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The Report of the Finance Committee was Read and Adopted,
and Secretary was directed to write to the Collectors in the
name of the County Council urging them to proceed diligently
with their Collections, and as to Checking fortnightly.

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Minutes of Proceedings of the
Finance Committee of the
Galway County Council

at a meeting held on the 16th day of
May 1899

J. C. Macdonnell Esq^r
in the Chair

Other members present.

- John Lohan; P. Carr; L. Cowroy
- M. Joyce; T. Fahy; M. McDonogh
- H. Murphy; D. Burke; J. Glynn
- J. Cowroy; T. Lynskey; T. Corbett
- M. Walsh; J. Derwan; Hon. R. E. Dillon
- Col. Daly; Col. Trench; T. Byrne
- J. J. Connolly; T. McDonogh; M. Connolly
- P. F. Nolan; P. J. Mally; P. J. Kenny
- Hon. M. Morris; John Smyth
- P. Carr; P. J. Kelly; J. McDonogh

The Committee took up the Con-
sideration of the Residing
Officers account which took
up the whole day

Thursday 18th May

J. C. Macdonnell in the Chair

Same members present.

The Committee proceeded to
consider the matter of the

negotiation of the cheque for
Agricultural Grant
The Secretary submitted the draft and
Correspondence in relation
thereto with Local Govt Board
& Bank of Ireland and
The following report was signed and
directed to be submitted to
the Council.

"Finance Committee"

"Your Committee recommend that
the Council at their meeting on
tomorrow May 19th will draw a cheque
in favor of the National Bank for all
the money standing to the Credit of
the Council in the Bank of Ireland
(£18681.0.10) and that the Secretary,
in accordance with instructions in
Local Govt Boards letter of 3rd May,
be directed to lodge the cheque for
the Agricultural Grant in the Bank
of Ireland before the cheque referred
to above be presented at the Bank
of Ireland for payment"

May 19th 99

J. C. MacDonnell Esq in the Chair
Other members present.

J. Derwan; J. Corbett; Jno Smyth
J. Conroy; J. O'Malley; W. Jones; W. Murphy
W. O'Connell; T. W. O'Connell; M. O'Connell
Consideration of the Returning
Officers etc was resumed, and
adjourned after some discussion

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The following report was ordered to
be submitted to the Council
Finance Committee

"Your Committee beg to recommend
that a Finance Clerk be appointed
for one year certain; that the
person appointed give his whole
time to the Office and that Mr
W. G. Fogarty be appointed Finance
Clerk."

May 20th

J. MacDonnell Esq in the Chair
Same members present.

A report was ordered to be submitted
to the Council recommending that
the several Unions and Rural
Districts be supplied with funds
equal to one fourth of their Estimates.

May 22nd

J. MacDonnell Esq in the Chair
Other members present

T. Fahy; John Derwan; Hon. Master
Morris; John Smith; W. A. Murphy
P. Carr; Master McDonough; P. J. O'Malley.

The Secretary was directed to submit
the following reports to the Council
Finance Committee
Your Committee beg to report.

Minutes of Proceedings of the
Finance Committee

at a meeting held on Wednesday July 4th 1900

J. McDonnell Esq. in the Chair

Other members present:-

Colonel Nolan, Messrs R. E. Dillon
& J. Kelly Esq. Patrick Carr Esq.

The Committee proceeded to consider the
Secretary's Return showing the state of the
Rate Collection to date, and the Rate
Collectors Arrear Lists

Colonel Nolan proposed

Mr Kelly seconded

" That the Collectors be requested
to write the word "vacant" after
all vacant premises on Arrear Lists
That the Secretary divide each
List into portion to be carried on
and portion to be struck out
Secretary to calculate percentages
of outstanding balances after deducting
"struck out" portion

Finance Committee to confirm
or change such Lists

The Committee decided to make the following
Report to the Council.

Your Committee recommend:-

1. That the items struck out in red
ink on the Arrear Lists entrusted by the
Chairman of the Finance Committee be

struck^{out} of the Rate Books as irrecoverable

2. That the Poundage of Mr Cooke (Clifden RD.)
on the present Collection be not payed
until after the next Collection and that
no poundage be then or afterwards paid
on the present Collection (terminating 20th
June 1900), unless Mr Cooke makes a
satisfactory Collection of the Rate made
5th February 1900,

3. ~~That~~ The same recommendation is made
in the case of Collector King (Clifden RD.)

