

2844 Returning Officers Account
 Submitted Returning Officers Certificate
 Amount of Account £3000.15.1
 Amount struck off on Sanction £214.4.7
 Amount Certified £2786.10.6
 Paid on account £900.0.0
 Balance £1886.10.6
 Order: Submit to Council for Payment.

2845 Ballinacree Court
 Mr Gallagher D.F. applies for
 stoves, and overhauling
 of gas jets.
 Order: Mr Lee to report
 as to stoves & get gas jets
 put in order.

Doneg

Read Miss Stanley's letter (7578)
 re use of Court House by Rate
 Collectors.

Order: Collector is entitled
 to use of Court House but Miss
 Stanley is not bound to supply
 fire

Doneg wrote Miss Stanley

2846 Board of Health Sanitary Act
 Submitted Mr Gallagher's letter 7821
 Order: Pay Remit £500

Doneg sent letter to Charities

2847 Weights & Measures - Dighton
 Submitted Mrs Donnell's letter 7846
 Order: Inform Mrs Donnell that
 Council will pay 10/- on receipt of
 Ex-officio Inspectors Certificate

Doneg wrote Mrs Donnell

READ IN COUNCIL

25 NOV 1925

Martin M. Ryan

In arrears

Subscribed

Saturday 27th Nov
 Chair
 Present See Division list

2848 Finance
 Subsidiary ac 3243/3944 £1339.12.1
 Loan ac 591/594 £232.10.0
 Donut ac 1587/1737 £653.10.0
 General ac 989/990 £1994.0.0

2849 Dr O'Brien's Leave
 Read P. 52568
 Refer to County Council &
 inform Dr O'Brien

Doneg

2850 Gortworkhouse
 Read P. 52272
 Order Inform Messrs Keane & Co. Ltd

wrote

2851 Insurance let agreement
 Read Mr O'Sea's 7947
 Order: Secretary to attend
 and report.

wrote

2852 Inghoffin Collection
 Read Mr Heany's 7950
 Refer to Council

Doneg

2853: Secretary reports that owing to Mr Fogarty's election to Secretaryship the Accountantship to the Council is now vacant. Finance Committee to report, under Minute 1535

- (1) whether an appointment is necessary
- (2) The salary to be paid
- (3) The duties to be discharged
- (4) whether office pensionable or not

and it was ordered

that the Finance Committee hereby report to the Council

- (1) That the appointment of Accountant is necessary
- (2) That the salary should be fixed at £

(3) That the duty of the Accountant shall be to be responsible to the Secretary of the Council for the accurate accounting for all receipts and expenditure, the preparation of summaries, ledgers and abstracts, and for the preparation of all such financial information as shall be required to prepare by the Secretary.

(4) The Office shall be pensionable

Accountant

2854. Dunmore Court House
Read Mr Davery's letter no 8031
Order: Messrs Kenedy & Nestor to close with Bank of Ireland at maximum allowed £1210=0.

write letter

2855. Costello's pension
Submitted file
Order: In view of Costello's temporary service from 2nd June to 23rd July the Committee will not at present insist on a refund, but they reserve the right to deduct the sum of £4.6.0 if it is subsequently challenged on audit

write letter

2856 Olegan Pier Submitted Fisheries letter - 7986 -
Order: to Surveyor to report

wrote Col. 27/11/75

2857. Superannuation
Write
Get fresh applications in view of O'Murphy's letter.

2858. Courthouses

Wrote Mr Keel

Ballinacloe.

Read letter no 8064 from Court Keepers, Ballinacloe re heating apparatus.

Wrote Mr Danne

Read letter no 8065 from Court Keepers, Ballinacloe applying for 5/- a week for cleaning Mr Danne's office.
ask Mr Danne to report

2859. Labourers wages

Read letter no 7895 from Road Gangers relative to lodging allowances.

No order

2860. Oughterard Road

wrote Col. copy to his office 24/11/75

Submitted application (7863) from Rev. P. O'Dea to enlarge school yard at Rosmuck & letter from Surveyor
Order. Granted

2861. Courthouses.

Maam. Read letter (7886) from A. Crawford applying for caretakership
Refer to committee

2862 Bridewell.

written 23/11/75

Ballinasloe.
Read application letter (7804) from
Convent of Mercy, Langhlin with
request to purchase of Bridewell
Colours to Report

2863.

Town Hall Galway

Wrote to Suro.
with

Read letter (8048) from Superintendent
Town Hall, asking for return of
Chairs as present in Courthouse
Supply Chairs -

2864

Sudden Damage

written 23/11/75

Co. Surveyor W.D. applies for
Sudden Damage order to
repair gullet on Rd 197 Faam RD.
Granted

2865.

Ten-Day Notices

written 23/11/75

Co. Surveyor E.D. applies for
permission to serve 10 day
notice on Contractor of outfall
New Castle Road.
Granted

Induced E.H.

on Inverill

Galway County

Saturday 28th November
Chair M McNeill

Present: J Kynne: H. Coole: A Corbett:

2866 Finance

Bank Balance 1/11/75 £22630
Rate Outstanding

2867 Collection

Rate Collected this week £2731

Submitted Rate Chart.
Payment Subsidiary 3845/4241 £956:3:10
2mth 1158/1883 £310:0:3
Loans 595/1081 £309:8:0
General 991/994 £4268:0:0

2868 Good & Drugs Inspectors

written

Ordered that Serjts Devoy & Gallagher
& Garda Anderson & Flynn be
appointed

2869 Pier & Harbours

written

Submitted Reports of Mr Kennedy C.
Order Mr Kennedy to apply for a
authorising resolution for
necessary repairs giving amount req?
Submitted Mr Dees report. ^{Expenditure app'd}
Order Mr Dees to give detailed ^{£10000}
report in same form as Mr
Kennedy, & apply for a Resolution
authorising necessary repairs
giving sums required = £15 Expenditure
on Park more approved.

2870. Agents Commission on Insurance business
Referred to minute no 1253, and letter from
Messrs McDonough Boland no 7957

Order: The order of the Council transferring
business was to help an Irish company - & was
not intended to injure existing agents. The
undertaking given by brokers must stand
until altered
No Order.

