

**Ballinasloe Rural District—No. 1.**

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

**PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.**

(41 & 42 Vic., CAP. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Ballinasloe (No. 1) Rural District Council, acting as the Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held at the Board Room, Union Workhouse, on the 23 day of October 1909

NUMBER OF MEMBERS ON THE COUNCIL, 41.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS PRESENT \_\_\_\_\_

IN THE CHAIR:—

OTHER COUNCILLORS PRESENT:—

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

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

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

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

Destruction witnessed by

Sanitary Sub-Officer.

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Council, viz: -

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
		£	s.	d.

and the "Treasurer's Advice Note for making payments" for the respective amounts was duly signed.

The several S.S.Os sent in their monthly reports on the Sanitary condition of their respective Districts in which, as far as they are aware, there are no cases of infectious disease. Any matters requiring attention was brought under the notice of the M.C.

Erravallough Water Supply.  
Sealed Order from H.L. L.R. N.º 108652/1909 dated the 21<sup>st</sup> September 1909 fixing the Abasscragh Dispensary District as the Area of Charges for the expenses to be incurred in connection with the Erravallough Water Supply.

Letter from H.L. L.R. N.º 108652 dated 1<sup>st</sup> October 1909 referring to the minutes of the 28<sup>th</sup> August last and enclosing a form in which application may be made for sanction to a loan for the purpose of sinking a well and erecting a Pump at Erravallough. This work has been authorized by the Council on 16 March 1910.

Letter from H.L. L.R. N.º 126/m/09 dated 5<sup>th</sup> October 1909 calling for a return, on forms which they enclose, showing the salaries paid to Sanitary Officers during the half year ended the 30<sup>th</sup> September 1909. The Clerk submitted the Return amounting to £49.6.0 which was signed by the Chairman and 2 copies of which are herewith enclosed.

The L. L.R. N.º 114148 dated 4<sup>th</sup> October 1909 stating that they have received the report of their Medical Inspector, Sir Ashton MacBullagh, relating to the Sanitary Condition of the District; enclosing extracts therefrom and requesting that each of the matters therein referred to may receive careful consideration. The Bd desire to point out that Sir Ashton

MacLellan has again had occasion to draw attention to the lack of energy displayed by S. S. O. Messin and Connolly in the performance of their duties, and requesting that these officers may be asked for explanations, in writing, as to the paucity of the reports made by them, and S. S. O. Messin should be required to keep a diary.

The Bd trust that the Council will give their early attention to the observations of Sir A. MacLellan in regard to nuisances caused by manure heaps being allowed to remain too close to the dwelling houses

The Bd draw attention to the omission of the Council to carry out the registration of the Common Lodging Houses in the district, and request that the Medical Inspector's remarks as to the water supplies and drainage of the places mentioned by him, may receive special attention.

The Extracts having been read S. S. O. Connolly and Messin were ordered to send in written explanations as to the paucity of their reports, and the L. J. B. informed that the question of all water supplies has been adjourned to March 1910.

### — Gortienareela Water Supply —

The Council, pursuant to advertisement, accepted the tender of Mr. Michael Corley, Ballagh, to sink a well and erect a Pump therein at the Rates and prices detailed in his tender for the Village of Gortienareela.

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### Oghilbeg Pump

The Committee, the Council's Engineer, having come before the meeting in reference to this Pump it was, after a discussion

Ordered, To further sink the well until a full supply of water is obtained

\* The Council pursuant to notice to each Member passed the following Resolution

Resolved That the Kiltormer Dispensary District be found as the Area of Charge for the expenses to be incurred in connection with the Gortienareela Water Supply: and that application be made to the L. J. B. for their sanction to a Loan for the purpose

Ordered, That advertisement be issued for Contractors to keep the several Public Pumps in the District in repair and working order for 0/0/4.0/0. Tenders to be considered on the 13. Nov 1909.



**SANITARY REPORTS**

(1) From the Medical Officers of Health.      (2) Sanitary Sub-Officers.

(1). Premises reported as Unsanitary by rea-on of want of Cleaning and Lime washing (sec. 107 (1)).

District	Name of Officer Reporting	Name and Residence of Occupier where complaint arises	Particulars of Complaint	Order of Council on Report

(2). Premises reported as Unsanitary by reason of accumulation or deposit of Manure heaps and Cesspools, Drains, Ashpits, Privies, &c. (sec. 107 (2) (4)).

District	Name of Officer Reporting	Name and Residence of Occupier where complaint arises	Particulars of Complaint	Order of Council on Report

(3). Premises reported as Unsanitary by reason of housing any Animal therein (sec. 107 (3)).

District	Name of Officer Reporting	Name and Residence of Occupier where complaint arises	Particulars of Complaint	Order of Council on Report

(4). Premises reported as unfit for habitation by reason of dilapidation and over-crowding (sec 107 (5)).

District	Name of Officer Reporting	Name and Residence of Occupier where complaint arises	Particulars of Complaint	Order of Council on Report

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

From	Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Orders of Council thereon

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**Ballinasloe Rural District—No. 1.**

**LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.**

(46 & 47 Vic., cap. 60, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Rural District Council, acting as the Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on the 23 day of Oct. 1909

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Councillors:

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Letter from the L. G. B. N.º L 15394/12 dated the 8<sup>th</sup> October 1909 forwarding extracts from the Report of the Board's Architect, Mr Foley, on his recent inspection of the Cottages erected and in course of erection in pursuance of "the Ballinasloe N.º 1 Rural District Labourers (Unopposed) Order 1907," and requesting that the matters referred to by Mr Foley may receive the consideration of the Council. At the same time drawing particular to Mr Foley's remarks as to the high expenditure on fencing, which appears to the Board to be likely to render the loan sanctioned insufficient for the completion of the Scheme. The Bd observe from an entry on forms "C" furnished by the Council's Architect on the 2<sup>nd</sup> ultimo that the outlay on fencing Plot N.º 1 in the townland of Liscoyle has amounted to £28. and as it appears that a tender for the execution of the work at 7/6 per Irish perch was accepted by the Council on the 30<sup>th</sup> May 1908, the Bd request to be furnished with a Report from the Council's Architect showing how the expenditure of £28 has been incurred

Ordered

Ordered / That the Foley's Report be referred to Mr Kempster, the Council's Engineer, to carry out the suggestions therein contained and Mr Kempster asked for an explanation as to the cost of fencing Macoy's Plot No 1.

Letter from the L. & B. No L15443 dated 14<sup>th</sup> October 1909 referring to previous correspondence on the subject and stating that they have sanctioned the proposed payment of the sum of £10. as a further instalment of remuneration to the Clerk in respect of his services in connection with Council's current Improvement Scheme under the Labourers Acts.

Mr Kempster the Council's Engineer sent in Completion Certificates in respect of 9 cottages and 30 Certificates (of which 6 were final) in favour of contractors for building amounting to £597.10.3 which were

Ordered / To be paid -

Letter from the L. & B. No L10676 dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Oct: 1909 referring to previous correspondence relative to the Arbitration proceedings in connection with the carrying out of "The Pallinasloe No 1 Rural District Labourers (the approved) Order and forwarding a copy of the Certificate which the Board have made as to the amount of the costs, charges and expenses payable by the Council in respect of the Arbitration. A Paying Order for the amount £420 & 3 should be forwarded to the Board

The Council desire to point out that this sum of £12.8.3 was paid, and refer the Board to their letter No 109810 dated the 10<sup>th</sup> September 1909 entered on the minutes of the 25<sup>th</sup> ultimo

Plots 35 and 38 Order of 1904

It was Ordered / To advise for Contractors to build a stone fence across the Boundary of these plots as stipulated by the owner in his consent. Tenors to be considered on the 13<sup>th</sup> November next.

