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Saturday, 18th September 1926.

Chair. M. McNeill.

Present: H. O'Loole, B. Hydon, J. Skjine, E. Corbett, P. Turey, J. McKearney, P. Cahill, J. Kenny.

3484. Finance: Bank balance today £34850-19-9 D.
Sanctioned overdraft £60,000 to 30/9/26.

3485. Rate collection: Submitted rate chart
collected this week £6805
Total collected to date £37843
Percentage collected 15.4%
Total outstanding £208306.

3486. Payments:
Subsidiary ofc. No. 11277 to no. 11620 £1598.19.0
Trunk Road " " 1149 " 1275 £454.4.4
Loan " " 1073 " 1137 £356.4.5
Order: approved & authorities signed.

3487. Clifden Collection no. 5. Collector J.W. Heaney.
Referred to F.C.M. 3489.
The collector has lodged £92.8 withheld.
Order: write to G. Grealley to know if he can get a collector on his land.
Bring arrears into new warrant

3488. Insurances: Employers' Liability Policy.
Read letter (5852) from Hibernian Fire Ins. quoting 43/6%
Present rate 21/9%. Paid last year. Renewal £147.6.0. Excess £119.16.5.
Read letter from Hibernian Ins. Coy dated 13 Sept. Total £567.2.5.
McCannagh & Boland, in letter (5825) state they can obtain quotation from Irish Life & General Ins. Coy.
Submitted Local Authorities (Mutual Assoc) Oct 1926.
Order: await reply from Messrs McCannagh & Boland.

3489. Housing Act - Loans.

wrote Co. Solrs. 21/9/26

Submitted application from J. Carroll for instalment of loan £190.
Original certificate no. 57, cancelled by Housing Dept. in June 1925, & new certificate for £60 approved in Aug 1925.
Council approved of loan £120. F.C.M. 1826.
Amount now available for allocation £570 referred to F.C.M. 3028.

Order: £100 loan granted.
" £150 to Wm Tierney, Coorheen.
" £100 to J. Flanagan, Derryhinny.

3490. Encroachments.

wrote Co. Surveyor 21/9/26

(a) Munster & Feinstes Bank, Ballinacree.
Read letter (5620) from Mr. Colahan on behalf of Wm Burke, objection to extension.
Co. Surveyor (5643) recommends that projection be not granted.
Order: matter left in hands of Co. Surveyor.

wrote Co. Solrs. 21/9/26

(b) Read letter from Mr. & Mrs. Burke, Kinnara re railing built round square at Kinnara, by B. P. Winkle.
Order: instruct Co. Solrs. to have obstruction removed.

wrote Co. Surveyor & J. Greene 21/9/26

(c) Read letter from Mr. J. Greene, Loughrea for permission to erect electric lamp over shop door.
Order: granted.

wrote Mrs. Bondron & Co. Surveyor 21/9/26

(d) Submitted letter from Mrs. Bondron, Athlery for permission to suspend an illuminated sign outside premises.
Order: granted.

3491. Bridges. (a) Loughconnor ~~Ballinacorney~~ Bridge.
Submitted the following tenders:-
P.J. McDonnell £38. Order: Mr McDonnell's tender
Mr Joyce £55. accepted.
(b) Ballinacorney Bridge. Amount allowed £483.
Read tenders from.
Order: Re-advertise.
(c) Ballymac Bridge: Read letter from Mr. Kerney,
Co. S. Roscommon, asking if Co. Council will contribute a
further £50 out of £100 required to complete work.
Original contract £200 of which Galway contributes £100.
Order: Recommend Co. Council to contribute 50% of additional
cost up to a limit of £50.

wrote to Surveyor 21/9/26
wrote Col Surveyor 21/9/26
wrote Mr Kerney 21/9/26

3492. Cinematograph Act. Submitted applications from Mr J.
Gilchrist, Loughrea, and Mrs Payne,
Athlery, for renewal of licenses, and
applications from J. Garvey, Tuam & J. O'Meara,
Portlanna.
Order: Await reports from Civic Guard.
Order: Recommend Co. Council to contribute 50%
of additional cost up to a limit of £50.
Apply to Ministry for Inspector.

wrote Civic Guard 21/9/26
wrote Ministry 21/9/26

3493. Rural District Council asp of Mr W. Sarsfield B.S. £57.6.0.
Liabilities: Galway RD. Read report from B.O. Health & letter from Mr.
Sarsfield agreeing to accept £52.6.0.
Order: Adjourn

3494. Third Party Insurance - Claim of R.W. Simmons.
Submitted letter (5853) from R.W. Simmons.
Order: Refer to Insurance Company
& to Co. Surveyor.

