. Again urging the Council to take action with regard to publishing Consumption notices. Ordered that 1000 of the leaflets be printed for distribution through the District.

30 Nov. to 67395. Stating they had recommended a further instalment of £150, out of Loan of £500 under the Labourers acts 10th Decr to 69392. Enclosing copy report from their Engineering Inspector, regarding labourers houses in course of erection.

The Clerk submitted a number of Paying Orders, issued in April last in payment for sites, and he was authorized to alter the name of Payee in each case as may be required by the Councils Solicitor.

Read a letter of 18th Nov. from Mr Barakill Architect, stating he did not think it would be proper to allow the Labourers cottages to be occupied sooner than February next. The Council agreed to this.

The Council considered reports of Committees regarding sites for Labourers Cottages under Scheme B. On the motion of Mr Craig, seconded by Mr Mitchell, it was Resolved that the Council make a scheme for 22 houses viz:- Biddstown 4, Port 2, Castleford 2, Inch 4, Killea 8, Three Trees 2.

The Clerk was directed to communicate with the various Architects in Derry as to their terms for carrying out the scheme.

Ordered that Mr Barakill Architect report regarding condition of Labourers Cottages in Three Trees Division which had been reported by the medical officer of health, as in a defective state.

adjourned till 9th January 1904,

Joseph McArthur Chairman.

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of Proceedings at a Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on *Saturday* the *9* day of *January* 1904.

PRESENT:—In the Chair, *Joseph W Arthur Esq*
Other District Councillors: *Messrs Mitchell Glenn, W Gowan, Long Craig, Simpson Peeples, Bradley, Boulton, Logan Whalley, Hanna, and Hoer*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[Form 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the.....day of.....1.....

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council						
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

9th Jan 1904

Read letters from the Local Government Board viz -
24th Dec. to 72890 - Enclosing letter received from a man
named Patrick W. Lawley of Jure, relative to his application for
a cottage under the Labourers Act. Ordered that the letter be
marked read, as the new scheme includes cottages for that District
14th Dec. to 61050, stating to 2 Council were indebted to the 1st
Council in the sum of £3. 4. 10 being proportion of expenses
incurred by the latter under the Cholera Order.

Applications for position of architect to Scheme B under
the Labourers Act were submitted, when after consideration,
W. J. J. Barnhill, at present architect to Scheme A was
unanimously appointed at an inclusive ~~rate~~ remuneration
of £105.

The Clerk submitted Order for £150 received from the
Board of Works, being second instalment of Loan of £500 under
the Labourers Act.

The Clerk submitted malicious injury claim regarding
boat destroyed at Inch. Ordered that W. Gracey Solicitor defend
the case. Also submitted notice of claim regarding
Flax mill burned at Kellyvenny. The Clerk stated the local
Councillors were unable to give any information regarding the matter.

The Clerk reported typhus fever had broken out in a
house at Three Trees. The cases had been removed to the West
River Hospital, and the house disinfected, and some clothing
burned by directions of the medical officer of health. Ordered
that £1. 0. 0 be paid as compensation for clothing burned and
£1. 0. 6 for disinfecting.

Read report from Mr. Barnhill C.E. regarding condition of
Labourers Cottages at Three Trees. Stating he estimated it would
cost £73. 11. 0 to put the houses in proper repair. Ordered
that the Clerk include a sum of £75 in his annual Estimate
for this purpose, and that tenders be advertised for to carry out the
work. Mr. Barnhill to prepare a specification.

On the motion of Mr. O'Grady, seconded by Mr. Peoples it was
Resolved by 7 against 5 that 1/8th weekly rent of Labourers Houses
under Scheme A. The Clerk was instructed to advise each
of the houses as might be ready for letting for next month by
reaching.

Read reports of existing nuisances from medical officers of
Health of Port District. Ordered that the usual notices
requiring abatement of nuisances be served.

