

COMHAIRLE CONNDAE NA GAILLIMHE.

Secretary's Office,
Courthouse, Galway,
6th August, 1927.

Sir,

I am directed by the County Council to call your attention to Articles Nos. 101 and 102 of the Public Bodies Order which prescribe that a Collector of Poor Rate is entitled to receive poundage provided he lodges before the 30th September, a sum equal to the whole of the arrears in his warrant and a moiety of the current rate, and provided that before the 31st March, he shall have lodged the full amount included in his warrant for the year. No Collector can be paid any refund except in respect of rates declared to be irrecoverable, and poundage will not be paid in respect of irrecoverable rates. Collectors will, therefore, see the importance of lodging to credit of the County Council before the 30th September, the full amount of first moiety and arrears.

Several Collectors have caused great inconvenience to the County Council and Finance Committee by slacking in their work during the early part of the collection period, and making all sorts of excuses when they get into trouble at the end of the collection. The Finance Committee advise Collectors to start their collections by strict attention to the cases of Ratepayers who are shown in arrear. Every pressure by demand note, six-day notice, seizure, or other legal proceedings should be taken against defaulters. They are nearly always the same people year after year, and a Collector who brings these persistent bad Rate-payers into good order will have an easy time thereafter.

Attention is drawn to Standing Order of the County Council, No. 17, which reads as follows:—

"All gentlemen giving security for Collectors are hereby informed that the County Council will feel itself constrained to enforce strictly the claims of the Rate-payers on all Sureties for Collectors."

The Council are in immediate want of funds, and they expect every Collector to make substantial lodgments within the next few weeks.

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

To:—
Each Poor Rate Collector.
Each Rate Inspector.
Copy to each Member of the County Council.

Galway County

20th August 1927

Chair M McNeill

Present J. Hanrahan; B. Lydon; J. Kyne

Condolence with Mrs. Fuller on death of her son

H190 Finance Bank Balance £ 12730.16.7
Sanctioned Overdraft £ 40,000.0.0

H191. Payments Submitted

Subsidiary account 9937 to 10285 for £ 714.2.9
Drunk Road ac 5168 to 5374 for £ 3223.8.6
Loan ac to for
General ac 1830 to 1837 for £ 4395.6.5

Order: approved

H192 Rate Collection

Carried over to Collection

Collected this week £ 1224 = 2.5%
Collected to date £ 5746 = 2.5%
Outstanding £ 217748.

Order: Write to collectors who have not lodged any money

Sureties: J. Corbett: Submitted Bankers references

write to issue Bonds

for John Kynes + Patrick Kelly which were considered satisfactory, and Co Solicitor instructed to prepare Bond - Order Issue warrant when Bond in Order

P. Corbett: Submitted Bond prepared by Co Solicitor: Secretary reports that Bankers references have ~~not~~ been furnished + submitted same

Order: New Council + July accepted

H193 Mrs O'Connors Complaint

write Mr Corbett

(Mr Corbett + Mr Lee to report) Read Mr Lee's report - Inspection not made

Order: Await report.

H194 Poundkeepers Fees

write Corbett

Order: Obtain schedule of fees from Co Solicitor

Done
4194. Opening of Road at Vall Kiew
Order: District Collector to proceed

4195. Island Collections
Submitted L & D 32369
Mr. Keenan: To take up + check warrant. Mr. Keenan: To advertise collection.
Order: Take up warrants from Mr. Smith, and advertise for a Collector

Done
4196. Miss Robinson's gravel pit
Read C.S. letter 5643
Order: Co. Solicitor to proceed for right of Entry to the lands

Done
4197. Hiring of Plant from Messrs Gregg: Read Co. Solicitor report. = Order: Gregg's Roller may be hired at 3/6 per day till the 31st August. Council accepting no responsibility other than payment of Hire.
4198. Kilronan Harbour - Mader.
Order: Harbour maker to mt on Reputations being carried out: to call on Guards for protection + to summon offenders
(b) send copy of Report re Arch to Galway Bay Steam Ship Co

Done
4199. Rate Inspector: Clifden: Illness of W. F. King
Mr. Gallagher
Order: Messrs. Gallagher + Fogarty to arrange for the services of a suitable Checking officer during Mr King's illness - on same terms as Mr King's pending checking of Corna's

Done
4200. Sudden Damage: Maam Cross Road:
Mr. Keenan
Co Surveyor (W.D.) applies for £30 to repair damage to road at Letterfore - to be charged to contingencies. Sudden Damage Kilcoona Bridge £15. required
Order Approved

Done
4201. Mental Hospital: Expenses of law suit.
Read Ministry's letter Mt. 1232 of 18th August + enclosure
Order: Refer to County Council

Done
4202. Station Road Bridge Ballinahinde
Mr. Finnie
Read Mr Kennedy's no 5686
Order: County Solicitor to apply to Finance Department

Done
4203. Mellick Bridge Road no 265
Read Mr Kennedy's 5688 = work urgent.
Recommends Council to bear half the cost = work will cost £60
Order: Make this offer to Mr Keppell. J.C. Clophaus Inam

Done
4204. Hiring of Stonebreakers to Canonwalsh Inam
Mr. Keenan
Order: Plant should not be hired if required for Council work: Mr Keen is now asking Council to allow him to hire plant from Messrs Gregg: But this request may be complied with on usual terms.

Done
4205: Opening of Road for Water mains + Sewers
Submitted file
Mr. Keenan
Order: Submit to Ministry for views on B.O.H. suggestion: Co Surveyor considers that Contractor for sanitary work should be made lodge reasonable deposits. Council could not undertake responsibility for sanitary work.

Done
4206. Road Grant Return
Read letter from Mr Gilbert Lynch J.A.
Order: Acknowledge with thanks.

Done
4207. Mr Keen is authorised to employ a temporary clerk for a month to enable his staff to get annual holiday.
Mr. Finnie
Instead of £60
Mr. Finnie

Saturday 27th 1927 (August)

Chair M McNeill

H. Looe. Bartley

Present J. Hanagan: P. Furey: J. Crowe: B. Lydon. J. Byrne

4207a Payments

Subsidies	10286.	10777	£ 1368.19.9
Drunk	5575	5905	£ 2261.16.8
General	1838	1830	£ 6635.7.7

Order: approved

4208 Finance

Bank Balance today £ 11,176 Dec

Sanctioned overdraft £ 40,000

Done Order: Apply for Continuance of Overdraft to 30. Sept 1927

4209. Rate Collection 1927/8 = Submitted Chart

Collected this week £ 3941.

Collected to date £ 9687 = 104.3%

Outstanding £ 214898

Warrants issued 36.

Warrant unissued 2 being:

Collectors name.	Reason for non issue
or vacant district	

Arran: no collector

Inishboffin: no collector

Order: Issue card to Collector showing percentages + necessity for closure by 30th Sept.

Checking of accounts: Submitted R.S. Report Book & reported that following collectors did not attend for checking - P.M. Joyce

Order: Inform Collectors concerned that any further cause of Complaint in this respect will be reported to their Surveys and to the Ministry

4210 Machinery shed: Submitted C.M. 3454/3483 and R.G.D. R.M. 11 dated, received 22 Aug. sanctioning proposal

Submitted advertisement + tenders for removal + re-erection of shed as follows:

John J. Geraghty	£ 267
W. Simon	£ 227
P. Lowry	£ 267
P. Burke	£ 275

Order accept W. Simon

Ordered

Write Column on

4211. Ballinacloe Technical School
Submitted R.G.D. 38765

Done ✓ Order: Send McGlennons report.

