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Urban District Council of Hendon.

TOWN HALL,

HENDON, N.W.

24th February, 1921.

DEAR SIR, or MADAM,

I beg to inform you that a Meeting of the Urban District Council of Hendon will be held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday next, the 28th day of February, 1921, at 6.30 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of transacting the following business, namely :—

Agenda :

1. To confirm Minutes of previous Meetings.
2. Questions.
3. Report of Finance Committee.
4. Report of Works and Sewage Disposal Committee.
5. Report of Public Health Committee.
6. Report of Town Planning Committee.
7. Report of Housing Committee.
8. Report of Fire Brigade Committee.
9. Report of Highways Committee
10. Report of General Purposes Committee.
11. Reports of Housing Executive Committee.
12. Report of Staff Committee.
13. Report of Requisitions Committee.
14. Report of Clerk.
15. Report of Surveyor.
16. Education Committee (Minutes).

I am, Dear Sir or Madam,

Yours faithfully,

HENRY HUMPHRIS,

Clerk to the Council.

The Requisitions Committee, consisting of the Chairmen of the Standing Committees at 6 p.m.

Local Pensions Committee, to follow

Report of Finance Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 21st day of February, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Cartwright (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Hodge, Mrs. Hargraves, Hearn, Roberts, Soar, Sturgess, Teare, and Tiffen.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, ETC.: Your Committee have examined the Treasurer's Pass Book and Cash Books, and report that the total receipts from all sources since the last meeting amounted to the sum of £12,160 13s. 10d., making a total of £324,991 3s. 6d. for the current financial year.

| Description. | Amounts previously Reported. | | Amounts now Reported. | | Total. | |
|---|------------------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|--------|-------|
| | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| INCOME. | | | | | | |
| Rateable Accounts— | | | | | | |
| Hendon Recreation Ground | 138 | 4 11 | 2 | 13 10 | 140 | 18 9 |
| Sewage Farm Rents, etc. | 220 | 16 8 | 24 | 7 6 | 245 | 4 2 |
| Sanitary Department, Disinfecting, etc. ... | 28 | 8 6 | 3 | 19 6 | 32 | 8 0 |
| Burroughs House, rent, etc. | 60 | 7 2 | 15 | 0 0 | 75 | 7 2 |
| Maternity Centres and Midwifery | 426 | 16 0 | 680 | 8 4 | 1107 | 4 4 |
| Fire Brigade, expenses, etc., recovered ... | 57 | 11 9 | 11 | 8 4 | 69 | 0 1 |
| Motor Ambulance, fees | 121 | 11 0 | 26 | 5 0 | 147 | 16 0 |
| Highways and Main Roads | 12568 | 3 6 | 4568 | 0 0 | 17136 | 3 6 |
| Street Lighting, damage recovered | 8 | 14 1 | 1 | 14 10 | 10 | 8 11 |
| Lyons and Harvists Fund | 640 | 13 2 | | | 640 | 13 2 |
| Salaries Account, fees, etc. | 1454 | 11 0 | 164 | 18 9 | 1619 | 9 9 |
| Establishment and Legal Expenses | 725 | 17 0 | 8 | 14 3 | 734 | 11 3 |
| Public Offices, lettings | 289 | 11 6 | 45 | 16 9 | 335 | 8 3 |
| Stables Account, insurances, etc. | 42 | 10 0 | 1 | 2 6 | 43 | 12 6 |
| Building Certificates | 92 | 8 0 | 22 | 1 0 | 114 | 9 0 |
| Damage to Steam Roller, recovered | 100 | 0 0 | | | 100 | 0 0 |
| Interest and Dividends | 5152 | 0 2 | 90 | 11 3 | 5242 | 11 5 |
| Public Depot, old iron sales | 86 | 18 0 | | | 86 | 18 0 |
| General District Rates—Costs | 79040 | 5 10 | 3586 | 8 1 | 82626 | 13 11 |
| Government contribution in lieu of Rates | 672 | 15 0 | | | 672 | 15 0 |
| Workmen's Compensation, recovered | 30 | 14 9 | | | 30 | 14 9 |
| Loan Charges, tax repaid | 241 | 9 8 | | | 241 | 9 8 |
| Pumping Station—Refund of rent | | | 2 | 1 3 | 2 | 1 3 |
| | £102200 | 7 8 | 9255 | 11 2 | 111455 | 18 10 |
| Suspense Accounts— | | | | | | |
| National Kitchens | 797 | 14 11 | 23 | 15 0 | 821 | 9 11 |
| Allotments | 320 | 15 0 | 31 | 3 11 | 351 | 18 11 |
| Lands Cultivation Orders | 59 | 9 0 | 90 | 6 9 | 149 | 15 9 |
| Fuel Orders, sales of coal | 701 | 6 2 | | | 701 | 6 2 |
| Child's Hill Housing, rents | 998 | 11 6 | 142 | 18 1 | 1141 | 9 7 |
| Food Control, repayments | 588 | 3 8 | | | 588 | 3 8 |
| Private Works | 1267 | 13 10 | 135 | 9 9 | 1403 | 3 7 |
| Tender Deposits | 116 | 11 0 | 14 | 0 0 | 130 | 11 0 |
| Private Improvements | 2423 | 6 11 | 417 | 9 2 | 2840 | 16 1 |
| Sinking Fund Contributions | 825 | 0 0 | | | 825 | 0 0 |
| Brent Street Combined Drainage | | | 35 | 0 0 | 35 | 0 0 |
| Assisted Housing—Exchequer Subsidy... .. | 227 | 10 0 | | | 227 | 10 0 |
| | £8326 | 2 0 | 890 | 2 8 | 9216 | 4 8 |
| Capital Accounts— | | | | | | |
| Loans, No. 2, Housing | 179939 | 0 0 | | | 179939 | 0 0 |
| Housing Bonds | 22365 | 0 0 | 2015 | 0 0 | 24380 | 0 0 |
| | £202304 | 0 0 | 2015 | 0 0 | 204319 | 0 0 |

SUMMARY OF INCOME TO DATE.

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| Rateable Accounts | 102200 | 7 8 | 9255 | 11 2 | 111455 | 18 10 |
| Suspense Accounts | 8326 | 2 0 | 890 | 2 8 | 9216 | 4 8 |
| Capital Accounts | 202304 | 0 0 | 2015 | 0 0 | 204319 | 0 0 |
| | £312830 | 9 8 | 12160 | 13 10 | 324991 | 3 6 |

2.—RATE COLLECTION: They have also examined the Statement as to the rate collection, and find that there has been collected and paid to the Treasurer since the last meeting the sum of £3,556 19s. 1d. on account of rates, and £29 9s. 0d. on account of costs.

3.—STATEMENT OF BALANCES: They have also examined the Cash Book and Statement of Treasurer's Balances, which they found correct, and report that the total balances in hand amounted to £164,567 18s. 10d.

4.—ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT: They have also considered the various accounts submitted for payment, amounting to the sum of £19,423 17s. 1d., and

RECOMMEND—That the same be passed and cheques drawn for the various amounts.

5.—EXPENDITURE JOURNALS, GENERAL AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS: That they have examined these Journals, and

RECOMMEND—That the Personal Accounts in the Ledger be credited, and the various Impersonal Accounts debited with the amounts of the Invoices, as per the following Statement showing outlay to date:—

Amended
Approved
Estimate
1920-21
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12302
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490
1030
520
1368
1402
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EXPENDITURE.
RATEABLE ACCOUNTS.

| Amended Approved Estimate, 1920-21. £ | Account Chargeable. | Payments previously Reported. | Amounts now Reported. | Total. |
|---|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 12302 | Main Roads | | | |
| 6160 | Highways | 6665 7 11 | 1070 3 9 | 7735 11 8 |
| 777 | Tarpainting | 5880 11 7 | 391 15 8 | 6272 7 3 |
| 930 | Dust and Refuse Removal | 902 16 0 | | 902 16 0 |
| 350 | Emptying Cesspools | 760 14 8 | 13 8 3 | 774 2 11 |
| 11426 | Public Lighting | 216 10 0 | 10 0 0 | 226 10 0 |
| 269 | Sewers Maintenance | 7571 13 5 | 1132 9 3 | 8704 2 8 |
| 490 | Pumping Stations | 177 15 7 | 6 0 5 | 183 16 0 |
| 1030 | Outfall Works | 299 2 3 | 1 6 6 | 300 8 9 |
| 520 | Sanitation, etc. | 737 7 5 | 57 14 4 | 795 1 9 |
| 1368 | Isolation Hospital | 550 4 8 | 17 16 0 | 568 0 8 |
| 1402 | Joint Smallpox Hospital | 1223 12 1 | 156 12 1 | 1380 4 2 |
| 1245 | Maternity Centres | 1049 11 6 | | 1049 11 6 |
| 18 | Mortuary | 1232 9 5 | 81 19 2 | 1314 8 7 |
| 1190 | Fire Brigade | 15 1 7 | 1 1 6 | 16 3 1 |
| 100 | Ambulance | 1058 6 1 | 10 10 5 | 1068 16 6 |
| 207 | Pleasure Grounds, Street Trees, etc. | 100 0 0 | | 100 0 0 |
| 505 | Town Hall | 207 1 2 | 52 7 5 | 259 8 7 |
| 159 | Burroughs House | 398 14 2 | 61 2 8 | 459 16 10 |
| 300 | Legal, etc., Expenses | 150 15 0 | 12 8 8 | 163 3 8 |
| 1440 | Establishment, Stationery, etc. | 237 2 5 | 50 9 0 | 287 11 5 |
| 420 | Insurances and Stamp Duty | 1934 6 5 | 21 7 6 | 1955 13 11 |
| 200 | Election Expenses | 262 14 5 | 201 2 3 | 463 16 8 |
| 18213 | Loan Charges | 66 8 4 | | 66 8 4 |
| 2000 | Subsidised Housing, Loan Charges, etc., amount of 1d. rate | 12860 0 7 | 4083 17 3 | 16943 17 10 |
| 37885 | Salaries and Wages | 2000 0 0 | | 2000 0 0 |
| 3443 | Stables | 34572 15 0 | 4098 9 11 | 38671 4 11 |
| 711 | Stores | 1741 8 3 | 144 18 10 | 1886 7 1 |
| 141 | Public Depots, etc. | 1905 12 9 | | 1905 12 9 |
| 400 | Land, Edgware Road | 68 7 3 | 4 6 3 | 72 13 6 |
| | Steam Wagons—Maintenance, etc. | 360 0 0 | | 360 0 0 |
| | Profiteering Committee | 198 3 6 | 42 2 8 | 240 6 2 |
| | | | 40 8 4 | 40 8 4 |
| 105601 | | £85404 13 5 | 11763 18 1 | 97168 11 6 |

SUSPENSE ACCOUNTS.

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|--|-----------|----------|-----------|
| Allotments—General | 151 19 3 | 0 19 6 | 152 18 9 |
| Allotments—Wages | | 51 19 3 | 51 19 3 |
| Lands Cultivation Orders | 194 17 11 | 13 16 0 | 208 13 11 |
| Coal Account—General | 580 2 1 | | 580 2 1 |
| Coal Account—Wages | | 1 4 4 | 1 4 4 |
| Child's Hill, No. 1—Housing | 365 19 11 | 257 2 4 | 623 2 3 |
| Child's Hill, No. 1—Wages | | 42 0 3 | 42 0 3 |
| Private Works—General | 281 7 9 | 33 8 2 | 314 15 11 |
| Private Works—Wages | | 421 7 1 | 421 7 1 |
| Tender Deposits | 123 13 0 | | 123 13 0 |
| Hendon Overseers | 180 2 1 | 144 5 7 | 324 7 8 |
| District Rate Refunds | 92 8 8 | 27 19 10 | 120 8 6 |
| National Kitchens | 833 2 2 | | 833 2 2 |
| Education Committee | 23 15 4 | 36 7 7 | 60 2 11 |
| Private Improvements—General | 9 9 0 | 2 17 0 | 12 6 0 |
| Private Improvements—Wages | | 28 7 4 | 28 7 4 |
| Housing Subsidised, Loan Charges, etc., excess over 1d. rate | 499 3 2 | 1885 6 0 | 2384 9 2 |
| Steam Wagons, Purchase | 2720 0 0 | | 2720 0 0 |
| Workmen's Compensation | | 17 11 8 | 17 11 8 |
| War Memorial | | 198 12 6 | 198 12 6 |
| | £6056 0 4 | 3163 4 5 | 9219 4 9 |

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS.

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| Sanction. £ | | | | |
| 33939 | Child's Hill Housing, No. 2 | 22339 7 3 | 2160 6 0 | 24499 13 3 |
| | Child's Hill Housing, Wages | 380 6 8 | 61 13 4 | 442 0 0 |
| 211556 | Brent Hill Housing | 37564 17 8 | 14600 0 0 | 52164 17 8 |
| | Brent Hill Housing, Wages | | 0 7 11 | 0 7 11 |
| 2533 | Bittacy Hill Housing | 0 16 9 | 4 11 0 | 5 7 9 |
| | Bittacy Hill Housing, Wages | | 5 12 3 | 5 12 3 |
| | Outfall Works Extension | 369 9 9 | | 369 9 9 |
| | Daws Farm Housing | 0 16 3 | | 0 16 3 |
| | Fire Hydrants | 154 2 0 | | 154 2 0 |
| 3715 | Park Road Widening | 360 9 0 | 635 13 9 | 996 2 9 |
| | Park Road Widening, Wages | 761 9 1 | 565 2 9 | 1326 11 10 |
| 35048 | Private Street Improvements | 15 2 5 | 3160 2 5 | 3175 4 10 |
| 7100 | Kingsbury Lane Housing | 3 11 0 | | 3 11 0 |
| | Kingsbury Lane Housing, Wages | | 8 11 8 | 8 11 8 |
| | | £61950 7 10 | 21202 1 1 | 83152 8 11 |

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| Rateable Accounts | ... | ... | 85404 | 13 | 5 | 11763 | 18 | 1 | 97168 | 11 | 6 |
| Suspense Accounts | ... | ... | 6056 | 0 | 4 | 3163 | 4 | 5 | 9219 | 4 | 9 |
| Capital Accounts | ... | ... | 61950 | 7 | 10 | 21202 | 1 | 1 | 83152 | 8 | 11 |
| | | | £153411 | 1 | 7 | 36129 | 3 | 7 | 189540 | 5 | 2 |

- 6.—PAY ORDER: The Accountant submitted Pay Order amounting to £5,495 8s. 11d. in respect of urgent payments included in the list of accounts submitted. It was agreed that such Pay Order be signed, and cheques issued for the amounts included therein.
- 7.—PUBLIC LIGHTING: Letter from the Gas Light and Coke Company intimating that the price of gas in the area served by the Company north of the Thames would be increased from 4s. 8d. to 5s. 6d. per 1,000 cubic feet as from the 26th January, 1921. The Council will remember that representation was made to the Board of Trade objecting to the application of the Company for the issue of an Order under the Gas Regulation Act, 1920, empowering the Company to increase their charge for the supply of Gas. Your Committee are now informed that the Board of Trade have confirmed the Order referred to, and have therefore duly noted the contents of the communication from the Gas Light and Coke Company.
- 8.—HOUSING MEMORANDUM 45: The Clerk reported the receipt of General Housing Memorandum No. 45 received from the Ministry of Health dealing with the payment of accounts for the supply of Building Materials used in connection with Housing Schemes. Your Committee understand that a copy of such Memorandum has been sent to the Accountant and have duly noted the contents of such Memorandum.
- 9.—ACCOUNTS: The Clerk reported the receipt of statement of accounts from the Colne Valley Water Company to the 31st December, 1920. Your Committee have referred the same to the Accountant.
- 10.—NATIONAL REGISTER: Report from the Clerk that a claim had been made in respect of the Maintenance of the National Register for this District and he reported a letter from the Ministry of Health intimating that in due course an Order for the sum of £113 3s. 11d. would be forwarded to the Treasurer of the Council in payment of the final claim submitted by the Council in respect of expenses incurred in connection with the National Register. Your Committee have duly noted the same.
- 11.—JOINT INDUSTRIAL COUNCILS: Letter from the Ministry of Health intimating that, for the present, they were prepared to sanction payments under the Local Authorities (Expenses) Act, 1887, by local authorities, whose accounts were subject to Government Audit, towards expenses in connection with District, Provincial or Regional Joint Industrial Councils. Your Committee have duly noted the same.
- 12.—LOANS: The Clerk reported the receipt of a Memorandum from the National Savings Committee in regard to the rate of Interest on Loans to Local Authorities advanced by the Public Works Loan Board out of the proceeds of sales of National Savings Certificates, viz.—6½ per cent. Your Committee have duly noted the contents of such Memorandum.
- 13.—LOCAL EXPENDITURE: Letter from the Ministry of Health urging local authorities, in view of the unsettled conditions, to restrict expenditure, and pointing out that schemes involving expenditure, not yet in operation, should remain in abeyance, and that expenditure should be restricted to what was immediately necessary in the interest of Public Health. Your Committee have duly noted such communication, and gave instructions for a copy thereof to be forwarded to each Member of the Council for consideration.
- 14.—MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE: Letter from the Ministry of Health transmitting sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £1,051 for the provision of accommodation for Maternity and Child Welfare purposes at The Broadway, West Hendon. Your Committee have duly noted the same, and
- RECOMMEND—That steps be taken to raise a loan of £1,051 for the purpose named in due course.
- 15.—MIDDLESEX DISTRICTS JOINT SMALLPOX HOSPITAL BOARD: Letter from Mr. G. Edgar Morris, Hon. Secretary of the Hendon Ratepayers' Association protesting against the decision communicated to a member of the Association in regard to information which was sought regarding the Middlesex Districts Joint Smallpox Hospital Board. After careful consideration of the matter, and a report from the Accountant in regard thereto, your Committee have duly noted the communication, but have no recommendation to make in the matter.
- 16.—HIRE OF ROOMS: Letter from Mr. J. R. K. Duff, on behalf of the St. Mary's Boy Scouts, making application for a reduction in the fee charged for the hire of rooms for a function to be held on the 24th inst. on behalf of the St. Mary's Boy Scouts. Your Committee are informed that Mr. Duff has been charged the appropriate scale fee in connection with the function referred to, and they therefore
- RECOMMEND—That Mr. Duff be informed that the fee charged to the Scouts is on the reduced scale, and the Council regret their inability to make any further reduction in the charge for the hire of rooms on the date named.
- 17.—HOUSING BONDS: The Accountant reported that the amount received to date in respect of Local Housing Bonds was £24,420.
- 18.—PUBLIC UTILITY SOCIETIES: The Accountant reported as to an interview he had had with the London Housing Board in regard to the application of The Wildwood (Hampstead Heath) Housing Society Limited, in regard to persons desirous of purchasing houses through a Public Utility Society in accordance with the Memorandum issued by the Ministry of Health. Your Committee decided to adjourn consideration of the matter pending further information from the Board and the Society as to a modification, suggested by the Housing Board, in the scheme proposed by the Society.
- The Accountant will submit a report at a later date.
- 19.—FOOD COMMITTEE EXPENSES: Report from the Accountant as to the receipt of a Draft from the Ministry of Food for the sum of £358 0s. 3d. in payment of the amount expended in connection with the Food Control Committee, and that this amount represented the balance due to the Council from the Ministry of Food. Noted.
- 20.—RATE ESTIMATE: Report from the Accountant in regard to arrangements for considering the Estimate for Rate for the year ending 31st March, 1922. After due consideration of such report, your Committee consider that the usual procedure should be adopted in connection with the Rate Estimate, and that the various Committees should consider the estimate of their requirements, and that the same be finally considered by a Committee of the whole Council. They therefore

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RECOMMEND—That the Works and Sewage Disposal Public Health and Maternity Committees take into consideration the estimates of their requirements for the year ending 31st March, 1922, at their next ordinary meeting, which will take place on the 7th March, and that the remaining Committees of the Council deal with their estimates on the following Monday, viz.: the 14th March, and that a Committee of the whole Council meet on the 21st March to consider the combined estimates of the various Committees.

21.—CERTIFICATES: The Surveyor submitted the following Certificates in order that payment might be made to Contractors in respect of works in progress in the district:—

Adams, T.. Private Improvement Works, Highfield Avenue—£681.
 Adams, T.. Private Improvement Works, Russell Gardens—£809.
 Adams, T.. Private Improvement Works, A'ba Gardens—£623.
 Adams, T.. Private Improvement Works, Ambrose Avenue—£352.
 Farrow, H.. Construction of Roads and Sewers, Brent Hill Housing Scheme—£1,100.
 Hagedorn, C. and Co., External Painting, Cloister Road Houses—£77 19s. 6d.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That cheques be drawn in favour of the Contractors for the amounts named.

Report of Works and Sewage Disposal Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 7th day of February, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Roberts (Chairman), Councillors Miss Hodge, Cartwright, Egan, Hare, Reynolds, Soar, Smyrk and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—DOLLIS VALLEY SEWER: That they gave consideration to Counsel's Opinion relative to the position of the Council in connection with the Agreement with Lord Westbury of the 1st August, 1914, and also to a letter received from Messrs. Tylee and Co., who made enquiry what steps were being taken by the Council in the matter.

After careful consideration of the Opinion of Counsel and the letter from Messrs. Tylee and Co. your Committee

RECOMMEND—That steps be taken in accordance with the advice given by Counsel, and that Messrs. Tylee and Co. be informed of the action proposed to be taken.

2.—STEAM WAGON DRIVERS: That they received the following report from the Sub-Committee appointed to consider the applications received for the positions of Steam Wagon Drivers:—

To the Chairman and Members of the Works Committee.

Miss Hodge and Gentlemen,—

Your Sub-Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Tuesday, the 28th day of December, 1920. Present: Mr. Councillor Hare, and Mr. Councillor Egan.

APPOINTMENT OF TWO STEAM WAGON DRIVERS: Your Sub-Committee beg to report that they interviewed four selected candidates for the above appointments, and after careful consideration of the qualifications of the applicants, and being invested with power to act, your Committee decided to appoint the undermentioned men:—

G. Wall of 39, Deerfield Cottages, Hendon, and
 F. A. Cousins of 17b, Brent Street, Hendon.

Your Sub-Committee requested the Engineer to arrange for the men to commence duty as soon as possible. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the report of the Sub-Committee be approved and adopted by the Council.

3.—RIFLE RANGE, CHILD'S HILL: Letter from Mr. F. W. Gregory suggesting that the Rifle Range Building at the Recreation Ground, Child's Hill, should be converted into lock-up garages. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Gregory be informed that the Range was still in use and the Council were not prepared to entertain his proposal.

4.—DRAINAGE OF SWISS COTTAGE: Letter from Messrs. Wigam and Co., and also report from the surveyor together with plan relative to proposed arrangements for connecting the drainage system of Swiss Cottage, Golders Green Road, to the Council's sewer. It appeared therefrom that subject to the Council connecting the drainage to the main sewer at a convenient point the Trustees were prepared to dedicate to the public a strip of land 8 feet wide for road widening purposes.

After careful consideration of the matter your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the proposal be approved and the work carried out subject to the necessary Agreement embodying the proposed terms being executed.

5.—PUBLIC WASHHOUSES, MECHANICAL WASHING SERVICE: Letter from the Town Clerk, Fulham Borough Council, transmitting copy of a report of the establishment Committee of the Council in regard to a system of Mechanical Washing which had been put into operation by the Council. As the Council probably remember a declaration and injunction had been granted against the Fulham Council to a Local Laundry Proprietor to restrain the Council from proceeding with such scheme on the ground that they were not entitled to carry on any scheme involving the total or partial washing of clothes for others as distinguished from providing facilities for enabling others to wash clothes.

In consequence of such decision the Fulham Council had decided to hold a conference at the Fulham Town Hall, on Tuesday, the 22nd instant, with a view to urging that the Baths and Washhouses Acts should be considerably amended, and they invited the Council to appoint two representatives to attend such Conference.

Your Committee have no recommendation to make in regard to such communication.

6.—COLINDEEP LANE, PROPOSED SEWER EXTENSION: That they gave consideration to the undermentioned tenders received for carrying out the work of extending the sewer in Colindeep Lane:—

| Name. | Address | Amount of Tender. |
|------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| Farrow Howard, | Golders Green, | £617 8 6 |
| Balaan William, | Edgware, | £577 5 0 |
| Carter Charles, | Golders Green, | £561 13 0 |
| Smith A. S., | Luton, | £525 5 0 |
| Killingback C. W., | East Finchley, | £506 0 0 |
| Bayntum F. and A., | Old Kent Road, | £497 0 0 |
| Roads and Public Works Ltd., | Westminster, | £489 13 6 |

After due consideration of such tenders and the report of the Surveyor thereon your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the tender of Roads and Public Works Limited amounting to the sum of £489 13 6 be accepted, and that the Clerk prepare the necessary Contract and Bond for execution.

7.—ANNUAL TENDERS: That they gave consideration to a Schedule of tenders received for the supply of goods and materials for the year ending 31st March, 1922. After due consideration of such tenders and the report of the Surveyor thereon your Committee

RECOMMEND—

- (a) That in the case of all tenders accepted by the Council the Clerk be instructed to insert in the Contracts a Clause providing that in the event of ordinary market prices of goods or materials included in such Contracts fluctuating, a corresponding increase or reduction should be made in the charge for goods or materials supplied under such Contracts.
- (b) That the following tenders be accepted and that the Clerk be authorised to prepare the necessary Contracts:—

WELSH GRANITE.

| | per Midland Railway. | per Great Northern Railway. |
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| Abdon Clee Stone Quarry Company, Brignorth, Salop, 2½ in. and 2in. gauge Clee Hill Granite. | At per ton. Mill Hill 28s. 6d. Hendon 28s. 5d. Cricklewood 28s. 4d. | At per ton. Mill Hill 28s. 6d. The Hale 29s. 6d. |

LEICESTERSHIRE GRANITE.

| | per Midland Railway. | per Great Northern Railway. |
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| Mountsorrel Granite Co., Mountsorrel, 2in. Gauge. | At per ton. Mill Hill 27s. 2d. Hendon 27s. 2d. Cricklewood 27s. 2d. | At per ton. Mill Hill 26s. 11d. The Hale 27s. 7d. |
| The Croft Granite Co., Croft, near Leicester, 2in. Gauge. | At per ton. Mill Hill 26s. 11d. Hendon 26s. 11d. Cricklewood 26s. 11d. | At per ton. Mill Hill 26s. 11d. The Hale 27s. 6d. |

| | per Midland Railway. | per Great Northern Railway. |
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| Cliffe Hill Granite Co., Markfield, Leicester, 2in. Gauge, (3d. per ton less for 1½in. gauge). | At per ton. Mill Hill 26s. 8d. Hendon 26s. 8d. Cricklewood 26s. 8d. | At per ton. Mill Hill 26s. 8d. The Hale 27s. 1d. |

LEICESTERSHIRE ETC. GRANITE CHIPPINGS.

| | per Midland Railway. | per Great Northern Railway. |
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| Grobby Granite Co., Grobby, near Leicester, ¾in. Gauge. | At per ton. Mill Hill 24s. 11d. Hendon 24s. 11d. Cricklewood 24s. 11d. | At per ton. Mill Hill 24s. 11d. The Hale 25s. 4d. |
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| Mountsorrel Granite Co., Mountsorrel, ¾in. Gauge. | At per ton. Mill Hill 24s. 11d. Hendon 24s. 11d. Cricklewood 24s. 11d. | At per ton. Mill Hill 24s. 11d. The Hale 25s. 4d. |
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 At per ton.
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Enderby and Stoney Stanton Co., Enderby,
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Breedon and Cloud Hill Lime Works, Isley Walton,
 near Derby.
 2 in., 1 in., and 3/4 in.

Large pieces.

Dickson J., 48, Grays Inn Road,
 3/4 in. Shingle.

Stillman H., Church End, Hendon,
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Adolph Ltd., Flitwick, Ampthill,
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3/4 in. Siftings with Sand

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 At per ton. At per ton.
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 At per ton. At per ton.
 Mill Hill 23s. 2d. Mill Hill 23s. 2d.
 Hendon 23s. 2d. The Hale 24s. 4d.
 Cricklewood 23s. 2d.

LIMESTONE CHIPPINGS.

per Midland Railway. per Great Northern Railway.
 At per ton. At per ton.
 Mill Hill 18s. 8d. Mill Hill 19s. 5d.
 Hendon 18s. 8d.
 Cricklewood 18s. 8d.

per Midland Railway. per Great Northern Railway.
 At per ton. At per ton.
 Mill Hill 18s. 2d. Mill Hill 18s. 11d.
 Hendon 18s. 2d.
 Cricklewood 18s. 2d.

SHINGLE ETC.

per Midland Railway. per Great Northern Railway.
 At per ton. At per ton.
 Mill Hill 22s. 6d. Mill Hill 23s. 6d.
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 At per ton.
 Mill Hill 14s. 2d.
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 Hendon 15s.
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per Midland Railway.
 At per ton.
 Mill Hill 12s. 3d.
 Hendon 12s. 6d.
 Cricklewood 12s. 3d.

per Midland Railway.
 At per ton.
 Mill Hill 10s. 9d.
 Hendon 11s.
 Cricklewood 10s. 8d.

per Midland Railway.
 At per ton.
 Mill Hill 11s. 9d.
 Cricklewood 11s. 8d.
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TAR PAVING REPAIRS AND TAR MAC SUPPLIES.
CONSTABLE AND CO.

| Description. | At per. | | | |
|--------------------------|-----------|---------|---------------|------------|
| Tarpaving (New York) | yard sup. | s. | d. | |
| Tarpaving Repairs. | " | 6 | 0 | |
| Retopping. | " | 6 | 6 | |
| Dressing old work | " | 3 | 0 | |
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| TAR MAC LAID. | | | | |
| 4in. thick | " | s. | d. | |
| 3in. mixed gauges | " | 9 | 9 | |
| 4in. thick mixed gauges | " | 7 | 3 | |
| 4in. thick trenches | " | 9 | 9 | |
| Redressing | " | 12 | 6 | |
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| | | Hendon. | Child's Hill. | Mill Hill. |
| 2in. gauge | per Ton. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. |
| 1 1/2 in. gauge | " | 37 6 | 37 6 | 37 6 |
| 2in. and 1 1/2 in. mixed | " | 38 6 | 38 6 | 38 6 |
| 3/4 in. gauge | " | 38 3 | 38 3 | 38 3 |
| 1/2 in. gauge | " | 39 0 | 39 0 | 39 0 |
| | " | 40 0 | 40 0 | 40 0 |

CASTINGS.

GIBB AND COMPANY.

| Article. | At per | Contractor's Pattern. | | |
|---|--------|-----------------------|----|----|
| C. I. Manhole Covers | dozen | £ | s. | d. |
| W. I. Plates for ditto, 1ft. 7in. | " | 82 | 17 | 0 |
| W. I. Plates for ditto, 1ft. 8in. | " | 4 | 16 | 0 |
| W. I. Plates for ditto, 1ft. 11 1/2 in. | " | 4 | 17 | 0 |
| Gully Grates, 26in. by 19 1/2 in. | " | 4 | 19 | 0 |
| Circular Lamp Hole Covers | " | 52 | 17 | 6 |
| Square Lamp Hole Covers | " | 55 | 17 | 6 |
| W. I. Plates for ditto | " | 42 | 17 | 9 |
| Gully Grates, 20in. by 20in. | " | 2 | 12 | 6 |
| C. I. Lamp Columns | " | 47 | 10 | 0 |
| Rectangular C. I. Covers | " | 103 | 10 | 0 |
| W. I. Plates for ditto | " | 72 | 5 | 6 |
| R. W. Gutter, 6ft. | " | 4 | 16 | 0 |
| Ditto, ditto 7ft. | " | 23 | 18 | 3 |
| Ditto, ditto 8ft. | " | 29 | 19 | 6 |
| Ditto, ditto 9ft. | " | 32 | 7 | 6 |
| Ditto, ditto 10ft. | " | 35 | 17 | 6 |
| | " | 39 | 19 | 6 |

DISINFECTANTS.

| Disinfectant. | At per | | |
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| Sanitas Company. { Sanitas Okol | gallon | s. | d. |
| { Sanitas Crude | gallon | 6 | 3 |
| { Sanitas Okol, 8oz. bottles | dozen | 7 | 9 |
| { Sanitas Crude, 8oz. bottles | dozen | 12 | 6 |
| { Sanitas Powder | dozen | 15 | 0 |
| Jeyes Sanitary Compounds Co. { Cyllin | ton | £12 | 10 0 |
| { Cyllin, 8oz. bottles | gallon | 5 | 9 |
| { Corporation Powder | dozen | 9 | 3 |
| | ton | £10 | 10 0 |

DUST REMOVAL, MILL HILL.

| Name. | £13 0s. 0d. per week (£13 per week extra if Barracks included). |
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| Harris, A. J. | ... |

CESSPOOLS—EMPTYING OF.

| Name. | 1500 Gallons Capacity. | 2000 | 2500 | 3000 |
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| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Cherry, C., Mill Hill | 5 0 0 | 5 10 0 | 6 0 0 | 6 10 0 |

CARTAGE OF MATERIALS.

| | Midland Railway Per ton. | Child's Hill Ward. | Hendon Ward. | Mill Hill Ward. | Great Northern Railway Per ton. | Hendon Ward. | Mill Hill Ward. |
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HIRE OF TEAM LABOUR.

| | | Horses for Council's Vans, Carts, etc. | 4 Wheeled Slop Vans | Slop Carts. | Day Carts. | Shoot for Slop. | Van Load. | Cart Load. |
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STEAM ROLLER HIRE.

10 Ton Roller and Scarifier, Water Cart, Watchman, etc,

Rowley, Thos., Junr., £1 18 0d. per day. Council to find Fuel Oil and waste, sharpen tyres, and horse for Water Cart.

VETERINARY SERVICES.

| Overed, J. E., Finchley | | ... | ... |
|-------------------------|------------------|---------------------|---------|
| Horses. | | Cows. | |
| Per Annum. | Per Examination. | Medical Inspection. | |
| s. d. | s. d. | per annum. | £ s. d. |
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in regard to the undermentioned, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That no Tender be accepted, but that the Surveyor be authorised to obtain goods and materials in the open market as and when required:—

Guernsey Granite, Tarred Granite and Limestone, Ironmongery, Chemicals and Engineers Sundries.

8.—ISOLATION HOSPITAL SUPPLIES: That they also gave consideration to a Schedule of Tenders received for the supply of provisions to the Isolation Hospital for the year ending 31st March, 1922, and also a report of the Accountant in regard thereto.

After careful consideration thereof your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the following tenders be accepted:—

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| Bread and Flour. | Lea, Albert, | ... | ... | 7½ per cent. off current market prices. |
| Meat. | Lavender, M., | ... | ... | 10 per cent. off current market prices. |
| Fish. | Hill, B., | ... | ... | 10 per cent. off current market prices. |
| Groceries. | Waitrose, Messrs. | ... | ... | 7½ per cent. off current market prices. |
| Milk and Eggs. | Express Dairy Company Ltd., | | | 6 per cent. off current market prices. |

In all these cases the term current market prices to be taken as the price prevailing in the open market at the time the order is given.

9.—NUMBERING—WELLGARTH ROAD.—Letter from Mr. G. M. Bishop, making enquiry whether the Council would undertake to re-number Wentworth road.

After due consideration of such communication and the report of the Surveyor your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor be authorised to serve the necessary re-numbering notices upon the owners of property in such road.

10.—REFUSE SHOOT, ETC.—Letter from the Secretary of the Regents Canal and Dock Company alleging that tins and refuse had been deposited on the Company's land and requesting the removal of the same. Report from the Surveyor that he had dealt with the tins etc referred to.

The Secretary of the Company also drew attention to the discolouration of the water in the stream.

Report from the Surveyor that such discolouration, which was not harmful, was caused by the discharge of trade waste into the sewer from an adjacent factory and that he was in communication with the owners of the factory in regard thereto.

Your Committee approved of the report of the Surveyor and

RECOMMEND—That the Regents Canal and Dock Company be informed of the action taken in regard to their complaint.

11.—EMERGENCY PAY ORDER: The Accountant submitted Emergency Pay Order in respect of accounts due for payment amounting to the sum of £648 11s. 6d. Your Committee authorised the issue of such Pay Order.

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12.—APPLICATIONS TO LAY MAINS: Application from the Hendon Electric Supply Company to lay the undermentioned mains:—

- (1) Along the Ridgeway, Mill Hill from Milespit Hill to the Grammar School.
 - (2) Golders Green, from Heather Gardens to Brentmead Place.
 - (3) Finchley Road, from Hermitage Lane to West Heath Road.
- Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the applications be acceded to subject to the mains being laid at the required depth and the reinstatement work being carried out to the satisfaction of the Surveyor.

13.—HENDON PUBLIC PARK: Letter from the Secretary of the West Hendon and Colindale Brotherhood making application for permission to play bowls in the Hendon Public Park. Report from the Surveyor that he had made enquiry of the Secretary of the Brotherhood, whether they desired to be accommodated with a bowling green for their own private use, or on certain specific days. He had not yet received a reply to such communication.

Your Committee deferred the consideration of the application pending receipt of a reply to the Surveyor's enquiry.

14.—SEWAGE DISPOSAL: That they gave consideration to a report submitted by the Surveyor in regard to carrying out extensions at the Sewage Disposal Works and the Sewerage System. Copies of such report have been circulated amongst the members of the Council.

In regard to the Contract of Messrs. Ham Baker and Co., Ltd., for the construction of distributors, the Surveyor submitted estimates for the completion of the work commenced in 1914, and also an estimate of the cost of distributing installing apparatus on an amendment specification, which he recommended for adoption.

The Council will remember that the Ministry of Health have intimated their willingness to sanction the raising of the additional sum required for the completion of the extensions upon tenders being obtained for the work.

After very careful consideration of the report of the Surveyor your Committee

RECOMMEND—

- (a) That the quotation of Messrs. Ham Baker and Co., Ltd., to construct and erect distributing apparatus in connection with the extensions at the Outfall Works for the sum of £4,820 be accepted, subject to the sanction of the Ministry of Health being obtained to the proposed amended scheme of construction;
- (b) That the necessary advertisement be issued inviting tenders for the completion of the work of extensions at the Outfall Works commenced by Mr. Farrow in 1914.
- (c) That the Surveyor be also authorised to issue advertisements inviting tenders for the completion of the reconstruction of the Mutton Brook Outfall Sewer.

15.—ALLOTMENTS CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE: The undermentioned representatives of the Allotments Associations in the District attended the meeting of your Committee and the following questions relating to allotments were discussed:—

- Mr. A. Bacon, Hale District Association.
Mr. C. F. Windust, Archfields Allotments Association.
Mr. E. Warland, Booth Road Association.
Mr. E. J. Rutland, Cricklewood Allotments Association.

(A) ARCHFIELD'S ALLOTMENTS:

- (1) The Accountant reported that in view of the fact that arrangements had been made for these allotments to be leased by the Council the Association submitted revised rules for the approval of the Council. He reported that the rules were drafted on similar lines to those already approved in respect of other permanent allotments. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the proposed rules be approved.

- (2) UNCULTIVATED PLOT: That they gave consideration to a complaint received from the Association relative to plot number 69 at Archfields. An inspection had been made of the plot which was found to be in an uncultivated state. The occupier (a widow) desired to continue in possession and stated that assistance had been promised to keep the plot in order.

Previous warnings having been given in this case, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the occupier be served with the usual notice to quit.

- (3) VACANT PLOTS: Report from the Accountant that several of the plots at Archfields were vacant, and that the waiting list of the Association was now exhausted. He suggested that the question of filling the vacancies should be left to the Association and himself from the general waiting list of the Council. Your Committee approved of the suggestion of the Accountant and

RECOMMEND accordingly.

(B) SUNNY GARDENS ALLOTMENTS:

- (1) RULES: Letter from Mr. H. Sparkes transmitting draft rules for the management of the Allotments for the approval of the Council.

Report from the Accountant as to an interview which he had had with Mr. Sparkes relative to such rules. Your Committee have duly noted such report and

RECOMMEND—That the Association be informed that the Council cannot see their way to approve of such rules.

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- (i) ENTRY UPON under Section 9 2 L. of the De ceased to be in the Minister or lation.

- (2) FENCING: Report from the Accountant in regard to the proposal to fence in these allotments. The estimated cost of such work amounted to the sum of £15. The Ministry of Agriculture had intimated that they were prepared to allow the sum of £5 to be charged in the Lands Cultivation Order Accounts in respect of fencing, and the Accountant suggested that the rents of the allotments should be fixed at 9d. per pole for the next two years, in order to provide a sufficient amount to recoup the Council the balance of the outlay for the provision of the necessary fencing. Your Committee approved of the suggestion and

RECOMMEND—That the rental of the plots be varied accordingly.

(c) BOOTH ROAD:

- (1) Report from the Accountant that Booth Road Allotments Association had made enquiry upon what terms the Council would permit them to manage the Booth Road plots and he suggested that as these plots were held by the Council under the Lands Cultivation Orders the Association should be allowed to manage the plots upon the following conditions:—

- 1.—All holdings to be subject to the conditions and provisions of the Lands Cultivation Orders.
- 2.—The rules to be observed shall be those prescribed by the Council in connection with lettings under the Lands Cultivation Orders.
- 3.—The rents to be charged shall be such as are fixed by the Council from time to time and shall be paid direct to the Treasurer's Department.
- 4.—Plots shall only be let to persons over 21 years of age resident in the Parish of Hendon and lettings shall only be made on the nomination of the Association.

After consideration of the report of the Accountant your Committee approved thereof and

RECOMMEND—That the Association be allowed to manage the plots upon the conditions named.

- (2) Enquiry was made whether the Council would again endeavour to obtain a lease of the land at Booth Road at present cultivated as allotments, and your Committee instructed the Surveyor to again approach the owners of this land making enquiry whether they would be prepared to lease the same to the Council.

- (d) COOL OAK LANE: Report from the Accountant that the Secretary of the Cool Oak Lane Association had made application for two notice boards to be erected upon the plots.

They stated that they were prepared to carry out the lettering on such notice boards for the sum of 18s.. Your Committee have left this matter in the hands of the Surveyor to obtain and erect the necessary notice boards upon the best terms obtainable.

2. Report from the Accountant that 11 of the Plots recently allotted had not been claimed. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the re-letting of the plots be left to the Association and the Accountant.

- (e) QUEEN'S ROAD: Report from the Accountant that 37 of the plots at Queen's Road recently allotted had not been claimed. Some of these plots were unsatisfactory from a cultivators point of view but in regard to the remainder he suggested that the question of re-letting the same should be left to the Association and himself. Your Committee approved of the suggestion of the Accountant and

RECOMMEND accordingly.

- (f) BRIDGE LANE: Report from the Accountant that 38 of the plots at Bridge Lane recently allotted, had not been claimed. Seventeen of these plots appeared to be unsatisfactory for cultivation. The Golders Green Association did not appear to have sufficient tenants to absorb the remainder of the plots, and he suggested that the same should be let to applicants upon the Council's general waiting list. Your Committee approved of the suggestion of the Accountant and

RECOMMEND accordingly.

(g) WEST VIEW PLOTS:

- 1.—In regard to 8 plots at West View which still remain unclaimed, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the letting of the same be left to the Central Hendon Association and the Accountant.

- 2.—PLOTS 114 and 115 WEST VIEW: Report from the Accountant that the occupier of plot No. 114, had trespassed upon plot No. 115 and had planted vegetables upon the same. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a communication be addressed to the occupier of plot No. 114 requesting an explanation of the action taken by him.

- (h) DAWS LANE: Report from the Accountant that the Daws Lane Association had made application for plot No. 3 to be allotted to Mr. Janson of Shakespeare Road, Mill Hill, and plot No. 35 to be transferred to Mr. Brown, of Medina, Lawrence Street. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the application of the Association be acceded to.

- (i) ENTRY UPON LAND: Letter from the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries intimating that under Section 9 of the Agriculture Act, 1920, the powers of the Ministry under Regulation 2 L. of the Defence of the Realm Regulations (which had been delegated to the Council), ceased to be in force on the 31st December, 1920, except in relation to any land of which the Minister or any person deriving title under him was still in possession under that Regulation.

The effect of this Section was, that the powers of the Council as regards entry on land for the purpose of allotments under the Regulation 2 L. could no longer be exercised. The powers delegated to the Council under the Cultivation of Lands Orders as regards land which the Council were in possession of under Regulation 2 L., remained entirely unaffected by the Agriculture Act. Your Committee have duly noted the contents of such communication.

- (J) BOOTH ROAD, LAND: Letter from the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries in reference to land at Booth Road, belonging to the Titanine Company Ltd., from which the Council were directed to withdraw in March last. The Ministry stated that one of their Inspectors had made enquiries into the matter and had been informed that the proposed building operations had been suspended owing to the present commercial and labour conditions. The Company anticipated however, that the land would be required in the near future for the erection of buildings.

The Council had no power to resume possession under Regulation 2 L.
Your Committee have duly noted such communication.

- (K) GARDEN SUBURB: Letter from Mr. E. H. Lister (Clerk to the Finchley U.D.C.) intimating that letters had been received by his Council from the Garden Suburb Allotments and Horticulture Association suggesting that certain land near Addison Way should be acquired or leased to provide allotments for residents in that neighbourhood. These communications had been considered by the Allotments Committee of the Finchley Council and instructions given to him to communicate with the owners of the land in question, making enquiry whether they were prepared to lease the same for allotment purposes. Your Committee duly noted the contents of this communication.

- (L) ARCHFIELDS: Letter from Mr. F. Windust relative to the complaint made at the last meeting of your Committee as to the wastage of green stuffs. Mr. Windust pointed out that some waste was always unavoidable, especially under the conditions prevailing, which prevented any action being taken until the Council had served notice to quit upon the occupier of the plot.

Your Committee have duly noted this communication.

- (M) WEST VIEW, LAND: Letter from Messrs. Hazel and Baines (Solicitors to the All Souls' College Authorities) transmitting draft of lease of the land recently let to the Council at West View, Hendon.

Your Committee approved of the draft, subject to certain alterations.

- (N) MILL HILL:

- (1) Report from the Surveyor as to his further negotiations with the owners of certain land at Mill Hill, adjacent to Wills Grove. He had communicated with the Secretary of the Hale District Allotments Association, who had informed him that the Association considered the land suitable for the purpose, and that they would be prepared to take plots thereon. He had, in consequence, made enquiry of the owners upon what terms they would be prepared to lease the land to the Council.

Your Committee approved of the action taken by the Surveyor, and instructed him to make enquiry of the owners whether they would be prepared to permit the Council to enter into possession of the land immediately. In the event of sanction being given, your Committee instructed him to inform the Secretary of the Allotment Association.

- (O) DAWS LANE:

- (2) In regard to the allotments at Daws Lane, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That enquiry be made of Messrs. Howard and Lavarack as to the length of time which would elapse before they proceeded with building operations upon such land.

- (3) Report from the Surveyor that he had been in communication with the owners of the Mylesdown Estate as to the possibility of acquiring a portion of the Estate for allotment purposes. The Agents were in communication with their clients in regard to the subdivision of the land, and a further report would be submitted in regard to the matter in due course.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of such report.

- (4) Your Committee were informed by the representative of the Hale District Association that a demand existed for at least 150 allotments in the Mill Hill District.

- (P) CHILD'S HILL:

- (1) The representative of the Child's Hill Association made enquiry as to the tenure of the land at Child's Hill, and your Committee instructed the Clerk to inform the Association as to the length of the tenure of the land.

- (2) Attention was also drawn to the condition of the roadway leading to these allotments. Your Committee authorised the Surveyor to carry out certain repairs to the roadway.

- (Q) Your Committee also dealt with certain other minor questions raised by the representatives of the Associations.

16.—PUBLIC CONVENIENCE:

- (A) GOLDERS GREEN: Report from the Surveyor submitting letter which he had received from the London Electric Railway Company as to the proposal to extend the lavatory accommodation at the Golders Green Tube Station. Particulars in regard to the negotiations are contained in manuscript in your Committee's Minute Book, and they

RECOMMEND—That the suggestion made by the Company be adopted, and that an Agreement be entered into with the Company, embodying the amended proposals, and a clause to the effect that the work is only to be carried out as and when the Council so determine.

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(B) NEAR "THE BELL": Report from the Surveyor submitting revised design for the proposed convenience at the junction of Brent Street and Bell Lane, to be constructed above ground. After due consideration of such plans, your Committee approved of the same, subject to the deletion therefrom of the fittings in the attendant's room, lavatory basins, etc., and instructed the Surveyor to communicate with the two contractors who submitted tenders previously, inviting them to submit a tender for carrying out the work in accordance with the plan and specification now approved by your Committee.

- 17.—SHOOT, WARNER ROAD: Report from the Surveyor as to his further negotiations with Mr. F. Howkins as to the possibility of obtaining an option of a portion of the Brent Reservoir land as a shoot. After careful consideration thereof, your Committee instructed the Surveyor to continue his negotiations and to report further thereon to the Council in Committee at their next meeting.
- 18.—REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor submitted requisition of goods and materials required in his department. In regard to a requisition for oil skin coats for the workmen, your Committee deleted the same therefrom, and

RECOMMEND—That the requisition, as so amended, be approved.

Report of Public Health Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 7th day of February, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Teare (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Growse, Ford, Hearn, Hill, McGrath, Sturgess and Taylor.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—VITAL STATISTICS: That they received a report from the Medical Officer of Health, from which it appeared that for the past seven weeks the Birth Rate of the district was 15.89 per 1,000, and the Death Rate for the same period 12.35 per 1,000.

Your Committee have duly noted such report.

- 2.—DRAINAGE WORK AND DRAINAGE PLANS: Report from the Sanitary Inspector submitting plans showing certain drainage work which had been carried out in the district. Your Committee approved the action taken by the Sanitary Inspector in regard thereto.

The Sanitary Inspector further reported that he had, together with the Medical Officer of Health, inspected certain dairy premises in the district to which alterations were necessary in order to comply with the Dairies, Cowsheds and Milkshops Regulations, and submitted a plan showing the proposed alterations.

After due consideration of the report of the Inspector in regard thereto, your Committee decided to approve such plan in order that the alterations to the drainage at the premises might be carried out.

- 3.—SANITARY CERTIFICATES: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to applications he had received for the issue of Certificates under Section 2 of the Rent Restrictions Act, 1920, in respect of certain premises in the district.

After careful consideration of the report of the Sanitary Inspector in regard thereto, your Committee came to the conclusion that with the exception of two of the cases referred to in his report, Certificates should be granted, and they therefore

RECOMMEND—That Certificates be granted in respect of such premises accordingly.

In the two cases mentioned, your Committee consider that the issue of Certificates would not be justified, and

RECOMMEND—That no action be taken in regard thereto.

In reference to the issue of Certificates generally, and after consideration of a report from the Sanitary Inspector in regard thereto, your Committee have come to the conclusion that it is desirable, in future cases, that they should be invested with authority to issue such Certificates, and they therefore

RECOMMEND—That the powers and duties of the Council as the Urban Sanitary Authority relating to the issue of Certificates under Section 2 Sub-Section 2 of the Increase of Rent and Mortgage Interest (Restrictions) Act, 1920, be, and the same are hereby delegated to and shall be exercisable by the Public Health Committee, and the acts and proceedings of the same Committee within limits of this delegation shall be deemed the acts and proceedings of the Council without confirmation.

- 4.—STATUTORY NOTICES: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to the following cases in which he asked for authority to serve Statutory Notices:—

27, The Burroughs, Hendon.
1, Cheshire Cottages, Hendon.
"Oakleigh," Princes Park Avenue, Golders Green.
38, Woodstock Avenue, Golders Green.
6, 8, and 10, North Road, Burnt Oak.

After considering the report of the Inspector thereon, your Committee gave authority to the Sanitary Inspector to serve Statutory Notices in such cases if found necessary.

In regard to 38, Sandringham Road, 38, Woodstock Avenue, and 6, 8, and 10, North Road, Burnt Oak, the premises being without proper and sufficient Ashpits, your Committee gave authority for the Sanitary Inspector to serve the necessary notices in these cases.

5.—VACANT LAND—EDGWARE ROAD: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to the occupation of a shed erected on vacant land in the Edgware Road for habitation, there being no sanitary accommodation. He had served a notice under Section 9 of the Housing of the Working Classes Acts. He now asked for authority to serve a Statutory notice forthwith, in the event of the same being necessary. Your Committee gave authority to the Sanitary Inspector to serve a Statutory Notice in the matter, if found necessary, in accordance with the terms of his report.

6.—CONFERENCES:

(A) Letter from the Royal Sanitary Institute as to Annual Congress proposed to be held at Folkestone from June 20th to 25th, and inviting the Council to appoint delegates to attend such Congress. Your Committee have given careful consideration to the communication, together with a report from the Medical Officer of Health in regard thereto, and consider that a more useful purpose would be served if the Medical Officer of Health was nominated as a Member of the Royal Sanitary Institute, which would entitle the Council to be furnished with useful reports and information relating to Public Health matters as they are issued from time to time. They therefore

RECOMMEND—That Dr. T. S. McIntosh, Medical Officer of Health, be nominated as a Member of the Royal Sanitary Institute, and that the necessary subscription be paid by the Council.

(B) Letter from the Royal Institute of Public Health as to Annual Congress of the Institute proposed to be held in Geneva from the 10th to the 16th May next, and inviting the Council to appoint delegates to attend the Congress. Your Committee have no recommendation to make in regard thereto.

7.—BURROUGHS HOUSE TELEPHONE: Letter from the London Telephone Service in reply in regard to the suggestion for the transfer of the telephone instrument installed in the late Food Office on the second floor at Burroughs House to the Medical Officer's Department on the floor below, intimating that it was not possible to transfer the circuit, as the same had already been allocated to another subscriber, and a good portion of the work was already in hand.

The Chairman of the Committee intimated that he had taken the matter up with the Post Office Authorities, and a further decision would be forthcoming at an early date. It was decided to await the decision of the Post Office Authorities upon the matter.

8.—ISOLATION HOSPITAL: That they had under consideration the question of the provision of additional accommodation at the Council's Existing Isolation Hospital, and decided to defer the matter until the next meeting to enable the Medical Officer to submit a report as to the additional accommodation required at the Hospital.

9.—WEST HENDON DAY NURSERY: That they received a Deputation from the Hendon Women Citizens' Council, consisting of Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Dangerfield, Mrs. Hill and Miss Wallis, in regard to the application made by the Women Citizens' Council for a contribution towards the funds of the West Hendon Day Nursery. Mrs. Ross, on behalf of the Deputation, placed before your Committee the views of the Women Citizens' Council, from which it appeared that they desired the Council to make a substantial contribution to their Funds, to enable the Women Citizens' Council to secure a sufficient income to carry on the work of the Day Nursery at The Broadway, West Hendon.

Your Committee received a report from the Accountant in regard to the Accounts of the Day Nursery, together with particulars as to the attendances at the Nursery.

The Council will recollect that they are empowered to make grants for aiding Creches and Day Nurseries, and your Committee have come to the conclusion that the better course will be for the Council to make a sufficient annual grant to enable the Day Nursery to be continued by the Voluntary Association.

After careful consideration of the report, your Committee

RECOMMEND—

(A) That the Council make an annual grant of £300 to the Funds of the Day Nursery at The Broadway, West Hendon, such sum to be payable in quarterly payments of £75 as from the 1st April 1921.

(B) That application be made to the Ministry of Health for their approval to the proposed payment in accordance with the Regulations of the Ministry relating to Maternity and Child Welfare.

10.—FOOD POISONING: Letter from the Ministry of Health transmitting copies of a memoranda indicating the steps to be taken by Medical Officers of Health in cases of suspected Food Poisoning. Your Committee are informed that a copy of the Memoranda referred to has been forwarded to the Medical Officer of Health. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Medical Officer of Health be empowered to have any necessary chemical, or bacteriological examinations of food samples made as suggested by the Ministry.

11.—REQUISITIONS: The Medical Officer submitted a list of goods required, and, with the exception of certain articles, the same was duly approved.

In accordance with the instructions of the Committee at their last meeting, the Medical Officer submitted certain estimates which he had procured for the supply of new uniform for the ambulance driver. After due consideration of such estimates, your Committee decided to accept the estimate of Messrs. Holington Bros., amounting to the sum of £5 12s. 0d., for the supply of the uniform referred to.

12.—MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE (KINGSBURY): The Clerk submitted draft of proposed agreement to be entered into with the Middlesex County Council for the attendance of residents in the Kingsbury District at the West Hendon Child Welfare Centre. Your Committee approved such draft agreement, and

RECOMMEND—That the same be transmitted to the County Council for consideration.

Report

To the Chair

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report
1921. Present: Mr. Councillor
Smyrk, Soar and Taylor.

Your Committee beg to

1.—PLANS: That they gave con-

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| 5060 | Eight semi-detached and Houses, Hedford Road |
| 5061 | Motor Garage, Hendon Pa |
| 5062 | One House and Garage, H |
| 5067 | Forty-two semi-detached H field Gardens |
| 5068 | Ten detached Houses, The |
| 5069 | Temporary Tool Shed, G Drive |
| 5071 | Temporary Church Hall, T |
| 5077 | Temporary Army Hut, B Hill |
| 5080 | Temporary Club Room, West |
| 5083 | Temporary Shed, Finchley |
| 5084 | Temporary Garage, 2, Neel |
| 5085 | Temporary Spirit Store, C Cricklewood |
| 5086 | Alterations to Roof, 66, B |
| 5089 | Temporary additions, "Arkle Street |

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| 4706 | One lock-up Shop, Edgware |
| 5047 | Seven lock-up Garages, Lawre Mill Hill |
| 5070 | Temporary Shed, Elmcroft A |
| 5082 | Temporary Building, Boiler Motor Garages, etc. |
| 5071 | Fourteen Houses, Leaside Cr |

2.—APPLICATION No. 5055—TEMP That they gave further consider thereof and the report of the \$

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3.—HOUSING (ADDITIONAL POWER)

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Application No. 5038 Mess
Application No. 5060 Mr.
Application No. 5067 Mr.
Application No. 5068 Mr.
Application No. 5071 Mr.

Report of Town Planning Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 14th day of February, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Fenn (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Hodge, Egan, Hill, Hare, McGrath, Reynolds, Smyrk, Soar and Taylor.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—PLANS: That they gave consideration to the following applications for approval of plans, and RECOMMEND thereon as follows:—

| No. | Description of Premises. | Owner or Person submitting. | Recommendation. |
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| 5020 | (Resubmitted), Detached House, Moreland Close | Mr. Quennell | Approval. |
| 5021 | (Resubmitted), Detached House, Moreland Close | Mr. Quennell | Approval. |
| 5060 | Eight semi-detached and one detached Houses, Hodford Road | Mr. C. W. B. Simmonds | Approval. |
| 5051 | Motor Garage, Hendon Park Row | Mr. R. McDonald | Approval. |
| 5062 | One House and Garage, Basing Hill | Mr. F. W. Bristow | Approval. |
| 5067 | Forty-two semi-detached Houses, Greenfield Gardens | Mr. E. Streater | Approval. |
| 5068 | Ten detached Houses, The Vale | Mr. E. Streater | Approval. |
| 5049 | Temporary Tool Shed, Golders Manor Drive | Mr. W. T. Streater (resubmitted) | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5051 | Temporary Church Hall, The Crest | The Rev. Clifford Jones (resubmitted) | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5057 | Temporary Army Hut, Belmont, Mill Hill | Mr. A. J. Rooker Roberts (resubmitted) | Approval as temporary building, subject to roofing material used being satisfactory to Surveyor. |
| 5050 | Temporary Club Room, West View Walk | The Discharged Soldiers and Sailors Federation (resubmitted) | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5063 | Temporary Shed, Finchley Road | Messrs. J. Richards, Ltd. | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5064 | Temporary Garage, 2, Neeld Crescent | Messrs. Galliford and Parsons | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5065 | Temporary Spirit Store, Coal Depot, Cricklewood | The British Petroleum Company | Approval subject to Fire Brigade Committee being satisfied with proposed storage arrangements. |
| 5066 | Alterations to Roof, 66, Bridge Lane | Messrs. E. Small and Sons | Disapproval. |
| 5069 | Temporary additions, "Arkleigh," Brent Street | Messrs. Emden, Egan and Co. | Approval (subject to the requirements of the Surveyor as to the strengthening of the existing walls being complied with). |
| 4706 | One lock-up Shop, Edgware Road | Mr. W. Rhodes (resubmitted) | Approval. |
| 5047 | Seven lock-up Garages, Lawrence Street, Mill Hill | Messrs. Orton and Co. | Approval. |
| 5070 | Temporary Shed, Elmeroft Avenue | Pitcher Construction Co. | Disapproval. |
| 5052 | Temporary Building, Boiler House, two Motor Garages, etc. | Messrs. Orton and Co. | Disapproval. |
| 5071 | Fourteen Houses, Leaside Crescent | Mr. E. H. Waterman | Approval. |

2.—APPLICATION No. 5055—TEMPORARY ARMY HUT—EDGWARE ROAD FOR THE UNITED SERVICE CLUB: That they gave further consideration to the above application which had been resubmitted. After consideration thereof and the report of the Surveyor, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the application be approved as a temporary building, subject to a slight alteration being made in the block plan. They

RECOMMEND further that the applicants be informed that the Council may require them to carry out certain work for dealing with the roof water prior to the renewal of the temporary licence.

Report from the Surveyor that the Builder had made application for permission to enter upon the land proposed to be leased to the Club by the Council for the purpose of erecting the building.

Report from the Clerk as to the steps which were being taken to obtain from the previous owners of the land a licence removing certain restrictions placed thereon by the Vendors. Your Committee approved of the action taken by the Clerk, and gave authority for the Builder to be authorised to enter upon such land immediately the licence was received.

3.—HOUSING (ADDITIONAL POWERS) ACT, 1919:

(A) CERTIFICATES "A": In compliance with the provisions of Housing Memorandum No. 41, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the applicants in the undermentioned cases be informed that Certificate "A" will be issued in respect of the plans submitted by them as soon as the necessary legislation had been passed by Parliament:—

- Application No. 5038 Messrs. Haymills, Two Houses, Sinclair Grove.
 Application No. 5060 Mr. C. W. B. Simmonds, Eight semi-detached and one detached House, Hodford Road.
 Application No. 5067 Mr. E. Streater, Forty-two semi-detached Houses, Greenfield Gardens.
 Application No. 5068 Mr. E. Streater, Ten detached Houses, The Vale.
 Application No. 5071 Mr. E. H. Waterman, Fourteen Houses, Leaside Crescent.

(B) CERTIFICATES "B": Report from the Surveyor submitting the undermentioned particulars of houses completed to his satisfaction, in respect of which Certificates "B" might now be issued for the amounts stated:—

| Application No. | Houses completed between 24th day of December, 1920, and 23rd day of January, 1921. Situation of Premises. | Owner. | Amount per house. | | |
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| 4887 | Two Houses, Sinclair Grove | Mr. H. J. Dabbs | 238 | 6 | 8 |
| 5006 | 2 Decoy Avenue | Mr. J. C. Webb | 238 | 6 | 8 |
| | 1, Decoy Avenue | Mr. J. C. Webb | 220 | 0 | 0 |
| 4802 | 37, 39, 38, and 40, Garrick Avenue | Mr. E. Wright | 238 | 6 | 8 |
| 4958 | Two Houses, Millway | Mr. R. Streater | 238 | 6 | 8 |
| 4851 | Two Houses, Olivier Grove | Messrs. Mouchel and Partners | 238 | 6 | 8 |
| 4959 | 77 and 79, Templars Avenue | Messrs. Haymills | 238 | 6 | 8 |
| 4993 | 34, 36, 38 and 40, The Vale | Mr. E. Streater | 238 | 6 | 8 |

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| 4975 | One House, Decoy Avenue | Mr. C. S. Orris | 216 | 13 | 4 |
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4.—SUNNY HILL FIELD: The Chairman reported in reference to further negotiations which he had had with Mr. Hinge as to the terms upon which the Owners of Sunny Hill Field would be prepared to dispose of the same. Your Committee have duly noted such report.

5.—CONFERENCE: Letter from Mr. H. R. Aldridge (National Housing and Town Planning Council) transmitting copies of the Minutes of the Greater London Regional Housing and Town Planning Conference, and also Memorandum No. 16 Series B relative to various administrative details of housing schemes, etc. Your Committee have duly noted the same.

6.—ARTERIAL ROADS—NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD: Letter from the Ministry of Transport inviting the Council to send representatives to an informal Conference to be held at the offices of the Ministry on the 10th instant. The Conference had been called in order to afford an opportunity for the discussion of the project to construct the portion of the North Circular Road through the Hendon district, and also that the views of all concerned might be ascertained after examination of the scheme. Report from the Clerk that the Chairman of the Council had requested Mr. Councillor Egan to attend on behalf of the Council, together with the Clerk and the Surveyor.

Your Committee had under consideration notes of the Conference, and also received reports from Mr. Councillor Egan and the Officers in regard thereto, and after careful consideration thereof, your Committee authorised the Clerk to communicate with the Ministry of Transport and the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council intimating that the Council were in agreement with the proposals in so far as they affected the Urban District of Hendon, and would be happy to co-operate with the Ministry in any way possible in order to expedite the construction of the road through this district.

7.—CONTRAVENTIONS OF BYELAWS:

(A) MOTOR GARAGES—GOLDERS GREEN ROAD: Report from the Surveyor that Mr. C. Segeren, of South Lodge, Golders Green Road, had erected three wooden motor garages at the rear of South Lodge without plans having been first approved by the Council. Mr. Segeren had been requested to remove such buildings, but had not complied with such request. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a notice be served upon the Owner to show cause why the same should not be removed or pulled down.

(B) WORKSHOP, QUEEN'S ROAD: Report from the Surveyor that Mr. C. Harrington, of Prince of Wales Road, had constructed a wooden building adjacent to Queen's Road, and was using the same as a workshop. Plans had not been submitted for the approval of the Council, and Mr. Harrington had been requested to remove the building, but had not done so. Your Committee

RECOMMEND That a notice be served upon him to show cause why the building should not be removed or pulled down.

(C) SEWER CONNECTION, WOODLAND WAY: Report from the Surveyor that Mr. Cowling, of Mill Hill, had caused a 4 inch saddle to be connected to the Council's sewer without previously obtaining the necessary sanction. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Owner be served with notice under Section 21 of the Public Health Act, 1875, to show cause why the drain should not be disconnected from the Council's sewer.

(D) HOUSE, SYLVAN AVENUE: Report from the Surveyor that Mr. Cowling had recently completed the erection of a house in Sylvan Avenue, Mill Hill, and had allowed the same to be occupied without first having given notice in accordance with the Byelaws of the Council. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That notice be served upon Mr. Cowling in accordance with the Byelaws.

(E) SHED, PARSON STREET: Report from the Surveyor as to a complaint which he had received in regard to a shed erected at the rear of Seaford Cottage, Parson Street. The shed was at present being used for the storage of furniture by the Owner, who was part occupier of the house, and an undertaking had been given that immediately she obtained full possession of the house the furniture would be removed and the shed pulled down and removed. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the undertaking be accepted.

8.—PROPOSED IMPROVEMENT, HERMITAGE LANE. Report from the Surveyor in reference to a letter and plan which he had received from Mr. Eshelby, the Owner of property known as "The Hermitage," Hermitage Lane. Mr. Eshelby had made a proposition that in the event of the Council being prepared to re-erect his boundary wall and carry out certain other works in connection with the improvement he would dedicate to the public a strip of land for widening purposes. The Council will remember that the proposition made by Mr. Eshelby has on a previous occasion received consideration at the hands of the Council, but a decision was then arrived at that no action should be taken in the matter.

Your Committee have carefully re-considered the proposition, and cannot see their way to recommend the Council to proceed therewith at the present time. They

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Eshelby be informed that if he is prepared to enter into an agreement dedicating the land to the public the Council will undertake to re-erect the wall on the new boundary, and to carry out the improvement works at some future date.

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9.—TEMPORARY BUILDINGS: Report from the Surveyor submitting list of 15 applications received for the renewal of licences for temporary buildings for the year ending 31st December next. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the applications be acceded to.

Your Committee received a report from the Surveyor in regard to the temporary buildings for which no application had been made for the renewal of licences, and they

RECOMMEND—That the Owners of the temporary buildings comprised in applications Nos. 3017, 3428, 3627, 4223, 4233, 4305, 4605, 4680, 4692, 4801, 4845 and 4886, be served with notice to pull down and remove such build-ings.

Report of Housing Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen.—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 14th day of February, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Cartwright (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Har- graves, Ford, Hearn, Roberts, Teare, Sturgess and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—BRENT HILL SCHEME:

(A) PROGRESS: Letter from Mr. G. Hornblower reporting in reference to the action taken by him in connection with the timber used by the Contractors in the Brent Hill Scheme, also in regard to the employment of painters. Your Committee have duly noted the contents of such communi- cation.

(B) LIGHTING AND HEATING: Reference was made to the question of lighting and heating in connection with the Brent Hill Scheme, and the Clerk reported that following his recent letter to the London Housing Board pressing for a decision in the matter, he had, on two occasions, been in communication with the Board by telephone, but no decision had, up to the present, been received. After due consideration of the matter, your Committee instructed the Clerk to address an urgent communication to the London Housing Board, pointing out the long delay which had occurred in arriving at a decision, and stating that in view of the fact that the matter was re- garding the completion of a number of the houses, and also that the Council proposed to make due allowance in the rentals to be charged for such houses, having regard to the additional amenities to be provided, that, in the circumstances, the Council must request an immediate de- cision, failing which they would have no alternative but to proceed with the work of lighting and heating in accordance with the proposals as submitted by them.

(C) SCHEME: Report from the Clerk in regard to the suggestion for reducing the number of houses proposed to be erected in connection with the Brent Hill Scheme.

After careful consideration of such report, together with a report from the Surveyor as to the area from which certain of the houses contained in the scheme might be eliminated, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That steps be taken to reduce the scheme by the elimination of 69 houses therefrom, thus providing for the erection of 175 houses in lieu of 244 as provided in the Contract with the Improved Concrete Construction Company, Limited, subject to the con- sent of the Ministry of Health, and that application to obtain such consent be made to the Ministry of Health.

That negotiations be entered into with the Improved Concrete Construction Company accordingly.

(D) CLAIM BY W. J. SMITH: Letter from the District Valuer reporting in regard to the claim of Messrs. W. J. Smith, Ltd., as to compensation in respect of unexhausted values of manure and feeding stuffs. Noted.

Letter from Mr. F. G. Baxendale, Valuation Commissioner of the Ministry of Health, intima- ting that he had been requested to report upon the claim by the tenant on behalf of the Ministry of Health, and requesting that a copy of the lease might be furnished.

Report from the Clerk that this information had been transmitted in accordance with the request.

Your Committee approved the action of the Clerk in the matter.

Reference was made to the appointment which had been arranged for Tuesday afternoon, the 15th inst, with the Solicitors on behalf of Mr. W. J. Smith in regard to his claim.

The Committee discussed with the Surveyor the various points for discussion at the interview referred to, and the Chairman of the Council intimated that, if necessary, he would call a meet- ing of the Council to deal with the matter. Noted.

2.—CHILD'S HILL SCHEME: Letter from Messrs. E. Bevir and Son intimating that the final Order had been made at the Sessions in connection with the Cloister Road Footpath Diversion. Your Committee have duly noted this communication.

3.—HOUSING SCHEMES:

(A) Letter from the Child's Hill and Golders Green Ratepayers' Association transmitting the following resolution passed by the Association in regard to the employment of direct labour in connection with Housing Schemes.

"That in future Housing Schemes the Council should employ direct labour, and so effect a large reduction in costs."

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of such resolution.

(B) Letter from the London Housing Board in reply to the enquiry made by the Council as to whether the Board were in possession of information as to the cost of Housing Schemes carried out by direct labour as compared with schemes carried out by contract, from which it appeared that the Board were not yet in possession of any figures which would be of assistance in this respect. Your Committee have duly noted the contents of this communication.

(C) Letter from Mr. W. J. Lowries offering his services as Quantity Surveyor in connection with the Council's Housing Schemes. Your Committee have duly noted the same.

(D) Letter from the London Housing Board calling attention to the procedure to be adopted in connection with variations of Housing Schemes. Your Committee have duly noted the same.

4.—DAWS FARM ESTATE: Letter from the Child's Hill and Golders Green Ratepayers' Association transmitting the following resolution passed by the Association in regard to the acquisition of the Daws Farm Estate:—

"That we view with the deepest concern the high price proposed to be paid for the Daws Farm Estate, which is agricultural land, and we urge that efforts be made to establish the principle of buying land for public purposes at its rateable value."

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of such resolution.

5.—HOUSING CONTRACTS: Letters from the National Association of Operative Plasterers and the London Master Builders' and Allied Industries' Association in reference to the question of sub-letting plastering work in connection with building contracts. Your Committee have duly noted these communications.

6.—BITTACY HILL SCHEME: Report from the Surveyor that plans of the houses, roads and sewers in connection with the Bittacy Hill Housing Scheme had been transmitted to the London Housing Board for their approval, and that the necessary Specifications and Bills of Quantities were in course of preparation. Your Committee approved the action taken, and instructed the Surveyor to prepare an estimate of the cost of the scheme for submission to the Housing Executive Committee on Monday next.

7.—WEST HENDON HOUSING SCHEME, The Surveyor submitted a report suggesting certain types of houses which might be erected in connection with the west Hendon Housing Scheme. After due consideration of such report, your Committee instructed the Surveyor to submit estimates of the cost of the scheme embodied in his report to the Housing Executive Committee.

Report of Fire Brigade Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 14th day of February, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Hare (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Fenn, Ford, Hearn, Hill, Sturgess, Teare, and Taylor.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—PETROL LICENCES: (A) That they received the following applications for licences to store Petrol:—
British Petroleum Co., Ltd., in respect of premises situate in the Midland Railway Company's Coal Yard at Cricklewood.

L. Clarke, "The Garages," Hayes Crescent, Temple Fortune.

Your Committee understand that the conditions of storage at the above premises are satisfactory. They therefore

RECOMMEND—That the necessary Licences be granted.

(B) That they also gave consideration to an application made by Messrs. F. W. Woolworth and Co. for a Licence to store Petrol in connection with the sale of tins of gold paint containing petrol, at their premises, 154-156, The Broadway, Cricklewood. Report from the Petroleum Inspector suggesting that in the special circumstances of the case a Licence should be granted to the applicants to store petrol in vessels containing not more than four ounces, the total quantity to be stored not to exceed four gallons at any one time. After due consideration of the report of the Petroleum Inspector, your Committee approved thereof, and

RECOMMEND—That a Licence be granted to Messrs. Woolworth and Co. in accordance with the suggestion contained therein.

2.—MOTOR FIRE ENGINE No. 2: Letter from the Air Ministry, in reply, in regard to the price quoted by Messrs. Merryweather and Sons, Ltd., viz.: £3,085, for the supply of a Motor Fire Engine to replace the engine requisitioned by the Admiralty in 1916, from which it appeared that the Ministry considered the price quoted to be excessive. The Ministry referred to their letter of October last, in which they stated they would be prepared to refund to the Council the difference between £1,225 (the amount of the contract price with Messrs. Merryweather in 1915) and the actual cost of the new engine, subject to the contract price being referred to them before acceptance, together with a copy of the conditions and specification.

Your Committee are informed that the information required by the Air Ministry has been furnished to them.

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The Ministry now stated that they considered no reasonable relation existed between the original price and that now quoted, and they could not see their way to agree to the expenditure referred to. They suggested the adoption of one or other of the two following alternatives:—

- 1.—That an engine of the standard type, with rotary turbine pump, such as is largely used by Fire Departments throughout the United Kingdom, be purchased, and which they estimate could be obtained at a price much below that quoted by Messrs. Merryweather.
- 2.—That in the event of the Council insisting upon procuring an engine of the Merryweather type, with reciprocating pump, they are prepared to hand over, at the original price of £1,225, the actual engine which was requisitioned in 1916, and which would be re-conditioned by Messrs. Merryweather and made practically equivalent to new.

The Ministry made enquiry whether the Council would agree to either of the above proposals, and which one they would prefer.

Your Committee have given very careful consideration to the matter, but before submitting a recommendation in regard thereto, have instructed the Clerk to communicate with Messrs. Merryweather and Sons, Ltd., pointing out that the Air Ministry take exception to the price quoted by them for the supply of a Motor Fire Engine to replace the one requisitioned by the Admiralty, and making enquiry whether they would be prepared to submit a revised figure for the engine referred to. Further, that enquiry be made as to whether they would be prepared to guarantee the engine if re-conditioned as suggested by the Ministry.

- 3.—REPORT OF FIRE BRIGADE SUB-COMMITTEE: That they received the following report from the Fire Brigade Sub-Committee in regard to the scale of charges at present in operation for the services of the Council's Fire Brigade, uniform allowance to the Firemen, etc:—

REPORT OF FIRE BRIGADE SUB-COMMITTEE.

To the Chairman and Members of the Fire Brigade Committee.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Sub-Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on the 10th day of January, 1921. Present: Councillors Hare, Hearn and Teare.

Your Sub-Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—FIRE SERVICES: That they gave consideration to the scale of charges at present in operation for the services of the Council's Fire Brigade.

In January, 1915, the Council adopted the following scale of charges for the services of the Brigade:—

- Motor Combination—5s. per hour, minimum 15s.
- Motor Pump—5s. per hour.
- Hose Cart and (or) Escape—5s. for use of.
- Regular Firemen and Motor man—1s. 6d. per hour.
- Volunteer Firemen—Actual Outlay.
- Turncock—5s.
- Call Money—Actual cost.
- Refreshments—Actual cost.
- Outside District—Double Rates (except in case of actual outlay).
- Cleaning and (or) Repairs—Actual cost.

Your Sub-Committee consider that in view of the fact that the wages of Firemen have been greatly increased, also that the cost of maintenance of the appliances and renewals has been practically doubled since the date when the before-mentioned scale was adopted, that the same should be amended. They therefore

RECOMMEND—

(A) That the resolution of the Council passed on the 25th January, 1915, adopting a scale of charges for fire services be rescinded.

(B) That the following scale of charges be now adopted by the Council:—

- Motor Combination—10s. per hour, minimum 30s.
- Motor Pump—6s. per hour (additional).
- Hose Cart and (or) Escape—10s. for use.
- Regular Firemen and Motorman—3s. per hour.
- Volunteer Firemen—Actual outlay.
- Turncock—5s.
- Call Money—Actual cost.
- Refreshments—Actual cost.
- Other expenses—Actual cost.
- Cleaning and (or) Repairs—Actual cost.
- Outside District—Double the above rates (except in case of actual outlay).

- 2.—KINGSBURY FIRE PROTECTION: Your Sub-Committee discussed the arrangements whereby the Council afford fire protection to the Urban District of Kingsbury. They consider that some contribution should be made by the Kingsbury Council to the Hendon Council for the protection afforded by this Council to the Kingsbury district in addition to the scale of charges for services rendered.

Your Sub-Committee desire it to be understood, of course, that no responsibility in connection with the maintenance of Fire Hydrants and appliances in the Kingsbury district can be accepted by the Hendon Council. Your Sub-Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Kingsbury Urban District Council be asked to contribute an amount equal to the gross amount in the £ charged for fire services in Hendon, based on the rateable value of the Kingsbury district, in respect of the fire protection afforded them by the Hendon Council.

3.—FIREMEN'S WAGES: A further communication was received from the Council's Firemen at the Fire Station upon the subject of the adoption by the Council of the rates of pay suggested in the Government Committee Report.

It will be remembered that this matter was fully considered by the Committee in November last, and your Sub-Committee are unable to recommend any variation of the previous decision upon the matter.

4.—UNIFORM: That they received a return from the Chief Officer as to the last issue of Uniform Clothing to the members of the Brigade, together with the present requirements for uniform clothing.

Your Sub-Committee also received estimates of the cost thereof, as follows:—

ESTIMATES FOR THE SUPPLY OF UNIFORM CLOTHING.

| Article. | Atkinson's. | | Uniform Clothing Co. | | Hobson's. | | Dolan and Co. | | Shand Mason. | | Merryweather. | |
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| Jackets | 18 | 0 0 | 14 | 18 0 | 19 | 0 0 | 22 | 16 0 | 27 | 12 0 | 30 | 0 0 |
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| Overalls | 4 | 10 0 | 5 | 5 0 | 6 | 5 0 | 8 | 17 6 | 8 | 14 2 | 9 | 7 6 |
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| Walking Boots | 1 | 10 0 | 1 | 10 0 | 1 | 10 0 | 1 | 10 0 | 1 | 10 0 | 1 | 10 0 |
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Messrs. Pocock and Co. supply Firemen's Boots at £2 10s. 6d. per pair (four pairs—£10 2s. 0d.).

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| W. Dickens | | | | 2 | 1 | | 1 | 1 | | |
| J. Comber | | 1 | | 2 | 1 | | | 1 | | |
| F. Davis (Burnt Oak) | | 1 | | 2 | 1 | | 1 | 1 | | |
| W. Archer (Burnt Oak) | | | | 1 | | 1 | | | 1 | |
| J. Grange (Mill Hill) | | | | 1 | | 1 | | | | |
| C. Rainsdon (Mill Hill) | | | | 1 | | | | | | |
| A. Baker (Mill Hill) | | | | 1 | | | | | | |
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Your Sub-Committee are informed that the Fire Boots can be obtained from Messrs. Pocock and Co. direct at £2 10s. 6d. per pair and walking boots £1 10s. per pair and

RECOMMEND—That four pairs of fire boots be obtained from Messrs. Pocock and Sons. In regard to Fireman Mitchell, recently appointed to the Brigade, your Sub-Committee

RECOMMEND—That Fireman Mitchell be supplied with a complete set of Uniform and that the estimate therefor be submitted to the Requisitions Committee.

In regard to the other Uniform Clothing required for members of the Brigade, your Sub-Committee now

RECOMMEND—That Uniform Clothing be obtained for the Firemen above mentioned, and also for the Chief Officer, and that the lowest estimates be accepted in each case. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the report of the Fire Brigade Sub-Committee be approved and adopted.

4.—WATER PRESSURES: The Chief Officer submitted a list of Water Pressures taken since the last meeting which your Committee have noted.

5.—HOUSING ACCOMMODATION: Report from the Chief Officer as to an application from Fireman C. Rainsdon for tenancy of one of the houses proposed to be erected by the Council at Bittacy Hill. Your Committee decided to request the Housing Committee to give favourable consideration to the application made by Fireman Rainsdon.

6.—FIRE HYDRANTS: Report from the Chief Officer that Fire Hydrants had been fixed in the following positions in the district:—

- Queen's Road, by No. 5.
- Highfield Avenue, facing No. 18.
- Renters Hill, South Side.
- Princes Park Avenue, 13ft. from "Bernly" (west side).
- Decoy Avenue, North Side.
- St. John's Road, Junction with Wentworth Road.

Your Committee have duly noted this report.

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7.—FIRE APPLIANCES—COTTAGE HOSPITAL: Report from the Chief Officer as to an application he had received from the Cottage Hospital Committee for permission to allow one of the Firemen to inspect and test the fire appliances at the Hendon Cottage Hospital, also to instruct the Staff in the use of the apparatus from time to time. After due consideration of the report of the Chief Officer in regard thereto, your Committee decided to accede to the request of the Hendon Cottage Hospital Committee and instructed the Chief Officer accordingly.

8.—APPOINTMENT OF FIREMEN: A report was submitted by the Chief Officer in regard to the appointment of Firemen to the Child's Hill and Mill Hill Detachments of the Fire Brigade. After due consideration of such report, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. H. G. Mills, of 22, Cloister Road, Child's Hill, and Mr. F. Miller, of 26, Granville Road, Child's Hill, be appointed to the Child's Hill Detachment, and that Mr. J. Smallbones, of "The Cottage," Damson Hill, Mill Hill, be appointed to the Mill Hill Detachment, subject to their services being considered satisfactory after serving a month's probation, and to their passing the usual medical examination.

9.—LATHE—CENTRAL STATION: Report from the Chief Officer suggesting that a Lathe should be obtained for use at the Central Fire Station for carrying out repairs to appliances. Your Committee instructed the Chief Officer to obtain estimates for the supply of a Lathe and to submit the same at the next meeting of your Committee.

10.—TYRES—MOTOR FIRE ENGINE: The Chief Officer submitted estimates which he had obtained for the supply of new tyres for the Motor Fire Engine. After careful consideration of such estimates, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the estimate of the North British Rubber Company, amounting to the sum of £33 15s. 6d. be accepted for the supply of new Tyres to the Motor Fire Engine.

11.—GOODS: The Chief Officer submitted a list of goods received, also a list of goods required. Your Committee have duly approved the same.

12.—BICYCLE: Report from the Chief Officer submitting estimates which he had obtained for the supply of a Bicycle for use at the Central Fire Station. After due consideration of such estimates, your Committee instructed the Chief Officer to obtain further estimates from local firms, and submit the same to the next meeting of the Committee.

13.—FIRES ATTENDED: A report was submitted in regard to the fires attended by the Brigade since the last meeting of your Committee. Your Committee have duly noted such report, which calls for no special remark.

14.—PETROL REPORT: That they received a report as to the Petrol consumption by the Motor Fire Engine, the Ambulance, and also as to the Petrol supplied to the Public Health Department. Reference was made to the quantity of petrol consumed by the Ford Van used in connection with the Public Health services, and the Chairman of the Public Health Committee intimated that he would make enquiry into the matter, and submit a report to his Committee in regard thereto at the next Meeting.

Report of General Purposes Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 21st day of February, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Egan (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Ford, Smyrk and Taylor.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—EDUCATION COMMITTEE: Mr. Councillor Ford made reference to his suggestions for the amendment of the Scheme of Constitution of the Education Committee, and outlined his proposals in regard thereto.

It was decided to refer further consideration thereof to the next meeting of your Committee to enable the Members of the Committee to consider the proposals made and to submit suggestions thereon if desired.

2.—ASSESSMENTS: Reference was made to the question of the assessments of properties in the District, and the possibility of a re-valuation of the District being undertaken by the Union Assessment Committee, and after consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That representation be made to the Overseers of the Parish in the following terms:—

"That this Council, being of opinion that the assessments of properties within the area of the Urban District of Hendon, are sufficiently high, request the Overseers of the Poor of the Parish to strongly oppose any proposal for further increasing such assessments"

3.—ELECTRICITY (SUPPLY) ACT: Letter from Mr. L. Gordon (Town Clerk of Hammersmith) transmitting Preliminary Outline of the Greater London Electricity Scheme proposed to be submitted by the Conference of Authorities owning Electricity Undertakings for the London and Home Counties Area, and intimating that a Meeting of the Executive Committee appointed by the Conference of non-owning Authorities would shortly be held for the purpose of considering such scheme. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That copies of the Scheme be procured and circulated amongst the Members of the Council, and that the Clerk make enquiry as to the date of the next meeting of the Conference of non-owning Authorities to discuss such scheme.

4.—TRAIN SERVICE: Letter from the Ministry of Transport relative to the tram service between London and Mill Hill, requesting to be furnished with specific instances of the inadequacy of the train service in order that the Railway Company might be advised as to the actual needs of the Mill Hill residents. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Ministry be informed that the Council are of opinion that the service of trains should be at least equal to that in operation prior to the war, especially in view of the representation made that a demand existed for more frequent service than that in operation in pre-war days.

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5.—STATUTORY UNDERTAKINGS (INCREASE OF CHARGES) ACT: Letter from the Board of Trade intimating that after careful consideration of the application made by the Colne Valley Water Company for a variation of the Colne Valley Water (Temporary Increase of Charges) Order, 1920, they had made an Order authorising the Company to charge not more than 45 per cent. in excess of the charges specified in the Colne Valley Water Act, 1907. Your Committee have duly noted the contents of this communication.

6.—GAS REGULATION ACT, 1920.—

(A) GAS LIGHT AND COKE COMPANY: Letter from the Board of Trade intimating that they had carefully considered the application of the Gas Light and Coke Company, and the representations made to them by the Council and others, and had decided that the standard price of gas to be fixed by the Order should be 15.2 pence per therm, and that the terms of the sliding scale under which the dividend payable by the Company depended upon the price of gas should be modified by substituting one-fifth of a penny per therm for one penny per 1,000 cubic feet. Your Committee have duly noted the contents of this communication.

(B) HARROW AND STANMORE GAS COMPANY: Letter from Messrs. Sherwood and Company transmitting copy of an application which had been made to the Board of Trade by the Harrow and Stanmore Gas Company for an Order under Section 1 of the Gas Regulation Act, 1920, providing for the repeal of any enactments or other provisions requiring the Company to supply gas of any particular calorific value, and the substitution thereof of power to charge for thermal units supplied in the form of gas, and also for the modification of the statutory provisions affecting the charges which might be made by the Company for gas supplied.

Report from the Clerk that as any representations which the Council might desire to make had to be transmitted to the Board of Trade on or before the 22nd instant, he had made formal objection on behalf of the Council to the proposals made by the Company. Your Committee approved and confirmed the action taken by the Clerk in the matter.

(C) NORTH MIDDLESEX GAS COMPANY: Report from the Accountant in regard to the application of the North Middlesex Gas Company to substitute the thermal system of measurement for the present system of measurement by cubic feet of gas supplied, and the modification of the statutory provisions in order that the charges might be increased to meet the altered circumstances. After due consideration of the report of the Accountant upon the proposals of the Company, and the return submitted to the Board of Trade by the Company in support of the application, your Committee are of opinion that the application should be opposed by the Council.

Report from the Clerk that the Company had intimated that they were prepared to confer with representatives of the Council with a view to meeting the opposition of the Council if possible prior to the application being considered by the Board of Trade. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Chairman of the Council (Mr. Councillor Ford) and the Chairman of the Finance Committee (Mr. Councillor Cartwright), together with the Officers, be empowered to receive Representatives of the Company for the purpose of discussing the application.

7.—PUBLIC UTILITY COMPANIES (CAPITAL ISSUES) ACT, 1920: Letter from the Secretary of the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company transmitting copy of letter addressed by him to the Ministry of Transport relative to the representations made by the Council objecting to the application made by the Company for power to raise additional capital in connection with their Undertaking. The Company pointed out that the Hendon Electric Supply Company took a supply of electricity in bulk from them, and part of the programme of Capital Expenditure which they had in hand was proposed to be utilised for the purpose of improving the supply to that Company, but this work could not be done without raising additional capital. Your Committee have duly noted the contents of this communication, but cannot see their way to recommend the Council to relax their opposition to the application.

8.—UNEMPLOYMENT.—

(A) Letters from Mr. H. E. Dale (Secretary of the Unemployments Grants Committee) intimating (a) that the terms of reference to the Committee had now been extended to empower them to make grants in respect of work on roads other than roads within the Ministry of Transport's scheme for construction or maintenance grants; (b) that the Committee had now been authorised to grant up to 60 per cent. (instead of 30 per cent.) of the wages bill of additional men taken on for work; and (c) that the Committee had decided not to adhere to the rule which had been made to refuse assistance for road schemes where the expenditure on labour was less than 50 per cent. of the total expenditure, and that in future each scheme submitted to the Committee would be considered on its merits.

Your Committee have duly noted these communications.

(B) Letter from the Ministry of Health transmitting form of return which they desired to be completed and transmitted to the Managers of Employment Exchanges weekly containing information as to the extent to which, by means of various measures devised by the Government and Local Authorities it had been found possible to provide work for unemployed men. Your Committee understand that arrangements had been made for these returns to be supplied weekly as desired.

(C) Letter from the Town Clerk of the Metropolitan Borough of Islington transmitting copy of a resolution passed by the Islington Borough Council protesting against the short time scheme introduced by His Majesty's Government, and urging the Government to provide work for the unemployed, or alternatively provide for their maintenance at the cost of the National Exchequer. Your Committee have no recommendation to make in regard to this communication.

9.—NATIONAL RELIEF FUND.—

(A) Letter from Mr. L. G. Brock, Secretary of the National Relief Fund, intimating that the Fund was now being wound up, and the disposal of the unallocated balance (a comparatively small sum) would shortly be determined by the Committee. Your Committee have duly noted this communication.

(B) Letter from Mr. H. H. Harding, Secretary of the Employment Exchange, intimating that in the opinion of his Committee cases of distress existed amongst the unemployed of the District which the National Relief Fund was intended to relieve, and urging the Council to call a meeting of the Distress Committee without delay. After due consideration of this communication your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Harding be informed that no cases were brought to the notice of the Local Distress Committee which came within the scope of the National Relief Fund, and it had therefore not been considered necessary for the Committee to hold a meeting. Further, the National Relief Fund Committee had intimated that in no case could assistance be given in respect of any period after the 12th instant.

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10.—WYLD HATCH: Report from the Clerk submitting letter and plan which he had received with information in regard to Wyld Hatch.

Your Committee have duly noted such report.

11.—HOUSES—BRENT STREET: Letter from Messrs. Bramston, Skelton and Dowse, intimating that the letter transmitted by the Council suggesting that their clients should pay the sum of £140 in connection with the drainage system of the houses erected by Mr. Howkins in Brent Street would receive consideration. Report from the Clerk in regard to the matter, which your Committee duly noted.

12.—PUBLIC LIGHTING: Report from the Clerk submitting draft agreement with the North Middlesex Gas Company in regard to the supply of gas for public street lighting and the maintenance of lamp fittings. The draft agreement had been drawn upon similar lines to the previous agreement between the Company and the Council, but the Company now desired that the sum mentioned in the penal clause should be reduced. Your Committee cannot see their way to recommend any reduction of this amount, and

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk inform the Gas Company accordingly.

13.—STREET COLLECTIONS:

(A) Letter from the Commissioner of Police intimating that applications had been made by the Golders Green Guild of Remembrance (for the assistance of unemployed ex-Service men and their families) for permission to hold a street collection in Golders Green in aid of the Guild's Fund for unemployed ex-Service men.

The Commissioner made enquiry whether the Council had any observations to offer for the guidance of the Advisory Committee dealing with the case.

Report from the Chairman as to an interview which he had had with the Officials of the Guild in regard to the collection. The Council will remember that the Golders Green Guild of Remembrance has been formed for the purpose of assisting ex-Service men and their families resident in the Borough of Islington. The Chairman had suggested that half of the proceeds of such collection should be given to the Hendon Unemployment Fund.

The Chairman of the Guild had intimated that the members of his Executive Committee were of opinion that half of the money raised should be devoted to the Hendon Fund, but considered that the area in which it was proposed to hold the collection should be enlarged to include the whole of the Hendon District.

After due consideration of the matter your Committee instructed the Clerk—

(1) To inform the Commissioner of Police of the facts of the case and that having regard to the distress existing in this district, it was felt that the Street Collection should only be sanctioned on the understanding that half of the funds realized should be paid over to the Local Unemployment Fund.

(2) That the Secretary of the Guild be informed that the Committee appreciate the difficulty which would be experienced in extending the area for the collection at this late date, but in view of the existing distress prevailing locally, the Committee were glad to learn that half of the money realized as a result of the Flag Day would be utilized for the relief of local distress.

(B) Letter from the General Secretary of the British and Foreign Sailors' Society asking for the support and official sanction of the Council for the celebration of an Emblem Day by means of a street collection, public meeting, or some other function in aid of the funds of the Society, and suggesting May 31st for such function. After due consideration of such letter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Society be informed that the Council regret their inability to take any action in the matter, especially in view of the many local calls which were being made at the present time upon the residents in the District.

14.—SHOPS ACT:

(A) Letter from Mr. R. F. Biggs alleging that a Shopkeeper at Golders Green was employing young girls for an excessive number of hours per week and making enquiry whether he was contravening the provisions of the Shop Hours Acts.

Report from the Clerk in regard to this case, from which it appeared that the Shopkeeper referred to was complying with the provisions of the Acts in regard to the number of hours his assistants should be employed, and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Biggs be informed accordingly.

(B) Petition from a number of the Shopkeepers in the Child's Hill area requesting the Council to take a ballot of the whole of the Shopkeepers in the area upon the question of making a Closing Order providing for the closing of Shops upon certain days at earlier hours than those set forth in the Shops Act, 1920.

After due consideration of such petition, your Committee could not see their way to recommend the Council to take a ballot of the Shopkeepers upon this matter, and have requested Mr. Councillor Taylor to interview the Shopkeeper who transmitted the Petition in regard thereto.

(C) HALF HOLIDAY ORDER: Report from the Shops Inspector with result of a ballot of Grocers and Fruiterers in the Golders Green and Child's Hill area in regard to the proposal which had been made by certain of the Shopkeepers in that trade that an Order should be made by the Council providing for the closing of such shops at 1 p.m. on Thursday weekly.

It appeared therefrom that the necessary two-thirds majority of the shopkeepers were in favour of the Order being made, but a point was raised by a number of them whether, in the event of the Order being made, they would be permitted to sell wet fruit during the summer period on the half holiday. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Shopkeepers be informed that in the event of an Order being made they would be compelled to close their shops every Thursday afternoon in the year, and the Council would be glad to know whether, under the circumstances, they desired the Order to be made.

(D) REPORT OF INSPECTOR: Report from Mr. W. Clark (Inspector) as to the inspections which he had made.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

15.—CLAIM: Letters from Mr. J. D. Pothus in reference to an accident which he alleged to be due to inadequate lighting in Hall Lane, and intimating that he would hold the Council responsible for the accident. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council deny liability in the matter.

16.—PROPORTIONAL REPRESENTATION: Letter from Mr. J. H. Humphreys (Proportional Representation Society) transmitting a descriptive report of a newspaper election which had been held on the proportional representation system, and offering to co-operate with the Council for the purpose of discussing the principle and the details of the Elections (Proportional Representation) Bill, which would shortly be re-introduced into the House of Lords.

Your Committee have no recommendation to make in regard to such communication.

17.—ST. SAVIOUR'S HOMES: Letter from Messrs. H. S. Hawley and Co., Auctioneers and Surveyors forwarding particulars of the property known as St. Saviour's Homes, which was being offered for sale. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Messrs. Hawley and Co. be thanked for their communication, and informed that the Council were not prepared to make an offer therefor.

18.—LAND AT BITTACY HILL: Letter from Messrs. E. Bevir and Son transmitting account of the Vendors in connection with this purchase, amounting to the sum of approximately £173, and requesting authority to agree this amount. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Messrs. Bevir and Son be authorised to agree the amount, subject to the amount of £9 7s. 6d., alleged to be due to the Ministry of Agriculture, being found to be correct.

19.—EDGWARE ROAD: Letter from Messrs. E. Bevir and Son intimating that they had completed the purchase of this land, and were having the conveyance stamped and registered.

Report from the Clerk that Messrs. Bevir and Son had approached the original Vendors to relax the conditions as to the character of the buildings to be placed on this land, and it was understood that they would be prepared to grant such a licence.

20.—COMPLAINT *Re* METAL WORKS: Letter from Mr. F. Wise complaining of the noise made by Metal Workers working at the rear of his premises at Child's Hill, and requesting the Council to take some steps to stop the annoyance. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Wise be informed that the Council regret they have no power to take any action in the matter.

21.—ROADS ACT, 1920: Letter from the Ministry of Transport drawing attention to the provisions of the Roads Act, 1920, in regard to Road Mileage Charges imposed upon Owners of Motor Vehicles. Your Committee have duly noted such communication.

22.—BILLS IN PARLIAMENT:

(A) Letter from Messrs. Bevir and Son transmitting copies of the Petitions of the Council against the Metropolitan Water Board (Charges) Bill, The Metropolitan Water Board (Various Powers) Bill, and the Middlesex County Council (General Powers) Bill, and also the lists of Petitions against the Bills.

In regard to the Water Board (Various Powers) Bill, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That negotiations be opened up with the Promoters with a view to the inclusion in the Bill Clauses for the protection of the Council.

(B) Letter from Mr. E. F. Errington (Hampstead Garden Suburb Residents' Association) requesting the Council in connection with their opposition to the Water Board (Various Powers) Bill to endeavour to prevail upon the Board to construct a footpath between Corringham Road and Hampstead Way for the convenience of the residents in the district. Your Committee have duly noted such communication.

23.—TELEPHONE CHARGES: Report from the Accountant submitting particulars of the cost of the telephone services of the Council for the years ending 31st March, 1912, 1914, 1920, and an estimate of the cost of the services under the new scale proposed to be imposed.

Your Committee have duly noted such report.

24.—TAXATION OF COSTS: Letters from Messrs. E. Bevir and Son transmitting account of their charges and those of the Parliamentary Agents in connection with the opposition to the Great Northern Railway, Herts County Council, London Electric Railways, London County Council, and Middlesex County Council Bills, etc. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk be authorised to sign the necessary Certificate for the taxation of such costs.

25.—CLERK'S DEPARTMENT—STAFF: Report from the Clerk that Mr. J. W. Wright, Second Assistant in his Department, had tendered his resignation, he having obtained a more remunerative appointment under the Carshalton Urban District Council.

Your Committee received a report from the Clerk as to filling the vacancy thus occasioned, and he suggested that Mr. C. F. Buttress should be promoted to the position of Second Assistant. Mr. Buttress had been engaged in the Department for some years, and was fully experienced in the duties of the Clerk's Department. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. C. F. Buttress be promoted to the position of Second Assistant in the Clerk's Department at his present salary of £200 per annum for the present, the question of his salary to be determined on a report from the Clerk at a later date.

In regard to the filling the vacancy occasioned by the promotion of Mr. Buttress, your Committee consider that it is essential that the services of a Clerk, proficient in shorthand writing and typewriting, experienced in the routine work of a Clerk's Department, should be obtained, as the duties to be performed, amongst other things, will comprise attendance at Committees, etc. They therefore

RECOMMEND—That an advertisement be issued inviting applications for an experienced Clerk with salary commencing at £175 per annum, rising to £200 per annum by two annual increments of £7 10s. and one increment of £10.

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26.—LOCAL GOVERNMENT OF GREATER LONDON: Letter from Mr. E. S. W. Hart (Clerk of the Middlesex County Council) in reference to the question of the Local Government of Greater London. He transmitted for the information of the Council copy of the report of the Deputation of the London County Council to the Prime Minister, and also copy of a letter which had been addressed by the Minister of Health to certain local authorities in the Greater London area, inviting their observations upon the subject. The matter had been considered on various occasions by the Executive Committee formed at a Conference of Local Authorities affected, appointed some time ago, but it was thought desirable to hold a Conference of Local Authorities in the County in order to ascertain their views. It had therefore been arranged for a Conference to take place on the 28th instant, and the Council were invited to appoint representatives to attend thereat.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee requested the Chairman of the Council and Mr. Councillor Cartwright to attend the Conference on behalf of the Council.

Report of Highways Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 21st day of February, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Egan (in the Chair), and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Ford, Hill, Smyrk, and Taylor.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—CONDITION OF CHURCH ROAD AND EDGWARE ROAD: Letter from Mr. G. Edgar Morris (Hendon Ratepayers' Association) transmitting copy of a resolution passed at a general meeting of the Association, requesting the Council to approach the Middlesex County Council with a view to obtaining their sanction to the re-surfacing of the road from "The Bell" to Edgware Road with tarred macadam.

The Association also drew attention to the condition of the Edgware Road, and particularly the tramway track, and requested that repairs might be taken in hand without delay.

Report from the Clerk that he had informed Mr. Morris that the Council had for some time past been bringing pressure to bear on the County Council to put the tramway tracks into proper condition.

Report from the Surveyor that in regard to the re-surfacing of Church Road he had included in the estimates for the coming year a sum for the re-surfacing of the road from "The Bell" to its junction with Brampton Grove with tarred macadam.

After due consideration of this communication, and the report of the Surveyor, your Committee are of opinion that the laying of tarred macadam should be undertaken in the sections of road from "The Bell" along Brent Street to its junction with Parson Street, and

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor make application to the Middlesex County Council for the inclusion of the improvement of this portion of the road in the yearly estimates, and they

RECOMMEND FURTHER—That Mr. Morris be informed of the steps which are being taken in the matter.

In regard to the Edgware Road, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk inform the Association of the present state of the negotiations for the carrying out of works of improvement.

2.—PROVISION OF FOOTPATH—THE BURROUGHS: Letter from Mr. G. Edgar Morris (Hendon Ratepayers' Association) calling attention to the need of providing a footpath in Station Road along the side of the fence adjacent to Burroughs Lodge for the protection of pedestrians, and particularly young children attending the school in the locality. After due consideration, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk inform the Association that the Council have a scheme of improvement under consideration which would make provision for a footpath at the point referred to.

3.—CENTRAL HENDON WAR MEMORIAL: That they gave consideration to a plan submitted by the Surveyor shewing the development of the triangular enclosure at the junction of Colindeep Lane, Queen's Road and The Burroughs, upon which it is proposed to erect the Central Hendon War Memorial. After careful consideration of the plan, your Committee

RECOMMEND approval thereof, subject to an amendment which they instructed the Surveyor to make therein, and your Committee

RECOMMEND FURTHER—That the Surveyor be authorised to negotiate with the agent of Sir Audley Neeld with a view to obtaining his approval to the proposed development.

4.—CONDITION OF STATION ROAD: Letter from Mr. J. W. James complaining of vibration and noise caused by the heavy traffic along Station Road near to the Burroughs Pond. Your Committee understand from the Surveyor that this road has recently been repaired, and that the complaint of Mr. James had been minimised as far as possible.

5.—DAMAGE TO FENCING: Letter from Mr. E. T. Pullein alleging that his fence had recently been broken down by motor cars using the roadway in front of his premises, and making enquiry whether the Council would place a raised stone kerbing on the side of the path, or carry out such other protective works to prevent further damage being done.

Report from the Surveyor that although the Council were in no way responsible for the damage which had occurred through motor traffic in this road, he had carried out certain works in front of Mr. Pullein's premises, which would meet the case. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the action taken by the Surveyor be approved.

6.—LIGHTING:

- (A) GOODWYN AVENUE: Letter from Mr. P. J. Tigg (on behalf of the Trustees of the Wesleyan Church), requesting the Council to provide additional lighting facilities between their Church in Goodwyn Avenue and Lawrence Street.

Your Committee understand from the Surveyor that no gas main exists in the portion of the roadway referred to by Mr. Tigg. They

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor negotiate with Mr. Tigg upon the matter, and inform him that the Council would be prepared to provide a lamp standard, together with fittings, if the Trustees would undertake the lighting of the same by means of an illuminant other than gas.

- 7.—PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS—ALBERT ROAD: Letter from the Police Architect and Surveyor in reference to the proposal to make up Albert Road, Mill Hill, and taking exception to the proposed width of such road. He pointed out that the Council proposed to make up the road to a width of 38 feet, whereas the original plans for the development of the estate shewed this road to be 30 feet wide. He did not think any real reason existed for varying the width of the road from that originally approved, and he made enquiry whether the Council would agree to a reduction in the width.

Report from the Surveyor that the road was originally laid out 30 feet wide, and in view of the character of the road he considered that this width would be adequate. He suggested that the specification and plans for the making up of the road should be amended accordingly. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the specification and plans for the making up of Albert Road, Mill Hill, be amended by the reduction of the width of the road from 38 feet to 30 feet, and that the Clerk communicate with the whole of the owners of property in the road, requesting their consent to the proposed modification, pointing out the saving in cost which would be effected thereby.

- 8.—ROADS—CONDITION OF: Letter from Mr. A. Masters referring to the recent appeal which had been made for funds on behalf of the Unemployed in the district, suggesting that a considerable number of roads required permanently making up, and that the men should be employed on these works, and also making suggestions in regard to the employment of women. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk communicate with Mr. Masters informing him of the steps which had been taken in connection with road works in the district.

- 9.—EDGWARE ROAD—RECONSTRUCTION OF: Report from the Surveyor submitting plans and estimates for the reconstruction of the Edgware Road in accordance with the scheme agreed with the Engineer to the Middlesex County Council. He had divided the work into three sections, as follows:—

- Section 1.—From the Willesden Repairing Boundary to the Lower Welsh Harp.
Section 2.—From the Lower Welsh Harp to Kingsbury Road.
Section 3.—From Kingsbury Road and to Red Hill.

He suggested that the second section of the work should be put in hand first, as this section of the road was most fully developed with buildings. The carrying out of the work should be conditional upon satisfactory financial arrangements being made between the Council, the Middlesex County Council and the Ministry of Transport.

He submitted plans and letter received by the Engineer to the County Council from the Metropolitan Electric Tramways Company, from which it appeared that the Company proposed to deal with the tramway track in the following sections:—

The length from the Willesden Repairing Boundary to the Lower Welsh Harp; a short length from Garrick Road to the Police Court; and a further short length from the "King's Arms" to Colindeep Lane.

After careful consideration of the report of the Surveyor in regard to the suggestion of the Tramway Company and his own scheme for dealing with the haunches, your Committee came to the conclusion that it would be more satisfactory for the portion of roadway which was fully developed to be permanently dealt with in preference to the lengths of roadway suggested by the Company. They therefore

RECOMMEND as follows:—

- (A) That the plans and estimates submitted by the Surveyor for the reconstruction of the Edgware Road be approved.
(B) That such plans and estimates be transmitted to the Middlesex County Council for their approval.
(C) That application be made to the Middlesex County Council for their sanction to the immediate reconstruction of the portion of the road between the Lower Welsh Harp and Kingsbury Road at an estimated cost of £48,686.

- 10.—HIGHWOOD HILL POND: Report from the Surveyor submitting correspondence he had had with Mr. Monnott, of Highwood Hill, in regard to the suggestion that the pond abutting upon the highway should be filled in.

Mr. Monnott expressed his willingness to fill in the portion of the pond belonging to him, and also made enquiry whether the Council would be prepared to sell to him the portion of the pond outside his boundary fence in order to straighten the boundary line of his property.

After due consideration of the report of the Surveyor, your Committee

RECOMMEND—

- (A) That Mr. Monnott be informed that the Council cannot see their way to entertain his suggestion for the sale of a portion of the land to him.
(B) That the work of filling in the pond be proceeded with by the Surveyor as and when found convenient.

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11.—MAINTENANCE—GOLDERS GREEN ROAD TO "BELL"—WOODPAVING: Report from the Surveyor suggesting that formal application should be made to the Middlesex County Council to re-consider the decision recently arrived at to increase their contribution towards the maintenance of the wood paving work between Golders Green and "The Bell" by the sum of 2d. per square yard per annum. The Council will remember that the Acme Wood Paving Co. made application to them to bear a moiety of the increased cost of maintenance, which figure was estimated to be equivalent to 5d. per square yard per annum. The matter has already been brought under the notice of the Light Railways Committee of the County Council, when the Deputation appointed by this Council to interview them with regard to the condition of the Edgware Road Tramway Track attended before them. Your Committee now

RECOMMEND—That the Middlesex County Council be requested to reconsider their decision approving of an additional sum not exceeding 2d. per square yard per annum being charged in the main road accounts of the Council for the two years ending 31st October, 1921, in respect of the maintenance of such wood paving, with a view to the contribution of the County Council being increased.

12.—STREET LIGHTING:

(A) NEELD CRESCENT: Letter from Mr. L. Sherbrook making application for the provision of additional lighting facilities in Neeld Crescent at its junction with Queen's Road. After due consideration of this communication, your Committee

RECOMMENDED—That Mr. Sherbrook be informed that the Council regret their inability to erect an additional lamp in the position suggested by him at the present time.

(c) GARRICK AVENUE AND CECIL ROAD: Report from the Surveyor that additional lamps were required in the following streets in consequence of building development:—

Garrick Avenue—3 lamps.
Cecil Road—1 lamp.

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RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor be authorised to erect the additional lamps required.

(D) CLOISTER ROAD: That they received a report in regard to the existing lighting facilities in Cloister Road, and after due consideration thereof

RECOMMEND—That one additional lamp standard be fixed, and that the position of two of the existing lamps in the road be re-arranged as pointed out by your Committee to the Surveyor.

Your Committee understand that the additional lamp would be chargeable to the Housing Scheme Account.

12.—TREES:

(A) ASHBOURNE AVENUE: Letter from Mr. J. R. Ball requesting the Council to undertake the planting of trees in Ashbourne Avenue. Report from the Surveyor as to the cost of planting the trees estimated at from £40 to £50. Your Committee have deferred consideration of this communication until the Autumn season.

(B) ALBA GARDENS: Letter from Mr. H. E. Skeffington requesting the Council to undertake the planting of trees in Alba Gardens. Report from the Surveyor that in the case of private roads where permanent works had recently been carried out the Owners had replaced the trees where required whilst the improvement works are in progress. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Skeffington be informed that the Council had no power to plant trees in private roads and to suggest that the Owners of property in the road should provide and plant the necessary trees.

13.—FOOTPATHS—FINCHLEY ROAD: Further letter from Mr. J. R. Moore in relation to the footpath in Finchley Main Road between Golders Green Tub Station and Church End Finchley. After due consideration of the matter, Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Moore be informed that the Council are not prepared to take any steps at the present time to carry out the suggestions contained in his communication.

14.—REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor submitted requisition of the goods and materials required in his department and the same was approved.

Report of Housing Executive Committee, No. 1.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 7th day of February, 1921. Present: Councillors Cartwright (Chairman), Ford, Roberts, Teare, and Mrs. Hargraves.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—DAWS FARM ESTATE: The Clerk reported a further communication from the Ministry of Health in reference to the Council's application for sanction to the purchase of Daws Farm Estate, Mill Hill.

The Ministry now stated that the inspection of the land by the representative of the Ministry of Agriculture

merely had relation to the question of suitability or otherwise of a portion of the land for allotment purposes, and in view of the circumstances set out in Mr. Baxendale's letter of the 21st December the Ministry did not propose to proceed further with the matter.

Your Committee considered that a communication should be addressed to the Ministry of Health protesting against the delay which has occurred in connection with the negotiations for the purchase of this Estate, and instructed the Clerk accordingly.

2.—BRENT HILL FARM.—

(a) **LIGHTING AND HEATING:** The Clerk reported that he had attended at the London Housing Board, with Mr. G. Hornblower (the Architect), in reference to an application for sanction to the scheme for Lighting and Heating at Brent Hill Farm. The Board had intimated that the Council should not enter into any Contracts for lighting and heating until their decision had been given.

Your Committee instructed the Clerk to press for an early decision in this matter.

(b) **TIMBER:** Reference was made to the use of certain timber in the construction of the Brent Farm Houses, and the Architect was requested to report thereon.

(c) **COMPLETION:** A report was received from the Architect in reference to the suggestion to release a larger proportion of monies as an inducement to the Contractor for the Cloister Road Scheme to accelerate the completion of the houses. After careful consideration thereof, your Committee decided that a supplementary Contract be entered into with Mr. Ramsbotham (the Contractor) providing that on the completion of a house he be allowed payment leaving a sum of £25 retention money on each of such completed house.

(d) **WATER SUPPLY:** The Clerk reported the Agreement with the Metropolitan Water Board as to the laying of water mains. The Board by such agreement recouped themselves to the extent of ten per cent. for their outlay in respect of the mains. Subject to the agreement including any other property which might be erected and connected to the main to rank for the purposes of the agreement, your Committee approved thereof.

(e) **ROADS AND SEWERS:** The Surveyor submitted a Certificate in favour of Mr. H. Farrow in respect of construction of roads and sewers at Brent Hill amounting to £1,000. Your Committee gave authority for the issue of a Pay Order in favour of Mr. Farrow for £1,000 accordingly.

(f) **TENANT'S CLAIM:** In regard to the claim of Mr. W. J. Smith, the Clerk reported that Mr. Bevir would attend later in the evening to discuss the matter with the Council. It was decided that the matter be dealt with by the whole Council accordingly.

Report of Housing Executive Committee, No. 2.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 21st day of February, 1921. Present: Councillor Cartwright (Chairman), Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Ford, Roberts and Teare.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—BRENT HILL FARM.—

(a) **LIGHTING AND HEATING:** The Clerk reported that he had again attended at the London Housing Board in reference to the Council's application for sanction to the scheme for lighting and heating.

A communication had now been received from the Board in reference to the application, in which the Board intimated that they were of opinion that the matter should be settled on the basis of an agreed sum in respect of those provisions which should rank for financial assistance, and that any expenditure above such agreed sums should be excluded from the assisted scheme account of the Council. It would, therefore, be a matter for the Council to recoup themselves in respect of the unassisted expenditure from the tenants, and the rent as agreed between the Ministry of Health and the Council would be determined without regard to the additional expenditure.

The Board now intimated that the additional sum, which should rank for assistance, should be an amount of £30 per house, less £6 10s. per house already included in the Contract for the Cooking Range. The Council will recollect that in their letter of the 22nd January the Board stated that they would be prepared to allow the full cost of an installation to rank for financial assistance on the following lines, viz.:

- (1) Lighting by Electricity.
- (2) Cooking Range without Boiler.
- (3) Portable Copper (included in Contract).
- (4) Gas supply for—
 - (a) Cooking Stove.
 - (b) Combined Water Heater and Cylinder and necessary piping.
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This, it will be remembered, was estimated to cost £42 12s. 3d. per house, whilst the Council's proposals were estimated at £51 13s. 3d. per house. Your Committee consider that the Housing Board should not now depart from the terms of their letter of the 22nd January, especially as the Council proposed to recoup themselves in respect of the difference in the above-mentioned figures by an addition to the rent to be charged for the houses.

Your Committee instructed the Clerk to address a further communication to the London Housing Board requesting them to adhere to the terms of their letter of the 22nd January in regard to the lighting and heating arrangements.

- (b) CLAIM BY W. J. SMITH: That they received a report of the interview between the Chairman of the Council and the Officers with Messrs. Buleraig and Davis on the 15th instant in reference to the claim made by Mr. Smith for compensation, when the matter was discussed at considerable length.

The Chairman submitted a proposition (in view of the suggested modifications of the Housing Scheme) by which Mr. Smith would be able to lease an area of approximately 11 acres of land, and also make use of the existing buildings. The Solicitors on behalf of Mr. Smith intimated that the proposal would receive their careful consideration, and that a communication would be sent forward in regard to the matter in due course.

- 2.—HOUSING MEMORANDUM No. 44: Report of the Clerk as to the receipt of General Housing Memorandum No. 44 dealing with the arrangements in connection with the adjustment of Income Tax as between a Local Authority and a purchaser in respect of houses sold by the local authority on the instalment plan. Your Committee have duly noted the Memorandum.

- 3.—BITTACY HILL SCHEME The Surveyor submitted a report in regard to the estimated cost of the builder's work in respect of houses at Bittacy Hill. Your Committee are informed that for the type of house containing a living room and two bedrooms the cost per house for the builder's work is estimated at £762. Your Committee consider that economy would be effected by the provision of flats in connection with the scheme. They therefore

RECOMMEND—That in the Bittacy Hill Housing Scheme, in lieu of 8 cottages, that provision be made for 16 flats.

- 4.—KINGSBURY ROAD SITE: Report from the Surveyor that he had considered the question of cost relative to the suggestion for the provision of flats in connection with the Kingsbury Road Scheme, from which it appeared that the estimated cost for the builder's work would be £620, for flats. Your Committee understand that the Housing Committee are recommending that 16 flats should be provided in connection with this scheme.

- 5.—HYDE LAND: Report from the Surveyor as to the portion of the land to be acquired from the Ecclesiastical Commissioners, and suggesting that an additional 5½ acres be added to the area for the Pleasure Ground. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor's suggestion be approved.

Report of Staff Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen.—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 14th day of February, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Ford (Chairman), and Councillors Cartwright, Egan, Sturgess and Fenn.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—HEALTH VISITORS: That they gave further consideration to the following recommendations of your Committee referred back at the meeting of the Council held on the 13th day of December:—

“Letter from Mrs. M. E. Bascom requesting the Council to reconsider her salary, which was recently fixed at £180 per annum, to include uniform allowance. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mrs. Degen and Mrs. Bascom be informed that the Council are unable to vary the decisions arrived at in regard to their salaries.

“In regard to the salary of Mrs. A. O. Hunt, the newly-appointed Health Visitor, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the salary be £187 10s. 0d., such sum to be inclusive of the uniform allowance, with a maximum of £190.”

Letter from Mrs. A. O. Hunt pointing out that the recommendation of the Committee was not in accordance with the terms of the advertisement under which she was appointed to the position of Health Visitor. The Council will remember that the salary advertised was at the rate of £180 per annum, rising by two annual increments of £5 to a maximum salary of £190 plus uniform allowance, and Mrs. Hunt requested that the terms of the advertisement might be adhered to.

Your Committee also gave further consideration to the letter received from Mrs. Bascom in regard to the decision of the Council to fix her salary at the rate of £180 per annum inclusive of uniform allowance. After consideration of these communications, your Committee

RECOMMEND—

- (A) That in the case of Mrs. Hunt's salary the terms of the advertisement under which she was appointed to the position be adhered to.
- (B) That as and from the 18th day of October, 1920, the salary of Mrs. M. E. Bascom (Health Visitor) be fixed at the rate of £187 10s. 0d. per annum, to include uniform allowance.

