

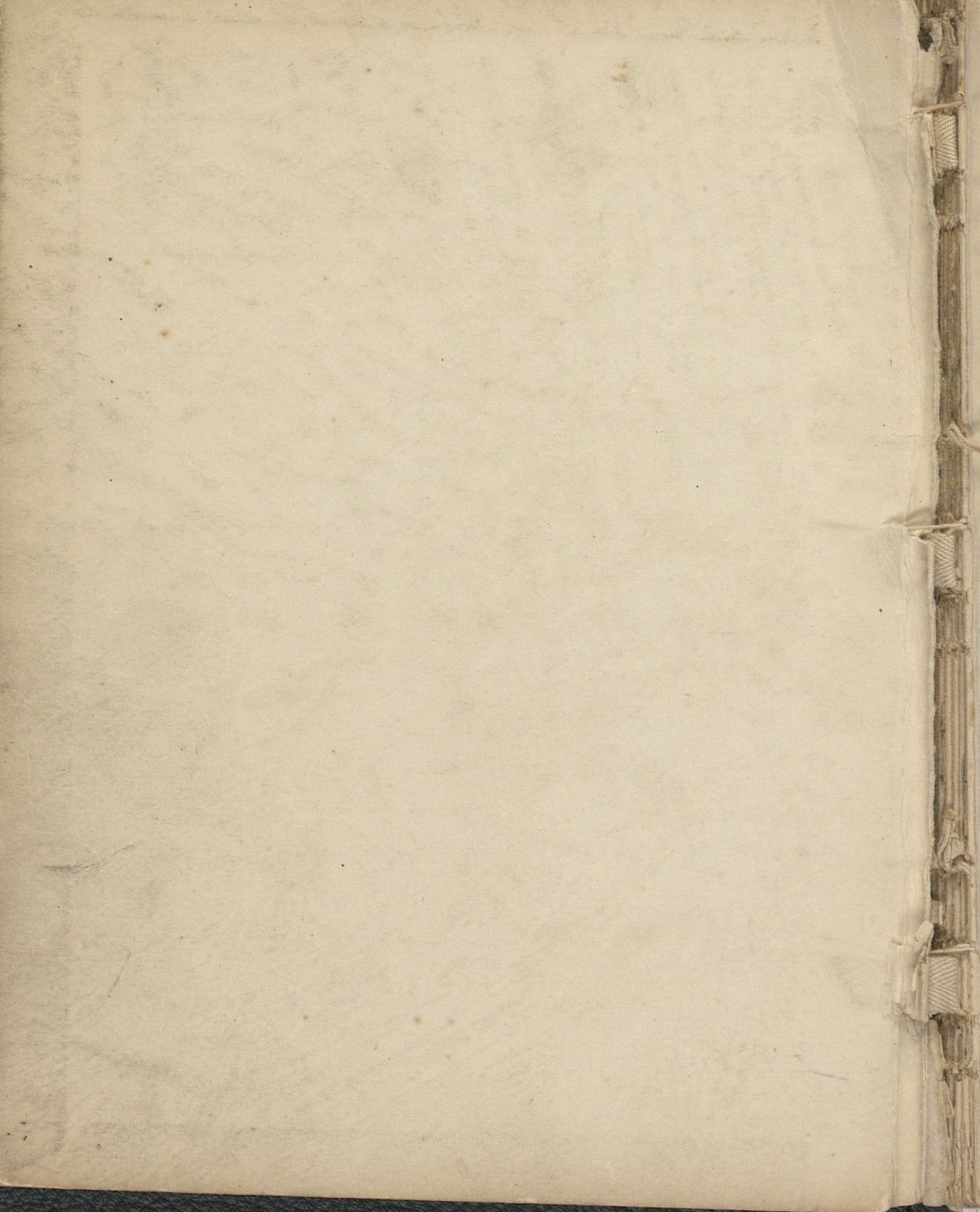
**Roscommon
Town Commissioners
Minute Book**

1901 - 1912



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Chairman's Minute Book

Iowa Commissioners

April 4th 1901

Thursday, the April 4th 1901

Present - W. McDonnell
J. Doolley
H. C. Mitchell
J. M. Newman
W. C. Sully
Thos. Flynn
E. D. McAra
J. D. Brady

Resolved that Mr. James Kelly, Contractor
for Wexford Bridge send a tender for
work on bridge for one year. Corrected.

Resolved that Mr. Joseph Doolley tender
for pricing of Fair Green be accepted at
\$10.00 Commission reserving all right
of Council. Kelly, however to

Resolved that W. McDonnell, ^{be requested to} send by in charge
of Mr. Donahon all papers in connection
with the Fair Green for the purpose of
the Commission. Singhan.

Thursday April 18th 1901

Present

J. J. Donnellan
A. J. Doorley J. J. Hughes
Edw. McElroy H. H. Lanchester
P. L. Mitchell
L. J. McNamee
W. J. Flynn
C. J. Cully

Resolved that Mr. Kevin's application for
the Consent of the Commission to erect
two Camps at the base of the Hayden
Mount to Grant Pass be unanously

Resolved that the report of Committee
re. the Star Green fence be adopted.

Resolved that the Commission take immediate
steps to assert their right to the Pass by
Mr. Mitchell's house to the Star Green and known as the
only entrance to it when in possession of Miss Caserly
whose right were bought by the Commission

that the Clerk be directed to instruct our
Solicitor to have the necessary legal proceedings
instituted before the Co Court Judge at next
session that this Meeting be adjourned for that purpose
to the ordinary fortnightly meeting.

Resolved that the Clerk write to the
Police Officer and to request him to send
^{the necessary} Men to keep the Entrance to fair Green
clear the Morning of the Cattle fair
and force them into the Green as
the Collect at the Entrance

Resolved that the Clerk ask the Gas
Company to light the Gas on Monday
Night the eve of the fair.

Meeting of Commissioners May 2 1901

Edward
John W. Thomas

Ed & G. L. Lusk

Resolved that the resolutions
of the Board adopted at last
meeting be given to W. K. Donald
to be acted on

that this meeting stand
adjourned to Monday
next at 10 o'clock

Amson
A meeting held in Camp Adams
My 6th

Frank B. Doolittle
John W. Adams
C. D. Lally
H. D. Dyer

Monday May 27th 1901

Present — W. H. McMillan
J. C. Doolley
Edw. M. M. M.

Resolved that the meeting stands adjourned
until 11 o'clock tomorrow Tuesday

Tuesday May 28th 1901

Present R. D. O'Connell

J. B. Dooly

Thos. Flynn

Proposed by J. B. Dooly, seconded by Thos. Flynn

Resolved, that instruction be given
to Mr. Talbot to be lodged on appeal
against the decision of the County
Court Judge

The chairman withdrew his resignation
as chairman of the 22^d & members of 22

June 13th

J. E. Hooley

J. A. Vanara

Thos. Flynn

W. J. Foranahan

Resolved that we unanimously refuse
to accept the resignation of Mr. [Name] and hope that he will continue to fill the position so worthily occupied

In full payment
J. M. Hayden

10 00

P Cash 2 10 0

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Amtry June 24th

I. C. D. O. O. O.

C. D. C. Lull

That the resolution of W. L. Hyson
be inserted on the Minutes

That a committee be appointed to confer
with W. L. Hyson & that the Minute book
be given him for the purpose of the
trial with a committee consisting
of C. D. C. Lull, W. L. Hyson & I. C. D. O. O.
Also that a cheque for seven pounds
be given him on acct of the trial

Resolved by I. C. D. O. O. record
by C. D. C. Lull that as George
Phillips I. P. G. I. be called as a member
of the band in the room of W. L. Hyson

Special meeting called for the purpose
of Considering tenders for artisans dwellings
held on Wed. 11th Sep

advertisement be issued re. meeting of
^{Consistency of the whole board.}
Committee to go into tenders for dwellings

Meeting of Commision
20th July
P. C. Mitchell
J. C. Cameron
W. J. Donahoe
L. C. Leach
Wm. Hyson
S. Julia

Resolved that Jim Donahoe's tender
be accepted for clearing and repairing
the square in repair for 12 months
for the sum of Seven pounds
also that he performs the work in
the same way as his Brother did

Resolved that Mr Walter Watson
be offered two pounds in full payment
of his Bill for making Maps of Drogheda
Pace ^{in full} ^{done} ~~his~~ attendance at Court

Proposed by Mr P. C. Mitchell and Seconded
by Mr Wm Hyson that Edward Mulla be
elected Chairman

Aug 29th 1904
Pellissippi
Geo. Thompson
& Co. July

That:
The usual rate of 11-¹⁰/₁₀₀ L
on house property - and 3
on land be made

That an advertisement be
issued for the Lighters of
the Camp

Sep 12 1901

Present

Edward Melia

& Connor Kelly

Walter Bauahau

Resolved that the Gas Co. be offered
£24 for lighting the town for ensuing 6 months

~~It~~ Resolved that the Town Sergeant
be instructed to get about 20 loads
broken stones for the Market Square
on front of the Chapel

Present

Edw. Nelia
P. C. Mitchell
J. C. Sorely
Thos. Heycut
Michael Barabau
& M. Kawara

Resolved that the street lamps be lighted
for the same time as last year and
at the same rate

That Mr. Watson be paid \$217.6
for the full discharge of his claim
that Jefferson be paid 4/- for
repairing fair green wall
Pat Keary be paid 8/- for attending
sessions —

Resolved that Miss Morris' application
will be attended to ^{at} sessions to be
held in July 1902 Miss Morris
to be informed accordingly

Proposed by Mr J C Stooly and
Seconded by Mr Tho Flynn
~~that~~ that a return of the attendance
of each member of the board since
passing of the local Government Act
at the next fortnightly meeting.

Oct 24 1901

Present

Enrled

O'Connor Kelly

Rich Baraban

J. J. ~~Baraban~~ Barry

Thos Flynn

Resolved that the Local Government
be informed that the Meetings of
the Town Commission ^{will be held} ~~will be held~~ in
future on the first Tuesday in
each Month

Resolved that Mr Hayes be asked
to remove the stone in Abbey
where he has about to erect
Labourers Cottages

That Thos Walsh be appointed
for cleaning the Market Square
instead of Jim Monahan until
July ^{or} on same terms as Jim Monaghan, namely
£4

Nov 14, 1901

Present

E. Nelia

J. C. Sorely

Mr. M. Namara

6. ~~Mc~~ Connor Kelly

Mr. A. Hyman

Resolved that the Meetings of the
Commissioners be held fortnightly as
heretofore

that the following payments
be made

N. Kelly	\$10.00
O. Moughan	3-0-0
P. Ward	0-4-0
(etc)	

That the Town Sergeant be instructed
to get an estimate for repairing
two windows in the Market House

That the Gas Manager be asked
to have the gas lamps ^{lighted}
as several complain of the light ^{than} and
that he be also asked to have a few
lamps light on fair Mornings.

Dec 17 1901

Present

E. Nelia

Thos. Hyman

J. C. S. S. S.

Resolved that the attention of the Board
District Council be called to ^{the} pump in
Corn Market Lane is very often out
order and that the officer be instructed
to report to the Council periodically
in this matter

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on the motion of Mr. Mitchell
Secretary Mr. Lyman
Mr. C. Allen was
elected Chairman

On the motion of Mr. & Mr. [unclear]
Resolved & Second by Mr. [unclear]
that Mr. [unclear] elected Vice
Chairman

Brookline

Jan'y 23 1903

Present

Ed Melia

P. C. Metcalf

Geo Phillips

Mr M. Kanara

L. Connor Kelly

Mrs Hyman

Geo Gerhardt

Proposed by Mr M. Kanara
seconded by Mr P. C. Metcalf
that Mr Hubert Kelly
be cooperator in place
of the late Mr J. C. Dowry

Resolved that the Board
be adjourned in respect to
the funeral of Mr J. C. Dowry

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Roanoke

6th Feb 1902

Present

- C. J. C. Lully
- S. Smith
- H. J. Hanly

The consideration of Mr Kellys costs
in connection with the recent case of
the Commissioners v. Mr Mitchell
was postponed to next meeting

On the motion of Mr Hanly seconded
by Mr Smith the resolution from the
Irish Town Commissioners was adopted

Payment of Election expenses also postponed
to next meeting.

Letters from Mrs Dooley and
payments

Rosemount

July 20 1909

Present E. M. A. S.

Secy J. L. S.

Dr. M. C. Namara

Hubert Stanley

Geo. Grayson

Resolved: that the following payments
be made

with reference to P. C. Carr's report
he St. Bla. keep notes that
the Board's Collectors ~~to~~ advise
be looked in the matter

Roseomon
Mar 6 02

Present

E. Nolia

W. C. Mitchell

Robert Hardy

Geo. Quapty

Thos. Hynes

Proposed by W. C. Mitchell
and seconded by Mr. H. Hardy
that Mr. Rich Tallon be
co-opted in place of Mr. Thos. Hynes

resolved that the town be lighted for
another month for the sum of \$7,000

That the attention of the Odunney
be called to the state of the streets
after fairs and markets the
streets are swept and the heaps
of mud to be not carted
away for seven days after

Roscommon

22nd March

H. C. Hanley. J. E. Mitchell. Geo
Scraghy. C. O'Fulley. W. Yallow
J. McNamee

The tender of Mr. Higgins for grazing of Fair
Green to 1st March 1903 was accepted without
the right of enclosures for the sum of £15.

The tender of Mr. Jos. Deorly for Weigh-
bridge ^{from the} 1st April 1902 to 31st March 1903
for the sum of £15-10 was accepted.

The tender of Mr. Walsh for Scales in
Potato Market at the sum of £1-5- to
1st April 1903 was accepted.

The tender of Messrs Scraghy Bros for re-
pairing of Fair Green wall according to es-
timate for the sum of £10 was accepted

Thursday 10 April 1902

Proposed by Mr M. Fallon
Seconded by J. Geraghty. Resolved
That Mr. Melia be requested
to reconsider his resignation
and that it be considered at
next meeting.

Friday 13th June 1902

Present. J. Flynn C of J. Fallon
H. J. Hanley, J. Geraghty

Mr. Dawson to be informed in reply
to his letter that a deputation consisting
of Messrs Flynn, J. Fallon & Hanley would
call on him on a day to be arranged for
the purpose of conferring with him

Mr. Melias letter read tending resignation
which was accepted

Mr. Carnegies letter re Public Library
was referred to Mr Flynn

Monday 7th July 1902
Present. J. Flynn, W. Fallon & H. Hanly

Mr. Whelan to be offered £2. in settlement
of his costs, & title Deed of Fair Green to be
got up from him & sent to Mr. Dawson
Manag^r. National Bank

Mr. Turnbull to get use of Fair Green
for £4 up to 16th inst.

Mr. Wm. Tully J. P. was proposed by Mr. H. Hanly
& seconded by Mr. Hanly ^{or Fallon.} for co-optation in room
of Mr. Ullia resigned, which was passed
unanimously.

Election of Chairman was postponed
to annual election in January.

Monday, August 4th

John McNamee
C. O. Lully
M. Gallor.

Monday 6th October 1902

Present J. Flynn J. Graghty M. Fallon

H. C. Hanley

X Tender of Gas Co to light the Town lamps
from 17th inst to 17th March next for
£22. 10.0 accepted.

The horse fair held in January to be
well advertised & posters issued throughout
the country

List of pairs fully revised & approved.

X Letter from W. M. Donnell requesting
the Com^{rs} to have lime market removed, ~~and~~
from present site, ^{also} asking to have new
flagged footpaths, in Goff St. and complaining
of sewerage at Tank. W. M. Donnell

to be informed that ~~Carts~~ ~~with~~ lime will
in future be sold at Tank, and that the
other matters mentioned in his letter
were subjects for District Council

The Town Sergeant to be directed to
remove lime carts from present site to Tank

X W. W. Somell to be instructed to apply
to Jas Hanly for £15. balance of contract for
weigh bridge

X Resolution congratulating the Pope
on his Silver Jubilee was unanimously
adopted.

Thursday, 20th Nov. 1902
Present J. Hyman.

Tuesday 4th Nov. 1902

Commissioners present - J. Flynn W. Fallon
Des. Geraghty

With reference to complaint of W. Sampson
of the filthy state of the Market Square the
Town Sergeant to be instructed ~~Sweep~~ to get Contractor
Sweep & remove ^{the refuse -} immediately, ^{at the coming market & fair} and that in case he
declined, to have the Square swept & cleaned at the
Contractors expense. amount therefor to be deducted
from Contractors salary

W. Ward to be informed that the lowering of
cub stone opposite his house was a matter for
District Council & County Surveyors, & he be referred
to them to have work done

Town Sergeant to have flag raised & levelled
opposite W. Harlows door

The January Horse Cattle & Sheep fair to be well
advertised before the time in the local & daily papers
according to the discretion of Town Clerk, and also
to have posters issued & circulated largely as has been

Done it, for the coming fair on 5th

The fair given to be left open for all fairs up
to April next.

An advertisement for ^{50 or} 100 tons of broken stones ^{to be delivered & spread}
for market square
to be issued in ~~an~~ messenger & replies to be submitted
for next meeting.

Thursday 20th Nov 1902
Present J. Flynn, Michl. Fallon, H. Hanly

The Town Clerk to be instructed to write in reference to dishonoured ^{cheque} to ~~Dist~~ Conquested District Board asking them hold over cheque to 1st Dec? that Com^{rs} ^{believed they} would be in a position then to meet it.

The Gas Co ~~also~~ to be asked to hold over their ^{returned} cheque ~~also~~ also.

The Town Clerk to ~~be~~ prepare statement of a/c to be sent Agent Bank of Ireland with a view to have the Com^{rs} a/c transferred ~~at~~ there from National Bank

There is a balance of £1000 in the National Bank account which is to be transferred to the Bank of Ireland.

Monday 10th December 1902
Present J. Flynn C. O'Leary J. Geraghty & H. Hanly

With regard to the letter from Mr. Sampson saying the Bank of Ireland would be prepared to advance the ~~the Clerk to direct to transfer~~

the overdraft standing against the Commissioners in the National Bank, and on considering the refusal of the Manager of the National Bank to honor cheque drawn in favour of the Congested District Board ^{some short time ago} the Clerk to be directed to transfer the acc from Nat^l Bank to the Bank of Ireland and to cheque to ^{be} sent Nat^l Bank for overdraft due by Com^{rs}.

The Clerk to be directed to get up from the Manager Nat^l Bank the Conveyance of Fair Green & Market House, and to lodge ~~the~~ same with the Agent Bank of Ireland as security against overdraft

Annual meeting - January 23rd 23 Friday

Present -

J. Hyman + 7.

3rd March 1903

Present J. Flynn C. O'Callaghan H. C. Hanly
J. Geraghty J. Byrne P. Hogan

W. Geraghty ~~pro~~ motion to establish a
fowl & butter market was unanimously ~~passed~~ ^{adopted}
and a small Committee consisting of the following

W. Geraghty J. Flynn & W. Hayden to be formed
for the purpose of working it up.

W. The Town Sergeant to inspect lamp
~~at~~ opposite W. Hogan, and any repairs required
to have same done.

W. Hogan resolution regarding the facade
renewal was passed unanimously.

The Clerk to be directed to lodge notice
of appeal against assessment of Income
Tax, when next notice of assessment is received
& to attend before Com^{rs} of Inland Revenue at home
on appeal with books etc for purpose of having
ass^t taken off

Meeting of Commissioners
26th March 1903

Comrs present J. Flynn J. Byrne, C.C. Tully M. Fallon,
H. Hanly J. Hegan

The following tenders were accepted

For grazing of Fair Green Thos. Higgins £16.10.6

" Wexbridge J. J. Dooley £

Leaves Potatoes Market J. Walsh £

~~Waterloo tender for~~

The Gas Co to be asked to light streets of the town
for next fortnight at same terms as in Contract

Advt for ^{tenders for} broken stones ^{for paving} to be again inserted
in local papers

Meeting of Commissioners

29th May 1903

Present J. Flynn Col. J. J. H. C. H. and M. Fallon
J. Burns

Martin Scraghty's tender for broken
stones accepted @ 2/- per ton to be of
kind advertised for & supplied according as
directed

Mr. Denis Harlow's ^{↓ Mr. John Byrne.} designation as a
member of the Board accepted. The consideration
of the advisability of co-opting new members in
their stead ~~by the Board~~ ^{up to} to be
considered at next meeting, also the vacancy
created by Mr. M. Namara's non attendance

Meeting of Commissioners

Present J. Flynn, C. C. Tully, H. C. Hanly W. Fallon

On the proposition of W. H. C. Hanly seconded by
by J. Flynn a vote of sympathy ^{to Mrs. W. Namara} was passed on
the death of her husband W. Jno W. C. Namara

~~Proposed~~ Proposed by H. C. Hanly seconded by W. Fallon
that Messrs W. Hanly H. Deery W. James Geraghty.
be co-opted in the 3 vacancies occasioned by the
resignations of members.

Permission was given to Geraghty Bros to
erect a hoarding in front of M. A. Dooleys premises
in Main Street during erection of new building

The attention of the Town Sergeant to be called
to the state of the Market Square

Special Meeting of Commissioners, 27 Aug '03

Present Col' Gully in Chair

Others Messrs G. Graft, P. Hagan and James Graft.

On the motion of P. Hagan seconded by G. Graft, Mr Gully was one of those selected to act with the Chairman on the Water Committee

On the motion of P. Gully seconded by G. Graft P. Hagan was the second member selected.

It was also decided to ask the Distl Council to add the names of Messrs James Graft and George Graft to the Committee

Meeting of Commissioners 5th Sept: 1903
Present ^{y. J. Ryan} Col. J. J. Sully, ^{Geo. Graghty} Jas. Graghty, Pat Hogan & Hanly
Meth. Gallon & Deery.

W. Harlow to be asked if he would supply the quantity of ^{broken} stones now which he tendered at before at the same price & conditions for use on Market Square also requires to be made ^{of cost of} for making of two channels in connection with Market Square on suggestion of W. Graghty.

W. Hayden to ^{take steps to} bring presentment for repairs of the flags of town before next quarterly meeting of District Council. Cost not to exceed £10.

Advertisements to be issued for tenders for horse & small engine to be used in connection with water supply of town.

Resolution proposed by W. R. Hogan ~~prop~~ seconded by Geo Graghty

" I beg to propose

Amendment proposed by H. Hanly

Seconded by Jas Graghty

That cheque as usual be paid to Town Sergeant

On a ~~Division~~ resolution was lost by 4 votes to 3

Annual Advertisements be issued for lighting of town
from 17th Oct to 17th March
Tenders to be laid before next meeting.