Regulations with respect to the letting of Labourers Cottages and Allotments

The Council, pursuant to Notice to each member, had under consideration the above question when after a short discussion the Draft Regulations forwarded by the L. & B. on the 23<sup>rd</sup> ultimo were unanimously adopted, <sup>provisionally</sup> a copy of which is herewith enclosed for the Board's information

The application of a Labourer, named Pat<sup>r</sup>. Madden, for permission to cut a tree on the fence overhanging his cottage at Laurencetown was referred to Mr de Kerque Councillor for the District to see after the matter -

It was Ordered / That Mr Hayden, the Council's



Solicitor be instructed to take the necessary steps to acquire a quarry on the Lawrence Estate for materials to build Labourers Cottages at Dooras.

Letters from Labourers relating to the fencing of their plots and the area of same were <sup>referred</sup> to the Council's Engineer, and the question of determining the area of John Birmingham's plot at Kill No 44 was referred to an independent Surveyor for measurement whoever is in fault to pay the expenses -

Patrick Larkin

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on Saturday the 13<sup>th</sup> day of November 1909

(Signed) P. Larkin  
Clerk of the Council

Administrative County of Galway.

Ballinasloe Rural District—No. 1.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Quarterly Meeting of the Ballinasloe (No. 1) Rural District Council held at the Board Room, Union Workhouse, on Saturday the 13<sup>th</sup> day of November 1909.

Number of Members on the Council, 41. Number of Members present 20.

In the Chair,

Patrick Larkin.

Other Councillors:—Messrs.—

- M. Monahan, T. Connolly, J. Adams.
- M. Boglelan, Peter Larkin, T. Blunn, Pat Whelan
- John Whymms, M. Whymms, J. Hoban, T. Kelly
- R. W. Finney, James Lynch, John Kelly
- M. Keraghty, M. Loughrane, M. Ryan.
- J. Monahan, M. Ryan, J. Maaden.

James Hardiman A.C.S. also present.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

FORM 26.]  
Article 49.

**FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

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

**Ballinasloe No. 1 Rural District.**

Meeting held the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 190\_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

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

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

.....190.....

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ... ..						
Total Sums received to close of last month ... ..						
<b>Total</b> ... ..						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ... ..						
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting ... ..						
<b>Total</b> ... ..						
Net Balance due.....Treasurer (being difference of above Totals) ... ..						
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
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 the entries made therein, and authenticated the same by his signature:—

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



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

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

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

*Circular Letter from the L.G.B. No 114 of 1909 dated 27<sup>th</sup> October 1909 forwarding a memorandum of instructions as to the method of vouching Monies received during financial periods*

Galway County Council.  
Secretary's Office.  
Courthouse.  
Galway.

12th November, 1909.

Sir,

Referring to your Council's resolution on the subject of the recommendations of the County Surveyor, I am directed to inform you for the information of the District Council that the County Surveyor has full power to "Strike off" without first "Deferring", and that it is his duty to do so where, in his opinion, the circumstances justify such a course.

I am also to express the regret of the County Council that owing to the action of the District Council in neglecting to make proposals for payment on Form 22, the Contractors whose payments were certified by the County Surveyor cannot now be paid by the County Council.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant

W. G. Seymour

Secretary.

The Clerk of the Rural  
District Council, Ballinasloe.

The Council, pursuant to advertisement, had before them two tenders for the following work

To Keep in Repair for 4½ years, from 1st January, 1910, 775 perches of the District Road from Aughrim to Lawrencetown, between Attibrail three Roads and Carrowkeel Cross Roads. Cost not to exceed £19 7s. 6d. per year.

Bernard Madden at £18. 10. 0 a year.

✓ John Barry at £13. 15. 0 do

The Council accepted the tender of John Barry at £13. 15. 0 a year.

Mr Finney Proposed and

Mr Hoban seconded and

Resolved

✓ That the County Council be asked to allow the County Surveyor to make out a new Specification for the completion of the Esker Road so as to enable this Council to get the Road made with the available money.

**Ballinasloe Rural District—No. 1.**

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

**PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.**

(41 & 42 VIC., CAP. 52, &c.)

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NUMBER OF MEMBERS ON THE COUNCIL, 41.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS PRESENT \_\_\_\_\_

IN THE CHAIR:—

OTHER COUNCILLORS PRESENT:—

*Same as front page.*

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

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

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

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

Destruction witnessed by

Sanitary Sub-Officer.

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Council, viz.:-

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
		£	s.	d.

and the "Treasurer's Advice Note for making payments" for the respective amounts was duly signed.

Letter from Mr. L. & Co. No 129625 dated 28<sup>th</sup> October 1909 referring to the minutes of the 23<sup>rd</sup> with and forwarding applications in which they request to be furnished with particulars in relation to the Gortunavulagh Water Supply. The Return has been furnished.

Mr. Egan, M.O.H. Killaon, D.D. reported that a gullch across the Public Road at his house from which Lally's street is blocked up and floods Lally's yard and is dangerous to the Public health.

Ordered / To be referred to the County Surveyor.

### Killbormer Pump.

The Clerk reported that he had sent for analysis a sample of water taken from the Killbormer Pump to Sir Chas Cameron who, in his report, says.

"A rather large number of  
"micro-organisms present.  
" This is a very inferior water  
" barely usable. Its source  
" should be looked to with the  
" view of preventing impure  
" matter getting into the water."

Referred to the  
Chairman

The Council, pursuant to Advertisement, had before them two tenders for keeping the 15 Public Pumps in the District in repair and working for one year, namely:-

Patk. McDonald, Derrymullen £ 18. 10. 0

Chas. Murray, Ballinastoe £ 14. 5. 0

The Council accepted the Murray's tender at £ 14. 5. 0

Ordered / That Mr. Finney get the Clonfert Pump flagging and channels and Mr. Kelly get the Ballymaeword Pump flagging and channels repaired at a cost not to exceed £1 in each case.

S.S.O.



S. S. O'Malley wrote stating in reply to the Council's minute of the 23rd ultimo that he regularly visits the several townlands comprising that portion of his District in N. W. Rural District and found nothing to which he could call the Medical Officer's attention except 2 houses which had tair down.

SANITARY REPORTS

(1) From the Medical Officers of Health. (2) Sanitary Sub-Officers.

(1). Premises reported as Unsanitary by reason of want of Cleaning and Lime washing (sec. 107 (1)).

District	Name of Officer Reporting	Name and Residence of Occupier where complaint arises	Particulars of Complaint	Order of Council on Report
Ahascragh ✓	J. Balleghon	M <sup>c</sup> . Mitchell Err all on gh	House requires limewashing	The usual notice to be served.

(2) Premises reported as Unsanitary by reason of accumulation or deposit of Manure heaps and Cesspools, Drains, Ashpits, Privies, &c. (sec. 107 (2) (4)).

District	Name of Officer Reporting	Name and Residence of Occupier where complaint arises	Particulars of Complaint	Order of Council on Report
Kilkeeran	St. Ryan			

(3). Premises reported as Unsanitary by reason of housing any Animal therein (sec. 107 (3)).

District	Name of Officer Reporting	Name and Residence of Occupier where complaint arises	Particulars of Complaint	Order of Council on Report

(4) Premises reported as unfit for habitation by reason of dilapidation and over-crowding (sec 107 (5)).

District	Name of Officer Reporting	Name and Residence of Occupier where complaint arises	Particulars of Complaint	Order of Council on Report

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.

(46 & 47 Vic., cap. 60, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Rural District Council, acting as the Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of Nov. 1909.

PRESENT—In the Chair,  
Other Councillors: Same as front Page.

