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BALLYSHANNON

COUNTIES OF DONEGAL, F

LIST OF DISTRICT

DISTRICT COUNCIL OF BALLYSHANNON.

DISTRICT COUNCIL OF BALLYSHANNON.			DISTRICT COUNCIL	
District.	Name and Residence.	Post Town.	District.	Name of Member.
Ballintra	Martin M'Garrigle, Drimoske, Thomas Walsh, Glassbolie.	Ballintra do	Belleek	John Slovin, Ballintra James Gallagher, Belleek
Ballyshannon Rural	Patrick M'Nulty, Knader, John Gowan, Cloghbolie.	Ballyshannon do	Castlecaldwell	Patrick Maguire, Castlecaldwell Thomas M'Gauran, Castlecaldwell
Ballyshannon Urban	Michael Cassidy, J.P., John Scanlan.	Ballyshannon do	Churchhill	James R. Corrigan, Churchhill John Ferguson, Churchhill
Bundoran	John Carty, Magheranear, Thomas Gorman.	Bundoran do	Garrison	Thomas A. Scott, Garrison William Carson, Garrison
Carriekilly	Owen M'Gowan, Lisahilly, Edward Mulhern.	Ballyshannon do	Innamacossint	Patk M'Nulty, Innamacossint John Keown, Innamacossint
Cavangarden	Thos. John M'Cafferty, Ballymagroarty, Michael Gavigan, Carrieknahorna.	Ballintra Cavangarden	Lattone	Felix Leonard, Lattone Hugh Gallagher, Lattone
Cliff	James Monahan, Cashelard, James Quinn, Derrykillew.	Ballyshannon do	Mullybreen	Wm. Thompson, Mullybreen Wesley Bruce, Mullybreen
Members co-opted	Thomas Gorman, Central Hotel, James Gavigan, R. J. Reynolds, J.P., Mullins.	Bundoran Ballyshannon do	Roogagh	James Timoney, Roogagh Patrick O'Donoghue, Roogagh
			Members co-opted	Patk. Flanagan, Members co-opted Daniel Kilgallon, Members co-opted Patrick S. Members co-opted

Chairman—Mr Thomas Gorman, Bundoran.
 Vice-Chairman—Mr James Gavigan, Ballyshannon.

Chairman—Mr Patrick Scott,
 Vice-Chairman—Patrick Flanagan

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Ballyshannon Rural District.

Ballyshannon Union.

Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1908; Public Health Acts (41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.); Labourers (Ireland) Acts, 1883 to 1906.

Minutes of Meeting 2nd Decr. 1911

Chairman - Mr. Thos. Gorman J.P.
Other Members present - Messrs. M. W. Garrigle,
J. W. Mully, M. Cassidy J.P. J. Carty,
E. Mulhern, O. W. Gowan, M. Gavigan,
J. J. W. Cafferty, R. J. Reynolds J.P.
J. Gorman Jun. J. Gavigan

Read letters &c.

Mr. J. Gavigan gave notice;
That on this day fortnight he will move
that an Architect and Solicitor be appointed
to carry out a new Scheme for the building
of Labourers Cottages in the District -

The Clerk was directed to advertise for
Representations for Labourers Cottages, to be
sent in up till 16th Inst. to be considered
on that date -

The Rent Collector, ^{reported} James W. Gowan as being
12/- in arrears of rent of his cottage in
Drinacrin - Andrew Fannin 2 months rent of
his cottage in Ballinacarrick and Charles
W. Lawley 2 months rent of his cottage in Corlea
Slates have been blown off 4 cottages in Blyshore,

2 cottages in Borlea, 2 in Dallymagroarty 1 in Drumholm & 2 in Cashel -

Repairs were ordered to the cottages above mentioned. The tenants in arrears of rent to be warned that proceedings will be taken if the arrears are not paid up.

From Great Board of Works, Dublin, date 21st Nov. 1911 stating that the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury have sanctioned a loan of £2000 to the Council for the purpose of completing Bundoran Sewerage Scheme - The loan to be repaid in 50 years with interest at the rate of 3½% per annum, will be issued to the Council in three instalments of £1000, £750, £250 -

The Board also forward a Receivable Order to enable the Council to lodge to the Board's account the sum of £5 - to meet the expense of preparing the mortgage deed which the Board's Solicitor has been instructed to undertake, on receipt of that amount. The deed must be fully executed before any advance of the loan can be made -

The sum of £5 - for costs of Mortgage Deed has been lodged to the Board of Works account -

From Local Government Board date 30th Nov. 1911 requesting that they may be furnished with certified copies of the plans Specification and Estimate of the Works proposed to be carried out by the District Council and the loan of £2000 - sanctioned by for the purpose of

completing Bundoran Sewerage Scheme

The Engineer has been directed to forward copies of the documents referred to, they will be sent to the Local Government Board when received from him -

The Contractor for Bundoran Sewerage Scheme to be called on to perfect his contract and Bond without further delay -

The Council's Solicitor to be instructed to have the matter attended to -

Thomas Forman

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The Engineer has been directed to forward copies of the documents referred to, they will be sent to the local Government Agent when received from him.

The Inspector for [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] to be called on to perform his contract and also without further delay.

The Committee directs to be instructed that the matter should be [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]

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Rural District Council.**FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

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Rural District.

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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 			
Loans received, viz:—			
Total as above lodged with Treasurer 			

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

Table (b).	Amount.		
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Minutes of Meeting, 16th Decr. 1911

Chairman - Mr. Thomas Gorman J.P.
 Other Councillors present - Messrs. Mr. W. Garrigle
 J. Walsh, J. Lohan, P. McNulty, M. Cassidy J.P.
 J. Barty, E. Mulhern, O. McGowan, M. Gavigan
 J. J. McCafferty, J. Gorman Jun., J. Gavigan -

Read Letters -

A Representation signed by three ratepayers in Ballyshannon District Electoral Division, representing that the circumstances of the District Electoral Division are such, that it is the duty of the District Council to take proceedings under the Labourers Acts therein -
 The circumstances relied upon are as follow:
 "The complaints made by Clergymen as to the housing of labourers in Ballyshannon Urban Electoral Division -
 The reports of the Medical Officer of Health regarding the houses of labourers in the same Electoral Division -

The fact that from sixty to one hundred labourers in Ballyshannon Urban Electoral Division are either living in unsanitary houses or houses unfit for habitation, and

that further accommodation for the housing of labourers is required, and the present provision for housing the Labourers of the Ballyshannon Urban Electoral Division is entirely inadequate.

It was proposed by Mr. James Gavigan, seconded by Mr. Michael Cassidy J.P. and passed unanimously,

"That an Improvement Scheme be made in accordance with the sections of the Act regulating same and in pursuance of the Representation lodged regarding the existing house accommodation in the Ballyshannon Urban Electoral Division, and such Scheme shall have reference only to said Electoral Division".

Mr. James Gavigan, in accordance with notice given proposed and Mr. Gowan seconded
That a Solicitor and Architect be appointed to carry out the Scheme -

Passed unanimously -

Mr. P. J. Kelly Westland Avenue, Londonderry wrote date 16th Dec. 1911

"I beg to apply for the position of Architect to your Board for carrying out of the proposed Labourers Cottages in Ballyshannon - If elected I will use my utmost endeavour to give your Board every possible satisfaction. I may mention that I hold a similar position under Strabane No. 2 Council sanctioned by the Local Government Board -

From Mr. Townsend C. E. date 15th Dec. 1911, as follows - "I see by a newspaper report of one of the meetings of Ballyshannon District Council that some members of the Council proposed appointing an Architect for the present Labourers Scheme, I can scarcely believe this report to be accurate seeing that the Council have already appointed me Architect of the Scheme -

It is not merely that I have been already appointed but on the strength of the Council's resolution at their Meeting on 17th Dec. 1910, I have already done a considerable amount of work in connection with the Scheme, interviewing Owners and Occupiers with a view to removing opposition on their part, marking sites &c. some of which work was actually done in conjunction with members of the sites Committee - I feel sure this must have escaped the notice of the Council when the matter of appointing an Architect was under discussion - I shall be obliged if you will bring this note before the Council at their next meeting".

Mr. P. McNulty proposed, Mr. J. Garty seconded and it was passed unanimously,

"That Mr. P. J. Kelly be appointed Architect for the New Scheme under the Labourers Act in Ballyshannon Rural District -"

Mr. J. Gavigan proposed, Mr. M. Cassidy J.P. seconded and it was passed unanimously,

"That Mr. M. Maguire, Ballyshannon be

appointed Solicitor to the Council to carry out all legal business in connection with the Council.

Messrs. Cassidy J.P. J. Gavigan, E. Mulhearn J. Gorman Sen. J. Gorman Jun. with the Architect and Solicitor were appointed as a sites Committee for the Scheme for Ballyshannon Urban District.

Mr. O. McGowan proposed, Mr. J. McNulty seconded and it was passed unanimously,

"That a Scheme under the Labourers Acts for the Rural ~~District~~ Electoral Divisions of of the District be also prepared. Representations to be considered on 6th Prox. due notice to be given -

The Councillors for the several Electoral Divisions to be the Sites Committees for the Divisions they represent -

From Mr. R. H. Reid, Solicitor Ballyshannon enclosing the Contract and Bond executed by Mr. Callan, Contractor for Bundoran Sewerage Works and his Sureties, for execution by the Ballyshannon District Council -

The documents were sent in duplicate and were signed by the Chairman and the Council's Seal affixed thereto -

The Contractor to be called on to proceed with the Works without delay -

It was ordered that the appeal in the case of Thomas Gallagher against the Council for

malicious injury, by the burning of 3 houses, his property, for which he was awarded £25. damages be ^{not} proceeded with by the Council -

Thomas Gorman
6th Jan. 1912

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FORM 26
(Articles 7, 8, 49).

