

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them, respectively, to the following effect (or Orders made on them, respectively, as follows):—

Councillor Patrick O'Doherty from the meetings for over six consecutive months and we now declare the vacancy". A Notice to this effect signed by the Chairman and two Councillors was displayed.

On the motion of Councillor Cole seconded by Councillor Scott it was unanimously resolved that Mr Joseph <sup>Ballyloskey</sup> Doherty be co-opted to fill the vacancy caused by the absence of Councillor Patrick O'Doherty.

On the motion of Councillor Denis Dwyer seconded by Councillor B. McPolgan it was unanimously resolved that Mr Patrick (H) McFonigle, Moneydara, be co-opted for Glenties, C.D., in room of H. McFonologue, deceased.

Read letter from the L.G. Board dated 24<sup>th</sup> May 1917, No 26,854, assenting to the transactions of finance business at the meeting of the Rural District Council on 10<sup>th</sup> June 1917.

Read circular letter from the L.G. Board dated 17<sup>th</sup> May 1917 No 16676/17 enclosing a copy of the Board's circular letter of the 8<sup>th</sup> June 1916 on the subject of Maternity and Child Welfare and stating that the Regulations for the distribution of the Exchequer Grant for Maternity and Child Welfare have now been amended so as to admit of recoupment of half the cost of approved arrangements undertaken in Rural Districts and outlining the steps necessary to be taken by the Council to avail of the grant.

Action in the matter was considered unnecessary in this Rural District

In conjunction with the foregoing the Council had before them

There is a "Report on the Physical Welfare of Mothers and Children" received from the Carnegie United Kingdom Trust.

Read circular from the Irish Matchless Association dated 21<sup>st</sup> May 1917 regarding the restrictions upon the Brewing, Distilling and Distilling Trades said to be contemplated by the Government which would injure not alone these but also ~~the~~ numerous allied trades depending upon them.

On the motion of Councillor Cole seconded by Councillor O'Donnell a resolution was adopted asking the Government for separate treatment for Ireland in the matter.

Read circular letter from the Ulster Temperance Council dated 29<sup>th</sup> May 1917 ~~concerning~~ on the subject of the prohibition of the manufacture and sale of strong drink during the war and period of demobilization.

No action taken.

On the motion of Councillor Scott seconded by Councillor McColgan it was Resolved —

That the Donegal County Committee of Agriculture be requested to provide spraying machines for lending out to small farmers say two to each District Electoral Division, to be given in charge to a responsible person in the Division who is to make a small charge for the machine.

(See also Minutes of the Councillors' proceedings under the Labourers Acts, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on Monday  
the 9th day of July 1917

(Signed), Wm J. O'Donnell  
Chairman ~~for~~ Clerk of the Rural District Council.

FORM 26.

**FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with, but separate from, the General Minutes of each Finance Meeting).


**Inishowen Rural District.**Meeting held the 1<sup>st</sup> day of June 1917

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

Table (a.)	Amount.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council:—			
General Charges	...	...	...
Separate Charges	...	...	...
Labourers' Cottage Rents	22	4	0
Small Dwellings Act	...	...	...
Burial Fees	...	...	...
Water Rents	...	...	...
Other Receipts:—			
General Charges	...	...	...
Separate Charges	...	...	...
Interest allowed by Treasurer:—			
On Revenue Account	...	...	...
On Loans	...	...	...
Total Revenue Receipts	22	4	0
Loans received, viz:—			
Labourers' Cottage Loan	20	=	.
do " "	50	=	.
Total as above lodged with Treasurer	92	4	0

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the last Finance Meeting, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same

Accounts having been duly examined Payments were ordered as follows, and the Treasurer's Advice Notes were duly signed; those under Article 16 being identified by that number.

Table (b).					Amount.		
					£	s.	d.
Salaries :—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...			
Separate Charges	...	..	...	...			
Office Expenses	...	...	...	...			
Burial Grounds Expenses	...	...	...	...			
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges :—							
Repairs	...	..	...	...			
Law and Engineering	...	...	...	...			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses			...	...			
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act	...	...	...	...			
Sanitary Expenses :—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...			
Separate Charges	...	...	...	...		9	10
Superannuation	...	...	...	...			
Repayment of Loans :—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...	200	17	0
Separate Charges	...	...	...	...			
Expenses of Local Committees :—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...			
Separate Charges	...	...	...	...			
Expenses under Special Acts :—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...			
Separate Charges	...	...	...	...			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses :—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...			
Separate Charges	...	...	...	...			
Intercepting Hospital	...	...	...	...			
Total Revenue Payments					201	6	10
Expenditure out of Loans, viz. :—							
							
Total Amount of Orders authorised to be issued					201	6	10

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the  
last day of May 1917

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...	336	19	6	.	.	.
Total sums received to close of last Month	22	4	0	70	.	.
<b>TOTAL</b> ...	<b>359</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>70</b>	.	.
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...	.	.	.	70	19	4
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	11	2	3	.	.	.
<b>TOTAL</b> ...	<b>11</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>4</b>
Net Balance due <i>by</i> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals) ...	348	1	3	.	19	4
<i>Loans a/c due to Treas</i>						
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
Balance per Bank Book due <i>by</i> Treasurer ...	348	11	3	.	182	<i>by Treas</i>
Outstanding Orders ...	.	10	0	1	17	6
Net Balance as above due <i>by</i> Treasurer ...	348	1	3	<del>2</del>	<del>15</del> 8	<i>Loans a/c due to Treas</i>
					19	4

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

- |   |                                      |
|---|--------------------------------------|
| X 1. <del>The Register of Mortgages.</del>        | 3. The Labourers Acts Ledger.        |
| X 2. <del>The Register of Separate Charges.</del> | 4. The Labourers Acts General Rental |

X No. Entries

FORM 26 (continued.)—THE MONTHLY ABSTRACT OF RENT COLLECTION AND CASH ACCOUNT AS FOLLOWS:—

Collectors District No.	Date when each Collector attended to have his books checked.	NUMBER OF COTTAGES.		RENT COLLECTION.						COLLECTOR'S CASH ACCOUNT.					
		Built.	Let.	Unoccupied.	Arrears due by Tenants at close of last Month.	Rents accrued during the Month.	Total for Collection.	Collected during the Month.	Arrears due by Tenants at the close of this Month.	Balance (if any) in hands at close of 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															
II															
III															
IV															
Totals															

*Lozage Rent Books not due for checking till 4<sup>th</sup> June*

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
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The Rent Collection Book, &c.—*continued.*

In what Collector's District	Name of Tenant	Nature of Report	Order made by the District Council thereon
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**NOTE.**—Should any of the foregoing books or statements not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission should be explained on the Minutes.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 191\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Rural District Council.

Inishowen Rural District.

Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1898.

**PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.**

(41 and 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the INISHOWEN RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL, acting as the Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of June 1917.

Number of Members on the Council, ~~45~~ 42

Number of Members present.....10...

IN THE CHAIR—

*Mr. Wm. J. O'Donnell*

OTHER COUNCILLORS PRESENT—

Reports from the Medical Officers of Health were read, viz. :—

District.	Name of Officer.	Particulars.	Orders of Council.

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

Record of Sanitary Work performed since the date of the last Meeting:—

Number of Orders or Notices to Abate Nuisances, make Connecting Drains,  
or perform other Sanitary work, served since last Meeting ...

Number of Prosecutions for Neglect of Orders or Notices ...

Number of Convictions " " " " ...

Amount of Fines imposed by orders of Justices ... £

Fines levied amounting to £

Submitted Weekly Return of Duties performed by Sanitary Sub-Officers, showing:—

Number of Houses, Yards, and Premises inspected ...

Number of Houses, Rooms, or Premises Limewashed ...

Number of Dwellings Disinfected ...

Disinfecting Chamber used by persons ...

Articles of Clothing Disinfected number ...

Clothing and Bedding Destroyed by Order of the Sanitary Authority to  
the value of ... £

Destruction witnessed by

Sanitary Sub-Officer.

Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the District Council, as recorded in Financial Statement Book of Expenditure and the Treasurer's Advice Note for the respective amounts duly signed (or directions given as follows):—

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
		£	s.	d.
	An Authorization of Payments was received from Ormeau Public Health Committee and payment of orders of the amount set out thereon	—	10	0

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

Reads letter from the Local Govt Board dated 21<sup>st</sup> May 1917 No. 20798, with reference to the proposal of the Council on 16<sup>th</sup> April to pay £10 to the Clerk for his services in connection with the constitution of Kinnegans as an Urban District, enquiring whether the adjustments have been completed

The Clerk stated that he had replied informing the L.G. Board that the adjustments were complete

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 the 9<sup>th</sup> day of July 1917  
 (Signed), Wm. J. O'Donnell  
 Chairman (or Clerk of the Rural District Council).

## Inishowen Rural District.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883 TO 1911.

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the Rural District Council, acting as the Rural

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

~~Friday~~ <sup>1st</sup> ~~Monday~~ the ..... day of June ..... 1917

PRESENT—In the Chair Councillor Wm. J. O'Donnell

Other Councillors—(See Miscellaneous Minutes.) 9

Read letter from the Local Govt Board, dated 26<sup>th</sup> May 1917 No: L6017. requesting to be furnished with a copy of the agreement regarding the transfer of labourers cottages to the Buncrana U.D. Council.

The clerk stated that it had been sent.

Read letter from the Local Govt. Board, dated 26<sup>th</sup> May, 1917, No: L: 6025 requesting to be informed as to the dates on which the Cottage Rent collector had lodged the same on their hands at close of the month of April.

The clerk stated he had informed the L. G. Board that the lodgements were made as follows:— Denis Doherty on 7<sup>th</sup> May, Denis McCloskey on 16<sup>th</sup> May, Pats Doherty on 23<sup>rd</sup> May and Francis McDaid on 18<sup>th</sup> May 1917.

Read report from Mr. F. McDaid Cottage Rent collector dated 21<sup>st</sup> May 1917 stating that the two Cottage Plots in the Glumary district are fully cropped.



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the 9<sup>th</sup> day of July 1917  
(Signed) Wm J. O'Donnell  
Chairman (or Clerk of the Rural District Council).

## Inishowen Rural District.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Rural District Council at a monthly  
Meeting held on Monday, the 9<sup>th</sup> day of July 1917.

### Miscellaneous Business.

PRESENT—In the Chair :—

*W. J. O'Donnell Esq.*

10 Other Councillors :—

~~Patrick Porter, Bernard Farren, Wm. Joseph O'Donnell, Patk. Kavanagh, Thomas Carey, Owen Doherty, Patk. McGroary, Bernard McRory, Philip Kearney, John Cronkin, Daniel Ruddy, John M'Carroll, Charles Doherty, Philip Doherty, Patrick Quigley, J.P.; Patrick J. Cole, James Doherty, Edward Kearney, Patrick Devlin, Anthony Canny, J.P.; John Scott, Denis Glackin, John O'Doherty, Patrick O'Doherty, Neil Quigley, J.P.; Patrick M'Laughlin, Patrick M'Callon, J.P.; Daniel Douglas, Patrick Hegarty, Charles M'Golgan, Patrick M'Conalogue, J.P.; Denis Diver, James Kelly, Neal M'Laughlin, Denis Doherty, Hugh M'Henry, John Cavanagh, J.P.; John M'Connell, John Smith, John Doherty (Terryone), Daniel M'Carroll, John Doherty (Drung), Edward McDermott, William Quigley, James P. M'Uver.~~

NUMBER OF MEMBERS OF COUNCIL, 42.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS PRESENT...11....