<p>The Clerk reports that Patrick Keon, tenant of Somagh Cottage and Plot No. 13, having surrendered his tenancy on the 26<sup>th</sup> ultimo, he set the cottage to Patrick Donohoe on 29<sup>th</sup> October at the same rent.</p>	<p>Approved of</p>
<p>Letter from the L. G. B. No. 129482 dated 26<sup>th</sup> October 1909 acknowledging the receipt of paying Order for £4.4.0 amount of Audit fees.</p>	
<p>Letter from the Barnwell Crofton, L. G. Inspector, No. 16398/12 dated 29<sup>th</sup> October 1909 forwarding 60 copies of "The Ballinasloe No. 1 Rural District Labourers Order 1909"</p> <p>The Clerk stated a copy of the Order had been served on the several persons interested</p>	
<p>Letter from the L. G. B. No. 14155/12 dated 4<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1909 acknowledging the receipt of the Clerk's Certificate (Form 39) in relation to the service on the persons interested of copies of "The Ballinasloe No. 1 Rural District Labourers Order 1909"</p>	

Letter from The L. & B. No. 16513/12 dated the 27<sup>th</sup> October 1909 stating that they will recommend the Irish Land Commission to issue to the Council a further instalment of £2000 out of the Loan of £20850 granted to them under the Labours Acts.

The Clerk states that the amount was received on the 5<sup>th</sup> inst.

Tenang Plots Nos 35 and 38.

The Council pursuant to advertisement had before them 2 tenders for fencing the above plots with a stone wall, as stipulated by the owner in his

consent, namely:-

Pat<sup>r</sup>. Whyne £1. 19. 4 per Irish perch.

John Walsh £1. 4. 0 do do

The Council accepted the tender of John Walsh at £1. 4. 0 per Irish perch.

Ordered That Mr Kempster's attention be called to the slowness of the work by the Contractors for building Labourers Cottages. And he asked to have the contracts completed -

The Application of Lawrence Garvey and Mr. Frederick Building Contractors for permission to get sand in the plots at Killooran and Springfield was granted they to re. fill the pit to Mr Kempster's satisfaction

Patrick Larkin

Administrative County of Galway.

Ballinasloe Rural District—No. 1.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Monthly Meeting of the Ballinasloe

(No. 1) Rural District Council held at the Board Room, Union Workhouse,

on Saturday the 27. day of November 1909

Number of Members on the Council, 41. Number of Members present 14

In the Chair,

Pat. Larkin.

Other Councillors:—Messrs.—

J. J. Hoban. W. Dowling. Jno Whyman. P. W. Finney. Pat. Whelan. J. Frangley. Peter Larkin. Tho. Mitchell. W. Loughran. E. B. Hoban. W. Ryan. W. Donnelly. M. Flaherty.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on Saturday the 27<sup>th</sup> day of November 1909

(Signed)

P. Finney  
Clerk of the Council

FORM 26.]  
Article 49.

**FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

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

**Ballinasloe No. 1 Rural District.**

Meeting held the 27<sup>th</sup> day of November 1909.

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

Table (a)	Amount		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council:—			
General Charges ... ..	92	.	.
Separate Charges ... ..			
Labourers' Cottage Rents ... ..	24	16	10
Small Dwellings Act ... ..			
Burial Fees ... ..			
Water Rents ... ..			
Other Receipts:—			
General Charges ... ..	3	2	6
Separate Charges ... ..			
Interest allowed by Treasurer:—			
On Revenue Account ... ..			
On Loans ... ..			
Total Revenue Receipts ... ..	119	19	4
Loans received, viz.:—			
<u>Labourers Act</u> .....	2000	"	"
.....			
.....			
Total, as above, lodged with Treasurer ... ..	2119	19	4

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



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

Table (b.)	Amount		
	£	s.	d.
<b>Salaries:—</b>			
General Charges ... ..	10	9	4
Separate Charges ... ..			
Office Expenses ... ..	1	.	4
Burial Grounds Expenses ... ..			
<b>Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges:—</b>			
Repairs ... ..			
Law and Engineering ... ..			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses ... ..	4	16	0
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act ... ..			
<b>Sanitary Expenses:—</b>			
General Charges ... ..	4	12	6
Separate Charges ... ..			
Superannuation ... ..			
<b>Repayment of Loans:—</b>			
General Charges ... ..			
Separate Charges ... ..	247	8	7
<b>Expenses of Local Committees:—</b>			
General Charges ... ..			
Separate Charges ... ..			
<b>Expenses under Special Acts:—</b>			
General Charges ... ..			
Separate Charges ... ..			
<b>Elections, Law, and other Expenses:—</b>			
General Charges ... ..			
Separate Charges ... ..			
Intercepting Hospital ... ..			
<b>Total Revenue Payments</b> ..	268	6	9
<b>Expenditure out of Loans, viz:—</b>			
<i>Labourers Acts</i> ..	505	10	10
.....			
<b>Total Amount of Orders authorised to be issued</b> ...	773	14	7

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

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

*November* 190*9*.

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ... ..	44	14	10			
Total Sums received to close of last month ... ..	119	19	4	2000	.	.
<b>Total</b> ... ..	164	14	2	2000	"	"
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ... ..				1120	1	6
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting ... ..	268	6	9	505	10	10
<b>Total</b> ... ..	268	6	9	1625	12	4
Net Balance due <i>To</i> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals) <i>By</i> ... ..	103	12	7	"	"	"
	"	"	"	374	7	8
	103	12	7	374	7	8
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
Balance per Bank Book due <i>By</i> Treasurer ... ..	156	3	8	639	18	8
Outstanding Orders ... ..	259	16	3	265	11	0
Net Balance as above due <i>To</i> Treasurer <i>By</i> ... ..	103	12	7	"	"	"
	"	"	"	374	7	8

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

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







Ballinasloe Rural District—No. 1.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 VIC., CAP. 52, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Ballinasloe (No. 1) Rural District Council, acting as the Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held at the Board Room, Union Workhouse, on the 27. day of November 1909

NUMBER OF MEMBERS ON THE COUNCIL, 41.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS PRESENT \_\_\_\_\_

IN THE CHAIR :—

OTHER COUNCILLORS PRESENT :—

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

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

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

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

Destruction witnessed by

Sanitary Sub-Officer.

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Council, viz:—

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
		£	s.	d.

and the "Treasurer's Advice Note for making payments" for the respective amounts was duly signed.

The Clerk submitted a Sealed Order from Mch. G.B. No 131424/1909 dated 11<sup>th</sup> November 1909 fixing the Kiltormer Dispensary District as the Area of Charge for the supply of water at Gortenaurela

Letter from Mch. G.B. No 131424 dated 19<sup>th</sup> November 1909 referring to previous correspondence and enclosing a form in which application may be made by the Council for sanction to the loan required for the purpose of providing a water supply for Gortenaurela

### Kiltormer Pump.

Letter from Mch. G.B. No 138662 dated 19<sup>th</sup> November 1909 referring to the entry on the subject contained in the minutes of the 13<sup>th</sup> inst; and stating that, in view of the unsatisfactory nature of the Analyst's report in regard to the sample of water from Kiltormer Pump, the Council would do well to obtain a report from the Medical Officer of Health, as to the further action necessary on the part of the Sanitary Authority

Ordered  
That Dr. Gavin be asked to furnish a report in this matter.

### Killalaghtlan Burial Ground

The Caretaker reported that trespass takes place in this Burial Ground owing to the defective state of the Boundary Wall. The entrance gate is also too narrow, and in need of a strong bolt

The Caretaker to repair the Boundary Wall and Mr. Flaherty to get a bolt for the gate

Dr. Rutherford. Ballinastock notified the occurrence of a case of diphtheria at W. Hayes at Moah near Anghrim

S. S. O'Brien to visit this place and report on the sanitary state of the surroundings

Letter from The L. C. B. No 135675 dated 22. Nov. 1909 stating that they observe from the Return, Form L, furnished by the U.O.S.H. Ballinacloe Disp. Dist. for the half year ended the 30<sup>th</sup> September last, that S. S. Os. Began and Connor made no reports to Dr. Rossiter, U.O.S.H. during the half year; and requesting that the Council will be good enough to call upon these S. S. Os for written explanations as to their neglect of duty in this respect.