Adjourned till 6th February 1904

Joseph M. A. A. M. Chairman

Quarterly meeting

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of Proceedings at a Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on *Monday* the *13th* day of *January* 1904

PRESENT:—In the Chair, *Joseph Warburton Esq*

Other District Councillors: *Messrs W. Gowar Peoples Cunningham, Robinson, Huddle, Craig, Turley, Long, Gann, Simpson, O'Donnell, Whalley, Green, Bradley, Cowan, Logan & Oyle*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[Form 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the.....day of.....L.....

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council						
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

Read quarterly report from County Surveyor, regarding condition of roads and performance of contracts, stating the majority of the contractors had worked fairly well. The report made certain suggestions regarding use of Mean Roller, on roads. The amount of existing liabilities of the District was £3902 18 0, leaving an available balance of £593 7 0.

The Clerk submitted annual Estimate of Coy Surveyor for year ending 31st March 1905, amounting to £4276 10 0 and also his own Estimate of £381 and both were approved of.

Applications as on Published sheet were submitted, and dealt with as follows. 40 Provisional Proposal passed by 9 against 8 72 to 93 passed, 94 rejected, 95 to 101 passed, 102 and 103 passed as Provisional Proposals, 104 rejected, 106 and 107 passed, 108 rejected.

Recommendations as to proposals for payment on Item 174, submitted and passed without alteration.

The Council fixed Saturday 30th January at 10 30 o'clock as date of adjourned quarterly meeting to consider tenders.

adjourned till 30th January 1905

Joseph M^r Arthur Chairman

Adjourned Quarterly Meeting,

Minutes of proceedings at adjourned quarterly meeting of Londonderry No 2 Rural District Council, held on Saturday the 30th January 1905.

Present in the Chair, Joseph M^r Arthur Esq.

Other members Messrs Hanna M Slwaine Glenn Craig O'Donnell Bradley Cowan Mitchell, Long Green, and Rollstone.

The minutes of quarterly meeting were read and confirmed. Tenders for items as on published sheet submitted, and the lowest accepted in each case, except in 1091 in which the tender (£49) of Hugh W Colgan, former Contractor, was accepted on the motion of Mr Hanna, seconded by Mr Bradley. The amounts in other tenders were £77 and £77. Of 81 & 95 no tender received.

The various Contractors, whose tenders had been accepted were present, and perfected their bonds.

Adjourned till next quarterly meeting

Joseph M^r Arthur Chairman

Monthly Meeting

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of Proceedings at a Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on *Saturday* the *13th* day of *February* 190*4*

PRESENT:—In the Chair, *Joseph ad Arthur Esq.*

Other District Councillors: *Messrs Hanna Hopson Green Glenn Peoples Craig Logan Bradley Long Robinson Gowan Donnell Meehan McAlwaine McTearan + D^r Alexander*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[Form 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the *13th* day of *February* 190*4*

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments	150					
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council						
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received				150		
Total as above						

13th Feb 1904

After reading minutes of last monthly meeting, the Chairman stated an error had been made in the amount of rent of Labourers Cottages 19 per week had been carried by 7 against 5, and not as stated on the minutes, which thereupon were amended accordingly.

The Council then proceeded to consider applications for Labourers Cottages. As the rents had been announced at 16 the applicants were called into the Boardroom and in each case stated their willingness to pay 19, and a draft agreement to that effect was drawn up by Mr. Tracy Sol (who was present,) and signed by each successful applicant.

The Cottages were let as follows.

Altasherry Two applicants, Andrew W. Garvey & Daniel Boyle
 Carrickane Three applicants, Charles Craig and Michael Deane
 The third applicant Thomas W. Gray being defeated by 9 against 7
 Castleford Two applicants, Patrick Shull & William Sherrin
 Castlekind Three applicants, Wm. Gilmore & David Moore, third
 applicant Andrew W. Guerin defeated by 9 against 7
 Moneypeggar. Two applicants, Mrs. Watson & Samuel Haughey
 Mullony. Two Wm. Gallagher & James Gallagher

McLannaghams Four Dr. James Heaney & Pat. Coraghan selected
 Specoogue Four Dr. Patrick W. Daid & Andrew Donohue selected.