Meeting of Comm^{rs} 18th Sept. 1903

Present J. Flynn Jas Graghty & P. Hogan

Rate book signed by members present

Meeting 13th Oct 1903

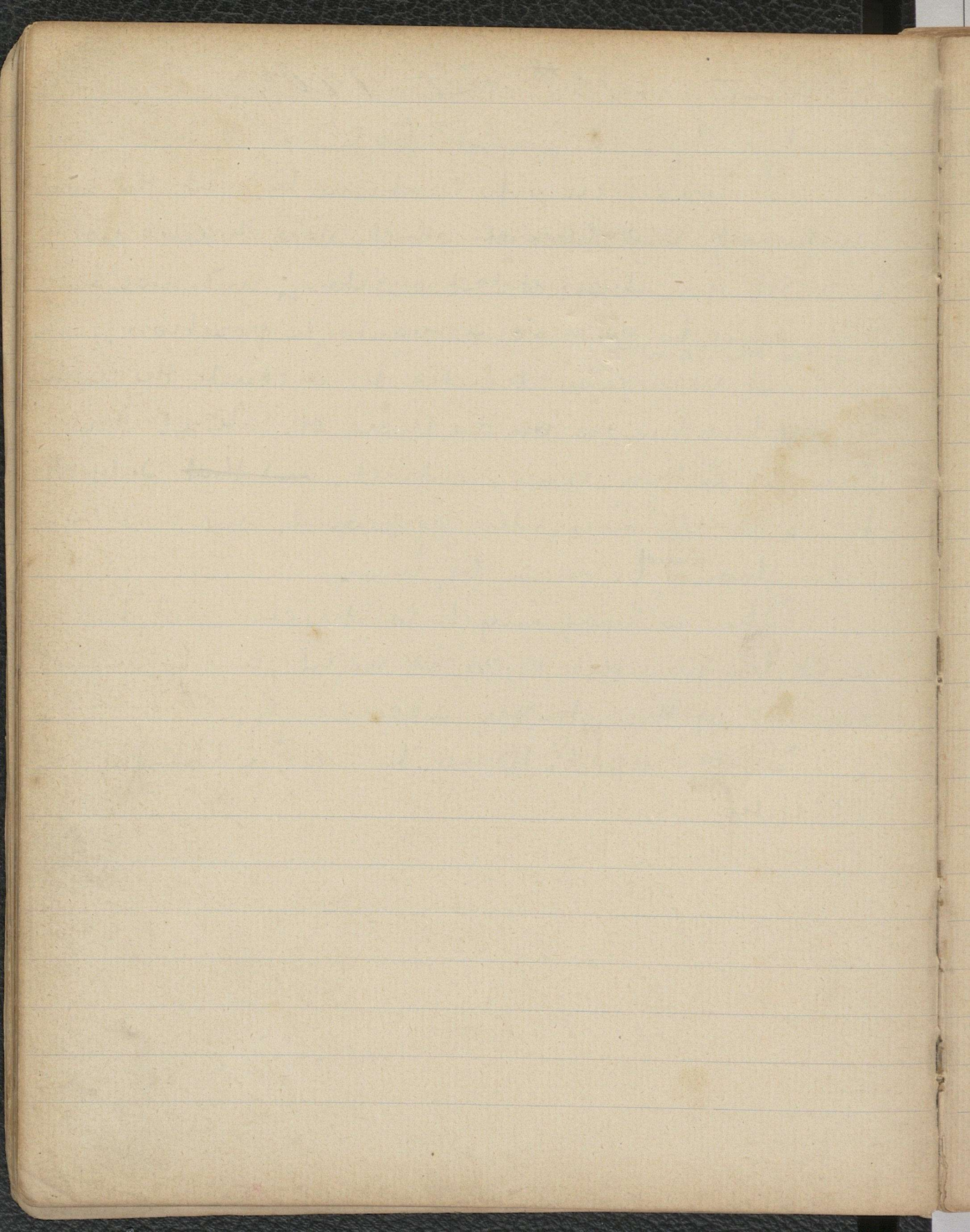
Present J. Flynn J. Searles, Col. J. J. P. Hogan J. Searles

It was decided to continue to light the two lamps at Old Church which were directed not to be lit in future at last meeting; and also to shift same to a more advantageous position, pointed out by the Comrs.

It was also decided to include the lighting of the two lamps on the piers of gate of New Church in this years contract, ~~and that~~ subject to Mr. McLaughlin's approval, and that the connections ^{thereof} be made by him.

The Gas Company to be directed not to light lamps after 10.30 at night, and to amend amount of their tender accordingly.

Tender of P. Ward to repair lamps accepted



Meeting.

November 3rd 1903

James Geraghty in ch.

P. Hogan

M. Fallon

H. C. Hanley.

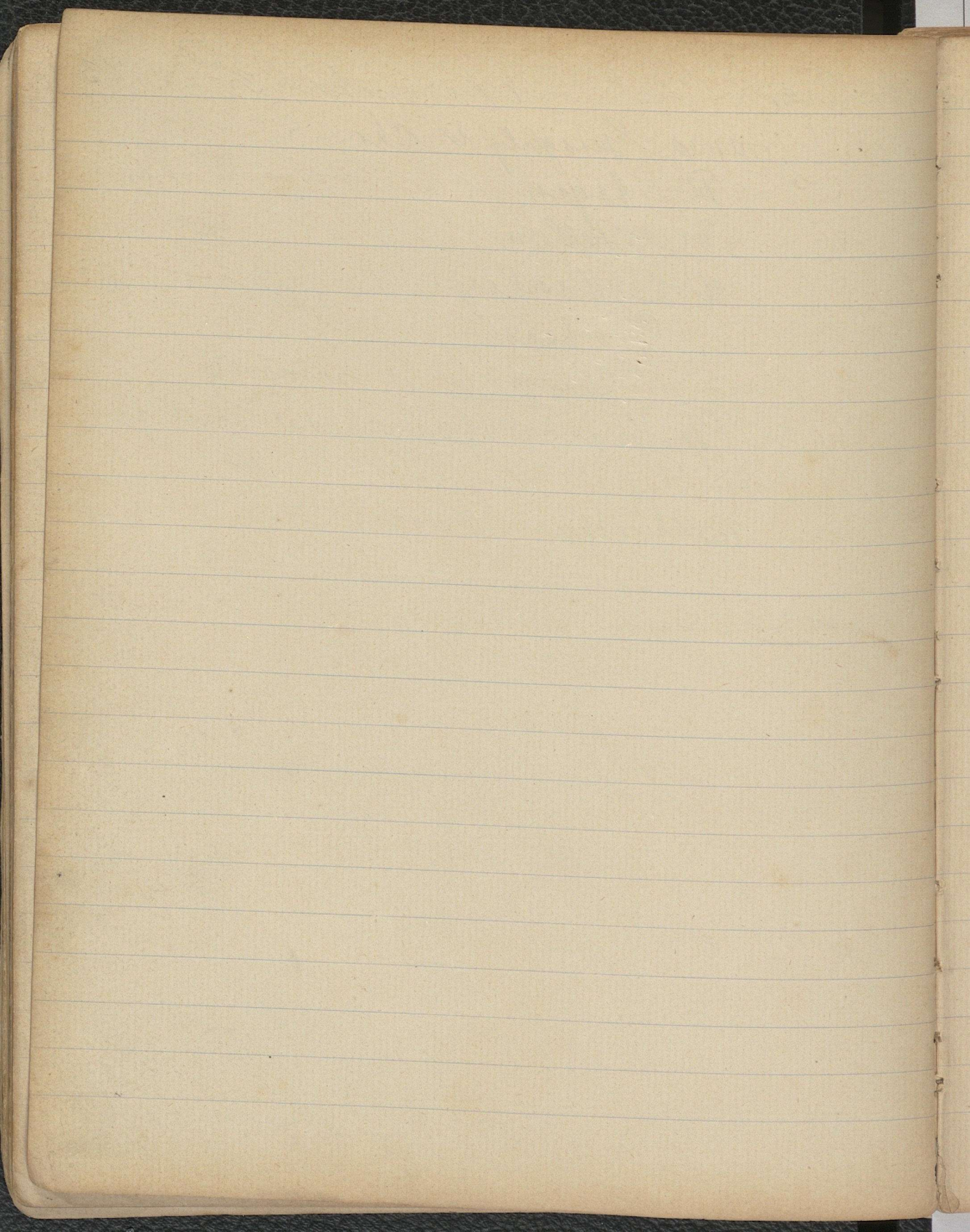
Gas tenders

Camps to be removed

To be asked if additional stones for

Sq.

advt. repair market A.S.



Meeting of Commissioners
in their Col July

Other Messrs James Graft, M. Falber
& C. Haug.

On the motion of I Graft it
was decided that the lands of I
John Soggy & his heirs to the
Market Town at £3. 10. 0 be
accepted.

Mr Haug proposed that I Graft
should receive a warrant from Juan
Fern Commissioners on release of
Col. Lynch.

Mr Graft proposed that the
Town Sergeant be instructed to remove
any person guilty to keep the
footpath outside the Towns clean

Special Meeting of Commissioners

Present Messrs J. Flynn M. Fallon J. Geraghty
H. C. Hanly

after discussing the advisability of changing
the pig fair to be held on 4th Jan^y on account
of it clashing with fair held ^{in Ballygarra on same date}, it was decided
to hold fair on 4th here as advertised.

It was decided also to revise list of fairs
for the year ~~at~~ at a ~~com~~ meeting of Comrs in
the month of June in future.

Meeting of Commissioners 5/1/04
Present

Michael Fallon

Patrick Hogan

James Geraghty

ac of Mr James Harlows viz 12-17-10
for stones spread on Market square
passed -

also Mr John Gaffey's ac for repairs
to Market House viz 3-10-0 -

It was agreed to instruct the Town Sergeant
to pay more attention to his duties in
seeing that the Market square and
footpaths in the Town be properly
cleaned -

Resolved that Mr Mc Donnell be
instructed to proceed against
Mr James Hanley for rent of
weigh bridge in Market square,
at once.

Meeting of Commissioners

Present J. Flynn Col. J. J. Das Graffen
Patt Hogan W. Fallon

On the proposition of W. Col. J. J. Das Graffen ^{seconded by J. Flynn}
J. Flynn was elected Chairman
and on the proposition of J. Flynn
seconded by W. Hogan W. Col. J. J. Das Graffen
was elected to the Vice Chair.

Meeting of Com^{rs} 7th March
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Present J. Flynn P. Hogan & W. Fallon

With reference to the application for Income Tax
the Clerk to be directed to send Abstract of ~~the~~ ^{Com^{rs}} acts of
to Inland Revenue, with a request that the Tax
be remitted, or otherwise to ask them to accept
notice of appeal against assessment, as owing
to an oversight it was omitted to be done

A meeting ^{of Com^{rs}} to be called for 24th March to
receive & consider tenders for ~~the~~ weighbridge,
fair green & scales

Advertisement to be issued, for cleaning of
Market Square, previous to meeting of Com^{rs}
in June next

W. Mulvany's attention to be called to the great
~~importance~~ necessity of at once having the flags
of the town repaired as directed by the Co. Council
some time ago.

The Co^y Surveyors attention to be called to the delay
in having flagging in Goff St executed

W^m Kelsey to be written to know of for the rent
of the Market House to date.

Resolution from ~~Shabam~~ Urban District Council
in reference to Cash on Delivery system was
unanimously adopted.

Meeting of Comrs.

J. Flynn P. Hogan Ed. Fallon & H. Haney

Mr. Kilcommins tender for fair green ^{for 11 months} at
£18.1.0 without right of Encroaches accepted

Thos. Walsh's tender for scales in Potato
Market at £1.5.0 accepted

John J. Doorlys tender for Weighbridge
for £25.10.0 accepted

Rosemount Town Commissioners
Meeting on 5th April 1904
In Chair C. O. Gully Others
Messrs P. Hagan and U. Fallon.

On the motion of Mr Hagan
it was decided to get the
Town Sergeant to issue a summons
against Pat Gilligan in the event
of his erecting a scale in opposition
to the present contractor, Thomas Walsh
in the Potato market. Mr Mc
Donnell, solicitor, to represent the
Commissioners in the hearing of the
case.

It was proposed by P Hagan
that a letter be written to the
Secretary of Rosemount Town

works, requesting that the public
land ^{be kept} from this evening until
the Monday following the April Cattle
fair, viz 25th April.

It was decided & advertised
for a tenant for the portion by
the Market House formerly held
by J. L. Kilroe from the Commission.

It was directed that J. Mc
Donnell, solicitor, be requested to
say what steps he is taking
against J. James Hanley for
hindering neighbours in 1901.

Meeting of Com^{rs}

Present. J. Flynn, P. Hogan & W. Fallon

Resolution of P. Hogan seconded by W. Fallon
" That we the Com^{rs}

W. Mulvany to be ^{again} requested to carry out
the repairs ^{to} of the flags of the town without delay

W. Mulvany also to be requested to have the
portion of the footpath on Circular Road ~~at once~~
which was directed to be made by County Council
at once taken in hand also the flagged footpath in ^{St. St.}
^{Notice of a} Resolution ^{to} proposed by P. Hogan seconded by W.
Fallon " That for the future the Town Sergeant
is not

to be put on agenda paper for next meeting

The Town Sergeant to be directed to furnish a
list of ^{at next meeting} triangles, scales, & weights at present in
the hands of the contractors of the Com^{rs}

The Town Sergeant to be directed to have ^{town} lamps
taken down and stored

In reference to amount due by James Hanly for scales,
M^r. M^r. O'Connell to be requested to ~~write~~
~~communicate~~ ~~pro~~ to send a report of steps he
has ^{taken} taken in this matter

6th June 1904
Com^{rs}. Present J. Flynn Jas Faragher H. Hanly
Pat Hogan M. Fallon

W. Mulligan to be ~~informed~~ ^{informed} that the Com^{rs}.
will not set store less than 15/- per month, and
not for a less term than 6 months. In event
of his not agreeing ~~to these~~ ^{to this} the Town Sergeant
to be instructed to take up possession from W.
Mulligan.

Tender of Bernard Hoare to do the scavenging
of Market Square at £6.0.0 for 12 months from
12th July next accepted on the condition that Square be cleaned
immediately after all markets and fairs, and refuse
at once removed

Letter from W. Whelan for bal of costs
to be considered at next meeting

Permission to be given to W. Walsh Manager of
Gas Co. to remove lamp opposite W. Hessons to allow

Road, and lamp opposite W. Mitchells to be
changed to position selected by Committee of Com^{rs}
~~consisting~~ of both camps to be removed free of charge

The Town Sergeant to be asked to furnish ^{the} list
of Scales & Weights given him by the late Town
Sergeant

W. M^r Donnell to be written to asking what
steps he had taken in reference to the Inspector
and also ^{to} a report as to W^m. Hanly's debt.

July 4th
J. J. J.
in Padua

4th Sept. 1904

Comrs Present

J. Flynn J. Geraghty H. C. Hanly M. Fallon &
P. Hogan

Resolution of sympathy to ~~W. M.~~ relatives
of late W. M^c Donnell

Proposed by P. Hogan

Seconded by J. Flynn

Rec^d Letter from Contractor of weighbridge
complaining of defective state of same and
asking it to be repaired.

Ordered Mr. J. Hayden to be asked to inspect machine
& do the necessary repairs

List of pairs approved & adopted, & ordered
to be printed & circulated immediately

Bill of printing to Dec^r. 98 from Mr. Hayden
paid

21st Sept. 1901

Com^{rs} present

J. Flynn Jas. Geraghty H. C. Hanly P. Hogan.

Resolution proposed by W^o ^{P. Hogan} & seconded by
W. Fallon that

It was ordered that the lamp at corner
of W^o M^c Laughlins be changed over to W^o M^c Keons
corner & that a bracket ^{at Keons corner} be placed there & that
lamp at ~~St~~ Kieroe corner be changed over to
M^c Donnell's corner & that pillar at Lodge corner
be erected there. ~~at~~.

The new incandescent fittings adopted in
W^o Hogans resolution to be placed on lamps
at M^c Keons corner Messenger Office corner,
M^c Donnell's corner & at Doorleys corner

W^o Hayden to be asked to have the repairs ^{made}
~~to~~ all the lamps requiring same

Advertisements to be issued for lighting
of town ^{for special meeting on Monday 26th inst} ~~to be issued~~ from 1st Oct. to
12th April 1905 from ~~10.30~~ up to 10.30 at night
or in the alternative 11 o'c.

Proposed by Mr. James Foraghty and seconded
by J. Flynn that Mr. J. J. Burke be appointed
Solicitor to the Board in the room of the late
Mr. Mr. Donnell, and that he be notified
accordingly.

Proposed by the Chairman seconded by
James Foraghty

Meeting of Comrs
26th Sept 1904

Present J. Flynn. P. Hogan. W. Fallon & H.C.
Hayden.

~~It was ordered that~~

With reference to minute made at last meeting
as to changes to the lamps it was decided
to leave present bracket ^{lamp} at Kieroe's Corner, ~~but~~ ^{may}
and that position of lamp at Lodge Corner
to be left to decision of a few of the Comrs.
Present lamp at W. Jemmetts to altered to a
position opposite Post Office. W^T Hayden
to be ~~asked~~ asked to have tin ware of lamps repaired
Tender of Gas Company for lighting of town
accepted. Lamps to be lighted at night fall each
evening and to be extinguished at 11 o'c^{ks}.

Meeting of Commissioners
Monday 3rd Oct
In Chair W. E. Gully
Others Present P. Rogers, W. Fuller,
J. H. C. Gully

It was decided to ask the Clerk
to write to the Clerk of Bowle
Town Commissioners asking him
what they would charge for either
five or ten disused gas pillars.

The immediate attention of the
District Council to be called to
the state of the sewer leading
from Mr Mitchell's premises with
a request to have it ~~closed~~
~~up~~ the hole which Mr Mitchell
opened in the square closed
up. Mr Mulvaney's attention at
the same time to be called
to the matter.

An order was ordered for
the painting of the Town Lamp
and for a supply of ~~stone~~ about
for 20 tons of stone

Mr Mulvaney's attention to be
called to the condition of the
flag in Ably Street, and he
requested I should have the money
voted by the ~~District~~ Council for
the repair of same expended on
~~and~~ repairing the footpaths in
town.

The attention of the District
Council to be called to the delay
on the part of the contractor in
completing the footpath in Ross
Street.

The Town Sergeant to be
directed to get the heaps of
sand opposite the new Church
removed.

Com^{rs} ~~next~~ Meeting
7th Nov. 1904

Present J. Flynn P. Hogan M. Fallon J. Graghty

With reference to Mr Feely ^{Mr. Hamon} application mentioned in Town Ser^t report. The ~~Comrs~~ Town Ser^t is directed to inform him that it is the District Council who have the flagging in hands, and that it is to them the application should be made.

Town Ser^t to produce bill for brass letter for next meeting

Town Ser^t report in reference to lamps to be sent to Manager Gas Works for explanation

Letter from M. Walsh to be considered at next meeting, at which he be requested to advise Tender of Ber^d Hoare for 20 tons broken stones to be spread for $\frac{2}{3}$ a ton accepted

~~The~~ The Gas Company be requested to reduce the price from 7/6 to ~~7/6~~ ^{per 1000 cubic feet} as the quantity of gas now consumed is considerably in excess of other years, and the

Company to take into consideration the public benefit derived the increased consumption of gas by the Com^{rs} for the convenience of the town

Meeting at 5th Dec by
Presmt Com^{rs} Gully, P. Hagan
J. Smith, H. C. Dearly

It was decided to request Mrs Dearly
to permit Mr Walsh alter the gas
bracket at Corner of the Town
so as to make it suitable for
meanderment ~~bracket~~ lamps.

Mr Walsh to be informed that
the bill for meanderment lamps
was held over & next week

Mr Town Surveyor to have the
necessary repairs to the lamps at
Gavin's carried out.

Mr Walsh to have the flags
opposit Mr Wick. Mr Curtis and
Mrs Adams properly replaced.

The Lane Supt Jarrage to
have the lamps cleaned once
a month for the future.
The immediate attention of Dr
Mc Donnell, by the way, & call
the District Council be called
to the scandalous state of the
Communit^y owing to a sewer
being open there. It is dangerous
to public health and should be
closed at ~~one~~ once.

The resolution by Wagon in
St. Vincent St. Paul Society be
was adopted and copies ordered
to be sent to Messrs McLaughlin
and the Society.

Meeting 2nd January 1904

Com^r present J Flynn Co C Tully M. Fallon &
H C Hanley.

The Town Sergeant to be instructed to
Direct M. Walsh to forthwith erect one
new each of the incandescent burners at
Kilross corner & Dooley's corner as requested
in a former minute, and that if same are
not erected within one week that the matter
be reported to the Gas Co for an explanation.

The clerk to lodge necessary notice
of appeal against assessment of Income Tax.

The Postal authorities to be asked to have
a pillar for reception of letters erected in
a suitable place in Castle St for the convenience
of the residents & business people of that part
of the town.

The clerk to ~~draft~~ ^{prepare} address for presentation
to Mr. Redmond M.P. on his coming visit
to Roscommon.

Annual Com^o meeting 23rd Jan^y 1905

Com^o present. J. Flynn C. O'Jully, Das & Geo
Granghy H. C Hanly

On the proposition of Mr Hanly; seconded
by Mr Geo Granghy. J. Flynn & Col Jully
were elected Chairman & Vice Chairman respectively
~~and the papers~~

The position for new letter box suggested
for Castle St, was referred to the following
J. Flynn ^{H C Hanly} Col Jully ^{Das} & Granghy as a Committee
to select the site, and to report place selected
at ~~next meeting~~. to Clerk of Com^o ^{who will} to inform
Postal authorities

The Roscommon Town Com^{rs} beg to call the attention
of the Midland R.^y Co^y to the price charged for
carriage of stock from Stroketown fairs from
Dromod to Liverpool in comparison to that
charged from Roscommon, and as a good
many buyers of stock have expressed their
wish to send stock via Roscommon to
Liverpool, the Com^{rs} request ^{the Co^y} that they ~~send~~
~~freight~~ charge the same freight ^{to England} from Roscommon
for stock purchased in Stroketown as those
charged from Dromod

Copy to be sent M^r R.^y Co

The Clerk to send ~~in~~ particulars in connection
with the Market House in accordance with
advertisement for ~~a site~~ new Post Office to
Postal authorities

Meeting of Com^{rs} 6th Feb^y 1905
Com^{rs} Present. J. Flynn. Col. Tully. J. J.
Fraser & P. Hogan.

Mr Walsh to be requested to have ~~the~~ new
lamp at Dooleys corner at once erected, and
that should he refuse to do, he be directed to
refund the cost of same to the Com^{rs}

Mr Mulvaney's attention to be called to
~~the~~ ~~new~~ nuisances caused by the open ^{sewer} ~~street~~
in Corn market, and to ^{at once} take steps to abate
same.