The Minutes of the last Meeting ~~for~~ Meetings were read and signed.

The Reports of the Clerk on execution of Orders previously made.

### Co-option

On the motion of Councillor John Smith, seconded by Councillor Patk M'Gonigle, it was unanimously resolved that Mr. James M'Sheffrey of Claremount, Castleary be co-opted as a member of this Council to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Daniel M'Carroll, one of the District Councillors for Castleary C.D.

A Statement was submitted from Donegal County Council showing how the Proposals formulated by this Council at last half-yearly meeting were dealt with by the County Council, from which it appeared that Nos. 2, 6, 19, 21, 38, 44, 92, 93, 113, and 152 were placed in charge of the County Surveyor; that Nos. 66, 77, 74, 110, 111, 115, 119, 124, 127, 129, 131, 132, 134, 136, 137, 141, 143, 144, 145 + 146 were rejected, and the remainder approved.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them, respectively, to the following effect (or Orders made on them, respectively, as follows):—

Read letter from Mr. Bernard M<sup>rs</sup> Ladden, Secretary Donegal Co. Council, dated 21<sup>st</sup> June 1917. Stating that the County Council had not acceded to the terms of the resolution of this Council at last half yearly meeting re keeping on the books the money struck off road contracts at last half yearly meeting of this Council.

Read Circular letter from the Department of Agriculture dated 27<sup>th</sup> June 1917 requesting the Council to take steps to ensure that all roads & lands in their control are kept clear of noxious weeds throughout the present season.

Read Letter from the L. G. Board, dated 2<sup>nd</sup> July 1917. N. 31803, Donegal County, stating that they are issuing an order extending the limit of expenditure on roads to £5,657.10.0 for year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1918.

The Clerk stated that this should read £6157.10.0

The resolutions calling for removal of restrictions on the Licensed Trade passed at the County Protest Meeting at Maryborough on 3<sup>rd</sup> June last, were adopted on the motion of Councillor O'Donnell, seconded by Councillor Diver.



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Meeting held the 9<sup>th</sup> day of July 1917

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 June and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:

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General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Labourers' Cottage Rents	26	14	0
Small Dwellings Act			
Burial Fees			
Water Rents			
Other Receipts—			
General Charges	64	13	4
Separate Charges			
Interest allowed by Treasurer—			
On Revenue Account			
On Loans			
<b>Total Receipts Receipts</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>74</b>	
Loans received, viz.:			

(See also Minutes of the Councillors' proceedings under the Labourers Acts, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority). Total as above lodged with Treasurer

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the 13<sup>th</sup> day of the August 1917

authenticated by the signature of the J. P. H. O'Connell Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of June Meeting, and the Ledger entries (Signed), J. P. H. O'Connell Chairman (or Clerk of the Rural District Council).

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Burial Fees			
Water Rents			
Other Receipts:—			
General Charges	64	13	4
Separate Charges			
Interest allowed by Treasurer:—			
On Revenue Account			
On Loans			
<b>Total Revenue Receipts</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4</b>
Loans received, viz:—			
<b>Total as above lodged with Treasurer</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4</b>

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the last Finance Meeting, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same

Accounts having been duly examined Payments were ordered as follows, and the Treasurer's Advice Notes were duly signed; those under Article 16 being identified by that number.

Table (b).					Amount:		
					£	s.	d.
Salaries:—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...	34	10	0
Separate Charges	...	..	...	...	3	5	0
Office Expenses	...	...	...	...	1	13	2
Burial Grounds Expenses	...	...	...	...			
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges:—							
Repairs	...	..	...	...	1	10	0
Law and Engineering	...	...	...	...			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses	...	...	...	...			
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act	...	...	...	...			
Sanitary Expenses:—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...			
Separate Charges	...	...	...	...		9	10
Superannuation	...	...	...	...	2	4	7
Repayment of Loans:—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...			
Separate Charges	...	...	...	...			
Expenses of Local Committees:—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...			
Separate Charges	...	...	...	...			
Expenses under Special Acts:—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...			
Separate Charges	...	...	...	...			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses:—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...	19	6	10
Separate Charges	...	...	...	...		9	9
Intercepting Hospital	...	...	...	...			
Total Revenue Payments					63	9	2
Expenditure out of Loans, viz:—							
Total Amount of Orders authorised to be issued					63	9	2

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of June 1917.

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...	348	1	3	.	.	.
Total sums received to close of last Month	91	7	4	.	.	.
<b>TOTAL</b> ... ..	<b>439</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7</b>	.	.	.
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ... ..	.	.	.	.	19	4
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	201	6	10	.	.	.
<b>TOTAL</b> ... ..	<b>201</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>10</b>	.	<b>19</b>	<b>4</b>
Net Balance due <i>by</i> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals) ...	238	1	9	.	19	4
<i>loan a/c. Due to Treas.</i>						
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
Balance per Bank Book due <i>by</i> Treasurer ... ..	238	11	9	.	18	2
Outstanding Orders ... ..	-	10	.	1	17	6
Net Balance as above due <i>by</i> Treasurer ... ..	238	1	9	.	19	4
<i>To Treas loan a/c.</i>						

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

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

+ No entries

FORM 26 (continued.)—THE MONTHLY ABSTRACT OF RENT COLLECTION AND CASH ACCOUNT as follows:—for 2 months:—

Collectors District No.	Date when each Collector attended to have his books checked.	NUMBER OF COTTAGES.		RENT COLLECTION.						COLLECTORS' CASH ACCOUNT.					
		Built.	Let.	Unoccupied.	Arrears due by tenants at close of last Month.	Rents accrued during the Month.	Total for Collection.	Collected during the Month.	Arrears due by tenants at the close of this Month.	Balance (if any) in hands at close of 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	9/7/17	8	8	7	<del>18</del> 6	4 16 0	<del>7</del> 14 6	5 14 0	2 0 6	1 10 0	5 14 0	7 4 0	4 17 6	2 6 6	
II	7/7/17	31	30	1	6 1 6	18 1 6	24 3 0	14 11 0	9 12 0	5 11 0	14 11 0	20 2 0	13 10 0	<del>6</del> 12 0	
III	7/7/17	51	50	1	8 12 6	30 0 0	38 12 6	27 1 6	11 11 0	14 15 6	27 1 6	41 17 0	29 3 6	13 13 6	
IV	7/7/17	2	2	0	7 6 1 4	0 0 0	1 11 6	1 11 6	0 0 0	7 6 1 4	1 11 6	1 19 0	1 7 0	12 0 0	
Totals.		92	90	2	18 0 0	54 1 6	72 1 6	48 18 0	3 6 2 3	62 2 4	48 18 0	71 2 0	48 18 0	22 4 0	

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
Killeshin	Hugh McElaney	1 weeks rent due	}
	John McLaughlin	1 " " "	
	Wm. Coyle	4 " " "	
	Jamieson Doherthy	2 " " "	
	Robert McKenlay	19 " " "	
Killeshin	J. Gillespie	9 " " "	}
	Mr. Duff	4 " " "	
	W. Davenport	3 " " "	
	Thos. Ledford	4 " " "	
	J. Horner	9 " " "	
	H. McLaughlin	5 " " "	
	J. Doherthy	1 " " "	
	R. Hamilton	9 " " "	
	J. Crampsey	2 " " "	
	J. Doherthy	4 " " "	
	N. O'Donnell	4 " " "	
	Dr. Toland	2 " " "	
	J. O'Dauid	5 " " "	
	J. McLaughlin	5 " " "	
	J. Loque	5 " " "	
Mr. McKeenagel	4 " " "		
Killeshin	P. Doherthy	13 " " "	}
	J. Doherthy	13 " " "	
	Hugh Doherthy	13 " " "	
	John Doherthy	13 " " "	
	John Molloy, Cottage No 120, Killourk, died on 16 <sup>th</sup> June		
			Read
			To be warned
			That the widow be accepted as tenant.

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## The Rent Collection Book, &amp;c.—continued.

In what Collector's District	Name of Tenant	Nature of Report	Order made by the District Council thereon
District 5 St. Patrick's	Joe Long	5 weeks rent due	} Read
	Joe Campbell	8 " "	
	Alan McLaughlin	4 " "	
	Charles McCormick	1 " "	
	Mr. Harold	8 " "	
	E. Gilman	8 " "	
	Ed Kelly	4 " "	
	John Mullane	4 " "	
	Miss Prudette Murray	5 " "	
	Francis Bellon	15 " " (payable, & demanded) from Sunday	
	Mr. Connolly	8 " "	
	John McCarty	4 " "	
	David Miller	4 " "	
	Edward Brigglesway	4 " "	
	Michael Boyce	4 " "	
	John Logue	4 " "	
	Edward Wallis	4 " "	
	Andrew Davenport	1 " "	
	Charles McLaughlin	8 " "	
	Ed. McLaughlin	4 " "	
John McGehegan	18 " "	Serve notice to quit	
John Boherty	4 " "	} Read	
Alice Logue	4 " "		
Patrick Henry	8 " "		
Dr. Brown	1 " "		
Edward McDermott	4 " "		
Patrick Henry	8 " "		

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

Dated this 9<sup>th</sup> day of July 1917

R. Moore  
Clerk of the Rural District Council.



Inishowen Rural District.

Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1898.

**PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.**

(41 and 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the INISHOWEN RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL, acting as the Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of July 1917.

Number of Members on the Council, 43

Number of Members present 11

IN THE CHAIR—

*W. J. O'Donnell Esq.*

10 OTHER COUNCILLORS PRESENT—

Reports from the Medical Officers of Health were read, viz. :—

District.	Name of Officer.	Particulars.	Orders of Council.
Carndonagh	D. O'Callaghan	Organ requiring cleaning 1 house unfit for habitation 1 house to be thatched	} To be abated
Noville	D. Harkin	3 houses for disinfection -	
<u>Infectious Disease Notification</u>			
Noville	D. Harkin	1 case Scarlet Fever	
"	D. Newell	1 " Continued Fever	
"	"	1 " Cerebrospinal Meningitis	
Buncrana	D. Harkin	5 cases Typhus Fever.	

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

Record of Sanitary Work performed since the date of the last Meeting:—

Number of Orders or Notices to Abate Nuisances, make Connecting Drains, or perform other Sanitary work, served since last Meeting	...	...	...	7
Number of Prosecutions for Neglect of Orders or Notices	...	...	...	-
Number of Convictions	"	"	"	-
Amount of Fines imposed by orders of Justices	...	...	£	-
Fines levied amounting to £				-

Submitted Weekly Return of Duties performed by Sanitary Sub-Officers, showing:—

Number of Houses, Yards, and Premises inspected	...	...	...	72
Number of Houses, Rooms, or Premises Limewashed	...	...	...	-
Number of Dwellings Disinfected	...	...	...	-
Disinfecting Chamber used by	persons	...	...	-
Articles of Clothing Disinfected	number	...	...	-
Clothing and Bedding Destroyed by Order of the Sanitary Authority to the value of	...	...	...	£ -

Destruction witnessed by \_\_\_\_\_ Sanitary Sub-Officer.

Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the District Council, as recorded in Financial Statement Book of Expenditure and the Treasurer's Advice Note for the respective amounts duly signed (or directions given as follows):—

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
		£	s.	d.
	An authorisation of Payments was received from Morille Public Health Committee, and payment ordered of the amount set out thereon	0	9	10

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

Read Circular Letter from the L. G. Board, dated 11<sup>th</sup> June 1917, N. 101 M. relative to the admission of soldiers' dependants to rate-aided Institutions in Ireland.