2.—SHOPS ACT INSPECTOR: Letter from Mr. J. Anderson (Hendon Education Committee) intimating that the Education Committee agreed the principle of the combination of the offices of Shops' Act Inspector and Employment Officer. The Committee also agreed that the post should be offered to Mr. W. Clark at an inclusive salary of £300 per annum, subject to the Council paying a moiety thereof. He also made enquiry upon what date the Council would require Mr. Clark to commence duties as Shops' Act Inspector. After consideration of this communication, and a report of the Clerk that Mr. Clark commenced his duties on the 1st inst., your Committee approved of the proposal of the Education Committee, and now

RECOMMEND—

- (A) That Mr. W. Clark be appointed Inspector under the Shops' Acts and the Fabrics' (Misdescription) Act, 1913, such appointment to date as and from the First day of February, 1920, at a salary of £150 per annum.
- (B) That the Chairman of the Council be authorised to sign a Certificate of the appointment of Mr. Clark as Inspector under the Shops' Acts in accordance with the Statutory Rules and Orders issued by the Home Office under date 1st April, 1912, and numbered 316.
- (c) That the recommendation of the Staff Committee approved by the Council on the 13th day of December in regard to the allocation of salary be varied in order to give effect to the foregoing recommendation of your Committee.

3.—EMPLOYMENT OF ENGINEERS AND SURVEYORS: Letter from Mr. A. J. Lees (Urban District Councils' Association) inviting the Council's observations on certain model regulations for the employment of engineers and surveyors by local authorities which had been prepared by the Institution of Municipal and County Engineers, and upon which the Association had been invited by the Ministry of Health to submit observations. Your Committee have no recommendation to make in regard to the matter.

4.—JUNIOR IN ACCOUNTANT'S DEPARTMENT: That they gave consideration to a report submitted by the Accountant in regard to a youth named B. J. Simmons, the son of a late Sub-Lieut. in the R.N.V.R. (now deceased). After due consideration of such report, your Committee came to the conclusion that the case was one which might be dealt with under the terms of the resolution passed by the Council of the 26th day of July last. They therefore

RECOMMEND—That Brian Joseph Simmons be appointed as Junior Clerk in the Accountant's Department at a salary of £65 per annum on probation. In the event of his services being found to be satisfactory at the end of the probationary period, and subject also to him being successful in passing the necessary examination, he be granted articles with the Accountant without premium.

5.—JUNIOR IN ENGINEER'S DEPARTMENT: Your Committee also received a report in regard to a youth named F. Lancaster (at present a scholar at the Algernon Road School) who was desirous of being trained as a draughtsman, and had shown special aptitude for the work. After due consideration of such report, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That F. Lancaster be appointed as Draughtsman's Assistant in the Engineer and Surveyor's Department, on probation, at a salary of ~~£65~~ per annum, and that in due course the Engineer submit a report upon his work. £39.

6.—FIREMAN: That they also received a report from the Accountant in regard to the wages of the Council's Fire Brigade Staff, but have no recommendation to make thereon.

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AT A MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 28th day of February, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor A. S. F. Ford, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Banhister,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge.
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
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 " " T. F. Fenn,
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 " " F. W. Hearn,
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 " " L. E. V. Tiffen,
 " " R. J. Wise.
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant),
 Dr. T. S. McIntosh (Medical Officer of Health).

MINUTES: The Minutes of the last ordinary meeting of the Council held on the 24th day of January, 1921, and of the Special Meetings held on the 31st day of January, the 7th day of February, the 14th day of February, and the 15th day of February, 1921, were submitted for confirmation.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Minutes be confirmed.

MINUTE BOOK: Reference was made by the Chairman to the present system of writing by hand the record of the business transacted by the Council, and, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the form of Minute Book at present in use be dispensed with, and that the Clerk be instructed, in future, to utilise printed copies of the Minutes of the proceedings of the Council and Reports of Committees as the official record of the Council, and to cause the same to be periodically bound into book form, together with any other information usually recorded in the Minute Book of the Council.

(Mr. Councillor Hill voting against).

ILLNESS OF MR. COUNCILLOR PAGE: The Clerk reported the receipt of a letter from Mr. Councillor Page intimating his inability to be present owing to illness.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE: The Finance Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 21st inst. (Agenda page 202). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

The following is a list of the accounts for payment referred to on page 202, paragraph No. 4, of the report of the Finance Committee:—

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| Accessories Manufacturing Co. ... | 5 | 12 | 6 |
| Archer, W. F. ... | 17 | 18 | 0 |
| Ballard, R. ... | 2 | 14 | 0 |
| Barrs and Co. ... | 13 | 16 | 3 |
| Batchelor, J. and Son ... | 7 | 15 | 0 |
| Beattie, J. H. and Co., Ltd. ... | 96 | 1 | 2 |
| Boyer, William and Sons ... | 105 | 8 | 2 |
| British Medical Journal ... | 1 | 18 | 9 |
| Builder, Ltd. ... | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Bullivant and Co., Ltd. ... | 1 | 6 | 6 |
| Burn Bros. ... | 1 | 9 | 0 |
| Butterworth and Co. ... | 2 | 11 | 0 |
| Camberwell Research Laboratories ... | 2 | 11 | 6 |
| Cement Marketing Co., Ltd. ... | 23 | 10 | 6 |
| Chaplin and Co. ... | 0 | 10 | 0 |
| Cherry, C. ... | 42 | 19 | 0 |
| Colne Valley Water Co. ... | 24 | 8 | 3 |
| Connolly, J. W. and T., Ltd. ... | 18 | 7 | 0 |
| Constable Hart and Co. ... | 47 | 19 | 1 |
| Cook, Bros., Ltd. ... | 8 | 6 | 0 |
| Crisp and Hodgson ... | 37 | 3 | 4 |
| Dobbins, J. T., Ltd. ... | 12 | 12 | 6 |
| Paper ... | | | |
| Scavenger Brooms ... | | | |
| Hired team labour ... | | | |
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| Rubber hose ... | | | |
| Publication ... | | | |
| Diagnoses' fees ... | | | |
| Cement ... | | | |
| Gutta Percha ... | | | |
| Hired team labour ... | | | |
| Water, etc. ... | | | |
| Repairs to carts ... | | | |
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| Drake, Driver and Leaver, Ltd. ... | Letter paper ... | 1 18 6 |
| Durrant, A. H. ... | Green groceries ... | 2 16 10 |
| Edwards, P. and A. ... | Speedometers ... | 11 10 0 |
| Etherington, E. ... | Cloth, etc. ... | 3 4 11 |
| Evans, J. ... | Repairing sacks ... | 0 12 6 |
| Farmicoe, T. and W., Ltd. ... | Sundries ... | 9 17 6 |
| Farrow, Howard ... | Ashes ... | 13 1 0 |
| Gas Light and Coke Co. ... | Lighting ... | 12 13 11 |
| Gibb, James and Co., Ltd. ... | Sundries ... | 169 17 6 |
| Goddard, Walker and Brown ... | Books ... | 7 7 6 |
| Gosling, C. and Son ... | Dust baskets ... | 5 8 0 |
| Hadden, Best and Co. ... | Publications ... | 4 2 0 |
| Hagedorn, C. and Co. ... | On account painting Cloister Road Cottages ... | 165 0 0 |
| Hammond, G. F. ... | Signwriting ... | 6 3 6 |
| Harrow and Stanmore Gas Co. ... | Lighting ... | 43 10 0 |
| Hon. Treasurer, Hartley Hall ... | Hire of Hall ... | 0 10 0 |
| Hendon and Golders Green Motor School ... | Requisites for Ford Cars ... | 3 6 0 |
| H. M. Stationery Office ... | Publications ... | 1 2 0 |
| Humphries, W. ... | Lopping trees ... | 29 0 0 |
| Hurling, G. ... | Lopping trees ... | 16 15 0 |
| Jeyes Sanitary Compounds, Ltd. ... | Soap ... | 4 5 0 |
| Justices of Gore Division, per Accountant's account ... | Summons fees ... | 49 18 6 |
| Kingsbury Urban District Council ... | Lighting ... | 24 0 0 |
| Knight, C. and Co., Ltd. ... | Blotting paper, etc. ... | 3 14 0 |
| Lawes Bros., Ltd. ... | Tracing paper, etc. ... | 12 18 6 |
| Lister Institute of Preventive Medicine ... | Diagnosis fee ... | 0 3 9 |
| Lyle Trading Co., Ltd. ... | Card index cabinet ... | 1 10 0 |
| Mathews, A. ... | Repairs to tools ... | 0 17 4 |
| Merritt and Hatcher, Ltd. ... | Binding vouchers ... | 7 0 6 |
| Metropolitan Water Board ... | Water, etc. ... | 90 4 6 |
| Middleton Bros. ... | Lard Oil ... | 5 5 0 |
| Midland Railway Co. ... | Carriage ... | 2 7 0 |
| Millman, T. ... | Repairs to tools ... | 2 7 5 |
| Mosers, Ltd. ... | Nails, etc. ... | 1 9 3 |
| Mountsorrell Granite Co., Ltd. ... | Granite ... | 359 3 1 |
| Nicholl, Sam ... | Wood blocks ... | 105 0 0 |
| North Middlesex Gas Co. ... | Lighting and repairs ... | 1096 4 9 |
| Odell, C., Ltd. ... | Printing, etc. ... | 3 5 6 |
| Page, C. H. ... | Sundries ... | 1 15 9 |
| Prices Co., Ltd. ... | Oil ... | 20 6 8 |
| Pruden, A. ... | Horse collars, etc. ... | 8 17 0 |
| Puddefoot, Tom ... | Repairs to tools ... | 19 5 6 |
| Ramsbotham, G. ... | Repairs ... | 0 11 4 |
| Rates Department ... | Rates, Land Cool Oak Lane ... | 0 13 6 |
| Rebarts, A. W. ... | Forage ... | 85 10 0 |
| Rowland, Bros. ... | Barrows ... | 19 16 0 |
| Rowland, T. ... | Repairs to tools ... | 15 12 9 |
| Rowley, Thomas, Junr. ... | Hired steam roller ... | 46 16 0 |
| Sampson, T. ... | Sundries ... | 3 15 6 |
| Sanitas Co., Ltd. ... | Fumigators, etc. ... | 9 0 0 |
| Sawford, Ralph ... | Hire of car ... | 7 8 0 |
| Sayers, S. P. ... | Brushes ... | 0 8 9 |
| Shaw and Sons ... | Stationery, etc. ... | 6 15 6 |
| Shell Mex., Ltd. ... | Kerosene ... | 7 6 8 |
| Shepherd and Sons ... | Reinstatement Tarmac ... | 4 13 0 |
| Smith, W. J., Ltd. ... | Sand ... | 1 0 0 |
| Stillman, H. ... | Hired team labour ... | 67 18 6 |
| Stone and Colquhoun ... | Copies of plans, etc. ... | 15 19 6 |
| Stone, G. ... | Cleaning windows ... | 4 0 0 |
| Swire and Sons ... | Books ... | 34 9 0 |
| Tottenham District Light, Heat and Power Co. ... | Coke ... | 65 0 0 |
| Vann, B. ... | Refund on hire of rooms ... | 3 1 0 |
| Virol Research Laboratories ... | Diagnosis fees ... | 9 10 7 |
| Warden and Co. ... | Printing, etc. ... | 65 4 0 |
| Willcox, W. H. and Co., Ltd. ... | Sundries ... | 2 17 8 |
| Woodstock Stores ... | Groceries, etc. ... | 41 4 2 |
| Glaxo ... | Glaxo ... | 37 12 0 |
| Hodgkinson, Prestons and King ... | Chemical foods, etc. ... | 2 2 8 |
| Brice, R. J. ... | Milk ... | 1 5 8 |
| Express Dairy Co., Ltd. ... | Milk ... | 13 14 1 |
| Hawkins, E. ... | Milk ... | 3 8 10 |
| Humphreys, R. ... | Milk ... | 0 6 5 |
| Richards, J., Ltd. ... | Milk ... | 26 13 1 |
| Welford and Son ... | Milk ... | 2 1 8 |
| Sundry Persons ... | Compensation for Allotments ... | 13 7 6 |
| Sundry Persons ... | Refund Private Works Deposits ... | 23 7 9 |
| Sundry Ratepayers ... | Refund of Rates ... | 78 7 4 |
| Cardiff Corporation ... | Loan repayment ... | 345 12 9 |
| Hodge, Miss ... | Interest on Loan ... | 25 4 0 |
| Hull Savings Bank ... | Loan repayment ... | 212 13 7 |
| Legal and General Assurance Society, Ltd. ... | Loan repayment ... | 586 12 8 |
| Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society ... | Loan repayment ... | 85 15 8 |
| Ministry of Health ... | Interest on Loan ... | 11 0 0 |

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| Public Works Loans Board ... | Loan repayment ... | 2118 8 10 |
| Queen Anne's Bounty ... | Loan repayment ... | 681 8 1 |
| Queen Anne's Bounty ... | Loan repayment ... | 86 16 7 |
| Royal London Mutual Insurance Society ... | Loan repayment ... | 141 6 6 |
| Workers' Union Approved Society ... | Loan repayment ... | 145 2 9 |
| Accountant ... | Salaries, February ... | 1169 15 8 |
| Accountant ... | Insurance Deductions and Contributions ... | 4 10 8 |
| Surveyor ... | Petty cash ... | 8 0 10 |
| Hunt, A. O. ... | Petty cash ... | 1 17 4 |
| Legal and General Assurance Society, Ltd. ... | Premium ... | 1 1 3 |
| Justices, Gore Division, per Accountant's account ... | Summons fees ... | 0 10 6 |
| Marshall, J. ... | Emptying cesspools ... | 10 0 0 |
| Commissioners of Inland Revenue ... | On account Income Tax ... | 1500 0 0 |
| Accountant ... | Petty cash ... | 41 8 3 |
| Accountant ... | Wages imprests ... | 3000 0 0 |
| Accountant ... | Balance wages overdrawn ... | 1319 7 5 |
| Hagedorn and Co. ... | Painting Cloister Road Cottages ... | 77 19 6 |
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| Builder, Ltd. ... | Advertisement ... | 4 14 0 |
| Contract Journal, Ltd. ... | Advertisement ... | 3 11 8 |
| Farrow, H. ... | Ashes ... | 135 3 0 |
| Humphries, W., per Accountant's account ... | Lopping trees ... | 15 0 0 |
| Hurling, G. ... | Lopping trees ... | 14 0 0 |
| May, J. ... | Cartage ... | 56 4 6 |
| Rowland, T. ... | Repairs to tools ... | 3 4 0 |
| Stone and Colquhoun ... | Plans, etc. ... | 4 11 0 |
| Warden and Co., Ltd. ... | Advertisement ... | 1 16 9 |
| Adams, Thos. ... | Private Street Works ... | 2465 0 0 |
| Farrow, Howard ... | Roads, Sewers, Brent Hill Housing ... | 1100 0 0 |
| Ramsbotham, G. ... | On account Child's Hill Housing ... | 500 0 0 |
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After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF WORKS AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL COMMITTEE: The Works and Sewage Disposal Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 7th inst. (Agenda page 205). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Fenn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE: The Public Health Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 7th inst. (Agenda page 213). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Councillor Mrs. Bannister,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Egan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF TOWN PLANNING COMMITTEE: The Town Planning Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 14th inst. (Agenda page 215). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Fenn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Fenn, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HOUSING COMMITTEE: The Housing Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 14th inst. (Agenda page 217). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF FIRE BRIGADE COMMITTEE: The Fire Brigade Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 14th inst. (Agenda page 218). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE: The General Purposes Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 21st inst. (Agenda page 221). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 1 of the report of the Committee relative to the proposal for the amendment of the Scheme of Constitution of the Education Committee, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Fenn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That when the matter has been determined, and prior to the meeting of the Council to which the proposed amendment of the Scheme of Constitution will be submitted, particulars of such proposals be circulated amongst the members of the Council for consideration.

BILLS IN PARLIAMENT: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 22 (b) of the report of the Committee in regard to the communication from the Hampstead Garden Suburb Residents' Association, requesting the Council, in connection with their opposition to the Metropolitan Water Board (Various) Powers Bill, to endeavour to prevail upon the Board to construct a footpath between Corringham Road and Hampstead Way for the convenience of the residents of the district. Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the matter be referred to the Officers for a report in regard thereto.

CLERK'S DEPARTMENT STAFF: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 25 of the report of the Committee relative to filling the vacancy occasioned in the Clerk's Department Staff, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the issue of the advertisement inviting applications for a Clerk to fill the vacancy referred to remain in abeyance, and that the matter be further considered by the Staff Committee.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Fenn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE: The Highways Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 21st inst. (Agenda page 225). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

CONDITION OF CHURCH ROAD AND EDGWARE ROAD: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 1 of the report of the Committee relative to the proposal to lay tarred macadam in the sections of road from "The Bell" along Brent Street to its junction with Parson Street, Mr. Councillor Smyrk moved:—
"That the Surveyor make application to the Middlesex County Council to provide in the yearly estimates for laying tarred macadam over the whole route from 'The Bell' to Edgware Road, via Brent Street, Church Road, The Burroughs, and Station Road."

Mr. Councillor Hearn seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting, there voted in favour thereof 3, viz.: Councillors Smyrk, Hearn and Wise; and against the motion 12 viz.: Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Miss Hodge, Mrs. Hargraves, Cartwright, Hare, Hill, Reynolds, Taylor, Tiffen, Roberts, Egan, and McGrath.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

Mr. Councillor Hearn thereupon moved:—

"That the Surveyor submit a report as to the cost of carrying out permanent works from 'The Bell' to Edgware Road with some suitable material and in convenient sections."

Mr. Councillor Teare seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting the Chairman declared the same to be carried.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HOUSING EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE No. 1: The Housing Executive Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 7th inst. (Agenda page 227). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HOUSING EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE No. 2: The Housing Executive Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 21st inst. (Agenda page 228). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

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REPORT OF STAFF COMMITTEE: The Staff Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 14th inst. (Agenda page 229). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

Upon consideration of paragraph No. 1 of the report of the Committee relative to the salaries of the Health Visitors, Mr. Councillor Teare moved, as an amendment:—

“That the salary of Mrs. Bascom be fixed as from the 18th October, 1920, at the rate of £187 10s. per annum, rising by increments of £5 to £197 10s. per annum such salary to be inclusive of uniform allowance.”

Councillor Miss Growse seconded the amendment.

Upon the amendment being submitted to the meeting, the Chairman declared the same to be carried.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Egan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF REQUISITIONS COMMITTEE: The Requisitions Committee submitted the following report of a meeting of the Committee held this evening:—

REPORT OF REQUISITIONS COMMITTEE.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon,

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall this evening. Present: Mr. Councillor Ford (Chairman), and Councillors Cartwright, Egan, Fenn, and Teare.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor submitted a list of goods and materials required in his department, and the same were duly approved.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

CORRESPONDENCE: The Clerk reported the receipt of letters as detailed in his report book, and

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be referred to the respective Committees for consideration in the usual way.

DOCUMENTS FOR SEALING: The Clerk submitted the following documents for sealing by the Council:—

Roads and Public Works, Ltd.—Contract and Bond for construction of sewer extension Colindeep Lane.

Metropolitan Water Board—Agreement as to supply of water (Brent Hill Housing Scheme).

Ramsbotham, G.—Agreement (supplemental to Contract for erection of 37 Artizans' Dwellings).

Ramsbotham, G.—Ditto (Counterpart).

Eastern Telegraph Co., Ltd.—Agreement as to dedication of land at Shirehall Lane.

Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England—Conveyance of land at The Hyde.

Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England—Ditto (duplicate).

Three Petrol Licences as per Fire Brigade Committee Report (Agenda page 218).

20 Housing Bonds as per Housing Bond Register.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hearn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to such documents.

ELECTION, 1921: The Clerk reported the receipt of a letter from the Ministry of Health, transmitting particulars of the dates of proceedings in connection with the forthcoming Elections, also copy of Question and Answer in the House of Commons with regard to the appointment of persons to assist in the conduct of the Elections. Noted.

WAR RELIEF COMMITTEE FUNDS: Reference was made by Mr. Councillor Sturgess (Chairman of the War Relief Committee) to the decision of that Committee at their recent meeting to transfer the balance of the monies under their control to the Local Unemployment Committee formed by the Council, subject to the contributions to the funds of the War Relief Committee raising no objection to the proposal.

Mr. Councillor Sturgess thereupon moved:

“That this Council ratifies the resolution of the War Relief Committee passed by them on the 16th instant, viz.:—‘That the Hon. Secretary be requested to write to each of the Subscribers to the Fund as shown in the account book, informing them that unless within fourteen days from the date of his letter they stated their objection to this course, this Committee proposed to transfer the balance of capital and interest monies now under the control of this Committee to a Local Unemployment Committee to be formed by the Urban District Council, to be applied in such manner as the latter Committee might deem advisable.’ and agrees that on the transfer of the stock and monies standing in the names of Mr. Councillor J. H. Sturgess, and the Clerk of the Council, Mr. Henry Humphris, to the Council or its nominees the Council shall indemnify them against any liability they may be under to any contributor to the fund or in respect of any other matter whatsoever.”

Mr. Councillor Reynolds seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting, the Chairman declared the same to be carried nem. con.

UNEMPLOYMENT: The Chairman reported as to the action which had been taken to constitute a Committee to deal with the question of unemployment in the district, and also as to the persons who had been appointed to act on such Committee.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Soar, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the action taken by the Chairman in the matter be approved.

(Mr. Councillor Smyrk voting against).

STATIONERY TENDERS: The Clerk reported the receipt of tenders received for the supply of stationery.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such tenders be opened and referred to the officers to be scheduled, and that the same be considered by the Finance Committee.

TELEGRAPH LINES: Report from the Surveyor as to an application he had received from H.M. Postmaster General for permission to lay an underground telegraph line along the north side of Babington Road, and an overground telegraph line along a portion of Babington Road to Wroughton Terrace.

An application had also been received for permission to erect a telegraph post on the north-east side of Bridge Lane, at the junction of Hillcrest Avenue.

The Surveyor reported that the applications were in order, and it was decided to approve of the same upon the usual conditions.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE MINUTES: The Minutes of the proceedings of the Hendon Education Committee at meetings held on the 21st day of December, 1920, and the 25th day of January, 1921, having been circulated amongst the members of the Council, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Minutes be received.

IN COMMITTEE—

REFUSE SHOOT—WARNER ROAD: Report from the Surveyor as to his further negotiations with Mr. F. Howkins in connection with the suggestion for the Council to rent a portion of the Brent Reservoir land proposed to be utilised as a shoot.

It was decided to confirm the action taken by the Surveyor, and instructions were given him to proceed further with the negotiations in accordance with the terms of his report.



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AT A SPECIAL MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon, held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 21st day of March, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor A. S. F. Ford, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
 " " S. H. Egan,
 " " T. F. Fenn,
 " " R. Hare,
 " " F. W. Hearn,
 " " C. W. Hill,
 " " J. M. McGrath, J.P.,
 " " A. Roberts,
 " " A. J. Reynolds,
 " " A. B. Soar,
 " " W. A. Smyrk,
 " " W. Taylor,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant).

The Clerk read the notice convening the meeting.

APPOINTMENT OF OVERSEERS: The question of appointing Overseers of the Parish of Hendon was considered and report was made that the present Overseers were prepared to continue to act.

It was moved by Mr. Councillor McGrath seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts and

RESOLVED—That the present Overseers be re-elected Overseers of the Parish of Hendon for the ensuing year as from the 1st proximo, viz. :—

Page, Charles Harrington, 2, Brent Villas, Hendon.
 Egan, Stephen Huntley, "St. Awdry's," 50, Sunny Gardens, Hendon.
 Teare, Robert Arminius Beaumont, "Wingfield," Station Road, Hendon.
 Soar, Arthur Burgess, "Holly Lodge," Station Road, Hendon.
 Thomas, Francis, "Red Lodge," Turners Close, Garden Suburb, Hendon.

(IN COMMITTEE).

ESTIMATES FOR GENERAL DISTRICT RATE: The respective Committees submitted Estimates of their requirements for the year ending 31st March, 1922, and the Estimates and Financial Statements as a whole were considered and slightly amended. It was moved by Mr. Councillor Cartwright seconded by Mr. Councillor Hearn that such Estimates as amended be approved and adopted, and that a General District Rate of 1s. 8d. in the £ be prepared for the half-year ending 30th September next, and brought up for sealing at a Special Meeting of the Council to be convened for Tuesday the 5th proximo at 6 o'clock p.m. Upon the motion being put it was declared to be carried. Mr. Councillor Hill only dissenting.

WORK FOR UNEMPLOYED: Reference was made to the work now proceeding, and the Surveyor suggested that further widening works in Shire Hall Lane, Golders Green Road, and in Daws Lane, Mill Hill could be proceeded with if the Council agreed. It was decided upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare that the works suggested by the Surveyor be put in hand in due course.

A. S. F. Ford
 Chairman.

ESTIMATES,
Works

| Approved Estimate, 1920-21. | EXPENDITURE. | Approx. Outlay, 1920-21. | Approved Estimate, 1921-22. |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| £ 788 | Hendon Recreation Ground | £ 795 | £ 800 |
| 281 | Child's Hill Recreation Ground | 242 | 290 |
| 230 | Open Spaces and Street Trees | 282 | 270 |
| 90 | Naming and Numbering Streets | 75 | 70 |
| 369 | Public Depots | 372 | 380 |
| 195 | Council Cottages | 152 | 95 |
| 726 | Sewers | 725 | 775 |
| 200 | Drainage Conversion and Jobbing Works | 97 | 100 |
| 1002 | Cool Oak Lane Pumping Station | 1026 | 1064 |
| 115 | Brent Low Level Pumping Station | 68 | 95 |
| 4001 | Sewage Outfall Works | 3691 | 3897 |
| 250 | Garage for Steam Wagons | 369 | — |
| <u>£8247</u> | | <u>£7894</u> | <u>£7856</u> |

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| Approved Estimate, 1920-21. | |
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| £ 123 | Hendon Public Sewers |
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Health

| Approved Estimate, 1920-21. | EXPENDITURE. | Approx. Outlay, 1920-21. | Approved Estimate, 1921-22. |
|-----------------------------|--|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| £ 2113 | Sanitation and Prevention of Infectious Diseases | £ 2419 | £ 2120 |
| 215 | Burroughs House | 265 | 235 |
| 36 | Mortuary | 18 | 35 |
| 1998 | Maternity Centres | 2151 | 2277 |
| 2434 | Isolation Hospital | 2535 | 2162 |
| 1402 | Joint Hospital Board | 1410 | 1414 |
| 7434 | Removal of House Refuse | 7450 | 7730 |
| 670 | Removal of House Refuse—Mill Hill | 660 | 670 |
| 426 | Disposal of House Refuse | 487 | 572 |
| 350 | Emptying Cesspools | 327 | 350 |
| <u>£17078</u> | | <u>£17722</u> | <u>£17565</u> |

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| Approved Estimate, 1920-21. | |
|-----------------------------|------------|
| £ 32 | Sanitation |
| 100 | Burroughs |
| — | Mortuary |
| 512 | Maternity |
| 265 | Ditto—Go |
| 20 | Isolation |
| 20 | Removal |
| — | Cesspools |
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| 36 | Bur |
| 1221 | Mort |
| 2414 | Mat |
| 1402 | Isola |
| 7414 | Joint |
| 670 | Rem |
| 426 | Rem |
| 350 | Dispo |
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Fire Brigade

| Approved Estimate, 1920-21. | EXPENDITURE. | Approx. Outlay, 1920-21. | Approved Estimate, 1921-22. |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| £ 2930 | Fire Brigade | £ 2897 | £ 3200 |
| 240 | Motor Ambulance | 191 | 180 |
| <u>£3170</u> | | <u>£3088</u> | <u>£3380</u> |

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| Approved Estimate, 1920-21. | |
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| £ 60 | Fire Brigad |
| 120 | Motor Amb |
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| Approx. Outlay, 1920-21. | Works Approved Estimate, 1921-22. |
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| £ 795 | £ |
| 242 | 800 |
| 282 | 290 |
| 75 | 270 |
| 372 | 70 |
| 152 | 380 |
| 725 | 95 |
| 97 | 775 |
| 1026 | 100 |
| 68 | 1064 |
| 3691 | 95 |
| 369 | 3897 |
| £7894 | £7894 |

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| Approved Estimate, 1920-21. | | INCOME. | Approx. Outlay, 1920-21. | Approved Estimate, 1921-22. |
|-----------------------------|---|---------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| £ | | | £ | £ |
| 123 | Hendon Recreation Ground | ... | 143 | 125 |
| 175 | Public Depot | ... | 4 | 5 |
| 400 | Sewers | ... | 25 | 50 |
| 698 | Outfall Works | ... | 464 | 250 |
| | From Rate | ... | 7258 | — |
| | | | | |
| 665 | BALANCES REQUIRED TO BE PROVIDED BY RATE:— | | | |
| 281 | Hendon Recreation Ground | ... | £ | |
| 230 | Child's Hill Recreation Ground | ... | 675 | |
| 90 | Open Spaces and Street Trees | ... | 290 | |
| 369 | Naming and Numbering Streets | ... | 270 | |
| 195 | Public Depots | ... | 70 | |
| 551 | Council Cottages | ... | 375 | |
| 200 | Sewers | ... | 95 | |
| | Drainage Conversion and Jobbing Works | ... | 725 | |
| 1002 | Cool Oak Lane Pumping Station | ... | 100 | |
| 115 | Brent Low Level Pumping Station | ... | 1064 | |
| 3601 | Sewerage, Outfall Works | ... | 95 | |
| 250 | Garage for Steam Wagons | ... | 3647 | |
| | | | | 7406 |
| £8247 | | | £7894 | £7836 |

Health

| Approx. Outlay, 1920-21. | Health Approved Estimate, 1921-22. |
|--------------------------|------------------------------------|
| £ | £ |
| 2419 | 2120 |
| 265 | 235 |
| 18 | 35 |
| 2151 | 2277 |
| 2535 | 2162 |
| 1410 | 1414 |
| 7450 | 7721 |
| 660 | 670 |
| 487 | 572 |
| 327 | 350 |
| £17722 | £17565 |

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| Approved Estimate, 1920-21. | | INCOME. | Approx. Outlay, 1920-21. | Approved Estimate, 1921-22. |
|-----------------------------|---|---------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| £ | | | £ | £ |
| 32 | Sanitation | ... | 44 | 43 |
| 100 | Burroughs House | ... | 96 | 90 |
| — | Mortuary | ... | 2 | 1 |
| 512 | Maternity Centres—Sales, etc. | ... | 500 | 304 |
| 265 | Ditto—Government Grant | ... | 532 | 1000 |
| 20 | Isolation Hospital | ... | 59 | 22 |
| 20 | Removal of House Refuse | ... | 10 | 9 |
| — | Cesspools | ... | 7 | — |
| 949 | From Rate | ... | 16472 | — |
| | | | | |
| 2081 | BALANCES REQUIRED TO BE PROVIDED BY RATE:— | | | |
| 115 | Sanitation and Prevention of Infectious Diseases | ... | £ | |
| 36 | Burroughs House | ... | 2077 | |
| 1221 | Mortuary | ... | 145 | |
| 2414 | Maternity Centres | ... | 34 | |
| 1402 | Isolation Hospital | ... | 773 | |
| 7414 | Joint Hospital Board | ... | 2140 | |
| 670 | Removal of House Refuse | ... | 1414 | |
| 426 | Removal of House Refuse—Mill Hill | ... | 7721 | |
| 350 | Disposal of House Refuse | ... | 670 | |
| | Emptying Cesspools | ... | 572 | |
| | | | 350 | |
| | | | | 17396 |
| £17078 | | | £17722 | £17565 |

Fire Brigade

| Approx. Outlay, 1920-21. | Fire Brigade Approved Estimate, 1921-22. |
|--------------------------|--|
| £ | £ |
| 2897 | 3050 |
| 191 | 180 |
| £3088 | £3380 |

Committee.

| Approved Estimate, 1920-21. | | INCOME. | Approx. Outlay, 1920-21. | Approved Estimate, 1921-22. |
|-----------------------------|--|---------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| £ | | | £ | £ |
| 60 | Fire Brigade | ... | 75 | 150 |
| 120 | Motor Ambulance | ... | 245 | 225 |
| 2990 | From Rate | ... | 2768 | — |
| | | | | |
| | BALANCE REQUIRED TO BE PROVIDED BY RATE:— | | | |
| | Fire Brigade | ... | £ | |
| | Less Surplus on Ambulance | ... | 3050 | |
| | | | 45 | |
| | | | | 3005 |
| £3170 | | | £3088 | £3380 |

Highways

| Approved Estimate, 1920-21. £ | EXPENDITURE. | Approx. Outlay, 1920-21. £ | Approved Estimate, 1921-22. £ |
|----------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| MAIN ROADS— | | | |
| 4932 | Edgware Main Road | 4887 | 5097 |
| 377 | Ditto, Footpaths | 140 | 440 |
| 3454 | Finchley Main Road | 2947 | 3615 |
| 385 | Ditto, Footpaths | 332 | 588 |
| 1694 | Cricklewood Lane | 723 | 1325 |
| 85 | Ditto, Footpaths | 155 | 130 |
| 5059 | Other Main Roads | 4628 | 5063 |
| 234 | Ditto, Footpaths | 212 | 233 |
| — | Tarmac Re-surfacing, Brent Street, etc. ... | — | 2310 |
| 853 | Maintenance under Contracts—Main Roads ... | 994 | 568 |
| 728 | Tar Painting—Main Roads | 728 | 1267 |
| 17201 | | 15746 | 20636 |
| GENERAL HIGHWAYS— | | | |
| 12615 | Highways—Road Maintenance | 13602 | 14131 |
| 550 | Ditto, Footpaths | 788 | 967 |
| 1125 | Ditto, Tar Painting | 1141 | 1540 |
| 10314 | Public Lighting—General | 10955 | 11215 |
| 1112 | Ditto, Lyons and Harvists Fund | 1069 | 1065 |
| £42917 | | £43301 | £49554 |

Housing

| Approved Estimate, 1920-21. £ | EXPENDITURE. | Approx. Outlay, 1920-21. £ | Approved Estimate, 1921-22. £ |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 2000 | New Housing Schemes | 2037 | 2100 |

General Purposes

| Approved Estimate, 1920-21. £ | EXPENDITURE. | Approx. Outlay, 1920-21. £ | Approved Estimate, 1921-22. £ |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 8701 | Salaries | 8755 | 8940 |
| 1013 | Town Hall | 1071 | 1188 |
| — | Ditto Special | — | 600 |
| 150 | Establishment Expenses | 325 | 225 |
| — | War Memorial | 197 | — |
| 300 | Legal Expenses | 750 | 300 |
| 200 | Election Expenses | 66 | 150 |
| £10364 | | £11164 | £11403 |

Finance

| Approved Estimate, 1920-21. £ | EXPENDITURE. | Approx. Outlay, 1920-21. £ | Approved Estimate, 1921-22. £ |
|----------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1100 | Printing, Stationery, Advertising and Office Equipment | 1225 | 1100 |
| 200 | Postage and Receipt Stamps | 256 | 300 |
| 420 | Insurances and Stamp Duty | 500 | 600 |
| 18236 | Loan charges | 17005 | 18604 |
| 400 | Land, Edgware Road | 360 | — |
| — | Tithe Redemption | 116 | — |
| £20356 | | £19492 | £20604 |

Committee.

| Approved Estimate, 1920-21. £ | |
|----------------------------------|--------|
| 18151 | Main |
| 200 | Ditto |
| 30 | Reins |
| 800 | Publi |
| — | Lyons |
| — | Front |
| — | BALA |
| 853 | Main |
| 12287 | Highw |
| 10284 | Public |
| 312 | Lyons |
| £42917 | |

Committee.

| Approved Estimate, 1920-21. £ | |
|----------------------------------|-------------|
| 2000 | From REQUIR |

Committee.

| Approved Estimate, 1920-21. £ | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|
| 550 | Salaries |
| 255 | Public |
| — | Certifica |
| — | National |
| 15 | Profiteer |
| 100 | Sundry |
| — | Repayme |
| — | From R |
| 920 | |
| 8131 | BALANCE |
| 758 | Salaries |
| 135 | Town H |
| 250 | Ditto, Sp |
| 200 | Establish |
| — | Legal Ex |
| — | Election |
| £10364 | |

Committee.

| Approved Estimate, 1920-21. £ | |
|----------------------------------|------------------|
| 45 | Printing, Overse |
| 1087 | Stamp Du |
| — | Insurance |
| — | Bank Inter |
| 1132 | From Rate |
| 1100 | BALANCES |
| 200 | Printi |
| 375 | Postag |
| 17149 | Insura |
| 400 | Loan |
| — | Land. |
| £20356 | |

Committee.

| Approved Estimate, 1920-21. | | INCOME. | Approx. Outlay, 1920-21. | Approved Estimate, 1921-22. |
|-----------------------------|---|---------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| £ 18151 | Main Roads | | £ 16555 | £ 20068 |
| 200 | Ditto, in lieu of Interest | | | 2144 |
| 30 | Reinstating Trenches, etc. | | 364 | 300 |
| 800 | Public Lighting | | 51 | 40 |
| | Lyons and Harvists Funds | | 694 | 700 |
| | From Rate | | 25637 | |
| | BALANCES REQUIRED TO BE PROVIDED BY RATE:— | | | |
| 853 | Main Roads (Maintenance under Contracts) | | £ 568 | |
| 12287 | Highways—General | | 14194 | |
| 10284 | Public Lighting | | 11175 | |
| 312 | Lyons and Harvists Fund | | 365 | |
| | | | | 26302 |
| <u>£42917</u> | | | <u>£43301</u> | <u>£49554</u> |

Committee.

| Approved Estimate, 1920-21. | | INCOME. | Approx. Outlay, 1920-21. | Approved Estimate, 1921-22. |
|-----------------------------|--|---------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| £ 2000 | From Rate | | £ 2037 | £ — |
| | REQUIRED TO BE PROVIDED BY RATE | | | £2100 |

Committee.

| Approved Estimate, 1920-21. | | INCOME. | Approx. Outlay, 1920-21. | Approved Estimate, 1921-22. |
|-----------------------------|---|---------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| £ 550 | Salaries and Fees | | £ 605 | £ 600 |
| 255 | Public Offices | | 352 | 350 |
| — | Certificate "B" Subsidy Buildings | | 125 | 75 |
| — | National Registration—Final Payment | | 113 | — |
| — | Profiteering Account—Fines, etc. | | 8 | — |
| 15 | Sundry Licences | | 18 | 15 |
| 100 | Repayment Rate Costs | | 127 | 120 |
| — | From Rate | | 9816 | — |
| <u>920</u> | | | | |
| | BALANCES REQUIRED TO BE PROVIDED BY RATE:— | | | |
| 8151 | Salaries | | £ 8340 | |
| 758 | Town Hall | | 838 | |
| — | Ditto, Special | | 600 | |
| 135 | Establishment Expenses | | 135 | |
| 250 | Legal Expenses | | 180 | |
| 200 | Election Expenses | | 150 | |
| | | | | 10243 |
| <u>£10364</u> | | | <u>£11164</u> | <u>£11403</u> |

Committee.

| Approved Estimate, 1920-21. | | INCOME. | Approx. Outlay, 1920-21. | Approved Estimate, 1921-22. |
|-----------------------------|--|---------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| £ — | Printing, Stationery, etc., chargeable to Overseers | | £ 79 | £ 80 |
| — | Stamp Duty repaid | | 43 | 40 |
| 45 | Insurance Commissions and Rebates | | 78 | 50 |
| 1087 | Bank Interest and Sundry Dividends | | 1225 | 1000 |
| — | From Rate | | 18067 | — |
| <u>1132</u> | | | | |
| | BALANCES REQUIRED TO BE PROVIDED BY RATE:— | | | |
| 1100 | Printing and Stationery | | £ 1020 | |
| 200 | Postage and Receipt Stamps | | 300 | |
| 375 | Insurances and Stamp Duty | | 510 | |
| 17149 | Loan Charges | | 17604 | |
| 400 | Land, Edgware Road | | — | |
| | | | | 19434 |
| <u>£20356</u> | | | <u>£19492</u> | <u>£20604</u> |

Highway

| Approx. Outlay, 1920-21. | Approved Estimate, 1921-22. |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| £ 4887 | £ — |
| 140 | 5067 |
| 2947 | 440 |
| 332 | 3615 |
| 723 | 388 |
| 155 | 1325 |
| 4628 | 130 |
| 212 | 5093 |
| — | 230 |
| 994 | 2910 |
| 728 | 568 |
| 15746 | 1907 |
| 13602 | 20630 |
| 788 | 14131 |
| 1141 | 967 |
| 10955 | 1540 |
| 1069 | 11215 |
| £43301 | £49554 |

Housing

| Approx. Outlay, 1920-21. | Approved Estimate, 1921-22. |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| £ 2037 | £ 2100 |

General Purposes

| Approx. Outlay, 1920-21. | Approved Estimate, 1921-22. |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| £ 8755 | £ 8340 |
| 1071 | 1188 |
| — | 600 |
| 325 | 235 |
| 197 | — |
| 750 | 300 |
| 66 | 150 |
| <u>£11164</u> | <u>£11403</u> |

Finance

| Approx. Outlay, 1920-21. | Approved Estimate, 1921-22. |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| £ 1225 | £ 1100 |
| 256 | 300 |
| 500 | 600 |
| 17005 | 18604 |
| 360 | — |
| 116 | — |
| <u>£19492</u> | <u>£20604</u> |

Summary of Net Expenditure—All Committees.

| Approved Estimate, 1920-21. | NET EXPENDITURE— | Approx. Outlay, 1920-21. | Approved, Estimate, 1921-22. |
|-----------------------------|---|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| £ | | £ | £ |
| 7549 | Works Committee | 7258 | 7406 |
| 16129 | Health Committee | 16472 | 15896 |
| 2990 | Fire Brigade Committee | 2768 | 3005 |
| 23736 | Highways Committee | 25637 | 26302 |
| 2000 | Housing Committee | 2037 | 2100 |
| 9444 | General Purposes Committee | 9816 | 10243 |
| 19224 | Finance Committee | 18067 | 19434 |
| — | Special Items added 21st March, 1921— | — | — |
| — | Daws Lane | — | 450 |
| — | Shirehall Lane | — | 300 |
| — | Bridge Lane | — | 200 |
| 81072 | | 82055 | 85336 |
| 636 | Deduct Government Contribution in Lieu of Rates | 672 | 700 |
| 80436 | | 81383 | 84636 |
| 81552 | Amount from Rates | 82993 | |
| £1116 | Surplus—To deduct, 1921-22 | £1610 | 1610 |
| | AMOUNT TO BE RAISED, YEAR 1921-22 | | £83026 |
| | A Moiety of £83,026 = | | £41513 |

ESTIMATE OF AMOUNT TO BE RAISED FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDING 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1921.

| | £ |
|--|-------|
| Estimated Produce of Rate at 1s. 8d. in the £ (see details below) | 42200 |
| Estimated Expenditure, i.e., a moiety of the amount required to be raised for the year, as above (£83,026 ÷ 2) = | 41513 |
| Surplus to ensuing half-year | £ 687 |

PARTICULARS OF RATEABLE VALUE FOR APRIL, 1921, RATE—
PRODUCT OF RATE—APPORTIONMENT OF AMOUNT LEVIED.

| District. | Buildings. | Land. | Compounding 80 per cent. | Total R.V. |
|----------------|------------|-------|--------------------------|------------|
| | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| Mill Hill | 42846 | 1105 | 1338 | 45289 |
| West Hendon | 42832 | 551 | 11307 | 54690 |
| Central Hendon | 79732 | 505 | 5682 | 85919 |
| Child's Hill | 86368 | 150 | 5620 | 92138 |
| Golders Green | 97857 | 6976 | — | 104833 |
| Bridge Lane | 46211 | 33 | 426 | 46670 |
| Garden Suburb | 87569 | 389 | 4870 | 92828 |
| | £483415 | £9709 | £29243 | |

TOTAL RATEABLE VALUE OF DISTRICT ... £522367

ESTIMATED PRODUCE OF RATE:—

| | |
|---|---------------------|
| 1d. in the £ on £52,2367 Rateable Value = | £ 2176 |
| Less 3 per cent. for Empties, etc. | 66 |
| Net Produce of 1d. = | £2110 |
| | £2110 × 20 = £42200 |

APPORTIONMENT OF AMOUNT LEVIED:—

| | |
|--|---------|
| Sewage Disposal and Sewerage | d. 1.44 |
| Dust Removal and Disposal | 2.12 |
| Hospital and Public Health Services | 1.55 |
| Highways, Maintenance and Repairs | 3.80 |
| Public Lighting | 2.73 |
| Fire Brigade | .71 |
| Salaries | 1.96 |
| Establishment Charges | .72 |
| Loan Repayment and Interest | 4.16 |
| Recreation Grounds, Street Trees and Open Spaces | .31 |
| Housing | .50 |

20.00 = s. d. 1 8

AT A MEETING held at the 28th

The Clerk read the BRENT HILL FARM: Letter from Messrs. Buller, Chairman and officer cover compensation was decided that the sisting of Councillor GREATER LONDON: The and Accountant he minster, to discuss a of Local Authorities to attend this Meeting

Minutes.

AT A MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon (in Committee) held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W. on Monday, the 28th day of February, 1921.

PRESENT:

- Mr. Councillor A. S. F. Ford, J.P. (Chairman),
- Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
- Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
- Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
- Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
- Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
- " " S. H. Egan,
- " " T. F. Fenn,
- " " R. Hare,
- " " F. W. Hearn,
- " " C. W. Hill,
- " " J. M. McGrath, J.P.,
- " " A. Roberts,
- " " A. J. Reynolds,
- " " W. A. Smyrk,
- " " W. Taylor,
- " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
- " " L. E. V. Tiffen,
- " " R. J. Wise,
- Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
- Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),

The Clerk read the notice convening the meeting of the Council (in committee).

BRENT HILL FARM: Letter from Messrs. E. Bevir and Son, transmitting copy of a communication received from Messrs. Bulleraig and Davis (Mr. W. J. Smith, Solicitors), as the outcome of the interview of the Chairman and officers to discuss possible terms of settlement of the action instituted by Mr. Smith to recover compensation alleged to be due to him under his lease of Brent Hill Farm. After some discussion it was decided that the proposals contained in the letter should be considered by a Special Committee consisting of Councillors Ford, Sturgess and Hill.

GREATER LONDON: The Chairman reported that accompanied by Mr. Councillor Cartwright and the Clerk and Accountant he had that afternoon attended a Conference of Local Authorities at the Guildhall Westminster, to discuss a project proposed to be initiated by the London County Council to absorb the areas of Local Authorities around London into the County of London. At the time of leaving the Conference to attend this Meeting no resolution had been arrived at.

Mr. S. F. Ford
Chairman.

Approved,
Estimate,
1921-22.
£

7406
15896
3005
26302
2100
10243
19434

450
300
200

85336
700

84636

1610

£83026

£41513

R, 1921.

... 42200
as
... 41513
... £ 687

Total
R.V.
£

45289
54690
85919
92138
104833
46670
92828

... £522367

... = £42200

d.
1.44
2.12
1.55
3.80
2.73
.71
1.96
.72
4.16
.31
.50

20.00 = s. d.
1 8

Minutes.

AT A SPECIAL MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon (in Committee), held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 7th day of March, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor A. S. F. Ford, J.P., (Chairman),
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
 " " S. H. Egan,
 " " R. Hare,
 " " F. W. Hearn,
 " " C. W. Hill,
 " " A. Roberts,
 " " A. J. Reynolds,
 " " A. B. Soar,
 " " W. A. Smyrk,
 " " J. H. Sturgess,
 " " W. Taylor,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant).

The Clerk read the notice convening the Meeting.

EDGWARE ROAD: Report from the Surveyor as to a communication received from the County Engineer and Surveyor relating to the work of reconstruction of the Edgware Road, intimating that the Highways Sub-Committee of the County Council had considered the scheme at a total estimated cost of £136,000, and had agreed to express to the full Committee general approval of the scheme and they desired that tenders be obtained and submitted upon which they would make recommendations to the full Committee for placing before the Finance Committee and the County Council. Mr. Dyland intimated that such recommendation would probably make a proviso that the Hendon Council should pay half the cost of the slab paving. He pointed out that the Metropolitan Electric Tramways Company had notified him that they would be ready to commence the reconstruction of their track on the 1st April so that it was desirable to obtain tenders without delay in order that the Contractor might work in conjunction with the track laying. The Tramway Company had intimated their intention to reconstruct the whole of the length in the Hendon Urban District, but expected only to be able to do about a mile and a half in the current year and they desired to execute a length from the Willesden boundary to the "Welsh Harp," and to miss the section through West Hendon, and then proceed to the length from Silk Stream Bridge to Colindeep Lane.

The Surveyor pointed out that the total amount included in the Estimate over the whole length of road for footpath work amounted to £24,000, of which one half of £12,000 was comprised in the section proposed to be carried out during the present year. It was suggested that in view of the present high prices of slab paving, a considerable portion of this cost might be postponed by providing a paved footway on one side of the road only, on this section when the road was undeveloped.

IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED—Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hearn that the Council agree to the proposals above submitted on the understanding that the Council's contribution be limited to one half of the cost of the paving of the footpaths.

UNEMPLOYED FUNDS: It was agreed that the promoters of the Concert in aid of these Funds on the 31st instant should have the use of the Council Chamber, Stage and Piano free of cost.

PAY ORDER: The Treasurer submitted a Pay Order for the following sums, and the same was passed:—

| | |
|---|------------|
| Improved Concrete Construction Co. (Certificate re Brent Hill Scheme) ... | £2,500 0 0 |
| Drinkwater, W. (Cartage, etc.) ... | £113 2 5 |

A. S. F. Ford
 Chairman.

AT A MEETING
 Town Hall,
 April, 1921.

The Clerk read the
 ESTIMATE FOR GENERAL
 the year ending the 31st

IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY
 Councillor Roberts
 to meet the expenses of
 Common Seal

COAL EMERGENCY ORDER: It
 been issued by the Minister
 (Emergency) Order, 1921, in
 upon the Council and
 necessary to provide
 tions, 1921, of the fuel
 the motion of Mr. Councillor

IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY
 the Officer to

IN COMMITTEE

The Chairman reported the
 with any emergency

MILK SUPPLY: The Chairman
 instant upon the subject
 that the Minister had
 undertaken for the purpose
 by the Food Controller,
 of Health, had been met
 the Maternity and Child

It was requested that
 a statement showing the
 during the following six

It was decided to discuss
 on Monday next at 8.30
 matter at that meeting.

HOUSING SCHEMES: A Pay
 Improved Concrete
 Ramptonham,
 and it was resolved that

Reference was made to
 Hill Farm and Cluster B

IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY
 the Clerk write to
 Executive Committee

The Chairman of the
 go into the matter.

PUBLIC LIGHTING: It was
 as to the modification of

ASSISTANT MEDICAL OFFICER:
 tendered her resignation and
 the selected candidate, should
 issued.

It was decided to advise
 the Medical Officer of Health

Minutes.

AT A MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Tuesday, the 5th day of April, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor A. S. F. Ford, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
 " " S. H. Egan,
 " " T. F. Fenn,
 " " R. Hare,
 " " F. W. Hearn,
 " " J. M. McGrath, J.P.,
 " " T. Page,
 " " A. Roberts,
 " " A. B. Soar,
 " " W. A. Smyrk,
 " " W. Taylor,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant),

The Clerk read the notice convening the Meeting.

ESTIMATE FOR GENERAL DISTRICT RATE: The Council gave consideration to the detailed Estimates for the year ending the 31st day of March, 1922, already agreed upon by the full Council, sitting in Committee.

IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED—Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts, that such Estimates be approved, and that a General District Rate of 1s. 8d. in the £ to meet the expenses of the Council for the half-year ending 30th September next be made, and that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed thereto.

COAL EMERGENCY ORDER: The Clerk reported the receipt of Coal (Emergency) Directions, 1921, which had been issued by the Minister of Health, and copy of an Order known as the Local Authorities (Coal Emergency) Order, 1921, made by the Minister of Health under the Emergency Regulations, 1921, and conferring upon the Council and such Officer as they might designate or appoint for the purpose, the powers and duties necessary to provide for the due discharge within this district in conformity with the Emergency Regulations, 1921, of the functions assigned to Local Authorities by the Coal (Emergency) Directions, 1921. Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That Mr. A. O. Knight (the Engineer and Surveyor of the Council), be appointed the Officer to carry out the duties under the Order.

IN COMMITTEE.

The Chairman reported the receipt of a communication from the Divisional Officer, Board of Trade, as to dealing with any emergency in connection with the supply of foodstuffs.

MILK SUPPLY: The Chairman referred to the issue of a circular letter from the Ministry of Health on the 4th instant upon the subject of the supply of milk for expectant and nursing mothers, and for infants, intimating that the Minister had re-considered the arrangements to be observed as a condition of his sanction to schemes undertaken for the purpose, and of grant of expenditure thereon. The Milk and Mothers' Order, 1919, made by the Food Controller, and the Local Authorities Milk (Mothers and Children) Order, 1919, made by the Minister of Health, had been revoked, and Local Authorities must in future obtain the sanction of the Minister under the Maternity and Child Welfare Act, 1918, to schemes for milk supply.

It was requested that within three weeks of the receipt of the letter the Local Authorities would submit a statement showing the total expenditure which it was estimated would be incurred on the supply of milk during the following six months under the revised conditions of supply.

It was decided to deal with the matter at a Special Meeting of the Public Health Committee, to be held on Monday next at 5.30 p.m., and the Medical Officer of Health was requested to submit a report upon the matter at that meeting.

HOUSING SCHEMES: A Pay Order was submitted in respect of Certificates, as follows:—

| | |
|--|-----------|
| Improved Concrete Construction Co. ... | £4000 0 0 |
| Ramsbotham, G. ... | £1900 0 0 |

and it was resolved that the same be passed.

Reference was made to the slow progress made in connection with the completion of the schemes at Brent Hill Farm and Cloister Road, and

IT WAS RESOLVED—Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Soar, seconded by Mr. Councillor Egan, that the Clerk write to the Architect upon the matter asking him to submit a special report at the Housing Executive Committee on Monday next, at 5.30 p.m., and requesting his attendance at that meeting.

The Chairman of the Council arranged to meet the Architect on the site on Thursday next at 3 o'clock to go into the matter.

PUBLIC LIGHTING: It was decided that if necessity arose the Surveyor get into touch with the Police Authorities as to the modification of the present arrangements for Public Lighting.

ASSISTANT MEDICAL OFFICER: The Chairman of the Public Health Committee reported that Mrs. Dunlop had tendered her resignation as Assistant Medical Officer of Health, and it was suggested that Mrs. Leitch, one of the selected candidates, should be appointed to act temporarily upon the terms of the advertisement recently issued.

It was decided to adopt this suggestion, it being agreed, ~~however that no action should be taken until~~ the Medical Officer of Health had reported upon the matter.

Shall report

Chairman.

Urban

DEAR SIR, or

I beg to
of Hendon with
on Monday next
for the purpose

1. To confirm
2. Question
3. Reports
4. Report of
5. Reports of
6. Report of
7. Report of
8. Report of
9. Reports of
10. Reports of
11. Reports of
12. Report of
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15. Report of C
16. Report of
17. Education

Special Public
Housing Executive
The Requisitions
Committees,

Urban District Council of Hendon.

TOWN HALL,

HENDON, N.W.

7th April, 1921.

DEAR SIR, OR MADAM,

I beg to inform you that a Meeting of the Urban District Council of Hendon will be held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday next, the 11th day of April, 1921, at 6 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of transacting the following business, namely:—

Agenda:

1. To confirm Minutes of previous Meetings.
2. Questions.
3. Reports of Finance Committee.
4. Report of Works and Sewage Disposal Committee.
5. Reports of Public Health Committee.
6. Report of Town Planning Committee.
7. Report of Housing Committee.
8. Report of Fire Brigade Committee.
9. Reports of General Purposes Committee.
10. Reports of Highways Committee.
11. Reports of Housing Executive Committee.
12. Report of Requisitions Committee.
13. Receive Tenders for Public Convenience.
14. Receive Tenders for Re-construction Works in Edgware Road.
15. Report of Clerk.
16. Report of Surveyor.
17. Education Committee (Minutes).

I am, Dear Sir or Madam,

Yours faithfully,

HENRY HUMPHRIS,

Clerk to the Council.

Special Public Health Committee, at 5.30 p.m.

Housing Executive Committee, at 5.30 p.m.

The Requisitions Committee, consisting of the Chairmen of the Standing Committees, at 5.50 p.m.

Report of Finance Committee, No. 1.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 14th day of March, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Cartwright (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Hodge, Mrs. Hargraves, Hearn, Roberts, Sturgess, and Soar.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—ESTIMATE FOR GENERAL DISTRICT RATE: That they had under consideration the estimate of the Committee's requirements for the year ending 31st March, 1922, and

RECOMMEND—That the same be approved, as amended, and referred to a Committee of the whole Council for consideration.

Report of Finance Committee, No. 2.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 21st day of March, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Cartwright (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Hodge, Mrs. Hargraves, Hearn, McGrath, Roberts, Soar, Teare, and Tiffen.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, ETC.: Your Committee have examined the Treasurer's Pass Book and Cash Books, and report that the total receipts from all sources since the last meeting amounted to the sum of £3,822 10s. 0d., making a total of £328,813 14s. 6d. for the current financial year.

| Description. | INCOME. | | Total. £ s. d. |
|--|---|--|-------------------|
| | Amounts previously Reported. £ s. d. | Amounts now Reported. £ s. d. | |
| Rateable Accounts— | | | |
| Hendon Recreation Ground ... | 140 18 9 | 2 0 5 | 142 19 2 |
| Sewage Farm Rents, etc. ... | 245 4 2 | 181 9 3 | 426 13 5 |
| Sanitary Department, Disinfecting, etc. | 32 8 0 | 3 1 0 | 35 9 0 |
| Use of Mortuary ... | | 1 1 0 | 1 1 0 |
| Burroughs House, rent, etc. ... | 75 7 2 | 3 9 9 | 78 16 11 |
| Maternity Centres and Midwifery ... | 1107 4 4 | 37 6 5 | 1144 10 9 |
| Fire Brigade, expenses, etc., recovered | 69 0 1 | 6 3 8 | 75 3 9 |
| Motor Ambulance, fees ... | 147 16 0 | 4 5 6 | 152 1 6 |
| Highways and Main Roads ... | 17136 3 6 | 191 17 11 | 17328 1 5 |
| Street Lighting, damage recovered ... | 10 8 11 | 16 10 4 | 26 19 3 |
| Lyons and Harvists Fund ... | 640 13 2 | | 640 13 2 |
| Salaries Account, fees, etc. ... | 1619 9 9 | 851 18 9 | 2471 8 6 |
| Establishment and Legal Expenses ... | 764 0 3 | 246 11 3 | 1010 11 6 |
| Public Offices, lettings ... | 335 8 3 | 19 10 0 | 354 18 3 |
| Stables Account, insurances, etc. ... | 43 12 6 | | 43 12 6 |
| Building Certificates ... | 114 9 0 | 15 15 0 | 130 4 0 |
| Damage to Steam Roller, recovered ... | 100 0 0 | | 100 0 0 |
| Interest and Dividends ... | 5242 11 5 | | 5242 11 5 |
| Public Depot, old iron sales ... | 86 18 0 | | 86 18 0 |
| General District Rates Costs ... | 82597 4 11 | 496 7 0 | 83093 11 11 |
| Government contribution in lieu of Rates ... | | | |
| Workmen's Compensation, recovered ... | 672 15 0 | | 672 15 0 |
| Loan Charges, tax repaid ... | 30 14 9 | | 30 14 9 |
| Pumping Station—Refund of rent ... | 241 9 8 | | 241 9 8 |
| | 2 1 3 | | 2 1 3 |
| | £111455 18 10 | 2077 7 3 | 113533 6 1 |
| Suspense Accounts— | | | |
| National Kitchens ... | 821 9 11 | | 821 9 11 |
| Allotments ... | 351 18 11 | | 351 18 11 |
| Lands Cultivation Orders ... | 149 15 9 | 84 13 9 | 233 29 8 |
| Fuel Orders, sales of coal ... | 701 6 2 | 56 15 6 | 757 11 8 |
| Child's Hill Housing, rents ... | 1141 9 7 | | 1141 9 7 |
| Food Control, repayments ... | 588 3 8 | 115 0 8 | 703 3 6 |
| Private Works ... | 1403 3 7 | 358 0 3 | 1761 3 4 |
| Tender Deposits ... | 130 11 0 | 96 18 0 | 226 29 0 |
| Private Improvements ... | 2840 16 1 | | 2840 16 1 |
| Sinking Fund Contributions ... | 825 0 0 | 68 15 1 | 893 15 1 |
| Brent Street Combined Drainage ... | 35 0 0 | | 35 0 0 |
| Assisted Housing—Exchequer Subsidy ... | 227 10 0 | | 227 10 0 |
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| Loans, No. 2, Housing | ... | ... | 179939 | 0 | 0 | | 179939 | 0 | 0 |
| Housing Bonds | ... | ... | 24380 | 0 | 0 | 965 0 0 | 25345 | 0 | 0 |
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SUMMARY OF INCOME TO DATE.

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| Rateable Accounts | ... | ... | 111455 | 18 | 10 | 2077 7 3 | 113533 | 6 | 1 |
| Suspense Accounts | ... | ... | 9216 | 4 | 8 | 780 3 3 | 9996 | 7 | 11 |
| Capital Accounts | ... | ... | 204319 | 0 | 0 | 965 0 0 | 205284 | 0 | 0 |
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2.—RATE COLLECTION: They have also examined the Statement as to the rate collection, and find that there has been collected and paid to the Treasurer since the last meeting the sum of £477 0s. 3d. on account of rates, and £19 6s. 9d. on account of costs

3.—STATEMENT OF BALANCES: They have also examined the Cash Book and Statement of Treasurer's Balances, which they found correct, and report that the total balance in hand amounted to £142,099 5s. 10d.

4.—ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT: They have also considered the various accounts submitted for payment, amounting to the sum of £22,997 13s. 9d., and

RECOMMEND—That the same be passed and cheques drawn for the various amounts.

5.—EXPENDITURE JOURNALS, GENERAL AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS: That they have examined these Journals, and

RECOMMEND—That the Personal Accounts in the Ledger be credited, and the various Impersonal Accounts debited with the amounts of the Invoices, as per the following Statement showing outlay to date:—

EXPENDITURE.

RATEABLE ACCOUNTS.

| Account Chargeable. | Payments previously Reported. | | | Amounts now Reported. | | | Total. | | |
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| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| Main Roads | 7735 | 11 | 8 | 416 | 6 | 11 | 8151 | 18 | 7 |
| Highways | 6272 | 7 | 3 | 452 | 3 | 0 | 6724 | 10 | 3 |
| Repainting | 902 | 16 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 6 | 904 | 19 | 6 |
| Dust and Refuse Removal | 774 | 2 | 11 | 100 | 5 | 0 | 874 | 7 | 11 |
| Emptying Cesspools | 226 | 10 | 0 | 81 | 10 | 0 | 308 | 0 | 0 |
| Public Lighting | 8704 | 2 | 8 | 7 | 0 | 7 | 8711 | 3 | 3 |
| Sewers Maintenance | 183 | 16 | 0 | 8 | 18 | 6 | 192 | 14 | 6 |
| Pumping Stations | 300 | 8 | 9 | 7 | 5 | 8 | 307 | 14 | 5 |
| Outfall Works | 795 | 1 | 9 | 41 | 18 | 6 | 837 | 0 | 3 |
| Sanitation, etc. | 568 | 0 | 8 | 73 | 0 | 8 | 641 | 1 | 4 |
| Isolation Hospital | 1380 | 4 | 2 | 24 | 17 | 10 | 1405 | 2 | 0 |
| Joint Smallpox Hospital | 1049 | 11 | 6 | 373 | 10 | 0 | 1423 | 1 | 6 |
| Maternity Centres | 1314 | 8 | 7 | 102 | 10 | 8 | 1416 | 19 | 3 |
| Mortuary | 16 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 8 | 17 | 13 | 9 |
| Fire Brigade | 1068 | 16 | 6 | 298 | 13 | 10 | 1367 | 10 | 4 |
| Ambulance | 100 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 15 | 0 | 115 | 15 | 0 |
| Pleasure Grounds, Street Trees, etc. | 259 | 8 | 7 | 5 | 14 | 9 | 265 | 3 | 4 |
| Town Hall | 459 | 16 | 10 | 57 | 6 | 0 | 517 | 2 | 10 |
| Burroughs House | 163 | 3 | 8 | 46 | 7 | 3 | 209 | 10 | 11 |
| Legal, etc., Expenses | 287 | 11 | 5 | 1 | 19 | 0 | 289 | 10 | 5 |
| Establishment, Stationery, etc. | 1955 | 13 | 11 | 173 | 12 | 10 | 2129 | 6 | 9 |
| Insurances and Stamp Duty | 463 | 16 | 8 | 27 | 14 | 6 | 491 | 11 | 2 |
| Election Expenses | 66 | 8 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 66 | 8 | 4 |
| Loan Charges | 16943 | 17 | 10 | 1377 | 3 | 7 | 18321 | 1 | 5 |
| Subsidised Housing, Loan Charges, etc. amount of 1d. rate | 2000 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | 2000 | 0 | 0 |
| Salaries and Wages | 33671 | 4 | 11 | 4860 | 4 | 0 | 43471 | 8 | 11 |
| Stables | 1886 | 7 | 1 | 294 | 3 | 2 | 2180 | 10 | 3 |
| Stores | 1905 | 12 | 9 | 617 | 11 | 11 | 2523 | 4 | 8 |
| Public Depots, etc. | 72 | 13 | 6 | 6 | 11 | 6 | 79 | 5 | 0 |
| Land, Edgware Road | 360 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | 360 | 0 | 0 |
| Steam Wagons—Maintenance, etc. | 240 | 6 | 2 | 85 | 16 | 1 | 326 | 2 | 3 |
| Profiteering Committee | 40 | 8 | 4 | - | - | - | 40 | 8 | 4 |
| | <u>£97168</u> | <u>11</u> | <u>6</u> | <u>9501</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>11</u> | <u>106670</u> | <u>6</u> | <u>5</u> |

SUSPENSE ACCOUNTS.

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| Alotments-General | ... | ... | 152 18 9 | 73 17 8 | 226 16 5 |
| Allotments-Wages | ... | ... | 51 19 3 | 22 6 8 | 74 5 11 |
| Lands Cultivation Orders | ... | ... | 208 13 11 | 20 5 7 | 228 19 6 |
| Coal Account-General | ... | ... | 580 2 1 | | 580 2 1 |
| Coal Account-Wages | ... | ... | 1 4 4 | | 1 4 4 |
| Child's Hill, No. 1-Housing | ... | ... | 623 2 3 | 83 11 7 | 706 13 10 |
| Child's Hill, No. 1-Wages | ... | ... | 42 0 3 | 49 8 6 | 91 8 9 |
| Private Works-General | ... | ... | 314 15 11 | 20 17 0 | 335 12 11 |
| Private Works-Wages | ... | ... | 421 7 1 | 60 18 9 | 482 5 10 |
| Tender Deposits | ... | ... | 123 13 0 | 14 0 0 | 137 13 0 |
| Hendon Overseers | ... | ... | 324 7 8 | 48 19 3 | 373 6 11 |
| District Rate Refunds | ... | ... | 120 8 6 | 12 6 7 | 132 15 1 |
| National Kitchens | ... | ... | 833 2 2 | 28 16 6 | 861 18 8 |
| Education Committee | ... | ... | 60 2 11 | 0 5 0 | 60 7 11 |
| Private Improvements-General | ... | ... | 12 6 0 | | 12 6 0 |
| Private Improvements-Wages | ... | ... | 28 7 4 | | 28 7 4 |
| Housing Subsidised, Loan Charges, etc., excess over ld. rate | ... | ... | 2384 9 2 | 1547 2 7 | 3931 11 9 |
| Steam Wagons, Purchase | ... | ... | 2720 0 0 | | 2720 0 0 |
| Workmen's Compensation | ... | ... | 17 11 8 | | 17 11 8 |
| War Memorial | ... | ... | 198 12 6 | 0 6 9 | 198 19 3 |
| Total | | | £9219 4 9 | 1983 2 5 | 11202 7 2 |

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS.

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| 33939 | Child's Hill Housing, No. 2 | ... | 24499 13 3 | 2500 0 0 | 26999 13 3 |
| | Child's Hill Housing, Wages | ... | 267 0 0 | 72 0 0 | 339 0 0 |
| 211556 | Brent Hill Housing | ... | 52164 17 8 | 10244 0 0 | 62408 17 8 |
| | Brent Hill Housing, Wages | ... | 175 7 11 | | 175 7 11 |
| 2533 | Bittacy Hill Housing | ... | 5 7 9 | | 5 7 9 |
| | Bittacy Hill Housing, Wages | ... | 5 12 3 | | 5 12 3 |
| | Outfall Works Extension | ... | 369 9 9 | | 369 9 9 |
| | Daws Farm Housing | ... | 0 16 3 | | 0 16 3 |
| | Fire Hydrants | ... | 154 2 0 | 0 7 0 | 154 9 0 |
| 3715 | Park Road Widening | ... | 996 2 9 | 177 8 0 | 1173 10 9 |
| | Park Road Widening, Wages | ... | 1326 11 10 | 81 19 0 | 1408 10 10 |
| 35048 | Private Street Improvements | ... | 3175 4 10 | 5052 0 0 | 8227 4 10 |
| 7100 | Kingsbury Lane Housing | ... | 3 11 0 | | 3 11 0 |
| | Kingsbury Lane Housing, Wages | ... | 8 11 8 | | 8 11 8 |
| | Colindeep Sewer | ... | | 252 8 10 | 252 8 10 |
| Total | | | £83152 8 11 | 18380 2 10 | 101532 11 9 |

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS TO DATE.

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| Rateable Accounts | ... | ... | 97168 11 6 | 9501 14 11 | 106670 6 5 |
| Suspense Accounts | ... | ... | 9219 4 9 | 1983 2 5 | 11202 7 2 |
| Capital Accounts | ... | ... | 83152 8 11 | 18380 2 10 | 101532 11 9 |
| Total | | | £189540 5 2 | 29865 0 2 | 219405 5 4 |

6.-HIRE OF ROOMS:

(a) Letter from the Hendon Local Employment Committee of the Ministry of Labour making enquiry whether the Council could see their way to provide accommodation for meetings of the Local Employment Committee at the Town Hall. The meetings were usually held on Monday afternoons.

Your Committee, whilst unable to recommend the Council to consent to the use of a room on Mondays, consider that the Local Employment Committee might be accommodated on another day in the week for their Meetings, and they suggest that a charge of 6s. 6d. per meeting should be made in accordance with the scale. Your Committee therefore

RECOMMEND-That the Hendon Employment Committee be informed that the Council would be prepared to accede to their request for meetings to be held at the Town Hall on days other than Mondays at a charge of 6s. 6d. per meeting.

(b) Letter from the Secretary of the National Institute for the Blind expressing the best thanks of Sir Arthur Pearson to the Council for the free use of the Town Hall granted for the recital recently held on behalf of the Institute Funds. NOTED.

7.-EDUCATION COMMITTEE'S ESTIMATE: That they received a letter from the Education Committee with detailed estimate of their requirements for the half year ending 30th September, 1921. The Education Committee requested that the Local Education Authority should provide the sum of £18,500 on the Elementary Education Account for this period.

In regard to Higher Education, the Committee made no requisition for rate-aid on this account for such period. Your Committee

RECOMMEND-That the estimate be approved, and that in due course the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to a precept for the sum of £18,500, and that such precept be served upon the overseers.

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8.—HOUSING BONDS: Report from the Accountant that the amount received to date in respect of Local Housing Bonds was £25,385. Noted.

9.—PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENT LOANS: In regard to the private street improvement works in progress, the Accountant reported that a sum of £3175 had been expended, and he suggested that the necessary Loans for private street improvement should be taken up as required from the National Provincial and Union Bank of England Ltd.

Your Committee approve of this arrangement, and they

RECOMMEND—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to a Mortgage Deed for £3,500 to the National Provincial Bank of England Ltd.

10.—RATE COLLECTION: That they received a report from the Accountant suggesting that in connection with the Rate Collection attendance might be arranged in the day time at Mill Hill, Golders Green, Child's Hill and Garden Suburb.

Your Committee approved of the proposal, and they instructed the Accountant to submit the same to the Overseers for their consideration.

11.—EDUCATION ACCOUNTS: Report from the Accountant in reference to the proportion of the salary of Mr. J. Skidmore in his department. The Hendon Education Committee agreed to pay one half of the salary and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council agree to pay one half of the salary of Mr. Skidmore, viz:—£100 per annum.

12.—LOAN, £4,880: Report from the Accountant in reference to Mortgage No. 144 to the Workers' Union Approved Society for the sum of £4,880, from which it appeared that the Mortgage was now to be transferred to the Minister of Health.

Your Committee approved of the transfer and gave instructions for the necessary action to be taken in connection therewith.

13.—WAGES: Report from the Accountant that it would now be necessary to increase the weekly wages imprest to the sum of £550 per week. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Accountant's weekly wages imprest be increased to the sum of £550 per week.

14.—TENDERS FOR STATIONERY AND PRINTING: The Accountant submitted various tenders received for the supply of Stationery for the ensuing year, also for the execution of Printing work. Your Committee consider that the best course to adopt will be for the lowest quotations in respect of the various items concerned in the Schedules to be accepted.

They therefore gave instructions for Contracts to be prepared with the firms submitting the lowest quotations in each case for Printing and Stationery.

15.—PAY ORDER: The Accountant submitted a Pay Order amounting to the sum of £10,373 16s. Your Committee gave authority for the necessary cheques to be drawn.

16.—CERTIFICATES: The Surveyor submitted Certificates in favour of Contractors, as follows:—

| | | £ | s. | d. |
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| Thomas Adams, Private Street Improvements | Highfield Avenue, No. 3 | 2367 | 0 | 0 |
| Thomas Adams, Private Street Improvements | Russell Gardens, No. 2 | 557 | 0 | 0 |
| Thomas Adams, Private Street Improvements | Alba Gardens | 184 | 0 | 0 |
| Thomas Adams, Private Street Improvements | Ambrose Avenue | 412 | 0 | 0 |
| Thomas Adams, Private Street Improvements | Garrick Avenue | 800 | 0 | 0 |
| Thomas Adams, Private Street Improvements | Sneath Avenue | 732 | 0 | 0 |
| Howard Farrow, Roads and Sewers | Brent Hill Housing Scheme | 744 | 0 | 0 |
| Roads and Public Works, Ltd., Sewer Extension | Colindeep Lane | 250 | 0 | 0 |

Such sums have been included in the Accounts for payment, and your Committee approved same.

17.—ESTIMATE FOR GENERAL DISTRICT RATE: In regard to the detailed Estimate for the General District Rate, your Committee authorised the Accountant to have a summary thereof printed.

Report of Works and Sewage Disposal Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 7th day of March, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Roberts (Chairman), Councillors Miss Hodge, Cartwright, Egan, Hare, Reynolds, Smyrk, Soar, and Wise. (Mr. Councillor Sturgess was also present).

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—ESTIMATES: That they gave consideration to draft estimates submitted by the Accountant of the Committee's requirements during the year ending 31st March, 1922, and

RECOMMEND—That the same be approved, as amended, and submitted for consideration by a Committee of the whole Council.

2.—AGRICULTURE ACT, 1920: Letter from the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries calling attention to the provisions of the Agriculture Act, 1920, which came into operation on the 1st January, 1921. The Act modified the law relating to compensation to occupiers of allotments, and the communication from the Ministry summarised the provisions for the information of Local Authorities.

Compensation payable to allotment holders on quitting plots would now be divided into two main divisions:—

- (A) Compensation for crops, etc.
- (B) Compensation for disturbance.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of such circular, which will be observed by the Officers when dealing with claims for compensation.

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 3.—**LAND, FINCHLEY LANE**: Letter from the Rev. Dr. Ambrose O'Gorman (Rector of the Catholic Church, Golders Green), making application on behalf of the representatives of the Church to resume possession of certain land near to the Catholic Church, Golders Green, at present occupied by the Council under the Lands Cultivation Orders. He pointed out that the land was recently purchased by the Church Authorities, and considerable expense was being incurred in the payment of interest on the purchase money, and the representatives of the Church considered that they should be given immediate possession of the land, which would be utilized for Church purposes.

Report from the Clerk that he had informed Mr. O'Gorman that the owners were entitled to resume possession of the land if they satisfied the Council that the same was required for building or other special purposes.

Your Committee confirmed the action taken by the Clerk, and instructed him to make enquiry as to the special purposes to which it was proposed to put the land, and in view of the fact that at the present season the allottees would probably be cultivating the ground, your Committee instructed the Clerk to convene a meeting of the Allotments Sub-Committee to consider the reply.

4.—**STRAYING CATTLE**: Letter from Mr. R. H. F. Cook complaining of the damage done to his and other allotments by straying horses and cattle. Considerable damage was alleged to have been done to the crops on the land. He made enquiry whether the Council could take some steps to prevent a recurrence of the nuisance. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Allotments' Inspector investigate the matter.

5.—**ROADS—CHILD'S HILL ALLOTMENTS**: Letter from Mr. F. Ellis (Child's Hill and Cricklewood Ward Branch, Hendon Labour Party), forwarding copy resolution passed by a meeting of the Branch requesting the Council to improve the condition of the roads on the Child's Hill Allotments.

Report from the Surveyor that the work in question had been carried out, and his action was approved.

6.—**DAWS LANE, MILL HILL**: Report from the Surveyor that he had had an interview with Mr. E. Howard upon the subject of proceeding with the building operations upon the land at Daws Lane.

Mr. Howard intimated that he had no objection to the Allotment Holders continuing in possession of the land during the year 1921, as he did not propose to commence his building operations this year, but he desired that the position should be again reviewed at the end of such period.

Your Committee have noted with satisfaction this report, and

RECOMMEND—That the Secretaries of the Allotments' Associations at Mill Hill be informed accordingly.

7.—**MYLESDOWN**: Report from the Surveyor as to his further negotiations with the Agents for the owners of the land at Mylesdown, recently offered to the Council.

The Agents now stated that the Owners were not prepared to dispose of the portion of the land which the Council desired to obtain, but they would consider a definite offer from the Council for any portion of the estate.

After careful consideration of the report of the Surveyor, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That he be authorised to negotiate with the Agents with a view to obtaining 10 or 12 acres of the land with a frontage to Wise Lane. Particulars in regard to the price to be offered for the land in question are contained in manuscript in your Committee's Minute Book.

8.—**WILLS GROVE**: Report from the Surveyor that he had made enquiry whether the owners of certain land at Mill Hill adjacent to Wills Grove, would be prepared, pending formal arrangements for leasing the land, to permit the Council to enter into possession of the land immediately, with a view to the allottees commencing work thereon. He had been informed that the question was one which would have to be considered, and a notification would be sent thereon in due course.

Your Committee have duly noted this report.

9.—**LAND AT COOL OAK**: Report from the Surveyor submitting letter received from the Regents Canal and Dock Company with regard to the field on the South side of Cool Oak Lane. The Company stated that they had now regained possession of the field, and would be glad to let the same to the Council for allotment purposes if the Council so desired.

Having regard to the fact that the Council are acquiring land at The Hyde, your Committee consider that this land will not now be required for allotment purposes, and they

RECOMMEND—That the Regents Canal and Dock Co. be informed accordingly.

10.—**WIDENING COOL OAK LANE**: Reference was made to the proposal made some time ago that steps should be taken in connection with the purchase of the land in Cool Oak Lane, to widen and straighten the road, and the Surveyor was instructed to negotiate with the owners of the land required to carry out such improvement, and to submit a report upon the matter in due course.

11.—**LAND—NEELD CRESCENT**: Letters from the Postmaster General making application to obtain possession of plot of land at the corner of Neeld Crescent and Queen's Road, on which it was proposed to erect a telephone exchange. He intimated that the need for the new exchange was urgent, and it was desired to obtain vacant possession of the land as soon as possible. Your Committee understand that two allottees only would be affected by the proposal, and they authorised the Clerk to serve 14 days' notice to quit in these cases.

12.—**CHILD'S HILL RECREATION GROUND**:

(A) **GYMNASTIC APPARATUS**: Letter from Mr. S. K. Lyons (Hon. Secretary of the Child's Hill and Golders Green Ratepayers' Association) calling attention to the defective condition of the parallel and horizontal bars provided in the Child's Hill Recreation Ground, and suggesting the renewal of the same. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor be authorised to renew the gymnastic apparatus where necessary.

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- (B) DAMAGE: Report from the Surveyor as to damage to a building in the Recreation Ground by a youth, and as to correspondence he had had with the youth in regard to such damage. After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk communicate with the youth in regard to the matter.

13.—RE-NUMBERING:

- (A) BRENT STREET AND CHURCH ROAD: Letter from Mr. H. V. Cutts (Secretary of the Union of Post Office Workers), calling attention to the existing unsatisfactory numbering of the houses, shops, etc., in Brent Street and Church Road, and requesting the Council to re-number the roads.

Your Committee understand that considerable difficulty would be entailed in re-numbering these roads owing to their undeveloped state.

Your Committee instructed the Surveyor to prepare a scheme for the re-numbering of Brent street, commencing at its junction with Parson Street and Church Road, and submit the same to the next meeting of your Committee.

- (B) PARK ROAD: Upon the report of the Surveyor your Committee

RECOMMEND—That notices be served upon the occupiers of property in Park Road, calling upon them to re-number the same.

- 14.—DOLLIS VALLEY SEWER: Letter from Messrs. Tylee and Co. in further reference to the position of this matter, and asking to be furnished with further information.

Your Committee have received a report from the Clerk in regard to the matter, and as to the alleged delay in taking steps under the Agreement, and

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk inform Messrs. Tylee and Co. that upon completion of the Agreement, the necessary preliminary steps were taken by the Council, and no delay was occasioned by them.

- 15.—APPLICATION TO LAY MAINS: Application from the North Middlesex Gas Company for permission to lay an 8-inch gas main in the footpath of the Golders Green Parade. Report from the Surveyor that such application was in order. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the application be acceded to, subject to the main being laid at the proper depth, and the re-instatement work being carried out to the Surveyor's satisfaction.

- 16.—DUST REMOVAL—MILL HILL: Letters from Messrs. A. J. Harris and G. W. Woods in regard to their tenders for the removal of dust in the Mill Hill Ward.

After consideration of the matter, your Committee do not propose to recommend the Council to vary the decision already arrived at in regard to such tenders.

- 17.—COMBINED DRAINAGE—TEMPLE FORTUNE PARADE: Report from the Surveyor in reference to several blockages which had occurred in the combined drain at the rear of Nos. 1 to 9, Temple Fortune Parade. The same had been dealt with, and it had been found necessary to open up the ground in order to make the drain good. Expenditure amounting to the sum of £10 16s. 1d. had been incurred in repairing such drain, and in accordance with the terms of the Agreement between the owner of the property and the Council he had transmitted the account to the owner.

Your Committee have confirmed the Surveyor's action.

- 18.—HORSES: Report from the Surveyor as to the necessity of obtaining an additional horse.

He submitted a report of the Veterinary Surgeon in regard to a horse which he had had on trial from Mr. Holdford.

Mr. Holdford had offered to dispose of the horse for the sum of £84, and after due consideration of the report of the Surveyor, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council purchase the horse offered by Mr. Holdford for the sum of £84.

- 19.—REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor submitted requisitions of the goods and materials required in his department, and the same was approved.

Report of Public Health Committee, No. 1.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 7th day of March, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Teare (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Growse, Ford, Hearn, Hill Sturgess, and Taylor.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—VITAL STATISTICS: Report from the Medical Officer of Health that for the past four weeks the Birth Rate of the district was 11.27 per 1,000, and the Death Rate for the same period 14.72 per 1,000.

Your Committee have duly noted such report.

- 2.—NO. 2, HENDON PARK VILLAS: A representation was submitted by the Medical Officer of Health, under the Housing and Town Planning Act, 1909, to the effect that the premises known as No. 2, Hendon Park Villas were unfit for human habitation. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to a Closing Order under the Housing and Town Planning Act, in respect of No. 2, Hendon Park Villas, and that the necessary notice be served upon the occupier in accordance with Section 17, of the Housing and Town Planning Act, 1909.

3.—DRAINAGE WORK AND DRAINAGE PLANS: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to the action taken by him in regard to certain drainage, also submitting plans showing new drainage work carried out in the district.

Your Committee approved the action of the Sanitary Inspector in regard thereto.

4.—SANITARY CERTIFICATES: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to applications he had received for the issue of Certificates under Section 2 of the Increase of Rent and Mortgage Interest (Restrictions) Act, 1920.

After due consideration of the report of the Inspector in regard thereto, Your Committee gave authority for the necessary Certificates to be issued in the cases referred to in the Inspector's Report Book.

The Sanitary Inspector also reported that he had received a further application from two applicants to whom the Committee declined to issue a Certificate at their last Meeting. Your Committee gave further consideration to the matter, and in one of the cases referred to gave authority for the issue of a Certificate. In the other case your Committee are unable to depart from their previous decision.

5.—STATUTORY NOTICES: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to the following cases in which he asked for authority to serve Statutory Notices:—

- 65, Elmcroft Crescent, Golders Green.
- 39, Hamilton Road, Golders Green.
- 49, St. George's Road, Golders Green.
- "Liege," Park Road, Hendon.
- 3, Vine Cottages, Church End, Hendon.
- 6, Highfield Terrace, Golders Green.
- 131, Sunny Gardens, Hendon.

Your Committee gave authority to the Sanitary Inspector to serve Statutory Notices in such cases if found necessary.

In regard to 65, Elmcroft Crescent, "Liege," Park Road, 39, Hamilton Road, and 131, Sunny Gardens, the premises being without proper and sufficient ashpits, your Committee gave authority for the Sanitary Inspector to serve the necessary notices in these cases.

Report from the Sanitary Inspector in regard to the Statutory Notices served upon the owner of Nos. 26 and 28, Ash Grove, Cricklewood, from which it appeared that such notices had expired, and the owner had not complied therewith. The Inspector asked for authority to institute proceedings against the owner of the property referred to in respect of the non-compliance with the Statutory Notices. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Sanitary Inspector take proceedings against the Owner of Nos. 26 and 28, Ash Grove, Cricklewood, in respect of the non-compliance with the Statutory Notices served upon him.

6.—PREMISES—MURRAY ROAD: Letter from Mr. F. J. Seabrook, Clerk to the Hendon Board of Guardians, as to a case of alleged overcrowding at premises in Murray Road, Mill Hill.

Your Committee received a report from the Medical Officer in regard thereto, and also a report from the Sanitary Inspector as to his inspection of the premises.

After careful consideration of the matter, your Committee requested the Medical Officer to submit a further report thereon at the next Meeting.

7.—PAYMENT OF GRANT: The Clerk reported the receipt of a circular letter from the Ministry of Health in regard to the future arrangements for the payment of grants for Maternity and Child Welfare Services. Your Committee have duly noted the same.

8.—FACTORY AND WORKSHOPS ACT, 1901: Letter from H.M. Inspector of Factories with notice of occupation of workshop by Messrs. Stott and Seddon at No. 48, Ramsey Road, West Hendon. Your Committee are informed that particulars of such workshop have been referred to the Sanitary Inspector, and have duly noted the same.

9.—ANNUAL REPORT OF MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH: The Clerk reported the receipt of a circular letter from the Ministry of Health transmitting a memorandum for the guidance of the Medical Officer in compiling his report for the year 1920.

Your Committee are informed that a copy of the circular letter and the memorandum referred to has been forwarded to the Medical Officer of Health, and have duly noted the contents thereof.

10.—INSPECTION OF COWS: The Medical Officer of Health reported that he had received the Veterinary Surgeon's report for the quarter ended December, 1920, as to his inspection of the Cows in the District, and that such report was satisfactory. Noted.

11.—ISOLATION HOSPITAL:

(a) That they had under consideration a report from the Medical Officer of Health as to the additional accommodation required at the existing Isolation Hospital.

After due consideration of the matter your Committee requested the Medical Officer and Surveyor to submit a report at the next Meeting as to the cost of providing the additional accommodation on the lines suggested by the Committee.

(b) The Medical Officer of Health submitted for consideration the question of the provision of Uniform for the Domestic Staff at the Isolation Hospital. It was decided to

RECOMMEND—That the matter be referred to the Staff Committee for consideration.

12.—MIDWIFE: Letter from Mrs. Degen, addressed to the Chairman of the Committee, in regard to the number of hours worked by her in the performance of her duties, also in regard to the question of Uniform Allowance. Your Committee requested the Medical Officer of Health to interview Mrs. Degen in regard to the question of working hours, and have referred the question of Uniform Allowance to the Staff Committee.

13.—ESTIMATE FOR GENERAL DISTRICT RATE: That they had under consideration the estimate of the Committee's requirements for the year ending 31st March, 1922, but owing to the lateness of the hour decided to adjourn the final consideration of the matter to a Special Meeting of the Committee to be held on Monday next, the 14th inst.

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To the Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg the 14th day of March, 1921.

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- 5070 Detached Bungalow, Crescent
- 5071 Detached Bungalow
- 5072 Additions to St. Vincent's Road, Hendon
- 5073 Temporary Shed, Elmcroft Avenue
- 5074 Alterations, London Road
- 5066 (Re-submitted) Alterations, 66, Bridge Lane
- 5068 (Re-submitted) Temporary Shed, New Road

- 5075 Alterations to Roof, Ramsey Road, Golders Green
- 5076 Temporary Wooden Shed, Hendon Station Road, Hendon
- 5077 Temporary Builder's Shed, Hendon Road
- 5078 Temporary Garage, Need Crescent
- 5079 Temporary Shed, 10, Motor Garage, 59, Golders Green
- 5081 Additions to 7, Turnpike Road
- 5082 Additions to "Berwick", stock Road
- 5083 Additions to "Upper West Hendon."

2.—APPLICATION NO. 4925 MICHAEL'S CHURCH: That the plans of the applicant for the widening of the line for widening Flower Hartley Memorial Hall, matter, and the commu

RECOMMEND—That

3.—HOUSING (ADDITIONAL) CERTIFICATES informed that the Housing (Additional) thereof as soon the subsidy.

Report of Public Health Committee, No. 2.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 14th day of March, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Teare (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Growse, Ford, Hearn, and Taylor.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

ESTIMATES: That they gave further consideration to the estimates of the Committee's requirements for the year ending 31st March, 1922, and approved the same for submission to the Council.

Report of Town Planning Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 14th day of March, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Fenn (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Hodge, Egan, Hill, Hare, Reynolds, Smyrk, Soar and Taylor.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—PLANS: That they gave consideration to the following applications for approval of plans, and

RECOMMEND thereon as follows:—

| No. | Description of Premises. | Owner or Person submitting. | Recommendation. |
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| 5070 | Detached Bungalow, Woodlands Crescent | Mr. C. R. Young | Approval. |
| 5071 | Detached Bungalow, Decoy Avenue | Mr. E. C. Law | Approval. |
| 5072 | Additions to St. Vincent's, Mill Hill | Sisters of Charity, "St. Vincent's" | Approval. |
| 5073 | Temporary Shed, "The Willows," Elmerott Avenue | The Pitcher Construction Company | Approval. |
| 5074 | Alterations, London Aerodrome | Grahame-White Company | Approval. |
| 5066 | (Re-submitted) Alterations to Roof, 63, Bridge Lane | Mr. J. Elms | Approval. |
| 5056 | (Re-submitted) Temporary Army Hut, New Road | North Middlesex Gas Company | Approval (subject to Surveyor being satisfied with the provision made for dealing with the surface water from the roof). |
| 5075 | Alterations to Roof, 3, St. John's Road, Golders Green | Mr. J. Grasser | Approval. |
| 5076 | Temporary Wooden Structure, 60, Station Road, Hendon | Mr. W. G. Bowling | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5077 | Temporary Builder's Shed, Lodge Road | Mr. W. Hollis | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5078 | Temporary Garage, "Homestead," Neeld Crescent | Mr. C. Dragun | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5079 | Temporary Shed, 10, Decoy Avenue | Mr. G. Ramsbotham | Disapproval. |
| 5080 | Motor Garage, 59, Hodford Road, Golders Green | Mr. E. W. Jackson | Approval as permanent building. |
| 5081 | Additions to 7, Turner's Wood | Garden Suburb Builders, Ltd. | Disapproval. |
| 5082 | Additions to "Berwyn," 48, Woodstock Road | Mr. W. Hearn | Disapproval. |
| 5083 | Additions to "Upper Welsh Harp," West Hendon. | The Cannon Brewery Co., Ltd. | Approval. |

2.—APPLICATION NO. 4925: CHURCH, FLOWER LANE, MILL HILL, FOR THE TRUSTEES, ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH: Report from the Surveyor that the Trustees of St. Michael's Church had submitted the plans of the Church proposed to be erected at Flower Lane, the only point outstanding being the question of the dedication of the strip of land in front of the Church to the highway. He submitted a letter from Mr. C. Wright, Hon. Secretary of the Building Committee, from which it appeared that although the Committee for certain reasons, were unable to convey the strip of land referred to, they proposed to throw the same into the public highway, in order to bring the boundary line for widening Flower Lane in continuation with that which has already been set back opposite the Hartley Memorial Hall. After due consideration of the report of the Surveyor in connection with the matter, and the communication from Mr. Wright, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the plans of the proposed Church, as submitted by Mr. Wright, be approved.

3.—HOUSING (ADDITIONAL POWERS) ACT, 1919:

(A) CERTIFICATES "A": Report from the Surveyor that the under-mentioned applicants should be informed that the plans submitted by them comply with the revised Regulations under the Housing (Additional Powers) Act, 1919, and that Certificate "A" would be issued in respect thereof as soon as the necessary legislation had been passed extending the time for the grant of the subsidy.

Application No. 5070.—Mr. C. R. Young, Detached Bungalow, Woodlands Crescent.

Application No. 5071.—Mr. E. C. Law, Detached Bungalow, Decoy Avenue.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a communication be addressed to the applicants referred to in accordance with the Surveyor's report.

(B) CERTIFICATES "B": The Surveyor submitted the undermentioned particulars of houses completed to his satisfaction, in respect of which he reported Certificates "B" might now be issued for the amounts named:—

Houses completed between 24th day of January and 23rd day of February, 1921.

| Application No. | Situation of Premises. | Owner. | Amount per house. | |
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| 4989 | Two Flats, Golders Green Road ... | Messrs. Haymills, Ltd. ... | 200 | 0 0 |
| 4931 | 38 and 40, Sydney Grove ... | Mr. W. A. Smyrk ... | 216 | 13 4 |
| 4909 | 3 and 4, Cranbourne Gardens ... | Mr. E. H. Waterman ... | 216 | 13 4 |
| 4992 | 1, Beechcroft Avenue ... | Mr. W. T. Streather ... | 216 | 13 4 |
| 4950 | 1 and 3, Basing Hill ... | Mr. F. W. Bristow ... | 216 | 13 4 |
| 5006 | 5, Decoy Avenue ... | Mr. J. C. Webb ... | 200 | 0 0 |
| 4994 | 8 and 9, Shirehall Lane ... | Messrs. Gillett and Co. ... | 216 | 13 4 |
| 5012 | 1 and 2 Millway ... | Mr. R. Streather ... | 216 | 13 4 |
| 4993 | 42 and 44, The Vale ... | Mr. E. Streather ... | 216 | 13 4 |

Your Committee authorised the issue of such Certificates.

4.—ARTERIAL ROADS:

(A) Letter from Mr. G. L. Pepler (Ministry of Health) in regard to the preparation of the Council's Town Planning Scheme No. 2, and intimating that new Town Planning Regulations would shortly be published, and a copy forwarded without delay.

The Council will remember that they have been informed on more than one occasion by the Ministry of Health that the new Regulations referred to would shortly be issued, and recently addressed a communication to the Ministry requesting them to expedite the issue of such Regulations.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of the communication from Mr. Pepler, and await the issue of the new Regulations before proceeding further with the Town Planning Schemes.

(B) Letter from the Clerk to the Middlesex County Council transmitting a copy of the following resolution adopted by the County Council with reference to the construction of a portion of the North Circular Road, between the Hendon and Finchley boundary and Edgware Road, Hendon.

NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD.

PORTION BETWEEN THE HENDON—FINCHLEY BOUNDARY AND EDGWARE ROAD.

That the County Council approves of the construction of a portion of the North Circular Road, between the Hendon—Finchley Boundary and Edgware Road, Hendon, at a cost not exceeding £85,000, provided:—

(A) The Ministry of Transport contribute not less than 50 per cent. of the cost of the work;

(B) H.M. Government undertake to find by way of loan, the amount of the County Council's contribution, on such terms as may be agreed between the County Council and the Ministry of Transport;

(C) The work be undertaken by the Hendon Urban District Council, acting as the Agents of the County Council under the supervision of the County Engineer, and in accordance with plans and specification approved by him;

(D) The conditions applied to the construction of Arterial Roads with regard to width of road, nature of work now to be carried out, method of engagement of men, rate of pay, etc., be made applicable to this scheme.

(E) That it be referred to the Highways Committee to make the necessary arrangements for the above works to be carried out after obtaining the necessary authority from the Ministry of Transport under the Development and Road Improvements Funds Act, 1909, for the construction of this section of road, and for the acquisition of the necessary land by the County Council under the provisions of the Unemployment (Relief Works) Act, 1920.

(F) That it be referred to the County Engineer to negotiate with the District Council with a view, if possible, to the prescription of a 30-feet building line along the road.

The County Council intimated that application had been made to the Ministry of Transport for the necessary authority to carry out the work, and upon receipt of such authority a further communication would be addressed to the Council upon the matter.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of the resolution transmitted by the County Council, and await the further communication referred to.

(c) Letter from the Ministry of Transport expressing satisfaction in regard to the proposal of the County Council to co-operate with them in order to expedite the construction of the North Circular Road through the Hendon District. Your Committee have duly noted the same.

5.—SUNNY HILL FIELD: Letter from Messrs. Hinge Bros. in further reference to the proposition for the disposal of Sunny Hill Field to the Council, and intimating their willingness to reduce their original figure, per acre, for the disposal of the same. After due consideration of the matter your Committee instructed the Surveyor to continue the negotiations with Messrs. Hinge Bros. for the acquisition of Sunny Hill Field and also to make enquiry whether they would be prepared to dispose of a strip of land in Hall Lane for widening purposes.

Your Committee further instructed the Surveyor to submit a report as to the result of his negotiations at the Council Meeting.

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6.—CONTRAVENTIONS OF BYELAWS:

- (A) Mr. A. J. Cowling attended the meeting of your Committee in response to the notice served upon him under Section 21 of the Public Health Act, 1875, in regard to the communication which he had caused to be made from the drains of a house erected by him in Woodland Way, to the sewer in such road, without first having complied with the Regulations made by the Council as to the mode in which communications between the drains from private property and the public sewers are to be made and the provisions of the Public Health Act, 1875, and to show cause why such communications should not be disconnected from the Council's Sewer.

He also attended in regard to a further notice which had been served upon him in connection with an offence committed against the Bye-laws of the Council relating to new streets and buildings, by allowing a certain new house in Sylvan Avenue to be occupied and used for human habitation without notifying the Council of the completion of such house in accordance with the Bye-laws referred to.

After careful consideration of the statements made by Mr. Cowling, and a report from the Surveyor in connection with the matter, your Committee decided to take no further action on this occasion to recover the penalties to which Mr. Cowling had rendered himself liable by the offences referred to, but intimated to him (informally) that in the event of any further offence against the Bye-laws relating to New Streets and Buildings or other Regulations of the Council being brought to their notice, they would be compelled to recommend the Council to take steps to deal with the matter to the fullest extent. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the action taken be approved, and that the Clerk address a communication to Mr. Cowling confirming the decision already informally conveyed to him.

- (B) The Clerk reported that in accordance with the recommendation of the Committee at their last meeting, a notice had been served upon Mr. Segeren requiring him to attend before the Committee this evening in connection with the Motor Garages which he had erected at the rear of South Lodge, Golders Green Road, without plans having been first approved by the Council, and to show cause why the same should not be removed or pulled down. Mr. Segeren had, however, failed to appear, or send an Agent authorised on his behalf, in compliance with such notice.

Report from the Surveyor that Mr. Segeren had now submitted plans of the Garages referred to.

In view of the fact that Mr. Segeren had failed to comply with the notice served upon him requiring his attendance before the Committee in connection with the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the plans submitted be disapproved, and that a notice be served requiring the Garages to be pulled down.

- (C) Report from the Clerk that a notice had also been served in accordance with the recommendation of the Committee upon Mr. Harrington to attend before the Committee to show cause why the wooden building, constructed by him adjacent to Queen's Road should not be removed or pulled down.

Report from the Surveyor that Mr. Harrington had now removed the roof of the building referred to.

Your Committee decided to adjourn the further consideration of the matter for the present, in view of the Surveyor's report.

Report of Housing Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 14th day of March, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Hearn (in the Chair), and Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Hargraves, Ford, Roberts, Sturgess and Wise. (Mr. Councillor Cartwright was engaged with the Finance Committee).

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—BRENT HILL SCHEME:

- (a) That they received a report from the Architect in reference to the progress with the Housing Scheme at Brent Hill Farm. The Architect made reference in his report to the bank of earth which had been left in front of many of the houses in connection with the removal of the old hedge, which he suggested should be removed in order to improve the appearance of the front of the houses. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That this question be referred to the Engineer to report as to completing the work.

The Architect also reported that a representative of the London Housing Board had visited the site and considered that the works were proceeding satisfactorily.

- (b) WATER MAINS: Report from the Clerk that the Metropolitan Water Board would not be prepared to agree to any variation of their form of guarantee in connection with the laying of the water mains to the houses in Park Road beyond the assurance given in their letter. Your Committee gave authority for the guarantee to be sealed by the Chairman of the Council.

- (c) LIGHTING AND HEATING: Report from the Clerk that he had transmitted a copy of the correspondence between the Housing Board and the Council to Sir Philip Lloyd-Greame, K.B.E., M.C., M.P., in accordance with the instructions of the Council.

He had since received a request for representatives to attend at the London Housing Board in regard to the Council's proposals *re* lighting and heating. Your Committee cannot arrange for Members to attend, as suggested, but authorised the Clerk to attend and report.

2.—CHILD'S HILL SCHEME: Report was received in regard to the progress in connection with the Child's Hill Scheme, from which it appeared that the baths had now been delivered, which would expedite the completion of a number of houses in connection with this scheme.

Your Committee have duly noted this report.

3.—HOUSING SCHEMES:

(a) WATER FITTINGS: Letter from the London Housing Board in reference to the arrangements which had been agreed between the Metropolitan Water Board and the London Housing Board with reference to the testing and stamping of water fittings supplied to houses in approved schemes situate within the area of the Metropolitan Water Board. Your Committee are informed that a copy of the communication has been transmitted to the Architect for his information, and have duly noted the same.

(b) Letter from the Ministry of Health transmitting particulars of posters which the Ministry would be prepared to supply to local authorities in connection with the publicity for local Housing Bonds.

Your Committee have no recommendation to make in regard to the matter.

4.—ESTIMATES: That they gave detailed consideration to estimates of the Committee's requirements for the year ending 31st March, 1922, and approved the same for submission to the Council.

Report of Fire Brigade Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 14th day of March, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Hare (Chairman), Councillors Miss Growse, Ford, Hearn and Sturgess.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—PETROL AND CARBIDE LICENCES: That they gave consideration to the following applications received for the issue of petrol licences for the year ending 31st December, 1921:—

Frederick ward and Savage, Ltd., Old Welsh Harp Works, Edgware Road,
West Hendon Motor Garage, 141, The Broadway, Hendon.
Schweppes, Ltd., The Hyde.

Your Committee have received a report from the Inspector that the store in each of the above cases was satisfactory, and

RECOMMEND—That the applications be acceded to, and the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the Licences.

2.—ESTIMATE FOR GENERAL DISTRICT RATE: That they considered the detailed estimate of the Committee's requirements for the year ending 31st March, 1922, and approved same.

3.—MOTOR FIRE ENGINE No. 2: Letter from Messrs. Merryweather and Sons in further reference to the Motor Fire Engine requisitioned by the Admiralty in August, 1916.

Messrs. Merryweather and Sons now intimated in reply to the Council's enquiry as to whether they would be prepared to guarantee the Engine if reconditioned, as suggested by the Air Ministry, that it would be impossible for them to give such a guarantee.

In regard to the price quoted by Messrs. Merryweather and Sons, viz.: £3,085 for supply of a Motor Fire Engine to replace the engine requisitioned, Messrs. Merryweather and Sons had given further consideration to the matter, and in view of the fall in the cost of certain materials, they announced that they would be prepared to make an allowance of 5 per cent. from the price of £3,085 quoted in November, 1920.

Your Committee cannot see their way to recommend the Council to accept a reconditioned engine, but it will be remembered that the Air Ministry made enquiry whether the Council were prepared to consider a motor fire engine with a rotary turbine pump such as is used by Fire Departments, instead of an engine of the Merryweather type with a reciprocating pump.

Your Committee are of opinion that the Ministry should adhere to the terms of their letter of the 26th October, and they now

RECOMMEND—

(A) That the recent correspondence be transmitted to the Member for the Hendon Division for his further observations;

(B) That a communication be addressed to the Air Ministry intimating that the Council are unable to accept the offer of the reconditioned engine, and making enquiry whether the Ministry would submit a specification for the new type of engine they would be prepared to supply having a rotary turbine pump.

4.—FIRE BRIGADES: Letter from the Secretary of the Royal Commission on Fire Brigades and Fire Prevention, intimating that a Royal Commission had been appointed to enquire into the existing provision in Great Britain for the avoidance of loss from fire and for the extinction of outbreaks, and to report whether any changes were necessary by Statutory provision or otherwise to secure the best possible protection to life and property against risks from fire.

Certain detailed information relative to the district and the Brigade was required by the Commission. Your Committee

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Hare, Hill, Reynolds, Smyrk,

Your Committee beg

5.—CENTRAL FIRE STATION: That they received a report from the National Boiler Insurance Company as to an examination of the hot water boiler and storage cylinder at the Central Fire Station, the same being in order.

6.—WILBERFORCE ROAD—FIRE STATION: Letter from Mr. P. Franklin, on behalf of the Hendon Troop B.P. Scouts, intimating that the Hampstead Sea Scouts, who had had the use of the old Fire Station at Wilberforce Road, no longer required the building. He made enquiry whether the Council were prepared to let the same to the Hendon Scouts for their use.

Your Committee have received no formal notice from the Hampstead Sea Scouts of their desire to determine the tenancy, and have deferred the matter to their next meeting for further consideration.

7.—WATER PRESSURES: The Chief Officer submitted a list of water pressures taken since the last meeting of the Committee.

8.—HYDRANTS: Report from the Chief Officer that since the last meeting of the Committee Fire Hydrants had been fixed in the following positions:—

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| Sinclair Grove | 2 |
| Wentworth Road | 1 |
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9.—UNIFORM CLOTHING: The Chief Officer submitted an application from Fireman Comber for compensation for damage to private clothing damaged at a recent fire, amounting to 10s. 6d. The Committee agreed to bear same. In regard to the application from F. Norton, your Committee deferred the application for uniform clothing at the present time. Also in the case of Fireman Hills.

10.—BRIGADE LEAVE: The Chief Officer reported that the Firemen had applied for additional annual leave, viz.: from 10 days to 14 days. The Council will recollect that this matter was considered by your Committee on the report of the Fire Brigade Sub-Committee in November last.

Your Committee cannot see their way to vary the decision then arrived at.

11.—CENTRAL STATION STAFF: The Chief Officer reported that Fireman W. Dickens and F. Norton had been absent from duty through illness from 21st February to the 4th March, and 21st February to the 23rd February respectively.

12.—MILL HILL: It will be remembered that a number of residents in Mill Hill had kindly rendered assistance during the war period, with fire appliances. Such appliances had now been returned from the various Sub-Stations, as the need for this outside service no longer existed. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council transmit to the gentlemen who assisted the Brigade letters of appreciation of the services rendered.

13.—FIRES: The Chief Officer submitted a list of fires attended by the Brigade since the last meeting. Such report calls for no special remark. Letters were submitted from Mr. G. Ponton and Messrs. Strong and Guyatt expressing their appreciation of the services rendered by the Brigade on the occasion of outbreaks of fire at their premises.

14.—MOTOR FIRE ENGINE: Report from the Chief Officer that it had been found that on the removal of the old tyres of the Motor Fire Engine that the rims had been packed with vulcanite, and it would be necessary to have a larger sized tyre. The additional cost for the four tyres amounted to £3. Your Committee approved of this extra expenditure being incurred.

15.—STORES: The Chief Officer submitted a report as to the stores required for the Fire Brigade, viz.: 100 gallons Petrol and 28lbs. Ronuk.

Report of General Purposes Committee, No. 1.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 14th day of March, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Egan (Chairman) and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Miss Growse, Ford, Hare, Reynolds, Smyrk, Taylor, and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—ESTIMATE FOR GENERAL DISTRICT RATE: That they had under consideration the estimate of the Committee's requirements for the year ending 31st March, 1922, and

RECOMMEND—That the same be approved, as amended, and referred to a Committee of the whole Council for consideration.

Report of General Purposes Committee, No. 2.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 21st day of March, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Egan (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Miss Growse, Ford, Hare, Hill, Reynolds, Smyrk, Taylor, and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—ELECTRICITY (SUPPLY) ACT, 1919: That they had under consideration the Preliminary Outline of the Greater London Electricity Scheme proposed to be submitted by the Conference of Authorities owning Electricity Undertakings for the London and Home Counties Area to the Executive Committee appointed by the Conference of non-owning Authorities, a copy of such outlined Scheme having been circulated amongst the members of the Committee.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of the proposed scheme.

2.—IRELAND: Letter from the Clerk to the Urban District Council of Enfield transmitting a copy of a resolution passed by that Council protesting against the policy of the Government in connection with the restoration of law and order in Ireland, and requesting the Council to pass a similar resolution.

Your Committee have no recommendation to make in regard thereto.

3.—STATUTORY UNDERTAKINGS:

(A) Letter from Messrs. Sherwood and Co., transmitting copy of reply forwarded by them to the Board of Trade in connection with the objection lodged by the Council against the application of the Harrow and Stanmore Gas Company for an Order under Section 1 of the Gas Regulation Act, 1920, providing for the repeal of any enactments or other provisions whereby the Company were required to supply gas of a particular calorific value, and to substitute therefor power to charge for thermal units supplied in the form of gas, and also for the modification of the statutory provisions affecting the charges which might be made by the Company for gas supplied. It appeared from such communication that Messrs. Sherwood and Co. had, on behalf of the Gas Company, informed the Board of Trade that the proposals submitted by the Company were justified.

Your Committee have duly noted the communication, and await the decision of the Board of Trade in the matter.

(B) Letter from the Ministry of Transport transmitting copy of formal consent given by them to the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company under the provisions of the Public Utility Companies (Capital Issues) Act, 1920 relative to the application made by the Company for power to raise additional capital in connection with their Undertaking. Your Committee have duly noted the same.

4.—REGISTRATION OF NEW BUSINESSES: Letter from the Divisional Food Commissioner requesting that in the event of any applications being received by the Council for the establishment of new businesses under various Orders relating to Milk, Flour and Bread, Sugar, and Potatoes, that such applications should be referred to him. Your Committee have duly noted the same.

5.—TELEPHONES: The Clerk reported the receipt of agreements from the London Telephone Service relative to the telephone circuits utilised by the Council, such agreements being prepared on the basis of the increased charges for telephone services.

Your Committee authorised the Clerk to sign such agreements on behalf of the Council.

6.—LOCAL GOVERNMENT OF GREATER LONDON: Letter from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council transmitting a copy of the resolution adopted at the recent Conference between representatives of Local Authorities in the County of Middlesex and the Parliamentary Committee of the County Council, from which it appeared that the Conference held the view that the Ministry of Health should be informed that the question of any alteration in the administration of matters affecting London and Greater London should be made the subject of a Conference between the Authorities concerned, including London. The County Council also transmitted a copy of a communication which had been addressed to the County and Borough Councils affected, which embodied the lines on which it was proposed their reply to the Ministry of Health should be based.

The Council will remember that at the last meeting of your Committee they requested the Chairman of the Council, and Mr. Councillor Cartwright, to attend the Conference convened by the County Council. The Chairman of the Council has already reported as to the attitude adopted at the Conference.

After due consideration of the communication from the Middlesex County Council, and in view of the report of the Chairman of the Council referred to above, your Committee have decided to await further developments in the matter, and have noted the communication from the County Council.

7.—UNEMPLOYMENT IN THE METROPOLIS: Letter from the London Trades Council and the London Labour Party transmitting copy of a resolution passed at a joint Conference of organisations affiliated to the two bodies mentioned upon the subject of unemployment.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

8.—CONFERENCE: Letter from the Secretary, Institution of Municipal and County Engineers as to the Annual Conference of the institution to be held in London on the 15th, 16th, 17th, and 18th June next, and inviting the Council to appoint delegates to attend such Conference. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Engineer be given authority to attend the Conference, and that the delegation fee chargeable be paid by the Council.

9.—COUNTY COUNCIL REPRESENTATION: Letter from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council intimating that the County Council could not see their way to accede to the request of the Council to re-consider their decision in connection with the additional representation of the District of Hendon on the County Council. Your Committee take exception to the policy of further delay still continued, and

RECOMMEND—That a further communication be addressed to the County Council upon the matter, pointing out that for the last six or seven years the additional representation has been promised, and when fixing the new boundaries of the wards of the district the County Council made provision for such additional representation. Your Committee consider that the County Council should be again asked to reconsider their decision in the matter.

10.—SHOPS ACT:

(A) A suggestion was considered for altering the weekly Half Holiday Order for Central and West Hendon, so that the shops in both districts would be closed for the weekly Half Holiday on the same day, instead of one district Wednesday and the other Thursday, in accordance with the existing Orders.

Your Committee received a report from the Shops' Inspector in connection with the proposition, and have no recommendation to make thereon at the present time.

(B) Your Committee last report, certain

(C) HALF HOLIDAY and Greengrocers favour of an Order had informed them being made they which they stated

After due consideration in favour of the Committee

RECOMMEND—That Messrs. the Golden Half Holiday

(D) The Shops' Inspector enquiry whether they would be closing time for the

Report from the connection with the

RECOMMEND—That the district

(E) A report was submitted of the case, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the

(F) The Clerk reported it was compulsory spectator that he had the Closing Order.

(G) Letter from Mrs. her business at Bury fact that her husband operation. The visit on this day.

Your Committee

(H) Letter from Mr. G. erection on several and asking the Council

Report from the by such stall, and H gave instructions to action.

(I) Letter from Mr. C. Belle Vue Road and recommend the Council

(J) Reference was made Road. Your Council stall, and in the evening

HOUSES—BRENT STREET: decision of the Council communication on the 17th January last, to the special circumstances, to the drainage of the houses freeholders, Mr. Skelton was to £140 to meet contingencies

Messrs. Bramston and Co. should let the whole matter Skelton at his interview, and that suggested by Mr. Skelton, called upon to make any payment

They intimated that they intimation that the Council undertake at any time to call upon the center in Brent Street, and the

After careful consideration

RECOMMEND—That Messrs. terms of their previous

GAS REGULATION ACT, 1920 result of enquiries made of Local Examiners under the Gas Regulation

The County Council intimated matter under consideration. O of a Joint Gas Examiner, which County Council.

- (B) Your Committee received a report from the Shops' Inspector as to the work carried out since his last report, certain of the items appearing in detail below.
- (C) **HALF HOLIDAY ORDER:** Report from the Shops' Inspector that he had visited the Fruiterers and Greengrocers in the Golders Green, Child's Hill and Cricklewood areas, who had voted in favour of an Order being made providing for the closing of their shops at 1 p.m. on Thursday, and had informed them in reply to the point raised by a number of them that in the event of the Order being made they will not be allowed to sell any kind of fruit after 1 p.m. on the Closing Day, of which they stated they were fully aware, and desired the Order to be made.

After due consideration of the report of the Inspector, and in view of the fact that the majority in favour of the Order being made is considerably in excess of the required two-thirds, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a draft Order be prepared providing for Fruiterers and Greengrocers in the Golders Green, Child's Hill and Cricklewood areas closing their shops for the weekly Half Holiday on Thursday at 1 p.m.

- (D) The Shops' Inspector reported the receipt of a letter from Messrs. W. White and Sons, making enquiry whether an Order could be put into force in the district applicable to Butchers whereby they would be compelled to close at 7 p.m. each evening excepting Thursdays and Saturdays, the closing time for the former day being 1 p.m., and the latter 8 p.m.

Report from the Shops' Inspector that a vote had been taken of the Butchers in the district in connection with the matter. In view of the replies received by the Inspector, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That no action be taken to make an Order compelling Butchers in the district to close their shops at stated times.

- (E) A report was submitted in regard to a Hairdresser at Mill Hill, and in view of the circumstances of the case, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That an Order be made exempting Hairdressers at Mill Hill from complying with the provisions of Section 4 of the Shops' Act, 1912.

- (F) The Clerk reported the receipt of a letter from Messrs. G. Pearce and Son making enquiry whether it was compulsory for them to close their business on Thursday afternoon. Report from the Inspector that he had informed Messrs. Pearce and Son that they must comply with the terms of the Closing Order.

- (G) Letter from Mrs. L. Plumb making enquiry whether permission could be granted her to close her business at Burnt Oak on Wednesday afternoon instead of Thursday, for a time, in view of the fact that her husband was in a London hospital, and would probably have to undergo a serious operation. The visiting day at the hospital was Wednesday, hence her desire to close her business on this day.

Your Committee decided to leave the matter in the hands of the Shops' Inspector.

- (H) Letter from Mr. G. Rich on behalf of certain tradesmen in Brent Street, complaining of the erection on several occasions of a stall opposite his shop in Brent Street for the sale of fruit, etc., and asking the Council to take steps to have the same removed.

Report from the Clerk that several complaints had been received as to the obstruction caused by such stall, and he had consequently addressed a communication to the Police asking them to give instructions to prevent the obstruction in future. Your Committee approved of the Clerk's action.

- (I) Letter from Mr. C. Drew making application for permission to have a stand at the junction of Belle Vue Road and Brent Street for the sale of fruit. Your Committee cannot see their way to recommend the Council to accede to this application.

- (J) Reference was made to the existence of a flower stall in Golders Green Road, near Armitage Road. Your Committee gave instructions for the Shops Inspector to make an inspection of such stall, and in the event of the same being an obstruction to notify the Police accordingly.

- 11.--**HOUSES—BRENT STREET:** Letter from Messrs. Bramston, Skelton and Dowse in reference to the decision of the Council communicated to Mr. Skelton after his interview with the General Purposes Committee on the 17th January last, to the effect that the Council were disposed, without prejudice, and in view of the special circumstances, to consider a settlement of the difference which had arisen in connection with the drainage of the houses erected by Mr. Howkins in Brent Street, provided that on behalf of the Freeholders, Mr. Skelton was prepared to increase the offer of £50 (mentioned at the interview referred to) to £140 to meet contingencies in connection with the drains.

Messrs. Bramston and Co. stated that their clients, the Freeholders, were of opinion that the Council should let the whole matter drop for the reasons mentioned to the General Purposes Committee by Mr. Skelton at his interview, and, further, that the Council should not press for payment of a larger sum than that suggested by Mr. Skelton, viz.: £50, in view of the fact that their client did not contemplate being called upon to make any payment at all, and that he was not disposed to increase the amount.

They intimated that they were prepared, without prejudice, to advise payment of the £50 on the condition that the Council undertake not to require the work mentioned in the notices to be carried out, nor at any time to call upon the owners of the houses to construct separate drains connecting with the main sewer in Brent Street, and to accept the sum in full settlement of all claims (if any).

After careful consideration of the matter, and a report from the Clerk in regard thereto, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Messrs. Bramston and Co. be informed that the Council cannot depart from the terms of their previous decision, and adhere to the sum of £140 proposed.

- 12.--**GAS REGULATION ACT, 1920:** Letter from the Clerk to the Middlesex County Council reporting as to the result of enquiries made of Local Authorities in the County of Middlesex as to the appointment of Gas Examiners under the Gas Regulation Act, 1920.

The County Council intimated that certain districts had already appointed Gas Examiners, or had the matter under consideration. Other districts served by the same Gas Company suggested the appointment of a Joint Gas Examiner, whilst certain of the districts desired to leave the matter in the hands of the County Council.

The County Council referred to a resolution passed at a recent meeting of the District Councils' Association, when it was decided to leave the matter in their hands.

They point out in regard to the proposal to appoint a Gas Examiner for the areas of Local Authorities served by the same Gas Company, that in view of the fact there were twelve Gas Companies in Middlesex, some of which only served one or two parishes, the proposal was one which could not be generally adopted. They stated, however, that in their opinion the more satisfactory course would be to appoint Gas Examiners for combinations of districts, and they made enquiry whether the Council would be willing for them to appoint examiners on these lines.

The Council will remember that they have already intimated to the County Council that they do not propose to take any steps in the matter, and your Committee have no further recommendation to make in regard thereto.

- 13.—EMPIRE DAY: Letter from the Secretary of the Empire Movement Committee in regard to the arrangements for the observance of Empire Day, and referring to the sanction of H.M. Government to the observance of the day by the hoisting of the Union Jack over all public buildings. The Committee further urged that a special effort be made this year by Local Authorities in Great Britain to observe Empire Day, and then invited the Council to become members of the movement, or, failing this action, to contribute a donation to the funds. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Committee be informed it is the practice of the Council to hoist the flag over the Town Hall on Empire Day, and the practice will be followed this year, but they regret they are unable to assist the movement by either of the other methods suggested.