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(Later acts)

Minutes of Proceedings of Rural District Council of Ballyshannon at their meeting held on Saturday 6th January 1912

Mr. Thomas Gorman J.P. In the Chair

there were also present Messrs:—

Martin McGarrigle, Thos. Walsh, John Gowan
Patrick M^o Multy, Michael Cassidy, John Bartly,
Owen McGowan, James Quinn, Jas. Garigan

A number of Representations under the Labourers Acts were received and it was advised that a meeting be called for Friday the 12th inst. to consider them at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

The Sites Committee for the Rural District sent in the following report with reference to the erection of cottages in Ballyshannon Urban Electoral Division:—

Ballyshannon Rural District

"The Committee appointed by resolution of the Ballyshannon Rural District Council on 16th day of December 1911 to act as a Sites Committee in Ballyshannon Urban Electoral Division met this 27th day of December 1911 and beg to report as follows:—

We find that the circumstances which appear in the Representations for Ballyshannon lodged with the

- " Clerks of the Council are such that it is the
 " duty of the District Council to take proceedings
 " under the Labourers Acts (2.) The complaints
 " made by Clergymen and others as to the housing of
 " Labourers were justified
 " (3) The Reports of the Medical Officers of Health
 " regarding such houses were in no way exaggerated
 " (4) The number of insanitary dwellings occupied
 " by labourers is greater than we believed before our
 " inspection
 " (5) We find at least Eighty Labourers in the Electoral
 " Division insufficiently housed
 " (6) In the West Port Street of Ballyshannon
 " there are a number of sites suitable for
 " Cottages; There are also sites in East Port Street,
 " in Back Street, College St., Upper Main St., Bishop St.,
 " & Bachelors Walk. The acquiring of sites at the
 " places indicated will have the effect of removing
 " the insanitary dwellings at present occupied.
 " (7) Your Committee is prepared to accompany your
 " Architect and point out to him the places we have
 " selected as sites for Labourers' Cottages so that
 " such sites may be marked on maps.
 " (8) Your Committee recommend the Council
 " to proceed without delay with a scheme
 " for providing suitable and sanitary dwellings
 " for Labourers

Dated this 27th day of December 1911
 Signed on behalf of the Committee

James Gangan
 Edward Mulhern
 Michael Cassidy
 Thomas Gorman

Mr. James Gangan moved Mr. J. Cassidy J.P.
 seconded and it was passed unanimously
 "That the report of the Sites Committee be sent
 back to the Committee to particularise the
 Labourers and the houses they intend to replace."

Mr. John ~~Gorman~~^{Gorman} gave notice that
 at meeting of the Council on 20th inst. he
 will move that the Rent of a Labourers Cottage
 in Kegalton occupied by Michael Dill Garrigle
 be reduced from 6/- to 5/- a month.

The Clerks Estimate of Expenditure
 for year ending 31st March 1913 was
 approved of and adopted.

Thomas Gorman
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Public Health minutes overleaf.

From Local Government Board date 19th Dec 1911 referring to the application of the District Council for the appointment of an Arbitrator in the matter of the lands which the Council propose to acquire compulsorily in pursuance of the Act confirming the Bundoran Sewerage Order, 1911. The Board forward a copy of an Order which they have made appointing Mr. George Henson of Drumahair, County Leitrim as Arbitrator and the Council should now place themselves in communication with him respecting the notices to be served posted & published prior to Inquiry

"The Local Government Board's instructions have been attended to"

From Mr. Steadman C. E. Engineer of the Bundoran Sewerage Scheme informing the Council that in accordance with the specification for the works he had selected Mr. A. Crawford for the work to act as Clerk of Works

"Approved"

From Local Government Board date 21st December 1911 stating that the Board observe from the Medical Officer's Return Form L relating to Ballintra Dispensary District for the half year ended 30th Sept last that Sanitary Sub-Officer Higgins made no reports to the Medical Officer of Health during the period in question and the Board

request that the Council will be good enough to call upon this Sanitary Sub-Officer to furnish an explanation in writing as to his apparent neglect of duty in this respect

"Ordered accordingly"

From Local Government Board, date 21st December, 1911, forwarding, to be laid before the District Council extracts from the Medical Officers' Return, Form L, for half year ending 30th September last and requesting that the matters referred to therein may receive the Council's consideration

The extracts from the Returns are as follows:-

Ballintra Dispensary District

The Village of Ballintra is practically without a water supply

The main sewers of the village are quite blocked and should be cleared

"Consideration of the Report was postponed."

Thomas Gorman

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request that the Board will be glad
 enough to call upon this authority but offers
 to furnish the information in writing as this
 appears to be of help in this matter

"Census records"

From local government records, the
 of 1870, 1880, 1890, 1900, 1910, 1920, 1930, 1940, 1950, 1960, 1970, 1980, 1990, 2000, 2010, 2020
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Minutes of Meeting of Ballyshannon Rural District Council on 20th January 1912.

Mr. Thomas Gorman J.P. Chairman
Other Members present - Messrs. M. W. Garrigue, J. Walsh, J. Gowan, M. Cassidy J.P. J. Costy, M. Gavigan, J. J. McCafferty, J. Quinn, J. Gorman Jun - Jas. Gavigan -

Read letters.

From Local Govt. Board date 8th Jan'y. 1912. referring to the Minute of the Council of 16th Ult. appointing a Solicitor to the Council under the Labourers Acts the Board request that they may be informed of the rate of payment proposed in this case.

The Board add that in several Rural Districts the Councils have found it to be to their advantage to agree to payment of a fixed fee - usually from £3. to £3..10..0 per cottage provided, or per plot acquired, as allowed by first proviso of the Labourers (Ireland) Order 1909.

In reply to the Local Govt. Board's letter, the Council beg to point out that the Solicitor appointed was appointed generally as Solicitor to the Council - When he comes to be engaged to transact the Labourers Act business, regard will be had to the Board's letter and arrangements made as to his fees.

From Local Government Board date 8th Jan'y. 1912 referring to Minutes of the Council of 16th Ult relative to the appointment of an Architect to the Council under the Labourers Act, the Board inquire as to the rate of remuneration to be allowed, and whether any advertisements were issued inviting tenders for the position.

In reply to the Local Govt. Board's letter relative to the Architects' fees, the Council have agreed to pay, and the Architect has agreed to accept, the fees set out in Rule 51 of the Rules of 1906 in paragraphs (a & b). The District Council did not consider advertisements for an Architect necessary, and the usual notice having been given to every Councillor of the intention to appoint an Architect, and Mr. Kelly having applied and being duly qualified was appointed.

The Sites Committee reported as follows:
"Our report as Sites Committee having been referred back to us for further report as to sites &c. We beg to say that until we are accompanied by an Architect we are not in a position to say whether the several sites we have inspected and already reported on are suitable or unsuitable or otherwise - The sites in various parts of the town are mentioned in our former report.

We find the following labourers are living in houses unfit for habitation.

West Port.

Francis Flanagan -	Bryan Boyle
William Doyle.	Pat th Brown
Michael Kelly -	Peter McGowan
James Keenan.	Thomas Rooney
Denis Kerrigan.	Geo. McBride
Pat th McGarrigle.	Michl. McBride
Chas. Rogers	George Keenan
Wm McGowan -	Thomas Burns

West Rock

Edward Mulhern -	James McGuinney
Robert Keenan -	Pat th Dolan
Edwd. Connolly -	James Keown
Joseph McGHugh -	Danl. Doherty
William McGowan -	Pat th Campbell
Terence Connolly -	John McIntyre

East Port.

James Quinn -	John Rooney
Wm Breslin -	Michl. McNulty
Pat th Rooney -	Michael Kennedy
Thos. Gilroy -	

Upper Main St.

John Caughlan
Fair Green.

Bernard O'Donnell -	
Wm Gallagher -	John Downey
Francis Gallagher -	Pat th Doogan
James Gallagher -	Pat th Gallagher
Red Gallagher	Pat th Kerrigan
James McGeever -	Pat th Devanny
<u>Bachelors Walk.</u>	
James Green -	Denis Kerrigan
Pat th Patton -	James Caughlan
James Lawn -	John Lawn
Francis Kerrigan	James Martin
John Monaghan -	

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— Back Street —

James Campbell - Pat^l Gallagher
 Francis Daly - Pat^l Kerrigan
 John McCafferty - James Gallagher
 James Kerrigan - Francis Gallagher.

— Chapel St. —

W^m McDonagh - W^m Toland
 Mark Gillespie

— College St. —

James McCafferty - Edward McCowley
 Edward Gillespie - Pat^l McBride
 Michl. - M^l Manus - Jas. Campbell

— Sunnuckram. —

Pat^l Crawford -

— Ballyhanna —

Pat^l Rooney - John Daly -

The following reside in houses which are overcrowded, the rent too high, and the houses are otherwise unsuited for labourers and in their cases we recommend additional dwellings.

Thomas Harrison - West Port

W^m Coane - East Port

Henry Tunny - Chapel St.

Richard Davis - West Port

Joseph Nelson - do

Thomas McGinney - do

We also recommend the Council to provide cottages for the following labourers -

Thos. Gilroy, Pat^l Doogan, Michl. Darcy

John Redmond -

We further recommend the Council to provide cottages for the bona fide labourers who have sent in Representations and whose names are not

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included in above -

Signed, James Gavigan

John Scanlin

Michael Cassidy

Dated 18th Jan'y, 1912 - Thomas Gorman

The Report was adopted -

The Clerk was directed to communicate with the Architect requesting him to attend as soon as possible and notify the Councillors when he will attend -

The Rent Collector reported that Pat^l Kildea tenant of a cottage in Rockhill refused to pay rent till his cottage is repaired -

Collector to report as to what repairs are required -

From Board of Works date 11th January 1912, referring to the loan of £2000 sanctioned in November last to Ballyhannon Rural District Council and reminding the Council that the Mortgage Deed cannot be prepared until the sum of £5. to cover expenses has been lodged - Attention is drawn to this fact in order to prevent any misunderstanding as to the delay in completing the preliminaries -

The Clerk stated that the amount above referred to had been forwarded to the Board of Works in Novr. last, and receipt acknowledged. He had so informed the Board of Works on 12th Inst.

From Board of Works date 13th January 1912,
acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter of 12th
Inst. and expressing regret that through an
oversight the lodgment of expenses of the
loan was not noted, and that the preparation
of the Mortgage deed will be expedited -

From Local Government Board date 13th Jan'y.
1912, acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter
of 8th Inst. forwarding for deposit in their
office, certified copies of the plans of the
Works proposed to be carried out by the
District Council under the loan of £2000
sanctioned for the purpose of completing
Dundoran Sewerage -

From Sanitary ^{Sub} Officer Higgins date 20th Jan'y 1912
stating with reference to the report of the
Medical Officer of Health for half year
ended 30th Sept. last, that during the six
months referred to in the report he had
frequently visited Ballintra District and
found very great improvement in Sanitary
conditions - Those whom he noticed as to
Sanitary defects carried out his requirements
without hesitation, hence he did not think
it necessary to trouble the Medical Officer
of Health, as Assistant Inspector under the
Dairies &c. Order he went frequently through
the District and is enabled to report a
decided improvement -

The explanation was considered satisfactory.

Thomas Gormin

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Minutes of Meeting of Ballyshannon R. District Council on Saturday 3rd February, 1912.

Chairman = Mr. Thomas Gorman J.P.
Other Members present - Messrs. M. McGarrigle, J. Walsh, J. Gowan, P. McNulty, J. Barty, E. Mulhern, O. McGowan, M. Gavigan, Thos. J. McCafferty.