Letter from The L. C. B. No 135675 dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov. 1909 stating that they have had before them the Returns, Form L, furnished by the U.O.S.H. of the several Dispensary Districts for the half year ended the 30<sup>th</sup> September last; and forwarding Extracts therefrom for the consideration of the Council.

Ahascragh D.D.

A pump is required in the vicinity of the Schoolhouse at Eglisk.

The sewerage of Ahascragh is defective

Manure heaps are kept too close to residences

Killaan D.D.

The nuisances reported have not yet

Ordered

That S. S. Os Began and Connor be asked to furnish written explanations as requested by the Board.

Adjourned to March 1910.

Read.

Referred to S. S. O.

Referred to S. S. O.

been abated

✓ The manure heaps in the district constitute a nuisance

Lawrencetown D.D.

The nuisances reported have been only partly abated

✓ The pump at Oghulbeg is not yet complete

The water supply is bad at Ballymana.

The sewerage is defective at Lawrencetown.

Manure heaps are kept near dwelling houses

✓ The dairies, cowsheds and milkshops of the District are not registered

The Common Lodging houses of the District are not registered

The several S. S. Os sent in their monthly reports on their respective Districts which they stated were in satisfactory condition and free from infectious disease as far as they were aware. Any cases requiring attention were brought under the notice of the Medical Officers of Health.

Referred to S. S. O.

Referred to S. S. O.

Dr. Kempster reported that nothing can be done at present as the inflow of water is too great.

Adjourned to March 1910.

Read

Referred to S. S. O.

Referred to Mr. Egan Inspector of Dairies

Read.

Sairy

Dairy Inspector Report was read as follows:-

I BEG TO REPORT THAT WITHIN THE PAST FEW DAYS I HAVE HAD OCCASION TO FIND FAULT WITH THE APPEARANCES OF SOME COWS IN THE RURAL DISTRICT THOROUGH CLEANLINESS NOT HAVING BEEN OBSERVED, I HAVE CAUTIONED THE OWNERS IN EVERY CASE AND I HOPE FOR BETTER RESULTS IN THE FUTURE. I AM ALSO TO STATE THAT JOHN COLEMAN OF CREGGANE REGISTERED THREE COWS ON THE 20th. MAY, 1908 AND ON THE 10th. DECEMBER LAST HE GAVE ME NOTICE THAT HE HAD CEASED TO SELL MILK, AND AT HIS REQUEST HIS NAMED WAS REMOVED FROM THE REGISTER, I HAVE SINCE LEARNED THAT HE HAS BEEN SELLING MILK ALL THE TIME AND UP TO THE PRESENT AND HAS BEEN EVIDENTLY EVADING THE PROVISIONS OF THE COWSHEDS ORDER, AS HIS PREMISES ARE NOT UP TO THE STANDARD REQUIRED I ALSO BEG TO STATE THAT MARTIN JENNINGS OF KILCLONNEY HAS NEGLECTED TO PROVIDE A PROPERLY CONSTRUCTED CHANNEL IN HIS COWSHED ALTHOUGH I HAVE REPEATEDLY CAUTIONED HIM REGARDING IT.

THE LIMEWASHING OF THE COWSHEDS HAS BEEN ATTENDED TO AND THE COWS ARE IN A HEALTHY CONDITION.

JOHN EGAN.

Inspector.

27th. NOVEMBER. 1909.

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Orderd that the clerk communicate with Mr Coleman relative to registering his Dairy

The letters of Messrs Wm Hynds and Mr. Lyons relative to the state of the flagging around the Pump

✓ Pump at Creggan was referred to the local Councilors for a report.

✓ The letters of the Pump Contractor relative to the state of the Pump at Aughrim which sucks up gravel when being used was referred to Mr. Dempster for a report.



SANITARY REPORTS

(1) From the Medical Officers of Health.

(i). Premises reported as Unsanitary by reason of want of cleaning and drainage (sec. 107 (2) (1)).

District	Name of Officer Reporting	Name and Residence of Occupier where complaint arises

(2). Premises reported as Unsanitary by reason of accumulation of refuse, Cesspools, Drains, Ashpits, Privies, &c. (sec. 107 (2) (4)).

District	Name of Officer Reporting	Name and Residence of Occupier where complaint arises

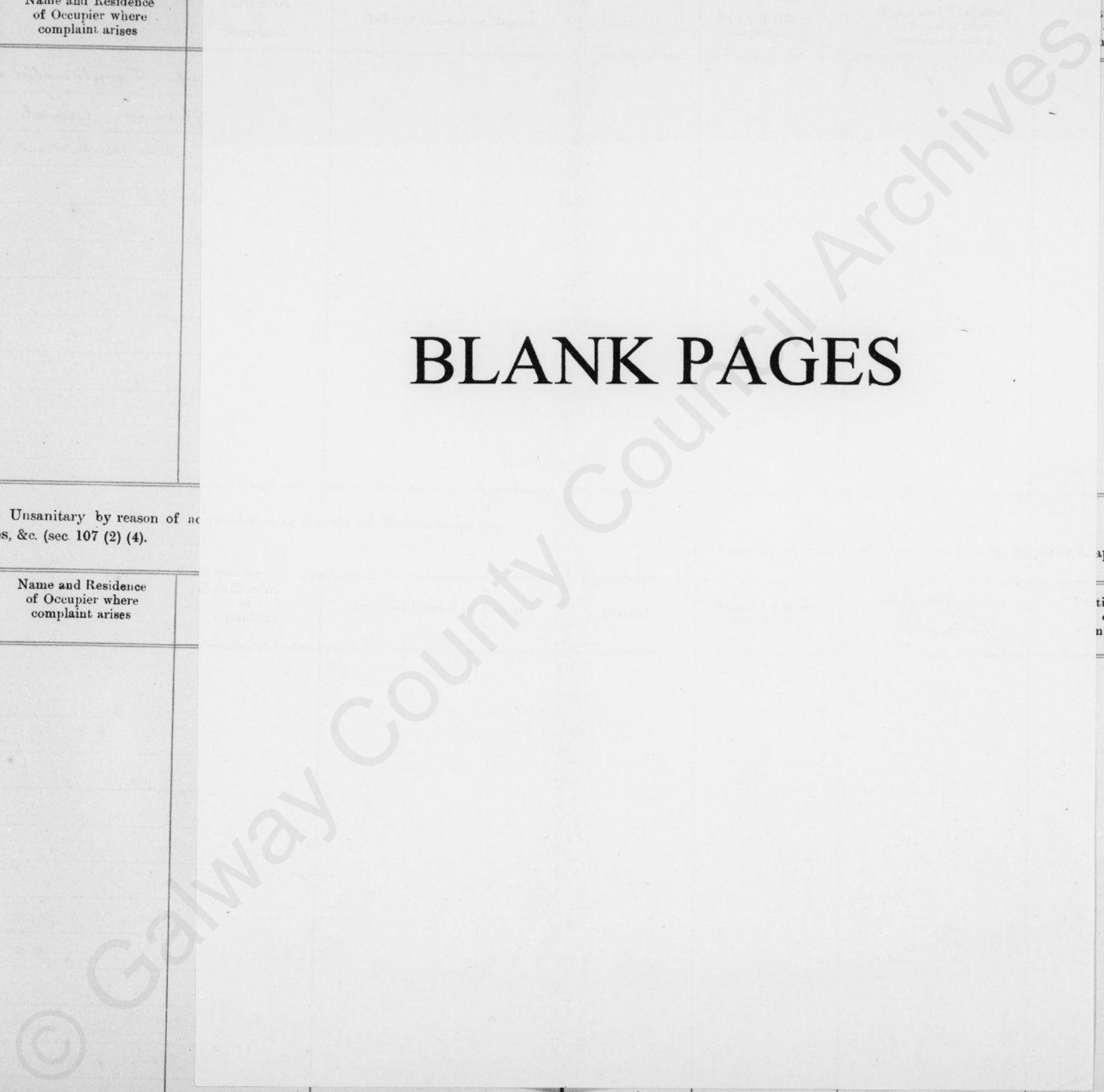
any Animal therein (sec. 107 (3)).