- 14.—SURVEYOR'S DEPARTMENT—STAFF: The Surveyor reported the receipt of a letter from Mr. E. S. Reid, tendering his resignation of the post occupied by him of Engineering Assistant, having been appointed Assistant Surveyor to the Hendon Rural District Council, and asking to be released from his duties on the 2nd prox. Mr. Reid also made application to be granted a testimonial under the Seal of the Council, and made enquiry whether the Council would allow him some concession in respect of his annual holiday. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Reid be granted a testimonial under the Seal of the Council, and that he be released from his duties on the 2nd prox. In view of the fact that Mr. Reid has not completed twelve months service since the date of his last annual holiday, your Committee cannot recommend any concession in lieu of holidays.

Report from the Surveyor in regard to filling the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Mr. Reid, Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the matter be referred to the Staff Committee for consideration.

- 15.—HALL PORTER: Report from the Surveyor that the Hall Porter had made application for the Council's permission to join the Veterans' Corps, and in the event of such permission being granted, he asked that when his present uniform was replaced, it should be replaced with the uniform of the Corps. Your Committee are informed that it is understood that the Hall Porter would pay all subscriptions to the Corps, the Council paying for the uniform only. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the application of the Hall Porter to join the Veterans' Corps be acceded to, and when it becomes necessary to replace his present uniform, the same be replaced with the uniform of the Corps.

- 16.—BILLS IN PARLIAMENT: The Surveyor submitted a report as to the points where the Bills in Parliament affected the Urban District of Hendon.

Report from the Clerk that he had been informed that the Committees dealing with the Bills would not meet until after the Easter Recess. After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk prepare Clauses to meet the points referred to in the report of the Surveyor, and propose to further consider the matter at their next meeting.

- 17.—SALARY OF MR. J. SKIDMORE: Your Committee received a report from the Finance Committee relative to the proposition of the Education Committee that the Council should pay half the salary of Mr. Skidmore, the Education Committee paying the remainder, in view of the fact that Mr. Skidmore is engaged partly on Council accounts and partly on Education Committee accounts. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the proposal submitted by the Education Committee be agreed to.

- 18.—ELECTION: Report from the Clerk in regard to the question of granting an allowance to members of the Council's staff acting, without fee, in connection with the forthcoming Election, to cover the out-of-pocket expenses incurred by them. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That an allowance of 10s. be granted to each of the members of the Council's staff so acting.

- 19.—EDUCATION COMMITTEE: That they again had under consideration the question of the Constitution of the Education Committee, and ultimately decided to defer the matter.

Report of Highways Committee, No. 1.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 14th day of March, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Hare (Chairman), Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Egan, Ford, Reynolds, Smyrk, Taylor, and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—ESTIMATE FOR GENERAL DISTRICT RATE: That they had under consideration the estimate of the Committee's requirements for the year ending 31st March, 1922, and
- RECOMMEND—That the same be approved, as amended, and referred to a Committee consisting of the whole of the Members of the Council for consideration.

Report

To the Chairman

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 14th day of March, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Hare (Chairman), Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Egan, Ford, Reynolds, Smyrk, Taylor, and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—CHURCH ROAD: Letter from the Surveyor in regard to the complaint referred, from which condition. After due consideration, your Committee

2.—ALBERT ROAD, MILL HILL: Letter from the Surveyor in regard to the complaint referred, from which condition. After due consideration, your Committee

in view of the replies

RECOMMEND—That the Council should be informed that the Council will be followed this year, but they regret they are unable to assist the movement by either of the other methods suggested.

3.—PILLAR LETTER BOX: Letter from the Surveyor in regard to the complaint referred, from which condition. After due consideration, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council should be informed that the Council will be followed this year, but they regret they are unable to assist the movement by either of the other methods suggested.

4.—ROAD DIRECTION POSTS: Letter from the Surveyor in regard to the complaint referred, from which condition. After due consideration, your Committee

5.—HOARDING—EDGWARE ROAD: Letter from the Surveyor in regard to the complaint referred, from which condition. After due consideration, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council should be informed that the Council will be followed this year, but they regret they are unable to assist the movement by either of the other methods suggested.

6.—TREES AND HEDGES: Report from the Surveyor in regard to the complaint referred, from which condition. After due consideration, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council should be informed that the Council will be followed this year, but they regret they are unable to assist the movement by either of the other methods suggested.

7.—TAR PAINTING MACHINE: Report from the Surveyor in regard to the complaint referred, from which condition. After due consideration, your Committee

8.—PUBLIC LIGHTING:

(a) The Surveyor submitted a report as to the points where the Bills in Parliament affected the Urban District of Hendon.

Report from the Clerk that he had been informed that the Committees dealing with the Bills would not meet until after the Easter Recess. After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk prepare Clauses to meet the points referred to in the report of the Surveyor, and propose to further consider the matter at their next meeting.

(b) Report from the Surveyor in regard to the complaint referred, from which condition. After due consideration, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council should be informed that the Council will be followed this year, but they regret they are unable to assist the movement by either of the other methods suggested.

9.—POND—HIGHWOOD HILL: Letter from the Surveyor in regard to the complaint referred, from which condition. After due consideration, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council should be informed that the Council will be followed this year, but they regret they are unable to assist the movement by either of the other methods suggested.

10.—CONTACT HILL: Report from the Surveyor in regard to the complaint referred, from which condition. After due consideration, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council should be informed that the Council will be followed this year, but they regret they are unable to assist the movement by either of the other methods suggested.

Report of Highways Committee, No. 2.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 21st day of March, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Hare (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Miss Growse, Ford, Hill, Egan, Reynolds, Smyrk, Taylor, and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—**CHURCH ROAD:** Letter from Mrs. J. Staite complaining of vibration caused by the heavy traffic along Church Road. Report from the Surveyor as to the condition of the section of the road to which the complaint referred, from which it appeared that the section of road in question was in a reasonably good condition. After due consideration, your Committee have no recommendation to make in regard to the complaint.

2.—**ALBERT ROAD, MILL HILL:** Report from the Clerk that in accordance with the recommendation of the Committee at their last meeting, he had communicated with the owners of property in Albert Road, Mill Hill, inquiring their views in regard to the proposed modification in the width of the road from 38 feet to 30 feet in connection with the permanent works proposed to be carried out in such road. He had received replies from all the owners of property in the road referred to, assenting to the proposed modification. One owner, however, objected to the proposal to make up the road at all at the present time, and suggested that the carrying out of the permanent works should be temporarily postponed in view of the unsettled conditions now prevailing. With regard to the objection referred to your Committee regret at this stage they are unable to vary their decision to carry out permanent works in the road.

In view of the replies received from the Owners of property in Albert Road, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That in carrying out permanent works in the road the width of such road should be 30 feet instead of 38 feet as originally proposed.

3.—**PILLAR LETTER BOX:** Letter from the Postmaster, North Western District Post Office, making application for permission to erect a pillar letter box in Cricklewood Lane (opposite the "Queen's Hall"). Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the application be acceded to, subject to the Surveyor approving the actual position of the pillar letter box.

4.—**ROAD DIRECTION POSTS:** The Clerk reported the receipt of a circular letter from the Ministry of Transport upon the subject of standardising, as far as possible, direction posts, warning notices, and other road signs used on public highways; also transmitting diagrams of suitable danger signs and notices. Your Committee have duly noted the same.

5.—**HOARDING—EDGWARE ROAD:** Letter from the Clerk to the Urban District Council of Kingsbury as to complaints received by the Kingsbury Council in connection with the hoarding erected at the junction of Edgware Road and Kingsbury Road, and making enquiry whether the Hendon Council would take action either to secure the removal of the hoarding or a reduction in the height thereof, to enable drivers of vehicles to observe approaching traffic. After due consideration of such communication, and a report from the officers in regard thereto, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk inform the Kingsbury Council that this Council regret their inability to take action in connection with the matter.

6.—**TREES AND HEDGES:** Reference was made to certain overhanging trees in Page Street, opposite Tithe Farm which required lopping; also the hedge at the foot of Highwood Hill, which required to be cut back.

Your Committee have referred these matters to the Surveyor for attention.

7.—**TAR PAINTING MACHINE:** That they opened the tenders (seven in number) for the supply of a Tar painting Machine and have referred the same to the Surveyor for report thereon.

8.—**PUBLIC LIGHTING:**

(A) The Surveyor submitted a letter from Mr. W. Snow, making application for an additional lamp to be erected in Millway, Mill Hill. Report from the Surveyor, from which it appeared that he considered an additional lamp was necessary in this road, in view of the building development.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That an additional lamp be erected in the Millway accordingly.

(B) Report from the Surveyor that in his opinion an additional lamp was desirable in Sunnydale Gardens, Mill Hill, and one in Decoy Avenue, Golders Green, in view of the completion of new property in the roads referred to. After due consideration of such report, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That additional lamps be erected in the above-mentioned roads, as suggested.

9.—**POND—HIGHWOOD HILL:** The Surveyor submitted a further letter from Mr. J. F. Monnet expressing regret at the decision of the Council in regard to his proposition to acquire a portion of the public pond at Highwood Hill outside his boundary fence. Mr. Monnet now enquired whether the Council would be prepared to let him the portion of the pond referred to, until such time as the same was required for the purpose of road widening, in order that he might fence the same in. After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Monnet be informed that the Council have no power to entertain his suggestion for enclosing a portion of the highway.

10.—**BITTACY HILL:** Report from the Surveyor as to an application received from Mrs. A. Alcock for permission to place a stall on the greensward at the junction of Sanders Lane and Bittacy Hill on Sundays and Holidays for the sale of minerals. After careful consideration of the matter your Committee gave instructions for Mrs. Alcock to be informed that the Council have no authority to grant such permission.

11.—REINSTATING TRENCHES: The Surveyor submitted a list of revised charges for reinstating trenches opened by Gas, Electric Light, and Water Companies in connection with the laying of mains. Your Committee

RECOMMEND approval of same.

12.—REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor submitted a requisition of goods and materials required, and the same was duly approved.

Report of Housing Executive Committee, No. 1.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 7th day of March, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Cartwright (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Ford, Roberts and Teare.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—CHILD'S HILL:

(A) PROGRESS: That they received a detailed report from the Architect as to the progress in connection with this Scheme. There were nine houses in Block "H" almost ready for occupation. Your Committee have duly noted the report.

(B) WATER MAIN: Letter from the London Housing Board approving of the undertaking to be entered into with the Metropolitan Water Board in reference to the water main to the houses at Cloister Road. Noted.

2.—BRENT HILL:

(a) PROGRESS: A detailed report was received as to the position of this Scheme, from which it appeared that fourteen houses were complete except for the lighting and heating services, and seventy-two other houses were in various stages of construction. Your Committee have duly noted the contents of the report.

(b) LIGHTING AND HEATING: The Clerk reported in reference to his enquiries of the London Housing Board for a decision in regard to the lighting and heating arrangements. Your Committee consider that a decision should have been received from the Department before this, and they instructed the Clerk to transmit a copy of the correspondence upon the subject to Major Sir Philip Lloyd-Greame, K.B.E., M.C., M.P., with the request that he would use his good offices to secure a decision in regard to this matter.

Your Committee gave authority for the Contracts for Lighting and Heating to be prepared.

(c) WATER MAIN: Letter from the Metropolitan Water Board in reference to the terms of the guarantee in connection with the water main to be laid for the houses at Brent Hill site.

Your Committee decided to agree to the form of undertaking as required by the Board, on the understanding that the same should not form a precedent.

3.—BITTACY HILL: Letter from the London Housing Board in reference to the scheme submitted for artisans dwellings at Bittacy Hill. The Board now intimated their approval of the plans submitted subject to certain modifications shown thereon, and to the price being satisfactory when tenders were received.

The Board also approved of the estimate, subject to the consideration of the following modifications:—

(a) Omission of granite sett channel to carriageway.

(b) Coated ventilating pipes to be used in lieu of galvanized.

The Board also intimated that no work, other than a new footpath, could be allowed as a charge against the assisted scheme account. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That tenders be invited for the erection of the houses at Bittacy Hill.

4.—KINGSBURY ROAD: The Surveyor submitted amended scheme in connection with the Kingsbury Road site providing for 32 flats and 16 houses.

Your Committee approved the plan and instructed the Surveyor to submit the same to the Housing Board for approval.

Report of

To the
Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg
to report that they met at the
Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon,
on Monday, the 7th day of March, 1921.
Present: Mr. Councillor Cartwright (Chairman),
and Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Ford,
Roberts and Teare, together with M

Your Committee beg
to report as follows:—

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Report of Housing Executive Committee, No. 2.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 21st day of March, 1921. Present: Councillors C. C. Cartwright (Chairman), Mrs. Hargraves, Ford, Roberts and Teare, together with Mr. G. Hornblower (Architect).

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—BRENT HILL FARM:

- (a) **LIGHTING:** The Architect reported that the Hendon Electric Supply Co. desired to increase their price for the installation in certain of the houses where the same had been practically completed. The Council will recollect that this question has been outstanding for a considerable time.

After careful consideration of this matter your Committee gave authority to the Architect to negotiate with the Hendon Electric Supply Company in respect of the extra work involved where the houses are completed.

Letter from the London Housing Board in further reference to the Council's proposals relative to lighting and heating at Brent Hill Farm.

The Board now intimated that they would be prepared to agree to a contribution of £42 12s. 3d. per house for gas and electric services in respect of the houses which were erected, and waiting for the services to be laid on.

The Council will recollect that this sum of £42 12s. 3d. represented the estimated cost of the installation which the Housing Board intimated they would be prepared to approve in their letter of 22nd January, 1921.

In regard to the remaining houses on the site the Board intimated that they would agree to a contribution of £39 13s. 6d. per house.

The Board further intimated that the above mentioned sums included items already in the Contract, but excluded such sums for the provision of a cooking range without boiler, and portable copper, and the actual amounts for the installation of the dual services would be £26 8s. 9d. and £23 10s. respectively. An Inspector of the Board would attend with a view of agreeing the number of houses to which the amount of £42 12s. 3d. would apply. Your Committee have duly noted this communication.

- (b) **DRYING RACKS:** In regard to the proposal to provide drying racks, your Committee consider that such a provision is not a necessity and they agreed that the same should be omitted.
- (c) **CERTIFICATES:** Reference was made to the issue of Certificates to Contractors. Your Committee consider that the Certificates should be submitted early each week at the meetings and so avoid the necessity as far as possible of special interim Pay Orders being issued.

In regard to the next two weeks, however your Committee authorised the Chairman to sign Pay Orders in respect of Contractors' Certificates.

- (d) **HOT WATER SERVICE:** The Clerk reported a communication from Mr. J. Finch whose tender was accepted for the hot water service at Brent Hill Farm. He raised certain points in regard to the Contract relative to maintenance, retention, and payment of Certificates. After careful consideration thereof, your Committee

RECOMMEND—

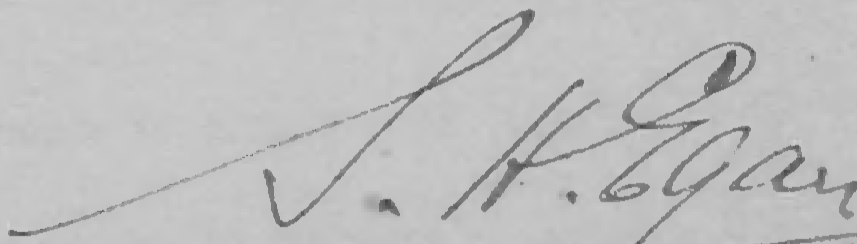
- (a) That the period of maintenance be reduced to six months.
- (b) That in regard to the retention sum, this be reduced to meet the case.
- (c) In regard to Certificates on account of the work in progress. That the amount of work to be executed before a Certificate is issued be reduced.
- (d) That the Council agree to the deletion or modification of the Local Labour Clause in this Contract, if still objected to, the work being of a special nature.

2.—**HOUSING SCHEMES:** Letter from Mr. F. G. Baxendale, of the Ministry of Health, inviting the attendance of a deputation from the Council on Tuesday, the 22nd inst., in reference to the Council's Housing Schemes. Your Committee, whilst unable to arrange for a deputation to attend, have instructed the Clerk in regard thereto.

3.—**BITTACY HILL SCHEME:** Your Committee have deferred consideration of the report of the Surveyor in reference to this Scheme for the preparation of the quantities.

4.—**KINGSBURY ROAD SITE:** In regard to the site at Kingsbury Road, your Committee have deferred this matter for the present.

They considered a suggestion for using a portion of the site for a playing field and have instructed the Surveyor to report upon this question.


Chairman.

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AT A MEETING
at the Town Hall
the 11th day of

MINUTES: The Minutes of the
the 28th day of February
of March, and the 5th day

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- (4) A list of the co-opted
- (5) A short report from
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The Clerk replied that
Councillor Soar, and

IT WAS DECIDED—THAT
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the question of the
with item No. 5.

APOLOGY FOR ABSENCE: The
regretting her inability to be
The Chairman congratulated
came him back to his Council

Minutes.

AT A MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon, held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W. on Monday, the 11th day of April, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor A. S. F. Ford, J.P., (Chairman),
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
 " " S. H. Egan,
 " " T. F. Fenn,
 " " R. Hare,
 " " F. W. Hearn,
 " " C. W. Hill,
 " " J. M. McGrath, J.P.,
 " " T. Page,
 " " A. J. Reynolds,
 " " A. Roberts,
 " " A. B. Soar,
 " " J. H. Sturgess,
 " " W. A. Smyrk,
 " " W. Taylor,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant),
 Dr. T. S. McIntosh (Medical Officer of Health).

MINUTES: The Minutes of the last ordinary meeting of the Council, and the Council in Committee, held on the 28th day of February, 1921, and of the Special Meetings held on the 7th day of March, the 21st day of March, and the 5th day of April, 1921, were submitted for confirmation.

Upon consideration of the Minutes of the Special Meeting held on the 5th day of April it was decided to amend the last item of such Minutes on page 114 relative to the Assistant Medical Officer, the last two lines in such paragraph to read as follows:—

"It was decided to adopt this suggestion, it being agreed that the Medical Officer of Health should report upon the matter."

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Wise,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Minutes be confirmed, as amended.

NATIONAL EMERGENCY: Report from the Chairman as to the action which had been taken in response to the telegram received from the Prime Minister for the raising of a Defence Force Unit in the district to cope with the present National emergency, a Recruiting Station having been established at the Town Hall, Hendon, also as to the steps which had been taken in regard to Food Control should the necessity for this arise, which embraced the appointment of Mr. Shafto J. Chapman as Emergency Food Officer.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the action taken by the Chairman be approved.

QUESTIONS BY MR. COUNCILLOR SOAR: The following questions were put by Mr. Councillor Soar:—

Whether, in order that the Election of Committees may be efficiently carried out, there should not be sent out with Agendas for next meeting:

- (1) A full list of Councillors with the Ward represented.
- (2) A list showing the present constitution of each Committee.
- (3) A list giving the names of Councillors who desire to serve on a particular Committee from which they are omitted.
- (4) A list of the co-opted Members now on the Education Committee.
- (5) A short report from the Education Committee as to any important matters, other than routine, which are likely to come forward this year.

The Clerk replied that it would be possible to comply with certain of the requests submitted by Mr. Councillor Soar, and

IT WAS DECIDED—That this should be done in the case of items 1, 2 and 4, and in order to deal with No. 3, that a short meeting in Committee be held prior to the Annual Meeting to consider the question of the constitution of Committees, and that no action could be taken in connection with item No. 5.

APOLOGY FOR ABSENCE: The Clerk reported the receipt of a communication from Councillor Miss Growse, regretting her inability to be present owing to absence from the district.

The Chairman congratulated Mr. Councillor Page on his recovery from his recent illness, and welcomed him back to his Council duties.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE NO. 1: The Finance Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 14th ulto. (Agenda page 235). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE NO. 2: The Finance Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 21st ulto. (Agenda page 235). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

The following is a list of the accounts for payment referred to on page 236, paragraph 4, of the Report of the Finance Committee:—

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| Alpe Bros. and Thomson | Carbon paper | 1 | 5 | 6 |
| Andersons, Ltd. | Hose | 12 | 10 | 0 |
| Anglo American Oil Co., Ltd. | Paraffin oil | 3 | 13 | 4 |
| Ashby, W. C. | Files | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| Ballard, R. | Hired team labour | 4 | 16 | 0 |
| Barrs and Co. | Stationery | 13 | 17 | 0 |
| Beattie, J. H. and Co., Ltd. | Coal | 42 | 3 | 3 |
| Bell Motor Works | Sundries for Ford cars | 0 | 16 | 6 |
| Betts and Co., Ltd. | Clogs | 2 | 3 | 6 |
| Bluebell Polish Co. | Polish | 2 | 4 | 5 |
| Blyde, A. and Co. | Tyres | 5 | 2 | 0 |
| Boots, Ltd. | Salts | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| British Petroleum Co., Ltd. | Petrol | 31 | 5 | 8 |
| Brown Bros. | Switch, etc. | 0 | 9 | 11 |
| Builder, Ltd. | Advertisement | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Canon Company | Range, etc. | 8 | 18 | 4 |
| Cement Marketing Co., Ltd. | Cement | 23 | 16 | 0 |
| Cherry, C. | Hired team labour, etc. | 135 | 3 | 4 |
| Cliffe Hill Granite Co., Ltd. | Paving | 42 | 18 | 4 |
| Cluttons | Rents | 15 | 8 | 0 |
| Connolly, J. W. and T., Ltd. | Tyres | 18 | 19 | 0 |
| Constable Hart and Co., Ltd. | Tarpaving | 212 | 4 | 8 |
| Contract Journal Co., Ltd. | Advertisement | 1 | 15 | 0 |
| Craby, Fredk., and Co. | Pails, etc. | 3 | 0 | 6 |
| Crisp and Hodgson | Sundries for repairs | 19 | 9 | 2 |
| Crow, Catchpole and Co., Ltd. | Coal pitch, etc. | 29 | 5 | 6 |
| Davis, E. J. and Co. | Repairs to engine | 3 | 2 | 6 |
| Dickers, E. M. M. | Rent | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| Done, Hunter and Co. | Rents | 68 | 2 | 6 |
| Drake, Driver and Leaver, Ltd. | Book | 1 | 9 | 6 |
| Duff, J. R. K. | Refund—hired rooms | 0 | 12 | 6 |
| Dunhills, Ltd. | Smocks | 38 | 5 | 0 |
| Etherington, E. | Towelling, etc. | 3 | 12 | 8 |
| Evans, Edwin | Rent | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Evans, J. | Rug | 0 | 16 | 0 |
| Evans, W. | Clinker | 21 | 12 | 0 |
| Facer and Co., Ltd. | Coal | 2 | 17 | 6 |
| Farmiloe, T. and W., Ltd. | Ceilingite | 4 | 2 | 8 |
| Gas Light and Coke Co. | Repairs | 5 | 15 | 3 |
| Gestetner, D. | Stencils | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Gibb, James and Co., Ltd. | Manhole covers, etc. | 263 | 0 | 10 |
| Gill, T. H. and Son | Repairs to ambulance | 15 | 15 | 0 |
| Glee Hill Granite Co., Ltd. | Granite | 365 | 2 | 6 |
| Goddard, Walker and Brown | Income Journal | 13 | 0 | 0 |
| Grimley, S. S. | Salary | 100 | 0 | 0 |
| Grobby Granite Co., Ltd. | Granite | 57 | 1 | 5 |
| Hahn, Max | Rent | 3 | 10 | 0 |
| Harris, A. J. | Dust collection | 62 | 0 | 0 |
| Harrison and Sons, Ltd. | Paper | 4 | 17 | 6 |
| Hatton and Collier | Sacks, etc. | 15 | 10 | 6 |
| Hendon Education Committee | Moiety salaries, Officers | 125 | 0 | 0 |
| Hendon Electricity Supply Co., Ltd. | Supply | 51 | 1 | 6 |
| H.M. Stationery Office | Publications | 0 | 5 | 8 |
| Hill, A. J. | Repairs | 6 | 12 | 6 |
| Hinge Bros. | Rent | 3 | 14 | 10 |
| Hollington Bros. | Uniform | 5 | 12 | 0 |
| Howard, E. | Rent | 13 | 8 | 9 |
| King, J. | Rent | 1 | 10 | 0 |
| Kruse, G. F. | Rent | 25 | 0 | 0 |
| Lamberton, A. S. | Repairs to boots | 1 | 6 | 0 |
| "Law Times" | Subscription | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Line, John and Sons, Ltd. | Paint | 18 | 6 | 9 |
| London Telephone Service | Telephone charges | 1 | 10 | 0 |
| Lyle Trading Co., Ltd. | Cabinet | 1 | 11 | 6 |
| Manor Brick and Tile Co. | Drain pipes | 39 | 18 | 0 |
| Matthews, J. | Sundries | 7 | 7 | 1 |
| Meager, M. A. | Rent | 1 | 10 | 0 |
| Medical Officer | Advertisement | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Metropolitan Water Board | Rent | 4 | 5 | 0 |
| Metropolitan Water Board | Repairs | 14 | 14 | 10 |
| Middlesex Districts Joint Smallpox Hospital Board | Annual Instalment | 370 | 0 | 0 |
| Middleton Bros. | Lard oil | 2 | 12 | 6 |
| Midland Railway Co. | Rent | 0 | 6 | 0 |

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| cars | 0 | 16 | 6 |
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| Motor Rubber Company | ... | ... |
| Mountsorrel Granite Co., Ltd. | ... | ... |
| National Boiler and General Insurance Co. | ... | ... |
| Nicholl, Sam | ... | ... |
| North Middlesex Gas Co. | ... | ... |
| Norton and Gregory, Ltd. | ... | ... |
| Odell, C., Ltd. | ... | ... |
| Page, C. H. | ... | ... |
| Pendleton and Co. | ... | ... |
| Poulton, Rev. J. S. | ... | ... |
| Pryke and Palmer | ... | ... |
| Puddefoot, Tom | ... | ... |
| Ramsbotham, George | ... | ... |
| Robarts, A. W. | ... | ... |
| Rowley, Thomas | ... | ... |
| Royal Exchange Assurance | ... | ... |
| Sanitas Co., Ltd. | ... | ... |
| Sawford, Ralph | ... | ... |
| Shaw and Sons | ... | ... |
| Shell Mex, Ltd. | ... | ... |
| Stanley, W. F. and Co., Ltd. | ... | ... |
| Stillman, H. | ... | ... |
| Stone and Colquhoun | ... | ... |
| Tottenham District Light and Heat Co. | ... | ... |
| Urban Council Clerks' Association—Subscription | ... | ... |
| Urban District Councils' Association—Subscription | ... | ... |
| Unite, John, Ltd. | ... | ... |
| Vacuum Oil Co., Ltd. | ... | ... |
| Warden and Co., Ltd. | ... | ... |
| Wilford, T. W. | ... | ... |
| Wyatt, T. | ... | ... |
| Hodgkinson, Prestons and King | ... | ... |
| West Surrey Central Dairy Co., Ltd. | ... | ... |
| Hawkins, E. | ... | ... |
| Thomas, J. W. | ... | ... |
| Brice, R. J. | ... | ... |
| Welford and Sons | ... | ... |
| Express Dairy Co., Ltd. | ... | ... |
| Richards, J., Ltd. | ... | ... |
| Corporation of Liverpool | ... | ... |
| Ecclesiastical Commissioners | ... | ... |
| Hearts of Oak Benefit Society | ... | ... |
| Pearl Assurance Co., Ltd. | ... | ... |
| Sundry Persons | ... | ... |
| Sundry Ratepayers | ... | ... |
| Accountant | ... | ... |
| Accountant | ... | ... |
| Degan, Mrs. (Midwife) | ... | ... |
| Hunt, Mrs. (Maternity nurse) | ... | ... |
| Surveyor | ... | ... |
| Accessories Manufacturing Co., Ltd. | ... | ... |
| Accountant | ... | ... |
| Holdford, John | ... | ... |
| Hendon Rural District Council | ... | ... |
| Sundry Medical Practitioners | ... | ... |
| Chief Officer, Fire Brigade | ... | ... |
| Maternity Nurse | ... | ... |
| Sanitary Inspector, per Accountant's Account | ... | ... |
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| Chantrill, H. H. | ... | ... |
| Imperial Livestock Insurance Co., Ltd. | ... | ... |
| Royal Exchange Assurance Co., Ltd. | ... | ... |
| Royal Insurance Co., Ltd. | ... | ... |
| Justices, Gore Division | ... | ... |
| Housing Bond Interest Account | ... | ... |
| Middlesex County Council | ... | ... |
| Atlas Insurance Co., Ltd. | ... | ... |
| Westminster Fire Office | ... | ... |

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS—

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|--------------------|-----|-----|
| Builder, Ltd. | ... | ... |
| "Contract Journal" | ... | ... |
| Evans, W. | ... | ... |
| Hill A. J. | ... | ... |
| Hurling, G. | ... | ... |
| Stillman, H. | ... | ... |
| Sutton and Co. | ... | ... |
| Rowley, Thomas | ... | ... |
| Ramsbotham, G. | ... | ... |

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| Carriage | ... | ... | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| High boots | ... | ... | 5 | 7 | 0 |
| Granite | ... | ... | 59 | 4 | 2 |
| Premiums | ... | ... | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| Wood blocks | ... | ... | 105 | 0 | 0 |
| Coke | ... | ... | 15 | 6 | 0 |
| Surveying requisites | ... | ... | 11 | 10 | 6 |
| Printing | ... | ... | 8 | 11 | 6 |
| Sundries | ... | ... | 9 | 13 | 0 |
| Wood | ... | ... | 5 | 9 | 1 |
| Rent | ... | ... | 13 | 0 | 0 |
| Sundries | ... | ... | 6 | 5 | 8 |
| Repairs to tools | ... | ... | 21 | 4 | 4 |
| Repairs | ... | ... | 38 | 16 | 3 |
| Oats | ... | ... | 78 | 0 | 0 |
| Hired steam roller | ... | ... | 28 | 16 | 0 |
| Premium | ... | ... | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| Disinfectants | ... | ... | 11 | 16 | 0 |
| Hire of car | ... | ... | 6 | 4 | 0 |
| Stationery | ... | ... | 1 | 15 | 0 |
| Kerosene | ... | ... | 3 | 13 | 4 |
| Theodolite | ... | ... | 47 | 19 | 3 |
| Hired team labour | ... | ... | 4 | 2 | 6 |
| Plans | ... | ... | 5 | 5 | 11 |
| Coke | ... | ... | 43 | 6 | 8 |

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| Subscription | ... | ... | 0 | 10 | 0 |
| Subscription | ... | ... | 4 | 4 | 0 |
| Rope | ... | ... | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Oil | ... | ... | 13 | 3 | 4 |
| Printing | ... | ... | 1 | 18 | 0 |
| Hire of car | ... | ... | 0 | 15 | 0 |
| Sundries | ... | ... | 2 | 14 | 3 |
| Drugs | ... | ... | 7 | 1 | 0 |
| Milk | ... | ... | 16 | 4 | 0 |
| Milk | ... | ... | 3 | 6 | 1 |
| Milk | ... | ... | 6 | 2 | 5 |
| Milk | ... | ... | 1 | 12 | 1 |
| Milk | ... | ... | 2 | 1 | 8 |
| Milk | ... | ... | 17 | 10 | 7 |
| Milk | ... | ... | 22 | 15 | 1 |
| Loan repayment | ... | ... | 904 | 12 | 5 |
| Loan repayment | ... | ... | 1077 | 4 | 9 |
| Loan repayment | ... | ... | 366 | 16 | 2 |
| Loan repayment | ... | ... | 105 | 15 | 0 |
| Refund tender deposits | ... | ... | 14 | 0 | 0 |
| Rate refunds | ... | ... | 29 | 14 | 1 |
| Salaries, March, 1921 | ... | ... | 1224 | 5 | 8 |
| Insurance Stamps | ... | ... | 4 | 9 | 5 |
| Petty Cash | ... | ... | 0 | 14 | 3 |
| Petty Cash | ... | ... | 1 | 0 | 4 |
| Petty Cash | ... | ... | 6 | 8 | 3 |
| Duplicating paper | ... | ... | 3 | 2 | 6 |
| Unemployment contrib. | ... | ... | 0 | 17 | 1 |
| Purchase of Horse | ... | ... | 84 | 0 | 0 |
| Maintenance charges | ... | ... | 33 | 5 | 6 |
| Notification fees | ... | ... | 10 | 1 | 0 |
| Fire expenses, etc. | ... | ... | 147 | 1 | 9 |
| Petty Cash | ... | ... | 4 | 13 | 1 |

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| Petty Cash | ... | ... | 4 | 3 | 10 |
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| Wages | ... | ... | 3300 | 0 | 0 |
| Wages | ... | ... | 359 | 19 | 3 |
| Insurances | ... | ... | 30 | 0 | 0 |
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After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Egan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF WORKS AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL COMMITTEE: The Works and Sewage Disposal Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 7th ult. (Agenda page 238). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE NO. 1: The Public Health Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 7th ult. (Agenda page 240). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Egan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Egan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE NO. 2: The Public Health Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 14th ult. (Agenda page 242). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hearn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE NO. 3: The Public Health Committee submitted the following report of a meeting of the Committee held this evening:—

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Councillor Mrs. Bannister,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall this evening. Present: Mr. Councillor Teare (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Mrs. Hargraves, Ford, Hearn, Hill, McGrath, Sturgess, and Taylor.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

MILK SUPPLY: That they gave careful consideration to the circular received from the Ministry of Health transmitting copy of an Order revoking the Milk (Mothers and Children) Order, 1919.

Under the new arrangement Local Authorities would be required to obtain the sanction of the Minister, under the Maternity and Child Welfare Act, 1918, to schemes for the supply of milk to expectant and nursing mothers, and children under five years of age.

The circular, dated the 31st March, furnished details of the conditions upon which the sanction would be given. The Medical Officer of Health submitted a draft of a scheme for the supply of milk to mothers and children, as follows:—

HENDON URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

SCHEME FOR THE SUPPLY FREE OR AT LESS THAN COST PRICE OF MILK FOR EXPECTANT AND NURSING MOTHERS, AND FOR INFANTS.

The quantities of milk supplied, and the qualifications of the recipients will be in accordance with the requirements of the Ministry of Health, as stated in the Ministry's Circular 185, paragraphs 1, 2, and 3.

For the purpose of determining whether the applicants are necessitous, a scale of income has been adopted, and is appended hereto.

Application forms on the lines of the Model Form issued by the Ministry of Health have been drawn up. A copy is appended. These forms must be filled up and signed by at least one parent, and, when possible, by both. It will be necessary for anyone desiring a grant to make application at the Public Health Offices, or at one of the Child Welfare Centres, for a form. The assistance of a clerk or health visitor will be available in order that the forms may be properly filled up.

Further enquiries will be made as required, to verify the parents' statements.

The application forms, after they have been filled up and signed, will be considered by the Chairman of the Public Health Committee, the Medical Officer of Health and the Accountant and will be signed by them if a grant is to be made.

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The grants will be further reviewed by a Sub-Committee of the Maternity and Child Welfare Committee.

Grants will be made for periods of not more than four weeks, at the end of which time they will be reviewed, and continued or discontinued according to circumstances. Persons desiring a renewal, must fill in a fresh application, which will be supplied to them during the week preceding the expiry of the current grant.

The above procedure will be followed in the case of issues of dried milk or milk foods at less than cost price from the Welfare Centres, as well as in the case of grants of liquid milk.

Copies of the forms of milk order and invoice at present in use are appended. It does not appear necessary to alter them.

SCALE OF INCOME FOR SUPPLY OF MILK AT LESS THAN COST PRICE.

Scale of income per head of family after deducting rent.

| Number in Family. | For a supply of milk free of cost. | For a supply of milk at half cost price. |
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| 1. | 10s. (total 10s.) | 12s. (total 12s.) |
| 2. | 9s. (total 18s.) | 10s. (total 20s.) |
| 3. | 8s. (total 24s.) | 9s. (total 27s.) |
| 4. | 7s. (total 28s.) | 8s. (total 32s.) |
| 5. | 6s. (total 30s.) | 7s. (total 35s.) |
| 6. | 5s. 6d. (total 33s.) | 6s. 6d. (total 39s.) |
| 7. | 5s. (total 35s.) | 6s. (total 42s.) |
| 8. | 5s. (total 40s.) | 6s. (total 48s.) |
| 9. | 5s. (total 45s.) | 6s. (total 54s.) |
| 10. | 5s. (total 50s.) | 6s. (total 60s.) |
| 11. | 5s. (total 55s.) | 6s. (total 66s.) |
| 12. | 5s. (total 60s.) | 6s. (total 72s.) |

The father, mother and children and other dependents living at home should be reckoned as members of the family.

Children who are living at home but earning wages should be treated as lodgers, and not as members of the family.

The amount paid by lodgers, less 10s. per week, should be counted as income.

Any case outside the scale will be specially considered on its merits by the Committee. After careful consideration of the scheme, and the suggested scale of income, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the scheme be approved, and that the same be submitted to the Ministry of Health for their approval.

In the interim, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Medical Officer of Health act upon the above scale pending the Ministry's approval.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Councillor Mrs. Bannister,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF TOWN PLANNING COMMITTEE: The Town Planning Committee submitted a report of a Meeting of the Committee held on the 14th ulto. (Agenda page 242.) Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Fenn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Fenn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HOUSING COMMITTEE: The Housing Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 14th ulto. (Agenda page 244.) Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF FIRE BRIGADE COMMITTEE: The Fire Brigade Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 14th ulto. (Agenda page 245.) Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE, No. 1: The General Purposes Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 14th ulto. (Agenda page 246.) Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Fenn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

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REPORT OF GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE, No. 2: The General Purposes Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 21st ulto. (Agenda page 246.) Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE, No. 1: The Highways Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 14th ulto. (Agenda page 249.) Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE NO. 2: The Highways Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 21st ult. (Agenda page 250.) Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

HOARDING—EDGWARE ROAD: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 5 of the report of the Committee relative to the communication received from the Kingsbury Council in regard to the hoarding at the junction of Edgware Road and Kingsbury Road, Mr. Councillor Soar moved:—

“That the matter be referred to the General Purposes Committee for consideration.”

Mr. Councillor Hearn seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting, the Chairman declared the same to be carried *nem. con.*

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HOUSING EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, No. 1: The Housing Executive Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 7th ulto. (Agenda page 251.) Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Egan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HOUSING EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, No. 2: The Housing Executive Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 21st ulto. (Agenda page 252.) Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Egan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Egan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HOUSING EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE No. 3: The Housing Executive Committee submitted the following report of a meeting of the Committee held this evening:—

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

REPORT OF HOUSING EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE NO. 3.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, this evening. Present: Mr. Councillor Cartwright (Chairman), Councillors Mrs. Hargraves and Roberts (Councillors Ford and Teare were engaged in a special meeting of the Public Health Committee). Mr. G. Hornblower (Architect) was also in attendance.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

(1) BRENT HILL SCHEME:

(a) PROGRESS: That they received a report from Mr. G. Hornblower, the Architect, in reference to the completion of houses in connection with this scheme. Reference was made in such report to the electric lighting, gas and hot water services which, it will be remembered, was decided upon so far as the Council was concerned, as far back as June, 1920, but has only recently been approved.

It had consequently been impossible for the Contractors to complete houses until these services were installed. The Hendon Electric Supply Company were now proceeding with the work, and a commencement would immediately be made with the hot water service and gas service, and it was hoped that in a very short time a considerable number of houses would be ready for occupation.

(b) OMISSIONS SUGGESTED: Letter from Mr. G. Hornblower (Architect) in reference to an interview he had had with a representative of the London Housing Board on the site, when certain suggestions had been made for further savings which the Ministry considered might be effected in connection with this scheme, viz.:—

- 1.—Asphalte instead of lead for the small roof of flats.
- 2.—Omit chimney breast and flues in sculleries.
- 3.—Omit fireplaces where they occur in third bedroom.
- 4.—Omit torching to underside of roof tiling.
- 5.—Substitute a sheet damp course for the plastic one.
- 6.—Omit the cupboards in the living room.
- 7.—Omit all cupboards in bedrooms except one.
- 8.—Omit one draining board.
- 9.—Omit tile skirting behind sinks.
- 10.—Omit lavatory basins.
- 11.—Omit plate racks.

Your Committee have given careful consideration to the variations suggested by the representative of the Ministry, and

RECOMMEND thereon as follows:—

- (1) That no variation be made.
- (2) That the Council agree to this omission in future houses by the substitution of a pipe to carry off fumes from gas stove.
- (3) Agree to omit.
- (4) That torching be carried out.

In regard to the suggestions No 5 to 11 that the Council do not assent to the suggested omissions.

- (c) **BANK OF EARTH:** In regard to the bank of earth and clay in front of several of the houses facing Park Road, referred to in the report of the Architect, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor submit an estimate of the cost of dealing with this with a view to the work being carried out by unemployed labour.

- (d) **OFFICIAL OPENING:** Letter from the Improved Concrete Construction Company in reference to a suggestion for a public inauguration of the Housing Scheme at Brent Hill Farm. The Company intimated that they would be in a position to complete 20 houses by the end of the month.

Your Committee have given careful consideration to the suggestion, but in view of existing conditions they are not in favour of a public function in connection with the scheme at the present time, and

RECOMMEND—That the Company be informed accordingly.

- (e) **ELECTRIC LIGHTING:** Letter from the Hendon Electric Supply Company confirming the figure of £12 18s. 9d. per house for those houses which had already been plastered, viz., 8 houses at Cloister Road and 30 houses at Brent Hill Farm.

Your Committee confirmed the arrangement arrived at.

- 2.—**CHILD'S HILL SCHEME:** In regard to the Child's Hill Scheme there had been considerable difficulty in securing baths and fittings, but the Contractor had intimated that five houses could be completed in a fortnight and nine more houses within the next month.

- 3.—**LETTING OF HOUSES:** Your Committee requested the Architect to intimate to the Accountant when houses are ready for occupation, and authorised the Accountant to arrange for the admission of the tenants.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF REQUISITIONS COMMITTEE: The Requisitions Committee submitted the following report of a meeting held this evening:—

REPORT OF REQUISITIONS COMMITTEE.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall this evening. Present: Mr. Councillor Egan (in the Chair), and Councillors Cartwright and Roberts. (Councillors Ford and Teare were engaged in a Special Meeting of the Public Health Committee).

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor submitted a requisition of goods required, and your Committee

RECOMMEND approval of same.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

TENDERS FOR PUBLIC CONVENIENCE: The Clerk reported the receipt of two tenders received for the construction of a Public Convenience at the junction of Bell Lane and Brent Street.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Tenders be opened and considered by the Council in Committee this evening.

TENDERS FOR RE-CONSTRUCTION WORKS, EDGWARE ROAD: The Clerk reported the receipt of the tenders received for the re construction works proposed to be carried out in the Edgware Road.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such tenders be opened, initialled by the Chairman, and referred to the Surveyor for tabulation and report.

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CORRESPONDENCE: The Clerk reported the receipt of letters as detailed in his report book, and upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be referred to the respective Committees for consideration in the usual way.

DOCUMENTS FOR SEALING: The Clerk submitted the following documents for Sealing by the Council:—

Abdon Clee Stone Quarry Co., Ltd.—Contract for the supply of Granite.
 Knight, C. and Co., Ltd.—Contract for the supply of Stationery.
 Groby Granite Co., Ltd.—Contract for the supply of Granite Chippings.
 Hill, B. C. R.—Contract for the supply of Fish.
 Harrison and Sons, Ltd.—Contract for the execution of Printing Work.
 Sanitas Co., Ltd.—Contract for the supply of Disinfectants.
 Lavender, N.—Contract for the supply of Butcher's Meat.
 Lea Albert—Contract for the supply of Bread and Flour.
 Dickson, James—Contract for the supply of Shingle.
 Shields, J. G.—Contract for the supply of Limestone Gravel and Chippings.
 Enderby and Stoney Stanton Granite Co., Ltd.—Contract for the supply of Granite Chippings.
 Overed, J. E.—Contract for Veterinary Attendance and Inspection of Cows.
 Rowley, T., Junr.—Contract for the hire of Steam Road Roller.
 Closing Order under Housing and Town Planning Act, 1909, in respect of No. 2 Hendon Park Villas (in duplicate).
 Parvin, Frank Ltd.—Contract for erection of Lavatories, etc., at Colindale Temporary Infants' School.
 Wilson and Company—Contract for decorations at The Hyde School.
 Precept upon Overseers for Elementary Education, £18 500.
 Three Petrol Licences, as per Fire Brigade Committee Report (Agenda page 245).
 Ten Housing Bonds, as per Housing Bond Register.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Fenn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to such documents.

FURTHER LOAN—£22,635:

RESOLVED—That pursuant to three several sanctions of the Ministry of Health, all dated the 21st day of October, 1920, this Council do borrow from the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England the sums of Seven Thousand One Hundred Pounds, Thirteen Thousand Seven Hundred and Thirty Five Pounds, and One Thousand Eight Hundred Pounds for the purposes mentioned in the said sanctions, the said sum of Seven Thousand One Hundred Pounds to be repaid with interest at the rate of £6 7s. 6d. per cent. per annum within a period of 80 years, by 160 equal half-yearly instalments of principal and interest combined; the sum of Thirteen Thousand Seven Hundred and Thirty-five Pounds, to be repaid with interest at the rate of £6 7s. 6d. per cent. per annum within a period of 60 years by 120 equal half-yearly instalments of principal and interest combined; and the sum of One Thousand Eight Hundred Pounds, to be repaid with interest at the rate of £6 7s. 6d. per cent. per annum within a period of 60 years by 120 equal half-yearly instalments of principal and interest combined.

RESOLVED—That the Common Seal of this Council be affixed to three Deeds of Mortgage, dated the 11th day of April, 1921, to secure the repayment of the sums of £7,100, £13,735, and £1,800 to the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, and charging the repayment thereof with interest on the District Fund and General District Rate of the Urban District of the Council, and that the Common Seal of the Council be also affixed to an instrument whereby the Council authorise the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners to pay the sum of £22,635 (the aggregate of the said sums of £7,100, £13,735 and £1,800) to the National Provincial and Union Bank of England Limited to the Account of George Hails, Esq., the Treasurer with the Hendon Branch.

ATTENDANCES OF MEMBERS: In accordance with the Standing Orders of the Council, the Clerk submitted the following list of attendances of members of the Council at the meetings of the Council and its Committees during the past year:—

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| Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister | ... | ... |
| Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright | 100 | 92 |
| " " S. H. Egan | 116 | 94 |
| " " T. F. Fenn | 99 | 99 |
| " " A. S. F. Ford, J.P. | 97 | 57 |
| Councillor Miss E. C. Growse | 154 | 139 |
| Mr. Councillor F. W. Hearn | 107 | 94 |
| " " R. Hare | 100 | 91 |
| " " C. W. Hill | 95 | 77 |
| Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge | 92 | 72 |
| Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves | 76 | 63 |
| Mr. Councillor J. M. McGrath | 105 | 91 |
| " " T. Page | 79 | 52 |
| " " A. J. Reynolds | 89 | 38 |
| " " A. Roberts | 76 | 61 |
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| " " A. B. Soar | 76 | 68 |
| " " J. H. Sturgess | 66 | 55 |
| " " W. Taylor | 109 | 50 |
| " " L. E. V. Tiffen | 106 | 95 |
| " " R. A. B. Teare | 80 | 44 |
| " " R. J. Wise | 128 | 122 |
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PARLIAMENTARY BILLS: Letter from Messrs. E. Bevir and Son intimating that the Metropolitan Water Board (Various Powers) Bill was read a second time in the House of Commons on the 7th inst., also the Metropolitan Water Board (Charges) Bill, and were subsequently referred to a Joint Committee. Noted.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE: The Clerk reported the receipt of letters from various Associations with suggestions for membership of the Education Committee; also letters from present members, intimating their desire to retire from the Committee. The consideration of these communications was deferred until the election of members to the Education Committee takes place.

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BITTACY HILL SCHEME: Letter from Messrs. E. Bevir and Son asking for a cheque for the sum of £45 for stamp duty on the conveyance in connection with the Bittacy Hill purchase.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Egan,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That a Pay Order be issued for the amount named in favour of Messrs. Bevir and Son.

ASSISTANT MEDICAL OFFICER: The Clerk reported a communication from Dr. D. M. Dunlop resigning the position of Assistant Medical Officer, such resignation having been reported by the Chairman of the Public Health Committee at the Special Meeting of the Council on Tuesday last, and the necessary arrangements made by the Medical Officer for continuing the duties of Dr. Dunlop.

EX-SERVICE MEN'S CLUB: Letter from Mr. J. Powell, Hon. Secretary, The Old Hendon Ex-Service Men's Club, Ltd., as to the opening of the Club on Saturday next, the 16th inst., and extending an invitation to all members of the Council to attend the opening ceremony. Noted.

GAS MAIN AND TELEGRAPHIC LINES: Report from the Surveyor as to an application he had received from the North Middlesex Gas Company for permission to lay a gas main in Brent Street and Parson Street.

Applications had also been received from H.M. Postmaster General for permission to lay underground telegraphic lines along the north-east side of Golders Green Crescent, and the east side of Gainsborough Gardens, Golders Green.

The Surveyor reported that the applications were in order, and it was decided to approve of the same subject to the usual conditions.

TENDERS FOR TAR-PAINTING MACHINE: The Surveyor submitted a report in regard to the tenders received for the supply of a Tar-Painting Machine.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such report be considered by the Council in Committee this evening.

HOUSING (ADDITIONAL POWERS) ACT, 1919—CERTIFICATES "B": Report from the Surveyor as to applications he had received for the issue of Certificates "B" in respect of houses which had been completed since the last meeting of the Town Planning Committee, and making enquiry whether the Council would approve same in order that the necessary Certificates might be issued, as follows:—

| Application No. | Situation of Premises. | Owner. | Amount per house. |
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| 4931. | 37 and 39, Sydney Grove | Mr. W. A. Smyrk | 195 0 0 |
| 4950. | 5 and 7, Basing Hill | Mr. F. W. Bristow | 195 0 0 |
| 4992. | 2, Beechcroft Avenue | Mr. W. T. Streater | 195 0 0 |
| 4956. | 1, Finchley Road | Mr. W. S. Moncrieff | 195 0 0 |
| 4977. | 1, Decoy Avenue | The Rev. R. French | 195 0 0 |

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Fenn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Clerk be authorised to issue Certificate "B" to the applicants in respect of the above named houses.

ACCOUNT FOR PAYMENT: The Surveyor submitted an account from Mr. W. Drinkwater, amounting to the sum of £149 17s. 7d., for team labour.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the necessary Pay Order be issued, and a cheque drawn for the amount named therein.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE MINUTES: The Minutes of the proceedings of the Hendon Education Committee at a meeting held on the 22nd day of February, 1921, having been circulated amongst the members of the Council, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor McGrath,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Minutes be received.

The Chairman mentioned that in view of the fact that his term of office as Chairman of the Council was drawing to a close, and that this meeting was the last meeting of the Council as at present constituted, he desired to submit a report upon the work of the Council during the year 1920-21.

The following report was thereupon presented by the Chairman:—

1.—**HOUSING:** During the year the Council have given careful consideration to this important matter. The erection of houses at Child's Hill and Brent Hill are being proceeded with at the present time, and many are nearing completion, the only matters to be carried out now being the installation of the lighting and heating service, in connection with which the Council have experienced considerable difficulty in securing sanction to their proposals.

It is hoped that some of the houses will be occupied shortly.

In regard to the scheme at Bittacy Hill, approval has been obtained to the scheme, and tenders will shortly be invited therefor.

With reference to the scheme for the erection of houses at The Hyde, the Council have decided to proceed with the erection of fifty houses on the Kingsbury Road frontage as a first portion of the Scheme. The cost of the site for Housing, Pleasure Ground and Allotments was £22,635.

The construction of the roads and sewers in connection with Child's Hill Scheme has been completed, and in connection with Brent Hill Scheme the works are now in progress.

2.—**HOUSING BONDS:** The Council Scheme for Local Housing Bonds has been quite a success, a sum of £25,470 being invested.

3.—**HOUSING LOANS:** The amount of Housing Loans raised during the year is £187,039.

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- 5.—**FIRE BRIGADE:** The Council have for some considerable time been in negotiation with the Air Ministry in reference to the Motor Fire Engine requisitioned by the Admiralty in 1916. Although the negotiations have now reached a stage when a satisfactory settlement seems possible, the Council have not yet the services of a second Fire Engine, which in view of the size of the district is greatly needed.
- 6.—**PARLIAMENTARY BILLS:** Various Parliamentary Bills affecting the district have been promoted, and the Council took the necessary steps in each case to protect the interests of the inhabitants of the district.

In addition, several applications have been made by Statutory Companies for Orders under the Statutory Undertakings (Increase of Charges) Act to enable them to increase their charges. The Council have always opposed these applications, and in some cases the opposition of the Local Authorities affected was successful.

- 7.—**UNEMPLOYMENT:** In the early part of 1921 the question of unemployment in the district became acute, and a representative committee was formed to alleviate the distress occasioned by unemployment, and to endeavour to secure work. The fund has now reached a total of £1,250, and in addition the Committee have relieved numerous cases of distress amongst the unemployed of the district by means of orders for Food. There are also two kitchens established, at St. John's Hall for West Hendon, and at Bell Lane School for Central Hendon, where the children of unemployed are provided with free dinners daily.
- 8.—**SALARIES:** The Staff has been re-organised, and the salaries placed upon a permanent footing, dispensing with all questions under Bonus Awards.
- 9.—**MAIN ROADS AND HIGHWAYS:** The steadily rising cost of materials has made it a difficult matter to keep the Highways in a proper condition, and has emphasised the necessity for re-surfacing the more important roads with more durable material. With this end in view negotiations have been progressing with the Middlesex County Council for the re-construction of the Edgware Road, combined with relaying tramway track.

These negotiations have recently been brought to a successful issue, and a complete scheme for the re-construction of the whole of the Council's length, estimated to cost £136,000, has been prepared and submitted to the County Council and approved by them.

Tenders for the first portion of the works are before the Council to-night, and it is hoped, subject to satisfactory financial arrangements with the County Council, to complete about 1½ miles of the work this year.

The Council have also given instructions for a scheme to be prepared for re-surfacing in suitable materials the road from "The Bell," Hendon, to Edgware Road. This scheme is in course of preparation, but in view of the large expenditure already contemplated in the Edgware Road it is unlikely that this further scheme will be carried out this year.

The Council have also had under consideration the question of one of the main arterial roads from East to West of London laid down by the Board of Trade Traffic Committee before the war. Representations were made to the Ministry of Health that the rapid building development of the district was threatening the line of the proposed road. The Ministry convened a conference of the authorities interested, and with the result that notices have now been served on the owners concerned for the acquisition of the land, and plans are being prepared for the construction of the portion of the road within the Council's district. The estimated cost of this work is £86,000.

- 10.—**SEWERAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL:** The extension of the Council's Outfall Works, and particularly the completion of the works suspended during the war, has been under consideration during the year, and the Council have now given instructions for tenders to be obtained for the completion of the large remaining length of the Temple Fortune Outfall Sewer. The cost of these two works is estimated at about £45,000.

The Council have also completed a small extension of their sewerage system in Colindale Lane, at a cost of £500.

- 11.—**REFUSE REMOVAL AND DISPOSAL:** During the year the Council have purchased two Steam Wagons which have now been at work three months, and been of great assistance in bringing the collection up to date, and also in dealing with the largely increased bulk of refuse.

With regard to the disposal of the refuse, instructions have been given for the preparation of a scheme including a refuse destructor, and this will be shortly considered by the Works Committee.

- 12.—**PRIVATE STREET WORKS:** During the year the Council have recommenced the work of making up the numerous private streets in the district, and a contract for eleven roads has been let, the cost amounting to about £35,000. Three of the roads are practically completed, and others are in hand. A further batch of private street works is in course of preparation, and will be placed before the Ministry of Health in due course.

- 13.—**BUILDING DEVELOPMENT:** During the year 1920 great advantage was taken by private builders of the Government Subsidy Scheme, and at the end of the year in question 262 houses had been completed under the Scheme, the total amount of the subsidy for which Certificates were issued by the Council amounting to about £67,000.

There were also 61 houses built by private builders outside the Subsidy Scheme, and at the end of the year there were still 112 houses in course of erection.

- 14.—**PUBLIC LIGHTING:** During the year the Street Lighting in the district has been restored to its pre-war standard, and a large number of additional lamps erected where required in streets where new houses were being erected.

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15.—The Council have made great efforts during the year to increase the area of land available in the district for allotments, and have been successful in securing land in the following places, viz. :—

- 1.—Bridge Lane, Golders Green.
- 2.—West View Footpath, Hendon.
- 3.—Queen's Road, Hendon.
- 4.—Arch Fields, Hendon.
- 5.—Cool Oak Lane, Hendon.

The Council are in negotiation for certain land at Mill Hill, and hope before long to be able to provide an additional area in this part of the district.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED—That the best thanks of the Council be tendered to the Chairman (Captain A. S. F. Ford) for the valuable services rendered by him during the past year, and that such resolution be recorded on the Minutes of the Council.

RETIREMENT OF MR. COUNCILLOR McGRATH: Reference was made to the retirement of Mr. Councillor McGrath from the work of the Council.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Sturgess, seconded by Mr. Councillor Egan,

IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED—That this Council tender to Mr. McGrath their best thanks for the services which he has rendered to the district for the past eighteen years.

RETIREMENT OF MR. COUNCILLOR SMYRK: Reference was made to the retirement of Mr. Councillor Smyrk from the Council, and upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED—That a vote of thanks be tendered to Mr. Smyrk for the services rendered by him during his term of office.

RETIREMENT OF MR. COUNCILLOR TIFFEN: Reference was also made to the retirement of Mr. Councillor Tiffen from the work of the Council in view of certain domestic circumstances which prevented Mr. Tiffen from continuing such work. Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Fenn, seconded by Councillor Mrs. Bannister,

IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED—That a vote of thanks be tendered to Mr. Tiffen for the services rendered by him during his term of office, and an expression of regret that Mrs. Tiffen should be suffering from indifferent health, and the hope that she might speedily be restored to good health.

IN COMMITTEE.

TENDERS FOR PUBLIC CONVENIENCE: Consideration was given to the tenders received for the construction of a Public Convenience at the junction of Bell Lane and Brent Street. After careful consideration of the matter, and a report from the Surveyor in regard to such tenders, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the tender of Mr. A. J. Hill, amounting to the sum of £1,800, be accepted, subject to the approval of the Ministry of Health, and that Mr. Hill be informed accordingly.

TENDERS FOR TAR-PAINTING MACHINE: Consideration was given to a report submitted by the Surveyor in regard to the tenders received for the supply of a Tar-Painting Machine. Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Soar,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the tender of The Phoenix Engineering Company, amounting to the sum of £158, be accepted, and that the necessary Contract be prepared by the Clerk.

TENDERS FOR RE-CONSTRUCTION WORKS—EDGWARE ROAD: In regard to the tenders received for the re-construction works in the Edgware Road, the Surveyor asked for authority to communicate with the three Contractors submitting the lowest tenders making certain enquiries in regard to the timber and other materials proposed to be utilised in the carrying out of the work to enable him to submit the required report upon such tenders. In view of the fact that the Highways Committee of the Middlesex County Council have intimated that they will be prepared to recommend the County Council to approve of the re-construction of certain sections of the Edgware Road upon receipt of particulars of the tender proposed to be accepted by the District Council for the carrying out of the work, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Surveyor communicate with the three Contractors submitting the lowest tenders, on the lines suggested by him, in order that the accepted tender may be submitted to the County Council without delay.

SUNNY HILL FIELD: Report from the Surveyor as to the result of his negotiations with Messrs. Hinge Bros. for the proposed acquisition of Sunny Hill Field, also a strip of land in Hall Lane for widening purposes. After careful consideration of such report,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Surveyor continue the negotiations with Messrs. Hinge Bros. in accordance with instructions given to him.

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PERSONNEL OF COMMITTEES:

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Minutes.

AT THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 18th day of April, 1921.

PRESENT:

Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
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 " " T. F. Fenn,
 " " W. L. Glanville,
 " " R. Hare,
 " " F. W. Hearn,
 " " C. W. Hill,
 Councillor The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan,
 Mr. Councillor T. Page,
 " " A. Roberts,
 " " A. J. Reynolds,
 " " J. H. Sturgess,
 " " A. B. Soar,
 " " W. Taylor,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " R. M. Weeks,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant),
 Dr. T. S. McIntosh (Medical Officer of Health).

RESULT OF ELECTION: The Clerk, as Returning Officer at the recent elections, laid on the table certificates as to the result thereof.

ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN (*pro tem.*): Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Councillor Mrs. Bannister,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That Mr. Councillor Cartwright preside during the election of Chairman for the ensuing year.

ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN: It was moved by Mr. Councillor Soar, and seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts,

"That Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan be elected Chairman of the Council for the ensuing year."

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting, it was declared to be carried unanimously.

Mr. Councillor Egan thereupon took the Chair, and tendered his thanks for the honour conferred upon him.

ELECTION OF VICE-CHAIRMAN: It was moved by Mr. Councillor Reynolds, and seconded by Mr. Councillor Sturgess,

"That Mr. Councillor R. A. B. Teare be elected as Vice-Chairman of the Council for the ensuing year."

Upon the motion being put to the meeting, the Chairman declared the same to be carried unanimously.

Mr. Councillor Teare thereupon thanked the Council for electing him to the position.

The Chairman welcomed the Members of the Council who had been re-elected, and also extended a welcome to the newly-elected Members.

PERSONNEL OF COMMITTEES:

WORKS AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL COMMITTEE.—Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Works and Sewage Disposal Committee consist of the following Members: Councillors Mrs. S. J. Bannister, C. C. Cartwright, S. H. Egan, W. L. Glanville, R. Hare, C. W. Hill, A. J. Reynolds, A. Roberts, A. B. Soar, J. H. Sturgess, and R. J. Wise.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE.—Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Public Health Committee consist of the following Members:—Councillors Miss M. E. Hodge, Miss E. C. Growse, Mrs. G. Hargraves, T. F. Fenn, A. S. F. Ford, F. W. Hearn, The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan, T. Page, R. A. B. Teare, W. Taylor, and R. M. Weeks.

MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE COMMITTEE: In regard to the constitution of the Maternity and Child Welfare Committee,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Committee consist of the same members as that of the Public Health Committee, with the addition of four co-opted members. Mr. Councillor Hearn thereupon moved:—

"That the four co-opted members which have served upon the Committee during the past year, viz., Mrs. Poulton, Mrs. Woodley, Mrs. Parry, and Miss Flack, be re-appointed, and that the best thanks of the Council be tendered to them for their valuable services in the past as members of the Maternity and Child Welfare Committee."

Mr. Councillor Cartwright seconded the motion. Upon the motion being put to the meeting the Chairman declared the same to be carried *nem. con.*

FIRE BRIGADE COMMITTEE.—Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Fire Brigade Committee consist of the following members: Councillors Miss E. C. Growse, T. F. Fenn, A. S. F. Ford, R. Hare, F. W. Hearn, C. W. Hill, The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan, A. J. Reynolds, J. H. Sturgess, W. Taylor, and R. A. B. Teare.

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE.—Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the General Purposes Committee consist of the following members: Councillors Miss E. C. Growse, Mrs. S. J. Bannister, S. H. Egan, A. S. F. Ford, W. L. Glanville, C. W. Hill, R. Hare, T. Page, A. J. Reynolds, W. Taylor, and R. J. Wise.

HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE.—Upon the motion of Councillor Miss Hodge, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Highways Committee consist of the following members: Councillors Mrs. S. J. Bannister, Miss E. C. Growse, S. H. Egan, A. S. F. Ford, W. L. Glanville, R. Hare, C. W. Hill, T. Page, A. J. Reynolds, W. Taylor, and R. J. Wise.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.—Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Finance Committee consist of the following members: Councillors Mrs. G. Hargraves, Miss M. E. Hodge, C. C. Cartwright, T. F. Fenn, F. W. Hearn, The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan, A. S. Roberts, A. B. Soar, J. H. Sturgess, R. A. B. Teare, and R. M. Weeks.

HOUSING COMMITTEE.—Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Councillor Mrs. Bannister,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Housing Committee consist of the following members: Councillors Mrs. G. Hargraves, Miss E. C. Growse, Mrs. S. J. Bannister, C. C. Cartwright, A. S. F. Ford, F. W. Hearn, The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan, A. S. Roberts, J. H. Sturgess, R. A. B. Teare, and R. J. Wise.

HOUSING EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.—In regard to the Housing Executive Committee,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That this Committee be not re-appointed.

OUTDOOR COMMITTEE.—Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Page,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the whole of the members of the Council be appointed to act as the Outdoor Committee.

TOWN PLANNING COMMITTEE.—Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Councillor The Rev. Dr. Macgowan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Town Planning Committee be constituted of the following members: Councillors Miss M. E. Hodge, S. H. Egan, T. F. Fenn, W. L. Glanville, R. Hare, C. W. Hill, T. Page, A. J. Reynolds, A. B. Soar, W. Taylor, and R. M. Weeks.

STAFF COMMITTEE.—Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Page,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Chairmen of the respective Standing Committees be appointed to act as a Staff Committee.

REQUISITIONS COMMITTEE.—Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Page,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Chairmen of the respective Standing Committees be appointed to act as Requisitions Committee.

PUBLIC LIBRARIES' COMMITTEE. In regard to the appointment of a Public Libraries' Committee,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the question of appointing such Committee be deferred.

QUORUM: It was decided that the quorum of each Committee be four members.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

(a) **COUNCIL MEMBERS.**—Mr. Councillor Soar moved:—

That the following members of the Council be appointed as members of the Education Committee, viz., Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Mrs. S. J. Bannister, Miss M. E. Hodge, Miss E. C. Growse, C. C. Cartwright, S. H. Egan, F. W. Hearn, A. S. F. Ford, The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan, J. H. Sturgess, R. A. B. Teare, and W. Taylor.

Councillor Mrs. Bannister seconded the motion. Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting, the Chairman declared the same to be carried unanimously.

(b) **CO-OPTED MEMBERS.**—In regard to the appointment of co-opted members to serve on the Education Committee, Mr. Councillor Soar moved:—“That the following persons be appointed as co-opted members of the Education Committee for the ensuing year, viz., The Rev. C. E. de R. Copinger, The Very Rev. Canon Carter, The Rev. J. S. Poulton, Mr. A. R. Bailey, Miss Ross, Mr. N. J. Brett-James, Miss Levelt and Mrs. Moylan-Jones.

Councillor the Rev. Dr. Macgowan seconded the motion. Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting the Chairman declared the same to be carried unanimously.

DELEGATION OF POWERS: Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—“That the powers and duties of the Council as the Urban Sanitary Authority and otherwise relating to the suppression of urgent nuisances and the safeguarding of matters affecting the public health of an urgent character exercisable in pursuance of any Acts of Parliament be and the same are hereby delegated to and shall be exercisable by the Public Health Committee and the acts and proceedings of the same Committee within the limits of this delegation shall be deemed the acts and proceedings of the Council without confirmation.”

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Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Page, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Minutes be confirmed.

ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT: The Accountant submitted accounts for payment amounting to the sum of £10,974 17s. 8d. Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Fenn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the necessary Pay Order be issued and cheques drawn for the amounts named therein.

PURCHASE OF LAND AT THE HYDE: Report from the Clerk that arrangements had been made to complete the purchase from the Ecclesiastical Commissioners of the land at The Hyde, and he asked that the necessary Pay Order might be issued for the purchase money. Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Page,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That a Pay Order be issued in respect of the purchase money referred to.

CHAIRMEN OF COMMITTEES: Reference was made to the question of holding a meeting of the various Committees appointed this evening with a view to appointing the necessary Chairmen of such Committees. It was decided to defer the matter until the first meeting of the respective Committees.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Sturgess, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hare.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That no Member of the Council be Chairman of more than one Committee.

Mr. Councillor Hill then moved: "That no Committee elect the same Member to act as their Chairman who acted in that capacity last year." Mr. Councillor Cartwright seconded the motion.

The Chairman, however, ruled the motion out of order, and the consideration thereof was not proceeded with.

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Chairman.

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Minutes.

AT A SPECIAL MEETING (in committee) of the Urban District Council of Hendon, held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 25th day of April, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
 " " T. F. Fenn,
 " " W. L. Glanville,
 " " R. Hare,
 " " F. W. Hearn,
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 " " A. Roberts,
 " " A. J. Reynolds,
 " " J. H. Sturgess,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " W. Taylor,
 " " R. M. Weeks,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk)
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant).

COAL EMERGENCY ORDER: The Council considered a communication from the Coal Mines Department, relative to economy in the consumption of gas and electric light, also as to conserving the coal available, in order to secure that food producing and other vital industries might be kept going.

A report was received from the Clerk as to the bookings of rooms at the Town Hall, but in view of the comparatively small number it was decided to take no action in the matter.

Report was received from the Engineer as to stocks of coal in the district, and as to the action taken by him in regard thereto.

Reference was made in the communication from the Coal Mines Department as to opening sub-offices in various parts of the district for the purpose of granting permits to obtain supplies of coal.

After hearing the views of the Engineer in regard to the suggestion the Council came to the conclusion that no useful purpose would be served by establishing branch offices at present, and decided to take no action in the matter.

In regard to the suggestion for re-opening food kitchens, it will be remembered that the Local Unemployment Fund have established two kitchens where meals are provided for children, and the Council decided to take no action in this matter at the present time.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY COUNCIL (GENERAL POWERS) BILL: The Chairman reported that negotiations had been proceeding with the promoters of the Middlesex County Council (General Powers) Bill with a view to securing clauses. As a result the main clauses had been agreed, which would meet the Council's views, and in the circumstances the Council decided not to take any further action in opposition to the Bill.

PAY ORDER: The Accountant submitted a Pay Order amounting to the sum of £1,996 10s. 0d. Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Fenn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Sturgess,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Pay Order be approved and the necessary cheques be drawn.

LAND AT THE HYDE: The Chairman reported that in accordance with the resolution of the Council he had signed a Pay Order amounting to £22,792 11s. 2d. in connection with the purchase of land at The Hyde from the Ecclesiastical Commissioners of England. The action of the Chairman was approved.

BRENT HILL FARM HOUSING SCHEME: Report from the Accountant that as preliminary to fixing rentals of the houses at Brent Hill Farm it would be necessary to make an apportionment of the capital charges as between the land utilized for purposes of sewage disposal and the land appropriated for the purpose of a Housing Site.

The Surveyor had apportioned the area, and the Accountant asked for authority to prepare an apportionment of the Loan Charges, and to submit such figures to the Housing Board.

The Ministry had already approved the appropriation of the land, but not the amount of Annual Charges. Upon the motion of the Rev. Dr. Macgowan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the necessary apportionment be made in connection with this matter, and that a further report be submitted to the Housing Committee.

WAR BONUS: Report from the Clerk in reference to the application of Mr. G. L. McLean for bonus alleged to be due to him under the Bonus Scheme of the 8th May, 1920, for the period from the 1st March to 30th October, 1920.

Mr. McLean, through his solicitors, Messrs. McDonnell and Jackson, had issued a summons against the Council for the recovery of the sum alleged to be due, which together with costs amounted to £34 8s. 5d. The hearing had been fixed for the 10th May at the Barnet County Court.

After some discussion, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the matter be further considered at a special meeting to be held on Monday next, and that copies of the Minutes relative to the Award be circulated amongst the members of the Council.

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AT A SPECIAL MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon, held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 2nd day of May, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
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 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant).

The Clerk read the notice convening the meeting.

DAY NURSERY: The Clerk reported in further reference to the application to the Ministry of Health relative to the payment of a grant of £300 to the funds of the West Hendon Day Nursery for the year 1921-22.

An interview had taken place with the official of the Ministry dealing with the matter, when it was explained that the Council considered it would be far more effective and economical to continue the voluntary effort and assist the funds of the Day Nursery by the payment of the proposed grant.

The Ministry of Health had now written sanctioning the payment of the proposed grant of £300 in equal quarterly instalments to the funds of the Day Nursery, and the cheque for £75, being the first quarter's payment, could now be transmitted.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Fenn, seconded by the Rev. Dr. Macgowan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Council record their appreciation of the Clerk's action in securing the expeditious sanction of the Ministry of Health to the grant.

HOUSING CONTRACTORS' CERTIFICATES: The Accountant reported that Certificates had been received in respect of the Contractors engaged on the Council's Housing Schemes:—

Improved Concrete Construction Co., £6,000.

Ramsbotham, G., £1,000.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the necessary Pay Order for these amounts be issued, and that cheques therefor be drawn in due course.

WAR BONUS: The Council gave further consideration to the circumstances in connection with which the bonus scheme of 8th May was adopted by the Council, and to copies of the resolutions relating thereto.

It will be remembered that Mr. McLean, through his solicitors, Messrs. McDonnell and Jackson, issued a summons in the County Court claiming bonus for the period from 1st March to 30th October, such claim, together with the solicitors' costs and the costs of plaint, amounting to £34 8s. 5d.

After careful consideration of the circumstances, the Rev. Dr. Macgowan moved:—

"That the Council pay the amount claimed, viz.: £34 8s. 5d., and that such sum be paid into Court."

Mr. Councillor Fenn seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being put to the meeting there voted for it 8, namely: Councillors Miss Growse, Miss Hodge, Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Taylor, Fenn, Hare, Glanville, and Wise; and against it seven: Councillors Cartwright, Teare, Weeks, Hearn, Page, Reynolds, and Roberts.

The Chairman declared the motion to be carried.

EDGWARE ROAD: Reference was made to the scheme of reconstruction works in the Edgware Road, and the Clerk reported the receipt of a copy of a resolution passed by the Middlesex County Council in regard to the matter.

It was agreed that the same be considered by the Finance Committee, and that the Surveyor and the Accountant should report in regard to the figures.

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UNEMPLOYMENT WORKS: Reference was made to the question of providing further work for the unemployed, and the Surveyor mentioned certain works which could be put in hand.

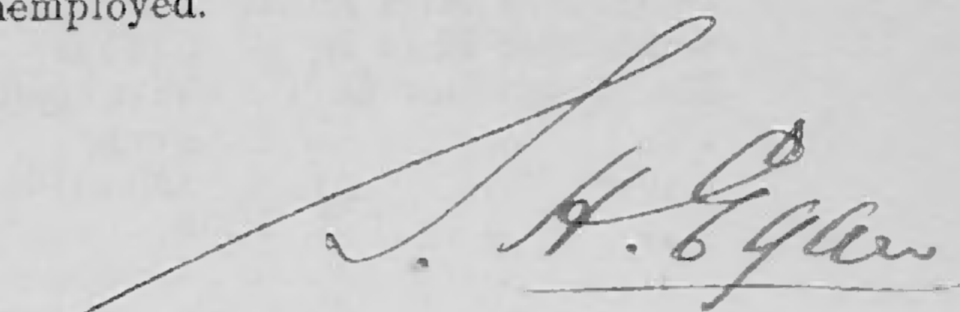
Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Fenn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Surveyor have authority to carry out work at an expenditure not exceeding £100 per week for a period of five weeks on improvement works in various parts of the district.

ROADWAY—WESSEX GARDENS SCHOOL: Reference was made to the question of constructing the roadway to Wessex Gardens School, which would provide further work for the unemployed. The Surveyor estimated the cost of this work at £1,970.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the work of constructing the roadway to Wessex Gardens School be carried out subject to the sanction to the loan by the Ministry of Health, and that application be made to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the necessary loan for carrying out the work, and that a special appeal be made to the Ministry to issue sanction to the loan forthwith, so that work might be available for the unemployed.


Chairman.

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HENDON, N.W.

19th May, 1921.

DEAR SIR, OR MADAM,

I beg to inform you that a Meeting of the Urban District Council of Hendon will be held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday next, the 23rd day of May, 1921, at 6.15 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of transacting the following business, namely.—

Agenda:

1. To confirm Minutes of previous Meetings.
2. Questions.
3. Report of Finance Committee.
4. Report of Works and Sewage Disposal Committee.
5. Report of Public Health Committee.
6. Report of Town Planning Committee.
7. Report of Housing Committee.
8. Report of Fire Brigade Committee.
9. Report of General Purposes Committee.
10. Report of Highways Committee.
11. Report of Requisitions Committee.
12. Report of Clerk.
13. Report of Surveyor.
14. Education Committee (Minutes).

I am, Dear Sir or Madam,

Yours faithfully,

HENRY HUMPHRIS,

Clerk to the Council.

Pensions Committee, at 6 p.m.

The Requisitions Committee, consisting of the Chairman of the Standing Committees, to follow.

Ladies and Gentlemen
Your Committee
May, 1921. Present
Teare and Weeks.

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1.—CHAIRMAN—Elected for the ensuing year.

2.—STATEMENT OF Receipts and Expenditure of £3,002 9s. 7d. for the year ending 31st March, 1921.

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3.—RATE COLLECTION:
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Report of Finance Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 9th day of May, 1921. Present: Councillors Miss Hodge, Cartwright, Penn, Hearn, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Roberts, Soar, Teare and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—CHAIRMAN—ELECTION OF: Mr. Councillor Cartwright was unanimously re-elected Chairman for the ensuing year.
- 2.—STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, ETC.: Your Committee have examined the Treasurer's Pass Book and Cash Books, and report that the total receipts from all sources since the last meeting amounted to the sum of £3,002 9s. 7d. to the 31st March, 1921, making a total of £331,816 3s. 7d. for the financial year ended 31st March, 1921, and from 1st April, 1921, to 5th May, £27,635 8s. 4d.

INCOME.

| Description. | Amounts previously Reported. | | Amounts now Reported. | | Total. | |
|---|------------------------------------|---------|-----------------------------|-------|--------|--------|
| | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| Income to 31st March, 1921 | 328 | 13 14 0 | 3002 | 9 7 | 3318 | 16 3 7 |
| Rateable Accounts— | | | | | | |
| Hendon Recreation Ground ... | | | 2 | 4 2 | 2 | 4 2 |
| Sewage Farm Rents, etc. ... | | | 21 | 10 0 | 21 | 10 0 |
| Sanitary Department, Disinfecting, etc. | | | 1 | 1 0 | 1 | 1 0 |
| Burroughs House, rent, etc. ... | | | 5 | 0 0 | 5 | 0 0 |
| Maternity Centres and Midwifery ... | | | 17 | 8 0 | 17 | 8 0 |
| Refuse Collection and Dust Shoot | | | | | | |
| Permits ... | | | 5 | 10 0 | 5 | 10 0 |
| Fire Brigade, expenses, etc., recovered | | | | 4 0 | | 4 0 |
| Motor Ambulance, fees, etc. ... | | | 11 | 10 0 | 11 | 10 0 |
| Highways and Main Roads ... | | | 6 | 9 6 | 6 | 9 6 |
| Street Lighting, damages recovered | | | | 15 0 | | 15 0 |
| Salaries Account, fees, etc. ... | | | 9 | 7 1 | 9 | 7 1 |
| Public Offices, lettings, etc. ... | | | 41 | 5 10 | 41 | 5 10 |
| Establishment and Legal Expenses | | | 30 | 13 9 | 30 | 13 9 |
| Building Certificates | | | 9 | 9 0 | 9 | 9 0 |
| Interest and Dividends | | | 42 | 10 0 | 42 | 10 0 |
| Workmen's compensation | | | 3 | 15 10 | 3 | 15 10 |
| General District Rates and Costs | | | 4021 | 15 11 | 4021 | 15 11 |
| | | | £4230 | 9 1 | 4230 | 9 1 |
| Suspense Accounts— | | | | | | |
| National Kitchens ... | | | 20 | 0 0 | 20 | 0 0 |
| Allotments ... | | | 40 | 9 5 | 40 | 9 5 |
| Lands Cultivation Orders | | | 7 | 2 0 | 7 | 2 0 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 1, Rents | | | 142 | 9 3 | 142 | 9 3 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 2, Rents | | | 4 | 13 4 | 4 | 13 4 |
| Key Deposits, Child's Hill Housing | | | | | | |
| No. 2 | | | 1 | 5 0 | 1 | 5 0 |
| Private Works | | | 83 | 13 8 | 83 | 13 8 |
| Tender Deposits | | | 21 | 0 0 | 21 | 0 0 |
| Private Improvements | | | 156 | 6 7 | 156 | 6 7 |
| Land, West Hendon, rent | | | 3 | 0 0 | 3 | 0 0 |
| | | | £479 | 19 3 | 479 | 19 3 |
| Capital Accounts— | | | | | | |
| Loans—General | | | 15535 | 0 0 | 15535 | 0 0 |
| Loans—Housing | | | 7100 | 0 0 | 7100 | 0 0 |
| Housing Bonds | | | 290 | 0 0 | 290 | 0 0 |
| | | | £22925 | 0 0 | 22925 | 0 0 |

SUMMARY OF INCOME TO DATE.

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|-------------------|--------|------|-------|------|
| Rateable Accounts | 4230 | 9 1 | 4230 | 9 1 |
| Suspense Accounts | 479 | 19 3 | 479 | 19 3 |
| Capital Accounts | 22925 | 0 0 | 22925 | 0 0 |
| | £27635 | 8 4 | 27635 | 8 4 |

- 3.—RATE COLLECTION: They have also examined the Statement as to the rate collection, and find that there has been collected and paid to the Treasurer since the last meeting the sum of £4124 2s. 11d. on account of rates, and £6 5s. 3d. on account of costs.

4.—STATEMENT OF BALANCES: They have also examined the Cash Book and Statement of Treasurer's Balances, which they found correct, and report that the total balance in hand amounted to £97,280 14s. 5d.

BANK ACCOUNTS.

| DEBITS— | Revenue Account. | | Sinking Fund. | | Loans Account. | | Housing Subsidized Account. | | Total. | |
|---|------------------|-------|---------------|-------|----------------|-------|-----------------------------|-------|--------|-------|
| | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| Balance in hand 1st April, 1921 ... | 17416 | 11 2 | 10 | 0 5 | | | 119756 | 10 0 | 137183 | 1 7 |
| Receipts per Statement to 5th May, 1921 ... | 4707 | 0 10 | | | 15538 | 7 6 | 7390 | 0 0 | 27635 | 8 4 |
| Balance overdrawn at 5th May, 1921 ... | | | | | 12068 | 16 7 | | | 12068 | 16 7 |
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| Balance overdrawn at Bank ... | | | | | 3454 | 18 4 | | | 3454 | 18 4 |
| Cheques per lists to 4th May, 1921 ... | 12551 | 5 1 | | | 24152 | 5 9 | 27379 | 6 4 | 64082 | 17 2 |
| Balance in hand 5th May, 1921 ... | 9572 | 6 11 | 10 | 0 5 | | | 99767 | 3 8 | 109349 | 11 0 |
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5.—ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT: They have also considered the various accounts submitted for payment amounting to the sum of £13,832 16s. 10d., and

RECOMMEND—That the same be passed and cheques drawn for the various amounts.

6.—EXPENDITURE JOURNALS, GENERAL AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS: That they have examined these Journals, and

RECOMMEND—That the Personal Accounts in the Ledger be credited, and the various Impersonal Accounts debited with the amounts of the Invoices, as per the following Statement showing outlay to date:—

EXPENDITURE.

| Approved Estimate. | Account Chargeable. | Payments previously Reported. | | Amounts now Reported. | | Total. | |
|--------------------|--|-------------------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|--------|-------|
| | | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| | 1920-1921 Liabilities ... | 219405 | 5 4 | 8820 | 13 2 | 228225 | 18 6 |
| | RATEABLE ACCOUNTS— | | | | | | |
| £ | 12916 Main Roads ... | | | | | | |
| 5636 | Highways ... | | | | | | |
| 2347 | Tarpainting ... | | | 8 | 12 3 | 8 | 12 3 |
| 250 | Dust and Refuse Removal ... | | | 68 | 15 2 | 68 | 15 2 |
| 350 | Emptying Cesspools ... | | | | | | |
| 670 | Mill Hill Dusting ... | | | | | | |
| 12280 | Public Lighting ... | | | | | | |
| 140 | Sewers Maintenance ... | | | 2 | 19 3 | 2 | 19 3 |
| 544 | Pumping Stations ... | | | | | | |
| 832 | Outfall Works ... | | | 30 | 2 6 | 30 | 2 6 |
| 440 | Sanitation, etc. ... | | | 92 | 6 10 | 92 | 6 10 |
| 1291 | Isolation Hospital ... | | | 21 | 7 0 | 21 | 7 0 |
| 1414 | Joint Smallpox Hospital ... | | | 57 | 17 7 | 57 | 17 7 |
| 162 | Maternity Centres ... | | | | | | |
| 950 | Maternity Stock and Milk ... | | | 14 | 0 10 | 14 | 0 10 |
| 300 | Day Nursery Grants ... | | | 70 | 7 2 | 70 | 7 2 |
| 20 | Mortuary ... | | | 75 | 0 0 | 75 | 0 0 |
| 1335 | Fire Brigade ... | | | 5 | 16 0 | 5 | 16 0 |
| 87 | Accident Ambulance ... | | | 107 | 2 1 | 107 | 2 1 |
| 186 | Pleasure Grounds, Street Trees, etc. ... | | | 2 | 0 4 | 2 | 0 4 |
| 1297 | Town Hall ... | | | 5 | 11 1 | 5 | 11 1 |
| 170 | Burroughs House ... | | | 103 | 5 6 | 103 | 5 6 |
| 300 | Legal, etc., Expenses ... | | | 14 | 10 0 | 14 | 10 0 |
| 200 | Establishment Expenses ... | | | 28 | 17 1 | 28 | 17 1 |
| 1100 | Printing, Stationery, Insurances, etc. ... | | | 14 | 11 0 | 14 | 11 0 |
| 150 | Election Expenses ... | | | | | | |
| 18604 | Loan Charges ... | | | 327 | 9 0 | 327 | 9 0 |
| 2100 | Subsidised Housing—Amount of Id. Rate ... | | | 195 | 6 1 | 195 | 6 1 |
| 14351 | Salaries ... | | | 920 | 9 6 | 920 | 9 6 |
| 26541 | Wages ... | | | 292 | 11 2 | 292 | 11 2 |
| 3110 | Stables ... | | | 2326 | 6 8 | 2326 | 6 8 |
| 1616 | Stores ... | | | 2992 | 16 4 | 2992 | 16 4 |
| 45 | Public Depots ... | | | 112 | 17 4 | 112 | 17 4 |
| 1080 | Steam Wagons, Maintenance ... | | | 12 | 13 10 | 12 | 13 10 |
| 1028 | Stationery Stock ... | | | 10 | 6 3 | 10 | 6 3 |
| 950 | Special Works ... | | | 7 | 0 | 7 | 0 |
| 100 | Drainage Conversions, etc. ... | | | 84 | 19 3 | 84 | 19 3 |
| £114892 | | | | £7999 | 4 1 | £7999 | 4 1 |

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| Housing Subsidized Account. | | Total. | |
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| Accounts now reported. | | Total. | |
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SUSPENSE ACCOUNTS.

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| Allotments | 20 | 4 | 11 | 20 | 4 | 11 |
| Lands Cultivation Orders | 159 | 19 | 6 | 159 | 19 | 6 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 1 | 57 | 14 | 10 | 57 | 14 | 10 |
| Overseers' Expenses | 250 | 0 | 0 | 250 | 0 | 0 |
| Food Control | £487 | 19 | 3 | £487 | 19 | 3 |

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS.

| Sanction. | £ | | | | | |
|-----------|--------|----|----|--------|----|----|
| 33939 | 3000 | 0 | 0 | 3000 | 0 | 0 |
| 211556 | 17380 | 0 | 0 | 17380 | 0 | 0 |
| 2533 | 51 | 17 | 4 | 51 | 17 | 4 |
| 35048 | 5125 | 5 | 8 | 5125 | 5 | 8 |
| 7100 | 7184 | 3 | 0 | 7184 | 3 | 0 |
| 13735 | 259 | 0 | 7 | 259 | 0 | 7 |
| 1800 | 14316 | 8 | 4 | 14316 | 8 | 4 |
| | 1665 | 0 | 0 | 1665 | 0 | 0 |
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| | £48983 | 19 | 11 | £48983 | 19 | 11 |

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS TO DATE.

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| Rateable Accounts | 7999 | 4 | 1 | 7999 | 4 | 1 |
| Suspense Accounts | 487 | 19 | 3 | 487 | 19 | 3 |
| Capital Accounts | 48983 | 19 | 11 | 48983 | 19 | 11 |
| | £57471 | 3 | 3 | £57471 | 3 | 3 |

7.—ACCOUNTS: Letter from the North Middlesex Gas Company transmitting statement of accounts of the Company to the 31st December, 1920.

Your Committee have duly noted the same, and referred such statement to the Accountant of the Council.

8.—EDGWARE ROAD. Letter from the Middlesex County Council transmitting the following print of the resolution adopted by the Middlesex County Council at their meeting held on the 28th April, 1921.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That an intimation be given to the Hendon Urban District Council that the County Council will be prepared to allow the District Council to charge in their Main Roads Maintenance Accounts instalments of principal and interest on such a sum raised by loan not exceeding £73,641 as shall represent the cost of re-constructing the haunches on the under-mentioned sections of the Edgware (main) Road, Hendon (exclusive of the cost of re-constructing the tramway margins) concurrently with the re-laying of the tramway tracks, in reinforced concrete and wood blocks; and on such a sum raised by loan, not exceeding £3,502 10s., as shall represent a moiety of the cost of laying on the following lengths of road kerbing where none exists, and paving the footpath on one side of the road with concrete slabs:—

- (1) Between Oxgate Gardens and the Upper Welsh Harp Public House; and
- (2) Between Silk Bridge and Colin Deep Lane, subject:—
 - (a) To the work being carried out to the satisfaction of the County Engineer and Surveyor, and in accordance with plans and specifications approved by him.
 - (b) To the capital or other expenditure of the District Council being audited by the County Engineer and Surveyor.
 - (c) To the rate of interest on the loan to be raised by the District Council to meet the cost of the work being first approved by the County Council;
 - (d) To credit being given to the County Council for the value of such old materials as are not utilised in connection with the work;
 - (e) To credit being given to the County Council in respect of any contribution made by the Ministry of Transport or any other Government Department towards the cost of the work; and
 - (f) To the remainder of the cost of the work being borne, or otherwise provided for by the District Council.

The Council will recollect that some discussion has taken place in regard to the resolution of the County Council, and since the receipt of the resolution referred to the Clerk has interviewed the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council upon the matter.

A further communication had now been received from the Middlesex County Council intimating that the provision of kerbing, where required, was included in the carriageway works in the sum of £73,641, and the full cost would be paid by the County Council.

The sum of £3,502 10s., set out in the resolution as representing a moiety of the cost of footpath work, excluded the cost of kerbing.

The intention of the Middlesex County Council was to meet the full cost of the carriageway and kerbing work and a moiety of the cost of the footpath works.

In regard to the paving of the tramway margins, the County Council suggested that it would be convenient for the District Council to carry out the work, and for the District Council to arrange for the payments for such works to be made by the Tramway Company on the Certificate of the Council's Engineer.

Your Committee received a report from the Engineer as to his correspondence with the Engineer of the Middlesex County Council in regard to this matter.

After careful consideration of the report of the Engineer and the communications from the Middlesex County Council, your Committee gave authority for a communication to be transmitted to the Middlesex County Council intimating that in view of the further communication dated that 5th May that this Council would be glad to receive an amended resolution in accordance therewith, and that the Middlesex County Council be informed in regard to the paving of the margins of the tramway track, the Council preferred to deal direct with the Middlesex County Council in this matter.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That application be now made to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the loan of £85,000 for the carrying out of the improvement works in the Edgware (Main) Road, Hendon, and that the necessary plans and estimates be submitted with such application.

9.—COUNTY EXPENDITURE: Letter from the Urban District Council of Wealdstone transmitting copy of the following resolution passed at a recent meeting:—

“That in view of the alarming increase in the County, Police and Education Rates, and the enormous burden thrown on the ratepayers, this Council do urge on the Middlesex County Council the necessity for the strictest economy and the inexpediency of financing any fresh schemes under existing financial conditions, and that in the event of the Government attempting to impose any fresh schemes on the County Council they should be met with emphatic protest.”

They requested the Council to pass a resolution in similar terms. Your Committee have no recommendation to make upon the matter.

10.—STATUTORY UNDERTAKINGS:

(a) Letter from the Gas Light and Coke Company transmitting copy of notice which appeared in the “London Gazette” in accordance with the Order under the Gas Regulation Act, 1920:—

THE GAS REGULATION ACT, 1920.

THE GAS LIGHT AND COKE COMPANY (CHARGES) ORDER, 1921.

The Gas Light and Coke Company, in accordance with the provisions of the above Order, hereby give notice that the calorific value of the gas which they intend to supply is 475 British Thermal Units per cubic foot, and that the date from which they will supply gas of this calorific value is the 18th day of April, 1921.

(Signed) WILLIAM LYLE GALBRAITH,

Secretary.

Your Committee have duly noted this communication.

(b) Letter from the Board of Trade (Power, Transport and Economic Department) transmitting copy of an Order made under Section (1) of the Gas Regulation Act, 1920, fixing a new standard price in respect of gas supplied by the Gas Light and Coke Company.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of this communication.

(c) The Council will recollect that they have in their possession certain gas testing apparatus, and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor obtain offers for the disposal of the apparatus in question.

11.—HIRE OF ROOMS:

(a) Letter from the Performing Rights Society drawing attention to the provision of the Copyright Act, 1911, whereby copyright is infringed by any person permitting a place of entertainment to be used for the performance of a copyright work without the consent of the owner of the copyright.

The Society intimated that licences were granted to Corporations and District Councils who were in the habit of letting halls, etc., for public entertainments.

Your Committee have given careful consideration to the matter, and it would appear that a licence should be taken out in respect of the Town Hall.

They have, however, deferred the matter to their next meeting, in order that the the Clerk may submit a report as to the exact terms upon which a licence would be granted.

Your Committee have given instructions for notice to be given to persons hiring the rooms in regard to this matter.

(b) In regard to the recent concert held on behalf of the funds of the Hendon Unemployment Committee on the 30th April, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That no charge be made for the use of the rooms on this occasion.

12.—NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE: That they have received a circular from the Ministry of Health dealing with employments which fell within the compulsory provisions of the National Health Insurance Acts, which included any employment under any local or other public authority, and have duly noted the same

13.—PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS:

(a) Loan £7,750.—Letter from the Ministry of Health transmitting sanction to the borrowing of the sum of £7,750 for works of private street improvement in Somerton Road. Your Committee have duly noted the communication, and

RECOMMEND—That steps be taken to raise the loan when necessary.

(b) DEMANDS—HAMILTON ROAD PASSAGE WAY.—Report from the Clerk that the period for payment of the apportionments served in respect of the making up of Hamilton Road Passageway had now expired, and he asked for authority to serve the notices of demand under the Public Health Act, 1875. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That notices of demand be served upon the owners in respect of the works carried out in such passage way.

14.—HOUSING BONDS:

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Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg April, 1921. Present: Coun

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2.—ALLOTMENTS:

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14.—HOUSING BONDS:

(a) Report from the Accountant as to a communication from the Ministry of Health relative to the transfer of the Housing Bond No. 95 for £6,650 from the Workers' Union Approved Society to the Ministry of Health. The form of transfer had been executed by the parties, and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to a new Bond in the name of the Minister of Health.

(b) Report from the Accountant that further sums had been received in respect of Local Housing Bonds, and the total to date amounted to £25,675.

15.—HENDON PARK BOWLING GREEN: That they gave consideration to the question of the charge to be made for the use of the Bowling Green in the Hendon Public Park, and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the charge be fixed at 6d. per player per hour.

16.—UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE: Report from the Accountant as to a communication from the Ministry of Labour agreeing to the exemption of certain of the employees of the Council under the provisions of the Act. Your Committee have duly noted this communication.

17.—CLOISTER ROAD HOUSES—INCREASE OF RENTS: Report from the Accountant as to the desirability of the rents of the first 50 houses at Cloister Road being increased to meet the increase in local rates, such increases would be as follows:—

(1) Houses let at 10s. 9d. increased to 10s. 11d.

(2) Houses let at 12s. 8d. increased to 12s. 11d.

Your Committee gave authority for the necessary notices under the Act to be served.

18.—STAFF: Report from the Accountant that Mr. G. W. M. Smith, in his Department, had been successful in passing the Direct Fellowship Examination of the Surveyors' Institution for Valuation and Rating Surveyors. Your Committee

—RECOMMEND—That the congratulations of the Council be tendered to Mr. Smith on his success.

Report of Works and Sewage Disposal Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 25th day of April, 1921. Present: Councillors Cartwright, Egan, Glanville, Hare, Reynolds, Roberts, and Sturgess.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—CHAIRMAN: Mr. Councillor Roberts was re-elected Chairman of the Committee for the ensuing year.

2.—ALLOTMENTS:

(A) ALLOTMENTS—FINCHLEY ROAD:

(1) That they received the following report from the Allotments Sub-Committee in regard to the application of the Rev. Dr. Ambrose O'Gorman (Rector of the Golders Green Catholic Church) applying on behalf of the representatives of the Church to resume possession of certain land in Finchley Road, adjacent to the Catholic Church, occupied by the Council under the Lands Cultivation Orders:—

REPORT OF ALLOTMENTS SUB-COMMITTEE.

To the Chairman and Members of the Works Committee.

Mrs. Bannister and Gentlemen,—

Your Sub-Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on the 21st day of March, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Roberts (Chairman), and Councillors Hare and Wise.

Your Sub-Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—LAND—FINCHLEY ROAD: That they gave consideration to the application from the Rev. Dr. Ambrose O'Gorman, the Rector of the Catholic Church, Golders Green, applying on behalf of the representatives of the Church to resume possession of certain land near to the Catholic Church, Golders Green, at present occupied by the Council under the Lands Cultivation Orders.

The Clerk submitted a further communication from the Rev. O'Gorman intimating that the land was required for building purposes in connection with the Church.

Your Sub-Committee were satisfied that the owners required the land for building or other special purposes, and they instructed the Clerk to serve the necessary notices on the four allottees concerned.

Your Committee also gave authority for a communication to be transmitted to the Rev. Dr. O'Gorman intimating that notice had been given to the allottees.

After due consideration of the report of the Allotments Sub-Committee, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the same be approved and adopted.

(2) Letter from Miss A. Blanshard objecting to the notices to quit which she had received in respect of allotments held by her in Finchley Road under the Lands Cultivation Orders.

In view of the fact that the land referred to in the notices served upon Miss Blanshard was that required by the representatives of the Catholic Church at Golders Green, referred to in the report of the Allotments Sub-Committee, and which your Committee are satisfied is required for building or other special purposes, they regret they are unable to vary the decision arrived at in connection with the matter, requiring Miss Blanshard to give up possession of the allotments held by her. They therefore instructed the Clerk to inform Miss Blanshard that they adhere to their previous decision requiring her to give up possession of the allotments referred to in accordance with the notices served upon her.

(B) APPLICATION FOR POSSESSION—MEADWAY CLOSE: Letter from Mr. J. C. S. Soutar making application on behalf of the Hampstead Garden Suburb Trust for possession of a plot of land at Meadway Close, Garden Suburb, held by the Council under the Lands Cultivation Orders, and stated by Mr. Soutar to be required for building purposes. Report from the Surveyor that no plans had yet been received showing the intention to commence building operations on the land referred to.

Your Committee decided that if plans were deposited in time for submission to the Town Planning Committee on Monday next, and in the event of that Committee approving such plans, that possession be given to the Hampstead Garden Suburb Trust of the land required by them for building purposes, and further, that the Clerk serve the allottees affected by such building operations with the necessary notices to quit the allotments held by them.

(c) ALLOTMENTS CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE:

- (1) Report from the Clerk that Mr. A. Peck had been nominated by the Cool Oak Lane Allotment Association as a member of the Allotments Consultative Committee in the place of Mr. Thomas, who had left the district. Your Committee decided to accept such nomination.
- (2) That they had under consideration the question of the re-appointment of the Allotments' Consultative Committee, and

RECOMMEND—That the same be comprised of the following members representing the various Allotment Associations in the District:—

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| Mr. L. Gilbertson | ... | Representing Garden Suburb Allotment Association and Hendon and District Federation. |
| Mr. F. H. Dwyer | ... | Hendon and District Federation—representing Mill Hill. |
| Miss R. Van Raalte | ... | Hendon and District Federation—representing Golders Green. |
| Mr. A. Peck | ... | Representing Cool Oak Lane Allotment Association. |
| Mr. B. Vann | ... | Representing Neeld, Hendon and District and Renters Avenue Allotment Associations. |
| Mr. E. J. Rutland | ... | Representing Cricklewood Allotment Holders' Association. |
| Mr. E. Warland | ... | Representing Booth Road Allotment Association. |
| Mr. G. H. Robinson and Mr. C. F. Indust | ... | Representing Archfields Allotment Association. |
| Mr. A. Bacon | ... | Representing Mill Hill. |

(D) COMPLAINTS—HOSPITAL FIELD ALLOTMENTS: Letter from the Hon. Secretary of the Golders Green Allotment Association in regard to complaints made by members of the Association in connection with the following matters arising in connection with the Hospital Field Allotments, and asking the Council to take steps to remedy such complaints.

(1) UNCULTIVATED PLOTS: Complaints had been received by the Association that certain allotment holders had failed to cultivate their allotments, viz.: Plots No. 77, 81, 83, 150, 189, and 190, causing a source of annoyance to adjoining allottees owing to the dispersion of seeds from the weeds.

Report from the Accountant that he had already communicated with certain of the allotment holders at the Hospital Field in view of the failure on their part to cultivate their allotment.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee came to the conclusion that in the event of the allotment holders, referred to in the communication from the Golders Green Allotment Association, having previously been communicated with in accordance with the report of the Accountant, that they be served with notice to quit their allotment forthwith. In the event, however, of no previous communication having been addressed to them, that they be served with notice to quit their allotment within seven days.

Your Committee instructed the Clerk to serve the appropriate notices to quit in the cases mentioned in the letter from the Association.

(2) RATS: The Association reported that complaints had been received by them as to damage to crops alleged to have been caused by the presence of rats on the allotments. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the matter be left in the hands of the Surveyor to take all reasonable steps to exterminate the pest.

(3) DOG—ISOLATION HOSPITAL: It was alleged by members of the Association that the dog at the Isolation Hospital had been allowed to roam over the allotments, causing damage. Your Committee instructed the Clerk to communicate with the Matron, requesting her to keep the dog at the Hospital under control.

(E) ARCHFIELDS ALLOTMENTS:

(1) LEASE OF LAND: The Clerk reported the receipt of a draft lease from Messrs. Hazel and Baines (Solicitors to the All Souls' College Authorities) of the land at Archfields, which had previously been occupied by the Council under the Lands Cultivation Orders, and which the College Authorities were prepared to lease to the Council for allotment purposes for a period of seven years. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the draft lease be approved, and that the matter be proceeded with in due course.

(2) UNCULTIVATED PLOTS: Letter from the Archfields Allotment Association...

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee came to the conclusion that in the event of the allotment holders, referred to in the communication from the Archfields Allotment Association, having previously been communicated with in accordance with the report of the Accountant, that they be served with notice to quit their allotment forthwith. In the event, however, of no previous communication having been addressed to them, that they be served with notice to quit their allotment within seven days.

(F) RULES—A set of rules proposed by the Archfields Allotment Association for the management of the Committee...

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee came to the conclusion that in the event of the Archfields Allotment Association, having previously been communicated with in accordance with the report of the Accountant, that they be served with notice to quit their allotment forthwith. In the event, however, of no previous communication having been addressed to them, that they be served with notice to quit their allotment within seven days.

RECOMMEND—That the same be comprised of the following members representing the various Allotment Associations in the District:—

(1) The Hon. Secretary of the Association.

(2) The Hon. Secretary of the Association.

(3) Every member of the Association.

(4) The Hon. Secretary of the Association.

(5) No member of the Association.

(6) No member of the Association.

(7) Any member of the Association.

(8) On the recommendation of the Hon. Secretary.

(9) The Hon. Secretary of the Association.

(10) Any member of the Association.

(11) The Hon. Secretary of the Association.

(12) The Hon. Secretary of the Association.

(13) The Hon. Secretary of the Association.

(14) A special meeting of the Association.

(A) Any member of the Association.

(B) Any member of the Association.

The Hon. Secretary of the Association.

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(16) The Hon. Secretary of the Association.

(17) The Hon. Secretary of the Association.

- (2) **UNCULTIVATED PLOTS:** Report from the Accountant as to a complaint he had received from the Archfields Allotment Association in regard to two allottees who had failed to cultivate their allotments, viz.: Plots No. 65 and 83.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee instructed the Clerk to serve the allottees in question with seven days' notice to quit the allotments held by them at the Archfields.

- (F) **RULES—ALLOTMENTS, GREENFIELD GARDENS:** The Clerk reported the receipt of rules proposed by the Cricklewood Allotment Holders' Association in connection with the Greenfield Gardens Allotments (copies of such proposed rules having been circulated amongst the members of the Committee).

After careful consideration of the same, and a report from the officers in regard thereto, your Committee considered it desirable to make certain amendments in the rules as submitted. They now

RECOMMEND—That the rules submitted by the Cricklewood Allotment Holders' Association in respect of the Greenfield Gardens Allotments be approved, as amended in the following form:—

- (1) The Association shall be called "The Cricklewood Allotment Holders' Association (Greenfield Gardens)."
- (2) The Association shall be open to all bona fide allotment holders in the district of the age of 21 years, who are ratepayers of the parish of Hendon (excepting in the case of tenants holding plots at the date of passing these rules).
- (3) Every tenant of an allotment administered by the Association shall be a member of the Association, and pay the membership subscription.
- (4) The annual rent of an allotment of ten poles will be 5s. per annum, or such sum as may be found necessary from time to time (and in proportion for any other area) payable in advance on the 1st January in each year. The membership subscription of the Association is 1s. per annum in respect of each ten poles, payable at the same time as the rent for the allotment. Membership and Rule Card 3d. In the event of the rent and subscription not being paid by 1st February in each year, the Association may resume possession of the allotment without further notice or compensation.
- (5) No member shall, without the written consent of the Honorary Secretary for the time being of the Association, exchange, sublet, assign or part with his interest in his allotment or allotments, if he or she has more than one.
- (6) No member shall, without the written consent of the said Honorary Secretary, hold more than ten or less than five poles, provided that any member holding more than ten poles at the date of the passing of these rules may be allowed to retain such ground until such time as he voluntarily surrenders the same to the Association.
- (7) Any member wishing to determine his tenancy or membership shall give to the Honorary Secretary one month's notice in writing of his intention to do so.
- (8) On the determination of his membership by death, a member's legal representative shall have the benefit, and shall be liable for the duties attaching to the occupation of his allotment until the end of the current year, unless he shall have in the meantime arranged with the Honorary Secretary for the transfer of such tenancy.
- (9) The management of the business of the Association, and the duty of maintaining the observance of these rules shall rest with the President, Vice-President, Honorary Solicitor, Honorary Treasurer, Honorary Secretary, and a Committee of ten (with power to add to this number).
- (10) Any member of the Association of not less than 21 years of age shall be eligible for nomination for membership of the Committee.
- (11) The members of the Committee shall be elected by ballot at the annual general meeting. Nominations must be in the hands of the Honorary Secretary at least seven days prior to the date of such meeting.
- (12) The method of election of officers of the Association at the annual general meeting shall be by show of hands.
- (13) The annual general meeting shall be held in the month of January in each year for the election of officers and the Committee.
- (14) A special meeting of the Association shall be called by the Committee on receipt of a request therefor in writing signed by not fewer than ten members for the purpose of considering:
 - (A) Any grievance which in their opinion may have arisen since the last meeting; and/or
 - (B) Any proposal for an alteration to any of the rules, provided that twenty-eight days' notice in writing shall be given to the Honorary Secretary of the Association by such ten members.

The notice convening such meeting shall contain particulars of any such grievance or proposed alteration in Rules.
- (15) Meetings of the Committee shall be held bi-monthly, and at such other times as may be necessary. Any six members of the Committee shall constitute a quorum.
- (16) The Committee shall have power to fill all casual vacancies occurring in the officers or the Committee.
- (17) The Honorary Secretary shall be empowered to keep a register of attendances at the Committee meetings made by members of the Committee, and a record of such attendances shall be circulated to the members of the Association at the annual general meeting.

- (18) Every member shall do his utmost to assist the Committee in carrying out the general interests of the Association and preventing any nuisance or obstruction upon the land.
- (19) Every member shall keep his allotment free from weeds, and shall manure and cultivate it to the best of his ability, and to the satisfaction of the Committee.
- (20) No member shall allow weeds, clippings, or other rubbish, to remain on the roadway, paths, or in ditches or ponds adjoining his allotment. The side paths shall be not less than eighteen inches wide, nine inches from either plot.
- (21) No member shall, during or on the termination of his tenancy or membership, be entitled to any compensation from the Association in respect of any fruit trees, bushes, plants, rhubarb, or anything else which may have been planted or sown on his allotment.
- (22) No member shall damage or interfere in any way with any other member's allotment.
- (23) Every member shall be answerable for the peg on his allotment, and shall pay the value thereof if lost, damaged or destroyed.

(G) ROADWAY TO CHILD'S HILL AND GREENFIELD GARDENS ALLOTMENTS: Letter from Mr. E. J. Rutland, on behalf of the Cricklewood Allotment Holders' Association, thanking the Council for repairing the approach roads to the Child's Hill and Greenfield Gardens Allotments. Your Committee have duly noted the same.

(H) PROVISION OF LAND FOR ALLOTMENTS: Letter from Mr. E. J. Rutland transmitting copy of a resolution passed by the Cricklewood Allotment Holders' Association urging the Council to take steps to acquire land for permanent allotments in view of the date approaching for the termination of tenancy under the present holding, owing to building operations of a large number of allotments at present administered by the Association, and further pointing out that the whole of the present allotment land was held under the Lands Cultivation Orders or otherwise on a short and indefinite tenure.

The Association suggested that steps should be taken to acquire the land situate on the west side of Greenfield Gardens, and forming part of the Cricklewood Aerodrome.

The Council will remember that negotiations were previously entered into with the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for the acquisition of land for allotments in the neighbourhood of the Cricklewood Aerodrome, but they were unable to prevail upon the Commissioners at that time to lease the whole of the land sought to be obtained for the purpose of allotments.

After careful consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor re-open negotiations with the Ecclesiastical Commissioners with a view to obtaining a lease of the land previously under consideration.

(I) APPLICATION FOR POSSESSION—LAND BETWEEN ALBERT ROAD AND BLIND LANE:

Letter from Mr. C. J. Mounter making application for possession of certain land between Albert Road and Blind Lane, at present cultivated as allotments under the Lands Cultivation Orders, upon which it was proposed to erect a Builder's Store. Report from the Surveyor that plans had that day been deposited for the erection of a temporary building on the land referred to.

Your Committee decided that in the event of the plans being approved by the Town Planning Committee on Monday next, that possession be given to Mr. Mounter of the land required by him for building purposes, and further that the Clerk serve the allottees affected by such building operations with the necessary notices to quit the allotments held by them.

(J) LAND, MILL HILL: Report from the Surveyor as to his negotiations with the Governors of Mill Hill School in regard to obtaining a lease of a portion of land belonging to the School Authorities at Will's Grove for the purpose of allotments.

After careful consideration of the matter, your Committee requested the Surveyor to continue the negotiations with the School Authorities.

(K) WEST VIEW: Report from the Surveyor as to a complaint he had received from the Central Hendon Allotments Association as to damage alleged to have been caused to the allotments at West View by children and dogs, and suggesting that a fence be erected alongside the public footpath through the allotments. After careful consideration of the report of the Surveyor in regard thereto, your Committee cannot see their way to recommend the Council to erect a fence in accordance with the suggestion of the Allotments Association. They

RECOMMEND, however—That a notice be placed on the allotments requiring dogs to be kept under control when passing along the footpath by the side of the allotments referred to.

(L) COOL OAK LANE ALLOTMENTS: The Surveyor submitted a letter from Mr. A. Peck, on behalf of the Cool Oak Lane Allotment Association, suggesting the construction of an additional entrance by the new allotments in Cool Oak Lane, from which it appeared that in the event of the Council granting permission for the work to be executed, the same would be undertaken by the allottees. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the proposal be acceded to.

3.—LORD WESTBURY'S ESTATE: Letter from Messrs. Tylee and Co. again requesting to be furnished with information as to the dates of the steps taken by the Council in connection with the agreement with Lord Westbury. After further consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Messrs. Tylee and Co. be informed that the Council regret they cannot see their way to supply them with any further particulars beyond those already furnished.

4.—HENDON PARK AND CHILD'S HILL RECREATION GROUND:

(A) Letter from Miss P. Bates making enquiry whether the Council would grant her permission to book a tennis court in the Hendon Park one or two evenings a week and on Saturday afternoons. Your Committee received a report from the Surveyor in regard thereto, and

RECOMMEND—That Miss Bates be informed that the Council regret they are unable to accede to her application.

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- (B) Letter from Mrs. E. G. Robertson offering to provide alfresco concerts in the Parks under the control of the Council. Your Committee have no recommendation to make in regard thereto, in view of the fact that arrangements have already been made for letting the Bandstand in the Hendon Public Park.
- (C) The Surveyor submitted a letter from Mr. D. A. Steele, on behalf of the West Hendon and Colindale Brotherhood, in reply to the enquiry made by him as to whether the Brotherhood would require the exclusive use of a bowling green in the Hendon Park during the coming season, or whether they would only require the same on specified days. It appeared therefrom that the Brotherhood desired the exclusive use of the bowling green, but in the event of other applications being received for the same, they would be prepared to share the ground with such applicants. Your Committee consider that before acceding to the application of the West Hendon Brotherhood, rules should be prepared, and a scale of charges for the use of the Bowling Green should be drawn up, and they

RECOMMEND—That similar rates and charges to those in force in connection with the pleasure grounds of the Willesden Urban District Council be adopted.

- (D) Report from the Surveyor that damage had been done to the glass and other parts of the Shelter in the Hendon Park during the past fortnight, and the police had the matter under observation. Noted.
- (E) In regard to the damage to a building in the Child's Hill Recreation Ground by a youth, reported by the Surveyor at the last meeting, the Clerk reported that in accordance with the recommendation of the Committee he had communicated with the youth in question asking for a definite statement as to whether he was prepared to pay the cost incurred in making good the damage occasioned, and, further, to give an undertaking not to repeat the offence.

As a result of such communication a reply had been received from the mother of the youth in question stating that her son was unable to reply to the communication, being indisposed, but she stated that he expressed deep regret for the damage occasioned at the Child's Hill Recreation Ground, and gave an assurance that the offence should not be repeated.

In view of the reply received on behalf of the youth, and after further consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That he be required to pay the cost incurred in making good the damage, viz.: the sum of £1, and that beyond this no further action be taken in regard thereto.

- (F) Report from the Surveyor as to a communication he had received from Mr. H. Kemp, to whom the Council had granted permission to give entertainments in the Hendon Public Park during the summer season, 1921, from which it appeared that he had decided to postpone the date of the opening performance until Whit-Monday, May 16th, owing to the unsettled conditions now prevailing.

Mr. Kemp also made enquiry whether the Council would grant him permission to hold sacred concerts on Sunday evenings.

Your Committee have given careful consideration to this matter, and

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Kemp be informed that the Council regret they are unable to accede to his request for the holding of sacred concerts on Sundays in the Hendon Park.

- (G) The Surveyor submitted a report in regard to the allocation of cricket pitches in the Hendon Public Park during the coming season. Noted.
- (H) Report from the Surveyor as to applications he had received from the Hendon Hockey Club and the Rev. A. J. Moore, of St. John's Church West Hendon for the use of a hockey pitch in the Hendon Public Park during next winter. After due consideration of the matter your Committee

RECOMMEND—That arrangements be made to provide a hockey pitch in the Hendon Park for use once a fortnight during next season.

- 5.—RECREATION GROUND—COLINDALE: Letter from Mr. W. C. Garrard (Hon. Secretary of the Colindale and District Ratepayers' Association) advocating the provision of a Recreation Ground for the children resident in the Colindale district, and suggesting the acquisition of certain land in Colindale Avenue for the purpose. After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor approach the owners of the land in question with a view of securing the use of the same for the purpose of a recreation ground, and that the Association be informed accordingly of the action proposed to be taken.

- 6.—LIGHT WORK FOR UNEMPLOYED: Reference was made by the Chairman of the Council on behalf of the Hendon Unemployment Committee, as to the desire of that Committee to provide light work for unemployed men incapable of performing more arduous work. The men could usefully be employed on painting and general work in connection with the Hendon Public Park. Your Committee are quite in sympathy with the proposition, and

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor utilize the services of the unemployed in this direction as far as practicable.

- 7.—DISPOSAL OF REFUSE: The Surveyor submitted a detailed report in regard to the disposal of the house refuse of the district either by the construction of a refuse destructor or the installation of salvage plant.

Your Committee have given very careful consideration to the report submitted by the Surveyor, and consider that before proceeding further with the matter, and in view of the present attitude of the Ministry of Health towards applications for loans for public works, that the whole of the facts be placed before the Ministry with a view to obtaining an expression of opinion as to whether they would be prepared to consider a scheme for the provision of a refuse destructor at the present time, and also to make enquiry whether the Ministry still give preference to the provision of some other type of plant for dealing with the refuse. They therefore

RECOMMEND—That details of the scheme for the provision of a refuse destructor, as submitted by the Surveyor, be transmitted to the Ministry of Health for their observations thereon.

8.—EDGWARE ROAD RE-CONSTRUCTION: That they gave consideration to the following list of tenders received for the proposed re-construction works in the Edgware Road:—

| Name of Firm Tendering. | Amount of Tender. | | |
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| | £ | s. | d. |
| Currall, Lewis and Martin, Ltd, Birmingham | 111,320 | 0 | 0 |
| Frank Hayes, Liverpool | 109,135 | 15 | 0 |
| John Mowlem and Co., Ltd., Westminster | 101,240 | 1 | 6 |
| W. Griffiths and Co., London, E.C. | 100,119 | 8 | 8 |
| Improved Wood Pavement Co., London, E.C. | 99,605 | 17 | 5 |
| G. Wimpey and Sons, Ltd., Hammersmith | 98,801 | 10 | 3 |
| Acme Flooring and Paving Co., Victoria Park, E. | 95,100 | 0 | 9 |
| P. and W. Anderson, Ltd., London, W. | 93,691 | 19 | 9 |
| G. J. Anderson, Poplar, E. | 87,005 | 12 | 9 |
| D. R. Paterson, Ltd., Camden Town | 85,270 | 18 | 3 |
| H. Farrow, Golders Green | 84,646 | 5 | 7 |

The Surveyor reported that in accordance with the instructions given him, he had communicated with the three Contractors submitting the lowest tenders, making certain enquiries in regard to timber and other materials which would be utilised by them in the carrying out of the work in the event of their tender being accepted.

He also mentioned that he had submitted particulars of the tenders received to the Middlesex County Council, and he had since been informed by the County Engineer that the Highways Committee of the County Council had approved of the provisional acceptance of the lowest tender.

After careful consideration of the tenders received, and the report from the Surveyor in regard thereto, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the tender of Mr. Howard Farrow, amounting to the sum of £84,646 5s. 7d., be provisionally accepted, subject to the following conditions:—

1. To the Middlesex County Council passing a resolution dealing with the matter of payment for the work in terms satisfactory to the Council.
2. To the Ministry of Transport approving the Scheme, and the issue of the necessary sanction to a loan for the same by the Ministry of Health.
3. To satisfactory replies being received in regard to the timber to be supplied by the Contractor.

9.—OUTFALL WORKS:

(A) RATS: The Surveyor submitted a letter from the Inspector of Rat Destruction (County Council of Middlesex), offering the services of a rat catcher to the Council for the sum of £50 per annum in connection with the Sewage Farm and refuse tip. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Inspector be informed that the Council are taking steps to deal with the question of the destruction of rats.

(B) BOILER: A report was submitted from the National Boiler Insurance Company, Ltd., in regard to a recent examination of the Boiler at the Outfall Works. The Company suggested that it would be advisable to renew certain of the tubing, and that other tubes should be withdrawn to enable a further examination to be made.

Your Committee instructed the Surveyor to take the necessary action in connection with the matter, and to report upon the matter at a later date.

(C) DISINFECTOR: A further report was also submitted from the Insurance Company in connection with the examination of the Disinfector, which was pronounced by the Company to be in order. The Company suggested, however, that the jacket of the vessel should be tested by hydraulic pressure every five years, and that this periodical test was now due, and that arrangements should be made for the same to be carried out, and an opportunity afforded to their inspecting engineer to witness such test. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor obtain prices for the carrying out of the test on the lines suggested by the Company.

10.—COUNCIL'S STABLES:

(A) HORSES: The Surveyor submitted a report from the Veterinary Surgeon in regard to the condition of certain of the Council's horses, from which it appeared that three of the horses were unsuitable for the Council's work. After careful consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the three horses in question be sold, and that the Surveyor make enquiry in regard to purchasing other horses to replace those disposed of.