4212. Mr Martyn A.C.S applies for one month's leave from 10 Sept (Read wheels minute)

Order: Leave granted

4213 National Road Grant:
Read S.G.M. 11/2 of 8th August & Mr Deas Specification. Estimate £ 1240

Order forward to Ministry

Done ✓

4214 Housing loan no 136. Ellen Hayes £ 150
Submitted Mrs Hayes letter of 7th August

Order: As Committee have acted throughout by Mr Deas advice + instructions they direct the Solicitor to take up this matter with Mrs. Hayes & keep the Council tight

Write Mr Deas

4215. Ballinacloe to Bawn Roads = Waste water discharge on to road. Read wheels 3754

Order: Solicitor to advise

Write to Mr Deas

4216 Castle Lambert demesne Road
Read letter from Rev. M. Farragher P.P. 3755

Order: Inform Father Farragher that notice before 1st November will be necessary

Write to Mr Deas for Report

4217 Arrangements during Secretary's absence

Order: That the Accountant take executive charge and sign paying Orders. All departmental reports to be made to Accountant who is authorised to make such staff dispositions as he may consider necessary;

4217. Irishhoffin Collection
Advertised as directed by Minute no 3483
Submitted advertisement:

Advertisement for Irishhoffin

Order: - Advertise at 5/-

4218. Health and Unemployment Insurance:
Submitted Return of Stamps used in Year
ending 2nd July 1927 as follows:

39479 @ 8d	=	£ 1315. 19. 4
39427 @ 1/7	=	£ 3121. 6. 1
91 @ 7	=	£ 2. 13. 1
Total		£ 4439. 18. 6

Order: The Committee are of opinion that this expenditure is an almost complete waste of money & that so far as County Galway is concerned the insurance system is a futile extravagance costing 2 1/2 in the £ on the rateable valuation.

4219 Dunmore Waterworks - Sworn Enquiry
Secretary Board of Health wants for Sworn Enquiry

- (1) Total indebtedness of County on 31st March, divided as follows:
 - Roads:
 - Poor Relief:
 - Health District:
 - Separate

Order: Hand Mr Gallagher Correspondence file containing this information: & also an advance copy of Secretary's statement: and County Council file re Dunmore waterworks

Done 25/8/27

4219. Checking Officer for Clifden & Oughterard Rate Collections: Secretary reports death of Mr F. King

Mr Crowe: pro That the Committee have heard with regret of the death of Mr Festus King for many years Clerk of the Clifden Union

District Council and tender to Mr King their sincere sympathy in her bereavement.
Passed

And it was

Ordered:

That an advertisement be issued for a checking officer at the usual terms 5/- per 100 ratings ^{per half year}; meantime Mr Weston to arrange for checking from office

done 25/8/27

4219. In annual adjustment:

Secretary referred to CCM 3474, and to letter of 11th August to Finance Department:

Order: Ask Leo Solicitor to advise as to whether the sum of £1,227.7.6 can be recovered from the Finance Department, and if so, what proceedings are necessary.

done

4220 Island Collectors:

Read L.G. 32369 and Minute CCM 3484

Order: Inform H.G.D that on further consideration the Council have decided to re-advertise Aran & Irishhoffin Collections and to leave Island, Eady, Eshal Turbot & Shark in their existing Collection Districts

done

4221. Gate Lodge (Co Infirmery)

Submitted Mr Kennedy's report repairs necessary cost estimated at £15

done 25/8/27

Order: Expenditure approved

4222.

Fleet's Cl. wrote to S.

Low Hall: Mr Gardiner asks for a new Floor (C.N. 5818)

Order: Co Surveyor to report with estimate £68

Order: Get the work done

Fishery premises on Kibronau Pier: Read Harbour Master's notice:

4223

done

Order: County Solicitor to report as to law

- (2) to the Fisheries regarding liability
- (3) to Surveyor to report.

4224 Ganger Williams: Read P Healy's letter
Order: Referred to Co Surveyor

4225 Road Grants:
Read letter from Messrs Hogan & Broderick
Order: Acknowledge & thank.

4226 Broken sewers - Longhrea - Mr. Butlers
Claim
Order (1) Co Surveyor to report
(2) Co Solicitor to advise as to liability

4227 Wm Geraghty: Co Surveyor's form an
Read Mr Wm Geraghty's application for
pension on completion of 43 years service
Order: Co Surveyor to report as to
Mr Geraghty's service and refer application
to County Council

4228 Longhrea Sewerage
Read Mr Lees 5805 & Mr Gallagher 5766
Order: send copy of Mr Lee's report
to Board of Health

4229 Harbour dues:
Submitted file
Order: Ascertain report if dues are chargeable
and, if so, why they were not collected

4230 Marconi Council - Blake & Kennys Co's 118.16.1
Co Solicitor asks for cheque.
Order: Pay

M. McNeill

Saturday 3rd September 1927

Chair: M. McNeill.

Present: P. Lacey, L. Byrne, B. Hydon.

4231 Finance Bank balance to-day £ 3464.17.5 D.
Sanctioned overdraft £ 25,000 to 30/9/27.

4232 Rate collection 1927/8. Submitted rate chart.
Collected this week £ 1615
Collected to date £ 11302 = 5%
Outstanding £ 213283

Rate collectorship - Aram.
Re-advertised. Submitted advertisement.
Applications from C. McDonagh (John) Rose, Derrane
+ James H. O'Donnell
H. Derrane proposed by Councillor O'Sullivan not recorded
C. McDonagh
Order: Re-advertise at 4p in book for 17th Sept.

4233 Payments. Subsidiary a/c 10779-11151 £ 3006.5.5
Trunk Road " 5906-6307 £ 1287.17.11
General " 1851-1853 £ 5202.14.0
Order: approved.

4234 Clareville Diversion.
Read letter (5928) from Co Surveyor re agreement with
Done. Mr. Fahy.
Order: Refer to Co Solicitor with instructions that old
road cannot be given to Mr. Fahy.

4235 Urban Roads - Extra salary to Co Surveyors.
Read Road Department letter RS/11 of 27th August.
Referred to S.B.M. 3732 re Mr Dunne's appointment.
Order: adjourn

4236 Returns - Road Grants - Submitted Ministry's letter of 1st Sept &
return. also letter from Mr G. Lynch & Mr.
Letters ack'd & statement sent printer.
J. Broderick
Order: (1) Refer return to Co Council & circulate to members
(2) Acknowledge, with thanks, receipt of letters.

11337. Road Plant. Hire of roller from Messrs Gregg.
 Mr. Co. Surveyor reports that he requires roller until such
 time as Mr. Kennedy lets him have loan of plant.
 Referred to F.C.M. 1197.
 Order: Retain Messrs Gregg's roller till Mr Kennedy
 lets him have roller

11338. Rate ^{Inspectorship} Collectorships - Oughterard & Clifden.
 Re temporary inspectors.
 Referred to F.C.M. 1197.
 Order: Refer to County Council.

11339. Safe at Clifden. Order: Mr. Pogue to arrange with Mr.
 Loughrea Bridewell. Gallagher as to disposal.
 Read Mr Lee's letter (5855) re proposed alterations.
 Order: Write for particulars of any alterations.
 Read Co. Solicitor's letter re caretaker.
 Order: Take up possession.

11340. Gart Workhouse. Reapplication from Supt Bradley for
 accommodation of convent Penitents.
 Read Ministry's letter P. 33295.
 Order: Refer to Co. Surveyor for map.

11341. Food & Drugs. Read application from Chief Supt. Lewisford,
 Ballinasloe, for 6 dozen boxes for samples.
 Order: get quotation from Trade Department.

11342. Accommodation at Ballinasloe Workhouse for Technical
 School.
 Read Ministry's P40029.
 Order: Refer to Technical Instruction Committee
 for report.