Particulars of Complaint	Order of Council on Report

rapidation and over-crowding (sec 107 (5)).

Particulars of Complaint	Order of Council on Report

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

From	Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Orders of Council thereon

**Ballinasloe Rural District—No. 1.**

**LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.**

(46 & 47 Vic., cap. 60, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Rural District Council, acting as the Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on the 27 day of Novr. 1909.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Councillors:

Regulations under Labourers  
Acts

Letter from the L.G.B. No. 16804 dated 19<sup>th</sup> November 1909 stating that they have had before them the draft Regulations made by the Council under Section 29 of the Labourers Act 1906; and requesting that the Council will be good enough to re-consider the Schedule of Rents contained in these Regulations. The proposed difference of six pence a week rent between cottages with acre plots and those with half-acre plots does not appear to be warranted and the charge of six pence for half-acre additional allotments is excessive — and returning the draft Regulations

The Council beg to inform the L.G.B. that in their opinion nothing less than the rents fixed in the Schedule would recoup the expenses in connection with the cottages erected under No. 9 Scheme, and accordingly asks the Board's approval of the draft Regulations—

N<sup>o</sup> 9 Scheme Plot N<sup>o</sup> 49. Derradda.

Mr Hayden the Council's solicitor wrote under date 19<sup>th</sup> November 1909 enclosing copy of a letter from Mr Mulcair Quidin for Mr Perse in which he states that he is informed that the Council are attempting to abandon the purchase of the plot a Derradda, informing Mr Hayden that his client will not assent to this proposal after being put to cost, and will insist on plot being taken at price made in the Arbitration award, and adding that something similar was attempted by another District Council and frustrated by the Owners.

The Clerk reported that the laborer Patrick Sike for whom the Council provided a cottage at Athiragon having declined to take up possession he let the cottage to Mrs. Madden subject to the Council's approval

John Calligy tenant of the Laborer's Cottage at Killoney wrote complaining that the chimney smokes which renders the house uncomfortable and asking the Council to have it put right

Referred to the local Councilors for a report.

Approved of

Referred to Mr Kempster for a report

Mr Kempster, the Council's Engineer sent in completion certificates in respect of 8 cottages and 28 certificates (of which 5 were final in favour of contractors for building amounting to £495.10.10 which were ordered to be paid

James Kenyon, Labourer, tenant of Plot 206 at Oghelmore wrote complaining that the sand pit on his plot opened by the contractor for building purposes has not been closed in

Referred to Mr Kempster with instructions not to issue Final Certificate until the Contractor does in the pit

The Council accepted Mrs. Jolly as tenant of the Cottage N<sup>o</sup> 200 Blackstocks in room of Mrs. Kelly who declined to take up possession

The application of the Clerk for a further payment of £10 on account for his services in connection with N<sup>o</sup> 9 Improvement Scheme was unanimously granted subject to the approval of the C. & B.

No action was taken on the letter of Michael Kelly tenant of the cottage at Carronua complaining that the windows and outside door of his cottage are in bad repair

No action was taken on Mr Kempster's letter in reply to the Council's minute of the 13<sup>th</sup> inst and as to the slowness of the work by building Contractor. He regrets that the statement as

The slowness of the work is true, as the Council are, no doubt, aware amongst all the Contractors hardly any have any capital consequently when a Contractor gets a Contract for several cottages he is only able to build one at a time instead of carrying them all on simultaneously, also frequently on account of the scarcity of tradesmen a Contractor has to wait until a mason or slater has finished work on another building before he can obtain his services. He enclosed a list showing the penalties contractors are liable for those cottages which should have been finished by 31. May last.

A letter from Mr Hayden, the Council's Solicitor enclosing a copy of a communication from Messrs Blake and Kenny Solicitors relative to plots on Mr Daly's estate at Corranuna was referred to the local Councillors for a report.

No action was taken on Mr Lambert's letter offering alternative sites in the cases of Nos. 37, 40 and 52 in No. 10 scheme authorised by "The Ballinasloe No. 1 Rural District Labourers Order 1909".

Patrick Larkin

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on Saturday the 18<sup>th</sup>  
day of December 1909

(Signed)

P. Larkin  
Clerk of the Council

Administrative County of Galway.

**Ballinasloe Rural District—No. 1.**

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Monthly Meeting of the Ballinasloe  
(No. 1) Rural District Council held at the Board Room, Union Workhouse,  
on Saturday the 18<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1909.

Number of Members on the Council, 41. Number of Members present 10.

In the Chair,

Patrick Larkin,

Other Councillors:—Messrs.—

Mr. Keraghty, W. E. Dowling, Mr. Blaherty,

Mr. Carty, Peter Larkin, Mrs. Glenn, Mr. Whymso,

Mr. Donnelly, Tom Mitchell.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

The Clerk stated that he regretted to report the death, since last meeting of Mr. Edward Colohan, one of the Elected Members for Lismenny Electoral Division

Proposed by Mr. W. E. DOWLING,

Seconded by Mr. MICHAEL CARTY, and unanimously,

RESOLVED/- "THAT WE, THE MEMBERS OF THE BALLINASLOE No. 1 RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL DO EXPRESS OUR SINCERE REGRET AT THE SAD DEATH OF OUR ESTEEMED COMRADE Mr. EDWARD COLOHAN, AN OLD AND HIGHLY RESPECTED MEMBER OF THIS COUNCIL, AND WE BEG TO TENDER TO HIS BEREAVED RELATIVES AND FRIENDS OUR HEARTFELT SYMPATHY AT THEIR GREAT LOSS THEY HAVE SUSTAINED."

Proposed by Mr. PATRICK LARKIN,

Seconded by Mr. MICHAEL GERAGHTY, and unanimously

RESOLVED/- "THAT WE, THE MEMBERS OF THE BALLINASLOE RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL DESIRE TO EXPRESS OUR DEEP SYMPATHY WITH OUR RESPECTED COLLEAGUE Mr. JOHN MADDEN ON THE DEATH OF HIS DAUGHTER Mrs. JOHN HOGAN."

The Clerk laid before the Council a Notice of Application for compensation for Criminal Injury served on him on behalf of the Rev Joseph Fahey for the burning of Killalaghtan School. The amount being £40.

Referred to the Council's solicitor

FORM 26.]  
Article 49.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

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

Ballinasloe No. 1 Rural District.

Meeting held the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 190\_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

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

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

.....190.....

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ... ..						
Total Sums received to close of last month ... ..						
<b>Total</b> ... ..						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ... ..						
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting ... ..						
<b>Total</b> ... ..						
Net Balance due.....Treasurer (being difference of above Totals) ... ..						
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
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 the entries made therein, and authenticated the same by his signature :—

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







✓ Convention for the selection of Parliamentary  
 Candidates, namely Messrs Pat<sup>r</sup>. Larkin, M<sup>r</sup>. G. O'Connell,  
 M<sup>r</sup>. Glynn, and M<sup>r</sup>. O'arty

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**Ballinasloe Rural District—No. 1.**

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

**PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.**

(41 &amp; 42 VIC., CAP. 52, &amp;c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Ballinasloe (No. 1) Rural District Council, acting as the Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held at the Board Room, Union Workhouse, on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of Decr. 1909.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS ON THE COUNCIL, 41.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS PRESENT \_\_\_\_\_

IN THE CHAIR:—

OTHER COUNCILLORS PRESENT:—

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

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

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

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

Destruction witnessed by

Sanitary Sub-Officer.