Read Letter from the L. G. Board, dated 6<sup>th</sup> June 1917, N. 20798, stating they will raise no objection to the payment of £10 to the Clerk for his services in connection with the adjustments rendered necessary consequent on the Constitution of Buncrana as an Urban District.

Read Letters from Buncrana Urban Council dated 6<sup>th</sup> June and 5<sup>th</sup> July 1917, forwarding Paying Orders for £44.4.0 and £60.9.4 being moiety of costs incurred in preparing & stamping Agreement for the transfer of the 33 Labourers Cottages to Buncrana U.D.C. and moiety of Yearly Proportion of instalments on cottage loans, respectively, and £2.1.1 their share of Inishowen's contribution for the Londonderry Port Sanitary Authority for year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1918.

Read Letter from Dr. Mc Cormick, Buncrana, dated 8<sup>th</sup> June 1917, referring to the out break of Typhus Fever in a house in Dunree and stating there is no disinfecting apparatus for use in houses where infection occurs, but that a formalin lamp should be supplied for the purpose.

Ordered that Dr. Mc Cormick be asked to find out cost of Formalin Lamp.

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Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on Monday  
the 13<sup>th</sup> day of August 1917  
(Signed) P. Ravada  
Chairman (or Clerk of the Rural District Council)

## Inishowen Rural District.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883 TO 1911.

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the Rural District Council, acting as the Rural

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

Monday the 9<sup>th</sup> day of July 1917

PRESENT—In the Chair— W. J. O'Donnell Esq.

10 Other Councillors—(See Miscellaneous Minutes.)

The Clerk stated there were no applications for the two vacant cottages in Glentogher and Tullyally.

Read Letter from the L.G. Board, dated 2<sup>nd</sup> June 1917, N. I. 6313 stating that the Rent Collectors should be called on to lodge at the close of each month the full amount of the cottage rents collected during the month.

Read Letter from Mr. Pat Breslin, tenant of cottage in Tulnaree, stating that there is a tile off his cottage, & the rain comes in and is injuring the plaster.

Referred to Councillors Scott & Cole to examine & report.

An application was received from 34 tenants of labourers' Cottages in Moville & Farnoonagh districts asking a reduction in the rents of the cottages.

The request was refused.

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Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on Monday  
 the 13<sup>th</sup> day of August 1917  
 (Signed), P. J. O'Connell  
 Chairman (or Clerk of the Rural District Council).

## Inishowen Rural District.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Rural District Council at a Monthly  
Meeting held on Monday day, the 13<sup>th</sup> day of August 1917

### Miscellaneous Business.

PRESENT—In the Chair :— Mr. Hark Kavanagh

16 Other Councillors :—

~~Patrick Porter, Bernard Farren, Wm. Joseph O'Donnell, Patk. Kavanagh, Thomas Carey, Owen Doherty, Patk. M'Grory, Bernard McRory, Philip Kearney, John Crookin, Daniel Ruddy, John M'Carroll, Charles Doherty, Philip Doherty, Patrick Quigley, J.P.; Patrick J. Cole, James Doherty, Edward Kearney, Patrick Devlin, Anthony Canny, J.P.; John Scott, Denis Glackin, John O'Doherty, Patrick O'Doherty, Neil Quigley, J.P.; Patrick M'Laughlin, Patrick M'Callon, J.P.; Daniel Douglas, Patrick Hegarty, Charles M'Colgan, Patrick M'Conalogue, J.P.; Denis Diver, James Kelly, Neal M'Laughlin, Denis Doherty, Hugh M'Henry, John Cavanagh, J.P.; John M'Connell, John Smith, John Doherty (Terryrone), Daniel M'Carroll, John Doherty (Drung), Edward McDermott, William Quigley, James P. M'Ivor.~~  
Joseph Doherty, James Doherty

NUMBER OF MEMBERS OF COUNCIL, 45.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS PRESENT.....

The Minutes of the last Meeting (or        Meetings) were read and signed.

The Reports of the Clerk on execution of Orders previously made.

Read letter from the L. G. Board, dated 13<sup>th</sup> July 1917 No 35940, forwarding Sealed Order consenting to the extension of the limit of Road Expenditure in the Rural District for the current year to £6,157.10.0

Read letter from the L. G. Board, dated, 13<sup>th</sup> July 1917. No 34234 urging economy in the use of timber so that the enormous present and prospective demands for purposes of national importance may be met.

Read letter from the Secretary Dept of National Service, in Dublin, dated 30<sup>th</sup> July 1917 acknowledging receipt of information respecting employment in this district

On the motion of Mr. N. Quigley J.P., seconded by Mr. D. Diver it was unanimously resolved—

That this Council protest in the strongest possible manner against the action of the food controller in

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them, respectively, to the following effect (or Orders made on them, respectively, as follows):—

in fixing the price of meat so low, a choir.  
which will be ruinous to the Cattle Trade  
and to Ireland.

Read letter from Mr. J. Morrison, Straid. Glenties  
dated 10th August 1917, with reference to 34 yards  
drain along county road at Straid between Hoyle's  
and Hammett Lynch's said to be choked and likely  
to cause flooding of his crops, asking Council to  
see it is cleaned, and threatening proceedings  
in the event of damage.

Ordered that the matter be referred to County  
Surveyor for his attention.

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(See also Minutes of the Councillors' proceedings under the Labourers Acts, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on Monday  
the 10<sup>th</sup> day of September 1917

(Signed), P. W. Langhorne  
Chairman (or Clerk of the Rural District Council).



FORM 26.

**FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with, but separate from, the General Minutes of each Finance Meeting).


**Inishowen Rural District.**Meeting held the 13<sup>th</sup> day of August 1917

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

Table (a.)	Amount.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council:—			
General Charges ... ..	55	.	.
Separate Charges ... ..	9	10	0
Labourers' Cottage Rents ... ..	22	4	0
Small Dwellings Act ... ..			
Burial Fees ... ..			
Water Rents ... ..			
Other Receipts:—			
General Charges ... ..	2	1	6
Separate Charges ... ..			
Interest allowed by Treasurer:—			
On Revenue Account ... ..			
On Loans ... ..			
Total Revenue Receipts ... ..	88	15	1
Loans received, viz:—			
Total as above lodged with Treasurer ... ..	88	15	1

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the last Finance Meeting, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

Accounts having been duly examined Payments were ordered as follows, and the Treasurer's Advice Notes were duly signed; those under Article 16 being identified by that number.

Table (b).					Amount.		
					£	s.	d.
Salaries :—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...			
Separate Charges	...	..	...	...			
Office Expenses	...	...	...	...	3	8	6
Burial Grounds Expenses	...	...	...	...			
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges :—							
Repairs	...	..	...	...			
Law and Engineering	...	...	...	...			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses	...	...	...	...		19	4
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act	...	...	...	...			
Sanitary Expenses :—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...			
Separate Charges	...	...	...	...	3	12	10
Superannuation	...	...	...	...			
Repayment of Loans :—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...			
Separate Charges	...	...	...	...			
Expenses of Local Committees :—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...			
Separate Charges	...	...	...	...			
Expenses under Special Acts :—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...			
Separate Charges	...	...	...	...			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses :—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...	2	16	9
Separate Charges	...	...	...	...			
Intercepting Hospital	...	...	...	...			
Total Revenue Payments					10	18	5
Expenditure out of Loans, viz. :—							
							
Total Amount of Orders authorised to be issued					10	18	5

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the  
last day of July 1917

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...	238	1	9			
Total sums received to close of last Month	88	15	1			
<b>TOTAL</b> ...	<b>326</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>10</b>			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...					19	4
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	63	9	2			
<b>TOTAL</b> ...	<b>63</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2</b>		<b>19</b>	<b>4</b>
Net Balance due <u>by</u> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals) ...	263	7	8		19	4
						Loans a/c. due to Treas.
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>by</u> Treasurer ...	267	2	8		18	2
Outstanding Orders ...	3	15	0		1	7
Net Balance as above due <u>by</u> Treasurer ...	263	7	8		19	4
						To Treasurer.

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

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

X No entries

FORM 26 (continued.)—THE MONTHLY ABSTRACT OF RENT COLLECTION AND CASH ACCOUNT as follows:—

Collectors District No.	Date when each Collector attended to have his Books checked.	NUMBER OF COTTAGES.		RENT COLLECTION.							COLLECTORS' CASH ACCOUNT.				
		Built.	Let.	Unoccupied.	Arrears due by Tenants at close of last Month.	Rents accrued during the Month.	Total for Collection.	Collected during the Month.	Arrears due by Tenants at close of this Month.	Balance (if any) in hands at close of 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	12/8/77	8	8		2 0 6	3 0 0	5 0 6	2 18 6	2 2 0	2 6 6	2 18 6	5 5 0	2 6 6	2 18 6	
II	9/8/77	31	30	1	9 12 0	11 5 0	20 17 0	10 17 6	9 19 6	6 12 0	17 9 6	6 12 0	10 17 6		
III	6/8/77	51	50	1	11 11 0	18 15 0	30 6 0	2 17 0	6 9 0	12 13 6	36 10 6	12 13 6	23 17 0		
IV	6/8/77	2	2		. . .	15 0	15 0	15 0	. . .	12 0	1 7 0	12 0	. 15 0		
Totals.		92	90	2	23 3 6	33 15 0	56 18 6	38 8 0	18 10 6	22 4 0	60 12 0	22 4 0	38 8 0		

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
Denis			
Doherty	Hugh McElaney	1 week's rent due	}
	John McLaughlin	1 " " "	
	Wm. Coyne	5 " "	
	James Doherty	2 " "	
	Robt. McKenlay	19 " "	
Denis			
Doherty	J. Gillespie	6 " "	}
	E. McSorri	3 " "	
	Mr. Duffy	5 " "	
	Wm. Savenport	3 " "	
	L. Ledford	2 " "	
	Wharton	8 " "	
	D. McLaughlin	3 " "	
	Wharton	5 " "	
	J. Doherty	2 " "	
	R. Hamilton	1 " "	
	James Peep	7 " "	
	Geo. Doherty	9 " "	
	Mr. Leland	3 " "	
	J. Drallow	5 " "	
	J. McDavid	2 " "	
	J. R. Doherty	6 " "	
	D. McLaughlin	2 " "	
	P. Loque	5 " "	
	H. Doherty	14 " "	
	Hugh Doherty	10 " "	

Read

To be warned

Chas. McEvoy tenant of Cottage No 27  
Tyburn died 15th July 1917

Rent 2nd (continued)—List of names of Rent Collectors and their names in italics.

## The Rent Collection Book, &amp;c.—continued.

In what Collector's District	Name of Tenant	Nature of Report	Order made by the District Council thereon
Patricks Doherty	Wm. Stacold	5 weeks' rent due	} Read  " Take proceedings against Society employing Solicitor if necessary
	Edw. Gellon	6 " "	
	Mrs. Bridget Murray	2 " "	
	Wm. Connolly	5 " "	
	John McFarlane	5 " "	
	Edw. McPhilloway	9 " "	
	Edw. Wallis	5 " "	
	Andrew Davenport	6 " "	
	Chas. McLaughlin	5 " "	
	Michael McAuley	2 " "	
	John McQuiggin	5 " "	
	John Doherty	5 " "	
	Alex. Logue	2 " "	
	Patrick Feeley	3 " "	
	Edw. McDermott	2 " "	
	Patrick Henry	4 " "	
	Francis Mellon	15 " "	

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

Dated this 13<sup>th</sup> day of August 1917

R. Moore

Clerk of the Rural District Council.