11343. Combined Purchasing Act.
 Read letter S. 27392 from Ministry with order.
 £ 175.17.7 due by Co. Council to 31/3/1927
 Order: Pay under protest refer to Co. Council.

11344. Courthouses - Athenry.
 Read letter from Co. Solicitor with agreement ~~with~~ which
 Mr. Higgins refused to sign.
 Col. Read letter from Mr. Higgins claiming £37.10.0 rent & £11.10.0
 for alterations.
 Order: Refer to Co. Council.

11345. Drainage - Dunkellin & Lavally - Loan £755.
 Draft mortgage submitted by Board of works.
 Order: Refer to Co. Solicitor for advice.

11346. Housing Loan - Mr Mullin.
 Submitted letter from Co. Solicitor re undertaking by
 Mr. Mullin to pay £1 a week.
 Order: Leave matter in hands of Co. Solicitor.

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 Rate Collection to Sat., 27th August '27

Percentage of Warrant Lodged	Percentage of Warrant Lodged
Ballinasloe: 7	Longhrea: 1
Colohan, J. 3	Griffin, L. M. 3
Manning, A. J. 3	Corbett, T. 3
Clifden: ---	O'Loughlin, J. 3
Coyne, J. ---	Walsh, Jas. 3
Muldoon, Mrs. R. ---	Mountbellen: 6
Mongan, J. A. ---	Naughton, T. 3
Mongan, J. W. ---	Cunningham, M. 3
Galway: 1	Oughterard: 5
O'Connor, P. J. 7	O'Malley, T. 9
Griffin, E. 7	Glynn, P. 11
Concannon, M. ---	Walsh, P. ---
(Aran) ---	Portumna: ---
Morris, John ---	Walsh, Jno. ---
Glenamaddy: 17	Morrissey, Jno. ---
Garvey, J. 15	Tuam: 5
Garvey, M. 4	Joyce, T. B. 18
O'Connor, M. ---	O'Flanagan, P. J. 5
Corbett, P. ---	Joyce, P. M. 5
Cran, T. ---	Sloyan, T. ---
McInerney, T. 14	Morris, Jno. ---
	Dermody, J. 8

FIRST MOIETY MUST BE CLOSED BEFORE 30th SEPTEMBER.

11347. Portumna Bridge.
 Co. Surveyor, ED. asks for authority to issue advertisement
 inviting tenders for painting of Portumna Bridge
 & for applications for block of works at £4 a week.
 Order: 1) approved.
 2) apply for sanction to salary to be paid Clerk
 of work.

11348. Meelick Bridge. Referred to F.C.M. 11203.
 Read Mr. Kennedy's letter (5954).
 Col. Lead permission well make grant of £30.
 Order: approves - Co. Surveyor to carry out work. Not to
 exceed £60

4249 Tolls & Customs, Ardaraheen.
 Read letter from collector P. Corbett.
 ✓ Order: If Tolls not collected, collector should make declaration & have matter revised.

4250 Read letter from Mr. Conneely asking for advance of £31 towards contract (leasing corners in Connemara) and report from Co. Surveyor.
 ✓ Order: Pay on Co. Surveyor's certificate.

4251 Sheep Dipping - Swim baths.
 Submitted letter L. 1967 from Dept of agriculture re supervision by veterinary inspectors.
 Done Order: (1) Ask veterinary inspectors for report as to supervision (2) Ask sheep dipping inspectors to keep records & furnish returns of sheep dipped.

4252 Insurances - Spark risk.
 Mr. Frowe. Submitted file & cover note.
 Order: Have endorsement amended.

4253 Clifden Streets. Read letter from R.O.N. (5972).
 Co. S. Order: Refer to Co. Surveyor in arrears

Done
 Sub. ad. Ex.

10th September 1927

Chair. M. McNeill

Present. P. Furey, B. Lydon, E. Corbett, J. Kyne

4254 Finance Bank balance to-day £1,683-15-9 dr.
 ✓ Suctioned overdraft. £25,000 to 30/9/27

4255 Payments: Subsidiary 11152-11649 £1326-5-2.
 Trunk Road 6308-6622 2800-19-11
 General 1854-1856 4150-0-0
 Order: approved

4256 Rates. Submitted rate chart.
 Collected this week £7 £7,979
 Collected to date £19,281 = 85%
 Amount outstanding £20,584
 Order approved

Clifden no 5 Collection - Inishboffin

Readvertised Submitted advertisement & application from Mr. T. Browne, Ballinasloe
 Readvertise

4257 Food & Drugs Act - Purchase of 6 dozen sample boxes.
 ✓ Read letter from Trade Department & letter to Chief Superintendent, Ballinasloe.
 Order: await reply from Civic Guard

Done " Chief Superintendent, ^{Galway} Ballinasloe recommends appointment of Garda J. Bryan 6462 as *ex officio* inspector for under Food & Drugs Act for Spiddal District.
 Order appointed.

4258 Mental Hospital. Resident Medical Superintendent apply for instalment of contribution to the
 Paid 30th Sept 1927.
 Order Pay.

4259 Rates on Islands.
 Read letter (6026) from Mrs R. Muldoon stating she is unable to get a boat to bring her to the Islands to collect rates.
Order: Refer to Co. Council

4260 Drainage - Brackloon Reford, Kiltulla and Derrymoreagh Skehanagh & Newtown Drainage Restoration work.
 Read letter from Board of works (6036)
Order: Refer to Co. Council

Ballinure - Hardwood Drainage
 Read letter (6035) from Board of works
Order: Refer to Co. Council

4261 Hooding of land - D. Ryan
 Co. Solr. Read letter from W. D. J. O'Connell & County Surveyor's report.
Order: Refer to Co. Solicitor for advice

4262 General Advertising.
 Advertising for current year by Galway Observer, Sham Herald & East Galway Democrat.
 Refer to Co. Council
Order: That the arrangement for past year be continued to 1st August 1928

4263 Floor in Town Hall, Galway Co. S. Estimate £68
 Co. Surveyor Submitted tenders as follows:

P. Monaghan £55, J. Geraghty £49.10.0, H. McNally £75, M. Scallan £93.10.0
 W. Simon £69.10.0, P. J. Power £43.10.0. *Order: accept tender of P. J. Power provided satisfactory receipts are given.*

4264 Gate Lodge at County Surveyor's. Co. S. Estimate £15
 W. Simon £27, H. McNally £45, P. J. Power £14.8.0, P. Monaghan £13.0.0
 Geraghty £14.15.0
Order: Tender of P. Monaghan's tender at £13 accepted.

M. McNeill

17th September 1927

Chair. M. McNeill

Present. S. J. H. O'Loole, J. J. O'Connell, P. Cahill, J. McKeigue, M. McNeill, E. A. Swenny, P. Power, E. Corbett, P. J. Power, T. Byrne

4265 Finance: - Bank balance to day £9866.12.2dr
 Sanctioned overdraft £25,000,

4266 Payments: Subsidiary 11650-12010 £859.7.6
 Trunk Road 6623-7087 £1670.10.9
 General 1857-1858 £2550
Order: approved

4267 Rates Submitted rate chart.
 Collected this week £2653.
 Collected to date £21,934. - 9.7%
 Amount outstanding £20,191.
Order: approved

Rate collectorship. Arara.

Wrote Co. Solr. & Ministers

Submitted advertisement, and applications from: James H. Quinn, Kibronan. Roger Derrane, Killeamy. Coleman McDonagh (John) Kibronan. Read letter from Coleman McDonagh & McDonagh, Proby, P. J. Power, Secd by E. A. Swenny R. Derrane " Chairman. Not seconded. and The Chairman declared Coleman McDonagh appointed at 4/- in the £. poundage.

4268 Rate Inspectorships - Clifden & Bughterard
 Read letter G. 40744 from the Ministry relative to appointment of inspectors.
Order: Refer to Co. Council.