Permission to be given Miss Jones for
storage of timber in fair green ~~and also~~
and Sec^y of Agricultural & Technical ~~to~~ to
~~hold~~ show of mares in green ~~in~~

Cheque to ^{begin} Mr. Tully for £15.0.0 on a/c
Resolution proposed by Mr. Tully
Seconded P. Hogan

Resolved: -

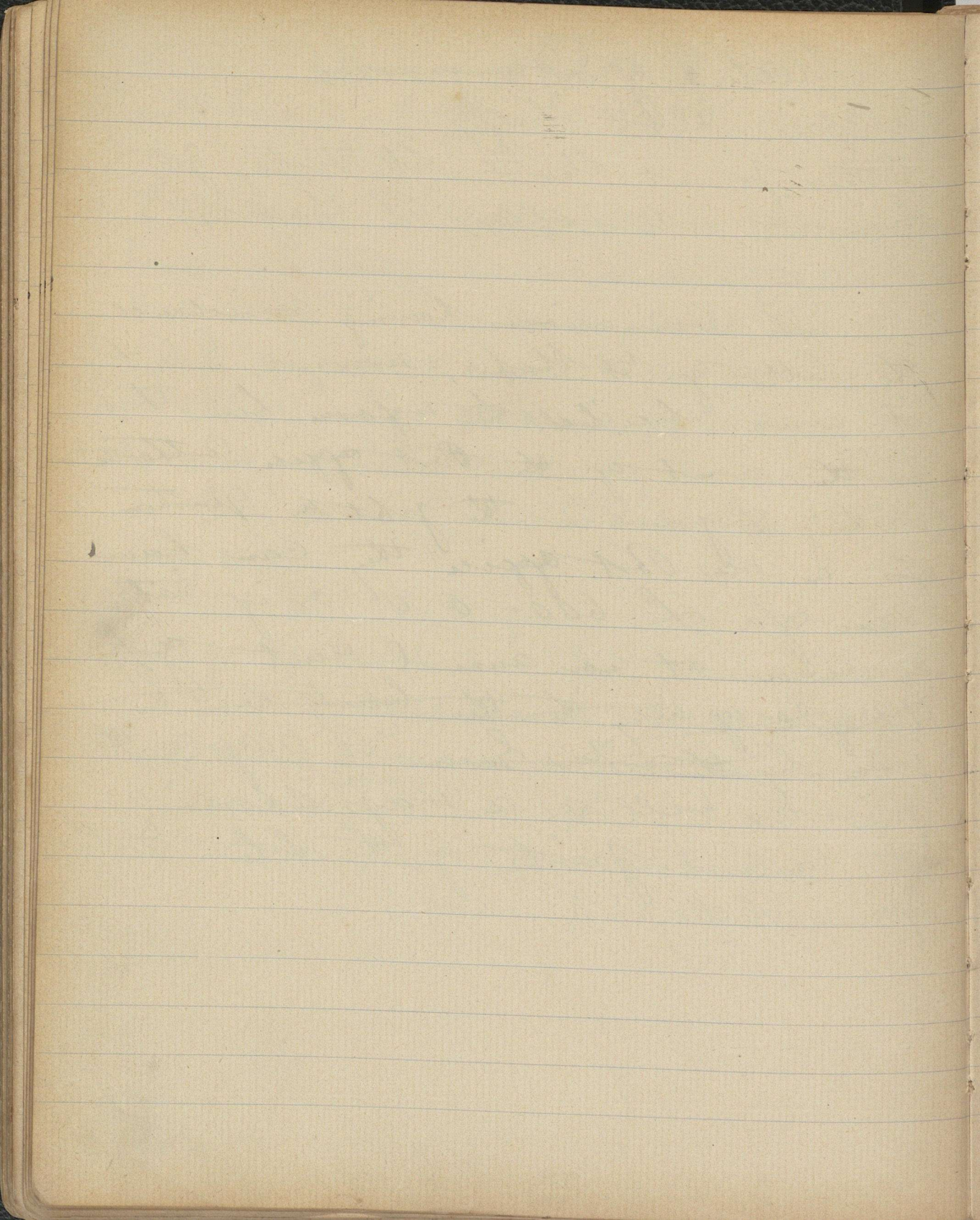
Passed unanimously

Meeting of Commissioners

In Chair 20 July

Others present Messrs M. Finlay J.
Gunn, M. Falson, P. Hagan, S.
Gunn.

The Commissioners having considered
the letter of Mr. Mahon, Mayor, S. P. O.
it was decided to inform him that
in the event of the Post office authorities
wishing to purchase the plot in question
for a new Post office they can have
same for £ 600. 0. 0, or if taken
on lease at an annual rent of £ 20.
~~A right of way to the back to be~~
~~given by the Fair Green. A map of the~~
plot as well as a map showing
the actual position of the site to be
forwarded.



Meeting 21st March 1903-

In Chair ^{of Flynn} Col Jolly

Others Messrs M. Foley, P. Hogan
and M. Falter, Jas Graghty, H Hanly.

The tender of Mr J. J. Dooley for the
supply of
Tender of James Graghty for scales in Potato market
Tender of Thos. Higgins for grazing of fair
green without right to enclose accepted

Commissioners Meeting - 3rd Apr 88
In Chas Coe July
Other Men: P. Hagan, W. Fulmer
& J. S. Scurphy, & C. Hanly.

It was ordered that Messrs Burke & Son
Solicitors be directed to take the
necessary steps to ~~take~~ get an
injunction against Gilligan &
Walsh, ^{or any other persons} ~~to~~ for their removal
off the square.

The Town Sergeant to take the
necessary steps to obtain possession
of the chains and weights handed
over by him to the previous
Contractors Walsh.

The Gas Company to be requested
to continue the lighting of the town
lamps up to Monday 10th April.

The sum of £3 Income Tax was
ordered to be paid under protest, the

Mr. Rogers to be asked if the night of holding a fair in the month of October would be given by him and the terms he would suggest for same.

The resolution of the fays opposite to Dr. Verrill & the M. A. Dealy's premises was referred to W. C. Swann & J.

Mr. Hogan proposed and I thought secured that the resolution were adopted from the Dublin Society, Dublin & adopted which was unanimously agreed to.

The Town Sergeant to employ a man to assist him at the scales in the Market Square on Saturday next.

Comm^y meeting 8th May
Present J. Flynn (Chair) H. Hanly P. Hogan

Mess^{rs} Burke & Son to be instructed
to lay case before Council for advice & opinion
in ~~connection~~ ^{as to their} ~~with~~ rights of Comm^y to Market
Square, and removal of scales or other
obstructions thereon

Mess^{rs} W. J. Donnell & Co to be asked
to furnish particulars of their a/c
Cheque to be sent for Inc Tax

Resolution proposed by W. P. Hogan
Seconded by W. Hanly of condolence to
to W. J. W. Hayden family on death of
Rev. B. J. Hayden passed unanimously.

Commissioners Meeting 5th June 85
In Chair Col. Tully
Others Messrs J. Smyth, P. Hogan,
M. Fallon, S. Smyth, H. C. Hanly

It was decided to accept 2 James
Mulligan's offer of 10th for month for
use of a store in the Market
House.

It was agreed that 2 Hayden
offer the site proposed for a
new Post office to the authorities
at a rent of £10 per annum.

M. Hogan's resolution which was
revised by 2 S. V. Smyth, the
revised of Income Tax was adopted.

Commissioners Meeting
July 3rd 1905.

Y. Flynn

In the Chair Mr. James Geraghty.

Others present Mr. P. Hogan Mr. H. C. Hanley

Re Site for New Post Office.

It was decided to leave the question of amount for Post-Office site in the hands of the Secretary Mr. J. M. Hayden.

Permission to be given to W. Loft for use of fair green at a sum of £2. per week
Town Engineer to be directed to take
down ^{store} lamps.

Cheque for £10 to be sent ~~to~~ Sec^y Gas Co on account.

Commissioners Meeting
4th Sept 1905

Present. J. Flynn H. Hanly J. Grashby

List of Tairs submitted and approved
and directed to be printed.

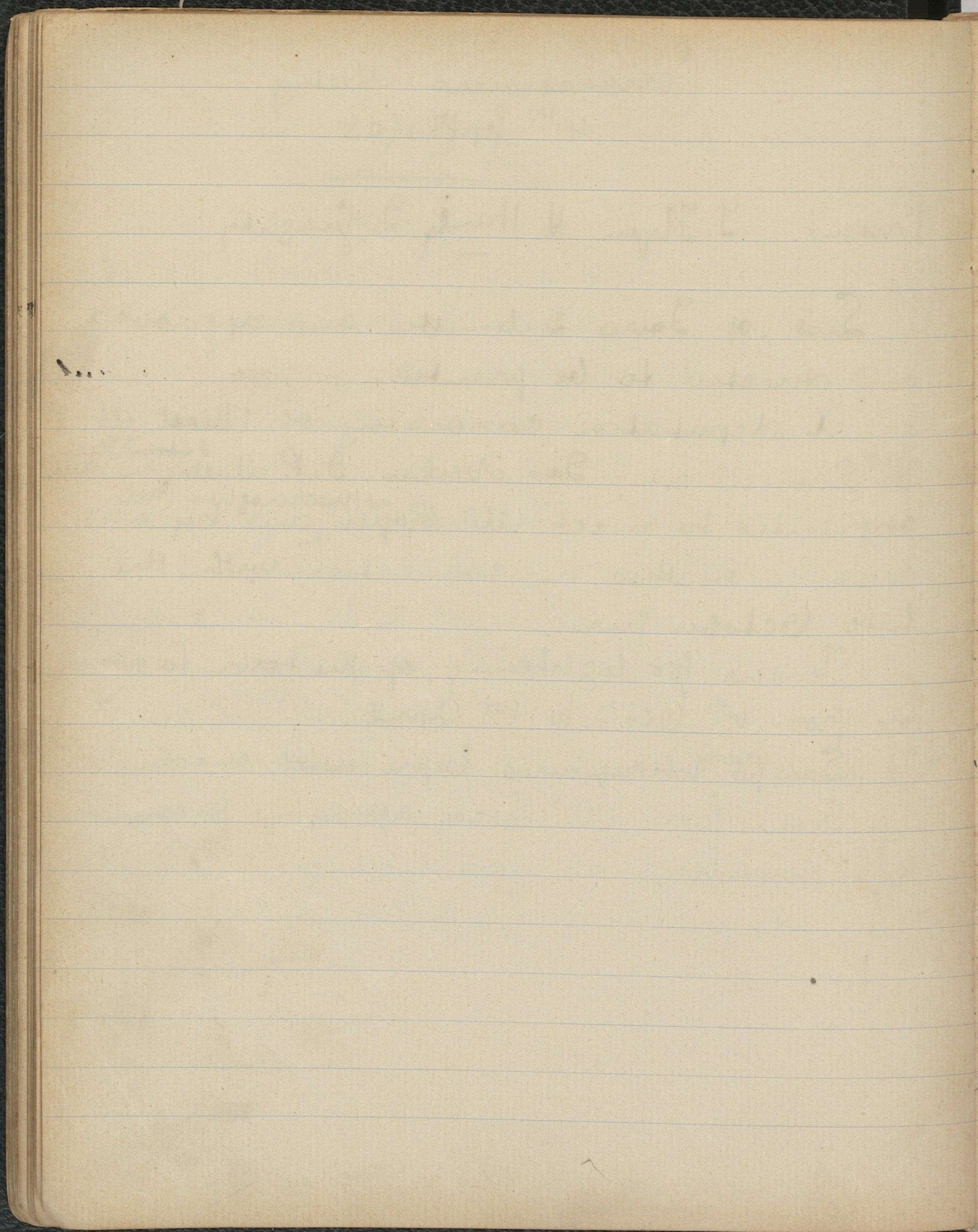
A deputation consisting of Messrs M^r
M^r Donnell jun, Jas Neelan J. P. Mulligan ^{& Edward Flynn} were
appointed to meet Mr. Roper ^{at Knockroghery Fair} and try and
arrange matters in connection with the
late October fair.

Tenders for lighting of the town to advertise
for from 1st Oct^r to 1st April.

Samps ^{ordered} to be repaired before next meeting

Letter from Mr. Soney applying for remuneration
to be considered at next meeting

Chapm & Co's m^{ch}. Salary £ 20



Meeting held on Monday 2nd October 1908

Present - P. Stefan ^{in the Chair} ~~Chairman~~, M. Fallon

H. C. Hanly, J. J. Gough, M. Finlay.

Mr Watt's tender for lighting the Tavern with oil was accepted.

It was unanimously agreed to grant Mr Loney, Court Supr, 30/- per year for his trouble in cleaning Bar Room after Commissioners Meetings and lighting fires during winter months.

Cheques - bonoughy (Pats)	£ 2 - 7 - 1
" B Hoast, Scampliny (Sep 01)	1 - 10 - 0
" Cass - Cleaning lamps	17 - 0 -
Wash	1 - 5 - 0

Com^{rs} Meeting
9th October 1905

Present J. Flynn M. Fallon P. Hogan
Jas. Gragby, H. Hanly.

Rate book being rate for coming
year signed by Com^{rs} present
Arrears ^{as at} as on amended list of
Town Clerk approved of & directed to
be recovered. ~~Arrears~~ as on old list
submitted as unrecoverable to be struck
out.

Special meeting of Com.
1st Nov. 05

Com. present J. Flynn, H. Chaney,
Pat H. Hogan.

A Deputation consisting of ~~the following~~
~~was formed~~ Messrs J. Flynn P. Hogan
M. Hardy Fallon & J. Seragidy ^{with Hogan} were appointed
to wait on the Gas Co. to arrange
terms with them for the lighting of the
town at their Board Meeting to-morrow

Meeting of Com^{rs}
6th Nov. 05

Present J Flynn Jas Seraghy P Hogan
J Seraghy & H. Hanly

Jim Monahan to ^{be} given contract for
cleaning ^{Market} Square & ^{side walls} No payment to be made
without certificate from W. J. Seraghy.

Arrangement come to between deputation
consisting of Mess^{rs} Hogan & Flynn & Gas
Company to light town to 1st April ^{next} at
bulk sum of £37 approved.

Mess^{rs} Flynn Hogan & Seraghy ^{to} were
interview W. Watt & arrange with
him in connection with the lamps &
Supplies

Permission to be given to W. Walsh
Jas Mang^r to remove lamp at Gavin's inside
wall, lamp at Miss Ross's ~~to remove over~~
to other side of road & one at W. Burke
to be changed to other side of Street.

The Clerk to write to Board of Works to know
if the Board would be prepared to ~~advance~~ make

a loan ~~to~~ to the Com^{rs} for ^{the purpose of} purchasing ^{of} the bells
of Knockroghny.

Mr. Mulvany attention be called to
the state of the Closet in Court house yard,
as well as the flags of the Streets of the
Town, & to be requested to have same
repaired.

Mr. Darvey ~~is~~ to be asked to
compel ~~the~~ ~~flags~~ ~~outside~~ Mr. Piffly's
to ~~replace~~ ~~flags~~ ~~outside~~ ~~his~~
premises in ~~Abby~~ St to ~~placed~~ ~~on~~ ~~footpath~~
which he removed.

Commissioners Meeting Dec 4 05.

Present - Messrs P. Hayes, H. C. Hardy,
J. J. Murphy, M. Fallon, Geo. J. Murphy.

Lamp at Gavin Bros to be changed from
present position to ~~left~~ ^{right} position out by
Messrs Murphy & Fallon.

Gas Manager get permission from Mr Jas. Flynn
to light bracket over his door in line of the
pillar at Joe Connors.

One of the

Mr Mulvaney's attention be called to cross-
rip at Church & Miss Rosen to have ~~sent over~~

Mr Geo Hayden bill be paid

Proposed by Mr J. Roughly ~~disposed by~~
Mr P. Hayes

~~Order~~ That Lower Sergeant be not paid

£3 in lieu of suit-clothes

Lower Sergeant's cheque ^{for salary} be left over
for next meeting

Mr Bartle be instructed to proceed against
Julligan & Welch in accordance with
Council's opinion.

Meeting of Commissioners held 1st Jan 1906
President - P. Hagan, in the Chair: M. Falcon,
Geo. Joraphy.

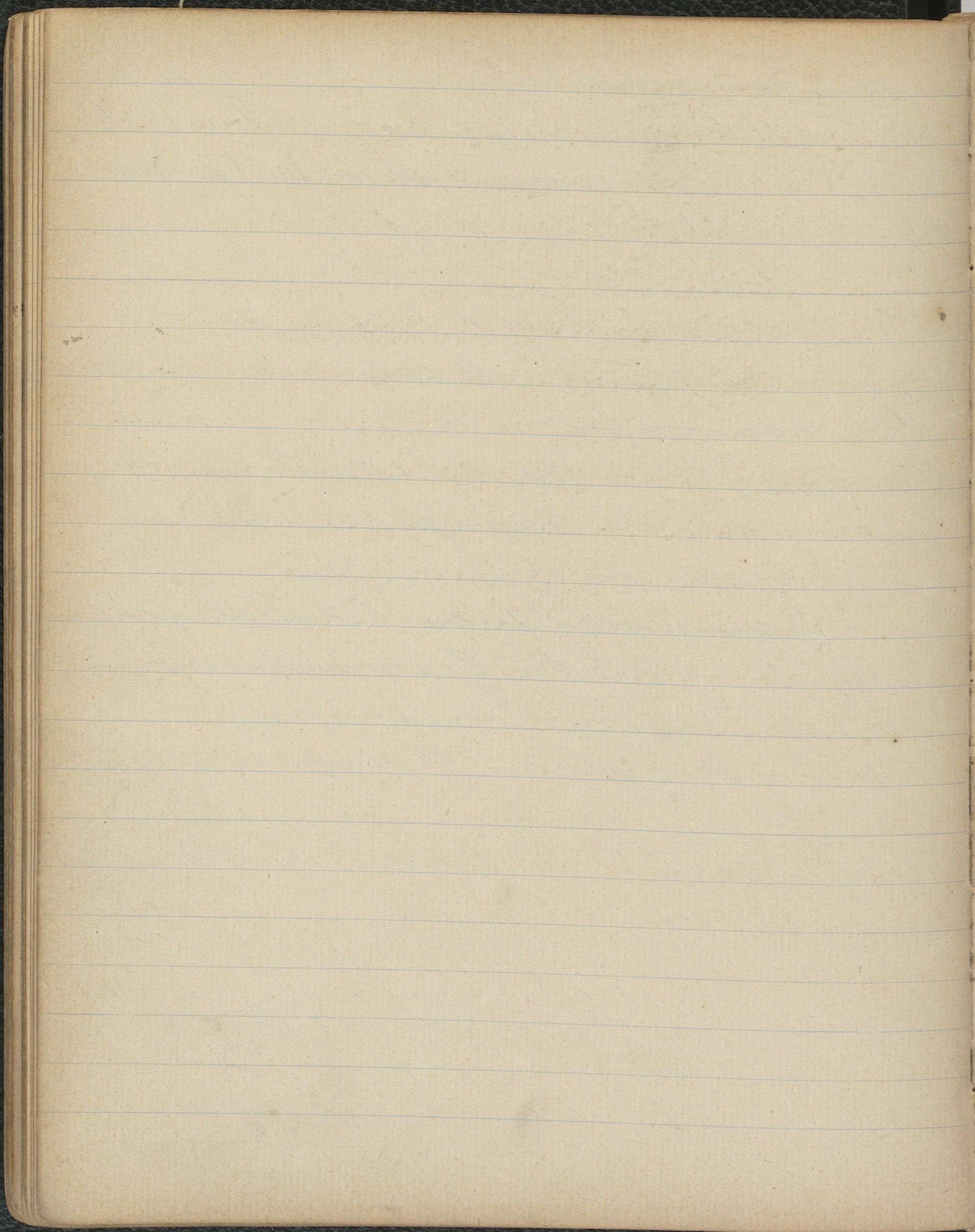
Mr Burke be instructed to apply for an
injunction against Gillyan and others
Geo. Manaford be

Secretary Gas Co. be written to to
remove the lamps ordered at
last meeting.

The following were selected ~~as~~
delegates from the Commissioners to
attend Election Convention.

Messrs M. Falcon, P. Hagan, H. Hanley
and Geo. Joraphy.

Cheque for £15 be sent to Secretary
Gas Co.



Special Meeting for purpose of
electing Honorary officers. Mr O.
Hagan in the Chair. Members present
M. Linley, M. Dalton, J. Frisby, S.
Hamm

Mr O. Hagan was elected Chairman
on the proposition of Mr M. Linley,
seconded by Mr M. Dalton
on the proposition of Mr M.
Dalton Hagan, seconded by Mr
M. Linley, Mr M. Dalton was
elected Vice Chairman

Meeting held on Monday, 5 Feb. 06
Present: - Messrs P. Hepturn presiding, J
Brown, & M Falconer

In reference to Mrs Jones letter re Camp
at Methodist Church, to be removed to
inside Court House on same side of gate.
Re Gas Comptrolr's letter, removal of Lower
Camp, one at Masonic to be paid, and
the other three not to be paid.
Boston to be visited previous principal
fair.
Lock to be put on Market House and
sawmills to be repaired

Meeting held on March 4: 06

Present Messrs D. Ryan J. Grogan
& Benson S. Sumner

The C. Surveyors attention be called to the
state of the flagging of the town.

The Clerk to get estimates for two
mounds for the town, one to be put
up at the old church and one at corner
of Church and Abbey Street.

Advt. be issued for greening of Fawcett Green
and setting of High Bridge and Scales
in Potato Market.

Mr Walker be asked to tidy timber
in Fawcett Green ~~April~~ April fair.

Mr Grogan consented to be on Fawcett Green
at April fair with Town Serjeant.

Town Serjeant to be paid 2/- in £ for
collecting at April fair.