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Council, viz.:-

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
		£	s.	d.

and the "Treasurer's Advice Note for making payments" for the respective amounts was duly signed.

Referring to the Letter of the L. G. B. No 135675 dated the 22nd November 1909 entered on the Minutes of the 27th ultimo R. O. Began and former wrote in reply stating that the reasons they made no reports to S. Rossiter M.P. during the Half Year ended the 30th September last, was that nothing came under their observation requiring the M. O.'s attention.

Letter from the L. G. B. No 144763 dated 3rd December 1909 stating that they have received the minutes of the 27th ultimo containing an entry of the Board's letter of the 22nd ultimo forwarded to the Medical Officers' Form L. Returns for the Half Year ended the 30th September last and with reference to the orders made thereon asking the Council to direct the S. S. O. concerned to furnish reports, showing the result of the action taken by them in pursuance of the Council's directions for the abatement of nuisances caused by manure heaps being permitted to remain in proximity of dwellings

Ordered That the several S. S. O. be called upon to furnish reports to next meeting of the Council as to the action taken by them in regard to manure heaps being allowed to close to dwellings

Letter from the L. G. B. No 144763 dated 3. Dec. 1909 stating that they observe in the minutes of the 27th ultimo an entry of a report from the Dairy Inspector, relative to the condition of the Cowshed etc inspected by him, in which he states that Mr John Coleman of Oregone has notified to him

That being a poor man the Council do not wish to prosecute him but direct the Clerk to write and warn him against any future infringement of the Order.

that he had ceased to sell milk, but that he has since learned that Mr Coleman had continued the sale of milk in spite of his declaration; and in reference thereto the Board desire to state that the Council would do well to consider the advisability of instituting legal proceedings against Mr Coleman as his action on the facts stated in the Minutes under reply, appears to have been an evasion of the requirements contained in Article 1 (3) of the General Dairies etc Order of 1908.

D. Gavin, M.O.H. Kiltormer Dispensary District writes in reply to the Council's minute of the 24<sup>th</sup> ult. on the subject that nobody has complained to him about the water from Kiltormer pump, but it is natural it should be somewhat discoloured this time of the year. There is no manure heap or nuisance near the pump, but it may be that some people washing out dirty <sup>buckets</sup> to have thrown the slops down the sink provided for the waste, and some ~~matter~~ may have got down between the flags. The matter would be remedied by properly cementing the spaces between the flags otherwise the whole thing ought to be cleaned out and see if there is any defect on the inside. The Kiltormer people always get their drinking water from a spring well about 50 yds away. The Council do not

consider the Report of D. Gavin satisfactory and the Clerk was decided to further communicate with him on the matter

### Kiltoran Rural Ground.

Letter from Mr E. J. Kelly, Dist Land Commission dated 9<sup>th</sup> December 1909 stating that the Estates Commissioners propose to sell 1a. or 22 $\frac{1}{2}$  of the townland of Kiltoran - Sir Henry Parkes Estate - to the Council for the purpose of a graveyard for a payment in cash of £30: enclosing the usual form of undertaking to purchase for the use of the Council; and stating that he will be on the lands (on a date of which he will give notice) and some person should be authorised to take over possession on behalf of the Council

The Council unanimously agreed to pay £30 for the Plot and directed that a Pay Order for the amount be prepared, and that the Clerk take over possession on behalf of the Council

Dairy Inspector's Report.

BALLINASLOE

17th. December, 1908.

Dear Sir,

In reference to your letter of the 29th. ultimo in regard to an extract from a report sent by Dr. Fair to the L. G. Board in which he appears to have stated that "The Dairies Cowsheds and Milkshops of Lawrencetown are not registered", I am to state that on the 20th. August 1908 the following Cowkeepers in Lawrencetown registered in accordance with the provisions of the Cowsheds Order.

Mrs. Kate Connolly, Mr. John MacLoughlin, Mr. John Connolly, Mrs. O'Connor Mrs. Staunton, number of cows 15.

Mrs O'Connor and Mrs. Staunton have ceased to sell milk and I am not aware of any other milk seller in the Lawrencetown District.

I regret to have to report that I have found no improvement in the premises of Martin Jennings of Kilclooney, I have found his Cows in a dirty condition and he has not constructed the floor so as to allow of the maintenance of necessary cleaning.

He has made me promises of improvement from time to time without effect.

I have also found some other premises in the Kilclooney District in an unsanitary condition, but I expect improvement.

The cows of the District are free from disease.

Yours Faithfully,

J. EGAN.

Inspector.

The Council considered the report satisfactory and decided the Clerk to write to Mr. Jennings relative to the condition of his premises

Reports from the following Sanitary sub-Officers were read.

S. S. O'Brien that his district was in a sanitary condition and free from infectious disease. He disinfected the Howes house at Galtra. The

drain at Howes house requires to be cleaned and covered in as it is unsanitary and dangerous to health

S. S. O. Connolly that his portion of the District is clean and healthy nothing come under his notice

requiring attention

S. S. O. Connor that his district is in a sanitary state and free from infectious disease. The Schools are also clean and healthy. The Grave yard at Clontarf is in a bad state owing to rabbits

burrowing and rooting up the grass. They should be destroyed as people are complaining

Ordered that notice be served on Mr Howes to clean this drain

Approved of

Ordered that S. S. O Connor destroy the rabbits and that he be allowed £1 for the work. The rabbits to be sold and the proceeds to go to the Credit of the Council

**SANITARY REPORTS**

(1) From the Medical Officers of Health. (2) Sanitary Sub-Officers.

(1). Premises reported as Unsanitary by reason of want of Cleaning and Lime washing (sec. 107 (1)).

District	Name of Officer Reporting	Name and Residence of Occupier where complaint arises	Particulars of Complaint	Order of Council on Report

(2) Premises reported as Unsanitary by reason of accumulation or deposit of Manure heaps and Cesspools, Drains, Ashpits, Privies, &c. (sec. 107 (2) (4)).

District	Name of Officer Reporting	Name and Residence of Occupier where complaint arises	Particulars of Complaint	Order of Council on Report
Killorner	D. Gavin	Mrs. Harrahan, Eskerboy; Mch <sup>e</sup> Sellors, Kille; and Mrs. Kelly, Kille	Premises in an unsanitary state owing to manure heaps and houses require to be limewashed	The usual notices to be served in these cases.

(3) Premises reported as Unsanitary by reason of housing any Animal therein (sec. 107 (3)).

District	Name of Officer Reporting	Name and Residence of Occupier where complaint arises	Particulars of Complaint	Order of Council on Report

(4) Premises reported as unfit for habitation by reason of dilapidation and over-crowding (sec. 107 (5)).

District	Name of Officer Reporting	Name and Residence of Occupier where complaint arises	Particulars of Complaint	Order of Council on Report







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

From	Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Orders of Council thereon

**Ballinasloe Rural District—No. 1.**

**LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS.**

(46 & 47 Vic., cap. 60, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Rural District Council, acting as the Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of Decr. 1909.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

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Other Councillors:

✓ Letter from the Local Government Board no. L. 18885/12: 1909 dated 7<sup>th</sup> Decr. 1909 stating they have sanctioned the proposal of the Ballinasloe No. 1 R.D. Council of the 24<sup>th</sup> ultimo to pay their Clerk a further instalment of £10 in respect of his services in connection with the Improvement Scheme authorised under "the Ballinasloe No. 1 Rural District Labourers (unopposed) Order, 1904" and "the Ballinasloe No. 1 Rural District (opposed) Order, 1907"

✓ Letter from the Local Government Board no. L. 13169/12: 09. dated 8<sup>th</sup> Decr. 1909 forwarding a copy of a report of their Inspector Mr. Barnwell Crofton relative to the Houses proved to be unfit for human habitation at the Local Inquiry recently held into the improvement scheme made by the Council under the Labourers Acts, and calling attention of the Council to the provisions of Section 14 of the Act of 1885 as to the procedure to be observed by them in the matter.