**Inishowen Rural District.**

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

**PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.**

(41 and 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the INISHOWEN RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL, acting as the Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of August 1917.

Number of Members on the Council, ~~45~~ 44

Number of Members present.....17..

IN THE CHAIR— Mr. Patrick Kavanagh

OTHER COUNCILLORS PRESENT— 16 - See Miscellaneous Minutes.

Reports from the Medical Officers of Health were read, viz. :—

District.	Name of Officer.	Particulars.	Orders of Council.
<u>Notifications of Infectious Disease</u>			
Buncrana	Dr. Ingham	2 cases Typhoid Fever. Patients sent to Hospit House and contents disinfected.	
Bronville	Dr. E. J. Keogh	1 case Scarlet Fever.	

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

Record of Sanitary Work performed since the date of the last Meeting :—

Number of Orders or Notices to Abate Nuisances, make Connecting Drains, or perform other Sanitary work, served since last Meeting	...	...	3
Number of Prosecutions for Neglect of Orders or Notices	...	...	—
Number of Convictions	..	..	—
Amount of Fines imposed by orders of Justices	...	...	£ —
Fines levied amounting to £			—

Submitted Weekly Return of Duties performed by Sanitary Sub-Officers, showing :—

Number of Houses, Yards, and Premises inspected	...	...	63
Number of Houses, Rooms, or Premises Limewashed	...	...	—
Number of Dwellings Disinfected	...	...	—
Disinfecting Chamber used by persons	...	...	—
Articles of Clothing Disinfected	number	...	—
Clothing and Bedding Destroyed by Order of the Sanitary Authority to the value of	...	...	£ —

Destruction witnessed by \_\_\_\_\_ Sanitary Sub-Officer.

Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the District Council, as recorded in Financial Statement Book of Expenditure and the Treasurer's Advice Note for the respective amounts duly signed (or directions given as follows):—

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
		£	s.	d.
	An account was submitted from Mr. Henry Roberts, Camdenrath amounting to £3 1.6 for relaying a sewer pipe in Camdenrath under the mill race at foot of Bridge Street. The account and the satisfactory completion of the work were certified by Mr. A.W. Inglethorpe C.E., and on the motion of Mr. Cole seconded by Mr. Diver, payment was ordered.			
	Paying Order issued for	£3	1	.6



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

Read report from the Hon. Secretary Landonagh Public Health Committee of a meeting held 19<sup>th</sup> July, 1917 stating (1) that with reference to a report from the M.O.H. regarding the main sewers on each side of Malin Street, in connection with the one on the west side the Railway Company's engineer and Mr. A.W. McLaughlin C.E. on behalf of the P.H. Committee had been in consultation, and with regard to the drain on the east side the Committee have ordered it and the drain along North West side of the Deanion to be cleaned at a cost of 20/-. (2) that the wells be cleaned at a cost of 15/-. (3) that the Committee ~~ordered~~ ordered Henry Doherty to be employed to repair broken sewer pipe across mill race at Bridge St., and Mr. A.W. McLaughlin C.E. to prepare short Specification and certify work.

On the motion of Mr. Cole seconded by Mr. Diver the report was adopted.

A postcard from an anonymous correspondent complaining of waste and scarcity of water in Inoville having been received and brought to the notice of Mr. McConnell Hon Sec Inoville P.H. Committee.

Read letter from Mr. McConnell dated 10<sup>th</sup> August 1917 stating there was no reason to fear a water famine the reservoir has not been too low this year and has been turned off at night

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Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on Monday  
 the 10th day of September 1917  
 (Signed) P. W. Langhlin  
 Chairman (or Clerk of the Rural District Council).

## Inishowen Rural District.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883 TO 1911.

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the Rural District Council, acting as the Rural

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

Monday the 12<sup>th</sup> day of August 1917

PRESENT—In the Chair—

*Mr. Patrick Kavanagh*

Other Councillors—(See Miscellaneous Minutes.)

*Mr. Patrick Doherty*, Rent collector, reported that in Cottages No 5 & 6 Dromawair, water is coming in at chimney, ceiling will fall if not attended to. Back yards fence washed away by a flood caused by a water spout, and stating *Mr. Kavanagh D.C.*, thinks something should be allowed by the Council for the repair of the fence in the circumstances.

On the motion of councillor *Smith* seconded by councillor *Colt* it was ordered —

That a sum of 10/- be allowed to repair fence and that councillor *Kavanagh* be asked to employ a man to see to chimney under his supervision.

Applications were received for the Labourer Cottages No 27 Linnaree from

*Edward Doherty*, Milltown - proposed by councillor

*Lanny* seconded by councillor *Dineen*

*Mr. McFarren* proposed by councillor *Kearney* seconded by councillor *Joseph Doherty*

*Denis Bradley*, proposed by councillor *Colt* & seconded by councillor *D. Ruddy*

*Joe McLaughlin* - proposed by councillor *Douglas* & seconded by councillor *McFallion*.

*Patrick Doherty* - Churchtown. not proposed.

After two divisions McLaughlin and McFerron  
were out and there voted for Bradley

Councillors Kavanagh, Owen Doherty, ~~McCarthy~~,  
Ruddy, Tob, Kearney, Joseph Doherty, McCallion,  
Smith = 8

and for Edward Doherty, Councillors P. Aughey,  
P. Devlin, Lanny, N. Aughey, Douglas, Drier &  
McSheffrey = 7

Bradley was declared the successful candidate  
Surety, Mr. John Bradley, Londonderry

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Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on Monday  
 the 10th day of Sept 1917

(Signed), P. M. Haughlin  
 Chairman (or Clerk of the Rural District Council).

## Inishowen Rural District.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Rural District Council at a monthly  
Meeting held on Mon day, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of October 1917

### Miscellaneous Business.

PRESENT—In the Chair :—

*Mr. Patrick McLaughlin.*

6 Other Councillors :—

~~Patrick Porter, Bernard Farren, Wm. Joseph O'Donnell, Patk. Kavanagh, Thomas Carey, Owen Doherty, Patk. M'Grouy, Bernard McRory, Philip Kearney, John Crookin, Daniel Ruddy, John M'Carroll, Charles Doherty, Philip Doherty, Patrick Quigley, J.P.; Patrick J. Cole, James Doherty, Edward Kearney, Patrick Devlin, Anthony Canny, J.P.; John Scott, Denis Glackin, John O'Doherty, Patrick O'Doherty, Neil Quigley, J.P.; Patrick M'Laughlin, Patrick M'Callon, J.P., Daniel Douglas, Patrick Hegarty, Charles M'Colgan, Patrick M'Conalogue, J.P., Denis Diver, James Kelly, Neal M'Laughlin, Denis Doherty, Hugh M'Henry, John Cavanagh, J.P., John M'Connell, John Smith, John Doherty (Terryrone), Daniel M'Carroll, John Doherty (Drung), Edward McDermott, William Quigley, James P. M'Ivor.~~ *Patk. McLaughlin*

NUMBER OF MEMBERS OF COUNCIL, ~~45~~ 44

NUMBER OF MEMBERS PRESENT..... 7

The Minutes of the last Meeting (or ~~Meetings~~) were read and signed.

The Reports of the Clerk on execution of Orders previously made.

The clerk reported that, for want of a quorum, no meeting was held on the day last fixed for a meeting of the Council viz.; 10<sup>th</sup> Sept 1917.

Read letter from the L. G. Board, dated 14<sup>th</sup> August 1917 No. 40,293 forwarding copy of the Auditor's report together with the abstract of the accounts of the Council for half year ended 30<sup>th</sup> March 1917.

Read letter from the L. G. Board dated 30 Aug 1917, No. 42,995, forwarding copies of the Auditor's report and of the abstract of the accounts of the Londonderry Port Sanitary Authority for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 1917.

Read letter from the L. G. Board, dated 15<sup>th</sup> Aug 1917 No. 41095, Donegal County, forwarding copy of a letter addressed to the Donegal County Council consequent upon

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them, respectively, to the following effect (or Orders made on them, respectively, as follows):—

The appeal by Glenties R.D. Council, stating the Declaration of the Co. Council against main roads would be inequitable and cannot be upheld, and that a scheme of Main Roads would be formulated by the L.G. Board commencing as from 1<sup>st</sup> April 1918

Read letter from the Secretary, Ministry of Food, Grosvenor House, London, W. 1. dated 21<sup>st</sup> Aug 1917. No. M.S. 116/17. and

Letter from Mr. Philip O'Doherty, M.P., dated 18<sup>th</sup> August 1917 acknowledging receipt of the District Council's resolutions referring to the price of Meat.

A Resolutions received from Newtownards R.D., relative to the conditions of Talbot House, the principal residence for Female Students attending Marlborough Street Training College, Dublin, was adopted.

A Resolutions received from Baltinglass, Union relative to, and protesting against the, inadequacy of the recent supplemental estimate proposed by the Chief Secretary for Irish primary education, was adopted

Resolutions received from the Irish Trades Union Congress Labour Party, relative to the payment of Fair wages on Public contracts, the promotion of Irish Industries, and the provision of Day Classes in Technical ~~Classes~~ Schools &c., were adopted

Resolutions received from Mr. J. B. Sheffington, L.D., Cherrymount, Burnside Road, Belfast, under date 24-9-17. were on the motion of Councillor Devlin, seconded by

Councillor Chas. Doherty, adopted as follows:—  
 calling on the Government—

- (1) To have indicted and tried all the Accomplices and Accessories to the Portobello Murders Easter 1916.
- (2) To have forthwith tried for the Murder of Gade and other crimes
- (3) To have justice done to Sir Francis Vane
4. To have printed and published forthwith the Evidence taken at the Inquiry by Sir J. Simons.

Read Notice from the Phoenix Assurance Co. Ltd. stating that the Workmen's Compensation (War Additions) Act 1917 increases the compensation payable by 25% and the Corporation and the Company will ~~reassess~~ cover this additional liability for a payment of 10% additional on the present premiums, which amount will be collected at the renewal date of the Policy. (No. 642218) and will be adjusted to wages paid from 1<sup>st</sup> Sept next

(See also Minutes of the Councillors' proceedings under the Labourers Acts, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on Monday  
the 12<sup>th</sup> day of November 1917

(Signed), John Lewis  
Chairman (or Clerk of the Rural District Council).

FORM 26.

**FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with, but separate from, the General Minutes of each Finance Meeting).


**Inishowen Rural District.**Meeting held the 8<sup>th</sup> day of October 1917

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 made in respect of same, as follows:—

Table (a.)	Amount.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council:—			
General Charges	...	...	...
Separate Charges	...	...	...
Labourers' Cottage Rents	...	...	...
Small Dwellings Act	...	...	...
Burial Fees	...	...	...
Water Rents	...	...	...
Other Receipts:—			
General Charges	...	...	...
Separate Charges	...	...	...
Interest allowed by Treasurer:—			
On Revenue Account	...	...	...
On Loans	...	...	...
Total Revenue Receipts	63	15	6
Loans received, viz:—			
_____			
_____			
Total as above lodged with Treasurer	63	15	6

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the last Finance Meeting, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same

Accounts having been duly examined Payments were ordered as follows, and the Treasurer's Advice Notes were duly signed; those under Article 16 being identified by that number.

