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 21st day of July 1917.

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

PRESENT—In the Chair—If' J. J. Stoban,
Other Councillors— Up Gavin P. J. Parker, J.

4 Chermoll, D. Lynskey, L. Kelly, U.

Geraghy J. Whyms, D. Larker Hahiele
J.P. Villeen, 2. Councely, 4. Bohan
U. Lyons, U. Whyms, J. 4 Steigne
W, Colohan, y. Carry,

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on SATURDAY,

the 21" day of July 191"

(Signed)

Helv's Limited, Dame Street, Dublin

The Rent Collection Book, &c.—continued.

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COUNTY OF GALWAY.-Western Division.

JOHN MORAN, B.E., COUNTY SURVEYOR.

Enclosures

COUNTY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE,

REC COURTHOUSE,

21 JUL 1917 GALWAY,

20th, July , 1917 .

Ballinaslee R. D. Council - Or. Meeting , 21st July , 1917 .

County Surveyor's Report .

Mr Chairman and Gentlamon .

In making my recommendations on Form 22 for Quarter ended the 30th June . I have difficulty in dealing with the meneys in a manner equitable to the Contractors and the County Council . In a great number of cases . I found three quarters meney deferred , and in every case the large defer was due to failure on the part of the centractor to supply sufficient metal last Winter . Obviously , this deficiency was not made up during the last Quarter and hence the large sum struck off .

In general, the reads in your District are in fair order and many of your contractors who are now retiring under the Direct Labour Scheme gave very fair work during the past and previous years, but the number of satisfactory centractors was much less than the unsatisfactory enes.

In conjunction with Mr Martyn , I have arranged the working of the property Labour Scheme for your District . Practically a full staff of gangers are already found , quarries have been acquired , and the organisation is now complete . Present efforts are entirely confined to quarry work and I intend to push forward this with all energy . Arrangements are also made for the services of a stone - breaking machine when sufficient material is piled .

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The Rent Collection Book, &c.—continued.

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M: J. KENNEDY, B.A., B.E., COUNTY SURVEYOR.

Telegrams: - " COUNTY SURVEYOR, GALWAY."

COUNTY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE,

COURTHOUSE,

GALWAY:

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attend your Meeting on the 21st inst. , but Mr Martyn will be present and will deal with all matters which you may wish to disouss with him .

I am, Mr Chairman and Gentlemen ,

Your obedient Servant ,

County Surveyor .



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Mr Lyons moved his motion " To repair about 320 perches of the old road leading from the public road at Scott's forge to Michael Lyons' house at Kellysgrove".

The work was unanimously passed, and the 4th August was fixed for the adjourned quarterly meeting to receive tenders.

Form 22 contained the following particulars:
Amount payable £1,550 - 9 - 5.

Amount paid £885 - 9 - 0.

Amount struck off £ 424 - I2 - 6. Substidary account £ 222 - 7 - II.

£1530 - 9 - 5.

After the reading of the recommendations for payment, on the suggestion of Mr. John Whyms, it was agreed to ask theCounty Council to reconsider the large amount of money struck off on John Burns having regard to the amount of work done by him now at the expiration of his contract.

The Provisional proposal of Mr. McDermott, "That a loan of \$700 be obtained for the completion of the Clonfert new road" was unanimously passed, and it was agreed that the Estates Commissioners be asked to contribute \$350 to assist in the repair of this road.

Mr. Parker withdrew his notice of Motion " to rescind the resolution of the Council introducing Direct Labour into the District".

No action was taken on a resolution from the Lawrencetown Labourers, Association protesting against Mr. Parker's motion.

Administrative County of Galway.

BALLINASLOE RURAL DISTRICT—No. 1.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Youthly Meeting of the Ballinasloe

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

SATURDAY, the 28th day of July 1917

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

Other Councillors- Mess: Ino. Whymo, U. Lyons,
J. R. Stelleen . P. Lynostey, y. faughnane,
M. Geraghiy, y. barty, P. Whelan,
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The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

Jan. Hoban

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on SATURDAY,

the 28th day of July 1917

(Signed) the Dorall Clerk of the Council.

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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 28 day	of	July	1914.
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Table (A)	Amo	ount s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand on District Council:—	f		
General Charges	. 318	"	"
Separate Charges			
Labourers' Cottage Rents	33.	4	H
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	35!	11	11
Loans received, viz.:-	201,	H.	4
TOTAL, as above, lodged with Treasurer	351.	4	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.