The Rent Collector reported the following tenants as in arrear of rent -

- Magheracar - Bryan Loherty 12..0
- " Barty Daly 10..0
- " John Murphy 10..0
- " Terence Quinn 10..0
- Tinner - Alex. McGinley 12..0
- Drumachrin - Joseph McGowan 12..0
- Rockhill - Pat^h Gildea 15..0
- Blyhore - Hugh Flynn 10..0
- Ballinacarrick - And^r Fannin 12..0
- Dunmuckram. John Keenan 12..0

Proceedings to be taken if arrears are not paid up before next meeting of Council -

a Special Meeting to be called for 8th Inst. to consider Representations for Cottages -

From Solicitors Department, Board of Works forwarding a Draft Deed of Mortgage for £2000.

to be submitted for approval of the Council and then returned for engrossment. The approval of the Council to be notified by an endorsement on the Draft Deed -

The Draft Deed was approved of and Endorsed as directed -

From Mr. John Magill, East End, Bundoran date 29th January 1912, asking permission to attach a half inch pipe to the Water Main -

Permission granted -

Thomas Gorman

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Copy of minutes Ballyshannon R.D. Council at meeting held on 17th February 1912

Chairman — Mr. Tho. Gorman J.P.
 Other members present — Messrs: — Tho. Walsh
 J. Gorman J.P. P. M. Nulty, M. Cassidy J.P.,
 John Barty, J. Gowan

Read letters:—
 From Local Govt. Board date 8th February 1912 No. 1057/20/1912 referring to an entry in Council's minutes on 20th ult relative to the appointment of an Engineer to the Council under the Labourers Acts. The Board state that they consider that the Council should in the circumstances issue an advertisement inviting tenders for the position

Proposed by Mr. Cassidy J.P.
 seconded by Mr. P. M. Nulty and passed
 That the Council did not consider a special advertisement necessary for the appointment, the fact that an architect was to be appointed was

announced in the Press

Each councillor received fourteen days notice that an appointment would be made and on the day of the appointment there were two candidates. The Council respectfully request the Local Government Board to ratify the appointment

Letter from Local Government Board date 15th February 1912 No 7350 enclosing copy of the account of the arbitrator in connection with arbitration proceedings under Bundoran Sewerage Order, 1911. They point out that the account will be certified in the event of no objection within three weeks from above date. The account above referred to amounts to £ 8:4:0

From Secretary to National Health Insurance Commissioners, Ireland, stating the Commissioners are now prepared to send lecturers to the different parts of the Country to explain the Insurance Act; and requesting the Council to obtain a suitable Hall for lectures in the District

"It was decided that the 'Rock Hall' Ballyshannon be applied for"

From Mr. John Gallagher, Magheracar, pointing out that the water from the Public fountain at no 6 Labourers Cottage is causing inconvenience by flowing over the entry between 1st and 2nd blocks of cottages, also running over the walk to his cottage

"Messrs: - Gorman & Co. Councillors, to see this matter remedied"

From Robert Lipsitt Ballyshannon date 16th July 1912. pointing out that the drain in his field is completely blocked up and requires a thorough cleaning

"Messrs: Bascidy & Gavigan, Councillors, to see this drain and report thereon"

The Arbitrator's award dated 5th February, 1912, in the matter of Bundoran Sewerage Order, 1911, was laid before the Council showing the total amount awarded as £ 62:1:0

From Law Department, Office of Public Works, Dublin, date 7th July 1912 enclosing engrossed Deed of Mortgage for perfection in the matter of loan of £2,000 for purposes of Bundoran Sewerage Scheme

(Resolution)

It was moved by Mr. Thos. Gorman Jr.
and seconded by Mr. J. Leahy
and resolved

That our Corporate Seal be affixed to the Deed of Mortgage of this date now read whereby security is given to the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland for the repayment of the sum of Two thousand pounds to be advanced by them to us under The Public Health (Ireland) Act 1878 and the incorporated amending or extending Acts.

The Deed of Mortgage was accordingly perfected.

(Resolution)

It was moved by Mr. Thomas Gorman Jr.
and seconded by Mr. J. Carty
and resolved - That inasmuch

as this Council does not immediately require from the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland the total amount of the sum mentioned in the Deed of Mortgage to them this day executed by this Council but prefer to receive the same by Instalments as occasion may require. It is resolved that the requisitions for each advance shall be intimated to said Commissioners by the Chairman of the Council for the time being, countersigned by the Clerk and that each such requisition shall be

forwarded to the Accountant of said Commissioners and that all such advances shall be lodged to our account as District Council in the Ballyshannon Branch of the Provincial Bank Ltd.

The Clerk then signed the following certificate

I certify that the Mortgage for the sum of £2,000 from the Ballyshannon Rural District Council to the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland dated the 17th day of February 1912 was this day duly entered in the Register of Mortgages of the said Council and that such entry contains the number and date of said Mortgage, the names of the parties thereto with their proper additions and the amount of charge created thereby

Thomas Gorman
2. March. 1912

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Minutes of Meeting of Ballyshannon D.C. held on Saturday 2nd March 1912.

Chairman - Mr. Thomas Gorman J.P.

Other Councillors present: Messrs. M. W. Garrigle, J. Walsh, J. Gowan, P. W. Nulty, M. Cassidy J.P., E. Mulhern, O. W. Gowan, M. Gavigan, J. J. W. Cafferty, J. Quinn, J. Gorman Jun

Read letter

From Local Government Board Labourers Department date 1st March 1912, Referring to entry on the subject on Council's Minutes of 17th Ult. and to previous correspondence, the Board state that the appointment of an Engineer by the Council and the fixing of his salary should be made only after public advertisement for the position.

The consideration of Board's letter was adjourned till next meeting.

The Committee appointed to visit the drain in Mr. Sipsetti's land reported, that they had examined the drain, and recommended that Kerrigan the herd of Mr. McIntyre who occupies the adjoining lands be noticed to remove the obstruction at the road which interferes with the flow of water, and not to interfere in future with it. A man to be

sent to clean a portion of the drain.

Ordered accordingly -

The fountains at Labourers Cottages at Bundoran were ordered to be removed to sites arranged by Messrs. Gorman Bundoran, Councillors and a fountain removed from Finner and erected where required -

The Clerk to communicate with G. N. Railway Co. requesting them to make certain improvements in Bundoran -

Thomas Gorman

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Rural District Council.

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Rural District.

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Minutes of meeting of Ballyshannon
Rural District Council on
Saturday 16th March 1912

Chairman Mr. Thos. Gorman, J.P.
also present Messrs:— Thos. Walsh
J. Gorman, P. M. Nulty, J. Scanlan
Edward Mulhern, J. J. M. Cafferty, J. Monaghan,
Thos. Gorman Jr.

Mr. P. M. Nulty gave notice— "That at next
meeting of this District Council he
or some Councillor on his behalf
will move that the remuneration to
be paid to the qualified Architect
or Engineer for acting for the Council
for the purposes of the Labourers
(Ireland) Acts in the Schemes about to be
promoted by this Council be fixed

From Mr. Steadman B. E. Engineer
of Bundoran Sewerage Scheme date 13th
March 1912 as follows:— From
where the sewer crosses the road
as laid at present (at McKanes the tailor)
I would recommend that a branch

be carried up the Kintlough road to the P. B. Church as the ground on the right is all building ground and this will be required sooner or later to enable any houses built upon this ground to connect with the sewerage system. Moreover it will at the present moment enable the Parochial House, an important building in Bundoran to get connected up, 528 lineal feet of 9" sewer pipe will be required also a man hole and lamp hole and junctions - The cost will be about £58:10:0. The work will never be done cheaper than by taking advantage of the contractor at present working in Bundoran and there is money available for the work as £2,000 was the sum sought for to complete the sewerage over and above existing borrowing powers.

"It was agreed to carry out the extensions of the sewer pipes as recommended by Mr Steadman on the motion of Mr. J. Gorman Sr. seconded by Mr. J. Gorman Jr.

From Local Govt. Board dated 15th March 1912 announcing that the Council's a/c's will until further notice be audited by Mr. Cosgrave in lieu of their Auditor Mr. St. J. Considine

It was ordered that Mr Steadman C.E. be instructed to visit the source of Bundoran water supply and report thereon to the Council

It was ordered that Mr. Maguire the Council's Solicitor be instructed to draft Regulations for the junction of premises in Bundoran to the main sewer now being constructed

It was ordered that Sanitary-Sub-Officer Higgins be directed to inspect and report on houses in Martin's Row and adjacent thereto in the town of Ballyshannon

Thomas Gorman
6. April 1912

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Minutes of Meeting of Ballyshannon D.C. held on 6th April 1912 -

Chairman - Mr. Thomas Gorman J.P.
 Also Present - Messrs. J. Walsh, J. Gowan, P. McNulty, J. Scanlin, J. Garby, E. Mulhern J. Gorman Jun -

Read Letters

From Local Government Board date 26th March 1912, referring the Council to the Board's letter of 1st March relative to Engineers remuneration under Labourers Acts -

In accordance with notice of Motion, it was proposed by Mr. P. McNulty seconded by Mr. J. Gorman Jun. and passed unanimously, "That we hereby fix the scale of fees to be paid to the Architect, Engineer or Surveyor for the purpose of the Improvement Scheme to be carried out by this Council under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts 1883-1911 and that such scale be as follows - (1) The Architect Engineer or Surveyor shall be paid ten shillings per plot for each plot included in the scheme (2) He shall be paid 2 1/2% upon the costs of the Works executed in accordance with the Contracts for the execution of the works. (All Ordnance Maps necessarily required will be supplied gratis by the Council.)

The fees above mentioned shall cover preparation of all necessary maps including in addition to those referred to in Rule 9 (Labourers/Ireland? Order 1912) maps to accompany notices to owners, lessees and occupiers, maps of alternative sites, maps for purposes of Registration of title and all plans specifications and estimates that may be required attendance on the Committee selecting sites, attendance at the Inquiry by the Inspector, visiting the plots of land with the Inspector, laying out of sites for the Contractors, not less than one visit each month to each cottage during course of construction, the making of a monthly report to the Council (Form 32) in regard to the progress and execution of the Works, the issue of certificates (Form 33, 34 & 35) for payments to contractors, and as to the completion of the works, accompanying when required, the Arbitrator and also the Engineering Inspector of the Board on his inspection of the Works, and all other work required to be performed by an Engineer or Architect for the effectual carrying out of Improvement Schemes.

Resolution proposed by Mr. P. McNulty, seconded by Mr. J. Gorman Jun. and passed unanimously "That advertisements be issued inviting applications for the position of Architect to the Council under the Labourers Acts for the schemes about to be promoted, and that the scale of fees and conditions this day settled be embodied in the advertisement - Appointment to be made this day for tonight."