(B) FARRIER: Report from the Surveyor in regard to the appointment of a Farrier to undertake the shoeing of the Council's horses and general farrier's work. He mentioned that he had received several applications for the position, and

RECOMMENDED—The undermentioned applicants as suitable for consideration:—
Mr. C. Fletton, Hampstead.
Mr. Boylett, Cricklewood.

After careful consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Boylett, of Cricklewood Lane, be appointed Farrier, with wages at the same rate as the other tradesmen in the employ of the Council.

11.—RE-NUMBERING—BRENT STREET: In accordance with the instructions of the Committee at their last meeting, the Surveyor submitted a report in regard to the question of re-numbering Brent Street.

The Council will remember that the matter arose on a letter received from Mr. H. V. Cutts (Secretary of the Union of Post Office Workers), who alleged that the existing numbering of the houses and shops in Brent Street and Church Road was unsatisfactory, and requesting the Council to re-number the roads in question.

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After due consideration of the report of the Surveyor in regard thereto, and particularly in view of the fact that certain portions of Brent Street are undeveloped at the present time, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the matter be deferred for the present, and that Mr. Cutts be informed accordingly.

12.—REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor submitted a requisition of the goods and materials required in his department, and the same was approved.

Report of Public Health Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 25th day of April, 1921. Present: Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Hodge, Fenn, Hearn, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Page, Taylor, Teare and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—CHAIRMAN: Mr. Councillor Teare was re-elected Chairman for the ensuing year.
- 2.—VITAL STATISTICS: The Medical Officer reported that for the period of six weeks ended 16th April the death-rate in the district was 12.83 per thousand, and the birth-rate 16.43 per thousand.
- 3.—INFECTIOUS DISEASE: A report was submitted as to notifications of Infectious Disease, and as to the cases under treatment at the Hendon Isolation Hospital, and the same was duly noted.
- 4.—PREMISES—MURRAY ROAD, MILL HILL: Report from the Medical Officer of Health as to an inspection he had made of premises known as 17, Murray Road, Mill Hill.

The Council will recollect that your Committee at their last meeting submitted a report in regard thereto, and after further consideration they are unable to recommend that any action be taken in regard thereto.

- 5.—COW SHEDS—INSPECTION OF: That they received a report from the Medical Officer of Health as to an inspection of the Cowsheds and Dairy Farms in the district.

At certain of the Cowsheds cleansing work was necessary, and substantial improvements have been effected since the inspection.

In one case certain structural alterations were required to the cowshed and dairy, and a communication has been transmitted to the occupier of the premises.

A further report will be submitted dealing with the matter in due course.

- 6.—ISOLATION HOSPITAL.—

(a) Baths and Boiler.—That they received a report from the Surveyor that the baths in the Diphtheria Block and in the Nurses quarters at the Isolation Hospital were defective and required to be renewed.

Your Committee are informed that the baths in question have been in use at the Hospital for many years.

The Surveyor submitted an estimate which had been received for replacing the baths, but your Committee gave instructions for additional estimates to be procured, and decided that the matter be referred to the Chairman of the Committee and the Chairman of the Council, together with the Medical Officer of Health and the Engineer, and that authority be given to accept the lowest estimate.

- 7.—REQUISITIONS: The Medical Officer of Health submitted requisitions of goods required in his Department, and the same were duly confirmed.

- 8.—MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE: On the report of the Medical Officer of Health, your Committee gave authority for the services of a charwoman to be engaged for two days to undertake cleaning work at the Maternity and Child Welfare Hut, The Broadway, West Hendon.

- 9.—DRAINAGE AND INSPECTION WORK: That they received a report from the Sanitary Inspector with a summary of the inspection work carried out since the last meeting of the Committee, also as to the drains of certain premises which had been tested.

Your Committee approved of the action taken by the Sanitary Inspector in regard thereto.

- 10.—DAIRY REGISTRATION: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to an application by Henry Grosch, of Daws Lane Dairy, Mill Hill, to be registered as Dairyman.

An inspection of the premises had been made, and the same were found to comply with the requirements of the Dairies, Cowsheds and Milkshops Regulations. Your Committee therefore

RECOMMEND—That the application be acceded to, and that Mr. Grosch be registered accordingly.

- 11.—SANITARY CERTIFICATES: That they received a report from the Sanitary Inspector as to applications which had been received for the issue of certificates under Section 2 of the Increase of Rent and Mortgage Interest (Restrictions) Act, 1920.

The report was received as to a case in which the Inspector had attended at the Marylebone Court, in which case the decision had been in favour of the tenant.

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26, Second Avenue.
33, St. Andrew's Road.
21, St. John's Road.

12.—STATUTORY NOTICES: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to cases in which he asked for authority to serve Statutory Notices.

STABLES—PARK ROAD: Notice under Section 91 of the Public Health Act, 1875.

16, East Road, Burnt Oak ditto
37, Bridge Lane ditto

The above cases being urgent, your Committee authorised the service of the notice in accordance with the powers vested in them for dealing with matters of an urgent nature.

The Inspector also submitted the following cases in which Statutory Notices were required:—

58, Victoria Road, Hendon. Notices under Sections 36 and 91, Public Health Act, 1875.
"Medina," Lawrence Street, Mill Hill. Notice under Section 91, Public Health Act, 1875.
"Bayonne," Lawrence Street ditto
37, Ashbourne Avenue ditto
8, St. Andrew's Road ditto
17, Murray Road, Mill Hill ditto
85, Granville Road, Child's Hill ditto
8, Ash Grove, Cricklewood ditto
10, Ash Grove, Cricklewood ditto
22, Ash Grove, Cricklewood ditto

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Statutory Notices be served upon the owners of the above property if found necessary.

13.—MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE:

(a) GRANT.—Circular letter from the Ministry of Health transmitting forms in connection with the estimate of expenditure for the first six months of 1921—22 in connection with Maternity and Child Welfare work.

Your Committee are informed that the necessary forms have been transmitted to the Treasurer for completion, and have duly noted the same.

(b) DAY NURSERY: Letter from the Ministry of Health intimating that it had been decided to approve of the grant of £200 to the West Hendon Day Nursery in respect of the year 1920—21.

Your Committee have duly noted this communication.

Letter from the Hendon Women Citizens' Council expressing their appreciation of the grant of £300 per annum towards the funds of the West Hendon Day Nursery.

The Council will remember that the grant is subject to the consent of the Ministry of Health, and your Committee are informed that so far the sanction to the grant of £300 per annum has not yet been received.

Your Committee gave instructions for a further communication to be sent to the Ministry of Health in regard to this matter.

(c) KINGSBURY: Report from the Clerk that the Middlesex County Council had amended the draft Agreement as to the attendance of residents in Kingsbury at the West Hendon Child Welfare Centre, and suggested that special books of accounts should be kept in regard to the supply of dried milk and Viroil to residents from the Kingsbury district. Your Committee consider that this would involve considerable unnecessary work, and are unable to agree to the amendment. They

RECOMMEND—That the Middlesex County Council be informed accordingly.

14.—ANTHRAX—NOTIFICATION OF: Letter from the Borough of Richmond (Surrey) transmitting the following resolution passed by them upon the subject of the Compulsory Notification of Anthrax in the human subject:—

"That in the opinion of this Council, the notification of Anthrax in the human subject should be made compulsory throughout the country, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to the Ministry of Health and all local authorities within the Metropolitan area."

Your Committee received a report from the Medical Officer of Health in regard to the proposed resolution, and they

RECOMMEND—That the Council pass a resolution in similar terms and transmit a copy thereof to the Ministry of Health.

15.—FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACT: Letter from His Majesty's Inspector of Factories transmitting notice as to the occupation of a workshop at 19, Royal Parade, Temple Fortune. Your Committee are informed that particulars of this workshop have been transmitted to the Sanitary Inspector. Noted.

16.—SANITARY CONGRESS: Letter from the Royal Sanitary Institute transmitting particulars of the Annual Congress to be held at Folkestone, and inviting the Council to appoint delegates thereto.

In view of the fact that the Medical Officer of Health has been appointed a member of the Institution, your Committee do not recommend the Council to send delegates to the Conference.

17.—ANNUAL REPORT: The Medical Officer submitted draft of Annual Report, and your Committee gave authority for proof copies to be printed and circulated amongst the members of the Council.

18.—BURROUGHS HOUSE: That they received a report from the Surveyor as to the desirability of providing two new chimney pots at Burroughs House, the estimated cost being £4 10s. Your Committee gave authority for the work to be carried out.

19.—PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT: Report from the Medical Officer of Health as to the desirability of securing the services of a junior clerk for the Public Health Department. Your Committee are of opinion that additional assistance should be provided in this department, and

RECOMMEND—That the matter be referred to the Staff Committee for consideration.

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Report of Town Planning Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 2nd day of May, 1921. Present: Councillors Miss Hodge, Egan, Fenn, Glanville, Hare, Page, Reynolds, Soar, Taylor and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—CHAIRMAN: Mr. Councillor Reynolds was elected Chairman of the Committee for the ensuing year.
2.—PLANS: That they gave consideration to the following applications for approval of plans, and RECOMMEND thereon as follows:—

| No. | Description of Premises. | Owner or Person submitting. | Recommendation. |
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| 5084 | Six Detached Houses, Basing Hill | Mr. F. W. Bristow (under Government Subsidy Scheme) | Approval. |
| 5085 | One Detached House, Wildwood Road | Mr. M. Sparkes | Approval. |
| 5086 | One Garage, 36, Cranbourne Gardens | Mr. W. Francs | Approval. |
| 5087 | One Bungalow, Brent Street | Mr. J. Bent (under Government Subsidy Scheme) | Approval. |
| 5088 | One Stable, Shirehall Lane | Eastern Telegraph Company | Approval. |
| 5089 | Twenty-four Semi-detached Houses, Princes Park Avenue | Messrs. Waterman (under Government Subsidy Scheme) | Approval. |
| 5090 | Addition to 49, Albert Road | Mr. R. J. Wood | Approval. |
| 5091 | Greenhouse, Potting Shed, etc., 57, Hale Lane | Mr. J. Goodwin | Approval. |
| 5081 | Additions to 7, Turners Wood | Mrs. S. Greenhalgh | Approval. |
| 5092 | One Garage, Brookside Road | Mr. E. Wright | Approval. |
| 5113 | Garden Loggia, Brent Bridge House | Mr. Appenrodt | Approval. |
| 5114 | One Detached House, Beechcroft Avenue | Mr. W. T. Streather | Approval. |
| 5115 | One Detached House, Shirehall Lane | Messrs. Gillett and Co. | Approval. |
| 5093 | One Motor House, 6, Sunnydale Gardens | Mr. W. Burbidge | Approval (subject to alterations to existing drainage). |
| 5094 | Station Governor's House, Lodge Road | North Middlesex Gas Company | Approval (subject to Surveyor's report). |
| 5095 | Temporary Garage, 39, Cranbourne Gardens | Mr. R. H. W. Gillett | Approval as temporary building, and to drainage requirements. |
| 5096 | Two Motor Garages, Beechcroft Avenue | Mr. W. T. Streather | Approval. |
| 5097 | Alterations and Additions, Dairy Premises, Station Road | Express Dairy Company | Approval. |
| 5098 | One Motor Garage, Station Road | Mr. F. Kruse | Disapproval. |
| 5099 | Additions, Bell Lane | Messrs. Wynter and Taylor | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5082 | (Re-submitted) Additions to 48, Woodstock Road | Mr. W. J. Purser | Approval. |
| 5079 | Shed, 10, Decoy Avenue | Mr. Orris | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5100 | Temporary Army Hut, Edgware Road | West Hendon Free Church Committee | Approval as temporary building (subject to Surveyor's report). |
| 5101 | Temporary Store Shed, Finchley Road | The Ramsay (Decorators) Ltd. | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5102 | Temporary Shed, 127, Golders Green Road | Messrs. Bogner and Canter | Disapproval. |
| 5103 | Temporary Carpenter's Workshop, Golders Green Road | Mr. F. Howkins | Approval as temporary building (subject to Surveyor's requirements being complied with). |
| 5104 | Temporary Corrugated Iron Shed, Holders Hill Road | Messrs. Kelly and Co. | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5105 | Temporary Workshop and Store, 69, Wentworth Road | Mr. R. F. Butler | Disapproval. |
| 5106 | Temporary Timber Rack and Offices, Hayes Crescent | Mr. F. Freeman | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5107 | Temporary Timber Gantry and Office, Golders Green Road | Messrs. Neville, Hine and Co. | Approval (subject to Surveyor's report). |
| 5108 | Temporary Store Shed, rear of No. 27, Brent Street | Mr. W. Hollis | Disapproval. |
| 5109 | Temporary Cycle Shed, Lawrence Street | Messrs. Bentley Bros. | Disapproval. |
| 5110 | Workshop, Highwood Hill | Messrs. Bentley Bros. | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5111 | Temporary Builder's Stores in passageway between Albert Road and Blind Lane | Mr. C. J. Mounter | Approval as temporary building. |

| No. | Description of Premises. | Owner or Person submitting. | Recommendation. |
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| 5112 | Proposed Building Line, Brent Street, between The Crest and The Approach | Mr. F. Howkins | Approval (subject to Surveyor's report). |
| 5116 | Temporary Store, 22, Golders Green Road | Messrs. Cook and Shutler | Disapproval. |
| 5117 | Temporary Store, 7 and 8, Temple Fortune Parade | Messrs. Cook and Shutler | Disapproval. |
| 5118 | One House, Turners Drive, corner of Meadway | Dr. S. W. Coffin | Approval (subject to Surveyor's report). |
| 5119 | One Bungalow, Hillcrest Avenue | Messrs. J. Webb and Sons (under Government Subsidy Scheme) | Disapproval. |

TEMPORARY ALLOTMENTS: Authority was given to serve notices to quit on the allottees displaced by building developments.

3.—HOUSING (ADDITIONAL POWERS) ACT, 1919:

(A) CERTIFICATES "A": Report from the Surveyor that the three undermentioned applicants whose plans have been recommended for approval under the Government Subsidy Scheme should be informed that the plans submitted by them comply with the revised Regulations under the Housing (Additional Powers) Act, 1919, and that Certificate "A" would be issued in respect thereof if legislation was passed extending the time for the grant of the subsidy.

- Application No. 5084. Mr. F. W. Bristow—Six Detached Houses, Basing Hill.
- Application No. 5087. Mr. J. Bent—One Bungalow, Brent Street.
- Application No. 5089. Messrs. Waterman—Twenty-four Semi-detached Houses, Princes Park Avenue.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a communication be addressed to the applicants referred to in accordance with the Surveyor's report.

(B) CERTIFICATES "B": The Surveyor reported that in the undermentioned cases Certificates "B" might now be issued for the amounts named:—

| Application No. | Situation of Premises. | Owner. | Amount per house. |
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| 4909 | 5 and 6, Cranbourne Gardens | Mr. E. H. Waterman | 173 6 8 |
| 4993 | 46 and 48, The Vale | Mr. E. Streater | 173 6 8 |
| 5036 | 2 and 4, The Vale | Hendon Vale Estate Company | 173 6 8 |
| 4994 | 10, Shirehall Lane | Messrs. Gillett and Co. | 173 6 8 |
| 4985 | Nos. 271 to 281 (odd numbers) Golders Green Road | Messrs. Haymills, Ltd. | 173 6 8 |
| 4992 | 3, Beechcroft Avenue | Mr. W. T. Streater | 173 6 8 |
| 4770 | 101, Bridge Lane | Mr. A. H. C. Arnell | 173 6 8 |
| 5006 | 7, Decoy Avenue | Messrs. J. C. Webb and Sons | 173 6 8 |
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| 4950 | 9 and 11, Basing Hill | Mr. F. W. Bristow | 173 6 8 |

Your Committee authorised the issue of such Certificates.

4.—TOWN PLANNING:

(A) The Clerk reported the receipt from the Ministry of Health of the revised Regulations governing the procedure to be adopted by Local Authorities in preparing Town Planning Schemes, and that he proposed to obtain copies of such Regulations for the use of the members of the Committee. Your Committee approved of the action proposed to be taken by the Clerk.

(B) Letter from the Ministry of Health (Town Planning Department) in reference to the revised Town Planning Regulations, pointing out that by article 17 of such Regulations they might be applied by the Minister with such modifications as, in his opinion, might be required in cases where Local Authorities had been authorised to prepare Town Planning Schemes.

The Ministry asked to be furnished with information as to the precise position which had been reached in the preparation of Town Planning Schemes for this district.

Your Committee propose to deal with this matter in conjunction with the revised Regulations relating to Town Planning.

5.—NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD:

(A) Letter from the Ministry of Transport requesting to be informed when the work of constructing the portion of the North Circular Road within the Council's district was commenced, and also that information might be furnished periodically of the number of unskilled men engaged on such work. The Ministry also desired to be informed whether the men would work in shifts for alternate periods, or whether they would work regularly for the duration of the job.

The Surveyor submitted a report in regard to the present position of the matter. After due consideration of such report, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Ministry of Transport be informed that the Council were not yet in a position to proceed with the construction of the portion of the North Circular Road within their district, but desired to press forward with the scheme at the earliest possible moment.

(b) Letter from Mr. W. Hollis offering his services in the event of any arbitration proceedings taking place in connection with the North Circular Road. Your Committee have no recommendation to make in regard thereto.

(c) Letter from the Middlesex County Council intimating that the Minister of Transport had issued his approval to the construction of the section of the North Circular Road within the Hendon area, and that the Engineer of the County Council was in communication with the Council's Engineer in regard thereto.

Your Committee have noted the contents of the communication from the Middlesex County Council, and have requested the Engineer to confer with the County Engineer upon the matter.

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Your Committee have given careful consideration to the matter, together with the report of the Surveyor in regard thereto, and

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RECOMMEND—That such rents be approved for the houses on the Brent Hill Estate.

They further gave instructions to the Accountant to submit the proposed rents to the London Housing Board, to ascertain the views of the Board in regard thereto.

- (c) VARIATIONS: That they received a report from the Architect as to reductions in cost which might be effected by omitting from the remainder of the scheme the larger and more expensive types of houses, and the substitution therefor of houses of a plainer type.

Your Committee are informed that a gross saving of £4,288 could be made by adopting the substitutions recommended by the Architect on the following schedule submitted by him:—

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The Architect reported that he had requested the Contractors not to proceed with the preparation of foundations for the larger houses until the matter had been decided, but that it was desirable that an early decision should be arrived at, otherwise difficulty might be experienced in finding alternative work for the excavators and labourers.

Reference was made to the saving which would be effected by omitting the scullery chimney breasts and the fireplaces in the third bedrooms of the houses, and, subject to confirmation, a saving of £776 might be effected in this direction.

The Architect also reported that so many bay windows occurred in the substituted houses that he suggested omitting a number of the bay windows, which would probably effect a further reduction in the cost of £200.

After careful consideration of the report of the Architect, your Committee consider that the economies suggested should be carried out, and they approved the suggestion of the Architect, and have given instructions for the variations suggested to be adopted.

(D) SITE: Report from the Architect as to a communication he had received from the Improved Concrete Construction Co. as to securing possession of a further area of land to commence building work on further groups of houses, and also to remove their plant to a different position.

Your Committee received a detailed report from the Clerk as to various matters which were involved in connection with the remaining portion of the land, and your Committee have decided to arrange a conference to discuss the matter with the representatives of the Improved Concrete Construction Company.

They have appointed Mr. Councillor Roberts, Mr. Councillor Cartwright, and the Chairman of the Council, together with the Architect and Officers, to confer in regard to this matter, and report to your Committee at their next meeting.

(E) CONTRACTS, LIGHTING, ETC.: Letter from the Hendon Electric Supply Company in reference to proposed contract in connection with lighting installations at the houses at Brent Hill Farm. The Company suggested certain amendments in the draft contract, and after careful consideration, your Committee instructed the Clerk in regard thereto, and gave authority for the draft to be re-submitted to the Company in its amended form.

Letter from the Gas Light and Coke Company submitting an amended form of contract for the gas installation at the houses in Brent Hill Farm.

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Your Committee have received a report from the Surveyor as to the approximate cost of carrying out this work, which amounted to the sum of £120.

He suggested that the better course would probably be to arrange a price with Mr. Farrow, the contractor for the road works at Brent Hill Farm, and to report the matter to the London Housing Board with a view to the same being charged as an extra to the contract for the construction of roads and sewers.

Your Committee approved of the suggestion of the Surveyor, and gave authority for the work to be carried out, subject to the price being reasonable.

(G) LIGHTING AND HEATING: Letter from the London Housing Board in further reference to the question of Lighting and Heating in connection with the Brent Hill Farm Scheme. The Board now intimated that an Inspector had visited the site, and they agreed that the sum of £42 12s. 3d. per house should apply to 74 houses on the Brent Hill Farm site, and the amount of £39 13s. 6d. per house should apply to the remaining houses on the site.

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Your Committee still consider that the sum of £42 12s. 3d. should be allowed in full in respect of the whole of the remaining houses on the estate, as this was the estimated cost of an installation which the Board in their letter of the 22nd January last expressed their willingness to approve. Your Committee therefore

RECOMMEND—That a further application be made to the London Housing Board to secure, if possible, their approval to the sum of £42 12s. 3d. in respect of the remaining houses on the estate.

(H) RETENTION MONEY: Letter from the National Bank, Ltd., transmitting copy of resolution passed at a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Improved Concrete Construction Company in connection with the retention monies under the contract between the Company and the Council. Noted.

(I) LAND—APPORTIONMENT OF COST: In accordance with the instructions received at the meeting of the Council on the 25th ultimo, the Accountant submitted an apportionment of the capital charges as between the land utilized for sewage purposes and that appropriated for housing purposes in connection with the Brent Hill Farm Estate.

It now appeared that the principal and interest apportioned to the Housing Scheme would be on the basis of £500 per acre, which figure would have to be approved by the Ministry of Health.

Your Committee authorised the Accountant to include the figures on this basis on Form D.106, Return of Estimated Income and Expenditure to be submitted to the Ministry.

3.—CHILD'S HILL SITE:

(A) LIGHTING AND HEATING: The London Housing Board in their communication upon the subject intimated that the sum of £42 12s. 3d. per house would apply to 32 houses at Child's Hill out of 37, and the amount of £39 13s. 6d. would apply to the remaining houses.

(B) PROGRESS REPORT: Letter from Mr. G. Hornblower (Architect) reporting in connection with the Child's Hill Site that five houses of Block H would now be occupied, and other houses would be ready for occupation in rotation as mentioned in a previous report.

The other houses were in various stages of progress and a number were nearing completion.

Your Committee have duly noted this report.

(C) RENTS: Letter from the Ministry of Health in reference to the statement of annual income and expenditure submitted by the Council in connection with the above scheme, intimating that the Ministry would not regard as insufficient for the purposes of Article 7 (1) (c) of the Local Authorities (Assisted Housing Schemes) Regulations, 1919, the following initial rents exclusive of rates and water charges:—

Class A—LIVING ROOM, SCULLERY, AND THREE BEDROOMS:

15 at 14s. 6d. per week.
6 at 15s. 6d. per week.
2 at 16s. 6d. per week.

Class B—PARLOUR, LIVING ROOM, SCULLERY AND THREE BEDROOMS:

14 at 16s. 6d. per week.

Your Committee have duly noted the communication.

(D) TRANSFORMER: Report was made to your Committee that the Hendon Electric Supply Company proposed placing a transformer and meter in one of the houses.

Your Committee gave instructions for the Architect to be communicated with and requested to negotiate with the Company as to placing transformers outside the houses.

4.—HYDE SITE: Letter from the London Housing Board intimating that the Board agreed that the question of developing the site at The Hyde should stand over until the prices had been obtained for the Bittacy Hill site. Noted.

5.—HOUSING REGULATION: Report from the Clerk as to the receipt of Housing Regulation known as the Local Authorities (Assisted Housing Schemes) Amendment Regulations, 1921, which provided for an amendment of the principal regulations as to the constitution of the Tribunal to deal with any difference between the Ministry and a Local Authority.

Your Committee have duly noted such regulation.

6.—BITTACY HILL: Report from the Surveyor that the plans in connection with the Bittacy Hill Scheme had now been amended to conform to the requirements of the London Housing Board, and the Specification had been submitted to the Board and approved.

The Surveyor asked for instructions as to the issue of advertisements for tenders.

Your Committee consider that the matter might stand over until the meeting of the Council, when the Surveyor can report further as to advertising the works.

7.—SELECTION OF TENANTS: Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Councillors C. C. Cartwright and A. Roberts be re-appointed as the Sub-Committee to deal with the selection of tenants for the Council's houses.

Report of Fire Brigade Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 2nd day of May, 1921. Present: Councillors Miss Growse, Fenn, Hare, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Reynolds, Taylor and Teare.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—CHAIRMAN: Councillor Miss Growse was elected Chairman of the Committee for the ensuing year.

2.—PETROL LICENCES: That they gave consideration to the following applications received for the issue of Petrol Licences for the year ending 31st December, 1921:—

Mr. W. H. Burnham, St. Mary's Engineering Works, Finchley Lane, Hendon.
Mr. J. M. Hamilton, 5, Queen's Road, Hendon.

A report was submitted to your Committee by the Petroleum Inspector that the store in each of the above cases was satisfactory, and they

RECOMMEND—That the applications be acceded to, and that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the necessary licences in due course.

5.—WILBERFORCE ROAD—FIRE STATION: Letter from Mr. H. C. Howes, on behalf of the Hampstead Sea Scouts, intimating that they desired to determine the tenancy of the building at Wilberforce Road occupied by them.

The Council will remember that at the last meeting of your Committee a communication was received from Mr. Franklin, on behalf of the 1st Hendon Troop B.P. Scouts, making enquiry whether the Council would be prepared to let the building in question to the 1st Hendon Troop B.P. Scouts, he intimating that the Hampstead Sea Scouts no longer desired the use of the same. In view of the fact that no formal notice had then been received of the desire of the Hampstead Sea Scouts to determine their tenancy, your Committee decided to defer the matter until their next meeting.

Report from the Clerk that he had communicated with Mr. Rix, the Scoutmaster of the Hampstead Sea Scouts, at the time the agreement was made, and a reply had been received from him that he was no longer the responsible Scoutmaster of the Hampstead Sea Scouts, but that he had placed the matter in the hands of the present Scoutmaster, Mr. Howes. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Howes be informed as to the provisions of the tenancy agreement, and that he be requested to fulfil the terms of the same.

Letter from Mr. W. W. Stevens in regard to the application of Mr. Franklin, on behalf of the 1st Hendon Troop B.P. Scouts, for the use of the Fire Station at Wilberforce Road, requesting the Council to withhold their consent to the application, as Mr. Franklin had not been authorised by his Troop to apply for the use of the building in question.

Your Committee have deferred the further consideration of the matter.

4.—FIRE SERVICES: Letter from Mr. S. L. Lyons, Hon. Secretary of the Child's Hill and Golders Green Rate-payers' Association, expressing, on behalf of the Association, approbation at the promptitude displayed by the Fire Brigade at a fire which occurred in Devonshire Place, Child's Hill.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of such communication.

5.—CONFERENCE: Letter from the Hon. Secretary of the Professional Fire Brigades' Association as to the proposed Annual Meeting of the Association, to be held at Leicester on the 29th and 30th June and 1st July next, and inviting the Council to appoint delegates to attend such meeting.

Your Committee have received a report from the Chief Officer in regard thereto, but cannot see their way to recommend the Council to appoint delegates to attend the meeting.

6.—WATER PRESSURES: The Chief Officer submitted a list of water pressures taken since the last meeting of the Committee. The same were duly noted.

7.—HYDRANTS: Report from the Chief Officer that the following hydrants had been fixed since the date of his last report:—

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| West Heath Road (West side of) | ... 1 |
| Sinclair Grove (South-West side of) | ... 1 |
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Your Committee have duly noted the same.

8.—FIREMAN ON SICK LIST: Report from the Chief Officer that Fireman W. Dickens had been on the sick list since the 21st March last, and he submitted a Doctor's certificate as to his incapacity.

He further mentioned that, with the permission of the Chairman of the Committee, he had engaged the services of J. Powell, of 36, Alexandra Road, Hendon, temporarily, until such time as Fireman Dickens was able to resume duty.

Your Committee approved of the action taken in the matter.

9.—LATHE—CENTRAL HENDON FIRE STATION: The Chief Officer reported that in accordance with the instructions of the Committee, he had made enquiry in regard to obtaining a Lathe for use at the Central Station.

After due consideration of such report, your Committee authorised the Chief Officer to obtain a Lathe at a cost not exceeding £20, and to pay cash therefor when a suitable Lathe could be secured.

10.—BICYCLE—CENTRAL HENDON STATION: Report from the Chief Officer submitting further estimates which he had obtained for the supply of a Bicycle for use at the Central Station.

After consideration of such report and estimates your Committee

RECOMMEND—That an "Enfield" Bicycle for use at the Central Hendon Station be obtained from the Surplus Government Property Disposal Board.

11.—UNIFORM CLOTHING: The Chief Officer submitted a report in regard to the following members of the Fire Brigade who had applied for new uniform clothing:—

CENTRAL HENDON STATION.

Motor Mechanic F. W. Norton.
Fireman F. Taylor.
Fireman C. Hill.
Fireman W. Dickens.

CHILD'S HILL DETACHMENT.

Supt. F. Mills.
Fireman J. Carroll.
Fireman R. Borrett.
Fireman W. Price.
Fireman H. Carroll.

MILL HILL DETACHMENT.

Fireman C. Turner.

In connection with the Child's Hill Detachment, Uniform was required for two men who had recently been appointed, viz., Firemen H. Mills and F. Millard.

Your Committee decided to leave the question of the supply of Uniform to the above-named Firemen in the hands of the Chairman of the Committee to deal with.

12.—STORES REQUIRED: The Chief Officer submitted a list of stores required, and the same was duly approved.

13.—AMBULANCE: Report received from the Chief Officer as to outfit required for the Motor Ambulance.

Your Committee approved of the same being obtained.

14.—FIRES ATTENDED: The Chief Officer submitted a list of fires attended since the last meeting of the Committee, but such report calls for no special remarks.

15.—PETROL CONSUMPTION: Report from the Chief Officer as to the petrol consumed since the date of his last report by the Motor Fire Engine, Ambulances, and the Ford Van used by the Public Health Department.—Noted.

16.—MEDALS: The question of presenting Medals to certain members of the Brigade was referred to, but your Committee decided to defer the matter until the second Motor Fire Engine was ready to be handed over to the Council.

Report of General Purposes Committee,

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 9th day of May, 1921. Present: Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Miss Growse, Egan, Glanville, Hare, Page, Reynolds, Taylor, and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—CHAIRMAN—ELECTION OF: Mr. Councillor Hill was elected Chairman of the Committee for the ensuing year. In the absence of Mr. Councillor Hill, Mr. Councillor Reynolds was elected to preside over the meeting.

2.—WAR PENSIONS COMMITTEE: Letter from Mr. W. C. Cornwell, Secretary of the Hendon War Pensions Committee, intimating that Mr. B. P. Borrett had been nominated for membership of the Hendon Local War Pensions Committee, and making enquiry whether the Council approved of such nomination.

Report from the Clerk that he had made enquiry of Mr. Cornwell whether a vacancy existed on the Committee in view of the nomination of Mr. Borrett, from which it appeared that the number of members sanctioned by the Ministry of Pensions to constitute the Committee had not been completed, and Mr. Borrett's name was submitted for that purpose.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council appoint Mr. Borrett, and that the Hendon War Pensions Committee be informed accordingly.

3.—ELECTRICITY UNDERTAKINGS: The Clerk reported the receipt of a copy of the scheme for the constitution of a Joint Electricity Authority for the London and Home Counties Electricity District, and for the supply of electrical energy.

A formal notice had been received from the Secretary to the Electricity Commissioners as to a Local Inquiry proposed to be held on the 14th prox. and following days with reference to the area to be included in the proposed district, and the objections and representations which have been made on account of the inclusion in, or exclusion from, the district of certain areas, and further to consider other schemes which had been submitted in connection with the matter.

It was further stated that any representations or objections with regard to the said schemes or any of them should be transmitted to the Secretary of the Electricity Commission not later than the 31st inst.

Your Committee have given further consideration to the question, but have decided to defer taking any action in the matter for the present.

4.—STREET COLLECTIONS:

(a) Letter from the Commissioner of Police of the Metropolis relative to a street collection proposed to be held in Hendon on the 21st inst. in aid of the Hampstead General Hospital, and asking to be furnished with the observations of the Council in regard thereto.

Report from the Clerk that he had consulted the Chairman of the Council in regard to the proposal, and he was of opinion that the question of raising funds for the Hampstead General Hospital should be confined to the Hampstead boundaries.

He had accordingly replied to the Commissioner of Police, and had also pointed out that local needs rendered it necessary, quite frequently, to appeal to local residents for local institutions.

Your Committee confirmed the action taken by the Clerk in connection with the matter.

(b) Letter from the Commissioner of Police in reference to an application which had been made by the Hon. Secretary of the West Hendon District Nurse Fund for permission to hold a street collection in the West Hendon and Central Hendon district on the 11th prox. in aid of the fund.

The Commissioner made enquiry whether the Council desired to offer any observations upon the matter.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That no objection be raised by the Council to the application.

(c) Letter from the Commissioner of Police in regard to an application which had been made by the British and Foreign Sailors' Society for permission to hold a street collection in Golders Green on the 31st inst. in aid of the funds of the Society.

Enquiry was made by the Commissioner as to whether the Council desired to offer any observations in connection with the proposed street collection.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council raise no objection to this application.

(d) Report from the Clerk that Mr. Osborn, on behalf of the National Institute for the Blind and St. Dunstan's After-Care Fund, had called upon him relative to a proposal to hold a Red Letter Day, in aid of the Greater London Fund for the Blind, on the 8th prox., and making enquiry whether the Council could undertake the organisation of the work in connection therewith.

Your Committee made enquiry of Councillor Miss Growse, in view of her experience in the past in the organisation of Flag Days, whether she could undertake the work of organisation in connection with the proposed Red Letter Day.

Councillor Miss Growse, however, regretted her inability to render assistance in the direction named on this occasion, owing to her time being fully occupied with other voluntary work, but kindly undertook to furnish the names and addresses of ladies who had assisted her in the work of flag-selling on former occasions.

5.—NEELD AND PARSONS' CHARITY: Reference was made to the question of the re-appointment of the Trustees of the Neeld and Parsons' Charity.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Councillors Hearn and Roberts be again appointed as Trustees of such Charity.

6.—HOARDING—KINGSBURY ROAD: That they gave consideration to the communication received from the Clerk to the Urban District Council of Kingsbury, which was referred to your Committee for consideration at the meeting of the Council on the 11th ulto., relative to the hoarding at the junction of Edgware Road and Kingsbury Road.

It will be remembered that the Kingsbury Council stated that they had received complaints in regard to the hoarding referred to, and they made enquiry whether the Council would take steps to secure the removal of the same, or endeavour to obtain a reduction in the height thereof, and thus enable drivers to observe approaching traffic.

After careful consideration of the matter, and a report from the Clerk in regard thereto, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk and Surveyor negotiate with the owner of the land upon which the hoarding in question is erected.

Your Committee consider, in the event of it being possible to carry out improvement works at this point, that it might be possible to obtain a contribution from the Road Board or the Middlesex County Council towards the same

7.—HYDE PLEASURE GROUND: That they gave consideration to the question of setting aside a portion of the land recently acquired from the Ecclesiastical Commissioners at The Hyde as a temporary playing field, together with a report from the Clerk in regard thereto.

After careful consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That an informal intimation be issued that the land may be used temporarily as a playing field until such time as the same is required for other purposes, and, further, that a notice board be placed on the land bearing a notice to this effect.

8.—PARLIAMENTARY BILLS: Letter from Messrs. E. Bevir and Son intimating that the Joint Committee in connection with the Metropolitan Water Board (Charges) Bill had been appointed to meet on the 9th prox.

Report from the Clerk that a Conference of representatives of Local Authorities had been arranged for Wednesday next, the 11th inst., to consider the course of procedure to be adopted in opposing the Bill. Your Committee requested the Officers to attend such Conference on behalf of the Council.

9.—CONFERENCE: Letter from the Secretary of the Urban District Councils' Association intimating that the Annual Conference of the Association would be held at Paignton on the 14th, 15th, and 16th July next, and expressing the hope that the Council would be represented at such Conference.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Councillor Reynolds be appointed as delegate to attend such Conference, together with the Clerk, on behalf of the Council.

10.—GAME LICENCE: Letter from Mr. J. Sainsbury making application for a Game Licence in respect of premises situate at 15, Lawrence Street, Mill Hill.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the application be acceded to, and that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the Licence in due course.

11.—SHOPS ACT:

(a) Report from the Shops Inspector as to an inspection he had made of the Flower Stall in Golders Green Road, near Armitage Road, in accordance with the instructions of the Committee at their last meeting.

The Clerk reported as to the terms of an agreement in existence by which the land, upon which the stall was erected, was dedicated to the public.

After due consideration of such report, together with the report of the Shops Inspector in regard to his inspection of the stall, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk communicate with the Owners of the land in question making enquiry whether permission had been granted by them for the erection of the stall on such land, and in the event of a reply being forthcoming that permission had not been granted for the purpose named, that the matter be placed in the hands of the Police.

(b) Report from the Shops Inspector as to the action taken by him in cases where Shopkeepers had failed to comply with the provisions of the Shops Act.
Your Committee approved of the action taken by the Inspector in the matter.

(c) The Clerk submitted draft Order providing for Fruiterers and Greengrocers in the Garden Suburb, Golders Green, and Child's Hill Wards closing their shops for the weekly half-holiday on Thursday at 1 p.m., such draft Order being as follows:—

URBAN DISTRICT OF HENDON.

ORDER UNDER SECTION 4 (6) AND (2) EXTENDING THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 4 TO EXEMPTED SHOPS AND FIXING THE DAY OF THE WEEKLY HALF-HOLIDAY.

THE URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL OF HENDON, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by the Shops Act, 1912, and after due compliance with its provisions, do hereby order as follows:—

- (1) This Order may be cited as the Hendon Shops Order (No. 3), and applies to all shops in the Garden Suburb, Golders Green, and Child's Hill Wards of the Urban District of Hendon, in which the sale by retail of Fruit or Vegetables is carried on, and the provisions of Section 4 of the said Act shall extend to the shops above mentioned.
- (2) All shops to which this Order applies shall be closed for the weekly Half-Holiday on Thursday at 1 p.m. throughout the year.

Provided that any shopkeeper may substitute Saturday for Thursday on affixing a notice to that effect in his shop.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That such Half-Holiday Order in the above form be now made, and that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed thereto, and further, that the Order be duly advertised.

(d) Letter from the Secretary of the Early Closing Association transmitting copy of resolution passed at the annual meeting of the Association relative to the Early Closing of Shops.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

12.—GREATER LONDON: Letter from the Urban District Council of Hampton transmitting a copy of the following resolution passed by them protesting against the proposals of the London County Council to extend their area:—

"That this Council protests strongly against any proposal for the extension of the area or control of the London County Council, inasmuch as the proposal will involve an increase in the financial burden of the districts concerned without compensating advantage to those districts, and will transfer to other districts the responsibility for debts incurred by those Local Authorities whose affairs have in the past been mismanaged or conducted without regard for economy; moreover, any increased standard of efficiency that may be called for from time to time in the essential services of the districts can be effected as well, and far more economically, by the present plan of local control with supervision and co-ordination by the Departments of State."

They requested the Council to pass a resolution in similar terms, and to forward copies thereof to the Prime Minister, the Minister of Health, the Member of Parliament for the Division, and the County Council of the District.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council support the action taken by the Urban District Council of Hampton on the lines suggested by them.

13.—INCREASED REPRESENTATION: Letter from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council, in reply, in reference to the renewed application of the Council for increased representation on the County Council, from which it appeared that in order to comply with the Standing Orders of the County Council it would be necessary for notice of motion to be given, bearing the signatures of nine members, in addition to the mover, in order that the matter might be again considered, and thus obviate the necessity of a period of 12 months elapsing before further action could be taken in the matter.

Report from the Clerk that upon receipt from the County Council of the communication referred to, he transmitted a copy thereof to the two local representatives on the County Council, asking them to give the question consideration.

Your Committee approved the action taken by the Clerk in connection with the matter, and await further developments in regard thereto.

14.—BASTARDY BILL: Letter from the Secretary of the National Council for the Unmarried Mother and her Child in reference to the provisions of the Bastardy Bill.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

15.—UNEMPLOYMENT: Letter from the Hon. Secretary of the Wood Green Unemployment Relief Committee transmitting copy of the following resolution passed by the Committee relative to Unemployment Relief granted by Poor Law Authorities:—

"RESOLVED:—(a) That this Committee, being satisfied from their experience during the past six months, in dealing with applications for assistance from persons who are out of employment (owing to trade depression or other circumstances over which they have no control) that great hardships are suffered by individuals who are endeavouring to subsist on inadequate relief at the present time, in consequence of the stringent regulations which govern the granting of out-relief to unemployed cases by the Guardians, strongly urge the Minister of Health to give his earnest consideration to the question of varying the regulations referred to therein, with a view to more adequate relief being granted to necessitous cases, and respectfully suggest that, with this end in view the Minister of Health confer on all Poor Law Authorities throughout Great Britain discretionary powers relative to the deduction or otherwise from the total amount of relief granted in accordance with the scale authorised by the existing Regulations of any income or pecuniary assistance from whatever source within reasonable limits; (b) that copies of this resolution be forwarded to the Prime Minister, the Minister of Health, the Member of Parliament for the Wood Green Division, and to other Local Unemployment Relief Committees in the Administrative County of Middlesex."

Your Committee have no recommendation to make in regard thereto.

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16.—**NETHER COURT:** Letter from Mr. J. Ward in further reference to the disposal of the Nether Court Estate to the Council.

Your Committee received a report from the Clerk in regard to the matter, and after due consideration thereof

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk make enquiry of Mr. Ward as to the lowest figure he would accept for the disposal of the Estate in question.

17.—**COSTS:** The Clerk submitted various Bills of Costs received from Messrs. Bevir and Son in connection with work executed by them.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That such Bills of costs be submitted for taxation in the usual way.

Report of Highways Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 9th day of May, 1921. Present: Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Egan, Glanville, Hare, Page, Reynolds, Taylor and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—**CHAIRMAN:** Mr. Councillor Hare was unanimously re-elected Chairman of the Committee for the ensuing year.

2.—**GOLDERS GREEN ROAD:**

(A) Letter from the Clerk to the Middlesex County Council transmitting a copy of the following resolution adopted by the County Council relative to the widening works in Golders Green Road, between Golders Manor Drive and the boundary of the Brent County Bridge approach:—

“That an intimation be given to the Hendon Urban District Council that the County Council will be prepared to contribute to the District Council such a sum, not exceeding £430, as shall represent a moiety of the cost of widening Golders Green (Main) Road, Hendon, between the Golders Manor Drive and the boundary of the Brent County Bridge approach, subject:—

- (A) To the work being carried out to the satisfaction of the County Engineer and Surveyor, and in accordance with a plan and specification approved by him;
- (B) To the capital or other expenditure of the District Council in connection with the work being audited by the County Engineer and Surveyor; and
- (C) To the remainder of the cost of the work being borne, or otherwise provided for, by the District Council.”

The County Council desired to be informed whether the terms of such resolution were acceptable to the Council.

After due consideration of the matter your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the terms of the resolution transmitted by the Middlesex County Council be approved, and that an intimation be forwarded to the County Council accordingly.

(B) Letter from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council in further reference to the application of the Acme Paving Company for an increased payment beyond their contract price for the maintenance of the wood paving in the Golders Green Road.

The Council will remember that an intimation was received from the County Council that they would approve of sums not exceeding 1s. 7½d. per square yard per annum, being charged in the main road accounts of the Council for the two years ending 31st October, 1921, in respect of the maintenance of the wood paving in Golders Green Road, the effect of such decision being to increase the contribution of the County Council by the sum of 2d. per square yard per annum.

In view of the fact that the Acme Paving Company sought to obtain an increase of 5d. per square yard for the maintenance work referred to, the Council considered that an endeavour should be made to prevail upon the County Council to increase their contribution. This was accordingly done when the representatives of the Council interviewed the Light Railways Committee of the County Council in regard to the Edgware Road Tramway Track, and a letter was also subsequently transmitted upon the subject.

The County Council now intimated that they were not prepared to reconsider the matter at the present time.

After further consideration thereof, and a report from the Surveyor in regard thereto, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor negotiate with the Acme Paving Company in connection with the proposed increased charges for the maintenance of the wood paving work in Golders Green Road in accordance with the communication from the County Council.

3.—**LIGHTING:** Letter from Mrs. A. Hawkes suggesting improvement in the lighting facilities in West Heath Avenue.

Report from the Surveyor as to the lighting of the lamps in the Golders Green area.

After due consideration of such report, your Committee are of opinion that no grounds for complaint exist in the lighting facilities provided in West Heath Avenue in normal times. They

RECOMMEND—That Mrs. Hawkes be referred to the restrictions placed on public lighting at the present time owing to the continuance of the Coal Strike.

4.—WOODVILLE GARDENS: Letter from Mr. C. Malley in connection with the proposal to carry out permanent works in Woodville Gardens, Golders Green, and suggesting that the same should be deferred for the present.

In view of the fact that the required notices under Section 150 of the Public Health Act, 1875, have been served, and that the application for sanction to the necessary loan to enable the work to be carried out is now before the Ministry of Health, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Malley be informed that the Council regret they are unable to vary the decision arrived at to carry out permanent works in Woodville Gardens.

5.—COLINDEEP LANE: Letter from Mr. W. C. Garrard (Hon. Secretary of the Colindale and District Ratepayers' Association) in regard to the alleged dangerous bend in the road at Colindeep Lane by "The Chestnuts."

The Association suggested that the existing footpath outside Messrs. Everett Edgcombe's premises should be continued, to link up with the footpath outside the houses lower down the road, and that in so doing the portion of the road outside "The Chestnuts" should be widened by acquiring a strip of land forming part of this property.

After careful consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Colindale Ratepayers' Association be informed that the Council cannot see their way to carry out the proposal suggested by them at the present time.

6.—MILL HILL: Letter from Mr. R. M. Thomas (Secretary of the Mill Hill Branch of the Middle Classes Union) as to the danger from motor traffic to pedestrians passing under the Midland Railway Arch at Mill Hill, owing to the road being narrow at this point, and suggesting, in view of the present-day motor traffic, that steps should be taken to endeavour to secure the adoption of a speed limit of 12 miles an hour for motorists when approaching this point; and also while passing through Mill Hill.

Reference was made to the question of asking the Automobile Association to supply the necessary warning notices for exhibition in the neighbourhood of the Midland Railway Arch at Mill Hill, and thus minimise the danger from motor traffic at this point, but your Committee were informed that such notices were already in existence.

After careful consideration of the communication from the Middle Classes Union, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That they be informed of the unsuccessful attempts made by the Council to obtain speed limits in the past in other more congested parts of the district, and that the Council regret they are unable to take steps to endeavour to obtain the speed limit suggested by them at Mill Hill.

7.—CHURCH HILL: Letter from Mr. W. C. Garrard, on behalf of the Colindale and District Ratepayers' Association, suggesting the provision of a footpath at the top of Church End Hill to link up with the existing footpath terminating in the proximity of the centre of the hill, and thus widening the road at the top of Church End Hill.

Your Committee gave careful consideration to the matter, together with a report from the Surveyor in regard thereto, and

RECOMMEND—That the Colindale Ratepayers' Association be informed that the carrying out of their proposition would involve the acquisition of certain property, and in view of the expense which would be involved in so doing, the Council regret they are unable to entertain the same at the present time.

8.—PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS:

(A) DERSINGHAM ROAD: Report from the Surveyor as to the receipt of a petition from certain property owners in Dersingham Road requesting that the road should be made up and taken over by the Council. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor prepare plans and estimates for fully making up Dersingham Road under Section 150 of the Public Health Act, 1875.

(B) THE VALE: The Surveyor submitted a letter from Mr. E. Streather suggesting on behalf of himself and other property owners, that The Vale should be made up and taken over by the Council.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a communication be addressed to the owners of property in the road, making enquiry whether they were in favour of permanent works being carried out therein, and that the Surveyor prepare the necessary plans and estimates for the fully making up of the road under Section 150 of the Public Health Act, 1875.

(c) The Surveyor submitted estimates for the making up of the following private streets:—

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| Wentworth Road, estimated cost | ... | ... | £4,865. |
| St. George's Road, ditto | ... | ... | £5,035. |
| Templars Avenue, ditto | ... | ... | £1,694. |
| Highcroft Gardens, ditto | ... | ... | £3,970. |

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That such estimates be approved, and that in due course notices be served upon the owners of property in the roads mentioned under Section 150 of the Public Health Act, 1875.

(d) The Surveyor submitted an apportionment of the cost of making up Highfield Avenue, such apportionment amounting to the sum of £4,331 6s. 4d. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That such apportionment be approved, and that the necessary notices of apportionment of the expenses incurred in the making up of the road be served upon the owners of property therein in due course.

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9.—ROAD TARRING:

(A) BRIDGE LANE: Report from the Surveyor as to applications he had received from residents in Bridge Lane in regard to the tarring of the road. He stated that Bridge Lane was included in the season's tar spraying programme, and that the work would be carried out as soon as conditions would permit. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor inform the applicants accordingly.

(B) QUEEN'S ROAD: The Surveyor reported that he had received an application from the Rev. Rufus Jones for tar painting work to be carried out in Queen's Road.

After due consideration of the matter, and a report from the Surveyor in regard thereto, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Rev. Rufus Jones be informed that the Council regret they are unable to undertake the work of tar painting in Queen's Road at present.

10.—ROAD WATERING: Report from the Surveyor that he had received a notice from the Metropolitan Water Board intimating that in view of the existing coal strike it was desirable to discontinue the use of water for road watering, it would therefore not be possible to water any of the roads in the district until the conclusion of the strike.

In view of the circumstances rendering it desirable to discontinue road watering for the time being, your Committee reluctantly

RECOMMEND the Council to agree to the proposal.

11.—THE RIDGEWAY, GOLDERS GREEN: Report from the Surveyor in regard to the triangular plots of land at the junction of The Ridgeway and Armitage Road.

He had received a letter from Messrs. Cluttons intimating that one of their lessees who was in possession of a house at the junction of the roads in question suggested that the triangular plot should be included in his lease, and that he should be allowed to include the same in the front garden of his property.

After careful consideration of the matter, and the report from the Surveyor in regard thereto, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor negotiate with Messrs. Cluttons in connection with the whole of the plots in question with a view to their being included in the lease of their lessees' property.

12.—NAME PLATES: Report from the Surveyor as to the desirability of fixing name plates in the following new roads in the district:—

- Golders Manor Drive,
- Heather Gardens,
- Sinclair Grove,
- Brentmead Place.

Reference was also made to the question of fixing a name plate at Devonshire Place, Child's Hill.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That name plates be fixed in the above-mentioned cases.

13.—METROPOLITAN WATER BOARD TRACK: The Surveyor submitted a letter from the Chief Engineer of the Metropolitan Water Board in reference to the proposal that the Water Board's track on the Garden Suburb should be used as a public footpath for the convenience of residents, from which it appeared that the Water Board were unable to accede to the request.

The Council will remember that the question arose on a communication received from Mr. E. F. Errington, on behalf of the Hampstead Garden Suburb Residents' Association, requesting the Council in their opposition to the Metropolitan Water Board (Various Powers) Bill to endeavour to prevail upon the Board to agree to the proposal.

In view of the reply received by the Council from the Water Board, Mr. Councillor Reynolds stated that he would take the matter up with the Garden Suburb Residents' Association with a view, if possible, to further action being taken in regard thereto.

Your Committee have noted the contents of the communication from the Metropolitan Water Board.

14.—TREES IN HOOP LANE: Report from the Surveyor in regard to an application he had received from Mr. B. L. Young asking for certain trees to be removed in Hoop Lane in order to give access to the new houses erected by him.

It appeared from such report that it would only be necessary to remove one of the trees in question and in the remaining cases the trees could be lopped by Mr. Young if necessary. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Young be informed accordingly.

15.—SHIREHALL LANE WIDENING: The Surveyor submitted a letter from the Eastern and Associated Telegraph Companies in connection with the fence to be erected along the land dedicated by them at Shirehall Lane, and intimating that they required a close boarded fence to be erected and not one of chestnut pales. In view of the terms of the agreement, and the expense which would be incurred in erecting fencing

of the character required by the Company, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk inform the Eastern and Associated Telegraph Companies that the Council adhere to the terms of the agreement referred to.

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AT A MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 23rd day of May, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
 " " T. F. Fenn,
 " " W. L. Glanville,
 " " F. W. Hearn,
 " " C. W. Hill,
 Councillor The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan,
 Mr. Councillor T. Page,
 " " A. Roberts,
 " " A. J. Reynolds,
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 " " R. M. Weeks,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant),
 Dr. T. S. McIntosh (Medical Officer of Health).

MINUTES: The Minutes of the Annual Meeting of the Council held on the 18th day of April, 1921, and of the Special Meetings held on the 25th day of April and the 2nd day of May, 1921, were submitted for confirmation. Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Page, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Minutes be confirmed.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE: The Finance Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 9th inst. (Agenda page 10). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

The following is a list of the accounts for payment referred to on page 11 of the report of the Finance Committee:—

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| Accessories Manufacturing Co. | Duplicating Paper | 3 | 2 | 6 |
| Anglo-American Oil Co., Ltd. | Oil | 3 | 13 | 4 |
| Atlas Stone Co., Ltd. | Paving Slabs | 36 | 14 | 5 |
| Aveling and Porter, Ltd. | Gauge Glasses | 6 | 8 | 2 |
| Bailey, T. J. | Meat | 24 | 2 | 5 |
| Bailey, W. H. and Son, Ltd. | Medical requisites | 0 | 17 | 9 |
| Barker, J. and Co., Ltd. | Canvas | 2 | 4 | 3 |
| Barrs and Co. | Stationery | 30 | 0 | 7 |
| Batchelor, J. and Son | Forage and Bread | 90 | 7 | 4 |
| Beattie, J. H. and Co., Ltd. | Coal | 46 | 2 | 8 |
| Bonner, T. and Son | Sweeping Chimneys | 1 | 4 | 0 |
| Brampton Lawn Tennis Club (per F. H. Brown) | Refund—Hire of Rooms | 0 | 12 | 6 |
| British Petroleum Co., Ltd. | Petrol | 15 | 17 | 4 |
| Camberwell Research Laboratories | Diagnosis fees | 9 | 6 | 0 |
| Carbonic Acid Gas Co. | Refilling cylinders | 0 | 13 | 6 |
| Cherry, C. | Hired team labour | 37 | 19 | 2 |
| Clee Hill Granite Co., Ltd. | Granite | 290 | 7 | 6 |
| Colne Valley Water Co. | Water | 9 | 12 | 1 |
| Constable Hart and Co., Ltd. | Granite screenings | 5 | 10 | 10 |
| Contract Journal Co., Ltd. | Advertisements | 0 | 17 | 6 |
| Cook Bros. | Fish | 15 | 9 | 6 |
| Cooper, Taber and Co., Ltd. | Seeds | 0 | 7 | 6 |
| Crisp and Hodgson | Sundries | 4 | 3 | 0 |
| Dobbins, J. T., Ltd. | Cloths | 2 | 5 | 0 |
| Duguid, J. L. and Co. | Polish | 1 | 3 | 4 |
| Dunhills, Ltd. | Smock | 1 | 5 | 6 |
| Durrant, A. H. | Greengrocery | 12 | 4 | 0 |
| Edwards, P. and A. | Turning roller pins | 2 | 6 | 0 |
| Etherington, E. | Cloth | 8 | 11 | 6 |
| Farmiloe, T. and W., Ltd. | Paint | 4 | 7 | 6 |
| Fattorini and Sons, Ltd. | Medal | 1 | 15 | 0 |
| Frost, C. H. | Wood | 3 | 10 | 8 |
| Gas Light and Coke Co. | Gas and Repairs | 44 | 5 | 3 |
| Gibb, J. and Co., Ltd. | Sundry castings | 278 | 2 | 0 |
| Goddard, Walker and Brown, Ltd. | Account books | 15 | 16 | 0 |
| Hall, J. and Sons, Ltd. | Paint | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Harrison and Sons, Ltd. | Letter paper | 6 | 0 | 6 |

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| Harrison Press, Ltd. | ... | 44 | 0 3 |
| Harrow and Stanmore Gas Co. | ... | 43 | 10 0 |
| Hatch, G., Ltd. | ... | 4 | 15 9 |
| Hayllar, W. | ... | 0 | 7 3 |
| Hendon and Golders Green Motor School and Garage | ... | 0 | 15 0 |
| Hendon Electric Supply Co., Ltd. | ... | 54 | 15 2 |
| Hill, A. J. | ... | 35 | 0 3 |
| Hill, B. | ... | 6 | 5 4 |
| H.M. Stationery Office | ... | 0 | 17 5 |
| Hunt, H. and Son | ... | 3 | 10 0 |
| Justices Gore Division (per Accountant's Account) | ... | 1 | 0 6 |
| Kado, Ltd. | ... | 0 | 15 0 |
| Knight, C. and Co., Ltd. | ... | 24 | 5 5 |
| Lawes Bros., Ltd. | ... | 5 | 10 0 |
| Lightfoot, P. | ... | 0 | 10 6 |
| Line, J. and Sons, Ltd. | ... | 0 | 10 6 |
| Lion Typewriter Supplies Co., Ltd. | ... | 9 | 10 6 |
| London Telephone Service | ... | 5 | 7 6 |
| Marshall, W. and Son, Ltd. | ... | 0 | 2 6 |
| Matthews, A. | ... | 6 | 7 0 |
| Matthews, J. | ... | 1 | 17 9 |
| Metcalfe, F. L. | ... | 8 | 4 1 |
| Metropolitan Police (per The Receiver) | ... | 0 | 18 0 |
| Metropolitan Water Board | ... | 0 | 3 6 |
| Middlesex District Councils' Association | ... | 75 | 4 3 |
| Middleton Bros. | ... | 3 | 3 0 |
| Midland Railway Co. | ... | 3 | 0 0 |
| Mono Service Containers, Ltd. | ... | 0 | 10 9 0 |
| Mosers, Ltd. | ... | 10 | 9 0 |
| Mountsorrell Granite Co., Ltd. | ... | 3 | 12 7 |
| Newman, H. (per Accountant's Account) | ... | 8 | 6 7 |
| North British Rubber Co., Ltd. | ... | 68 | 15 2 |
| North London Ballast and Sand Co. | ... | 4 | 10 0 |
| Norton and Gregory, Ltd. | ... | 36 | 0 0 |
| North Middlesex Gas Co. | ... | 23 | 7 4 |
| Odell, C., Ltd. | ... | 1 | 3 3 |
| Overed, J. E. | ... | 1305 | 9 8 |
| Page, C. H. | ... | 5 | 10 6 |
| Pendleton and Co. | ... | 9 | 9 0 |
| Poeock Bros. | ... | 5 | 17 11 |
| Poor Law and Local Government Officers' Mutual Guarantee Association, Ltd. | ... | 0 | 13 3 |
| Prices Co., Ltd. | ... | 11 | 12 0 |
| Pruden, A. | ... | 57 | 4 6 |
| Puddefoot, T. | ... | 4 | 18 9 |
| Railway Passengers Assurance Co. | ... | 66 | 3 0 |
| Ramsbotham, G. | ... | 39 | 19 8 |
| Rates Department | ... | 2 | 0 0 |
| Raymond, A. G. | ... | 0 | 19 6 |
| Read Manufacturing Co. (London), Ltd. | ... | 521 | 12 8 |
| Returning Officer | ... | | sheets 1 5 10 |
| Rising Sun Polishes, Ltd. | ... | 4 | 12 6 |
| Roads and Public Works, Ltd. | ... | 188 | 19 7 |
| Robarts, A. W. | ... | 3 | 3 9 |
| Ronuk, Ltd. | ... | 73 | 7 1 |
| Rowland, T. | ... | 16 | 7 4 |
| Rowley, T. (Junr.) | ... | 2 | 5 6 |
| Sankey, J. H. and Son, Ltd. | ... | 3 | 12 0 |
| Sawford, R. | ... | 16 | 4 0 |
| St. Bride's Press, Ltd. | ... | 0 | 5 4 |
| Sayers, S. P. | ... | 6 | 13 6 |
| Scientific Press, Ltd. | ... | 1 | 8 6 |
| Shaw and Sons | ... | 9 | 1 1 |
| Shell Mex, Ltd. | ... | 0 | 13 0 |
| Shemmonds, J. O. | ... | 3 | 7 6 |
| Shields, J. G. | ... | 3 | 13 4 |
| Spence P. and Sons, Ltd. | ... | 0 | 4 0 |
| Stevens and Carter, Ltd. | ... | 22 | 16 5 |
| Stone and Colquhoun | ... | 43 | 10 5 |
| Straker Squire, Ltd. | ... | 5 | 8 0 |
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| Swire and Sons | ... | 2 | 0 4 |
| Taylor, A. E. | ... | 4 | 15 0 |
| Tollitt and Harvey, Ltd. | ... | 8 | 15 0 |
| Tooley, T. T. | ... | 3 | 13 10 |
| Tottenham District Light Heat and Power Co. | ... | 0 | 10 0 |
| Tout, W. | ... | 14 | 10 0 |
| Tygack and Sons | ... | | |
| Unite, John, Ltd. | ... | 33 | 2 6 |
| Virol Research Laboratories | ... | 8 | 15 0 |
| Waitrose, Ltd. | ... | 4 | 11 6 |
| Warden and Co., Ltd. | ... | 8 | 5 0 |
| Whittacker and Sons | ... | 12 | 13 0 |
| Woodrow, A. C. | ... | 15 | 9 2 |
| Woodstock Stores | ... | 66 | 19 4 |
| Wragg, T. and Sons, Ltd. | ... | 1 | 5 0 |
| Stationery | ... | 4 | 15 0 |
| Gas and maintenance | ... | 10 | 2 4 |
| Stocks and dies | ... | 56 | 12 8 |
| Papers | ... | | |
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| Repairs—telephone | ... | | |
| Broom shafts | ... | | |
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| Scythe Blades, etc. | ... | | |
| Tarpaulin | ... | | |
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| West Surrey Central Dairy Co., Ltd. | ... | ... | ... |
| Brice, R. J. | ... | ... | ... |
| Burrell, C. | ... | ... | ... |
| Express Dairy Co., Ltd. | ... | ... | ... |
| Grosch, H. | ... | ... | ... |
| Hawkins, E. | ... | ... | ... |
| Humphreys, R. | ... | ... | ... |
| Richards, J. Ltd. | ... | ... | ... |
| Welford and Sons | ... | ... | ... |
| Chief Officer | ... | ... | ... |
| Maternity Nurse (Mrs. Bascom) | ... | ... | ... |
| Maternity Nurse (Mrs. Hunt) | ... | ... | ... |
| Matron | ... | ... | ... |
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| Surveyor | ... | ... | ... |
| Sundry persons per Accountant | ... | ... | ... |
| Chief Officer per Accountant's Account | ... | ... | ... |
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| Ecclesiastical Commissioners | ... | ... | ... |
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| Newcastle-upon-Tyne Savings Bank | ... | ... | ... |
| Refuge Assurance Co., Ltd. | ... | ... | ... |
| Justices' fees | ... | ... | ... |
| Accountant | ... | ... | ... |
| Middlesex County Council per Accountant's | ... | ... | ... |
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| Accountant | ... | ... | ... |
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| Sundry officers | ... | ... | ... |
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Capital Accounts—

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| Metropolitan Water Board | ... | ... | ... |
| Ministry of Health | ... | ... | ... |
| Sankey, J. H. and Son, Ltd. | ... | ... | ... |
| Stone and Colquhoun | ... | ... | ... |
| Giddy, E. | ... | ... | ... |
| Cliffe Hill Granite Co., Ltd. | ... | ... | ... |
| Builder, Ltd. | ... | ... | ... |
| Contract Journal Co., Ltd. | ... | ... | ... |
| St. Bride's Press, Ltd. | ... | ... | ... |
| Oldacres and Co. | ... | ... | ... |
| Adams, Thomas | ... | ... | ... |
| Roads and Public Works, Ltd. | ... | ... | ... |
| Farrow, H. | ... | ... | ... |
| Rowley, Thomas | ... | ... | ... |

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| Glaxo | ... | ... | £ | s. | d. |
| Drugs, etc. | ... | ... | 27 | 8 | 0 |
| Vinol | ... | ... | 3 | 9 | 7 |
| Dried milk | ... | ... | 4 | 17 | 6 |
| Milk | ... | ... | 32 | 8 | 0 |
| Milk | ... | ... | 4 | 5 | 8 |
| Milk | ... | ... | 3 | 17 | 7 |
| Milk | ... | ... | 64 | 10 | 11 |
| Milk | ... | ... | 1 | 17 | 4 |
| Milk | ... | ... | 3 | 8 | 10 |
| Milk | ... | ... | 0 | 12 | 10 |
| Milk | ... | ... | 53 | 18 | 1 |
| Milk | ... | ... | 1 | 19 | 10 |
| Petty cash | ... | ... | 11 | 10 | 8 |
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| Petty cash | ... | ... | 2 | 4 | 1 |
| Petty cash | ... | ... | 2 | 18 | 1 |
| Petty cash | ... | ... | 1 | 13 | 8 |
| Petty cash, advance | ... | ... | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Petty cash | ... | ... | 7 | 15 | 6 |
| Allotment compensations | ... | ... | 1 | 2 | 6 |
| Fire drills | ... | ... | 36 | 19 | 11 |
| P.W. Deposits refund | ... | ... | 16 | 8 | 5 |
| Rate refunds | ... | ... | 55 | 5 | 1 |
| Loan repayments | ... | ... | 69 | 5 | 6 |
| Loan repayments | ... | ... | 334 | 7 | 1 |
| Loan repayments | ... | ... | 36 | 8 | 4 |
| Loan repayments | ... | ... | 81 | 14 | 10 |
| Loan repayments | ... | ... | 209 | 13 | 9 |
| ... | ... | ... | 0 | 17 | 0 |
| Wages | ... | ... | 2575 | 0 | 7 |
| Duty—Ford van | ... | ... | 16 | 0 | 0 |
| Petty cash | ... | ... | 60 | 14 | 9 |
| Petty cash | ... | ... | 92 | 11 | 8 |
| Overtime on Ambulance | ... | ... | 6 | 7 | 6 |
| Salaries—May | ... | ... | 1160 | 11 | 6 |
| Insurance stamps | ... | ... | 5 | 8 | 10 |

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| Fire hydrant repairs | ... | ... | 75 | 11 | 1 |
| Materials | ... | ... | 962 | 6 | 5 |
| Cement, etc. | ... | ... | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| Tracings | ... | ... | 9 | 2 | 4 |
| Hardcore | ... | ... | 6 | 8 | 0 |
| Granite | ... | ... | 260 | 4 | 2 |
| Advertisement | ... | ... | 1 | 19 | 0 |
| Advertisement | ... | ... | 3 | 3 | 4 |
| Advertisement | ... | ... | 2 | 6 | 6 |
| Tracings | ... | ... | 8 | 12 | 10 |
| Private Street Works | ... | ... | 1618 | 0 | 0 |
| Sewer extension, Colindeep | ... | ... | 259 | 0 | 7 |
| Brent Hill Housing— | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Roads and Sewers | ... | ... | 1380 | 0 | 0 |
| Hired steam roller | ... | ... | 27 | 0 | 0 |

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HOUSING BONDS: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 14 of the report of the Committee relative to Housing Bonds, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Sturgess,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That an additional Housing Bond, viz.: No. 4 for £300 be transferred from the Workers' Union Approved Society to the Ministry of Health, and that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to a new bond in the name of the Minister of Health.

HENDON PARK BOWLING GREEN: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 15 of the report of the Committee relative to the charge proposed to be made for use of the Bowling Green in the Hendon Park, Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Councillor The Rev. Dr. Macgowan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the matter be further considered by the Council in Committee this evening.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF WORKS COMMITTEE: The Works Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 25th ultimo (Agenda page 14).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

HENDON PARK: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 4 (c) of the report of the Committee in regard to adopting similar rates and charges, for the use of the Bowling Green in the Hendon Park, to those in force in the pleasure grounds of the Willesden Urban District Council. Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the question of adopting a scale of charges for the use of the Bowling Green in question be further considered by the Council in Committee this evening.

COUNCIL'S STABLES: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 10 (A) of the report of the Committee relative to the proposal to sell three of the horses at the Stables unsuitable for the Council's Work. Mr. Councillor Sturgess moved:—That the horses in question be shot. Councillor Miss Hodge seconded the motion. Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 5, viz:—Councillors Sturgess, Miss Hodge, Miss Growse, Taylor, and Wise, and against the motion 12, viz:—Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Cartwright, Glanville, Hearn, Hill, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Page, Reynolds, Roberts, Soar, Teare, and Weeks.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE: The Public Health Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 25th ulto. (Agenda page 20).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 13 (c) of the report of the Committee in regard to the terms of the draft agreement with the Middlesex County Council for the attendance of Kingsbury Residents at the West Hendon Maternity Centre, and to the suggestion of the County Council that special books of accounts should be kept in regard to the supply of Dried Milk and Virol to residents from the Kingsbury district.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the decision of the Committee be approved, subject to the addition of the words "Unless the Middlesex County Council is prepared to meet the additional cost involved in carrying out their suggestion."

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF TOWN PLANNING COMMITTEE: The Town Planning Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 2nd inst (Agenda page 22). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

SUNNY HILL FIELD: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 7 of the report of the Committee relative to the acquisition of Sunny Hill Field as a pleasure ground,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the following words be added after the word "easement" in the second line of the recommendation of the Committee: "and other conditions in the Surveyor's report."

OPEN SPACE—GOLDERS GREEN: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 9 of the report of the Committee in regard to the provision of an Open Space at Golders Green, Mr. Councillor Sturgess moved as an amendment:—

"That the decision of the Committee requesting the Surveyor to make enquiry as to the possibility of securing suitable land for the purpose referred to, be deleted, and that in substitution thereof be inserted: 'Your Committee have no recommendation to make in regard to this matter.'"

Mr. Councillor Cartwright seconded the amendment.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 10, viz.: Councillors Sturgess, Mrs. Bannister, Miss Hodge, Cartwright, Fenn, Hill, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Taylor, Teare, and Weeks; and against the amendment 5, viz.: Councillors Glanville, Page, Reynolds Soar, and Wise.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be carried.

Mr. Councillor Hearn thereupon moved:—

"That the words 'at present' be added to the amendment."

Mr. Councillor Reynolds seconded the motion.

It was pointed out, however, that the amendment as it now stood would not preclude any member from bringing the question forward again at some future date, and the motion was therefore withdrawn.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Page,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HOUSING COMMITTEE: The Housing Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 2nd inst. (Agenda page 24). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HOUSING SUB-COMMITTEE: The Housing Sub-Committee submitted a report as to applicants they had interviewed for tenancy of the houses at Child's Hill and Park Road.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such report be considered by the Council in Committee this evening.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE RE BRENT HILL FARM SCHEME: The Special Committee appointed re Brent Hill Farm Scheme submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 18th inst.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be considered by the Council in Committee this evening.

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REPORT OF FIRE BRIGADE COMMITTEE: The Fire Brigade Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 2nd inst. (Agenda page 28). Upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Mr. Councillor Fenn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Mr. Councillor Fenn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE: The General Purposes Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 9th inst. (Agenda page 30). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

HOARDING, KINGSBURY ROAD: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 6 of the report of the Committee relative to the hoarding at the junction of Kingsbury Road and Edgware Road, reference was made to the hoarding at The Burroughs, adjacent to the site of the War Memorial.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the question of this hoarding be considered by the Works Committee on Monday next.

HYDE PLEASURE GROUND: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 7 of the report of the Committee in regard to the proposal for setting aside a portion of the land, recently acquired from the Ecclesiastical Commissioners at The Hyde, as a temporary playing field, Mr. Councillor Teare moved:—

“That the portion of land referred to be used temporarily as a playing field until such time as the same is required for other purposes, and that the Chairman of the Council be asked to formally open the same for the purpose of a playing field at the earliest possible date.”

Mr. Councillor Weeks seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting, the Chairman declared the same to be carried, Mr. Councillor Wise only dissenting.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE: The Highways Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 9th inst. (Agenda page 33). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

MILL HILL: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 6 of the report of the Committee relative to the question of taking steps to secure the adoption of a speed limit in the neighbourhood of the Midland Railway Arch at Mill Hill, Mr. Councillor Hill moved as an amendment:—

“That this Council make the necessary representation to the Middlesex County Council with a view to obtaining a speed limit at the point referred to.”

Mr. Councillor Cartwright seconded the amendment.

Upon the amendment being submitted to the meeting, the Chairman declared the same to be carried *nem. con.*

PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 8 (B) of the report of the Committee in regard to the proposal to carry out permanent works in The Vale, Golders Green, Mr. Councillor Reynolds moved:—

“That the matter be referred back to the Committee for further consideration.”

Mr. Councillor Sturgess seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting, the Chairman declared the same to be carried *nem. con.*

ROAD TARRING: Upon the consideration of paragraph No. 9 upon this subject, the Surveyor stated that the materials now being procurable, the work in Queen's Road could be carried out. It was decided to agree to the Surveyor's suggestion.

NAME PLATES: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 12 of the report of the Committee in regard to the fixing of name plates in certain roads in the district, reference was made to the desirability of fixing a name plate at Ebenezer Road, Child's Hill, and Colindale Avenue, Hendon.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Surveyor submit a report in regard to the matter.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Sturgess,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF REQUISITIONS COMMITTEE: The Requisitions Committee submitted the following report of a meeting held this evening:—

Report of Requisitions Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall this evening. Present: Mr. Councillor Egan (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Cartwright, Hill, Reynolds, Roberts, and Teare.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor and the Chief Officer of the Fire Brigade submitted requisitions of goods required, and your Committee

RECOMMEND approval of same.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

CORRESPONDENCE: The Clerk reported the receipt of letters as detailed in his report book. Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be referred to the respective Committees for consideration in the usual way.

DOCUMENTS FOR SEALING: The Clerk submitted the following documents for sealing by the Council:—

- Odell, Chas., Ltd.—Contract for the execution of Printing Work for the Education Committee.
- Williams Bros., Direct Supply Stores, Ltd.—Contract for supply of Cleaning Materials to the Education Committee.
- Mittell, C. C., and others—Agreement as to variation in rates of maintenance of Golders Green Road (four parts).
- Hendon Electric Supply Co. Ltd.—Contract for Electrical Installation, Brent Hill Farm Housing Scheme. Duplicate.
- Express Dairy Co., Ltd.—Contract for the supply of Milk and Eggs to the Isolation Hospital.
- Finch, James—Contract for Hot Water Installation, Brent Hill Farm Housing Scheme.
- Waitrose, Ltd.—Contract for the supply of Groceries to the Isolation Hospital.
- West Hendon Ex-Service Men's Club, Ltd.—Lease of land (counter-part), Edgware Road.
- Fraser, J. and Weedon, A.—Agreement as to construction of Cesspool, etc.
- Shaw and Sons—Contract for the supply of Stationery.
- The Read Manufacturing Co. (London), Ltd.—Ditto.
- Stillman, H.—Contract for the supply of Shingle and Hoggin.
- The Cliffe Hill Granite Co., Ltd.—Contract for supply of Granite.
- Harris, A. J.—Contract for removal of Dust and House Refuse (Mill Hill Ward).
- Oliver Typewriter Co., Ltd.—Contract for the supply of Stationery.
- The Harrison Press, Ltd.—Ditto.
- Adolph Knuttell—Contract for the supply of Gravel, Shingle, etc.
- Stillman, H.—Contract for the Cartage of Materials.
- Gibb, J. and Co.—Contract for the supply of Castings.
- Constable, Hart and Co.—Contract for the supply of Tar Macadam.
- Jeyes Sanitary Compounds Co., Ltd.—Contract for the supply of Disinfectants.
- Odell, C. Ltd.—Contract for the execution of Printing Work.
- Cherry, Chas.—Contract for the Cartage of Materials.
- Cherry, Chas.—Contract for Emptying Cesspools.
- Mountsorrel Granite Co., Ltd.—Contract for the supply of Granite.
- Warden, J. H. and Co., Ltd.—Contract for the execution of Printing Work.
- The Harrison Press, Ltd.—Ditto.
- Two Petrol Licences as per Fire Brigade Committee Report (Agenda, Page 28).
- One Game Licence as per General Purposes Committee Report (Agenda, Page 31).
- Three Housing Bonds and two transfers of Bonds as per Housing Bond Register.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to such documents.

TOWN PLANNING: Report from the Clerk as to a communication which had been received from the Clerk to the Urban District Council of Willesden intimating that they were proceeding with a Town Planning Scheme for the northern portion of the Urban District of Willesden, and, further, that it had been decided to invite adjoining local authorities to attend a Conference which it was proposed to hold on the 10th prox. to discuss the matter, and inviting the Council to appoint representatives to attend such conference.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Chairman of the Council, and the Chairman of the Town Planning Committee, together with the Surveyor, attend the Conference on behalf of the Council.

GAS REGULATION ACT: Report from the Clerk that the North Middlesex Gas Company had given notice of their application to the Board of Trade for a Special Order with the object of conferring further powers upon the Company, and pointing out that if the Council desired to object to the application it would be necessary to lodge such objection before the 8th prox.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the matter be referred to the Accountant with instructions to submit a report in regard thereon.

BITTACY VIEW—MILL HILL: Report from the Clerk that the Conveyance of Bittacy View had been sealed by the Vendors, and the completion could proceed on payment of the purchase money.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That a Pay Order for the sum of £4,500 be issued in respect of the purchase money referred to.

HIRE OF ROOMS: Report from the Clerk as to an interview with the Controller of the Performing Right Society in regard to the notice transmitted by the Society as to the use of the Town Hall for entertainments where copyright works might be performed.

In view of the fact that the Finance Committee have had this matter under consideration,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be further considered by that Committee at their next meeting.

ELECTRIC LIGHT CABLE: Report from the Surveyor as to an application he had received from the Hendon Electric Supply Company to lay an underground cable in Renters Avenue and Park Road, Hendon, in connection with the Brent Hill Farm Housing Scheme.

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After due consideration of the matter, and the report from the Surveyor in regard thereto,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the application to lay the underground cable in Park Road be approved, but the Company be informed that the Council were unable to approve same as far as Renters Avenue is concerned, in view of the fact that this was a private road over which they had no jurisdiction at present.

TAR-SPRAYING MACHINE: Report from the Surveyor that the Phoenix Engineering Company, Limited, had delivered the Tar-Spraying Machine, and that the same was now in use. He submitted an account for the Machine in question amounting to the sum of £168.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hearn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the account be passed for payment.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE MINUTES: The Minutes of the proceedings of the Hendon Education Committee at a meeting held on the 22nd March, 1921, having been circulated amongst the Members of the Council, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such minutes be received.

IN COMMITTEE.

HENDON PUBLIC PARK—BOWLING GREEN: Report from the Surveyor as to the use which was made of the Bowling Greens in the Hendon Public Park, from which it appeared that one Bowling Green would meet present needs, the second Bowling Green could, with advantage, be utilized as a further Tennis Court, for which there was a great demand.

After due consideration of the matter, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Bowling Greens in the Hendon Public Park be reduced from two to one in accordance with the Surveyor's Report.

Consideration was given to the question of fixing a charge for the use of the Bowling Green in question, and after some discussion in connection with the matter,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the charge be fixed at 6d. per player per hour.

Reference was made to the condition of the Cricket Pitches in the Hendon Public Park and Child's Hill Recreation Ground, and it was decided to leave the matter in the hands of the Surveyor to improve the condition of the same.

REPORT OF HOUSING SUB-COMMITTEE: The Housing Sub-Committee submitted the following report as to applicants they had interviewed for tenancy of the houses at Child's Hill and Park Road.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received

REPORT OF HOUSING SUB-COMMITTEE.

The Housing Sub-Committee, consisting of Councillors Roberts and Cartwright, beg to report that they have interviewed further applicants, and recommend the following 8 applicants as suitable tenants for the class of house specified:—

CHILD'S HILL—

Living Room and 3 Bedrooms.

| Appln. No. | Name. | Service H.M. Forces. | Children. | Total in family. | Present Accommodation. |
|------------|-----------------|----------------------|-----------|------------------|------------------------------|
| 84 | J. W. Sanders | ... | 2 | 4 | 2 rooms |
| 218 | E. E. Betsworth | ... 4 years | 1 | 3 | 1 bedroom and use of kitchen |
| 1095 | J. Hook | ... 3½ years | 2 | 4 | bedroom and use of kitchen |
| 1247 | F. V. Williams | ... 5 years | 2 | 4 | 1 room |

Parlour, Living Room and 3 Bedrooms.

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| 66 | C. A. Howes | ... 4 years | 4 | 6 | 2 bedrooms and living room |
| 117 | F. T. Hobday | ... 6 months | 4 | 6 | 3 rooms |
| 225 | B. Gurr | ... 5 years | 4 | 6 | 2 rooms |
| 863 | J. T. Staddon | ... 4 years | 1 | 3 | bed-sitting room |
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| 72 | W. Roberts | ... | 3½ years | 2 | 4 | 3 rooms |
| 486 | H. Spencer | ... | 4 years | 2 | 4 | 1 room |

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| Recommended for houses | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8 |
| Recommended for transfer | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 |
| No appearance | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 |
| Total called for interview | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12 |

BRENT HILL—

Your Sub-Committee recommend the following 28 applicants as suitable tenants for the class of house specified:—

Living Room and 3 Bedrooms.

| Appln. No. | Name. | Service H.M. Forces. | Children. | Total in family. | Present Accommodation. |
|------------|-----------------|----------------------|-----------|------------------|--|
| 113 | H. E. Wells | ... 2 years | 2 | 4 | 2 bedrooms and kitchen. Must vacate—wanted by employer |
| 211 | A. Wishart | ... 4 years | 1 | 3 | 1 room and use of kitchen |
| 383 | T. J. Seares | ... over age | 8 | 10 | 3 bedrooms and kitchen |
| 390 | J. E. Dodd | ... 3½ years | 3 | 5 | 1 room |
| 401 | J. Wills | ... 4 years | 3 | 5 | bedroom and living room |
| 420 | H. G. Lancaster | ... 3 years | 2 | 4 | bedroom and living room |
| 442 | P. G. Clark | ... 4 years | 1 | 3 | 1 room and use of kitchen |
| 489 | C. H. Proctor | ... 1½ years | 2 | 4 | 1 bedroom |
| 697 | J. Bridges | ... 4 years | 6 | 8 | 5 rooms |
| 706 | G. A. Gibbs | ... 4 years | 1 | 3 | bedroom and kitchen |
| 728 | H. C. Scotcher | ... 3 years | 2 | 4 | 2 rooms |
| 962 | Mrs. Moss | ... Widow | 3 | 4 | staying with parents |
| 1030 | H. T. Nichols | ... 4 years | 1 | 3 | bedroom and part kitchen |
| 1062 | G. W. Brew | ... 5 years | 1 | 3 | 1 room |
| 1105 | H. Mudge | ... 17 years | 2 | 4 | 2 rooms |
| 1147 | F. Brown | ... over age | 6 | 8 | 2 bedrooms and kitchen |
| 1279 | A. F. C. Levett | ... 3 years | 5 | 6 | 3 rooms |
| 1297 | F. C. Thomas | ... 3 months unfit | 4 | 6 | 2 rooms |

Parlour, Living Room and 3 Bedrooms.

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| 155 | J. F. Starnes | ... 1½ years | 2 | 4 | bedroom and kitchen |
| 161 | J. H. Skull | ... 3 years | 3 | 5 | bedroom, parlour, kitchen |
| 371 | H. C. Whetstone | ... over age | 3 | 5 | bedroom and living room |
| 753 | F. Chowne | ... Police | 5 | 7 | bedroom, living room and kitchen |
| 1118 | E. Strugnell | ... over age | 4 | 6 | 2 bedrooms, living room and kitchen |
| 1189 | C. E. Kemp | ... 4½ years | 5 | 7 | 2 bedrooms, living room and kitchen |

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| 632 | A. Howes | ... | 2½ years | 2 | 4 | bedroom and living room |
| 739 | C. S. Windsor | ... | unfit | 5 | 7 | under order of Court to quit |
| 997 | J. Grundy | ... | 2 years | 1 | 3 | lodgings |
| 1102 | E. R. Glass | ... | 2 years | 1 | 3 | 2 rooms |
| | | | 28 houses | 84 | 138 | |

SUMMARY.

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| Recommended for houses | ... | ... | ... | ... | 28 |
| No appearances | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8 |
| Cannot recommend | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 |
| Applications withdrawn | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10 |
| Total called for interview | ... | ... | ... | ... | 47 |

TRANSFERS TO LARGER TYPE.

Applicant 294 (A. Parrot) and applicant 706 (G. A. Gibbs) have each applied (since interview) for a parlour, living room and 3 bedroom type of house, and your Sub-Committee see no objection to these requests being acceded to.

GENERALLY.

Further applicants have been selected for interview on an early date, including 5 of your present tenants in the original Cloister Road houses.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Housing Sub-Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE *re* BRENT HILL FARM SCHEME: The Special Committee *re* Brent Hill Farm Scheme submitted the following report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 18th inst.:-

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE *re* BRENT HILL FARM SCHEME.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Wednesday, the 18th day of May, 1921. Present: Councillor Roberts (Presiding), and Councillor Egan, together with the Architect.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

That Mr. F. W. Fryer and Major R. G. Fryer, of the Improved Concrete Construction Company, Limited, attended the meeting to discuss the terms upon which the Brent Hill Farm Scheme could be so modified as to enable the Council to allow Mr. Smith to retain possession of some portion of the Farm Lands. Your Committee are informed that this would mean the omission of 66 houses.

The representatives of the Company explained that in tendering for the scheme their price was based upon the assumption that the whole of the 244 houses would be completed, moreover, they had purchased the whole of the casements necessary for the completion of the job, and in addition had purchased cisterns and ironmongery in connection therewith at a total cost of £2,170. The Company would expect in the event of the scheme being reduced, to be paid for loss of profit at the rate of from 10 per cent. to 12 per cent. on the omitted portion. The rate of 10 per cent. would only be agreed subject to the matter being settled within a reasonable time. The Company expressed their desire to complete the scheme as originally settled.

Your Committee cannot recommend the Council to entertain these terms.

After careful consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED—That the Officers of the Council interview Mr. Smith with the object of arriving at terms for the settlement of the claim made by him for compensation, if possible. Further, that the particulars of the position be placed before the Ministry of Health by the Officers with the object of ascertaining their views as to the settlement of the claim or a possible modification of the Housing Scheme.

BRENT HILL FARM SCHEME—BANK OF EARTH: Consideration was given to the question of the removal of the surplus earth along the frontage of the houses in Park Road, which it was suggested by the Surveyor to the Housing Committee might be undertaken by Mr. Farrow, and the matter reported to the London Housing Board with a view to the same being charged as an extra to the contract for the construction of roads and sewers, subject to the price required by Mr. Farrow for the work being reasonable.

After further consideration of the matter, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Surveyor have authority to carry out the work.

BITTACY HILL: Report from the Surveyor asking for authority to issue the necessary advertisement inviting tenders for the erection of the houses in connection with the scheme at Bittacy Hill.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the issue of the necessary advertisement be proceeded with.

TAR-SPRAYING MACHINE: The Accountant submitted a Pay Order for the sum of £168 in favour of the Phoenix Engineering Co. in payment of their account for the supply of the Tar-Spraying Machine recently purchased by the Council.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Fenn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Pay Order be approved, and a cheque drawn for the amount named therein.

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The Clerk read the

BRENT HILL HOUSING to the interview with Housing Scheme at Brent Hill, and to carry out the same as to his claim.

It appeared that the tenant, Mr. Smith, had a claim for approximately three acres in

Mr. Councillor R.

"That the Surveyor have authority to issue the necessary advertisement in their report.

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"That the Surveyor be subject to the approval of the Council.

Mr. Councillor F.

Upon the amendment proposed by Mr. Hill, Hearn, Sturges, Miss Growse, Mrs. F.

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The motion was carried by a majority of 10 votes, viz.:—Councillors C.

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UNEMPLOYMENT: That the Council should be taken in connection with

It will be remembered that the purpose of providing employment is to be expended, and the Council should be providing further work.

Upon the motion

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Council be subject to the approval of the Council as to the

Minutes.

AT A SPECIAL MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon (in Committee), held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 13th day of June, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
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 " " A. Roberts,
 " " A. J. Reynolds,
 " " J. H. Sturgess,
 " " A. B. Soar,
 " " W. Taylor,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " R. M. Weeks,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant).

The Clerk read the notice convening the meeting.

BRENT HILL HOUSING SCHEME: That they gave consideration to the report from the Officers in reference to the interview with the Officials of the Ministry of Health regarding a suggestion for modifying the Housing Scheme at Brent Hill Farm by omitting a portion of land approximately 12 acres in extent, or alternatively to carry out the scheme as originally proposed, and also as to their interview with Mr. W. J. Smith as to his claim for unexhausted values.

It appeared that in the event of the abandonment of a portion of the Housing Scheme, which would affect 74 houses. In the event of the Council deciding to continue the Housing Scheme in its entirety the tenant, Mr. Smith, would be left with the Farm House and Buildings covering an area of land approximately three acres in extent.

Mr. Councillor Roberts moved:—

“That the Council complete the Housing Scheme as originally proposed, and that the Officers have authority to complete the settlement with Mr. Smith in accordance with the basis referred to in their report on Scheme 2.”

Councillor Miss Growse seconded the motion.

Mr. Councillor Hearn moved, as an amendment:—

“That the Council adopt the alternative suggestion, and delete 74 houses from the Scheme, subject to satisfactory arrangements as to compensation, etc., being made, and subject to the approval of the Ministry of Health.”

Mr. Councillor Hill seconded the amendment.

Upon the amendment being put to the meeting there voted for it eight, viz.:—Councillors Cartwright, Hill, Hearn, Sturgess, Reynolds, Hare, Page, and Mrs. Hargraves; and against it 10, viz.:—Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Miss Hodge, Teare, Soar, Weeks, Taylor, Fenn, Glanville and Roberts.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be not carried.

The motion was then put to the meeting, and there voted for it 10, viz.:—Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Miss Hodge, Taylor, Weeks, Soar, Teare, Fenn, Glanville and Roberts; and against it seven, viz.:—Councillors Cartwright, Hill, Hearn, Reynolds, Mrs. Hargraves, Hare, and Page.

The Chairman declared the motion to be carried.

UNEMPLOYMENT: That they received a report from the Chairman of the Council in reference to the action taken in connection with unemployment in Hendon.

It will be remembered that the Council have from time to time voted various sums to be used for the purpose of providing work for unemployed workmen. The sums provided by the Council have been almost expended, and the Chairman made enquiry as to what steps the Council proposed to take in the future as to providing further work for the unemployed.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Fenn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That a sum of £500 be allotted for the provision of work for unemployed, subject to a report from the Surveyor at the meeting of the Council on Monday evening next as to the specific work upon which the money would be expended.

HOUSING—BRENT HILL: Letter from Mr. G. Hornblower, in reply, in reference to the roofing tiles and also as to the deletion of the dividing walls. Report was also made that he had succeeded in his negotiations with the Metropolitan Water Board, and the Board would not press for cisterns of the increased capacity to be provided. This would mean a saving of approximately £980.

The Council duly noted this report.

Reference was also made by Mr. Hornblower as to the need of providing assistance to Mr. Hughes, the Clerk of Works.

The Architect reported that with the number of houses now in course of construction, the time of the Clerk of Works was very fully occupied, and he also pointed out that he superintended the construction of the roads and sewers in addition.

The Council decided to defer this matter for a report from the Engineer on Monday evening next as to providing further assistance.

PARLIAMENTARY BILLS:

(A) Metropolitan Water Board (Various Powers) Bill: Letter from Messrs. E. Bevir and Son reporting that as the result of the Council's opposition to this Bill the Council had been successful in obtaining clauses inserted in the Bill. Your Committee approved of the action taken in regard to this matter.

(B) Metropolitan Water Board (Charges) Bill: Letter from Messrs. Bevir and Son reporting as to the position in regard to The Metropolitan Water Board (Charges) Bill.

In regard to this Bill, certain Local Authorities who were non-contributory Authorities were opposing the Bill strongly, and they desired Hendon to join in their opposition. A suggestion had been made that the expenses consequent upon the engagement of Counsel should be shared equally between the Authorities concerned.

Having regard to the importance of the Bill in question, the Council consider that the same should be opposed, and upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Council join with the other non-contributory Authorities, and that the expenses in connection with such opposition be shared as suggested.

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16th June, 1921.

DEAR SIR, or MADAM,

I beg to inform you that a Meeting of the Urban District Council of Hendon will be held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday next, the 20th day of June, 1921, at 6.15 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of transacting the following business, namely:—

Agenda:

1. To confirm Minutes of previous Meetings.
2. Questions.
3. Report of Finance Committee.
4. Report of Works and Sewage Disposal Committee.
5. Report of Public Health Committee.
6. Report of Town Planning Committee.
7. Report of Housing Committee.
8. Report of Staff Committee.
9. Reports of Fire Brigade Committee.
10. Report of General Purposes Committee.
11. Report of Highways Committee.
12. Report of Requisitions Committee.
13. Report of Clerk.
14. Report of Surveyor.
15. Education Committee (Minutes).

I am, Dear Sir or Madam,

Yours faithfully,

HENRY HUMPHRIS,

Clerk to the Council.

Pensions Committee, at 6 p.m.

The Requisitions Committee, consisting of the Chairmen of the Standing Committees, to follow.

Report of Finance Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 13th day of June, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Cartwright (Chairman), Councillors Miss Hodge, Mrs. Hargraves, Fenn, Hearn, Roberts, Soar, Sturgess, Teare and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, ETC.: Your Committee have examined the Treasurer's Pass Book and Cash Books, and report that the total receipts from all sources since the last meeting amounted to the sum of £17,446 10s. 2d., making a total of £45,081 18s. 6d. for the current financial year.

INCOME.

| Description. | Amounts | | Total. |
|---|----------------------|---------------|------------|
| | previously Reported. | now Reported. | |
| Rateable Accounts— | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Hendon Recreation Ground | 2 4 2 | 42 12 2 | 44 16 4 |
| Sewage Farm Rents, etc. | 21 10 0 | 9 7 6 | 30 17 6 |
| Sanitary Department, Disinfecting, etc. ... | 1 1 0 | 2 15 6 | 3 16 6 |
| Burroughs House, rent, etc. | 5 0 0 | 2 14 0 | 7 14 0 |
| Maternity Centres and Midwifery | 17 8 0 | 34 0 9 | 51 8 9 |
| Refuse Collection and Dust Shoot | | | |
| Permits | 5 10 0 | 1 17 6 | 7 7 6 |
| Fire Brigade, expenses, etc., recovered | 0 4 0 | 71 3 11 | 71 7 11 |
| Motor Ambulance, fees, etc. | 11 10 0 | 1 15 0 | 13 5 0 |
| Highways and Main Roads | 6 9 6 | 37 14 4 | 44 3 10 |
| Street Lighting, damages recovered | 0 15 0 | 0 11 9 | 1 6 9 |
| Lyons and Harvists Trust Fund | | 365 18 8 | 365 18 8 |
| Salaries Account, fees, etc. | 9 7 1 | 101 15 5 | 111 2 6 |
| Public Offices, lettings, etc. | 41 5 10 | 15 8 6 | 56 14 4 |
| Establishment and Legal Expenses | 30 13 9 | 96 2 10 | 126 16 7 |
| Building Certificates | 9 9 0 | 19 19 0 | 29 8 0 |
| Interest and Dividends | 42 10 0 | 160 7 6 | 202 17 6 |
| Workmen's compensation | 3 15 10 | 5 10 10 | 9 6 8 |
| General District Rates and Costs | 4021 15 11 | 15478 14 3 | 19500 10 2 |
| | £4230 9 1 | 16448 9 5 | 20678 18 6 |
| Suspense Accounts— | | | |
| National Kitchens | 20 0 0 | | 20 0 0 |
| Allotments | 40 9 5 | 16 11 6 | 57 0 11 |
| Lands Cultivation Orders | 7 2 0 | 2 10 10 | 9 12 10 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 1, Rents | 142 9 3 | 142 6 2 | 284 15 5 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 2, Rents | 4 13 4 | 57 18 7 | 62 11 11 |
| Key Deposits, Child's Hill Housing | | | |
| No. 2 | 1 5 0 | 3 5 0 | 4 10 0 |
| Private Works | 83 13 8 | 460 3 1 | 543 16 9 |
| Tender Deposits | 21 0 0 | 68 5 0 | 89 5 0 |
| Wages—Unemployment Fund | | 187 15 3 | 187 15 3 |
| Private Improvements | 156 6 7 | 16 5 2 | 172 11 9 |
| Land, West Hendon, rent | 3 0 0 | | 3 0 0 |
| Brent Hill Housing, rents | | 29 10 2 | 29 10 2 |
| Ditto, ditto, key deposits | | 3 10 0 | 3 10 0 |
| | £479 19 3 | 988 0 9 | 1468 0 0 |
| Capital Accounts— | | | |
| Loans—General | 15535 0 0 | | 15535 0 0 |
| Loans—Housing | 7100 0 0 | | 7100 0 0 |
| Housing Bonds | 290 0 0 | 10 0 0 | 300 0 0 |
| | £22925 0 0 | 10 0 0 | 22935 0 0 |

SUMMARY OF INCOME TO DATE.

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| Rateable Accounts | 4230 9 1 | 16448 9 5 | 20678 18 6 |
| Suspense Accounts | 479 19 3 | 988 0 9 | 1468 0 0 |
| Capital Accounts | 22925 0 0 | 10 0 0 | 22935 0 0 |
| | £27635 8 4 | 17446 10 2 | 45081 18 6 |

2.—RATE COLLECTION: They have also examined the Statement as to the rate collection, and find that there has been collected and paid to the Treasurer since the last meeting the sum of £15478 4s. 3d. on account of rates, and 10s. 0d. on account of costs.

3.—STATEMENT
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3.—STATEMENT OF BALANCES: They have also examined the Cash Book and Statement of Treasurer's Balances, which they found correct, and report that the total balance in hand amounted to £88,594 3s. 1d.

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BANK ACCOUNTS.

| | Revenue Account. | Sinking Fund. | Loans Account. | Housing Subsidized Account. | Total. |
|--|------------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Balance in hand 5th May, 1921 ... | 9572 6 11 | 10 0 5 | | 99767 3 8 | 109349 11 0 |
| Receipts per Statement to 7th June, 1921 ... | 17436 10 2 | | | | |
| Balance overdrawn at 7th June, 1921 ... | | | 14091 8 11 | 10 0 0 | 17446 10 2 |
| | £27008 17 1 | £10 0 5 | 14091 8 11 | 99777 3 8 | 140887 10 1 |

CREDITS—

| | Revenue Account. | Sinking Fund. | Loans Account. | Housing Subsidized Account. | Total. |
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| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Balance overdrawn at 5th May, 1921 ... | | | 12068 16 7 | | 12068 16 7 |
| Cheques per lists to 6th June, 1921 ... | 9802 4 10 | | 2022 12 4 | 14308 4 4 | 26133 1 6 |
| Balance in hand 7th June, 1921 ... | 17206 12 3 | 10 0 5 | | 85468 19 4 | 102685 12 0 |
| | £27008 17 1 | £10 0 5 | 14091 8 11 | 99777 3 8 | 140887 10 1 |

4.—ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT: They have also considered the various accounts submitted for payment amounting to the sum of £19667 12s. 3d., and

RECOMMEND—That the same be passed and cheques drawn for the various amounts.

5.—EXPENDITURE JOURNALS, GENERAL AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS: That they have examined these Journals, and

RECOMMEND—That the Personal Accounts in the Ledger be credited, and the various Impersonal Accounts debited with the amounts of the Invoices, as per the following Statement showing outlay to date:—

EXPENDITURE.

| Approved Estimate. | Account Chargeable. | Payments previously Reported. | Amounts now Reported. | Total. |
|--------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|
| | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| | 1920-1921 Liabilities ... | 228225 18 6 | 718 12 5 | 228944 10 11 |

RATEABLE ACCOUNTS—

| £ | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
|-------|--|-----------|------------|------------|
| 12916 | Main Roads ... | | 281 8 11 | 281 8 11 |
| 5636 | Highways ... | 8 12 3 | 496 4 2 | 504 16 5 |
| 2347 | Tarpainting ... | 68 15 2 | 1090 4 5 | 1158 19 7 |
| 250 | Dust and Refuse Removal ... | | 16 2 0 | 16 2 0 |
| 350 | Emptying Cesspools ... | | 88 0 0 | 88 0 0 |
| 670 | Mill Hill Dusting ... | | | |
| 12280 | Public Lighting ... | 2 19 3 | 81 18 3 | 84 17 6 |
| 140 | Sewers Maintenance ... | | 7 16 0 | 7 16 0 |
| 544 | Pumping Stations ... | 30 2 6 | 6 14 8 | 36 17 2 |
| 832 | Outfall Works ... | 92 6 10 | 65 10 0 | 157 16 10 |
| 440 | Sanitation, etc. ... | 21 7 0 | 38 19 10 | 60 6 10 |
| 1291 | Isolation Hospital ... | 57 17 7 | 178 15 8 | 236 13 3 |
| 1414 | Joint Smallpox Hospital ... | | 555 4 11 | 555 4 11 |
| 162 | Maternity Centres ... | 14 0 10 | 9 0 9 | 23 1 7 |
| 950 | Maternity Stock and Milk ... | 70 7 2 | 25 1 6 | 95 8 8 |
| 300 | Day Nursery Grants ... | 75 0 0 | 75 0 0 | 150 0 0 |
| 20 | Mortuary ... | | 5 16 0 | 5 16 0 |
| 1335 | Fire Brigade ... | 107 2 1 | 30 3 5 | 137 5 6 |
| 87 | Accident Ambulance ... | | 2 0 4 | 2 0 4 |
| 186 | Pleasure Grounds, Street Trees, etc. ... | 5 11 1 | 24 17 6 | 30 8 7 |
| 1297 | Town Hall ... | 103 5 6 | 32 7 3 | 135 12 9 |
| 170 | Burroughs House ... | 14 10 0 | 8 15 0 | 23 5 0 |
| 300 | Legal, etc., Expenses ... | 28 17 1 | | 28 17 1 |
| 200 | Establishment Expenses ... | 14 11 0 | 20 2 6 | 34 13 6 |
| 1100 | Printing, Stationery, Insurances, etc. ... | 327 9 0 | 82 7 0 | 409 16 0 |
| 150 | Election Expenses ... | 192 2 7 | 1 0 0 | 193 2 7 |
| 18604 | Loan Charges ... | 920 9 6 | 1040 16 4 | 1961 5 10 |
| 2100 | Subsidised Housing—Amount of 1d. Rate ... | 292 11 2 | 1611 14 10 | 1904 6 0 |
| 14351 | Salaries ... | 2326 6 8 | 1278 4 7 | 3604 11 3 |
| 26541 | Wages ... | 2992 16 4 | 3608 7 8 | 6601 4 0 |
| 3110 | Stables ... | 112 17 4 | 160 8 6 | 273 5 10 |
| 1616 | Stores ... | 12 13 10 | 268 10 6 | 281 4 4 |
| 45 | Public Depots ... | 10 6 3 | 6 1 0 | 16 7 3 |
| 1080 | Steam Wagons, Maintenance ... | 7 0 | 13 1 1 | 13 8 1 |
| 1028 | Stationery Stock ... | 84 19 3 | 44 19 3 | 129 18 6 |
| 950 | Special Works ... | | | |
| 100 | Drainage Conversions, etc. ... | | | |
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| Allotments | 20 4 11 | 10 6 0 | 30 10 11 |
| Lands Cultivation Orders | | 13 15 1 | 13 15 1 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 1 | 159 19 6 | 6 11 0 | 166 10 6 |
| Overseers' Expenses | 57 14 10 | 3 8 0 | 61 2 10 |
| Food Control | 250 0 0 | | 250 0 0 |
| Kitchens | | 25 0 0 | 25 0 0 |
| Private Works | | 15 8 0 | 15 8 0 |
| District Rate Refunds | | 15 0 | 15 0 |
| Education | | 3 1 0 | 3 1 0 |
| Stables Reserve | | 200 0 0 | 200 0 0 |
| | £487 19 3 | 278 4 1 | 766 3 4 |

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS.

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| 33939 | Child's Hill Housing, No. 2 | 3000 0 0 | 3129 7 2 | 6129 7 2 | | | |
| 211556 | Brent Hill Housing | 17380 0 0 | 10748 8 6 | 28128 8 6 | | | |
| 2533 | Bittacy Hill Housing | 51 17 4 | 21 7 6 | 73 4 10 | | | |
| 35048 | Private Street Improvements | 5125 5 8 | 5780 5 7 | 10905 11 3 | | | |
| 7100 | West Hendon Housing | 7184 3 0 | 19 6 | 7185 2 6 | | | |
| 500 | Colindeep Lane Sewer Extension | 259 0 7 | | 259 0 7 | | | |
| 13735 | Kingsbury Lane Land (Pleasure Grounds) | 14316 8 4 | | 14316 8 4 | | | |
| 1800 | Kingsbury Lane Land (Allotments) | 1665 0 0 | | 1665 0 0 | | | |
| | Edgware Road Reconstruction | 2 5 0 | | 2 5 0 | | | |
| 1977 | Outfall Works Extension | | 22 4 7 | 22 4 7 | | | |
| 3715 | Park Road Widening | | 9 2 5 | 9 2 5 | | | |
| | Temple Fortune Sewer | | 13 5 2 | 13 5 2 | | | |
| | Woodstock Avenue Road Construction | | 1 6 0 | 1 6 0 | | | |
| | | £48983 19 11 | 19726 6 5 | 68710 6 4 | | | |

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS TO DATE.

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| Rateable Accounts | 7996 0 7 | 11247 17 6 | 19243 18 1 |
| Suspense Accounts | 487 19 3 | 278 4 1 | 766 3 4 |
| Capital Accounts | 48983 19 11 | 19726 6 5 | 68710 6 4 |
| | £57467 19 9 | 31252 8 0 | 88720 7 9 |

6.—HOSPITAL SUPPLIES: Reference was made to the question of supplies to the Isolation Hospital, and your Committee have requested the Public Health Committee to take this matter into consideration.

7.—LOAN OF £1,977: Letter from the Ministry of Health transmitting sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the further sum of £1,977 in respect of the extensions of the Sewage Outfall Works. Your Committee are informed that this amount is in respect of the additional sum required for the Sewage Distributors. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the loan be raised in due course.

8.—SANITARY OFFICERS' SALARIES: Letter from the Middlesex County Council intimating that instructions had been received from the Ministry of Health that bonuses to Sanitary Officers would be repayable by the County Council as from the date of the District Councils' resolution, and submitting figures in reference to the Council's claim.

The amount which the County Council suggested would be repayable in the case of the Sanitary Inspector in this district is £228 13s. 4d.

Your Committee have received a report from the Accountant in regard to this matter, and have adjourned the same in order that he might negotiate further with the County Accountant thereon.

9.—HIRE OF ROOMS:

(A) That they gave further consideration to the communication from the Performing Right Society, Ltd., in regard to musical entertainments at the Town Hall, Hendon.

It appeared from the provisions of the Copyright Act, 1911, that copyright is infringed by any person being a proprietor of a place of entertainment, permitting the premises to be used for the performance of a copyright work without the consent of the owner of the copyright.

The Performing Right Society, which comprised Composers, Authors and Publishers of Copyright Works, granted licences to Corporations and District Councils who were in the habit of letting their halls for public entertainments.

Your Committee have received a report from the Clerk in regard to the matter, and as to an interview with the Controller of the Society in regard thereto.

It would appear therefrom that a licence should be taken out in respect of the Town Hall, the cost of which would be 5 per cent. on the receipts from letting the Town Hall for entertainments where music was employed. Your Committee therefore

RECOMMEND—That a licence be taken out in respect of the Town Hall, and that in the cases of musical entertainments an additional 5 per cent. be charged to persons hiring the hall.

(B) Application was received from Mr. A. A. Jayne for the hire of the whole of the rooms on the first floor in November next for a three days' fair on behalf of the Hendon Division Unionist Association, commencing at 3 p.m. each day.

Your Committee have referred the consideration of this application to their next meeting for a further report in regard thereto.

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- 10.—BRENT HILL FARM: Letter from Messrs. Stephenson, Harwood and Tatham in reference to the arrangements as to payments of Architect's Certificates to the Improved Concrete Construction Company, the Contractors for the Brent Hill Scheme.

Your Committee received a report from the Accountant as to the action taken, and approved the same.

11.—PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS:

- (A) WOODVILLE GARDENS: Letter from Messrs. Tucker and Co. in reference to the demand served upon Miss A. K. Cheney in respect of the expenses incurred in connection with the making up of passage from Highfield Avenue to Woodville Gardens, the apportioned amount being £19 15s. 2d.
- Application was made on behalf of Miss Cheney for the payment to be extended over a period of three years. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council assent to this arrangement, and have referred the matter to the Accountant to deal with.

- (B) AGREEMENT FOR PAYMENT OF EXPENSES: Your Committee gave consideration to the question of permitting the Private Improvement Expenses to be extended over a period, and

RECOMMEND—That in cases where application is made to extend payment over a period that the same be referred to the Accountant to arrange the payment of expenses.

- 12.—ENQUIRIES, SEARCH FEE: Reference was made to the numerous enquiries received by the Clerk in respect of property in this district, and your Committee gave consideration to the question of charging a fee for the information furnished in such cases. Your Committee now

RECOMMEND—That in all such cases a fee of 5s. be charged.

- 13.—EMERGENCY FOOD ACCOUNT: That they received a report from the Accountant in reference to the Emergency Food Account, which was commenced on the 14th April and ceased on the 4th June last, as follows:—

| | £ | s. | d. |
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| Amount advanced by Council, 14/4/21 | ... | ... | ... |
| Amount expended | ... | ... | ... |
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The amount of expenditure, viz., £50 2s. 3d., will be recovered from the Board of Trade (Food Department). This sum included an item of £15 in respect of the additional services rendered by the Executive Officer (Mr. S. J. Chapman) throughout the Food Area, which comprised the Urban Districts of Hendon and Kingsbury and the Rural District of Hendon. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That such account be approved and sanction be given to the payment of the allowance to Mr. Chapman.

- 14.—STORAGE ACCOMMODATION: Report from the Accountant as to the need of additional storage accommodation for his Department, and he suggested that a portion of the space in the basement might be allotted for storage purposes.

He also made enquiry as to shelving necessary for the accommodation of books, which he estimated would cost a sum of £10.

Your Committee have referred this matter to their next meeting for a report from the Accountant as to the retention of old books relating to his Department.

- 15.—HOUSING BONDS: Report from the Accountant that the sum of £25,690 had been received up to date in respect of Local Housing Bonds.

- 16.—LOANS—PRIVATE IMPROVEMENTS: That they received a communication from the National Provincial and Union Bank of England upon the subject of private improvement loans.

After careful consideration thereof, your Committee have instructed the Accountant to negotiate with the Bank in regard thereto and submit a further report to their next meeting.

- 17.—REQUISITIONS: The Accountant submitted requisitions of stationery required for various departments, and the same was duly approved.

Report of Works and Sewage Disposal Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 30th day of May, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Roberts (Chairman), Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Cartwright, Egan, Glanville, Hare, Hill, Reynolds, Soar, Sturgess and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—LORD WESTBURY'S ESTATE: Letter from Messrs. Tylee and Co. in further reference to their request to be furnished with information in regard to the dates when steps were taken by the Council in connection with the agreement with Lord Westbury. In view of the decision of the Council at their last meeting that they were unable to supply Messrs. Tylee and Co. with any further particulars beyond those already furnished, and that they had consequently been informed accordingly, your Committee have no further recommendation to make in regard to the matter, and noted the contents of the further communication from Messrs. Tylee and Co.

- 2.—REFUSE SHOOT—WARNER ROAD: The Clerk submitted the draft agreement in connection with the proposed refuse shoot at Warner Road, and referred to certain amendments proposed by Mr. Howkins to be made therein and his suggested additions. After careful consideration of the amendments, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That such amendments be agreed to, and that the draft agreement be now approved.

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- 3.—STATUTORY UNDERTAKINGS: Letter from Messrs. Sherwood and Co. transmitting copy of application made on behalf of the Colne Valley Water Company to the Board of Trade for an Order under the Statutory Undertakings (Temporary Increase of Charges) Act, 1918, providing for the modification of the statutory provisions regulating the charges to be made by the Company for the supply of water, and of any statutory provisions consequential on or supplemental to any such provisions.

Report from the Clerk asking for authority to lodge a formal objection to the application, it being necessary to lodge such objection by the 10th prox.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee authorised the Clerk to lodge the necessary objection to the proposal.

- 4.—HOARDING—THE BURROUGHS. Reference was made to the question of the hoarding at The Burroughs, adjacent to the War Memorial Site, which was referred to your Committee for consideration at the last meeting of the Council.

After careful consideration of the matter, your Committee consider that in view of the increasing motor traffic along the main road, and particularly down Colindeep Lane, that the time has arrived when some improvement should be made in this locality, they therefore instructed the Clerk to negotiate with the owner of the land upon which the hoarding in question is erected.

5.—HYDE PLEASURE GROUND:

- (A) That they gave consideration to the arrangements to be made in connection with the opening of the temporary playing field on the land recently acquired from the Ecclesiastical Commissioners at The Hyde.

The Clerk submitted draft of proposed notice advertising the formal opening of the field in question, by the Chairman of the Council, on a date to be arranged. Consideration was given to the question of fixing a date for the opening day, and it was ultimately decided to arrange for the formal opening to take place on Saturday, the 4th prox., at 4 p.m.

The draft notice prepared by the Clerk was subsequently approved, and instructions were given for copies thereof to be printed and posted in the district, and also for a copy to be inserted in the next issue of the local papers.

Mr. Councillor Teare reported that Mr. Joad, Headmaster of The Hyde School, had offered to arrange for Sports to take place on the opening day. The Committee decided to accept the offer of Mr. Joad, and instructed the Clerk to communicate with him accordingly, and at the same time informing Mr. Joad that the Committee desired that the proposed sports should be for the whole of the children in the West Hendon area.

Reference was made to the question of obtaining apparatus for the recreation of the children making use of the proposed playing field, and the Surveyor was instructed to procure two see-saws and four swings for the purpose.

In regard to securing the services of a Band to play selections on the opening day, the Clerk reported the receipt of a letter from the Hon. Secretary of the Military Band of the Metropolitan Electric Tramways, in which they offered to give a public performance in the Hendon Park without fee. After due consideration of the matter it was decided to request the Band in question to give a performance at the opening of the playing field on Saturday next.

- (B) The Surveyor submitted a letter from the Secretary of the Hendon Education Committee making application for the use of a cricket pitch and a football pitch in the coming season for one afternoon each week in the playing field at The Hyde, for the use of the scholars attending The Hyde School.

It was decided to consider the communication from the Education Committee at a later date.

- 6.—CHILD'S HILL RECREATION GROUND: Report from the Surveyor in regard to the cost of renewing the horizontal bars and parallel bars, also the cost of providing see-saws at the Child's Hill Recreation Ground. After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor renew the existing horizontal and parallel bars, and that one see-saw be provided.

7.—APPLICATIONS TO LAY MAINS:

- (A) Report from the Surveyor as to an application he had received from the Hendon Electric Supply Company to erect a transformer chamber at Highwood Hill, from which it appeared that the erection of the transformer chamber as proposed by the Company would be in advance of the building line. Your Committee therefore

RECOMMEND—That the application be disapproved.

- (B) The Surveyor submitted a plan showing a proposal of the North Middlesex Gas Company to lay a main from their works at Mill Hill to the foot of Bittacy Hill, and thence continued to link up with the existing main in Lawrence Street, with the object of augmenting the gas supply in the vicinity of the Midland Railway Station.

After due consideration of the report of the Surveyor in connection with the proposal your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the same be approved.

8.—HENDON PUBLIC PARK:

- (A) The Surveyor submitted a letter from the Hendon Argyle Football Club asking for permission to use collecting boxes during the progress of their games in the Hendon Public Park, the proceeds obtained by the proposal being in aid of the funds of the club and the Hendon Cottage Hospital.

Your Committee have given consideration to the question, but cannot recommend the Council to entertain the same, as they consider it would form a precedent for other clubs, and in time might become a source of annoyance to persons making use of the Park. They

RECOMMEND—That the Hendon Argyle Football Club be informed accordingly.

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- (B) Report from the Surveyor as to a letter he had received from the Secretary of the Sports Committee of the National Association of Local Government Officers (Hendon Branch) making enquiry whether the Council would grant the Association facilities to book a Tennis Court in the Hendon Park for one or two evenings per week.

In view of the fact that it is not the practice of the Council to take bookings for the Tennis Courts in question, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Association be informed that the standing rules in this direction must be observed.

- 9.—FIRE APPLIANCE BOXES, MILL HILL: Report from the Surveyor as to an application he had received from Mr. Weedon to purchase one of the Fire Appliance Boxes at Mill Hill.

The Council will remember that these Fire Boxes and Appliances were provided for use in case of fires resulting from air raids during the war, and on a previous occasion it was decided on a recommendation of the Fire Brigade Committee to remove the Fire Appliances to the Central Station, and the Boxes to store.

The Surveyor suggested that in view of the offer he had already received to purchase one of the boxes in question, and having regard to the fact that the Council were not likely to require to utilise the whole of the Boxes again, it might be possible to dispose of some of them. Your Committee approved of the suggestion, and

RECOMMEND—That the matter be left in the hands of the Surveyor to obtain the best possible terms for the disposal of the Boxes in question.

- 10.—CONVENIENCE—GOLDERS GREEN STATION: Report from the Surveyor that in accordance with the instructions of the Council he had been in further negotiation with the London Electric Railway Company, and had informed them that the Council were prepared to enter into an agreement for the proposed extension of the lavatories at the Golders Green Station on the lines suggested by them. He had, therefore, suggested to the Company that the agreement should be entered into embodying the arrangements arrived at, but that the work should be deferred to some future date in view of the existing need for economy in expenditure on public works.

A letter had subsequently been received from the Chief Engineer of the Company intimating that they did not favour the idea of an agreement by which the works were to be postponed indefinitely, and unless the Council were prepared to agree that the work should commence within twelve months, no further action should be taken in the matter until such time as the Council desired to have the lavatories constructed. After careful consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the proposal of the London Electric Railway Company be acceded to, and that an agreement be entered into with the Company in accordance with the terms already agreed upon, providing for the commencement of the work within twelve months of the date of entering into such agreement.

- 11.—HORSES: The Surveyor submitted a report in regard to two horses which he had on trial from Mr. Holdford, and which Mr. Holdford was prepared to sell to the Council for the sum of £200. He stated that the horses appeared well suited for the work they would be required to undertake, and he submitted a certificate from the Veterinary Surgeon as to his inspection of the animals in question.

After due consideration of the report of the Surveyor and the Veterinary Surgeon in connection with the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the horses in question be purchased from Mr. Holdford to replace those recently disposed of.

- 12.—REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor submitted a requisition of the goods and materials required in his department, and the same were duly approved.

- 13.—METROPOLITAN WATER BOARD (CHARGES) BILL: The Clerk reported the receipt of a letter from Messrs. E. Bevir and Son as to the suggested opposition to the preamble of the Metropolitan Water Board (Charges) Bill.

Your Committee considered that the suggestions contained in Messrs. Bevir and Son's communication should be adopted, and that the Council reserve their right of appeal to the House of Lords if found desirable. In view of the fact that Messrs. Bevir and Son desired to be informed of the views of the Council without delay, instructions were given to the Clerk to inform them accordingly.

- 14.—METROPOLITAN WATER BOARD (VARIOUS POWERS) BILL. The Clerk reported the receipt of a further letter from Messrs. E. Bevir and Son in regard to the Metropolitan Water Board (Various Powers) Bill, from which it appeared that Messrs. Bevir and Son suggested that if the negotiations could not be concluded satisfactorily in time for opposition in the House of Commons, power should be reserved for the Council to appeal to the House of Lords.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee were of opinion that the suggestion of Messrs. Bevir and Son should be adopted in this case also, and instructions were given for the Clerk to inform them accordingly.

- 15.—ALLOTMENTS CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE:

- (A) The undermentioned representatives of Allotment Associations in the district attended the meeting of your Committee, when the following matters relating to allotments were discussed:—

Miss R. Van-Raalte (Golders Green Association).
 Mr. G. H. Robinson (Central Hendon Association).
 Mr. C. F. Windust (Archfields Allotment Association).
 Mr. E. J. Rutland (Cricklewood Allotment Holders' Association).
 Mr. A. Bacon (Hale District Association).
 Mr. E. Warland (Booth Road Allotment Association).
 Mr. A. Peck (Cool Oak Lane Allotment Association).

- (B) ALLOTMENTS: The Clerk reported the receipt of a circular letter from the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries in reference to certain decisions arrived at by the Ministry with regard to allotments provided under the Cultivation of Lands Orders.