✓ Letter from the L. G.B. no. 17155/12 dated 9<sup>th</sup> Decr 1909 referring to previous

Correspondence on the subject and requesting to be informed whether the number of petitions presented to the County Court against portions of "The Ballinastle No. 1 Rural District Labourers Order 1909" is seven.

The Clerk stated that he informed the Board that the number was seven.

The Clerk stated that 7 petitions had been lodged against "The Ballinastle No. 1 Rural District Labourers Order 1909" and as the cases will come on for hearing at Longhena on the 29<sup>th</sup> inst he summoned the Council to consider the question. The petitions were as follows:-

Reference Number of Plot.	Townland.	Name of Petitioner.
11 ...	Lisbeg	Capt. A. B. Pollok.
15 ...	Corraneena	William Daly
27 ...	Lowville	H. J. Bourns.
31 ...	Derreen	W. Worthington Eyre.
37 ...	Kylemore	Capt. A. B. Pollok.
40 ...	Oghilmore	do
52 ...	Barnaboy	do

Letters from Labourers were read as follows:-

Plot No. 35. From Patrick Coffey complaining that the contractor for building the wall across his plot had not yet commenced the work, and he wants to make arrangements for the spring work.

Referred to the Council's order to take proceedings if the work is not commenced at once.

Plot No. 43. From Mrs. Kenna surrendering possession of this plot as the death of his father prevents him holding it.

On the motion of Mr Dowling it was agreed to give this cottage to Martin Baker of Crosskeagh and the clerk directed to call on the contractor to complete it at once.

\* Plot No. 125. From Patrick Cannon declining to pay rent for this plot as the landlord, Mr. W. Ryan, has the plot stocked and he has derived no benefit from it. There is also an obstruction on the passage leading to the cottage.

The Clerk to inform this man that unless he pays the rent due 17/6 immediate proceedings will be taken for the recovery of the cottage and plot.

Plot No. 133. Cappatagh. From Patrick Treacy, contractor, asking the Council to refund him the penalty of £5 inflicted on him for being behind time in the completion of his contract for building this cottage.

The Council agree to remit the penalty as the man is poor subject to the sanction of the L. J.P. -

As respects the Council's Engineer sent in certificates in favour of contractors for building amounting to £163:14:10 which were ordered to be paid

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On the application of Mr Hayden the Council's Solicitor it was Ordered that the Treasurer be authorised to pay <sup>him</sup> the Pay Over as made payable to the Estates Council for the Plots at Gadergool so as he may keep the sum in the Credit <sup>of the</sup> Ryan Estate in Court.

Plot No 63. Ballynakill.

The Clerk was directed to write to the Engineer relative to the fencing of this Plot

Plot No 43- Derradda. Mr Mitchell, DC. wrote in reply to the Council's minute of the 24<sup>th</sup> inst that the Labourer has abandoned this plot. The soil on some being very thin.

No 91 Blue and 93 Blue. Carranera. Mr Burke, DC. reported that he has seen the Labourers and they are prepared to take the sites offered by Mr Daly. He also approves of the sites.

It was Ordered that Mr Hayden, the Council's Solicitor be authorised to procure six acres of land on the Burke Estate at Killooran for the use of Labourers occupying Council's Cottages in that neighbourhood

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on Saturday the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January 1910

(Signed)

*D. J. Hill*  
Clerk of the Council

Administrative County of Galway.

**Ballinasloe Rural District—No. 1.**

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Quarterly Meeting of the Ballinasloe

(No. 1), Rural District Council held at the Board Room, Union Workhouse, on Saturday the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January 1910.

Number of Members on the Council, 41. Number of Members present 24.

In the Chair,

*Patrick Larkin*

Other Councillors:—Messrs.—

- Robert Donaldson, M. Carty, J. M. Keegan, R. W. Finney, M. Dolan, J. M. Bennett, J. Glenn, M. Whymms, Dom. Mitchell, Peter Larkin, M. Coghlan, M. Hogan, M. Donnelly, M. Flaherty, M. Ryan, J. Madden, J. Monahan, J. Connolly, James J. Hoban, M. Lynch, M. Kenny, Michael Grehan, and M. Loughrane.*

*Patrick Larkin*

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

Read a letter from Mrs Colohan, Blonascragh, acknowledging the receipt of the Council's Resolution of the 18<sup>th</sup> ultimo and thanking the Council for their kind expression of sympathy on the death of her husband and one grand-daughter

It was proposed to place the co-option of a member in room of the late Mr. Edward Colohan on the agenda for the adjourned Quarterly meeting -

Letter from the Auditor Capt Wynne dated 15<sup>th</sup> Jan 1910 confirming his ~~intention~~ intention to audit the accounts of the Council on the 9<sup>th</sup> February next for the half-year ended 30<sup>th</sup> Sept. last.

Galway County Council

FORM 26.]  
Article 49.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

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

**Ballinasloe No. 1 Rural District.**

Meeting held the 22 day of January 1910

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

Table (a)	Amount		
	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council:—			
General Charges ... ..			
Separate Charges ... ..			
Labourers' Cottage Rents ... ..	23	19	2
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 ...	23	19	2
Loans received, viz:—			
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Total, as above, lodged with Treasurer ...	23	19	2

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

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

Table (b.)	Amount		
	£	s.	d.
<b>Salaries:—</b>			
General Charges ... ..	36	4	4
Separate Charges ... ..			
Office Expenses ... ..	7	4	9
Burial Grounds Expenses ... ..	30	15	
<b>Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges:—</b>			
Repairs ... ..			
Law and Engineering ... ..			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses ... ..	6	13	1
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act ... ..			
<b>Sanitary Expenses:—</b>			
General Charges ... ..	1	9	6
Separate Charges ... ..			
Superannuation ... ..			
<b>Repayment of Loans:—</b>			
General Charges ... ..			
Separate Charges ... ..			
<b>Expenses of Local Committees:—</b>			
General Charges ... ..			
Separate Charges ... ..			
<b>Expenses under Special Acts:—</b>			
General Charges ... ..			
Separate Charges ... ..			
<b>Elections, Law, and other Expenses:—</b>			
General Charges ... ..	4	15	
Separate Charges ... ..			
Intercepting Hospital ... ..			
<b>Total Revenue Payments</b> ... ..	<b>87</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>Expenditure out of Loans, viz.:—</b>			
<i>Labourers Acts</i> ... ..	191	17	10
.....			
<b>Total Amount of Orders authorised to be issued</b> ... ..	<b>278</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>6</b>

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 Dec 1909...

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ... ..				374	7	8
Total Sums received to close of last month ... ..	23	19	2			
<b>Total</b> ... ..	<b>23</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>374</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ... ..	103	12	4			
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting ... ..	87	1	8	191	17	10
<b>Total</b> ... ..	<b>190</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>10</b>
Net Balance due.....Treasurer (being difference of above Totals) <i>To</i> By ... ..	166	15	1			
				182	9	10
	166	15	1	182	9	10
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
Balance per Bank Book due..... <i>To</i> Treasurer ... ..	92	18	5	"	"	"
Outstanding Orders ... .. <i>By</i> ... ..	73	16	8	324	11	3
Net Balance as above due..... <i>To</i> Treasurer <i>By</i> ... ..	166	15	1	"	"	"
	"	"	"	182	9	10

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

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





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

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

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

Proposed by Mr. Martin Coughnane,  
Seconded by Mr. Michael Carr, &  
Resolved/

A "That the Ballinasloe District Council hereby  
"call on the County Council to raise the rates with  
"regard to putting out metal for the material of the roads  
"and have 2 items viz 1<sup>st</sup> of Gov. 7 1<sup>st</sup> January 10  
"have the material out on the road side."