From Mr. E. Knox, Belleek, date 21st March 1912 stating that a proper stone fence requires to be erected between the Labourers plots taken from his land and the remaining portion of his lands.

Mr. McPhelim, Rent Collector to report on this fence.

From Mr. James Donagher Corlea stating that there is not a proper fence between his farm and the Labourers plot acquired by the Council -

From Messrs. R. Lipssett & Co. Ballyshannon, date 1st April 1912 complaining of drain which requires to be cleaned at his lands - The matter is in hands of Committee -

From Messrs. J. Fox, J. Diver, J. Kelm, J. Doughtlin tenants of Labourers Cottages at Sminiver, asking the Council to improve the lane leading to their Cottages -

From Local Govt. Board date 27th March 1912, enclosing copy of certificate showing amount of costs in respect of arbitration in matter of Bundoran Sewerage Order 1911 to be £8..4..0

To be paid -

From Mr. J. Steadman B.E. date 3rd April 1912 regarding Bundoran Waterworks as follows: The ball valve in the small horse-shoe shaped well is not in working order - The bed of stream above and around this well has got badly choked up with gravel and sand and sods

brought down with the stream during intervals of heavy rain - The same applies to the area between above small well and the weir which area is laid out to act as a strainer or filter - This also requires cleaning - A ladder is also required for gaining access to the clear water tank which adjoins the weir so as to facilitate the removal of any deposit and clean the strainer or rose in bottom of this tank - The above repairs would probably be done for about £5 or £6 - and should be carried out before the season begins at Bundoran during which time a heavy demand is made on the water supply. Moreover it would be advisable to appoint a caretaker at a small sum per annum - the payment being conditional on his keeping things in proper order at the source after the above repairs have been executed -

It was ordered that a man (Chas Dermott) be employed to clean the reservoir, according to Mr. Steadman's directions -

Mr. P. M. Phelim, Rent Collector, reported the following tenants in arrears.

Joseph McGowan, Drumachon	£ 1..4..0
Alex. McGinley, Fenner	12..0
B. Daly, Magheracur	10..0
Andw. Fanning, Ballmacarrick	12..0
J. Dorrian, Gooler	10..0

Proceedings for recovery of 1st cottage (J. McGowan) to be proceeded with -

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Minutes of Meeting of Ballyshannon D.C. held on Saturday 20th April 1912.

Chairman - Mr. Thomas Gorman J.P.
 Also Present; - Messrs. J. Gowan, J. McNulty -
 M. Cassidy J.P. E. Mulhern, J. J. McCafferty,
 Thos. Gorman, J. Gavigan -

Read Letters,

From Local Government Board date April 11th 1912, acknowledging receipt of a Paying Order for Eight pounds, four shillings, in repayment of the costs incurred by the Board on behalf of the District Council in respect of Arbitration proceedings in connection with Bundoran Sewerage.

From Local Government Board date 12th April 1912, referring to the entry in Council's Minutes of 16th Ult. relative to the extension at present being carried out in connection with Bundoran Sewerage the Board request that they may be furnished with a tracing of the Section of the proposed extension on the Kinlough Road.

Mr. Steadman to be instructed to prepare the tracing required by the Local Government Board.

Read Applications from candidates for the office of Architect for Labourers Cottages under the proposed New Scheme -

From Mr. P. J. Kelly date 17th April 1912, as follows,
39 Westland Avenue - Londonderry

Sir,

I beg to apply for the position, as advertised, of Architect for New Scheme of Cottages for your Council, If elected I will use every endeavour to give your Board complete satisfaction. I hold a similar appointment under Strabane No. 2 Rural District Council.

Your obt. Servant, P. J. Kelly -

From Mr. F. G. Townsend, Ballyshannon

Dear Sir,

I see by the papers the Ballyshannon R. D. C. are advertising for an Architect for the present Labourers Cottage Scheme -

As you know I was appointed Architect to this Scheme and marked 40 sites, my charges for which on the scale are £20 -

I shall be pleased to act as Architect for the scheme and complete same -

I understand the Council have suggested 2½% as the fee to be paid to the Architect, but as I reside in the immediate neighbourhood of the proposed cottages I will do the work at the following low fees.

Ten shillings per plot for marking sites out of which I shall allow for the sites already marked -

One per cent for all other work as laid down -

I would add that the saving to the ratepayers by accepting my offer, instead of giving the 2½% mentioned by the Council will be over £180, made up as follows: -

Difference between 1% and 2½%, on say, 80 Cottages coating say, £135 each is £162..0..0, allowance for sites already marked £20 - Total saving to ratepayers £182 -

I would also like to add that in case the Council have definitely fixed the fees at 2½% I will give undertaking if appointed to return to the District Council the difference between my offer and the 2½% fixed, so that the ratepayers of the District will in any event benefit in this large sum

Signed, F. G. Townsend -

The Clerk of the District Council -

Mr. P. M. Nulty proposed, and Mr. J. J. McCafferty seconded,

That Mr. P. J. Kelly be appointed Architect for the new Scheme for erecting Labourers Cottages -

There being no amendment, the motion was passed, and Mr. Kelly, declared elected -

Messrs. O. McGowan and Edward Mulhern, Councillors were appointed as a Committee to have the fence adjoining Mr. Edward Kiosco's property put in order in townland of Glyhore -

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Rural District Council.

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Burial Fees			
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Other Receipts:—			
General Charges			
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Interest allowed by Treasurer:—			
„ on Revenue Account			
„ on Loans			
Total Revenue Receipts			
Loans received, viz:—			
Total as above lodged with Treasurer			

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Salaries :—			
General Charges			
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Burial Grounds Expenses			
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges :—			
Repairs			
Law and Engineering			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses			
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act			
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Repayment of Loans :—			
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Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of _____ 19____

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RECONCILEMENT.						
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Outstanding Orders						
Net Balance as above due _____ Treasurer						

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Ballyshannon Rural District.

Ballyshannon Union.

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Members present 4th May 1912
 Chairman Mr. Gorman R.P.
 Other members
 Messrs. Webb, John Gorman, M. J. O'Leary Esq.
 J. Scantlan J. Parry Edmond Mulholland Esq.
 Monaghan Mr. Gorman junr

Read letters:—

From Labourers Department, Local Government Board, stating, that an order for the payment of £ 34-8-8 being the share of the Council in the contribution in respect of the financial year ended 31st March 1912 has been forwarded to the Board of Works towards the repayment of loans under the Labourers Acts in the District

Letters of complaint on the condition of cottages in the District and the fences were adjourned for a report on the matter from the Council's Architect.

The Rent Collector reported the following tenants as in arrears of

rent for cottages

Bartley Daly	Magheracar	15/-
Patrick Granaghan		10/-
James McEowan	Drumachrin	12/-
Andrew Fannin	Ballinacarrick	18/-
John Dorman	Corlea	10/-
Hugh Flynn	Blyhore	10/-

Notices to Quit to be served
and if rent not paid up proceedings
for possession to be taken

From Mr R. H. Reid Solicitor date 3rd May 1912
stating that he had received notices of claims
for compensation for entry to lay pipes
for Bundoran sewerage from the following
parties for the amounts set forth

Mr Kearns £ 32.

Patrick Meehan £ 110

Ellen Fogarty £ 21

Jas Spratt £ 21

Jas. Harte £ 89

Patrick Meehan £ 21

Mr Reid to be requested to advise the
Council on the matter

From Patrick McEowan Kinelough,
date, 25th April, 1912, stating that a
pipe belonging to Bundoran Waterworks
was in bad order and causing
damage to his lands

The Clerk stated that he had
got the pipe repaired

"Approved of"

From Dr Deuning Villa Moore Bundoran
date 29th April 1912 asking the Council
to extend the main drain about
20 yards across the lawn of the house
so as to enable him to connect with
it and also to enable Miss Scott to
do the same if she so desires

The letter to be referred to the Council's Engineer

An Application was made to the Board of Works for the second instalment (£750) of the loan for Bundoran sewerage.

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Minutes of meeting of District Council held on 18th May 1912
 Chairman *Mr. Mrs. Gorman J.P.*
 Other members
Messrs. Mr. Walsh, J. Gowan, P. Mc Nulty, M. Cassidy J.P., J. Scamellon, J. Jarty, E. Mulhens, J. W. Gowan, J. Monaghan, J. Quinn, Mr. Gorman J.P.

The decision of the local Govt. Board on the election of an architect for the proposed Scheme under Labourers Acts as entered on minutes of Council of 20th ult - Messrs: P. J. Kelly + F. G. Townsend being the applicants for the office - is respectfully requested.

Mr. John Gillespie Rate Collector reported date 17th inst. that Charles Mc Cowley, Corlea, tenant of a labourer's Cottage, had failed to pay the rates on his cottage according to his agreement with the Council

"Notice to Quit to be served on Charles Mc Cowley for breach of his Agreement"

From Board of Works, date 6th May 1912
acknowledging receipt of an application
from the Council for the second instalment
of the loan of £2,000 sanctioned for
Bundoran sewerage, and stating that
the application has been forwarded for
the recommendation of the Local Government
Board.

From Local Govt Board date 11th May 1912
referring to the ^{application to the} Board of Works by the
Council for the issue of the second instalment
of the loan of £2,000 for the purpose of
carrying out the Bundoran sewerage
scheme - the Board request that they be
furnished in the enclosed forms with
a statement of the work done and
liabilities incurred under the loan up
to date.

The form to be returned to the Local
Govt Board when completed"

From Mr Steadman (Eng. Engineer of the
Bundoran Sewerage Scheme, date
16th May 1912, stating with regard to
Dr Denning's letter of 29th ult. (as
entered on minutes of 4th inst) re extending
the sewer at West End to take in his
house and Miss Scotts, it would
require an extra expenditure of
about £6. These are two large
residences and it would be right

to give the facility of connecting up with the
system when the amount is so small.

From Mr Steadman C.E. date 16th May 1912,
stating that he made inquiries re water mains
for Bundoran & can get 4½" X 9" pipes,
Cast Iron, spigot, & flange joints at £6-17-6
per ton delivered, tested to 500 ft head.

It would be more economical instead
of getting many pipes to get about
a ton and also get some split collars,
these latter are a much more economical
way of repairing most of the bursts in
mains. It is of course prudent to
have a few 4½" pipes stored in readiness
for any emergency

"Mr Steadman to procure a ton 4½"
pipes and 12 split Collars"

From Mr Patrick Gallagher "Kincora" Bundoran
asking permission to take water from the
water main to his house
"Granted"

Owing to so many claims for compensation
the Council decided to carry out no further
extensions of sewers at present. Dr
Denning's Application referred to above
was therefore adjourned.