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	Salaries:—					-
-	General Charges		12.	11	"	-
-	Separate Charges					-
1	Office Expenses			5	9.	-
-	Burial Grounds Expenses		4	14	6	-
	Labourers Acts Expenses—Current Charges:—					-
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						-
1	Law and Engineering		/			-
1	Collectors' Poundage and other Expenses		4	7	"	-
-	Small Dwellings Acquisition Act		•			1
	Sanitary Expenses:—					Property.
	General Charges		26	M	11	-
	Separate Charges		20	1	1	-
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	Repayment of Loans:—					-
	General Charges					-
	Separate Charges					-
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	Expenses of Local Committees:—					-
-	General Charges					-
-	Separate Charges					
	Evpangas and a Contract					
	Expenses under Special Acts:—					
	General Charges	••				-
-	Separate Charges					-
	Elections, Law, and other Expenses:—					
	General Charges					
	Separate Charges					
	Intercepting Hospital	100				
	TOTAL REVENUE PAYMENTS	. 1	3	4	1.	
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1	Expenditure out of Loans, viz.:-					
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7	FOTAL Amount of Orders authorised to be issued	1 6	3	4	1	
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The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of the previous month, with the proper Debits and Credits.

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

June , 1914

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		Ordinary Account.			Loans	Acco	unt.
		£	S.	d.	£	S.	d.
SUMMARY.							
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last statement	monthly	534	12.	10.			
Total Sums received to close of last month		351.	H	H			
Тот	AL	885	14	2			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last				~	159.	3.	6
		1			109.		0.
Payments ordered at last Finance Meeting		63.	7.	1.	-		
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Net Balance due by Treasurer (being differ above Totals)	ence of	822	10	1.			
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Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer		850.	6.	10.			
Balance per Bank Book due to Treasurer					159.	3.	6.
Outstanding Orders		24	16.	9			
Net Balance as above due by Treasurer		822	10.	1.			
Net Balance as above due to Treasurer					159	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.
- 3. The Labourers Acts Ledger.
- 2. The Register of Separate Charges. 4. The Labourers Acts General Rental.

26 (continued),—The Monthly Abstract of Rent Collection 3,164,12.

IV.

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

In what Collector's District	Name of Tenant	Nature of REPORT	Order made by the District Council thereon
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on the proposition of Mr. T. P. Killeen, seconded by Mr M. Carty, Wr C. J. O'Riordan was unanimously co - opted a member for the Kilmacshane Electoral Division, rendered vacant by the resignation of Mr. M. Hogan.

Mr. Loughnane having raised the question, it was decided to ask
Mr. Kennedy Co. Surveyor to have at next Co. Council meeting
the report showing the defects in John Byrnes road justifying the
striking off of \$47 - I at last Quarterly meeting.

Messrs Hayden & Taylor, the Council's Solicitors wrote stating that the hearing of the appeal in the C. D. Board malicious injury claim was adjourned to next Assizes owing the illness of one of the C. D. Board's witnesses.

A resolution from the Limerick Co. Council on the subject of the subject of stacking Wheat, Cats and Barley so as to preserve them through the Winter against the attacks of rats and mice and weather was marked, "read".

Read letter from the Local Government Board No 34274 dated I3th July '17 on the subject of Economy in Timber; was marked "read".

Read a letter from the Department of Agriculture complaining of thistles growing on side of road leading from Addergoole to the New Gate. The matter was referred to the Co. Surveyor.

Read a letter from T. W. Russell Esq., on the subject of the Handy Estate.

It was decided that Mr. Jas. Cosgrave M. P. asked a question in the House of Commons regarding this matter.

Mr Lynskey proposed and Mr. Carty seconded and passed unanimously "That we the members of the Ballinasloe No I R.D. Council tender to Mr. T. O'Flanagan an expression of our heartfelt sympathy in his bereavement occasioned by the death of his father". Copy of this resolution to be sent to Mr. O'Flanagan.

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 28th day of_

Number of Members on the Council, 41.

Number of Members present,

IN THE CHAIR-

OTHER COUNCILLORS PRESENT-

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1000010	of Santary work performed since the date of t	ne last me	eting—	
	Number of Orders or Notices to Abate Nuisa Drains, or perform other Sanitary work, served	nces, make l since last	Connect Meeting	eting
	Number of Prosecutions for Neglect of Orders or	Notices		
	Number of Convictions ", ",	,,		
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Submi	tted Weekly Return of Duties performed by showing:—	Sanitary	Sub-Offic	eers
	Number of Houses, Yards, and Premises inspecte	ed		
	Number of Houses, Rooms, or Premises Limewas	shed		
	Number of Dwellings Disinfected			
	Disinfecting Chamber used by persons			
	Articles of Clothing Disinfected number	er		
	Clothing and Bedding Destroyed by order of the the value of	Sanitary	Authority 	to £

Destruction witnessed by_

Sanitary Sub-Officer.

