

BALLINASLOE RURAL DISTRICT—No. 1.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 AND 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 SATURDAY, the 25th day of Septs 1915.

Number of Members on the Council, 41.

Number of Members present, 18.

IN THE CHAIR—

OTHER COUNCILLORS PRESENT—

Same as Page 35.

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.

Dr. Egan Medical Officer Killaan Dispensary District reported "That Pat Murphy's house at Garrymore is very unsanitary and requires thatching and linewashing, that Miss Naughton's yard at Kilconnell is very insanitary owing to want of drainage, and that William McDonnell's cottage at Cappatagle appears to have rain down."

ORDERED/- TO SERVE THE USUAL NOTICES, IN THE FORMER CASES, Mc. Donnell's Cottage is being under repair.

Dr. Callaghan Medical Officer Ahascragh Dispensary District made the following reports:-

"That Mrs Kelly's yard at Ahascragh is insanitary owing to the drain connectin it with main drain being stopped, and that the drain be cleaned, that the yard at the back of John Kennedy's house at Ahascragh is in an insanitarycondition,owing to a drain which passes at the back of the houses, and that the yard at James Broderick's house at Ahascragh is insanitary owing to the drain connecting it with main drain being stopped."

ORDERED/- THAT THE USUAL SANITARY NOTICES BE SERVED.

BLACKSTICKS COTTAGE PLOT.

The Council accepted the tender of Thomas Colohan of Lawrencetown for taking down the old fence at 2/- per Irish perch, and erecting the new fence at 7/6 per Irish perch.

MCDONNELL'S COTTAGE AT CAPPATAGLE.

Mr. Dunne, the Council's Engineer reported that he had made a contract with Denis Brien of Glannaskeley for the repair of this cottage for the sum of £4. 18. 0. The work to be finished by the 1st. October next.

CLONIGNEY COTTAGE.

Mr. Dunne reported that he inspected this cottage on the 7th. instant and found it in a deplorable condition, the windows have been all broken, nearly all glass gone and half one window (sash and glass) ~~missing~~ missing. The ^{ceiling} ~~ceiling~~ of the kitchen has been broken, evidently by a flail, and there is abundant evidence that the cottage has been used as a ~~barn~~ barn and not as a dwelling.

ORDERED/- THAT THE POLICE AUTHORITIES BE COMMUNICATED WITH ON THE MATTER, WITH A VIEW TO TRACE THE PERSONS THAT DONE THE DAMAGE TO THE COTTAGE, AND THAT Mr. DUNNE PREPARE A SPECIFICATION FOR THE NECESSARY REPAIRS.

Letter from the Secretary Galway County Council dated the 23rd. September, 1915 asking the Council if they would place at the disposal of the Technical Instruction Committee a labourers cottage for three months with plot attached, the Committee would pay rent of the cottage during the period it is occupied by their Instructors. The Committee desire to place in the cottage a Domestic Economy Instructress who will give lessons, under actual cottage conditions, in artizan cookery, laundry, and home sewing.

THE COUNCIL ACCEDED TO THE COMMITTEES REQUEST, AND DECIDED TO LET THE COTTAGE AT KILL FOR THE PERIOD IN QUESTION.

Letter from the Local Government Board No. L, 9,049 : 1915 dated the 4th. September, 1915 referring to the Council's Minutes of the 28th. ultimo relative to the arrears of rent due by John Kelly in respect of the Cottage which he holds from the Council under the Labourers Acts, and stating that as Kelly refuses to pay his rent the Council should take steps without further delay to terminate his tenancy, and proceed against him and his sureties for the recovery of all arrears of rent.

THE COUNCIL BEG TO INFORM THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOARD THAT PROCEEDINGS ARE BEING TAKEN AGAINST KELLY AT THE QUARTER SESSIONS.

Letter from the Local Government Board No. 8918/1912 dated the 3rd. September, 1915 forwarding a letter which they have received from Thomas Daly relative to the tenancy of a cottage provided by the Council at Lawrencetown under the Labourers Acts, and requesting that the Board may be furnished with the Council's observations on the subject.