Done.

3495. Courthouse. Letterfrack Courthouse.
Submitted letters from District Court
Clerk & from Miss O'Grady.
Order: Send copy of Miss O'Grady's letter to
the D.C. Clerk.

wrote D.C.C. 21/9/26

(b) Roundstone Courthouse
Read letter from Bro. Ambrose claiming
£3 for repairs & painting.
Co. Council cannot pay for repairs.

wrote Bro. Ambrose 21/9/26

3496. Rates on labourers cottages. Read letter from Board of Health.
noted.

3497. Vicar Street, Tuam. Munster & Leinster Bank, Tuam.
Read letter (5876) from Co. Surveyor, enclosing letter from Messrs.
Beckett & Harrington for encroachment of 8 ft at Dublin Road corner.
wrote to Labr 21/9/26
Refer to Co. Labr for advice.

3498. Quarries: Ballydonnellan Quarry.
Mr James Linnane Co. for £16
Land Commission offer quarry for £16
Submitted form of agreement which the Co. Surveyor
recommends should be completed.
Order: Sign agreement.
It fears the quarry

3499. Gleanagaddy Loughrea Roads. P. Naughton, M.ohan & John Kelly
have lodged rates towards cost
of repairing road at Train Park.
Read letter from Councilor Jones.
Rates cannot be lodged towards repair of
road. Application should be made to have
road included in next year's road scheme.

wrote Mr Jones 21/9/26

3500. Ballinasloe Urban Roads. Submitted resolution from
the Ballinasloe Ratepayers Assn.
asking the Co. Council to reduce demand for
maintenance of Urban Roads.
Order: Co. Council cannot reduce
estimate.

wrote Ballinasloe Ratepayers Assn 21/9/26

3501. Drainage. Read letter (5905) from Board of works
re selected drainage schemes.
noted.

3502. Third Party Insurance. Claim of W. J. Rogers
 Read letter (5070) from MacDonagh & Boland
 & Co Surveyor's report.
 Order: Refer to MacDonagh & Boland.

wrote MacDonagh & Boland 22/9/26

3503. Remission of Rates. Housing Act 1924.
 Read application from Thos. Haugan Ballymore and McPewery Ballyquadder
 Referred to C.C.M. 2251.
 Order: Finance Committee adhere to C.C.M. 2251.

wrote 22/9/26

3504. Refund of rates on vacant buildings.
 Read application from McCarty Bros for refund of rates paid on vacant buildings from 1. 10. 1924 to 31. 3. 1926.
 £16. 17. 6

wrote McCarty Bros 22/9/26

Order: Refund £16. 17. 6 subject to guarantee that if of surcharge, the money will be refunded to the Council.

3505. Poundage.

wrote Mining 22/9/26

Submitted statement of poundage due as follows:

Collector R. Muldoon	£ 80. 4. 11
" J. Coyne	£ 56. 16. 11
" J. Haugan	£ 67. 9. 10.
" W. Monahan	£ 27. 7. 4
" L. Forbett.	£ 100. 1. 10.
" J. Morrissey	£ 83. 3. 8

Order: apply to Ministry for sanction.

3506. Cinematograph Act.
 Submitted application from John McCormack for license for travelling show.
 Order: Refer to Civic Guard for report.

wrote Civic Guard 22/9/26

3507. Nurse Barrett.
 Civil Bill £ 39. 8. 5.
 Solicitor asks if he may accept service of civil bill from Messrs Giddins & McDermott.
 Order: accept service.

wrote Col Solr. 22/9/26

3508. Anne Judlow v. l. c.
 Civil Bill £ 150. Quarry.
 Messrs Hogan & Shields asks to solicitor to accept service of civil bill.
 Order: accept service & refer to Co. Surveyor for report.

wrote Col Solr. 22/9/26

3509. John Quinn v. l. c.
 Civil bill £ 52. 14. 0 - Stones. York Rd.
 Messrs Hogan & Shields ask if to solicitor will accept service of civil Bill.
 Order: accept service & refer to County Surveyor for report.