Thomas Gorman

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From the statement of the 14th page
 stating that the whole quantity is a whole amount
 for the 14th page, a sample of 100 lbs of paper
 and then, after a few days, a sample of 100 lbs
 for the balance, there is 200 lbs of paper

It would be more convenient to
 if getting many papers to get about
 a few and after get some light weight
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 have a few lbs of paper alone in relation
 for any emergency

The statement to purchase a few lbs
 paper out to get the balance

The British people, American, and
 other countries to take with them from the
 "Green" paper

Next meeting 1st June 1912

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Minutes of Meeting of Ballyshannon District Council held on Saturday 1st June 1912

Chairman Mr. Thomas Gorman J.P.

Other members Messrs:— Thos Walsh J. Gowan, P. McNulty, M. Cassidy J.P., J. Scanlon, Thos Gorman Jr., Edward Mulhern, O. McCowan, J. Monaghan

Read letters

"From Local Govt. Board dated 29th May 1912, referring to Council's minutes of 18th met. the Board state that they are satisfied that Mr Kelly possesses the necessary qualification for employment as architect to the Council, and they have no objection to his appointment in connection with the Council's current Improvement Scheme under the Labors Acts.

"The Architect to be communicated with asking him when it will be convenient for him to attend to mark out sites for Cottages also to inspect and

report on the state of existing cottages requiring repairs

The Councillors for each Electoral Division to be the sites committee."

The tenants of a ^{block} of labourers cottages in the townland of Blyhore wrote complaining that owing to the stopping of two passes to the water, they are badly off for a supply having a considerable distance to go for it, and it is not of good quality. There is water within forty yards but they are prevented from getting it as the pass is closed up.

"Messrs Mulhern + O'Gorman Councillors for the Electoral Division to visit and report on the matter in order to remedy the short water supply."

From Local Govt. Board date 18th May 1912, referring to the entry on minutes of the Council of 4th inst relative to the loan of £2,000.00 sanctioned for the purpose of completing Bundoran Sewerage Scheme, the Board state that their Engineering Inspector, Mr. ^{Price} ~~Cowan~~, on his recent inspection of the works executed under this Loan, reports that all the sewage was being discharged on the foreshore above high water instead of being passed through the tank and outfall. This is evidently due to neglect and is causing a nuisance which in warm weathers

will be dangerous to health. and also states that great neglect is observable in the state of Sanitary convenience next the strand and to the leakage of water. The Local Govt. Board request that the Council will have these matters attended to with the least possible delay. The Board also request that they may be furnished on the enclosed form with a statement of the work done and liabilities incurred under the loan up to date.

Mr. Meadman Engineer of drainage works to get a copy of Local Govt. Board's letter.

The statement of liabilities incurred and work done has been forwarded."

From Local Govt. Board date 22nd May 1912, calling attention of the District Council to the Bundoran Sewerage Order, 1911, authorising the taking of lands for the purpose of improving the sewerage of the town of Bundoran, and with reference to clause 2 of the Order as confirmed by the Local Govt. Board (Ireland) Provisional Orders Confirmation (No 2) Act 1911, the Board request that the Council will be good enough to forward a Paying Order for Eighteen pounds sixteen shillings & nine pence costs incurred by the Board in connection with the Order. The Board have now to recoup Public Funds this sum.

"A paying Order to be forwarded as requested by the Local Govt. Board".

From Mr R. H. Reid Solicitor to the Council date 21st May 1912 stating that on 16th inst. he received further letters from Mr Hipsett, Solicitor, claiming compensation for damages in the matter of Bundoran sewerage scheme, on behalf of Mr James Harte, Mr Jas. Speatt, Mr P. Mahan, Mr. P. Mookan, Mrs. Jobery, and Mrs. Kearns, inquiring if the Council could appoint one Arbitrator alone to sit and hear these claims and award compensation for injury done them by putting sewers through these lands, and suggesting that Mr Jas. Dunlevy Solicitor of Donegal should be appointed a single Arbitrator by both parties.

Mr Reid asks the Council's instructions in the matter and further states that it is a matter for the Council to leave the whole question of compensation to Mr Dunlevy or for each side to appoint an Arbitrator, which Arbitrators will appoint an Umpire and all will sit together and award the Compensation, This latter course would be expensive.

In conclusion Mr Reid states that he has asked Messrs. Hipsett & Ramage to leave the question of compensation over till the sewerage is complete as there may be further claims, but they do not seem disposed to do this.

From Mr R. H. Reid Solicitor to the Council date 23rd May 1912 enclosing a copy of a letter received from Messrs. Hipsett & Ramage Solicitors date 23rd May 1912 refusing to allow the Arbitration to remain over any longer and

stating that it is now for the Council to decide without further delay whether they will accept Mr Dunlevy as a single Arbitrator in the matter or appoint an independent Arbitrator of their own.

"It was ordered that the question of the appointment of an Arbitrator be referred to the Bundoran Improvement Committee for their opinion thereon.

A claim for malicious injury to a boat the property of Mr John Anderson date 25th May 1912 was received - the amount claimed is £10.

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 without further delay whether they will accept
 the proposal as a single article in the Bill
 or split it into independent articles of the
 same.

"It was ordered that the question of the
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A claim for arrears being a debt
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 partners - the amount claimed is £10
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Ballyshannon Rural District.

Ballyshannon Union.

Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1908; Public Health Acts (41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.); Labourers (Ireland) Acts, 1883 to 1906.

Minute of Annual meeting of Council held on 5th June 1912

In the Chair— Mr Thomas Gorman JP.

Other members present Messrs.— John Gowan P. M. Mully, James Monaghan, J. Gorman Jr.

The business before the meeting was the election of a chairman etc for the ensuing year

Mr Gowan proposed:— That Messrs. John Gorman Sr. and Jas. Gangan be selected as Chairman and Vice Chairman of the council for the ensuing year.

Mr P. M. Mully seconded the motion and it was carried unanimously

No other business was transacted

6. July 1912

Thomas Gorman

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Rural District.

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ALEX. THOM & Co. (Limited), Middle Abbey Street, Dublin.

Ballyshannon Union.

Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1908; Public Health Acts (41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.); Labourers (Ireland) Acts, 1883 to 1906.

Minutes of above Council at meeting held on Saturday 15th June 1912.

Chairman:— Mr. Thomas Gorman J.P.

Other Members present:—

Messrs:— J. Gowan, P. M^r Nulty, Mr. Cassidy, J.P., J. Scanlon, E. Mulhern, F. J. M^r Cafferty, Thomas Gorman Jr.

Read letter from Mr. Jas. O'Donnell Breggan, Hollymount, Co. Mayo, date 10th June 1912, stating that his son Dr. O'Donnell, before he died instructed him to write to the Clerk about the Labourers Cottages that he inspected and for which he was not paid and requesting the Council to pay the amount due for such inspection.

Mr O'Donnell to be informed that while sympathising with him on the death of his son, they regret that they have no power to make any payment in respect of the medical fees under the Labourers Acts which Mr O'Donnell claimed, as payments can only be made to the Medical Officers of Health who inspects certifies and gives evidence at the Inquiry or Inquiries. The Council did not receive any reports from

Dr. O'Donnell

Mr P McNulty proposed and Mr Scanlon seconded and it was passed unanimously. "That in view of the numerous complaints made to this Council by occupying labourers and by members of the Council respecting the cottages erected under the third scheme of Labourers Cottages, we call for the assistance and direction of the local Govt. Board in the matter. These complaints deal with the slating and completing generally of the cottages. It is alleged the slates are not of the quality and are not placed in accordance with the specification. The result as reported to us is that down rain occurs in most if not all of the cottages erected under the last scheme. This is a source of annoyance to the occupier & may result in injury to health.

Again it is complained that in blocks of cottages the party walls have not been finished according to contract nor carried up to the plane of the upper surface of the rafters. This defect causes noises and sounds to travel from one house to the other, destroying privacy and rendering habitation uncomfortable. It is further complained that beam filling in any part - side walls, party walls, or gables has not been completed according to specification. These complaints regarding defective finish are also put forward in respect of this last scheme.

Many cottages have already been repaired. The Council view with some alarm the extent over which the complaints are made, and the expenditure which remedying such defects will entail if such defects are well founded. The Council have been led to believe that all the Cottages under this third scheme were satisfactorily completed, and feel acutely that these complaints should follow so soon after completion, involving an expenditure for which the Council were unprepared. In view of the large number of complaints as to defective work and material, this Council now urges on the local Government Board the desirability of appointing one of their Engineering Inspectors to inspect the cottages, and report on same before any further repairs are undertaken. The Council will at the same time send its own architect with such an Inspector

From local Govt Board date 4th June 1912 informing the Council that they have recommended the Board of Works to issue a sum of £750 being a further instalment of the Loan of £2,000 sanctioned for the purpose of completing the Bundoran Sewerage Scheme.

The Board forward an extract from the report of their Engineering Inspector Mr Price on his recent inspection of the Works, and the Board requests that the matters mentioned therein may receive the attention of the Council

The extract from Mr Price's Report is as follows, dated 28th May, 1912. "The new work appeared to be carefully executed, but I noticed very serious neglect in the working of the sewage system recently carried out and the upkeep of the sanitary convenience next the Strand. The sewage, instead of passing through the tank and outfall sewer was being discharged into a stream above high water mark, and depositing on the foreshore. In view of the approach of the summer season the Council should take immediate steps to render the sanitary condition of the town satisfactory.

From Mr Steadman C.E. dated 6th June 1912 acknowledging receipt of copy of Mr Price's report as laid before the Council on 1st inst. stating as regards the discharge on the foreshore referred to therein, occurs in connection with work belonging to the first contract, and is the outcome of no one being appointed to look after the works which were properly completed some years ago.

Some senseless characters appear to find delight in throwing stones and other rubbish into the septic tank, and manholes, and the valves etc connected with the tank have been seriously interfered with and damaged in some cases. Mr Steadman then goes on to say that he pointed out 6 years ago

and subsequently the absolute necessity of the Council appointing, as in other towns some person of grit and independence to look after both the sewage works and water works, and until this is done he does not see any way of preventing the abuse of the works or outlay on repairs.

In conclusion Mr Steadman says that it would be advisable for the Council to appoint a really suitable man and if the Council authorize him (Mr Steadman) he will take the necessary steps for putting the system into proper working order.

Mr Steadman, C.E. to be instructed to have the Bundoran existing sewerage works put into proper working order."

It was ordered that a man be employed to clean out the urinals at Bundoran and that three shillings a week be paid for keeping them clean - Messrs Gorman to look after the matter.

Charles McDermott of Aughavoghill was appointed caretaker of Bundoran Waterworks Reservoir at a salary of £5 a year.