THE COUNCIL BEG TO INFORM THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOARD THAT THIS MAN WAS NOT A TENANT OF A COTTAGE AT LAWRENCETOWN. (Daly's letter herewith).

CORBALLYMORE COTTAGE.

Read a letter from Mr. M. L. Colohan, Solicitor Ballinasloe dated the 25th. September, 1915 in respect of proceedings taken by the Council against the Contractor for building the above Cottage, and asking the Council to terminate the contract, and allow Murray's Sureties to finish the work.

THE COUNCIL DECLINED TO ACCEDE TO Mr. COLOHAN'S REQUEST.

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 9th day of October 1915.

Number of Members on the Council, 41. Number of Members present, 11.

PRESENT—In the Chair—

J. J. Hoban.

Other Councillors—

P. J. Parker. M. Lyons. P. Lynskey.

T. J. Dolan. J. Mc Dermott.

J. Mc Keigue. J. Kelly. (B).

M. Loughnane. M. Bohan.

P. Whelan.

M. J. Kennedy. C.S. also present.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

James J. Hoban

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on SATURDAY, the 9th day of October 1915.

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Council.

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 _____ 191

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.
Salaries :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Office Expenses			
Burial Grounds Expenses			
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges :—			
Repairs			
Law and Engineering			
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses			
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act			
Sanitary Expenses :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Superannuation			
Repayment of Loans :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses of Local Committees :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses under Special Acts :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Intercepting Hospital			
 TOTAL REVENUE PAYMENTS			
 Expenditure out of Loans, viz. :—			
 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

, 191

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement						
Total Sums received to close of last month						
TOTAL						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement						
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting						
TOTAL						
Net Balance due by Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)						
Net Balance due to Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)						
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer						
Balance per Bank Book due to Treasurer						
Outstanding Orders						
Net Balance as above due by Treasurer						
Net Balance as above due to 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.

Form 22 showed the following particulars:-

Amount payable to the end of the Quarter.....	£913.	6.	5.
Recommended to be paid.....	£240.	11.	3.
Recommended to be deferred.....	£ 473.	14.	3.
Recommended to be struck off.....	£ 199.	0.	11.
Subsidiary Account.....	£913.	6.	5.

The Council fixed Saturday the 30th. October, 1915 for the Adjourned Quarterly Meeting.

The Applications for New Works on Notice of Motion by the County Surveyor were disposed of as recorded on Form 20.

The County Surveyor brought before the Council his Proposed Direct Labour Scheme for the No. 1. Rural District, when on the Motion of Mr. M'Keigue, Seconded by Mr. J. J. Hoban the question of considering same was adjourned to the 30th. instant.

Read a letter from the Secretary Department of Agriculture dated the 29th. September, 1915 acknowledging the receipt of the Council's Resolution of the 28th. September, relative to Mr. Russell's Meeting to induce Connaught Farmers to extend their tillage area, and stating that they will have pleasure in taking County Galway into consideration in the event of any further arrangements being found practicable.

Letter from the Local Government Board No. 136/M. Misc. dated the 1st. October, 1915 forwarding Return to be filled up showing the Amounts which have been paid as salaries to the Sanitary Officers of the Rural District for the year ended the 30th. ultimo with a view to recoupment being made in respect thereof.

THE RETURNS WERE SIGNED BY THE CHAIRMAN AND ARE HEREWITH ENCLOSED.

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 *30th* day of *October* 1915

Number of Members on the Council, 41. Number of Members present, *11*

PRESENT—In the Chair— *Mr. W. E. Dowling*

Other Councillors— *Messrs P. J. Parker, M. Curley, M. Geraghty,
P. Lynskey, J. P. Killeen, M. Lyons, J. Whymms,
J. Nolan, J. Mitchell, M. Loughnane.*

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on SATURDAY,
the *30th* day of _____ 191*5*

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Council.

W. B. Stirling

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 30th day of October 1915.