In view of the length of the letter referred to, instructions were given to the Clerk to obtain copies thereof for circulation amongst the members of your Committee, and the Allotments Consultative Committee, in order that the same might be fully considered.

- (c) ALLOTMENTS—MILL HILL: Report from the Surveyor as to his negotiations with the Governors of Mill Hill School as to the possibility of obtaining an entrance, through land belonging to the School Authorities, to the land forming part of the Mylesdown Estate, for which negotiations were proceeding for the purchase of the same for allotments.

He stated that the School Authorities would not entertain a proposal for the sale of any of their land, but they offered to lease a strip of land, with a view to the Council obtaining an entrance to the land on the Mylesdown Estate referred to above, for a period of 21 years, with power to determine such lease at any time in the event of the land being required for building, or for the general purposes of the School. After careful consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor again communicate with the School Authorities, pointing out the scarcity of land suitable for allotment purposes at Mill Hill, and requesting them to give the question further consideration.

Reference was made to other sites at Mill Hill which it was thought might be suitable for allotment purposes, and the Surveyor was requested to negotiate with the owners of such land upon the matter.

- (d) LAND AT CHILD'S HILL: The Surveyor reported that he had interviewed the Ecclesiastical Commissioners with a view to re-opening negotiations for the land adjoining The Vale, which the Council sought to obtain for allotment purposes on a previous occasion. He stated, however, that they were not prepared to re-open negotiations at the present time, as the arrangements for compensation by the Air Ministry for the land taken by them were not yet completed.

Your Committee have duly noted such report, and have requested the Surveyor to further approach the Ecclesiastical Commissioners in connection with the matter when a favourable opportunity presents itself.

- (e) ALLOTMENT—BIRKBECK ESTATE: Report from the Accountant in regard to plot No. 59, Byron Road, held under the Lands Cultivation Orders, from which it appeared that the owner of the land complained that the allotment was not properly cultivated.

After due consideration of the matter, together with a report from the Allotments Inspector as to his inspection of the plot in question, your Committee requested the Clerk to serve the allottee with a notice requiring him to properly cultivate the allotment within fourteen days, failing which he would be required to give up possession of the same.

- (f) DAWS LANE ALLOTMENTS. The Accountant submitted a detailed report in regard to the condition of the plots on the Daws Lane Allotments, from which it appeared that certain of the plots were uncultivated.

Instructions were given for the Clerk to serve the allottees concerned with notice to quit the allotments held by them.

The Accountant also reported in connection with these allotments that certain of the allottees held more than one plot, and consideration was given to the question as to whether such allottees should be required to reduce their holding to one plot.

In view of the circumstances in connection with the matter, it was decided to defer taking action in connection with the same for the present.

- (g) ALLOTMENTS—REAR OF WOODSTOCK AVENUE: The Chairman of the Committee stated that a complaint had been received by him that a motor car, owned by a person residing in Woodstock Avenue, had run over one of the allotments at the rear thereof.

Your Committee gave instructions for the Allotment Inspector to inspect the plot in question, and report thereon.

- (h) ALLOTMENTS—SUNNY GARDENS: Reference was made to the condition of the fence bounding the Sunny Gardens Allotments. After due consideration of this matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor submit an estimate of the cost of carrying out any repairs which might be found necessary to the fence in question, and further, that the Accountant report as to the funds available to meet the cost of such repairs.

- (i) COOL OAK LANE ALLOTMENTS: The Secretary of the Cool Oak Lane Allotment Association reported the following matters relating to the Cool Oak Lane Allotments.

- (j) FENCE: That the fence on the north and west sides of the allotments was in bad condition. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a report be submitted by the Surveyor and Accountant as in the case of the Sunny Gardens Allotments.

The Secretary made enquiry whether the Council would sanction the rounding off of the corners of certain of the allotments to enable barrows, etc., to be taken through the same.

Your Committee have requested the Surveyor to deal with this matter.

- (k) PLOT NO. 142: Reference was made to the condition of Plot No. 142, which was stated by the Secretary to be in a bad condition, and it was suggested that the presence of a tree overhanging the allotment was partly the cause of the condition of the allotment.

Your Committee have requested the Surveyor to inspect the allotment in question, and lop the tree complained of, if possible.

- (l) CHILD'S HILL ALLOTMENTS: Reference was made by the representative of the Cricklewood Allotment Holders' Association to a ditch at Greenfield Gardens Allotments, which it was stated was overflowing, and the holder of Plot No. 242 was consequently suffering in this respect.

It was decided to leave the matter in the hands of the Surveyor to deal with.

- (m) UNCULTIVATED PLOTS. A complaint was made that certain of the permanent allotments at Child's Hill were uncultivated. Your Committee gave instructions for the Allotment Inspector to make an inspection thereof, and submit a report in regard thereto at the next meeting.

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(N) ALLOTMENTS—KINGSBURY ROAD: Report from the Surveyor in regard to the allotments at Kingsbury Road on land recently held by Mr. MacIntyre, but of which the Council were now the Freeholders.

The allotments were held under the Lands Cultivation Orders, and he suggested, in view of the circumstances, that the same should be dealt with as permanent allotments. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the suggestion of the Surveyor be adopted, and that the allottees be now charged a rental of 10s. per annum for their holding.

16.—FOOTPATH—THE HYDE TO COLINDEEP LANE: Reference was made to the danger to persons traversing the footpath between The Hyde and Colindeep Lane owing to the fact that persons making use of the new golf course in the vicinity drove the golf balls over the footpath in question.

Your Committee instructed the Clerk to communicate with the Grahame-White Company calling their attention to the matter, and requesting that steps be taken to obviate the danger in future.

17.—GAS REGULATION ACT, 1920: In accordance with the instructions of the Council at their last meeting, the Accountant submitted a report in regard to the application of the North Middlesex Gas Company to the Board of Trade for a Special Order under the Gas Regulation Act, 1920, with the object of conferring further powers upon the Company.

After careful consideration of the report of the Accountant in regard thereto, your Committee considered that notice of objection should be lodged by the Council to the proposal.

In view of the fact that it was necessary to lodge objections to the application on or before the 8th prox., instructions were given to the Clerk to take the necessary steps in connection with the matter.

Report of Public Health Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on the 30th day of May, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor R. A. B. Teare (Chairman), Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Hodge, Miss Growse, Fenn, Hearn, Page, Taylor and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—CONFERENCE: Letter from the Sanitary Inspectors Association as to the Annual Conference of the Association to be held at Bath in September next, and inviting the Council to appoint representatives thereat.

The Council will recollect that on the last occasion the Sanitary Inspector was authorised to attend, but owing to present conditions, your Committee do not

RECOMMEND the Council to appoint a delegate to attend the Conference this year.

2.—PUBLIC HEALTH (TUBERCULOSIS) REGULATIONS, 1921: Report from the Clerk as to the receipt of Public Health (Tuberculosis) Regulations, 1921, from the Ministry of Health, which amended the Regulations issued in 1912 in certain respects. One important amendment provided that every Medical Officer of Health should from time to time, but not less often than once in every quarter, revise the register by removing from it entries relating to persons who had died, and of persons who had ceased to permanently reside within the District.

This would entail a certain amount of additional work, and your Committee have requested the Medical Officer to report in regard thereto.

3.—MEDICAL SERVICES:

(A) Letter from the Ministry of Health in reference to the allocation of the salary of Dr. T. S. McIntosh, the Medical Officer of Health. The Council will recollect that in the allocation of the salary of the Medical Officer of Health a sum of £200 was included in respect of services in connection with the Council's Maternity and Child Welfare Scheme.

The Ministry now stated that in view of the fact that sanction had been given to the appointment of an Assistant Medical Officer, whose duties would include attendance at the Council's Child Welfare Centres, they would be unable to entertain an apportionment of more than £100 in respect of the Medical Officer's Salary, in connection with Maternity and Child Welfare duties.

Your Committee desire to point out that the Medical Officer of Health performs a good deal of work in connection with the Child Welfare Centres and consider that the apportionment submitted by the Council is reasonable for the whole of the Maternity and Child Welfare Services of the Council. They

RECOMMEND—That renewed application be made to the Ministry for approval of the allocation suggested by the Council.

(B) Letter from the Ministry of Health intimating that the Ministry sanctioned the appointment by the Hendon Urban District Council of Mrs. D. M. Dunlop as Assistant Medical Officer at a salary of £150 per annum in respect of Maternity and Child Welfare Services.

The Council will recollect that one half of the salary of the Assistant Medical Officer is paid by the Hendon Education Committee in respect of School Medical Services and your Committee suggest that in view of the fact that the Assistant Medical Officer will be called upon to carry out other general duties in connection with the Council's Medical Services, that the Ministry should be requested to vary the allocation in the following respects, viz:—That a sum of £100 be charged in respect of the Maternity and Child Welfare Services, and £50 in respect of general work in connection with the Council's Medical Services.

(C) Letter from the Hendon Education Committee intimating that the Committee had agreed to pay a moiety of the salary of Dr. D. M. Dunlop in respect of the time devoted to School Medical Service Work.

- (D) That they received a report from the Medical Officer of Health in reference to the appointment of a successor to Dr. Dunlop who had resigned.

The Council will recollect that Dr. E. M. Leitch, who was one of the selected candidates when Dr. Dunlop was appointed, has been carrying on the duties of the office temporarily since Dr. Dunlop terminated her appointment.

Your Committee have now received a report from the Medical Officer in regard to this matter, and they

RECOMMEND—That Dr. E. M. Leitch be appointed as part-time Assistant Medical Officer with salary at the rate of £300 per annum in accordance with the conditions of appointment prescribed by the Council in December last. That application be made to the Ministry of Health for their approval of such appointment.

- 4.—COMPLAINT: Letter from Mr. G. F. Cocks in reference to a complaint which had been made in reference to his premises at Golders Green.

After consideration of a report from the Inspector upon the matter your Committee came to the conclusion that the matter was not one with which the Public Health Department was concerned, as no nuisance had been found to exist on the premises.

In regard to Mr. Cock's request to be furnished with the name of the complainant your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Cocks be informed that it was not the practice of the Council to furnish particulars of the nature required by him.

- 5.—VITAL STATISTICS: Report from the Medical Officer of Health that for the past five weeks the death rate of the District was 12.97 per 1000, and the birth rate 19.23 per 1000.

- 6.—ISOLATION HOSPITAL: A report was received as to cases under treatment of the Isolation Hospital and duly noted.

Your Committee had under consideration the advisability of a telephone being installed at the residence of the Medical Officer of Health in order that communication may be established at any time when the Medical Officer might be required urgently at the Isolation Hospital.

Your Committee are informed that some difficulty might be experienced in securing an exchange line at the present time, but consider that it would be possible to arrange for a private line from the Isolation Hospital to the residence of the Medical Officer. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor and Medical Officer report upon the matter to the next meeting of the Committee.

- 7.—BEDDING DESTROYED: Report from the Medical Officer of Health as to certain mattresses which had been destroyed owing to the same being incapable of being satisfactorily disinfected. He asked for the authority of the Council to compensate the owner. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council contribute the sum of £3 towards the cost of mattresses to replace those destroyed.

- 8.—DAIRY FARM: Report from the Medical Officer of Health as to further inspections of certain Dairy Farms in the District, and he stated that a great improvement in their general condition had been effected. Your Committee have duly noted this report.

- 9.—BURROUGHS FARM: The Committee had under consideration the question of the Closing Order which had been made by the Council in respect of Burroughs Farm, and one of the residents at the premises attended the Committee in regard to the matter.

After careful consideration of the representation and the report of the Medical Officer, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That application be made to the Magistrates for an Ejectment Order in respect of the persons who were still resident in the premises.

- 10.—2, HENDON PARK VILLAS: Your Committee gave further consideration to the circumstances relative to 2, Hendon Park Villas in respect of which a Closing Order had been made. Mr. Clayton, the tenant of the premises attended in regard to the matter and after consideration of the circumstances your Committee instructed the Medical Officer to submit a further report upon the matter at the next meeting.

- 11.—PUBLIC ABBATOIR: Report from the Medical Officer of Health as to an enquiry received from the Medical Officer of Health for the Urban District of Finchley as to whether the Council would be prepared to consider the question of establishing a Public Abbatoir for Local Authorities in the North London Area. The suggestion has received careful consideration by your Committee, and whilst they are in favour of the establishment of Public ABBATOIRS generally, they are of opinion that in view of the present position, and especially having regard to the recent communication from the Ministry of Health, upon the subject of economising in new works, the present time is inopportune to take any steps in the manner suggested. They

RECOMMEND—That a communication be addressed to the Medical Officer of Health for the Urban District of Finchley accordingly.

- 12.—DRAINAGE AND INSPECTION WORK: That they received a report from the Sanitary Inspector with summary of inspection work carried out since the last meeting of the Committee, also as to the drains of certain premises which had been tested.

Your Committee have duly noted such report.

- 13.—SANITARY CERTIFICATES: That they received a report from the Sanitary Inspector as to applications which had been received for the issue of certificates under Section 2 of the Increase of Rent and Mortgage Interest (Restrictions) Act, 1920.

After careful consideration of the report of the Inspector upon the applications your Committee gave authority for the issue of certificates in respect of the following premises:—

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14.—STATUTORY NOTICES: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to the following cases in which he asked for authority to serve Statutory Notices:—

- 81, Elmcroft Crescent.
- 16, Yew Grove.
- 12, Belle Vue Terrace.
- 53, Elmcroft Crescent.
- 61, Elmcroft Crescent.
- 75, Elmcroft Crescent.

The Sanitary Inspector reported that Statutory Notices had been served in respect of No. 38, Woodstock Avenue, and 1, Cheshire Cottages, Brent Street. The time limited by such notices had expired, but the terms of the notices had not been complied with.

He further asked for authority to take proceedings against the owners of the premises, if found necessary. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Sanitary Inspector have authority to take proceedings against the owners of the above mentioned premises in the event of the work required not being carried out.

In the case of No. 38, Woodstock Avenue the Inspector reported that a notice was served under Section 36 of the Public Health Act, 1875 requiring a new dust bin to be furnished. He applied for authority to provide a dust bin in accordance with the provisions of the Section and to charge the owner with the cost thereof.

Your Committee authorised the Sanitary Inspector accordingly.

15.—DAIRY REGISTRATION: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to an application by Mr. A. Weedon to be registered as a Cow Keeper in respect of Hendon Park Farm, Mill Hill, and as a Dairyman to carry on trade at Lilac Cottage, Highwood Hill.

An inspection had been made of the premises referred to which were found to be in a satisfactory condition. On the report of the Sanitary Inspector your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. A. Weedon be registered as a Cow-keeper and Dairyman in accordance with the Dairy, Cowsheds and Milk Shops Order.

16.—MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE—KINGSBURY: Report from the Clerk as to a communication from the County Solicitor intimating that the amendment in the draft agreement would be considered by the Public Health Committee of the Middlesex County Council.

The Medical Officer of Health reported that he had conferred with Dr. Young, the County Medical Officer of Health upon the subject and it appeared that no difficulty would be experienced in carrying out the suggested arrangements.

Report of Town Planning Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 6th day of June, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Reynolds (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Hodge, Egan, Glanville, Hare, Hill, Soar, Taylor and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—PLANS: That they gave consideration to the following applications for approval of plans, and RECOMMEND thereon as follows:—

| No. | Description of Premises. | Owner or Person submitting. | Recommendation. |
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| 5120 | Urinal, Cricklewood Lane | Cricklewood Trades Hall and Institute | Approval. |
| 5121 | Detached House, Woodlands Crescent | Messrs. Haymills, Ltd. (Under Government Subsidy Scheme) | Approval. |
| 5122 | Detached House, Wildwood Road | Mr. J. Francis Cowper (Under Government Subsidy Scheme) | Approval. |
| 5119 | (Re-submitted) Bungalow, Hillcrest Avenue | Messrs. J. Webb and Son (Under Government Subsidy Scheme) | Approval. |
| 5123 | Additions to 16, Lichfield Road | Mr. C. Kropacsky | Approval, subject to plan being submitted showing the existing lavatory accommodation, to the satisfaction of the Surveyor, prior to the Council meeting. |
| 5124 | Alterations to 95, Hampstead Way | Mr. Percy Harvey | Approval. |
| 5125 | Temporary Sheds on vacant plot between Nos. 3 and 7, Neeld Crescent | Mr. J. Wright | Disapproval. |
| 5126 | Temporary Tool Shed at rear of 97, Bridge Lane | Mr. J. G. Greenfield | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5127 | Temporary additions and alterations to the Hendon Golf Club | Hendon Golf Club | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5098 | Temporary Motor Garage, 32, Station Road | Mr. G. Kruse | Disapproval. |
| 5128 | Temporary Motor Garage, 1, St. Mary's Road | Mr. T. S. Phillips | Approval as temporary building, subject to Surveyor's report. |

| No. | Description of Premises. | Owner or Person submitting. | Recommendation. |
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| 5129 | Temporary Tennis Club Pavilion, Brent Street | Mr. J. Willoughby | Approval as temporary building, subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5130 | Temporary Garage, 1, Park Avenue | Mr. H. Martin | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5131 | Temporary Refreshment Hut on Wheels, Finchley Lane | Mr. W. Ratcliffe | Disapproval. |
| 5132 | Temporary Buildings, Bunn's Lane | Messrs. F. Parvin, Ltd. | Approval as temporary buildings (subject to Surveyor's report). |
| 4963 | Wooden Bungalow, Blind Lane | Mr. E. M. Tuck (Under Government Subsidy Scheme) | Disapproval. |
| 5133 | Three Detached Houses, Woodlands Crescent | Messrs. Haymills, Ltd. (Under Government Subsidy Scheme) | Approval, subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5134 | One Pair of Semi-detached Houses, Wildwood Road (Plots 487-488) | Messrs. W. F. Dickson and H. C. Spokes (Under Government Subsidy Scheme) | Approval. |
| 5135 | One Pair of Semi-detached Houses, Wildwood Road (Plots 474-475) | Mr. G. Foskett (Under Government Subsidy Scheme) | Approval. |
| 5136 | Temporary School, North End Road | King Alfred School Society | Disapproval (Surveyor to negotiate). |
| 5137 | Detached House, Wildwood Road (Plot 486) | Mr. C. F. Ives (Under Government Subsidy Scheme) | Approval. |
| 5138 | Garage, 4, Leaside Crescent | Messrs. White and Allom | Approval. |

2.—HOUSING (ADDITIONAL POWERS) ACT, 1919—CERTIFICATES "A": In regard to the cases where the plans have been recommended for approval under the Government Subsidy Scheme, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the applicants be informed that the said plans comply with the revised Regulations under the Housing (Additional Powers) Act, 1919, and Certificate "A" would be issued in respect thereof if legislation was passed extending the time for the grant of the subsidy.

3.—CONTRAVENTIONS OF BYE-LAWS:

- (A) Report from the Surveyor that Messrs. Bentley Bros. had erected a wooden structure in advance of the general building line at Lawrence Street, Mill Hill. Plans of such structure had been submitted to the Council and disapproved by them, and no notice had been received of the intention to commence building operations. Messrs. Bentley Bros. were served with notice to remove the structure in question, but such notice had not been complied with. The Surveyor further reported that Messrs. Bentley Bros. were converting the premises known as the "Constitutional Club," Mill Hill, into two separate flats, for which no plans or notice of intention to carry out the aforesaid alterations had been received. They had been served with a notice requiring them to deposit plans and sections showing the work which was being carried out, in accordance with the Council's Bye-laws, they had, however, not complied with such notice.

After due consideration of the report of the Surveyor in regard to both cases referred to, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Messrs. Bentley Bros. be served with a notice to show cause why the work executed by them should not be removed or pulled down.

- (B) Report from the Surveyor that Mr. B. L. Young had erected a brick building in advance of the building line at Elmercroft Avenue. No plans or notice of intention to erect such building had been received by the Council, and a notice requiring the building to be removed had recently been served upon Mr. Young.

After due consideration of such report, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the matter be left in the hands of the Surveyor to deal with.

- (C) Report from the Surveyor that a Bungalow had been erected in Hendon Wood Lane, within the area of the Urban District of Barnet, and that in the construction of the drainage of such bungalow, a stoneware pipe had been laid, as an overflow from a cesspool, and such overflow was discharging into a watercourse situate within the Council's District. A notification had been sent to the builder of the bungalow referred to, requiring the discharge into the water-course to be discontinued, also the Surveyor of the Barnet Urban District Council had been notified of the action taken.

In view of the report of the Surveyor as to the steps taken by him, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the matter be left in his hands to deal with.

- (D) The Surveyor reported that Messrs. J. D. Rawlins and Co. had erected a wooden structure at Temple Gardens, such structure being a contravention of certain of the requirements by which the original plans for the erection of the Garages at Temple Gardens, by Messrs. Rawlins and Co., were approved.

A notice had been served requiring such structure to be removed, the same had, however, not been complied with. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a further notice be served upon Messrs. Rawlins and Co., requiring them to show cause why such building should not be removed or pulled down.

4.—TOWN PLANNING:

- (A) That they gave consideration to the revised Regulations of the Ministry of Health governing the procedure to be adopted by Local Authorities in preparing Town Planning Schemes (copies of such revised Regulations having been circulated amongst the Members of your Committee).

The Council will remember that at the last meeting of your Committee a letter was submitted from the Ministry of Health (Town Planning Department) making enquiry as to the precise position reached by the Council in connection with the preparation of Town Planning Schemes for their district, when it was decided to deal with this matter in conjunction with the revised Regulations.

Report from the Clerk as to the position of the Council's Town Planning Schemes.

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RECOMMEND—That the Ministry of Health be informed of the present position of the Council's Town Planning Schemes, and in view of the position arrived at in connection therewith, that they be requested to state to what extent they desire the revised regulations conformed to.

- (B) Reference was made to the question of inviting Professor Geddes to attend at Hendon and give a lecture on Town Planning. Your Committee approved of the proposal, and

RECOMMEND—That Professor Geddes be invited accordingly.

Report of Housing Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 6th day of June, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Roberts (in the Chair), and Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Mrs. Hargraves, Cartwright, Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Hearn, Sturgess, Teare and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—BRENT HILL FARM SCHEME:

- (A) PROGRESS: That they received a report from the Architect as to the progress which had been made with the erection of houses on this Estate. Six of the houses had been completed and occupied, and by the 6th instant eight more would be ready for occupation. The number of houses now in course of erection was 126. Owing to the shortage of coal, tiles were not being made at the present time, and difficulty was experienced in obtaining supplies. The Architect reported that pan tiles could be procured, and made enquiry whether the Committee desired that type of tile to be used.

Your Committee have duly noted the report. In regard to the question of tiles, your Committee prefer the ordinary type of tile.

Reference was made to the progress with the smaller type of houses from which it appeared that the gas and water mains had not yet been laid down to these houses.

Your Committee instructed the Clerk to communicate with the Gas Light and Coke Co., and the Metropolitan Water Board with a view to expediting the work in this direction.

GAS SERVICE: Report from the Clerk as to a communication from the Architect in regard to a temporary rider necessary in connection with the laying of the gas main consequent upon the position of the Contractor's Offices and also in view of the fact that, at that time, the decision had not been arrived at to widen the roadway. It was essential that the work should be carried out immediately, and the Chairman of the Council had given authority for the same to be carried out at a cost of £20, in order that no delay should arise in connection with the supply of gas to the houses which were to be occupied. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the action of the Chairman be confirmed.

- (B) FLOORING: Report was received in regard to the flooring of the houses at Brent Hill Farm from which it appeared that it was inadvisable to cover the whole of the ground floors with linoleum.

Your Committee gave instructions to the Accountant to communicate with the tenants and respective tenants that where linoleum was to be laid on the ground floors suitable margins should be left.

- (C) DIVIDING WALLS: Letter from the Architect with correspondence with Improved Concrete Construction Company in reference to the erection of dividing walls at the backs of the houses.

The specification provided for a 9in. brick wall 6ft. high and 5ft. projection, but the Contractors would be prepared to erect a 15ft. fence dividing the backs of the houses, in lieu of the brick wall at the same cost.

After careful consideration of this matter your Committee decided to defer the question of erecting dividing walls for the time being.

- (D) LIGHTING AND HEATING: Letter from the London Housing Board in reply to the Council's communication upon the subject of the provision of gas and electric services for the houses in the Brent Hill Scheme

The Board intimated that the matter had been fully discussed, and they were unable to depart from the decision already given in the matter.

It will be remembered that the Council requested the Housing Board to agree the figure of £42 12s. 3d. per house for the whole of the houses on the Estate, whereas the Board intimated that they would only be prepared to approve £39 13s. 6d. The amount of £2 18s. 9d. the difference, representing an amount which the Board considered should be borne by the Council as their share of the cost of providing gas, for a stove, water heater, and copper, in addition to electricity for lighting purposes.

Your Committee are still of opinion that the full sum should be allowed throughout, and

RECOMMEND—That a further communication be addressed to the Housing Board upon the subject.

Letter from the Gas Light and Coke Company in reference to certain amendments which they suggested in the draft Contract for installation of gas service at the Brent Hill Farm and Cloister road.

In view of the amendments suggested by the Company, your Committee have decided to adjourn the matter for the present.

- (E) **CONTRACT:** Letter from Messrs. Stephenson, Harwood and Tatham transmitting notice of charge given by the Improved Concrete Construction Company Limited in connection with their Contract for the erection of houses at Brent Hill Farm Estate. Your Committee have duly noted the communication and have referred the same to the Accountant for report to the Finance Committee.

That they received a report from the Clerk in regard to an interview with representatives of the Improved Concrete Construction Company, and have duly noted the same.

- (F) **W. J. SMITH'S CLAIM:** That they received a report from the Officers in reference to an interview which had taken place with officials of the Ministry of Health, also with representatives of Mr. W. J. Smith in reference to the matter. Your Committee gave instructions for a copy of the Report (marked confidential) to be transmitted to each member of the Council, and have requested that a Special Council Meeting be convened for Monday, the 13th instant, to consider such report.
- (G) **CONCRETE BLOCKS:** Reference was made to the Concrete Blocks being used in connection with the Brent Hill Farm Housing Scheme, and your Committee have requested the Architect to arrange for the same to be tested.
- (H) **BANK OF EARTH:** Report from the Surveyor that the Bank of Earth had now been removed, and the Contractors would now be able to erect the fences. Noted.
- (I) **STREET LIGHTING:** Report from the Surveyor as to a communication from the Hendon Electric Supply Company upon the subject of carrying out the lighting of the streets at Brent Hill Farm by Electricity.

Your Committee have adjourned this matter to their next meeting in order that the Engineer may submit a full report thereon.

- (J) **TRANSFORMER:** An application was received from the Hendon Electric Supply Company for consent to the placing of a transformer on this Estate. Your Committee have adjourned this matter also for consideration in conjunction with the report of the Engineer *re* Street Lighting.

2.—CHILD'S HILL SCHEME—PROGRESS:

- (A) That they received a report from the Architect as to the progress in connection with the Child's Hill Scheme, from which it appeared that 14 houses had been completed and were occupied. Other houses on the Estate would be ready for occupation shortly whilst many others were nearing completion.

Your Committee have duly noted this report.

- (B) **TRANSFORMER:** Letter from the Architect in reference to the Transformer placed by the Hendon Electric Supply Company in one of the houses at Child's Hill.

After consideration of the report of the Architect, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council agree to the proposal of the Company subject to payment of 1s. per annum for the privilege of placing such Transformer in the houses.

3.—HOUSING SCHEMES:

- (A) Letter from the Ministry of Health transmitting copy of decision of the Public Works Conciliation Board as to a reduction in rates of wages from 1s. 11d. to 1s. 9d. per hour, as from the first pay day after the 10th May. Your Committee have duly noted this decision.
- (B) Housing Memorandum No. 50 was reported from the Ministry of Health upon the same subject also intimating that the wages of labourers would be reduced a further 1d. per hour as from the 1st July next. Noted.
- (C) Circular was received from the Ministry of Health as to the Scheme for the employment of Ex-Service men to be trained in the building industry.

The Ministry suggested that before submitting new Contracts for approval the Council should satisfy themselves that the Contractors had undertaken to take part in the National Scheme for the employment of Ex-Service men. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the request of the Ministry be acceded to and that the National Scheme be adopted in connection with future Housing Contracts.

- 4.—**CHAIRMAN:** Your Committee decided to elect Mr. Councillor A. S. F. Ford as Chairman of the Committee for the ensuing year.

Report of Staff Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 30th day of May, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Egan (Chairman), and Councillors Cartwright, Miss Growse, Hare, Hill, Roberts, and Teare.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—**CLERK'S DEPARTMENT:** That they gave consideration to the recommendation of the General Purposes Committee for the appointment of an experienced clerk to fill the vacancy in the Clerk's Department.

The Council will recollect that upon the resignation of Mr. J. W. Wright, Mr. C. F. Buttress was promoted to the position of Second Assistant at his present salary of £200 per annum. Mr. Wright was in receipt of a salary of £225 per annum.

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RECOMMEND—That an advertisement be issued inviting applications for a clerk at a commencing salary of £80 per annum.

2.—PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT: That they gave consideration to the recommendation of the Public Health Committee as to the provision of additional clerical assistance in the Public Health Department. After due consideration of this matter, your Committee are unable to recommend any variation in the existing staff at the present time.

3.—MEDICAL OFFICERS AND INSPECTORS OF NUISANCES: Letter from the Ministry of Health transmitting copy of an Order amending the Sanitary Officers' (Outside London) Order, 1910, in so far as regards Medical Officers and Inspectors of Nuisances appointed by a County Borough or County District, providing that such appointments should hereafter be made without limit of time. Noted.

3.—ISOLATION HOSPITAL STAFF: That they received a report from the Medical Superintendent at the Isolation Hospital in reference to the question of uniform allowances in respect of the maids and domestic staff. After careful consideration of this matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council make a grant of £15 for the first year for the provision of uniform for the maids and domestic staff, and £10 per annum for successive years.

In regard to the nursing staff at the Hospital, your Committee are informed that it is the usual custom for uniforms to be provided at the Isolation Hospital, and they therefore

RECOMMEND—That in future appointments the salary scale be reduced by £5 per annum, and that uniform be provided by the Council.

In regard to the salary of the cook at the Hospital, at present fixed at £42 10s. 0d. per annum, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the salary of Miss Stone, cook at the Isolation Hospital, be increased to £45 per annum, such increase to date from 1st April, 1921.

4.—SANITARY INSPECTOR'S SALARY: Letter from the Ministry of Health intimating that they approved of the payment by the Council of salary at the rate of £500 per annum to Mr. S. J. Chapman, Inspector of Nuisances for the district, as from 1st November, 1920. Your Committee have duly noted the same.

5.—ENGINEER'S DEPARTMENT: That they received a report from the Engineer as to filling the vacancy in his department occasioned by the resignation of Mr. E. S. Reid, who had secured a more lucrative position. The Council will recollect that Mr. A. Gregston is completing training in the department under the Ministry of Labour Scheme, but the period of training has not yet expired. Your Committee feel that Mr. W. Gregston should complete his period of training. They consider that an improver might be appointed in the department at a salary not exceeding £80 per annum. They therefore

RECOMMEND—That the services of an improver be obtained for the Engineer's Department at a salary not exceeding £80 per annum.

In regard to the salary of W. Sumption, clerk in the Engineer and Surveyor's Department, your Committee have received a report from the Engineer as to the duties carried out by him, and are of opinion that his present salary of £100 per annum should be increased. They therefore

RECOMMEND—That the salary of W. Sumption be increased by the sum of £20 per annum. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the resolution of the Council of 1st November, 1920, as to salaries of staff be varied accordingly.

6.—OUTSIDE STAFF: The Engineer submitted a report in reference to G. B. Mercer, an ex-Service man, whom he suggested might be offered the first suitable vacancy. Your Committee approved the Engineer's suggestion.

7.—ACCOUNTANT'S DEPARTMENT: The Accountant reported in regard to the arrangements made by him for carrying out certain duties in his department consequent upon the resignation of Mr. A. H. Mackrill, and he submitted certain recommendations in regard thereto.

After careful consideration thereof, your Committee decided to adjourn the matter to their next meeting.

8.—TELEPHONE ATTENDANT: Application was received from Mr. M. Powell, the telephone attendant, for an increase in his wages, which at present are £2 10s. 0d. per week. Your Committee cannot see their way to recommend any variation in his salary at present.

9.—OFFICERS' ANNUAL OUTING: Letter from the Hon. Secretary of the Hendon Branch of the National Association of Local Government Officers applying for leave of absence for members of the staff attending the annual outing on the 16th inst. Your Committee decided to grant the usual leave of absence.

Report of Fire Brigade Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 6th day of June, 1921. Present: Councillors Miss E. C. Growse (Chairman), Hare, Hearn, Hill, Reynolds, Taylor, Teare, Sturgess, and Rev. Dr. Macgowan.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—MOTOR FIRE ENGINE NO. 2: Letter from the Air Ministry transmitting for the information of the Council an outline specification of the type of Engine with rotary turbine pump, referred to in the Ministry's communication of the 3rd February last.

Your Committee decided to hold a further meeting on Monday next to consider the report of the Engineer in regard to such specification.

- 2.—FIRE HYDRANT: Report from the Chief Officer that since the last meeting of the Committee one Fire Hydrant had been fixed in the following position. Sevington Road, junction with Park Road.
- 3.—WATER PRESSURES: That they received a report from the Chief Officer as to water pressures taken at various parts of the District since the last meeting, and have duly noted the same.
- 4.—CENTRAL STATION: Report from the Chief Officer as to certain repairs which had been carried out at the Central Fire Station. Your Committee approved the action taken.
- 5.—BRIGADE STAFF: Report from the Chief Officer in reference to Fireman Dickens who had been away at a Convalescent Home owing to illness. Your Committee approved of Fireman Dickens remaining a further seven days off duty.

Report from the Chief Officer that Fireman Taylor had resigned to take up a position in a private Fire Brigade, and he asked for instructions as to filling the vacancy.

Your Committee gave authority for an advertisement to be issued for a single Fireman, with wages in accordance with scale, also that particulars be exhibited in each of the Sub-Stations.

- 6.—BURNT OAK STATION: Report from the Chief Officer as to certain repairs required to the Burnt Oak Fire Station. The owner had suggested that the Council should carry out the necessary repairs. Your Committee have deferred this matter to their next meeting for a report to be submitted in regard to the tenancy.
- 7.—CENTRAL STATION—LATHE: Report from the Chief Officer that he had obtained a suitable lathe for the Central Fire Station from Mr. G. Woods, of Daws Lane, Mill Hill, at a cost of £20 6s. Certain tools for the same were required for the same at an estimated cost of £6. Your Committee approved the action taken, and gave authority for the necessary tools etc. to be obtained.
- 8.—STATION CYCLE: Report from the Chief Officer that he had obtained a suitable cycle for the Central Station from the Finchley Road Garage, at a cost of £5 10s. Your Committee approved the action taken in this matter.
- 9.—UNIFORM CLOTHING: Report from the Chief Officer as to uniform clothing required for Second Officer R. E. Stimson and Firemen F. Davis and W. Archer as detailed in his Report Book. Your Committee
- RECOMMEND—That such Uniform Clothing be provided.
- 10.—STORES: Report from the Chief Officer as to certain Stores needed at the Central Station. He also submitted a list of Stores required, as follows:—
- 24 Fire Hydrant Posts.
 - Screws for ditto.
 - 3 Dust Bins for Central Station.
 - 100 Gallons Petrol.
 - 9 Keys.
- Your Committee approved of the requisition.
- 11.—PETROL LICENCE: Report from the Chief Officer as to an application by Messrs. Ewen and Sons, of Finchley Road, Child's Hill, for a Licence to store Petrol. Your Committee are informed that the store is satisfactory, and
- RECOMMEND—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to a Licence in favour of Messrs. Ewen and Sons.
- 12.—FIRES: The Chief Officer submitted a list of Fires attended since the last meeting of the Committee, but such report calls for no special remark.

Report of Fire Brigade Committee, No. 2.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 13th day of June, 1921. Present: Councillors Miss Growse (Chairman), Hare, Hill, Reynolds and Taylor. (Councillors Fenn, Hearne, Teare and Sturgess were engaged in the Finance Committee.)

- 1.—MOTOR FIRE ENGINE: That they gave detailed consideration to a report from the Surveyor making a comparison of the chief points in the Specification of Messrs. Merryweather's engine and the Specification submitted by the Air Ministry, and also a report from the Chief Officer of the Fire Brigade thereon. From such reports it is apparent to your Committee that the machine referred to in the Air Ministry's Specification lacks many of the important attachments which were included in that to be supplied under Messrs. Merryweather's Contract, amongst other things no telescopic fire escape would be supplied. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a communication be addressed to the representatives of the Air Ministry in regard to these omissions, pointing out that the Council require an engine equal in standard and efficiency to that taken by the Government.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND FURTHER—That Sir Philip Lloyd-Greame be informed of the present position of matters, and that he be again requested to use his good offices to secure to the Council the replacement of the engine by a similar engine to that ordered under contract or one equally efficient in all respects.

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Report of General Purposes Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 13th day of June, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Hill (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Miss Growse, Egan, Glanville, Hare, Page, Reynolds and Taylor.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—CRYSTAL PALACE: Letter from Mr. W. A. Bayst making suggestions for the acquisition of the Crystal Palace for Imperial purposes. Your Committee have no recommendation to make upon the matter.

2.—ADVERTISEMENTS: Letter from Messrs. James Willing, Ltd., offering to act as the Council's agents in connection with the insertion of advertisements in the various London newspapers, in accordance with the Council's requirements. It appeared from such communication that Messrs. Willing, Ltd., would require to be supplied with one copy only of the advertisement proposed to be inserted, they undertaking the whole of the work of distribution free of charge, irrespective of the number of papers in which it was required that such advertisement should appear, and in addition they were prepared to offer a discount of 2½ per cent. in connection with the matter.

Your Committee deferred the consideration of the offer to their next meeting.

3.—GOLDERS GREEN ROAD: Letter from Messrs. Wigan and Co. as to the amount of their costs in connection with the negotiations and completion of the agreement in connection with the dedication of land in the front of Swiss Cottages, Golders Green Road, and suggesting a sum of £5 5s. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council agree to pay the sum of £5 5s.

4.—GAME LICENCES: The Clerk reported the following applications for the renewal of Game Licences for the year ending 30th June, 1922, in respect of the premises as stated:—

Sainsbury, J.—3 Golders Green Road.
Ditto 101, Golders Green Road.
Ditto 160, The Broadway, Cricklewood.
Ditto 15, Lawrence Street, Mill Hill.
Cope Bros.—83, Golders Green Road.
Green and Co.—Church Road, Hendon.
Ditto The Promenade, Mill Hill.
Hill, B.—88, Golders Green Road.
Woodley, F. J.—4, Hale Lane, Mill Hill.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That such applications for the renewal of Game Licences be acceded to, and that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the new Licences in due course.

5.—STREET COLLECTIONS: Letter from the Commissioner of Police in regard to an application made by the Hendon "King Edward Memorial" Cottage Hospital Authorities for permission to hold a street collection in Hendon on the 2nd prox. in aid of the funds of the Hospital.

A similar letter was also received in regard to a further application for permission to hold a street collection in Hendon, Golders Green, Child's Hill and Cricklewood, on the 14th August next, such application being made by the Hendon Cottage Hospital Parade Committee. The proceeds of such collection being devoted to the funds of the Hospital.

The Commissioner desired to be informed whether the Council wished to offer any observations upon the matter.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That no objection be offered to the applications referred to.

6.—LOCAL RATES (INCREASE PREVENTION) BILL, 1921: Letter from the Town Clerk, Borough of Hornsey, transmitting extract from a report of a Committee of the Hornsey Borough Council relative to the steps taken by them to oppose the provisions of the Local Rates (Increase Prevention) Bill, 1921. Your Committee have duly noted the same.

7.—GAS REGULATION ACT: Letter from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council in further reference to the suggested appointment of Gas Examiners under the Gas Regulation Act, 1920, from which it appeared that the Sub-Committee of the County Council, who had the matter under consideration, were of opinion that the appointment of one Gas Examiner for the whole of the County of Middlesex would be sufficient, in view of the fact that the duties of Gas Examiners under the Act are apparently not of a very onerous nature.

The Sub-Committee of the County Council desired to be informed, before proceeding further in the matter, whether the Council had any observations to make upon the suggested appointment, and further, whether they would be willing to allow the area of their district to come within the jurisdiction of the proposed Gas Examiner, if appointed by the County Council.

The Council will remember that they have already informed the County Council that they do not propose to take any action in connection with the matter, and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the County Council be now informed that the Council are unable to vary the decision already arrived at.

8.—NETHER COURT: Letter from Mr. J. Ward, in reply, intimating that he would be prepared to dispose of the Nether Court Estate at the same price and conditions as on the previous occasion when the matter was under consideration by the Council, plus interest on the money from that date at Bank Rate.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Ward be informed that the Council are unable to entertain his offer on the terms stated by him.

- 9.—RENT ACT, 1920: Letter from the Urban District Council of Hayes transmitting a copy of the following resolution adopted by them in connection with the provisions of the Increase of Rent and Mortgage Interest (Restrictions) Act, 1920, and asking the Council to take steps to adopt a resolution on similar lines:—

"That having regard to the conditions prevailing at the present time among the working classes in consequence of unemployment, short time and reduced wages, the Hayes Urban District Council urges the Government to repeal the provisions in the Increase of Rent and Mortgage Interest (Restrictions) Act, 1920, permitting a further increase of 10 per cent. of the net rent after the 2nd July, 1921. Also that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Prime Minister, the Minister of Health, the Chairman of the Labour Party in the House of Commons, the Member of Parliament for the constituency, and to the various Local Authorities in Middlesex."

Your Committee have no recommendation to make in regard to the matter.

- 10.—COUNCIL AGENDAS: Letter from the Secretary of the Mill Hill Branch of the Middle Classes Union, making application to be supplied, for the information of his Committee, with a copy of the Council's printed Agenda each month.

After careful consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Secretary of the Middle Classes Union be informed that the Council cannot see their way to accede to his application.

- 11.—STATUTORY UNDERTAKINGS:

- (A) Letter from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council in regard to the further application of the Colne Valley Water Company to the Board of Trade for an Order under the Statutory Undertakings (Temporary Increase of Charges) Act, 1918, authorising the Company to further increase their charges for the supply of water by 75 per cent.

The County Council stated that they proposed to lodge a formal objection to such application, and they made enquiry whether the Council desired them to oppose the application on their behalf, together with the other Local Authorities affected by the proposal, as on the last occasion, and on the same terms, viz.:—The costs of the opposition to be divided amongst the various Local Authorities represented according to the rateable value of each district, the County Council also bearing their share.

Your Committee approve of the proposed combined opposition in connection with the matter, and as the County Council desired to be informed, without delay, of the attitude of the Council in connection therewith, and having regard to the fact that the Board of Trade would be considering application on the 20th inst., instructed the Clerk to communicate with the County Council accordingly.

- (B) Letter from the Board of Trade intimating that it was proposed to interview representatives of the Colne Valley Water Company, at the Offices of the Board of Trade, on Monday next, the 20th inst., in connection with the proposition to increase their charges for the supply of water, and stating that it would be open for representatives of the Council to attend at the same time in support of their objections to the proposal.

- 12.—BRENT STREET DRAINAGE: Letter from Messrs. Bramston, Skelton and Dowse in further reference to the question of the settlement of the difference which had arisen in connection with the drainage of the houses, erected by Mr. Howkins, in Brent Street.

The Council will remember that when Mr. Skelton interviewed your Committee in connection with the matter, he made enquiry whether the Council would be prepared to entertain an offer from the Freeholder for the payment of a sum of £50 to meet the possible obligations of the Owners in connection with the drainage of the houses in question.

After careful consideration of such offer, the Council were unable to accept the same, but were disposed, without prejudice, to consider a settlement of the matter, provided that Mr. Skelton was prepared to increase his offer from £50 to £140 to meet contingencies in connection with such drainage, and Messrs. Bramston were informed accordingly.

Messrs. Bramston and Co. now stated that they were prepared to increase their offer from £50 to £70, on condition that the Council undertook not to require the work mentioned in the notices to be carried out, nor at any time to call upon the owners of the houses to construct separate drains connecting with the main sewer in Brent Street, and to accept the sum in full settlement of all claims (if any).

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee cannot see their way to recommend the Council to depart from the terms of their previous decisions in regard thereto, and they

RECOMMEND—That Messrs. Bramston and Co. be informed accordingly.

- 13.—SHOPS ACT: Report from the Shops Inspector as to a breach of the provisions of the Shops Act by a member of the Disabled Soldiers' Services Supply. In view of the attitude adopted by the man when cautioned by the Shops Inspector, the Inspector asked for authority to take proceedings in the event of a continuance of the breach of the Act.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Shops Inspector be given authority to take proceedings against the offender, in the event of the same being necessary.

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Report of Highways Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 13th day of June, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Hare (Chairman), Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Egan, Glanville, Hill, Page, Reynolds and Taylor.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—**OMNIBUS FACILITIES**: Letter from the London General Omnibus Company Limited, in regard to a proposal to provide omnibus facilities from Golders Green to Mill Hill, Edgware and Whetstone, and stating the routes proposed to be traversed in connection with the suggested services. The Company desired to be furnished with the observations of the Council as to the user of such of the roads, in connection with the proposal, under their jurisdiction.

The Surveyor submitted a report in regard to the roads affected by such proposal, together with a plan of the proposed routes. Your Committee have given careful consideration to the matter, and

RECOMMEND—That the Council agree to the use of the roads, within their District, sought to be traversed by the provision of the proposed omnibus facilities.

2.—**AVENUE FARM**:

(A) Reference was made by the Chairman of the Council to a question which had been brought to his notice relative to the practice of persons cycling on the footpath at Avenue Farm, Child's Hill, to the danger of pedestrians making use of such footpath. The Chairman stated that it had been suggested that the Council should place a notice board at this point bearing a notice, warning cyclists against the practice of riding on the footpath.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council agree to the proposal, and that a notice board be erected in the proximity of the footpath in question.

(B) Letter from Mr. D. Powley suggesting the provision of lighting facilities in The Avenue, Cricklewood.

In view of the restrictions placed on public lighting, owing to the continuance of the Coal Strike, your Committee are unable to recommend the Council to deal with this question at the present time, and

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Powley be informed accordingly.

3.—**BROOKSIDE ROAD**: Letter from Mr. J. F. Chadwick as to a proposal which he understood would be submitted to the Council for the re-naming of Brookside Road, and protesting on behalf of himself, and other residents in the road, to such proposal.

Your Committee are informed that no representation relative to this matter has been received by the Council, and in view, thereof, have duly noted the contents of the communication from Mr. Chadwick.

4.—**PROVISION OF NAME PLATES**: Reference was made to the question of providing name plates at Ebenezer Road, Child's Hill, and Colindale Avenue, Hendon, this matter being referred to the Surveyor for report at the last meeting of the Council.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That name plates be fixed in the roads in question.

5.—**CLASSIFICATION OF ROADS**: The Clerk reported the receipt of a circular letter from the Ministry of Transport, Roads Department, as to the Classification of Roads in this District, and grants thereunder, from the Road Fund, during the Financial Year, 1921—1922, from which it appeared that the Ministry would be prepared to bear 50 per cent. of the actual expenditure towards the improvement and maintenance of Class 1 roads, and 25 per cent. in the case of Class 2 roads. They, however, emphasised the fact that the making of the grants referred to during the period named was not in any way to be taken to imply that the grants during subsequent financial years would be at the same rate, due regard would be given to the question of expenditure, and prices prevailing at the time the grant was made.

Report from the Surveyor as to the roads in the district falling within the two classes referred to, and that in view of such classification the Council would probably receive a grant of approximately £1,000 towards the maintenance of these highways during the current year.

He also reported that the Ministry of Transport had offered to pay a proportion of the salaries and establishment expenses of the Surveyor's department, subject to an agreement being entered into between the Ministry and the Council.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of the communication from the Ministry of Transport relative to the grant to be made to the Council towards the expenditure and improvement of roads, coming within the two classes mentioned. In regard to the proposal of the Ministry to pay a proportion of the salaries and establishment expenses of the Surveyor's Department, they consider that particulars of the conditions appertaining thereto should be obtained. They therefore

RECOMMEND—That the matter be referred to the Surveyor for inquiry and report.

- 6.—THE RIDGEWAY, GOLDERS GREEN: Report from the Surveyor as to his negotiations with the owners of the houses at the junction of Armitage Road and the Ridgeway, Golders Green, relative to the proposition that the triangular plots at the junction of the roads in question should be included in the front gardens of their property, from which it appeared that only one of the owners, Mr. Cook, favoured the proposal. After careful consideration of the matter, and the report from the Surveyor in regard thereto, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the proposal be carried out in so far as Mr. Cook is concerned, and that in the case of the remaining property owners no further action be taken in the matter for the present.

- 7.—PUBLIC LIGHTING—WOODLANDS CRESCENT: The Surveyor submitted a letter from Mr. C. N. Young making application for the erection of an additional public lamp in Woodlands Crescent, adjacent to his premises.

Your Committee received a report from the Surveyor in connection with the application, expressing the opinion that in normal circumstances an additional lamp should be provided at this spot. They therefore approve of the Surveyor's suggestion, and

RECOMMEND—That an additional lamp be erected in Woodlands Crescent when the lighting restrictions are removed, and that Mr. Young be informed of the action proposed to be taken in the matter.

- 8.—PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS. The Surveyor submitted plans and estimates for the fully making up of the following private roads in the district under Section 150 of the Public Health Act, 1875:—
Leaside Crescent—Estimate amounting to the sum of £8,469.
Temple Gardens—Estimate amounting to the sum of £485.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That such plans and estimates be approved, and the necessary notices under Section 150 of the Public Health Act, 1875, be served upon the frontagers in such roads.

Your Committee considered the question of fixing the period to be given to the frontagers to comply with such notices, and

RECOMMEND—That such period be fixed at ten weeks from the date of the notices.

- 9.—MILL HILL—SPEED LIMIT: The Surveyor asked for instructions as to defining the exact spots for which it was proposed to apply to the Middlesex County Council for a speed limit at Mill Hill. He suggested that the application should be made in respect of the road from Hale Grove Gardens along Hale Lane, thence under the Midland Railway Arch, and along Lawrence Street to its junction with Daws Lane, and in the opposite direction, from the "Hale Station" along Hale Lane, again linking up with the Midland Railway Arch. Your Committee approved of the Surveyor's suggestion, and

RECOMMEND—That application be made to the Middlesex County Council for the adoption of a speed limit of 10 miles per hour for motor traffic when traversing the roads referred to.

- 10.—REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor submitted a requisition of goods and materials required, and the same was duly approved.

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AT A MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 20th day of June, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
 " " W. L. Glanville,
 " " R. Hare,
 " " F. W. Hearn,
 " " C. W. Hill,
 " " A. Roberts,
 " " A. J. Reynolds,
 " " J. H. Sturgess,
 " " W. Taylor,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " R. M. Weeks,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant),
 Dr. T. S. McIntosh (Medical Officer of Health).

MINUTES: The Minutes of the last ordinary meeting of the Council held on the 23rd day of May, 1921, and of the Special Meeting held on the 13th day of June, 1921, were submitted for confirmation. Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Minutes be confirmed.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE: The Finance Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 13th inst. (Agenda page 49). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

The following is a list of the accounts for payment referred to on page 50 of the report of the Finance Committee:—

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| Bailey, T. J. | 14 | 3 | 2 |
| Barrs and Co. | | 1 | 3 |
| Batchelor, J. and Son | 81 | 18 | 0 |
| Beattie, J. H. and Co., Ltd. | 22 | 16 | 9 |
| Camberwell Research Laboratories | 4 | 3 | 6 |
| Cement Marketing Co., Ltd. | 23 | 5 | 0 |
| Chalkley, H. | 4 | 3 | 6 |
| Cherry, C. | 374 | 16 | 8 |
| Connolly, J. W. and T., Ltd. | 15 | 19 | 10 |
| Couchman, H. Seymour | 2 | 10 | 0 |
| Crisp and Hodgson | 8 | 6 | 3 |
| Crow, Catchpole and Co., Ltd. | 817 | 13 | 11 |
| Denton, J. | 22 | 14 | 0 |
| Dobbins, J. T., Ltd. | 2 | 10 | 6 |
| Durrant, A. H. | 6 | 2 | 11 |
| Eastern Command | 7 | 10 | 0 |
| Etherington, E. | 2 | 7 | 0 |
| Facer and Co., Ltd. | | | |
| Farmiloe, T. and W., Ltd. | 33 | 15 | 0 |
| Foskett, C. | 32 | 16 | 1 |
| Frost, C. H. | 1 | 2 | 6 |
| Gamage, A. W., Ltd. | 6 | 19 | 2 |
| Gibb, J. and Co., Ltd. | 5 | 9 | 0 |
| Gidden, W. and H., Ltd. | 6 | 12 | 0 |
| Gosling, C. and Son | 2 | 5 | 0 |
| Griesbach, Miss M. | 3 | 12 | 0 |
| Grimley, S. S. | | | |
| Grobby Granite Co., Ltd. | 100 | 0 | 0 |
| Hadden Best and Co. | 11 | 9 | 2 |
| Hahn, Max | 2 | 17 | 3 |
| Harrison Press, Ltd. | 3 | 10 | 0 |
| Harrods, Ltd. | 19 | 16 | 9 |
| Hayllar, W. | 28 | 16 | 0 |
| Hendon Electric Supply Co., Ltd. | | | |
| Hill, A. J. | 10 | 9 | |
| Hill, B. | 4 | 7 | 4 |
| H.M. Stationery Office | 8 | 17 | 9 |
| Hope Bros., Ltd. | 6 | 13 | 3 |
| Hounslow Sand and Gravel Co., Ltd. | 15 | 4 | |
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| King, J. | ... | Rent—Fire shed | ... | 1 10 0 |
| Knight, C. and Co., Ltd. | ... | Loose ledger sheets | ... | 3 8 0 |
| Knowles, J. and Co. (London), Ltd. | ... | Sand and castings | ... | 1 9 2 |
| Krichefski, A. | ... | Boiler suit | ... | 12 11 |
| Kruse, G. F. | ... | Rent—147, Broadway | ... | 25 0 0 |
| Lavender, N. | ... | Meat | ... | 18 11 0 |
| Lea, A. | ... | Bread | ... | 9 4 3 |
| Libraco, Ltd. | ... | Filing cabinets | ... | 9 15 8 |
| Line, J. and Sons, Ltd. | ... | Brushes | ... | 5 0 0 |
| London Telephone Service | ... | Telephone rent | ... | 47 2 2 |
| Matthews, A. | ... | Smith's work | ... | 6 10 6 |
| Matthews, J. | ... | Sundries | ... | 12 0 |
| May, J. | ... | Cartage | ... | 1 1 0 |
| McIntyre, A. | ... | Rent—Allotments | ... | 3 10 0 |
| Meager, Mrs. M. A. | ... | Rent—Fire shed | ... | 1 10 0 |
| Merritt and Hatcher, Ltd. | ... | Binding vouchers | ... | 7 12 6 |
| Metropolitan Water Board, per Accountant's Account | ... | Supply | ... | 1 13 0 |
| Metropolitan Water Board | ... | Repairs, etc. | ... | 9 17 8 |
| Metropolitan Water Board | ... | Rent | ... | 4 3 0 |
| Middlesex Joint Smallpox Hospital Board... | ... | Contribution for expenses | ... | 551 14 11 |
| Middleton Bros. | ... | Packing | ... | 4 1 9 |
| Midland Railway Co. | ... | Carriage, etc. | ... | 18 0 |
| Millman, T. | ... | Smith's work | ... | 1 14 10 |
| Mosers, Ltd. | ... | Wire nails | ... | 1 6 7 |
| Mountsorrell Granite Co., Ltd. | ... | Granite | ... | 28 4 5 |
| National Boiler and General Insurance Co., Ltd. | ... | Insurance premiums | ... | 2 11 9 |
| North Middlesex Gas Co. | ... | Coke | ... | 15 6 0 |
| Norton and Gregory, Ltd. | ... | Technical equipment | ... | 3 0 8 |
| Odell, C., Ltd. | ... | Printing | ... | 1 12 6 |
| Page, C. H. | ... | Sundries | ... | 13 18 4 |
| Pendleton and Co. | ... | Timber | ... | 4 18 7 |
| Prices Co., Ltd. | ... | Oil | ... | 4 3 9 |
| Pruden, A. | ... | Harness | ... | 13 10 0 |
| Ramsbotham, G. | ... | Repairs | ... | 19 1 |
| Read Manufacturing Co., Ltd. | ... | Duplicating paper | ... | 4 17 6 |
| Richards, W. | ... | Plumbing, etc. | ... | 33 8 0 |
| Robb, J. H. and Son, Ltd. | ... | Cement, etc. | ... | 11 18 11 |
| Sanitas Co., Ltd. | ... | Disinfectant | ... | 26 18 0 |
| Sayers, S. P. | ... | Medical requisites | ... | 8 5 4 |
| Sawford, R. | ... | Car hire | ... | 8 8 6 |
| Scientific Press, Ltd. | ... | Advertisements | ... | 12 0 |
| Shannon, Ltd. | ... | Binders | ... | 19 6 |
| Shaw and Sons | ... | Stationery, etc. | ... | 16 7 0 |
| Shell Mex, Ltd. | ... | Kerosene | ... | 7 8 8 |
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| Spence P., and Sons, Ltd. | ... | Aluminoferric | ... | 44 17 2 |
| Stillman, H. | ... | Hired team labour | ... | 314 19 1 |
| Stone, G. | ... | Cleaning windows | ... | 4 0 0 |
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| Suttley and Silverlock, Ltd. | ... | Temperature charts | ... | 17 0 |
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| Tottenham District Light Heat and Power Co. | ... | Coke | ... | 15 5 0 |
| Vipan and Headly | ... | Hoes | ... | 4 17 6 |
| Waitrose, Ltd. | ... | Groceries | ... | 22 7 0 |
| Walker, J. and Co., Ltd. | ... | Loose-leaf refills | ... | 2 11 0 |
| Warden and Co., Ltd. | ... | Printing, etc. | ... | 43 14 9 |
| Weeks, W. and Son, Ltd. | ... | Fire bars | ... | 2 2 6 |
| West Hendon Day Nursery | ... | Grant | ... | 75 0 0 |
| Wilford, T. W. | ... | Car hire | ... | 1 2 0 |
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| Express Dairy Co., Ltd. | ... | Milk | ... | 18 2 3 |
| Grosch and Sons | ... | Milk | ... | 1 13 0 |
| West Surrey Central Dairy Co., Ltd. | ... | Dried milk | ... | 5 0 0 |
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| Jones and Blakeway | ... | Rate refunds | ... | 1 14 3 |
| Sanitary Inspector | ... | Petty cash | ... | 4 10 6 |
| Bascom, Mrs. M. E. | ... | Petty cash | ... | 4 2 5 |
| Hunt, Mrs. | ... | Petty cash | ... | 1 7 11 |
| Sundry persons | ... | Refund, Private works deposit | ... | 2 3 4 |
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| Cornubian Lodge of Oddfellows | ... | Loan repayment | ... | 5 10 9 |
| Ecclesiastical Commissioners | ... | Loan repayment | ... | 493 19 3 |
| Governesses' Benevolent Institution | ... | Loan repayment | ... | 192 19 3 |
| Independent Order of Oddfellows | ... | Loan repayment | ... | 47 19 9 |
| Newcastle-upon-Tyne Savings Bank | ... | Loan repayment | ... | 81 5 3 |
| National Amalgamated Approved Society | ... | Loan repayment | ... | 438 2 6 |
| Royal London Mutual Insurance Society, Ltd. | ... | Loan repayment | ... | 1173 12 4 |
| Refuge Assurance Co., Ltd. | ... | Loan repayment | ... | 190 3 5 |
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After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF WORKS AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL COMMITTEE: The Works and Sewage Disposal Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 30th ulto. (Agenda page 52). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

ALLOTMENTS CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 15 of the report of the Committee in regard to the matters dealt with, in conjunction with the members of the Allotments Consultative Committee,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That Sub-paragraph (H) be amended to read "Allotments, Sunningfields Road," instead of "Allotments, Sunny Gardens."

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE: The Public Health Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 30th ulto. (Agenda page 56). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF TOWN PLANNING COMMITTEE: The Town Planning Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 6th inst. (Agenda page 58). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

TOWN PLANNING: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 4 of the report of the Committee in regard to Town Planning, Mr. Councillor Reynolds reported as to the proceedings at the recent Conference convened by the Willesden Urban District Council upon the subject of Town Planning, which he attended, together with Mr. Councillor Soar, on behalf of the Council.

The Chairman of the Council explained that he was unable to attend the Conference owing to the fact that a meeting of the Hendon Unemployment Committee was convened for the same evening. Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Sturgess, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the thanks of the Council be tendered to Councillors Reynolds and Soar for attending the Conference.

After due consideration of the report of the Committee, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HOUSING COMMITTEE: The Housing Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 6th inst. (Agenda page 60). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

BRENT HILL FARM SCHEME: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 1 (b) of the report of the Committee in reference to covering the ground floors of the houses on the Brent Hill Farm Estate with linoleum,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Architect be requested to submit a report upon the subject.

Upon consideration of paragraph No. 1 (g) of the report of the Committee relative to the concrete blocks being used in connection with the Brent Hill Farm Scheme. It was decided to amend the recommendation of the Committee by adding the following words "and that the Architect report when he tested the blocks and the result of such test, and if no such test has been made the reason why not, and that the Surveyor make a similar test." Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hearn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee as amended be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF STAFF COMMITTEE: The Staff Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 30th ulto (Agenda page 61). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED— That the report of the Committee be received.

CLERK'S DEPARTMENT: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 1 of the report of the Committee relative to the steps proposed to be taken to fill the vacancy occasioned in the Clerk's Department. Mr. Councillor Reynolds moved:—"That the matter be referred back to the Committee for further consideration." Councillor Miss Hodge seconded the motion. Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 4, viz:—Councillors Reynolds, Miss Hodge, Glanville and Wise, and against the motion 10, viz:—Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Cartwright, Hare, Hearn, Hill, Roberts, Sturgess, Taylor, Teare and Weeks.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 2 of the report of the Committee relative to the provision of additional clerical assistance in the Public Health Department. Mr. Councillor Hill moved: That the matter be referred back to the Committee for further consideration with a view to the request of the Medical Officer to be provided with additional clerical assistance being acceded to. Councillor Miss Growse seconded the motion. Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 12, viz:—Councillors Hill, Miss Growse, Mrs. Hargraves, Mrs. Bannister, Miss Hodge, Glanville, Reynolds, Sturgess, Taylor, Teare, Wise, and Weeks; and against the motion 3, viz:—Councillors Cartwright, Hare, and Roberts.

The Chairman declared the motion to be carried.

Reference was made to the expenditure on Public Health Services during the existence of part-time appointments, and that of the present day, and

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Accountant submit a report upon the matter to the next meeting of the Staff Committee.

Mr. Councillor Teare referred to the question of adopting salary scales in connection with appointments generally, and

IT WAS RESOLVED—That this matter be also considered at the next meeting of the Staff Committee. Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF FIRE BRIGADE COMMITTEE, No. 1: The Fire Brigade Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 6th inst. (Agenda page 62). Upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

Upon consideration of paragraph No. 11 of the report of the Committee in regard to the application of Messrs. Ewen and Sons for a licence to store petrol at premises situate at Finchley Road, Child's Hill, it was decided to add the following to such report.

PETROL STORE AT CRICKLEWOOD SIDINGS: Report from the Chief Officer as to an application made by the British Petroleum Company, Limited, to vary the plan approved by the Council for the construction of Storage Tanks by omitting the concrete construction and substituting therefor puddled clay. After careful consideration of the matter, your Committee instructed the Chief Officer to inform the Company that the Council could not see their way to assent to the proposed variation. Upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF FIRE BRIGADE COMMITTEE, No. 2: The Fire Brigade Committee submitted a report of a further meeting of the Committee held on the 13th inst. (Agenda page 63). Upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

REPORT OF GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE: The General Purposes Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 13th inst. (Agenda page 64). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Councillor Mrs. Bannister,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

RENT ACT, 1920: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 9 of the report of the Committee relative to the resolution adopted by the Urban District Council of Hayes urging the Government to repeal the provisions in the Increase of Rent and Mortgage Interest (Restriction) Act, 1920, permitting a further increase of 10 per cent. of the net rent after the 2nd July, 1921.

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Mr. Councillor Roberts moved:—"That the matter be referred back to the Committee for further consideration with a view to the Council supporting the Urban District Council of Hayes, in accordance with the terms of the resolution transmitted by them.

Councillor Miss Hodge seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 4, viz.:—Councillors Roberts, Miss Hodge, Teare, and Weeks; and against the motion 7, viz.:—Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Cartwright, Glanville, Hare, Hearn, Hill, and Reynolds.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE: The Highways Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 13th inst. (Agenda page 66). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

OMNIBUS FACILITIES: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 1 of the report of the Committee in regard to the proposal of the London General Omnibus Company, Limited, to provide omnibus facilities from Golders Green to Mill Hill, Edgware and Whetstone, Mr. Councillor Sturgess moved:—"That the following words be added to the recommendation of the Committee: 'Subject to the Omnibus Company paying such part of the increased cost of the upkeep of the roads traversed as the Surveyor of the Council may certify is due to 'extraordinary traffic' within the meaning of Section 23 of the Highways and Locomotives (Amendment) Act, 1878, consequent upon the user of the roads by their omnibuses.'" Mr. Councillor Hill seconded the motion.

Upon the same being put to the meeting, there voted in favour thereof 9, viz.:—Councillors Sturgess, Mrs. Bannister, Hare, Hearn, Hill, Roberts, Taylor, Teare, and Weeks; and against the motion 5, viz.:—Councillors Miss Hodge, Miss Growse, Cartwright, Glanville, and Reynolds.

The Chairman declared the motion to be carried.

AVENUE FARM: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 2 of the report of the Committee in regard to the proposal to erect a notice board warning cyclists against the practice of riding on the footpath at Avenue Farm, Mr. Councillor Taylor moved as an amendment:—

"That three notice boards be erected in the vicinity of the path in question, and that the Hampstead Borough Council be requested to erect a board at the point where such footpath is within their area."

Mr. Councillor Roberts seconded the amendment.

Upon the same being put to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 7, viz.:—Councillors Taylor, Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Miss Hodge, Glanville, Roberts and Teare; and against the amendment 4, viz.:—Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Cartwright, Hare and Hill.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be carried.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hare, seconded by Councillor Mrs. Bannister,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF REQUISITIONS COMMITTEE: The Requisitions Committee submitted the following report of a meeting held this evening:—

REPORT OF REQUISITIONS COMMITTEE.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall this evening. Present: Mr. Councillor Egan (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Cartwright, Roberts, Reynolds, and Teare.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor and the Chief Officer of the Fire Brigade submitted a requisition of goods required, and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That in the case of the Surveyor's requisitions, the same be approved, and that the requisitions submitted by the Chief Officer be referred to the Fire Brigade Committee for consideration.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

CORRESPONDENCE: The Clerk reported the receipt of letters as detailed in his report book, and

IT WAS RESOLVED—Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Sturgess, that the same be referred to the respective Committees for consideration in the usual way.

DOCUMENTS FOR SEALING: The Clerk submitted the following documents for sealing by the Council:—

Howkins, F.—Agreement as to deposit of material, Warner Road.

Pruden, A.—Contract for Harness Repairs.

Hendon Education Committee.—Licence, Employment of Children in Entertainment Rules. *re* Kathleen Alice Gertrude Jupp.

1 Petrol Licence as per Fire Brigade Committee Report (Agenda page 63).

9 Game Licences, as per General Purposes Committee report (Agenda page 64).

1 Housing Bond, as per Housing Bond Register.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Councillor Mrs. Bannister,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the documents in question.

SUNNY HILL FIELDS: The Clerk reported the receipt of a letter from the Ministry of Health in regard to the application of the Council for sanction to loan of £4,650 for the acquisition of Sunny Hill Fields as an open space, from which it appeared that the Ministry were not now prepared to entertain applications for sanctions to loans of this description unless the expenditure was urgently required and could not safely be postponed.

After due consideration of such communication, Mr. Councillor Hill moved:—

“That a further communication be addressed to the Ministry of Health requesting them to re-consider the application, and direct a Local Inquiry to be held on the grounds of urgency.”

Councillor Miss Growse seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting, the Chairman declared the same to be carried *nem. con.*

BRENT HILL FARM HOUSING SCHEME: Letter from the Ministry of Health giving expression to their views in regard to the recent interview which had taken place between representatives of the Ministry and the Officials of the Council in connection with the settlement of the claim made by Mr. Smith for compensation, or, the possible modification of the scheme in connection with the Brent Hill Farm Housing Scheme.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such communication be considered by the Council in Committee this evening.

AERIAL PAGEANT, 1921: Letter from the Air Vice-Marshal Commanding Inland Area, Royal Air Force, in regard to the arrangements proposed to be made in connection with the Aerial Pageant to be held at the London Aerodrome on the 2nd prox., and asking that steps might be taken to ensure that the roads of access to the Aerodrome were free from obstruction on that date.

The Chairman of the Council reported that upon receipt of this communication he had given instructions for a copy thereof to be transmitted to the Surveyor, with a view to steps being taken to meet the wishes of the Royal Air Force Authorities, and the Authorities had been informed that every endeavour would be made to comply with their request.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the action of the Chairman in connection with the matter be approved.

HENDON PUBLIC PARK: Report from the Clerk that Mr. H. Kemp, who had agreed to hold a series of concerts in the Hendon Public Park, had failed to execute the agreement transmitted to him in connection with the matter, and that the entertainments had not yet been commenced. In view of the fact that the season for holding concerts in the Park was advancing, the Clerk asked for the Council's instructions in connection therewith.

After due consideration of the matter, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hearn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the arrangements with Mr. Kemp be cancelled.

ROADWAY—WESSEX GARDENS: Report from the Clerk that in addition to the application forwarded to the Ministry of Health for sanction to loan for the construction of a roadway at Wessex Gardens, representation had also been made to the Ministry of Transport upon the matter. The latter department had intimated that they had decided to make a recommendation to the Ministry of Health in regard thereto, and the Clerk stated that he anticipated sanction to the necessary loan for the carrying out of the work would be forwarded without delay. Noted.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING CABLE: The Surveyor reported the receipt of an application from the Hendon Electric Supply Company to lay a cable on the east side of Lichfield Road, Cricklewood. After due consideration of the matter, and the report of the Surveyor in regard thereto,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the application of the Hendon Electric Supply Company be approved, subject to the usual conditions.

UNEMPLOYMENT: In accordance with the instructions of the Council at the Special Meeting held on Monday last, the Surveyor intimated that he had prepared a report as to the specific work, upon which the money voted at such meeting might be expended, with a view to affording further assistance to the Unemployed of the district.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such report be considered by the Council in Committee this evening.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE MINUTES: The Minutes of the proceedings of the Hendon Education Committee at a meeting held on the 26th April, 1921, having been circulated amongst the members of the Council, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Minutes be received.

IN COMMITTEE:

BRENT HILL FARM HOUSING SCHEME: Consideration was given to the communication received from the Ministry of Health in regard to the interview afforded by the Ministry to the Officials of the Council relative to the settlement of the claim by Mr. Smith for compensation, or, as an alternative, a possible modification of the scheme, and compensation being granted to the builders in respect of such modification.

It appeared from such communication that the Ministry were in general agreement as to the expediency of curtailing the scheme by retaining some twelve acres of land, south of the Farm Buildings, a part of such land to be leased to Mr. Smith. In regard to the compensation suggested by the Builders, in the event of the scheme being curtailed, the Ministry intimated that they considered the same excessive, and they suggested that a further Conference should take place between representatives of the Ministry and the Council to deal with this question, and that the Builders might also be asked to attend the proposed Conference.

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Report from the Clerk that in view of the decision of the Council on Monday last, which had been arrived at prior to the receipt of the communication above referred to, he had informed the Ministry of Health that subsequent to the interview with their Department, the Officials of the Council had met Mr. Smith and his representatives, and had been successful in arranging modified terms for the settlement of the compensation claimed by him, and that in view of such modified terms, and having regard to the excessive claim of the Building Contractor, the Council had decided to proceed with the completion of the scheme as originally proposed, and to settle with Mr. Smith on terms which would leave him with possession of the Farm House and buildings only (approximately three acres in extent).

The Clerk further reported that in view of the decision of the Council to proceed with the scheme, as originally proposed, he had made enquiry of the Ministry of Health as to whether they desired to proceed with the holding of the further Conference suggested by them. No reply, however, had, up to the present, been received in regard thereto.

After careful consideration of the matter, Mr. Councillor Cartwright moved:—

"That the further Conference suggested by the Ministry of Health between representatives of their Department and the Officials of the Council should be held to further discuss the matter."

Mr. Councillor Hearn seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting, the Chairman declared the same to be carried *nem. con.*

UNEMPLOYMENT: Consideration was given to the report of the Surveyor in connection with the provision of further work for the unemployed of the district.

He suggested that the Council should proceed with the widening of the Mill Hill Road, extending on a frontage from Dollis Lane to the Great Northern Railway Bridge, particularly in view of the fact that the road had been classified by the Ministry of Transport as a Class 2 Road, and to the possibility of the same becoming a motor omnibus route at an early date.

The Surveyor stated that he estimated the cost of widening the length of road in question would amount to approximately £1,500, and he had sub-divided the work into three equal sections.

After due consideration of the report of the Surveyor in regard thereto, the Council considered that the work of widening the section of the Mill Hill Road, referred to by the Surveyor, should be carried out. It would be necessary, however, to make application to the Ministry of Health for sanction to a loan to carry out the proposed work. Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That, in due course, application be made to the Ministry of Health for sanction to a loan of £1,500 for executing the widening works referred to, it being expressly pointed out to the Ministry that in carrying out such works it was proposed to utilize the services of the unemployed of the district.

The Surveyor also suggested the provision of additional Tennis Courts in the Hendon Public Park in view of the great demand for Courts at the present time. He produced a plan providing for the addition of four further Tennis Courts, near the existing Courts, the provision of which he estimated would involve an expenditure of £300. Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Councillor Miss Growse,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the suggestion of the Surveyor for the provision of four additional Tennis Courts in the Hendon Public Park be carried out, and that the expenditure in so doing be provided out of the sum of £500 voted at the Special Council Meeting on Monday last with the object of finding work for the unemployed.

HOUSING—BRENT HILL: Report from the Surveyor in regard to the question of providing assistance to Mr. Hughes, the Clerk of Works at the Brent Hill Housing Scheme. He suggested, in view of the advanced stage of the Child's Hill Scheme, that Mr. Bush might be released from duty there, and transferred to the Brent Hill Scheme. The actual superintendence of the Child's Hill Scheme could be undertaken by the Building Inspector. It would be necessary, however, for Mr. Bush to pay an occasional visit to the work to ascertain certain particulars which would be required by the Architect from time to time. Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the arrangement proposed by the Surveyor be carried out.

SOMERTON ROAD—PRIVATE IMPROVEMENTS: Reference was made to the question of proceeding with the works of private street improvement in Somerton Road, Cricklewood, and after some discussion in connection therewith it was decided to request the Highways Committee to further consider the matter, in view of the attitude adopted by certain of the owners of property in such road in regard to the proposal.

S. H. Shaw
Chairman.

Minutes.

AT A SPECIAL MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 4th day of July, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
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 " " C. W. Hill,
 Councillor The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan,
 Mr. Councillor A. Roberts,
 " " A. J. Reynolds,
 " " A. B. Soar,
 " " J. H. Sturgess,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " W. Taylor,
 " " R. M. Weeks,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant).

The Clerk read the notice convening the meeting.

REPORT OF WORKS COMMITTEE: The Works Committee submitted the following report of a meeting held on the 27th day of June, 1921.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report be received:—

REPORT OF WORKS AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL COMMITTEE.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 27th day of June, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Roberts (Chairman), Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Cartwright, Egan, Glanville, Hare, Hill, Reynolds, Sturgess, and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

HENDON PUBLIC PARK: Letter from the Bandmaster, Hendon Salvation Army Band, making application for the use of the Bandstand in the Hendon Public Park on Sunday, the 17th proximo; also for permission to make a collection in the Park on that day, the proceeds of such proposed collection to be devoted to the Sunday School Outing Fund.

After careful consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the application of the Hendon Salvation Army Band be acceded to, both as regards the use of the Bandstand and the proposed collection in the Park, it being distinctly understood, however, that the latter concession is not to form a precedent for future applications of a similar nature.

Mr. Councillor Hill moved as an amendment that the application be acceded to so far as regards the use of the Bandstand, but the application for consent to make a collection be not acceded to.

Mr. Councillor Cartwright seconded the amendment.

Upon the same being put to the meeting, there voted for it four, viz.:—Councillors Cartwright, Hare, Hearn, and Hill; and against it 12, viz.:—Councillors Teare, Soar, Reynolds, Sturgess, Weeks, Miss Hodge, Glanville, Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Taylor, Roberts, and Mrs. Hargraves.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be not carried.

Mr. Councillor Hearn moved as a further amendment to delete the following words from the recommendation: "It being distinctly understood, however, that the latter concession is not to form a precedent for future applications of a similar nature."

Councillor Miss Growse seconded the amendment.

Upon the amendment being submitted to the meeting, the Chairman declared the same to be carried, Mr. Councillor Cartwright voting against.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Councillor Mrs. Bannister,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such report, as amended, be approved and adopted.

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AT A SPECIAL MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon (in Committee), held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 4th day of July, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
 " " W. L. Glanville,
 " " R. Hare,
 " " F. W. Hearn,
 " " C. W. Hill,
 Councillor The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan,
 Mr. Councillor A. Roberts,
 " " A. J. Reynolds,
 " " A. B. Soar,
 " " J. H. Sturgess,
 " " W. Taylor,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " R. M. Weeks,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor), *Mr. S. S. Grimley (Consulting Engineer)*
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant).

The Clerk read the notice convening the meeting.

SEWAGE OUTFALL WORKS EXTENSION: Report from the Engineer upon the following tenders for the completion of the Sewage Outfall Extension Works:—

| No. | Name. | Amount of Tender. | | |
|-----|---------------------------------|-------------------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. |
| 1. | Roads and Public Works, Limited | 19,445 | 0 | 2 |
| 2. | Wm. Moss and Sons, Limited | 19,710 | 3 | 5 |
| 3. | A. J. Hill | 20,254 | 4 | 0 |
| 4. | Hussey and Egan | 22,430 | 4 | 0 |
| 5. | Howard Farrow | 22,720 | 0 | 4 |
| 6. | C. Carter | 23,631 | 12 | 6 |
| 7. | D. R. Paterson | 23,743 | 12 | 3 |
| 8. | G. Wimpey and Company | 24,092 | 3 | 2 |
| 9. | D. T. Jackson | 24,329 | 3 | 5 |
| 10. | Thomas Adams | 25,076 | 10 | 10 |
| 11. | G. Percy Trentham | 26,220 | 8 | 7 |
| 12. | Edwards Construction Co. | 26,324 | 0 | 7 |
| 13. | J. Cochrane and Sons, Limited | 27,288 | 12 | 6 |
| 14. | British Construction Company | 28,385 | 4 | 6 |

IT WAS RESOLVED, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts, that the tender of Messrs. William Moss and Sons, Limited, at £19,710, be accepted, subject to the approval of the Ministry of Health, and that application be made to the Ministry for the issue of the necessary sanction to the loan for completion of the works.

TEMPLE FORTUNE OUTFALL SEWER: Report from the Engineer upon the following tenders for the construction of the Temple Fortune Outfall Sewer:—

| No. | Name. | Amount of Tender. | | |
|-----|---------------------------------|-------------------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. |
| 1. | Wm. Moss and Sons | 5,752 | 0 | 0 |
| 2. | D. R. Paterson | 5,792 | 16 | 0 |
| 3. | Hussey and Egan | 6,065 | 7 | 0 |
| 4. | Roads and Public Works, Limited | 6,075 | 3 | 6 |
| 5. | Howard Farrow | 6,079 | 0 | 0 |
| 6. | C. Carter | 6,335 | 0 | 0 |
| 7. | A. J. Hill | 6,454 | 10 | 0 |
| 8. | D. T. Jackson | 6,510 | 17 | 6 |
| 9. | T. Adams | 6,553 | 10 | 0 |
| 10. | G. Wimpey | 6,598 | 16 | 6 |
| 11. | J. Cochrane and Sons | 6,828 | 18 | 4 |
| 12. | Edwards Construction Co. | 7,016 | 18 | 0 |
| 13. | British Construction Co. | 7,531 | 10 | 0 |
| 14. | G. Percy Trentham, Limited | 7,774 | 0 | 0 |

IT WAS RESOLVED, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill, that the Tender of Messrs. Wm. Moss and Sons, Ltd., at £5752 be accepted subject to the approval of the Ministry of Health, and that application be made to the Ministry for the issue of the necessary sanction to the increased expenditure for the execution of the work.

BITTACY HILL HOUSING SCHEME: That they received a report from the Surveyor in regard to the tenders submitted for the erection of houses at Bittacy Hill, Mill Hill.

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The tenders had been submitted to the Ministry of Health, and the Clerk reported that the Ministry had telephoned to state that they would not be prepared to approve of the tenders, and a communication to that effect would be transmitted to the Council.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hearn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the consideration of the matter be adjourned until the Council meeting, when the Official communication from the Ministry of Health would no doubt be received.

LAND AT THE BURROUGHS: The Clerk reported the position in regard to his negotiations with the owner of the land at the junction of Colindeep Lane and The Burroughs, from which it appeared that there was every hope that the owner would be prepared to dispose of the land, and he had promised to communicate with him in a few days.

A further report would be submitted in regard to the negotiations as soon as possible.

BRENT HILL HOUSING SCHEME: Enquiry was made as to the position of the Brent Hill Housing Scheme.

The Clerk reported that in accordance with the instructions of the Council a communication had been transmitted to the Ministry of Health requesting that an appointment might be arranged to further discuss the matter, but up to the present no definite decision had been given by the Ministry thereon.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Soar,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Clerk again approach the Ministry with a view to arranging an early appointment.

TOWN HALL LETTINGS: Reference was made to the holding of whist drives for money prizes at the Town Hall, and the Clerk reported that further applications had been received for similar bookings and he desired to know the wishes of the Council in regard to such applications. Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Sturgess, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the matter be considered by the Finance Committee.

APPOINTMENT OF FIREMAN: Upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Fire Brigade Committee be invested with power to make the appointment of single fireman at the Central Fire Station, Hendon.

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TOWN HALL,

HENDON, N.W.

14th July, 1921.

DEAR SIR, OR MADAM,

I beg to inform you that a Meeting of the Urban District Council of Hendon will be held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday next, the 18th day of July, 1921, at 6.15 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of transacting the following business, namely:—

Agenda:

1. To confirm Minutes of previous Meetings.
2. Questions.
3. Report of Finance Committee.
4. Report of Works and Sewage Disposal Committee.
5. Report of Public Health Committee.
6. Report of Town Planning Committee.
7. Report of Housing Committee.
8. Report of Staff Committee.
9. Reports of Fire Brigade Committee.
10. Report of General Purposes Committee.
11. Report of Highways Committee.
12. Report of Requisitions Committee.
13. Report of Clerk.
14. Report of Surveyor.
15. Education Committee (Minutes).

I am, Dear Sir or Madam,

Yours faithfully,

HENRY HUMPHRIS,

Clerk to the Council.

Pensions Committee, at 6 p.m.

The Requisitions Committee, consisting of the Chairmen of the Standing Committees, to follow.

Report of Finance Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 11th day of July, 1921. Present: Councillor Cartwright (Chairman), Councillors Miss Hodge, Mrs. Hargraves, Fenn, Hearn, Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Roberts, Soar, Sturgess, Teare and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, ETC.: Your Committee have examined the Treasurer's Pass Book and Cash Books, and report that the total receipts from all sources since the last meeting amounted to the sum of £21,342 12s. 0d., making a total of £66,424 10s. 6d. for the current financial year.

INCOME.

| Description. | Amounts previously Reported. | | | Amounts now Reported. | | | Total. | | |
|---|------------------------------|----|----|-----------------------|----|----|------------|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| Rateable Accounts— | | | | | | | | | |
| Hendon Recreation Ground ... | 44 | 16 | 4 | 47 | 1 | 0 | 91 | 17 | 4 |
| Sewage Farm Rents, etc. ... | 30 | 17 | 6 | 7 | 10 | 0 | 38 | 7 | 6 |
| Sanitary Department, Disinfecting, etc. | 3 | 16 | 6 | | | | 3 | 16 | 6 |
| Burroughs House, Rent, etc. ... | 7 | 14 | 0 | 17 | 10 | 0 | 25 | 4 | 0 |
| Maternity Centres and Midwifery ... | 51 | 8 | 9 | 40 | 4 | 0 | 91 | 12 | 9 |
| Refuse Collection and Dust Shoot | | | | | | | | | |
| Permits ... | 7 | 7 | 6 | 83 | 7 | 6 | 90 | 15 | 0 |
| Fire Brigade, expenses, etc., recovered | 71 | 7 | 11 | 14 | 6 | 4 | 85 | 14 | 3 |
| Motor Ambulance, fees, etc. ... | 13 | 5 | 0 | 14 | 9 | 0 | 27 | 14 | 0 |
| Highways and Main Roads ... | 44 | 3 | 10 | 24 | 7 | 6 | 68 | 11 | 4 |
| Street Lighting, damages recovered | 1 | 6 | 9 | | | | 1 | 6 | 9 |
| Lyons and Harvists Trust Fund ... | 365 | 18 | 8 | | | | 365 | 18 | 8 |
| Salaries Account, fees, etc. ... | 111 | 2 | 6 | 100 | 0 | 0 | 211 | 2 | 6 |
| Public Offices, lettings, etc. ... | 56 | 14 | 4 | 61 | 6 | 0 | 118 | 0 | 4 |
| Establishment and Legal Expenses ... | 126 | 16 | 7 | 13 | 8 | 2 | 140 | 4 | 9 |
| Building Certificates ... | 29 | 8 | 0 | | | | 29 | 8 | 0 |
| Interest and Dividends ... | 202 | 17 | 6 | 1217 | 2 | 4 | 1419 | 19 | 10 |
| Workmen's compensation ... | 9 | 6 | 8 | | | | 9 | 6 | 8 |
| General District Rates and Costs ... | 19500 | 10 | 2 | 18102 | 15 | 11 | 37603 | 6 | 1 |
| Government Contribution in lieu of Rates | | | | 336 | 7 | 6 | 336 | 7 | 6 |
| | £20678 18 6 | | | 20079 15 3 | | | 40758 13 9 | | |
| Suspense Accounts— | | | | | | | | | |
| National Kitchens ... | 20 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 10 | 0 | 38 | 10 | 0 |
| Allotments ... | 57 | 0 | 11 | 13 | 4 | 1 | 70 | 5 | 0 |
| Lands Cultivation Orders ... | 9 | 12 | 10 | 2 | 15 | 6 | 12 | 8 | 4 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 1, Rents ... | 284 | 15 | 5 | 117 | 3 | 6 | 401 | 18 | 11 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 2, Rents ... | 62 | 11 | 11 | 77 | 10 | 0 | 140 | 1 | 11 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 2, Key Deposits | 4 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 10 | 0 |
| Emergency Food Control—repayment of advance | | | | | | | | | |
| Private Works ... | | | | 250 | 0 | 0 | 250 | 0 | 0 |
| Tender Deposits ... | 543 | 16 | 9 | 84 | 17 | 5 | 628 | 14 | 2 |
| Wages—Unemployment Fund ... | 89 | 5 | 0 | 194 | 0 | 0 | 283 | 5 | 0 |
| Private Improvements ... | 187 | 15 | 3 | 163 | 3 | 3 | 350 | 18 | 6 |
| Land, West Hendon, rent ... | 172 | 11 | 9 | 72 | 14 | 2 | 245 | 5 | 11 |
| Brent Hill Housing, rents ... | 3 | 0 | 0 | | | | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Ditto, ditto, key deposits ... | 29 | 10 | 2 | 66 | 16 | 10 | 96 | 7 | 0 |
| Coal Reserve Stock—Sales ... | 3 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 10 | 0 |
| | | | | 75 | 2 | 0 | 75 | 2 | 0 |
| | £1468 0 0 | | | 1137 16 9 | | | 2605 16 9 | | |
| Capital Accounts— | | | | | | | | | |
| Loans—General ... | 15535 | 0 | 0 | | | | 15535 | 0 | 0 |
| Loans—Housing ... | 7100 | 0 | 0 | | | | 7100 | 0 | 0 |
| Housing Bonds ... | 300 | 0 | 0 | 125 | 0 | 0 | 425 | 0 | 0 |
| | £22935 0 0 | | | 125 0 0 | | | 23060 0 0 | | |

SUMMARY OF INCOME TO DATE.

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| Rateable Accounts | 20678 | 18 | 6 | 20079 | 15 | 3 | 40758 | 13 | 9 |
| Suspense Accounts | 1468 | 0 | 0 | 1137 | 16 | 9 | 2605 | 16 | 9 |
| Capital Accounts | 22935 | 0 | 0 | 125 | 0 | 0 | 23060 | 0 | 0 |
| | £45081 18 6 | | | 21342 12 0 | | | 66424 10 6 | | |

2.—RATE COLLECTION: They have also examined the Statement as to the rate collection, and find that there has been collected and paid to the Treasurer since the last meeting the sum of £18,438 19s. 11d. on account of rates, and 3s. 6d. on account of costs.

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3.—STATEMENT OF BALANCES: They have also examined the Cash Book and Statement of Treasurer's Balances, which they found correct, and report that the total balance in hand amounted to £75,702 12s. 8d.

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BANK ACCOUNTS.

| | Revenue Account. | | Sinking Fund. | | Loans Account. | | Housing Subsidized Account. | | Total. | |
|--|------------------|-------|---------------|-------|----------------|-------|-----------------------------|-------|--------|-------|
| | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| Balance in hand 7th June, 1921 ... | 17206 | 12 3 | 10 | 0 5 | | | | | | |
| Receipts per Statement to 7th July, 1921 ... | 21151 | 3 10 | | | | | 85468 | 19 4 | 102685 | 12 0 |
| Transfer from Loans Account ... | | | | | 66 | 8 2 | 125 | 0 0 | 21342 | 12 0 |
| Cancelled Cheque ... | 3 | 5 4 | | | | | 259 | 0 7 | 259 | 0 7 |
| Balance overdrawn at 7th July ... | | | | | | | | | 3 | 5 4 |
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| | £38361 | 1 5 | 10 | 0 5 | 22358 | 7 3 | 85852 | 19 11 | 146582 | 9 0 |

CREDITS—

| | Revenue Account. | | Sinking Fund. | | Loans Account. | | Housing Subsidized Account. | | Total. | |
|---|------------------|-------|---------------|-------|----------------|-------|-----------------------------|-------|--------|-------|
| | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| Balance overdrawn 7th June, 1921 ... | | | | | 14091 | 8 11 | | | 14091 | 8 11 |
| Cheques per lists to 27th June 1921 ... | 12349 | 4 6 | | | 8007 | 17 9 | 13878 | 1 4 | 34235 | 3 7 |
| Transfer to Housing account ... | | | | | 259 | 0 7 | | | 259 | 0 7 |
| Transfer to Suspense account ... | 2 | 4 2 | | | | | | | 2 | 4 2 |
| Balance in hand 7th July, 1921 ... | 26009 | 12 9 | | | | | 71974 | 18 7 | 97994 | 11 9 |
| | £38361 | 1 5 | 10 | 0 5 | 22358 | 7 3 | 85852 | 19 11 | 146582 | 9 0 |

4.—ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT: They have also considered the various accounts submitted for payment, amounting to the sum of £36,374 12s. 1d., and

RECOMMEND—That the same be passed and cheques drawn for the various amounts.

5.—EXPENDITURE JOURNALS, GENERAL AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS: That they have examined these Journals, and

RECOMMEND—That the Personal Accounts in the Ledger be credited, and the various Impersonal Accounts debited with the amounts of the Invoices, as per the following Statement showing outlay to date:—

EXPENDITURE.

| Approved Estimate. | Account Chargeable. | Payments previously Reported. | | Amounts now Reported. | | Total. | |
|--------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|--------|-------|
| | | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| | 1920-1921 Liabilities ... | 228944 | 10 11 | 47 | 17 9 | 228992 | 8 8 |

RATEABLE ACCOUNTS—

| £ | Account | Payments previously Reported. | Amounts now Reported. | Total. | | | |
|-------|--|-------------------------------|-----------------------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| £ | | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | | |
| 12916 | Main Roads ... | 281 | 8 11 | 212 | 2 0 | 493 | 10 11 |
| 5636 | Highways ... | 504 | 16 5 | 621 | 1 10 | 1125 | 18 3 |
| 2347 | Tarpainting ... | 1158 | 19 7 | 318 | 3 0 | 1477 | 2 7 |
| 250 | Dust and Refuse Removal ... | 16 | 2 0 | 25 | 1 0 | 41 | 3 0 |
| 350 | Emptying Cesspools ... | 88 | 0 0 | | | 88 | 0 0 |
| 670 | Mill Hill Dusting ... | | | 124 | 0 0 | 124 | 0 0 |
| 12280 | Public Lighting ... | 84 | 17 6 | 1683 | 10 0 | 1768 | 7 6 |
| 140 | Sewers Maintenance ... | 7 | 16 0 | 5 | 9 6 | 13 | 5 6 |
| 544 | Pumping Stations ... | 36 | 17 2 | 101 | 14 1 | 138 | 11 3 |
| 832 | Outfall Works ... | 157 | 16 10 | 73 | 8 0 | 231 | 4 10 |
| 440 | Sanitation, etc. ... | 60 | 6 10 | 20 | 1 6 | 80 | 8 4 |
| 1291 | Isolation Hospital ... | 236 | 13 3 | 71 | 13 0 | 308 | 6 3 |
| 1414 | Joint Smallpox Hospital ... | 555 | 4 11 | | | 555 | 4 11 |
| 162 | Maternity Centres ... | 23 | 1 7 | 11 | 17 11 | 34 | 19 6 |
| 950 | Maternity Stock and Milk ... | 95 | 8 8 | 22 | 9 3 | 117 | 17 11 |
| 300 | Day Nursery Grants ... | 150 | 0 0 | | | 150 | 0 0 |
| 20 | Mortuary ... | 5 | 16 0 | | | 5 | 16 0 |
| 1335 | Fire Brigade ... | 137 | 5 6 | 163 | 2 8 | 300 | 8 2 |
| 87 | Accident Ambulance ... | 2 | 0 4 | 5 | 10 4 | 7 | 10 8 |
| 186 | Pleasure Grounds, Street Trees, etc. ... | 30 | 8 7 | 6 | 2 1 | 36 | 10 8 |
| 1297 | Town Hall ... | 135 | 12 9 | 16 | 5 9 | 151 | 18 6 |
| 170 | Burroughs House ... | 23 | 5 0 | 35 | 0 0 | 58 | 5 0 |
| 300 | Legal, etc., Expenses ... | 28 | 17 1 | | | 28 | 17 1 |
| 200 | Establishment Expenses ... | 34 | 13 6 | 16 | 5 6 | 50 | 19 0 |
| 1100 | Printing, Stationery, Insurances, etc. ... | 409 | 16 0 | 76 | 14 8 | 486 | 10 8 |
| 150 | Election Expenses ... | 193 | 2 7 | | | 193 | 2 7 |
| 18604 | Loan Charges ... | 1961 | 5 10 | 3763 | 18 9 | 5725 | 4 7 |
| 2100 | Subsidised Housing—Amount of 1d. Rate ... | 1904 | 6 0 | 195 | 14 0 | 2100 | 0 0 |
| 14351 | Salaries ... | 3604 | 11 3 | 1283 | 6 11 | 4887 | 18 2 |
| 26541 | Wages ... | 6601 | 4 0 | 7337 | 2 5 | 13938 | 6 5 |
| 3110 | Stables ... | 273 | 5 10 | 171 | 4 3 | 444 | 10 1 |

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| 1616 | Stores | ... | 281 4 4 | 444 3 4 | 725 7 8 |
| 45 | Public Depots | ... | 16 7 3 | 4 5 0 | 20 12 3 |
| 1080 | Steam Wagons, Maintenance | ... | 13 8 1 | 47 9 11 | 60 18 0 |
| 1028 | Stationery Stock | ... | 129 18 6 | 61 15 11 | 191 14 5 |
| 950 | Special Works | ... | | | |
| 100 | Drainage Conversions, etc. | ... | | | |
| £114892 | | | £19243 18 1 | 16918 12 7 | 36162 10 8 |

SUSPENSE ACCOUNTS.

| | | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|-----|----------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Allotments | ... | 30 10 11 | 80 2 6 | 110 13 5 | |
| Lands Cultivation Orders | ... | 13 15 1 | 26 3 7 | 39 18 8 | |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 1 | ... | 166 10 6 | 1 2 0 | 167 12 6 | |
| Overseers' Expenses | ... | 61 2 10 | 25 1 4 | 86 4 2 | |
| Food Control | ... | 250 0 0 | | 250 0 0 | |
| Kitchens | ... | 25 0 0 | 12 10 0 | 37 10 0 | |
| Private Works | ... | 15 8 0 | 12 11 0 | 27 19 0 | |
| District Rate Refunds | ... | 15 0 | 5 4 7 | 5 19 7 | |
| Education | ... | 3 1 0 | 1 17 10 | 4 18 10 | |
| Stables Reserve | ... | 200 0 0 | | 200 0 0 | |
| Subsidised Housing—excess of 1d. Rate | ... | | 1307 8 7 | 1307 8 7 | |
| | | | £766 3 4 | 1472 1 5 | 2238 4 9 |

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS.

| Sanction. | £ | | | | |
|-----------|---|--|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| 33939 | | Child's Hill Housing, No. 2 | 6129 7 2 | 2585 10 6 | 8714 17 8 |
| 211556 | | Brent Hill Housing | 28123 8 6 | 19041 7 10 | 47169 16 4 |
| 2533 | | Bittacy Hill Housing | 73 4 10 | 2480 10 8 | 2553 15 6 |
| 35048 | | Private Street Improvements | 10905 11 3 | 6326 4 11 | 17231 16 2 |
| 7100 | | West Hendon Housing | 7185 2 6 | | 7185 2 6 |
| 500 | | Colindeep Lane Sewer Extension | 259 0 7 | | 259 0 7 |
| 13735 | | Kingsbury Lane Land (Pleasure Grounds) | 14316 8 4 | | 14316 8 4 |
| 1800 | | Kingsbury Lane Land (Allotments) | 1665 0 0 | | 1665 0 0 |
| | | Edgware Road Reconstruction | 2 5 0 | 9 13 4 | 11 18 4 |
| 1977 | | Outfall Works Extension | 22 4 7 | | 22 4 7 |
| 3715 | | Park Road Widening | 9 2 5 | 38 3 1 | 47 5 6 |
| | | Temple Fortune Sewer | 13 5 2 | | 13 5 2 |
| | | Woodstock Avenue Road Construction | 1 6 0 | | 1 6 0 |
| | | Bittacy Hill Land (Pleasure Ground). | | 1296 3 11 | 1296 3 11 |
| | | Bittacy Hill Land (Allotments) | | 725 17 5 | 725 17 5 |
| | | | £68710 6 4 | 32503 11 8 | 101213 18 0 |

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS TO DATE.

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| Rateable Accounts | ... | 19243 18 1 | 16918 12 7 | 36162 10 8 |
| Suspense Accounts | ... | 766 3 4 | 1472 1 5 | 2238 4 9 |
| Capital Accounts | ... | 68710 6 4 | 32503 11 8 | 101213 18 0 |
| | | £88720 7 9 | 50894 5 8 | 139614 13 5 |

6.—PAY ORDER: The Accountant submitted Pay Order amounting to the sum of £2,615 13s. 8d. in respect of certain special items, included in the accounts for payment. Your Committee gave authority for the pay order to be issued.

7.—LOAN £4,650: Letter from the Ministry of Health in reference to the application of the Council for sanction to a loan of £4,650 for the purchase of Sunny Hill Fields, intimating that the Ministry would be prepared to hold an Inquiry upon the matter. The Ministry intimated that the Council must be prepared to submit evidence to show that the proposed purchase was justified, in view of the urgent necessity for avoiding capital expenditure at the present time.

Report from the Clerk that since the receipt of the communication from the Ministry, notice of Inquiry had been received and the Inquiry would take place on Wednesday, the 20th July, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Your Committee are informed that the application is receiving support from the Commons and Footpaths Preservation Society, The Metropolitan Public Gardens Society, The National Trust, The London Playing Fields Society, and the London Society, and have duly noted the same.

8.—LOAN OF £86,000: Report from the Clerk as to the receipt of a communication from the Ministry of Health transmitting sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £86,000 for works of reconstruction in the Edgware (Main) Road, Hendon.

The Ministry suggested that in raising the loan the money should be obtained from local sources.

The Ministry also intimated that sanction was given on condition that any monies received by way of grant in respect of such works should be applied towards the reduction of the outstanding balance of the loan, which should be raised upon terms to permit of this being done. Your Committee have duly noted this communication, and they

RECOMMEND—That the Accountant take steps to raise the loan in due course.

9.—PUBLIC CONVENIENCE—BRENT STREET: Letter from the Ministry of Health intimating that before deciding upon the application for additional expenditure in connection with this proposal a Local Inquiry would be held in regard thereto.

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- 10.—HIRE OF ROOMS: Letter from the Performing Rights Society, transmitting form of licence for signature on behalf of the Council. The fee had been agreed on the basis of an estimate of £100 from lettings during the year where music was employed, and one moiety only of the amount was payable upon the signature of the licence, viz.—£2 10s. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the licence be signed by the Clerk on behalf of the Council, and that a cheque for £2 10s. be drawn in favour of the Performing Right Society, Ltd.

- (B) That they gave further consideration to the application by Mr. A. A. Jayne for the use of the rooms at the Town Hall for a Unionist Fair on behalf of the Funds of the Hendon Unionist Association to be held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the 24th to 26th November, inclusive. Your Committee have given careful consideration to the scale of fees to be charged and they now

RECOMMEND—That an inclusive fee be charged for the use of the piano and the 5 per cent. for music licence fee, amounting to £13 5s. 6d. for the three days' lettings.

- (C) Letter from Messrs. Dunwoody and Banden in reference to Booking the Rooms at the Town Hall for the purpose of a series of whist drives, Messrs. Dunwoody and Banden have already held two whist drives in the building.

A communication was received from Mr. B. Vann who had attended one of the functions, and he submitted certain observations in regard thereto. After careful consideration of the application your Committee instructed the Clerk to inform Messrs. Dunwoody and Banden that the Council were unable to accede to their request to be allowed to book the Hall for a series of whist drives.

Applications were also received from Messrs. Hibbet and Fidge, and Mr. H. J. Charter to book the rooms for a series of public whist drives on Thursdays and Fridays up to April 1922.

Your Committee have given careful consideration to the question of permitting the Town Hall to be used for purposes of Public Whist Drives of the nature proposed, and after careful consideration of the matter your Committee decided that applications for bookings of this nature should be refused.

They therefore instructed the Clerk to communicate with the applicants informing them that the Council were unable to entertain their applications. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council do not permit the Town Hall to be used for Public Whist Drives where money prizes are offered.

- (D) Application was received from Mr. L. Robinson for the re-fund of the sum of £2 16s. which had been paid in advance in respect of the use of rooms at the Town Hall, but the same had not been used, the function not having been held. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council agree to refund the amount paid, and that a cheque be drawn in favour of Mr. Robinson accordingly.

- 11.—PRICE OF GAS: Letter from the Gas Light and Coke Company intimating that as from the date of recording the meter indices for the current (midsummer) quarter, the price of gas supplied to street lamps (except where the annual charge is made under special arrangement) would be 13.2d. per therm. Your Committee have duly noted this communication.

- 12.—HOUSING: Letter from Mr. G. Hornblower (Architect) transmitting account of further fees due in respect of the Council's Housing Schemes in accordance with the terms of the agreement, amounting to £624 15s. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a cheque be drawn in favour of Mr. Hornblower accordingly.

- 13.—PARLIAMENTARY COSTS: The Accountant submitted taxed costs in connection with the Council's opposition to the following Parliamentary Bills, Session 1920:—

The London County Council Tramways Bill.
Great Northern Railway Bill.
Hertford County Council Bill.
Middlesex County Council Bill.
London Electric Railway (Fares) Bill.

Such costs including those of the Parliamentary Agents (Messrs. Torr Durnford and Co.), amounting to the sum of £544 15s. 9d. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a cheque be drawn in payment of such costs.

- 14.—CLOISTER ROAD HOUSES: Report from the Accountant as to the desirability of increasing the rent of the Child's Hill Houses by an additional 10 per cent. in accordance with the provisions of the Increase of Rent and Mortgage Interest (Restrictions) Act, 1920. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the rentals of the houses at Cloister Road be increased by 10 per cent., and that the notices be served in accordance with the Act.

- 15.—PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS: Report from the Accountant as to the arrangements for the raising of the necessary loan in connection with various private street improvement works.

The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd., had intimated that they would be prepared to advance the sum of £15,000 with interest at $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. below Bank rate with a minimum of 5 per cent. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the terms offered by the National Provincial and Union Bank of England be accepted, and that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the necessary Mortgage Deed.

- 16.—TENDER DEPOSITS: Report from the Accountant as to the desirability of returning the deposits in connection with certain tenders, viz.:—

Sewage Outfall Works Extension.
Bittacy Hill Housing.
Temple Fortune Sewer.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the tender deposits be refunded, except in the case of the successful tenderer, in which case the deposit would be refunded after the execution of the necessary Contract and Bond.

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- 17.—SEWAGE OUTFALL WORKS COTTAGE. Reference was made to the question of securing possession of the cottage occupied by E. Marks at the Sewage Outfall Works.

The Council will recollect that this man is not now employed by the Council, but he still occupies one of the Council's cottages. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That notice to quit be served upon E. Marks, and that failing compliance with notice steps be taken to secure possession of the premises.

- 18.—SANITARY OFFICERS' SALARIES: The Accountant submitted a report as to his negotiations with the County Accountant in reference to Sanitary Officers' salaries, from which it appeared that the amounts passed for payment by the County Council was in accordance with instructions issued by the Ministry of Health.

Your Committee have duly noted the report.

- 19.—BRENT HILL FARM HOUSING SCHEME: Reference was made to the type of tile proposed to be used in connection with this scheme, and your Committee inspected a sample of the Marseilles Interlocking Tile which the Company desired to utilize.

Your Committee prefer to use the ordinary type of tile, and decided not to proceed with the proposal to use Interlocking tiles.

- 20.—CONTRACTORS' CERTIFICATES: The Surveyor submitted certificates in favour of the Contractors, as follows, such amounts being included in the accounts submitted for payment:—

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Report of Works and Sewage Disposal Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon on Monday, the 27th day of June, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Roberts (Chairman), Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Cartwright, Egan, Glanville, Hare, Hill, Reynolds, Sturgess and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—BROOKSIDE ROAD:

- (A) The Clerk reported the receipt of a petition forwarded by Mr. J. F. Chadwick, signed by himself and other residents in Brookside Road, Golders Green, objecting to a proposal to alter the name of such road.
- (B) Letter from Mr. L. Trewby, General Manager of the North Middlesex Gas Company, supporting the petition forwarded by the residents in Brookside Road protesting against any change being made in the name thereof.

The Council will remember that at the last meeting of the Highways Committee a letter was reported from Mr. Chadwick, which was received prior to the receipt of the petition referred to, upon this subject, when it was reported that no representation had been made to the Council by the promoters desirous of effecting a change in the name of the road.

Report from the Clerk that no representation had been received in favour of altering the name of the road and your Committee have decided to take no action in connection with the petition forwarded by Mr. Chadwick at present.

2.—COLINDALE AREA: Letter from Mr. W. C. Garrard, Colindale and District Ratepayers' Association, in further reference to the provision of a recreation ground for children resident in the Colindale district.

Report from the Surveyor that in accordance with the instructions of the Council he had been in communication with the owner of certain land in Colindale Avenue, which the Association suggested in their previous communication might be acquired for the purpose named. He had, however, received a letter from the owner of such land intimating that he was unable to grant the use of the same as a recreation ground, in view of the fact that he anticipated commencing building operations thereon. After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Colindale and District Ratepayers' Association be informed of the reply received from the Owner of the land at Colindale Avenue, and in view of such reply they be asked to furnish particulars of any further land, which they considered suitable for the purpose of a recreation ground for the children resident in the Colindale district.

3.—FOOTPATH—THE HYDE TO COLINDEEP LANE: Letter from the Grahame White Company, Limited in reply in reference to the communication addressed to them by the Council relative to the danger to persons traversing the public footpath from The Hyde to Colindeep Lane in view of the fact that persons making use of the new Golf Course in the vicinity drive the golf balls over such footpath.

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The Company intimated that they were having notices erected requesting players to be careful not to drive golf balls across the public footpath, and they would take such precautions as may from time to time be necessary to ensure that these instructions were carried out.

Your Committee have given careful consideration to the communication from the Grahame White Company, and consider that the steps proposed to be taken by them will not entirely obviate the danger to which persons making use of the footpath in question are liable to. They therefore

RECOMMEND—That a further communication be addressed to the Grahame White Company again requesting that they will take all necessary steps to remove the danger referred to, and pointing out that in the event of the practice of driving golf balls across the public footpath continuing, against the express views of the Council, acting as the Highway Authority, the same must be at the entire risk of the Company.

4.—CHILD'S HILL RECREATION GROUND:

(A) **CHILDREN'S PLAYING GROUND:** Letter from Mr. S. L. Lyons, Hon. Secretary of the Child's Hill and Golders Green Ratepayers' Association, suggesting that a portion of the Child's Hill Recreation Ground should be reserved as a Children's Playing Ground. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor submit a report upon the matter at their next meeting.

(B) **BOWLING GREEN:** Mr. Lyons also made application, on behalf of his Association, for the provision of a bowling green in the Child's Hill Recreation Ground. After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor make enquiry as to the cost of the special turf necessary for the construction of a bowling green, and that he submit a report in regard thereto, at the next meeting of the Committee.

5.—ALLOTMENTS:

(A) **SUPPLY OF AGENDA TO MEMBERS OF ALLOTMENTS' CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE:** Letter from Mr. E. J. Rutland, on behalf of the Cricklewood Allotment Holders' Association, suggesting that the Secretaries of the various Allotment Associations, represented on the Allotments' Consultative Committee, should be supplied with a copy of the Agenda containing the items to be dealt with at each meeting of the Allotments Consultative Committee in order that they might be acquainted with the matters to be discussed thereat. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the proposal of Mr. Rutland be acceded to, and that in future the notice convening meetings of the Allotments Consultative Committee contain the items to be discussed at such meetings.

(B) Reference was made to the question of matters relating to allotments which the various Allotment Associations in the District might desire to bring before your Committee, and it was considered desirable that particulars thereof should be transmitted to the Clerk seven days prior to the date of the meeting when such matters are to be discussed

Your Committee requested the Clerk to inform the Secretaries of the Allotment Associations accordingly.

(C) **RULES—GREENFIELD GARDENS ALLOTMENTS:** Letter from Mr. E. J. Rutland, intimating that the Cricklewood Allotment Holders' Association approved of the amendments made by the Council in the rules drawn up by the Association in connection with the Greenfield Gardens Allotments, and they now proposed to adopt the same in their amended form

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

(D) **FENCING BOOTH ROAD ALLOTMENTS:** Letter from Mr. A. E. Gough complaining of the condition of the fence in connection with the Booth Road Allotments and intimating that horses from an adjoining field had gained access to the allotments, in view of the condition of the fence referred to, doing damage to the crops thereon.

Mr. Gough further pointed out that he had been informed by the lessee of the field adjoining the British Museum Repository (Mr. Pottle) that he intended grazing horses in this field. The fence in this case being in very bad condition, Mr. Gough asked that steps might be taken to prevent Mr. Pottle's animals from straying on the allotments.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee instructed the Clerk to communicate with Mr. Pottle, pointing out that the fence between the field in question and the allotments at Booth Road was in a bad condition, and requesting him, in the event of horses grazing in the field, to adopt measures to prevent the animals from straying on the allotments.

(E) **DAWS LANE ALLOTMENTS:** Letter from Mr. A. Whitson in regard to the notice to quit served upon him in connection with the allotment held by him at Daws Lane, it being reported that such allotment was uncultivated. Mr. Whitson stated that the allotment was not wholly uncultivated, the uncertainty of tenure, however, being partly responsible for the whole of the plot not being cultivated. He further stated that he had commenced to cultivate the whole of the ground, and hoped to have the same completed without delay, and he expressed a hope, in the circumstances, that the Council would see their way to withdraw the notice to quit served upon him.

After careful consideration of the matter, and in view of the assurance expressed by the allottee to cultivate the allotment in question, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the notice to quit served upon Mr. Whitson be withdrawn and that he remain in possession of the allotment held by him at Daws Lane.

(F) **ALLOTMENTS, MILL HILL:** Report from the Surveyor in regard to his further negotiations with the Governors of Mill Hill School relative to the acquisition of land for allotments. He had received a letter from the Clerk to the Governors intimating that the matter would be again placed before the Committee at their next meeting.

Your Committee have noted the present position of the matter, and await a further communication in regard thereto.

- (g) **SITES AT MILL HILL.** The Surveyor reported that in accordance with the instructions of the Committee at their last meeting he had communicated with the owners of certain sites at Mill Hill, with a view to arranging terms for the acquisition of such sites for allotment purposes. He had only received one reply, that being from Capt. Colebrook, in respect of the land owned by him and having a frontage to Marsh Lane, Mill Hill.

Captain Colebrook intimated that he was unable to offer any of his land for the provision of permanent allotments, particularly in view of the fact that he proposed to dispose of the same, it being under offer at the present time.

After careful consideration of the matter, and having regard to the fact that Capt. Colebrook proposed to dispose of his land, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That enquiry be made of him as to whether he would be prepared to dispose of a portion thereof to the Council, and upon what terms.

In regard to the remaining suggested sites for allotments at Mill Hill, your Committee await a reply from the Owners thereof in connection with the matter.

- (h) **BOOTH ROAD ALLOTMENTS:** The Surveyor submitted a letter from Messrs. Jones and Blakeway relative to the Council obtaining a lease of the allotments at Booth Road, such allotments being at present held under the Lands Cultivation Orders.

Messrs. Jones and Blakeway intimated that their clients would be willing to lease the land to the Council for the purpose of allotments for a period of seven years, subject to the right to resume possession, on three months notice being given by the lessor, in the event of the land or any part thereof being required for building purposes, the rent to be paid for such land being £4 per acre per annum. After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a lease be entered into with the Owners of the land in question, for continuance in possession of the same for the purpose of allotments, upon the terms stated by Messrs. Jones and Blakeway, with the exception of the time in which notice to be given by the Owners to resume possession of the land, viz:—3 months. Your Committee are of opinion that an endeavour should be made to prevail upon the Owners to increase this time limit to six months.

- (i) **SUNNINGFIELDS ROAD ALLOTMENTS:** Report from the Surveyor in regard to the condition of the fence bounding the allotments at Sunningfields Road, also in regard to the cost of erecting new fencing thereat.

In view of the fact that these allotments are held under the Lands Cultivations Orders, and the Ministry of Agriculture have intimated that vacant possession of the lands held under these Orders should be given to the Owners thereof on the 25th March, 1923, your Committee are of opinion, under the circumstances, that repairs should be carried out to the existing fencing, and thus avoid the expense of erecting new fencing.

In view of the number of people expected in the neighbourhood of Sunningfields Road on the occasion of the Aerial Pageant on Saturday next, your Committee gave instructions to the Surveyor to carry out the repairs to the fence in question without delay.

- (j) **COOL OAK LANE ALLOTMENTS:** The Surveyor reported in regard to the condition of the fence at the Cool Oak Lane Allotments, from which it appeared that the same was in need of repair. He stated that if the Council would find the material, members of the Allotment Association undertook to execute the work of repair. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the necessary repairs to the fence in question be carried out on the lines suggested.

- 6.—**HOARDING—THE BURROUGHS:** Report from the Clerk in reference to his interview with Mr. Green, the owner of the land at the junction of Colindeep Lane, and The Burroughs, upon which the advertisement hoarding is erected, relative to an improvement being made in this locality in view of the increasing motor traffic.

The Clerk intimated that Mr. Green had promised to consider the question of disposing of the land to the Council, and the terms upon which he would be prepared to do so, in order that improvements might be carried out at this spot, and he hoped to have a further interview with Mr. Green with a view to determining the matter.

Your Committee have adjourned consideration thereof pending a further report from the Clerk in regard thereto.

7.—**HENDON PUBLIC PARK:**

- (A) **TENNIS COURTS:** Report from the Surveyor in regard to the inspection made by the members of the Council, representing the Central Hendon Ward, of the site suggested for the proposed new Tennis Courts in the Hendon Public Park. He also produced a plan showing the situation of the proposed new Courts (four in number). Consideration was given to the question of providing Hard Courts, and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor obtain an estimate of the cost for the surfacing required for the provision of three Hard Courts, and submit the same at the next meeting of the Committee.

- (B) It was also reported that the members referred to had under consideration the question of extending the existing Children's Playground in the Park, and a suggestion was considered for removing the present fence, bounding the playground in question, to the boundary of the land acquired from the London Electric Railway Company. Your Committee have given due consideration to the suggestion, and

RECOMMEND—That the same be approved, and the work of removing the fence in question carried out.

- (c) **FOOTBALL PITCHES:** Letter from Mr. T. C. Notley, on behalf of the Hendon and District Junior Football League, addressed to the Chairman of the Council, relative to the application by Football Clubs, belonging to the League, for the allotment of pitches in the Park during the coming season. The League suggested that the Council might see their way to fix a definite date in the near future by which all applications for Football Pitches should be made to the Council, in order that the allotment of pitches might be considered without delay, and thus enable the various clubs to arrange their fixtures.

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Your Committee approved of the suggestion, and gave instructions for an advertisement to be inserted in the next issue of the local press intimating that applications for football pitches in the Hendon Public Park during the coming season should be transmitted to the Council by the 14th prox.

- 8.—ROADWAY—WESSEX GARDENS: Letter from the Ministry of Health transmitting sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £1,970 for the construction of a new road from Woodstock Avenue to Wessex Gardens.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

- 9.—OPEN SPACE—GOLDERS GREEN: Letter from Mrs. L. Holmes advocating the acquisition of an open space at Golders Green, also in regard to the provision of seats in the neighbourhood of Finchley Road, Golders Green.

The Surveyor reported in regard to the provision of an open space for this part of the district, that there was certain land which might be suitable for the purpose in the vicinity of Leaside Crescent, and the Committee instructed him to make enquiry of the owner of such land as to the terms upon which he would be prepared to dispose of the same to the Council for the purpose named.

Your Committee have received a report in regard to the provision of seats, suggested in the letter from Mrs. Holmes, and consider that a seat might be placed at the junction of Hoop Lane and Finchley Road. They therefore

RECOMMEND—That this suggestion be carried out, and that Mrs. Holmes be informed accordingly, and that she also be informed that the question of the provision of an open space for Golders Green is receiving further consideration by the Council.

- 10.—DISPOSAL OF HOUSE REFUSE: Report from the Surveyor that he had interviewed the Engineering Inspector of the Ministry of Health upon the subject of the disposal of house refuse in the district.

He stated that he had placed the whole of the facts relating to the question before the Inspector, particularly the proposal of the Council to erect a refuse destructor. With regard to the provision of a refuse destructor, the Inspector expressed the opinion that there would be considerable difficulty in convincing the Ministry as to the desirability of erecting a destructor at the present time, having regard to the heavy capital cost involved and the working charges in respect thereof.

Further, from general experience, the Inspector stated that destructors were not the most economic means of disposing of domestic refuse, a more satisfactory method was to separate the refuse into its constituent parts by means of sifting and salvage plants, and then to dispose of it by other means, a method which was in operation with success in other parts of the country.

With regard to this method of disposing of the refuse the Surveyor reported that he pointed out to the Inspector the difficulties which would be experienced by the Council in connection therewith.

The Inspector finally stated that in his opinion the Council had four courses open to them at the present time for dealing with the house refuse of the district, viz.:

- 1.—To place a scheme for a refuse destructor before the Ministry, which it was improbable they would sanction at the present time.
- 2.—To prepare a scheme for the complete separation of the refuse into its constituent parts with a view of disposing of the same by sale.
- 3.—To prepare a scheme for the pulverisation of the refuse after screening out all cinders and ashes.
- 4.—To continue the present system for a period of another one or two years, and watch the development and improvement of the various methods during that period.

After careful consideration of the whole matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council continue the present system of the disposal of house refuse for a further period, at the same time watching the development and improvement of the various methods during that period.

- 11.—HORSES: Report from the Surveyor in regard to offers he had received to purchase two of the horses at the stables unsuitable for the work of the Council.

After due consideration of such offers, and a report from the Surveyor in regard thereto, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the offer of Mr. Weedon to purchase the horses in question for the sum of £20 be accepted.

- 12.—ELECTRIC LIGHTING CABLE: Letter from the Hendon Electric Supply Company, making application for permission to lay a cable between Princes Park Avenue and Woodlands Crescent.