wrote Col Solr. 22/9/26

3510. Rate collectors in arrears.
 Referred to Min. 3486.
 Adjourn for one week.

3511. Extraordinary Traffic.
 Headford Road - MacDonagh & Sons Galway offer 6^d per ton for damage to road.
 Co. Surveyor's recommends.
 Order: accepted without prejudice.

wrote Col Surveyor 22/9/26

3512. National Road Scheme. Allocation.
 Submitted letter from Roads Department and Co Surveyor's reply.

wrote Ministry 22/9/26

Order: Reply to the Committee had before them your letter of 17th inst.

to Mr Kennedy Co Surveyor commenting on his report dated July 31st last to the Co. Council in reference to the allocation to County Galway of the National Road Grant. The Finance Committee cannot agree with the statement contained in the following sentence "you are not entitled to suggest to the Co. Council that they are unfairly or inequitably treated in the matter of allocations from the Road Fund". If Mr Kennedy had failed to bring forward the facts and make the suggestions contained in his report the Finance Committee would consider him wanting in the proper discharge of his duties to the Co. Council whose official he is. With reference to the last paragraph of the Ministry's letter to Mr Kennedy the Finance Committee would be glad to be informed what statements and assumptions in the report are based on wrong information and are erroneous. The Committee are satisfied that the statements contained in the report are based on facts and the assumptions are reasonable deductions from the facts.

The Committee consider that the Ministry in writing to the Co. Surveyor direct on a matter submitted to them by the Co. Council, and in the terms of the letter, are endeavouring to interfere with an official of the Co. Council in the proper discharge of his duties behind the backs of the County Council. Such an action by the Ministry is without precedent and cannot be justified.

Indexed C.C.

M McNeill

Saturday, 25th September, 1926.

Chair. M. McNeill.

Present. H. W. Loole, B. Bydon, J. McDonagh, P. Carey, J. Byrne, E. Corbett, P. Cahill.

3513. Finance. Sanctioned overdraft to 30.9.1926. £ 60,000.
 Bank balance today. £ 28,451.18.11.00.
 Payments authorised today. 2,502.10.4
 Payments authorised which fall due for payment in October. £ 28,000. approx.
 58,954.9.3

Rates (estimated collected + approved) employed for October £ 50,000
 Due from Urban Councils £ 5025.0.0 ~~55,025~~
 Order: apply for sanction to overdraft of £ 40,000 to 31.10.1926

3514. Rate collectors. Submitted rate chart.
 Collected this week £ 5156.
 Total collected to date £ 42,999
 Percentage collected 17.4 %
 Total outstanding £ 203,150.

Done
 Submitting Rate collectors. Submitted statement.
 Collectors under 20%
 K. Forde, Manning, P. O'Connell, Morris, M'Connell, P. Barrett, J. Griffin, J. Corbett, O'Shaughlin, Cunningham, J. Walsh, Morrissey, O'Sullivan, J. Slagan.
 Order: write that unless an improvement is shown by 2nd October, surer's & H.P.D. will be notified.

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 3515. Payments. General a/c no. 1980 £ 1000.0.0
 Subsidiary a/c. No. 11625 to No. 12131 £ 1898.17.1
 Trunk Road a/c. " 1276 " 1397 £ 383.13.3
 Loans a/c. " 1138 " 1141 £ 220.0.0
 Order: Payments approved & authorities signed.

3516. Insurance. Employers Liability Policy.
 Messrs MacDonagh & Boland, in letter (6059) report that Irish Life Insurance Company have decided not to quote for this job. Messrs MacDonagh & Boland rate quoted by Hibernian Company 43/6% on £ 30,000 amounting to annual premium of £ 653.8.0. to £ 612.1.4 if there is an assurance that the business of the Council will be continued with them.

The Council at meeting on 21st Nov. 1925 by minute no. 2770, appointed Mr P. O'Dea as Broker.
 Order: Refer to County Council. In the meantime ask Messrs MacDonagh to keep Council covered until meeting.

3517. Industrial School. Committal of Mary Longprey, native of County Galway, & at present resident in Dublin, to Industrial School, Donegal.
 Notice of application received on 23rd Sept from Chief Clerk, Dist. Court of Justice, Dublin. Case heard in Dublin on 24th Sept. Notice sent Co. Solicitor on 23rd to safeguard the interests of the Council.
 Order: Action approved

3518. Gangey Moylan v Hardiman. Read Co. Solicitor's letter (6030) asking for instructions of the Council to proceed & County Surveyor's report.
 Donegal
 Wrote Co. Sol. 29/9/26
 Order: Instruct Co. Sol. to appear on behalf of Gangey Moylan.