4268a. Bughterard No. 2. Collection District. The Chairman proposed that the Committee should take to the death of Collector P. Glynn. Sympathy was expressed by the Committee and to the relatives of the late collector P. Glynn on the sad occasion of his passing.
 P. J. Power proposed that P. Glynn be appointed as temporary collector for the current collection.
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4269. Portumna Bridge - Painting. (F.W. 4247)
 Co. Surveyors Estimate
 Submitted tenders, as follows:
 Order: adjourned till the Spring.

✓ Clerk of Works at £4 a week
 Submitted applications from
 Order: adjourn.

4270. Food & Drugs.
 Chief Superintendent, Civic Guard, Ballinastoe
 recommends appointment of Sergeant M. Donoghue
 No. 6127 for Loughrea District in place of Garda Tumelty.
 Order: appointment approved.

Done

Sample boxes - Referred to F.W. 4257
 Submitted letter from Chief Superintendent, Ballinastoe
 stating that 10² x 5² x 2² ^{boxes} will meet requirements.
 Trade Department quotation £2.1.9 per gross.
 Order: Purchase 72 boxes through Trade Department
 at the price quoted.

4271. Allowances to Surveyors out of Road Fund.
 Read Ministry's letter RS/11 of 13th September,
 declining to sanction payment to Mr M. Sweney acc.
 Order: Reply asking Ministry to reconsider their decision, & refer
 to County Council.

4272. Co. Surveyors, Eastern Division.
 Submitted letter RS/11 from Roads Department
 declining to sanction payment of salary to Mr Lee
 during period of suspension
 Order: Ask Ministry to reconsider their decision
 refer to C.C.

Subscribed EdH

M McNeill

24th September 1927

Chair. M McNeill.

Present. J. Kyne, B. Hydon, H. Lool, E. Corbett.

4273. Finance.

wrote Minny

Bank balance to-day £ 746.6.3 ds.
 Sanctioned overdraft £ 25,000 to 30/9/27
 Order: apply for continuance of overdraft to end of
 October.

4274. Payments.

Subsidiary ofc. 12011-12439	£ 1172.18.8
Trunk Road ofc. 7088-7419	£ 1023.17.9
General ofc. 1859-1866	£ 9064.5.8

Order: approved

4275. Rates

Submitted rate chart.
 Collected this week £ 6,887.
 Collected to date £ 28,821 = 12.8%
 Amount outstanding £ 19,630.4

wrote Minny

wrote P. Connelley

Submitted arrears sheets of Mrs. Smith
 Order: approved - Forward to Ministry for sanction.
 Rate collectorship - Brian Inichtoffin
 Submitted advertisement & applications from
 Patrick Connelley, Berrigimla, Clifden.
 Mr. Connelley, Larragon.
 Chairman pro: That Patrick Connelley be
 Sec. 1 appointed at 5/-

4276.

Returned

Ballinahinch Bridge.
 Paying Order £483.1.0 received from Ministry of Finance
 through Co. Solicitor
 Read letter 386/477(2) from Ministry to return paying order.
 Order: Return paying order.

4277.

Col.

Kinvara Courthouse.
 Read application from Mrs. W. O'Donnell for increase of rent
 to 18/- Present rent £12.10.0
 Order: Refer to Co. Council.

4278. Employers' Liability Insurance - checks.
 Read letter from McDonagh & Boland stating
 that premium on wage roll of £17129 is £69.19.2
 Present premium £19.0.8 with additional premium 7/8
Order: adjourn for week.

4279. Maintenance Grant - Strike at Craughwell
 Read Mr Lee's letter (6264) - men went on strike
 on 21st Sept. & draw bar of crusher removed &
 reported to Civil Guard by Co. Surveyor.
Order: Action of Co. Surveyor approved

4280. Sudden Damage
 Co. Surveyor, Ed., asks for authority, under sudden damage,
 to expend £30 on Road no. 468, Mountbellew area
*Order: approved - Expenditure to be charged to
 Contingencies.*

4281. Ballinastoe workhouse
 Accommodation for Technical Education.
 Submitted letter (6263) from Technical Committee
Order: Forward copy to Minister.

COMHAIRLE CONNDAE NA GAILLIMHE.
 Secretary's Office,
 Courthouse, Galway,
 23rd September, 1927.

Sir,
 I am directed by the Finance Committee to call your
 attention to the very backward state of your Collection.
 The Warrants are practically three months in the hands
 of the Collectors and only 10 per cent. of the gross Warrant
 for the year has been lodged to the credit of the County
 Council, at a date at which at least 40 per cent. should have
 been lodged.
 The Council's Account is considerably overdrawn, and
 they will have to meet some heavy demands inside the next
 two weeks.
 I am therefore to request you to proceed diligently with
 your Collection, and to make a substantial lodgment imme-
 diately.

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

To each Poor Rate Collector.

Indeant 2/11

In manual

October 1st 1927

Chair: M McNeill

Present: J Coogan: B Hydon: H Poole. Co.
 J Ryan. P Murphy.

4282. Finance:
 Bank Balance today £ 6873. Credit
 Sanctioned Overdraft £ 25000 to 31 Oct 1927
Noted ✓

4283. Payments:-
 Subsidiary a/c 1 to 372 £ 8374.12.2 ✓
 Trunk Road a/c 1 to 390 £ 2835.14.1 ✓
 Loan a/c to £
 General a/c 1. 5 £ 3893.1.2
Payment approved & authorized ✓

4284. Urban Roads:
 Read L.G. Resn of 27th August: (F.C.M 4235)
Order:

Urban Roads:
 Copy to Messrs
 Kennedy, Deet
 Dunne & Down
 Clerk, Galway

- 1: Accept liability for Mr Dunne's salary
 as from 1st April 1926: assuming the payment
 to have been made already by the Urban
 District Council adjust by way of Credit
 to Urban account: otherwise pay direct:
- 2: Pay Mr Kennedy £100 per an. allowance
 as from 1st April 1926. less any payment
 already made: and
3. Pay Mr Lee £25 per an. as from 1st April
 1926

4285. Rate Collection 1927/8

Percentage collected to date	15.2
Do. corresponding period last year	24.1
Amount Collected this week	£ 5562
Total collected to date	£ 34383
Amount Outstanding	£ 190,742

Submitted Chart:

*Order: Call attention of collectors, except
 Mr P. Walsh, to the fact that they
 are now in default under the new Bonds
 & under Public Bodies Order.*

Done
 Post Card

4286 Glynck Landing Place
Submitted Fisheries 2/14/9 of 21. Sept.
Order: advertise

Co Surveyor

4287 Water Main - Galway.
County Surveyor reports that the Urban Councils are about to lay new water mains by contract in the city, and asked Committee to make such order as would ensure that Road surfaces ^{recently} made by the County Council shall ^{at great expense} not be unnecessarily disturbed, and where disturbed shall be restored in a proper manner

Order:
Take the matter up with the Urban Council + with the Ministry if necessary: Safeguard the interests of the Ratepayers.

4288 Rate Collectors appointments:
Inishboffin: Patrick Connolly will not take up collection:
Read application from Mr. Leonard, Larrigan: Secretary recommended that this application be not considered

Write key advertise for 29th October

Order: advertise again:

4289 Rye Hill lands - purchase money -
Submitted file - Mr O'Dea instructed to attend meeting. Read Mr O'Dea's 6446

Write Mr O'Dea

Order: Bring up again

4290 Housing Loans Instalments outstanding
Submitted Outstanding files
31. P. Hogan 1 Inst. £5.11.8

Write Co Solicitor

136. Ellen Hayes 1 Inst £7.5.0

Order: Committee cannot see that question of Title affects the borrower's liability for money lent, + direct immediate proceedings

95 J. J. Hyne 1 inst £5.11.8
128 " " £5.11.8

Order: Co Solicitor to apply to Court for payment in this case - or proceed in any way by which recovery can be had.