Report from the Surveyor that the land through which it was proposed to lay the cable in question was of a private character, over which the Council had no jurisdiction. In view of such report, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Hendon Electric Supply Company be informed that in view of the circumstances it is not within the power of the Council to consent to the application, and that they be referred to the owner of the land in connection with the matter.

- 13.—OUTFALL WORKS:

- (A) BOILER: The Surveyor submitted an estimate from Messrs. Fraser and Fraser, Ltd., for renewing certain of the tubes in connection with the Boiler at the Outfall Works. The estimate provided for new tubes to be supplied for the sum of 35s. each, and where it was possible to replace the existing tubing, the work would be executed for the sum of 10s. per tube.

The Council will remember that this question arose as a result of an examination of the Boiler by the National Boiler Insurance Company, the Company suggesting that the Council would be well advised to have the tubing of the boiler renewed, or repairs executed to the existing ones. After due consideration of the estimate submitted by Messrs. Fraser and Fraser, Ltd., your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the same be accepted, and the necessary work carried out.

- (B) **DISINFECTOR**: Report from the Surveyor as to an estimate he had received from Messrs. Towler and Son for carrying out an Hydraulic Test to the Disinfector at the Outfall Works for the sum of £6 5s. 0d., the carrying out of this test being suggested by the Insurance Company. After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the estimate of Messrs. Towler and Son be accepted for the carrying out of the test referred to, and that the work be put in hand.

- 14.—**TOWN HALL—DECORATING WORK**: Consideration was given to the question of executing decorating work in connection with the interior and exterior of the Town Hall, it being considered desirable, in the event of the work being executed, to carry out the same during the forthcoming Council Recess.

After careful consideration of the matter, your Committee are of opinion that the re-decoration of the interior of the Town Hall might be postponed until next season, but with regard to the exterior consider that the woodwork and ironwork in connection therewith should be painted.

They therefore gave instructions for an advertisement to be inserted in the next issue of the local Press inviting tenders for this work, in order that the same might be received before the forthcoming Council Recess.

- 15.—**TRAMWAY TRAFFIC—GOLDERS GREEN**: The Surveyor submitted a letter from the County Engineer and Surveyor, together with a plan showing an arrangement suggested by the Metropolitan Electric Tramways, Ltd., for the construction of a proposed siding between Finchley Road and the London Electric Railway for the loading and unloading of cars travelling between Finchley and Cricklewood. The County Engineer asked to be furnished with the observations of the Council upon the matter, before placing the same before his Committee. After careful consideration of the same, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the County Engineer and Surveyor be informed that the Council are not in agreement with the proposal, in view of the danger involved to the users of the roads in the vicinity in the event of the same being carried out.

- 16.—**TENDERS**: The Clerk reported the receipt of the Tenders received for the Sewer Re-Construction, Golders Manor Drive, Sewage Works Extension, and Bittacy Hill Housing Scheme.

It was decided that such Tenders be opened, initialled by the Chairman of the Committee, and tabulated in order that the same might be considered at a later date.

In reference to the Tenders received for the Sewage Works Extension, and in view of the fact that Mr. Grimley, the Consulting Engineer, advised on this scheme, your Committee decided that he should be requested to collaborate with the Surveyor upon such Tenders, and that a report in regard thereto should be submitted to a meeting of the Council in Committee on Monday next.

With regard to the Tenders for the Bittacy Hill Housing Scheme, it was decided that the views of the Ministry of Health upon these Tenders should be obtained without delay, and the officers were directed to arrange accordingly.

Report of Public Health Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 27th day of June, 1921. Present Mr. Councillor Teare (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Miss Hodge, Mrs. Hargraves, Hearn, Hill, Page, Sturgess, Taylor and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—**VITAL STATISTICS**: Report from the Medical Officer of Health that for the past four weeks the death rate of the district was 8.01 per thousand, and the birth rate for the same period was 17.48 per thousand. Your Committee have duly noted this report.

2.—**ISOLATION HOSPITAL**:

- (A) The Medical Superintendent submitted a report in regard to cases under treatment at the Council's Isolation Hospital, and the same was duly noted.

- (B) **FOOD SUPPLIES**: The Committee gave consideration to a reference from the Finance Committee in regard to the supply of food to the Isolation Hospital. Dealing with the supply of fish, your Committee are informed that it is usual for codfish to be supplied without the heads. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That in future the codfish be purchased whole, with the head.

In regard to supplies of meat, your Committee have given careful consideration to this matter, and

RECOMMEND—That home-killed meat should not be used for the Isolation Hospital except when prescribed by the Medical Superintendent in any particular case.

- (C) **TELEPHONE LINE**: The Surveyor submitted a communication from the Post Office as to the terms upon which the Department would be prepared to provide an extension line from the Hospital to the Medical Superintendent's residence, from which it appeared that the rental for such extension line would be £7 5s. per annum. Your Committee consider it desirable that the Medical Superintendent should be in communication with the Hospital, and

RECOMMEND—That the Council approve the terms of the Agreement for such extension line.

- 3.—**COMPLAINT**: A petition was received from residents of Somerton Road, Cricklewood, and other roads in that locality, as to an alleged nuisance from certain factory premises at Somerton Road.

Your Committee have received a report from the Medical Officer of Health as to an inspection of the premises in conjunction with the Sanitary Inspector.

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It appeared from such report that no nuisance was found to exist, the premises being kept in a clean condition, and well ventilated. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. P. M. Benjamin, who transmitted the petition, be informed that the Council are unable to take any action in the matter, as no nuisance had been found to exist at the premises.

4.—CLOSING ORDERS:

(A) 2, HENDON PARK ROW: Report from the Medical Officer of Health that the tenant of these premises was using his best endeavours to secure other accommodation, and your Committee have requested the Medical Officer to report further in regard thereto at the next meeting of the Committee.

(B) BURROUGHS FARM: In this case your Committee are informed that steps have been taken to secure possession of the premises under the County Court Act, 1888, and have duly noted the report.

5.—VENEREAL DISEASE: Report from the Medical Officer of Health as to a communication which had been received from the Middlesex County Council, with posters upon this subject. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the same be exhibited on the Council's notice boards.

6.—DRAINAGE WORK: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to the drainage and inspection work carried out since the last meeting of the Committee, and your Committee have duly approved the action taken by the Inspector.

7.—DAIRIES, COWSHEDS AND MILK SHOPS ORDER: Report from the Sanitary Inspector in reference to an application by Mr. Peacock to be registered as a cow-keeper and dairyman in respect of premises at Hale Lane, Mill Hill. An inspection of the premises had been made, and certain improvements were required to be carried out to render the same satisfactory for the purpose, which the owner had promised to have carried out. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Peacock be registered as a cow-keeper and dairyman in respect of the premises in Hale Lane, subject to the improvements suggested by the Inspector being satisfactorily carried out.

8.—STATUTORY NOTICES: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to the following cases in which he asked for authority to serve statutory notices:—

- 11, Pollard Road.
- 13, Ditto.
- 74, East Road, Burnt Oak.
- 16, Herbert Road.
- 31, Elm Grove.
- 4, Caddington Road.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Sanitary Inspector have authority to serve Statutory Notices in each of the above cases.

In the case of No. 16, Herbert Road, the matter being an urgent sanitary nuisance, your Committee gave authority for the notice to be served forthwith.

9.—1 and 2, HALE LODGE COTTAGES: Report from the Sanitary Inspector that the drains at these premises were in a very unsatisfactory condition, and he asked for authority to serve statutory notices forthwith, and in the event of such notices not being complied with, to take proceedings against the owner in respect of such non-compliance.

Your Committee being satisfied that the nuisance was of an urgent sanitary character, gave authority to the Inspector accordingly.

10.—VACANT LAND—THE RIDGEWAY, GOLDERS GREEN: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to an accumulation of decayed and foul refuse upon certain land at the rear of premises at The Ridgeway, Golders Green. He asked for authority to serve a statutory notice in this case forthwith.

Your Committee being satisfied of the urgency of this matter, gave the necessary authority to the Sanitary Inspector to serve such notice forthwith.

11.—WATER SUPPLIES: Letter from the Ministry of Health as to the necessity of conserving the water supplies of the Metropolis at the present time, and suggesting that the use of water by Local Authorities for the watering of streets, etc., should be restricted.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of the communication, and are informed that steps have already been taken in this district to restrict the use of the water in the directions indicated.

12.—ANTHRAX: Letter from the Ministry of Health in reference to the Council's communication supporting a resolution upon the subject of the Compulsory Notification of Anthrax in the human subject.

The Ministry intimated that they would be prepared to consider an application for an Order extending the provisions of the Infectious Diseases (Notification) Act, 1889, to Anthrax.

Your Committee have duly noted the communication, but in view of the report from the Medical Officer of Health upon the subject, they do not consider it desirable to take any action thereon at the present time.

13.—HEALTH WEEK: Letter from Mr. E. White Wallis in reference to the organisation of Health Week to be held from the 9th to 15th October, requesting the Council to assist the promotion of Health Week in this district.

Your Committee are unable to recommend the Council to take any action in the lines suggested.

14.—MILK SCHEME: Letter from the Ministry of Health intimating that the Ministry approved of the scheme submitted by the Council for the supply of milk in connection with their Maternity and Child Welfare Scheme.

Your Committee have duly noted this communication.

15.—MEDICAL OFFICER'S ANNUAL REPORT: The Medical Officer of Health submitted proof copies of his Annual Report for the year 1920. After careful consideration of such report, your Committee gave authority for the same to be printed.

In regard to the number of reports required, your Committee decided to leave this matter to the Chairman to arrange with the Medical Officer of Health.

The Medical Officer of Health expressed his appreciation of the assistance rendered by Mr. S. J. Chapman in connection with the compilation of the Annual Report.

16.—REQUISITIONS: Certain requisitions were submitted by the Medical Superintendent, and approved.

In regard to requisitions for supplies of furniture for the premises at the rear of Burroughs House, your Committee have deferred the same to their next meeting.

Report of Town Planning Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 4th day of July, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Reynolds (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Hodge, Egan, Glanville, Hare, Hill, Soar, Taylor and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—PLANS: That they gave consideration to the following applications for approval of plans, and RECOMMEND thereon as follows:—

| No. | Description of Premises. | Owner or Person submitting. | Recommendation. |
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| 5140 | Motor House, Garrick Avenue, east side | Mr. E. Wright | Approval. |
| 5141 | Detached House, Wildwood Road, east side, Plot No. 483, Hampstead Garden Suburb | Mr. J. C. S. Soutar (Under Government Subsidy Scheme) | Approval. |
| 5142 | Workshops and Offices, Finchley Road, east side | Messrs. King, Freeman and Co. | Approval. |
| 5143 | Two Garages, 12 and 14, Hampstead Way, east side | Messrs. Quennells | Approval. |
| 5147 | Bungalow, Elmeroft Avenue, south side | Mr. E. Dymock (Under Government Subsidy Scheme) | Approval. |
| 5152 | One Pair Semi-Detached Houses, Albert Road | Mr. H. Kitchenside (Under Government Subsidy Scheme) | Approval. |
| 5125 | (Re-submitted) Temporary Shed, 7, Neeld Crescent | Mr. G. E. Galliford | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5136 | (Re-submitted) Temporary Army Huts, North End Road | King Alfred School Society | Disapproval (Surveyor to continue negotiations). |
| 5144 | Alterations and Drainage, 48, Church Road | Messrs. Wilson and Co. | Approval. |
| 5145 | Coal Cellar, Hoop Lane | Mr. B. L. Young | Disapproval. |
| 5146 | Temporary Timber Motor House, "Grasmere," Hammers Lane, Mill Hill | Dr. A. H. Morley | Disapproval (Surveyor to negotiate). |
| 5148 | Two Temporary Store Sheds, Edgware Road, N.E. side | Messrs. J. C. Neal, Ltd. | Approval as temporary buildings (subject to Surveyor's report). |
| 5149 | Two Temporary Sheds, "Abingdon," Basing Hill | Mr. F. W. Bristow | Disapproval. |
| 5150 | Detached House, Wise Lane, Mill Hill | Mr. W. Rowland | Approval (subject to Surveyor's report). |
| 5151 | One Pair of Semi-Detached Houses, Holders Hill Road | Mr. W. Epps | Approval. |
| 5153 | Boiler House, Crewys Road | Mr. W. C. Turpie | Disapproval. |
| 5154 | Temporary Motor Shed, 2, Rotherwick Road | Mr. J. Farrell | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5155 | Proposed Building Line, La Sagesse Convent, Beverley Gardens, and Golders Green Road | The Rev. Mother Superior | Approval of 5ft. building line in Beverley Gardens, the building line in Golders Green Road to remain as at present. |
| 5156 | Extensions to Hendon Cottage Hospital, Park Road | The Managers | Approval. |
| 5157 | Alterations and Additions to "White-meade," Uphill Road | Mr. J. Wilson | Approval. |
| 4963 | (Re-submitted) Wooden Bungalow, Blind Lane | Mr. E. M. Tuck | Disapproval (pending dedication of strip of land). |
| 5158 | Conversion of Temporary Building, Cricklewood Lane | Messrs. Trant, Brown and Brightiff | Disapproval (Surveyor to negotiate). |
| 5159 | Temporary Timber Motor House, Wellgarth Road | Mrs. A. Hammerton. | Approval as temporary building. |
| | Alterations to Bungalow, Wellgarth Road | Mrs. A. Hammerton. | Approval. |
| 5160 | One Semi-Detached House, Basing Hill | Mr. Bristow | Approval. |

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| 5161 | Conversion of Constitutional Club, Lawrence Street, into Two Flats | Messrs. Bentley Bros. | Approval (subject to Surveyor's report). |
| 5162 | Proposed Building Line, Finchley Road, and Hoop Lane | Mr. A. J. Reynolds | Approval (subject to Surveyor's report). |
| 5163 | Workman's Cottage, "Lemonsmere," North End Road | Mr. A. Beswick | Disapproval. |
| 5164 | Additions and alterations to All Saints' School, Cricklewood Lane | The Managers | Disapproval (Surveyor to negotiate). |
| 5165 | Conservatory at the rear of No. 10, Shirehall Lane | Messrs. Gillett and Co. | Approval. |

2.—TOWN PLANNING CONFERENCE: Letter from Mr. H. R. Aldridge, Secretary of the National Housing and Town Planning Council relative to a Conference proposed to be held in London on the 20th and 21st inst., and inviting the Council to appoint delegates thereto. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Councillors Miss Hodge and Reynolds be appointed as delegates to attend the Conference on behalf of the Council.

3.—REFRESHMENT STALLS:

- (A) GOLDERS GREEN ROAD: Letter from Mr. F. C. Beeson making application for permission to erect a portable building on wheels, on land fronting Kimbolton Lodge, Golders Green Road, for the sale of refreshments.
- (B) EDGWARE ROAD: Letter from Mr. J. Dugate making application for permission to open a Coffee Stall in the Edgware Road, on land adjacent to the Hendon Brewery. After careful consideration of these applications, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the applicants be informed that the Council cannot entertain the same.

4.—CONTRAVENTIONS OF BYE-LAWS:

- (A) Mr. W. C. Burgess, on behalf of Messrs. Bentley Bros., attended the meeting of your Committee in response to the notice served upon Messrs. Bentley Bros. relative to the work of converting a building for human habitation, situate at Lawrence Street, Mill Hill, and known as the "Constitutional Club" into two separate flats, such work having been proceeded with by Messrs. Bentley Bros. without first having delivered to the Council complete plans and sections of such intended building, and further with having failed to deliver or send to the Surveyor of the Council notice in writing of their intention to proceed to carry out the work of conversion aforesaid in accordance with the Bye-laws of the Council with respect to new streets and buildings, and to show cause why the work should not be removed, altered, or pulled down.

Mr. Burgess also attended in respect of a further notice served upon Messrs. Bentley Bros. in regard to a wooden structure erected by them at Lawrence Street, Mill Hill, in advance of the building line, and in contravention of the provisions of The Public Health (Buildings in Streets) Act, 1888, and without first having obtained the approval of the Council thereto in accordance with the Bye-laws of the Council, above referred to, and to show cause why such structure should not be removed, altered or pulled down.

With regard to the former case, report was made that plans had now been submitted to your Committee and approved, subject to the Surveyor's report with regard to the staircase by which the upper flat was approached.

In the latter case, Mr. Burgess intimated that Messrs. Bentley Bros. would be prepared to remove the building in question.

After careful consideration of the statements made by Mr. Burgess, on behalf of Messrs. Bentley Bros., your Committee decided to take no further action on this occasion in respect of the Contraventions of the Bye-laws of the Council relating to new streets and buildings referred to, subject in the first case to the condition by which the plans are approved being complied with, and in the latter case to Messrs. Bentley Bros. removing the structure. They, however, intimated to Mr. Burgess that in the event of any further breach of the Bye-laws or other Regulations of the Council being brought to their notice, they would be compelled to recommend the Council to take steps to deal with the matter to the fullest extent. Your Committee

RECOMMEND That the action taken be approved, and that the Clerk address a communication to Messrs Bentley Bros. confirming the decision already conveyed to Mr. Burgess on their behalf.

- (B) The Clerk reported that in accordance with the instructions of the Committee at their last meeting, a notice had been served upon Messrs. J. D. Rawlins and Co., relative to a wooden structure which they had erected at Temple Gardens, Golders Green, without first having delivered to the Council complete plans and sections of the intended building, and further having failed to deliver or send to the Surveyor of the Council notice in writing of their intention to proceed to erect the structure in question in accordance with the Bye-laws of the Council relating to new streets and buildings, and to show cause why such structure should not be removed, altered or pulled down.

Report from the Surveyor that he had been informed by Mr. Rawlins that he was unable to attend the meeting of the Committee, in response to the notice served upon him, but he had removed the building. In view of such report your Committee

RECOMMEND—That no further action be taken in this case.

- (C) Report from the Surveyor that Mr. Verdin had erected two wooden buildings or stalls for the sale of fruit, etc., on land at Kimbolton Lodge, Golders Green Road, no plans of such structures having been submitted to the Council.

Your Committee decided to leave the matter in the hands of the Surveyor with a view to his obtaining a plan from Mr. Verdin giving details of the said structures, submitting a further report thereon in due course.

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5.—LAND, FRITH LANE, MILL HILL: The Surveyor submitted a plan which he had received from the Unit Construction Company, Limited, as to proposed lay out of the Frith Manor Court. After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the type of development proposed by the Company be approved, subject to the proposed roads being constructed in accordance with the Bye-laws of the Council, relating to new streets and buildings, and having due regard to the Council's Town Planning Scheme.

6.—DEDICATION OF LAND: The Surveyor reported the receipt of a letter from Mr. H. A. Welch, relative to the proposal of his client to dedicate a strip of land to the Council abutting upon Temple Fortune Lane, subject to the Council bearing the expense of removing the existing fence of his Client's property, and erecting a fence directly between the boundary fences of the adjoining properties. The work of removal of the existing fence and erecting the new fence in the position indicated, Mr. Welch estimated would involve an expenditure of £20. After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council agree to contribute half the cost in connection with the fence in question, approximately £10.

7.—TRANSFORMER CHAMBER, HIGHWOOD HILL: Report from the Surveyor as to an application he had received from the Hendon Electric Supply Company for permission to erect a transformer chamber at Highwood Hill, in the grounds of the "Club House." After due consideration of such report, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the application be approved, and that the Hendon Electric Supply Company be informed accordingly.

8.—TOWN PLANNING: Report from the Clerk as to an interview which he had had with an Officer of the Ministry of Health relative to the Town Planning Schemes promoted by the Council. The Clerk stated that he informed the Inspector the precise position of the Council's Schemes, and the Inspector promised to communicate in due course particulars as to how the new procedure regulations relating to Town Planning, issued by the Ministry of Health, would affect the schemes of the Council.

Your Committee have noted the contents of the report of the Clerk in regard to the matter, and await the promised communication from the Ministry of Health in connection therewith.

9.—HOUSING (ADDITIONAL POWERS) ACT, 1919: The Clerk reported the receipt of the following General Housing Memorandum No. 54, issued by the Ministry of Health relative to the further issue of Certificates "A" and "B" under the Housing (Additional Powers) Act, 1919, in view of the fact that Parliament have now passed the necessary legislation extending the time for the grant of the Subsidy.

GENERAL HOUSING MEMORANDUM, NO. 54.

HOUSING ACT, 1921.

Grants to Private Persons Constructing Houses.

1—ISSUE OF CERTIFICATES WITHHELD:

(A) In view of the passing of the above Act Local Authorities are now in a position to issue Certificate A in cases where plans have already been approved by them as complying with the conditions prescribed by the Minister of Health and the provisions of the scheme made under the Housing (Additional Powers) Act of 1919, and the houses have been commenced; but where the issue of a certificate has been withheld pending the passage of the Bill Certificates should not be issued if the houses have not been commenced.

(B) Certificates "B" for houses which have been completed since 23rd April, 1921, should now be issued by the Local Authority.

2.—As the Local Authority are aware, the grants paid by the Minister on houses for which Certificates "A" were issued under the Act of 1919 and which were completed in the period between 24th December, 1920, and 23rd April, 1921, have been subject to deduction in each case. The sums deducted will now be paid by the Ministry as rapidly as possible.

3.—CANCELLATION OF CERTIFICATES: The Act provides that the Certificates approving proposals to construct houses issued before the commencement of the Act shall cease to have effect on the 1st July so far as they relate to houses, the construction of which has not been commenced before that date. Persons to whom Certificate "A" has already been issued by the Local Authority, but who have not on the 1st of July commenced the construction of the house (or where the Certificate covers more than one, of all the houses) to which the Certificate relates, should be notified immediately after the 1st of July that the Certificate which was issued to them has become void, except in so far as it relates to houses the construction of which has been commenced prior to the 1st of July, 1921. It is important that the Housing Commissioner should be informed as soon as possible of all cases in which the certificate has become void. The following particulars should be given as regards each cancelled certificate:—

Serial number of certificate and date of issue;
Number of houses not commenced before 1st July, 1921, and
Locality and description of such houses.

4.—A further communication will be addressed to Local Authorities regarding future building under the Act. For the time being no certificates should be issued in respect of houses not yet commenced.

Ministry of Health,
1st July, 1921.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of such Memorandum.

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Report of Housing Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 4th day of July, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Cartwright (in the Chair), and Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Hargraves, Mrs. Bannister, Hearn, Roberts, Teare, Sturgess, and Rev. Dr. Macgowan.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—BRENT HILL SCHEME:

- (A) **CONCRETE BLOCKS:** That they received a report from Mr. G. Hornblower (Architect) as to the Concrete Blocks used in connection with the Scheme. The Architect reported that the blocks had been tested in various ways for strength, also that they had been tested from time to time as to the component parts used in their manufacture.

It had invariably been found that the amount was in excess of that specified. Your Committee also received a report from the Surveyor as to tests which had been made of the blocks, and have duly noted the same.

Your Committee instructed the Clerk to make enquiry of the Architect as to the dates when tests were made and the specific results.

- (B) **STREET LIGHTING:** That they received a report from the Surveyor in reference to a communication which had been received from the Hendon Electric Supply Company upon the subject of lighting the streets, to be laid out in connection with the scheme, by electricity.

The Company had submitted two suggestions for consideration by the Council, viz:—

- (A) The Company to supply the Council with Electricity at standard power rate of 2½d. per unit. Council to provide switch wires and lamp equipment.
- (B) The Company to charge 4½d. per unit on a ten years' Contract, and to provide all switch wires and equipment.

Under each of the schemes the Council would have to provide the lamp columns and lanterns, which under the present prices your Committee are informed would cost approximately £15 per lamp. The average consumption of one of the lamps it is proposed to use would be approximately 200 units per annum.

Your Committee received a report as to the estimated cost per lamp under each of the schemes, as follows:—

| Scheme 1.— | | £ | s. | d. |
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| 200 units at 2½d. | ... | 2 | 1 | 8 |
| Add lamp maintenance | ... | | 10 | 0 |
| Painting | ... | | 5 | 0 |
| Maintenance of fittings | ... | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | ... | £3 | 16 | 8 |

In addition the Council would have to bear the annual charge on the cost of main laying, viz:— £256, and the cost of the lamp columns and lanterns at £15 each.

| Scheme 2.— | | £ | s. | d. |
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| 200 units at 4½d. per lamp | ... | 3 | 15 | 0 |
| Add lamp maintenance | ... | | 10 | 0 |
| Painting | ... | | 5 | 0 |
| Maintenance of fittings | ... | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | ... | £5 | 10 | 0 |

After careful consideration of the report of the Surveyor upon the matter your Committee came to the conclusion that Scheme No. 2, at an estimated cost of £5 10s. per lamp per annum would be the most economical for adoption, especially in view of the fact that the present price for gas lighting is £6 1s. 8d. per annum. Your Committee therefore

RECOMMEND—That for the street lighting in connection with the Brent Hill Farm Scheme the Council adopt electric lighting in accordance with Scheme No. 2 above mentioned.

- (c) **TRANSFORMER:** The Surveyor reported further in regard to an application by the Company for consent to the erection of a transformer at Brent Hill Farm, and after careful consideration thereof, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Company be requested to construct the transformer below ground.

- (D) **TILES:** Letter from Mr. G. Hornblower (Architect) in reference to the difficulty which had been experienced in securing the supplies of tiles. He reported that it would be possible to secure the Marseilles Interlocking Tiles, and made enquiry whether the Council would agree to a number of houses being covered with this type of tile.

After careful consideration of the matter, together with a report from the Surveyor thereon, your Committee agreed to 12 houses being covered with this type of tile, subject to their being no addition to the cost.

- (E) **LIGHTING AND HEATING:** Letter from the London Housing Board in further reference to the Council's application for the amount of £42 12s. 3d. to be allowed in respect of the whole of the houses upon the Estate.

The Board intimated that they had nothing to add to their previous communication upon the subject.

Your Committee are still of opinion that the Board should not have departed from their offer to allow the full cost of an installation, as suggested in their communication, to rank for financial assistance, and they have instructed the Clerk to write a further communication to the Ministry of Health upon the matter.

- (F) CONTRACTORS' PLANT: That they had under consideration correspondence from Mr. C. J. Windsor (one of the Council's tenants), complaining of smoke from the engine, forming part of the Contractors' plant at Brent Hill Scheme, which caused annoyance to himself and family.

Your Committee have also received a communication from the Architect, from which it appeared that the matter had been brought to the notice of the Contractors. Your Committee are informed that it is not possible for the Contractors to remove the engine at the present time. They have instructed the Architect to communicate with the Contractors, suggesting that it might be possible to carry the chimney stack to a greater height, in order to avoid annoyance from the smoke. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a communication be sent to Mr. Windsor intimating that the Council regret the annoyance complained of, and informing him of what has been done in the matter.

- (G) FLOORING: Letter from Mr. G. Hornblower upon the subject of the flooring of the houses upon the Brent Farm Estate.

He reported that floors of the living room, parlour and hallways were in nearly every case boarding, nailed direct to the concrete. It would consequently be improper to lay linoleum on these floors, as to imprison the floor boards between the linoleum and the damp proof layer generally resulted in dry rot being started.

He suggested that the better course would be for the floors to be covered with some material not impervious, and that margins should be stained.

Your Committee have duly noted the report.

- 2.—CHILD'S HILL SCHEME: Report from the Architect that 22 houses were now occupied on this site, a further four houses would be ready in a week's time. The remaining houses were proceeding satisfactorily to completion.

Your Committee have duly noted this report.

- 3.—HOUSING: Letter from the Nevett Book Binding Company making enquiry in reference to the Council's Housing Schemes.

The Company desired to know whether the Council would be able to offer Housing Accommodation for their employees. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Company be informed that the Council regret their inability to comply with their request.

- 4.—HOUSING REGULATIONS: Report from the Clerk as to the receipt of Housing Regulation No. 55 dealing with the purchase of building materials through the Director of Building Materials Supply, also Housing Memorandum No. 46, dealing with the Housing Scheme accounts, and No. 52 as to the fees payable to Architects in connection with Housing Schemes.

Your Committee have duly noted such regulations.

REPORT OF HOUSING SUB-COMMITTEE.

The Housing Sub-Committee, consisting of Councillors Cartwright and Roberts, have considered applications for houses, and

RECOMMEND the following 12 applicants as suitable tenants for the class of house specified:—

CHILD'S HILL.—

| Appln. No. | Name |
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| 519 | J. Dams |
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It will be observed that there are 4 tenants for the two larger type pre-war houses, and it is

RECOMMENDED—That these be allotted to Elliott and Sharp, who have the larger families.

The effect of carrying out these recommendations is that there will still be 4 new houses and 2 pre-war houses available for letting.

BRENT HILL.

LIVING ROOM AND THREE BEDROOMS.

| Appln. No. | Name. | Service H.M. Forces. | Children | Total in Family. | Present Accommodation. | Residence in Parish. |
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| 608 | F. F Harknett ... | 4 years. | 1 | 3 | Bedroom and Living Room. | 15 years. |
| 734 | S. Woolf. | 3½ years. | 1 | 3 | Bedroom and use of Kitchen. | 33 years. |

PARLOUR, LIVING ROOM AND THREE BEDROOMS.

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| 296 | J. Warner ... | Over Age. | 4 | 6 | 2 Bedrooms, Parlour and Kitchen. | 9 years. |
| 300 | J. C. Sorrell ... | 6 years and ex-Reg. | 3 | 5 | 2 Bedrooms, Parlour and Kitchen. | 8 years. |
| 305 | R. Connolly ... | 1½ years. | 2 | 4 | 2 Bedrooms and Living Room. | 12 years. |
| 562 | G. B. Seear ... | Rejected Unfit. | 3 | 5 | Bedroom and use of Kitchen. | 45 years. |
| 1479a | E. T. Emmett ... | 4 years. | 4 & Mother. | 7 | 3 Bedrooms, Living Room and Kitchen. | 17 years. |
| 1220 | A. E. Webb ... | 30 years. L.S. & G.C.M. | 4 | 6 | 3 Bedrooms and Living Room. | 10 years. |
| 1245a | H. J. Roberts ... | B2. | 7 | 9 | 2 Bedrooms and Kitchen. | 10 years. |
| 1347 | H. H. A. Callen ... | 4¾ years. | 1 | 3 | 1 Bedroom (family away). | 36 years. |

Applicant 755, J. W. Garratt, applies for a parlour type house instead of a non-parlour type previously allotted, and your Sub-Committee see no objection to this request being acceded to.

Including Child's Hill cases, 29 applicants were called up for interview, with the following results:—

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| Recommended for new houses, Child's Hill ... | 8 |
| Recommended for new houses, Brent Hill ... | 10 |
| Recommended for pre-war type houses at Child's Hill when available ... | 4 |
| For consideration later ... | 4 |
| | 29 |

SUMMARY OF LETTINGS.

| | CHILD'S HILL. | BRENT HILL. | TOTAL. |
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| Total Houses Let ... | 33 | 52 | 85 |
| Total Houses Occupied ... | 22 | 18 | 40 |
| Number of Persons in Occupied Houses ... | 122 | 108 | 230 |
| Average per House ... | 5.5 | 6 | 5.75 |

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the report of the Housing Sub-Committee be approved and adopted.

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Report of Staff Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 27th day of June, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Egan (Chairman), and Councillors Cartwright, Miss Growse, Hare, Hill, Reynolds, Roberts and Teare.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT: That they gave further consideration to the proposal for the appointment of a junior clerk in the Public Health Department, and have received a further report from the Medical Officer of Health upon the matter.

Your Committee consider that the services of a junior clerk are required in the Public Health Department, and they

RECOMMEND—That a junior clerk be appointed at a commencing salary of £65 per annum.

- 2.—PUMPING STATION—ENGINE ATTENDANT: The Engineer submitted a report in regard to E. Marks, the Engine Attendant at the Cool Oak Lane Pumping Station. The Surveyor reported that he had dismissed him from the Council's services.

Your Committee approved of the Engineer's action.

- 3.—SALARY SCALES: That they gave careful consideration to the question of formulating a scheme of salaries for the Staff, but after some discussion your Committee decided to take no action in the matter at the present time.

- 4.—ACCOUNTANT'S DEPARTMENT: That they received a report from the Accountant in reference to the Staff in the accounts section of his department. The Council will recollect that on the resignation of Mr. Mackrill, the duties hitherto carried out by him have been allocated to other members of the Staff. After careful consideration of such report, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the salary of Mr. V. Baker be increased by the sum of £25 per annum.
That the salary of Mr. J. Skidmore be increased by the sum of £25 per annum.
That the salary of Mr. F. D. Marsh be increased by the sum of £20 per annum.
That the salary of Mr. H. Fear (Rate Clerk) be increased by the sum of £19 per annum.

Report of Fire Brigade Committee, No. 1.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 4th day of July, 1921. Present: Councillor Miss Growse (Chairman), and Councillors Hare, Hearn, the Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Reynolds, Sturgess, Taylor and Teare.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—MOTOR FIRE ENGINE, NO. 2: Letter from Sir Philip Lloyd-Greame, K.B.E., M.C., M.P., in reference to a communication from the Council regarding the Motor Fire Engine requisitioned by the Admiralty. He suggested in his communication that the better course would be for representatives of the Council to discuss the matter further with the Officials of the Ministry.

Your Committee have instructed the Clerk to communicate with the Air Ministry further upon this matter, and

RECOMMEND—That Sir Philip Lloyd-Greame be thanked for his communication.

- 2.—PETROL LICENCES: Applications were received for the issue of licences to store petrol from the following:—

Mr. A. Cannon, Golders Green Road Garage, 100 gallons.
Mrs. E. Grimshaw, Corringway, Golders Green, 50 gallons.

Report from the Inspector that the proposed stores were satisfactory and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the licences.

- 3.—WILBERFORCE ROAD FIRE STATION: That they gave further consideration to the application for use of the Wilberforce Road Fire Station formerly occupied by the Hampstead Sea Scouts, from Mr. P. Franklin, of the 11th Hendon Troop.

A communication was also received from Mr. A. R. Bailey, the Chairman of the Boy Scouts' Association, on behalf of the Troop.

Your Committee decided to defer the consideration of this matter, and consider that it might be possible to remove the building from its present position, and re-erect the same in a suitable position at Burnt Oak in the event of it being possible to secure a site for the purpose.

Your Committee are informed that the present Burnt Oak Station is not in a satisfactory state of repair. They therefore

RECOMMEND—That enquiry be made of the Hendon Guardians as to whether they would be prepared to grant a piece of land for the purpose of erecting the Fire Station thereon, adjacent to the main road at Burnt Oak.

The Chief Officer reported that the Sea Scouts were carrying out repairs to the Station at Wilberforce Road in accordance with the terms of the Agreement, and he would submit a further report thereon.

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- 4.—**FIRE CERTIFICATE:** Letter from Messrs. Smiths Potato Crisps, Ltd., applying for a certificate as to means of escape from fire in respect of their premises at Somerton Road, Cricklewood. Report from the Chief Officer that an inspection of the premises would be made and a report submitted at a later date.
- 5.—**WATER PRESSURES:** The Chief Officer reported as to the Water Pressures which had been taken since the last meeting, and your Committee are informed that such pressures show an improvement on those previously reported.
- 6.—**FIRE HYDRANTS:** Report from the Chief Officer that two Fire Hydrants had been fixed in Park Road near the Council's houses. Your Committee have duly noted this report.

7.—**BRIGADE STAFF:**

- (A) **FIREMAN DICKENS:** Report from the Chief Officer that Fireman Dickens had now returned from sick leave and had submitted himself for examination, and had been reported to be fit for light duties.

Your Committee have received a report in regard to the precise duties carried out by Fireman Dickens, and after careful consideration thereof have instructed the Clerk to communicate with Fireman Dickens in regard to the performance of his duties in the Brigade in future.

- (B) **WAGES:** Report from the Chief Officer that annual increments were due in accordance with the scale in the cases of Motor Mechanic Norton and Fireman Dickens. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That such increases be approved.

- 8.—**CENTRAL FIRE STATION:** Report from the Chief Officer as to certain re-decoration work which he suggested should be carried out at the Central Fire Station by the Staff.

Your Committee have requested Councillors Miss Growse and Teare to inspect the rooms which the Chief Officer suggested should be re-decorated, and to submit a report thereon before the work is carried out.

- 9.—**CHILD'S HILL FIRE STATION:** Report from the Chief Officer suggesting that the doors of the Child's Hill Fire Station should be re-painted and re-written. Before deciding upon this matter your Committee have requested Councillors Miss Growse and Teare to make an inspection of the doors and report as to their condition.

- 10.—**CLOTHING REPAIRS:** The Chief Officer applied for consent to have certain repairs carried out to clothing and hose damaged at Fires, the total cost being £9 18s.

Your Committee are informed that a claim has been made upon the Insurance Company in respect of such damages to clothing and appliances, and

RECOMMEND—That the same be paid when the claim has been satisfied.

- 11.—**GARDEN SUBURB FIRE ESCAPE:** Report from the Chief Officer that the Fire Escape at the Garden Suburb had been brought to the Central Station for overhaul and re-painting.

Your Committee approved of this work being carried out.

- 12.—**AERIAL PAGEANT:** Report from the Chief Officer that the Commander of the Royal Air Force had applied for assistance from the Brigade in connection with the protection required during the visit of their Majesties the King and Queen to Hendon on the occasion of the Aerial Pageant. With the consent of the Chairman of the Fire Brigade Committee he had arranged for the protection of the premises at the Aerodrome, and had secured the attendance of firemen and appliances from neighbouring Brigades.

Your Committee approved of the Chief Officer's arrangements.

- 13.—**FIRES:** A report as to fires attended by the Brigade since the last meeting was submitted but such report called for no special remark.

- 14.—**APPOINTMENT OF SINGLE FIREMAN:** The Chief Officer submitted a schedule of applications for the position of single fireman at the Central Station.

After careful consideration of the Schedule of applications, your Committee decided to select the following candidates for interview at a special meeting to be held on Monday next:—

Mr. W. H. Goard, 20, York Road, Hendon.
Mr. E. H. Mercer, 47, Church Road, Hendon.

- 15.—**BOILER INSPECTION:** Report from the Chief Officer that the representative of the National Boiler Insurance Co. had attended and inspected the boilers and hot water system, and would submit a report thereon in due course.

Your Committee have noted this report.

- 16.—**AMBULANCE:** Report from the Chief Officer that it was necessary that the motor ambulance should now be overhauled.

Your Committee are informed that the ambulance was overhauled in May of last year.

Your Committee approved of the Chief Officer arranging for the work to be carried out at the Central Station.

- 17.—**STORES REQUIRED:** The Chief Officer submitted requisitions of miscellaneous stores required at the Central Station including 100 gallons of Petrol.

Your Committee approved such requisitions for submission to the Requisitions Committee.

Report of Fire Brigade Committee, No. 2.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen.—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 11th day of July, 1921. Present: Councillor Miss Growse (Chairman), and Councillors Fenn, Hare, Hearn, Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Reynolds, Sturgess and Teare. (Councillors Hill and Taylor were engaged in the General Purposes Committee).

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Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—MOTOR FIRE ENGINE, NO. 2: That they received a further communication from the Air Ministry in reference to the Motor Fire Engine to be supplied in replacement of the Engine requisitioned by the Admiralty, and which formed the subject of a Contract between the Council and Messrs. Merryweather and Sons.

The Ministry now intimated that the Engine to be supplied in place of the one commandeered in 1916 should be equal in every respect to the original engine, and that any accessories which were included with the original engine would be furnished with the engine now to be supplied.

The Ministry requested the Council to invite quotations for an engine to the specification submitted, with accessories corresponding to those which were included on the Merryweather Engine, and they further desired that the tender which the Council proposed to recommend for acceptance should be submitted to the Department before acceptance.

The Ministry further offered their assistance as to submitting the names of firms who would be in a position to quote for the supply of the engine. Your Committee are pleased to note that the Ministry propose to supply a machine equal in every respect to the original machine, and with a view of expediting this matter as much as possible they have instructed the Clerk to communicate with the Air Ministry requesting to be furnished with the names of firms who would be able to quote for the supply of an engine to the required specification. They have also given authority for particulars of the specification to be sent to the firms whose names are submitted by the Air Ministry in order that prices may be obtained at the earliest possible date. Your Committee suggest that the Estimates might be obtained within a period of three weeks.

- 2.—APPOINTMENT OF SINGLE FIREMAN: That they gave consideration to applications for the position of Single Fireman at the Central Fire Station, and the following selected candidates attended before your Committee:—

Mr. W. H. Goard, 20, York Road, West Hendon.
Mr. E. H. Mercer, 47, Church Road, Hendon.

After considering the qualifications of the applicants, and being invested with power to make the appointment, your Committee appointed Mr. E. H. Mercer to the position in accordance with the Council's scale of wages and conditions of service, subject to the candidate passing a medical examination.

- 3.—FIRE CERTIFICATE. Report from the Chief Officer that The Grahame White Company had made application for a duplicate of the Fire Certificate issued to them, the original being retained by the Government Department concerned. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to a duplicate Certificate, and that the same be supplied to the Grahame White Co. on payment of a fee of five shillings.

- 4.—PETROL STORE: The Chief Officer submitted a further communication from the British Petroleum Co. in reference to their store at Cricklewood. The Company desired to make some variation in the original proposal approved. Your Committee are unable to recommend the Council to depart from the proposal originally submitted and approved, and

RECOMMEND—That the Company be informed accordingly.

Report of General Purposes Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 11th day of July, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Hill (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Miss Growse, Glanville, Hare, Page, Reynolds, and Taylor.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—MINISTRY OF HEALTH ACT: The Clerk reported the receipt of a memorandum from the Ministry of Health relative to the Ministry of Health (Registration and Elections, Transfer of Powers) Order, 1921, by which certain powers and duties of the Minister of Health have been transferred to the Secretary of State.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

- 2.—GOLDERS GREEN ROAD: Letter from the Commissioner of Police in reference to the flower stall erected on land in Golders Green Road, near the junction of Armitage Road, from which it appeared that the Commissioner was of opinion that Police action on the grounds of wilful obstruction would not be justified.

Report from the Clerk that in accordance with the instructions of the Council he had communicated with the owner of the land in question (Mr. Gibb), making enquiry whether permission had been granted by him for the erection of the stall on such land, the occupier of the stall having stated that she had received permission from the owner of the land to stand thereon.

Mr. Gibb intimated in reply that he had not given permission for any person to use this land for the purpose named.

After due consideration of the whole of the facts relating to this matter, your Committee are of opinion that this is a case where the Police should take action, and they

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk address a further communication to them upon the subject.

- 3.—EMERGENCY POWERS ACT: Letter from the Town Clerk, Metropolitan Borough of Islington, transmitting the following resolution passed by them relating to the Emergency Powers Act, and requesting the Council to pass a similar resolution and forward a copy thereof to the local Member of Parliament:—

"That the Islington Borough Council is emphatically of the opinion that the Regulations issued under the Emergency Powers Act, 1920, are against the principles of Christianity, civilisation, and freedom, and calls for their immediate repeal."

Your Committee have no recommendation to make in regard thereto.

4.—HENDON PUBLIC PARK.

- (A) Letter from Mr. P. Franklin, on behalf of the Juvenile Organisations of Hendon, relative to a proposal to hold a further combined parade on the 19th inst. on similar lines to that of last year, and making application for the use of the Hendon Park for the purpose of a march past and rally. Mr. Franklin intimated that in the event of the Council acceding to the application they would not require the use of the Bandstand, as on the former occasion. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the application of Mr. Franklin, on behalf of the Juvenile Organisations of Hendon, for the use of the Hendon Park on the 19th inst. for the purpose named be acceded to.

- (B) Letter from Mr. H. Kemp in reference to the holding of concerts in the Hendon Park, and submitting a further proposition in regard thereto.

The Council will remember that terms were arranged with Mr. Kemp for the holding of concerts in the Park at a rental of £1 10s. per week for the first month, and £2 10s. per week for the subsequent period for such privilege. An agreement had been forwarded to Mr. Kemp embodying this proposal, but he had failed to execute the same, a considerable time having elapsed since the arrangement was arrived at. In consequence thereof, and in accordance with the instructions of the Council, the Clerk reported that he had addressed a further communication to Mr. Kemp, pointing out that, in view of the circumstances, the Council had no alternative but to regard the proposal for the holding of concerts by him in the Park as cancelled.

Mr. Kemp now stated that he was unable to pay the rental referred to, although he had previously agreed to do so, and he made enquiry whether the Council would re-consider the matter with a view to him having the use of the Park for the proposed concerts at a rental of 15s. weekly. Your Committee have given consideration to the matter, and

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Kemp be informed that the Council are unable to entertain his further proposal.

- (C) Letter from Mr. C. Hall, on behalf of the Hendon Hospital Parade Committee, making application for the use of the Hendon Park and Bandstand in connection with the annual parade in aid of the funds of the Cottage Hospital, to be held on Sunday, August 14th.

Application was also made for the Fire Engine to take part in the proposed parade. After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the application for the use of the Park and Bandstand on the date named be acceded to. In regard to the suggestion that the fire engine should join in the parade, your Committee agree that the same arrangements be made as before. They further

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Hall be informed accordingly.

- (D) Letter from the Rev. H. S. Rudge making application, on behalf of various organisations in the district, for the use of the Hendon Park on the 27th prox., with a view to holding a United Demonstration therein in favour of the League of Nations. After due consideration of such application, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the same be acceded to.

5.—BRENT STREET DRAINAGE:

- (A) Letter from Messrs. Bramston and Co. in further reference to the decision of the Council requiring payment of a sum of £140 to meet contingencies in connection with the drainage of the houses erected by Mr. Howkins in Brent Street.

Messrs. Bramston and Co. now intimated that they had been in communication with the owners of the seven houses affected by the notices transmitted to them by the Council in August last, requiring such owners to disconnect the existing drainage of their property and relay the same in the manner specified in such notices. As a result of such correspondence Messrs. Bramston and Co. intimated that four of the owners in question were prepared to pay £20 each, subject to the Council accepting the amount in settlement of any claim arising out of the notices referred to, at the same time agreeing to withdraw such notices, and further undertaking to allow the existing drainage to remain.

Messrs. Bramston and Co. stated that if the Council agreed to the proposal they would arrange to collect such amount, viz.: £80, and transmit the same to the Council, the latter then taking such steps as they might consider necessary to recover the amount due from the remaining owners.

Report from the Clerk that upon receipt of this communication he had informed Messrs. Bramston and Co. that he would again bring the matter before the Council, but he was bound to state that they would adhere to their previous decision in regard thereto, requiring payment of a sum of £140 in settlement of the difference which had arisen in connection with the drainage of the houses referred to. Your Committee approved of the action taken by the Clerk in connection with the matter, and

RECOMMEND—That he address a further communication to Messrs. Bramston and Co., requiring them to carry out the terms of the resolution of the Council fixing the sum to be paid at £140.

- (B) Letter from Messrs. Taylor, Simpson and Mosley, on behalf of the owner of No. 13, Brent Green, making enquiry as to the amount the Council would be prepared to accept to settle the difference which had arisen in connection with the drainage of this property. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk reply to the enquiry of Messrs. Taylor and Co. when arrangements have been concluded with Messrs. Bramston and Co.

6.—RATS: Letter from Mr. S. M. Lock forwarding a petition signed by himself and other residents upon the Woodstock Estate, Golders Green, complaining of the existence of rats in the neighbourhood, and requesting the Council to take steps to deal with the matter.

Report from the Clerk that he had informed Mr. Lock that whilst the Council had no special arrangements for exterminating rats, the Middlesex County Council had established a department for this purpose, and that a copy of his petition would be forwarded to the County Council for consideration.

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The Surveyor reported the method which was adopted at the Sewage Farm for destroying the rats when found to exist there.

After due consideration of the petition forwarded by Mr. Lock, and the report of the Surveyor in regard thereto, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Lock be informed, on behalf of the petitioners, that the Council were taking every possible step with a view to the destruction of rats when found to exist on their property.

Report from the Clerk that Mr. Robinson, Chief Officer of the Public Control Department of the Middlesex County Council, had called upon him in regard to this matter, and had suggested that the Council should engage the services of the County Council Rat Catchers, with a view to exterminating the rats prevalent in the district. It appeared that the County Council would be willing to undertake, through their officials, to carry out the work, charging the Council with the cost involved in so doing, which, for twelve months would be approximately £50:

Your Committee have given careful consideration to the matter, and in view of the report of the Surveyor as to the method already adopted in this direction, they are unable to recommend the Council to accept the offer at the present time.

7.—METROPOLITAN WATER BOARD (CHARGES) BILL: The Clerk reported the receipt of a letter from Messrs. E. Bevir and Son, intimating that the Committee had modified clause 18 of the Metropolitan Water Board (Charges) Bill to the effect that non-contributory bodies would pay an additional half per cent. on the domestic rate of charge, and one penny per thousand gallons on the meter scale. The half per cent. proposed on the domestic rate of charge, i.e., rateable value, was exactly one-half the additional ten per cent. sought to be imposed by the Bill.

Your Committee have noted this decision with satisfaction.

8.—SHOPS ACT: (A) Report from the Shops' Inspector that it had been found necessary to take proceedings against the Disabled Service Men's Supply, in view of the continuance of a breach of the provisions of the Shops Act by one of their members, who had refused to furnish his name. Proceedings had accordingly been taken against Capt. Morgan, who appeared to be the sole proprietor of the concern.

As a result of such proceedings, the Magistrates decided to register a conviction, but under the circumstances did not inflict a fine, the defendant being ordered to pay the costs.

The Inspector reported that Capt. Morgan, on behalf of the Disabled Service Men's Supply, promised in future to issue strict instructions to the men regarding the provisions of the Shops Act, and, further, to insert a special clause in regard thereto in the agreement signed by them.

Your Committee have duly noted the result of the proceedings in this case.

(B) HALF HOLIDAY ORDER: Report from the Clerk that as a result of advertising the proposal to make an Order under the Shops Act providing that fruiterers and greengrocers in the Golders Green, Garden Suburb and Child's Hill Wards should close their shops for the weekly half holiday on Thursday at 1 p.m., certain objections had been received to the proposed Order from shop-keepers in the Golders Green and Child's Hill Wards.

The Shops Act Regulations provide that if a two-thirds' majority of shop-keepers in an exempted class desire to close for a weekly half holiday, the Local Authority may make an Order accordingly.

Your Committee are informed that as a result of the objections received, the required two-thirds' majority still prevailed in the Golders Green and Garden Suburb Wards, but not in the case of the Child's Hill Ward. In view of such report, your Committee now

RECOMMEND—That the resolution of the Council passed on the 23rd day of May, 1921, contained in paragraph 11 (c) of the report of the General Purposes Committee dealing with the proposal to make a Half Holiday Order for Exempted Shops in the Child's Hill, Golders Green, and Garden Suburb Wards be rescinded.

Your Committee further

RECOMMEND—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to an Order providing for fruiterers and greengrocers in the Golders Green and Garden Suburb Wards closing their shops for the weekly half holiday on Thursday at 1 p.m., such Order being as follows:—

URBAN DISTRICT OF HENDON.

ORDER UNDER SECTION 4 (6) and (2) EXTENDING THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 4 TO EXEMPTED SHOPS AND FIXING THE DAY OF THE WEEKLY HALF HOLIDAY.

THE URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL OF HENDON, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by the Shops Act, 1912, and after due compliance with its provisions, do hereby order as follows:—

- (1) This Order may be cited as the Hendon Shops Order (No. 3), and applies to all shops in the Golders Green and Garden Suburb Wards of the Urban District of Hendon, in which the sale by retail of fruit or vegetables is carried on, and the provisions of Section 4 of the said Act shall extend to the shops above mentioned.
- (2) All shops to which this Order applies shall be closed for the weekly half holiday on Thursday at 1 p.m. throughout the year.

Provided that any shop-keeper may substitute Saturday for Thursday on affixing a notice to that effect in his shop.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That such Order be submitted to the Secretary of State for confirmation.

With regard to the Child's Hill Ward, in view of the number of objections received to the proposal for making an Order for this ward, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That no further action be taken in the matter for the present.

- 9.—BITTACY VIEW: Letter from Mr. B. G. Drummond making enquiry as to the terms upon which the Council would be prepared to allow him to continue his tenancy of Bittacy View, Mill Hill. Your Committee have given consideration to this matter, and

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Drummond be allowed to continue his tenancy of the property on the existing terms enjoyed by him, subject to the provisions of the Rent Restriction Act, and the Council reserving their rights in connection with such tenancy.

- 10.—GAME LICENCE: Letter from Messrs. MacFisheries, Ltd., making application for the renewal of Game Licences on behalf of the following applicants:—

Messrs. Cook Bros. (Hornsey), 1911, Ltd., in respect of No. 7, Golders Green Road.
Messrs. Phillips and Co., in respect of 7, Royal Parade Golders Green.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the applications be acceded to, and that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the necessary Licences in due course.

- 11.—ELECTRICITY SUPPLY: Letter from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council in reference to a further Conference of Local Authorities in connection with the London and Home Counties Electricity District.

Report from the Clerk that he anticipated he would shortly receive details of the proceedings at such Conference, when he would report the matter to the Committee again.

Your Committee decided to await the issue of the report referred to.

- 12.—NETHER COURT: Letter from Messrs. Yates and Yates inviting the Council to submit an offer, on behalf of Mr. Ward, for the acquisition of the Nether Court Estate.

After further consideration of this matter, and a report from the Clerk as to his recent conversation with an Official of the Ministry of Health upon the subject, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That no further action be taken in regard thereto, and that Messrs. Yates and Yates be informed accordingly.

- 13.—ADVERTISEMENTS: Reference was again made to the question of the arrangements for advertisements inserted by the Council in the various London newspapers. Your Committee propose to deal with this matter at their next meeting.

- 14.—STATUTORY UNDERTAKINGS:

- (A) Letter from the Board of Trade (Power Transport and Economic Department) relative to the application of the Colne Valley Water Company for an Order under the Statutory Undertakings (Temporary Increase of Charges) Act, 1918, empowering them to increase their charges for the supply of water.

The Board of Trade forwarded a copy of an Order made by them in connection with such application, which empowered the Company to charge for water supplied during the half-year ending on the 25th December, 1921, not more than sixty-five per cent. in excess of the charges specified in Sections 21, 22 and 25 of the Colne Valley Water Act, 1907, provided that the total charge to any consumer for water supplied during the year 1921 or after the 25th December, 1921, shall not be more than 45 per cent. in excess of the last mentioned charges, subject to certain conditions contained in such Order. The Order to have effect during the continuance of the present war, and for a period two years thereafter, unless previously revoked by the Board of Trade.

Your Committee have duly noted the the same.

- (B) Letter from the Board of Trade in regard to the application of the Harrow and Stanmore Gas Company for an Order under Section 1 of the Gas Regulation Act, 1920, and transmitting copy of an Order made by the Board of Trade fixing a new standard price in respect of gas supplied by the Company.

The Order provides, *inter alia*, that so far as the same affects public lighting, that from the date of the operation of such Order, viz.:—the 24th June, 1921, the words "decimal eight of a penny per therm" shall be substituted for the words "fourpence per thousand cubic feet" and the words "per therm" shall be substituted for the words "per thousand cubic feet."

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

- (C) Report from the Clerk as to an intimation he had received from the Secretary of the North Middlesex Gas Company that he would be willing to consider a reduction in the price sought to be obtained by them for the supply of of gas within their area of supply, with a view to meeting the opposition of the Council in connection with the matter.

Your Committee have decided to await the Inquiry to be held by the Board of Trade in connection with the application of the Company under the Statutory Undertakings (Temporary Increase of Charges) Act, 1918, before proceeding further in connection with such application.

- 15.—METROPOLITAN WATER BOARD (VARIOUS POWERS) BILL: The Surveyor submitted a letter from the Chief Engineer of the Metropolitan Water Board transmitting a formal undertaking relative to the points raised in the Council's petition against the Metropolitan Water Board (Various Powers) Bill, such undertaking being as follows:—

- (1) In making and maintaining so much of the Aqueduct or line or lines of pipes in the Act referred to as Aqueduct No. 5 as will be situate in Edgware Road in the Urban District, the Board shall not alter the level of the existing sewer of the Council therein.

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- (2) If the Council so require by notice in writing to the Board within fourteen days after the receipt of the notice of intention to open or break up any street in the Urban District which the Board are required to give to them, the Council may execute the work referred to in paragraph 1 of the section of the Act, the marginal note of which is "breaking up of roads and footpaths" and the Board shall on the completion thereof pay to the Urban District Council the reasonable expenses incurred by them in so doing.

Your Committee approved of such undertaking.

- 16.—**OUTDOOR STAFF OUTING:** The Surveyor reported that he had received an application from the Council's Outdoor employees for leave of absence in order that they might participate in a day's outing.

Your Committee have left the matter in the hands of the Surveyor to make the necessary arrangements in regard to the proposed outing.

- 17.—**TERRITORIAL FORCE:** Report from the Surveyor as to an application he had received from certain members of the Outdoor Staff, belonging to the Territorial Force, making enquiry whether the Council would grant them their pay during their second week in Camp, in the event of their being required to attend Camp for a fortnight. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the existing arrangements in connection with this matter be adhered to.

- 18.—**"KENWOOD"—PROPOSED ACQUISITION:** Letter from the Town Clerk of Islington, relative to a proposed Conference of certain Local Authorities with a view to action being taken in regard to the suggestion for the acquisition of "Kenwood," Hampstead Heath, for the public, to be held on the 19th inst. at the Town Hall, Islington. The Council were invited to appoint three members to attend the proposed Conference.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Islington Borough Council be informed that the Council are unable to take part in any scheme for the acquisition of the property referred to.

Report of Highways Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 11th day of July, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Hare (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Glanville, Hill, Page, Reynolds and Taylor.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—**OMNIBUS FACILITIES:** Letter from the London General Omnibus Company, Limited, in further reference to their proposal to provide omnibus facilities from Golders Green to Mill Hill, Edgware and Whetstone.

The Council will remember that at their last ordinary meeting they agreed to the use of the roads within their district, subject to the Company paying such part of the increased cost of the upkeep of the roads in question, as the Surveyor of the Council certified to be due to "extraordinary traffic" within the meaning of Section 23 of the Highways and Locomotives (Amendment) Act, 1878, consequent upon the user of such roads by the Omnibuses of the Company, and they were consequently informed accordingly.

They now pointed out that the duties on mechanically propelled vehicles had been heavily increased with the express object of providing funds for the upkeep of roads, and they could not undertake to make a direct contribution, in addition to the £84 per bus per annum already paid.

The Company now requested to be informed whether the Council definitely refused their consent to the user of the roads without the stipulation proposed.

Your Committee have given further consideration to this matter, and now

RECOMMEND—That the stipulation be withdrawn, and that the Council rely on their statutory powers in connection with the question of extraordinary traffic.

- 2.—**EDGWARE ROAD:**

- (a) Letter from the General Manager of the Metropolitan Electric Tramways, Ltd., making enquiry as to the date when it was proposed to commence the work of re-construction in the Edgware Road. The Tramway Company intimated that they were anxious that the same should be commenced without delay, especially in view of the fact that Contracts for large sums had been let on the understanding that the work was commenced forthwith, and they urged that the Council should give instructions for the work to commence at once.

Report from the Clerk that the delay in commencing this work was due to the fact that the sanction of the Ministry of Health to the loan for carrying out the proposed work had not been received, but the same had now come to hand.

- (b) Letter from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council transmitting the following amended resolution adopted by the County Council and referred to in their letter of the 5th May last, relative to the kerbing works in connection with the re-construction of the Edgware Road.

RE-CONSTRUCTION OF EDGWARE (MAIN) ROAD.

That the resolution adopted by the County Council on the 28th April, 1921, with regard to the re-construction of the haunches of the Edgware (Main) Road, Hendon, and the paving of the footpath on one side of the road, be amended by the inclusion of the words, "and laying of kerbing where none exists" after the words "re-constructing the haunches," and by the deletion of the words "laying on the following lengths of road kerbing where none exists and" in the latter part of the resolution relating to the contribution to be made towards the cost of the footpath works.

In view of the receipt from the County Council of the amended resolution referred to, your Committee consider it desirable that this work should commence as early as possible, and they therefore

RECOMMEND—That steps be taken to commence the proposed works without delay.

- (c) Further letter from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council transmitting a copy of a resolution adopted by the County Council relative to the paving of the tramway margins. The Council will remember that the County Council suggested with regard to the paving of the tramway margins that it would be convenient for the District Council to carry out the work, they arranging for the payments for such work to be made by the Tramway Company on the Certificate of their Engineer. The Council, however, did not favour this proposal, and informed the County Council that they preferred to deal direct with them in connection with the matter. As a result of further consideration the following resolution had now been received from the County Council:—

“That an intimation be given to the Hendon Urban District Council that the County Council will make application to the Metropolitan Electric Tramways Company for the payment of the cost, or payments on account of the cost, of the re-construction of the tramway margins along the agreed sections of the Edgware (Main) Road, Hendon, upon the issue of a Certificate or Certificates signed by the Surveyor to the Hendon Urban District Council, and countersigned by the County Engineer.”

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of such resolution.

- 3.—COLINDEEP LANE: Letter from Messrs. C. Groebel and Co. objecting, on behalf of the St. Joseph's Convent Authorities, to the execution by the Council of certain works in Colindeep Lane, on land which they alleged formed part of the property of the Convent Authorities.

Your Committee received a report from the Surveyor as to the work recently carried out by him in Colindeep Lane in the vicinity of St. Joseph's Convent.

After due consideration of such report, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk communicate with Messrs. Groebel and Co. requesting that an opportunity might be afforded him to inspect the deeds in their possession relating to the land owned by the St. Joseph's Convent Authorities in Colindeep Lane, and that a further report be submitted upon the matter by the Clerk at their next meeting.

- 4.—ROAD VEHICLES: The Clerk reported the receipt, from the Ministry of Transport, of a copy of an Order entitled The Heavy Motor Car (Amendment) Order, 1921, such Order being dated the 19th May, 1921. Your Committee have duly noted the same.

- 5.—GOLDERS GREEN ROAD: The Clerk reported the receipt of a letter from Mr. C. Mittell, Liquidator, on behalf of the Durax Dustless Roads, Limited, making application for payment of the sum of £197 18s. 10d. in respect of maintenance charges to the 31st December last in connection with the Durax Paving in the Golders Green Road.

Your Committee have referred the matter to the Surveyor who will report upon the same in due course.

6.—ROAD IMPROVEMENTS:

- (a) The Clerk reported the receipt of a circular letter from the Assistant Secretary of the Ministry of Transport relative to the grants from the Road Fund during the financial year 1921-22.

The Council will remember that on a former occasion the Ministry of Transport intimated that they would be prepared to bear 50 per cent. of the actual expenditure towards the improvements and maintenance of Class 1 Roads, and 25 per cent in the case of Class 2 Roads.

The Ministry now stated that the funds at their disposal would probably enable a limited degree of assistance to be afforded towards expenditure coming within certain categories outside Class 1 and 2 Roads, and they outlined the procedure to be adopted in making applications for the assistance referred to, such applications to be made before the 31st inst.

Report from the Surveyor that the following works came within the categories referred to by the Ministry of Transport, and he suggested that application should be made to that Department for assistance in connection with the expenditure which would be involved in carrying out such works:

- 1.—Improvement at the junction of Hendon Wood Lane, Totteridge Lane and Highwood Hill.
- 2.—The Widening of Shirehall Lane.
- 3.—The widening of Mill Hill Road, already approved by the Council.
- 4.—The re-surfacing of Bridge Lane in bituminous material.
- 5.—The surface tarring of Wilberforce Road, Bell Lane, and Lawrence Street, Mill Hill.

After due consideration of the suggestion of the Surveyor, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the same be approved, and that he forward particulars of the works mentioned therein to the Ministry of Transport with a view to a grant being made by them to meet the expenditure involved.

- (b) Report from the Surveyor suggesting that the following schemes in connection with main roads should be forwarded to the Middlesex County Council with a view to obtaining a grant from them in connection therewith.

- 1.—Paving the footway of Brent Street from Green Lane to The Approach, the frontage being entirely developed, and having only a gravel pathway in front of the same.
- 2.—The re-surfacing of Station Road in Asphaltic material from the Edgware Road to the Burroughs Pond.

Your Committee approve of the suggestion of the Surveyor, and

RECOMMEND—That application be made to the Middlesex County Council accordingly.

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7.—CLASSIFICATION OF ROADS:

- (a) The Surveyor reported that he had received a communication from the Ministry of Transport relative to the proposed contribution towards the establishment charges of the Surveyor's Department, from which it appeared that a standard form of agreement between the Ministry and Local Authorities who desired to participate in the proposed contribution was being prepared, and a copy would be forwarded in due course.

Your Committee have deferred further action in connection with this matter pending the receipt of the copy agreement referred to.

- (b) Report from the Surveyor in regard to a communication received from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council upon the subject of the Classification of Roads. It appeared from such communication that the County Council considered it would be an advantage if all roads included in the Classification Scheme were made main roads, and they desired to be informed, in the event of the proposal being carried out, whether the District Council would hand over the maintenance and repair of such main roads in their area to the County Council, the County Council doing the maintenance and repair work themselves instead of it being carried out through the District Council.

After careful consideration of the report of the Surveyor in regard to the proposal, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Middlesex Council be informed that the Council do not approve of the same.

- 8.—MAINTENANCE OF HIGHWAYS: Report from the Surveyor that the drought had had very serious effects on the water-bound macadam roads in the district, and it would be necessary, in view of the circumstances, to re-surface a number of these roads again this year. He suggested that a large amount of granite might be saved if the roads in question were scarified, re-rolled with a small amount of new granite and well surface tarred, this particularly applying to roads which were likely to be traversed by motor 'bus traffic in the near future.

Your Committee have given consideration to the suggestion of the Surveyor in connection with this matter, and

RECOMMEND—That the same be adopted.

9.—PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS:

- (a) Letter from Mr. L. C. Michelmores forwarding a petition from property owners in the portion of Wentworth Road in which it is now proposed to carry out permanent works, requesting that the works in question might be postponed for the present when advantage might be taken of the possible reduction in prices for both labour and materials.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND — That Mr. Michelmores be informed, on behalf of the petitioners referred to, that the Council are in sympathy with their proposal, and they propose to defer the carrying out of the works in question for a period of six months, it must, however, be borne in mind that difficulties might be experienced during the coming winter in connection with the removal of house refuse, etc., owing to the condition of the portion of Wentworth Road referred to, in view of the proposal to defer the carrying out of permanent works therein.

- (b) SOMERTON ROAD: Reference was made to the question of proceeding with the proposal to carry out permanent works in Somerton Road, Cricklewood.

After careful consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk and Surveyor submit a report upon the matter in due course.

- (c) THE VALE: Further consideration was given to the question of carrying out permanent works in The Vale, Golders Green, this matter having been considered by your Committee on a former occasion, representation being made to the Council at that time by Mr. Streather and other property owners in the road suggesting that the Council should make up and take the same over.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a communication be addressed to the whole of the property owners in The Vale making enquiry whether they were in favour of permanent works being carried out therein.

- (d) LYNDALE AVENUE: Report from the Surveyor in regard to a communication which he had received from Messrs. Cluttons relative to the carrying out of permanent works in Lyndale Avenue, Child's Hill.

In view of such communication, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a communication be addressed to the owners of property in this road making enquiry whether they were in favour of permanent works being carried out therein.

- (e) Report from the Clerk in regard to the question of fixing the period to be given to the frontagers to comply with the notices requiring them to execute permanent works in the following roads:—

Templars Avenue,
Higheroft Gardens,
Wentworth Road,
St. George's Road.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That such period be fixed at three months from the date of the service of the notices.

- (f) The Surveyor submitted apportionments of the cost of making up Alba Gardens and Russell Gardens, Golders Green, such apportionments amounting to the sums of £2,201 10s. 3d. and £2,774 0s. 4d. respectively.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That such apportionments be approved, and that the necessary notices of apportionment of the expenses incurred in the making up of the roads referred to be served upon the owners of property therein in due course.

(g) Reference was made to the question of carrying out permanent works in the portion of Hodford Road between Golders Green Road and The Ridgeway.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor prepare plans and estimates for the fully making up of the portion of Hodford Road referred to.

10.—CRICKLEWOOD LANE: Reference was made to the question of carrying out improvement works at the junction of Cricklewood Lane and Finchley Road, opposite Messrs. Barnes' Repository, also in regard to the desirability of the provision of a refuge in this vicinity.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Outdoor Committee take these matters into consideration.

11.—FINCHLEY ROAD: Letter from the Commissioner of Police in regard to an accident to a passenger on the top deck of a motor omnibus proceeding along Finchley Road, in the neighbourhood of the "Royal Oak," alleged to have arisen owing to a rope supporting a canvas advertisement coming into contact with such passenger.

The Commissioner requested the Council to exercise their powers to prohibit this method of advertising, it being suggested that it was within their power to deal with the matter under the provisions of the Metropolitan Paving Act, 1817, and the Metropolitan Management Act, 1855.

Report from the Clerk upon the matter. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk communicate with the Commissioner of Police in regard thereto.

12.—BELL LANE: Letter from Mr. T. Waple complaining of the condition of the footpath in front of 1 and 2, Alexandra Parade, Bell Lane, and calling attention to the terms of the agreement by which the Council agreed to pave the same at their own expense.

Your Committee have received a report in regard to the matter, and

RECOMMEND—That the terms of the agreement referred to for carrying out of paving works in front of the property in question be carried out.

13.—REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor submitted a requisition of goods and materials required, and the same was duly approved.

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Minutes.

AT A MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 18th day of July, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Mr. Councillor W. L. Glanville,
 " " R. Hare,
 " " F. W. Hearn,
 " " C. W. Hill,
 " " T. Page,
 " " A. Roberts,
 " " A. B. Soar,
 " " J. H. Sturgess,
 " " W. Taylor,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " R. M. Weeks,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant),
 Dr. T. S. McIntosh (Medical Officer of Health).

DEATH OF MR. JOHN EVANS: Reference was made by the Chairman to the death of Mr. John Evans, who for many years sat as a Member of the Hendon Local Board, Councillor for the Mill Hill Ward.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hearn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That this Council address a communication to Mrs. Evans, signed by the Chairman of the Council, expressing deep sympathy with her and her family in the sad bereavement sustained by them, and that such resolution be recorded on the Minutes of the Council.

MINUTES. The Minutes of the last ordinary meeting of the Council held on the 20th day of June, 1921, and of the Special Meetings held on the 4th day of July, 1921 (ordinary meeting and Council in Committee) were submitted for confirmation.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Minutes be confirmed.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE: The Finance Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 11th inst (Agenda page 79). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Sturgess, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hearn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

The following is a list of the accounts for payment referred to on page 80 of the report of the Finance Committee:—

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| Adams, Thomas | 48 | 14 | 10 |
| Archer, W. and F. | 15 | 12 | 0 |
| Atkinson and Co., Ltd. | 73 | 19 | - |
| Atlas Stone Co., Ltd. | 152 | 19 | 6 |
| Bastable, Frank | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Batchelor, J. and Son | 78 | 0 | 0 |
| Beattie, J. H. and Co., Ltd. | 60 | 4 | 10 |
| Bell Motor Works | 1 | 17 | 6 |
| Blakeborough, J. and Sons, Ltd. | 190 | 0 | 0 |
| Boots Cash Chemist | 0 | 10 | 4 |
| Brown Bros., Ltd. | 0 | 14 | 1 |
| Buck and Ryan | 0 | 15 | 0 |
| Burn Bros. | 1 | 5 | 6 |
| Camberwell Research Laboratories | 2 | 11 | 0 |
| Cement Marketing Co., Ltd. | 22 | 2 | 6 |
| Cherry, C. | 368 | 19 | 0 |
| Cluttons | 38 | 10 | 0 |
| Commercial Union Assurance Co., Ltd. | 0 | 10 | 0 |
| Constable, Hart and Co., Ltd. | 84 | 12 | 7 |
| Cornwall, E. A. | 1 | 15 | 3 |
| Crisp and Hodgson | 8 | 10 | 5 |
| Crow, Catchpole and Co., Ltd. | 193 | 4 | 0 |
| Dell, J. and Co., Ltd. | 18 | 5 | 0 |
| Dickers, E. M. M. | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| Durrant, A. H. | 5 | 4 | 8 |
| Evans, Edwin | 7 | 10 | 0 |
| Evans, J. | 6 | 15 | 0 |
| Evans, W., per Accountant's Account | 26 | 9 | 2 |
| Broken Granite | 48 | 14 | 10 |
| Brooms | 15 | 12 | 0 |
| Uniforms | 73 | 19 | - |
| Paving Slabs | 152 | 19 | 6 |
| Rent | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Oats | 78 | 0 | 0 |
| Coal | 60 | 4 | 10 |
| Oil | 1 | 17 | 6 |
| Hydrants | 190 | 0 | 0 |
| Sundry First Aid requisites | 0 | 10 | 4 |
| Files | 0 | 14 | 1 |
| Grounding knives | 0 | 15 | 0 |
| Bag stopper | 1 | 5 | 6 |
| Diagnosis fees | 2 | 11 | 0 |
| Cement | 22 | 2 | 6 |
| Hired team labour | 368 | 19 | 0 |
| Rent | 38 | 10 | 0 |
| Premium | 0 | 10 | 0 |
| Tarmacadam | 84 | 12 | 7 |
| Tanfield Slack | 1 | 15 | 3 |
| Sundries | 8 | 10 | 5 |
| Tar | 193 | 4 | 0 |
| Coke | 18 | 5 | 0 |
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| Farrow, H. | ... | ... | Clinker | ... | 51 12 9 |
| Foskett, C. | ... | ... | Bicycle allowance | ... | 1 2 6 |
| Gamage, A. W., Ltd. | ... | ... | Swings | ... | 2 0 0 |
| Gas Light and Coke, Co. | ... | ... | Supply and Maintenance | 1736 | 2 7 |
| Gillfillan, Miss L., per Accountant's Petty Cash Account | ... | ... | Compensation | ... | 6 0 0 |
| Grimley, S. S. | ... | ... | Salary | ... | 100 0 0 |
| Hahn, Max, rent | ... | ... | Rent | ... | 3 10 0 |
| Hall, Vernon | ... | ... | Antitoxin | ... | 0 5 0 |
| Hammond, G. F. | ... | ... | Signwriting | ... | 5 15 0 |
| Harris, A. J. | ... | ... | Dust collection | ... | 124 0 0 |
| Harrison Press, Ltd. | ... | ... | Stationery, etc. | ... | 8 2 3 |
| Harrow and Stanmore Gas Co. | ... | ... | Supply and Maintenance | ... | 43 10 0 |
| Hazel and Co., Ltd. | ... | ... | Uniform | ... | 8 5 0 |
| Hendon Electric Supply Co., Ltd. | ... | ... | Repairs to switch | ... | 0 6 9 |
| Hertfordshire Council | ... | ... | Repairs and Maintenance | ... | 5 0 0 |
| Hill, B. | ... | ... | Fish | ... | 4 9 10 |
| Hinge Bros. | ... | ... | Rent | ... | 3 14 10 |
| H.M. Stationery Office | ... | ... | Publications | ... | 0 15 8 |
| Holdford, John | ... | ... | Horse hire | ... | 6 0 0 |
| Hospital and Contracts Co. | ... | ... | Medical requisites | ... | 1 15 0 |
| Hounslow Sand and Gravel Co., Ltd. | ... | ... | Shingle | ... | 56 10 10 |
| Howard, E. | ... | ... | Rent | ... | 19 8 9 |
| Done, Hunter and Co. | ... | ... | Rent | ... | 72 5 0 |
| Jeyes Sanitary Compounds Co., Ltd. | ... | ... | Disinfectants | ... | 10 10 0 |
| Kado, Ltd. | ... | ... | Stencils | ... | 4 0 0 |
| King, Benjamin | ... | ... | Sundries | ... | 12 0 9 |
| King, J. | ... | ... | Rent | ... | 1 10 0 |
| Kingsbury U. D. C. | ... | ... | Maintenance | ... | 24 0 0 |
| Knight, C. and Co., Ltd. | ... | ... | Stationery | ... | 35 2 1 |
| Kruse, G. F. | ... | ... | Rent | ... | 12 10 0 |
| Lavender, N. | ... | ... | Meat | ... | 18 18 8 |
| Lightfoot, P. | ... | ... | Winding clocks | ... | 2 10 0 |
| Marshall, W. and Son, Ltd. | ... | ... | Broom shafts | ... | 12 16 6 |
| Matthews, A. | ... | ... | Repairs | ... | 0 4 7 |
| Meager, Mrs. M. A. | ... | ... | Rent | ... | 1 10 0 |
| Metropolitan Water Board | ... | ... | Rent | ... | 4 5 0 |
| Midland Railway Co. | ... | ... | Rent | ... | 0 15 0 |
| Midland Railway Co. | ... | ... | Carriage | ... | 0 19 10 |
| Mountsorrel Granite Co. | ... | ... | Granite | ... | 12 1 8 |
| Municipal Journal, Ltd. | ... | ... | Year Book | ... | 1 2 0 |
| Norton and Gregory, Ltd. | ... | ... | Repairs | ... | 0 2 6 |
| Odell, C., Ltd. | ... | ... | Printing | ... | 3 11 0 |
| Overed, J. E. | ... | ... | Professional services | ... | 12 6 10 |
| Page, C. H. | ... | ... | Sundries | ... | 2 6 0 |
| Prices Co., Ltd. | ... | ... | Oil | ... | 2 12 6 |
| Pryke and Palmer, Ltd. | ... | ... | Cotton waste | ... | 4 0 5 |
| Puddefoot, T. | ... | ... | Smith's work | ... | 38 16 9 |
| Read Manufacturing Co. | ... | ... | Stationery | ... | 6 4 0 |
| Rising Sun Polishes, Ltd. | ... | ... | Polish | ... | 1 10 0 |
| Royal Exchange Assurance | ... | ... | Premium | ... | 1 13 7 |
| Rowley, Thomas | ... | ... | Hired steam roller | ... | 96 18 0 |
| Sampson, T. | ... | ... | Smith's tools | ... | 11 8 4 |
| Sanitas Co., Ltd. | ... | ... | Disinfectants, etc. | ... | 11 18 0 |
| Sankey, J. H. and Son, Ltd. | ... | ... | Cement, etc. | ... | 0 4 0 |
| Sawford, R. | ... | ... | Hire of car | ... | 6 14 3 |
| Sayers, S. P. | ... | ... | Drugs | ... | 1 1 11 |
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| Shaw and Sons | ... | ... | Stationery, etc. | ... | 13 10 0 |
| Shell Mex, Ltd. | ... | ... | Kerosene | ... | 51 18 6 |
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| Shutler, T. H. | ... | ... | Goggles | ... | 1 2 6 |
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| Stephens and Carter, Ltd. | ... | ... | Ladder | ... | 1 7 6 |
| Swire and Sons | ... | ... | Requisition books | ... | 1 12 6 |
| Tangyes, Ltd. | ... | ... | Sludge pump | ... | 8 8 0 |
| Tollit and Harvey, Ltd. | ... | ... | Analysis books | ... | 0 14 4 |
| Waitrose, Ltd. | ... | ... | Groceries | ... | 13 1 3 |
| Warden and Co., Ltd. | ... | ... | Printing | ... | 1 11 6 |
| Webb, A. | ... | ... | Private works, deposit refund | ... | 2 2 0 |
| Weedon, A. | ... | ... | Cartage | ... | 1 4 0 |
| Westminster Fire Office | ... | ... | Premium | ... | 3 16 6 |
| Widdow, T. H. and Son | ... | ... | Rubber bands | ... | 0 12 6 |
| Willcox, W. H. and Co., Ltd. | ... | ... | Wire brushes | ... | 0 2 6 |
| Woodbridge, Frank | ... | ... | Rent | ... | 0 2 6 |
| Wyatt, T. | ... | ... | Envelopes | ... | 1 4 0 |
| Wragg, Thomas and Sons, Ltd. | ... | ... | Pipes | ... | 90 11 10 |
| Sundry Ratepayers | ... | ... | Rate refunds | ... | 30 8 1 |
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| Express Dairy Co. | ... | ... | Milk | ... | 8 15 6 |
| Grosch and Sons | ... | ... | Milk | ... | 1 0 8 |
| Hodkinson, Prestons and King | ... | ... | Chemical foods | ... | 7 13 1 |
| Virol, Ltd. | ... | ... | Virol | ... | 3 5 0 |
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| 0 0 0 | Hull Savings Bank | ... | Loan repayment and interest | ... | 213 7 6 |
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| 0 0 0 | Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society | ... | Ditto | ... | 86 3 2 |
| 15 0 0 | Ministry of Health | ... | Ditto | ... | 103 2 8 |
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| 0 0 0 | Newcastle-upon-Tyne Savings Bank | ... | Loan repayment and interest | ... | 346 14 8 |
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| 10 0 | Accountant | ... | Ditto | ... | 63 4 1 |
| 0 0 0 | Wilson, J. E. | ... | Rate refund | ... | 1 6 6 |
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| 0 0 0 | Cater, J. E. | ... | Tarmacadam | ... | 38 3 1 |
| 18 8 | Constable Hart and Co. | ... | Materials | ... | 272 7 1 |
| 10 0 0 | Ministry of Health | ... | Plans | ... | 12 5 4 |
| 16 6 | Stone and Colquhoun | ... | On account of contract: | | |
| 4 7 | Finch, J. | ... | Hot water installation | ... | 250 0 0 |
| 0 0 0 | Ministry of Health | ... | Materials— | | |
| 5 0 0 | Improved Concrete Construction Co. | ... | Housing schemes | ... | 9262 3 3 |
| 5 0 0 | Adams, Thomas | ... | Instalment 21 on Contract | ... | 2000 0 0 |
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PUBLIC CONVENIENCE—BRENT STREET: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 9 of the report of the Committee referring to the proposal of the Ministry of Health to hold a Local Inquiry in regard to the application of the Council to utilize the Loan monies sanctioned in connection with the underground public convenience proposed to be erected at Brent Street for a convenience above ground.

Mr. Councillor Soar moved:—

“That a communication be addressed to the Ministry of Health expressing the hope, in view of the fact that one Local Inquiry has already been held in connection with this matter, that they would be able to dispense with the holding of a further Inquiry, and that sanction to the use of the loan for the execution of the modified scheme might be issued without further delay.”

Councillor Miss Hodge seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting, the Chairman declared the same to be carried.

CLOISTER ROAD HOUSES: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 14 of the report of the Committee in regard to the proposal to increase the rentals of the houses at Cloister Road in accordance with the provisions of the Increase of Rent and Mortgage Interest (Restrictions) Act, 1920.

Mr. Councillor Roberts moved:—

“That the matter be referred back to the Committee for further consideration.”

Councillor Miss Hodge seconded the motion.

After some discussion upon the matter, the motion was subsequently withdrawn.

Mr. Councillor Wise thereupon moved:—

“That the whole question be deferred for a period of twelve months.”

Mr. Councillor Roberts seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting, there voted in favour thereof 9, viz.: Councillors Wise, Miss Hodge, Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Glanville, Roberts, Sturgess, Taylor, and Teare; and against the motion 6, viz.: Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Hare, Hearn, Hill, Soar, and Weeks.

The Chairman declared the motion to be carried.

HOUSING BONDS: Upon the report of the Accountant

IT WAS RESOLVED—To add the following to the report of the Committee.— That the Common seal of the Council be affixed to three housing Bonds for the sum of £140, making a total amount subscribed to date in respect of Housing Bonds of £25,830.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Sturgess, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee with this addition be approved and adopted.
REPORT OF WORKS AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL COMMITTEE: The Works and Sewage Disposal Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 27th ulto. (Agenda page 83).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

DISPOSAL OF HOUSE REFUSE: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 10 of the report of the Committee as to the question of the disposal of the house refuse of the district.

Mr. Councillor Wise moved:—

“That the matter be referred back to the Committee for further consideration.

Councillor Miss Hodge seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof three, viz.:—Councillors Wise, Miss Hodge, and Glanville; and against the motion 12, viz.:—Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Hargraves, Mrs. Bannister, Hare, Hearn, Hill, Roberts, Soar, Sturgess, Taylor, Teare and Weeks.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE: The Public Health Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 27th ulto. (Agenda page 87).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Weeks,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

COMPLAINT: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 3 of the report of the Committee as to the petition received from residents of Somerton Road, Cricklewood, and other roads in the locality, relative to an alleged nuisance from certain factory premises at Somerton Road.

Mr. Councillor Teare moved.—

“That the recommendation of the Committee be amended to read that the premises in question have been visited, and at the time of such visit no nuisance was found to exist, the premises would, however, be visited periodically.

Mr. Councillor Hearn seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being submitted to the Meeting, the Chairman declared the same to be carried *nem. con.*

Mr. Councillor Sturgess then moved:—

“That the matter be referred back to the Committee for further consideration, with a suggestion that the same might be dealt with as an offensive trade under the Public Health Act, 1907.”

Mr. Councillor Hill seconded the amendment.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof five, viz.:—Councillors Miss Growse, Sturgess, Hill, Hare, and Teare; and against the amendment six, viz.:—Councillors Miss Hodge, Glanville, Hearn, Soar, Taylor and Weeks.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be not carried.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF TOWN PLANNING COMMITTEE: The Town Planning Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 4th inst. (Agenda page 89).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Soar, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

APPLICATION NO. 5155: In regard to this application, submitted by the Owners of La Sagesse Convent, for proposed building lines in Beverley Gardens, and Golders Green Road, and in view of the forthcoming Council Recess,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the further consideration of the matter be referred to a Sub-Committee consisting of Councillors Reynolds, Hill, and Soar, with power to act.

CONTRAVENTIONS OF BYE-LAWS: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 4 (c) of the report of the Committee in regard to certain wooden buildings erected on land at Kimbolton Lodge, Golders Green Road,

Mr. Councillor Hearn moved:—

“That the matter be further considered by the Council in Committee this evening.”

Mr. Councillor Teare seconded the motion.

After some discussion the motion was withdrawn.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Soar, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HOUSING COMMITTEE: The Housing Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 4th inst. (Agenda page 92). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Soar,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

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BRENT HILL SCHEME: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 1 (d) of the report of the Committee relative to the tiles proposed to be used in connection with the Brent Hill Housing Scheme. Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the paragraph in question be deleted in view of the decision of the Finance Committee in connection with the matter subsequent to the meeting of the Housing Committee.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF STAFF COMMITTEE: The Staff Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 27th ulto. (Agenda page 96).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 1 of the report of the Committee relative to the appointment of a Junior Clerk in the Public Health Department. Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED That the appointment be limited to residents in the district.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF FIRE BRIGADE COMMITTEE: The Fire Brigade Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 4th inst. (Agenda page 96). Upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF FIRE BRIGADE COMMITTEE NO. 2: The Fire Brigade Committee submitted a report of a further meeting of the Committee held on the 11th inst. (Agenda page 97). Upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE: The General Purposes Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 11th inst. (Agenda page 98). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

HENDON PUBLIC PARK: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 4 (c) of the report of the Committee relative to the application of the Hendon Hospital Parade Committee for the use of the Hendon Park and Bandstand on Sunday, the 14th prox. in connection with the Annual Parade in aid of the funds of the Cottage Hospital, Mr. Councillor Teare moved:—

“That in acceding to the application for the use of the Park and Bandstand for the purpose named the Council express the hope that it may be possible, in view of representations made by certain residents in the district, to hold the parade on a day other than Sunday.”

Mr. Councillor Weeks seconded the motion.

Upon the same being put to the meeting, there voted in favour thereof two viz.—Councillors Teare and Weeks; and against the motion 12, viz.—Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Miss Hodge, Miss Growse, Glanville, Hearn, Hill, Hare, Page, Soar, Taylor, Sturgess and Wise.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

SHOPS ACT: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 8 (b) of the report of the Committee relative to the proposed Half Holiday Order providing for Fruiterers and Greengrocers in the Golders Green and Garden Suburb Wards closing their Shops for the Weekly Half-Holiday on Thursday at 1 p.m., Mr. Councillor Sturgess moved:—“That the whole matter remain in abeyance for the present. Mr. Councillor Roberts seconded the motion. Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 3, viz.: Councillors Sturgess, Roberts and Soar; and against the motion 12, viz.:—Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Mrs. Bannister, Miss Growse, Miss Hodge, Glanville, Hare, Hearn, Hill, Page, Taylor, Teare and Weeks

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

BITTACY VIEW: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 9 of the report of the Committee relative to the continuance by Mr. Drummond of his tenancy of Bittacy View, Mill Hill. Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Sturgess, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the recommendation of the Committee be amended to read, “That Mr. Drummond be allowed to continue his tenancy of the property subject to the rent payable being increased in accordance with the Rent Restriction Act, and to Mr. Drummond continuing such tenancy as a statutory tenant.”

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE: The Highways Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 11th inst. (Agenda page 103). Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

OMNIBUS FACILITIES: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 1 of the report of the Committee in regard to the proposal of the London General Omnibus Company Limited to provide omnibus facilities from Golders Green to Mill Hill, Edgware, and Whetstone. Mr. Councillor Sturgess moved:—"That the recommendation of the Committee be deleted, and that the London General Omnibus Company Limited be informed that the Council are unable to depart from their previous decision in the matter". Mr. Councillor Hare seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 11, viz:—Councillors Sturgess, Hare, Mrs. Bannister, Miss Growse, Hill, Hearn, Taylor, Roberts, Teare, Wise and Weeks, and against the motion 2, viz:—Councillors Miss Hodge and Glanville.

The Chairman declared the motion to be carried.

CRICKLEWOOD LANE: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 10 of the report of the Committee relative to the carrying out of improvement works at the junction of Cricklewood Lane and Finchley Road, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Taylor, seconded by Councillor Mrs. Bannister,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That a meeting of the Outdoor Committee take this matter, together with any other questions, into consideration as soon as practicable after the Recess.

Reference was made to the question of providing a refuge between Cricklewood Lane and Chichele Road, and

IT WAS RESOLVED—That this matter be taken into consideration by the Outdoor Committee.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF REQUISITIONS COMMITTEE: The Requisitions Committee submitted the following report of a meeting held this evening.

Report of Requisitions Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall this evening. Present: Mr. Councillor Egan (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Hill and Roberts.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:

REQUISITIONS. The Surveyor, Medical Officer, and the Chief Officer of the Fire Brigade submitted a requisition of goods required, and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the same be approved.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved, and adopted.

CORRESPONDENCE: The Clerk reported the receipt of various letters as detailed in his report, and upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Taylor, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be referred to the respective Committees for consideration.

The following urgent letters were reported for consideration.

BRENT HILL FARM HOUSING SCHEME: Letter from the Ministry of Health, in reply, in reference to the interview which had taken place between the Officials of the Council and the Ministry relative to the Brent Hill Farm Housing Scheme, from which it appeared that the Ministry were now prepared to agree to the Council's proposal to complete this scheme in its original form by the provision of 244 houses, subject to the scheme being completed by July, 1922, and to the compensation to be paid to Mr. Smith for the remainder of the land required to complete the scheme not exceeding £479. Mr. Councillor Hearn moved:—"That the letter in question be referred to the Housing Committee for consideration." Mr. Councillor Hare seconded the motion. Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 3, viz:—Councillors Hearn, Hill and Hare; and against the motion 10, viz:—Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Miss Hodge, Miss Growse, Glanville, Soar, Roberts, Taylor, Teare, Wise and Weeks.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

SEWAGE OUTFALL WORKS AND TEMPLE FORTUNE SEWER: The Clerk reported the receipt of a letter from the Ministry of Health intimating that before deciding upon the application of the Council for sanction to borrow sums amounting to £20,800 and £2,804 in respect of the completion of the Sewage Outfall Works and the Temple Fortune Diversion Sewer respectively, they would direct one of their Inspectors to visit the locality for the purpose of investigating the applications. The Ministry intimated, however, that the Council might proceed with the works forthwith if they desired to do so. In view of the fact that tenders had already been accepted for the works in question. Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Council proceed with the work without delay, and that the Clerk prepare the necessary contracts in connection therewith.

TOWN HALL PAINTING: The Clerk reported the receipt of the tenders received in response to the Council's Advertisement for the painting of the exterior of the Town Hall (15 in number).

A letter was also submitted from the Hon. Secretary of the Hendon Unemployment Committee relative to the number of skilled painters in the District out of employment, and making enquiry whether the Council would see their way to carry out the work of painting at the Town Hall by direct labour, thus utilising the services of the unemployed painters referred to.

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After some discussion in connection with the matter, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the tenders received for the work be opened.

The tenders were thereupon opened, and after due consideration thereof, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the lowest tender, that of Mr. A. J. Hill, amounting to the sum of £77 be accepted.

FEEDING OF CHILDREN: Letter from the Hon. Secretary of the Hendon Unemployment Fund Committee transmitting the following copy of a resolution passed by the Committee in regard to the feeding of the children of the unemployed of the district under the Education (Provision of Meals) Acts:—"That this Committee

RECOMMENDS the Urban District Council, being the Local Education Authority for the District, to adopt the provisions of the Education (Provision of Meals) Acts, and that the Council request the Hendon Education Committee to prepare a scheme for carrying out such provisions, if it be found necessary."

After due consideration of the matter, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Sturgess, seconded by Councillor Miss Growse,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the resolution referred to be transmitted to the Education Committee for consideration.

BITTACY HILL SCHEME: Letter from the Ministry of Health intimating that the tenders submitted for the erection of 50 houses on the Bittacy Hill Site were higher than the Ministry were prepared to approve.

In view of the general housing position, the Ministry did not desire for the present that any further commitments should be undertaken by the Council for the erection of houses, except so far as houses included in signed contracts were concerned. Noted.

KINGSBURY ROAD PLAYING FIELD: Letter from the Clerk to the Urban District Council of Kingsbury relative to the Playing Field recently provided by the Hendon Council at Kingsbury Road, and expressing the appreciation of the Council, having regard to the benefits which would accrue to their district by the existence of such Playing Field. Noted.

JOINT INDUSTRIAL COUNCIL: Letter from the Clerk to the Middlesex County Council as to a meeting of representatives of Local Authorities in the County of Middlesex to consider the present position relative to manual workers in the County. It was proposed to hold such Conference at the Guildhall on the 26th inst., and the County Council invited the Council to appoint representatives to attend the proposed Conference. After due consideration of the matter, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That no action be taken in connection with the matter.

TOWN PLANNING: Letter from Professor P. Geddes relative to the holding of the proposed lecture at Hendon upon the subject of Town Planning, and suggesting that a date might be fixed for the purpose during the last week in July.

After due consideration of the matter,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the question of holding the proposed lecture be deferred until after the forthcoming Council Recess.

DOCUMENTS FOR SEALING: The Clerk submitted the following documents for sealing by the Council:—

National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.—Mortgage Deed, £15,000.

Two Petrol Licenses and one Fire Certificate as per Fire Brigade Committee Reports (Agenda page 96 and 98 respectively).

Two Game Licenses as per General Purposes Committee Report (Agenda page 101).

Shops Act Half-Holiday Order (in duplicate) for Fruiterers and Greengrocers in the Garden Suburb and Golders Green Wards.

Three Housing Bonds, as per Housing Bond Register.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to such documents, and the Seal was thereupon affixed.

MOTOR FIRE ENGINE NO 2: Report from the Clerk that he had been in communication with the Air Ministry making enquiry as to the firms who would be in a position to supply a Motor Fire Engine in accordance with the specification for the original engine requisitioned by the Admiralty, and in reply to such communication the Air Ministry had furnished the names of the following firms:—

Leyland Motors Ltd, Lancashire.

J. Morris and Sons, Manchester.

Dennis Bros., Ltd., Guildford.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the three firms mentioned be invited to submit tenders for the supply of the Motor Fire Engine in accordance with the specification referred to, and to include the accessories provided with the original Engine.

GAME LICENCE: Report from the Clerk as to an application he had received from Messrs. Waitrose Ltd., for a Game Licence in respect of their premises situate in Golders Green Road.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the application be acceded to, and that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the Licence in due course.

GREENFIELD GARDENS ALLOTMENTS: The Clerk reported the receipt of a notice received by the Surveyor from Mr. Howard terminating the agreement in respect of the land at Greenfield Gardens, Child's Hill, leased to the Council for the purpose of Allotments, such land being required for building development. Mr. Howard intimated that he desired possession of the land referred to within a period of one month in accordance with the terms of the agreement entered into in connection with the matter.

After careful consideration thereof, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Sturgess, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Clerk communicate with Mr. Howard expressing the hope that he would consent to defer the operation of the notice for a period of two months in view of the fact that the same had been received at a period when the crops of the allottees would be very seriously affected by the operation of such notice.

ANNUAL RECESS: Upon consideration of this question, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Chairman of the Council be invested with authority to deal with any matter requiring attention during the recess, and that the Council resume their sittings on the 12th September, 1921.

RATE COLLECTION: Letter from the Child's Hill Ratepayers' Association suggesting that two evening attendances for collection of rates in the Child's Hill Ward.

IT WAS AGREED—That the Accountant should arrange accordingly.

HOUSING (ADDITIONAL POWERS) ACT, 1919 CERTIFICATE "B": Report from the Surveyor submitting the following list of applicants entitled to Certificate "B" under the Housing (Additional Powers) Act, 1919, in respect of houses completed subsequent to the 23rd April, 1921:—

| Situation of Premises. | No. of Houses. | Applicant. | Amount per house. |
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| Woodland Way | 2 | Mr. A. J. Cowling | £260 |
| Beechcroft Avenue | 2 | Mr. W. T. Streater | £260 |
| Neeld Crescent | 2 | Messrs. Galliford and Parsons | £260 |
| Brent Street | 1 | Mr. J. Bent | £260 |
| Woodlands Crescent | 1 | Mr. J. H. Young | £260 |
| Bigwood Road | 2 | Mr. J. C. S. Soutar | £260 |
| Decoy Avenue | 2 | Mr. J. C. Webb | £260 |
| Ditto | 1 | Ditto | £240 |
| Hillcrest Avenue | 1 | Ditto | £260 |
| Sinclair Grove | 1 | Messrs. Haymills, Ltd. | £260 |
| Shirehall Lane | 1 | Messrs. Gillett and Co. | £260 |
| Renters Hill | 8 | Messrs. Edmonsons, Ltd. | £260 |
| Cranbourne Gardens | 1 | Mr. A. Arnell | £260 |
| Garrick Avenue | 1 | Mr. E. Wright | £260 |

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Councillor Mrs. Bannister,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Clerk be authorised to issue Certificates "B" in the above-named cases.

PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS: The Surveyor submitted apportionments of the cost of making up the following private streets in the district:—

| | £ | s. | d. |
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| Garrick Avenue ... | 2,279 | 17 | 2 |
| Ambrose Avenue ... | 2,320 | 4 | 10 |
| Sneath Avenue ... | 2,344 | 3 | 8 |

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such apportionments be approved, and that the necessary notices of apportionment be served upon the frontagers in the roads mentioned in due course.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE MINUTES: The Minutes of the proceedings of the Hendon Education Committee at a meeting held on the 24th day of May, 1921, having been circulated amongst the members of the Council, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Councillor Miss Growse,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Minutes be received.

IN COMMITTEE—

SITES—ISOLATION HOSPITAL: The Surveyor submitted a report in regard to certain sites in the district which might be considered suitable for the purpose of an Isolation Hospital, and which the owners thereof would probably dispose of for the purpose named.

In view of the fact that the Surveyor was preparing a scheme for the extension of the existing Isolation Hospital, which he proposed to submit to the next meeting of the Public Health Committee, it was decided to defer the consideration of the whole matter until this meeting.

LOAN OFFERS: The Accountant reported as to certain loan offers he had received, the loans contained in such offers being required for various purposes.

It was decided upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Soar, that the offer of the Royal London Mutual Assurance Society to advance the sum of £25,000, with interest at £6 12s. 6d. per cent. be accepted and taken up when required.

The Accountant was instructed to continue his negotiations in connection with other loan offers, and in particular the advance offered by the Middlesex County Council for the loan required for the Edgware Road works at 6½ per cent.

BRENT HILL FARM: The Accountant reported in reference to his interview with the District Valuer as to allocating the compensation in regard to Mr. Smith's claim, and the arrangement arrived at in the matter.

The Accountant's report as to his action was confirmed.

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AT A SPECIAL EMERGENCY MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon (in Committee), held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 22nd day of August, 1921.

PRESENT:

- Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
- Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
- Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
- Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
- Mr. Councillor T. F. Fenn,
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- " " F. W. Hearn,
- " " C. W. Hill,
- Councillor The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan,
- Mr. Councillor A. Roberts,
- " " A. J. Reynolds,
- " " A. B. Soar,
- " " W. Taylor,
- " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
- " " R. J. Wise,
- Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
- Mr. G. Hails (Accountant),
- Mr. F. E. Gadd (Clerk's Assistant),
- Mr. H. Bevir (Solicitor), and Mr. W. Taylor (Mr. Hornblower's Assistant) were also present.

The Clerk's Assistant read the notice convening the meeting.

BRENT HILL FARM HOUSING SCHEME: A report was submitted in regard to the position which had arisen in connection with this scheme, from which it appeared that the Contractor's men had been paid off on the 16th instant, and the work completely suspended. Correspondence was reported from the Improved Building Construction Company, the Improved Concrete Construction Company, and the Chairman reported that he had given instructions for a communication to be addressed to the Contractors, requesting them to proceed with the work forthwith. A communication was also received from Mr. A. Rackley, who had been appointed Receiver of the Company's undertakings, also from Mr. Hornblower, dealing with the situation, as detailed in the report submitted to the Council.

After careful consideration of such report, by the Council, it was moved by Mr. Councillor Roberts, and seconded by Mr. Councillor Wise, as follows:—

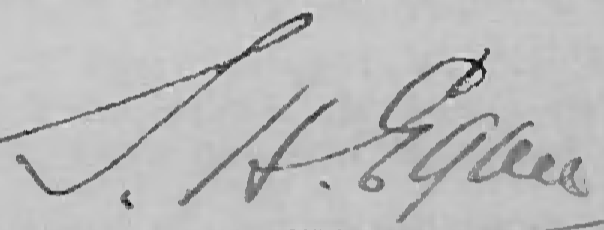
It being reported that the workmen had been paid off and that work had stopped, that Mr. Hornblower be requested to submit a report upon the position, and if from such report it appeared that the Council's powers of determining the Contract had arisen, that then the proper notice be served under Clause 18 of the Contract to determine such Contract, such notice to be prepared by the Council's Solicitor and served by the Clerk.

Further, that after service of such notice under the terms of the Contract, the Council do forthwith take possession of such works, plant, materials and site in accordance with such Contract.

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting, the Chairman declared the same to be carried *nem. con.*

It was further resolved that in due course a report be submitted to the Ministry of Health upon the position.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Fenn, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge, it was agreed that the meeting be adjourned until such time as a further report shall have been received upon the matter.


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AT THE ADJOURNED EMERGENCY MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon (in Committee) held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 5th day of September, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
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 " " R. M. Weeks,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant),
 Mr. W. Taylor (Mr. Hornblower's Assistant) was
 also present.

The Clerk read the notice convening the meeting.

BRENT HILL FARM HOUSING SCHEME: The Clerk reported as to the steps taken in connection with the matter subsequent to the Emergency Meeting of the Council held on the 22nd ulto.

In accordance with the instructions of the Council, a report had been submitted by Mr. Hornblower relative to the position of the matter, from which it appeared that the Council's powers of determining the Contract had arisen. The required notice under Clause 18 of the Contract, to determine such Contract, had consequently been prepared by the Council's Solicitor, and was subsequently served upon the Company at their registered office.

No reply had been received from the Company in regard to such notice beyond the formal acknowledgment thereof obtained at the time of service.

A copy of the notice had also been transmitted to the Company's Banker's, The Solicitors for the Bank, The Receiver appointed by the Bank in connection with the Company's undertakings, and The Federated Employers' Insurance Association, the Sureties for the Company in connection with the Contract.

In addition, the Ministry of Health had been informed of the present position of the matter.

The Architect submitted a report as to a recent inspection of the site, when an inventory was made of the materials lying thereon, and of the plant provided by the late Contractors. A statement of the financial position in connection with the scheme was also presented by the Architect, together with a block plan showing the houses in their various stages of completion.

After careful consideration of the whole matter, together with certain suggestions submitted by the Architect at the previous meeting for the completion of the scheme, Mr. Councillor Ford moved:—

"That the Council proceed with the tiling, guttering, battening, and the provision of downpipes for the houses awaiting this work, subject to the approval of the Ministry of Health, and that the Architect obtain forthwith three estimates for the work in question."

Mr. Councillor Roberts seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting, the Chairman declared the same to be carried. Mr. Councillor Hearn only dissenting.

Consideration was given to the question of dealing with the estimates when received, and

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be referred to a Special Committee consisting of the Chairman of the Council and Mr. Councillor Ford, and that such Special Committee be invested with power to act in connection with the matter.

In regard to the remaining houses, in various stages of completion,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Architect submit a report, in time for consideration by the Council on Monday next, as to the actual position of such houses, and the work required to complete the same.

DEATH OF MR. O. WINDEBANK: Reference was made to the death of Mr. O. Windebank, late Caretaker of the Town Hall, and upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That a letter of condolence be addressed to Mrs. Windebank in the bereavement sustained by her, and, further, that the Council place on record their appreciation of the services rendered by the late Mr. Windebank.

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AT A SPECIAL MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 12th day of September, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
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 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),

The Clerk read the notice convening the meeting.

UNEMPLOYED: The Clerk reported the receipt of a communication from Mr. B. Allen, the Secretary to the Hendon Unemployed, intimating that a deputation from the Hendon Unemployed would wait upon the Council on Monday evening, the 12th inst., at 7.30 p.m., and requesting to be received by the Council.

It was agreed that the deputation should be received at 7.30 p.m.

REPORT OF CHAIRMAN: The following report was received from the Chairman of the action taken by him during the Council vacation:—

REPORT OF CHAIRMAN AS TO ACTION TAKEN BY HIM DURING THE SUMMER RECESS, 1921.

- 1.—I have personally kept in touch with the Officials throughout the Recess, and beg to report the matters which it was found necessary to deal with.
- 2.—GAS REGULATION ACT.—Notice of Inquiry was received from the Board of Trade to be held at the Board's Offices on the 27th July, 1921, in reference to the application of the North Middlesex Gas Company under this Act. It will be remembered that the Accountant reported in detail to the Council in regard to this application, and after discussing the same with the Officers, I authorised the necessary action for appearance at the Inquiry to support the Council's views.
- 3.—CHARGES FOR ELECTRICITY.—Notice was received from the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company as to proposed application to the Ministry of Transport for an Order varying the maximum prices charged to consumers for electricity. I authorised a formal notice to be lodged objecting to the proposal, and an intimation has since been received that the Company do not propose to proceed with the application.
- 4.—BRENT HILL FARM.—I authorised the Clerk to instruct the Architect to give the Improved Concrete Construction Company access to the whole of the Housing Site in order that the full scheme could be completed in accordance with the Council's decision.

In view of the difficulty experienced in procuring tiles, I inspected a Belgian Tile, submitted by the Concrete Company, and agreed that the same should be used.

- 5.—OLD AGE PENSIONS.—The following claims being in order, I passed the same:—

No. 1636, Scott, Eliza, 50, The Orchard, Hampstead Way.
 No. 1637, Scott, Henry B., 50, The Orchard, Hampstead Way.
 No. 1638 Harris, Robert, 1, Carlton House, Herbert Road, West Hendon.
 No. 1639, Hebden, Elizabeth, 3, Star Cottages, Burnt Oak.
 No. 1640, Yule, Wm., 7, Lichfield Road, Cricklewood.
 No. 1641, Granger, Samuel, 10, Ash Grove, Cricklewood.
 No. 1642, Jarvis, Elizabeth, 36, Alba Gardens, Golders Green.

- 6.—CARETAKER AT TOWN HALL.—Owing to the unfortunate death of Mr. O. Windebank, it will be necessary to take action to fill this post. During the recess the work has been performed by the Assistant Caretaker.

- 7.—JUNIOR CLERKS.—Applications for the Junior Clerkship in the Public Health Department were considered, and Mr. H. Jones, of 3, Alexandra Road, Hendon, was selected for the post.

Applications for the vacancy in the Clerk's Department were also considered, and Mr. F. E. Griffiths, of 82, Finchley Lane, was selected for the post.

- 8.—STREET HAWKING.—A petition was received from shopkeepers in Golders Green as to the numerous hawkers and others in the shopping centres at Hendon and Golders Green. I authorised this to be sent on to the Police for the necessary action. The Police report that they are dealing with the matter.

- 9.—PAINTING, TOWN HALL.—I affixed the Seal of the Council to the Contract with Mr. A. J. Hill for the external painting work, and the work has been carried out.
- 10.—ACQUISITION OF KEN WOOD ESTATE.—The Council are aware of the movement on foot to acquire this Estate for the use of the public, and I made enquiry as to the probable action of the neighbouring local authorities. The Vendor has extended the time to afford Local Authorities further opportunity for considering the matter, and it will be for the Council to determine whether they will lend the matter support.
- 11.—DOCUMENTS SEALED.—The following documents were submitted for sealing, and the Common Seal of the Council was affixed thereto:—
- Contract, Croft Granite Co. (supply of Leicester Granite).
 - Contract, Gas Light and Coke Co. (gas fittings, etc.).
 - Game Licence, Waitrose, Limited.
- 12.—MOTOR FIRE ENGINE.—Amended specifications were issued to the firms mentioned by the Air Ministry and in addition to Messrs. Merryweather, Ltd., and tenders are now awaiting consideration.
- 13.—SUNNY HILL FIELD.—I am glad to report that this Council's application for sanction to loan for the acquisition of this field as an open space has been successful. The sanction has been issued, and it now remains to raise the loan and complete the purchase.
- 14.—CONVENIENCE IN BRENT STREET.—The Ministry of Health fixed the further Public Inquiry into this application on the 2nd instant, and quite a number of shopkeepers and others attended to oppose the erection of the Convenience above ground, although in general agreement that a Convenience (under ground) was very necessary. A petition was received against the (above ground) Convenience signed by some 383 persons.

It should be pointed out that 100 of these persons are not resident in Hendon.

The Inspector will report to the Ministry in due course, but suggested that in view of the petition and opposition, the Council might like to take the matter again into consideration.

It was, of course, pointed out that the Council's main object in proposing the erection above ground was to exercise economy, advocated by the Government in connection with capital outlay.

- 15.—UNEMPLOYMENT.—I desire to bring under the notice of the Council a short statement of the action taken in connection with this question.

I think it wise to report as to the steps taken to inaugurate a Fund to relieve cases of distress amongst the Unemployed of Hendon. The amount which has been received and promised to date is £1,375 0s. 11d.

A register of local unemployed was opened at the Town Hall, a room being placed at the disposal of the Committee by the Council for the purpose.

Appeals were made to residents who might have had house decoration, or other work in contemplation, to avail themselves of the Committee's register of men, and so relieve unemployment if possible, and in several cases this was done.

As you are aware, the Council and the Hendon Education Committee have had certain work put in hand, and the necessary labour was obtained from men on the Committee's register, the practice being for men to work for a week from Thursday to Wednesday, so that a large number of men were able to secure a few days' work by this method.

An appeal was made to the Metropolitan Electric Tramways, Limited, to utilize the service of the unemployed in connection with the reconstruction of the tramway track in the Edgware Road, and from the reply received on Friday last it is hoped that work will be found for suitable men.

About the middle of March the cases for relief were very heavy at West Hendon, and it was arranged to supply dinners to the children of the unemployed on six days per week at St. John's Hall. This was found to be very much appreciated. It may be interesting here to mention that the number of meals supplied to children at West Hendon since the commencement is 8,778 and at Central Hendon 3,320 (approximately), whilst the cost per meal, including wages, amounts to approximately 4d. Up to the present time, 824 men (541 married men and 283 single men) have registered their names at the Town Hall, and of this number in 36 cases report has been received that the men have obtained other work, so that the actual number at present on the register is 788.

Since the Committee was formed continuous meetings have been held, including the whole of the period of the recess, whilst the number of men who have been given work is approximately 461.

Each week now practically 200 men attend at the Town Hall.

The Committee have expended in assistance by Food Orders the maintenance of two kitchens, and for light employment and other disbursements a sum of £1,051 3s. 1d. to date.

The actual cash balance is getting low, but the Committee hope that further support will be forthcoming to enable them to carry on the work.

In regard to the unemployed, the men have always maintained an orderly and well-behaved attitude, and from communications received by the Committee, it would appear that the Committee's efforts to alleviate distress occasioned by unemployment are appreciated by those who are unfortunately out of employment at the present time.

- 16.—PLANS.—The following building applications were approved, viz.:—

Application No. 5158, for conversion of Temporary Building into Factory, 110, Cricklewood Lane, for Messrs. Tramb, Brown and Brightiff.

Application No. 5166, for Urinal, Colindale Hospital, Colindale Avenue, for the Metropolitan Asylums Board.

Application No. 5167, for three pairs of semi-detached houses, Millway, on the south side, for Mr. R. Streather. Government Subsidy Scheme.

- Application No. 5153, for Boiler House, Innisfail Laundry, Crewys Road, Child's Hill.
 Application No. 5163, for one semi-detached house and garage, Basing Hill, for Mr. F. W. Bristow. Government Subsidy Scheme.
 Application No. 5169, for three motor garages, Basing Hill, Nos. 17, 21 and 25, for Mr. F. W. Bristow.
 Application No. 5170, for three pairs of semi-detached houses and one detached house, Cranbourne Gardens, for Mr. E. H. Waterman. Government Subsidy Scheme.
 Application No. 5171, for one detached house, Eversfield Gardens, for Messrs. Frank Parvin. Government Subsidy Scheme.
 Application No. 5172, for one detached house and one motor house, Moreland Close, corner of Hampstead Way, for Mr. W. Quennell.
 Application No. 5173, for one detached house and one garage, Linnell Drive, for Mr. J. T. Davies.
 Application No. 5174, for temporary additions, Colindale Laundry, Bell Lane, Hendon.
 Application No. 5175, for temporary motor house, 2, Sunnydale Gardens, Mill Hill, for Mr. E. Reynolds.
 Application No. 5136, for temporary schools, North End Road, for the King Alfred School Society.
 Application No. 5178, for motor house, "Grasmere," Hammers Lane, Mill Hill, for Dr. Morley. Temporary building.
 Application No. 5164, for additions and alterations to All Saints' Schools, Cricklewood Lane, for the Managers.
 Application No. 5179, for one Bungalow, Brentmead Place, for Messrs. Haymills, Ltd. Government Subsidy Scheme.
 Application No. 5130, for 13 detached houses, Greenfield Gardens, on the north-east side; 20 semi-detached houses and one garage, for Mr. E. Streather. Government Subsidy Scheme.
 Application No. 5181, for temporary building, Colindeep Lane, for Messrs. Titanite, Ltd.
 Application No. 5182, for Cinematograph Theatre, Belle Vue Road, for the Hendon Estates, Ltd.
 Application No. 5185, for detached house, Egerton Gardens, south side, for Mr. H. P. Cartwright.
 Application No. 5184, for detached house, Egerton Gardens, for Mr. H. E. Fairminer. Government Subsidy Scheme.
 Application No. 5185, for semi-detached house, Egerton Gardens, for Mr. A. G. Bush. Government Subsidy Scheme.
 Application No. 5186, for two pairs of semi-detached houses, Hillcrest Avenue, for Messrs. J. Webb and Sons. Government Subsidy Scheme.
 Application No. 5187, for one pair of semi-detached houses, Neeld Crescent, for Messrs. Galliford and Parsons. Government Subsidy Scheme.
 Application No. 5188, for two pairs of semi-detached houses, Neeld Crescent, for Mr. G. E. Galliford. Government Subsidy Scheme.
 Application No. 5189, for 14 semi-detached houses, Greenfield Gardens, for the Hendon Vale Estate Co. Government Subsidy Scheme.
 Application No. 5190, for two semi-detached houses, Finchley Road, for Mr. W. S. Gibson.
 Application No. 5191, for two semi-detached houses, Wildwood Road, for Mr. J. T. Lloyd. Government Subsidy Scheme.
 Application No. 5192, for four semi-detached houses, Somerton Road, for Mr. S. A. Kendall. Government Subsidy Scheme.
 Application No. 5193, for 12 semi-detached houses, Cranbourne Gardens, for Messrs. E. H. Waterman.
 Application No. 5194, for temporary motor shed, 24, Albert Road, Mill Hill, for Mr. J. L. Davies.
 Application No. 5195, for temporary cycle shed, 37, Johns Avenue, for Mr. J. Thomas.
 Application No. 5196, for temporary Army Hut, Renters Lane, for Mr. F. Griffiths.
 Application No. 5197, for one motor house, 21, Helenslea Avenue, for Mr. A. J. Reynolds.
 Application No. 5198, for detached house, Wildwood Road, for Mr. W. G. Hutchinson.
 Application No. 5199, for temporary Parish Hall, Child's Way, for the Churchwardens of St. Jude's-on-the-Hill. (Subject to Engineer's conditions.)
 Application No. 5200, for additions to Old Oak Lodge, Wellgarth Road, for Mr. J. C. Holliday.
 Application No. 5201, for bungalow, Hillcrest Avenue, for Messrs. J. Webb and Sons. Government Subsidy Scheme.
 Application No. 5202, for detached wooden house, 38, North End Road, for Mr. M. Curpers. Temporary building. Government Subsidy Scheme.
 Application No. 5203, for detached house, Beecheroff Avenue, for Mr. W. T. Streather. Government Subsidy Scheme.
 Application No. 4963, for bungalow, west side of Blind Lane, for Mr. E. M. Tuck. Temporary building. Government Subsidy Scheme.
 Application No. 5205, for one detached house, on the east side of Flower Lane, for Mr. H. Cottingham.
 Application No. 5207, for garage at No. 94, The Vale, for Mr. E. Streather.
 Application No. 5208, for two garages, in Beecheroff Avenue, for Mr. W. T. Streather.
 Application No. 5209, for a temporary shed at No. 40, Cranbourne Gardens, for Mr. E. H. Waterman.
 Application No. 5212, for new lavatories, Somerton Road, for Messrs. Smiths Crisps, Ltd.
 Application No. 5213, for a stand at the Hampstead Town Football Club premises, south-east side of Cricklewood Lane. Temporary Building.
 Application No. 5214, for a drainage connection from a proposed new pavilion for the University College School, West Hampstead, on their playing fields adjoining Avenue Farm.

The following applications were disapproved, viz.:-

- Application No. 5176, for proposed illuminated sign, No. 3, Golders Green Parade, for the Brilliant Sign Company.
 Application No. 5177, for alterations to enclosing petrol tanks, Edgware Road, for the British Petroleum Company.
 Application No. 5210, for a temporary building at the rear of No. 225, Golders Green Road, for Messrs. Cook and Shutler.
 Application No. 5211, for a temporary shed at the rear of Nos. 7 and 8, Temple Fortune Parade.

The above approved applications include over 30 new houses. It is interesting to note that between the 1st of July and the 25th of August, when the Government Subsidy finally ceased, 153 new houses were commenced in the district, and all the foundations put in and inspected during that period. There are now a total of 206 houses in course of erection under the Subsidy Scheme.

17.—CERTIFICATES "B."—The following Certificates "B" under the Housing (Additional Powers) Act have been issued during the recess, viz.:-

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| Mr. W. T. Streather, one house, Beecheroff Avenue | ... | ... | £260 |
| Mr. F. W. Bristow, one house, Basing Hill | ... | ... | £260 |
| Mr. E. Wright, two houses, Garrick Avenue | ... | ... | £260 |

- 18.—TELEGRAPHIC LINES.—Applications by the General Post Office for overground lines in Wise Lane and Deans Lane have been approved, and for a short underground extension in Ambrose Avenue.
- 19.—ELECTRIC CABLES.—An application was submitted by the Hendon Electric Supply Company and approved for an application to lay a high pressure cable from the foot of Highwood Hill, outside the Club House, to the footpath leading to Totteridge.
- 20.—ALLOTMENTS.—An application was received from Mr. Taylor, of Hamilton Road, for permission to erect a small fowl house on his allotment, and this was approved on similar lines to a previous application passed by the Council.
- 21.—BITTACY VIEW, BITTACY HILL.—The long period of dry weather having caused the cracks in the walls of this house to enlarge considerably, and it being evident that the movement was making progress, the Engineer was authorised to take steps to have the walls shored up to prevent any danger to the building.
- 22.—TEMPLE FORTUNE OUTFALL SEWER.—This work being in progress, the Engineer was authorised to engage the services of Mr. William Watson, of 14, Hampstead Gardens, Golders Green, as Inspector of these works, at a weekly salary of £6 10s.
- 23.—TOWN HALL.—Owing to a subsidence under the porch at the entrance to the Town Hall, it became necessary to carry out certain underpinning works in connection with the building. The movement appears now to have ceased and it is hoped that no further underpinning work will be necessary.
- 24.—PUBLIC HEALTH.—No urgent matter has arisen in the Public Health Department requiring any special action being taken by me (other than the appointment of a Junior Clerk, which I have previously alluded to in my Report).

From enquiries I find that there has been no undue incidence of infectious disease, and all cases requiring isolation were removed into our own local Isolation Hospital without having to resort to any expense in securing treatment in London Hospitals. The Mortality Rates have remained low and satisfactory.