From Mr R. H. Reed Solicitor to the Council date 8th June 1912 forwarding two requisitions to tax his costs for signature of the Chairman and seal of the Council

The document was signed & sealed

From Mr. P. Daly Secretary of the Bundoran Improvement Committee date 14 June 1912, stating that the committee at their meeting of 13th inst. arrived at the conclusion not to submit to one Arbitrator in the cases of claims for damages in carrying out Bundoran Sewerage, and suggesting to the Council the name of Mr Patrick Conlon J.P. as Arbitrator on behalf of the Council

Mr P. Conlon J.P. was unanimously appointed Arbitrator on behalf of the District Council on the motion of Mr Thomas Gorman seconded by Mr Thomas Gorman Jr.

Thomas Gorman
6. July 1912.

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Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1908; Public Health Acts (41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.); Labourers (Ireland) Acts, 1883 to 1906.

Meeting held on Saturday 6th July 1912

In the Chair Mr Thomas Gorman
 Other members present:— Messrs:— J. Gowan,
 P. Mc Nulty, M. Barsidy J.P., E. Mulhern,
 J. Monaghan, J. Gorman J., J. Garigan

Read report from Dr Borscadden M.D. stating that a cesspool at Rosknowlegh requires to be closed and the sewage piped into a drain.

It was directed that the occupiers be notified to carry out the work.

Read letters:— From Local Government Board date 19th June 1912 enclosing extracts from returns Form L for Ballintra and Ballyshannon for half year ended 31st March 1912 as follows:—

Ballintra Dispensary District — The main sewers of the village are very defective as has often been reported.

Ballyshannon Dispensary District — There

are no common lodging houses in the District but there are houses used as such

The older houses of the working classes in the town are defective as regards ventilation and lighting

From Local Government Board dated 26th June 1912 enclosing extract from Medical Officer's return Form L for half year ended 31st March 1912 for Ballintra Dispensary District and requesting that the Council will proceed with the necessary works with a view to providing a proper water supply for Ballintra village. The Board also draw attention to their sealed Order of 1st November 1905 determining area of charge for expenses of water supply for Ballintra

The extract from Form L referred to is as follows:-
Ballintra Dispensary District: - The village of Ballintra is practically without a water supply

Adjourned

From Local Government Board date 1st July 1912 stating that they consider that the Council should act on the advice of their Engineer Mr. Steadman and appoint a caretaker for the sewerage, tank, and waterworks at Bundoran.

Mr. Steadman to be asked to prepare list of duties of caretaker

From Mr. R. H. Reid Solicitor date 1st June 1912 stating he has received the following claims for compensation for damage, for laying pipes, in the matter of Bundoran Sewerage viz Mrs. Mary Johnston £100-0-0
Mrs. Mary Ormsby & W. F. Ormsby £180-0-0

From Mr. R. H. Reid, solicitor, date 22nd June 1912 informing the District Council that he had received from Messrs. Lipsett & Ramage, Solicitors, claim on behalf of Mr. R. J. M. Phillips of £120 to lay pipes

From Mr. R. H. Reid, Solicitor, date 19th June 1912 stating he will appoint Mr. Patrick Conlon, of Bundoran, Arbitrator in reference to claims for Compensation re Bundoran Sewerage as soon as an Arbitrator is appointed by the claimants

"Approved"

It was decided that tenders be invited on 20th inst for public lighting of town of Bundoran.

From Mr. R. H. Reid date 21st June 1912 enclosing
Bill of Costs amounting to £6-11-0 of Messrs. Reeves
Solicitors under Labourers Act

"To be forwarded to taxing officer"

From Mr. F. G. Townsend, Engineer, Ballyshannon
enclosing the following etc.

For professional services rendered in connection
with Labourers Scheme etc.

December 1910 to June 1912 - Marking sites for

(1) 40 Cottages @ 10/- each £20.0.0

(2) Interviewing owners and occupiers with
a view to removing opposition to Scheme - no charge.

£20.0.0

From Mr. R. H. Reid, Solicitor, date 21st June 1912,
enclosing Order of Mr. Justice Ross of 11th Nov 1909
for payment of £6-6-0 costs in connection with
payment of compensation for Labourers plots
to Capt. A. F. Maude, Receiver of Estate of Thos.
Connolly & others under Labourers Order 1908

From Mr. P. J. Kelly enclosing specification
for boundary wall at Clyhore Cottages,
the estimated cost of same being £10-16-0

"Approved - Tenders to be invited for this
day two weeks."

From Mr. P. J. Kelly, Engineer dated 5th July 1912 enclosing
plans for Labourers Cottages being similar to Cottages
plans approved for Letterkenny and Strabane

The Council approved of plans for Cottages
in Rural Districts @ estimate of £120, and plans
for town of Ballyshannon @ £130 with some alterations
in frontage and windows

The plans to be returned to Engineer.

The Clerk requested the Council to obtain sanction of
the Local Government Board for payment of
balance of remuneration to him under Labourers
Acts £7.25.0

Sanction of Local Government Board
requested

James Garigan
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Next meeting to be held on 20th July, 1912

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Ballyshannon Union.

Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1908; Public Health Acts (41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.); Labourers (Ireland) Acts, 1883 to 1906.

Minutes of 20th July 1912

In the Chair Mr. James Gavigan

also present Messrs:— Thomas Walsh, J. Gowan,
P. M. Mully, J. Scanlon, J. Clarty,
E. Mulhern, M. Gavigan, T. J. M. Cafferty
Jas. Monaghan, O. M. Gowan.

Representations under the labourers Acts were considered from Ballyshannon Urban, Ballyshannon Rural, Ballintra, Bundoran, and Carrickboy Electoral Divisions

Mr. John Scanlon proposed and Mr. M. Gavigan seconded, and it was passed unanimously, that the further and final consideration of representations for Ballyshannon Urban be adjourned till Saturday, 3rd August, 1912.

Mr. P. M. Mully proposed and Mr. O. M. Gowan seconded and it was passed, that the further and final consideration of Representations for the Electoral Divisions of Ballintra, Ballyshannon Rural, Bundoran and Carrickboy be adjourned till Saturday 3rd August 1912 at one o'clock p.m. Passed unanimously

P. Daly of Ballyshannon tendered to build a boundary wall and put down a curbing at the Labourers Cottages Battery Ballyhore, for the sum of £10-16-0

"The tender was accepted."

Read letter from Local Government Board date 11th July 1912 referring to the Council's Resolution of 15th ult requesting the Board to instruct one of their Architects to inspect the Cottages erected by the Council in pursuance of the Board's order of 1908, The Board point out that the responsibility for seeing that the Cottages are properly completed rests with the architect in charge of the works and that inspections by the Board's Architects are made solely for the guidance of the Board in authorising the issue of instalments of loans.

As the loan sanctioned in respect of this order was fully issued over two years ago the Board could not properly comply with the Council's request.

From Local Government Board date 15th July 1912 forwarding for the information of the Council a copy of the Auditor's report on his audit of the Council's account for half-years ended 30th September 1910 and 31st March 1911.

The Auditor's Report is as follows date 11th July 1912

"Sir,

I have the honour to report that I have audited the accounts of the Rural District of Ballyshannon for the two half-years ended 31st March, 1911, and herewith I forward certified copies of the abstracts of the accounts for those periods.

I have the honour to be
Your obedient Servant
St J. Clonidine

The Secretary, Local Government Board
Dublin

From National Health Insurance Commission date, 11th July, 1912, with reference to claiming exception under the Insurance Act.

"It was agreed that no claims for exception be made."

From Mr. R. H. Reid, Council's Solicitor date 10th July, 1912, stating Messrs. - Lipsett & Ramage, Solicitors, had informed him that Messrs. - Spratt, P. Mullan, & Mookan are not proceeding with their claims for damages in connection with Bundoran Sewerage Scheme.

From Local Government Board date 17th July 1912, referring to an entry on the subject on the Council's minutes of 6th inst. The Board request that the Council will be good enough to take into consideration at their next meeting the several matters to which attention was drawn by the Medical Officers of Health in their Returns Form L. for the Half year ended 31st March last, and make the necessary orders on each of the several matters referred to.

The consideration of the several matters referred to in Local Government Board's letter was postponed.

From Mr R. H. Reid Council's Solicitor date 11th July 1912, enclosing for execution by the Council, a conveyance of a plot of land acquired for Bundoran Sewerage.

The Deed was ordered to be executed.

From Mr R. H. Reid, Solicitor, date 13th July 1912, stating that he had received from Messrs Lipsett and Ramage a notice of the appointment of Mr F. G. Townsend C.E. as Arbitrator for Messrs - J. R. Phillips, W. F. Ormsby, Jas Harte, Ellen Fogarty, + Mary Johnston, in their claims for damages in connection with Bundoran Sewerage Scheme.

From Mr R. H. Reid Council's Solicitor

date 19th July 1912, enclosing copies of the appointment of Mr Patrick Conlon as Arbitrator on behalf of the Council, in the cases of Claimants for damages under the Bundoran Sewerage Scheme, and requesting that the Seal of the Council may be affixed thereto.

"Ordered accordingly that the Council's seal be affixed to the document."

Messrs:- Mylles & Co of Ballyshannon tendered to light Bundoran Streets on similar terms to last season for the sum of £576-7-0

There was no other tender and Messrs:- Mylles tender was accepted.

James Garigan
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Next meeting 3rd August 1912

The 1st page, containing copies of the
 appointment of the first Justice of the Peace
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 reign of King William III. and Queen
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And a certificate that the said Justice
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Burial Grounds Expenses			
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ALEX. THOM & Co. (Limited), Middle Abbey Street, Dublin.

Ballyshannon Rural District.

Ballyshannon Union.

Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1908; Public Health Acts (41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.); Labourers (Ireland) Acts, 1883 to 1906.

Copy of Minutes of Meeting held on Saturday 3rd August 1912

In the Chair Mr. J. Gavigan
 Other members present:— Messrs:— Mr. M. Gavigan
 J. Walsh, J. Gowan, M. Cassidy J.P.,
 J. Scanton, J. Carty, T. J. M. Cafferly,
 J. Monaghan, P. Duinn,

Read letters:—

From Local Government Board date 24th July 1912, stating that they have sanctioned the payment of a sum of £7.5.0. to the Clerk of the Council as the final instalment of his remuneration in connection with the Improvement Scheme confirmed by the Ballyshannon Rural District Labourers Order 1908.

The Committee appointed to select sites for Cottages reported that in conjunction with the Council's Engineer they have completed the selection of sites and that the plots have been marked on the maps as required.