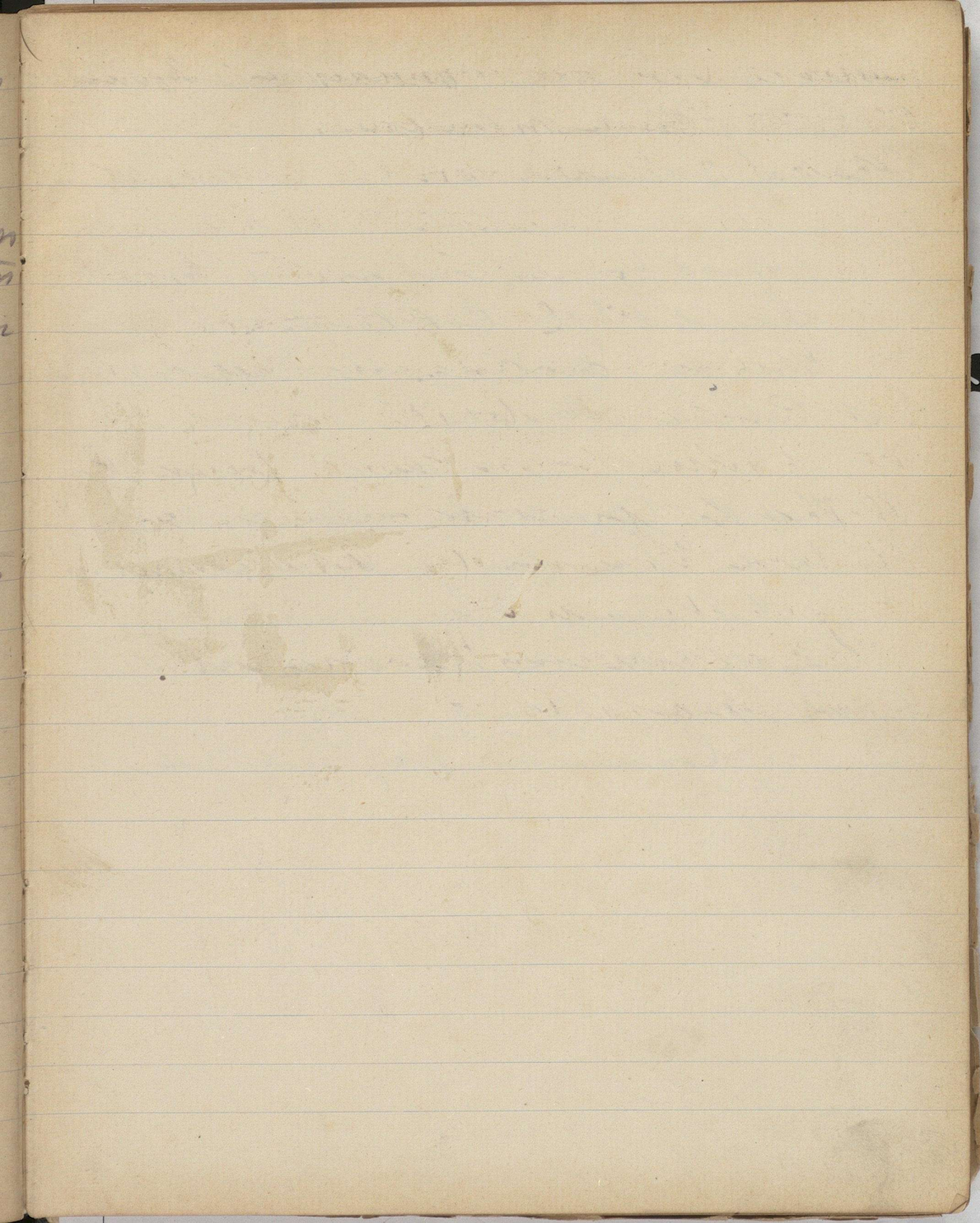
Gas Company be paid £4 in settlement
of account for removal of
Lamps

Mr Grogan ~~be~~ ^{on condition} ~~the~~ ^{at present}
opposed Fawcett be removed down
opposite the work shop

~~going to remove Locomotive at Lewiston
to Lake end of factory~~

That Mr Burke has been asked to
give us a statement of the proposal
made in connection with the matter
in which he got instructions from
the Commissioner. Copy of
this be sent to Mr Burke
Mr Hayden Town Clerk
Secretary for Conference of
Lewiston Locomotive Association
on 5th March 86

The following resolution
was passed: -



Special meeting called for the purpose of
considering tenders for dwellings held on
Monday 16th inst.

Proposed by: The Chairman
Seconded by: E. P. Keogh.

That the dwellings be called
St. Patrick's Terrace.

That the tenants be allowed to go
no further than four weeks in arrears.

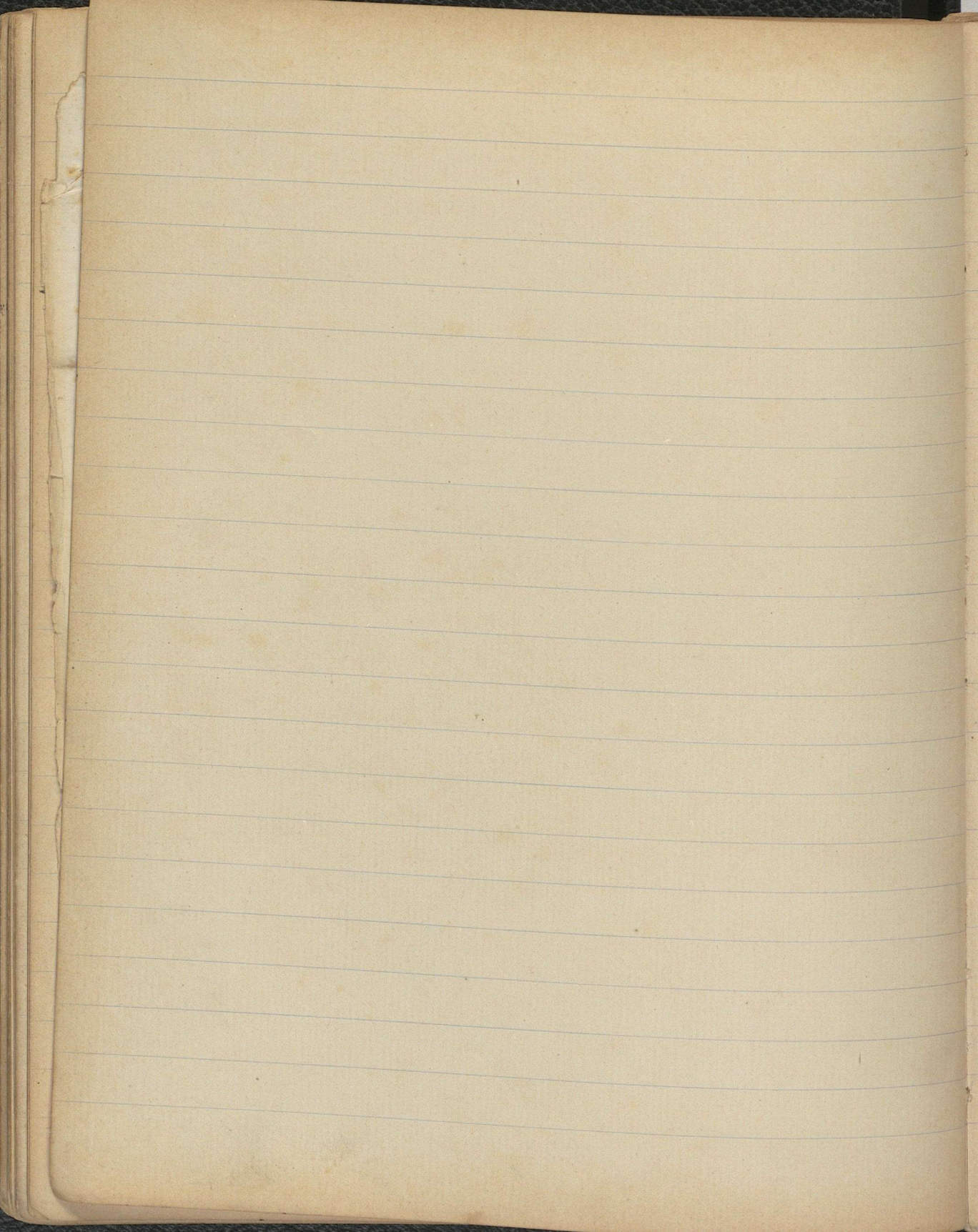
That tenants if he brings down
himself be compelled to pay the
cost.

Proposed Hogan
Seconded Cooney
Commissioner pay wab's rate.

Resolved: - That Messrs Burke & Son
be instructed to draw up Agreements
at once for the following tenants
selected at this Special Meeting: -

- | | | |
|--------|-----------------|---|
| No. 1. | George W. Gorey | ✓ |
| " 2 | Thos Collins | ✓ |
| " 3 | John Sweeney | ✓ |
| " 6 | Michael Keegan | ✓ |
| " 9 | James Cooney | ✓ |
| " 10 | Thos Rabbitt | ✓ |

Sent



Meeting held on Monday ^{May} 7th April 1906

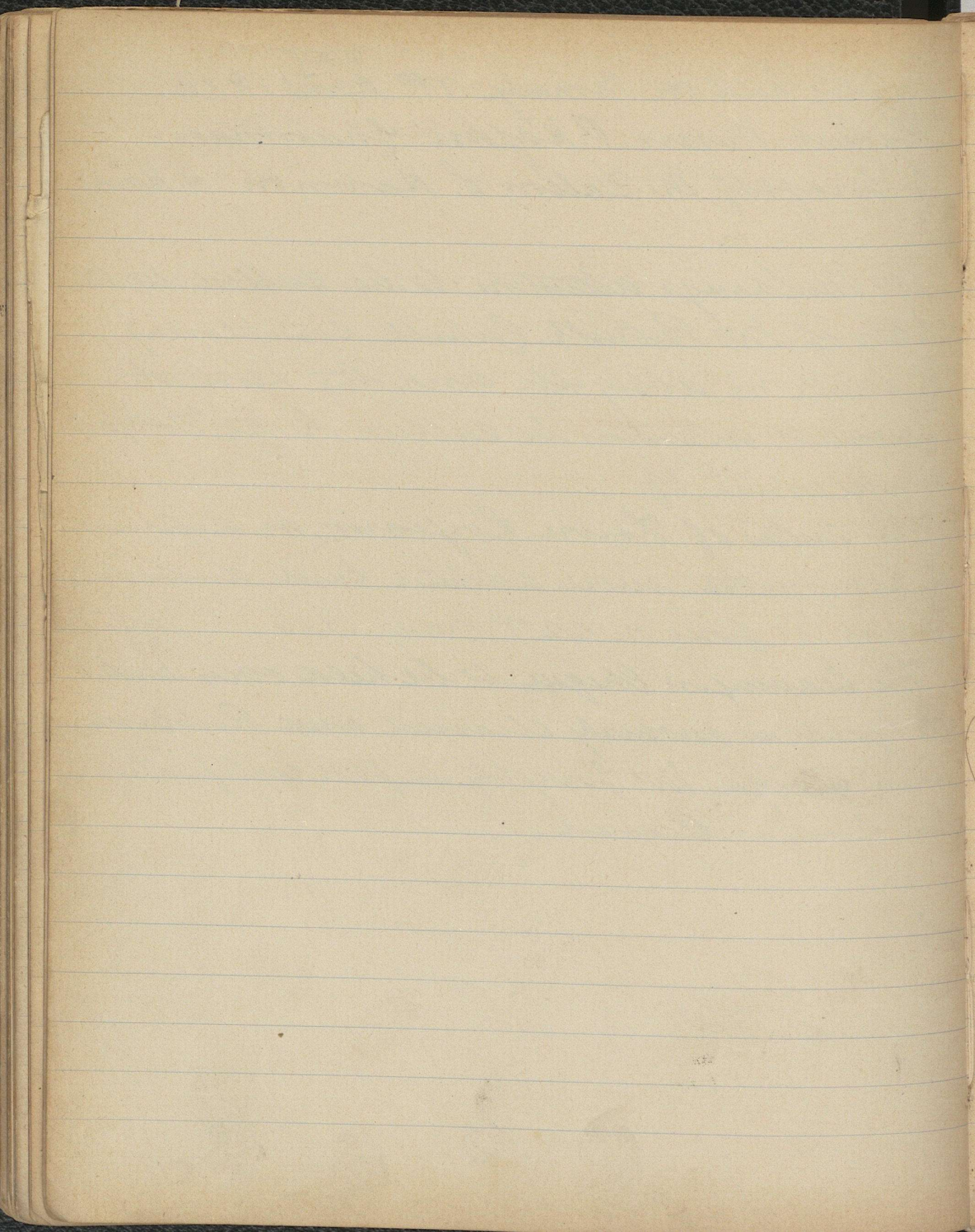
Present Messrs P. Kojan, Chairman.

J. Scraphy, M. Fallon & Cannon, H. Dunlop

Mr Mulvaney's attention to be called to the letter of Mr Patrick Cahill, complaining of Limer in Abbey St. and the Sanitary Council's attention be called to the Limer complaint of.

The Rules of Limer Legerant, as defined by Committee, were adopted, their date to be put in force on 22nd May, 1906.

The Leavening Cheque to be held over until the Square is properly cleaned and Rubbish taken away. Mr Scraphy to give certificate that same is cleaned.



Special meeting held on Dec 18th
'06. Present Mr P. Stefan, in the Chair
Messrs G. Forey, M. Linley, H. Hanley
& Brown.

In the case of Commissioners V. Walsh,
Mr Burke to state a case for Superior
Courts

~~Mr Highton D.C. be asked to recommend
his Council to order corner at No 1 Harmoni
in Church St~~

His Council be asked to order
corner of Church St at No 1 Harmoni.

Monthly Meeting held on 2nd Sunday 86
Present Messrs P. Hagan, Chairman;
J. Joughly, J. Brown, Joe Connor, Stephen
Harmon, N. C. Hanly.

~~Case of Connor~~

Connor V. Walsh adjourned to
next meeting

That Stephen Harmon, Jeremiah
Brown and Mike Fallon be the
nominics of the Connor Board on
the Waterworks Committee, with
the Chairmen and J. Joughly
three of the late nominics - Messrs
also Flynn, Charly Dilly, and
Joe Joughly - having ceased to be
Connor. Copy to be sent to Clerk
of his Council

The Town left to bring all cases
of nuisances, indecent behaviour, and
obstruction in Market Square, Limerick
and footpaths before Town Court

Mr Muldoan's attention be called
to the state of the paving of footpaths
of the town.

Lowen kept to supply a detailed account of
expenditure of collecting tolls in March
and April years. According to bill
furnished

The Lowen kept be paid. £5 salary
and £5 - postage

Special meeting held Wednesday
14th July. Present Messrs P. Hagan,
J. Connor, Geo. Forestry, P. Hanson, J.
Brewer, M. Linley, A. Hargy, & Mr. Tallon.

Not to admit. Loft-
Proposed by Mr M. Linley, seconded by
Mr Joe Connor.

Mr Loft ^{not} to be admitted to Green

New Pig Fair to opened on First Monday
in September.

To admit. Loft-
Proposed by Mr J. Forestry.

Monthly Meeting held on Monday 6th
August Present P. Hagan, J. Connor
H. Lundy, J. Brown

Lowel Market - Deputation appointed
to wait on the Leaders Approaches
Messrs J. Hannon P. Hagan + J. Brown
and that Mr L. T. O'Keefe be
asked to attend

Lowel Tenants - Deputation for Con-
vention - Mr Hayden to be asked to attend
New Pig Fair to be advt in Dublin
Daily papers - "Freeman" and
"Daily Independent"

a special meeting to be called to
arrange Fair for 1904.

Monahan's Bill left over for Mr Gorephy's
certificate

Mr James Gorephy's attention be called
to the state of the Eve Shows of Market
House and he be asked to repair
same at once for which he was

Paris L 2-10-6

Limo Market to be changed for the present between the bank and the Athlone road until such time as Mr. Mulcahy removes the stones in Limos Market. Lower Dept. to ~~be present~~ ^{be present} on Saturday morning at half past nine. He to ask the police to assist him.

~~Order for one ton of~~
Mr. Brown to get one ton of stones half each side of each bridge.

Special meeting held on Wednesday 8-
August Present - Messrs P. Hagan Sec-
-retary & H. C. Hardy

~~Copy~~
~~Book~~ List of fees to be printed and
submitted to next meeting

Mr H. J. McCourt appointed temporary
Clerk to Borough Court. Appoint-
ment to be made at next monthly meeting
and insert in agenda

Monthly meeting held on Monday 30th
Sept 1906 The only member who attended
Mr P. Hagan adjourned

Special Meeting held on 5th
Sept. Present Messrs P. Kufem, M.
Falcon, + P. Harmon + H. Hanly

Report from Graders Association re
Local market adopted. Stones to be
spread in front of Market House
and doors to be worked down +
inside to be cleaned out. Posters, &c
advt. be issued inviting tenders to
light the town for six months from
1st Oct. to 31st April '07.

That the full body ^{of Cows} be appointed a
Committee to draw up a code of by-
laws to regulate markets, &c. There
to form a quorum

That a rate of 1/- on houses +
3/- on land be made.

Mr Hanly proposed Mr Harmon seconded
that Mr McCourt be appointed clerk
to Borough Court (during its existence)
Salary to be subsequently arranged
Commencing 16th July, 1906.

Clerk to inquire what the cost would be
to post up a list of fees in 1904 at different
railway stations

That order appearing on Book re Lacon
Lorft's suit of clothes, refusing £3 million of same
be rescinded

Special Meeting held on Monday 24
Sept. 1906 Present Messrs P. Hagan,
M. Fallon, H. E. Hardy,

Gen Co. to pt- Cheque for £25 on
a/c and readot. inviting tenders
to light the Locom from 1st Oct. to
1st April 1907

Monthly meeting held on Monday
Oct 1 '06. Present - Messrs P.
Hagan, M. Shirley, S. Hammon
& W. Brown

Two fees be established the Cost-
week in September each.

Two market - Mrs O'Keefe, Crepps; Mrs
Loomie, Longford, Mrs Towrell
Longford - Paul Merchants.

Special meeting held on Wednesday
14th Oct-1906

Present- P. Hagan. M. Lellor M.
Linday. S. Hammon. J. Brown. & H. C.
Hardy.

Monthly Meeting held on Monday
4th November 1906 Present - Messrs
P. Hojan J. Jereyby H. C. Hardy. J
Hannon.

That the District Inspector be
written to asking him to direct the
Police to bring all cases of obstruction on
the public streets after night-fall
before the Borough Court
and remove same to places
pointed out by Court.

Vacant Store at Market House to be
cleaned out and doors cleaned &
opened for use of fowl market
on Wednesdays.

Co. Surveyor's attention be called
to ~~the~~ the very bad state of the
flapped footpaths.

Lower Vest Store beam & Deals
in Market House

Mr. Buell, Lobb, be written to asking
to take the necessary steps to ~~collect~~
Secure the power to collect the tolls
of the Town.

Secretary of Gas Company be written to
asking him to direct the manager to hand over
the following articles, in his possession, the
property of the ~~Rosemount~~ Town Council
to the Town Dept: - one lamp post, four
heads of lamps and one bracket.

Special Meeting held on Wednesday
27th Nov. 1906. Present Messrs P. Kajan
M. Falcon, J. Brown & H. C. Hanley

The Tender of Bernard Hoar, on behalf
of the Irish Labour party was accepted this
day for sweeping and clearing Market
Square north & south, and Lead Walls etc

Monthly meeting held on ~~Monday~~ ^{Tuesday} 4th
November 1862 Present Messrs P. Hayden
M. Fallon M. Finlay

re Pillar - Resolved - That ~~the~~ ^{the} Directors of the
Lawn Co. be requested to comply with the
Order made at last meeting (Nov.) of the Comd
to hand over Pillars of Camps, etc in their possession
to Lawn Regt - & if they fail to do so that
our Solicitor be instructed to make application
for same.

re Lolls - Mr Hayden, Lawn Clerk, is hereby
directed to see Mr Burke in reference to
the Lolls of the Lawn

The Co. Surveyor be again written
to in reference to State of Flaps &
Footpaths.

Annual
Special Meeting held in the Court House
on Wednesday, 23rd January, 1907, for the pur-
pose of electing honorary officers for the coming
year. Mr P. Hagan, outgoing Chairman, in
the Chair. Others present - Messrs M Linley,
M. Fallon, H. C. Hanly, Jas Grogan and
Jerry Browne.

On the motion of Mr Hanly, Seconded
by Mr Linley, Mr P. Hagan was elected
Chairman.

On the motion of Mr Hanly, Seconded
by Mr Browne, Mr M. Fallon was elected
Vice-Chairman.

Resolution, re the outrage on the Church
in France to be inserted on the Minutes.

This was all the business, the meeting
adjourned.

P. Hagan

Regular monthly meeting of Roscommon
Town Commission on 4th Jan 1911
Mr Talbot J. Green H.C. & Mr J. Brown
J. Hanlon

Ordered that Mr J. Hanlon & Mr J. Green
be a deputation to meet the ^{Anglo} Traders Association
and members of that club to arrange about
Horse fair for Roscommon
That notices be supplied the Town Supt

Meeting held on Monday 4th March
Present - P. Hagan J. P. Murphy James
Grogan M. Fallon J. J. Connor Stephen
Hannon H. C. Hanly

Resolution - re District Council
& Labourers Cottages unanimously
passed

Notice be printed re cleaning footpaths

Call attention of Sanitary authority to
Articles 6 in number for Town of
Roscommon

~~To call Mr~~

Write to District Council asking
them to call Mr Mulvaney's attention
to sewerage of ~~the~~ new Post-office ^{site}

Town Dept - to furnish monthly
report regularly in future and make
cans of the town every morning

Monthly Meeting held on Monday 2^o
June '07. Present - Messrs P. Mayan
M. Fellon. H. C. Hanly

That - Mr Tho McCormack of
Roscommon, be appointed Summons
Serjeant, to the Borough Court during
its existence.

That the Town Serjt - do shewly
directed to call on Mr Walker
and request him to remove
timber at present stored in
Fair Green; that in the event
of Mr Walker failing to do so, he
be charged a rent of £1 a
year for the portion of ground
occupied by him. Said rent
an agreement be drawn up ^{by the Town Serjt} to date from 1st July, 1907. Also
the Town Serjt to request Mr Walker
to remove the timber, his property
at present lying on said Square.

That we are of opinion the Comrs.
should have the right of collecting
Small Tolls on all animals and
produce sold at the Roocommon
Fairs and Markets. Such Tolls
to be applied towards useful &
prospective Schemes for the advancement
of Roocommon. Such as

That a copy of the minute
re Lamps & Standards or
Billiards appearing in Minute
Book 1860 be sent to the
Directors of Gas Co.

That the Town Dept be
paid the sum of £5 - Roadway
Fees and £5 - year's Salaries
Trade & Labourers League to get
use of Market House for their
meetings

Meeting held on Monday, July
1st, 1907. Present P. Hojan (Chairman)
Messrs M. Linley, H. C. Hank, J. Brown,
J. Hammon and Corwin. P. Hojan

re Hand Ball (Paulis Club) Tennis
Green that they get the use of
the Green. Subject to the Contractors
approval. & that any damage
to be repaired.

re W. Walker & Tennis Green. That the
Minutes of last Meeting agreeing to
W. Walker as yearly ^{be resuspended}
~~agreed~~ be changed ^{from yearly} to monthly ten-
ancy.

Lowry's report read
and adopted.

Re Clerk to Borough Court -
Mr Hannon proposed 5: Cheymen
Seconded. unanimously agreed to
~~Mr Comma supported that the 5~~
~~carry no further.~~

Mr Walker to be again noticed
to remove timber off ~~Green~~
~~Green. Market Square~~
~~That the Trades Association~~
~~be asked to fair with the~~
~~Comrs. in starting Level~~
~~market.~~

re Horse Fair - That the Trades
Association be written to asking
them to call a meeting of all the
Traders of the town to consider
establishing Horse Fair

Fowl Market -

It was agreed that ads
be inserted in the following papers
"Common Messenger" and "Town"
& "Ind. Westmeath Independent"
"Lectric Observer" and "Longford"
"Leader" one insertion each re-
opening above market -

Monthly Meeting 5th Augud - 07
Present P. Hagan. H. C. Hardy
M. Fallon

Mr Mulvaney's attention ^{to be called} to the
disgraceful state of Footpaths in
Abbey St.