Table (b).					Amount.		
					£	s.	d.
Salaries :—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...	34	10	0
Separate Charges	...	..	...	...	3	5	0
Office Expenses	...	...	...	...	1	11	1
Burial Grounds Expenses	...	...	...	...			
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges :—							
Repairs	...	..	...	...	1	0	0
Law and Engineering	...	...	...	...			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses	...	...	...	...	14	19	3
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act	...	...	...	...			
Sanitary Expenses :—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...	1	14	6
Separate Charges	...	...	...	...	4	9	8
Superannuation	...	...	...	...	2	4	7
Repayment of Loans :—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...	26	14	4
Separate Charges	...	...	...	...	24	3	1
Expenses of Local Committees :—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...			
Separate Charges	...	...	...	...			
Expenses under Special Acts :—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...			
Separate Charges	...	...	...	...			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses :—							
General Charges	...	...	...	...	6	16	0
Separate Charges	...	...	...	...			
Intercepting Hospital	...	...	...	...			
Total Revenue Payments					121	7	6
Expenditure out of Loans, viz. :—							
							
Total Amount of Orders authorised to be issued					121	7	6

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



Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the  
last day of August 1917

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...	263	7	8	.	.	.
Total sums received to close of last Month	42	0	8	.	19	4
<b>TOTAL</b> ...	<b>305</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>4</b>	.	<b>19</b>	<b>4</b>
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...	.	.	.	.	19	4
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	10	18	5	.	.	.
<b>TOTAL</b> ...	<b>10</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>5</b>	.	<b>19</b>	<b>4</b>
Net Balance due <sup>by</sup> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals) ...	294	9	11	.	.	.
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
Balance per Bank Book due <sup>by</sup> Treasurer ...	294	6	8	1	17	6
Outstanding Orders ...	2	16	9	1	17	6
Net Balance as above due <sup>by</sup> Treasurer ...	294	9	11	.	.	.

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

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

\* No Entries.

Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of September 1917

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...	294	9	11	-	-	-
Total sums received to close of last Month	63	15	6	-	-	-
<b>TOTAL</b> ...	<b>358</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	-	-	-
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting <i>No Finance meeting held in Sept</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>TOTAL</b> ...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Net Balance due <i>by</i> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals) ...	358	5	5	-	-	-
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
Balance per Bank Book due <i>by</i> Treasurer ...	358	5	5	1	17	6
Outstanding Orders ...	-	-	-	1	17	6
Net Balance as above due <i>by</i> Treasurer ...	358	5	5	-	-	-

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

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

*No Entries*

FORM 26 (continued.)—THE MONTHLY ABSTRACT OF RENT COLLECTION AND CASH ACCOUNT as follows: for 2 months:—

Collectors District No.	Date when each Collector attended to have his books checked.	NUMBER OF COTTAGES.		RENT COLLECTION.						COLLECTORS' CASH ACCOUNT.					
		Built.	Let.	Unoccupied.	Arrears due by Tenants at close of last Month.	Rents accrued during the Month.	Total for Collection.	Collected during the Month.	Arrears due by Tenants at close of this Month.	Balance (if any) in hands at close of 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		8	8		2 20	4 16 0	6 18 0	5 9 6	1 8 6	2 18 6	5 9 6	8 8 0	8 8 0		
II		31	30	1	9 19 6	17 18 6	27 18 0	27 18 0		10 17 6	27 18 0	38 15 6	38 15 6		
III		51	50	1	6 9 0	30 30	36 9 0	30 12 0	5 17 0	23 17 0	30 12 0	54 9 53	53 1 18 0	*	
IV		2	2			1 4 0	1 4 0	1 4 0		15 0	1 4 0	1 19 0	1 19 0		
Totals,		92	90	2	18 10 6	53 18 6	72 9 0	65 3 6	7 5 6	38 8 0	65 3 6	103 11 6	102 3 6	1 8 0	

\* The sum of £1=8=0 was paid by tenants after collectors lodgement was sent to Treasurer. The £1=8=0 was lodged with Treasurer on 2<sup>nd</sup> Oct. 1917

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
Davis			
Doherty	Robert McKinley	19 weeks' rent due	
Patt			
Doherty	Gas Campbell	8 weeks' rent due	
	Philip Gill	8	" "
	Edw. Gillen	2	" "
	Bridget Murray	1	" "
	Fras. Mellors	15	" Prosecution against Surety, Ordered.
	Wm. Connolly	4	" "
	Andw Davenport	9	" "
	Chas. McLaughlin	4	" "
	Jno McGooshegan	4	" "
	Patrick Feeney	1	" "
	Patrick Henry	4	" "

The Rent Collection Book, &c.—*continued.*

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

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

Dated this 8<sup>th</sup> day of October 1917

R. Moore  
Clerk of the Rural District Council.

## Inishowen Rural District.

Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1898.

## PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 and 42 Vic., cap. 52, &amp;c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the INISHOWEN RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL, acting as  
the Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on  
the 8<sup>th</sup> day of October 1917.

Number of Members on the Council, ~~45~~ 44Number of Members present, 7

IN THE CHAIR—

Mr. Patrick McLaughlin

OTHER COUNCILLORS PRESENT—

Reports from the Medical Officers of Health were read, viz. :—

District.	Name of Officer.	Particulars.	Orders of Council.
Carnmoney	D. P. O'Fallaghan	2 cases dilapidated dwellings	} Serve Notices to abate
"	"	1 case insanitary premises	
Flonmany	D. O. Doherby	5 " do do	
Malin	D. R. A. McLaughlin	1 " do do	
do	do	4 " Scarlatina Infections	
Driville	D. Tho. Harkin	4 Cases Infectious Diseases in dwellings the places have been disinfected	
<u>Notifications of Infectious Disease</u>			
Malin	D. O'Fallaghan	3 cases Scarlet Fever	
do	D. G. Newell	1 " do "	
Driville	do.	1 " do	
do	do.	1 " Erysipelas	
do	D. Harkin	1 " do	
do	do	1 " Diphtheria	

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

## Record of Sanitary Work performed since the date of the last Meeting:—

Number of Orders or Notices to Abate Nuisances, make Connecting Drains, or perform other Sanitary work, served since last Meeting	...	...	5
Number of Prosecutions for Neglect of Orders or Notices	...	...	—
Number of Convictions	...	...	—
Amount of Fines imposed by orders of Justices	...	£	—
Fines levied amounting to £			—

## Submitted Weekly Return of Duties performed by Sanitary Sub-Officers, showing:—

Number of Houses, Yards, and Premises inspected	...	...	120
Number of Houses, Rooms, or Premises Limewashed	...	...	—
Number of Dwellings Disinfected	...	...	1
Disinfecting Chamber used by persons	...	...	—
Articles of Clothing Disinfected number	...	...	—
Clothing and Bedding Destroyed by Order of the Sanitary Authority to the value of	...	...	£ —

Destruction witnessed by \_\_\_\_\_ Sanitary Sub-Officer.

Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the District Council, as recorded in Financial Statement Book of Expenditure and the Treasurer's Advice Note for the respective amounts duly signed (or directions given as follows):—

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
		£	s.	d.
	Accounts were received from Inverkeithing Public Health Committee for Payment and paying orders issued as follows:— Patricia Harker	—	9	10
	Sue Duff	—	15	0
	Payment of an account for 2½ cost of sulphur procured for disinfecting purposes received from Dr. Inverkeithing Bunerane was approved			

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

Read letter from Bunrana U.D. Council dated 30<sup>th</sup> October 1917 requesting to have the plans of Bunrana Sewerage works sent them, and stating the Admiralty required them at once.

and further letter from the Clerk, Bunrana U.D., dated 5<sup>th</sup> October 1917 acknowledging receipt of the plans etc., as follows

- |   |               |
|---|---------------|
| (1) Edw. Lavanagh's Contract and Bond 1891                    | } Water works |
| (2) Extension of Reservoir do do 1909                         |               |
| (3) P.O. Pitches Contract Bond Spec <sup>n</sup> etc 1904     | } Sewerage    |
| (4) Rejected Tenders - 1904                                   |               |
| (5) John Mullin's Contract Bond, Spec <sup>n</sup> etc., 1906 |               |
| (6) Rejected Tenders - 1906                                   |               |
| And 4 bundles plans & Specifications 1904 & 1906              |               |



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Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on Monday  
 the 12<sup>th</sup> day of November 1917  
 (Signed), John Kelly  
 Chairman (or Clerk of the Rural District Council).

## Inishowen Rural District.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883 TO 1911.

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the Rural District Council, acting as the Rural

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

Monday the 8<sup>th</sup> day of October 1917

PRESENT—In the Chair—

*Mr. Patrick McLaughlin.*

6 Other Councillors—(See Miscellaneous Minutes.)

Read letter from the L.G. Board, dated 1<sup>st</sup> September 1917, N<sup>o</sup> 129. Miscellaneous forwarding copy of the Local Government (Allotments and Land Cultivations) (Ireland) Act 1917.

On the application of John McLaughlin, tenant of Labourers Cottage N<sup>o</sup> 24 Lullygarvan, permission was given him to enclose the shed of his cottage at his own expense

Read application from Mrs. John Molloy Cottage N<sup>o</sup> 120 Kellount to have repairs effected to the ceiling and have the smoke draught remedied at her cottage

Mr. O'Fliskey, Rent Collector reported that about  $\text{£} 6$  feet square of the ceiling has fallen

Ordered that Mr. A.W. McLaughlin, C.E., be instructed to report and make an estimate of the cost of the repairs

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Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on Monday  
 the 12<sup>th</sup> day of November 1917  
 (Signed), John [Signature]  
 Chairman (or Clerk of the Rural District Council).

## Inishowen Rural District.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Rural District Council at <sup>the Monthly and Half</sup> ~~a~~ ~~the~~ ~~Monthly~~ ~~and~~ ~~Half~~

yearly Meeting held on Monday day, the 12<sup>th</sup> day of November 1919  
in Carndonagh Courthouse

### Miscellaneous Business.

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Mr. John Scott

19 Other Councillors:—

~~Patrick Porter, Bernard Farron, Wm. Joseph O'Donnell, Patk. Kavanagh, Thomas Cuddy, Owen Doherty, Patk. M'Grory, Bernard McRory, Philip Kearney, John Crokin, Daniel Ruddy, John M'Carroll, Charles Doherty, Philip Doherty, Patrick Quigley, J.P.; Patrick J. Cole, James Doherty, Edward Kearney, Patrick Devlin, Anthony Sanny, J.P.; John Scott, Denis Glackin, John O'Doherty, Patrick O'Doherty, Neil Quigley, J.P.; Patrick M'Laughlin, Patrick M'Callon, J.P.; Daniel Douglas, Patrick Hegarty, Charles M'Colgan, Patrick M'Conalogue, J.P., Denis Dyer, James Kelly, Neal M'Laughlin, Denis Doherty, Hugh M'Henry, John Cavanagh, J.P.; John M'Connell, John Smith, John Doherty (Terryrone), Daniel M'Carroll, John Doherty (Drung), Edward McDermott, William Quigley, James P. M'Ivor.~~

Also present Messrs. Steadman M.A.S.,  
Co. Surveyor; and E. Blalock and  
W.S. McLaughlin, Asst. Surveyors.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS OF COUNCIL, 44

NUMBER OF MEMBERS PRESENT.....20

The Minutes of the last Meeting (or Meetings) were read and signed.