2871 Clifden Roads: Major Heather's Complaint
Order: Await report.

2872 Transfer of Officers
Read Mr Gallagher's 8176 + Mr Hanafins 8075
Order: Chairman + Secretary to attend

2873 Glenamaddy Union
Read letter from Compensation Commission (G1707) 23/11/25
Order: Refer to Co Solicitor for advice

2874 Inam Roads. Sarahbeg Rd.
Read Messrs Conroy's 8120
Order: Send Messrs Conroy a copy of Ministry's R.F. 11 of 6th June

2875 Rates on Small Houses
Read Ministry's G54552
Order: Council consider that liability for all rates on small (amb. h.), dwelling houses in towns and on Labourers Cottages in Rural District should be transferred to the immediate lessors

2876 Athlery Court House
Submitted a file heard Mr Jordan
Ordered. That Council will pay Mr W.P. Higgins £25 per annum for suitable accommodation for full district court business including Registry, hearing attendance; also will provide suitable accommodation from such date as may be determined by J.S. & Co Surveyors

2877 Remittances to County Authorities
Ballinastol Asylum in urgent need of £500 to pay for potatoes
Order: Issue P.O for £500

Board of Health:
Secretary advises issue of £2500 to Board of Health
Order: Issue P.O for £2500

2877 Sunmore Water Works:
Submitted advertisement in Connacht Tribune 28/11/25. Neither Secretary of County Council nor Secretary Board of Health know anything about the insertion of this advertisement though their names ~~are~~ at present to be issued in their joint advertisement
Order: Enquire + report again

2878 Public Bodies Order:
Submitted Circular of 23rd Nov
Order: Send copies to Surveyor
In Invoice

Saturday 5th December 1925
Councillor M. McNeill, in the Chair
Present Councillors: Turey, Sweeney, Crowe, J. Lyle + O'Toole, C. A. Sweeney

2879 Finance. Bank Balance General A/c £27636.12.10
Unhonoured Overdraft £40000.0.0
Rates Collected this week £ 3397-0-0
Unpaid Rates Outstanding £ 112003.

Payments: Treasurers Authority signed
Subsidary 204242 to 204771 for £ 2041.3.76
Ink Road 1884 to 2075 for £ 706.19.5
goan 10 - 10 - for £
General 10 995 to 996 for £ 2771.0.0

2880 Conveyance of Prisoners: John Fahy Ballyadale
Order: Secretary to Endorse file approved for payment of Whelan's Bill £1.15.0

2881: Tolls at Headford Fair: Read Serjt Barry's letter (no 8332)

wrote Serjt Barry

Order: Reply that so far as Council are aware they have no powers or duties in regard to the collection of Tolls at Fairs or markets:

2882 Clifden workhouse

wrote Caretaker Copy to Council Serjt Barry

Submitted caretakers letter 8287 + Mr Bartleys letter to caretaker to allow Michael Courroy & his family to use portion of the workhouse Building

Order: Inform caretaker and Mr Bartley that the Council have no power to grant use of workhouse buildings, as these premises are vested in the Minister for Local Government.

2883 Dunmore water supply

wrote Colsher Copy to Sec B.O.H. Copy to P.H. & S.W.

Submitted Mr O Deas letter 8286
Order: Ask for documentary evidence that the loan will be forthcoming and of sanction of the Ministry to the loan. If this evidence is forthcoming secretary is authorized to ratify the advertisement, and proceed to get necessary rights of way etc. no expense to be incurred until the Ministerial & Bank sanctions are obtained

2884. Ballymasloe Courthouse Heating etc
Mr Lee C.S. reports new Boiler Costing £2 is required

wrote Mr Lee

Order: get the Boiler

2885

Ballymasloe Budewell

wrote Sec Rec B.O.H.

Read Mr Lee's letter of 3rd December
Order: Mr Lee to report whether there is any available accommodation in the Court House for Miss Stanley.

2886. Oakfield Newcastle Road

wrote Mr Lee

Submitted file.
Order: Co Surveyor is authorized to prosecute the Contractor

2887 Loughrea Budewell

Done

Submitted Mr Cahills letter no 7733 and L.G.D. 4.55902
Order: send L.G.D. Copy of no 7733

2888. Road Prosecutions

wrote Colsher

Mr Lee C.S. asks for authority to prosecute Contractor Rds 26/37 Gort (CU 8354)
Order: Granted

2889 Ballymasloe workhouse

wrote Ministry

Co Surveyor wants £20 to secure windows Ballymasloe workhouse.
Order: send application to Ministry for instructions: Committee do not consider expenditure on abandoned workhouses advisable

Claimed from B.O.H.

Damage By military
County Surveyor submits detailed Estimate of damage to Ballymasloe workhouse by National Troops £26.3.0

wrote Mr Lee

Order: Charge to Board of works and instruct Co Solicitor to obtain payment.

2890 Cughterard workhouse
Submitted Ministry's letter P56700
re application of Football Club for use
of Boardroom

Done ✓
Order: Send copy of letter to the
caretaker for compliance:

2891 Housing Acts:

Submitted H/501/32043/25

Order: Reply that no action has been
taken by the Town Commissioners of
Tuam and Loughrea under ^{sub}Section
2(b) of Section 6 of the Act.

wrote
S.D.

Submitted H/556/29132/25 re loan
granted to W.P. Fahy Loughrea
Order: Refer to Geo Solicitor for
Explanation

wrote
S.D.
Code

2892 Kibronan Coast Guard Station
Submitted 14307/25 from Office of
Public Works

Order: Refer to County Council.
Ascertain terms on which lease
would be given

wrote
BOW

2893 Home Assistance
Submitted Mr Heneghan's report
on Home Assistance in District
of Tuam and Glanamaddy.

Order: The Committee consider Mr
Heneghan has done good work in
compiling this report; they agree that
the cases referred to at Class 2 should
be struck off, and that the relief given
to Class 3 should be limited to a
period to be stated on the doctors

wrote Bost
Copy to Messrs
Heneghan

certificate: The Committee further consider
that Mr Heneghan should be authorized
and directed to bring the Home Assistance
in every district down to the max figure
100 shown for Mr Garveys District
The Committee ^{note} request that Mr Heneghan ^{will} be
directed to pursue his investigations on
the lines he has initiated, and that he
be empowered to strike out any cases he
considers should not be retained on
the relief lists (including Gannemara)

2894 Woodlands Sanatorium Cost of
Submitted P55491, and Mr Gallaghers
(No 8342 Cu)

wrote Bost

Order: Inform Mr Gallagher that Mr Kye
was asked to furnish the return ordered
by G.C.M 2699 i.e. "The total cost per annum
of keeping Woodlands Sanatorium" and that
such a return should of course include
all expenditure

COMHAIRLE CONNDAE NA GAILLIMHE
Rate Collection to Sat. 28 Nov.