- 25.—FOOD EMERGENCY.—The Sanitary Inspector has received a letter from the Divisional Food Commissioner dated 8th September asking him if he would act as Emergency Food Officer for the Hendon Division should the occasion arise, owing to the present industrial unrest.

Mr. Chapman has handed the letter to me, from which I find it would involve the question of office accommodation, telephone service, and staff. Mr. Chapman informs me that he is willing to carry out the Council's wishes in this matter, but feels that his own sanitary duties should not again, if possible, be interrupted and that some other person should be appointed by the Ministry of Food to act on their behalf.

- 26.—PAY ORDERS.—I have signed the following Pay Orders, details of which will duly appear in the printed Minutes:—

| | £ | s. | d. |
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| 26th July, 1921 | 2137 | 10 | 1 |
| 29th July, 1921 | 565 | 11 | 6 |
| 6th August, 1921 | 1500 | 0 | 0 |
| 22nd August, 1921 | 3073 | 11 | 9 |
| 22nd August, 1921 | 29 | 15 | 3 |
| 26th August, 1921 | 304 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd September, 1921 | 500 | 0 | 0 |
| 9th September, 1921 | 1656 | 11 | 0 |

- 27.—REPORT OF HOUSING SUB-COMMITTEE.—The Housing Sub-Committee met on the 20th July, 1921, and reported to me as follows:—

CHILD'S HILL.—The following are recommended as suitable tenants for the class of house specified.

LIVING ROOM AND THREE BEDROOMS.

| Appln. No. | Name. | Service H. M. Forces. | Children | Total in Family. | Present Accommodation. | Residence in Parish. |
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| 1307a | Spooner, W. F. | 4½ years and Ex-regular. | 6 | 8 | Living Room and 2 Bedrooms. | 12 years. |

PARLOUR, LIVING ROOM AND THREE BEDROOMS.

| Trans. | Name. | Service | Children | Total in Family. | Present Accommodation. | Residence in Parish. |
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| | Bullock, A. | Son 2½ years. | 4 | 6 | Living Room and 3 Bedrooms. | Transfer from present large type—30, Cloister Rd. |

Referring to Application 225, B. Gurr, approved 23rd May, 1921. Mr. Gurr desires to take one of the large type of pre-war houses, and it is recommended that he be allotted the house to be vacated by Mr. Bullock.

RECOMMENDED FOR LARGE TYPE PRE-WAR HOUSE.

| Appln. No. | Name. | Service | Children | Total in Family. | Present Accommodation. | Residence in Parish. |
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| 144 | Bonner, Mrs. | War Widow. | 3 | 4 | Living Room and 1 Bedroom. | 14 years. |

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| Appln. No. | Name |
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| 1393 | Bullen, R. |
| 350 | Dobbs, A. |
| 1410 | Brown, W. |
| 1360a | Brown, F. |
| 1226 | Klee, G. |
| 1186 | Howard, R. |

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| 1393 | Bullen, R. H. | ... 4 years. | 3 | 5 | 1 Bedroom. | |
| 350 | Dobbs, A. | ... 4½ years. | 1 | 3 | 1 Bed-sitting Room. | 9 years Wife 20. |
| 1410 | Brown, W. H. | ... Ex-reg. Married war widow. | 4 | 6 | 3 Rooms | 28 years. 32 years. War time removal. |

PARLOUR, LIVING ROOM AND THREE BEDROOMS.

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| 1360a | Brown, F. A. W. | ... Ex-reg. | 2 | 4 | 1 Bed-sitting Room. | 33 years. |
| 1226 | Klee, G. | ... 2½ years. Discharged. | 1 | 3 | Living Room and Bedroom. | 16 years. |
| 1186 | Howard, R. H. | ... 3 years. Discharged. | 2 | 4 | Living Room and Bedroom. | 10 years. |

TRANSFERS.—Applicants 826, W. E. Parker, and 1279, A. F. C. Levett, are now recommended for transfer to parlour type houses.

SUMMARY OF INTERVIEWS—BOTH SCHEMES.

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| Recommended for new houses | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8 |
| Recommended for transfer | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 |
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28.—LOANS.—The following loans have been negotiated and in due course mortgages will be submitted for sealing:—

| Lender. | Amount. | Interest. | Period. | Purpose. |
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| | £ | £ s. d. | | |
| Royal London Mutual Insurance Society, Ltd. | 742 | 6 12 6 | 60 yrs. | Allotments, Bittacy Hill. |
| Ditto | 1050 | 6 12 6 | 14 yrs. | Maternity Huts. |
| Ditto | 600 | 6 12 6 | 20 yrs. | Pathway, Wessex Gardens. |
| Ditto | 3715 | 6 12 6 | 20 yrs. | Park Road. |
| Ditto | 500 | 6 12 6 | 30 yrs. | Colindale Sewer. |
| Ditto | 1977 | 6 12 6 | 15 yrs. | Sprinklers, Outfall. |
| Ditto | 1970 | 6 12 6 | 20 yrs. | Woodstock Avenue and Wessex Gardens. |
| Ditto | 1325 | 6 12 6 | 60 yrs. | Park, Bittacy Hill. |
| J. C. Walters | 1500 | 6 10 0 | 30 yrs. | Sunny Hill Field. |

29.—EDGWARE ROAD LOAN.—A letter dated 30th July has been received from the Middlesex County Council stating that a loan of £80,000 (against sanction £86,000) will be favourably considered on the following terms:—(a) Interest to be at 6½ per cent.; (b) such further terms as may be agreed; (c) any necessary consent of the Ministry of Health being obtained.

The Accountant has been in constant touch with the County Council regarding the Ministry's sanction, but up to the present this has not been received, although the Accountant-General (Ministry of Health) has given a verbal approval to the proposed loan.

The Council will recollect that the principal and interest on approximately £77,143 of the loan will be borne by County funds.

30.—BRENT HILL HOUSING SITE.—The sum of £8,000 has been agreed with the District Valuer as the value of the land at Brent Hill appropriated for housing purposes, comprising 21,522 acres.

The price is equivalent to £370 per acre. This land (without buildings) cost the Council £325 per acre.

31.—BRENT HILL FARM—COMPENSATION TO W. J. SMITH, LTD.—The compensation of £2,869 has been divided in agreement with the District Valuer as follows:—

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| Chargeable to Housing Account, | £2489. |
| Chargeable to Council | £400. |

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| Bedrooms. | 12 years. |
| Bedrooms. | Transfer from present large type—30, Cloister Rd. |
| Bedroom. | 14 years. |

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32.—BRENT HILL INSURANCE.—The insurances, taken out by the Improved Concrete Construction Co., Ltd., in respect of uncompleted works at Brent Hill, having lapsed, arrangements have been made, with the consent of the Housing Board, to have the works held "covered" against fire risk in the sum of £90,000.

33.—PRIVATE IMPROVEMENTS.—Messrs. E. Bovir and Son have submitted proposals for the discharge of Road Charges owing by E. Barnes, of Shakespeare Road, Mill Hill, and I agreed to same on behalf of Council.

34.—WAGES.—Fireman Dickens having been absent sick (at intervals) for a period in excess of three months in the current twelve months, a question arose as to the continuation of his pay. I authorised the Accountant to continue payment to Dickens, less any amount received from the National Insurance Commissioners.

Owing to the death of Mr. O. Windebank on the 24th August a question arose as to the cessation of salary at date of death. As it appears the appointment of caretaker is held jointly by Mrs. Windebank, I authorised the Accountant to pay the full salary for August subject to adjustment being made in any subsequent payment to Mrs. Windebank.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the action of the Chairman be confirmed, and that the best thanks be tendered to him for his services during the Council's vacation.

The Chairman expressed his appreciation of the assistance rendered to him by the Officers and Staff during the Council's recess.

UNEMPLOYMENT: The Chairman reported that the work which the Council had put in hand for the relief of unemployment was now practically completed. Information had been received from the Middlesex County Council that the work upon the section of the North Circular Road in the Hendon district would be commenced in about eight weeks time.

The Tramway Company had commenced the relaying of the Edgware Road tramway track, and Mr. Farrow had also commenced the reconstruction work.

The number of men employed in connection with the reconstruction of the Edgware Road work would be increased to about 60 in the course of the next week or so.

SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS: In regard to the contract for the completion of the Sewage Disposal Works, the Ministry of Health had given authority for the Council to proceed with the works, but up to the present the official sanction to the loan has not been received.

When it was possible to proceed with the completion of this scheme employment could be given to about 40 men.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the matter be left in the hands of the Chairman and the Officers to use their best endeavours to obtain the sanction to the loan and that authority be given to commence the work on receipt of such sanction.

In regard to the North Circular Road, the negotiations were practically completed, and the County Council intimated that the estimated cost was £85,000.

The proposed road passed over a portion of the Council's property, and the Engineer stated that the County Council would ask the District Council to surrender the land required without compensation, as their contribution towards the cost of the road.

The Engineer reported that the following schemes might be undertaken if the Council desired to continue the direct employment of a number of the unemployed:—

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| (a) Widening Mill Hill Road | ... Estimated cost, £1,495. |
| (b) Shirehall Lane, Widening and surface water drainage | ... Estimated cost, £3,196. |
| (c) Highwood Hill Improvement | ... Estimated cost, £655. |

Reference was also made to the widening at the junction of Hall Lane.

Mr. Councillor Soar moved—"That the Council do proceed with the schemes of widening at Mill Hill Road, Shirehall Lane, and Highwood Hill, and that application be made to the Ministry of Health for sanction to be necessary loan for carrying out the works, and further that the Council proceed with the negotiations for the widening of Hall Lane with a view to carrying out this improvement as soon as possible."

Mr. Councillor Fenn seconded the motion.

Mr. Councillor Ford moved, as an amendment, "That the scheme for the widening of the Mill Hill Road be deleted from the proposal."

Mr. Councillor Hearn seconded the amendment.

Upon the amendment being put to the meeting, there voted for it two: Councillors Ford and Hearn; and against it 11: Councillors Teare, Weeks, Soar, Fenn, Miss Hodge, Glanville, Wise, Reynolds, Mrs. Hargraves, Taylor, and Roberts.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be not carried.

The motion of Mr. Councillor Soar was then submitted to the meeting, and there voted for it 12, viz.: Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Miss Hodge, Mrs. Hargraves, Teare, Weeks, Soar, Fenn, Glanville, Wise, Reynolds, Taylor and Roberts; and against it two, viz.: Councillors Hearn and Ford.

The Chairman declared the motion to be carried.

POST OFFICE—GOLDERS GREEN: Reference was again made to the desirability of providing adequate Post Office accommodation in the Golders Green area. This matter had been considered on several occasions, and representation had been made to the Authorities thereon.

It was decided to address a communication to the Postmaster-General and to Sir Philip Lloyd-Greame, the Member for the Division, asking if the matter could be expedited.

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DEPUTATION: It being reported that the deputation of unemployed was in attendance at the Town Hall, Mr. Councillor Fenn moved: "That the whole of the deputation be received by the Council, but that the speakers be limited to three."

Councillor Miss Hodge seconded the motion.

Upon the same being put to the meeting, the motion was declared to be carried.

The deputation from the Hendon Unemployed attended the meeting, the following being the three speakers:

Mr. W. F. Franklin, of 1, Larch Road, Cricklewood.

Mr. B. Allen, of 20a, Draycott Mansions, Hendon.

Mr. Potter, of Hay Lane, Kingsbury.

Mr. Franklin and Mr. Potter not being residents of Hendon, Mr. Allen submitted the representations of the unemployed.

The deputation submitted the following points, upon which they desired information:—

(1) In regard to the Brent Hill Housing Scheme the decision as to the completion of the scheme.

(2) What relief schemes were proposed in Hendon and also as to whether the Council proposed to assist those resident in the adjacent district of Kingsbury.

The deputation retired, and the points submitted were considered by the Council.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hearn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the deputation be informed that the Council proposed to put in hand schemes of improvement at Mill Hill and Hall Lane.

That they also be informed of the position in regard to the Edgware Road reconstruction and the progress in connection with the North Circular Road and the extension to the Sewage Outfall Works.

Further that an intimation be given that the Hendon Education Committee had carried out all the school decoration work they could for the present.

That the Council could not undertake to provide work for residents outside the district, and were unable to provide light work at the present time.

In regard to a point raised as to the provision of tools in connection with the Edgware Road works, that matter would be dealt with satisfactorily by the Council's Engineer.

The deputation returning, the Chairman explained what had been decided, and the deputation thereupon thanked the Council for receiving them and withdrew.

The Chairman intimated that 40 men would be given work on Wednesday.—This was agreed.

IN COMMITTEE—

BRENT HILL FARM HOUSING SCHEME: The following report was received from the Sub-Committee in regard to the tiling of houses at Brent Hill Farm:—

REPORT OF HOUSING SUB-COMMITTEE.

Your Sub-Committee (consisting of Councillors Egan and Ford) met on Friday, the 9th September, 1921, to consider quotations procured from Contractors by Mr. Hornblower for tiling, etc., works to the 42 houses. Mr. Ponder, from Mr. Hornblower, was in attendance.

The Architect reported that the tender of Messrs. Williams and Co. for the work was the lowest, and recommended acceptance, it being stated that if accepted the work could be put in hand at once.

Your Sub-Committee as authorised, decided to accept the quotation of Messrs. Williams and Co., subject to the approval of the Ministry. Your Committee directed the Clerk to make application for the Ministry's approval, and if necessary to attend at the offices of the Ministry to procure the approval.

The Clerk reported that in accordance with the instructions of the Sub-Committee he had attended at the offices of the Ministry of Health that morning.

In the absence of Mr. Bennett he had had a interview with Mr. Clark (Production Officer of the Housing Department of the Ministry), who had the matter under consideration.

After some discussion, Mr. Clark had stated that the Ministry would approve of the acceptance of the tender of Messrs. John Williams and Co. for the tiling of houses at Brent Hill Farm, and endorsed their tender as agreed, and he intimated that he would confirm this decision in writing.

In regard to the Contract, this would be required to be in the form adopted by the Ministry of Health, and the necessary forms had been supplied by the Ministry.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Scar, seconded by Mr. Councillor Wise,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Sub-Committee be approved and adopted.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the action of the Clerk be approved, and that the Contract be entered into with Messrs. Williams and Co., and that the form of Contract be referred to the Architect and Clerk to prepare and settle, and, further, that upon completion of the Contract the work be proceeded with.

IT WAS FURTHER RESOLVED—That the Council dispense with the provision of a Bond in connection with the Contract with Messrs. John Williams and Co.

A report was received from Mr. G. Hornblower in reference to the position in connection with the Brent Hill Housing Scheme.

It appeared that the whole of the battened houses had the gutters and down-pipes fixed, and that by the time the tilers had roofed in that number, the Contractors engaged to complete the houses should have been at work for a sufficient time to have battened houses which have roofed timbers erected.

The Architect further reported that he was preparing the necessary specifications, house plans, and block plans to submit to builders desirous of tendering.

The specification would be accompanied by statements shewing—

- (1) The amount of work already completed to each house at the time of the cessation of work.
- (2) The materials on site.
- (3) The amount of builder's plant provided.

The Architect suggested that the Schedules of completed work and materials on site should be approved by the Receiver appointed by the Bank (Mr. Rackley) as a record for arriving at the settlement with the previous Contractors.

It was decided to approve of the proposal of the Architect in this matter.

It was further decided that a clause be inserted in the Contract providing for 75 per cent. of local labour.

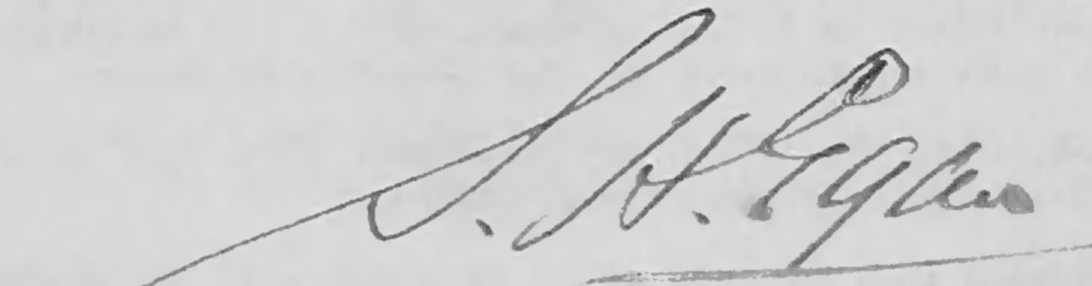
It was decided to defer the question of fixing the Bond in connection with the Contract for consideration by the Housing Committee.

The Architect reported the receipt of a communication from the Improved Building Construction Co. intimating that their offer to the Architect to complete the Brent Hill Scheme for the balance of the contract sum of the Improved Concrete Co. remained open until the 19th instant.

It was decided that a communication should be addressed to the Improved Building Construction Co. intimating that the Council were unable to entertain their proposal to complete the scheme, but that it would be open to them to submit a tender for the completion of the Scheme when the same was advertised.

Further consideration was given to the letter from Mr. Rackley (Receiver for the Bank) in reference to the offer made by him to advise the Bank to complete the Contract on the understanding that payment would be made with 10 per cent. profit on the cost of executed work.

It was decided to inform Mr. Rackley that the Council could not entertain his offer, but it would be open to him to submit a tender for the completion of the work when the same were invited.


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Minutes.

AT A SPECIAL MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon (in Committee) held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 19th day of September, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Mr. Councillor A. S. F. Ford,
 " " W. L. Glanville,
 " " F. W. Hearn,
 " " C. W. Hill,
 Councillor The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan,
 Mr. Councillor A. Roberts,
 " " A. J. Reynolds,
 " " A. B. Soar,
 " " W. Taylor,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " R. M. Weeks,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant).

The Clerk read the notice convening the meeting.

BRENT HILL FARM HOUSING SCHEME: The Clerk reported the receipt of a communication from the Ministry of Health in reference to the Housing Scheme at Brent Hill Farm. The Ministry now suggested that in view of the circumstances which had arisen, the Council should defer the completion of the Scheme on the land known as Smith's land, and also that the work in connection with the construction of roads and sewers should be curtailed as much as possible.

Mr. G. Hornblower (Architect) attended the meeting and reported that this suggestion would mean the deletion of about 68 houses at the present time.

After careful consideration of the communication from the Ministry of Health, Mr. Councillor Ford moved: "That the Council adopt the suggestion of the Ministry of Health and defer the question of proceeding with the erection of the remaining houses comprised in the scheme which had not yet been commenced, subject, however, to negotiations as to the existing contracts for the gas supply, and also for the construction of roads and sewers."

Mr. Councillor Hearn seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being put to the meeting there voted for it 13, viz.: Councillors Hill, Hearn, Teare, Weeks, Soar, Ford, Reynolds, Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Miss Growse, Miss Hodge, Mrs. Bannister, Mrs. Hargraves, and Wise; and against it, 2, viz.: Councillors Roberts and Glanville.

The Surveyor intimated that he would enter into negotiations with Mr. Farrow in regard to the contract for the construction of roads and sewers.

TILING: The Clerk reported the receipt of a communication from the Ministry of Health intimating that the Ministry approved of the acceptance of the quotation of Messrs. J. Williams and Co. for the tiling of 42 houses, subject to the omission of torching.

Upon the consideration of the communication from the Ministry,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That a letter be addressed to the Ministry of Health intimating that the Council preferred to retain the torching, and also making enquiry as to the reason the Ministry desired to eliminate this provision.

Letter from Messrs. J. Williams and Co. intimating that they would execute the contract, and hoped to commence the work on Tuesday.—Noted.

Letter from Mr. G. Hornblower reporting that he had prepared the necessary new block plan and revised specification, and also the Schedules of Materials and plant on the site for the guidance of the Contractors.

He also stated that it would be necessary to have sufficient number of copies of the plans and documents for the firms tendering.

The Architect intimated that it would be necessary to hold an informal conference with the Chief Surveyor of the Housing Board before commencing building operations, at which he suggested the National Bank representative should be present.

The Architect also referred to the desirability of a Quantity Surveyor being engaged to check and approve various schedules and specially to prepare the final accounts shewing the state of the works at the time when the cessation of work occurred.

ADVERTISEMENT: It was agreed that an advertisement be issued in the local papers, the Contract Journal, and The Builder, inviting tenders for the completion of the houses which had been commenced only.

TENDER: The Architect made enquiry as to whether tenders should be lump sum tender or alternatively on the up and down principle included in the Ministry of Health form of contract.—It was agreed to have alternative prices.

It was also resolved that alternative tenders be invited for the completion of the houses in brickwork as well as for the concrete block construction.

PLANT ON SITE: The Architect reported that the Clerk of Work had informed him that owing to the extent of the site a number of picks, shovels and small tools had apparently been removed, and he suggested that if men were engaged the same could be collected together and stored in a suitable place.

He also reported that it would be necessary to engage the services of a carpenter and plumber for work to be done in their respective trades in connection with the completion of the houses, also the tiling work.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That six men (unemployed) be engaged by the Unemployment Sub-Committee on Wednesday, and also that the services of a carpenter and plumber be engaged.

GENERAL CONDITIONS: The Architect reported as to the clauses proposed in the General Conditions dealing with the question of materials on site, also the question of plant.

It was agreed that a valuation of the plant should be made, and the proposed clauses were approved.

QUANTITY SURVEYOR—PROPOSED APPOINTMENT: In regard to the proposal of the Architect for the employment of a Quantity Surveyor, in connection with the measuring up of the work, Mr. Councillor Ford moved: "That the services of two Quantity Surveyors be obtained," and he submitted the names of Mr. Waldram and Mr. Richardson. Mr. Councillor Teare seconded the motion.

Mr. Councillor Reynolds moved, as an amendment, "That the Council apply to the Institute of Quantity Surveyors to select two gentlemen to undertake the valuation. Mr. Councillor Roberts seconded the amendment.

Upon the amendment being put to the meeting there voted for it 3: Councillors Roberts, Reynolds, and Weeks; and against it 9: Councillors Taylor, Hearn, Teare, Soar, Ford, Dr. Macgowan, Miss Hodge, Wise and Glanville.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be not carried.

After further discussion upon this matter, Mr. Councillor Hearn moved, as a further amendment—

"That in the event of the Council's Architect being unable to agree with the late Contractors as to the value of the work done, that the services of an independent Quantity Surveyor be appointed, not resident within the district of Hendon."

Mr. Councillor Taylor seconded the amendment.

Upon the amendment being put to the meeting there voted for it nine: Councillors Taylor, Hill, Hearn, Weeks, Soar, Reynolds, Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, and Roberts; and against it 4: Councillors Teare, Ford, Dr. Macgowan and Miss Hodge.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be carried.

The amendment was then put as a substantive motion and declared to be carried, the members voting as before.

Mr. Councillor Reynolds moved:—

"That in the event of it being necessary to appoint a Quantity Surveyor that the President of the Institution be asked to submit names."

Councillor Taylor seconded the motion.

Upon the same being put to the meeting there voted for it eight: Councillors Taylor, Hill, Hearn, Soar, Reynolds, Miss Growse, Miss Bannister and Roberts; and against it five: Councillors Teare, Ford, Dr. Macgowan, Miss Hodge, and Glanville.

The Chairman declared the motion to be carried.

ESTIMATE FOR DISTRICT RATE:

IT WAS RESOLVED—That a meeting of the Council (in Committee) be held on the 26th instant, at 6 p.m., to consider the revised figures in connection with the District Rate for the period to the 31st March, 1922.

SEWAGE DISPOSAL: The Clerk reported the receipt of a communication from the Ministry of Health transmitting sanctions to the loans for the extension of the Sewage Outfall Works and the reconstruction of the Temple Fortune Diversion Sewer, viz., £11,319 Extension of the Sewage Outfall Works, and £6,000 Temple Fortune Sewer.

The Ministry had cancelled the sanction dated December, 1917, to the borrowing of the sum of £3,196 for the construction of the Temple Fortune Sewer.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Accountant submit proposals for raising the loans in due course.

UNEMPLOYMENT: Letter from the Secretary to the Hendon and District Unemployment Organisation applying for the exclusive use of a room in the Town Hall for the meetings of the Organisation Committee.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Wise, seconded by Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That enquiry be made as to the dates and hours when the room would be required.

EDGWARE ROAD: Report from the Surveyor that in connection with the progress which had been made with these works, it had been necessary to appoint a Clerk of Works, and he had appointed Mr. E. R. Mackay, who had had the necessary experience in this class of work, with wages at the rate of £6 10s. per week.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Soar, seconded by Councillor Dr. Macgowan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the action of the Surveyor be approved.

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AT A SPECIAL MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon (in Committee) held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 26th day of September, 1921.

PRESENT.

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
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 " " A. S. F. Ford,
 " " T. F. Fenn,
 " " F. W. Hearn,
 " " C. W. Hill,
 Councillor The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan.
 Mr. Councillor A. Roberts,
 " " A. J. Reynolds,
 " " A. B. Soar,
 " " W. Taylor,
 " " R. M. Weeks,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant).

The Clerk read the notice convening the meeting.

GENERAL DISTRICT RATE: The Council gave consideration to a statement prepared by the Accountant with revised Estimates for General District Rate for the period to the 31st day of March, 1922.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Soar,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the estimate, as amended, be agreed and submitted to a Special Meeting of the Council to be held on Monday next for approval and adoption.

Upon the motion of Dr. Macgowan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Clerk have authority to issue the Statutory Notice for the meeting to make the rate on the 10th October.

HOUSING RENTS: The Accountant reported in regard to the rents of the Council houses, which included rates and which would be affected by the proposal to make a reduction in the amount of the rates, and he asked for instructions in regard thereto, and whether the rents should be increased by the amount of reduction in the rates in order to bring such rents nearer an economic figure.

Mr. Councillor Wise moved:—

That the total amount of rent be reduced by the amount of the reduction in the rates in respect of the Council's houses at Brent Hill Farm and at Cloister Road.

Upon the motion being put to the meeting, there voted for it nine: Councillors Fenn, Wise, Miss Hodge, Miss Growse, Taylor, Teare, Roberts, Hearn and Weeks; and against it seven: Councillors Ford, Macgowan, Mrs. Hargraves, Cartwright, Soar, Reynolds and Hill.

The Chairman declared the motion to be carried.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE'S REQUIREMENTS: Letter from the Hendon Education Committee intimating that the requirements of the Committee for the period to the 31st March, 1922, in respect of Elementary Education amounted to £17,000.

It was decided to defer the consideration of this communication pending the receipt of the usual detailed statement.

UNEMPLOYED—USE OF BUILDING: A further communication was received from the Hendon and District Unemployed Organisation as to the use of a building for the purpose of meetings.

It appeared that the Organisation desired the use of a room on Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday mornings. In view of the fact that it would not be practicable for a room to be placed at the disposal of the Organisation at the Town Hall, it was moved by Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill, and

RESOLVED—That the premises lately used as a fire station at the junction of Wilberforce Road and Station Road be offered to the Organisation for the purpose of holding their meetings.

PAY ORDERS: The Accountant submitted Pay Orders amounting to £927 6s. 2d., and £1,296 8s. 0d.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Pay Orders be approved, and authority was given for the necessary cheques to be drawn.

S. H. Egan
 Chairman.

Minutes.

AT A SPECIAL MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 3rd day of October, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
 Mr. Councillor A. S. F. Ford.
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 " " F. W. Hearn,
 " " C. W. Hill,
 Councillor The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan,
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 " " A. J. Reynolds,
 " " A. Roberts,
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 " " W. Taylor,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " R. M. Weeks,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant),

The Clerk read the notice convening the meeting.

ESTIMATE FOR GENERAL DISTRICT RATE: That they received a report of a Special Meeting of the Council (in Committee) held on the 26th instant, as to the detailed revised estimates for a General District Rate for the period to the 31st March, 1922.

It was moved by Mr. Councillor Cartwright, and seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford:—

"That such estimates, as amended, be approved, and adopted, and that a General District Rate of 1s. 7d. in the £ be prepared for the period ending the 31st March, 1922, and brought up for sealing at a meeting of the Council to be held on Monday, the 10th instant, at 6 p.m."

Upon the motion being put to the meeting, the Chairman declared the same to be carried.

The following are the details of such estimates:—

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1 Hendon Recreation
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 6 Public Depot
 7 Cool Oak Pumping
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 15 Burroughs House
 16 Mortuary
 17 Maternity Centres
 18 Isolation Hospital
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 20 Removal of House
 21 Removal of House
 22 Disposal of Refuse
 23 Emptying Cesspools

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24 Fire Brigade
 25 Motor Ambulance

ESTIMATES, 1921-1922.

WORKS COMMITTEE.

| EXPENDITURE. | Original 12 Months' Estimate to 31st March, 1922. £ | REVISION OF ESTIMATE, SEPTEMBER, 1921. | | |
|--|--|---|-------------|--------------------|
| | | Additions. | Reductions | Amended Totals. |
| 1 Hendon Recreation Grounds | 800 | — | — | 800 |
| Hard Tennis Courts, Equipment and Fencing ... | — | 520 | — | 520 |
| 2 Child's Hill Recreation Grounds | 290 | — | — | 290 |
| Gymnastic Apparatus | — | 42 | — | 42 |
| 3 Sunny Hill Fields— Wages and Contingencies | — | 100 | — | 100 |
| 4 Hyde Pleasure Ground— Sundry Work and Gymnastic Apparatus ... | — | 125 | — | 125 |
| 5 Open Spaces and Street Trees | 270 | — | — | 270 |
| 6 Naming and Numbering Streets | 70 | — | — | 70 |
| 7 Public Depot | 380 | — | — | 380 |
| 8 Cool Oak Pumping Station | 1064 | — | — | 1064 |
| 9 Brent Low Level Pumping Station | 95 | — | — | 95 |
| 10 Council Cottages Adjoining Stables and Outfall Works | 95 | — | — | 95 |
| 11 Sewers | 775 | — | 75 | 700 |
| 12 Drainage Conversions and Jobbing Works ... | 100 | — | 50 | 50 |
| 13 Sewage Outfall Works | 3897 | — | — | 3897 |
| | <u>£7336</u> | <u>£787</u> | <u>£125</u> | <u>£8498</u> |

HEALTH COMMITTEE.

| EXPENDITURE. | Original 12 Months' Estimate to 31st March, 1922. £ | REVISION OF ESTIMATE, SEPTEMBER, 1921. | | |
|---|--|---|-------------|--------------------|
| | | Additions. | Reductions | Amended Totals. |
| 14 Sanitation and Prevention of Infectious Diseases ... | 2120 | 46 | — | 2166 |
| 15 Burroughs House | 235 | — | — | 235 |
| 16 Mortuary | 35 | 35 | — | 70 |
| 17 Maternity Centres | 2277 | — | — | 2277 |
| 18 Isolation Hospital | 2162 | — | 72 | 2090 |
| 19 Middlesex Joint Hospital Board | 1414 | — | — | 1414 |
| 20 Removal of House Refuse | 7730 | — | — | 7730 |
| 21 Removal of House Refuse—Mill Hill | 670 | — | — | 670 |
| 22 Disposal of Refuse | 572 | — | — | 572 |
| 23 Emptying Cesspools | 350 | — | 100 | 250 |
| | <u>£17565</u> | <u>£81</u> | <u>£172</u> | <u>£17474</u> |

FIRE BRIGADE COMMITTEE.

| EXPENDITURE. | Original 12 Months' Estimate to 31st March, 1922. £ | REVISION OF ESTIMATE, SEPTEMBER, 1921. | | |
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| | | Additions. | Reductions | Amended Totals. |
| 24 Fire Brigade | 3200 | — | — | 3200 |
| 25 Motor Ambulance | 180 | — | — | 180 |
| | <u>£3380</u> | <u>—</u> | <u>—</u> | <u>£3380</u> |

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HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE.

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| | | £ | Additions. £ | Reductions £ | Amended Totals. £ |
| 26 | Edgware Main Roads | 5537 | — | — | — |
| | Watering Account | — | — | 375 | 375 |
| | Granite, Rolling and Team Labour | — | — | 1400 | 1400 |
| 27 | Finchley Main Road | 4203 | — | — | 4203 |
| | Watering Account | — | — | 395 | 395 |
| 28 | Cricklewood Lane | 1455 | — | — | 1455 |
| | Watering Account | — | — | 190 | 190 |
| 29 | Other Main Roads | 5295 | — | — | 5295 |
| | Watering Account | — | — | 650 | 650 |
| 30 | Tarmac, Re-surfacing Brent Street, etc. | 2310 | — | — | 2310 |
| 31 | Maintenance Under Contracts | 568 | — | — | 568 |
| 32 | Tar-paving | 2807 | 400 | — | 3207 |
| 33 | Highways | 15098 | — | — | 15098 |
| | Watering Account | — | — | 700 | 700 |
| | Purchase of Land, The Burroughs, Corner of Colindeep Lane, and Improvement thereto | — | 500 | — | 500 |
| 34 | Public Lighting | 11215 | — | — | 11215 |
| 35 | Lyon's and Harvist's Fund | 1065 | — | — | 1065 |
| | | 49554 | 900 | 3710 | 46744 |
| 36 | Special Works re Unemployment | 950 | 1000 | — | 1950 |
| | | £50504 | £1900 | £3710 | £48694 |

HOUSING COMMITTEE.

| EXPENDITURE. | | Original 12 Months' Estimate to 31st March, 1922. | REVISION OF ESTIMATE, SEPTEMBER, 1921. | | |
|--------------|---------------------|---|---|-----------------|-------------------------|
| | | £ | Additions. £ | Reductions £ | Amended Totals. £ |
| 37 | New Housing Schemes | 2100 | — | — | 2100 |

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE.

| EXPENDITURE. | | Original 12 Months' Estimate to 31st March, 1922. | REVISION OF ESTIMATE, SEPTEMBER, 1921. | | |
|--------------|------------------------|---|---|-----------------|-------------------------|
| | | £ | Additions. £ | Reductions £ | Amended Totals. £ |
| 38 | Salaries | 8940 | — | — | 8940 |
| 39 | Town Hall | 1188 | — | 300 | 888 |
| 40 | Town Hall—Special | 600 | — | — | 600 |
| 41 | Establishment Expenses | 225 | — | 323 | 102 |
| 42 | Legal Expenses | 300 | — | — | 300 |
| 43 | Election Expenses | 150 | 500 | — | 650 |
| | | 150 | 44 | — | 194 |
| | | £11403 | £544 | £623 | £11324 |

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

| EXPENDITURE. | | Original 12 Months' Estimate to 31st March, 1922. | REVISION OF ESTIMATE, SEPTEMBER, 1921. | | |
|--------------|---|---|---|-----------------|-------------------------|
| | | £ | Additions. £ | Reductions £ | Amended Totals. £ |
| 44 | Printing, Stationery, Advertising, etc. | 1100 | — | — | 1100 |
| 45 | Postage and Receipt Stamps | 300 | — | 159 | 141 |
| 46 | Insurances and Stamp Duty | 600 | — | — | 600 |
| 47 | Loan Charges | 18504 | — | — | 18504 |
| | | 18504 | — | 534 | 17970 |
| | | £20594 | — | £693 | £19901 |

WORKS COMMITTEE

Hendon Recreation
Public Depot
Outfall Works

HEALTH COMMITTEE

Sanitation
Burroughs House
Mortuary
Maternity Centre
Isolation Hospital
Removal House
Government Gr

FIRE BRIGADE COMMITTEE

Fire Brigade
Motor Ambulance

HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE

Main Roads
Highways
Street Lighting
Lyon's and Harvist's

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE

Public Offices
Salaries and Expenses
Establishment Expenses

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Printing, Stationery, Advertising, etc.
Bank Interest

INCOME.

REVISION OF ESTIMATE,
SEPTEMBER, 1921.

| Reductions | Amended Totals. |
|------------|-----------------|
| £ | £ |
| 375 | 5762 |
| 1400 | |
| 395 | 3808 |
| 190 | 1265 |
| 650 | 4646 |
| | 2310 |
| | 568 |
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SEPTEMBER, 1921.

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| 300 | 8640 |
| — | 1188 |
| 323 | 277 |
| — | 225 |
| — | 800 |
| — | 194 |
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SEPTEMBER, 1921.

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| — | 600 |
| 534 | 18070 |
| £693 | £19911 |

| INCOME. | | Original 12 Months' Estimate to 31st March, 1922. | REVISION OF ESTIMATE, SEPTEMBER, 1921. | | |
|--|-----|---|--|------------|-----------------|
| | | £ | Additions. | Reductions | Amended Totals. |
| | | | £ | £ | £ |
| WORKS COMMITTEE. | | | | | |
| Hendon Recreation Ground | ... | 125 | — | — | 125 |
| Public Depot | ... | 5 | 28 | — | 33 |
| Outfall Works and Sewers | ... | 300 | — | — | 300 |
| | | £430 | £28 | — | £458 |
| HEALTH COMMITTEE. | | | | | |
| Sanitation | ... | 43 | — | — | 43 |
| Burroughs House | ... | 90 | — | — | 90 |
| Mortuary | ... | 1 | — | — | 1 |
| Maternity Centres | ... | 504 | — | — | 504 |
| Isolation Hospital | ... | 22 | 4 | — | 26 |
| Removal House Refuse | ... | 9 | 7 | — | 16 |
| Government Grant—Maternity Centres | ... | 1000 | — | 100 | 900 |
| | | £1669 | £11 | £100 | £1580 |
| FIRE BRIGADE COMMITTEE. | | | | | |
| Fire Brigade Charges | ... | 150 | — | — | 150 |
| Motor Ambulance | ... | 225 | — | — | 225 |
| | | £375 | — | — | £375 |
| HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE. | | | | | |
| Main Roads | ... | 22212 | — | 3010 | 19202 |
| Highways | ... | 300 | 618 | — | 918 |
| Street Lighting | ... | 40 | — | — | 40 |
| Lyon's and Harvist's Funds | ... | 700 | — | — | 700 |
| | | £23252 | £618 | £3010 | £20860 |
| GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE. | | | | | |
| Public Offices | ... | 350 | — | — | 350 |
| Salaries and Fees | ... | 600 | — | — | 600 |
| Establishment Expenses | ... | 210 | — | — | 210 |
| | | £1160 | — | — | £1160 |
| FINANCE COMMITTEE. | | | | | |
| Printing, Stationery, Insurances, etc. | ... | 170 | — | — | 170 |
| Bank Interest and Dividends | ... | 1000 | 558 | — | 1558 |
| | | £1170 | £558 | — | £1728 |

SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURE.

| EXPENDITURE. | Original 12 Months' Estimate to 31st March, 1922. £ | REVISION OF ESTIMATE, SEPTEMBER, 1921. | | |
|-------------------------------------|--|---|-----------------|-------------------------|
| | | Additions. £ | Reductions £ | Amended Totals. £ |
| 1 Works Committee | 7836 | 787 | 125 | 8498 |
| 2 Health Committee | 17565 | 81 | 172 | 17474 |
| 3 Fire Brigade Committee | 3380 | — | — | 3380 |
| 4 Highways Committee | 49554 | 900 | 3710 | 46744 |
| 4 Ditto Special Works | 950 | 1000 | — | 1950 |
| 5 Housing Committee | 2100 | — | — | 2100 |
| 6 General Purposes Committee | 11403 | 544 | 623 | 11324 |
| 7 Finance Committee | 20604 | — | 693 | 19911 |
| | <u>£113392</u> | <u>£3312</u> | <u>£5323</u> | <u>£111381</u> |

SUMMARY OF INCOME.

| INCOME. | Original 12 Months' Estimate to 31st March, 1922. £ | REVISION OF ESTIMATE, SEPTEMBER, 1921. | | |
|-------------------------------------|--|---|-----------------|-------------------------|
| | | Additions. £ | Reductions £ | Amended Totals. £ |
| 1 Works Committee | 430 | 28 | — | 458 |
| 2 Health Committee | 1669 | 11 | 100 | 1580 |
| 3 Fire Brigade Committee | 375 | — | — | 375 |
| 4 Highways Committee | 23252 | 618 | 3010 | 20860 |
| 5 Housing Committee | — | — | — | — |
| 6 General Purposes Committee | 1160 | — | — | 1160 |
| 7 Finance Committee | 1170 | 558 | — | 1728 |
| | <u>£28056</u> | <u>£1215</u> | <u>£3110</u> | <u>£26161</u> |

SUMMARY OF NET EXPENDITURE—All Committees.

| Original 12 months Estimate to 31st March, 1922. £ | COMMITTEE. | REVISION OF ESTIMATE, September, 1921. | | |
|---|--|---|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| | | Revised Gross Expenditure. £ | Revised Income. £ | Revised Net Expenditure. £ |
| 7406 | Works Committee | 8498 | 458 | 8040 |
| 15896 | Health Committee | 17474 | 1580 | 15894 |
| 3005 | Fire Brigade Committee | 3380 | 375 | 3005 |
| 26302 | Highways Committee | 46744 | 20860 | 25884 |
| 950 | Ditto Special Works | 1950 | — | 1950 |
| 2100 | Housing Committee | 2100 | — | 2100 |
| 10243 | General Purposes Committee | 11324 | 1160 | 10164 |
| 19434 | Finance Committee | 19911 | 1728 | 18183 |
| <u>85336</u> | | <u>£111381</u> | <u>£26161</u> | <u>85220</u> |
| 700 | Government Contribution in lieu of Rates | | | 700 |
| <u>84636</u> | | | | <u>84520</u> |
| 1610 | Less Surplus from 1920-21 to deduct 1921-22 | | | 909 |
| <u>83026</u> | | | | <u>83611</u> |
| 42200 | Less Produce of 1s. 8d. Rate made 5th April 1920 | | | 42685 |
| <u>£40826</u> | BALANCE TO BE RAISED. | | | <u>£40926</u> |

ESTIMATE OF AMOUNT TO BE RAISED FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDING 31st MARCH, 1922.

The Estimated Produce of Rate at 1s. 7d. in the £ is £40,926, being the amount required as above.

ESTIMATED PRODUCE OF RATE—

| | | | |
|---|---|----|---------------|
| 1d. in the £ on £532,817 (see table) Rateable Value | = | £ | 2220 |
| Less 3 per cent. for Empties, etc. | | | 66 |
| | | | <u>£2154</u> |
| | × | 19 | = |
| | | | <u>£40926</u> |

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Child's Hill
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Fire Brigad
Salaries
Town Hall
Loan Repay
Recreation C
Housing

Particulars of Rateable Value for October, 1921, Rate.

| District | Buildings. £ | Lands. £ | Compounding 80 per cent. £ | Total Rateable Value. £ |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Mill Hill | 43588 | 1106 | 1338 | 46032 |
| West Hendon | 43331 | 551 | 11307 | 55189 |
| Central Hendon | 81757 | 505 | 5682 | 87944 |
| Child's Hill | 89410 | 144 | 5620 | 95174 |
| Golders Green | 99568 | 6976 | — | 106544 |
| Bridge Lane | 48047 | 32 | 426 | 48505 |
| Garden Suburb | 88170 | 389 | 4870 | 93429 |
| | <u>£493871</u> | <u>£9703</u> | <u>£29243</u> | |
| Total Rateable Value of District | | | | <u>£532817</u> |

ON OF ESTIMATE,
SEPTEMBER, 1921.

| Reductions | Amended Totals. |
|--------------|--------------------|
| £ | £ |
| 125 | 8498 |
| 172 | 17474 |
| — | 3380 |
| 3710 | 46744 |
| — | 1950 |
| — | 2100 |
| 623 | 11324 |
| 693 | 19911 |
| <u>£5323</u> | <u>£111381</u> |

Apportionment of Rate Levied.

| | Amount Levied 6 months to Sept., 1921. D. | Amount Levied 6 months to March, 1922. D. | Total for Year. D. |
|--|--|--|-----------------------------|
| Sewage Disposal and Sewerage | 1.44 | 1.23 | 2.67 |
| Dust Removal and Disposal | 2.12 | 1.97 | 4.09 |
| Hospitals and Public Health Services | 1.55 | 1.51 | 3.06 |
| Highways, Maintenance and Repairs | 3.80 | 3.83 | 7.63 |
| Public Lighting | 2.73 | 2.55 | 5.28 |
| Fire Brigade | .71 | .66 | 1.37 |
| Salaries | 1.96 | 1.71 | 3.67 |
| Town Hall and Establishment Charges | .72 | 1.01 | 1.73 |
| Loan Repayments and Interest | 4.16 | 3.40 | 7.56 |
| Recreation Grounds, St. Trees, Open Spaces, etc. | .31 | .63 | .94 |
| Housing | .50 | .50 | 1.00 |
| | <u>20.00</u> | <u>19.00</u> | <u>39.00</u> |

ON OF ESTIMATE,
SEPTEMBER, 1921.

| Reductions | Amended Totals. |
|--------------|--------------------|
| £ | £ |
| — | 458 |
| 100 | 1580 |
| — | 375 |
| 3010 | 20860 |
| — | 1160 |
| — | 1728 |
| <u>£3110</u> | <u>£26161</u> |

Committees.

ESTIMATE,
1921.

| Revised Net Expenditure. |
|--------------------------------|
| £ |
| 8040 |
| 15894 |
| 3005 |
| 25884 |
| 1950 |
| 2100 |
| 10164 |
| 18183 |
| <u>85220</u> |
| 700 |
| <u>84520</u> |
| 909 |
| <u>83611</u> |
| <u>42685</u> |
| <u>£40926</u> |

31st MARCH, 1922.
required as above.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE'S REQUIREMENTS: The Clerk reported the receipt of a communication from the Education Committee as to their requirements for the period ending 31st March, 1922, viz., £17,000 for Elementary Education expenses.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford:—

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such estimate be approved, and that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to a precept for the sum of £17,000, and that the same be served upon the Overseers, Mr. Councillor Wise only dissenting.

IN COMMITTEE.

MOTOR FIRE ENGINE No. 2: The Surveyor submitted a report in reference to the tenders received for the supply of a second Motor Fire Engine, such tenders being as follows:—

Merryweather and Sons, Ltd.—£2,900 (reciprocating pump).
Merryweather and Sons, Ltd.—£2,790 (turbine pump).
Leylands Motors, Ltd.—£2,215 (turbine pump).
Dennis Bros., Ltd.—£2,380 (turbine pump).
Morris and Sons—£2,070 (turbine pump).

The Tender of Messrs. Morris and Sons was not in accordance with the Council's specification.

A report was also received from the Chief Officer in regard to the types of machine tendered for, and after consideration of such report, Mr. Councillor Hare moved:—

“That the Council accept the Tender of Messrs. Leylands Motors, Ltd., for the supply of a Motor Fire Engine for the sum of £2,215, and that such tender be submitted to the Air Ministry in accordance with the arrangement made with that body.”

Mr. Councillor Cartwright seconded the motion.

Mr. Councillor Hill moved, as an amendment:—

“That the Council accept the tender of Merryweather and Sons for the supply of a Fire Engine at £2,900.”

Mr. Councillor Glanville seconded the amendment.

Upon the amendment being put to the meeting, there voted for it, 4, viz., Councillors Hearn, Wise, Hill and Glanville; and against it 11, viz., Councillors Soar, Teare, Cartwright, Taylor, Ford, Hare, Weeks, Miss Hodge, Dr. Macgowan, Roberts and Reynolds.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be not carried.

The motion by Mr. Councillor Hare was then submitted to the meeting, and there voted for it, 14, viz., Councillors Hearn, Soar, Teare, Cartwright, Taylor, Ford, Hare, Weeks, Hill, Miss Hodge, Miss Growse, Dr. Macgowan, Roberts, and Reynolds; and against it two, viz., Councillors Wise and Glanville.

The Chairman declared the motion to be carried.

FIRE ESCAPE SHED—WILBERFORCE ROAD: The Clerk reported the receipt of a further communication from the Hendon and District Unemployed Organisation, intimating that they accepted the offer of the use of the old Fire Station, and made enquiry as to the lighting and heating of the building, also as to tables and seating accommodation.

Report was made that the gas was laid on at the building, and it was arranged that the necessary articles of furniture should be provided.

BRENT HILL SCHEME: Mr. G. Hornblower, F.R.I.B.A. (Architect), attended the meeting, and reported as to his negotiations with Messrs. John D. Wood and Co., the Surveyors for the National Bank, from which it appeared that the Receiver (Mr. Rackley) would be prepared to recommend the Bank to accept the figures of the Council's Architect, with regard to the value of work done by the Improved Concrete Construction Co., providing the same were put forward in a proper manner.

This would entail a detailed statement being prepared in order to satisfy the Ministry of Health.

A letter was also reported from the Receiver under date the 3rd October, confirming this arrangement.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED—That the Architect's action be confirmed, and that the Council tender their congratulations to Mr. Hornblower on his successful negotiations.

CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT: The Council considered a report from the Architect in reference to certain conditions to be embodied in the Contract for the completion of the scheme, and approved the proposals submitted.

PLANT: The Council considered a report from the Architect as to his valuation of the plant on the Brent Hill Farm site, and, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Soar—

IT WAS RESOLVED—That a value of £3,000 be placed on such plant.

S. A. Glanville
Chairman. —

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DEAR SIR, or M.

I beg to
of Hendon will
on Monday next,
for the purpose

1. To confir
2. Questions
3. Report of
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11. Report of
12. Report of
13. Report of
14. Report of
15. Education

Pensions Com
The Requisition
Committee

Urban District Council of Hendon.

TOWN HALL,

HENDON, N.W.

6th October, 1921.

DEAR SIR, OR MADAM,

I beg to inform you that a Meeting of the Urban District Council of Hendon will be held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday next, the 10th day of October, 1921, at 6.15 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of transacting the following business, namely:—

Agenda:

1. To confirm Minutes of previous Meetings.
2. Questions.
3. Report of Finance Committee.
Seal General District Rate to meet the expenses of the Council for the Half-Year ending 31st March, 1922.
4. Report of Works and Sewage Disposal Committee.
5. Report of Public Health Committee.
6. Report of Town Planning Committee
7. Report of Housing Committee.
8. Report of Staff Committee.
9. Report of Fire Brigade Committee.
10. Report of General Purposes Committee
11. Report of Highways Committee
12. Report of Requisitions Committee.
13. Report of Clerk.
14. Report of Surveyor.
15. Education Committee (Minutes).

I am, Dear Sir or Madam,

Yours faithfully,

HENRY HUMPHRIS,

Clerk to the Council.

Pensions Committee, at 6 p.m.

The Requisitions Committee, consisting of the Chairmen of the Standing Committees, to follow.

Report of Finance Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 3rd day of October, 1921. Present: Councillor Cartwright (Chairman), Councillors Miss Hodge, Fenn, Hearn, Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Roberts, Soar, Sturgess, Teare and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, ETC.: Your Committee have examined the Treasurer's Pass Book and Cash Books, and report that the total receipts from all sources since the last meeting amounted to the sum of £28,221 7s. 4d., making a total of £94,645 17s. 10d. for the current financial year.

INCOME.

| Description. | Amounts previously Reported. | | | Amounts now Reported. | | | Total. | | |
|---|------------------------------|----|----|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| Rateable Accounts— | | | | | | | | | |
| Hendon Recreation Ground | 91 | 17 | 4 | 66 | 14 | 5 | 158 | 11 | 9 |
| Sewage Farm and Stables, Rents, etc. | 38 | 7 | 6 | 255 | 0 | 0 | 293 | 7 | 6 |
| Stables—Sale of Horses | | | | 20 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 0 |
| Sanitary Department, Disinfecting, etc. | 3 | 16 | 6 | | | | 3 | 16 | 6 |
| Burroughs House, Rent, etc. | 25 | 4 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 30 | 4 | 0 |
| Maternity Centres and Midwifery ... | 91 | 12 | 9 | 417 | 15 | 6 | 509 | 8 | 3 |
| Refuse Collection and Dust Shoot | | | | | | | | | |
| Permits | 90 | 15 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 95 | 0 | 0 |
| Fire Brigade, expenses, etc., recovered | 85 | 14 | 3 | 22 | 14 | 4 | 108 | 8 | 7 |
| Motor Ambulance, fees, etc. | 27 | 14 | 0 | 41 | 12 | 0 | 69 | 6 | 0 |
| Highways and Main Roads | 68 | 11 | 4 | 306 | 1 | 0 | 374 | 12 | 4 |
| Street Lighting, damages recovered ... | 1 | 6 | 9 | | | | 1 | 6 | 9 |
| Lyons and Harvists Trust Fund | 365 | 18 | 8 | | | | 365 | 18 | 8 |
| Salaries Account, fees, etc. | 211 | 2 | 6 | 9 | 19 | 0 | 221 | 1 | 6 |
| Public Offices, lettings, etc. | 118 | 0 | 4 | 25 | 12 | 6 | 143 | 12 | 10 |
| Establishment and Legal Expenses ... | 140 | 4 | 9 | 25 | 2 | 11 | 165 | 7 | 8 |
| Building Certificates | 29 | 8 | 0 | 31 | 10 | 0 | 60 | 18 | 0 |
| Interest and Dividends | 1419 | 19 | 10 | 128 | 1 | 3 | 1548 | 1 | 1 |
| Workmen's compensation | 9 | 6 | 8 | 12 | 16 | 8 | 22 | 3 | 4 |
| General District Rates and Costs ... | 37603 | 6 | 1 | 5301 | 13 | 0 | 42904 | 19 | 1 |
| Government Contribution in lieu of Rates | 336 | 7 | 6 | | | | 336 | 7 | 6 |
| | £40758 | 13 | 9 | 6673 | 17 | 7 | 47432 | 11 | 4 |
| Suspense Accounts— | | | | | | | | | |
| National Kitchens | 38 | 10 | 0 | 19 | 11 | 0 | 58 | 1 | 0 |
| Allotments | 70 | 5 | 0 | 97 | 0 | 0 | 167 | 5 | 0 |
| Lands Cultivation Orders | 12 | 8 | 4 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 14 | 16 | 4 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 1, Rents ... | 401 | 18 | 11 | 346 | 16 | 4 | 748 | 15 | 3 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 2, Rents ... | 140 | 1 | 11 | 286 | 5 | 2 | 426 | 7 | 1 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 2, Key Deposits | 5 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 10 | 0 |
| Emergency Food Control—repayment of advance | 250 | 0 | 0 | | | | 250 | 0 | 0 |
| Private Works | 628 | 14 | 2 | 479 | 16 | 7 | 1108 | 10 | 9 |
| Tender Deposits | 283 | 5 | 0 | 10 | 10 | 0 | 293 | 15 | 0 |
| Wages—Unemployment Fund | 350 | 18 | 6 | 181 | 15 | 8 | 532 | 14 | 2 |
| Hendon Overseers | | | | 1036 | 19 | 5 | 1036 | 19 | 5 |
| Private Improvements | 245 | 5 | 11 | 803 | 6 | 2 | 1048 | 12 | 1 |
| Land, West Hendon, rent | 3 | 0 | 0 | | | | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Brent Hill Housing, rents | 96 | 7 | 0 | 393 | 16 | 5 | 490 | 3 | 5 |
| Ditto, ditto, key deposits | 4 | 10 | 0 | 4 | 10 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| Coal Reserve Stock—Sales | 75 | 2 | 0 | 8 | 15 | 0 | 83 | 17 | 0 |
| | £2605 | 16 | 9 | 3672 | 9 | 9 | 6278 | 6 | 6 |
| Capital Accounts— | | | | | | | | | |
| Loans—General | 15535 | 0 | 0 | 16500 | 0 | 0 | 32035 | 0 | 0 |
| Loans—Housing | 7100 | 0 | 0 | | | | 7100 | 0 | 0 |
| Housing Bonds | 425 | 0 | 0 | 1375 | 0 | 0 | 1800 | 0 | 0 |
| | £23060 | 0 | 0 | 17875 | 0 | 0 | 40935 | 0 | 0 |

SUMMARY OF INCOME TO DATE.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------|--------|----|---|-------|----|---|-------|----|----|
| Rateable Accounts | 40758 | 13 | 9 | 6673 | 17 | 7 | 47432 | 11 | 4 |
| Suspense Accounts | 2605 | 16 | 9 | 3672 | 9 | 9 | 6278 | 6 | 6 |
| Capital Accounts | 23060 | 0 | 0 | 17875 | 0 | 0 | 40935 | 0 | 0 |
| | £66424 | 10 | 6 | 28221 | 7 | 4 | 94645 | 17 | 10 |

2.—RATE COLLECTION: They have also examined the Statement as to the rate collection, and find that there has been collected and paid to the Treasurer since the last meeting the sum of £5,229 4s. 10d. on account of rates, and £72 8s. 2d. on account of costs.

3.—STATEMENT
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5.—EXPENDITURE
Journals, and

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Account
to date

Approved
Estimate.

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115

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300

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18070

2100

14097

27046

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1616

45

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869

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500

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3.—STATEMENT OF BALANCES: They have also examined the Cash Book and Statement of Treasurer's Balances, which they found correct, and report that the total balance in hand amounted to £51,802 16s. 2d.

DEBITS—

BANK ACCOUNTS.

Table with columns: Revenue Account, Sinking Fund, Loans Account, Housing Subsidized Account, Total. Rows include: Balance in hand 7th July, 1921, Receipts per Statement to 28th September, 1921, Cancelled cheque, Balance overdrawn at 28th September, 1921.

CREDITS—

Table with columns: Revenue Account, Sinking Fund, Loans Account, Housing Subsidized Account, Total. Rows include: Balance overdrawn at 7th July, 1921, Cheques per lists to 26th September, 1921, Balance in hand, 28th September, 1921.

4.—ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT: They have also considered the various accounts submitted for payment, amounting to the sum of £21,821 1s. 0d., and RECOMMEND—That the same be passed and cheques drawn for the various amounts.

5.—EXPENDITURE JOURNALS, GENERAL AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS: That they have examined these Journals, and RECOMMEND—That the Personal Accounts in the Ledger be credited, and the various Impersonal Accounts debited with the amounts of the Invoices, as per the following Statement showing outlay to date:—

EXPENDITURE.

Table with columns: Approved Estimate, Account Chargeable, Payments previously Reported, Amounts now Reported, Total. Includes sub-section RATEABLE ACCOUNTS— with various items like Main Roads, Highways, etc.

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Hendon.

Monday, the 3rd day of October. Hearn, Rev. Dr. Macgowan,

Treasurer's Pass Book and Cash Statement amounting to the sum for the year.

Total.

Table with columns: £ s. d. Rows include various financial figures like 158 11 9, 293 7 6, etc.

Table with columns: £ s. d. Rows include 58 1 0, 167 5 0, etc.

Table with columns: £ s. d. Rows include 250 0 0, 1108 10 9, etc.

Table with columns: £ s. d. Rows include 6278 6 6.

Table with columns: £ s. d. Rows include 32035 0 0, 7100 0 0, etc.

Table with columns: £ s. d. Rows include 47432 11 4, 6278 6 6, etc.

Section. and find that there £5,229 4s. 10d. on account

SUSPENSE ACCOUNTS.

| | | | |
|---|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Allotments | 110 13 5 | 6 6 | 110 19 11 |
| Ditto, Wages | | 15 2 9 | 15 2 9 |
| Lands Cultivation Orders | 39 18 8 | 122 18 2 | 162 16 10 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 1 | 167 12 6 | 61 12 5 | 229 4 11 |
| Ditto, Wages | | 188 15 8 | 188 15 8 |
| Overseers' Expenses | 86 4 2 | 128 2 0 | 214 6 2 |
| Food Control | 250 0 0 | | 250 0 0 |
| Kitchens | 37 10 0 | 3 16 6 | 41 6 6 |
| Private Works | 27 19 0 | 113 16 7 | 141 15 7 |
| Ditto, Wages | | 218 14 4 | 218 14 4 |
| District Rate Refunds | 5 19 7 | 34 17 4 | 40 16 11 |
| Education | 4 18 10 | 5 1 | 5 3 11 |
| Stables Reserve, Horses | 200 0 0 | | 200 0 0 |
| Unemployed, Wages | | 440 8 0 | 440 8 0 |
| Subsidised Housing— excess of Id. Rate | 1307 8 7 | 2169 19 8 | 3477 8 3 |
| Tender Deposits repaid | | 387 15 0 | 387 15 0 |
| Coal Reserve Stock | | 12 0 0 | 12 0 0 |
| North Circular Road | | 9 16 4 | 9 16 4 |
| Workmen's Compensation | | | |
| Ditto, Wages | | 33 5 0 | 33 5 0 |
| | £2238 4 9 | 3941 11 4 | 6179 16 1 |

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS.

| | | | | |
|----------------|--|--------------|-----------|------------|
| Sanction. £ | | | | |
| 33939 | Child's Hill Housing, No. 2 | 8714 17 8 | 792 9 9 | 9507 7 5 |
| 211556 | Brent Hill Housing | 47169 16 4 | 8404 6 5 | 55574 2 9 |
| | Ditto, Wages | | 316 9 8 | 316 9 8 |
| 2533 | Bittacy Hill Housing | 2553 15 6 | 167 4 3 | 2720 19 9 |
| 35048 | Private Street Improvements | 17231 16 2 | 1784 8 7 | 19016 4 9 |
| 7100 | West Hendon Housing | 7185 2 6 | | 7185 2 6 |
| | Ditto, Wages | | 23 12 11 | 23 12 11 |
| 500 | Colindeep Lane Sewer | 259 0 7 | | 259 0 7 |
| 13735 | Kingsbury Lane Land (Pleasure Grounds) | 14316 8 4 | | 14316 8 4 |
| 1800 | Kingsbury Lane Land (Allotments) | 1665 0 0 | | 1665 0 0 |
| 86000 | Edgware Road Reconstruction | 11 18 4 | 1407 0 0 | 1418 18 4 |
| 1977 | Outfall Works Extension | 22 4 7 | | 22 4 7 |
| 3715 | Park Road Widening | 47 5 6 | 81 17 1 | 129 2 7 |
| | Ditto, Wages | | 116 9 1 | 116 9 1 |
| 6000 | Temple Fortune Sewer | 13 5 2 | 2566 0 0 | 2579 5 2 |
| | Ditto, Wages | | 10 16 8 | 10 16 8 |
| 1970 | Woodstock Avenue, New Road | 1 6 0 | 368 5 8 | 369 11 8 |
| | Ditto, Wages | | 808 12 4 | 808 12 4 |
| 1325 | Bittacy Hill Land (Pleasure Ground) | 1296 3 11 | 87 9 4 | 1383 13 3 |
| 742 | Ditto (Allotments) | 725 17 5 | 48 19 8 | 774 17 1 |
| | Fire Hydrants | | 15 0 | 15 0 |
| | Housing of Working Classes | | 12 12 10 | 12 12 10 |
| | | £101213 18 0 | 16997 9 3 | 118211 7 3 |

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS TO DATE.

| | | | |
|-------------------|--------------|-----------|-------------|
| Rateable Accounts | 36162 10 8 | 20221 5 7 | 56383 16 3 |
| Suspense Accounts | 2238 4 9 | 3941 11 4 | 6179 16 1 |
| Capital Accounts | 101213 18 0 | 16997 9 3 | 118211 7 3 |
| | £139614 13 5 | 41160 6 2 | 180774 19 7 |

6.—ACCOUNTS: Report from the Clerk as to the receipt of the Statement of Accounts of the Colne Valley Water Company to the 30th June, 1921.

Your Committee have duly noted the same, and referred such statements to the Accountant for reference.

7.—UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF: Letter from the Ministry of Health as to the decisions arrived at by the Cabinet Committee on Unemployment, in regard to the inauguration of works of public utility for the relief of unemployment.

The Ministry intimated that grants equal to 50 per cent. of the interest and sinking fund charge on loans raised by local authorities to meet expenditure on approved schemes commenced before the 1st January, 1922, would be paid by the State for a period of half the term of the loans subject to a maximum of 15 years.

In the case of revenue producing works the grant would be paid equivalent to 50 per cent. of the interest on loans for a period not less than 10 years commenced before the 1st January, 1922, provided the expenditure is incurred within the period ending 31st March, 1923.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of this communication.

8.—CLASSIFICATION OF ROADS: Letter from the Ministry of Transport as to grant in respect of the improvement and maintenance costs of Classified roads for the year 1921-22, as follows:—

- Class 2, District Roads, Maintenance Grant, £829.
- Class 1, District Roads, Maintenance Grant, £39.

Your Committee have duly noted this communication.

9.—PRIVATE STREET
(a) Report from the maker to be asked satisfied.
Your
(b) Letter from should b
Your
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9.—PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS:

(a) Report from the Clerk that the time limited by the notices of apportionment served in connection with the making up of Highfield Avenue under Section 150 of the Public Health Act, 1875, had expired, and he asked for authority to serve notices of demand in respect of any expenses which had not been satisfied.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk have authority to serve notices of demand for payment of private street improvement expenses in respect of the making up of Highfield Avenue.

(b) Letter from Mr. H. Whiteley in reference to the charges in Highfield Avenue, suggesting that the charge should be at the rate which would have prevailed prior to the war.

Your Committee are unable to entertain the application, and

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Whiteley be informed accordingly.

10.—ECCLESIASTICAL TITHE RENT CHARGE (RATES) ACT: Letter from the Ministry of Health in reference to the provisions of the Ecclesiastical Tithe Rent Charge (Rates) Act, 1920.

Your Committee are informed that the same has been referred to the Accountant and Superintendent Overseer, to whom the same more particularly relates, and have duly noted the communication.

11.—PAY ORDERS: The Accountant submitted Pay Order amounting to £11,979 17s. 4d. in respect of urgent payments, and your Committee approved the same and authorised the necessary cheques to be drawn.

12.—RATES REMISSION: Report from the Accountant as to the excusal of payment of rates in respect of the following premises:—

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Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That payment of rates in respect of the above-mentioned premises be excused.

13.—HOUSING BONDS: Report from the Accountant that since the last meeting of the Committee £1,375 had been received in respect of Housing Bonds, and the total amount to date was £27,185.

14.—ASHLEY LANE—LAND: That they received a report in respect of land at Ashley Lane, and have adjourned the matter until their next meeting.

15.—EDGWARE ROAD LOAN—£40,000: Report from the Accountant that the Middlesex County Council had now intimated that the rate of interest in respect of the loan of £40,000 for the works of reconstruction of the Edgware Road had been agreed at 6 per cent. per annum, and he was informed that the necessary mortgage deed would be forwarded to the Clerk of the Council by the Clerk to the Middlesex County Council.

16.—STATIONERY TENDERS: Report from the Accountant in reference to the tenders for the supply of stationery to the building, which were for a period of six months.

In view of the present condition of the Market, he suggested that Contracts should not be entered into for the next six months, but that quotations should be obtained from time to time. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—that this course be pursued.

17.—WAGES IMPREST: Report from the Accountant as to the necessity of increasing the wages imprest to £725 per week. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the previous resolution of the Council be rescinded, and that in future the Accountant's Wages Imprest be £725 per week.

18.—CONTRACTORS' CERTIFICATES: The Surveyor submitted certificates in favour of Contractors, as follows, such amounts being included in the accounts submitted for payment:—

W. MOSS AND SONS—

Temple Fortune Sewer—£2,566.
Sylvan Avenue—£1,358 11s. 1d.
Albert Road—£425 17s. 6d.

H. FARROW—

Edgware Road—£1,407.
Brent Farm Roads and Sewers—£536.

19.—BRENT FARM ROADS AND SEWERS: The Surveyor submitted a communication from Mr. Farrow in regard to retention money in connection with the Brent Hill Scheme, which now amounted to 20 per cent. of the value of the work executed, viz., a sum of £1,821.

The Contractor applied in view of the long period occupied in connection with the execution of these works for a release of a portion of the retention money.

After careful consideration of the report of the Engineer in regard to such application, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a sum of £500 be released from the amount held for retention monies, subject to the following conditions:—

1.—That such release of retention money in no way relieves Mr. Farrow from any of the liabilities under his contract for the maintenance of the whole of the works executed for the full period given in the contract after the completion of the works.

2.—That Mr. Farrow agrees that no further roads or sewers shall be commenced, but that all work started shall be finished in accordance with the instructions given to him as soon as possible, at the prices given in the contract and as varied by the clause in the contract dealing with the regulation of prices.

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Report of Works and Sewage Disposal Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 19th day of September, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Roberts (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Egan, Glanville, Hill, Reynolds, Soar, and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—ALLOTMENTS:

- (A) **CULTIVATION OF LANDS ORDERS:** The Clerk reported the receipt of a circular letter from the Ministry of Agriculture as to the procedure to be adopted by Local Authorities in connection with land entered upon by them for the purposes of allotments under the Cultivation of Lands Orders. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk obtain copies of the circular letter referred to and circulate the same amongst the members of the Committee and the Allotments Consultative Committee, in order that the same might receive full consideration.

(B) **WEST VIEW ALLOTMENTS:**

- (1) Letter from Messrs. Hazel and Baines with counterpart lease from the All Souls' College Authorities of the land utilised for allotment purposes at West View, the College having agreed to the application of the Council to increase such lease from a period of seven to fourteen years.

Messrs. Hazel and Baines transmitted an account of their charges in connection with the preparation and completion of the lease referred to, such charges amounting to the sum of £5 15s. 0d. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That steps be taken to complete the lease, and that a cheque for the sum of £5 15s. 0d. be drawn in favour of Messrs. Hazel and Baines in payment of their charges.

- (2) Letter from Messrs. Done Hunter and Co. complaining of the erection of huts by allottees on the West View Allotments, and drawing attention to the terms in the lease which prohibited the construction of huts on the allotments.

Report from the Clerk that upon receipt of this communication he had forwarded a copy thereof to the Surveyor in order that he might deal with the same.

The Surveyor reported that he had taken up the matter with Mr. Baldwin, Secretary of the Central Hendon Allotment Association, and the matter was being dealt with.

In view of this report, your Committee decided to take no further action at present.

- (C) **CHILD'S HILL ALLOTMENTS:** Letter from the Child's Hill Ward Ratepayers' Association complaining that certain of the permanent allotments at Child's Hill were uncultivated, and making enquiry whether steps could be taken by the Council to re-number the whole of the plots on the Allotments.

With regard to the uncultivated allotments, your Committee gave instructions for an inspection to be made of such plots, and in the event of the Inspector reporting the same to be in an uncultivated condition, authorised the Clerk to give the holders of such allotments fourteen days' notice in which to cultivate the said allotments, and failing compliance with such notice to issue the usual notice to quit.

Your Committee have given consideration to the question raised by the Ratepayers' Association as to the re-numbering of the plots on the permanent allotments at Child's Hill, and are of opinion that this work should be carried out, they therefore

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor have the work executed accordingly.

- (D) **ADDITIONAL LAND FOR PROVISION OF ALLOTMENTS:** Letter from the Cricklewood Allotment Holders' Association in further reference to the notices served upon certain members of the Association requiring them to give up possession of their allotments at Greenfield Gardens, and requesting the Council to endeavour to obtain further land in the vicinity for permanent allotments.

The Council will remember that the Surveyor has been in negotiation with the Ecclesiastical Commissioners with a view to obtaining certain land adjoining The Vale for allotment purposes, but has been unable to come to an agreement with the Commissioners in the matter owing to delay in settling the arrangements for compensation by the Air Ministry for the land taken by them.

In view of the time which has elapsed since the Commissioners were last approached upon this matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor re-open negotiations with them upon the subject.

- (E) **HOSPITAL FIELD ALLOTMENTS:** Letter from the Golders Green Allotment Association alleging that rubbish from the Isolation Hospital premises was thrown over the fence of the Hospital on to the pathway leading through the Hospital Field Allotments. The Association also complained of a smell alleged to arise from a drain in the vicinity of Wessex Gardens School.

In regard to the first matter referred to in the letter, the Clerk reported that he had communicated with the Medical Officer of Health thereon, and the matter had been dealt with.

As to the smell alleged to arise from the drain in the neighbourhood of Wessex Gardens School, your Committee understand that the recent long spell of dry weather gave rise to the trouble complained of, and the matter had been remedied. Your Committee

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- (A) Letter from Mr. R. J. Wise transmitting the following resolution passed by the Hendon Labour Party requesting the Council to take steps to provide an open air swimming bath in the district.—

“That in view of the total lack of bathing facilities in Hendon, the Hendon Labour Party request the Hendon Urban District Council to take the necessary steps to provide an open air swimming bath in the Hendon district without further delay.”

- (B) Report from the Surveyor submitting alternative plans and estimates of the cost of constructing such a bath on the site recently purchased at The Hyde, the estimated cost of the smaller type of bath being £4,000, whilst that of the larger type £5,000.

After careful consideration of the report of the Surveyor, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the scheme for the provision of the larger type of bath at an estimated cost of £5,000 be approved, and that application be made to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the necessary loan for carrying out such a scheme.

7.—HENDON PUBLIC PARK:

- (A) Letter from Mr. J. A. Collacott as to his desire to give certain lads in the district physical training in the Hendon Park, and suggesting the provision of additional apparatus. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That enquiry be made of Mr. Collacott as to the exact nature of the apparatus he would require in connection with the training proposed to be given by him.

- (B) Report from the Surveyor as to an estimate he had procured of the cost of providing the material required for the completion of three Hard Tennis Courts in course of construction at the Hendon Park, such estimate, amounting approximately to £115 per court. The Surveyor further reported that in addition to this outlay a sum of £80 per court would be required in connection with the preparation of the ground, thus involving a total outlay for the three Courts of a sum of £585. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the estimate of the cost of the proposed Hard Tennis Courts in the Hendon Park be approved, and that the necessary work be carried out.

- 8.—KINGSBURY ROAD PLAYING FIELD: Letter from Mr. H. Knapp and Mr. E. Rogers making application for the Council's permission to open a small stall at the Kingsbury Road Playing Field.

Your Committee have given consideration to these applications, but are unable to recommend the Council to accede to the same.

- 9.—SUNNY COTTAGE—RENTERS LANE: Letter from Mr. C. Seimus in reference to the vacation of Sunny Cottage, Renters Lane, in accordance with the Council's notice.

Your Committee have deferred further action in connection with this matter until their next meeting.

- 10.—HOARDING—THE BURROUGHS: Report from the Clerk as to his further negotiations with Mr. Green in reference to the proposal of the Council to purchase the strip of land owned by him at the junction of Colindeep Lane and The Burroughs, to enable the Council to carry out their scheme of road widening and public improvement at this spot.

As a result of such negotiations Mr. Green had intimated that whilst not desiring to dispose of the land in question, he would accept the sum of £400, subject to certain conditions, leaving the Council to make the necessary arrangements with the Billposting Company in connection with the removal of the hoarding at present erected on the land.

After careful consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council agree to purchase the land in question from Mr. Green upon the terms mentioned, and that the necessary arrangements be made with the Billposting Company for the removal of the hoarding.

- 11.—TOWN PLANNING: Report from the Clerk as to a letter received from Professor Geddes making enquiry whether Friday, October 14th would be a convenient date for the proposed Town Planning Lecture at Hendon.

Your Committee instructed the Clerk to inform Professor Geddes in reply that the Council regretted that the date would not be suitable for the proposed lecture, at the same time expressing the hope that it would be possible to arrange same upon his return from abroad.

- 12.—HALL LANE WIDENING: Report from the Clerk as to the steps taken by him with a view to obtaining possession of the land from Messrs. Hinge Bros. abutting upon Hall Lane, in order that work might be found for certain of the Unemployed of the District in connection with the proposed widening work in the vicinity. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the works be put in hand, and note the satisfactory arrangements arrived at.

- 13.—TRAMWAY TRAFFIC—GOLDERS GREEN: The Surveyor reported the receipt of an amended plan from the Metropolitan Electric Tramways Ltd., relative to the proposal to construct a siding in the vicinity of the Golders Green Tube Station for the loading and unloading of cars travelling between Finchley and Cricklewood.

The Council will remember that a decision has already been arrived at that, in view of the increased danger involved to the users of the roads in the vicinity by such proposal that the same cannot be agreed to, and after careful consideration of the amended proposal your Committee are unable to recommend the Council to vary that decision, and they

RECOMMEND—That the Metropolitan Electric Tramways Limited be informed accordingly.

- 14.—FOOTBRIDGE, NEAR RESERVOIR, MILL HILL: Report from the Surveyor as to a communication he had received from the Clerk to the Edgware Parish Council, relative to certain work which it had been found necessary to execute to the footbridge over the stream dividing the parish of Edgware from the Council's district. The work had been executed at a cost amounting to the sum of £7 2s. 6d., and the Clerk to the Parish Council made enquiry whether the Council would be prepared to bear a moiety of such cost as on former occasions.

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15.—**SURFACE WATER DRAINAGE**: The Surveyor submitted a report in regard to complaints received by him relative to floodings in the district owing to the recent storms, and upon the subject of floodings generally.

A communication was submitted from the Finchley Lane Engineering Works alleging damage to their plant owing to flooding in a recent storm, and claiming compensation from the Council in connection with such damage. The Surveyor intimated that he had informed the Company that the Council could not accept any liability in the matter. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the action of the Surveyor be confirmed.

With regard to the other areas where floodings were reported, and in view of the report of the Surveyor in regard thereto, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That he prepare a further report, together with an estimate of the cost of devising schemes for remedying such floodings.

16.—**SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS**: Report submitted from Mr. S. S. Grimley (the Council's Consulting Engineer) as to the advisability of having the arms of the proposed Circulating Distributors at the Sewage Disposal Works galvanised.

After due consideration of such report, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the suggestion be carried out in accordance with the Consulting Engineer's Report, subject to satisfactory arrangements as to price.

17.—**TEMPLE FORTUNE OUTFALL SEWER**: The Surveyor submitted a report as to the progress made by the Contractors in connection with the construction of the Temple Fortune Outfall Sewer, from which it appeared that the work was proceeding in a satisfactory manner.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

18.—**ELECTRIC LIGHT MAIN**: Report from the Surveyor as to an application he had received from the Hendon Electric Supply Company for permission to lay an Electric Light Main across the Edgware Road, near Garriek Road.

In view of the report of the Surveyor in connection with such application, your Committee decided to accede to the same, and authority was given for the Company to proceed with the work without delay.

19.—**CONVENIENCE—CHILD'S HILL**: Reference was made to the need of providing a Convenience at Child's Hill in the neighbourhood of "The Castle." Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor make enquiry as to obtaining a site for a Convenience in the locality referred to.

20.—**REQUISITIONS**: The Surveyor submitted a requisition of goods required by him and the same was duly approved.

Report of Public Health Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 19th day of September, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Teare (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Miss Hodge, Mrs. Hargraves, Ford, Hearn, Taylor, Weeks, and Dr. Macgowan.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—**VITAL STATISTICS**: Report from the Medical Officer of Health that for the last 11 weeks the birth rate was 13.74 per thousand, and the death rate 9.78 per thousand.

2.—**HENDON PARK VILLAS**: Report from the Medical Officer of Health as to a further inspection which had been made to this house.

The tenants had not yet vacated the premises in compliance with the closing order made by the Council.

The Council will recollect that at the previous meeting of the Committee it was decided to give the occupier a further extension of time to vacate the premises before taking proceedings, and the time had now expired.

The Medical Officer reported that the occupier had secured other premises, but was waiting to obtain possession, which he hoped to do on the 7th October. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That in the event of the occupier failing to vacate the premises by the 7th October next, that the necessary proceedings be taken to secure compliance with the Closing Order served by the Council.

It was decided to give further consideration to a report in respect of these premises at the next meeting of the Committee.

3.—**COLIN DEEP LANE**: Report from the Medical Officer of Health that he had, together with the Sanitary Inspector, made an inspection of two caravans used for the purpose of human habitation standing on vacant land in Colin Deep Lane.

The structures were erected on the land, and the matter had been referred to the Surveyor, who had served a notice for the buildings to be pulled down and removed.

It now appeared that the buildings had been reconstructed and mounted on wheels forming caravans. There was no water supply or drainage to the premises.

Your Committee have instructed the Officers to submit a report upon the matter at their next meeting.

- 4.—VETERINARY INSPECTOR: Report from the Medical Officer of Health that the inspection of the Cows and Cowsheds in various parts of the district had taken place, and the Veterinary Inspector had reported that the same were found to be kept satisfactorily at the time of the visit.
- 5.—DRAINAGE WORK: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to the drainage and inspection work carried out since the last meeting of the Committee, and your Committee have duly approved the action taken by the Inspector.
- 6.—UN SOUND FOOD: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to a carcase of a pig which had died from disease, and the same had been destroyed. Noted.
- 7.—STAG FIELD FARM COW SHED: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to examination of the cow shed at Stag Field Farm, with the Medical Officer of Health.

It appeared that many alterations were required to the premises in order to comply with the requirements of the Dairies, Cowsheds and Milkshops Regulations. He now submitted a communication from the occupier, intimating that he had given up the sale of milk on the premises, as owing to the extent of the alterations required, it was not possible for him to carry them out at the present time. Noted.

The Inspector intimated that a further report would be presented at the next meeting of the Committee.

- 8.—STATUTORY NOTICES: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to the following premises where sanitary defects existed, and he asked for authority to serve statutory notices:—

1, Station Parade, Mill Hill.
84, Audley Road, Hendon.
21, Pollard Road.
Rooms over Stable, Park Road.
49, Telford Road.
27, Russell Road.
25, Russell Road.

In the above cases, the Inspector reported that the nuisances were of an urgent character, and your Committee gave authority, in accordance with the resolution of the Council, empowering the Committee to deal with matters of an urgent character, for the service of the notices forthwith.

In the following cases your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Statutory Notices be served in the event of the Preliminary Notices not being complied with:—

25 and 28 Russell Road.
21, Russell Road.
29, Russell Road.
235+. 203, Golders Green Road.
81, Elmeroft Crescent.
13, Heading Street.
72, North End Road.
178, Cricklewood Lane.
24, South Road, Burnt Oak.
9, Oak Grove.
4, Oak Grove.
2, Brent Street, Hendon.

- 9.—SANITARY CERTIFICATES: That they received a report from the Sanitary Inspector as to applications which had been received for the issue of certificates under Section 2 of the Increase of Rent and Mortgage Interest (Restrictions) Act, 1920. After careful consideration of the report of the Inspector as to the premises in respect of which applications were made, your Committee gave authority for the issue of certificates in the following cases:—

72, North End Road.
178, Cricklewood Lane.
24, South Road, Burnt Oak.

10.—MEDICAL SERVICES:

- (A) Letter from the Ministry of Health, sanctioning the appointment of Dr. E. M. Leitch as Assistant Medical Officer of Health, and also the apportionment of £100 of her salary for Maternity and Child Welfare purposes. Your Committee have duly noted this communication.
- (B) Letter from the Hendon Education Committee intimating that the Committee agreed to pay a moiety of the salary of Dr. Leitch, as was the case in respect of the late Assistant Medical Officer in respect of the School Medical Service work.
- (C) Letter from the Ministry of Health in reference to the proposed allocation of salary of Dr. T. S. McIntosh, the Council's Medical Officer of Health.

It will be remembered that in the allocation of the salary of the Medical Officer of Health, a sum of £200 was approved by the Council as the allocation in respect of services connected with the Council's Maternity and Child Welfare Scheme.

The Ministry intimated to the Council at their previous meeting that they considered £100 to be a sufficient allocation in respect of the Maternity and Child Welfare duties.

The Council made a further application for sanction to the £200 in respect of this service, but the Ministry again intimated that they considered £100 to be a fair and reasonable apportionment of the Officer's salary in respect of the duties in connection with the supervision of the Council's Maternity and Child Welfare Scheme.

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Your Committee desire to point out that the Medical Officer's duties in connection with Child Welfare Centres entail much more than merely supervision work, and in these circumstances they are of opinion that the apportionment submitted by the Council is reasonable for the whole of the Maternity and Child Welfare services of the Council. They therefore

RECOMMEND—That a further application be made to the Ministry for the approval of the allocation suggested by the Council.

- 11.—**EPIDEMIC DIARRHOEA:** Letter from the Ministry of Health as to protection to be taken by Sanitary Authorities in the summer months with special precautions to be taken for the prevention of Epidemic Diarrhoea.

Report from the Clerk that copies of the circular had been furnished to the Medical Officer of Health, who would be responsible for all arrangements to be made. Noted.

- 12.—**PIGGERIES:** Letters were received from Mrs. E. R. Stampa and Mr. H. O. Danewerts complaining of smells alleged to emanate from farm buildings in the neighbourhood of Hodford Road. Your Committee are informed that the matter was at the time referred to the Sanitary Inspector, and it appeared that the complaint was probably due to the fact that during the hot weather it was not possible owing to the restrictions placed upon the use of water, to have the pig styes washed down every day, as was the custom, but the pig keeper had done all in his power to prevent any annoyance to residents in the neighbourhood, and no nuisance had been found to exist.

The Clerk reported that the complainants had been informed accordingly.

- 13.—**PROPERTY AT FINCHLEY ROAD:** Complaint was received in respect of the condition of a garage at Finchley Road.

The matter had been referred to the Sanitary Inspector, who reported that it was not a case where any sanitary nuisance arose, but the matter complained of had been remedied.

- 14.—**MYLESDOWN ESTATE:** In accordance with the instructions of the Council, the Surveyor submitted a report relative to Mylesdown Estate, Mill Hill, it being suggested that the site might be suitable for hospital purposes.

After due consideration of such report, your Committee have no recommendation to make upon the matter.

- 15.—**REQUISITIONS:** The Medical Officer submitted requisitions of goods required in the Public Health Department, and also in the Isolation Hospital, and the same were approved.

Report of Town Planning Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 26th day of September, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Reynolds (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Hodge, Logan, Fenn, Hill, Soar, Taylor and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—**PLANS:** That they gave consideration to the following applications for approval of plans, and

RECOMMEND thereon as follows:—

| No. | Description of Premises. | Owner or Person submitting. | Recommendation. |
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| 5215 | Motor house on the North-West side of Garrick Avenue | Mr. E. Wright | Approval. |
| 5219 | Garage on the West side of Brentmead Place | Messrs. Haymills | Approval. |
| 5221 | Glass roof extension to existing Garage in Parson Street | Mr. E. Rossitter | Approval. |
| 5224 | Governor's House on the North side of Lawrence Street, Mill Hill. | North Middlesex Gas Company | Approval. |
| 5226 | Motor House at No. 32, Dunstan Road | Mr. C. W. B. Simmonds | Approval. |
| 5216 | Four Motor Houses on the South-West side of Brookside Road | Mr. E. Wright | Disapproval. |
| 5217 | One pair of Semi-detached Houses, and two Motor Garages, Golders Green Road and Sneath Avenue | Mr. E. Wright | Approval. |
| 5220 | Motor House at the rear of 281, Golders Green Road and the East side of Sinclair Avenue | Mr. E. Wright Messrs. Haymills. | Approval. |
| 5098 | Re-submitted. Auction Room at No. 32, Station Road, Hendon. | Mr. G. F. Kruse | Disapproval. |
| 5204 | Detached House, No. 29, Beecherof Avenue | Mr. W. T. Streater (Under Government Subsidy Scheme) | Approval, subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5052 | Re-submitted. Temporary Building, Boiler House, etc., at the rear of two small motor houses on the North side of Lawrence Street, Mill Hill | Messrs. Orton and Co. | Approval, subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5222 | New Bay Window at the rear of 34, Montpelier Rise, Golders Green | Mrs. Ellefsen | Approval. |

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| 5223 | Temporary Motor Shed on the North West side of Neeld Crescent | Mr. E. G. Barber | Approval as temporary building, subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5227 | Garage on the North side of Hillcrest Avenue | Messrs. J. Webb and Sons | Disapproval. |
| 5228 | New Printing Works at the rear of No. 71, Church Road | Mr. A. J. Hill | Disapproval. |
| 5229 | One pair of Semi-detached Houses, and one Motor House, Sinclair Grove | Messrs. Galliford and Parsons | Disapproval. |
| 5230 | Detached House, Decoy Avenue | Mr. J. Mackenzie | Disapproval, Surveyor to negotiate. |
| 5231 | Motor House on the South side of Elmcroft Avenue | Mr. F. Dymock | Approval. |
| 5232 | Alterations to 48 The Ridgeway, Golders Green | Mr. F. Dymock | Approval, subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5233 | Temporary Structure (Army Hut) on the North-East side of The Burroughs | Mr. P. Edwards | Approval, subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5234 | Motor Cycle House, North-East side of Beecheroff Avenue | Mr. W. T. Streater | Approval. |

2.—APPEAL—BUILDING IN BLIND LANE: Letter from the Ministry of Health relative to the appeal, under Section 25 of the Housing, Town Planning, etc., Act, 1919, made to the Ministry by Mr. E. M. Tuck in connection with the refusal of the Council to consent to the erection for human habitation of a wooden building at Blind Lane, Hendon. The Ministry intimated that after careful consideration of the circumstances of the case, they were of opinion that the refusal of the Council to the erection of the building in question was justified, and the appeal had accordingly been dismissed.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

3.—TOWN PLANNING:

(A) The Clerk reported as to the steps to be taken by the Council in connection with their Town Planning Schemes in order to comply with the new Town Planning Procedure Regulations issued by the Ministry.

He further reported that it would be essential to re-commence operations in connection with Town Planning in the district owing to the many changes which had taken place therein subsequent to the suspension of the schemes originally promoted by the Council owing to the late war.

In the event of the Council adopting this course, the Clerk suggested that the Council should incorporate the two original schemes in one and proceed with the whole area which it was originally proposed to Town Plan as the Hendon Town Planning Scheme.

It would be necessary as a first step for the Engineer to proceed with the preparation of the necessary map to enable the Council to obtain the required Interim Order, such order, if granted, placing the Council in the position of being able to control building operations in the district, and thus secure development thereof on Town Planning lines.

Your Committee have given careful consideration to the question of proceeding further in connection with the question of Town Planning for the district, and

RECOMMEND—That the Council adopt the course suggested by the Clerk, and that the Engineer prepare the necessary map referred to in order that application might be made to the Ministry of Health for an Interim Order in due course.

(B) Letter from the Chairman of the Executive Committee of the London Society upon the subject of Town Planning in Greater London, and urging the Council to take steps without delay in connection with the Town Planning of their district.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

(C) The Surveyor submitted a report received from Councillor Miss Hodge, relative to the proceedings at the Conference which she attended as the Council's Delegate in July last, convened by the National Housing and Town Planning Council upon the subject of Housing and Town Planning. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a vote of thanks be accorded to Councillor Miss Hodge for attending the Conference on behalf of the Council, and for the report of the proceedings submitted in connection therewith.

4.—SUBSIDY TO BUILDERS: The Clerk reported the receipt of the following memorandum from the Ministry of Health in further reference to the grant of subsidies to private builders under the Housing (Additional Powers) Acts, 1919 and 1921.

"SUBSIDY TO PRIVATE BUILDERS: The Government have decided to limit the grant of subsidies to private builders, under the Housing (Additional Powers) Acts, 1919 and 1921, to houses actually commenced before 1st July under a certificate given by a local authority, or on the promise of such a certificate, and completed not later than the 23rd June, 1922.

"In order to meet cases of hardship, however, local authorities may issue certificates where commitments have been entered into on or before the 14th July, 1921, the date of the Minister's statement in Parliament on Housing Policy. In such cases subsidy will be paid for houses in respect of which the local authority certify that actual construction was begun on or before the 25th August, 1921, and which are completed within the prescribed time and otherwise comply with the conditions of the subsidy scheme.

"It will be for the local authority to satisfy themselves that a definite commitment existed before the 15th July. Generally any expenditure incurred in anticipation of subsidy, such as the purchase of land, or any contractual obligation involving financial liability, will be regarded as a commitment.

"In view of the limitation of time, local authorities will realize that it is essential to ensure that all cases submitted to them are dealt with immediately.

"In any case of doubt the question should be referred promptly to the Ministry with a full statement of facts, addressed to the Secretary, Ministry of Health, Whitehall.

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"Where a certificate is issued under this discretionary power a typed slip must be attached in the following terms, and signed by the officer authorised to issue the certificate.—

"This Certificate is issued in pursuance of the discretion conferred upon the local authority to grant a certificate in cases where commitments had been entered into before the 15th July, 1921.

The certificate is subject to the conditions:—

- (1) that no grant will be payable in respect of any house to which it applies unless construction is begun on or before 25th August, 1921.
- (2) that houses to qualify for grant must be completed fit for occupation not later than 23rd June, 1922.

"A similar slip should be attached to the copies of the certificates sent to the Housing Commissioner and retained by the Council. (Paragraph (B) of the 'Conditions' on the printed certificate should be deleted.

"A scheme has been made by the Minister and approved by His Majesty's Treasury rendering houses commenced before 1st July, 1921, eligible for grant and providing for the exercise of the discretionary power described above. The conditions as to planning and construction already prescribed remain as before."

Your Committee have referred such memorandum to the officers for attention.

5.—MUSIC AND DANCING LICENCE—TOWN HALL: Report from the Clerk relative to the question of renewing the Music and Dancing Licence in respect of the Town Hall, it being necessary to lodge an application for such renewal with the County Council before the 1st prox.

With regard to the Certificate required in connection with the electrical installation in the building, the County Council had now set up a panel of Electrical Engineers from one of such Engineer's the Council were required to obtain a certificate.

Your Committee instructed the Clerk to engage the services of an Electrical Engineer, and instruct him to make an inspection of the electrical installation in the building in order that he might issue the necessary Certificate. Further to lodge an application for the renewal of the Music and Dancing Licence in respect of the Town Hall with the County Council.

6.—HOUSING (ADDITIONAL POWERS) ACTS, 1919 AND 1921, CERTIFICATES "B": Report from the Surveyor that in the under-mentioned cases Certificates "B" might now be issued for the amounts named:—

| No. of houses. | Situation of premises. | Applicant. | Amount of Subsidy. |
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| 1 | Decoy Avenue | Mr. E. Law | £240 |
| 1 | Beechcroft Avenue | Mr. W. T. Streater | £260 |
| 1 | The Woodlands | Messrs. Haymills, Ltd. | £260 |
| 1 | Brentmead Place | Messrs. Haymills, Ltd. | £240 |
| 2 | Princes Park Avenue | Messrs. Waterman Bros. | £260 |
| 2 | Garrick Avenue | Mr. E. Wright | £260 |
| 2 | Babington Road | Mr. H. Ebdon | £260 |
| 2 | Park View Gardens | Messrs. Gillett and Co. | £260 |
| 1 Flat | Finchley Road | Hendon Co-operative Society | £260 |
| 2 | Basing Hill | Mr. F. W. Bristow | £260 |

Your Committee gave instructions for the issue of such Certificates.

7.—APPLICATION NO. 5199—ST. JUDE'S PARISH HALL: The Surveyor reported the receipt of a letter from Mr. Welch in regard to Application No. 5199, such application having been approved as a temporary building subject to certain conditions, one of which was in regard to sanitary arrangements.

Mr. Welch now made enquiry whether the Council could see their way to reconsider their decision and modify the requirements in connection with the Sanitary Arrangements referred to.

After due consideration of the matter, and the report of the Surveyor in regard thereto, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Welch be informed that the Council cannot see their way to vary the decision arrived at in the matter.

8.—OPEN SPACE—GOLDERS GREEN: Report from the Surveyor as to a communication he had received from Mr. W. Hollis, accompanied by a plan shewing certain land between Princes Park Avenue and Oakfields Road, which he offered to dispose of to the Council for the provision of an open space at Golders Green.

Your Committee have left the matter in the hands of the Surveyor to continue his negotiations in connection therewith, and particularly to ascertain upon what terms an extended area could be acquired.

9.—HENDON PARK VILLAS: Report from the Surveyor in regard to the dilapidated condition of Nos. 1 and 2, Hendon Park Villas, Finchley Road.

In view of such report, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Public Health Committee take into consideration the issue of a demolition order under the Housing and Town Planning Act in connection with this property.

Report of Housing Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon on Monday, the 26th day of September, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Ford (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Hargraves, Mrs. Bannister, Cartwright, Hearn, Roberts, Teare, Wase, and the Rev. Dr. Maegowan.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—BRENT HILL SCHEME:

- (A) CONCRETE BLOCKS: Letter from Mr. G. Hornblower furnishing detailed particulars as to specific tests which had been made of the concrete blocks used in connection with this scheme.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of such report.

- (B) LIGHTING AND HEATING: Letter from the Ministry of Health in further reference to the question of lighting and heating.

The Ministry now intimated that the increasing need for economy had been reflected in the establishment of a rule that the dual installation of gas and electricity in a housing scheme could no longer be allowed, except where the cost of the dual installation did not exceed the cost of the single service, and also that as between gas and electricity the cheaper service should be adopted.

The adoption of this rule had involved the revision of proposals made by many Local Authorities for lighting and heating.

In the circumstances the Board were unable to allow a contribution greater than £39 13s. 6d. per house in respect of the lighting and heating.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of this communication, and do not propose to pursue the matter further. They therefore

RECOMMEND—That the contribution by the Ministry of £39 13s. 6d. per house in respect of lighting and heating be accepted.

- (C) STALL: Letter from Mr. F. C. Thomas applying for consent to erect a lock-up stall for the sale of newspapers, tobacco, etc., on the Brent Hill Estate. Your Committee are unable to recommend the Council to accede to this application.

- (D) JOINERY WORK: Letter from the Hendon Branch of the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters, Cabinet Makers and Joiners, in reference to the joinery work at the Council's houses in Park Road.

Your Committee are informed that any joinery work and timber of unsatisfactory standard in connection with the scheme had been rejected from time to time, and they instructed the Clerk to inform the Society to that effect, and also to transmit a copy of the communication to the Council's Architect.

- (E) OFFERS OF SERVICES: Letters were received from Mr. H. J. Roberts and Mr. H. C. Kichenside offering their services in connection with the completion of the houses on the Brent Hill Farm Estate by direct labour.

Your Committee authorised the Clerk to inform Mr. Roberts and Mr. Kichenside that the completion of the houses was now open to tender if they desired to submit an estimate for the work.

- (F) AMENDED LAY OUT: Letter from the Ministry of Health in reference to the scheme at Brent Hill Farm, requesting to be furnished with a tracing of the lay-out shewing the positions and types of the houses as finally proposed, and also the houses and street works which had actually been commenced.

Report from the Clerk that the matter had been referred to the Architect, and that the necessary work of preparing such plan was in hand.

- (G) CONTRACTS: Letter from Mr. G. Hornblower reporting that he had been in communication with Messrs. John Wood and Co., the Surveyors to the National Bank, in reference to arriving at an agreement as to the value of work carried out, and materials and plant on the site.

He submitted a copy of a communication from Messrs. Wood and Co., intimating that they would be prepared to accept such figures, if reasonable, and that he was proceeding with this matter accordingly.

Mr. Hornblower also reported that an Official of the London Housing Board had intimated that the houses other than those actually on the land known as Smith's land should be erected, as the blank spaces would have a very displeasing appearance, when the Contractor's temporary sheds had been cleared away.

The Council will recollect that it was intended to complete the whole of the houses except those on the land known as Smith's land, which were to be deleted.

It was decided to communicate with Mr. Hornblower accordingly.

It was further decided to request Mr. Hornblower to submit a report upon the position on Monday next, and to arrange for a special meeting of the Council (in Committee) to be held to consider such report.

- (H) FENCING: The Surveyor submitted a report as to fencing along the boundary of the housing site where the same adjoins the other property of the Council.

Your Committee suggest that a suitable fence might be provided by the provision of concrete posts and wire, together with a privet hedge planted along the boundary, and they

RECOMMEND—That the work be carried out in this manner.

- (I) COMPLAINT: A letter was received from Mr. C. S. Windsor in reference to the garden of his house, and the same was referred to the Accountant for report.

2.—CHILD'S HILL SCHEME. Letter from Messrs. R. H. King and Co., transmitting notice of charge given by Mr. Ramsbotham in favour of Mr. E. H. Hawkins, relative to his Contract for the erection of 37 houses at Child's Hill.

Your Committee gave instructions to the Clerk to communicate with Mr. Ramsbotham, requesting to be furnished with confirmation of the notice received in respect of the Contract.

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3.—HOUSING SCHEMES:

(A) Letter from the Urban District Council of Barnet, transmitting resolutions passed by that Authority on the question of housing, as follows:—

“That this Authority is very strongly of opinion that the best interests of the nation would be served by the Government calling together a Royal or a Parliamentary Commission to enquire whether Combines and Rings are in restraint of trade.

“That this Council records its sincere and emphatic disapproval of the Government's Order, through the Ministry of Health, to discontinue its Housing Scheme, which it had not only sanctioned, but had urged the Council to undertake.

“That this Council is strongly of opinion that it is contrary to the best interests of the nation for the Government to lessen its past efforts to encourage Local Authorities to build houses, particularly in districts where the sanitary authorities certify overcrowding. Such encouragement should take the form of a financial grant to meet, in part at any rate, the still abnormal capital cost of such houses, so as to enable Local Authorities to let such houses when built at an economic rent. Money spent on the betterment of housing conditions is a sound national investment, which will produce incalculable interest by lessening the heavy expenditure now being made to remedy the evils caused by overcrowding.”

They requested the Council to pass a similar resolution.

Your Committee are unable to recommend the Council to take any action in the matter.

(B) Letter from the National Housing and Town Planning Council with statement as to the Housing situation at the present time, and intimating that further copies would be sent in due course for consideration.

Your Committee have no recommendation to make thereon.

Report of Staff Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 3rd day of October, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Egan (Chairman), and Councillors Cartwright, Miss Growse, Ford, Hare, Roberts, and Teare. (Councillors Hill and Reynolds were engaged in another Committee).

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—TOWN HALL CARETAKER: That they gave careful consideration to the question of filling the vacancy in the position of Town Hall Caretaker, occasioned by the death of Mr. Windebank.

The Clerk reported that several applications had been sent in, including one from Mr. P. Sinnott, the present Assistant caretaker.

Mr. Sinnott has been in the employ of the Council for a period of nearly two years, and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. and Mrs. Sinnott be appointed as Caretakers at the Town Hall with a joint salary at the rate of £150 per annum, with free quarters, fuel and light, rising by annual increments of £5 to £180 per annum, such appointment to date as from the 1st November next.

Your Committee have given consideration to the position of Mrs. Windebank, who has been in the service of the Council for many years. They

RECOMMEND—That Mrs. Windebank's services be continued as an Assistant to the Caretaker to perform duties connected with the building of a light nature, and that she be paid a salary of £78 per annum.

In regard to occasions when additional assistance is required for the moving of furniture on occasions of lettings, etc., your Committee are of opinion that this might be arranged for by securing assistance from the Surveyor's Department.

2.—CLERK OF WORKS—BRENT HILL SCHEME: Letter from Mr. Hughes, the Clerk of Works, applying for an increase of salary. Mr. Hughes is at present in receipt of a salary of £7 per week. Your Committee have given careful consideration to the application, but are unable to recommend the Council to make any variation in his salary at the present time.

Report of Fire Brigade Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 26th day of September, 1921. Present: Councillors Miss Growse (Chairman), Fenn, Ford, Hearn, Dr. Maegowan, Reynolds, Taylor and Teare.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—MOTOR FIRE ENGINE No. 2: That they gave consideration to the four tenders received in response to the Council's invitation for the supply of a motor fire engine, in accordance with the Specification submitted and approved.

The firms submitting the quotation were Messrs. Leyland Motors, Ltd., Dennis Bros., Ltd., Merryweather and Sons, and The Salford Fire Engine Works.

The Council will recollect that the Air Ministry agreed to supply an engine to replace the machine commandeered in 1916, and they desired that the tender which the Council proposed to recommend for acceptance should be submitted to the department before accepting the same.

Your Committee therefore decided to refer such tenders to the Engineer of the Council for a report and they have requested him to submit such report at the Special Council Meeting to be held on Monday next, in order that no time may be lost in submitting the recommended tender to the Air Ministry.

- 2.—PETROL LICENCES: Applications for licences to store petrol from H. Appendrodt, of Brent Bridge Hotel, Brent Street, also Mr. C. Grimshaw to increase his store to 50 gallons.

Your Committee have received a report from the Chief Officer that the arrangements for storage in each of these cases are satisfactory, and they therefore

RECOMMEND—

- (A) That the application of Mr. H. Appendrodt be acceded to, and that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the licence.

- (B) That in the case of Mr. C. Grimshaw, the storage capacity be increased to 50 gallons, and that a licence be issued for the increased quantity.

- 3.—WILBERFORCE ROAD STATION: Letter from the Scoutmaster of the Hampstead Sea Scouts, intimating that the Scouts had completed their tenancy of the premises, and that the building was ready for inspection in accordance with the terms of the agreement.

Report from the Chief Officer that the premises had been inspected, and found to have been left in a reasonable state of repair.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

- 4.—BURNT OAK: Report from the Clerk as to correspondence with the Hendon Guardians as to securing a site on their land at Burnt Oak for the purpose of a Fire Escape Station.

The Guardians had intimated that the matter would be further considered at their next meeting.

Your Committee suggest that the Chairman of the Council and the Clerk might arrange a Conference with the Chairman and the Clerk to the Guardians, when it might be possible to come to some arrangement in regard to this matter. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor submit an estimate of the cost of the removal and re-erection of the present fire escape station at Wilberforce Road to Burnt Oak, and alternately that he submit an estimate of the cost of erecting a new station of a similar type at Burnt Oak.

- 5.—FIRE CERTIFICATE: They received a report from the Chief Officer in reference to the application of Messrs. Smith's Potato Crisps, Ltd., for a fire certificate in respect of their premises at Somerton Road, Cricklewood.

Report from the Chief Officer that the means of escape from fire were satisfactory at these premises, and your Committee therefore

RECOMMEND—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to fire certificate in respect of the premises occupied by Smith's Potato Crisps, Ltd.

- 6.—CENTRAL FIRE STATION: That they received reports from the National Boiler Insurance Co. as to examinations of the vertical hot water boiler and storage cylinder at the Central Fire Station, also sectional heating boiler, and subject to certain minor adjustments which had since been rectified, the same were found to be in order.

Your Committee have duly noted this report.

- 7.—FIRE SERVICES—KINGSBURY: Letter from the Urban District Council of Kingsbury in reference to the fire protection afforded by the Hendon Council to the district of Kingsbury.

It will be remembered that the Council applied to the Kingsbury Council to contribute an amount equal to the gross amount in the pound charged for fire services in Hendon, based upon the rateable value of the Kingsbury district, in respect of such fire protection.

The matter has been discussed by the Kingsbury Council, and they now intimated that they considered the charge based on the amount in the pound (2d.) would hardly be reasonable, as this amount would include for the provision and maintenance of hydrants, appliances and re-payment of loans.

The Kingsbury Council now suggested a sum of £50 per annum should be paid as the retaining fee, and they would also in addition agree to satisfy any claim in respect of fire extinguishing expenses not recovered by the Hendon Council from the Insurance Companies.

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RECOMMEND—That the Kingsbury District Council be informed that the Council are of opinion that a reasonable figure would be a retaining fee of £100 per annum, and in addition the fire extinguishing expenses.

Your Committee desire to point out that they are desirous of meeting the Kingsbury Council in this matter, but having regard to the nature of the services rendered, consider that the suggested retaining fee of £100 is reasonable.

8.—AMBULANCE CALLS: Letter from Mr. W. C. Garrard, Colindale Ratepayers' Association, suggesting that arrangements might be made for the fire alarm in Colindale Avenue to be made available for general ambulance calls.

Your Committee have received a report from the Chief Officer upon this matter, but they consider that the fire alarms should not be used for any other purpose than that for which they were provided, and

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Garrard be informed that the Council could not see their way to accede to his request.

9.—WATER PRESSURES: The Chief Officer submitted a report as to water pressures taken since the last meeting of the Committee, which show a great improvement upon those previously recorded.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

10.—FIRE HYDRANTS: Report from the Chief Officer that since the last meeting of the Committee five fire hydrants had been fixed in the following positions:—

- One Park Road at junction of New Road.
- One Edgware Road, facing the "Old Welsh Harp."
- Two at Basing Hill.
- One at Cloister Road.

The Chief Officer reported that a fire hydrant was required 550 feet from the existing hydrant, No. 307, at Cricklewood, for the protection of property on the land belonging to the Midland Railway Company. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That such hydrant be fixed.

10.—BRIGADE STAFF: Report from the Chief Officer that Fireman W. Dickens, of the permanent staff, was unfit for duty, and he submitted a medical certificate from Dr. F. W. Andrew in regard to his case.

The Council will recollect that this case has received consideration by the Committee on a previous occasion.

In view of all the circumstances in this case, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That for a period of one month the man's wages, less benefit from Health Insurance, be continued.

The Chief Officer reported that he had secured a temporary man (Doherty) for duty at the Station, with wages at 50s. per week.

Your Committee approved of this arrangement.

11.—FIRE APPLIANCES: Report from the Chief Officer that the following appliances had been overhauled and placed in proper order:—

- Golders Green Fire Escape.
- Motor Ambulance.
- Central Station Doors.
- Batteries, and Brigade Bicycles.

The taper suction on the Motor Fire Engine had been found defective, and as this was a case of urgency, the same had been forwarded to the makers for repair.

Your Committee approved of the action of the Chief Officer.

12.—STORES: In connection with the repair works which had been carried out, the Chief Officer reported certain stores which had been obtained.

He also submitted a requisition of articles required for the single men's room, and the same was approved.

13.—DAMAGE TO CLOTHING: Report from the Chief Officer that Temporary Fireman Powell had damaged his own clothing at the fire at Titanine Factory, and asked for an allowance of 5s. for repairs. The same was agreed.

14.—PETROLEUM APPLICATION: The Chief Officer submitted an application and plan from the British Petroleum Co. as to a slight amendment in the plan, viz.:—

That clay puddle should be used instead of sand to fill in round the tanks, also that a brick bed cement rendered should be substituted for concrete.

Your Committee have received a report from the Engineer upon these suggested variations, and are informed that there is no objection thereto.

Your Committee therefore

RECOMMEND—That the proposed amendment be approved.

15.—UNIFORM: Report from the Chief Officer that uniform clothing was required for Fireman E. H. Mercer, appointed to the Brigade in July last, as detailed in his report book.

Your Committee approved of the requisitions.

Applications for uniform clothing were also considered from Superintendent Castle, Burnt Oak, and Fireman A. Stevens, as detailed in the Chief Officer's report book.

After consideration of the report in these cases, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the uniforms be procured.

Certain repairs were required to fire fittings, and your Committee agreed that the work should be carried out.

16.—**CENTRAL FIRE STATION**: Report from the Chief Officer as to damage to the Central Fire Station door, and he asked for authority to have the necessary repairs carried out. This was agreed.

17.—**STORES REQUIRED**: The Chief Officer submitted requisitions of stores required for the Brigade, for the Motor Fire Engine and the Motor Ambulance, as detailed in his report book.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That such stores be procured.

18.—**FIRE REPORTS**: The Chief Officer submitted a list of fires attended by the Brigade since the last meeting of your Committee.

The list is unusually large, but includes a number of calls to fires in fields during the very hot weather.

He also submitted a report as to the petrol consumption, which has been duly noted.

19.—**CHILDS HILL**: On the report of the Chief Officer it was agreed that the doors of the Child's Hill Fire Station be repainted and re-written.

Report of General Purposes Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 3rd day of October, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Hill (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Miss Growse, Egan, Ford, Glanville, Hare, Page, Reynolds, Taylor and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—**ADVERTISING ARRANGEMENTS**: That they gave further consideration to the question of the arrangements for the insertion of the Council's advertisements in the various London Newspapers.

The Council will remember that Messrs. James Willing, Limited, offered to act as the Council's Agents in regard to this matter on the following terms. They required to be furnished with one copy only of the advertisement proposed to be inserted, undertaking the whole of the work of distribution, and in addition they offered a discount of 2½ per cent. in connection therewith. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the offer of Messrs. James Willing, Ltd., be accepted.

2.—**GAME LICENCES**: The Clerk reported the receipt of applications from Mr. T. B. Cook and Mr. G. Collip for Game Licences in respect of premises at Temple Fortune Parade and Brent Street respectively. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the applications be acceded to, and that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the Licences in due course.

3.—**COUNCIL AGENDA**: Letter from the Secretary of the Mill Hill Branch of the Middle Classes Union in further reference to their application to be supplied with a copy of the Council's Agenda periodically.

Your Committee have adjourned the consideration of this matter until their next meeting.

4.—**POST OFFICE—GOLDERS GREEN**: Letter from Mr. A. E. Overton, Private Secretary to Sir Philip Lloyd-Greame, in regard to the communication received by Sir Philip from the Council, relative to the establishment of a Branch Post Office at Golders Green, in the neighbourhood of the Tube Station. Mr. Overton intimated that Sir Philip was again in communication with the General Post Office upon the matter, and a further communication in regard thereto would be transmitted to the Council in due course.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

5.—**TELEPHONE INSTALLATION**: The Clerk reported the receipt of a notice from the London Telephone Service in regard to the transfer of the Council's telephone installation to the proposed new Hendon Exchange. The London Telephone Service expressed the hope that the Council would co-operate with them in the matter by accepting the proposed new service. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council intimate to the London Telephone Service that they are in agreement with the proposed transfer of their telephone installation.

6.—**ELECTRICITY SUPPLY ACT, 1919**: Letter from the Clerk to the Middlesex County Council transmitting the following resolution adopted at a Conference of Representatives of Local Authorities, not being authorised Electricity Undertakers, in connection with the Electricity Supply Act, 1919:—

"That the Local Authorities represented at this Conference be recommended to agree to the proposal that the Middlesex County Council should represent those Authorities on the proposed Joint Electricity Authority."

The County Council further intimated that they desired to be informed whether the Council agreed to the proposal. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Middlesex County Council be informed that the Council are not in agreement with such proposal.

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- (a) Letter from the Secretary to the Gas Referees in reference to the testing of gas in the area of supply of the Gas Light and Coke Company by the proposed Gas Examiners.

The Council will remember that they have given careful consideration to the question of the appointment of a Gas Examiner for the District, also the idea of a combined appointment with other local authorities in the County, but have decided to take no action in regard thereto.

Your Committee have given further consideration to this matter, and are unable to recommend the Council to depart from their previous decision in regard thereto, and have duly noted the contents of the communication referred to.

- (b) Letter from Messrs. Sherwood and Co. transmitting the following notice relative to the supply of gas by the Harrow and Stanmore Gas Company:—

GAS REGULATION ACT, 1920.

SECTION 1.

HARROW AND STANMORE GAS (CHARGES) ORDER, 1921.

The Harrow and Stanmore Gas Company pursuant to the above Order hereby give Notice that the calorific value of the gas which they intend to supply is 450 British Thermal Units and that the date from which they will supply gas of the said calorific value is the 25th day of June, 1921.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of such notice.

- 8.—LOCAL GOVERNMENT EMERGENCY PROVISIONS: The Clerk reported the receipt of a circular letter from the Ministry of Health forwarding copies of an Order extending the operation of certain Emergency Provisions contained in the Local Government (Emergency Provisions) Act, 1916.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

- 9.—NETHER COURT: Letter from Messrs. Yates and Yates in further reference to the Nether Court Estate, and suggesting that the Council might now make them an offer to purchase the Estate.

Your Committee have given further consideration to this matter, but have no recommendation to make in regard thereto.

- 10.—FAMINE IN RUSSIA: Letters from the Hon. Secretary of the Russian Famine Relief Committee seeking the co-operation of the Council in connection with the Russian Famine Relief Fund, also from the Secretary of the Golders Green Branch of the Independent Labour Party, suggesting the opening of a fund in the district for the relief of distress in Russia.

Your Committee have given careful consideration to this matter, but are unable to recommend the Council to adopt the course suggested in these communications. They

RECOMMEND, however, that the Independent Labour Party be informed that the Council would favourably consider the letting of the Council Chamber, free of charge, in the event of a function being promoted to raise funds to assist the people of Russia.

- 11.—GUIDE TO HENDON: Letter from Messrs. E. J. Burrow and Co., Ltd., offering to produce, free of charge, an official guide to the district of Hendon.

Your Committee have no recommendation to make in regard to the offer submitted by Messrs. Burrow and Co., Ltd.

12.—SHOPS ACT:

- (a) Letter from the Home Office in regard to the Shops (Early Closing) Act, 1920, intimating that the same would remain in operation until the 31st December, 1922, and forwarding a note of certain amendments made therein.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of such communication.

- (b) Letter from the National Federation of Retail Fruiterers, Florists, and Fishmongers, Ltd., seeking the co-operation of the Council with a view to obtaining a Bill bringing Street Trading under effective control.

After due consideration of such communication, your Committee consider that the matter is one which should be dealt with by the Police, and they

RECOMMEND—That the same be referred to the Police accordingly.

- 13.—JOINT INDUSTRIAL COUNCIL: Letter from the Clerk to the Middlesex County Council transmitting the following resolution adopted at a Conference convened by the County Council with representatives of Local Authorities in the County of Middlesex upon the subject of the Joint Industrial Council for the County.

“That this Conference favours the setting up of a Whitley Council for Middlesex, but, before going forward with the matter, thinks it advisable to hear the views of the various local authorities in the County.

“That the proposed Council should consist, on the Employers' side, of one member from the County Council, and one member from each local authority in Middlesex.”

Your Committee have given due consideration to this matter, but have no recommendation to make in regard thereto.

14.—SUPERANNUATION:

- (a) Letter from the Clerk to the Southall-Norwood Urban District Council transmitting the following resolution passed by them upon the subject of Superannuation for their employees, and asking for the support of the Council in connection with the matter:—

"That strong representation be made to the Urban District Councils' Association, the Rural District Councils' Association, and the Middlesex District Councils' Association, against the gross injustice now continued by reason of the Middlesex County Council General Powers Act not embodying or refusing to those local authorities below 50,000 population power to adopt a superannuation scheme for their employees, and to ask that these Associations make every effort to secure justice for all concerned, and that a circular letter embodying this resolution be sent to all the affected authorities in Middlesex, and also to Col. The Right Hon. S. Peel, D.S.O., M.P., and the Middlesex County Council."

After due consideration of such resolution, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council support the Southall-Norwood Urban District Council in their efforts.

(b) With regard to the provisions of the Middlesex County Council (General Powers) Act, 1921, referred to, which enabled this Council to set up a superannuation scheme for the employees of the Council, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Accountant be requested to submit a report in connection with the matter.

15.—KEN WOOD, PROPOSED ACQUISITION: That they gave further consideration to the suggestion for the proposed acquisition of Ken Wood, Hampstead Heath, for the public, and also the question of making a contribution to the fund inaugurated in connection with raising the necessary money required for such acquisition.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council contribute a sum of £1,000 to the fund for the proposed acquisition of Ken Wood as an open space.

16.—PUBLIC WORKS BOARD: Letter from Mr. G. F. Carter, Secretary of the Local Authorities Section, Public Works Conciliation Board, as to a reduction in the rate of wages payable to labourers from 1s. 8d. to 1s. 7d. per hour, such decrease to be effective for three months dating from the commencement of the current month.

Report from the Clerk that the matter had been referred to the Surveyor.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

17.—LAND, EDGWARE ROAD: Letter from Mr. R. A. Knott making application for permission to open a Coffee Stall on the Council's land in the Edgware Road.

After due consideration of such application, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Knott be informed that the Council are unable to accede to the same.

18.—BRENT STREET DRAINAGE: Letter from Messrs. Bramston and Co. further in regard to the decision of the Council requiring payment of a sum of £140 with a view to meeting contingencies in connection with the drainage of the houses erected by Mr. Howkins at Brent Street.

Messrs. Bramston and Co. again repeated their offer to collect, and forward to the Council, a sum of £80 on behalf of four of the owners of the houses, subject to certain conditions, thus leaving the Council to take what steps they considered necessary to recover the sum due from the remaining owners.

Your Committee cannot recommend the Council to depart from their previous decision in the matter, and

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk again communicate with Messrs. Bramston and Co., pressing, without prejudice, for payment of the sum of £140 with a view to a settlement of this matter.

19.—BURROUGHS HOUSE: The Surveyor submitted a letter which he had received from the Caretaker at Burroughs House as to damage to his furniture caused by a ceiling which had fallen as a result of a recent storm, and claiming a sum of 30s. to meet expenses incurred in connection with the damage referred to.

After due consideration of such claim, and of the circumstances thereof, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council agree to make a grant of 30s. to the Caretaker.

Report of Highways Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen.—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 3rd day of October, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Hare (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Egan, Ford, Glanville, Hill, Page, Reynolds, Taylor and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—MILL HILL SPEED LIMIT:

(A) Letter from the Clerk to the Middlesex County Council transmitting a copy of the following resolution adopted by the County Council relative to the application of the Council for the imposition of a reduced speed limit for motor traffic traversing the section of road from Hale Grove Gardens in the one direction, and in the opposite direction from the "Hale Station," leading to the Midland Railway, thence under the Arch and finally along Lawrence Street to its junction with Daws Lane.

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"That an intimation be given to the Hendon Urban District Council that the County Council does not consider that their claim for the imposition of a reduced speed limit for motor traffic along portions of Hale Lane and Lawrence Street, Mill Hill, justifies an application being made to the Ministry of Transport for the issue of an Order reducing the speed limit, and that it be suggested to the District Council that standard warning signs affixed to the present signs near the Midland Railway Bridge at Mill Hill with a prominent warning notice attached to the bridge would meet all the requirements of the case."

Your Committee have given further consideration to this matter, and in view of the decision of the County Council in regard thereto, they

RECOMMEND—That the Council erect a notice board at each side of the approach to the Midland Railway Bridge with the words, "Danger, Slow Down" painted thereon.