✓ 74 Michael Mullins 2 Inst. £17.11.11 ^{0.697}
Order: Committee agree to accept £1.10.0 per week on the strict understanding that all future instalments shall be promptly paid as they fall due: Mr O'Dea authorized to accept instalments on this basis

Write letter

4291 Financial adjustments: £1227 7.6 due by Finance Dept in respect of Criminal Injury decrees - Mr O'Dea instructed to attend.

Write Committee Finance Copy to Co Solicitor

Order: Co Solicitor to press for payment:

4292 Bridge on Ballygar Road - Mountbellew.
Order: Ask the Board of Works to do the necessary work.

Write letter to Board of Works

4293 Road Plant
Read Mr Toft's offer of 10/- for smoke box
No Surveyor's recommendation
Order: Accept 10/-

Write Co Surveyor

4294 Mr M. Martyn A.C.S. applies for a further month's leave of absence to 31st October

Write Mr Martyn under Roads Dept

Order: Granted

4295 Loughrea Bridge well

Write Mr J.P. Down Clerk under well

Order: (1) accept purchase with instalments without (2) Co Surveyor to report whether the interest proposed alterations will interfere with the public user or convenience of the Loughrea Court House

4296. Gort workhouse - proposed letting to Superintendent Bradley; Submitted Order Map + L.G.D. P 33295: Three people apply for Nuns Quarters; Supt at Bradley; C. Kennedy, + M.J. Corbett; P. Morrissey;

Order:

Send Map and Surveyors report to Ministry and ask for instructions as to whether the letting is sanctioned, + how letting is to be made: when sanctioned advertise

Done

4297. Kelly v Co Council: Read De Longys No 6420 =

Order:

Co Surveyor to report + take such steps as he considers necessary Bring up again

Tele to Surveyor 30/9/27

4298. Corley v Co Council Submitted Liberman Nos 6388

Order: In submission + forward as directed

Done

4299. Manholes in Loughrea Submitted Mr Dees 6392

Order: Ask Co Solicitor whether he is of opinion that the County Councils duty to make roads involves them in the expense of raising manholes, stop-cocks + for sanitary authorities: Electric Companies, Gas Companies, water authorities + of so to quote the legal provisions

The County Solicitor Copy to Secretary L.G.D. also Surveyor for information

4300. Main Road declarations Read L.G.D. R.D. 16 of 28 Sept (CU 454) Order: Circulate to members + to Co Surveyor for report.

with printer

4301. Drainage petitions

Read Mr Dees no

Order: Refer to Co Council for further instructions

4302. Public Roads Act

McCainsh Case: Heard by Solr. Co. S. recommends settlement for £50. Mr McCainsh per Mr Cooke agrees to pay £15

Order: Approved

(2) Mr Dees to report as to Mr Cooke's suggestion of a working agreement under the Act.

Induced S.N.

In Minute

Saturday 8th October 1927

Chair M McNeill in the Chair

Present: M. Tunney, J. Flanagan, P. Furey, B. Lydon, H. Poole, J. Byrne.

4303. Finance: Bank Balance 4th £ 18,574. 4. 1 Cr.

Overdraft sanctioned £

Order: Noted

4304. Payments: Subsidiary ac 378 to 831 for £1606. 12. 0

Drain Road ac 391 to 724 for £1007. 4. 6

Loan ac " " for

General ac 132 to 162 for £11287. 12. 0

Order: approved - + Treasurers Authority signed.

4305. Gort workhouse lens was Read letter from Mrs Mary Hanlon: Paid 1 year salary in 1922 as compensation by G. O. H.

Order: Finance Committee cannot recommend Council to re-open this matter which was dealt with by Board of Health in 1922

written by Hanlon

4306: Rate Inspector; Clfdent Oughterard
Read L.G.D. G 40744.

Order: Finance Committee recommend
appointment of a Rate Inspector at a salary
of £ 62 per annum appointment to carry
an additional £ 13 for annum to be paid
by the Board of Health for work set out in
Mr Gallaghan letter of 2nd Sept; On receipt
of sanction advertise appointment to be
made by County Council on 29th October
knowledge of Inst of Account: Position to be temporary
non pensionable

wrote L.G.D.
copy to B.O.H.

4307: Festus Joyce v. Co Council
Read Co Solrs letter (6447) and
agreement: and Secretary's reply
Order: Await reply from Co Solr

wrote to Festus
copy to B.O.H.

4308. Arigna Coal
Read letter from Mr M Dayden, Proprietor
Arigna Collieries stating he has a right to
all Coal Orders unless a lower tender be
received: Co Surveyors asked for Report:

wrote Mr Dayden
Trade Dept
L.G.D.
Saddlestown

Arigna Collieries	50 Tons	under 50 Tons	Hub Col	Slack
Delivered	Hauetham	Horse & Steam	50 Tons	50 Tons
Badmashel	34/6	39/6	39/6	21/-
Gayway	33/6	38/6	29/6	20/-

Submitted report from Mr Lee last.
Order: Ask Mr Dayden for his prices: also as to Steam.

4309. Council v James Phukegh.
A Solicitor advises Senior Council in view of
importance of this case
Order: Finance Committee authorise employment
of Senior Counsel

wrote Mr Dayden

4310. Financial liabilities: Treasury claim of £ 3773.14.6
Read letter from Finance Dept 7/50/22
intimating

that in addition to the amount of Decrees paid
by the Council & due by the Treasury amounting to £ 227.7.6
the Finance Dept have now set off the
following further sums due to County Council
against this claim. viz

Recompent 4th Register	£ 761.0.1	
Compensation - Station Rd Bridge	£ 483.1.0	
10% incise Maam Councilors	29.3.0	
Prosecutors Witnesses	£ 485.5.8	
Total set off		1764.9.9
+ that Treasury claim a balance of		2991.17.3
		<u>781.17.3</u>

Order: County Solicitor authorized to take Council's
opinion as to rights of Council in this matter and
advise Council if he adheres to the opinion already
given by him that the claim of the Finance Department
is not legally sustainable. Protest against arbitrary action
taken by the Ministry of Finance. A Solicitor to act immediately
Committee approve of Solicitor's letter submitted.

wrote to Mr Dayden

4311. Loughrea Bridewell.
Submitted Ministry's letter G. 5988 and report from Co Surveyors
with regard to proposed alterations by the Loughrea Town Commissioners
Order: Send Copy to Ministry: Finance Committee
have no objection to proposed alterations

4312. Encroachments:
Read letter from Mr J. M. Burke, Gort, asking for permission
to concrete wall & raise it a few inches higher.
Order: Co Surveyor to report: and give permission
if he sees no objection:

wrote Mr Burke

4313. Tourist Development.
Read letter (6536) from Secretary, Irish Tourist
Association, asking to have Council contribution, or portion
thereof transferred to credit of the Association
Order: Refer to County Council & ask for
particulars of the expenditure

wrote to Mr Burke

4314. Housing loans - Insurance Policies.
Read letter (6427) from Hibernian Ins. Coy. with list of persons
in default.
Order: Inform Company that Council will
not pay the premiums referred to

wrote Hibernian Ins. Coy
General Co

4315. Maintenance Grant £16502

Write to submit a receipt

Concreting footpaths in foughrea £200.
Advertisement issued by County Surveyor: Tender Submitted.
received from M Kelly 189.15.0

Order: accept M Kelly at £189.15.0

4316. Rate collection, Aran.

Issue warrant

Submitted bond of Mr. Joleman McDonough.
Collector has substituted name of Michael Faherty as
Surety in place of Joseph O'Sullivan.