Percentage of Warrant lodged.		Percentage of Warrant lodged.	
Ballinasloe :		Loughrea :	
Colohan, J.	47	Griffin, L. M.	47
Forde, R.	22	Corbett, T.	37
Manning, A. J.	40	O'Loughlin, J.	49
Clifden :		Walsh, Jas.	
Muldoon, Mrs. R.	35		
Coyne, J.	52	Mountbellew :	
Mongan, J. A.	55	Naughton, T.	50
Mongan, J. W.	42	Cunningham, M.	43
Heany, J. W. *		O'Malley, T.	46
Galway :		Glynn, P.	58
O'Connor, P. J.	30	Walsh, P.	88
Griffin, E.	50	Portumna :	
Concannon, M.	52	Walsh, Jno.	36
Smith, A. J. *		Morrissey, Jno.	35
Morris, John	29	Tuam :	
Glenamaddy :		Joyce, T. B.	45
Garvey, J.	53	O'Flanagan, P. J.	42
Garvey, M.	50	Joyce, P. M.	46
O'Connor, M.	54	Sloyan, T.	38
Gort :		Morris, Jno.	42
Corbett, P.	46	Dermoddy, J.	51
Coen, T.	51		
McInerney, T.	48	* Warrant not issued.	

Unless Rates are paid County Services
cannot be maintained.

1885 Rate Collection:

Rate collectors to be called on to employ every legal means to recover the rates:

Indeed etc.

Chairman
In music

COMHAIRLE CONNDAE NA GAILLIMHE.

DUTIES OF BOARD OF HEALTH
(ABOLITION OF RURAL DISTRICT COUNCILS).

REPORT OF COMMITTEE APPOINTED BY F.C.M. 2827.

Your Committee beg to report that they consider that the following matters should, in the first place, be dealt with by the Board of Health :-

(1) "The manner in which the future duties of the Board of Health, including powers and duties transferred from Rural District Councils, are to be carried out and the Staff to be appointed." When the Board of Health decide upon these points it would be for the County Council to consider whether and to what extent the necessary staff will be supplied from the ranks of Staffs of late Rural District Councils :

(2) The County Council have power to request the Minister to divide the County into two or more Rural Sanitary Districts to be called County Health Districts, but your Committee suggest that this request to the Minister should not be made until a report has first been obtained from the Board of Health, having regard to such commitments and liabilities as such a division may involve. For instance, the appointment of Medical Officers of Health for each County Health District under Section 21, separate offices and Staffs for each County Health District, etc.

Signed,

L. E. O DEAGHAIDH,
W. G. FOGARTY,
J. GALLAGHER,
J. J. HANAFIN.

(3) The question of Staff, both in regard to transfer and superannuation, is somewhat complicated from the fact that the Clerk and Assistant Clerk of the County Home, at Loughrea, are also Clerk and Assistant Clerk to the late Rural District Council of Loughrea.

The undermentioned Members of your Committee consider that, subject to sanction of the Ministry, the services of Messrs. Hanafin and Kelly, Clerk and Assistant Clerk respectively of the late Rural District Council of Loughrea, should be so utilised that they may not suffer any financial loss by the operation of the Local Government Act of 1925.

Signed,

L. E. O DEAGHAIDH,
W. G. FOGARTY,
J. GALLAGHER.

Saturday 12th December 1925

Chairman M. McNeill

Present P. Lyden: G. Bartley: H. O. Poole: Corbett
Surrey: J. Kyle: R. D. Sweeney (?)

2896 Finance Back Balance ya £26511:3:0
Payments today £ 6962:0:0
Authorised overdraft £40,000:0:0
Rate Outstanding £109,982 0:0

Secretary pointed out that if the Rate Collectors did their duty the Council would have no difficulty in meeting all liabilities

Order: Finance Committee are informed that a large proportion of outstanding Rates are due by large Ratepayers & hereby order that rates be recovered by seizure or otherwise without delay.

2897 Payments: Authorities as under were signed
Subsidiary a/c #772 to 5285 for £ 751.10.5
Trunk Road " 2076 to 2197 for £ 397.11.10
Loan " 692 to 791 for £ 277.11.5
General " 997 to 998 for £ 6962.0.0

2898 Rural District Council liabilities: Submitted files

Orders:

Ballinastoe: Pay Yes amounting to £4.12.0

Clifden Messrs Connolly a/c to be taxed

Galway Pay a/c amounting to £81.19.6 certified by Mr Kelly & send Messrs Conroy Law Cost £182.0.10 for Taxation to Mr O'Dea

Done Glencamaddy Order Pay £4.10.0 Return £13.6.6 for sanctions

Gort Pay £11.15.3 and £ 9.10.0

Loughrea Pay £ 5.0.0 and Return £11.4.9 for Certificate of Clerk late R.D.C.

Mountbellew: Pay £11.9.7: Return £1.15.0 for Certificate £25.10.0 of Clerk late R.D.C.

Quigleycard Pay £19.19.3

Portumna Pay £5.3.6: return Richard get up £6.7, and workhouse wall a/c for sanctions

Done)

Inam Pay £80:12:11 and return waterworks a/c for Clerks Certs

2899. Industrial Schools

Circular to Schools Inspectors Ministry

Referred to Minute L.C.M. No 760 of the 18th February 1920 raising the Capitation Grant to 5/- per week; also Minute 522 of 21st May 1919
Order: Committee recommend that the Capitation Grant be reduced by 20% as from the 1st January 1926. (i.e. to 4/- p.w. p.w.)

2900. Estimates - Roads

to write to Ministry Offices to each County

Submitted L.G. Act Sec 24(3) and it was Ordered that an application be made to the Minister for the issue of an Order under Sec 24(3) directing that the Council of each Urban District in Co Galway shall construct and maintain all the Main Roads in the Urban District administered by the Council.

The application is made for the following reasons: The Urban Councils are concerned in the roads in their districts as Sanitary Authorities, and also as Town Improvement Authorities dealing with lighting of streets etc. In Galway for instance there are struck special "Paving and Repairing" Rates "Water Rates" & Town Improvement rates: Roads are being continually ruffed up to repair broken water mains, sewers, and gas and electric mains + it would be impossible for the County Council to allocate the liability attributable to these operations - as distinct from Road making proper. The question of Town foot paths, channels crossings, bridges etc also complicated the case.

The Committee suggest that a payment, based on the average road-mile expenditure on Main Roads in the County, should be made to the Urban Councils by the County Council in respect of each mile of Main Roads in each Urban District

2901. Insurance Brokers

wrote McDonagh to Mr P. O. Dea P. O. Herbert

Submitted Messrs McDonagh Bolands letter of 10th December
Order: The question of brokerage cannot be interfered with by Finance Committee: with regard to agency fees the Committee consider that these fees should be paid to the recognised local agents of the Companies concerned.

2902. Home Assistance

wrote Sec. R. O. H. Sec. H. H. A. Dept. H. H. A. Ministry

Submitted Mr Hanafin's return 1915/1925
Order: The Committee observe that Home Assistance has increased from £3431.4.10 in 1915 to £12194.0.11 in 1925, and

consider that these figures prove the necessity for an exhaustive enquiry into this branch of expenditure: The necessary travelling expenditure to enable Mr Heneghan to pursue this enquiry would be well spent.