The Reports of the Clerk on execution of Orders previously made.

The County Surveyor's Report and the Recommendations added thereto ~~as~~ regards payments were adopted on the motion of Councillor Scott, seconded by C. Kavanagh. The Report showed that for the Financial Year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March, 1919, the County Surveyor estimates that the following will be required

For Maintenance Contracts	£6.237	}	Total £6.757
Repairs to bridges &c	200		
Allowances for Sudden breaches	100		
Steam Rolling	220		

and as the limit of expenditure is £5,257 it will be necessary to apply for an increase in the limit to the extent of £1,500.

On the motion of Councillor McEvoy seconded by Councillor Cole it was Resolved

That the Donegal Council be requested to apply to the Local Government Board for their assent

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them, respectively, to the following effect (or Orders made on them, respectively, as follows):—

to the extension of the annual limit of Road Expenditure in Enishowen Rural District by £2000. for financial year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1919, of which £1500 is required to meet renewals recommended by the Surveyor today, and the remaining £500 to be earmarked for urgent repairs to turf roads selected by the County Assistant Surveyors and District Councillors acting in co-operation in same manner as the £500 extension is being used in current year, but may be under the head of maintenance or miscellaneous.

Read letter from Mr. H. W. Gadden dated 25 Octo 1917, N<sup>o</sup> 659 forwarding, in answer to enquiry, and extract from the Minutes of Proceedings of the Donegal County Council at their meeting held on 2<sup>nd</sup> Octo 1917 at which it was proposed to allow reductions, where recommended by County Surveyor in the tonnage on road contracts during the continuance of the war, of 40, 30, 25, and 15% respectively on contracts entered into before 1<sup>st</sup> Aug<sup>t</sup> 1914, 1<sup>st</sup> Apr 1915, 1<sup>st</sup> Apr 1916 & 1<sup>st</sup> Apr 1917.

Councillor Lavanagh moved that a statement be given showing the total amount of money "struck off" in road contracts, during the past 3 years, which has not been paid to the contractors and whether this money has gone to the credit of this Rural District.

Read letter from the Secretary Donegal Co Council dated 6<sup>th</sup> Novr. 1917 stating the money struck off in respect of road contracts in this R District for the 3 years ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 1917

1917, amounted to £2,845. 7. 8; and that in preparing the estimates it is the average payments made in the Rural District on foot of road contracts in the two preceding years and not the annual legal limit.

Councillor Lavanagh also moved that an explanation be given by those in authority as to how the Road Board Grant and the local Special tax has been spent on the road between Quigley's Point and Carroneff, bridge as the distance of road improved is very far short of that proposed.

The County Surveyor made a statement on the subject to meeting, which was considered very satisfactory.

The List of Applications which contained 150 items was considered. For lack of money it was decided to strike out 31 applications 27 of which were miscellaneous. 119 items were passed.

The List of Proposals, Form 20, was initialled by the Chairman.

On the motion of Councillor Lavanagh, seconded by Councillor McEvoy the Clerk was directed to prepare a return showing by what amount each Electoral Division benefited out of the additional £500 obtained for the improvement of bog roads this year.

Read letter from the Donegal County Council dated 12<sup>th</sup> Oct 1917 urging the District Council, at the request of a deputation from the Donegal Teachers Association which attended a recent meeting of the County Council, to put the compulsory attendance clauses of the Education, Ireland, Act, 1892 into operation in this District

On the motion of Councillor Lavaneagh seconded by Councillor McElroy it was decided to take no action till after the war

Read letter from the Under Secretary Dublin Castle, dated 10<sup>th</sup> Nov 1917, No 27393 acknowledging receipt of the resolutions passed at the last meeting of this Council re Easter Week 1916

On the motion of Councillor McElroy seconded by Councillor Lyle the resolutions passed at the meeting of Rathfriland Rural District Council on 8<sup>th</sup> October relative to the political condition of Ireland was adopted

(See also Minutes of the Councillors' proceedings under the Labourers Acts, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

the ~~previous~~ <sup>the</sup> Half-Yearly

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

the 26<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1917

(Signed),

J. M. Lyle  
Chairman (or Clerk of the Rural District Council).

Chairman

FORM 26.

**FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with, but separate from, the General Minutes of each Finance Meeting).

**Inishowen Rural District.**Meeting held the 12<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1917

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 made in respect of same, as follows:—

Table (a.)	Amount.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council:—			
General Charges	55	0	0
Separate Charges	33	10	0
Labourers' Cottage Rents	1	8	0
Small Dwellings Act			
Burial Fees			
Water Rents			
Other Receipts:—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Interest allowed by Treasurer:—			
On Revenue Account			
On Loans			
Total Revenue Receipts	89	18	0
Loans received, viz.:—			
_____			
_____			
Total as above lodged with Treasurer	89	18	0

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the last Finance Meeting, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same

Accounts having been duly examined Payments were ordered as follows, and the Treasurer's Advice Notes were duly signed; those under Article 16 being identified by that number.

Table (b).	Amount.		
	£	s.	d.
Salaries:—			
General Charges ... ..			
Separate Charges ... ..			
Office Expenses ... ..			
Burial Grounds Expenses ... ..			
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges:—			
Repairs ... ..	3	0	0
Law and Engineering ... ..			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses ... ..		3	1
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act ... ..			
Sanitary Expenses:—			
General Charges ... ..			
Separate Charges ... ..		12	3
Superannuation ... ..			
Repayment of Loans:—			
General Charges ... ..			
Separate Charges ... ..			
Expenses of Local Committees:—			
General Charges ... ..			
Separate Charges ... ..			
Expenses under Special Acts:—			
General Charges ... ..			
Separate Charges ... ..			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses:—			
General Charges ... ..			
Separate Charges ... ..			
Intercepting Hospital ... ..			
Total Revenue Payments ...	3	15	4
Expenditure out of Loans, viz:—			
<i>Labourers Cottage Loans 12.</i> ... ..		3	1
Total Amount of Orders authorised to be issued ...	3	18	5

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the  
last day of October 191 7

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...	358	5	5	.	.	.
Total sums received to close of last Month	89	18	0	.	.	.
<b>TOTAL</b> ... ..	<b>448</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	.	.	.
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ... ..	.	.	.	.	.	.
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	121	7	6	.	.	.
<b>TOTAL</b> ... ..	<b>121</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>6</b>	.	.	.
Net Balance due <u>by</u> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals) ...	326	15	11	.	.	.
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>by</u> Treasurer ... ..	326	15	11	1	17	6
Outstanding Orders ... ..	.	.	.	1	17	6
Net Balance as above due <u>by</u> Treasurer ... ..	326	15	11	.	.	.

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

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

+ No. Entries



FORM 26 (continued.)—THE MONTHLY ABSTRACT OF Rent Collection and Cash Account as follows :—

Collectors District No.	Date when each Collector attended to have his Books checked.	NUMBER OF COTTAGES.		RENT COLLECTION.						COLLECTOR'S CASH ACCOUNT.					
		Built.	Let.	Unoccupied.	Arrears due by Tenants at close of last Month.	Rents accrued during the Month.	Total for Collection.	Collected during the Month.	Arrears due by Tenants at the close of this Month.	Balance (if any) in hands at close of 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	27/1/17	8	8		1 8 6	3 0 0	4 8 6	2 9 6	1 19 0		2 9 6		2 9 6		
II		31	30	1		11 5 0	11 5 0	4 10 0	6 15 0		4 10 0		4 10 0		
III		51	50	1	5 17 0	18 15 0	24 12 0	15 4 6	9 7 6	1 8 0	16 12 6	1 8 0	15 4 6		
IV		2	2			15 0	15 0	15 0			15 0		15 0		
Totals,		92	90	2	7 5 6	33 15 0	41 0 6	22 19 0	18 1 6	1 8 0	24 7 0	1 8 0	22 19 0		

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
Denis	Wm. Coyle	5 weeks rent due	
Doherty	Denis Doherty	2 " "	
	Robt McKenley	19 " "	
Denis	P. Doherty	5 " "	
McLooney	J. Gillespie	5 " "	
	Fr. Duffly	5 " "	
	Wm Davenport	4 " "	
	Ledford	5 " "	
	Jas Houton	5 " "	
	Dan McLaughlin	2 " "	
	J. Doherty	5 " "	
	J. Houton	5 " "	
	Hugh Doherty	5 " "	
	McLaughlin	5 " "	
	Grampsey	5 " "	
	J. Doherty	5 " "	
	W. O'Donnell	5 " "	
	J. Mollon	5 " "	
	J. P. Doherty	5 " "	
	Dan McLaughlin	5 " "	
	Phogue	5 " "	

## The Rent Collection Book, &amp;c.—continued.

In what Collector's District.	Name of Tenant	Nature of Report	Order made by the District Council thereon
Patrick Doherty	James Long	5 weeks rent due	
	Alex McLaughlin	5 " "	
	Phil Gill	13 " "	
	Edward Gillin	7 " "	
	Edward Kelly	5 " "	
	John Muller	5 " "	
	Theridget Murray	6 " "	
	Francis Mellon	15 " "	{ Proceedings against surety being taken
	Wm. Connolly	9 " "	
	John McArthur	5 " "	
	David Muller	5 " "	
	Edward Mcgilowan	5 " "	
	John Hoque	5 " "	
	Charles McLaughlin	5 " "	
	John Doherty	5 " "	
	Alex Hoque	1 " "	
	Patrick Feeney	6 " "	
	Quackil Bonner	5 " "	
	Edward McDermott	3 " "	
	Patrick Henry	9 " "	

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

Dated this 12<sup>th</sup> day of November 1917

R. Moore

Clerk of the Rural District Council.

## Inishowen Rural District.

Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1898.

**PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.**

(41 and 42 Vic., cap. 52, &amp;c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the INISHOWEN RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL, acting as  
the Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on  
the 12<sup>th</sup> day of November 1917.

Number of Members on the Council, ~~45~~ 44

Number of Members present, 20

IN THE CHAIR— Mr. John Scott

OTHER COUNCILLORS PRESENT— 19. See Miscellaneous Section

Reports from the Medical Officers of Health were read, viz. :—

District.	Name of Officer.	Particulars.	Orders of Council.
Inishowen	D. R. A. McLaughlin	2 Dwellings infected with Scarlet Fever	Serve Notices to (have disinfectors carried out)
Infectious Disease Notifications			
Larne	D. P. Callaghan	3 cases Scarlet Fever	
do	do	1 case Diphtheria	
Inishowen	do.	2 cases Scarlet Fever	
Buncrana	D. McFormick	1 case Typhoid	

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



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

Read bicircular letter from the L.G. Board, dated 12<sup>th</sup> October 1917, No 49,123/1917. Inscr. relative to Maternity and Child Welfare and showing the Regulations made by the Board under which recoupment not exceeding one half of approved expenditure may be recovered.

The tender of Sam Smith to give 15/- for the old pump in the Market House Yard Camdenagh (the only tender received) was not accepted.

Read letter from Dr. Jas. McCormick M.O.H., Buncrana certifying that the following articles were burned by his directions owing to an outbreak of Typhoid & Typhus Fever in the house of Dan McLaughlin, Dunree; viz.,

2 quilts, 1 blanket, 1 pair trousers, 2 shirts, 1 jacket, 1 chemise, 2 shirts, 2 pillows, bed ticks.

Approved on the motion of Councillor Cole seconded by Councillor Scott and £3 --- compensation allowed to McLaughlin.