The Representations were further considered and the following Resolutions were unanimously adopted

Proposed by Mr John Scanton

and seconded by Mr James Gavigan

" We have this day considered the Representations under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts by those Ratepayers in respect of the Electoral Division of Ballyshannon Urban and also all the other representations lodged in respect of each Electoral Division, and we have also considered in connection with such representation and representations the reports from time to time made by the medical Officer of Health and his certificates. We are satisfied with the truth of the Ratepayers' Representation, and of the other Representations and being also satisfied as to the sufficiency of resources for the purpose, it is hereby resolved that an Improvement Scheme be made in respect of the section of Ballyshannon Rural District comprised in the Electoral Division of Ballyshannon Urban, and we adjourn the making of such scheme till Friday 9th August 1912 at 3.00 pm.

Proposed by Mr Thomas Walsh

Seconded by Mr James Monaghan

We have this day considered all representations from the Electoral Divisions of Ballintra, Ballyshannon Rural, Bundoran and Corrickboy, and we are satisfied as to the truth of such representations and being satisfied as to the sufficiency of resources for the purpose it is hereby resolved that an Improvement Scheme be made in respect of the section comprising the above-mentioned Electoral Divisions, and we adjourn the making of such scheme till Friday

the 9th August 1912 at 3.00 pm.

From Local Government Board date 24th July 1912 enclosing Sealed order fixing Audit Fee @ £55.0 for year ending 31st March 1911

To pay

From Local Govt Board, date, 1st August, 1912, enclosing copy regulations under the Public Roads (Ireland) Act 1911

From Mr Steadman C.E. Engineer of Bundoran Sewerage Scheme date 1st August 1912 bringing before the notice of the Council the following matters.

" At present as shown on the Plans the most easterly point of the sewerage scheme is in Single St opposite Mr Gorman's. As there are some houses further east I would recommend for the Council's approval the extension of this 9" sewer further eastwards by 132 yards. It will never be done cheaper than now while we have a Contractor on the ground, moreover it is very important to settle this just now as it affects the position of a flushing tank; for of course if this small extension is approved I would not place the tank where shown on the plans, but further east at the end of this 132 yds. to ensure the flushing of this also. The cost would be about £30.

(Adjourned consideration of Mr Steadman's Report till the Councils for Bundoran Area of Charge be present)

Thomas Gorman
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Minutes of Meeting (Special) of above Council on 9th August 1912.

In the Chair: Mr. Thomas Gorman J.P.
 also present: Messrs. — J. Eowan,
 P. Mc. Nulty, M. Cassidy, E. Mulhern,
 J. Bonaghan, J. Gavigan.

The report of Mr. Steadman Engineer to Bandon Sewerage works entered on last week's minutes, was submitted and it was ordered that 132 yards of extension referred to therein be carried out at an estimated cost of £30- by contractor.

It was ordered that the waterworks strainer at Ballyshannon Waterworks Reservoir be replaced and cleaned out. — Messrs. — Cassidy, Gavigan and Mulhern were appointed a Committee to superintend the work.

(Labourers Minute overleaf)

Mr P. J. Kelly, Engineer, submitted Specification and Estimate for repairs to 50 Labourers Cottages the estimated cost of same being £ 214-10-0.

It was approved of and it was directed that the work of carrying out the repairs be advertised for contract for meeting of 7th Sept 1912. A condition of the contract being that no payment on an account of the work be made to a contractor till his contract be completed.

Pursuant to notice (form 11 under Labors Order 1912) to each councillor the clerk submitted Labourers Acts Schemes as follows: -

For Ballyshannon Urban District Electoral Division @ £13,760, and for the District Electoral Divisions of Ballintra, Ballyshannon Rural, Bundoran, & Carrickboy @ £7,310

It was proposed by Mr. M. McNulty seconded by Mr. J. Howan and passed unanimously that we adopt the Scheme under the Labourers Act for Electoral Divisions of Ballintra, Ballyshannon Rural, Bundoran & Carrickboy.

It was proposed by Mr. J. Gavigan seconded by Mr. M. Mulhern and passed unanimously that we adopt the Scheme under Labourers Act for Ballyshannon Urban District Electoral Division.

Thomas Gorman

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Minutes of Meeting of above Council on 14th September 1912

M. J. Gorman S. J. P. Presiding

Also present Messrs: M. M'Garra, J. Walsh, J. Goan, P. M. Nulty, M. Cassidy J.P., J. Seanlon, J. Carly, E. Mulhern, C. McGowan, J. Monaghan, J. Gorman Jr. J. Cavigan.

Read Letters

From Local Government Board date 22nd August 1912 forwarding a copy of the Auditor's Report on his audit of the accounts of the Council for the half-years ended 30th Sept 1911 and 31st March 1912 as follows:—

I beg to report that I have audited the accounts of the Ballyshannon Rural District Council for half-years ended 30th Sept 1911, and 31st March 1912, and I enclose herewith duly certified abstracts of the accounts for the said periods.

With reference to the registration of plots taken for the purposes of

the Labourers Acts an intimation was received from the registering authorities stating that receipts for fifty five plots taken under the Ballyphannon Labourers Order had been lodged, and that the draft folios had been made out and engrossed but awaited comparison.

From Local Govt. Board, date 3rd Sept 1912 forwarding an order under their seal determining the amount chargeable in respect of the audit of the Council's accounts during the financial year ended 31st March 1912.

Payment of the amount £5-5-0 was ordered.

From the Liverpool Victoria Insurance Corporation Ltd. date 26 Aug 1912. (Belfast Branch) claiming damages, amount £5 for injury to a motor car the property of Mr. Hildebrand D.J., R.I.C., when bringing it out at a moderate pace in Bundoran.

Referred to Mr. Steadman a Surveyor and Mr. Reid Council's Solicitor

From Mr. R. H. Reid Council's Solicitor date 17th Sept 1912, stating that after a great deal of correspondence the Arbitrators for the claims for compensation in connection with Bundoran sewerage Scheme

have decided on Mr. Henry Coane as Umpire.

The Local Government Board are respectfully requested to recommend payment by the Board of Works of the final instalment of Sewerage loan amount £250.

Labourers Acts Minutes

Read Letters:-

From Local Government Board, date 23rd August 1912 requesting that they may be furnished with a copy of the specification relating to the repairs proposed to be carried out to 50 Cottages in the District.

The copy of the specification was sent to the Board.

From Local Government Board date 6th September 1912 acknowledging

receipt of the copy of a Specification relating to the repairs proposed to be carried out by the District Council to certain cottages provided by them under the Labourers Acts, and stating that the Board see no objection to the execution of the proposed works.

Tenders for the repairs of the cottages as per specification forwarded to the Local Government Board were considered.

Patrick Daly, Ballyshannon, tendered to carry out the repairs to 50 cottages at £175 - no payment till repairs are finished

William M'Allister tendered for 14 Cottages at £64-15-0.

Peter Keon proposed to repair 50 Cottages at £206-10-0.

Patrick Murphy tendered for the repairs of 10 Cottages @ £4 0-0 each.

Mr Jas. M'Bride tendered to repair the 50 Cottages at £434-10-0.

Patrick Goan tendered to repair the 50 Cottages at £195-0-0.

"Patrick Daly's tender being the lowest was accepted".

James Garigan
5/10/12

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Copy of minutes of proceedings of Ballyshannon Rural District Council at their meeting held on Saturday 5th October 1912.

In the Chair — Mr. Jas. Gavigan
 Also present — Messrs: — J. Gowan,
 Michael Cassidy J.P., J. Barty, & Mulhern,
 J. J. Mc Cafferty, J. Monaghan.

Read letters:—

From Mr. R. A. Reid, Solicitor to the Council date 16th Sept 1912, informing the Council that he now holds the award of the Arbitrators in the case of the claims for damages in carrying out the Bundoran Sewerage Scheme. The only three claims that were before the arbitrators were from James Harte, Richard John Phillips, and W. F. Ormsby; the first two claims were withdrawn, and in the latter the arbitrators awarded Mr Ormsby £ 12.0.0 Compensation, and £ 5.5.0 Costs, also £ 1.10.0 for use of the Room in the convent Schools.

From Mr R A Reid date 21st Sept 1912 forwarding as requested the Arbitrators award together with the declarations

of the Arbitrators as required by statute, and requesting a paying order in favour of Mr. H. Ormsby for £12. and £5-5-0 for his solicitors.

From Mr R. H. Reid Solicitor date 26th Sept 1912 enclosing his taxed Bill of Costs in connection with the Bundoran Sewerage Scheme. The amount of the Bill as taxed is £290-12-8

From Mr R. H. Reid Solicitor date 26th Sept 1912 enclosing a note of the fees due in the Arbitration re Bundoran Sewerage Scheme to the Arbitrators and Umpire. Mr F. E. Townsend, one of the Arbitrators claims £5-5-0, and Mr Coane Umpire claims £3-3-0, Mr Conlan the other Arbitrator does not require any fee.

From Mr Steadman C.E. County Surveyor date 23rd Sept 1912. with reference to the claims of the Victoria Insurance Corporation as entered on minutes of 7th ult, for damages sustained by a motor car belonging to Mr Hildebrand D.D., R.D.C. Mr Steadman states that he is unable to account for the accident except by the existence of some defect in the part alleged to have been damaged. He also states that the rut or ridge, even if it existed, of the size mentioned in the claim could cause no injury to any part of a motor.

Mr Reid's letters in connection with Bundoran Sewerage Scheme were left

over for consideration at next meeting of the Council

Thomas Gorman
19 Oct 1912

Next meeting to be held on 19th Oct 1912

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Minutes of Proceedings of Ballyshannon Rural District Council at meeting held on 19th October 1912

In the Chair, Mr Thomas Gorman J.P.
Also present:— Messrs.— J. Gowan, P. M. Multy, M. Cassidy J.P. E. Mulhern, J. J. M. Cafferty, J. Monaghan, J. Gorman J.P., J. Davigan

The signing of Petitions under Labourers Acts was postponed till 1st Nov 1912.

Read letters: from Mr R. H. Reid Solicitor Ballyshannon, date 15th October 1912 stating that he is informed that at the last Finance meeting the Council adjourned indefinitely the payment of his taxed bill of costs sent forward in September. Mr Reid says he is rather surprised at this as the Council without any imaginary or suggested ~~cause~~ reason suspended him as their Solicitor some months ago, after he had acted for them for over 14 years, during which time, neither individually nor Collectively did they make one single complaint with the manner he conducted their legal offices, this being so Mr Reid again draws the Council's attention to his costs

amounting to £290:12:6 and requests that a paying order be sent him after next Finance day and so avoid any unpleasantness.

The Council's attention to this matter will oblige

The Matter was adjourned.