It is not considered necessary to review his remuneration until at least a year shall have elapsed from the date of his appointment.

2903. Registration Expenses. Submitted Registration Officers Requisitions (Voters) 31.10.25, and Junors: Secretary applied for advance of £250 to be accounted for by him in Registration a/c.

Draw P.O.

Granted

2904. Ballinasloe Workhouse

wrote Ministry

Submitted L.G. 187
Order: Inform L.G. that Committee will not recommend Council to pay an Engineer for work which the Committee believe they are entitled to have done by their County Surveyors; that putting in windows is a useless expenditure.

2905 Cleggan Pier - Gate at Cleggan Dock.
 Co. Surveyor requires £2.10.0 to remove
 portion of Gate now standing.
 Order: *Granted.*
 Sheds:

wrote Co Surveyor

Order: Collect rents:

2906 Ballinastoe Bridewell. The County Surveyor reports that
 there is no accommodation in the
 Ballinastoe Courthouse for the
 caretaker at present residing in the
 Bridewell.

wrote Rev. Mother

Order:-
 Committee cannot recommend
 alienation of this building:

2907 Oughterard Bridewell
 Ask Co Surveyor for a Report.

2908 Oughterard Graveyard:
 Bring up all the papers
 to the next meeting

Scholarships -
 Declaration of Allegiance

2909

Order: That Committee desire to
 inform the Technical Committee that it
 is very desirable that some formula should
 be found to relieve Irish Teachers from
 the necessity of taking Declaration under
 71 of the A. A. Act.

*wrote Deptt
 21. Dec.*

Indesat. E.H.

In memo

COMHAIRLE CONNDAE NA GAILLIMHE.

Secretary's Office,
 Courthouse, Galway,
 14th December, 1925.

RATE COLLECTION.

Sir,
 The Finance Committee have had under consideration
 the general financial situation of the County, particularly in
 regard to the state of the Rate Collection.

The Committee are informed that a large proportion of
 the outstanding rates are due by large Rate-payers, and by
 persons who have stock and other property available to the
 Collectors for the recovery of the rates due. The Finance
 Committee can see no reason why immediate proceedings
 should not be taken to recover the rates due in these cases.

The Committee have now almost reached the limits of
 their authorised Overdraft and money is urgently required to
 carry on the various Institutions which are dependent upon
 the County Council for funds. A Report showing the state
 of each Collector's Account to the 12th instant has been sent
 to the Minister for Local Government, and in view of the
 various warnings which have been given by the Finance
 Committee to Collectors, any Collector who gets into trouble
 for neglecting his work will only have himself to blame.

THE RATES MUST BE GOT IN IMMEDIATELY.

I am, Sir,
 Your obedient servant,
 W. G. FOGARTY,
 Secretary.

To each Poor Rate Collector.

*Issued 16/12/25
 See JCM 2896*

COMHAIRLE CONNDAE NA GAILLIMHE.

Secretary's Office,
 Courthouse, Galway,
 14th December, 1925.

Sir or Madam,

I am directed by the Finance Committee to inform you
 that in view of the state of the County Finances they are
 compelled to recommend the County Council to reduce
 Capitation Grants to Industrial Schools and Reformatories
 by twenty per cent (i.e., to 4/- per head per week,) as from
 the 1st January, 1926.

Your obedient Servant,
 W. G. FOGARTY,
 Secretary.

The Manager,
 Each Industrial and Reformatory.
 Inspectors of Industrial Schools, Dublin.
 Minister for Local Government, for information.

See JCM 2899

Saturday 19th December 1925

Chair Councillor McNeill in the Chair
Present Councillors O'Bole, J. Kyle, Cahill, Furey
Corbett, P. Connor, Sweeney

2905 Finance: Bank Balance £27218:4:4
Payments today £3486:0:0
authorised overdraft £30,000:0
Rate Outstanding £104370:0

Overdraft: Submitted file:
Submitted Mr Shees letter of the 12th December
Order: Inform the Manager that the Finance Committee require an overdraft of £10000 to end of December, and may require it to end of January but will try to reduce it to £30,000. The Bank are aware that the Council are doing everything possible to get in the Rates, and the Committee are getting somewhat tired of the writing minutes sent to the Treasurer by the Directors:

wrote to Bank

With regard to the statement in regard to Loans the Finance Committee do not understand the complaint of the Directors that "the present indebtedness of the Council to the Bank is excessive" whatever the indebtedness is, it is the result of negotiations and agreements with the Bank duly set out in mortgages prepared by the Bank's solicitor, and the Council have invariably met promptly all claims for principal and interest. The Bank are sellers of accommodation and the Council have purchased on the Bank's own terms; and promptly paid the agreed price:

The Directors write as if they had some grievance against the Galway County Council whereas the facts are all the other way, and the Council have genuine cause for complaint in regard to the recent harassing attitude of the Banks for which there is no justification

2906 Mental Hospital
Submitted MS 1096, CBM 2781 and Connacht Tribune of 19th December:

Done: Order: Send copy of 1096, and CBM 2781 to the Chairman of the Hospital Committee

2907 Estimates Submitted £57145: Order:
Order: Obtain Estimates from Mental Hospital: Board of Health: County Surveyors and Central Departments, and call a special meeting of Finance Committee to consider general Rate Estimates as soon as possible

wrote to H. O'Bole
C. McNeill
C. O'Bole
C. Sweeney
C. Furey
C. Corbett
C. P. Connor
C. Sweeney

2908 Rate Collection:
Submitted £5815, and state of Collection
Amount Collected this week £5612
Amount Outstanding £104370

Amount Collected

2909 Loughrea Bndewell: Read £57986
Order: Send copy to Town Commissioners and ask for an offer

wrote Town Clerk

2910 Rural Dist. Salaries
Order Ask L.G.D for reply to letter of 10th Dec

Reply now in

2911 Athenry Court House: Submitted Mr Lees Report, 8547 (See CBM 2876)
Order: Ask Mr Higgins if he is prepared to agree to arrangement set out in letter of 30th Nov to Messrs Lee Gallagher & Jordan

Mr Higgins

2912 Tuam Footpaths: Submitted file
Order: Send file to Mr O'Lea for advice

sent file to Mr O'Lea 21/12/25

2913 Galway Roads: Rabbit Cheque £80
Submitted letter from J. Rabbitt & Courroy & Sons
Order: Proceed as advised by Co Solicitor

wrote to Rabbitt

wrote Mr Wallace

2914 Court House Spiddal
Submitted letter from Mr Wallace (CU 8551)
Order: Inform Mr Wallace that if suitable accommodation for the holding of Courts including necessary furniture, heating lighting and attendance can be secured the Finance Committee authorize the payment of £12.10.0 per annum on the Certificate of the District Justice

wrote Mr Murray

2915. Sanatorium Grant (available £632.14.0)
Order: Inform L.G.D that the Council, in view of existing financial situation, have postponed consideration of further Capital Expenditure on Sanatorium for two years:

wrote Mr Odeas

2916. Insurance Broker:
Submitted correspondence with Messrs McDonogh Boland & National Insurance Co.
Order: Committee approve of the Secretary's letter of 17th inst.