3519. Weights & Measures office Galway. Repairs to Sand Blasting machine. Estimate £ 6 exclusive of cost of supplying & fitting new parts that may be required. Civic Guard report that machine could not be repaired by a local Tradesman.
 Wrote Civic Guard 29/9/26
 Order: Civic Guard to have repairs carried out.

3520. National Road Scheme. works n. 249. Road from High Street junction to wellpark junction. £5000. by contract.
 Co. Surveyor asks for authority to advertise works.
 Order: - Permission to advertise granted.
 Wrote Co Surveyor 27/9/26

3521. Rural Dist. Council liabilities. (a) Galway Rural District.
 Submitted bill of costs of £182.0.10 & requisition to tax received from Messrs. Curry & Sons.
 Order: - Sent to County Solicitor to have bill taxed.
 Wrote Co. Secy. 27/9/26

(b) Galway Rural District.
 Ltr of Mr. W. Sarsfield, B.C., for £57.6.0
 Submitted file.
 Mr. Sarsfield will accept £52.6.0 in settlement.
 Order: - Sent to Ministry for sanction.
 Wrote Ministry 27/9/26

3522. Gart workhouse lands. Grazing by Rath Henderson
 Read L.C.M. 3440. & Mr. Gardner's letter (5975)
 Order: - Instruct Mr. Gardner that unless an agreement is entered into by Mr. Henderson, possession is to be taken over.
 Wrote L. Gardner 27/9/26

3523. Vicar Street Luam. Application from Munster & Leinster Bank, for permission to encroach for building purposes on the 8 feet acquired by the Council.
 Read Co. Solicitor's letter (6076).
 Order: - Request cannot be acceded to.
 Wrote Co Surveyor 28/9/26

3524. Burial grounds. Cannemara. Loan of £2500. Referred to L.C.M. 3109.
 Submitted particulars of works proposed & Ministry's letter L. 43264.
 Order: - Send particulars to G.D. ask if loan will be sanctioned, & if so, at what rate of interest.
 Sent G.D.

3525. Labour. (a) Kelyangee Dwyer. Submitted file. Refer to Co. Secy for report.
 Wrote Co. Secy 28/9/26
 (b) Kiltulla-Ballyva Trunk Rd. Mr. Lee, C.S. reports he can get carts at 8/6 a day.
 Order: - 8/6 a day approved.
 (c) Read application from Mr. Fitzpatrick, for increase of 7/11 a day on present wage.
 Order: - Refer matter to County Council.
 Wrote Mr. Lee 28/9/26

3526. Galway Urban Roads. Read letter (6036) from the Galway Urban Council pointing out matters in the Urban Area which require attention, and County Surveyor's report thereon.
 Order: - Reply to Urban Council in the terms of Co. Surveyor's report.
 Wrote Town Clerk 28/9/26

3527. Cinematograph Act. (a) Inspection of buildings. Submitted Ministry's letter P.H. 43256 stating that Inspector is not available & asking what was previous practice in Galway County.
 Order: - Give information to Ministry.
 Wrote Ministry 28/9/26

(b) application for license from Jos. Gilchrist, Lrea. Read report from Civic Guard, Loughree.
 Order: - Defer issue of license until the necessary alterations are made & the provisions of the Act complied with.

(c) Read application from Secretary, St. Columba's Hall for Trustees, Gart for Cinematograph License.
 Order: - Get report from Civic Guard.
 Wrote Civic Guard 28/9/26

3528. Insurance. - Fire Insurance re Premium £4.19.6 due Hibernian Fire Co., Glenuaddy workhouse.
 Referred to L.C.M. 2719.
 Order: - Ask Messrs. McDonagh & Boland to have policy transferred to the Irish National Ins. Co. giving amount of premium & keep Council covered until transfer is complete.
 Wrote Messrs. Boland

3528. Loughrea Roads.

Sent B.O.H.