Mr. Walker be noticed to re-
move machines etc in front of Market
House and tidy up timber in
forever.

Meeting held on Monday 3^d Feb. 1871
Present Messrs P. Hojan H. C. Hanly
Jerry Browne & P. Hannan.

a vote of Condolence be sent to
Mrs Geo. Lough.

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Meeting held on Monday 2nd Sept-1907
Present- Mr P. Hojan. Mr P. Harmon

Adjourned for want of Quorum. Messrs
Hojan & Harmon being the only members
present

A Special Meeting to be called during
the week to fix Rates for Lewis for 1908.

P. Hojan

Special meeting held on Wednesday, 25th
September 1907. Messrs P. Hojan, M.
Fellon & H. C. Harley.

Cheque to be given to Gas Company
for £30, leaving a balance of £56-6-8

The tender of Gas Co. for Lighting
the Public Lamps of the town,
from nightfall to 11 o'clock p.m.
be accepted on condition that they
give it at last years price £42.

Tender of Thomas Morris for
painting and repairing Lamp Posts
Lamps, and bottoms at £2-5-0
be accepted.

That a new rate of 4/-
in the Pound on house property
and 3/- on Land be made

Monthly meeting held on Monday
7th October, 1907. Present - Messrs D.
Kojan, H. C. Hardy, P. Harrison -

That Morris's contractor for
repairing & painting lamps be

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That - a cheque be given to Lurion
Lorfeant, £3 in lieu for a set of uniforms
and £2-10-0 quarters Calvary.

That - Posters be issued and fowl dealers
be written to, inviting them to attend
market.

That - Lurion Capt. give an
explanation as to the cause
in the market. Harrison?

Meeting held on Tuesday 5th Dec. 1904

Members present: P. Hagan in the Chair.

J. Scraphy, J. Browne, M. Fallon, H. Co

Harley. A Deputation consisting of Messrs Phillips, J. Gavrin
~~P. Gilliody~~

That the Market House be given to
Mess Phillips at £1 for six months and
to be given up when required by

Commissioners - Deputation Messrs
J. Phillips, L.P.T. J. Gavrin + P. Gilliody.

That the Town Rate Collector
is hereby ordered to have all or as
much as he can ^{of the arrears of} ~~of the arrears of~~ ~~of the arrears of~~
^{collected} ~~collected~~ of the Town Rate
by next meeting

Resolved - That as the Public Lamps
of the Town are at present
insufficiently lighted and unless
some improvement in that regard
be immediately effected we shall from
this date repudiate the agreement we
entered into with the Gas Company
as we never contemplated paying
£45 for the poor supply of gas at present
afforded.

The Camp in Church St (opposite Mr Keop's)
 not being lighted for the month of October and
 at present must be deducted from the
 account for ~~lighting~~ of the Gas Co.

That a debt be issued inviting
 tenders for Broken Stones, ^{about 20 tons} for Market
 Square.

That Mr Morris, Painter to be paid 10/- on
 a/c Balance to be paid when he has the
 painting of Bellars and heads ^{of Lamps} finished.

That a Cheque be issued and made
 payable to J. Hall for masonry for £3.16.0
 for laying and fixing new bottoms,
 tops of Sixteen Lamps.

The Receipts to be paid
 when he has all rubbish cleared
 off the Market Square.

Monthly Meeting held on 8 Dec. 1909
Present P. Hojar for largely & d
Brown.

Town Run collective to have
overseas list by next meeting

The Town Left to carry out
the duties defined for him by Committee
of this Board, and have all the and
in the event of not doing so, he be
called upon to resign.

The Tender of Joseph McFarling
for Leavening of market Square
for 12 months accepted

The Town Left to point-
out to Leavening of Square all
dead well in front of which
he must keep clean.

The Town Left not to interfere
with the Town Councils in any
way

Cheque for 10/- be issued to Thomas
Morris for Painting Lamps.

Cheque for £1-10-0 be issued to Thomas
Looney Courtkeeper for cleaning
Room for Comrs meeting

Annual meeting held on Thursday
23rd January 1908.

Present - Messrs P. Hagan. M. Telleen
H. C. Hanly J. Fagan J. Brown

Proposed by Mr H. C. Hanly seconded
by Mr J. Fagan the the Chairman
and the Chairman be resolved

Passed unanimously.

Meeting held on Tuesday March 3^d
present Messrs D. Keegan P. Hannan
W. C. Hanly J. Grogan J. Grogan
Henry Browne

On the motion of Mr Grogan and
seconded by the Chairman, that
the District Council be recommended
to audit three annuals for the town
of Roscommon and we ask
the water works Committee to
adopt this resolution

The Town Supt's report re
increase of rate was passed and

The uncollectible rates struck off

That Secretary Gas Co be written
to to have the lamps at Gavin Bros
corner in abbotstown, removed to
site pointed out by Council some
time ago. to Gas Managers without
delay.

That 20 tons of broken stones
be advertised for Market Square
(one insertion).

Meeting on Thursday March 26th
1908. Present - P. Negan, H. C. Hanly
and M. Fallon.

Mr James Hanly's Tender for
use of swingbridge for 12 months
from 1st April 1908 to 31st March
1919 was accepted at £21.

Mr Tho Hiffin's Tender for
grazing of Gowri Green for 11
months at £16 was accepted

Tender of Joseph McGalley for
20 tons of broken stones, to be spread
same on Square, was accepted.

Meeting held on Monday
4th April 1908.

Present - Messrs P. Hagan
J. W. Forephly. + P. Harrison

That the L. J. Board be written
to asking if the District Council
as, Sanitary Authority, have
power to erect urinals in
the Town of Roscommon.

Meeting held on Monday
4th May 1908 Present P.
Hagan J. Forephly P. Hagan
P. Harrison.

The Town Clerk to enquire of some
Dublin firms and some local
men the cost for one or two
urinals and cost for erecting
same in the town of Roscommon.

on April Fair that the Locomotive
forfeant be paid £1 for his
trouble in being up all night
the eve of the fair and
also 13/- expenses paid to
men he employed on Green

The sum of £3-10-0 be paid
to Joe M. Lawley for supplying
20 tons broken stones for Market
Square and for spreading same

Meeting held Monday 6th July of
present Messrs P Moran M. ^{2 also} Lally
H. C. Hanly

Cheque for £6-6-0 be sent to Mr
Burke Lib. Mr Flannery's Fees. in Care
Lillyan and Walsh

That our Solicitor, Mr Burke be
requested to apply for an Inquisition
as done in the case of Dougherty
to collect Fees at Fairs and
Markets, at once.

in Letter - Fourth All Ireland Industrial
Association Conference was
read.

That Loft's Hobby Horses
be allowed in the fair Green for
the sum of £3- per week

Proposed by ^{Hayden} ~~Hayden~~ and
re Lumber in Lewis Green: - Mr ~~Hayden~~ and
seconded by Mr Fellon. That Mr ~~Hayden~~
be written to requesting him to remove
the lumber, his property, from off the Lewis
Green. ~~That we pay the sum of \$5-~~
~~per~~

Meeting, held on Monday, 30th Aug. 08
Present - Messrs Grogan, Dunly and
the Chairman, Mr Harmon
List of Lewis for 1908 were passed
Mr Burke, our Solr, be instructed to communicate
with the Solicitor to the General Post Office
with a view to legal measures being taken for
the transfer of the site

A vote of thanks to Mr Hayden
Town Clerk for the manner in which
he negotiated the sale of the site for
the new Post Office, etc

What information Mr Burke
~~requires~~ re Solcs, etc be sent to him

A Statement of Account as to how
the Commission's Stand at present
with the Board of Works, Bank of Ire-
land and Roscommon Gas Co.
be laid on the table for the information
of the Board at their next meeting

List of facts for 1909 be inserted in
"Roscommon Messenger" and "Roscommon
Journal" for one year; also in
Purdon's and old Moor's Almanack
and at one or two of the principal
Railway Stations

re-Fowl Market. Traders in the
different towns be written to and
advt. be inserted in the local papers

Meeting held on Monday 7th Sept-1908
Present Messrs P. Hojan, J. P. Joo, Grojan
M. Fallon, Geo. Griffiths.

List of Fees for 1909 be inserted in the
two Local Papers and Purdon's and old
Moore's Almanack, also Posters be printed
Fees be inserted for one year.

& McConnell

re Hawson Memorial, A public Meeting
of the Subscribers and general public be
called for Monday 14th October 1908. for the
purpose taking steps to release the Hawson
and McConnell Memorial Fund and
applying same to some practical purpose.

On the motion of Mr. M. Fallon
it was decided that
Geo. Co. be written to asking them to
send in a tender and mention the lowest
sum they would light the public lamps
the property of the Comr. from 1st October
1908 to 1st April 1909 — ~~etc~~

A Special Meeting of the Com^{rs} be
called for Monday 2nd Sept- for
the purpose of discussing the lighting
of the public lamps and receiving
tenders for same

Re- Tenders in Fair Green - Letter from Mr.
Walker, was marked read

Special meeting held on Monday
2nd Sept- 1908. Present - Messrs P. Hagan
M. Fallon, H. G. Hanly, J. J. Foyan

on lighting of lamps - The we offer the Gas Co.
£45 last year's price, for lighting the
town lamps, the property of the Com^{rs}, for 12
months from 1st Oct. 1908 to 1st Oct. 1909, the
Gas Co. to light the lamps. ^{11.30 p.m.} Said lamps to be kept
light until after ~~midnight~~ ^{midnight} ~~then~~ as at present
we cannot see our way to pay the sum of
£50. as we consider that sum exorbitant
and we do not agree that coal is dearer
than last year

In the event of the Leno Co. not agreeing
to accept the sum of £45 a Special Meeting
be called to consider the matter immediately
on receipt of reply from Leno Co.

Meeting held on Monday Oct-
5th 1908. Present Messrs P Hagan
J. Geraghty. H. C. Hourly. Jas. J. J. J.
M. Hallon

Mr Geraghty and the Chairman
to inspect the Lamps broken and
the Chairman ~~to~~ make an
order after inspection to have them
repaired.

Mr Boyle be written to asking him to
return the Korb ~~to~~ which he took
up the property of the Leno Co. to
the Leno Left at once and they
be stored in the Market house

The Lion Left to notice to Mr
Higgins, Contractor for grazing of
Haw's fence to have all the fences
repaired.

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Special Meeting held on Monday
19th October 1982. Present - Messrs P.
Hogan, H. C. Hanly, Jas. Grogan, M.
Fellon, J. Hannon, Geo Goughy

That our Clerk be requested to
write to the Secretary of the Gas
Company requesting him to at
once have the lamp at Mrs Gavin's
removed to plain ~~position~~ ^{position} ~~at~~
~~the corner~~ ^{positioned} ~~and~~ ^{recently by Chairman} ~~that~~ ^{be} ~~requested~~
any claim made by Mrs Gavin
as we have made an order to
cut said lamp when it is
at present. That the Gas consumed in
said lamp will not be paid for until removed

Rate Book, levying rate, signed by
the Chairman and Comrs present -

The Town Levy - to pd - 4 Heads of
Lamps & one Pillar from the Gas Co.
The Secretary of said Co. be written to
on the matter

Resolved: That a rate of one Shilling in the
Pound, Starting, on the Poor Law Valuation has been
made upon the occupiers of Premises within the Town and
Boundaries of Rosecommon, and Tara River in the
County upon all lands used as arable meadow, or
Pasture ground only, or woodland, or Market Gardens, or
Nursery grounds, and on all lands covered with
water, and used as a Canal, and towing path to
same, and on all lands used as a Railway within
such Boundary. And that the Rate Book is now open
and may be inspected by any person interested in such rate,
at the office of the Clerk of the Commissioners, Court House, Rosecommon,
on any day (Sundays excepted), between the hours of 10
o'clock in the forenoon and 4 o'clock in the
afternoon, and such assessment shall be
payable on and after the 20th October 1908

Minutes of Meeting held on Monday 2nd Nov 1908
Present

Meeting held on Monday 2nd Nov. 1908
Present - Messrs P. Kagan Esq. Grogan
Stephen Kannon. M. Feillon

re Camps at Savin's Corner - That the manager of
M. R. Co. be written to notifying him that the
Company to remove said Camps to a more suitable
Lender of Gas Company for Lighting the
Town Camps, the property of the Commissioners,
from the 1st October 1908 to 1st April 1909,
for the sum of £45 was accepted

~~off Market Square~~
The Town Dept. to be to the (Receiving and
the taking away of ^{off Market Square} rubbish, by notifying
the Contractor of same.

That an adot be used for 20 tons
of Broken Stones to be spread on the
Market Square, in places most needed.

Proposed by Mr Jos. Progan seconded by
Mr Stephen Harrison

That a resolution be drawn up condemning
the action of the British House of Lords in
militating the housing of the working
Classes etc.

Meeting held on Monday
Dec 4th 1908. Present. Messrs
P. Progan M. Fallon S. Harrison
Jos. Progan, Ivory Browne

re Camps at Fawnin Bog. The
original order to be addressed to
the Director of Gas Co. to be
written to to that effect.

re Camps Standards. The Secretary
for Co. to send copy of minutes
1860.

Mr Lawley's Cheque to be held over
until Grace is cleared and submit
the amount paid to Grace
from same

Cheque for £6 be paid to
Horn Sergeant. Salary
£2-16-0; £3 in lieu of list
of clothes and 10/- for flag
and clearing camp to date.

re Broken Stones Heavis
Hundred accepted at 3/6 per
ton.

£3 be sent to Lt. J. Board
for audit of age under protest

for 16/-
Cheque to sent to Mr. Selator
for rent of four's fence

Meeting held on Monday 5th
January 1909. Present Messrs
P. Rajan P. Ramon. Geo. Seraphy.

re Leverage for New Post-office

Mr Mulvaney be written to at one
re Leverage of Market Square that
the Lion Sculpture employ Direct-
Labour on Market Square. He to be
it cleaned up once a week and
the Sluff taken away, and to change
the Labourers employed
Athlone Urban Council - adopted
re Gas reservation.

re Order for delivering circulars
to members

re arrears list.

re Borough Council Statement^A of
account - to be furnished
re National University. To be sent
to P. Ramon Co. Council. Mr J. P.
Rajan & Mr Seraphy Agell

That 20 tons of Shingles
be taken from Mr McGarry
and be to spread same on the
Market-Square at 2/6 per ton
and a few loads be swept by
the Town Serjeant.

The order handing over the Square to
Street Labour having been rescinded
the following order was made: That
the Lender of Mr Mannion, Clerk, be
accepted at £6-10-0, for a six months
and in the event of the Contractor giving
Satisfaction he to get another £1 for
for the remainder of his term of Contract
Re arrears of Rate - That the
kindly order send direct to Collector
of Town Rate to furnish a list
of all persons in arrears of rate
and we call upon him for an
Explanation (in writing) as to his
action in not leaving before the

Board has arrears list
at the present time, September
last

That owing to complaints having
been made by members of the Board
to the effect - that they do not get the
Circulars regularly, humbling them
to attend the meetings, we hereby direct
the Town Sergeant to deliver said Circulars
personally in future; also the Town Serjt-
is again ordered to be in readiness
at the Courthouse during all meetings
of the Com^{rs}. The attention of the Town
Serjt- to be called to this order, and
in the event of him not complying
with the orders of the Board serious
notice will be taken of the matter

Resolved - That owing to the ^{as the lower lamps are lighted in} unsatisfactory manner in which the Lower Lamps are at present lighted, namely - Henry St. Lamps not lighted during October, November; Abbey Street 2 Lamps out in November & December for 3 nights; Market Square Lamps not lighted for 11 nights in October, November & December, Lanerborn Street 1 Lamp not lighted in October November & portion of December, Abbey - Lower 1 Lamp at Mr. Savin's not lighted for 2 nights in December and unless some improvement is effected we shall from this date make deductions for same from the Gas account - as we have contemplated paying a sum of £45 for the poor and irregular lighting of the Lower Lamps. So sent to the Secretary of the Gas Co.

Proposed by the Chairman
Seconded by Mr. Perceval
Resolved - That we are of opinion
that Irish Language & History should
be made obligatory Subjects for
admission of Students to the new
National University, and we call
upon the Provisional Council - Council
to refuse to levy a rate for the
University - until the right is conceded
of making these great Subjects necessary
for admission of Students. If Ireland
to preserve her individuality as a
Nation her Language, Literature
and Industries must be fostered
and encouraged, and a great
opportunity now presents itself
of giving an incentive to the
teaching of our Language and
History by having same placed
in the foremost position for
matriculation. The County
Councils of Ireland should

insist on these subjects oc-
cupying their proper position
and the matter is one of
vital importance

Passed unannimously

Ordered to be sent - to the
Reverend County Council
Mr. J. P. Hayden + Mr. Douglas
Hyde.

Annual meeting held on Saturday
23^d January 1909. Present - Messrs
P. Moran, J. E. Foran, H. C. Hanley,
Mr. Fallon. Election of Chairman.

Proposed by Mr. H. C. Hanley, Seconded
by Mr. Brown that the sub-joining
Chairman + Vice-Chairman be re-
elected.

unannimously passed

The following notice of Motion
was handed in by the Chairman:
Motion of Motion

Housing of the Working Classes Act-1908

Take notice that I or some other member
on my behalf will move at the
next meeting of the Devon County
Commissioners, that the Commissioners
take into consideration the advisability
of providing Artisans' Dwellings under
the Housing of the Working Classes
Act, 1908, just passed into law, and
that a Committee be appointed to
recommend a Scheme under the Act
to the Commissioners

Signed

P. Hofer

23rd January 1909

Mr Geraughty handed in the following
note of motion: -

Take notice that I or some
other member on my behalf will
move at next meeting to co-opt two
~~persons~~ persons to fill the vacancies
on the Board.

Signed

George Geraughty

23rd January 1909

Meeting held Monday ^{1st} February
1909. Present - Messrs O. Hojan
J. Hannon H. C. Hauley J. Brown J.
Geraughty J. Geraughty.

on the motion of Mr Geraughty
seconded by Mr Hannon, Messrs
McCrann and E. P. Keogh were co-opted
members of the Board.

Passed unanimously

The Paving for the Market-Square, Thomas
Mannion, Surveyor, wrote stating that he could
no longer continue to clean the Square unless
he got an increase in his Present - Price £6-10-0
Order - that Mannion's contract cease, and
that the Paving be re-advertised.

Mr Mulvaney's attention be called to the bad
state of the footpaths in the different Streets
of Roscommon.

Re. Irish Language in New University - Letter
from Mr Douglas Hyle, in reply to
resolution on above be inserted in the
Minutes.

We again order the Town Sergeant
to deliver the circulars summoning
Members to attend meetings and in the
event of him not doing so serious
notice will be taken of his refusal to
carry out our instructions. This order
be given to Town Sergeant.

Re Housing of the Working Classes Act
That the Motion of Motion Standing
in the Chairman's name be adjourned
to next meeting. The Motion be inserted
in the Agenda for next meeting

We hereby order and direct The Town
Clerk to inform the Collector of Town
Rate to at once furnish his arrears
List for 1908.

The Contractor for the grazing of Town
being the person responsible for to keep
in repairs the Town Green fence. We
cannot see our way to pay 4/- to
Town Surveyor repairing said fence

The Town Surveyor to take over possession
of Store occupied by Mr. Hammon as the
Commissioners require it for the
Storage of Lamp Standards and Heads
of Lamps, etc

That a cheque be issued payable to Martin M^o Garry for £4-12-6 for 20 tons of Shingles for Market-Square and Spreading Same.

That a cheque for £3-0-0 be issued payable to Town Percept.- £2-10-0 for Quarter's Salary and 10/- for having the Market-Square cleaned up in November 1908.

That Mr William McCann is hereby Co-opted a Town Commissioner in the room of Joseph Connor who is disqualified for non-attendance in pursuance of the Towns Improvement (Ireland) Act-1854.

That Mr Ed. P. Keogh is hereby Co-opted a Town Commissioner in room of Michael Finlay who is disqualified for non-attendance in pursuance of said Act.

Resolved - That - the Clerk inform
the Town Payorant - that in future he
is to carry out - the Board's order
in having the footpaths swept and
cleaned in front or at the side
of Houses, etc. occupied by business
and private people one in every day
(Sunday excepted) before ^{nine} eight o'clock
in the morning. ~~the~~

Meeting held on Monday 1st
March 1909. Present D. Keegan
J. Gough, H. C. Hendry, W. M.
McCrann, E. P. Keogh.

Mr. Gough Proposed and
Mr. McCrann seconded that
the Co. Council be asked to erect
a couple of urinals for the
town

That our Clerk is hereby in-
structed to procure the necessary
information for the purpose
of building 20 Artisans dwelling
under the passing of the work-
ing classes act - 1908 for
the next meeting to be
held on 5th April 1909.

Proposed by Mr Feraphy,
seconded by Mr M. Graham that
our Clerk/Communiat. al-
one with Mr Bawle, and
place the matter in his hands
so that an advt. can be pub-
lished in these Saturdays local
papers announcing that
we have adopted the necessary
parts of the acts in connection
with the passing of the working
classes act - 1908

Proposed by Mr. McGinn
Seconded by Mr. Keefe
(resolution)

That we hereby accept
the tender of Mr. Doran
for the scavenging of the
Market Square for 12 months
at £475-0 from 1st ~~April~~ ^{March} 1909
to 1st ~~April~~ ^{March} 1910. the said Mr
Doran to sign Bond and
provide two sureties for
the due performance
of contract, Sureties to
be approved of by
the Chairman. The
Town Engineer to see that
Mr. Doran clean up the
square at once.

Special meeting held on Wednesday
24th March 1909 for the purpose
of receiving tenders for Weighbridge
Graying of Fair Green & Ballo.
Present: P. Hagan, H. C. Hardy,
J. Brown, J. Hammon.

The tender of Mrs P. M. Cornwell
Lanarvon St. for Weighbridge at
£23-3-0 accepted.

The tender of Mr D. Hiffins for
Graying of Fair Green at
£16. accepted.

Received letter from Messrs
Bevke & Son enclosing draft
of public notice of Meeting of
Commissioners of their intention
to take into consideration
the propriety of adopting Part III

of the Housing of the Working
Classes Act 1890; when same
having been approved of the Clerk
is hereby directed to have it
printed and placarded throughout
the Township, and published
in local papers; and also
to convene a Special Meeting
of Commissioners on the 29th
day of April 1909, which date
is hereby fixed for the purpose

Special Meeting held Monday
April 5, 1909. Present, Messrs
P. Kavan. J. Brown, H. C. Hanly,
Dns. Grogan W. McCormack & P.
Keogh

Order - That - we the Town Com^{rs}
of Roscommon hereby adopt Part
III of the Housing of the Working
Classes Act 1890.