wrote Mr Murray

2917 Portumna Electric Lighting (for claimed by Electric Light Co) no rate yet made on townlands liable

wrote Messrs Courroy & Sons

2918 Superannuation: Solicitors
Submitted letters re Mr P. Hogan:
Messrs Courroy & Sons:
Order: write applicants for specific statement of Claim

wrote Mr Soade

2919. Clifden Water Supply
Submitted Mr Foyle's letter
Order: Inform Mr Foyle that Council cannot obtain a loan for this work

2920 Oughterard Cemeteries: Submitted
1. File (see CU 2908) and referred to CU 2735
Order: Finance Committee cannot pay for land until doans available

des sent to Mr Stanafin for date?

2921. Rural District Liabilities: Submitted after of Reps. Berghin
Order Offer £20 in full discharge of nos. 4. 235. 6. 7 no 4 is Statute Barred No 3. not dealt with by Ministry

wrote Cosabr

2922 Tyam Roads no 16 M. (P. McHugh)
Read Cosabr's letter of 16th inst
Order: Issue summons against Contractor & Sureties

wrote

2923. Tuberculosis etc
Submitted by 27549 to BOST re Hutchinsons etc
Order: Instruct BOST that all Tuberculosis expenditure should be paid through the Tuberculosis etc so that County Council may obtain Auditors Certificate for recoupment.

wrote Mr Kennedy

2924. Damage to Galway Court House (£1043.7.4)
wrote as no 8630
Order: Refer file to Cos Surveyor to see Mr Sijne's Report.

wrote Mr Kelly

2925. Damage to Gort workhouse
Submitted Mr J. Johnson's letter of 10th Dec re repairs stated to have been carried out by all Stake Troops.
Order: Refer to Mr See for particulars

wrote Mr D. Deputies

2926. Claims against Government (General)
Read Mr Odeas letter 8628: Claims in his hands outstanding amounting to £8475
Order: Direct the attention of the Ministry of Local Government to these long outstanding claims: also send list to Deputies for County, and point

out that it is very embarrassing to the County Council to be kept out of so large a sum at a time when the finances of the County require every possible support.

2927 Submitted a/c's and Treasurers a/c's

Subsidiary	5371/5908	£ 1527. 2. 4
Bank	15909/6156	£ 1293. 4. 6
Loans	2198/2108	£ 575. 11. 5
General	797/755	£ 187. 17. 4
General	999/1000	£ 3486. 0. 0

and authority was signed

Indeal 6th

Chairman

Saturday January 2nd 1926

Chair: Councillor McKeel: President Councillors

2928

Finance

Bank Balance	£ 29357. 13. 5
Drawn today	£ 9720
Authorized Overdraft	£
Rate Outstanding	£ 98643. 0. 0

2929

Payments

Subsidiary	6160/6743	£ 2070. 17. 0
Bank	2409/2662	£ 1307. 12. 2
Loans	798/867	£ 343. 14. 5

2930

Portlanna Lighting Order

Read PH 60238
Order send copies to B.O.A. Mr Donohue
Thurstone

Done 30/12/25

2931

Estimates - Government Grants:

Submitted 58513.
Order. Ascertain when the particulars re increased agricultural grant will be available

wrote L.H.D.

Dog Licenses: Read 58513. notifying that Dog licenses will be required to keep the District Clerk Fund in a solvent condition.
Order: Refer to the Solicitor for advice as to law.

wrote Solicitor (H).

2932

Reformatories + Industrial Schools

Referred to Connacht Tribune leader of 26th Dec. + submitted statistics: Read Bro. O'Brien's letter.
Order: send statement of the facts to the Editor Connacht Tribune

Done

2933

Remittances: - Mental Hospital Secretary reported that the Bank having sanctioned overdraft of £40,000 to end of December he had released £4,300 to Mental Hospital

Order: Approved

Done

Board of Health:

Order: That £5,000 be issued on a/c of Demand

Done 30/12/25

2934

Marconi Station Rates:

Submitted Correspondence

Order: send Correspondence to the Solicitor to advise

Done 31/12/25

2935

Overdraft: Submitted G60534.

Order: send Copy to Treasurer and ask for reply to letter of 21st inst re Overdraft Loans.

Done 31/12/25

2936

Jailhouses: Submitted letters from J. Hogan, J. O'Connell + P. O'Malley re Minute 2926

Noted

2937

Estimates: Submitted a letter to L.H.D. after Conference of County Officials held on 21.12.25

Approved

2938 Childrens Act. Gart Court (Lynch Children)
Order Mr O'Lea to take whatever action may
be necessary to safeguard Co Galway funds

2939 Dunmore Court House
Submitted Mr Learys letter (8797)
Order send file to Councillor Kennedy,
for report of Committee

2940 Inam Aheury Road Loan
Read letter from Sec Co Galway Insurance: no
money available for investment.
Order: send copy to Ministry and state
that the committee consider that monies contributed
by Co Galway workers should be invested in local
loans which provide work for the members of the
Society, and ask Ministry to impress this view on
the Insurance Commission

2941 Weights & Measures.
Submitted letters re reprinting of notices
Order: The Finance committee do not understand
why it is necessary to put this new charge on
the rates: the committee consider that if the
notices are printed in a trade journal they are
in a sufficiently convenient form for reference

2942 Mountbellew Road (Kilcoole - Doonard)
Submitted Petition of Mr Keely for
Order: Refer to Co Surveyors

Ballinacole Roads Ladergoole Road
Order Refer to Co Surveyors

2943 Main Road Order Submitted
Noted

2944 Superannuation: Clerks District Councils
Submitted files and committee recommend that applications
be dealt with as follows:
✓ Ballinacole: J Dunne - no claim
Clifden (4 years 2000) J King - Grant Superannuation £168.16.8 as from 1st Jan 1926
Galway P. Lally - to be employed under Board of Health
Glenamaddy (13 years 2000) J. Bruen - grant S.A. £160.5.10 p.a as from 1st Jan 26
Yort P. Fahy - not entitled to superannuation: recommended
for transfer to Board of Health