Campwell at Craughwell.
Water at Swan Gate Athway.
Blocked outside Athway church.
Read letter from Board of Health & Report from
Co. Surveyor, stating that matter should be undertaken
by Sanitary Authority.
Order: Reply to Board of Health

3529. Rural District Council.
Liabilities

wrote Ministry

Inam Rural District.
afc £2:6:0 - M. Newell.
Submitted file
Order: send particulars to Ministry

3530. Housing Loan.

Read letter from Councillor P. Mahill asking
that loan of £100 be granted to James
Clarke Fiscoyle, Turty maddon.
Order: await application form sent for
completion

3531. Rate Inspectors.

Remuneration. Submitted file
Order: Refer to County Council

3532. Note of condolence.

wrote 28/9/26

Councillor Lydon. pro.
" " Soole. secd.
That that the Council tender to
Mrs Grealish their sincere sympathy
on the death of her husband the late
R. Grealish

Ind. ad B.H.

Passed.
M. McNeill

2nd October 1926

Chair. M. McNeill.

Present. P. Mahill, B. Lydon, E. Sooth, L. Kyrne, J. Hanagan, A. Soole

3533. Finance. Sanctioned overdraft to 31.10.26 £40,000. (Ministry)
Bank balance today £21,593.6.2

3534. Rate Collection.

Submitted rate chart
collected this week £16,400
Total collected to date £59,399.
Percentage collected 24.1%
Total outstanding £186,750
Collections closed & pounds paid.
J. Garvey, M. Garvey & P. Walsh.
Defaulting Rate Collectors.
Submitted statement.
Order: Satisfactory

3535. Payments

General	125 + 126	£9400
Subsidiary afc	No. 125 + 129 to No. 379	£9076.12.1
Trunk Road	" " 1 " 132	£405.5.5
Loans	" " 1 " 54	£165.5.3

Order: approved & authorities signed

3536. Cinematograph Act.

wrote Ministry 4/10/26

application from Mrs Payne referred
to Civic Guard for report.
Read letter from Civic Guard, Athenry, (6133)
no authority to accede to request.
Order: Refer to Ministry

3537. Trunk Road Grant of £14,450.
Submitted Ministry's letter R/G/11 of 24th Sept. as follows:-

Copy.
R/RG/11.

Department of Local Government & Public Health, (Roads).
51, Upper Mount Street,
Dublin,
24th September, 1926.

A Chara,
I am directed by the Minister for Local Government and Public Health, to refer to the final paragraph of his letter of the 8th May last notifying the provisional allocation of a Grant of £12,125 to the Galway County Council for road improvement; and to state that in pursuance of the policy indicated by him and other members of the Government in An Dail during the discussions concerning the National Road Scheme, he has received the concurrence of the Minister for Finance to make a further grant from the Road Fund of £14,450 to the Galway County Council, for the carrying out of the works referred to in his letter. This with the sums of £24,350 notified in July last under the National Road Scheme and £12,125 notified in May last, makes a total allocation within the last four months of £50,925 to the County Council. The works to be carried out under the Grant of £14,450 now notified are as follows:-

- (a) Diversion of the Galway-Oughterard-Clifden Road at Drimneen (North of Moycullen) £400
- (b) Strengthening and surfacing 3.4 miles of Galway-Headford-Shrule Road £3400
(This will complete the Trunk Road from Galway to Co. Mayo border).
- (c) Surfacing 3.75 miles of the Galway-Oughterard-Clifden Road (between Moycullen and Oughterard) £3700
- (d) Easing corners, widening, strengthening and surfacing section of the Road from Ardrahan towards Gort. £2000
- (e) Strengthening, widening and surfacing one mile of the road from County Clare boundary at Derroogh towards Gort... £1000
- (f) Strengthening and surfacing section of road from Roscommon Co. boundary at Mount Talbot Br. towards Killeroran (Roscommon-Mountbellew Road). £1000
- (g) Strengthening and surfacing section of Road from Gort towards Ennis £2000

The foregoing works were arranged by the County Surveyors and Chief Roads Engineer when he visited Galway specially in June last and dealt with in the County Surveyors' letters of the 1st July last to the Chief Roads Engineer.

- (h) Completion of Grattan Road Promenade, referred to in your letter of the 2nd ultimo, in accordance with estimate of Co. Surveyor dated 14th August, 1926... £950

The usual conditions with regard to men to be employed, and rates of wages to be paid which attached to previous Grants apply to this Grant also.

Mise, le meas,
E. P. McCARRON,
Runaidhe.