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

District	Nature of Expenditure.	Amount		
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and the "Treasurer's Advice Note for making payments" for the respective amounts was duly signed.

Read a letter from Patrick Treacy, Caretaker Killaghtan Graveyard, asking for an increase of salary.

Mr. Patrick Whelan handed the following notice of motion: " I beg to give notice that I will move at next meeting of the Council, that Patrick Treacy's salary for caretaking Killalaghtan Burial ground be increased by To/- per anm."

John Ward wrote stating he tendered at £7 - IO for cleaning the sewers at Broderick's of Ahascragh, and was only paid £7.

The Acting Clerk produced Mr. Ward's tender which was for \$7, it to be shown him, at any time he would call at the Clerk's Office.

R. O. Connor reported that his district was clean and healthy and free from any infectious disease. The Clonfert pump is in a dirty state, the drain leading from it being choked. The pump at Abbeyland is very bad, the water being middy and dirty and I think the lining is bad.

It was ordered that the Council's Engineer see the pump.

Read a letter from the ratepayers of Attycoffey and Sheepwalk asking for the exection of a pump in the neighbourhood.

It was decided that the members for the Kiltormer Dispensary District be summoned to meet at end of Attycoffey road on 5th. Aug at three O'Clock to consider the question, and report to the Council if it is necessary to have a pump erected in this locality.

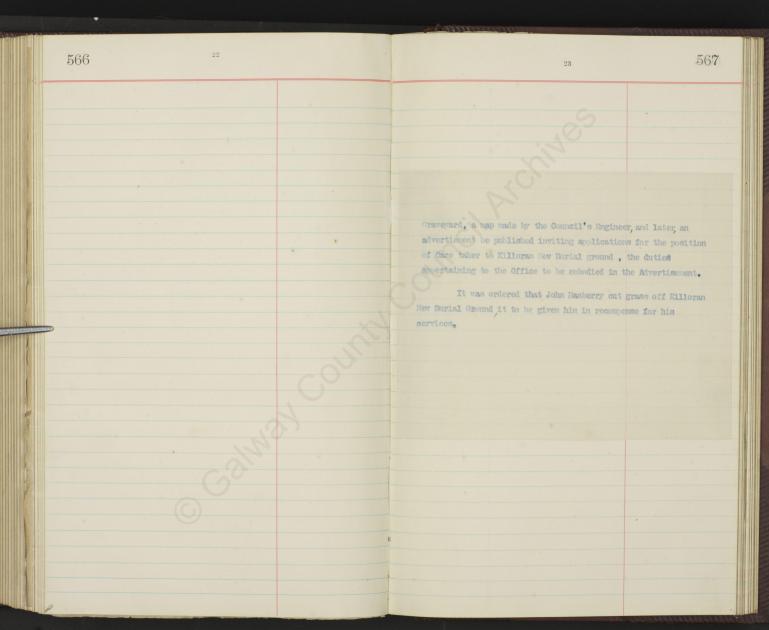
Read a letter from Sir. Wm. Mahon with reference to the condition of the Chancel Arch of Eglish Abbey, and pointing out that a large heavy elm tree would shortly fall on the Refectory.

It was decided to refer this matter to the County Council.

An application from Mrs. Donohoe for a reduction of price for grave space charged in Killoran New Burial ground was refused.

No applications were received for the position of Caretaker to Killoran New Burial Ground.

It was decided that a register be procured for this



The following Letters from 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, 1903 TO 1906.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Rural District Council, acting as the Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on the 25 day of 1917,

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Councillors:

Same as lage 545

Mary Connolly wrote stating that part of her Cottage turf bank was being cut by Thos. Hardiman.

Thos. Hardiman wrote stating he was within his right in doing

The Council decided they had no power to interfere in the matter

Read a letter from the Local Government Board No L 7330 dated the 9th. July 'I7 requesting the Council to make definite orders on the Auditor's report, when Mr. Lynskey handed in the following notice of motion: I beg to give notice that I will move at the next meeting of the Council that a salary be fixed for Mr. J. L. Dunne, the Council's Engineer".