4. That the Poundage of Mr Headd (Gort) be
not paid

Mr Headd's collection is not good; he has
also been irregular in altering some receipts
His poundage cannot be paid until
this irregularity is rectified or is
condoned by the Local Govt Board

5. Unless a satisfactory Explanation
be given of his retention of the sums of
£35 and £23 respectively, I beg to
recommend the suspension of Collector
Hagell (Gort). We also report that
his Collection is bad

3 Other members present: J.C. MacDonnell Esq^r in the Chair; Pat^k Carr; Martin McDonough; D.F. Burke; Tho^s Corbett; J. Devan; Hon. M. Morris; C. O'S. French; W. Conolly; P. J. Kelly; P. J. Malley;

Friday 9th June 1899

6 Cheque for £30.15.0 due for salary re to Mr Kelly Coroner

Read letters from Mr Kelly and Miss Hayden from which it appeared that the case on account of which payment of Mr Kelly's salary was delayed (by a claim made by a Auditor of Mr Kelly's) had been settled, & it was decided to

Recommend that a Cheque, in favor of Mr Kelly & Miss Hayden be drawn and forwarded.

Patt Smith's cheque £3-1-3

Mr Kearns late Barony Constable having explained that he had caused this cheque to be stopped in error (by caused by the fact that another Contractor of the same name was in arrears for County Ass)

Recommend that the Cheque be paid

On Consideration of Mr George Keenan's claim for Poundage

Recommend that Mr Keenan be paid the amount of his poundage on lodging the arrears which are recoverable and satisfying the Council that the outstanding balance is recoverable

Seal of the Council

be Recommend that a Seal be procured

Provision of Offices etc for County Surveyors - under Act 43 (application of Enactments Order)

Recommend that this matter be postponed for the present

Payment of men engaged on works in the hands of the County Surveyor Refer back to Council

re Mr Perry's application for leave to draw on presentments 561 + 984

561 - Gullet or drain at Clifden

984 - Flagging town of Dunmore

Postpone consideration of this matter for attendance of representatives from localities concerned

Printing required by County Surveyors

Recommend that the County Surveyors be at liberty to obtain, through the Secretary, any forms immediately required

re County Surveyors Accounts in respect of Services in bringing Act into operation

Recommend that these accounts be paid subject to the following deductions:

Preparation of Road Schedules to be paid for at - per mile 6d
do Main Road Schedules... 1/-

Subsidiary Account

Recommend the Council to Finance this account by transferring thereto from the County Fund £1825.

Read and Confirmed this day of 1899

John C. MacDonnell Chairman
July 15th 1899

Report amount of W.P.F. index

Saturday July 15th 1899.

J.C. Macdonnell Esq in the Chair

Other members present:—

Patrick Carr; Lawrence Courroy; Henry M a Murphy
John Smyth; John Deroan; Charles O'H French;
Thomas McDonogh J.C. Macdonnell

The a/c received from the Royal Irish Constabulary in respect of Expenses for Conveyance of Prisoners, and under the weights and measures acts & Food & Drugs acts ^{to 30.6.99} were laid before the committee and examined and The Treasurer was authorized to pay same

The Committee decided to recommend that the County Inspectors should be asked to examine the mileage charges strictly as it seemed to the Committee that in some cases the charges were high

Form 16 was signed for following amounts.

No 4 to 37	£ 42. 12. 7
38 - 52	£ 82. 19. 1
53 - 73	£ 31. 1. 6
74 - 83	£ 3. 4. 4
84 - 107	£ 42. 4. 1
108 - 120	£ 4. 4. 3
121 -	£ 342. 13. 3
Total	£ 548. 19. 1

Read and confirmed this day of
John C. Macdonnell, Chairman

Friday the 25th August 1899

J.C. Macdonnell Esq in the Chair

Other Members present

Patrick Carr; Lawrence Courroy; Mr Dyce
Thos. Saly; Martin McDonogh; H. A. Murphy
D. F. Burke; J. A. Glynn; J. C. Courroy;
Thos. Corbett; John Deroan; Hon Martin H. F. Morris
Thos. Byrne; John C. Courroy; P. J. Malley
J. C. Macdonnell; S. J. McDonogh;

The Committee proceeded to Consider the Proposals for Payments made by the Rural District Councils and the Proposal Committee which were referred to the Finance Committee by the Council.

The Proposal lists having been considered

The Chairman moved

That having examined the Proposals for Payment made by the District Councils and the Proposal Committee; also the Demand of the Lemons & District Councils we recommend that the said Payments be made with the exception of a payment of £46. 5. 0 to Mr John W. Philpin who has not produced the necessary Certificate from the Clerk of the Peace.

We refer this payment to the County Council

Mr Murphy seconded

Passed

and a report was ordered to be sent to the Council in accordance with the Resolution.

Read and confirmed this 20 day of Sept. 1899

John C. Macdonnell Chairman