Order: Approved

4317. Gort workhouse.

Write Mr Wm Walsh

Read application (6603) from the County Technical Instruction
Committee for use of room at Gort workhouse for course
in domestic economy to be conducted by Miss Mahon.

Order: Approved

4318. J. Cahill v Council £4.15.0

Write Coster

Submitted civil bill served by Messrs Hopau &
Shields, solrs, letter of 6th Oct. to Messrs Hopau & Shields.

Order: Defend if not withdrawn

4319. Swim baths

Write Mr Jones

Read letter (6511) from Councillor Jones re swim
bath at Moota, Cress.

*Order: Suggest that some local person should buy the
bath & Finance Committee will appoint purchaser*

4320. Gort workhouse - Proposed letting to Supt Bradley.
Read Ministry's letter P.45656 asking what period
lease would be required.

Done

*Order: Ask Supt Bradley, & reply in accordance
with his answer.*

4321. Collectors Pounds

Done

Collectors closed
J. Garvey poundage £74.17.11
M. Garvey " £105.12.8

Order: Pay Poundage

4322. Luglowtholoney v Council

Identified file & agreement:

*Order: Write to report as to whether a second
£15 is due*

4323. John Kelly's Complaint (7CM4297) Read Mr
Kee's report (6613)

Write to Mr Kelly

*Order: Inform Mr Kelly that the flags
are being removed (write so informed & Ctd)*

4324. Road opening

Read Mr Kennedy's letter 6628

*Order: To Solicitor to take proceedings for
removal of pole at Newcastle, and to prosecute
for unauthorised excavation at Eyreth*

*Write to Mr Kelly
Copy to Collector
Copy to Roads Dept*

*Order: Obtain copy of provisional Order and advise
as to right of Electric Light Co in regard to*

*(1) opening of streets and
(2) Erection of overhead wires poles, etc. & to
Inform Electric Light Co that the County
Council as Road Authority must wait
on completion of road-opening agreements*

4325. Safe in Clerk's Office Clifden

*Write Mr Kelly
Copy to Mr Kelly*

Read Mr Gallagher's 6633

*Order: Bring in safe for Mrs
Leonards Office*

4326. Rate Collection

Noted

Collected to date £50813 = 22.5%
Collected this week £16,430
Outstanding £174,331

Order: Write to Collectors 'starred'

4327. Mouthelloe OAP Clc
 Read Mr Gilmores letter 6635
 Order: Ask K.G.D whether a District
 Sessions Court House (i.e. Mouthelloe) is
 an office of a local Authority for the purpose
 of Sec 22 of the old Act Union Regulations 1908

wrote K.G.D.
 Copy to O'Connell
 Gilmore

4328. Dunkeelin & Lavally Drainage Loan not gap
 Submitted draft approved by Mr Odea
 Order: Committee recommend approval
 refer to Co Council

OK

4329. Council v McInish
 Submitted Mr Odeas letter & cheque £50
 Order: Lodge.

McInish

4330. Polling Stations
 Read Mr Joyces letter 6620
 Order: Refer to Co Council Ask K.G.D to
 consider suggestion

Doule

4331. Mr McDermotts resignation
 Order: Bill by Examination in Accountancy
 + Irish: -

Adopt

M McNeill

4332. Keeladangan Bridge: Councils O'Booles
 report: Surveyor
 Order: ~~Committee~~ to attend to matter:
 Inspect & Report:

Co Surveyor present.

M McNeill

McNeill

Saturday, October 15th 1927

Chair: McNeill

Present: J. Hanagan: B. Lydon: H. O'Boole: E. Corbett:
 Cahill

4333. Finance:
 Bank Balance t/d. £ 24,908.11.2 Cr

4334. Payments submitted

Subsidiary acc	832 to 1179	for	£ 818.12.1
Bank Rd	" 725 to 1126	for	£ 3332.18.1
Loan	" to	for	£
General	" 9163 to 174	for	£ 5043.0.11

Order: Approved, and Treasurer's Authority signed

4335. Rate Collection: Submitted weekly chart.
 Collected to date 25.5%: same period last year 31.5%
 Collected this week. £ 6970.
 Collected to date.. £ 57,483
 Outstanding £ 167,661 + Secretary reports that
 Collectors Forde: K.H. Giffen, & Morrissey are very backward

Wetherham

4336. Harbour Masters:
 Read Correspondence with Board of Works, Harbour
 Masters

Secretary
 & works

Roundstone: dues have not been collected for years
 Inshoboin: dues have not been collected
 Kilronan: dues have not been collected since H.M.'s appointed
 Board of Works: no reply to letter of 30th Sept.

Submitted Posters:
 Order: Get further posters from Board of
 Works and forward to Harbour Masters.

4337. Glynisk Pier: Submitted advertisement:
 Tender only received. Send to
 Fishery Board and ask for their view

Wetherham
 Fisher

4338 Dealadangan Bridge (see 4332)
Submitted Report (6709) of Mr Kennedy to Surveyor
Order: Report approved

4339. Loughrea Rudewell
Submitted Town Clerk's letter & Plan (6705)
Order: send to Ministry. F.C. have no objection

4340. Council v. Siemens-Schuckert.
Read Co-Secretary's letter re proposed settlement
Order: Co-Secy authorized to accept settlement in conference with Secretary without prejudice

4341. Insh ^{more} collection (Arzan)
Boundary on Amount Collection of Mrs Smith
£131.11.1. Mr Smith is leaving the Island.
Secretary recommends payment.
approved

4342. New Buildings List:
Submitted list which was gone through
and cases granted were marked "admit"
Certificate signed accordingly
Order: List passed signed

M. W. O'Connell

Indexed G.A.

October 29th 1927
Chair M. McNeill

Present: E. Sweeney, J. Hanagan, J. Kynes, H. O'Sullivan,
P. Turey, M. Timmerli, B. Lydon, Murphy, Corbett.

4343. Fund: Bank Balance. Hd £8452.19.1 Sec.

4344. Payments Submitted: Subsidiary ac 1180/1611 £1197.10.4
Drink Road 1127/14574 £1231.10.3
General 175/206 £3126.2.0

Order: approved, authority signed

4345. Rate Collection
Collected to date 29.75%: last year 34.2%
Amount Collected this week £ 9.521.
Amount Collected to date £ 67,004
Amount Outstanding £ 158,140

Collector Cunningham: Amt disallowed by Ministry £39.13.8
Read Secretary's letter to Ministry
Order: Approved

4346. Swim Bath Read Mr Kynes Report re B. Conneely (no 53)
Order: License withdrawn

wrote P. Conneely
to V.S. & De. R. H.
C. O'Connell

4347. Secretary applies for leave to attend Meeting of
L.O. Officers Association - Friday ~~27th~~ 28th October.
Order: Granted

4348. Wayleaves: Post office ask for consent of Council to erect
telegraph poles at Lwiteen, also at Kilcounell
Order: granted

sent

4349. workhouses - (a) Clifden workhouse
caretaker reports that roof of dining hall has
fallen down.
✓ **No Order**

(b) Gort workhouse lettings.
Read letters from Superintendent Bradley and
Michael J. Corbett.
Order: Forward to Ministry

4349^a Burial grounds - Graveyard at Filturwey, Aran.
Read letter (6871) from Jno O'S. Johnston.
Order: Refer to Board of Health

4350. Old age Pensions.
Mountbellew Sub-committee - Holding of meetings.
Read Ministry's letter 47713 of 17th October.
**Order: Ask Under-Sheriff for the facilities
required**

4351 Safe at Clifden workhouse
Messrs Connolly & Son offer £10 for safe
referred to F.M. 4325.
**Order: Ask Co Surveyor what cost of removing
safe to Galway would be and report as to
whether it is worth this expense**