Mr. Tracy Sol. was directed to prepare agreements for signature by tenants, and their securities.

Pursuant to advertisement the Council considered means for carrying out certain repairs to four Labourers Houses at Brunskellan and three Specs, when that of Mrs. Selridge at No. 19. 6 was accepted.

Read letter of 8th inst to 2282 from the Local Government Board asking for copy of specification for repairs to Labourers houses at three Specs. The Clerk stated Mr. Barrell would furnish same.

Read letter of 12th inst to 2282 from the Local Government Board regarding terms of Mr. Barrell's appointment as architect for Specs under the Labourers Act, stating the arrangement proposed by the Council was quite unusual. The Clerk was directed to see Mr. Barrell and arrange regarding the matter, and report to next meeting of Council.

The Clerk submitted notices of appeal regarding malicious injury claim made by James Lowry of Killyvenny lodged by applicant and County Council of Donegal.

Accounts from D. Hamilton and D. Karkis for attending Labourers Inquiry, and inspecting houses amounting to £3. 2:0 and £3. 17:0 respectively were ordered to be paid.

Read Circular from Local Government Board of 18th January regarding new accounts Order.

Read reports of visiting dispensaries four medical Officers of Health of Kilderry and Part Dispensary Districts, Ordered that the usual notices be served on the parties at fault.

Adjourned till 15th March 1904

Joseph M. Arthur Chairman

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of Proceedings at a Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on *Saturday* the *12th* day of *March* 1904.

PRESENT:—In the Chair, *Joseph W. Arthur Esq*
Other District Councillors: *Messrs. McKell, W. Shonan Hanna, M. Down, Robinson, Craig, Simpson, Messrs. Green, Clark & Cowan*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[Form 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the *12th* day of *March* 1904.

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

	DR.			CR.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council				65	10	
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above	65	10				

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held next before the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows :—

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz. :—						
Salaries						
Burial Grounds Expenses						
Labourers Acts Expenses						
Sanitary Expenses :—						
General Charges						
Separate Charges						
Office Expenses						
Superannuation and Retiring Allowances						
Repayment of Loans :—						
General Charges						
Separate Charges						
Intercepting Hospital	3	11	10			
Expenses under Special Acts :						
General Charges						
Separate Charges						
Expenses of Local Committees :—						
General Charges						
Separate Charges						
Election, Law, and other Expenses						
Expenditure out of Loans	132	8	3			
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued	135	13	1			

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

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

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

Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of February 1904 including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement				120	14	7
Total sums received to close of last month	65	10	"			
Total	65	10	"	120	14	7
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly statement	14	19	"			
Payments ordered at above-mentioned Meeting	3	4	10	132	8	3
Total	18	3	10			
Net Balance due by Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	47	6	2	6	11	3
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer	53	14	6	214	17	8
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)	6	8	4	226	11	4
Net Balance as above due by Treasurer	47	6	2	6	11	3

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

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

The Rent Collection Book and the Report Books of the several Rent Collectors were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature. On the Report Books of the several Collectors orders were made in individual cases as follows :—