The Secretary, County Council,
Courthouse, Galway.

wrote each Co. 5/10/26

Order: allocations approved, to surveyors to take necessary steps

3537. Trunk Road.
wrote Minny 5/10/26

Councillor P. Cahill pro. Councillor E. Forbett, secd:-
That the road from Ballinasloe to Oranmore through Loughrea & Craughwell be made a Trunk Road
Passed.

3538. National Road Scheme. Referred to L.M. 3512.
Read Ministry's letter R/G/11 of 24th Sept. & County Surveyor's report.
Order: Refer to Co. Council.
wrote Ministry 5/10/26

3539. Rate collection - Clifden no 5 - hushboffin
Submitted letter from Rev. Fr. Grealley C.M.,
advised recommending the appointment of Jas. Pendergast
wrote Minny as Rate collector.
Order: advertise at 4/- in the L for Finance meeting on 16 acts.

3540 Employers liability Insurance.
Renewal Premium due 29 Sept.
Read McDonagh & Boland's letter (6059) & letter from Hibernian Insurance Coy (6107)
wrote P. O'Dea 4/10/26
Referred to L.M. 3488 & 3516.
Order: accept £612.1.4 & ask MacDonagh & Boland to keep Council covered against risk until cheque issued & ascertain if Mr P. O'Dea is prepared to act as Broker.

3541. Housing loans.
The submitted applications for loans available £400
Order: The following loans were approved.
Informed W. Minter.
174 Jas. Clarke, Liscayle Guadden £100.
175 John J. Foley, Killimore £100
176 Sara Clune Craughwell £100
£100 approved to Tho. Heary, Abasco.
application forms to be completed and sent to Co. C.

3542. Rates.
Informed Mr. Grows.

(a) Rates on Fisheries.
Read letter (6728) from J. Crozier son
claiming refund of £53.8.5 rate paid
in respect of Fisheries on Berridge Estate.
Order: Refund £53.8.5

Wrote Mr. Madden 5/10/26

(b) ^{Letter} application from E. Madden for refund
of rates paid on Portacarron House which
has been vacant for last 10 months
Demand note 2811. £11.7.8.
Order: Under Rent Restrictions act,
Mr. Madden is liable for rates.

In arrears

3543. Bridges
Wrote Co. S. 5/10/26

(a) Kiltroque Bridge.
Heard deputation - ask for grant to
repair Bridge.
Order: Refer to Co. Surveyor

Do.

(b) Bridge at Abbey Loughrea.
Wooden structure.
Order: Refer to Co. Surveyor.

In arrears

In arrears

9th October 1926

Chair. Councillor M. McNeill.

Present Councillors. B. Hydon, P. Lurey, J. Byrne, H. O'Sullivan,
M. Linnerty, J. Grows.

3544. Finance. Bank Balance today £10,010.5.2 Dr.
Sanctioned overdraft £40,000. to 31/10/26.

3545. Rate collection. Submitted rate chart.
Collected this week £ 11,126.
Total collected to date £ 70,525
Total outstanding £ 175,624
Percentage collected % 28.6.

3546. Payments:
Subsidising a/c. No. 380 to no. 968. £ 2,262.8.4
Trunk Road a/c " 133 " 278 £ 710.17.7
~~General~~ a/c (Transp.) " 127 " 128. £ 2970.0.0
Order: Payments approved & authorities signed.

3547. Injuring Compensation. Peter Joyce - Property at Corgary, ^{parish} Coughlinard.
Damage to property act.
Reinstatement £4,000.

Wrote Co. Solr. 11/10/26

Read letter (6830) from Co. Solicitor enclosing
notice of motion served on him by Mr. H.
Davidson, Solr. Ballinasloe applying to
have buildings erected in Town of Galway
in lieu of substituted buildings.
Order: Co. Solicitor is authorized to act as
he thinks best in the interest of the Rate payers.
Co. Solicitor is not to agree to any lessening
of the amount to be spent in, constructional
works in the County of Galway.

3548. Insurances.

Fire Insurance Glenamaddy Workhouse
Received Cover note from MacDonagh & Boland
Premium reduced to £3.14.9

E.L. Policy }
Bates " } Messrs MacDonagh & Boland
Road Plant. } have arranged to hold all
these insurances in force subject to
receipt of renewal premiums.

Order: Renew premiums with MacDonagh & Boland.
Mr. P. O'Bea writes that he is prepared
to act as Broker to the County Council.
Order: Refer to Council

3549. Bridges.

wrote 11/10/26

Bridge at Kiltroge.
Co. Surveyor reports that beam fairly
sound & repairs can be carried out by
Drainage Board.
Order: Reply in accordance with
Co. Surveyor's letter.