B Proposed by Mr. M. Ryan,  
Seconded by Mr. John Mac Dermott, &

Resolved/ "That we, the Ballinasloe no. 1 R.D. Council  
do respectfully ask the County Council to allow the County  
Surveyor to alter the Specification for the Clonfert  
(Butson) new Road, as the late County Surveyor Mr. Smith  
having orally expressed his intention of doing so  
and thus bring to a close a long felt want in  
the locality—

C Proposed by Mr. Richard Finney,  
Seconded by Mr. Robert Donalson, &

Resolved/ "That we, ask the Local Government Board  
"to raise the specification of the Esker Road as we  
"consider the fences as mentioned in the specification  
"unnecessary"

County Surveyor's Report:-

Telegrams:-  
SURVEYOR, BALLINASLOE.  
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COUNTY OF GALWAY---EAST DIVISION.

COUNTY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE,

BALLINASLOE, 20th January 1910.

BALLINASLOE RURAL DISTRICT.

County Surveyor's Report for Quarter ended 31st December 1909.

Mr Chairmans and Gentlemen,

With but few exceptions your contractors have done very little during the past three months to remedy the condition of affairs which existed prior to last quarterly meeting.

On a good many of the roads nothing has been done: whilst on others the material supplied for road metal is of such a perishable nature that the present severe weather has almost removed the idle handiwork of the trafficker in inferior metal.

Sand has again been much in evidence as road sheeting - sand mixed with an occasional pebble. Contractors have repeatedly been warned against the use of such rubbish on their roads, and in future severest measures will be taken against contractors on whose roads it is found.

As a consequence of this neglect I am sorry that a considerable amount of money is deferred, and as all the inspections for the coming quarter must close at the end of March, I would urge the contractors to go to work at once and spare me the unpleasant operation of having to "strike-off" these deferred amounts at the next April meeting.

Form 22 showed the following particulars:-

the 31<sup>st</sup> December, 1909. £. 1262 : 15 : 9  
paid. £ 414 : 14 : 2  
recd. £ 833 : 6 : 3  
off. £ 14 : 15 : 4 £. 1262 : 15 : 9

Approved of.

Form 20 made by notice of motion as recorded:-

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COUNTY OF GALWAY---EAST DIVISION.

COUNTY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE,

BALLINASLOE,

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The 31st March being the end of the Financial year, all payments in respect of roads will have to be finally settled. Now I hope the contractors concerned may see the importance attaching to the work of the next six weeks -- and more especially those who have allowed the last three months to pass by without making any definite effort to do the work which they have agreed to.

And how easy it is where the contractor is willing to do away with all the incessant trouble pertaining to these quarterly meetings. One hundred or fifty or thirty tons of broken stones or whatever the quantity may be, supplied on the roadside ends all the trouble -- and places the contractor in a position of comparative independence.

The improvement of the roads during these two months is of paramount importance from another point of view! because it lightens, if not altogether dispenses with, Summer work on the roads, and at the same time agreeably affects the Surveyor's certificate, during the Summer season. All contractors knew that if a road be not made now, it will be a matter of the greatest difficulty to make it after the advent of dry weather.

Throughout the District there are many hedges which are highly injurious to the several roads. The proper notices should now be served on the owners of such, and I would ask contractors so affected to send me the names and addresses of such owners or occupiers. Where hedges are cut, the thorns should be immediately removed from the road surface.

*John Moran*

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*Approved of.*

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COUNTY OF GALWAY---EAST DIVISION.

COUNTY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE,

BALLINASLOE,

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All materials at present lying on the roadside should be spread before the end of the present month: where this is not done a fine will be imposed. Sheets should not contain less than half-a-ton: this is particularly desirable on Main roads. The contractors should avoid "thin" careless spreading, for next in importance to supplying an adequate amount of suitable material, is the proper and judicious use of it in repairing the road surface.

Read Drainage. — This item of road maintenance has been very much neglected; contractors should see that the outlets particularly on slopes are kept clean, and that the back drains and water tables are in proper working order.

When "starters" appear on the road surface it is a certain indication that sufficient material has not been supplied, and the Surveyor in his reports pays particular attention to the existence of this defect.

There is an application before you "to make a drain to take the water from the weighbridge at Kilcennell." My estimate for the work is £7. However I consider it is not a work which could legally be undertaken by the Council.

I beg to submit Form 22 containing recommendations for payments to contractors.

I am, Gentlemen  
your obedient servant

John Moran  
County Surveyor

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County Surveyor's Report

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 " Deferred. £ 833 : 6 : 3  
 " Struck off. £ 14 : 15 : 4      £ 1262 : 15 : 9

Approved of.

The works on Form 20 made by notice of motion were disposed of as recorded:-

and Ordered. That the drain to take the water from the  
 ✓ Weighbridge at Wilsonnell be referred to the County  
 " Surveyor"

Read a letter from William Nolan asking to have  
 a gullett cut across the road to prevent the flooding of  
 ✓ Water at his yard gate.

Referred to the County Surveyor -

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✓ be £ 4882 and submitted for signature a form of Application for sanction of the Local Government Board for the loan of this sum.

The form was signed by the Chairman and is herewith enclosed.

✓ Mr Kempster, the Council's Engineer, sent in 5 Certificates in favour of Building Contractors amounting to £123:14:1. which were Ordered to be paid

✓ The Clerk submitted for signature, an application to the Dist Land Commission for a further instalment of £1500 out of the loan of £20850 sanctioned for the purposes of "The Bannock No 1 Rural District Labourers (Unopposed) Order 1904"

The Application was signed by the Chairman and is herewith enclosed for the recommendation of the L. B. Bd -

No 3: A Yellow.

Lowville O.S. 74 & 74 A.

✓ Read a letter Martin Goodie, tenant of above cottage complaining of a flood around same whenever there is heavy rain, and that his Potatoes and turf get severely damaged.

Referred to the Councilors of the Division for a Report

Lawrencetown O.S. 100.

✓ Read a letter from Pat White (tenant of above cottage) stating his land on his cottage was only 3R. 10P and asking the Rent of same to be reduced.

Referred to the Councilors of the District for a Report to next meeting -

✓ Michael Jordan tenant of the Carramore West, Cottage stating he has his contract for fencing and erecting gate posts according to specification and that there is a sum of £2:2:0 due to him out of same.

Plots No 35 & 38. No 9 Scheme.

✓ John Walsh reported that he was refused admission into the lanes of Kinnaveelish if he went there to make the fences.

Referred to Mr. Kempster (Engineer) for a report.

Referred to the Council's Solicitor.

✓ Read a letter from Mr. Daniel Connolly rent collector reporting that he called on David Brien of Killeue that he is unable to pay his rent as he has no employment and the rent due by him is £1:6:0 and also Martin Kelly of Kelloran refused to pay 6/6 for his Plot -

Ordered that a notice be served on these tenants, and if not paid within a reasonable time the matter to be referred to the Council's Solicitor.

\*: see page 566.

Hillswood No. 94. O.S. 43.

✓ The Tenant (Martin Gately) of above Cottage reported that the roof was blown off on the 9<sup>th</sup> inst by a strong gale on that date.

Referred to the Engineer for a report.

Ordered.

✓ That Mr John Dooley of Hardwood be appointed as Valuer for the Council at the same terms as last year, with the approval & sanction of the B. G. B. which is respectfully requested.

Ordered.

✓ That all tenants of Labourers Cottages who have not already taken over possession of their Cottages be written to to do so within 1 month, or in default proceedings be instituted against them, as by leaving the Cottages untenanted they get into ruin.

Mr Kempster reported that Plot no 63 Ballynacree (John Dolan of Gortoran Contractor) is not yet completed and that there is a sum of £5 still on hand -

✓ The Contractor to be written to, to proceed with the work, or in default proceedings to be taken at foot of his Bond. -

Patrick Larkin