4352. Headford & Cloonen Bridges.
Underpinning of Headford bridge - cost £10
Underpinning of Cloonen bridge - cost £8.
Co Surveyor, W.D. (6923) asks for authority to secure
both bridges. & suggests that parties responsible
for damage should be proceeded against.
**Order: Committee are surprised that their
instructions of 13th June have not been completed
with & they regret to have again to inform the County
Solicitor that merely writing letters will not do the County works**

4353. Ten day notices: Mr Kennedy, Co Surveyor, asks for
authority to serve ten day notices on contractors
for roads 225 & 233.
Order Granted

4354. Flooding of ^{road} at Mountmary & Friaryland.
Read County Surveyor's letter (6927) re flooding of road
**Order: Refer to County Solicitor to take
the necessary action**

4355 Travelling allowances Co Surveyors:
Amounts disallowed by Auditor
McKenna by b.s. £16.0.11
Wyllens do £3.4.8
Whee do £2.6.8
McSweeney do £17.19.3

Read McKenna's letter of 20th October
**Order: Send copy to D.G. I with statement
of case and ask for sanction to a refund.**

4356. Potumna Court House: Read
Court Keepers report, 6930
Order: Co Surveyor to attend to matter

4357. Secretary asks for use of one floor in County
Hospital for Rate Department work with
necessary shelving, seating & desks.
Order: Approved

4358 Read application of Messrs Kenny &
Mannion to be placed on the Permanent
Staff Scale (£150 - £6.13.4 - £250)
**Order: That application be referred to Co Council
with recommendation from Committee that it be granted.**

4359. Fairs at Ballinastob: Submitted letter 6935
from Urban Council with petition
**Order: Refer to Co Solicitor for
advice as to powers of County Council**

4360. Harbour Dues: Read Board of Works letter
1906/27 stating that Board of Works responsible
for collection of dues at Cleghaun, Kibronan
Roundstone & Kinvarra
**Order: Write to Kinvara & send
Reports to Board of Works**

Saturday 29th October 1927

Chair M McNeill

Present. See attendance Book

4361. Finance: Bank Balance t/d 11407.0.0
amount of today's commitments approx 50,000.0.0
Sanctioned overdraft £25,000 to 31st October.
Order: apply for overdraft to cover November payments

4362. Payments submitted
Subsidary a/c 1612/1975 £676-1-11
Trunk Road a/c 1455/1894 £1387-11-10
General a/c 207/222 £2428-13-8

Order: approved and authority signed

4363. Rate Collection collected to date £71477-31-7/36.2⁰⁰ 9/4
Amount collected this week £4473.

Noted

Amount outstanding £63-8-0
Order: bring before Council at meeting today

Kate Madden rates £17-7-7: Read W. Walsh's letter

See CCW

Order: Reply that legal proceedings rest with the Collector, but so far as authority may be necessary the F.C refer matter to Council

4364. Bounty in lieu of Rates.
Submitted Claim £351-18-7

Done

Order: Sign and forward

4365. Food & Drugs.

app't sent

Chief Superintendent, Galway, asks to have Garda W. Fallon, 3074, appointed as *de officio* Inspector for Maam (part of)

Order: Garda Fallon appointed

4366. Pound at Galway. One years rent £10 due May, 1928 - note statute barred.

Get indemnity

Read Ministry's letter G. 50077 of 26th Octr.

Order: Pay subject to indemnity against surcharge

4367. Sudden Damage - Co. Surveyor, W.D. asks for sudden Damage Order for £9 to repair breach on road from Cleggan to Balliniskill

wrote Co Surveyor

Order granted

4368. Removal of Stones at Carraroe.
Submitted letter (7100) from Chief Superintendent, Galway.
Order: Co Surveyor to report & proceed if necessary

4369. Application for pension - Wm. Braghty, Foreman.
Read report from Co Surveyor (7103).
Order: Refer to Co Solicitor for advice

4370. Road Prosecutions: Co. Surveyor, W.D. asks to have proceedings instituted against contractors for nos 109, 111, 112, 113, 114, for neglect.
Order: Co Solicitor to be instructed

4371. Ten Day notices. Co. Surveyor, W.D. asks for authority to serve ten-day notices on Contractor M. Kedge.
Order: Granted

4372. Motor Taxation collector - Miss Leonard - applies for annual leave of absence from 5th to 14th prox.
Order: Granted - Mr Crowe to make necessary arrangements

4373. Technical Instruction Committee printing.
Read letter (7003) from Secretary to Technical Committee to include committee's printing in Co. Council contract.
Order: Refer to County Council

Confirmed 29/10/27

In Office

READ AT MEETING

29 OCT 1927

Martin U'Sean
Chairman

Indexed B.F.

Saturday 5th November 1927

Chair. M McKeile

Present E Corbett: B Lyden, Timmerly, O'Loole
J Hyne.

4374 Finance:
Bank Balance $\pounds 14,839.2.6$

4375 Payments submitted
Subsidary a/c 1976/2425 $\pounds 1168.17.2$
Spunk Rds a/c 1895/2183 $\pounds 4188.5.10$
poan a/c
Grossal a/c 223/259 $\pounds 5,704.1.0$

Order: approved: Treasurers authority signed

4376 Rate Collection: Submitted Chart
Collected this week $\pounds 7258$
Percentage Collected to date 35% as against 37.7% last year
Collected to date, Amount $\pounds 78735$
Outstanding $\pounds 146409$

Order Noted: order made on chart approved

Collector Naughton - (Deputy Moran) Read Deputy's letter 7267: cannot collect on lands taken up by Land Commission awaiting revision; closing his first collection less this amount $\pounds 255.3.2$

Order: Recommend payment of Poundage: Submit particulars of difficulty in $\pounds 255.3.2$ to Ministry and ask for sanction

667 Inishboffin Collection: Read Mr P. Walsh's letter 7218
Order: Refer to County Council

Collectors Conroy & Glynn closed first moiety
Order: Pay Poundage subject to sanction

write S.D.

4377 Roads Congress: Read Ministry's letter no power to pay delegates expenses
Order: Noted: Inform delegates and write Ministry, though F.C. regret the decision + hope soon to hear that the legal difficulty is removed.

4378 Housing Loans: Ellen Hayes Case
Submitted Mr Hosty's letter 7236, and FCM letter 5652 of 23rd August to Co Solicitor to which no reply has been received
Order: Refer to Co Solicitor

4379: Kinvara Court
Read Mrs O'Donnell's letter of 4th inst (7242)
Order: Committee have nothing to add to their letter of 31st October

4380: Hooding Complaint -
Read Mr Peter Flaherty's letter + Co Surveyor's report
Order: Inform Mr O'Flaherty that Council have no objection to his re-making the Gullet to suit his requirements provided he do so in a substantial manner to the satisfaction of the County Surveyor, + subject to Mr O'Flaherty taking proper steps to safeguard the public during the progress of the work. The Council are not liable in any way for the flooding complained of

4381. Removal of Stones: Submitted Report of Civic Guards and Co Surveyor.
Order Co Solicitor to take immediate proceedings

4382 Grealish & Co Council
Submitted Co Solicitor's report 7235
Order: Appeal

write Collier to attract

4382 Galway Sleding Co

Read Co Solicitors report:

Order: Co Solicitor to take proceedings against Company for the causes of action set out in Mr Kennedy's report.

wrote Mr O'Shea Copy to Co Surveyor

4383 Road at Clareville: Submitted file

Read Mr O'Shea's letter no 7156

Order: As this is a legal matter the County Solicitor should himself write the letters to Mr. Fahy

wrote Mr O'Shea Copy to Co Surveyor

4384 Borley v. Board of Health: Submitted file

Order: Co Solicitor to report on to situation: Mr Lee to consider whether this man should be employed.

file to O'Shea wrote to Lee

4385 Collaheigue Pier: Submitted Mr Kennedy's (No 7283)

Order: County Surveyor is authorised to advertise this work at £25

wrote Co Surveyor

4386. Road Grants file: Referred to CCM Submitted letters from Deputies Stephen Jordan + Mark Killilea and Secretary Reported that Deputy J. Morgan had authorised him to inform the Finance Committee that he had succeeded in having the Road from Galway to Clefen scheduled as a National Road

Order: That the best thanks of the Committee be tendered to Deputy Morgan for his successful effort to have a National Road made thro Connemara.

wrote J. Morgan.