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*the adjourned Half Yearly*  
Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on Monday  
the 26<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1917

(Signed), \_\_\_\_\_  
Chairman (or Clerk of the Rural District Council).

## Inishowen Rural District.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883 TO 1911.

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the Rural District Council, acting as the Rural  
Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on  
Monday the <sup>12<sup>th</sup></sup> day of Nov 1917

PRESENT—In the Chair—Councillor John Scott.

19 Other Councillors—(See Miscellaneous Minutes.)

Mrs Lammie Long tenant of cottage No 4 Linnace wrote stating the ceiling in one of the rooms of ~~her~~ cottage had fallen

Ordered that Mr James Kelly be employed to examine and repair the defect

Hugh Doherty tenant of Labourers Cottage No 44 Lecanny wrote saying the recent storms had blifted the Spouting.

Mr. Patk Doherty, Rent collector reported, ~~that~~ slates off with storm at Wm Clarke's cottage, No 57 Drumaneer, and at Alex Rogues, No 74 Ballylawn also tiles off and Spouting broken at Charles McLaughlin's cottage No 77 Gortanny.

Ordered that the Rent collector employ a tradesman to have the repairs effected in all these cases

Mr. Patk Doherty also reported that Hegarty's cottage No 39 Cashel, to be uninhabitable with smoke

with reference to the entry on the minutes of 14th May 1917 Councillors Philip Doherty and P. Cole who were nominated by the Council for the purpose, certified that the work carried out by Nath Doherty for the purpose of remedying the smoke nuisance at Labourers Cottage No 25 Lamdough has been satisfactorily carried out and appears to have been successful

Paying Order for the £3. issued

Read letter from Mr. Jas. O'Donnell Esq. dated 30th Octr 1917 stating he had written Mr. Michael Bonner surety for Francis Mellon late tenant of cottage No 62 Ballynally, threatening proceedings if Bonner does not pay the arrears of rent.

Read letter from Mr. Michael Bonner, Dropper, Droville dated 8th Novr 1917 forwarding cheque for 19/6 being the amount in which he secured Francis Mellon in the rent of cottage No 62.

It was unanimously decided to accept <sup>the</sup> 19/6 in full settlement of Mr Bonner's liability

Councillor Scott moved that in future when the question of accepting proposals from Labourers to become tenants of Labourers Cottages comes up for consideration that the Council select as tenant for the vacant cottages the applicant who shall be recommended by the two Councillors representing the electoral Division in which the cottage is situated after consultations with the farmers of the district

Councillor Cole opposed the motion which was not passed.

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Next, the adjourned Half-Yearly Meeting of  
the Rural District Council to be held on Monday,  
26th November 1917

(Signed) John Scott  
Chairman

Enishowen Rural District

Minutes of Proceedings of the Rural District Council at the Adjourned Half-Yearly Meeting held on Monday the 26<sup>th</sup> day of November 1917 in Farndonagh Townhouse

Miscellaneous Business.

Present - in the chair, Councillor John Scott.

9 Other Councillors :-

Patrick Kavanagh, Philip Kearney, P. Cole, James Doherty, Patrick Devlin, John Scott, Joseph Doherty, Daniel Douglas, Patrick McDonogh, and James W. Sheffrey  
Also Present, Messrs E. O'Callaghan and A. W. W. Laughlin  
Assistant Surveyors

Number on Council 14  
Number Present 10

On the motion of Councillor Scott, seconded by Councillor P. Cole it was unanimously Resolved -  
That this Council tender their sincere sympathy to Mr. Steadman, County Surveyor and Mrs. Steadman in the great loss they have sustained by the death of their son.

The Assistant Surveyors and the Clerk also associated themselves with the resolution.

The Council was engaged considering tenders for the works passed at the Half-Yearly Meeting on 12<sup>th</sup> inst. In 67 cases tenders were accepted, the bonds being signed in all but one case. In 52 cases no tenders were accepted.

The lowest tender was accepted in every case in which a contract was made except Nos 212, 228 and 246 with regard to which the prescribed minute has been made

On the motion of Councillor Cole seconded by Councillor Scott, it was resolved that

the County Council be asked to place the roads uncontracted for in charge of County Surveyor where necessary particularly those coming out of the extension of £500 in the limit of road expenditure for financial year ended 31st March 1918 to which assent was given in the L.G. Board's Sealed Order of 2<sup>nd</sup> Feb. 1917 No 62,420.

A Return was submitted by the Clerk with reference to the above mentioned extension of £500 showing the sums allotted, for each Electoral Division, to works selected at the meeting of the District Council in February last and those added at the Half Yearly meeting in May.

The proposals formulated amounted to £393-14-0. Tenders were received in respect of these and contracts made in May last amounting to £260-8-0. The County Council had placed works amounting to £34-10-0 in charge of the County Surveyor who has brought those uncompleted into his current recommendations; and of the balance of the works, being ones not tendered for and rejected by the Co. Council, amounting to £83-2-0, items ~~see~~ have been included in current list of applications and were approved at the Half Yearly meeting of this Council on 12<sup>th</sup> inst. to the amount of £67-2-0.

Read letter from Mr. Alexander Butler Cliggan's House Croville, dated 26<sup>th</sup> Nov 1917 with reference to the destruction of sheep by dogs stating he has had £35 worth of sheep killed recently and several others in his locality have had similar losses, and stating if

of 23. (nos 46, 55).

PUBLIC BODIES ORDER, 1904.

INISHOWEN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

Journal Quarterly Meeting held on \_\_\_\_\_ day of NOV 26 1917 19\_\_\_\_\_

(entered on the Minutes, and a copy to be furnished to the County Council and to the Local Government Board.)

Form of Minute prescribed in pursuance of Section 18 (1) of the Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1902.

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Tenders for the undermentioned public work were received as follows:—

No. of Tender number of opened.	Nature of the Public Work tendered for.	Name and address of each person tendering for the public work.	Price or prices named in each Tender received.
1	<p>228... For keeping in repair for 3 years, from 1st April, 1918, to 31st March, 1921, 690 perches of the road from Derry to Carradonagh, between the 3-ope pipe at Lafferty's and Whitefield bridge, with 170 tons of 2-inch broken stones of approved quality yearly, piled in 10-ton heaps for measurement, according to approved and special specification annexed to contract, suitable depots to be provided by contractor for heaping the metal clear of the carriageway. 1st class.</p>	Wm. Harker <sup>Glenties</sup> Larromore	44. 0. 0
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3		Dun Kearney "	50. 0. 0
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On the Motion of Mr. Scott  
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PUBLIC BODIES ORDER, 1904.

**INISHOWEN** DISTRICT COUNCIL.

NOV 26 1917

Adjourned Quarterly Meeting held on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_  
(entered on the Minutes, and a copy to be furnished to the County Council and to the Local Government Board.)

Form of Minute prescribed in pursuance of Section 18 (1) of the Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1902.

Tenders for the undermentioned public work were received as follows:—

No. of Tender in order of being opened.	Nature of the Public Work tendered for.	Name and address of each person tendering for the public work.	Price or prices named in each Tender received.
1	212... For keeping in repair for 3 years, from 1st April, 1918, to 31st March, 1921, 100 perches of the road from Drung to Carndonagh, between John Doherty's Chapel, and the Drung road at Drung proved quality yearly. 4th class. yearly 200	Hugh Lopez Drung, Quilley Pt	1-18. 0
2		Wm McGowan	2.0.0
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Mr. *Scott* it was resolved *unanimously* to accept  
the tender of Mr. *Wm McGowan* (numbered *2*  
in the above table).

Secretary  
or  
Clerk.



Form 23.  
(SCHEDULES 46, 55).

PUBLIC BODIES ORDER, 1904.

**INISHOWEN**

DISTRICT COUNCIL.

NOV 26 1917

Adjourned Quarterly Meeting held on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_.

(to be entered on the Minutes, and a copy to be furnished to the County Council and to the Local Government Board.)

Form of Minute prescribed in pursuance of Section 18 (1) of the Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1902.

No. 246

Tenders for the undermentioned public work were received as follows:—

No. of Tender in order of being opened.	Nature of the Public Work tendered for.	Name and address of each person tendering for the public work.	Price or prices named in each Tender received.
1	246... For keeping in repair for 3 years, from 1st April, 1918, to 31st March, 1921, 682 perches of the road from Carradonagh to Quigley's Point, between J. O'Connor's, Galwilly, and Pat Ruddy's, Carronmore, with gravel of approved quality yearly, yearly 800	Hugh Joyce Drung Clough	1-18-0
2		<del>John McKeown</del>	2-0-0
3		<del>John McKeown</del>	2-0-0
4		James McLaughlin Carronmore	7-13-0
5		Owen Dwyer Whitehouse	7-14-0
6		John Hill Carronmore	8-0-0
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On the Motion of Mr. Scott

Seconded by

Mr. Scott

it was resolved <sup>unanimously</sup> to accept

the tender of Mr. ~~John Hill~~ John Hill

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Secretary  
or  
Clerk.

The Reasons for the non-acceptance of the undermentioned tenders were as follows

No. of Tender as stated above.	Name of person tendering.	Reasons for the non-acceptance of each tender lower than the above-mentioned accepted tender.
1	Jas McLaughlin	This is a hilly road greatly
2	Queen Dever	subject to flooding and these
		men live too far off it
		to be able to give
		immediate attention to side
		drains keep water off the
		road

There voted for the Resolution, Messrs. :-

(In every case names are to be given, even though the Resolution be unanimously passed.)

Total.

There voted against the Resolution, Messrs. :-

Total.

R. Moore

{ Secretary  
Clerk.

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Something is not done to put a stop to the destruction people will have to cease keeping sheep altogether

On the motion of councillor Scott seconded by councillor Cole it was ordered that the District Inspector, R.D.C., be asked to enforce Act or Regulations to compel people to keep dogs under control at night.

A Return of Sanitary Salaries for the Year ended 30th September 1917 was laid before the Council and signed by the Chairman

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on Monday  
the 10th day of December 1917

(Signed), John Scott  
Chairman (or Clerk) of the Rural District Council.

## Inishowen Rural District.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Rural District Council at a Monthly  
Meeting held on Mon day, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1917

### Miscellaneous Business.

PRESENT—In the Chair :— Councillor John Scott

8 Other Councillors :—

~~Patrick Porter, Bernard Farren, Wm. Joseph O'Donnell, Pat. Kavanagh, Thomas Carey, Owen Doherty, Pat. M'Grory, Bernard McRory, Philip Kearney, John Crokin, Daniel Ruddy, John M'Carroll, Charles Doherty, Philip Doherty, Patrick Quigley, J.P.; Patrick J. Cole, James Doherty, Edward Kearney, Patrick Devlin, Anthony Casny, J.P.; John Scott, Denis Glackin, John O'Doherty, Patrick O'Doherty, Neil Quigley, J.P.; Patrick M'Laughlin, Patrick M'Callon, J.P.; Daniel Douglas, Patrick Hegarty, Charles M'Colgan, Patrick M'Conalegue, J.P.; Denis Diver, James Kelly, Neal M'Laughlin, Denis Doherty, Hugh M'Henry, John Cavanagh, J.P.; John M'Counell, John Smith, John Doherty (Terrybone), Daniel M'Carroll, John Doherty (Drung), Edward McDermott, William Quigley, James P. M'Ivor.~~

Joseph Doherty, Walter McConigle

NUMBER OF MEMBERS OF COUNCIL, 45.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS PRESENT.....9...