That Mrs McCormack, contractor for
weighbridges got permission to change
one of her secreters, John Kilduff to
James Brennan, Turvella

Monthly Meeting held on Monday
3rd May 1909 Present P. Hagan
W. Hallen H. C. Hanly P. Hannon J.
Goraghty. J. Brown. W. M. Cream

That the Clerk put the roof of
the Market House repaired
and also run overheads and down
pipes round on Fair Green side
for the purpose of fixing a supply
of water for cattle grazing on Green

The Bill for add. in "Roscommon
Journal" be left over to next
meeting for the purpose of com-
paring with the "Roscommon
Messenger" Bill.

Special Meeting held on Monday
10th May, 1909, for the purpose
of adopting part 3 of the Housing
of the Working Classes Act 1890.
Members present:- Messrs P. Hojan
J.P. Chairman; Geo. W. Grafty; Stephen
Harmon Jury Bowron, H. C. Hardy,
Michael Fallon, W. McCreann, E. P. Keogh.

That we the Town Commissioners
of Roscommon hereby adopt Part
3 of the Housing of the Working
Classes Act 1890.

Proposed by Mr P. Hojan, J.P.
Chairman, Seconded by Mr George
Grafty: "That we, the Commissioners
of Roscommon Townships, in duly
convened Public Meeting assembled
having unanimously thereof directed
to carry out a Scheme for the Erection
of Dwellings in Said Townships under

Done

the Housing of the Working Classes
Act, and having at this Meeting ad-
opted Part III of the Housing
of the Working Classes Act, 1890,
hereby direct that our Solicitors, Messrs
Joseph Burke & Son, do take Steps for
the immediate application, on behalf
of the Commissioners, to the proper
Authority, for the Sum of £7,000
for the carrying out of the Scheme
for the Erection of Dwellings in Said
Township, in accordance with the
Provisions of the Housing of the
Working Classes (Ireland) Act, 1888,
and the Acts & Orders incorporated
therein; and we request Messrs
Burke & Son to forthwith have all
Preliminaries in connection with
the application for Said Loan,
and the arranging and carry-
ing out of the Scheme referred to,
duly complied with and carried

out with the least possible delay,
and our Clerk is hereby directed
to forward copy hereof to Messrs
Burke & Son, Solicitors.

Adopted 10th May 1909.

P. Hojan, Chairman

Re. Motion Enquired. That
an ~~advertisement~~ advt. be issued for a
qualified Engineer to prepare Plans
etc. under the sanction of the Working
Classes Act. Applicants to name terms
for preparing Plans & Supervision of
cottages to be erected.

That Posters be printed and posted
through the town and advt. be issued
inviting persons having Building Sites
on which Houses for the Working Classes
might be erected to send to the Clerk
to the Commission the locality where
such sites are within the Township

the true measurements of same, the title,
and the amount computed for such sites

That a Committee consisting of
the whole Board, three to form a
quorum, to select sites for building
Plots was adopted.

Meeting held on Monday 7th June
1909. Present - Messrs P. Hagan Mr.
Fallon H. C. Barclay, W. McCrann E. P.
Keogh J. Hannan.

Proposed by Mr Barclay seconded
by Mr McCrann that fortnightly
meetings be held in future until
scheme for secularizing artizans
dwellings is completed

~~That Mr Barclay be written
to regarding how far he has got
on & if he has written to the Board
with regard to the scheme for
artizans dwellings & plan for
same~~

Cheque be issued for £1-18-6
payable to Two Dearan Devenpor
for Market Square, for quarter ending
1st Decr. 1909

That Mr Mulvanys attention
be called to the dreadful state
of the flapped footpaths of the
town, and that he be requested to
have them repaired

That Messrs Burke & Son be
written to inquiring if they have
made application according to orders, sent
to them four weeks ago, for the loan
of £7,000. ~~and if not~~, what caused
the delay, ~~and that~~.

Cheque be issued payable to
W. W. Lally for the sum of £20 on
acc for audit

Cheque be issued payable to
P. Carr, collector of Town rate &
Town Corporation, Salary & Pounds
for £11.

Meeting held on Monday 21st
June 1909. Present: Messrs P. Kajan
W. McCann, H. Hanly, J. Brown, J. J.
Goraphy, P. Harmon

The Committee appointed some
time ago consisting of the whole Board
to select tiles for artisans dwellings.
Selected such tiles on Tuesday 22nd
June at 12 o'clock, 7 o'clock p.m.
E. O. Keogh

Proposed by the Chairman
Seconded by Mr Harmon - That
we hereby appoint Mr M. Joseph
Reavey, Town Roads, Engineer
under the heading of the
working classes act. to carry
out the duties attached thereto at a fee
of 5 per cent on the actual cost, 2½
per cent for submitting Plans &
Specifications and 2½ per cent -

for supervising work and
marking sites, said percentage
to include all travelling expenses

Mr Keogh proposed to Mr Brown
that Mr McFivine be appointed

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Keogh
4

McFivine
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Meeting held on Monday 5th
July 1909. Present Messrs P.
Keegan, H. C. Hayley, H. M. Coonan
& P. Keogh & S. Shannon

Special meeting be called on
any day Mr Keegan ~~reads~~ his Plans
at weekly.

The Commissioners unanimously
approve of the Selection of Sites made
by their committee, a list of which
this was read and considered at
this meeting, and we request our
Selectors, Messrs Joseph Burke & Son
to communicate at once with the
owners, occupiers, & their representatives
with a view to obtaining same
for the erection of dwelling houses,
the housing of the working
classes etc., and further
we request Messrs Burke
& Son to forward us com-

Munitions in reform
thought as soon as possible
The Town Clerk is hereby in-
structed to forward particulars
of the Lists referred to & ap-
proved of by the Comrs, together
with copy of this order, to our
Solicitors, so that they may take
the requisite steps in the matter.

Mr M. Crann handed in the
following notice of motion
^{I hereby give notice}
I propose that I or some other
Member on my behalf will
move at the next meeting that
the Clerk of the Bow Court
Salary be raised from
£5 to £10.

Special meeting for the purpose
of considering Mr Heaveys Plan
& Specification + cost of estimate
for the erection of Artizans dwellings
Present P. Hagan H. C. Hardy
J. Forestry. M. Fallon J. Brown
E. D. Hoop W. M. Cannon

Mr Heaveys architect having submitted
to the Rosecommon Town Comrs at their
meeting held this day, Plan & Specifications
with Estimate of cost - for the erection
of Artizans dwellings, to be built in
pursuance to the Housing of the
Working Acts with the Loanship of
Rosecommon, said Plan & Specifi-
cation and Estimate were approved
of by Comrs, and our Clerk is
hereby directed to forward same
to Geo Leventors, Messrs. Biddle
and Son in order that the latter

may complete all arrangements
for the obtaining of the loan for the
erection of such dwellings in
accordance with the instructions
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That our Solicitors write again
to the Mother Superior, Convent
of Mercy, Beaumont for the
the name of the purchaser
of the Plot of ground in Abbey
St, between the late Mr. Prophan's
and John Byrnes, the price paid
for same so that the Com^{rs}
could communicate with
the new purchaser for the
purpose of buying same
for building Artizans dwellings

Monthly meeting held on
Monday 2nd August 1939
present: - Messrs P Kagan
W. M. Cramm, M. Falcon & O.
Keogh

Mr M. Cramm's motion, notice
of which was given at last
meeting, that the Clerk's Borough
Court Salary be increased
from £5 to £10 was ~~passed~~
~~unanimously~~ passed
unanimously.

Mr J. Gray's notice of motion
~~presented~~ at last meeting that the
hours of meeting be changed
from 12 o'clock noon to 7
o'clock p.m. was passed

Martin Rafferty

Monthly Meeting held on Monday
6th Sept. 1909. Members present
Messrs R. Hagan Chairman; H. C.
Hawley, W. M. Crann.

Proposed by ~~Mr Hagan~~ ^{Chairman} seconded
by Mr Hawley that the order made
at last meeting ~~concerning~~ ^{summarizing} meeting
for 7 o'clock p.m. be rescinded &
that the meetings be held in
future on the first Monday
in each month at 12 o'clock noon.

~~Proposed by Chairman seconded Mr Crann~~
~~Resolved: That the suggestions are~~

~~re comparatively powerful.~~
~~Passed unanimously.~~

That advt be issued and inserted
in the local papers inviting
tenders for lighting the public lamps
the property of the Comd. from
1st Oct-1909 to 1st April 1910. The
said lamps to be kept clean
and lighted with gas from dusk
till the arrival of the night mail train
12 o'clock. Sun & crescent-moon
light nights in each month.

The Lower Dept inspect the gas
lamps in the town and report
to next meeting of the Comd the number
of lamps ^{of gas} & broken in each lamp.

Messrs Burke & Lon write
to Mrs P. Melia with regard
to site selected by Committee on
Antofhu road (west side) asking
her if she would be willing

sell same to Comd for the
purpose of building City's
sewerings thereon

The fixing of fees for 1910
left in Chairman's hands

Proposed by the Chairman. Seconded
by Mr. McCreary. Resolved - That the
suggestions contained in L. J. Board's
letter of the 1st Sept 1909, regarding
alterations in Plans and Specifications
be adopted, and our Engineer, Mr
Healey, is hereby directed to act in
compliance with the L. J. Board's re-
quirements and forward amended
Plans and Specifications with the least
possible delay to our Solicitors Messrs
Joseph Bubbie & Son, together with
Block Plans. In view of the exact posi-
tion in which it is proposed to

plan the houses, and an Ordnance
Map with the proposed sites indicated
thereon in Red. All these documents
when completed by Mr. Harvey &
received by Messrs Burke & Son
to be transmitted immediately
by Mr. Catto to the L. J. Board.

Copy of this resolution be sent
to Mr. Harvey, and also to Messrs
Burke & Son.

Proposed by the Chairman, Seconded
by Mr. Hanley. Resolved - That with
regard to the Scheme of the Rosemount
Lawn Court for erection of Houses
under the Housing of the Working
Classes Act in Rosemount Township
the necessary sites not having been
obtained by agreement, we hereby
~~advise~~ advise to obtain such sites
compulsorily, under the Provisions
of the Order in Council, dated 26th

May 1909, and we direct
our Solicitors Messrs Joseph
Burke & Son. to forthwith
take the necessary steps in
this connection. Copy of
this resolution to be forwarded
to Messrs Burke & Son

That a cheque be issued and
made payable Thomas Scram
for a sum of £1-17-6 Quarters
Salary for keeping Neville Quar-
den

Gas Co. letter applying for cheque
on ac of £89-10-5 due to Gas Co. on 1st
April 1909 was left over to
next meeting.

Special meeting of the Board
held on Monday, 20th September 1909
in the Courthouse, for the purpose of
considering tenders for lighting the
town lamps, the property of the Board
Present - Messrs R. Hojan J.P.
Chairman; Jerry Browne, Stephen
Hannon, H. C. Hanly, + W. McCreann.

Re Lighting town lamps - That a
Deputation consisting of the Chairman
H. C. Hanly and W. McCreann visit
on the Directors of Gas Co. with a view
to have the price for lighting town
lamps reduced from £45- to £40
That the Clerk write to Secretary
of Gas Co. enquiring as to the most
convenient time the Directors could
meet the Deputation

That a cheque for £40 be
issued and made payable to Gas Co.
on acc for last year's lighting of lamps

Repairs to Lamps - That the matter be left in the Chairman's hands.

The ordinary monthly meeting held on Monday, 4th October, 1909. Members present Messrs D. Hagan, Chairman; W. McEramm. S. Hannon.

re lamps. That the Secretary of the Gas Co. be written to for the four brass lamp heads, the Com^o property, taken by their managers from the following places in the town; Mrs J. G. Doorley, Kilsie's, "Messengers" office, and Keegan's corner. When the Com^o get four new heads (Incandescents) ^{Camps} for these particular corners; also Lamp Standard removed from Market House some time ago by their managers to Gas works.

Notice of Rate about to be made
re above to be inserted in Minutes - a/c

Resolved - That the tender of the Secretors of the
Gas Co. having been reduced by them from £45-
to £42-10-0 for lighting the public lamps of
the town, the property of the Com^{rs}, from the 1st-
Oct. 1909 to 1st-April 1910 be and is
humbly accepted.

Re Officers of Rate - That the town Resp. as Rate
Collector, is hereby ordered and directed
to have his Officers list for 1908-9 made
out and laid before the Com^{rs} at their
next meeting, together with the amount of
rate collected by him for same period

Resolved: That we hereby order and
direct that in future no poundage
fee be paid to Rate Collector until
he has all the rate or the m^{ch}
as he can collect and lodged
with the Clerk.

That a cheque be given to Town Clerk
value for £ 5-10-0.; £ 3 in lieu of uniforms
and £ 2-10-0 Salary.

Special Meeting held on Monday
25th October 1969. Present:- Messrs
P. Safar, M. C. Hardy, M. Falcon,
J. Hannon, E. P. Keogh, J. Browne.

Resolved:- That a rate of one shilling
in the Pound, sterling on the Poor Law
valuation, has been made upon the
occupiers of premises within the town
and boundaries of Roscommon
and there be in the £ upon all
lands used as arable, meadow, or
pasture ground only, or woodland
or market gardens, or water and
used as a canal and towing.

Path to Lane, and on all lands
used as a railway within such
Boundary; and that the Rate
Book is now open & may be
inspected by any person interested
in such rate, at the office of the Clerk
to the Com^{rs} Court House, Racine, Wis.,
on any day (Sunday excepted) between
the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon
and 4 o'clock in the afternoon and
such assessment shall be payable
on and after the 25th day of October
1909.

The above to be inserted in local
papers

Special meeting, called for the purpose
of signing documents in connection with the
sale of site for new Post Office, The Town
Commissioners to Post-Master General,
was held in the Courthouse, Rossmore
on Friday, 19th November, 1909.

Members present:—

P. Kofan, Chairman

H. C. Hanly.

J. Broome

M. Falcon. W. McEran.

Proposed by Mr H. C. Hanly seconded by

Resolved:— That we the Comrs
duly summoned in meeting assembled
for that purpose do hereby authorize
and direct Messrs Petre & Coegan
Chairman and lower member
of our Board, to sign for and on behalf
the contract between us and the
Post-Master General for the sale of
the site of the new post-office

Monthly Meeting - called for the purpose
of transacting ordinary business - held on
Monday, 6th December 1909.

Present - P. Kojan, Chairman
J. Brown

Owing to non-attendance of members the
meeting was adjourned to Wednesday
8th December 1909 at 12 o'clock. W. J. Brown
and the Chairman being the only Commissioners present -
Signed,

P. Kojan, Chairman

Adjourned Meeting was held in the Court House
on Monday, 13th inst; to pass a vote
of Condolence with the family of our
late Clerk, W. M. Hayden, and transaction
of urgent business.

Present - P. Hojan, Chairman
E. G. Gough, W. M. Coram, Mr. Fallon
K. C. Hanly & P. Keph.

The Vote of Condolence
proposed by W. M. Fallon
Seconded by W. M. Coram
for new clerk

That a notice be inserted for
clerk in "Messenger" and "Journal" Two
insertions in each paper.

Annual Notice of Election of
Clerk for 1880 to be inserted twice
in "Messenger" and "Journal"

A cheque be issued, payable to L. G.
Board, for £ 6-0 Sterling for Auditing
accounts for years ended 31st March 1908
and 31st March 1909.

a cheque be issued, payable to Thomas
Moran for £ 17-6. Sterling for Seawalling
of Market Square and ^{leveling in front of} dead walls of
the town

in Courtrooms

Special Meeting held on Tuesday
28th December 1909. for appointing new
Clerk to Court - Present: - P. Hojan, J. P. presiding
J. Harmon, J. Brown, R. C. Hanly
W. M. Cream, J. J. Gough, S. P.
Keogh.

Proposed by Mr Gough. Seconded
by Mr Harmon: -

Resolved: - "That Mr Henry J. McCourt
be appointed Clerk to the Commissioners at a
Salary of £15. per annum, his duties in respect
of such Salary to include those in connection with
Borough Court, which are portion of the duties
of Clerk to the Commissioners; and that Mr
M. J. Hojan be appointed assistant Clerk
to the Commissioners at a Salary of £10
per annum.

Passed unanimously

~~Hogan } McCornt } Loftus.~~

Proposed by Mr Goughy.
Seconded by Mr S. Harrison

Resolved:—"That all Books and Documents, the property of the Commissioners be handed over to the Chairman, pending the securing of an office for the Commissioners in the Courthouse"

Passed unanimously

Resolved:—"That Cheques be issued and made payable to Local Government Board for £6-6-0 Auditor's fees for auditing accounts of Comrs for years 1908 & 1909.

Resolved:—"That a cheque be issued and made payable to Mr Pelato, Bayne Hill, Slavan, agent to Earl of Essex, for £15-11 for rent of four acres"

Resolved:- "That a cheque be issued
and made payable to Thomas Moran
Lombard St. for £1-17-6. for cleaning
of Market-Place."

Resolved:- "That a cheque be issued
and made payable to Thomas Loney
Cowdkeeps, for £1-10-0 for keeping room
clean etc for Cows meetings."

Ordinary Monthly Meeting held on
Monday 3rd January 1918

Present - P. Hagan
M. Fallon
H. C. Hanly

Resolved:- "That the Collector of Town
Rate, Mr P. Coors, having furnished the
Commissioner with his arrears list
for 1908-9, ^{collected} such arrears forthwith
and furnish at meetings hereafter the
names of the parties who owe him

Resolved - That circulars summoning Meeting
of the Board (Ordinary or Special) be given
to Town Dept early in the day so that they
may be delivered at least three clear
days before said Meeting

Arrear Stmts of as unrecoverable
£.

Resolved - " That a cheque be issued, and
made payable to H. J. McCourt - for
£ 2-10-0, (Sterling) for Quarter's Salary
to January 1st 1910."

Resolved:- " That a cheque be issued
and made payable to Land Commission
for £ 0-8-7, for Litter."

Special meeting of the Com^o held
in the Courthouse, Roseomon, on Friday
14th January, 1910, to sign conveyance of
portion of the Fair Green to the Postmaster
General.

Present:- Messrs P. Hofan J.P. Chairman
H. C. Hanley
J. Browne
M. Fallon

Mr S. H. L. Burke (Burke & Son) Solicitors
was also present.

Resolved:- "That we hereby authorize
and empower Messrs Patrick Hofan,
Chairman, and Michael Fallon, two
members of this Board to sign the
conveyance of the site for the New Post-
office to the Postmaster General."

Annual Meeting called for the purpose
of Election of Chairman and Vice-Chairman
held on Monday, 24th January, 1910.

Present Messrs. P. Hagan, J.P. J. W.
Forashty, H. C. Hanley, P. Hannon W.
J. W. Cramm, P. Cooney, E. P. Kepp

Proposed by W. Hanley, seconded
by W. Forashty "that the
Outgoing Chairman and Vice-Chair-
man be re-elected for the ensuing
year.

Monthly meeting held on Monday
7th February, 1910 Present - P. Kofan J. P.
P. Cooney. H. C. Hanly P. Hannon W.
J. M. Cooney.

re letter from Wilkins & Buiden re
Electric Lighting of Lowns adjourned
to another meeting.

re Resolution - Proposed by Mr. P. Cooney
Seconded Mr. Hannon

To be sent to Mr. Lattin, Manager
N. S. W. Railway

re Lown Dept report to be inserted
in the minutes.

Co. Surveyors attention be called
to lines at Boyes Hall which is
a source of great nuisance
Market House re letter to Mr. Jackson to
be considered at next meeting.

POST CARD.

THE ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE.



beck

Urban District Council

Roscommon

Ireland

107 Scapleton Road
Upper Tooting
London
1891

Dear Sir,

I have a rare old Map of
Ireland, printed in 1643 by Richard
Blome, with the Arms of the Four Provinces
Price 15s. Also History of America printed
at Dublin 1744 Yours truly
a new. Price 15s. 2 Vol
by Robertson A Parker

The Town Sergeant to inquire and report to next meeting as to the Beam Scales, Lyamph, weights, etc in his possession.

Town Sergeant to let Mr Southwell see rent and report to next meeting

re Post Office Mr Bueck's letter be inserted on minutes

Cheque to be issued payable to Mr John P. Hayden M.P. salary due to the late clerk. for £25 to 31st Dec. 1909

Cheque to be issued and made payable to Mr P. Coor Town Clerk for £2-10-0 Quarters salary to Dec. 1909.

Cheque to be issued and made payable to Mr J. P. McFrath for £1-1-0 for fees in connection with ^{commitment with} Cortezans ^{Swilings}

Monthly Meeting held on ^{Wednesday} Tuesday
2nd March 1900.

Present - Messrs P. Hojan J.P. presiding
H. C. Hanley
P. Cooney
S. Hannon
W. J. McCran
E. P. Deogh

The Chairman read the following
Correspondence: - (mist-read. after La. G. letters
(mist all letters here)

Resolved: - "That the Commissioners having
now secured an office in the Townhouse,
in future all clerical work be done in
such office of the Commissioners; no Books
or other documents be taken from the office
under any circumstances whatever; the
Collector of Town Rate be notified to attend
at the office for the purpose of checking
his collections, the Clerk to instruct the
Assistant Clerk to check same."

Resolved:- "That the Postmaster be notified that a letter box has now been erected at the Courthouse in connection with the Town Commissioners office and that all letters relating to the Commissioners business are to be deposited therein. Copy of this order to be forwarded to the Postmaster."

Resolved:- "That a Committee be appointed consisting of Messrs P. Cooney, H. C. Hanley, and the Chairman, to go through the collection of documents in the Commissioners office and report to the Commissioners their nature and what they refer to."

Resolved:- "That our Solicitor, Messrs Burke & Ron, ^{are} hereby directed to again write to Mr Walker, requesting him to have all Limbs, Machines, Limbs Carts, etc, removed forthwith from off the Town Green, which is vested in the Commissioners."

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Resolved:- "That our Solicitors, Messrs
Burke and Son, ~~is~~ ^{are} hereby directed to pre-
pare a Bond to the Commissioners from the
Clerk as per advertisement. Copy of this
order together with all particulars and
necessary documents be forwarded to
Messrs Burke & Son." X

Resolved:- "That Messrs Burke & Son
be requested to hand over to the Commis-
sioners Treasurer (Bonds of Ireland) all
documents got from them in connection
with the Sale of Lots for New Post Office
Copy to be sent to Messrs Burke & Son." X

Resolved:- "That a Committee, consisting
of the Chairman, Messrs W. J. McCarron,
H. C. Hanley, (to be assisted by the Clerk
and Rate Collector) be and is hereby
appointed to meet on Tuesday evening
15th March, 1910, at 8 o'clock, p.m. for the
purpose of inquiring into the Collection
of Town Rate and ascertain how X

the accounts of the Commissioners stand and the amount of rates outstanding, with a view to a final settlement of the accounts."

Resolved:- "That ten tons of broken stones at a cost not exceeding £1-10-0 be procured and spread at Fair Green Gate and with-bridge, the Town Purveyor to Superintend the spreading of same, and that advertisement be inserted once in the local Press."