3550. Housing Loans

Indexed G.H.

Order: The following Loan was approved:
No. 177 The Barry, amount £100.

M. McNeill

Galway County Council

16th October 1926.

Chair Councillor McNeill:

Present Councillors J. Kyne, J. Furey, J. Funnerty, Lydon
E. Corbett: M. McDonogh: H. & Doole.

3552 Civic Guard & Cinema Licenses Referred to F.C.M. 3492, 3527 & 3536.
(3492) Read Ministry's letter P.H. 45217.

Order: The Committee do not understand the reference
to the Chief Officer of Police in sec 1 of the Cinematograph Act
& Regulations if the Licensing Authority are not entitled
to a report from the Police Authorities.

3553 Employers' Liability Insurance Referred to F.C.M. 3518.
(3518)

Order: Await decision of County Council

3554 Drainage Schemes Referred to F.C.M. 3501.

Order: Mr. Dea reports he cannot get map of
Kilmore proposal

3555 Nurse Barritt & County Council Referred to F.C.M. 3507. File with Solicitor.

Order: Secretary reports that he has authorised
Solicitor to employ Counsel
Order: approved

3556 Bellinacloe Urban Roads - Rate quashed. Read letter (6538) from Co. Surveyor
stating that he has stopped all work on Roads.

Order: How does this affect Council responsibility
now paid - Mr. Dea may continue work

3557 Housing Loans - Money available. Referred to F.C.M. 3489, 3541 & 3550, granting
loans amounting to £750

Order: No further allocations to be made

Public Road Act. Co. C. McCarty Bro.
3558 agreement £100 + costs = Secretary

reports he cannot get any information as to his matter
Done Order: Inform Co Sol that H.C. are surprised that he has not recovered amount agreed on + instruct him to issue writ for full amount

3559. Accounts outstanding (a) Submitted the following outstanding of book. & Co Solicitor was instructed to proceed.

Done nos. No. 4 No 7 No 2. 3

Wrote special letter re these cases to Co Sol.
Order: Finance Committee must insist on Co Solicitor carrying out the instructions he has received.
3560. Finance (b) Housing instalments outstanding submitted outstanding of book & letter (6511) from Co Solicitor:

Bank balance today £13318-1-9 dr
Sanctioned overdraft £40 000 to 31.10.26 by A.G.D.

3561. Payments

Subsidiary of 9/99 No 1334	tons	£1730.35
Trunk Road of 297 "	..397	£465.4.2
Loans of " 52	..108	£103.4.2
General of " 129	..130	£2195.0.0

3562. Rate collection
Submitted rate chart.
collected this week *See 3579*
Total collected to date £
Total outstanding £
Percentage collected %

Submitted Ministry's letter G. 46568 of 14th October with regard to unsatisfactory state of collection.

Done *Order send copy to each collector*

3563. Clifden No. 5. Collection District - Irishbiffin
Submitted advertisement
Submitted applications from James Brendergast Irishbiffin

Wrote to sanction Brendergast for declin
Read letter from Rev. G. Grealley dated 26th Sept 1926.
Councillor J. Heivil pro, that J. Brendergast do Surety Sec: be appointed
That.
Passed.

3564. Ludlow v. Council. Claim £150 damage to well.
Settlement as follows:-
Council to pay £15 to Plaintiffs.
Submitted consent for sealing.
Done & sent Co Sol Order: settlement approved seal form of consent.

3565. Tuam Courthouse - Lighting.
Tuam Electric light Co. ask if Court Clerk's office is to be supplied with electric current + electric stove.
If so, order to have separate meter installed is required + also whether the Dist. Justice's Court + offices are to be lighted separately.
Wrote Tuam Electric
Order: all lighting to be on one meter
all heating to be on separate meter + charged at *high* heating rate

3566. Bridge at Abbey Lrea. Read to Surveyor's report no 6467.
Wrote Board of works Order: write to Board of works: Council do not appear to have any liability

3567. Courthouse - Courthouse at Killimore.
Co. Solicitor states he cannot trace agreement.
Trustees of Killimore Temperance Hall ask to have cheque for rent made payable to W. W. a Brody, Secretary + Treasurer.
Done Order: Submit file to Co Solicitor for advice as to who should be paid