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

12 March 1904

Read letters from the Local Government Board viz:-
 9th March to 1374, Regarding rates of interest on Loans
 29 Feb, to 11698, Regarding Public Libraries Ireland Act 1902, the
 Clerk stated no action had been taken by the Council
 22nd Feb 1907, asking for return under the Labourers acts
 3rd March to 940, asking for return relating to operations under
 the Labourers acts.
 2nd March to 11371, Sending letter from a man named Patrick Carley
 relative to site of cottage, proposed to be erected in Three Trees
 Division. The letter was marked "read."
 26 Feb, to 10989, Sending letter from a man named Andrew
 Guilkin, who had been refused one of the cottages under Scheme A
 Ordered that the Local Government Board be informed that by
 vote of Council as recorded in Minutes of last meeting,
 Mr Guilkin's application had been rejected.
 10th March to 11576, Stating they saw no objection to execution
 of proposed works to Cottages in Three Trees.
 Read letter of 11th inst. from W. Tracey Esq, Stating
 the tenants of the completed cottages erected under Scheme A had
 all signed their agreements and were now in possession, also
 read letter from W. Lynch Esq creditor, asking the Council to
 grant him ten per cent on the collection, otherwise he would be
 obliged to resign. The resignation was accepted, and it was
 ordered that applications be invited for the post. at 5% on all
 rents collected, and lodged proposals to be considered at
 next meeting. Security to be required.
 Read letter of 11th inst. from W. Barnhill Architect
 Regarding remuneration proposed to be allowed him for Scheme B
 under the Labourers acts, stating that the whole of the work had
 to be done in regard to surveys preparation of maps,
 schedules, valuations plans etc, and that any work saved by
 putting a house on not built was more than offset by extra work
 of preparing extra maps etc. Ordered that W. Barnhill's letter
 be approved of, and a copy sent to the Local Government Board as
 a reply to their letter of 12th February.
 Ordered that W. Barnhill be requested to attend
 next meeting of Council, with reference to fencing and drainage
 of houses under Scheme A.
 Messrs Craig and Green were authorized to have a drain
 near one of the Labourers Houses in back cleaned.
 A number of resolutions regarding Irish Language
 were marked "read."
 Read letter of 17th February from Messrs Todd & Ward
 Solicitors, regarding parking recently constructed opposite lodgings
 of Mr James Dodson Castlequarrier, stating it stopped his right of
 way. Ordered that the County Surveyor be asked to report at
 next monthly meeting.
 Read letter of 9th inst from Jane McLaughlin and Hugh
 Whowsey regarding sites of proposed cottages in Ballymoney. The
 letter was marked "read."
 Pursuant to three days notice the Council proceeded
 to make a scheme under the Labourers acts, when on the
 motion of W. Harra seconded by W. McNeill it was
 unanimously resolved that a scheme called Scheme B.

be made for the erection of twenty-two houses,
 Read reports of existing nuisances from Medical Officers of Health
 of Killea and Kilderry Dispensary Districts, Ordered that the usual
 notices be served on the parties at fault,

adjourned till the 29th inst next.

Joseph McArthur - Chairman.

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LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of Proceedings at a Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on *Saturday* the *9th* day of *April* 1904

PRESENT:—In the Chair, *Joseph M Arthur*
Other District Councillors: *J Mitchell, G O Long, P Simpson, J. Mally, A Roueaton, J O'Donnell, A Peoples, J Bradley, C Ardig, T M Gowan, J Logan, W Hannaford*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[Form 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the *9th* day of *April* 1904

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments	<i>89</i>					
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council						
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents				<i>89</i>		
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above	<i>89</i>			<i>89</i>		

9th April 1904

The Clerk submitted Return of Arrears of Poor Rate received from the Secretary of the Donegal County Council. The lists were examined, and marked, and ordered to be returned, and the Clerk was directed to ask the Secretary of the County Council to send separate list of arrears to Councillors for each Electoral Division in future.

Pursuant to advertisement the Council proceeded to appoint a Rent Collector under the Labourers Acts, at a remuneration of 5% on all rents collected and lodged. Two applications, from John Dowds, and James Buchanan (Sanitary Officer) were received. Mr Roulston proposed, and Mr Long seconded, that Mr J. Buchanan be appointed. Mr Bradley proposed, and Mr O'Donnell, seconded, the appointment of Mr Dowds. On a division Mr Buchanan was declared duly elected by 8 votes against 4. The voting was as follows: For Mr Buchanan, Messrs Long, Simpson, O'Malley, Roulston, Peoples, McEwan, Logan, Hanna 8. For Mr Dowds, Messrs Craig, Mitchell, Bradley, O'Donnell. 4.