It was ordered that the Contractor for the repairs of the Cottages at Moaty be requested to carry out the work at once, and that the Solicitors to the Council proceed to execution of the Decree obtained against Michael Barry, another contractor for cottage repairs

The Collector Daniel Connolly was ordered to get a lock and key for Crowsnest Cottage occupied by Jno. Geraghty. He was further ordered to secure the door of the vacant cottage at Moaty and procure a lock and key for gate of plot.

Mr. D. Connolty , Cottage Rent Collector, reported the following Cottage Tenants owing arrears of rent :-

Order of Council. Thos. Hardiman £ 2 - I8 - 6. Resident Magistrate would not give a decree until cottage is repaired. Contractor and sureties have been decreed.

John Ryan . £0 - 19 - 6. Cotage in bad repair ; same contractor.

Patk, Mahon, 19 - 6. Proceedings to be taken.

Martin Gibbs. I - 6 - 0 .

Thos Goldrick. I9 - 6.

Jas. Colgan, I9 - 6 .

Pat. Daly, I - I2 - 6.

I9 - 6 Jas. Staunton.

Thos. Breman, 2 - I2 - o Proceed at Gort Sessions.

John Quinn, I - IO - O. Proceedings to be taken.

Pat. Colohan 2 - II - 0. Notice to quit served.

Thos. Hanrahan, I - 6 - 0. Proceedings to be taken. .

The Collector also reported thirty three cottages requiring repairs.

With reference to Matthew Cahill's contract for maintenance of Labourers Cottages the Engineer reported to the Council that Mr. Cahill expressed his villingness to proceed at once with his contract on condition that when repairs are executed, he be paid the full amount per cottage morning actuing under his contract from the 28TH. S.PT., 1912, less any amounts hitherto paid.

It was ordered that the Local Government Board be asked if the Council may pay the contractor the full amount referred to if the work be satisfactorily carried out. John McKergue

Next Meeting of the Rural District Council to be held on SATURDAY,

(Signed Up of Clerk of the Council.

Administrative County of Galway.

BALLINASLOE RURAL DISTRICT-No. 1.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the asy Quarles Meeting of the Ballinasloe No. 1 Rural District Council, held at the Board Room, Union Workhouse, on SATURDAY, the 4th day of Congust 1917

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

Other Councillors— Ulsso- y. Lyono, P. J. Parker

J. P. Killeen, fro. Whyms, y. Flakerly

K. M. Jarghnare.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

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BALLINASLOE No. 1 RURAL DISTRICT.

Meeting hel	d theday	of	19	1
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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:—

County Council—Money supplied on demand of District Council:— General Charges	d.
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	
Labourers' Cottage Rents	
Small Dwellings Act	
Burial Fees	
Water Rents	
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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

The Rent Collection Book, &c.—continued.

In what Collector's District	Name of Tenant	Nature of REPORT	Order made by District Council thereon
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No tenders were received for the works of repairing about 520 perches of the old road leading from the public road at Scott's Forge to Michael Lyon's house at Kellysgrove, or for the Completion of the Clonfert new road .

OLONFERT NEW ROAD.

The following was read from Mr. Bogarty, Acting Secretary Galway County Council on the above subject,

* Before this proposal can be passed it will be necessary for the Ballinasloe Rural District Council to approach the Estate Commissioners and ascertain whether they are willing to contribute the £350. The County Council cannot, of course, consider the matter at all until they have a decision on this very important detail. There would be no objection in advrtising the work at the present stage as the money is not yet available to carry it out, and in any event the proposal is only provisional, and is still subject to rejection by the District Council at the next Quarterly meeting.

At the next Quarterly meeting it should be submitted on form 20 and the form should show the district Council propose that the money should be raised, i.e. how much by loan and how much by grant from the Land Commission. If the Council make it a condition that a contribution is to be made by the Estate Commissioners, nothing can be done until that condition is fulfilled.

THE COUNCIL INSTRUCTED THE ACTING CLERK TO WRITE TO

MR. FOGARTY POINTING OUT THAT THE £350 WAS NO PART OF THE ORIGINAL

PROPOSAL TO BORROW £700 FOR THIS WORK.

Read formal acknowledgement from Estate Commissioners in reply to letter asking if they would contribute £350 towards the Clonfert new road.

Read a letter from Mr. M. Kennedy, County Surveyor, stating no specifications were required for works passed at last Quarterly meeting of the Council, as all works in future will be done