Loughrea J. Hanafin: service 12 7/12: add 6 7/12 = 19: Emoluments
£30.14 + 7/10 = £36.9.14: see report of conference
dated 2nd Dec recommending that Mr Hanafin
be retained at his full combined salaries
P. J. Kelly: asks to be superannuated on R.P.C.
and to Home salaries: Committee recommend
this if he is not re-employed
Salaries £194.6.7 Service 10 7/12 years add 5 7/12 = 16
16/60ths of 194.6.7 = £51.16.0 p.a

Mountbellew Service 26 7/12 + 13 7/12 = 40: Salary £261.5.0 + 7/3
R. Halvey: = £174: 3.11. Superannuation recommended
Oughterard P. Joyce 34 + 17 = 51 + 17 = 68 + 16 = 84 + 4 = 88 Do
Portumna M. Deane: Salary £136.13.11. 4 1/2 years service: if entitled
to superannuation gratuity would be 2 3/4 years = 107 5/8 = 107.5.8
Inam J.P. McDonogh: Salary £406.5.0 Service 31 years.
406.5.0 + 7/3 = £270.16.8. Supⁿ recommended

Order: The Committee recommend
above but point out that Mr P. J. Kelly
a pensionable Officer is willing to
serve under the Board of Health:
The Council should reserve the right to cancel
pensions of officials subsequently employed

2945 Home Assistance: Submitted Report of Mr Heneghan S.A.0
recommending an Annual Reduction of £596.8.0 over
bedistricts of Yort, Loughrea + Mountbellew

Order: The Finance Committee are convinced that
Mr Heneghan is bringing both common-sense, and enthusiasm to
bear on his work, and recommend his suggestions to the
support of the different County authorities concerned

2946 Rural District Salaries
wrote Clerk's form 22
submitted £58512
Order: Pay salaries as directed

2947 Public Bodies Order 1925
submitted Order, and letter to
L.G.O dated 31st Dec 'Estimates' which
was Approved.

2948 Loughrea Courthouse
wrote Mr. W. H. (H)
wrote reports two stoves burned
out: New ones required Cost £15
Order: Expenditure approved.

2949 Compulsory Clauses - Education Act
Clifden: Loughrea, Cugheraro + Inam
Committee recommended that committees be abolished
as from 1st April 1926

2950 Mr Sweeney's Motor Loan
wrote Mr. Sweeney (H)
Secretary reported that Mr Maurice
Sweeney has not carried out his agreement.
Order: Take £12.10.0 now + £5 a quarter beginning
1st February.

2951 Loughrea Roads
wrote Mr. W. H. (H)
County Surveyor is authorised to prosecute
the Contractor for Road no 77

2952 Rate Collection
wrote Mr. W. H. (H)
See Order on Chart

W. J. O'Connell
4/1/26
Indesed. E.H.

Galway County Council

Saturday 9th January.
Chair: M. McNeill
President: Councillor Faery: O'Boole

2953 Damaged Bridge: Account overdrawn £4770.11.9
Ile with Mr. McNeill to explain discrepancy
Order: County Surveyors to prepare
requisition for this amount.

2954 Co Estimates 1926/7
Secretary submitted a preliminary
report to County Council re Estimates
which was adopted.

2955 Finance: Submitted Balance Books
Bank Balance £ 28693-10-3 D.
Authorised Overdraft £ 30000-0-0
Drawn £
Rate Outstanding £

Donegall Secretary reported that Orders for Road
labour authorized on the 2nd inst remain
in the office unissued as the Treasurer
reported that the £40000 Overdraft sanctioned
by the Ministry to the 31st January has not
been sanctioned by his directors: Reported interview
with Manager + General Manager as set out in letter to
Treasurer dated 8th January (Councillors Elder
Nelson + Secretary) Read letter of 8th inst. from Manager M.B.
Order: Refer whole file to County Council

2956. Urban District Roads
Submitted R/R of 7th Jan.
Order: Co Surveyors to note and
provide in Annual Road Scheme accordingly

2957. Dunmore Courthouse: Submitted file
Order: Ascertain if Mr McNeill's house
is satisfactory to District Justice Davery + bring up again

Done
See Report
on 1/11/26

2958 Damage to Property (Compensation) Act: Submitted file: Order call attention of the Council to the fact that while the Longway Claims do not exceed £20,000 the County is being charged over £60,000

2959 Public Bodies Ord 1925
Submitted Circular 57863 inviting Secretary to Conference at local Govt Offices on 14th & 15th inst. Secretary pointed out that, owing to County Council meeting on 14th he could not attend on that day but proposed to attend on the 15th

Order: Approved

2960 Apportionment of Rates
Submitted 57863

Order: Reply that in the opinion of the Committee the Rate Book and Demand Notes should be so framed that making out Demand Notes may be a simple copying operation for Copying Clerks not involving any reference to any other book.

2961 Treasurer:
Submitted Correspondence with Treasurer re Overdraft & Loans: Labour Orders unissued
Order: Refer to Council

M. Francis

Payments:		
Sub. acf	6746-7037	£ 2871-18-8
Trans Road	2660-2722	375-11-0
Loan	868-930	346-16-8
Trans pro	1013-1014	3260-0-0

M. Francis
11/12/26
Indesced E.H.

January 16th 1926
Chair M. McNeill In the Chair
Present E. Corbett; H. Doole J. Hanagan J. Nye

2962 Payments:
Subsidary acf 205/1411 £ 1664-8-3
Bank Road acf 222/288 £ 825-7-8
Loan acf 231/232 £ 165-0-0
General acf 1005/1006 £ 2490-0-0

Finance

Bank Balance (General) today	£ 20532
Authorized Overdraft	£ 30000
Drawn today	£ 2490
Rate Collected this week	£ 6333
Rate Outstanding	£ 86801
Percentage Collected	57%

2963. Asst County Surveyors:
Submitted Mr. Gallaghers letter of 11th inst re Asst Surveyors and engineering work under Board of Health
Order: Refer to County Council with a recommendation that if a more economical arrangement can be made with existing Engineering Staff than by employing other engineers the County Council might with advantage concur in such arrangement. Obviously if the Asst Surveyors are to take over this work they should be paid for it.

Wrote to B.O.H.

2964. Aherly Court Accommodation
Recd Mrs. Jennis letter
Order Ask of C.C. would undertake to have Court opened & closed.

Wrote Chief Constable X

2965 Urban Road
Submitted letter from Ministry
Order: Committee agree that if the
County Council take over any roads
in the Urban District they should
take all send copy to Urban
Council and ask for their views

Soule

2966. Rate Collection: Blifden No 5.
Submitted bond of collector Beamy.
Order: Issue his warrant.

Wrote Beamy
Wrote Collector
18/1/26

Galway No 5 & Luam No 7.
Letter from collector J. Morris re payment
of poundage.
Order: Cannot pay more than
the Council fixed
Dughterard No 1.