Read letter of 31st March from the G. P. O. London, stating the Council were liable for the sum of £12. 1. 6 being one half of deficit due on year working out of Newtoncunningham Telegraph Office. Ordered, that the account be paid.

Read letters of 31st March 10^s. 8926 and 7, from the Local Government Board, stating they had recommended the Commissioners of Public Works to issue further instalments of £170 and £850 of loans of £500 and £3800 respectively under the Labourers Acts.

Read letter of 8th instant from the Local Government Board enclosing forms for half yearly Return of Sanitary Salaries; also 31st March regarding abstracts of accounts.

Mr Barnhill, Architect attended before the Council and submitted three separate plans of Cottages under Scheme B. After consideration it was decided, that two copies of the Plans be prepared and sent to the Chairman and Mr Hanna for consideration, before finally selecting same.

Read reports of existing nuisances from Medical Officers of Health of Keaderry District. Ordered that the usual notices be served on the parties at fault.

Adjourned till the 14th May 1904

Joseph McArthur Chairman

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of Proceedings at a ^{Quarterly} Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on Wednesday the 13th day of April 1904

PRESENT:—In the Chair, J. Markey

Other District Councillors: W. Long, A. Peoples, R. Simpson, W. Craig, J. Mitchell, W. Hanna, J. P. O'Neill, H. Boyle, R. Cunningham, W. Green, J. McFowan, J. Glenn, J. Mugley, W. M. W. W. W. W.

60 Surveyors & Assistants also present.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[Form 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the.....day of.....1.....

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council						
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

13th April 1904

Read Quarterly Report from Co. Surveyor regarding condition of roads, and performance of contracts, and stating the available balance at disposal of the Council was £495. 12. 0

Read report from Co. Surveyor regarding pitching at Mullbay, Inch, and right of way connected therewith after discussion, the Co. Surveyor stated he would visit the place in company with the parties aggrieved, and endeavour to come to an arrangement with them.

Applications as on published sheet were submitted and dealt with as follows 102 Provisional Proposal passed. 103 Provisional Proposal passed, and as there was one dissent to the taking of the land, ordered to be held over till land is acquired. 104-10 passed. 11 to 14 rejected. 15 passed as a Provisional Proposal and Messrs Mitchell, Craig, Simpson, and Bradley appointed a Committee to report thereon. 17 and 18 passed.

List of Recommendations as to Proposals for Payment on Form 12, considered and passed.

The Council fixed Saturday 30th April at 11 o'clock as date of adjourned Quarterly Meeting to consider tenders.

Adjourned till 30th April 1904

Joseph M. A. Hurley Chairman

30th April
1904

Minutes of proceedings at adjourned Quarterly Meeting of Londonderry 102 Rural District Council held on 30th April 1904.

In the Chair, Mr. Arthur J. Peoples, J.P.
Other Members, Messrs M. Flavin, J.P. Peoples, Mitchell, Boulston, Quigley, O'Donnell, Hanna.

Minutes of Quarterly Meeting were read and confirmed.

Tenders for items as on published sheet were submitted, and the lowest accepted in each case, with exceptions of 102 and A, in which the lowest tenderer not being present nor his sureties, the contract was given to the next lowest, and the absent Contractors and Sureties ruled out for three years according to terms of warning on sheet.

The Contractors whose tenders had been accepted, attended, and perfected their Bonds.