That the Committee note with pleasure the steps taken by Deputies Jordan + Killilea

wrote them

4387 Spiddal Pier

Order: Co Surveyor to make a report + send same to Deputies, write to Board of Works that a Pier is required in his neighbourhood

wrote Mr O'Shea Office of Works Committee Report No Surveyor Induced B.F.

In Mr O'Shea

Saturday, 12th November, 1927.

Chair. M McNeill

Present. E. Sweeney; P. Cahill; B. Hydon; M. Funnery; P. Furey; O. Coole

4388. Finance: Bank balance today, £12629. 10.2 Gr. Sanctioned overdraft £30,000 to 30/11/27

Order - Noted

4389. Payments: Submitted.

Subsidiary a/c 2426/2796	£ 901 = 4 = 3
Trunk Road a/c 2184/2518	£ 537 = 28 = 929 = 12 = 1
General a/c 260/276	£ 3002 = 1 = 6
General a/c	£

Order: Approved + Treasurer's authority signed

4390. Rate collection: Submitted chart.

collected this week	£ 3260
collected to date	£ 81995 = 36 = 4 = 6
Amount outstanding	£ 11431.49

wrote to Collectors

Order: Call on Collectors to lodge funds to meet commitments at Quarterly Meeting

4391. New Housing Acts - Remission of rates on new buildings Submitted Ministry's letter no N/556/5397

Order: Inform Ministry of facts, and refer matter to County Council with statement that Committee consider the proposed remissions will not tend to ease rate collection

wrote Mr O'Shea

4392. Housing Loan - Ellen Hayes.

Referred to S.M. 4378.

Submitted letter (1366) from Mr O'Shea

wrote Co Surveyor

Order: Co Solicitor to put Council on a position to recover their money. Committee do not understand why defect in title was not discovered in time.

4493.

Checking of Rate collectors' a/c's

Submitted application from Liston for payment of first instalment of checking officers' fees in respect of Clifden & Rathfriland District.

Order: Pay Mr. Liston half sanctioned salary for checking subject to sanction of Ministry Gart Workhouse.

wrote Mr. D

4494.

Read letter from Board of Health asking for use of vacant room adjoining the Dispensary at Gart Workhouse for dispensary purposes

Order: Caretaker to hand over key to Dr. Gallon

wrote to caretaker of B.D.N.

4495

Coal Contract

The Proprietor Arigna Collieries, state that Arigna coal is suitable for steam purposes.

Order: Await quotations for delivery in Co Galway

✓

4496.

Public Roads Act - Council v Siemens Schuckert.

Read Mr. O'Dea's letter (7365) with cheque £120 in settlement.

Order: Accept & lodge to Credit

Public Roads Act: Co Surveyor authorized use on the damaged roads

4497

Wayleaves: Post office ask for permission to erect telegraph poles in Clifden.

Order: Granted

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4498.

National Road Grant: £10,000.

Submitted Ministry's letter S.N. 111/2 of the 5th November, and County Surveyor's proposals.

Order: Co Surveyor's proposals approved

Read Mr. Broderick's letter with enclosure from Minister

Order: Thank the Deputies

wrote to D
wrote to D

4499.

Larraroe Pier. Read letter 12722 from Board of Works asking for lease of site for Boat House. Submitted to Surveyor's report.

Order: Committee agree recommend 35 year lease at £1 per annum subject to reversion of plot and house to Council if and when the building ceases to be used as a Civic Guard Boat House before the termination of the lease

wrote to D of works

4500. Loughrea Sewerage - Board of Health v Dillon.

Referred to C.C.M. 3547

CCM

Submitted letters from Co. Solicitor and Mr. Lee C.S. Order: Referred to County Council

4501.

County Library. £50 instalment of first year's Supplementary Grant received from the Carnegie Trust.

wrote Secy. Library

Order: Thank Carnegie Trust: lodge money to Credit Library a/c

4502.

Drainage: Esker River.

Read letter 1307 from the Board of Works

CCM

Order: Refer to County Council

4503

Housing loans:

Submitted #301/19169/ re Mr. Duffy

Done

Order: Inform Dept of facts & refer to CCM 3536

submitted John Mannion's application

Order: Refer to CCM 3536

4504.

Paying Order 2109: Peter Madden £2.10.0 Returned "unknown" Secretary

Reported that several such cases have been reported by Secretary to Auditor and by Auditor's office. been referred to Co Surveyor for Report.

wrote to D.

Order: The Finance Committee require a detailed report, after enquiry, on all cases: Refer all such cases in future to the Civic Guards in the first instance

Done

4505: Car Park at Sact Hill: - Heard from Clerk: wrote to Brother:-

4506: Road from Ballinacree to Douglasa Ask Ministry if a grant is to be allocated to this Road in May 1900

Indented 24.

19th November 1927

Chair.

Present. See attendance Book

4507.

Finance:

Bank balance today £10503 c.
Sanctioned overdraft £30,000 to 30/11/27.

4508.

Payments: Submitted

Subsidiary a/c. 2797-3228 £1036.5.2
Trunk Road a/c 2519-2796 £919.18.10
General a/c. 1005-1101 £2361.15.10

Approved.

4509.

Rate collection:

Submitted rate chart.
Collected this week £5552
Collected to date £87547 = 8%
Amount outstanding £137.597

Noted

4510.

Food & Drugs Acts:

Civic Guards Guard ask to have Garda J. Donoghue
5937 appointed Inspector for Tuam area.

Done

Order. Issue appointment as requested.

4511

Sudden Damage

Letterfrack: Sea wall & Roadway
Read to Surveyor's Report (7589)

Wrote to Surveyor

Order: Expenditure of £95 to be charged to Contingencies authorised

4512.

Athensy Court House

Read Mr W. Hyatt's letter re greenwork suggesting certain alterations: Secretary reported his conversation with Mr Hyatt

Order:

The Council accept the alterations it being understood that there will not be any charge upon the rates for cleaning

Indorsed B4

By Kennedy M Mcheile

Saturday, Nov 26. 1927

Chair M Mcheile

Present. Councilor Hydon. Flanagan, Corbett. & Kenny
O'Loole, Linnert, & Hyne

4513. Finance:

Bank Balance t/d £11926.13.4

4514. Payments submitted

Subsidiary a/c 3229 to 3547 for £670.7.3
Trunk Road " 2797 to 3080 for £782.18.2
Loan " " for £ nil
General " 1102 to 1107 for £1455.3.4

Order: Approved & Treasurers Authority Signed

4515. Rate Collection

Submitted Chart.
Collected this week £2588
Amount collected t/d £90135 = to 40%
Corresponding % last year £ to %
Amount Outstanding £135009

Carried over

Order: Circulate statement of Amount Outstanding in each collection

4516. Financial adjustments Case

Submitted L.G.D letter of 29th Oct pointing out that Rates for Criminal Injuries could be made at any time - Referred to County Solicitor

Done

Order: Reply that letter has been referred to Legal advisers