Resolved:- "That in view of the importance of the correspondence submitted to this meeting between Messrs Burke + Son, Solicitors, and the Local Government Board, in reference to the proposed erection of dwellings in the Township under the Housing of the Working Classes Act. a Special Meeting of the Commissioners be convened on Monday, 14th March, 1910, at 12 o'clock, noon, to consider the

matter. Also, at same meeting tenders for the
grazing of the Fair Green and letting of
weighbridge be considered. Advertisement
to be inserted once in local Press."

Mr Heavey, Engineer, be notified to attend meeting on 14th inst.
Resolved:- "That the roof and saw shoots
and down pipes be repaired at once".
The matter was left in the Chairman's hands.

Vote of Motion

"I hereby give notice that I will move
at next meeting that Mr Carnegie be
written to asking him on what conditions
he will give a grant towards the
establishment of a public library in
Roscommon, by the Town Commissioners,
they having premises that could be
renovated and utilized as such.

Patrick Cooney

2:3:1910.

Minutes of Motion

I propose that I or some other member on my behalf will move that the hour of meeting be changed from 12 o'clock noon, to 8 p.m on the first Monday of each month

Signed

William J. McCann

2:3:1910

Mr Connaughton's application for rates to be considered at next Monthly Meeting

Letter read from Gas Company to be considered at next Monthly Meeting

Resolved: - That a Cheque be issued and made payable to the Congested Districts Board for £ 31-2-8, in payment on loan for fees given

Resolved: - That a Cheque be issued and made payable to Thomas Cowley for £25-0 for office furniture and letter case.

Motion of Motion

"I propose that I or some other member on my behalf will move at the next meeting that the office of Town Purseant be abolished."

Signed

W. J. McCann.

Special Meeting called for the purpose
of considering Tenders for Glazing of
Fawn Green and letting of weights
and correspondence from L. J. Board
relative to Building of Artisans' dwellings
in the town of Roscommon

Present: P. Hagan V.P. Chairman
J. W. Josephy
J. Browne.
P. Cooney

Resolved: - That the hour of meeting
according to Mr McCormack's notice be and
is hereby adopted

Resolved: - That the tender of
Mr P. McCormack for weights
for one year, from 1st April 1910 to
31st March 1911 at £22 be and is
hereby adopted

Resolved: - That a cheque be issued and made payable
to Mr O'Roherty for £0-4-0 for Glazing three of the public
Street Cans, the property of the Commission

Resolved: - That the Lender for Grants of four guineas at £6 without right of return etc be and is hereby accepted.

Resolved: - " That the Treasurer, Thomas Moran be asked to accept last years sum £7-10-0. for the scavenging of Market Square for one year, from 1st March 1915 to ~~Resolution re building of Raveling~~ to 1st March 1916.

Resolved: - " That a cheque be issued and made payable to Mrs McCormack for £10-0-0 being Rummours "

Resolved: - " That a cheque be issued and made payable to M. F. Hafan for £2-10-0 for Quartier's Salary to 28th March 1910

Resolved: - " That a cheque be issued and made payable to Thomas Moran, for the Scavenging of the Market Square for £1-19-6 to 1st March 1910.

The correspondence re Artisans' dwellings read at last meeting were ~~brought before the meeting~~, considered and the following resolutions, proposed by the Chairman, seconded by Mr Gerahty, was unanimously passed and ordered to be forwarded to the Local Government Board:-

Resolved:- That having considered the letters of the Local Government Board of the 23rd Dec 1909 to the Acting-Clerk of the Commissioners, and of the 28th Ultimo to Messers Burke & Son, Solicitors in reference to the proposed erection of dwellings under the Housing of the Working Classes Acts in Roscommon Township, the Commissioners are satisfied in accordance with the suggestion contained in the Board's letter of the 23rd December 1909 to reduce the number of rooms in each house from 6 to 5 and are prepared to furnish amended plans, Specification and estimate, to the Local Government Board for the proposed dwellings requisite for the

accommodation of the Artizan class in the Township, but the Commissioners respectfully desire to point out to the Local Government Board the absolute necessity of having erected at least a half dozen of these dwellings on the vacant sites in the central position in Roscommon town for Shoemakers, Tailors, etc, suitable for the carrying on of their trades. Some of these Tradesmen appeared at the enquiry in connection with the Scheme held in Roscommon before Mr Price, C. E., and are really deserving applicants, inasmuch as many of their existing abodes are in wretched condition as well as being entirely too small and unsuitable in every way for themselves and their families. The Tradesmen must of necessity reside in central position in the town, where they will be accessible to the public and they could not and will not, take up their residence on the "Antogher Road," which is an extreme end of the Township, ~~with~~ without ruining their little business, which it has taken years to establish. The Commissioners therefore feel keenly on the matter, and

respectfully ask the Local Government Board to sanction, in order that the Scheme may be successful, the erection of say 6 dwellings in the town for the class of tradesmen referred to and the remainder of the dwellings on the "Antogher Road." The Commissioners are prepared to meet the "Local Government Board" in every way possible as regards the drainage requirements in connection with these town dwellings and we trust that they in view of the circumstances mentioned, will see the reasonableness of our request and come to an arrangement with us in the matter, we desire strongly to see the scheme successfully carried out to the advantage both of the tradesmen and the representatives of the Ratepayers and we respectfully strongly urge the Local Government Board to meet us fairly in the matter. We desire to point out to the Board that they have already satisfied themselves as to the drainage of the Labourers' cottages erected in the town, and of course duly approved of same, they having passed such

dwellings. Artizans are of course not eligible for
tenancy of Labourers' Cottages, and not that an
effort is being made to improve the wretched Housing
Accommodation of the Artizan Class, we confidently
ask the Local Government Board to comply with our
request and so assist ⁱⁿ making the Scheme a Success
particularly in the interest of the badly housed
rackrented Tradesmen for whom Legislation was
enacted. Copy of this Resolution to be
forwarded by our clerks to the Local Government
Board."

The following resolution proposed by Mr George
Teraghty and seconded by Mr Patrick Cooney was
passed unanimously and ordered to be
forwarded to Mr Heary at once.

Resolved:- "That Mr Heary to see Mr Mulvany
and ascertain if he has a map relating to the
Sewerage of the town and its discharge, and
to take a tracing of such map if Mr Mulvany
has same and is pleased to permit to do so
copy of this resolution to be forwarded to Mr
Heary at once. Your Clerk

Monthly meeting held on Monday evening
4th April 1910 at 8 o'clock p.m.

Present P. Hojan J.P.

A. C. Hanley

J. Browne

Resolved:- That the important business to
be transacted at this meeting be and is hereby
adjourned for a larger Board

The following payments were made

Resolved "That a cheque be issued and
made payable to J. Connaughton, for
£3-14-4 rates on Comrs property."

Resolved:- "That a cheque be issued and
made payable to Mr H. J. McEowit-
Clerk for £3-15-0 one quarters salary
upto March 28th to 1910."

Resolved:- "That a cheque be issued
and made payable to The Yorkshire
Insurance Co. for £0-10-0 for Insurance
of Comrs Property to 25th March 1910.

Resolved: "That we adjourn this meeting
to Monday evening at 8 o'clock. 11th April
at 8 o'clock. as a mark of respect to the
memory ~~to the~~ of our dear departed
Pastor, Right Rev. Monsignor McLaughlin
P. O. U. S.

Resolved: - That a vote of condolence be
sent to Mrs. J. Foran.

Resolved: - That the advertisement
(Fairs 1916) now appearing in local press
be discontinued from 2nd April "

Special Meeting called for the purpose of
passing a vote of Sympathy at the ^{sad} death
demise of our late Parish Priest, Right Rev.
Monsieur McLaughlin: also a vote of con-
dolence with Mr J. M. Geraughty, a worthy
Member of our Board on the death of his
brother, Mr James Geraughty, was held on
Wednesday evening ^{6 April 1910} at 8 o'clock

Present Messrs P. Hogan J.P. ✓
Stephen Hannon ✓
P. Cooney ✓
Jerry Brown ✓
W. McCrann
H. C. Hanley ✓
E. P. Keagh.

Proposed by Mr P. Hogan J.P.

Seconded by Mr S. Hannon

Resolved: - ¹⁹¹⁰ That we beg to record
our feelings of deep regret at the sad demise
of our late Pastor The Rt Rev Monsignor

McLaughlin, who for close on 14 years had charge of the parishes of Roscommon and Kiltewan, and did much on behalf of the working classes whose cause he warmly expounded. A brilliant Churchman and an ecclesiastic of great ability whose great life work the erection of our beautiful new Church of the Sacred Heart is a lasting monument of his zeal for the greater glory of God. Copies of this resolution to be forwarded to the most Rev Dr Blaneiff Lord Bishop of Elphin and Rev Fr McPartlan C.C."

Proposed by W^r Pat^r Cooney

Seconded by Herbert C Henley

Resolved:- That we deeply regret the recent sad death of W^r Jas Geraghty an esteemed Townsman and brother of a worthy member of this board W^r Geo Geraghty to whom and W^r Geraghty we beg to tender an expression of our deep sympathy in their great bereavement.

Ordinary monthly meeting of the Comm^{ns}
held on Monday 3rd May 1910

Present Messrs J. Brown (Presiding)

" G. N. Geraghty

P. Cooney

Resolved: That the tender of Pat Lynch
Arananagh for scavenging of Market Sq
from 1st May 1910 to 1st May 1911, at £1-10-0
be and is hereby adopted. To get Lynch
to sign a bond for the due performance
of his contract

Proposed by Mr Geo. N. Geraghty

Seconded by Mr Pat Cooney

Resolved:- That in view of the necessity of
having some of the dwellings under the
Housing of Working Classes Acts erected
for Tradesmen, such as Tailors, Shoemakers
&c in some of the streets of the town instead
of at the extreme end of the township as
suggested by the Local Government Board,
we respectfully ask Mr J. P. Hayden M.P.

to bring the matter under the notice of the President of the Local Government Board "W. Binrell Chief Secretary" in order that the arrangement we have suggested which is in the interest of the class of Tradesmen referred to may be carried through.

The Local Government Board so far have refused to sanction the erection of some of these dwellings in the Streets of the Town, but wish the Commissioners to confine their scheme to the site at the Antoghes Road. The Commissioners are anxious that some of the houses should be placed in the town, in order that the business of the tradesmen referred to may not be injured in consequence of their having to take up their residence on a site at the extreme end of the town.

Copy of this resolution to be sent to Mr J. P. Sturdon M.P.

Special Meeting called for the purpose
of considering letter from L. J. Board
re Artisans Dwelling, held in the
office Courthouse on Monday evening
May 30th 1910.

Present: P. Hojan.

P. Cooney

H. C. Hanley

J. J. Grafty

D. Browne

W. McEram

Proposed by Mr Browne, seconded by
Mr Hanley that we accept the L. J.
Board's offer of 10 Artisans Dwellings
on Antioch Road.

Passed unanimously.

Monthly Meeting held on Monday
6th June 1910, for the transaction of
ordinary business

Present:- P. Hagan, J.P.
W. J. McCann,
P. Rooney
H. C. Kaphley
J. Brown.

Lynn Dejeant applied for £5- half year's
Salary - approved for further consideration.

That a Store in Market House be let to Chris
Harrison at £1 per year

That a cheque be issued and made
payable to Martin McParry for £3-2-6
for 25- tons of Shaggy Fowl and Spreading
Lame on Market Square

That a cheque be issued and made payable to Mr H. J. McCourt, Clerk for £3-15-0 Quarters Salary

That a cheque be issued and made payable to Mr. J. Hagan, assist. Clerk, for £2-10-0 Quarters Salary.

That a cheque be issued and made payable to Mr Black, for £1-10-9 income Tax. Lch B. To be held over to next meeting

That all the Rates outstanding be collected and lodged by next meeting and that the Collector be written to inform of this order, and in the event of his not doing so he be called upon to rend in his resignation

That Gas Co's a/c be adjourned to next meeting for further consideration

That a cheque be issued and made payable to Mr Brown for £1-18-10 Income Tax. Lch D. To be held over to next meeting

Notes of appeal re Income Tax to be forwarded to the proper Authority.

That a cheque be issued and made payable to L. J. Beard for £14-1-8 re Artizan's Dwellings

That the Sanitary Authority be written asking them to have the nuisance created by a sewer running from Beech's Hall and bursty up in Market Square is a source of great danger to the inhabitants living in the Square and people attending the market

That a Committee, consisting of Messrs
P. Hafan, H. C. Hanley and ~~P. Rogers~~
and Mr. Clark ^{J. Brown} ~~McLeod~~ be
and is hereby appointed to read on
the Directors of the Gas Co. on Tues-
day and ask them in connection
with their age.

Mr. McCranis' notice of motion
to be considered at next meeting

Mr. Cooney's notice re Carnegie's
grant.

Meeting held on Monday 4th July

Present P. Hagan Esq
J. Browne
H. C. Hanley
P. Cooney

Resol. re anti-gam dwellings

Proposed ~~that~~ by Mr Hanley
seconded by Chaverman
that the Collector agrees
that he give into by a
committee consisting of Messrs
~~H. C. H.~~ J. Foran, P.
Cooney and Chaverman
on Tuesday evening 5th inst.

Write to Manager or Sec of
Labour Exchange. ^{in June}

Mr. McCann's note of motion
re Four per cent. Passed.
Seconded by Mr. Gough.

~~Meeting~~ Monthly Meeting
held on Monday evening at
8 o'clock for the transaction of
ordinary business.

Present: - P. Hagan J.P.
J. V. Gough
J. Browne
P. Cooney.

(Correspondence)

The Chairman read the Auditor's report

Motion of completion of Credit -
be inserted in local Press.

Proposed by Mr Feraphy -
seconded by Mr Cooney
that the Deal be adopted.

Mr Feraphy's motion.

Mr Browne motion. Seconded
by Mr Cooney.

Leaves for 1911 be inserted
in minutes

re Harris 1911

200 Double Coronon Posters
to be printed and posted at
all Railway Stations between
Roscommon and Dublin and
between Roscommon and
Sligo. Also 300 Small Cards
to be printed and distributed
same to be inserted in the Almanac
for 1911.

Proposed by Mr Cooney seconded
by Mr Foran. :- (Resolution)

That a cheque be issued &
made payable to Patrick Lynch
for £1-4-6 Quarters Salary
for leaving my market till
up to 31st July 1910

Special meeting held on Wednesday
evening 25th August 1910 at 8
o'clock for the purpose of adopting
a resolution dealing with the
Stamrolling of the Market-Fee
and consider agreement come
to between the Com^r and
Mr Mulvaney C. E.

Present - P. Keegan J. P.
H. G. Hanley
R. Cooney

Proposed by Mr. ^{Chairman} ~~Chairman~~
Seconded by Mr. Hanley

re Stamrolling of Market-Fee
(Resolution)

To be forwarded to Mr
Mulvaney C. E.

Special meeting ~~held~~ ^{held} on Monday
August-22nd 1910. at 8 o'clock p.m. for
declaring the Treasurership to the Com^d
vacant and appointing a committee to
examine Market Square after the steam-
rolling is complete

Present:- P. Hagan J.P.
J. Brown
P. Cooney
H.C. Hanley

Proposed by W^r Hanley

Seconded by W^r Cooney

Resolved: That the Treasurership
of the Rosemount Town Com^d
be now declared vacant.

Proposed by W^r Brown

Seconded by W^r Cooney

Resolved: - That the National Bank
Ltd be elected Treasurer, and that
a current account be opened at
their Rosecommon Branch in the name
of the Rosecommon Local Com^d
and that their chairman for the time
being, two members and the Clerk
for the time being, be and is hereby
authorised to sign cheques on behalf
of the Com^d.

List of documents lodged with
National Bank, 19th August 1910
be inserted on minutes. (copy
herewith); said document - not to
be parted ^{with} by the Bank to any
person without the express
authority of the Com^d.

Resolved: That a cheque be issued
for £9-19-6 and made payable
to the Agent of Bank of Ireland,
in full discharge up to date

~~Resolved: That a cheque be issued
and made payable for £
in full discharge of Comrs
up to date~~

Proposed by Mr Hanley;
Seconded by Mr Browne

Resolved: - That the deputation
^{on the 6th June.}
appointed to meet the Directors
of the Gas Company, interview
the Directors on whatever day,
the Gas Co. Secretary arrange
with a view to a settlement
of the account

Monthly Meeting held on Monday evening
5th Sept-1910 for the purpose of transaction
of ordinary business.

Present: - P. Hogan J.P.
P. Cooney E. P. Keogh, J. Geraghty and
H. Barkley ~~in~~

Proposed by Mr Geraghty, seconded by Mr
the Chairman

That Mr James O. Leely be co-opted in the
room of Mr Michael Fallon, who is dis-
qualified for non-attendance. Passed
unanimously

Mr Geraghty's notice of meeting on
Lamps in Market St. E

That the Statute, Motion of Rules
about to be made be inserted in
the two local papers. This notice
to be inserted on the minutes in
full.

The Treasury be written asking
them if they are going to make
the advance of loan on Polyan's
Dwellings

That a cheque be issued ~~and~~
made payable to

Proposed by Mr. Joraphy -
Seconded by Mr. Goosey
Resolved: - That the ^{Secretary of} Gas Company
be written to asking him to furnish
an estimate of the actual cost of
two new lamps (same as pattern
left with their manager) and
erection of same inside of railings
of Hayden Monument. Said lamps
to be completed by the 1st Oct
next.

Resolved: That the Court weigh-
bridge be painted with two coats
of green paint - at a cost not to
exceed £2. and that Mr. Grahame
inspect same and report to
next meeting of the Board

Resolved: - That the Deputation appointed
at last meeting of the Board to
wait on the Directors of the Gas
Company with a view to asking
to them to reduce their Bill attend
at Comrs office on Tuesday 6th inst.
at 11.30 for that purpose

Resolved: That a cheque be issued
and made payable to the Gas
Company for £ in full
demand for their claim against
the Comrs.

Resolved:- That a cheque be issued
and made payable to the Clerk
for £3-15-0 quarter's Salary up
to 28th September 1910.

Resolved:- That a cheque be issued
and made payable to the Assistant
Clerk for £2-10-0 quarter's Salary
up to 28th September 1910.

Monthly meeting held on Wednesday
5th October 1910

Present:- P. Hagan D.O.
J. Browne
P. Cooney
H. C. Hanley

re Hayden Monument Camps.

The Sec of Geo Company be written
to informing him that the Comd
approve of Mr Stormont's letter
and request him to proceed at once
with the erection of said Camps and
that we approve of No. 1 Shelter Cost-
£3-19-0 each Camp

Resolved: - That a Rate of one
Shilling in the Pound, Sterling
on the Poor Law Valuation be and
is hereby struck upon the Occupiers
of premises within the Township
and Three Pence in the Pound upon
all Lands used as arable, &c.
Meadow.

re Mr Field's Letter. adjourned
for a fuller Board. and be
brought up at next meeting

re Carrigan. Clerk write to Brandon
Town Clerk on the matter.

Special Meeting called for the purpose
of signing New Rate Book for 1910-
1911

Present P. Hagan R. D
J. C. Horaphy
H. C. Hawley
P. Cooney
O. Brown.

Resolved: - That the New Rate Book
having been signed and date fixed
for collecting of same, copies of Rate
having been made was ordered to be
inserted in local Press etc.

L. J. Board letter re raising of
Working Classes Act and resolution
thereon be inserted on the Minutes

Special meeting called for the purpose of disposing of the Market House to Postmaster General, was held on Saturday evening at 6 o'clock, and to hear a statement from Canon Cummins on the matter.

Present - P. Hagan S.P.

J. Browne.

D. C. Hanly.

P. Cooney

J. W. Murphy

Rev Canon Cummins was also present.

and Mr P. M. L. Burke (Burke & Son) Solicitors to the Board.

Proposed by the Chairman seconded by Mr Murphy. That the Market House be offered to the Postal Authorities for the sum of £200 of site for frontage for new Post office this being the lowest possible sum the Board could accept, and that the

Malonal is worth a considerable
portion of the money

Monthly Meeting held on Monday
evening y^e 20th Dec. 1910. at 8 o'clock
p.m. ✓

Present: Messrs P. Boyan J.P.
J. Broome
J. Jorahy
W. J. McCormick
H. C. Hanley.

That in view of Pat Cowr, handing
in his resignation as Town Rate
Collector and Town Sergeant we
should authorize Mr Jorahy to
interview him as to the settlement
of his account.

That a Cheque be issued and
made payable to John Keaveny
for the sum of £1-10-0 for re-
pairing Fair Green wall.

That a Cheque be issued and
made payable to the Comptroller
of the Board for the sum of 7/4 for
interest incurred on Special Loan
for Fair Green.

That a Cheque be issued
and made payable to Patrick
Lynch for £1-14-6 for cleaning
Market Square for Quarter due
to 1st Dec. 1910.

That a Cheque be issued
and made payable to

That a Special Meeting be
called for Thursday evening at
Fodder for the purpose of making
arrangements for receiving applications
for the position of Lower Rate Collector
and Lower Post.

Mr Cooney's resolutions.

Special meeting for the purpose
of issuing advertisement for ^{the position of} Lower
Rate Collector and Lower Post
and to receive Rate Collector etc
resignation

Present - O. Hagan, J. P.

H. C. Harley

J. Browne

W. J. McCann

E. P. Keogh

Proposed by Mr Hanley, seconded
by Mr Brown. and

Resolved: That Mr Carr Town
rate collector and town clerk
get £20 in full support of his claim.
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Special Meeting called for
the purpose of appointing
a Collector of Town Rates
and Town Disbursements held
in Courtroom on Wednesday
evening at 8 p.m.

Present:— P. Hogan D.P. Chairman
J. W. Murphy—
P. Cooney
W. C. Hanley
J. Barrowe
W. J. McCormack
E. P. Keogh.

Proposed by Mr W. C. Hanley
Seconded by Mr Barrowe
That Mr W. J. McCormack,
be and is hereby appointed
to the position of Rate Collector
and Town Disbursements according
to terms of bid—
unanimously passed.

It was decided to adjourn to
next meeting the consideration
of King Rev. Canon Cummins
letter on Compulsory School
attendance act. And Mr Mac-
Cormack, Town Sergeant
agreed to act as School Attendance
Officer at a remuneration of £5
which will be ratified at next
meeting provided the act is
adopted.

That a committee be appointed,
consisting of Messrs Hanley, Coony,
Gorahly and the Chairman to
go into ex collector Carr's accounts
list and meet in the Com
office on Friday, evening 18th
inst. at 8 o'clock. Mr Coony
be written to asking him
to attend.

Monthly Meeting held on Monday
5th Dec. 1915

Present:- P. Hagan.
W. J. McCann
H. C. Hanky.
J. Laphy.
D. Cooney

re. option. That - Mr. Jas. J. Kelly
and Mr. J. J. Gavin be
ex-officio Members of this
Board.