Adjourned till next Quarterly Meeting

Joseph M. A. Hurley Chairman

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of Proceedings at a Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on *Saturday* the *14th* day of *May* 190*4*

PRESENT:—In the Chair, *Joseph W Arthur Esq.*
Other District Councillors: *Messrs Mitchell Hanna Craig*

Simpson, Peoples Green O'Donnell Long & Gunglax

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[FORM 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the *14th* day of *May* 190*4*

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council				95	5	
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above	95	5		95	5	

14th May 1904

On the application of Mr Buchanan Rent Collector, the name of Robert Thompson Draper, Hard Derry was substituted for James W Cauley as security for Bond for collection of rents.

Read letters from the Local Government Board on 17th April & 2nd May asking for returns under the Labourers acts, 19th ult. Giving telegraphic address 21st to 21235. Stating they presumed Mr Buchanan would enter into a Bond for collection of labourers rents. The Clerk stated a Bond was being prepared.

18th ult to 18037. Sending extracts from Dr. W. Barhill's report on sanitary condition of Rural District. Ordered that notice be given for adoption of Infectious Disease Notification Act 1889 at next meeting, to action taken in regard to Infectious Disease Prevention Act 1890 8th April. Return of Sanitary Salaries

2nd May Regarding Public Libraries Act 5th May to 75490. Sending copy auditor's report, and copy abstract for half year ended 30th September last. 17th May to 74353. Regarding date of annual meeting which they stated would be on 2nd June.

Resolution regarding Equivalent Grant in aid of Education was unanimously approved of on the motion of Mr Mitchell recorded by Mr O'Donnell.

Read application from Evening Telegraph for share of Council's advertisements, on the motion of Mr Craig, seconded by Mr Simpson it was ordered that they be given insertion of all advertisements including abstracts.

The Clerk submitted Instalment Orders for £170 and £850 loans under Labourers acts.

Several resolutions regarding Irish Language, Labourers Bill &c were marked read.

Ordered that the two houses recently erected at Magherakee be let to John W. Gunnis and John Walker, provided they give necessary security.

Read letters of complaint re smoking and fencing from two tenants of Labourers Cottages. Ordered that the letters be referred to Mr Barhill architect for final report regarding all the houses in this respect.

Messrs Simpson, Long, Arthur Hanna & Craig were appointed a Committee to meet at architect's office on Wednesday 18th May for purpose of finally selecting plans for Labourers houses under Scheme B.

Messrs O'Donnell, and Coyle were appointed a Committee regarding letting of unused land attached to Cottages at Magherakee.

Read letter of 17th inst. from Mr Barhill, stating he had issued certificate for £55 to Contractor for repairs to Labourers houses in Three Trees, and suggesting certain further repairs, to action was taken for the present regarding the latter.

Read reports of Sussing nuisances from Medical Officers of Health, Kildare and Killea Districts, and the usual notices were ordered to be served.

adjourned till 11th June 1904.

Joseph M. Arthur Chairman.

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

MINUTES of Proceedings at ^{annual} Meeting of the Londonderry No. 2 Rural District Council, held on Thursday the 2nd day of June 1904

PRESENT:—In the Chair, Joseph Marikhu J.P.
Other District Councillors: W. Hanna J.P., Thomas Swaine J.P.,
S. Alexander, J. Glenn, R. Cunningham, W. Lang, J. M. Gowan,
A. Roulston, R. Simpson, A. Craig, D. Green, J. Mitchell, J. Bradley,
J. M. Kelly, A. Peoples.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

[Form 1].

FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

LONDONDERRY No. 2 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting held the.....day of.....1.....

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Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of District Council						
Cr. Labourers Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

5th June 1904

Proposed by Mr Hanna seconded by Mr Mitchell
and unanimously Resolved that Mr Joseph Marican
be re-elected Chairman of the Council for the
ensuing year.

Proposed by Mr Bradley, seconded by Mr Peoples,
and passed unanimously that Mr Joseph
Mitchell be re-elected Vice Chairman of the
Council for the ensuing year.

Both gentlemen signed the Declaration of
office, and thanked the Council for electing
them to the positions.

adjourned till next Annual Meeting

J. M. Arthur Chairman