From the manager of the Liverpool Insurance Corporation Ltd Belfast date 18th Oct. 1912 asking for a cheque for £5.00 in payment of the account for the repairs to Mr Hildebrand's motor-car alleged to have been damaged on the streets of Bundoran.

The Manager to be notified that the Dist Council decline to comply with his request

Thomas Gorman

2nd Nov. 1912

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Minutes of Meeting of Ballyshannon Rural District Council at a special meeting held on Friday 1st November 1912.

In the Chair Mr. Thos. Gorman J.P.
 also present Messrs:— Howan, P. McNulty,
 Harty, E. Mulhern, W. Gavigan,
 J. Monaghan, J. Gorman J. Gavigan

As proposed at last meeting petition for order confirming Improvement Schemes were laid before the Council.

It was proposed by Mr. James Gavigan,
 "Seconded by Mr. P. McNulty," that

we request the Local Government Board for Ireland to sanction loan of £13,760 for carrying out Improvement Scheme under Labourers Acts in Ballyshannon Urban District Electoral Division

Passed unanimously

It was proposed by Mr P McNulty
 .. seconded by Mr Flerty and passed
 unanimously - That we respectfully request
 the Local Government Board for Ireland
 to sanction Loan of £4,310 for carrying
 out Labourers Acts Improvement Scheme
 for District Electoral Divisions of Ballintra,
 Ballyshannon Rural, Bundoran & Carrickboy.

Petition Form 19 for Order Confirming
 an Improvement Scheme under Labourers
 Acts for Ballyshannon Urban District
 Electoral Division was duly signed &
 sealed.

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Meeting of Ballyshannon Rural District Council at meeting held on 2nd November 1912. In the Chair; Mr Jhs Gorman ^{sr} J. also present Messrs:— J. Eowan, M. Cassidy, J. Hartly, E. Mulhern, Thos. Gorman jr.

Read letters:— From Local Government Board date 23rd October 1912 enclosing sealed Order authorizing the Donegal Co Council to hold half-yearly instead of quarterly meetings.

From Mr R Reynolds tenant of a Labourers Cottage date Nov. 1st 1912, stating that there is not a suitable fence on his plot.

It was unanimously resolved that we request the Donegal County Council to advance us a sum of £250 to enable us to carry out the initial stages of the Labourers Acts Schemes.

Public Health

Read Letters:-

From Messrs Lipsett & Ramage date 22nd Oct 1912 endorsing Bill of Costs in connection with preparation of abstract of title and conveyance of lands acquired by Council in connection with Bundoran Sewerage Scheme amounting to £18 0 0

To be forwarded to Cols for observation.

From Mr. J. Sheadman Engineer for Bundoran Sewerage Scheme date 29th October 1912 as follows:-

"In connection with the water supply to flushing tank at West End it has been found that the source from which a supply was to be taken would be very defective, consequently after looking into the matter I see no way to bring about a satisfactory result other than to tap the main on the Bundoran to Sligo road and take a supply to the tank by 7¹/₂" dia galv tubes. This will entail about 158 yds. of tubes and the cost would be about £16 0 0

Pipes to be extended as suggested
The matter to be left in Mr. Sheadman's hands

From Mr. Sheadman also dated 29th October 1912 as follows
The following small extras are necessary in connection with Bundoran Sewerage Scheme Contract and I would strongly recommend their being approved by the Council:-

Extending sewer from M.H. 5 up lane at Mr. Conlon's by 6" pipes to connect with main sewer in main St. for promoting ventilation of the system, which I estimate

- at £15
- (2nd) Extra M.H. in main St. near Methodist Church to avoid trouble in connection with water main £10 10 0
- (3rd) Painting of 6 Ventl Columns - 2 Cabs @ £2 0 0 and for carrying out work additional to his original contract I recommend that Mr. Callan be allowed payment re Clerk of Works for 6 weeks at 50/- per week £15 0 0.
- (4) The Foundation of the sewer at back of Erne and Firmanagh houses being bad it would be unsafe to lay the houses pipes without concreting the foundation as settlement would occur and the sewer become defective. The cost of this concrete work I estimate @ £24 0 0.

Approved.

From Mr. John Magill Bundoran date 31st Oct. 1912 requesting to be allowed to connect his sewerage with main sewer
"To be referred to Mr. Sheadman Engineer"

Mr. Thomas Gorman reported that as directed on 15th June 1912 he had employed Mr. M. Travers to look after Bundoran Urinals at 3/- per week for the past 15 weeks.

Approved

It was unanimously decided that Application be made for £250 final instalment of loan of £2,000 for Bundoran Sewerage.

It was unanimously decided that

The Local Government Board for Ireland be requested to sanction an additional loan of £400 for the purpose of completing Bundoran Sewerage

It was directed that advertisements be issued for a caretaker for Bundoran Sewerage and Waterworks (independent of caretaker to look after source of water supply) at £15 a year

Mr Gordon M.O.H. wrote certifying that he had destroyed the following clothing in disinfecting Mr Scott's dwelling in Bundoran

1 Pair Blankets value £10.0

Flock Bed " 0.6.0

2 pair Sheets " 0.4.0

1 quilt " 0.4.0

2 pillows " 0.3.0

1 Bolster " 0.3.0

£ 1 10 0

Payment of the amount to Mr Scott was ordered

Thomas Gorman

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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 _____ 19__

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RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due _____ Treasurer			
Outstanding Orders			
Net Balance as above due _____ 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 :—

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Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1908; Public Health Acts (41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.); Labourers (Ireland) Acts, 1883 to 1906.

Minutes of meeting of Ballyshannon R.D. District Council on Saturday 16th November 1912

In the Chair Mr. Thomas Gorman J.P.
 also present.— Messrs:— Tho. Walsh,
 J. Gowan, P. McNulty, Edward Mulhern,
 J. Gorman Jr. Jos. Gavigan

Read letters :—

From Local Government Board date 12th Nov 1912 forwarding to be laid before the District Council copies of correspondence relating to a case of Enteric Fever (Patient's name, Annie McCortney) which recently occurred in the Ballygawley Dispensary District of Clogher Union, and in reference to the observations of Dr. Abernethy Medical Officer of Health as to the probable source of infection, the Board points out that the case presents another instance in which such infection is believed to have been due to the milk supply of Bundoran and it would therefore be advisable that the Council should take early action to prevent the occurrence of Typhoid cases from the source mentioned.

"no order was made on the letter"

Read letters:-

From the Secretary of Donegal County Council date 8th November 1912 stating that the District Council's request that the County Council advance them a sum of £250 to enable them District Council to carry out schemes under the Labourers Act till such time as the District Council obtain a loan from the Land Commission, will be brought before the next meeting of the Finance Committee

From Messrs. Lipsitt & Ramage Solrs. Ballyshannon, date 13th Nov. 1912 claiming an a/c of £2.2.0 which they are instructed to apply for payment of, also for payment of an account for £20.0.0 for work done in connection with the present Labourers Cottages Scheme which has been furnished already and stating that in case the Council do not pay the amount due namely £22.2.0 they are instructed to institute proceedings

Adjoined for further information on the matters referred to in the letter.

A vacant cottage in townland of Dunmuckrum was granted to John Connolly.

Thomas Gorman
7th Dec. 1912

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Minutes of Proceedings of Ballyshannon Rural District Council. at meeting held on 7th December 1912

In the Chair Mr J. Gorman J.P.

Also present Messrs.— J. Walsh, J. Howan, P. M. Nulty, John Carty, E. Mulhern, M. Gavigan, J. J. McCafferty, J. Monaghan, J. Gorman Jr & J. Gavigan

Read letters:— From Local Government Board date 25th Nov 1912, enclosing for the Councils consideration the following extract from the Medical Officer's return for Ballintra for half-year ended 30th September 1912.

"The village of Ballintra is practically without a water supply. The sewers of the village appear to be blocked and should be opened and cleared"

"No action taken"

From Local Government Board, date, 30th November 1912, enclosing form for making application for sanction to the Loan required for the purposes of completing Bundoran Sewerage Scheme

The application was duly signed

From Local Government Board date 5th December 1912, stating that they have recommended the Commissioners of Public Works to issue a sum of £250, being the balance of loan of £2,000 sanctioned for Bundoran Sewerage, and stating that the Council should make application to the Commissioners for the issue of the Instalment. The Board also point out that the Council should direct their Engineer to prepare Regulations under Section 23 of the Public Health (Ireland) Act 1878 prescribing the method of construction of house drains joining the main sewer. They recommend that the work of constructing and connecting the house drains be proceeded with at once.

"Instructions of Local Government Board to be carried out"

From Mr. R. J. Porter, Solicitor, Wellington Place Belfast, date 27th Nov. 1912, stating he has received instructions to take proceedings against this Council to recover £5:0:0 for damages alleged to have occurred to a motor car belonging to Mr. E. H. Hildebrand D.D. R.D.C. through carelessness of the Council's employees in leaving a ridge of earth and stones on Bundoran Streets while laying sewer pipes.

"The Claim to be defended"

Requisition for taxation of Bill of Costs of Messrs: - Lipsett & Ramage, Solicitors in connection with furnishing title and completing conveyance of land in connection with Bundoran Sewerage was duly signed.

There were four applications for the position of caretaker of Bundoran sewerage and waterworks.

The Council adjourned the appointment

Read letter from Lt. N. Ry. Coy. stating that there is insufficient lighting on road leading to their station at Bundoran

"no action taken"

Labourers Acts.

Sealed Order of the Local Government Board dated 25th November, 1912, cited as "The Labourers (Ireland) Amending Order, 1912, ~~amend~~ revoking rule 45 of the Labourers Order 1912 was laid before the Council

The Clerk reported that he had been served with a Civil Bill from Mr. F. G. Townend for £22 for alleged services under present Labourers Acts Scheme and Bundoran Lighting

"The Civil Bill process was handed to Council's Solicitor to be defended"

Thomas Gorman

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Report for location of Ball's Hill
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The Council advised the applicant

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Meeting held on 21st December 1912
 In the Chair Mr. J. Gorman JP.
 Also present Messrs:- P. McNulty, E. Mulhern,
 J. J. McCafferty, J. Monaghan, J. Gorman jr.

Read letters:—

From Mr. R. H. Reid.

Solicitor, Ballyshannon, Petition of Edward McDermott, praying for an order that the sum of £21-2-6 lodged in County Court under Sect 11 sub Sect 8 Labourers Act 1906 be paid out of Court to Edward McDermott with Interest. The petition will be heard in Donegal on 10th January 1913.

To be referred to Solicitor

From Messrs:- Robert Lipsett & Co stating that one of their fields is damaged through the Council failing to make a covered sewer in place of an open drain at his premises in Bishop St. Ballyshannon.

To be referred to Messrs:- Gavigan and McNulty — Councillors.