Wrote Mrs Gerrick
& Collector

Seizure of cattle belonging to Margaret
Gerrick on Capt Barrett's land.
Letter (178) from collector Malley.
Order: Committee cannot interfere.

2967 Post Guard Station at Kibronan.
Submitted letter (315) from the
Board of works.

* Refer to Council

2968. Loughrea Bridewell.
Loughrea Town Commissioners
offer £5 a year for Bridewell.
Order: F.C. recommend acceptance
subject to sanction

sent to
Ministry

2969. Ballinastoe workhouse. Mr. M. M. Whymms applies for
portion of Union Buildings on lease.

Wrote Mr Whymms

Order: No power

2970. Weights & Measures. Reprints of notices from Irish Trade Journal.
Read letter (209) from Department of
Industry & Commerce.

Wrote
Flannery

Order: In view of explanation
Committee Concur ✓

2971 Portlanna fighting. Submitted letters from M. Donohoe
and M. C. Brouse

Wrote
McCormack

Order: In view of sealed Order
Committee cannot pay more than 3rd Rate.

2972 Co Surveyors Office
Made Report that owing to pressure of
work on new Public Works Scheme
he had to employ a temporary
Clerk for four days
Order: Approved

2973 Combined Purchase
Submitted 29m/mum 5726 re
conference on combined purchase
at Ministry's Office on 28th January
Order: One of the Co Surveyors
to attend

2974 Maroon Rate
Submitted Co Solicitor letter 387
Order: Co Solicitor Authorized to
write in accordance with his letter

Wrote
to Co Sol

2975 Roga Prosecutors. Luam 41/02/17/447
Read Mr Kennedy's letter 16th January
Order: Prosecutors authorized

Wrote
to Kennedy

2976 Road Machinery
Submitted Co Surveyors Schedule:
Breaking Plant Coal, oil + Crew £2.10.0 per day
Same + Crew (Excluding Coal + oil) £2.0.0
Rollers & Tractors. Including men £2.0.0
Order: approved

Wrote
Chambers

Plant.

2977 *write Mr. Lee 18/1/25* Hire of Roller. Mr Lee's letter 4014
Order: Hire on New Terms.

write Mr. Kennedy 18/1/25 Cahill Bros. Mr Kennedy's letter re bunch
Order: Mr Kennedy to comply if he thinks fit

2978 *File to Mr Lee 18/1/25* Pertanna workhouse. Damage
Order: Mr Lee to Report.

File to Mr Lee Mounthellow workhouse
same order

2979 *write to Mr Healy* Gort workhouse. Mr Muekerus Complaint
Order: Mr Healy to report.

2980 *write to Mr Lee 4/12* Island collections
Read Mr Muekerus letter 265
Order: send copy to L.G.D. with general statement as to Island Collections & ask whether L.G.D. if they can suggest any remedy.

2981. Criminal Injury Decrees.
Order: Not to be paid until claimants pay all rates due
in arrears

2982. Employment of Mr Walsh. Cross as Carter.
Councillor O Toole raised the question of the non-employment of this man, stated to be a good worker. County surveyor reports that the man was stated to be in such comfortable circumstances that his employment was not justified.
Order: Walsh is to get his turn of employment.
in arrears

Saturday, January 23rd 1926.

Chair: M. McNeill in the Chair

Present: Mr Toole; Jurey: Sweeney, J. Kyne & Corbett. J. Flanagan.

2983. Finance: Bank Balance today £18272.18.11
Drawn today £5000.0.0
Authorized Overdraft £30000.0.0
Rate collected this week £6203.0.0
Percentage collected to date 100%
Amount Outstanding £80,598:0:0

Payments: The following payments were authorized
Subsidary a/c no 7412 to no 7704 for £1131.9.2
Trunk Road a/c no 2884 to no 2977 for £134.4.8
Loan a/c no 9311 to no 9914 for £105.0.0
General a/c transfer no 1007 to no 1008 for £1267.0.0

2984. *write him 18/1/25* Resolutions:
Submitted Mr E. Chambers letter to the Chairman with Enclosures - and file.
Order: Thank Mr Chambers for his interesting letter

2985. Submitted following demands:

Name of Authority	Amount.	Amount for same a/c in last year Acc.
* Board of Health (Relief)	£81,000	£70,000
✓ Mental Hospital	£45,969	£41,412
✓ Sanatorium	£3,271	£3,209
* Board of Health (Health)	£12,559	£7,599.7 (Districts)
✓ Agriculture	£2,700	£1,800
✓ Technical Instr (only)	£900	£900
✓ Do (Irish)	£900	£1,800
✓ Education	£2,410	£3,270
Roads:	£84,118	£76,245 excluding Urban

2985 Gort Work House

Read Mr Heelly's (No 510) & Mrs Mulkerin No 511

wrote Mr Heelly

Order: Mr Heelly to report:

How long the breach has existed, and whether, if it is a convenience to Mrs Mulkerin there is any good reason why she should be deprived it: also why he closed the breach, and on what Authority

2986 Linnahouse

wrote Mr Woodhouse

Agro Doyness applies for increased rent

Order: Finance Committee cannot increase rent.

2987

wrote Mr Smith

Collector Alf Smith, Arran asks for the assistance of W. Weston for one week to get his accounts in order to start collection

Granted

Urban Roads Galway

2988

Read letter from Town Clerk Galway and Mr Kennedy to Surveyor:

wrote G.D. + wrote Town Clerk

Order: In view of the Ministry's letter of 4th January Committee consider it would be best for the County Council to maintain all roads in the Urban District. The Ministry to be asked to determine by Order the points referred to at nos 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 of Mr Kennedy's letter

with regard to point 4 (existing Urban Road staff) Town Clerk to be asked for a Certified Return showing the names of officers, posts held, short statement of duties, salaries or wages paid: suggest conference on all points with Urban Council, Chairman Mr Corbett, Co Surveyor & Secretary:

2989

wrote Mr Kennedy

Galway Purthouse

Submitted quotations for chairs

Order: Get Wilson Chairs

2990 Lighterard Roads

wrote Mr Sweeney

Mr Sweeney wants wall opposite his house removed

Order: Mr Sweeney to submit plans of proposed alteration. Permission given subject to Co Surveyors approval:

2991

wrote Mr Gorman

Road Scheme:

Submitted form 20, and Printers Proof which Secretary report contains all the information required also form 19: Same report

Order - approved as in proof: -

2992

wrote G.D.

Glenamaddy RR Scheme:

County Surveyor requires authority to continue his grid system for account purposes:

Order: Approved

2993

wrote Mr Wree

Agfala Road

Read O1348 re Grant.

Order: Wree will be responsible if this grant is lost.