The Minutes of the last Meeting (or 3 Meetings) were read and signed.

The Reports of the Clerk on execution of Orders previously made.

Read letter from W. L. F. Lowndes D.J., R.A.B.,  
Bancrara dated 2 Decr 1917 acknowledging  
receipt of the Council's resolutions re enforcing the  
Dogs Act

Read circular letter from the L. G. Board  
dated 5<sup>th</sup> Decr 1917 No 168 intimating that  
the Royal Assent has now been given to a Bill  
making further provisions for the postponement  
of local elections and providing that existing  
Councillors and Guardians will hold office for  
another year.

Councillor  Jas. P. M'Evoy J.P., gave notice  
that he will move at the meeting of the Council  
to be held on 14<sup>th</sup> January 1918, that the  
Compulsory clauses of the Education (Ireland)  
Act 1892 be put into operation in the  
Rural

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them, respectively, to the following effect (or Orders made on them, respectively, as follows):—

Rural District

The Clerk was directed to ascertain the views of the School Managers in the Rural District in the matter.

Communications soliciting subscriptions to memorials to Thomas Ashe and to Major Willie Redmond were submitted.

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(See also Minutes of the Councillors' proceedings under the Labourers Acts, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on Monday  
the 14<sup>th</sup> day of January 1918

(Signed), Wm J. O'Rourke  
Chairman (or Clerk of the Rural District Council)

FORM 26.

**FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with, but separate from, the General Minutes of each Finance Meeting).

**Inishowen Rural District.**Meeting held the 10<sup>th</sup> day of Decr 1917

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

Table (a.)	Amount.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council:—			
General Charges ... ..			
Separate Charges ... ..			
Labourers' Cottage Rents ... ..	22	19	0
Small Dwellings Act ... ..			
Burial Fees ... ..			
Water Rents ... ..			
Other Receipts:—			
General Charges ... ..		3	1
Separate Charges ... ..			
Interest allowed by Treasurer:—			
On Revenue Account ... ..			
On Loans ... ..			
<b>Total Revenue Receipts ...</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>
Loans received, viz.:—			
<u>Loans 13. Labourers</u> <u>cottages from</u> <u>Genl etc</u>		3	1
<b>Total as above lodged with Treasurer ...</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the last Finance Meeting, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same

Accounts having been duly examined Payments were ordered as follows, and the Treasurer's Advice Notes were duly signed; those under Article 16 being identified by that number.

Table (b).	Amount.		
	£	s.	d.
Salaries :—			
General Charges ... ..			
Separate Charges ... ..			
Office Expenses ... ..			
Burial Grounds Expenses ... ..			
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges :—			
Repairs ... ..			
Law and Engineering ... ..			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses ... ..			
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act ... ..			
Sanitary Expenses :—			
General Charges ... ..	3	.	.
Separate Charges ... ..		9	10
Superannuation ... ..			
Repayment of Loans :—			
General Charges ... ..	208	0	10
Separate Charges ... ..			
Expenses of Local Committees :—			
General Charges ... ..			
Separate Charges ... ..			
Expenses under Special Acts :—			
General Charges ... ..			
Separate Charges ... ..			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses :—			
General Charges ... ..			
Separate Charges ... ..			
Intercepting Hospital ... ..			
Total Revenue Payments ... ..	211	10	8
Expenditure out of Loans, viz :—			
Total Amount of Orders authorised to be issued ... ..	211	10	8

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the  
last day of November 191

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...	326	15	11			
Total sums received to close of last Month	23	2	1	3	1	
<b>TOTAL</b> ...	<b>349</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	3	15	4	3	1	
<b>TOTAL</b> ...	<b>3</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	
Net Balance due <u>by</u> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals) ...	346	2	8			
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>by</u> Treasurer ...	346	2	8	1	17	6
Outstanding Orders ...				1	17	6
Net Balance as above due <u>by</u> Treasurer ...	346	2	8			

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

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

x No entries

FORM 26 (continued.)—THE MONTHLY ABSTRACT OF RENT COLLECTION AND CASH ACCOUNT as follows :—

Collectors District No.	Date when each Collector attended to have his Books checked.	NUMBER OF COTTAGES.		RENT COLLECTION.						COLLECTORS' CASH ACCOUNT.					
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I	10/12/17	8	8		1 19 0	2 8 0	4 7 0	2 11 0	1 16 0	2 9 6	5 0 6	2 9 6	2 11 0		
II	7/12/17	31	30	1	6 15 0	9	15 15 0	5 15 6	9 19 6	4 10 0	10 5 6	4 10 0	5 15 6		
III	2/12/17	51	50	1	9 7 6	15	24 7 6	17 11 0	6 16 6	15 4 6	32 15 6	15 4 6	17 11 0		
IV	12/12/17	2	2			12	12			15 0	17 0	15	12 0		
Totals.		92	90	2	18 1 6	27 0 0	45 1 6	26 9 6	18 12 0	22 19 0	49 8 6	22 19 0	26 9 6		

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
Dennis Doherty	Jas Doherty	4 weeks' rent due	} Read
	Robt Doherty	19 " do	
Dennis McFloskey	V. Doherty	9 " "	
	Jas Bellispee	9 " "	
	Wm. Savenport	4 " "	
	J. Leadford	4 " "	
	Jas Hontons	5 " "	
	Dennis DeLaughter	2 " "	
	J. E. Doherty	9 " "	
	Dr. Geo. Gougeat	5 " "	
	J. Hontons	9 " "	
	Hugh Doherty	9 " "	
	Grampsey	9 " "	
	J. Doherty	9 " "	
	M. O'Donnell	9 " "	
	Dr. Leland	4 " "	
	J. Molloy	9 " "	
	J. O'Dad	4 " "	
	J. R. Doherty	9 " "	
	D. DeLaughter	9 " "	
P. Loque	4 " "		

## The Rent Collection Book, &amp;c.—continued.

In what Collector's District	Name of Tenant	Nature of Report	Order made by the District Council thereon
Patrick Doherty	Jas Campbell	4 weeks' rent due	} Read
	Abn Logue	4 " "	
	Wm Herald	4 " "	
	Edw D. Gillen	11 " "	
	Edw Kelly	4 " "	
	Jno Mullens	4 " "	
	Frans. Mellon	2 " "	
	Wm Connolly	6 " "	
	Edw Boyce	4 " "	
	Jno Logue	4 " "	
	Andrew Davenport	4 " "	
	Charles Laughlin	4 " "	
	Edw McCauley	4 " "	
	Jno MacGeoghagan	4 " "	
	Jno Doherty	4 " "	
	Wm Keene	10 " "	
	Edw Bonner	4 " "	
	Edw McDermott	7 " "	
		" "	
		" "	

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

Dated this 10th day of Dec 1917

R. Moore  
Clerk of the Rural District Council.

## Inishowen Rural District.

Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1898.

### PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 and 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the INISHOWEN RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL, acting as  
the Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on  
the 10<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1917.

Number of Members on the Council, 45.44

Number of Members present 9

IN THE CHAIR—

*Councillor John Scott*

OTHER COUNCILLORS PRESENT—

*8 See Miscellaneous Minutes*

Reports from the Medical Officers of Health were read, viz. :—

District.	Name of Officer.	Particulars.	Orders of Council.
<u>Infectious Disease Notification Act</u>			
<i>Donnany</i>	<i>D. Doherty</i>	<i>3 cases Typhoid</i>	
<i>Lernidoneagh</i>	<i>D. O'Callaghan</i>	<i>1 case Diphtheria</i>	
<i>Buncrana</i>	<i>Dr. Welformick</i>	<i>5 cases Diphtheria</i>	

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



Record of Sanitary Work performed since the date of the last Meeting :—

Number of Orders or Notices to Abate Nuisances, make Connecting Drains, or perform other Sanitary work, served since last Meeting	...	...	1
Number of Prosecutions for Neglect of Orders or Notices	...	...	1
Number of Convictions	"	"	1
Amount of Fines imposed by orders of Justices	...	£	1
Fines levied amounting to £			1

Submitted Weekly Return of Duties performed by Sanitary Sub-Officers, showing :—

Number of Houses, Yards, and Premises inspected	...	...	60
Number of Houses, Rooms, or Premises Linewashed	...	...	
Number of Dwellings Disinfected	...	...	1
Disinfecting Chamber used by persons	...	...	1
Articles of Clothing Disinfected number	...	...	1
Clothing and Bedding Destroyed by Order of the Sanitary Authority to the value of	...	£	

Destruction witnessed by \_\_\_\_\_ Sanitary Sub-Officer.

Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the District Council, as recorded in Financial Statement Book of Expenditure and the Treasurer's Advice Note for the respective amounts duly signed (or directions given as follows):—

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
		£	s.	d.
Drumville	A/c of wages of Patk Harker Lamp lighter for period from 30th Sept to 3 Nov 1917		12	3

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

Read letter from Bunerana U.D. dated 5<sup>th</sup> Decr 1917 forwarding paying order for £60-9-4 being instalment in respect of cottage loans due 1<sup>st</sup> Decr 1917

Sealed Order of the Local Govt Board, No 28667 of 1917 relative to Milk Regulations (Ireland) was submitted

The demand of the Londonderry Port Sanitary Authority dated 3<sup>rd</sup> Decr 1917 for payment of £18-0-0 being the proportion of this R District for year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 1919 was submitted  
Payment approved

Read letter from the Executive Sanitary Officer Belfast dated 19<sup>th</sup> Nov 1917 forwarding names and addresses of outworkers in this Rural District employed by Belfast firms

Accepted the tender of Mr Dan Smith Carrdonagh to give 17/6 for the old pump in Carrdonagh Market House yard.

Read report from Mr. P. Doherty, S.S.O. dated 7<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1917. reporting that the Medical Officer directed him to burn the clothes + bedding of diphtheria patients named Farren Moneydarragh + that when he went he found they had them burnt. Mrs Farren said she burned 3 bedticks, 3 blankets, 3 sheets, 3 quilts, 3 palliases + all the body clothes of the patients.

On the motion of Mr. Cole, seconded by Mr. McFonigle it was decided to grant £5 to Dan Farren for the clothing so burned.

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Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on Monday  
the 14 day of January 1918  
(Signed) W. J. [Signature]  
Chairman or Clerk of the Rural District Council.

## Inishowen Rural District.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883 TO 1911.

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the Rural District Council, acting as the Rural

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

Monday the 10<sup>th</sup> day of Decr 1917

PRESENT—In the Chair— Councillor John Scott

8 Other Councillors—(See Miscellaneous Minutes.)

Mr. D. McCloskey, Rent Collector, reported he employed James Kelly in an emergency to repair slating and tiles of cottages 33 (Don McLaughlin) and 88 (John O'herby) Carrroweagh which were damaged in recent storm.

Approved

That part of ceiling in Cottage 88 Carrroweagh has fallen owing to dampness

Ordered that James Kelly be employed to effect repairs.

Mr. Patk O'herby, Rent Collector Inveilla reported slates off, damp getting in at chimneys and ceilings in danger of falling in the following cottages 48, 50 & 55 Drumawier, 45 & 46 Carrroweagh, 96 & 98 Ballyarens and 62 Ballynally.

Ordered that Joseph Aytton be instructed to examine these cottages and repair them.

Mr. Denis O'herby, Buncrana reported rain getting in above door at cottage N<sup>o</sup> 110 Ballymacarney

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(Signed), W. T. Arnold  
Chairman (or Clerk of the Rural District Council)