Resolved: That a cheque be issued
and made payable to W. F. Baynes
for £2-10-0 quarters Railway up to
28th Dec 1910

Resolved: - That a cheque be issued and
made payable to H. J. McCowor for
£2-15-0 for quarters Railway up to
28th Dec 1910.

Resolved: - That a cheque be issued and
made payable to Mrs L. Haverington for
8/6 for 3 weeks of Market House
for site for new Post-office.

Special meeting held on Monday
for the purpose of signing
a cheque for Board of Public Works
in connection with ~~the~~ study
Presiding. P. Hayes

H. C. Hardy
W. McCarroll
J. J. Hayes
E. P. Hoop
P. Rooney

Jan. 19th, 1911 Special Meeting

S. L. Gerapp in chair
P. Coong, J. Brown, J. Deel, W. Mcbran,
H. C. Haus.

Proposed by W. Mcbran } -
Seconded by J. Brown } -

That the offer of the Postmaster General
of \$75 for the site of the Market Ho.
~~be~~ ^{be} ^{to} ^{be} ^{accepted} - The Commission
to ~~also~~ have building demolished
and material removed so as to
have site clear

Annual Meeting. Jan. 23rd 1811
Present: S. A. Seraphy (in the chair)
H. C. Haul, J. Brown, W. J. Mcbran,
Jas. Teef, B. Savin, J. Coony.

Proposed by H. C. Haul }
Seconded by Jas. Teef } -
That Mr Seraphy & Mr
Jeremiah Brown be Elected
Chairman & Vice-Chairman
of the Commissioners for the
 ensuing Year.

Proposed by Mr Coony }
Sec. by Mr Haul } -

That in view of the great Service rendered
to the Township by Mr P. Hogan late
Chairman Since he joined the Board.
& the great interest he manifested in the
Artisans Duelling Scheme which
he was instrumental in introducing

We ask him to still continue his great assistance
to the Board by continuing a Commissioner, as the
Board can not afford to lose his services,
more particularly when the Scheme to which
he devoted so much time and attention,
is about being brought to an issue,
the work proceeded with

Feb. 6th, 1891. Ordinary Meeting.

Present: S. H. Seraph, S. Savin, H. C. Hanly,

J. Coong,

Proposed by Chairman

Seconded by J. Coong.

We hereby offer \$200 for site of dwellings
on Antelope Road - this sum to redeem
all interests in the land, including Ford
Essea's, if such interest exists.

Order - J. Seraph to have Whig bridge
put in order.

Prepared by Mr. Coong.

Mr. Savin

That the Mortgage bond be approved
by Messrs Burke & Son, Solicitors on behalf
of the Commissioners.

Proposed by Mr Seraphy } - That the
Deacons by Mr Beong } Commissioners
pay £ 20 toward the expense of
laying the main ^{Sewer} pipes in Goff St &
Castle St, as for as Tank and
Mr Larkin's respectively.

Compulsory Education Scheme.
Adjourned to next meeting for
discussion.

Meeting, March 6th, 1811. Present
G. Seraphy, H. C. Hanly, Jas. Deely, P. Cooney,
J. Brown -

Proposed by J. Brown

Seconded by P. Cooney

That the sum of £220 be paid for
the field for site of Artizans' Dwellings

Resolution

Messenger A/c. to be Considered at next
meeting.

Mr Edgars demand for refund to be ~~allowed~~
adjourned to next meeting.

Write Sanitary Authority - re Condition
of house in Church St. + houses in Abbey St.

Write Lynch re removing manure
in Fair Green.

Special Meeting - March 27th, 1911

S. Seraphy, P. Gony, J. Brown, dt. b. Hanley.

Propose Resolved - That the tender of Mr Thomas Higgins for £16 be accepted for grazing of Fair Green for 11 months from April 1st, 1911.

Resolved That the tender of Mr Mc Cormack for Wight Bridge for £18 be accepted for 17 car from April 1st, 1911.

Ordered - That a space of three feet be allowed to Postal Authority at site of New Post Office on Fair Green side to enable them to face new building straight out to Square.

Order - That the Clerk be directed to write to the Earl of Essex to ask if he is willing to sell his right

of toll.

Months Meeting: April 3rd, 1911.
Present - S. Seraphy, A. B. Hanley, J. Brown
P. Cooney.

Resolved: - Proposed by A. C. Haus.

Seconded by P. Cooney. -

Committee Young + adults. Chairman
Messrs Cooney, Brown + Hanley.

Order: - That 1/2 year's rent be accepted
from Mr Jackson.

£25 on a/c to J. P. Hayden leaving
balance £25 due to date.

Special Mtg. to draft form of a dot.
+ fix date for tenders for Contractors
for Artizans' Dwellings.
B. Seraph, B. Seraph, H. C. Hanly.

Mr Healey, Engineer.

Committee to draft a dot. I present.
Tenders - Received up to Thursday 4th May.

Tenders were received from the
following

Special Mtg. for tenders, May 4th, 1911
Present: S. Seraph, P. Cooney, S. Lamm
H. B. Hanly, J. Brown, E. P. Keefe.
Mr. Heavey present.

Tender of Mr. J. Watt for Construction
of sewerage etc., according to specifications,
of £200 was accepted.

Tender of Mr. Richard Carroll for
Six dwellings @ £180 was accepted.

Tender of Messrs. Brothers for four
dwellings be accepted, provided they
reduce their amount to £180
Cheque on a/c to Mr. Heavey b. e. for
£40 on a/c.

Check write to Co. Surveyor re taking
Contract of spare.

Meeting July 3rd, 1911.

Present S. W. Seraphy - H. C. Haug,
E. P. Keogh, S. Brown

Scavenging of Market Square.

Proposed by Mr Haug Seconded by Mr Seraphy -
that Mr Mulvaney's ~~lands~~ be offered
£10 - 5 - 0 per annum for scavenging
of Market Square; and that he be paid
three-fourths of this sum for the present
year to end of March 31st, 1911.

Re Mrs Melbie's land

The Chairman & Town Clerk to
interview Mr Black as to Mrs Melbie's
Complaint as to damage to her land
by building of dwellings.

Reques: No 2 a/c J. Watt on a/c £40 - 0 - 0.

- - B. of works £3 - 15 - 5

No. 1 Mr Mulvaney on 9c £25 - 0 - 0.

Committee to check arrears list.

Mr Hanly, Mr Cooney &
The Chairman. on Thursday
evening.

Proposed by Mr Cooney } Re Insurance
Second by Mr Hanly } Bill.

Proposed by Mr Hanly } Re Sewerage.
Second by Mr Hanly }

Re Cruises & Shows.

That the Town Serjeant be Empowered
to let Fair Green ~~Collect~~ to show &c. & to Collect Tent &c.
of same. No show to be allowed
remain longer than three weeks
without special permission of
Commissioners

Meeting Aug 7th. S. Seraphy, H. C. Hanf
P. Coong, S. Brown.

Letter re Fair from Department
Refer to D. Inspector & inform Department
of such action.

Deputation to Town Tenants' Conference
Mr Coong & Mr Brown.

Scavenging Market Share.
Offer £10; if not accepted advertise.

Sale & Pier of Fair Green.
Committee to interview probably English:-
~~Mr~~ Mr Seraphy & Town England.

Write Clerk Dist. Co. re supply of
water for Cottage site.

Cheques: H. J. McFaul £-14-0.
J. McCormack 7/6
J. Foley £1

Sept 4th. S. Seraph, J. Feely, J. Brown
H. Haney, P. Cooney.

Proposed by H. C. Haney, Sec'y P. Cooney
That tenders be invited for the scavenging
of Market Square.

Mr. Bright that the matter be adjourned
until such time as Town Comrs.
are made aware of where fire
apparatus is stored & in whose
custody it is.

Extension of Water Main: Chairman ^{Mr. Brown}
& Clerk to attend at meeting
of Waterworks Committee

New Sewerage Scheme: - Ask official
answer from Clerk to D. Council
~~to~~ Mr. Haney handed in the following
notice of motion - I or some other
member on my behalf will move the
Co-optation of some person to fill the
seat created (rendered vacant) by the non-
attendance of Mr. McBrain.

Special Mtg. Sep. 14th
S. N. Seraphy (c) J. Coong, J. Brown.

3 Tenders for Leavening Square.
Thos. Levin £9, Bernard Hoare, Sen.
& Jun. £12; W. K. Lynch £9-10. 0

The tender of Thomas Levin for £9
for 12 months, payment to be made
quarterly on Certificate of Town
Trustees.

Sas account.

Give £20 on account - and
obtain explanation of account's items.
Ask for reduction to £1-5-0 per lamp.
Deputation to interview Sas Co. Chairman,
Mr Coong, Mr Brown & Mr Hanly.
Ask Bracket stones at Market House to be
put on corner of Miss Jackson's school.
Ask to have main laid down Castle
and Saff Streets & lamps in Market
Square.

Fair Green. Notice of which
Take notice that I, or some ^{member} on my behalf
Proposed by Mr Serghy - } That a weekly
See - Mr of the brides
& Rabpays in general be called to
discuss the advisability of removing
the Fair of the town from the site
to the Fair Green.

Parnell Knolly
Mr Serghy, Brown & Mr Hanly

Special Meeting to strike rate -
Oct. 26th., 1911. S. H. Seraphy,
J. Browne, H. B. Hanly, S. Savin,
P. Cooney, E. P. Keogh.

Rate Resolution.

Monthly Meeting. Nov. 6th., 1911. S. H. Seraphy
(Chair) E. P. Keogh, P. Cooney, S. Savin

It was resolved to postpone consideration
of Fitzner lamps until Chairman
& Clerk should interview, and
report result to ~~General~~ special
meeting.

That Mr Schaber be written to asking
Amount Earl of Essex would dispose
of his right to collect tolls at fair
Co. option

Mr Seraphy moved for Mr Hanly
and Mr Cooney seconded that
Mr McBrann be Co-opted a member.

Me. Dec. 4th, 1811.

S. W. Seraph's (chair) S. Savin, J. Brown,
P. Cooney.

Insurance Police

The Proposals of the Irishman
+ Swedish Assurance Co. were
accepted on Artizan's Dwelling
at 15/- each per annum.

Fowl Market.

The Clerk was directed to give notice
that the Fowl Market on Wednesdays
will be held as heretofore.

Re Granger's A/c.

The letter re this A/c. was taken
"read" & the Chairman & Clerk
were directed to interview Mr Mulvaney
on the matter.

Purchase.

Mr Cooney's resolution

Lamps.

Write Sec. of Gas Co. pointing out that
lamps arranged to be changed have not
yet been changed ^{that a good example} to the one at O'Keefe's be
purchased by Comms.

Proposed by Mr Searly

Seconded by Mr Cooney.

That the action of the N. S.
W. R. Co. in leaving stock owners
without waffons until late in
the evening at the last sheep fair
~~document~~ was highly a source of
great inconvenience to all attending
this fair and that the Town
Comm. of Roscommon wish to
place on record our
condemnation of such treatment
and hope that this town will
not suffer in such a manner
in the future

Proposed by: Mr Droune

Seconded by: Mr Gavin

Resolved: - That this Board is in favour
of the Nationalisation of the Railway
System of Ireland, as the Commissioners
consider the interests of the Public
would be better served by the Working

of the Railway by the Government than the
Privatizing system and we ask the
Government to introduce a Bill in
Parliament for the purchasing of the
Railways of Ireland.

Jan 23rd., 1912

Special Mtg for election of honours
Officers. E. H. Sengly, J. Brown
W. McEwan P. Cooney, H. C. Hans

Prop'd by Mr Hans that the
Secy - W. McEwan & outgoing
Chairman & Vice-Chairman be
re-elected ^{to fill the period} for the coming 12 months.

Wm. Feb. 13th. 1811. S. h. Seraph,

E. P. Keogh, J. Brown P. Cooney,

Proposed by Mr S. Seraph } that we
- E. P. Keogh } hereby co-opt
Mr P. Hooper a member of the town
in room of Mr S. Savi resigned.

Proposed by Mr Cooney second by Mr Keogh
that a new bracket & lamp be
procured and erected at Miss Jackson's
School in Henry St. (ordinary lead).

That J. Seraphant have notice erected
forbidding people to have carts
or other obstructions on the square
& c lying about the square in a
manner calculated to cause obstruction.

Proposed by Mr Seraph } that we,
do - Mr Brown. } Conf

the Town Comm. of R. Comptrolr Mr Hayden
our worth Parl. Rep. Mr J. P. Hayden on the
occasion of his Marriage, and wish

him, on behalf of the people of
Riv's common, many years of
happines & prospering.

February March 4th., 1812.

S. Seraph, J. Hogan & J. Browne. ^{P. Keef}

Proposed by Mr Hogan } Re deed
deceded in Mr Brown } of land.

(Mr Hadden's letter)

Write Mr Mulvany re footpaths.

Special Mtg.

J. Brown, J. Hogan, H. C. Hanly, J. Cooney.

Tenders for Whitebridge received from

~~Mr~~ John Sillocky & Mrs McCormack.

for £20 - 5 - 0. The latter was
accepted.

Tender for Fair Green from J. Haffin
for £15 was accepted.

Met. Apl. 1st 1812. Present P. Seraphy (chan)
J. Hofan, H. C. Hanly, W. McBrann, J. Feely, Jr. ^{and P. Conroy}
Re Hayden Testimonial - It was decided to leave
the matter to private subscription.

Proposed by Mr P. Hofan } Resolution Re
Sec'd by H. C. Hanly. } Erection of store

Proposed by Mr P. Hofan } re Extension of water main
Sec'd by W. McBrann } to Cottage's site

~~Proposed by Mr Hofan } Re Extension of Gas main
Sec'd by~~ } to Cottage's site - write Gas Co.

Write to Surveyor re habit of dumping nuisance
on side of roads around the town.

Meeting May 6th, 1812. S. H. Seraphy, P. Hofan
H. C. Hanly, P. Conroy, S. P. Keogh

Proposed by Mr ~~McBrann~~ } congratulations to
Sec'd by Mr Hofan. } Mr McBrann

Re Footpath at Post Office

That the Chairman give an estimate of cost

Re Telephone Connection

Proposed by Mr Seraphy } Resolution
Sec'd by Mr S. P. Keogh }

That the Contrador of Fair Green
be written to direct him to have
Fair Green wall repaired.

The Shops Act.

A deputation from the Shop Assistants
Association waited on the Meeting &
agreed to find out if $\frac{2}{3}$ of the
Shopkeepers of the town are willing to
grant a $\frac{1}{2}$ holiday to their assistants.

The Titanic Disaster

Proposed by Mr. Hooper } Resolution
Sec^d by Mr. Hanley

Shops Act

That the Shopkeepers be accede to
request of Assistants that $\frac{1}{2}$ hol. be
granted.

Bank Fence

Write Mr. Holmes to ask him to
have this fence erected.

Wed. June 3rd, 912. S. A. Seraphs, P. Hopan
H. B. Hanly.

Town Lamps

Proposed by Mr. Hopan, seconded by H. B. Hanly.

Bank Fence at Artizans' Dwellings plot

The Chairman to find out probable
Cost of erecting fence between plot
and ~~bank~~ Villa field.

Re Mr H. Davidson's Cost in

~~Capt W. J. J. Case, this~~
bill to be left over ~~to~~ to next Mtg.

Areas of Rate list. Messrs Seraphs,

Hopan & Hanly were appointed

a Committee to go into the list.

June 6th. Meeting of Committee
to consider Areas of rate. Mr P. Hopan
presiding. The following list was
struck off as irrecoverable
(list)

Roscommon 7/10/12

Meeting June 29th. 1912. Mr S. Seraphy-
presiding. Present Messrs Cooney &
Brown. ~~Seraphy~~.

A cheque was issued to
Thomas Dolan for completing work
in Fair Green. Amount £10

Meeting July 1st, 1912.

Brown, Cooney, Hogan. B. Seraphy. Hans
Notice of Motion - Education Act.

Write Mr Larkin asking for
attendance average during past year.

Write Mr Burke for bonds.

adopt suggestion of auditor re
Financial Receipts & Expenditure Book
and Paying Orders & Treasurer's Authority.

write Clerk of Union to call
special meeting of waterworks
Committee.

Auditor's report laid before meeting.

Letter from Rev. Mr Henderson,
Waukegan Co. re Extension of Rail
to Cattago's Pt.

Mr Henderson's letter referred for
further Consideration.

Ask ~~the~~ ^{Waukegan Insur. Com.} Board of Collector,

J. Serpant & Clerk should be
insured under the new Insurance Act.

July August 5th., 1712. J. Seraph-
P. Hogan, A. C. Hanly, S. P. Keigh,
J. Brown.

Mr Hogan withdrew notice of
motion as to Compulsory Education Act.
Arizans' Dwellings.

Mr Hogan's resolution re road and
trains. Mr Hanly seconded.

Lower lamps.

Mr Hogan proposed second by the Board
(resolution) Mr Walsh be asked
Cost of repairing lamps & purchasing
H new heads.

Re wall at Artizans' plot.

Write Holmes to Erect wall.

Proposed by Mr Seraphy seconded by P. Coony.
re Belfast Workers.

Special Committee Meeting - Aug. 13th.

Write Manager of waterworks to have
water laid on to Artizans' Dwelling's
Site by September 1st. Also write Mr Mulrooney.
Insert advert. in papers inviting applications
for Cottages week before next Meeting.

Meeting Sept. 2nd G. A. Seraphy,
W. McBrann, J. Brown, P. Coony, Keogh
Hogan, Hanly £4-15-0.

Mr Walsh's tender for repairing
lamps to be accepted. Proposed
by Mr Hogan Sec by Mr Keogh.

That a Committee be appointed to
select new lamps. Mr Seraphy, Mr
Hanly, Hogan, Coony, McBrann,
The Committee to have power to ~~make~~ make
an arrangement with Mr Walsh.

Proposed by Mr Hogan } Resolution re
Seconded by Mr Hanly } local music

Proposed by Mr Hanly } That no appls
Seconded by Mr Keogh } for Artizans dwellings
be considered until an advertisement
for plans be inserted in the
local papers on the Sept. 7th, after
which application will be considered
by the Committee on Wednesday 11th
Sept.

That the Town Sergeant be directed
to take on the collection of the
Artizans Dwellings Rent at the rate
of 10%.

T. Sergeant to remove stones
& Sabs opposite New Post Office
Proposed by Mr Keogh, seconded by Mr Brown
(Foot & North District Resolution)

Proposed by Mr Cooney seconded by Mr Keogh
(Dead Heat Trade Resolution)

Write to re Telephone

Write Mr Mulvey asking price per an
for care of square

Notice of the ^{advt} reprint by
Proposed by Mr Hanly, & that under
seconded Mr Graft. To be made
from local printing Office for
printing & advertising for one year.
Cost not to exceed £6

Mtg. of Comtee Gas Lamps. Sep. 4th, 1812.

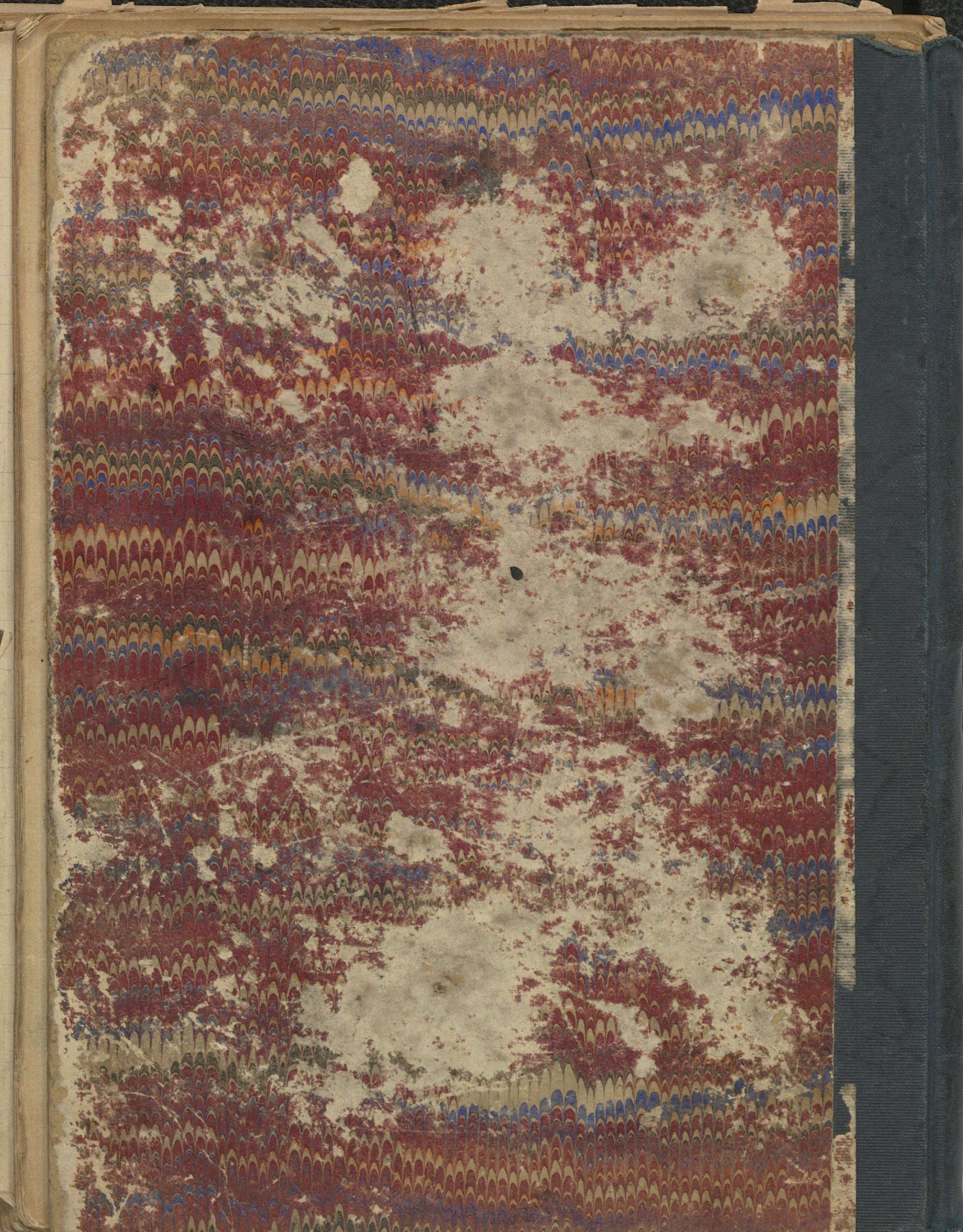
Present Messrs - Graft, H. Hanly, Coors
Mr Walsh attended

Proposed by Mr Hanly Sec^d by Mr Coors
^{+ resolved}

That 4 new lamp heads, double
burners @ £5 each be ordered from
the Gas Co., and erected at the
points selected by the Comms.

The lamps are to be similar in design
of those at double burners.

Ask Gas Co. if they are willing to
extend main to site of Artizan
Dwellings.



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End of Scanning