2994

wrote

Board of Health

Read Mr Gallagher's (No 607)

Order: Pay Balance of Demand to 31st March £3150.

2995

wrote G.D.

Hickey Collection

Submitted arrears Sub £569.9.7

Recommend Sp and Refund £374.15.5

As allow £194.14.2

Approved.

Insurance Society Funds

2996 Read Mr Mullins letter
 Order that in the opinion of the Committee Loans for County purposes and Security of Rates should be made a Trustee Security for Investment of Approved Society funds which are almost entirely made up of County Council Contribution

to role Mr Mullins
 Copy to Mr. D. for information
 Copy to Insurance Com.

In Minute

2997 Lady Ratue Clerk:
 Secretary submitted case:
 Order: Temporary Ratue Staff to be confined to men; wages to be 50/- per week

written Mr. Boardman

In Minute

2998 £120,000 Grant for Unemployment Relief
 Order: That an application be made for County Galway share of this Grant:

to role Mr. Boardman
 Copy to Mr. Boardman
 Copy to Dept of Information

In Minute

Saturday 30th January 1926
 Mr McNeill in the chair

Present: Councillors

2999 Finance
 Bank Balance today £ 18256.0.11
 Mason today £
 Authorized Overdraft £ 30,000, expires today
 Rate Collected this week £
 Percentage Collected today £
 Amount Outstanding £
 Order. wire L.G.D. for sanction to Overdraft 28th Jan.

3000 Rental of Property

Mr Gardner has not submitted Rental and account work up on 26 Nov. 11th Jan 26th January
 Unless sent in Council will allow another year.

to role Mr. Boardman
 5/1/26

3001 Gort Workhouse
 Submitted Mr Kelly report dated 28th January

to role Mr. Boardman
 5/1/26

Order: allow Mr Mullins

3002 Weights & Measures Act

Read letter from Dept of Industry & Commerce (40748)

Order: Ask the Department to state the number of sets required. The Committee notice with regret that the cost of administering the ~~Weights & Measures Act~~ W & M Act is increasing and think that this cost should be put on the traders at whose request, and presumably for whose advantage, the cost is incurred

3002 South Dunmore appeal -

READ AT MEETING
 30/1/26
 No. 2839

In Minute

Martin Ryan Chairman

Indiced E.H.

over.

Wednesday 3rd Feb 1926
Councillor M McNeill in the
Chair
W. Morgan, H O'Boole, S Connor

3003. Estimates: The Estimates
were submitted for consideration
& adopted: Read Ministry telegram
& secretary is directed to go to Dublin
in McNeill

Saturday, 6th February 1926.
Councillor McNeill in the chair.
Present: Councillors McDonogh, Lydon
J. Kyne, Furey, Sweeney.

3004. Finance:
Bank balance today £ 6494.11
Drawn today as under £ 4306.00
Authorised overdraft £ indefinite
Rate collected this week £ 5300
Percentage collected to date £ 114.2%
Amount outstanding £ 7229.3

3005. Payments: Subsidiary a/c no. to no. £ 1052.12.1
Trunk Roads " " £ 40.5
Loan a/c " " £ 214.10.5
General a/c " " £ 4306

3006. Overdraft: Ministry sanction G. 5034-4 Feb 1926 to overdraft
of £40,000, to 28th Feb received
Wrote Sweeney

3007. Courthouses:

Wrote Mr Jordan

Athlone Courthouse.
The Commissioner, Civil Guard, Dublin, intimates that
the local Civil Guard cannot take charge of the keys
of Athlone Courthouse.

Order: Ask Dist. Court Clerk
to take charge of keys!

Wrote Mr McHugh
to move for
agreements

Sanmore Courthouse.
Mr Owen J. McHugh accepts offer of £15 for
Court accommodation & storage of weights &
measures. Tenancy to be terminated on three
months notice in writing on either side.

Order: Agree

3008.

Clifden Water Supply

Wrote H.W.
& Co Surveyor
Copy to D.O.H.

Submitted Ministry's S.4731 of the 3rd February
re allocation of £500 from amount voted
for Relief Schemes. Grant applicable only to
period ending 31.3.1926.

Order: Accept £500: Finance
Committee require a Report from
their Co Surveyor Mr Kennedy on this
project & its present state.

3009. Workhouses.

Wrote Mr Del

Co Surveyor estimates £5,17.6 to carry out
repairs to roof & chimneys.

Granted

3010. Encroachments.

Wrote to
Solicitor
Copy to Mr Kennedy

Wooden Structure in Street at Gort.
Read letter of 3rd Feb from G.M. Kennedy
with regard to removal of obstruction.

Order: Ask Mr O'Sea
to reply to Mr Kennedy

3011. Clonfert Road

Wrote Barry

Submitted letter of 1st Feb. from Messrs
Barry & Son, ^{reference} their letter of the 15th
December 1925.

3012. Secretary reported that he had conferred with Ministry re Estimates and found that his Estimate was not in the form contemplated by the Ministry. The Ministry will not agree to differential rates in the Districts for adjustment purposes: The general rate must be a flat rate over the County, and district credits can only be given by reducing separate charge rates. If the District credit exceeds the sep. charge rate the difference must go over to credit of next year's separate charge rate - Roads & Rate collection to be charged to District for the year 1925/6 for adjustment purposes.

On these instructions the Estimate have been recast, and the rates necessary will be as follow.

General Rate for Roads, County Services Poor Relief and Health
 Land 111 1/4 Agr. Grant 40 1/4 Other Services 157 3/4

Reduction under County Rate Adjustment Rules in separate charges

Ballinacorney	1/4	increase	=
Clifden	4 3/4	decrease	
Galway	9	do	
Glenamaddy	17 3/4	do	
Yest	18 1/2	do	
Loughrea	8 1/2	do	
Monkellew	10	do	
Cupkerard	21 3/4	do	
Bohanna	12 1/4	do	
Maam	1 1/4	do	

Order: Approved

Indiced E.H.

3013 Finance:

Balance today £6494.1.1. Dr
 Drawn today £
 Authored & cleared £
 Rate collected this week £
 Percentage to date £
 Amount outstanding £

3014 Urban Council Roads: Submitted report: County Surveyor wants a Materials Order Open same & carry on

3015 Apts ap submitted no Lardner ap & Cheque £37.17.11: Receipt £141.17.6 Count expenses £103.15.7. Order: Examine ap & report.

3016 Relief of unemployment Submitted wheels proposal (927) Order: Forward to L.G.O.

3017 Shanafurraue to Poll. Road: Order: L.S. to make an application for a grant.

Do Ballinacorney to Myra (Galway) Rd. Order: L.S. to make application

3017 Sudden Damage Road No. 25 Order granted: M. M. M. M. M.

Indiced E.H.