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 October 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	116	17	6
Separate Charges			
Labourers' Cottage Rents	59	12	6
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 ...	176	10	0
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.
Salaries :—			
General Charges	11.	14.	4
Separate Charges			
Office Expenses	1	15	1
Burial Grounds Expenses	4	10	0
Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges :—			
Repairs	4	18	0
Law and Engineering	13	15	8
Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses	2	19	7.
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act			
Sanitary Expenses :—			
General Charges	143	13.	8.
Separate Charges			
Superannuation			
Repayment of Loans :—			
General Charges	43.	11.	4.
Separate Charges			
Expenses of Local Committees :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Expenses under Special Acts :—			
General Charges			
Separate Charges			
Elections, Law, and other Expenses :—			
General Charges	11.	12	6
Separate Charges			
Intercepting Hospital			
 TOTAL REVENUE PAYMENTS	241.	10.	2.
Expenditure out of Loans, viz. :—			
No. 9. Scheme	2	2	"
 TOTAL Amount of Orders authorised to be issued	243.	12.	2.

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

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

October, 1915.

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	563	1.	10.			
Total Sums received to close of last month	146	10	"			
TOTAL	739	11.	10			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement				454	1	6
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting	241.	10.	2.	2	2	.
TOTAL	243.	12.	2.	459	3	6.
Net Balance due by Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	498	1.	8			
	495	19	8			
Net Balance due to Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)				459	3	6
	498	1.	8	459	3	6
	495	19	8			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer	714.	9	9.			
Balance per Bank Book due to Treasurer	216.	8.	1.	459	3	6.
Outstanding Orders	218.	10.	1.			
Net Balance as above due by Treasurer	498	1.	8.			
	495	19	8			
Net Balance as above due to Treasurer				459.	3.	6

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.

KILLORAN PUMP.

The Council adjourned the correspondence in connection with the Site for this pump to next Meeting, owing to none of the Members of the Division being present. ✓

CLEANING A SEWER IN THE TOWN OF KILCONNELL.

The Council pursuant to Advertisement accepted the tender of John Griffin of Ballyglass, Kilconnell for the above work at a sum of £14. 15. 0. ✓

It was Ordered/- "That advertisement be issued for the laying of "a pipe drain to connect with the existing built drain near the "Pound at Kilconnell, tenders for the work to be considered at "the next Meeting of the Council." ✓

Mr. Curley pursuant to Notice moved that a pump be erected at Ballagh, when the following Committee was appointed to meet at Ballagh on Sunday the 7th. November, 1915 to select a Site, namely Messrs M. Curley, P. J. Parker, J. Whyms, M. Loughnane, & M. Lyons. and report to next Meeting of the Council. ✓

It was Ordered/-

"That advertisement be issued to Pump Contractors to keep the pumps in the District and all works appertaining thereto in ~~proper~~ proper and good repair, and working order, and supply ✓ all necessary fittings and parts as may be required for one year.

A complaint read from James Hughes, Killaan Woodlawn, ✓ as to a stagnant pool, and which should be cleaned by a man named Shea was referred to the Medical Officer of Health.

Dr. Rossiter Medical Officer of Health Ballinasloe District ✓ reported a case of Typhoid Fever.

Mr. Dunne the Council's Engineer reported that the Contractors for the different Wells in the District are making good progress. ✓

LISSEYEGAN PUMP.

The Council had before them one tender for the above-named pump, which was rejected, owing to the prices being too high, and ORDERED/- THAT THE WORK BE RE-ADVERTISED FOR, TENDERS TO BE CONSIDERED ON THE 27th. NOVEMBER, 1915. ✓

Dr. Brennan, Acting Medical Officer of Health for the Kiltormer Dispensary District reported the following houses requiring limewashing:- Patrick Cannon, Kill, Thomas Kelly, Kill, William Coyne, Skycur, ORDERED/- ✓

THAT THE USUAL NOTICE BE SERVED.

KILLORAN NEW BURIAL-GROUND.

ORDERED/-

THAT A KEY BE PROCURED FOR THE SIDE GATE OF THE ABOVE-NAMED BURIAL GROUND TO PREVENT TRESPASS. ✓

Mr. Egan, Dairy Inspector submitted his monthly report to the Council which was considered satisfactory. ✓