(B) In view of the fact that the question of applying for the speed limit referred to was brought under the notice of the Council by the Mill Hill Branch of the Middle Classes Union, your Committee further

RECOMMEND—That they be informed of the decision of the Middlesex County Council in the matter, and of the steps proposed to be taken by the Council in view of such decision.

2.—**PUBLIC WORKS CONGRESS**: Letter from the Hon Secretary of the Public Works, Roads, and Transport Congress (1921) in regard to a proposed Congress to be held in London from November 17th to the 25th next upon matters appertaining to the duties performed by Local Authorities, and inviting the Council to appoint delegates thereto.

Your Committee have no recommendation to make in regard thereto.

3.—ROAD IMPROVEMENT SCHEMES:

(A) Letter from the Ministry of Transport (Roads Department) in regard to certain schemes of road improvement promoted by the Council, and for which application had been made for a grant towards the cost of carrying out such improvements in accordance with the circular letter received from the Ministry of Transport upon this subject. The Ministry intimated that a further communication would be transmitted to the Council, relative to the question of making a grant in connection with the improvements referred to, and finally pointed out that the carrying out of necessary surface tarring works should not be deferred in anticipation of a grant being made.

Report from the Surveyor as to the action taken by him in connection with tar painting work eligible for the grant proposed by the Ministry of Transport in connection with this class of work.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

(B) Reference was made to the question of executing tar painting work in Birkbeck Road, Mill Hill, and after due consideration thereof, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the work in question be carried out.

4.—OMNIBUS FACILITIES:

(A) Letter from the London General Omnibus Company, Limited, in further reference to the provision of the proposed omnibus facilities between Hendon (Station Road) and Tottenham Hale. The Company pointed out that the duties on mechanically propelled vehicles had been very heavily increased with the object of providing funds for the maintenance of roads, and they intimated they could not undertake to make a direct contribution in respect of "extraordinary traffic" as required by the Council. They finally made enquiry whether the Council definitely refused their consent to the user of the roads within their district in connection with the proposed new bus service without the stipulation in question.

(B) Letter from the Clerk to the Urban District Council of Finchley relative to the proposed new bus service, and asking to be furnished with the observations of the Council with reference to the Company's user of the thoroughfares maintained by the Hendon Council. The Finchley Council further suggested that joint representation should be made by the two Councils to the Middlesex County Council, with a view to the latter authority approaching the Ministry of Transport with the object of obtaining an Order under Section 7 (4) of the Roads Act, 1920, prohibiting or restricting, subject to certain conditions, the user of highways for the traversing of omnibuses thereon, for certain reasons, one of such reasons being that the highways in question were unsuitable for the use by the class of vehicle proposed to be utilised. Your Committee have given careful consideration to this matter, and

RECOMMEND—That a Sub-Committee be appointed to confer with representatives of the Finchley Council with a view to discussing the question of making the suggested joint representation to the Middlesex County Council, and also the question of making application to the Ministry of Transport for a contribution towards the work of re-surfacing Finchley Lane and Hendon Lane.

They further

RECOMMEND—That such Sub-Committee consist of the Chairman of the Council (Mr. Councilor Egan) and Councillors Hare and Hill (Chairmen of the Highways and General Purposes Committee, respectively).

5.—**ROAD SURFACES**: Letter from the Child's Hill Ward Ratepayers' Association in regard to the condition of the roads at the points in the neighbourhood of the Cross Roads, Golders Green, used by the Trams and Omnibuses as stopping places, and asking the Council to issue instructions for the sprinkling of gravel on both sides of the road in order to prevent accidents.

Your Committee are informed by the Surveyor that this matter has received attention, and they have duly noted the letter from the Ratepayers' Association.

6.—**HERMITAGE LANE**: Letter from Mr. V. Samuel complaining of the condition of Hermitage Lane, Child's Hill.

Report from the Surveyor that it was proposed to carry out works of improvement in the road in due course, and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Samuel be informed accordingly.

7.—LIGHTING:

(A) Letter from Mr. E. de Lissa complaining of the lack of lighting facilities at Bittacy Hill, Mill Hill.

Report from the Surveyor as to the existence of the required lamps at Bittacy Hill, and further, that upon the receipt of the complaint referred to an inspection of the locality had been made, when the whole of the lamps were found to be in working order.

In view of the report of the Surveyor in connection with this matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. de Lissa be informed accordingly.

(B) Letter from Mr. C. O. Carter on behalf of the residents in Beechcroft Avenue, requesting the Council to provide additional lighting accommodation in the road.

Your Committee have received a report from the Surveyor in regard thereto, and

RECOMMEND—That two additional lamps be provided in Beechcroft Avenue, and that Mr. Carter be informed of the action proposed to be taken in the matter.

(C) Letter from Mr. E. F. Errington, hon. secretary of the Hampstead Garden Suburb Residents' Association, in regard to the existing lighting arrangements in Bigwood Road, and making enquiry whether the Council would erect an additional lamp in the road.

After due consideration of the report of the Surveyor in regard to the lighting arrangements in Bigwood Road, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That an additional lamp be erected in the road at a point near "Southwood Court."

(D) The Surveyor reported the receipt of further communications making application for additional lighting in various roads in the district.

On the report of the Surveyor your Committee

RECOMMEND—That additional lamps be erected in the under-mentioned roads:—

| | No. of Lamps. |
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| Basing Hill | 3 |
| Woodlands Crescent | 1 |
| The Woodlands | 1 |
| Cranbourne Gardens | 2 |
| Hurstwood Road | 1 |
| Sinclair Grove | 1 |

(E) Report from the Surveyor as to a recent inspection of the whole of the street lighting in the North Middlesex Gas Company's area of supply, from which it appeared that at the time of such inspection only one lamp was found to be out of lighting.

Your Committee have given consideration to the question of obtaining revised terms from the North Middlesex Gas Company in connection with the provision of street lighting, and have decided to leave the matter in the hands of the Surveyor.

(F) The Surveyor also submitted a report in regard to the arrangements for street lighting in the Gas Light and Coke Company's area of supply, and as to the action taken by him in connection with increased charges for such lighting sought to be imposed by the Company.

Your Committee have confirmed the action of the Surveyor in connection with the matter, and await a further report in regard thereto.

8.—PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS:

(A) LEESIDE CRESCENT: The Clerk reported the receipt of communications from certain property owners in Leaside Crescent in favour of the execution of permanent works in the road.

It further appeared from such communications that a petition was being forwarded to the Council from other residents in the road, protesting against the execution of permanent works therein.

Report from the Clerk that no such petition had, up to the present, been received by the Council.

In view of the fact that the application for sanction to the necessary loan to enable this work, together with other work of a similar nature to be carried out, was now before the Ministry of Health, your Committee await the holding of the usual Inquiry in regard thereto.

(B) THE VALE: The Clerk reported the receipt of the replies received from the Owners of property in The Vale relative to the carrying out of the suggested permanent works therein, from which it appeared that the majority of the owners were opposed to the execution of such works.

After further consideration of the matter, and in view of the replies received from the property owners in the road, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the execution of the suggested permanent works therein be deferred for a period of twelve months.

(C) LYNDALE AVENUE: The Clerk reported that as a result of the enquiry made of the property owners in this road, the majority of such owners were opposed to the execution of permanent works therein.

In view of this decision your Committee were of opinion that the carrying out of the permanent works in this road should also be deferred for a period of twelve months, and they therefore

RECOMMEND accordingly.

(D) The Surveyor submitted apportionments of the expenses incurred in respect of the carrying out of permanent works in Dunstan Road and Rodborough Road, such expenses working out at a cost of 3s. 5d. and 42s. 3d. per foot frontage respectively. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the apportionments be approved, and the necessary notices of apportionment served upon the frontagers in the roads mentioned in due course.

9.—KINGSBURY ROAD: present position of Kingsbury Road, together in the matter. After careful consideration...

10.—ROADS CLASSIFICATION: in regard to the County Council resolution. The Council considered it would be better to defer the matter and make an enquiry over the maintenance of the roads, doing the maintenance Council. The Council considered the Middlesex Conference of a Conference of a and they expressed their views. RECOMMEND—That the Middlesex District Council should be invited to attend a Conference of a and they expressed their views. RECOMMEND—That the Middlesex District Council should be invited to attend a Conference of a and they expressed their views.

11.—WOODLAND WAY: plate at each end of the road. RECOMMEND—That the Council should provide the plates at each end of the road.

12.—NORTH CIRCULAR: near and Surveyor, land owned by the County Council. The County Council land owned by the County Council adopted in connection with the road. Report from the Surveyor in connection with the event of their acceptance of the terms of the agreement. 1. That the Council should purchase the property with a view to the improvement of the road. 2. That the Council should purchase the property with a view to the improvement of the road. 3. That on the purchase of the property that remains to be produced. After careful consideration of the report of the Surveyor, your Committee RECOMMEND—That the Council should purchase the property with a view to the improvement of the road.

13.—STREET TREES: Report from the Surveyor in connection with the trees in Powis Garden. He further reported that the Council should purchase the property with a view to the improvement of the road. After due consideration of the report of the Surveyor, your Committee RECOMMEND—That the Council should purchase the property with a view to the improvement of the road.

14.—ORANGE HILL: Lett lamp erected near Orange Hill and thus prevent motor traffic. After due consideration of the report of the Surveyor, your Committee RECOMMEND—That the Council should purchase the property with a view to the improvement of the road.

15.—EDGWARE ROAD AND: (A) The Surveyor reported that the Council should purchase the property with a view to the improvement of the road. lowering of the project. RECOMMEND—That the Council should purchase the property with a view to the improvement of the road. (B) Report from the Surveyor in connection with the Company to remove the lamp to another site. After due consideration of the report of the Surveyor, your Committee RECOMMEND—That the Council should purchase the property with a view to the improvement of the road.

16.—WIDENING BELL LANE: Lane, used as a sports ground, and also in regard to the widening of the lane. Your Committee have considered the report of the Surveyor in connection with the widening of the lane. RECOMMEND—That the Council should purchase the property with a view to the improvement of the road.

17.—REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor reported that the Council should purchase the property with a view to the improvement of the road. was duly approved.

9.—KINGSBURY ROAD IMPROVEMENT: That they gave consideration to a report from the Clerk as to the present position of the negotiations with the owner of the land at the junction of Edgware Road and Kingsbury Road, together with a report from the Surveyor in regard thereto.

After careful consideration of the report of the Surveyor, your Committee have deferred proceeding further in the matter for the present.

10.—ROADS CLASSIFICATION: Letter from the Hon. Secretary of the Middlesex District Councils Association in regard to the communication addressed to the various road authorities in Middlesex by the Middlesex County Council relative to the classification of roads.

The Council will remember that the County Council intimated in such communication that they considered it would be an advantage if all roads included in the Classification Scheme were made main roads, and making enquiry, in the event of the proposal being carried out, whether the District Council would hand over the maintenance and repair of such main roads in their area to the County Council, the County Council doing the maintenance and repair work themselves instead of it being carried out through the District Council.

The Council subsequently intimated to the County Council that they did not approve of the proposal.

The Middlesex District Councils' Association stated that they were of opinion that the matter should be deferred for the present, and that in the meantime the County Council should be requested to convene a Conference of all local and road authorities in the County with a view to explaining their proposals, and they expressed the hope that the Council would agree to the suggestion. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council adhere to their previous decision in the matter, and that the Middlesex District Councils' Association be informed accordingly.

11.—WOODLAND WAY: Letter from Mr. H. S. Whiteley requesting the Council to take steps to provide a name-plate at each end of Woodland Way, Mill Hill. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the request of Mr. Whiteley be acceded to, and that the Surveyor take steps to provide the name plates referred to.

12.—NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD: The Surveyor submitted a letter which he had received from the County Engineer and Surveyor, accompanied by a plan showing the lay-out of the North Circular Road, and, further, the land owned by the Council affected by the proposal.

The County Engineer made enquiry whether the Council would be prepared to give up the strip of land owned by them to enable the road to be constructed as proposed, and outlined the procedure to be adopted in connection with the construction of such road.

Report from the Surveyor suggesting the following conditions should be made by the Council in the event of their acceding to the proposal of the County Council:—

1. That the County Council erect an access bridge over the new cut to connect the Council's property where the same is ^{divided} defined by the cut.
2. That the County Council erect any fencing that may be required as a result of the severance of the Council's land.
3. That on completion of the work the boundaries of the land remaining with the Council, and that remaining with the Regent's Canal and Dock Company, be rectified as far as possible to produce a uniform and proper defining boundary.

After careful consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the plan submitted by the County Engineer be approved, and that the land in the Council's district required to enable the road to be constructed as proposed be surrendered, subject to the conditions contained in the Surveyor's report.

13.—STREET TREES: Report from the Surveyor as to applications he had received suggesting the planting of trees in Powis Gardens and Ashbourne Avenue, Golders Green.

He further reported as to the number of trees required in each road, and the approximate cost thereof. After due consideration of the report of the Surveyor in regard thereto, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the suggestion for the planting of trees in the roads named be acceded to, and that the Surveyor have the work executed in due course.

14.—ORANGE HILL: Letter from Mr. H. Kerman, making application for permission to affix a sign to the lamp erected near Orange Hill House, pointing out the existence of the cul-de-sac leading to his premises, and thus prevent motorists from entering the road in question, only to back out again.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the application of Mr. Kerman be acceded to, subject to him bearing the cost incurred in the provision of such sign, and to the position thereof being approved by the Surveyor, together with the words to be inserted thereon.

15.—EDGWARE ROAD AND STATION ROAD:

(A) The Surveyor submitted a letter received by him from the Hendon Labour Party relative to the lowering of the projecting step at the junction of Edgware Road and Station Road. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor approach the owner of the property in connection with the matter.

(B) Report from the Surveyor as to an application he had received from the Hendon Electric Supply Company to remove the existing transformer box at the junction of Station Road and Edgware Road to another site.

After due consideration of such report, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the proposal be agreed to.

16.—WIDENING BELL LANE: Report from the Surveyor as to his negotiations with the owners of land in Bell Lane, used as a sports ground, relative to certain widening work being carried out in the vicinity of such land, and also in regard to the erection of a fence.

Your Committee have left the matter in the hands of the Surveyor to negotiate further in regard thereto.

17.—REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor submitted a requisition of goods required in his department, and the same was duly approved.

S. H. Gaus
Chairman.

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- Batchelor, J.
- Beattie, J. H.
- Bells United A
- Berir, E. and
- Blyde, A. and
- Boots Cash C
- Buck and Ryan
- Builder, Ltd.
- Camberwell Re
- Carbonic Acid
- Cement Market
- Cherry, C.
- Cliffe Hill Gra
- Cloke, G. E.
- Colne Valley W
- Connolly, J. W
- Constable Hart
- Contract Journa
- Cornwall, E. A.
- Crisp and Hoda
- Croft Granite Br
- Croes and Bevan
- Crow, Catchpole
- Drydales Stores
- Durrant, A. H.

Minutes.

AT A MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 10th day of October, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
 " " T. F. Fenn,
 " " A. S. F. Ford,
 " " W. L. Glanville,
 " " R. Hare,
 " " C. W. Hill,
 Councillor The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan,
 Mr. Councillor T. Page,
 " " A. Roberts,
 " " A. J. Reynolds,
 " " A. B. Soar,
 " " J. H. Sturgess,
 " " W. Taylor,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " R. M. Weeks,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant),
 Dr. T. S. McIntosh (Medical Officer of Health).

MINUTES: The Minutes of the last Ordinary Meeting of the Council held on the 18th day of July, 1921, and of the Special Emergency Meeting held on the 22nd day of August, 1921, the Adjourned Emergency Meeting held on the 5th day of September, 1921, the Special Meetings held on the 12th day of September, the 19th day of September, the 26th day of September, and the 3rd day of October, 1921, were submitted for confirmation.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Minutes be confirmed.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE: The Finance Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 3rd inst. (Agenda page 135).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

The following is a list of the accounts for payment referred to on page 136 of the report of the Finance Committee:—

| | | £ | s. | d. |
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| Adams, T. | Kerb. etc. | 56 | 12 | 11 |
| Aldridge, J. | Envelopes | 5 | 18 | 6 |
| Angell, E. | Tuning Piano | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Anglo-American Oil Co. | Oil | 12 | 7 | 6 |
| Archer, W. and F. | Brooms | 7 | 16 | 0 |
| Ashby, W. C. | Tools | 5 | 3 | 6 |
| Atlas Stone Co., | Paving Slabs | 126 | 0 | 6 |
| Aveling and Porter, Ltd. | Gauge glasses | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Batchelor, J. and Son | Forage | 68 | 5 | 0 |
| Beattie, J. H. and Co., Ltd. | Coal | 80 | 0 | 2 |
| Bells United Asbestos Co. | Asbestos packing | 6 | 2 | 7 |
| Bevir, E. and Son | Legal expenses | 39 | 0 | 6 |
| Blyde, A. and Co. | Tyres | 5 | 2 | 0 |
| Boots Cash Chemists | Potassium cyanide | 3 | 9 | |
| Buck and Ryan | Tools | 1 | 13 | 10 |
| Builder, Ltd. | Advertisements | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Camberwell Research Laboratories | Sputum tests | 3 | 11 | 6 |
| Carbonic Acid Gas Co. | Refilling cylinders | 13 | 6 | |
| Cement Marketing Co., Ltd. | Cement | 44 | 12 | 0 |
| Cherry, C. | Hired team labour | 234 | 18 | 5 |
| Cliffe Hill Granite Co. | Granite | 559 | 13 | 4 |
| Cloke, G. E. | Sleepers | 30 | 0 | 0 |
| Colne Valley Water Co. | Water | 11 | 5 | 6 |
| Connolly, J. W. and T. | Cart fittings | 19 | 16 | 2 |
| Constable Hart and Co. | Tarpaving | 128 | 9 | 3 |
| Contract Journal Co., Ltd. | Advertisements | 2 | 9 | 2 |
| Cornwall, E. A. | Coal slack | 3 | 7 | 6 |
| Crisp and Hodgson | Sundries | 6 | 6 | 11 |
| Croft Granite Brick and Concrete Co. | Granite | 494 | 5 | 3 |
| Cross and Bevan | Milk sample | 10 | 6 | |
| Crow, Catchpole and Co., Ltd. | Tar | 898 | 10 | 8 |
| Drysdale Stores | Domestic sundries | 4 | 17 | 2 |
| Durrant, A. H. | Greengroceries | 7 | 17 | 11 |

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| Edwards, P. and A. | Repairs to plant | 4 5 0 |
| Etherington, E. | Towels, etc. | 8 11 7 |
| Farmiloe, T. and W. | Paint, etc. | 28 6 9 |
| Farrow, H. | Clinker | 9 11 3 |
| Fenwick, W. S. | Consultation fee | 5 5 0 |
| Frost, C. H. | Timber | 9 4 3 |
| Gas Light and Coke Co. | Gas supply and repairs | 109 15 6 |
| Garrould, E. and R. | Dress materials | 10 10 3 |
| Gibb, J. and Co., Ltd. | Castings | 292 13 6 |
| Goddard, Walker and Brown, Ltd. | Stationery | 15 14 0 |
| Gosling, C. and Son | Dust baskets | 4 16 0 |
| Hadden Best and Co. | Minute book | 1 15 0 |
| Halden, J. and Co., Ltd. | Telescope repairs | 1 10 0 |
| Hammond, G. F. | Rubber stamps | 1 7 0 |
| Hardyment, A. F. | Knife machine | 2 2 0 |
| Harrison and Sons, Ltd. | Stationery | 18 16 9 |
| Harrison Press, Ltd. | Printing and stationery | 113 15 11 |
| Hartley Memorial Hall | Hire of room | 1 0 0 |
| Hatch, G., Ltd. | Twist drills | 1 5 5 |
| Hendon Electric Supply Co. | Electricity | 22 6 8 |
| Hill, B. | Fish | 12 18 6 |
| H.M. Stationery Office | Publications | 7 2 0 |
| Hodge, F., Ltd. | Drain pipes, etc. | 21 2 6 |
| Hospitals Contracts Co. | Medical appliances | 2 5 0 |
| Howard, J. and F., Ltd. | Shares | 1 9 8 |
| Hunt, Mrs. O. A. | Uniform allowance | 3 15 0 |
| Hatton and Collier | Dust sheets | 10 13 0 |
| Improved Wood Pavement Co. | Wood blocks | 96 5 0 |
| Jeyes Sanitary Compounds, Ltd. | Disinfectants | 10 10 0 |
| Justices of Gore Division, per Accountant's Account | Costs | 24 12 6 |
| Kent County Fencing Co. | Inter-pests | 2 7 3 |
| Knight, C. and Co., Ltd. | Stationery | 19 9 8 |
| Lamberton, A. S. | Boot repairs | 1 7 6 |
| Lavender, N. | Meat | 33 16 10 |
| Lea, A. | Bread | 10 8 0 |
| Legal and General Assurance Society | Premium | 1 2 6 |
| Linden, A. L. | Professional fees | 5 9 6 |
| Line, J. and Sons, Ltd. | Petrifying liquid | 5 6 |
| London Telephone Service | Telephone charges | 12 14 7 |
| Lyle Trading and Manufacturing Co. | Cabinet | 4 10 0 |
| Marshall, W. and Son, Ltd. | Cart shafts | 5 11 6 |
| Matthews, A. | Smith's work | 12 0 |
| Mears, J. | Loan | 129 10 0 |
| Merritt and Hatcher, Ltd. | Binding vouchers | 9 3 0 |
| Merryweather and Sons, Ltd. | Hose, etc. | 7 1 4 |
| Metropolitan Water Board, per Accountant's Account | Water supply | 21 0 3 |
| Metropolitan Water Board | Water supply | 56 16 6 |
| Midland Railway Company | Carriage, etc. | 8 7 6 |
| Ministry of Health | Enquiry expenses | 3 6 |
| Motor Rubber Co. | Thigh boots | 1 15 0 |
| Mountsorrel Granite Co. | Granite | 590 4 11 |
| National Boiler Insurance Co. | Premium | 4 8 0 |
| National League for Health Maternity and Child Welfare | Weight cards | 16 2 |
| North London Ballast and Sand Co., Ltd. | Shingle, etc. | 55 4 3 |
| North Middlesex Gas Co. | Supply and repairs | 972 0 5 |
| Odell, C., Ltd. | Printing | 13 7 6 |
| O'Brien, T. and Co. | Coppers | 11 3 0 |
| Oliver Typewriter Co. | Ribbons | 1 11 10 |
| Page, C. H. | Domestic sundries | 15 4 |
| Palmer Tyre, Ltd. | Tyre repairs | 18 0 |
| Parvin, F., Ltd. | Cement, etc. | 12 1 6 |
| Pettifer, H. | Wire netting | 3 6 8 |
| Ramsbotham, G. | Plumbing | 10 9 |
| Rayward Bros. | Copying cloths | 16 0 |
| Read Manufacturing Co. | Stationery | 6 5 0 |
| Rogers, E. J. | Cycle fittings | 1 10 10 |
| Rowland Bros. | Barrows | 16 10 0 |
| Rowley, T., junr. | Steam roller hire | 45 12 0 |
| Sampson, T. | Tools | 6 18 11 |
| Sanderson and Clayton, Ltd. | Register of Diseases | 12 6 |
| Sankey, J. H. and Co., Ltd. | Cement and lime | 25 4 6 |
| Sanitas Co., Ltd. | Disinfectants | 54 0 6 |
| Sawford, R. | Car hire | 17 12 0 |
| Sayers, S. P. | Medical requisites | 4 19 10 |
| Scientific Press, Ltd. | Advertisements | 16 0 |
| Shaw and Sons, Ltd. | Stationery | 41 6 2 |
| Spence, P. and Sons, Ltd. | Aluminiferous | 86 3 0 |
| Shell Mex, Ltd. | Kerosene | 6 0 0 |
| Shields, J. G. | Gravel | 41 6 3 |
| Shutler, F. A. | Motor fittings | 11 19 7 |
| Smith Premier Typewriter Co., Ltd. | Typewriter pad | 5 0 |
| Stanley, W. F. and Co., Ltd. | Inks | 15 7 |
| Stephens and Carter | Dust ladders | 10 4 0 |
| Stillman, H. | Hired team labour | 227 6 9 |
| Stone, G. | Window cleaning | 4 0 0 |
| Straker Squire, Ltd. | Spanners | 1 4 0 |

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 Waitrose, Ltd. ...
 Warden and Co., ...
 Waverley Oils, Ltd. ...
 West Hendon Day Nursery ...
 Westminster Fire Office ...
 Widdowson, T. H. ...
 Willcox, W. H. and Co., Ltd. ...
 Williamson, A. ...
 Young and Martin ...
 Glaxo ...
 Hodgkinson, Prestons and King ...
 Mono Service Containers, Ltd. ...
 Virol, Ltd. ...
 West Surrey Central Dairy Co. ...
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 Bascom, Mrs. E., per Accountant's Account ...
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 Hunt, Mrs. O. A. ...
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 Express Dairy Co., Ltd. ...
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Gullies ...
 Account book ... 42 17 0
 Coke ... 5 0 0
 Repairing disinfector ... 94 18 4
 Brooms ... 6 5 0
 Sacks, etc. ... 15 3 0
 Insurance premiums ... 5 11 4
 Swab tests ... 37 6 9
 Typewriter repairs ... 6 5 6
 Groceries ... 17 6
 Printing ... 53 1 8
 Engine oil ... 101 9 3
 Grant ... 6 9 8
 Premiums ... 75 0 0
 Stationery ... 5 6 9
 Gauge glasses ... 18 4
 Drug pads ... 5 12 6
 Barbed wire, etc. ... 2 2 0
 Glaxo ... 5 14 6
 Drugs, etc. ... 45 0 0
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 Virol ... 3 7 2
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 Petty cash ... 4072 19 4
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 Petty cash ... 15 9 0
 Allotments compensation ... 121 16 0
 Hoarding deposit refund ... 2 2 0
 Refund of Private Works ...
 Deposits 27 9 10
 Rate refunds ... 4 7 4
 Ambulance drivers' overtime ... 5 12 6
 Loan repayment ... 1557 16 9
 Loan repayment ... 367 16 11
 Loan repayment ... 894 16 7
 Loan repayment ... 341 15 2
 Loan repayment ... 106 4 11
 Loan repayment ... 11 9 6
 Milk ... 2 16 3
 Milk ... 111 19 10
 Fire alarm rental ... 270 18 0
 Legal expenses ... 141 18 4

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS—

Evans, W. ...
 Hendon Electric Supply Co. ...
 Knowles, J. and W. (London), Ltd. ...
 Ramsbotham, G. ...
 Rutterford, M. ...
 Sankey, J. H. and Co., Ltd. ...
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 Hired team labour ... 3 18 0
 Repairs ... 1 8 1
 Cement ... 4 17 6
 Fixing hydrants ... 12 12 10
 Hired team labour ... 3 18 0
 Cement ... 9 5
 Gravel ... 47 12 0
 Hired team labour ... 105 3 6
 On account Contract—
 Highfield Avenue, etc. ... 1784 8 7
 On account Contract—
 Edgware Road construction 1407 0 0
 On account Contract—
 Brent Hill Housing ... 536 0 0
 On account Contract—
 Temple Fortune sewer ... 2566 0 0
 Legal expenses, etc., re Bittacy View 303 13 3
 £21,821 1 0

BRENT FARM ROADS AND SEWERS: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 19 of the report of the Committee relative to the retention money in connection with the contract for the construction of the roads and sewers on the Brent Hill Farm Housing Site.

Mr. Councillor Cartwright moved:—
 "That the matter be referred back to the Committee for further consideration."
 Mr. Councillor Hill seconded the motion.
 Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 8, viz.: Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Mrs. Hargraves, Cartwright, Ford, Hill, Reynolds, Taylor, and the Rev. Dr. Macgowan; and against the motion 6, viz.: Councillors Miss Hodge, Fenn, Roberts, Soar, Teare, and Weeks.
 The Chairman declared the motion to be carried.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

GENERAL DISTRICT RATE: In accordance with the decision at the Special Meeting of the Council on Monday last, a General District Rate of 1s. 7d. in the £ to meet the expenses of the Council for the half-year ending 31st March, 1922, was submitted for sealing.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed thereto.

REPORT OF WORKS AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL COMMITTEE: The Works and Sewage Disposal Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 19th ulto. (Agenda page 139).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Councillor Mrs. Bannister,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

REFUSE SHOOT—WARNER ROAD: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 3 of the report of the Committee in regard to certain complaints received from residents in Dallas Road relative to the burning of refuse at Warner Road.

Mr. Councillor Wise moved:—

“That the complainants be informed that on the grounds of economy the Council are unable at the present time, to dispose of the house refuse of the district by any other method than that now employed.”

Councillor Miss Hodge seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 8, viz.: Councillors Wise, Miss Hodge, Mrs. Bannister, Fenn, Glanville, Hill, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, and Taylor; and against it 9, viz.: Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Growse, Cartwright, Ford, Reynolds, Roberts, Soar, Teare, and Weeks.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

OPEN AIR SWIMMING BATH: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 6 (b) of the report of the Committee relative to the scheme for the provision of an open air swimming bath on land at The Hyde. Mr. Councillor Cartwright moved:—

“That the matter be referred back to the Committee for further consideration.”

Mr. Councillor Ford seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting, there voted in favour thereof, 2, viz., Councillors Cartwright and Ford; and against the motion, 15, viz., Councillors Miss Growse, Miss Hodge, Mrs. Bannister, Mrs. Hargraves, Fenn, Glanville, Hill, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Reynolds, Roberts, Soar, Taylor, Teare, Weeks and Wise.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

Councillor the Rev. Dr. Macgowan thereupon moved:—

“That the question of administration and cost of maintenance of the proposed swimming bath be considered at the next meeting of the Works Committee.”

Mr. Councillor Taylor seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting, there voted in favour thereof, 3, viz., Councillors The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Taylor and Cartwright; and against the motion, 10, viz., Councillors Miss Hodge, Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Fenn, Glanville, Hill, Roberts, Reynolds, Teare and Weeks.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

TRAMWAY TRAFFIC—GOLDERS GREEN: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 13 of the report of the Committee, relative to the proposal of the Metropolitan Electric Tramways Ltd. to construct a siding in the vicinity of the Golders Green Tube Station for the loading and unloading of Cars travelling between Finchley and Cricklêwood. Mr. Councillor Hill moved:—

“That the proposal be referred back to the Committee for further consideration.”

Councillor The Rev. Dr. Macgowan seconded the motion (*pro forma*).

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof, 2, viz., Councillors Hill and Glanville; and against the motion, 13, viz., Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Mrs. Bannister, Miss Hodge, Fenn, Ford, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Page, Reynolds, Roberts, Soar, Taylor, Teare, and Weeks.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE: The Public Health Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 19th ulto. (Agenda page 142).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Wise,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF TOWN PLANNING COMMITTEE: The Town Planning Committee submitted a report of a meeting held on the 26th ulto. (Agenda page 144).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Weeks,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Fenn,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HOUSING COMMITTEE: The Housing Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 26th ulto. (Agenda page 147).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF STAFF COMMITTEE: The Staff Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 3rd inst. (Agenda page 148).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF FIRE BRIGADE COMMITTEE: The Fire Brigade Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 26th ulto. (Agenda page 149).

Upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Mr. Councillor Fenn,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Mr. Councillor Fenn,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE: The General Purposes Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 3rd inst. (Agenda page 151).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

SUPERANNUATION: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 14 (a) of the report of the Committee in regard to the resolution forwarded by the Southall-Norwood Urban District Council upon the subject of Superannuation for their employees. Mr. Councillor Ford moved:—

“That the matter be referred back to the Committee for further consideration.”

Mr. Councillor Cartwright seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting, there voted in favour thereof, 2, viz: Councillors Ford and Cartwright; and against the motion, 13, viz: Councillors Miss Growse, Miss Hodge, Mrs. Bannister, Hill, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Page, Reynolds, Roberts, Sturgess, Taylor, Teare, Weeks and Wise.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

KEN WOOD—PROPOSED ACQUISITION: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 15 of the report of the Committee, relative to the proposal for the Council to contribute a sum of £1,000 to the fund for the acquisition of Ken Wood as an open space. Mr. Councillor Ford moved:—

“That the matter be referred back to the Committee for further consideration.”

Mr. Councillor Reynolds seconded the motion.

Upon the same being put to the meeting, there voted in favour thereof, 10, viz: Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Ford, Hare, Reynolds, Page, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Roberts, Soar, Teare and Weeks; and against the motion 8, viz: Councillors Miss Growse, Miss Hodge, Mrs. Bannister, Glanville, Hill, Sturgess, Taylor and Wise.

The Chairman declared the motion to be carried.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE: The Highways Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 3rd inst. (Agenda page 153).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 12 of the report of the Committee, relative to the conditions suggested by the Surveyor in connection with the giving up of land, owned by the Council, in connection with the construction of the North Circular Road.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the following condition be added to the report of the Committee.

“That the land be surrendered subject to the sanction of the Ministry of Health to the appropriation of the land for the purpose named.”

KINGSBURY ROAD IMPROVEMENT: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 9 of the report of the Committee in regard to the land at the junction of Edgware Road and Kingsbury Road. Mr. Councillor Soar moved:—

“That the decision of the Committee be amended to read, ‘After careful consideration of the report of the Surveyor, your Committee have deferred proceeding further in the matter for a period of three months.’”

Mr. Councillor Hare seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting, the Chairman declared the same to be carried.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF REQUISITIONS COMMITTEE: The Requisitions Committee submitted the following report of a meeting held this evening:—

Report of Requisitions Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, this evening. Present: Mr. Councillor Egan (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Cartwright, Ford, Hill, Roberts and Teare.

REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor and Chief Officer of the Fire Brigade submitted a requisition of goods required in their respective departments, and your committee

RECOMMEND—That the same be approved.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved, and adopted.

CORRESPONDENCE: The Clerk reported the receipt of certain letters as detailed in his report book, and upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be referred to the respective Committees for consideration in the usual way.

UNEMPLOYMENT: Letter from the Hon. Secretary of the West Hendon and Colindale Brotherhood transmitting the following resolution passed at a recent meeting of the Brotherhood relative to the question of providing work for the unemployed men of the district:—

“Whilst recognising the sympathetic consideration that the Council have shown to the unemployed of our district, this great meeting of the West Hendon Brotherhood urges upon them the necessity of providing immediate and more extended work for the unemployed.”

After due consideration of such resolution,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That a communication be addressed to the West Hendon and Colindale Brotherhood informing them of the work which the Council have in hand, and also the work contemplated in the near future with a view to assisting the unemployed of the district and further that the Brotherhood be informed that if they are able to suggest any other essential work which might be carried out the Council would be pleased to consider the same.

GAS REGULATION ACT, 1920: The Clerk reported the receipt of a letter from the Secretary of the North Middlesex Gas Company suggesting that a Conference should be held between representatives of the Company, and the Hendon and Finchley Councils, in connection with the Company's application to the Board of Trade under the Gas Regulation Act, 1920, with a view if possible of arriving at an amicable settlement.

A letter was also submitted from the Clerk to the Urban District Council of Finchley, from which it appeared that they were in favour of the holding of the proposed Conference. After due consideration of the matter,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Council concur in the matter, and that the Chairman of the Council, together with the Chairman of the General Purposes Committee, be appointed as representatives of the Council to attend such Conference.

DOCUMENTS FOR SEALING: The Clerk submitted the following documents for sealing by the Council:—

- Hinge Bros., Agreement as to dedication of land, Hall Lane (duplicate).
- Wilson, C., and another, Agreement as to dedication of land, Golders Green Road.
- Farrow, H., Contract for reconstruction works, Edgware Road.
- Williams, J. and Co., Contract for tiling work, Brent Hill Farm Housing Scheme.
- Ham Baker and Co., Ltd., Contract for supply of Sewage Distributors.
- Moss, W. and Sons Ltd., Contract for reconstruction of Temple Fortune Outfall Sewer.
- Moss, W. and Sons, Ltd., Contract for the completion of Sewage Disposal Works.
- Benham and Sons, Ltd., Contract for Heating Installation, Garden Suburb School.
- Browett and Jones, Contract for the provision of New Boiler, Hyde Council School.
- Walters, J. C., Mortgage for the sum of £1,500.
- Precept upon Overseers in connection with Elementary Education Expenses to 31st March, 1922. £17,000.
- Hertfordshire County Council, Agreement re Boundary Schools (in duplicate).
- 2 Petrol Licences and 1 Fire Certificate, as per Fire Brigade Committee Report (Agenda page 149).
- 2 Game Licences, as per General Purposes Committee Report (Agenda page 151).
- 5 Housing Bonds as per Register.

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Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Sturgess, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the documents in question.

POST OFFICE TELEGRAPHS: Report from the Surveyor as to applications he had received from the Postmaster General in connection with the provision of telegraphic lines in various parts of the district. After due consideration of such applications, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Councillor The Rev. Dr. Macgowan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be approved subject to the usual conditions.

COLINDEEP LANE SEWER: The Surveyor submitted a Certificate in favour of Messrs. Roads and Public Works, Limited in payment of the retention money due to the Company in connection with their contract for the construction of the Sewer in Colindeep Lane, such Certificate amounting to the sum of £56 11s. 2d.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Certificate be approved, and that a pay order be issued in favour of Messrs. Roads and Public Works, Limited for the amount named.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE MINUTES: The Minutes of the proceedings of the Hendon Education Committee at meetings held on the 28th June, and 19th July, 1921, having been circulated amongst the Members of the Council. Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Minutes be received.

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Minutes.

AT AN EMERGENCY MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon (in Committee), held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 17th day of October, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Mr. Councillor T. F. Fenn,
 " " A. S. F. Ford,
 " " W. L. Glanville,
 " " R. Hare,
 " " F. W. Hearn,
 " " C. W. Hill,
 Councillor The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan,
 " " T. Page,
 " " A. Roberts,
 " " A. J. Reynolds,
 " " A. B. Soar,
 " " J. H. Sturgess,
 " " W. Taylor,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " R. M. Weeks,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor).

BRITISH EMPIRE EXHIBITION (1923): The Chairman reported the receipt of a communication from the General Manager of the British Empire Exhibition (1923) making enquiry whether the Council would co-operate with them in the formation of a local Committee in connection with the appeal of H.R.H. the Prince of Wales relative to the Guarantee Fund required for the organisation and carrying on of the proposed Exhibition. It was suggested that the Council should invite the co-operation of the leading manufacturers of the district, and invite them to a meeting at an early date to discuss the matter.

After due consideration of such communication, Mr. Councillor Reynolds moved:—"That the promoters of the Exhibition be informed that the Council regret their inability to assist them in the direction named."

Mr. Councillor Page seconded the motion.

Mr. Councillor Ford moved as an amendment:—

"That the Chairman convene a meeting at the Town Hall of the leading manufacturers in the district with a view to the formation of a Guarantee Fund if found practicable."

Councillor Miss Hodge seconded the amendment.

Upon the amendment being submitted to the meeting, the Chairman declared the same to be carried.

The amendment was then put as the substantive motion and declared to be carried.

HOUSING (ADDITIONAL POWERS) ACT, 1919: The Surveyor submitted a letter from Mr. E. Streather making enquiry whether the Council would grant him Certificate "B" forthwith in respect of houses erected by him in The Vale in view of the heavy financial commitments in respect of building development generally.

After due consideration of the circumstances of the case,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Certificate in question be granted to Mr. Streather provided that similar concessions are shown to all applicants for Certificates "B."

S. H. Egan
 Chairman.

AT AN EMERGENCY MEETING
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Minutes.

AT AN EMERGENCY MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 24th day of October, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
 " " A. S. F. Ford,
 " " T. F. Fenn,
 " " W. L. Glanville,
 " " F. W. Hearn,
 " " R. Hare,
 " " A. Roberts,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " R. M. Weeks,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant),

PAY ORDER: The Accountant presented a Pay Order amounting to the sum of £1,207 10s. 9d. in respect of urgent payments.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Fenn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Pay Order be approved, and cheques drawn for the amounts named therein.

BRITISH EMPIRE EXHIBITION (1923): The Chairman reported that in accordance with the decision at the Emergency Meeting of the Council held on Monday last, he had convened a meeting of the principal Manufacturers in the district relative to the proposal for a guarantee in connection with the proposed Exhibition. He attended at the Town Hall for the proposed meeting accordingly, but unfortunately none of the persons invited to the meeting had put in an appearance.

A communication was, however, received from Messrs. Everett, Edgcombe and Co., Ltd., intimating that they had already been approached by the promoters of the Exhibition, and had agreed to become guarantors in connection with the proposal.

Report from the Clerk that in view of the contents of the communication from Messrs. Everett Edgcombe and Co., Ltd., it appeared highly probable that other firms in the district had been approached direct from Headquarters, he had informed the promoters of the Exhibition of the steps taken in the matter and the result thereof.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Clerk's action be approved.

GAS REGULATION ACT, 1920: A report was submitted in regard to the recent Conference held between representatives of the Council and the North Middlesex Gas Company, with the object of arriving at an amicable settlement in connection with the Company's application to the Board of Trade under the Gas Regulation Act, 1920.

It appeared that a definite agreement had been arrived at at the Conference with the Company, they undertaking not to increase the present price of Gas unless abnormal conditions arose, and reducing their application to the Board of Trade to 1s. 4d. per therm. The Company also gave an assurance that the price of gas to consumers would be reduced by 3d. per 1,000 feet at an early date.

The Clerk intimated that he had just received a telegram from the Secretary of the Company confirming the decision arrived at, and that a letter embodying the same was in the course of transit.

After due consideration of the matter, Mr. Councillor Ford moved:—

"That a communication be addressed to the North Middlesex Gas Company intimating that the Council agreed with their proposal, and that the best thanks of the Council be tendered to the Deputation (Councillors Egan and Hill) for their successful efforts in the matter."

Mr. Councillor Hearn seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting the Chairman declared the same to be carried unanimously.

S. H. Egan
 Chairman.

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3rd November, 1921.

DEAR SIR, OR MADAM,

I beg to inform you that a Meeting of the Urban District Council of Hendon will be held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday next, the 7th day of November, 1921, at 6.15 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of transacting the following business, namely—

Agenda :

1. To confirm Minutes of previous Meetings.
2. Questions.
3. Report of Finance Committee.
4. Report of Works and Sewage Disposal Committee.
5. Reports of Public Health Committee.
6. Report of Town Planning Committee
7. Report of Housing Committee.
8. Report of Fire Brigade Committee.
9. Report of General Purposes Committee
10. Report of Highways Committee
11. Report of Requisitions Committee.
12. Report of Clerk.
13. Report of Surveyor.
14. Education Committee (Minutes).

I am, Dear Sir or Madam,

Yours faithfully,

HENRY HUMPHRIS,

Clerk to the Council.

Pensions Committee, at 6 p.m.

The Requisitions Committee, consisting of the Chairmen of the Standing Committees, to follow.

Report of Finance Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 31st day of October, 1921. Present: Councillor Cartwright (Chairman), Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Hodge, Hearn, Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Roberts, Sturgess, Teare, and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, ETC.: Your Committee have examined the Treasurer's Pass Book and Cash Books, and report that the total receipts from all sources since the last meeting amounted to the sum of £3,338 17s. 4d., making a total of £97,984 15s. 2d. for the current financial year.

INCOME.

| Description. | Amounts previously Reported. | | Amounts now Reported. | | Total. |
|---|------------------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|------------|
| | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | |
| Rateable Accounts— | | | | | |
| Hendon Recreation Ground ... | 158 | 11 9 | 4 | 7 1 | 162 18 10 |
| Sewage Farm and Stables, Rents, etc. | 293 | 7 6 | 29 | 2 6 | 322 10 0 |
| Stables—Sale of Horses ... | 20 | 0 0 | | | 20 0 0 |
| Sanitary Department, Disinfecting, etc. | 3 | 16 6 | 10 | 6 | 4 7 0 |
| Burroughs House, Rent, etc.... | 30 | 4 0 | 2 | 10 0 | 32 14 0 |
| Maternity Centres and Midwifery ... | 509 | 8 3 | 105 | 3 5 | 614 11 8 |
| Isolation Hospital—Charges recovered | | | 25 | 16 0 | 25 16 0 |
| Refuse Collection and Dust Shoot Permits ... | 95 | 0 0 | 1 | 2 6 | 96 2 6 |
| Fire Brigade, expenses, etc., recovered | 108 | 8 7 | 10 | 12 9 | 119 1 4 |
| Motor Ambulance, fees, etc. ... | 69 | 6 0 | 9 | 18 6 | 79 4 6 |
| Highways and Main Roads ... | 374 | 12 4 | 2 | 14 0 | 377 6 4 |
| Street Lighting, damages recovered | 1 | 6 9 | | | 1 6 9 |
| Lyons and Harvists Trust Fund ... | 365 | 18 8 | | | 365 18 8 |
| Salaries Account, fees, etc. ... | 221 | 1 6 | 76 | 18 4 | 297 19 10 |
| Public Offices, lettings, etc. ... | 143 | 12 10 | 17 | 12 10 | 161 5 8 |
| Establishment and Legal Expenses | 165 | 7 8 | 12 | 17 7 | 178 5 3 |
| Building Certificates ... | 60 | 18 0 | 22 | 1 0 | 82 19 0 |
| Interest and Dividends ... | 1548 | 1 1 | 691 | 8 11 | 2239 10 0 |
| Workmen's compensation ... | 22 | 3 4 | | | 22 3 4 |
| General District Rates and Costs | 42904 | 19 1 | 1527 | 8 9 | 44432 7 10 |
| Government Contribution in lieu of Rates ... | 336 | 7 6 | | | 336 7 6 |
| | £47432 | 11 4 | 2540 | 4 8 | 49972 16 0 |
| Suspense Accounts— | | | | | |
| National Kitchens ... | 58 | 1 0 | | | 58 1 0 |
| Allotments ... | 167 | 5 0 | 44 | 18 9 | 212 3 9 |
| Lands Cultivation Orders ... | 14 | 16 4 | 118 | 9 0 | 133 5 4 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 1, Rents ... | 748 | 15 3 | 117 | 9 2 | 866 4 5 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 2, Rents ... | 426 | 7 1 | 100 | 17 8 | 527 4 9 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 2, Key Deposits ... | 6 | 10 0 | | | 6 10 0 |
| Emergency Food Control—repayment of advance ... | 250 | 0 0 | | | 250 0 0 |
| Private Works ... | 1108 | 10 9 | 142 | 10 2 | 1251 0 11 |
| Tender Deposits ... | 293 | 15 0 | 10 | 10 0 | 304 5 0 |
| Wages—Unemployment Fund | 532 | 14 2 | | | 532 14 2 |
| Hendon Overseers ... | 1036 | 19 5 | | | 1036 19 5 |
| Private Improvements ... | 1048 | 12 1 | 85 | 18 5 | 1134 10 6 |
| Land, West Hendon, rent ... | 3 | 0 0 | | | 3 0 0 |
| Brent Hill Housing, rents ... | 490 | 3 5 | 157 | 19 6 | 648 2 11 |
| Ditto, ditto, key deposits ... | 9 | 0 0 | | | 9 0 0 |
| Coal Reserve Stock—Sales ... | 83 | 17 0 | | | 83 17 0 |
| | £6278 | 6 6 | 778 | 12 8 | 7056 19 2 |
| Capital Accounts— | | | | | |
| Loans—General ... | 32035 | 0 0 | | | 32035 0 0 |
| Loans—Housing ... | 7100 | 0 0 | | | 7100 0 0 |
| Housing Bonds ... | 1800 | 0 0 | 20 | 0 0 | 1820 0 0 |
| | £40935 | 0 0 | 20 | 0 0 | 40955 0 0 |
| SUMMARY OF INCOME TO DATE. | | | | | |
| Rateable Accounts ... | 47432 | 11 4 | 2540 | 4 8 | 49972 16 0 |
| Suspense Accounts ... | 6278 | 6 6 | 778 | 12 8 | 7056 19 2 |
| Capital Accounts ... | 40935 | 0 0 | 20 | 0 0 | 40955 0 0 |
| | £94645 | 17 10 | 3338 | 17 4 | 97984 15 2 |

2.—RATE COLLECTION: They have also examined the Statement as to the rate collection, and find that there has been collected and paid to the Treasurer since the last meeting the sum of £1525 2s. 2d. on account of rates, and £2 6s. 7d. on account of costs.

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Balance in hand ... 1921

Receipts per Statement October, 1921

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Balance overdrawn ... 1921

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4.—ACCOUNTS FOR ... amounting to the ...

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5.—EXPENDITURE JOURNALS, and

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Accounts ... to date—

Approved Estimate.

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3.—STATEMENT OF BALANCES: They have also examined the Cash Book and Statement of Treasurer's Balances, which they found correct, and report that the total balance in hand amounted to £31,647 12s. 10d.

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BANK ACCOUNTS.

| | Revenue Account. | Sinking Fund. | Loans Account. | Housing Subsidised Account. | Total. |
|--|------------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------------------|------------|
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Balance in hand 28th September, 1921 | 11477 2 1 | 10 0 5 | | | |
| Receipts per Statement to 27th October, 1921 | 3265 13 10 | | | 52328 13 1 | 63815 15 7 |
| Transfers | 2910 2 4 | | 53 3 6 | 20 0 0 | 3338 17 4 |
| Balance overdrawn at 28th October, 1921 | | | | | 2910 2 4 |
| | | | 20236 6 4 | | 20236 6 4 |
| | £17652 18 3 | 10 0 5 | 20289 9 10 | 52348 13 1 | 90301 1 7 |

CREDITS—

| | Revenue Account. | Sinking Fund. | Loans Account. | Housing Subsidised Account. | Total. |
|---|------------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------------------|------------|
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Balance overdrawn at 28th September, 1921 | | | | | |
| Cheques per list to 24th October, 1921 | | | 12012 19 5 | | 12012 19 5 |
| Transfers | 16360 8 4 | | 6130 8 1 | 1003 4 3 | 23494 0 8 |
| Balance in hand | 1292 9 11 | 10 0 5 | 2146 2 4 | 764 0 0 | 2910 2 4 |
| | | | | 50581 8 10 | 51883 19 2 |
| | £17652 18 3 | 10 0 5 | 20289 9 10 | 52348 13 1 | 90301 1 7 |

4.—ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT: They have also considered the various accounts submitted for payment, amounting to the sum of £26,151 9s. 5d., and

RECOMMEND—That the same be passed and cheques drawn for the various amounts.

5.—EXPENDITURE JOURNALS, GENERAL AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS: That they have examined these Journals, and

RECOMMEND—That the Personal Accounts in the Ledger be credited, and the various Impersonal Accounts debited with the amounts of the Invoices, as per the following Statement showing outlay to date:—

EXPENDITURE.

| Approved Estimate. | Account Chargeable. | Payments previously Reported. | Amounts now Reported. | Total. |
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| | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |

RATEABLE ACCOUNTS—

| £ | Account Chargeable. | Payments previously Reported. | Amounts now Reported. | Total. |
|-------|--|-------------------------------|-----------------------|------------|
| | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 9906 | Main Roads | 911 15 7 | 1282 17 8 | 2194 13 3 |
| 4936 | Highways | 3824 14 7 | 984 19 1 | 4809 13 8 |
| 2547 | Tarpainting | 2491 16 1 | 37 16 8 | 2529 12 9 |
| 250 | Dust and Refuse Removal | 215 1 0 | 100 17 0 | 315 18 0 |
| 250 | Emptying Cesspools | 182 10 0 | | 182 10 0 |
| 670 | Mill Hill Dusting | 248 0 0 | 126 0 0 | 374 0 0 |
| 12280 | Public Lighting | 2731 19 8 | 1105 8 8 | 3837 8 4 |
| 115 | Sewers Maintenance etc. | 42 5 0 | 3 2 0 | 45 7 0 |
| 544 | Pumping Stations | 225 16 5 | 30 14 3 | 256 10 8 |
| 832 | Outfall Works | 415 1 5 | 212 2 10 | 627 4 3 |
| 440 | Sanitation, etc. | 208 13 1 | 27 7 10 | 236 0 11 |
| 1219 | Isolation Hospital | 549 6 10 | 113 18 10 | 663 5 8 |
| 1414 | Joint Smallpox Hospital | 555 4 11 | | 555 4 11 |
| 162 | Maternity Centres | 67 12 4 | 28 13 6 | 96 5 10 |
| 950 | Maternity Stock and Milk | 280 2 5 | 27 4 4 | 307 6 9 |
| 300 | Day Nursery Grants | 225 0 0 | | 225 0 0 |
| 55 | Mortuary | 8 2 8 | 8 8 7 | 16 11 3 |
| 1335 | Fire Brigade | 780 9 4 | 162 16 8 | 943 6 0 |
| 87 | Accident Ambulance | 34 7 9 | 5 7 0 | 39 14 9 |
| 668 | Pleasure Grounds, Street Trees, etc. | 151 18 4 | 110 10 4 | 262 8 8 |
| 974 | Town Hall | 309 19 9 | 223 13 1 | 533 12 10 |
| 170 | Burroughs House | 71 16 2 | 25 1 5 | 96 17 7 |
| 800 | Legal, etc., Expenses | 753 8 6 | 121 13 6 | 875 2 0 |
| 200 | Establishment Expenses | 70 8 11 | 71 10 7 | 141 19 6 |
| 1100 | Printing, Advertising, and Insurance | 829 17 4 | 66 14 11 | 896 12 3 |
| 194 | Election Expenses | 193 2 7 | | 193 2 7 |
| 18070 | Loan Charges | 7749 0 3 | 1042 11 10 | 8791 12 1 |
| 2100 | Subsidised Housing—Amount of Id. Rate | 2100 0 0 | | 2100 0 0 |
| 14097 | Salaries | 7278 11 3 | 1293 18 7 | 8572 9 10 |
| 27046 | Wages | 18862 8 9 | 2079 17 4 | 20942 6 1 |
| 3110 | Stables | 761 0 7 | 146 4 0 | 907 4 7 |
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| 45 | Public Depots | 23 7 1 | 8 18 2 | 32 5 3 |
| 1080 | Steam Wagons | 241 0 3 | 26 11 1 | 267 11 4 |
| 869 | Stationery Stock | 400 8 10 | 24 19 1 | 425 7 11 |
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| Lands Cultivation Orders | 162 16 10 | 1 15 10 | 164 12 8 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 1 | 229 4 11 | 150 11 10 | 379 16 9 |
| Ditto, Wages | 188 15 8 | | 188 15 8 |
| Overseers' Expenses | 214 6 2 | 34 5 9 | 248 11 11 |
| Food Control | 250 0 0 | | 250 0 0 |
| Kitchens | 41 6 6 | | 41 6 6 |
| Private Works | 141 15 7 | 278 0 5 | 419 16 0 |
| Ditto, Wages | 218 14 4 | | 218 14 4 |
| District Rate Refunds | 40 16 11 | 6 7 4 | 47 4 3 |
| Education | 5 3 11 | 10 | 5 4 9 |
| Stables Reserve, Horses | 200 0 0 | | 200 0 0 |
| Unemployed, Wages | 440 8 0 | | 440 8 0 |
| Subsidised Housing— <i>excess</i> of Id. Rate | 3477 8 3 | 294 6 5 | 3771 14 8 |
| Tender Deposits repaid | 387 15 0 | | 387 15 0 |
| Coal Reserve Stock | 12 0 0 | | 12 0 0 |
| North Circular Road | 9 16 4 | | 9 16 4 |
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| 33939 | Child's Hill Housing, No. 2 | 9507 7 5 | 316 18 8 | 9824 6 1 | |
| 211556 | Brent Hill Housing | 55574 2 9 | 7465 13 7 | 63039 16 4 | |
| | Ditto, Wages | 316 9 8 | | 316 9 8 | |
| 2533 | Bittacy Hill Housing | 2720 19 9 | | 2720 19 9 | |
| 35048 | Private Street Improvements | 19016 4 9 | 640 10 6 | 19656 15 3 | |
| 7100 | West Hendon Housing | 7185 2 6 | | 7185 2 6 | |
| | Ditto, Wages | 23 12 11 | | 23 12 11 | |
| 500 | Colindeep Lane Sewer | 259 0 7 | 56 11 2 | 315 11 9 | |
| 13735 | Kingsbury Lane Land (Pleasure Grounds) | 14316 8 4 | | 14316 8 4 | |
| 1800 | Kingsbury Lane Land (Allotments) | 1665 0 0 | | 1665 0 0 | |
| 86000 | Edgware Road Reconstruction | 1418 18 4 | 3201 0 0 | 4619 18 4 | |
| 13296 | Outfall Works Extension | 22 4 7 | 2651 0 0 | 2673 4 7 | |
| 3715 | Park Road Widening | 129 2 7 | 4 15 4 | 133 17 11 | |
| | Ditto, Wages | 116 9 1 | | 116 9 1 | |
| 6000 | Temple Fortune Sewer | 2579 5 2 | 1507 0 0 | 4086 5 2 | |
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| 1970 | Woodstock Avenue, New Road | 369 11 8 | 303 8 9 | 673 0 5 | |
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| 1325 | Bittacy Hill Land (Pleasure Ground) | 1383 13 3 | | 1383 13 3 | |
| 742 | Ditto (Allotments) | 774 17 1 | | 774 17 1 | |
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6.—ASHLEY LANE SITE: Your Committee have decided to defer the consideration of this matter to their next meeting, when they hope to be in a position to submit a report thereon.

7.—PRIVATE IMPROVEMENTS:

(a) Letter from Mr. J. H. Merrett in reference to the amount apportioned in respect of his premises in Highfield Avenue, and making enquiry whether the Council would make some allowance in respect of such road charges.

Your Committee are informed that it has been pointed out to Mr. Merrett that the amount apportioned is in accordance with the frontage of each of the houses in the road, and they are unable to recommend the Council to make any variation in the amount of such apportionment.

(b) Letter from the Ministry of Health intimating that a Local Inquiry would be held in regard to the application of the Council for sanction to borrow the sum of £19,370 for the making up of certain private roads.

Your Committee are informed that since the receipt of the communication referred to, the notice of Inquiry has been received, and the same will take place on the 10th instant.

8.—AUDIT: Report from the Clerk as to the receipt of notice of Audit of the Accounts of the Council for the year ended 31st March, 1921, to commence on the 1st November.

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9.—LOANS: Letter from the Ministry of Health in reference to a previous communication from the Ministry, intimating that 50 per cent. of the gross sales on National Savings Certificates would be available for loans to local authorities for housing purposes. As from the 1st October, 1921, it had been decided that half of the money raised by the sale of savings certificates would be available for loans to local authorities for any purpose for which the Public Works Loan Commissioners have power to lend money. In most instances the rate of interest would be 6 per cent. per annum.

Your Committee are informed that statistics are furnished from month to month as to the certificates purchased by residents in the District.

In connection with this matter, an application was received from the representative of the National Savings Committee to attend the Committee with a view to indicating the lines upon which the Committee might render assistance in increasing the sales of National Savings Certificates in the District.

Your Committee cannot see their way to take any action in this direction at the present time. They

RECOMMEND, however, that the Council avail themselves of the facilities indicated in the communication from the Ministry of Health, and that the 50 per cent. of the Funds subscribed by Hendon be taken up by the Council as and when required.

10.—BRENT HILL FARM: Letter from Messrs. J. Baker, Cooke and Standen transmitting account of charges in connection with Mr. Smith's claim, amounting to £102 13s.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That subject to the approval of the Ministry of Health to the amount being included as a charge on the Housing Scheme, such amount be paid.

11.—PUBLIC WORKS CONCILIATION BOARD: Report from the Accountant as to a communication from the Public Works Conciliation Board applying for the Council's contribution of £2 2s. towards the expenses of the Board.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the same be paid.

12.—NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD:

(a) Report from the Accountant that a sum of £1,000 had been received from the Middlesex County Council being an advance on account of wages in connection with the construction of the North Circular Road, upon which, your Committee are informed, work was commenced to-day.

Your Committee have duly noted this report.

(b) That they also gave consideration to a communication from the Ministry of Health as to the conditions in connection with securing a grant from the Unemployment Grants Committee for unemployment relief work.

Your Committee have no recommendation to make thereon at the present time.

13.—UNEMPLOYMENT WAGES: That they gave consideration to the question of the rates of wages paid to unemployed workmen who are engaged for a week at a time, and in view of the reduction in the general rates of wages for labouring work, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the rate of wages paid for unemployed labour be reduced from 1s. 6d. to 1s. 5d. per hour, such reduction to take effect as from Monday, the 14th November.

14.—BRENT FARM—ROADS AND SEWERS: That they gave further consideration to the recommendation which was referred back at the last meeting of the Council, in reference to the application from Mr. Farrow for the release of a portion of the retention money in connection with the construction of roads and sewers upon the Brent Farm Estate.

After careful reconsideration of this matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a sum of £500 be released from the amount held for retention monies, subject to the following conditions:—

- 1.—That such release of retention money in no way relieves Mr. Farrow from any of the liabilities under his contract for the maintenance of the whole of the works executed for the full period mentioned in the contract after the completion of the works.
- 2.—That Mr. Farrow agrees that no further roads or sewers shall be commenced, but that all work started shall be finished in accordance with the instructions given to him as soon as possible at the prices given in the contract, and as varied by the clause in the contract dealing with the regulation of prices.

Report of Works and Sewage Disposal Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 17th day of October, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Roberts (Chairman), Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Egan, Glanville, Hare, Hill, Reynolds, Soar, Sturgess and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—SUNNY COTTAGE, RENTERS LANE: That they gave consideration to the question of obtaining vacant possession of "Sunny Cottage," Renters Lane, in the occupation of Mr. E. Marks.

Your Committee referred the matter to the Engineer for enquiry as to Mrs. Seimus.

2.—PUBLIC CONVENIENCE—BRENT STREET:

- (A) The Clerk reported the receipt of letters which he had received from the Ministry of Health relative to the recent Public Inquiry held by one of the Inspectors of the Ministry in connection with the application of the Council for sanction to expend the loan granted for the erection of a Public Convenience at the junction of Bell Lane and Brent Street, on a Convenience erected above ground.

The Ministry forwarded for the observations of the Council a copy of a letter received from Mr. J. M. McGrath in connection with the proposal, from which it appeared that Mr. McGrath had intimated that the site was not the property of the Council.

Report from the Clerk that he had informed the Ministry that the management and direction of the enclosure vested in the Council under the terms of the Conveyance.

A further communication had subsequently been received from the Ministry requesting to be furnished with a copy of the Conveyance of the enclosure, and fuller details of the circumstances under which the same became vested in the Council.

The Clerk reported that he had accordingly transmitted to the Ministry a copy of the Conveyance referred to, and with regard to their further request for fuller details in connection with the matter, he had forwarded a copy of the statement which appeared in the Public Press at the time the site was transferred to the Council.

Your Committee approved the action taken by the Clerk in connection with the communications referred to.

In view of the fact that your Committee were informed that no further communication had been received from the Ministry upon the matter, they have decided to defer further action in connection therewith, pending such further communication.

- (B) Letter from Messrs. Harris, Chetham and Co. on behalf of the owners of certain property in Bell Lane, Hendon, opposing the erection of the Convenience as now proposed.

Your Committee have duly noted the communication from Messrs. Harris, Chetham and Co.

3.—HENDON PARK:

- (A) Letter from Miss E. M. Searle, on behalf of the Lady Workers at "Highfield," Golders Green Road, making enquiry whether the Council would grant them a pitch in the Hendon Park for the purpose of playing hockey. After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That enquiry be made of Miss Searle as to which day of the week the pitch would be required.

- (B) Letter from Mr. G. Malley suggesting the provision of further seats in the Hendon Park between the entrance to the Park in Renters Avenue and Shirehall Lane.

Your Committee have received a report from the Surveyor in connection with the matter, and

RECOMMEND—That arrangements be made for the provision of six seats in the Hendon Park in the position suggested by Mr. Malley, and that he be informed accordingly.

- (C) Letter from Mr. J. A. Collacott in further reference to his suggestion for the provision of additional apparatus in the Hendon Park in connection with certain physical training proposed to be given by him.

In accordance with the request of the Council, Mr. Collacott forwarded a list of apparatus which he considered necessary in connection with the matter.

After due consideration thereof your Committee are unable to recommend the Council to procure the whole of the apparatus referred to. They

RECOMMEND, however, that a further Horizontal and Parallel Bar be obtained for use at the Park, and that Mr. Collacott be informed of the action proposed to be taken in the matter.

- 4.—ELECTRIC CABLES: The Clerk reported the receipt of a draft lease, for approval by the Council, which had been received from the Solicitors for the owners of the Golders Green Park Estate, it being proposed to grant permission to the Hendon Electric Supply Company to lay an underground cable between Princes Park Avenue and Woodlands Crescent along the line of a sewer easement granted to the Council by the owners of the land in question.

Report from the Officers recommending that the existing easement granted to the Council should not be disturbed, and suggesting that the owners of the land should sanction the laying of the proposed cable outside the boundary of the easement referred to. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the suggestion of the Officers be approved, and that the Solicitors on behalf of the owners of the land be informed accordingly.

- 5.—SUNNY HILL FIELD: Letter from Mr. G. Dunlop suggesting that the Council should erect an unclimbable fencing round Sunny Hill Field, and intimating that he was of opinion that unless such steps were taken trespass would be committed on the adjoining land belonging to him. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Dunlop be informed that the matter will receive consideration when the purchase has been completed.

- 6.—PROPOSED RECREATION GROUND—COLINDALE AVENUE: The Surveyor submitted a report as to his negotiations with H.M. Office of Works relative to obtaining certain land in Colindale Avenue for the purpose of providing a Recreation Ground for children resident in the Colindale district.

After due consideration of such report, your Committee authorised the Surveyor to continue his negotiations, and submit a further report thereon in due course.

- 7.—TOWN HALL—HEATING APPARATUS, ETC.: Report from the Surveyor as to certain repairs necessary in connection with the apparatus utilised for heating the Town Hall previous to the apparatus being again put into operation, also as to certain works required to be executed in connection with the hot water supply system.

He submitted estimates which he had procured for the carrying out of the works referred to.

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RECOMMEND—That the estimate of Messrs. G. A. Akers and Co., amounting to the sum of £61 12s. 6d. be accepted.

With regard to the existing method of heating the Town Hall, your Committee instructed the Surveyor to submit a report in due course as to the possibility of improving the same.

Report from the Clerk that the Electrical Expert engaged by the Council to inspect the installation at the Town Hall in connection with the Councils application for the renewal of Music and Dancing Licence had reported that the insulation resistance to wiring in committee room was low, and this circuit should be tested out and receive attention.

Your Committee have referred the matter to the Engineer for attention.

8.—PUBLIC WORKS: Report from the Surveyor as to the progress made in connection with the re-construction of the Temple Fortune Outfall Sewer, the completion of the Sewage Disposal Works, and the re-construction works in the Edgware Road, from which it appeared that the whole of the works in question were proceeding satisfactorily.

With regard to the Edgware Road Works, the Surveyor reported the receipt of a notice from the Colne Valley Water Company of their intention to lay a water main on the east side of the road from Kingsbury Road to Hay Lane. He stated that he had urged the Company to proceed with the work forthwith, and thus avoid delay in the carrying out of the re-construction works in this section of the road.

Your Committee approved of the Surveyor's action.

The Surveyor also submitted a report as to the method adopted in connection with the clause in the Contract for the Edgware Road Works relative to the adjustment of contract prices in regard to the rise and fall of materials and labour.

Your Committee consider the same to be satisfactory.

9.—POST OFFICE TELEGRAPHS: Report from the Surveyor as to an application he had received from H.M. Postmaster General for approval of a scheme for an underground telegraphic line in West Heath Avenue. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the application be approved subject to the usual conditions imposed in connection with applications of this character being complied with.

10.—ALLOTMENTS—CHILD'S HILL: Letter from Mr. J. Fowler complaining on behalf of certain allotment holders at Child's Hill of alleged trespass on the allotments by members of football teams utilising a field in close proximity to the allotments in question. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Fowler be informed that the Council are making enquiry into the matter.

11.—ALLOTMENTS CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE:

(A) The undermentioned representatives of the various Allotment Associations in the district attended the meeting of your Committee, and the following matters relating to allotments were discussed:

Miss R. Van Raalte (Golders Green Association).
Mr. L. Gilbertson (Garden Suburb Association).
Mr. E. J. Rutland (Cricklewood Allotment Holders' Association).
Mr. A. Peck (Cool Oak Lane Allotment Association).
Mr. E. Warland (Booth Road Allotment Association).
Mr. C. F. Windust (Archfields Allotment Association).
Mr. A. Bacon (Mill Hill Association).

(B) GREENFIELD GARDENS ALLOTMENTS: The Clerk reported the receipt of several letters from Mr. E. J. Rutland, on behalf of his Association, relative to the tenure of the remaining allotments at Greenfield Gardens, and urging the Council to secure additional land in the vicinity for allotments; also upon the subject of compensation to allottees recently disturbed by the building developments at Greenfield Gardens.

The Clerk intimated that he had informed Mr. Rutland that the Council were giving the question of the provision of additional land for allotments their earnest consideration. With regard to the question of compensation, Mr. Streater (the builder) had agreed to pay reasonable compensation to the allottees disturbed by his building operations.

Your Committee have approved the Clerk's action.

(C) ALLOTMENTS—THE WOODLANDS: Letter from Mr. F. Bastable transmitting notice to terminate the agreement entered into by the Council in connection with the land utilised for allotment purposes at The Woodlands on the 25th December next.

Mr. Bastable intimated, however, that in the event of the Council desiring to remain in possession of the land, or part thereof, at the expiration of the notice referred to, it might be possible to arrange for permission to be afforded for this purpose.

In view of the increasing demand for allotments, your Committee being anxious that the allottees on the land in question should not be disturbed until absolutely necessary,

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk negotiate with Mr. Bastable upon the matter.

(D) HOSPITAL FIELD ALLOTMENTS: Letter from Mr. W. A. Perkins, on behalf of the Golders Green Allotment Association, forwarding the following items relative to the Hospital Field Allotments for consideration by the Committee:—

(1) FENCE: The Association suggested that a fence should be erected on each side of the footpath leading through the Hospital Field Allotments, with a view to preventing trespass on the allotments alleged to take place by persons making use of the footpath in question.

With regard to the question of trespass on these allotments, the Surveyor reported that a notice was already in existence at each end of the footpath referred to, warning persons against trespassing.

Your Committee have considered the question of the erection of the fence referred to by the Association, but having regard to the cost involved regret they are unable to recommend the Council to entertain the proposal. They

RECOMMEND—That the Association be informed accordingly.

- (2) HUT FOR STORAGE PURPOSES: A suggestion was also submitted by the Association for the erection by them of a hut on one of the plots at the Hospital Field for the storage of tools, seeds, etc., and they made enquiry whether the Council would offer any objection to such a proposal. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council offer no objection to the proposal, subject to an allotment, or part of an allotment, required for the purpose being available.

- (3) WATER SUPPLY: A further suggestion contained in the letter from the Association was that the flow of water on the Council's Sewage Works should be continued to run into the portion of the Hospital Field near the Isolation Hospital, with a view to a supply of water being available for the use of the allottees within easy access of the allotments.

After consideration of a report from the Surveyor upon the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Association be informed that such a scheme would not be practicable, and the Council cannot entertain the same.

- (E) CULTIVATION OF LANDS ORDERS: Consideration was given to the circular letter received from the Ministry of Agriculture in regard to the procedure to be adopted by Local Authorities relative to lands entered upon by them in connection with the Cultivation of Lands Orders, copies of such circular letter having been furnished to the Members of your Committee.

Report from the Clerk that certain of the items referred to in the letter had already been dealt with.

With regard to remaining in possession of land held under the Orders referred to, it appeared from the letter of the Ministry of Agriculture that they considered it would be sufficient if the Council notified the owners that they intended to remain in possession, under the Act of 1916, until the 25th March, 1923, but would be prepared to give up the land when actually required for building purposes.

The Council will remember that this practice is already in operation. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk communicate with the Owners of Land, held under the Lands Cultivation Orders, in accordance with the suggestion of the Ministry of Agriculture, and at the same time to express the hope that it might be possible, at the expiration of the period referred to, viz.: 25th March, 1923, to continue to utilize the land by agreement.

- (F) ALLOTMENTS—MILL HILL: The question of proceeding with the negotiations for the land offered on the Mylesdown Estate for the purpose of allotments, referred to the Allotments Consultative Committee, was brought forward. It was decided, however, to again defer consideration of the matter.

- (G) ALLOTMENTS—WEST VIEW:

- (1) Report from the Surveyor as to the receipt of a petition from the Central Hendon Allotment Association relative to the retention of certain huts erected by allottees on the West View Allotments, the Association expressing a wish that the same should be forwarded by the Council to the lessors of the land.

The Surveyor intimated that he had accordingly forwarded the petition to Messrs. Done, Hunter and Co., and as a result a reply had been received that the College Authorities were not prepared to allow the huts in question to be retained, in view of the provisions of the Agreement. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council inform the Central Hendon Allotment Association of the action taken in the matter, and the result thereof, and further that an expression of regret at the decision of the College Authorities be conveyed to the Association.

- (2) The Clerk reported the receipt of an account received from Messrs. Done, Hunter and Co., amounting to the sum of £3 3s. 0d., being their fee in connection with the lease of the West View Allotment land. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a cheque for the sum of £3 3s. 0d. be drawn in favour of Messrs. Done Hunter and Co. in payment of the fee referred to.

Report of Public Health Committee, No. 1.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 17th day of October, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Teare (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Miss Hodge, Mrs. Hargraves, Ford, Hearn, Page, Taylor, Weeks, and Rev. Dr. Macgowan.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—VITAL STATISTICS: Report from the Medical Officer of Health that for the past six weeks the birth rate was 14.39 per thousand, and the death rate 11.76.
- 2.—INFECTIOUS DISEASES: That they received a report from the Medical Officer of Health as to the incidence of infectious diseases in the district, and have duly noted the same.

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Your Committee have no recommendation to make upon the matter at the present time.

4.—TENTS, VANS AND SHEDS: The Medical Officer reported as to the desirability of framing bye-laws for dealing with dwellers in tents, vans and sheds.

Your Committee have deferred the consideration of this matter for the present.

5.—1 AND 2, HENDON PARK VILLAS: The Medical Officer of Health reported that this dwelling house was still occupied by Mr. Alfred Claydon and his family, and in accordance with the instructions of the Council, proceedings would be instituted against him for non-compliance with the notice served under the Housing and Town Planning Act, requiring him to cease to inhabit the premises.

Your Committee gave consideration to the question of the demolition of these premises, in respect of which a Closing Order was made by the Council, and also the premises known as No. 1, Hendon Park Villas.

Your Committee gave authority for notices to be served upon the owner of the dwelling house that the Council propose to consider the question of the demolition of the premises known as Nos. 1 and 2, Hendon Park Villas in accordance with Section 18 of the Housing and Town Planning Act, 1909.

6.—MILK—SUPPLY OF TO MOTHERS AND INFANTS: A deputation consisting of Mr. E. Holt, Mr. A. Morsman, and Mr. E. Curran, of the West Hendon Unemployment Sub-Committee, attended the meeting of the Committee in reference to the existing arrangements for the supply of milk to expectant and nursing mothers and infants.

Reference was specially made to cases where families were in receipt of relief from the Guardians, in which cases the supply of milk from the Maternity and Child Welfare Centre had been discontinued.

It was pointed out to the deputation that under the regulations of the Ministry of Health, it was one of the first principles of administration that overlapping with any other authority was to be absolutely avoided.

After hearing the deputation, your Committee gave consideration to the particular point raised by the members of the deputation, and the Clerk was instructed to communicate with the Clerk to the Hendon Guardians making enquiry whether the Guardians would take into consideration the question of dealing with such cases where the Public Health Committee were precluded from supplying the milk, and whether an equivalent quantity could be supplied by the Guardians.

7.—ISOLATION HOSPITAL: Report was received from the Medical Superintendent as to cases under treatment, and reference was made to one case where it had been found necessary to call in a Specialist, and a fee of £5 5s. had been incurred.

Your Committee approved of the action of the Medical Superintendent.

8.—AMBULANCE: That they received a report from the Medical Officer of Health in regard to the Infectious Disease Ambulance. Your Committee are informed that some overhauling may be necessary to the vehicle, and have referred the same to a Sub-Committee consisting of Councillors Hare and Ford, in conjunction with the Surveyor, to make an inspection of the vehicle and report as to necessary repairs.

9.—DITCHES: Your Committee received a report from the Medical Officer of Health in reference to open ditches in various parts of the district.

Your Committee have referred this matter to the Surveyor for a report.

10.—DRAINAGE WORKS: That they received a report from the Sanitary Inspector as to drainage works carried out in the district and approved the same.

11.—UNSOOUND FOOD: Report from the Sanitary Inspector in reference to unsound food which had been surrendered, viz: 1 box of fish (1 cwt. 14 lb.), and 36 lb. tins of canned beef. The same had been destroyed.

Your Committee have duly noted this report.

12.—STATUTORY NOTICES: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to the following premises where sanitary defects existed, and he asked for authority to serve Statutory Notices:—

3, Sunnyside Terrace, Edgware Road.
"The Vale," Princes Park Avenue,
1, South Road, Burnt Oak,
39, Ravenstone Road.

These cases being of an urgent character, your Committee gave authority for the service of notices forthwith, in accordance with the resolution of the Council, empowering the Committee to deal with matters of an urgent character.

In the following other cases, your Committee are informed that preliminary notices have been served which have not been complied with, and they

RECOMMEND—That Statutory Notices be served:—

226, The Broadway,
209, The Broadway,
71 and 77, Ravenstone Road,
39, Telford Road,
32, Victoria Road,
63, Elmeroft Crescent,
Holmdale, Finchley Road,
4, Oak Grove.

13.—SANITARY CERTIFICATES: The Sanitary Inspector submitted a report in reference to applications which had been received for the issue of certificates under Section 2 of the Increase of Rent and Mortgage Interest (Restriction) Act, 1920.

After careful consideration of the report of the Inspector as to the premises in respect of which applications were made, your Committee gave authority for the issue of certificates in the following cases:—

“Holmdale,” Finchley Road,
 “The Vale,” Princes Park Avenue,
 85, Hamilton Road.

In the case of No. 85, Hamilton Road, the issue of the certificate to be deferred for 14 days.

14.—ELMCROFT CRESCENT—Nos. 53, 61, 75, and 81: That they received a report from the Inspector of Nuisances that Statutory Notices had been served upon the owner of the above-mentioned premises in accordance with the instructions of the Council, but such notices had not been complied with.

Your Committee understand that the owner had promised to carry out the necessary works of repair to the premises, but had failed to do so.

Your Committee being invested with power to deal with nuisances of an urgent character, gave authority for proceedings to be instituted against the owner of Nos. 53, 61, 75, and 81, Elmcroft Crescent for failure to comply with the Statutory Notices served upon him in respect of such premises.

15.—GOLDERS HILL TERRACE: Report from the Sanitary Inspector that an inspection of the premises, Nos. 1—10 inclusive, Golders Hill Terrace, and 91 to 109, odd numbers, inclusive, North End Road, had been made, and certain defects had been found to exist.

Preliminary notices had been served upon the owner to remedy such defects, and a further report would be presented in due course.

16.—FACTORY AND WORKSHOPS ACT:

(A) Report from the Sanitary Inspector that an inspection had been made of premises, No. 71, Church Road, Hendon, in respect of which notice had been received from His Majesty's Inspector of Factories as to the existence of certain sanitary defects.

Your Committee are informed that certain of the requirements had been put in hand, and that plans had been submitted for improving the lavatory accommodation at the premises.

(B) Letter from His Majesty's Inspector of Factories transmitting copies of the Ministry of Health (Factories and Workshops Transfer of Powers) Order, 1921, made under the provisions of the Ministry of Health Act, by which the powers and duties of the Secretary of State under certain Sections of the Factory and Workshop Act, 1921, were transferred to the Minister of Health, viz.:—

Section 61, the Prohibition of Employment of Women after Childbirth.
 Section 97 to 100, Provisions relating to Bakehouses.
 Section 109, as to the making of wearing apparel where there is scarlet fever or smallpox; and
 Section 110, Prohibition of Home Work where there is infectious disease.

Your Committee have duly noted the receipt of the Order.

17.—DAIRIES, COWSHEDS AND MILK SHOPS ORDER: That they received a report from the Sanitary Inspector in reference to the following applications for registration:—

Mr. Honor, Goldbeaters Farm, Mill Hill.
 Messrs. Blacock and Alcock, Hale Lane, Mill Hill.
 Express Dairy Co. (late Thomas), Hendon Broadway.
 J. W. Reeves, Colindale Dairy, Colindale.
 Mrs. M. J. Muddle, Devonshire Farm, Mill Hill.
 A. G. Butcher, 1, The Promenade, Mill Hill.

Your Committee are informed that the premises are satisfactory in each of the above-mentioned cases, and

RECOMMEND—That the applicants be registered.

18.—HENDON PARK ROW: Letter from Mr. A. G. Clark complaining as to alleged nuisance caused by the keeping of animals at Hendon Park Row.

Your Committee are informed that an inspection has been made, and a notice served upon the occupier to abate any nuisance.

19.—OVERCROWDING: That they received a report in reference to an inspection of premises at No. 69, Dartmouth Road, where complaint had been received as to an alleged overcrowding.

Your Committee have instructed the Sanitary Inspector in regard thereto.

20.—MEDICAL SERVICES: Report from the Clerk that he had interviewed the Officials of the Ministry of Health in reference to the apportionment of the salary of Dr. T. S. McIntosh, submitted by the Council in respect of the various medical services undertaken.

It will be remembered that the Ministry of Health intimated that the allocation of £200 to the Maternity and Child Welfare Service could not be sanctioned, and that a sum of £100 only could be allowed by the Ministry in respect thereof.

Your Committee are informed that the Ministry have confirmed the decision given at the interview to the effect that they cannot vary their previous decision.

They have given careful consideration to the allocation of salary, which, it will be remembered was approved by the Council as follows:—

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| As Medical Officer | ... | ... | ... | £ |
| As Medical Superintendent | ... | ... | 5-15ths | 250 |
| As School Medical Officer | ... | ... | 1-15th | 50 |
| As Maternity and Child Welfare Medical Officer | ... | ... | 5-15ths | 250 |
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| As Medical Officer of Health | ... | ... | £ |
| As Medical Superintendent of Isolation Hospital | ... | 6-15ths | 300 |
| As School Medical Officer | ... | 2-15ths | 100 |
| As Medical Officer of Maternity and Child Welfare Scheme | ... | 5-15ths | 250 |
| | | 2-15ths | 100 |
| | | First year | £750 |

21.—WATER SUPPLIES: Letter from the Ministry of Health in reference to the purity of water supplies, and the methods of dealing promptly with drinking water which might have become polluted, or which might be suspected of spreading disease.

Your Committee are informed that the same has been referred to the Medical Officer, and have no recommendation to make thereon.

22.—ISOLATION HOSPITAL: That they received a report from the Medical Superintendent, also from the Engineer and Surveyor in reference to proposed extensions to the existing Isolation Hospital.

Plans were submitted which provided for additional ward accommodation, and also an additional block which would provide accommodation for the whole of the staff.

The estimated cost of the additional buildings was £3,000, whilst hot water and central heating was estimated to cost a further £1,500.

Your Committee decided to defer the consideration of the scheme to a meeting to be held in a fortnight's time, and in the meantime the plans will be available for the inspection of members of the Committee.

23.—MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE, KINGSBURY: Letter from the Middlesex County Council intimating that the Ministry of Health had now given their approval to the proposal whereby mothers resident in the Kingsbury district attended at the West Hendon Child Welfare Centre.

The County Council had approved the arrangement, and the Agreement would be submitted for sealing in due course.

Your Committee have duly noted this report.

24.—COMPLAINT: Complaint was received from the Hendon Ratepayers' Association in reference to smells alleged to emanate from factory buildings in Central Hendon, and the same was referred to the Medical Officer of Health.

25.—REQUISITIONS: The Medical Superintendent submitted a requisition of linen supplies required for the Isolation Hospital.

Your Committee have referred this matter to Councillor Mrs. Hargraves to deal with, in conjunction with the Medical Superintendent.

Report of Public Health Committee, No. 2.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen.—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 31st day of October, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Teare (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Miss Hodge, Hearn, Taylor, and Weeks. (Mr. Councillor Page was engaged in the Highways Committee).

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—ISOLATION HOSPITAL:

(a) HOUSEHOLD SUPPLIES: That they gave consideration to estimates for the supply of various items required for the Isolation Hospital, and approved the same.

3.—MIDWIFE: That they gave careful consideration to a report as to the duties of the Midwife, from which it appeared that the calls for the services of the Council's Midwife were more than she could deal with.

In the circumstances, the Medical Officer reported that it had become necessary to engage the services of an additional Midwife to carry on for the present time, and he asked for instructions in regard to future calls.

Your Committee confirmed the action taken to deal with the present influx of cases, and have instructed the Medical Officer to make enquiry in regard to arranging with other Midwives in the District to deal with any cases which could not be dealt with by the Council's Midwife, and report to the Chairman of the Committee the result of his enquiries.

3.—ISOLATION HOSPITAL EXTENSIONS: That they gave further consideration to the plans which had been prepared by the Engineer providing for extensions to the Council's Isolation Hospital. The alterations proposed included the enlargement of the existing Diphtheria Block and the construction of a new block to accommodate the Hospital Staff.

Also the conversion of the existing bungalow into an observation block. The result of the enlargement of the Diphtheria Ward and the existing bungalow, etc., will result in increased accommodation of at least 10 beds.

It was also proposed to instal a Central Heating System and a Hot Water System.

The cost of this scheme was estimated at £4,500.

Reference was also made to the desirability of providing accommodation which would enable a man to be resident at the Hospital premises, it being assumed that such accommodation could be provided at such a cost as would enable the same to be let at an economic rental.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Medical Officer of Health and the Engineer arrange an interview with the Officials of the Medical Department of the Ministry of Health and make enquiry as to their views in regard to the proposed alterations.

- 4.—STATUTORY NOTICES: The Sanitary Inspector submitted a report in regard to the action taken by owners where Statutory Notices had been served, and your Committee are informed that it is hoped that owners will comply with the notices and avoid the necessity for legal proceedings being taken.

The Sanitary Inspector asked for authority to serve a Statutory Notice in the following case where the Preliminary Notice has already been served, and the nuisance is of an urgent character:—

2, Birkbeck Road, Mill Hill.

Your Committee gave authority for the service of the notice forthwith, in accordance with the powers invested with them to deal with matters of an urgent character.

Report of Town Planning Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 24th day of October, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Egan (in the chair), and Councillors Miss Hodge, Fenn, Glanville, Hare, Hill, Taylor and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—PLANS: That they gave consideration to the following applications for approval of plans, and

RECOMMEND thereon as follows:—

| No. | Description of Premises. | Owner or Person submitting. | Recommendation. |
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| 5232A | Motor house, 9, Heath Close | Mr. H. W. Winter | Approval. |
| 5233A | Motor house, Elmsleigh, Tenterden Grove | Mr. M. Lowe | Approval. |
| 5230 | (Amended Plan) Detached house Bridge Lane | Mr. J. Mackenzie | Approval. |
| 5234A | (Amended Plan) Detached house, Lyndhurst Avenue | Messrs. F. Parvin, Ltd. (under Government Subsidy Scheme) | Approval. |
| 5227 | (Amended Plan) Motor house, Hillcrest Avenue | Messrs. J. Webb and Son | Approval. |
| 5229 | (Amended Plan) One pair of Semi-detached Houses and one Garage, Sinclair Grove, South side | Mr. T. B. Nugent | Approval. |
| 5238 | 24 Bungalows. 12 in Brentmead Place, West side; 10 in Western Avenue; and 2 in Sinclair Grove | Messrs. Haymills (under Government Subsidy Scheme) | Approval. |
| 5228 | Conservatory at the rear of No. 13, Beechcroft Avenue | Mrs. Day | Disapproval. |
| 5235 | Alterations and additions to "Hillmorton," Wills Grove | Mr. H. Nicholls | Approval, subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5216 | (Amended Plan) Four Motor Houses, Brookside Road | Mr. E. Wright | Disapproval. |
| 5236 | Conservatory and Larder at the rear of 22, Russell Gardens | Mrs. Cordery | Disapproval. |
| 5237 | Block of Flats, Lock-up Garages and Covered Yard, Finchley Road | Messrs. Ewen and Sons | Disapproval. |
| 5239 | Temporary Army Hut, rear of the Hartley Memorial Hall | The Churchwardens (St. Michael's Church) | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5228A | (Amended Plan) Printing Works, 71, Church Road, Hendon | Mr. A. J. Hill | Disapproval. |
| 5240 | Four Detached Houses, Basing Hill | Mr. F. W. Bristow | Approval. |

- 2.—LAND AT SHIREHALL LANE: Report from the Clerk as to negotiations with the Eastern Telegraph Company relative to the fencing to be erected by the Council along the land dedicated by the Company in Shirehall Lane.

The Council will remember that the agreement by which the land was dedicated provided for the erection by them of a fence along the land in question, the Company had, however, intimated that they required a close boarded fence to be erected.

In view of such requirement it had been suggested to the Company that they should make a contribution towards the increased cost involved in providing the type of fencing referred to by them, and they had finally agreed to contribute a sum of £50 in respect thereof.

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RECOMMEND—That the action of the Officers in the matter be approved, and that the offer of the Eastern Telegraph Company be accepted.

3.—HOUSING (ADDITIONAL POWERS) ACT, 1919—CERTIFICATES "B": Report from the Surveyor that in the undermentioned cases Certificates "B" might now be issued for the amounts named:—

| Application No. | Situation of Premises. | Owner. | Amount per House. |
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| 4992 | Beechcroft Avenue (1 house) | Mr. W. T. Streather | |
| 5035 | Park View Gardens (2 houses) | Messrs. Gillett and Co. | £260 |
| 5036 | Greenfield Gardens (10 houses) | The Hendon Vale Estate Company | £260 |
| 5119 | Hillcrest Avenue (1 house) | Messrs. Webb and Son | £260 |
| 5133 | Woodlands Crescent (1 house) | Messrs. Haymills, Ltd. | £260 |

Your Committee authorised the issue of such Certificates.

4.—DAWS FARM COTTAGE: Report from the Surveyor as to an inspection which had been made of Daws Farm Cottage from which it appeared that the structural condition of the Cottage had deteriorated since the matter was last under consideration.

After careful consideration of the report of the Surveyor in regard thereto. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a notice be served upon the owner of the premises under Section 28 of the Housing and Town Planning Act, 1919.

5.—NO. 7, HENDON PARK VILLAS: The Surveyor submitted a report in regard to the condition of the steps at No. 7, Hendon Park Villas, from which it appeared that he had communicated with the owner of the premises requesting that the same might be put into proper repair. He suggested that in the event of the Owner failing to comply with such request, that he should be served with a notice under Section 28 of the Housing and Town Planning Act, 1919.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the suggestion of the Surveyor be approved.

6.—OPEN SPACE—GOLDERS GREEN: Report from the Surveyor as to his negotiations with Mr. W. Hollis relative to obtaining an extended area of the land which he had offered to dispose of to the Council for the provision of an open space at Golders Green.

After due consideration of such report, your Committee gave instructions to the Surveyor as to continuing his negotiations in the matter, and requested him to submit a report as to the result of such further negotiations to the Council (in Committee) on the 7th prox.

7.—WESLEYAN CHURCH—GOLDERS GREEN: The Surveyor submitted a letter which he had received from Mr. G. E. Withers, the Architect in connection with the proposed Wesleyan Church at Golders Green, together with a block plan which accompanied such communication showing a building line in Hodford and Rodborough Roads, suggested by Mr. Withers in connection with the proposed Church.

Report from the Surveyor in connection with the proposal.

After due consideration of such report, your Committee have left the matter in the hands of the Surveyor for further negotiation with Mr. Withers.

Report of Housing Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 24th day of October, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Ford (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Hargraves, Mrs. Bannister, Cartwright, Hearn, Roberts, Teare and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—BRENT HILL SCHEME:

(A) NAMING OF ROADS: That they gave consideration to suggestions for the naming of certain of the roads on the Brent Hill Farm Estate. Your Committee ultimately decided to defer the matter to their next meeting.

(B) COMPLETION TENDERS: Mr. G. Hornblower (Architect) attended the meeting of the Committee and reported that probably 24 tenders would be submitted for the completion of the work on Brent Hill Farm Estate.

The Contractors tendering for the work had, however, intimated that it would be impossible to complete the Estimates to submit the tenders on the 24th October, and the earliest date upon which all the tenders could be received was the 14th November.

Your Committee approved of the extension of time which had been granted.

Your Committee decided to hold a special meeting of the Housing Committee on the 14th November at 6.30 p.m. to receive the tenders, and they

RECOMMEND That a meeting of the Council be held the same evening to receive the Committee's report in regard thereto.

(C) ROADS AND SEWERS: Letter from the Ministry of Health, in reference to the Contract for the roads and sewers, requesting to be furnished with a statement in regard to the curtailment of the work in connection with the construction of roads and sewers on the Brent Hill Farm Estate.

Your Committee are informed that this matter is in the hands of the Engineer who is in negotiation with the Contractor thereon and a further report will be submitted at a later date.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Ministry be informed of the position of the matter.

- (D) STREET LIGHTING: Letter from the Hendon Electric Supply Company transmitting form of Agreement in connection with the street lighting at Brent Hill Farm Estate. The Agreement is in the form agreed by the Council with the Company. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the Agreement.

- (E) GARDEN GROUND: Letter from Mr. C. S. Windsor in further reference to his communication regarding the use of the garden ground attached to his house.

Your Committee desire to point out that they have received numerous complaints from Mr. Windsor since he entered into occupancy of No. 76, Park Road, and at their last meeting an application was received for refund of rent in respect of this matter.

The Accountant reported that the Ministry of Health would not agree to any refund of rent being made, and your Committee therefore

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Windsor be informed that the Ministry of Health would not permit the Local Authority to make any reduction in the rent payable, and further to point out that there are numerous applicants who would be quite willing to take up the tenancy of the house, if the premises are not to his satisfaction.

- 2.—CHILD'S HILL SCHEME: Letter from Mr. G. Ramsbotham in reply in reference to the notice of charge given in connection with the Contract for the erection of Houses at Child's Hill.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

- 3.—HOUSING REGULATIONS: The Clerk reported the receipt of Housing Memorandum No. 57 in reference to the supply of light castings for State-aided Housing Schemes.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of this report.

Report of Fire Brigade Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 24th day of October, 1921. Present: Councillor Miss Growse (Chairman), and Councillors Fenn, Ford, Hare, Hearn, Reynolds, Sturgess, Taylor and Teare.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—MOTOR FIRE ENGINE No. 2: Report from the Surveyor as to a communication from the Leyland Motors, Ltd., whose tender has been submitted to the Air Ministry for acceptance. The Company intimated that the weight of the engine proposed to be supplied would be about 5 tons 12 cwt.

Your Committee are informed that the Air Ministry have not yet given their approval to the acceptance of the tender, and they instructed the Clerk to communicate with them again upon the matter.

- 2.—PETROL LICENCES: Application was received from Mr. F. Parvin to store 100 gallons of petrol at Bunns Lane, Mill Hill. Application was also received from the Highfield Garage, Golders Green Road, for consent to the construction of two underground tanks, each having a capacity of 500 gallons.

Your Committee have received a report from the Chief Officer that the installation was of a satisfactory character, and they

RECOMMEND—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the licences, as follows:—

Mr. F. Parvin—100 gallons.

Highfield Garage—1,000 gallons.

The Chief Officer reported that the petrol store of the British Petroleum Company at Cricklewood had now been completed in accordance with the Council's requirements, and he recommended that a Licence be granted for storing petrol. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to a Licence in favour of the British Petroleum Co. to store 60,000 gallons of petrol at Cricklewood.

- 3.—BRIGADE:

- (A) VACANCY: The Chief Officer reported that a vacancy had occurred in the Brigade by reason of the death of the late Fireman Dickens.

Your Committee instructed the Clerk to send a letter of condolence to Mrs. Dickens in the bereavement she has sustained.

In regard to the vacancy thus occasioned in the married staff of the Brigade, your Committee are informed that Fireman Hills is now the senior Fireman in service of the Brigade. They

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In regard to the married quarters at present occupied by Mrs. Dickens, your Committee consider arrangements might be made for her to vacate the same within a period of one month, and they have instructed the Clerk to communicate with her accordingly.

- (B) **BRIGADE WAGES:** Letter from the Firemen's Trade Union in further reference to the application from the Union for the Committee to receive a deputation of the Firemen, together with a representative of the Union, to place before the Committee their case for the adoption of the standard rates of pay recommended by the report of the Departmental Committee on Fire Brigades.

The Council will recollect that a similar application was submitted some time ago, but your Committee were not disposed to receive the representative of the Union upon the subject. Moreover, your Committee have given very careful consideration to the report referred to, and their recommendations thereon have been adopted by the Council. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Firemen's Trade Union be informed that the Council cannot see their way to receive a deputation from the Union, and are unable to depart from the previous decision arrived at in connection with this matter.

On the report of the Chief Officer, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the wages of Fireman E. Hills be increased by the sum of 1s. per week in accordance with the scale.

4.—AMBULANCE:

- (A) Letter from Mr. P. Lyel in reference to a charge made for the use of the Council's Ambulance, viz.: 10s., and asking for a deduction.

Your Committee are informed that this charge is in accordance with the Council's scale, and after considering the communication from Mr. Lyel, together with a report from the Chief Officer thereon, they are unable to make any variation in the charge. They

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Lyel be informed accordingly.

- (B) **OUTSTANDING AMOUNTS:** The Chief Officer referred to certain outstanding amounts in connection with the use of the ambulance, and it was decided to refer the same to the Accountant of the Council.

5.—**WATER PRESSURES:** The Chief Officer submitted a list of water pressures since the last meeting of the Committee, and your Committee have duly noted the same.

6.—**STORES REQUIRED:** The Chief Officer submitted a requisition of stores required for the Central Station, as detailed in his report book. After careful consideration of such lists, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the same be approved.

7.—**DISINFECTING VAN:** Report from the Chief Officer in reference to the petrol consumption record of the disinfecting van, and he suggested the adoption on trial of an improved form of carburettor.

Your Committee approved of the suggestion of the Chief Officer.

8.—**FIRE BOOTS:** Report from the Chief Officer that a pair of fire boots was required for Fireman E. Hills. The previous issue of fire boots in this case was 1919.

Your Committee approved of this requisition.

9.—**FIRES:** The Chief Officer reported as to the fires attended since the last meeting of the Committee, and the petrol consumption record.

Your Committee have duly noted same.

Report of General Purposes Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 31st day of October, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Hill (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Miss Growse, Egan, Glanville, Hare, Page, Reynolds, Taylor and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—**HENDON PARK TENNIS COURTS:** That they gave consideration to suggestions received by Councillor Miss Growse from certain residents in the district relative to the adoption of an arrangement whereby persons regularly using the Tennis Courts in the Hendon Park during the Tennis season might pay a subscription for the Season in lieu of payment for individual games.

The residents referred to expressed the opinion that the existing charges for the use of the Courts were excessive.

Your Committee consider that such a scheme would not be practicable, and are unable, therefore, to recommend the Council to entertain the same. They

RECOMMEND, however, that the Finance Committee take into consideration the question of revising the existing charges for the use of the Tennis Courts.

2.—**SUPERANNUATION:**

- (A) Letter from the Secretary of the Urban District Councils Association in regard to the representation made by the Council urging that Section 47 of the Middlesex County Council (General Powers) Act should be amended in order that the principles of Superannuation might be adopted by all Local Authorities in Middlesex, and thus not excluding those Authorities with a population of under 50,000.

The Council will remember that they made the representation referred to having regard to a communication received from the Southall-Norwood Urban District Council, the population of their district being below 50,000.

The Association, whilst regretting they were unable to take any action in the matter, pointed out that the Bill, as originally drawn, contained no limitation as to the population of a district to which a Superannuation scheme might be applied, the limitation being subsequently inserted upon a report made to Parliament by the Ministry of Health.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of the communication.

- (B) In accordance with the instructions of your Committee at the last meeting a detailed report was presented by the Accountant upon the subject of adopting the principle of superannuation for the employees of the Council under the provisions of the Middlesex County Council (General Powers) Act, 1921. (Copies of such report having been circulated amongst the members of the Committee).

After some discussion, your Committee came to the conclusion that it would be advantageous for the question to be considered by the Council as a whole, and deferred the matter in order that the same might be settled by the Council (in Committee) on Monday evening next.

The Accountant was instructed to furnish a copy of his report to the remaining members of the Council.

3.—KEN WOOD:

- (A) Further consideration was given to the question of making a contribution to the fund for the proposed acquisition of Ken Wood as an open space (the matter having been referred back to your Committee for further consideration at the meeting of the Council held on the 10th inst.).

Your Committee have again given this matter careful consideration, and adhere to their previous recommendation in the matter, that a contribution of £1,000 be made to the fund in question. They now desire to re-submit such recommendation for the Council's approval.

- (B) Letter from Sir A. H. Crosfield extending an invitation to the members of the Council, on behalf of the Ken Wood Preservation Council, to visit the Ken Wood Estate, and suggesting alternative dates for the purpose.

Your Committee requested the Clerk to communicate with the members of the Council forthwith, acquainting them of the invitation referred to, and make enquiry whether they desired to avail themselves of the opportunity of visiting the Estate, and in that case whether Saturday next would be a convenient day for the purpose.

The Clerk was further instructed, upon the receipt of replies, to communicate with Sir A. H. Crosfield upon the matter.

4.—LEAGUE OF NATIONS: Letter from the Lord Mayor of London asking for the co-operation of the Council in connection with the launching of a new financial effort in connection with the League of Nations.

Your Committee are informed that the League of Nations is already receiving support in various parts of the district. In view of such report they

RECOMMEND—That the Lord Mayor be informed accordingly, and, further, that in the event of any function being promoted in the district in support of the League of Nations, that the Council would be pleased to offer the use of the Council Chamber free of charge for the holding of such function.

5.—UNEMPLOYMENT:

- (A) Letter from the Town Clerk, Greenwich Borough Council, transmitting the following resolution passed by them upon the subject of Unemployment, and expressing the hope that the Council would support them in the matter:—

"That this Council views with alarm the serious situation existing with regard to Unemployment, and expresses its strong regret that His Majesty's Government have not boldly assumed responsibility for dealing with this essentially national problem.

"This Council would point out that the policy of drift on the part of the State Authorities involves intense suffering for large masses of the people, and imposes a burden on local rates, which is grossly unfair, and threatens the stability of Local Government. Being of opinion that Local Authorities have neither the powers nor the resources to deal with the national problem of unemployment, and that further loan and expenditure commitments based on the existing system of municipal finance would be unjust, unsound and impracticable, this Council calls upon the Government to assume financial responsibility for work or maintenance for persons unemployed. In such circumstances this Council would willingly assist and co-operate with the Government to the fullest extent, but if the present unsatisfactory policy of the Government be continued, this Council would decline to be a party to making the poor pay for the relief of the poor.

"That copies of the foregoing resolution be forwarded to the Prime Minister, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, the Minister of Health, the Minister of Labour, the Local Member of Parliament, and the County, Municipal, and Urban Authorities and Boards of Guardians of Great Britain."

Your Committee have no recommendation to make in regard to such resolution.

- (B) Letter from Mr. J. Cooke, on behalf of the West Hendon and Colindale Brotherhood, expressing appreciation of the efforts of the Council to provide work with a view of assisting the unemployed in the district.

In accordance with the invitation of the Council the Brotherhood suggested that the following works might, in their opinion, be carried out with a view to utilising the services of the unemployed:—

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- (2) The erection of a Lavatory for males and females in West Hendon, urgently needed, no provision in the district other than that provided by licensed houses.
- (3) The work connected with the proposed Swimming Baths be put in hand forthwith.
- (4) The making up and paving of Annesley Avenue, contemplated in August, 1914.
- (5) Making up and paving of Cecil Road, Colindale.
- (6) Making up temporary footpath on the west side of Stanley Road.
- (7) Improvements in Cool Oak Lane, contemplated several years since.

Having regard to the fact that the execution of certain of the works referred to has already been under consideration by the Council, and decisions arrived at in regard thereto, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk inform the Brotherhood of the action taken in the matter. In the case of the remaining works suggested by the Brotherhood, your Committee have referred such suggestions to the Surveyor for consideration and report.

6.—COUNTY GOVERNMENT: Letter from the Town Clerk, Borough of Lowestoft, upon the subject of County Government.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of such communication, which apparently does not apply to districts such as Hendon.

7.—FOOD CONTROL: The Clerk reported the receipt from the Ministry of Health of a copy of the Local Authorities (Food) Order, 1921, which came into operation on the 1st ulto., and by which certain Food Control Orders which came into existence during the war are rescinded.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

8.—SANITARY OFFICERS: The Clerk reported the receipt of a circular letter from the Ministry of Health extending approval of the appointments of Sanitary Officers engaged for the duration of the war, up to and including 31st March, 1922; also upon the subject of bonuses payable to permanent officers.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of such communication.

9.—COUNCIL AGENDA: Letter from the Secretary of the Mill Hill Branch of the Middle Classes Union, in further reference to the request of the Union to be supplied with a copy of the Council's Agenda periodically. It now appeared that the application for the Agenda had inadvertently been made, and that it was the desire of the Union to be furnished with a copy of the Council's Minutes, after confirmation.

After due consideration of the amended application, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Secretary of the Union be informed that the Council regret they are unable to accede to the same, it being their practice only to supply the document in question to Ratepayers' Associations.

10.—BRITISH LEGION: Letter from Captain Willcox in connection with the appeal of Earl Haig relative to the proposal to organise a "Poppy Day" throughout the country to be held on the 11th prox., the anniversary of "Armistice Day," the proceeds of the sale of the emblems being devoted for the benefit of Ex-Service men. Captain Willcox made enquiry whether the Council could assist the project in this district.

Councillor Miss Growse kindly undertook to organise a scheme for this district in connection with the proposed "Poppy Day," Councillor Mrs. Bannister also agreeing to assist in the matter. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the best thanks of the Council be tendered to Councillors Miss Growse and Mrs. Bannister for their kindness in the matter.

In view of the short time at the disposal of the organiser, your Committee requested the Clerk to communicate with Headquarters with a view to the necessary equipment in connection with the matter being forwarded without delay, and further to inform the respective Secretaries of the Ex-Service Men's organisations in the district of the action proposed to be taken in the matter.

11.—SHOPS' ACT:

- (A) Letter from the Under Secretary of State forwarding copy of the Weekly Half-Holiday Order made by the Council under the Shops' Act, 1912, in respect of Fruiterers and Greengrocers in the Golders Green and Garden Suburb Wards of the district, duly confirmed.

In view of the confirmation of the Order it will now be necessary for the Council to transmit to the Shopkeepers affected by such Order, notice of the confirmation of same together with the terms thereof. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the necessary action in the matter be taken.

- (B) Letter from the Secretary of the Early Closing Association, relative to securing uniformity in the period of the Christmas Holiday for business houses and shops, and intimating that they proposed to urge the Government to proclaim Tuesday, December 27th, an additional National Bank Holiday, and seeking the co-operation of the Council in the matter.

Your Committee understand that the Government have now proclaimed the day referred to as a Public Holiday, and action on the part of the Council will now not be necessary.

- (C) The Shops' Inspector submitted a report as to cases dealt with by him during the current month from which it appeared that certain contraventions of the Shops' Act had been committed, the provisions of the Act having been subsequently complied with.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of such report.

12.—POST OFFICE—GOLDERS GREEN:

- (A) Letter from the Secretary of the General Post Office in regard to the opening of the new Golders Green Branch Office. The Secretary expressed regret at the delay which had occurred in the settlement of the details of the alterations required to the premises, and also in regard to the placing of the building contract. He intimated, however, that the plans had now been settled, and expressed the hope that it would shortly be possible to commence the work of adaptation of the premises.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of such communication.

- (B) Letter from Major Sir Philip Lloyd-Greame as to a communication received by him from the Postmaster General relative to the establishment of the proposed Branch Post Office at Golders Green, and indicating the cause of the delay in the matter, such communication being on similar lines to that received by the Council referred to above.

Sir Philip expressed the hope that there would be no further delay in setting up the Branch Office referred to. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the best thanks of the Council be tendered to Sir Philip Lloyd-Greame for the assistance rendered by him in connection with the matter.

13.—ACCOUNTANT'S DEPARTMENT: Letter from Mr. J. C. Latham resigning the position held by him under the Council of Principal Assistant in the Accountant's Department.

The question of filling the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Mr. Latham will, in due course, be dealt with by the Staff Committee.

14.—CONFERENCE: The Clerk reported the receipt of the voting paper from the Urban District Councils' Association in connection with the selection of the place for the holding of the next Annual Conference of the Association. After due consideration thereof, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council record their vote in favour of holding the Conference at St. Anne's-on-Sea.

Report of Highways Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentleman,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 31st day of October, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Hare (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Egan, Glanville, Hill, Page, Reynolds, Taylor and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—HALL LANE IMPROVEMENT: Letter from the Ministry of Health asking to be furnished with further particulars in regard to the application of the Council for sanction to a loan of £250 for the carrying out of certain improvement works in Hall Lane, Hendon.

Reports from the Officers in regard to such application.

After due consideration of such reports, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council do not proceed further with the application for the proposed loan at present.

2.—BRIDGE, HOLDEN ROAD: Letter from the Manor Farm Dairy, Ltd., complaining of the alleged defective condition of the bridge crossing the brook which runs under a section of the public footpath leading from Holden Road, Finchley, to Mill Hill.

Report from the Clerk that the matter had been referred to the Surveyor.

The Surveyor intimated that the Council were not the responsible authority for the bridge in question, the same being within the area of the Finchley Council. He had accordingly communicated with them, and they had promised to take up the matter with the owner of the Estate, the Manor Farm Dairy Company being also informed of the position of the matter.

Your Committee approved the action of the Surveyor therein.

3.—PUBLIC WORKS CONGRESS (1921): Letter from the Secretary of the Public Works, Roads, and Transport Congress (1921), in further reference to the proposed Congress to be held in London from the 18th to the 25th prox., upon matters connected with the duties performed by Local Authorities.

The Council will remember that they have received a previous communication from the organisers of the Congress inviting them to appoint delegates thereto, but they decided to take no action in the matter.

The Congress programme had, however, subsequently been completed, and it now appeared that certain items contained therein were, at the present time, engaging the consideration of the Council, and your Committee consider that it would be an advantage for the Council to be represented at the Congress.

They therefore

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor be appointed as a delegate thereto on behalf of the Council.

4.—ARTERIAL ROADS: Letter from the Clerk to the Middlesex County Council transmitting, for the information of the Council, a copy of a communication addressed to the Southgate Urban District Council with regard to a proposal received from the latter authority urging the construction of the arterial roads to their full width of 100 feet, and the construction of the main sewers.

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The County Council suggested to the Southgate Council that if they were desirous of constructing the main sewers along the arterial roads with a view to finding additional work for the unemployed they should make application to the Unemployment Grants Committee for a grant towards the cost of such work. After completion of this work, it appeared that the Sub-Committee of the County Council would consider the question of recommending the County Council to obtain the consent of the Ministry of Transport for the construction of the full width of the arterial roads.

Your Committee have noted the contents of such communication, but have no recommendation to make thereon at the present time.

- 5.—**THE BURROUGHS IMPROVEMENT:** The Clerk reported the result of his further negotiations with Mr. Orme, of the Hendon and District Bill-Posting Company relative to the removal of the hoarding, erected on the land proposed to be purchased from Mr. Green, at the junction of Colindeep Lane and The Burroughs, with a view to carrying out improvement works at this spot.

It appeared from such report that the Bill-Posting Company were endeavouring to arrange with the persons using the hoarding for advertising purposes with a view to their ceasing to occupy the same forthwith.

The Clerk was instructed to continue his negotiations.

- 6.—**COLINDALE AVENUE:** Letter from the Hon. Secretary of the Colindale and District Ratepayers' Association complaining as to the alleged uneven condition of certain of the paving stones in Colindale Avenue.

Your Committee are informed by the Surveyor that the matter complained of has received attention, and they

RECOMMEND—That the Colindale Ratepayers' Association be informed accordingly.

- 7.—**PUBLIC LIGHTING:**

- (a) Letter from Mr. P. Johnson, on behalf of certain residents in Leaside-crescent, suggesting the provision of an additional lamp in the road.

Report from the Surveyor that it was essential that a further lamp should be erected, and in view of such report your Committee

RECOMMEND—That arrangements be made for the erection of the additional lamp, and, further, that Mr. Johnson be informed of the action proposed to be taken in the matter.

- (b) Letter from Mr. E. R. Eltham relative to the lighting arrangements in Cranbourne Gardens, and suggesting the provision of two further lamps in the road.

The Council will remember that they have already agreed to the erection of two additional lamps in Cranbourne Gardens, and your Committee are informed by the Surveyor that the matter is receiving attention. They

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Eltham be informed that the lighting arrangements in Cranbourne Gardens has already been under consideration by the Council, and of the action proposed to be taken in the matter.

- (c) The Surveyor submitted a report in regard to an interview which he had had with Mr. Goodenough, the Gas Sales Manager of the Gas Light and Coke Company, relative to the increased annual charges proposed by the Company in respect of lighting and maintaining the lamps in their area of supply.

The Council will remember that some time ago the Company intimated that their future charges would be based on a sliding scale, which would automatically adjust the cost of street lighting as the price of gas rises or falls, and, further, that the charges for public lighting would be the same as those contained in the expired agreement, subject to an increase of 5 per cent. in respect of every penny that the current prices for street lighting might be in excess of 2s. 2d. per 1,000 cubic feet.

The increased charges were accordingly based on the terms referred to under the new method of supplying gas, the price would now be 13.2d. per therm, representing an increase of 185 per cent. on the pre-war price, and with an additional expenditure by the Council for the current financial year of about £750.

It appeared from the report of the Surveyor that the matter had been very fully discussed at the interview referred to, and Mr. Goodenough had stated, on behalf of the Company, that they were unable to carry out the street lighting at a lower figure than that stated, but they hoped very shortly that a substantial reduction in the price of gas would take place, in which event the charge for street lighting would be reduced in accordance with the sliding scale referred to.

Your Committee have given very careful consideration to this matter, together with the report of the Surveyor in regard thereto, and

RECOMMEND—That the Council agree to the increased charges proposed by the Gas Light and Coke Company in connection with street lighting.

The question of reducing the street lighting in the Gas Light and Coke Company's area of supply was considered, and the Engineer was requested to submit a report upon the matter at the next meeting of your Committee.

- (d) Report from the Surveyor as to the desirability of erecting additional lamps in the under-mentioned roads in the district:—

Shirehall Lane, 1 lamp.
Park View Gardens, 1 lamp.
Renters Hill, 1 lamp.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the report of the Surveyor be approved, and that the lamps be erected in due course.

- (c) The Surveyor submitted a letter which he had received from Mr. J. S. Beard, the Architect in connection with the new Cinema in Bell View Road, suggesting that additional lighting accommodation should be provided in the neighbourhood of the Cinema.

Your Committee have deferred taking any action in the matter for the present.

8.—PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS:

- (a) Letter from Mr. P. W. Drysdale, complaining of the condition of Clifton Gardens, and making enquiry whether the Council would take steps to carry out permanent works therein.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That enquiry be made of the property owners in Clifton Gardens as to whether they are in favour of the execution of permanent works in the road, and that Mr. Drysdale be informed of the action proposed to be taken in the matter.

- (b) That they had under consideration information as to the ownership of certain of the frontages in Somerton Road, Cricklewood, such information being required in connection with the proposal to carry out permanent works in the road.

Your Committee understand that the Ecclesiastical Commissioners are still interested in such frontage, and they

RECOMMEND—That they be served with the necessary notice under Section 150 of the Public Health Act, 1875.

- (c) The Surveyor submitted plans and estimates for the making up of Millway, Mill Hill, and the portion of Hódford Road, from Golders Green Road to The Ridgeway. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the plans and estimates be approved, and that in due course notices under Section 150 of the Public Health Act, 1875, be served upon the owners of property in these roads.

- (d) Report from the Surveyor submitting apportionments of the expenses incurred in the making up of Sylvan Avenue and Albert Road, Mill Hill, such apportionments working out at a cost of 468.3 and 512.23 pence per foot frontage respectively. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the apportionments be approved, and that the necessary notices of apportionment be served upon the owners of property in the roads mentioned in due course.

- (e) The Surveyor reported that the Contractors' term of maintenance in respect of Alba Gardens and Highfield Avenue, Golders Green, had now expired, and he suggested that the Council should take steps to dedicate such roads as public highways. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor's suggestion be approved, and that the necessary steps in connection with the dedication of the roads referred to as public highways be carried out.

9.—TREES:

- (A) Letter from Mrs. Goody as to certain trees at Mylespit Hill which she alleged to be a source of danger, and making enquiry whether the Council would take steps to have the same removed.

Report from the Surveyor as to an inspection of the trees in question, and he expressed the opinion that it was not necessary that any of the trees should be removed. He proposed having certain of the low branches pruned. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the action proposed by the Surveyor be approved, and that Mrs. Goody be informed of the decision in the matter.

- (B) Report from the Surveyor as to applications he had received from residents in Hallswelle Road, suggesting that trees should be planted in the road.

He suggested that the matter should remain in abeyance until such time as the planting of trees in Ashbourne Avenue was completed, when it would be possible to ascertain whether there were sufficient funds in the rate estimate available to extend the work. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the suggestion of the Surveyor be approved, and that he inform the persons advocating the provision of trees in Hallswelle Road that the matter is receiving consideration.

10.—PUBLIC FOOTPATH FROM CLAREMONT ROAD TO GRANVILLE ROAD: The Surveyor submitted an application which he had received from Mr. E. Streather, together with a plan which accompanied such application, for the diversion of the public footpath across Greenfield Gardens, such diversion being necessary for the completion of certain houses by Mr. Streather in Greenfield Gardens.

The Surveyor suggested that in the event of the Council agreeing to the proposal, the same should be subject to the following conditions:—

1. That Mr. Streather bears all legal and other costs in connection with the diversion.
2. That the footpath be laid out eight feet wide and made up to the Council's satisfaction.
3. That the diversion of the footpath shall in no way relieve the owners of adjoining land from future road charges either in connection with Greenfield Gardens or roads to be constructed in connection therewith.

After careful consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council agree to the proposed diversion, subject to the conditions of the Surveyor above-mentioned being complied with.

11.—FOOTPATH FROM HALL LANE TO EDGWARE: The Surveyor submitted a letter from the Colindale and District Ratepayers' Association complaining of broken stiles on the footpath between Hall Lane and Edgware, and also as to a notice in Deansbrook Lane as to closing the footpath between Deansbrook Lane and Colindale.

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It appeared from a report submitted by the Surveyor that repairs to the stiles in question had been carried out, and that the notice referred to was now no longer in existence. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Colindale Ratepayers' Association be informed accordingly.

- 12.—BELL LANE WIDENING: Report from the Surveyor as to his further negotiations with the Surveyor to the Holborn and Frascati Restaurant, Limited, relative to the land proposed to be dedicated by them in Bell Lane, from which it appeared that they had agreed to the proposals submitted by the Surveyor in connection with the matter, subject to the Council contributing a sum of 15s. per yard for the proposed fencing along the land in question, and paying the reasonable charges of the Solicitors and Surveyor to the Company. After due consideration of such report, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the proposal be agreed to.

13.—GOLDERS GREEN ROAD MAINTENANCE:

- (A) The Surveyor submitted a report as to an application he had received from the Durax Dustless Roads, Limited, relative to their maintenance contract in connection with Golders Green Road.

The Council will remember that the Company are under covenant to maintain the road in question at a fixed price per square yard, the present maintenance charge amounting to the sum of £197 per annum.

It will also be remembered that the maintenance portion of the contract was transferred from the Durax Dustless Roads, Limited, to the Enderby and Stoney Stanton Granite Company, in conjunction with Messrs. A. and F. Manuelle, Limited.

The existing term of maintenance expires at the conclusion of the present year, the Council having the option to extend the Contract for a further three years at a cost of £296 per annum.

The Company had intimated that they did not desire to continue the Contract at the conclusion of the present year, and they suggested that the Council should at the end of that period take over the road, they on their part being prepared to forego the sum due to them for two years' maintenance allowance, amounting to £395.

Report from the Surveyor that he had inspected the road in question and found that a considerable amount of work was required to be done to the paving, to the extent, in many places, of the same being taken up and re-laid, it being possible that certain repairs to the foundations would require to be carried out.

After careful consideration of the report of the Surveyor in the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Contractors for the maintenance work be informed that the Council will hold them to their present contract, but will not exercise their option to extend the same for a further period of three years, provided the road is handed over at the end of the present year in a condition satisfactory to the Surveyor.

- (B) Report from the Surveyor suggesting that the terms arranged for the maintenance of Golders Green Road, Brent Street (part of), and North End Road (part of), be submitted to the County Council with a view to a revision of their contribution towards such maintenance. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor negotiate with the County Council upon the matter.

14.—BRENT STREET, HENDON: Letter from the Clerk to the Middlesex County Council transmitting the following resolution adopted by the County Council relative to the re-surfacing of Brent Street, Hendon:—

“That an intimation be given to the Hendon Urban District Council that the County Council will be prepared to allow the District Council to charge in their Main Roads Maintenance Accounts such a sum, not exceeding £1,405, as shall represent a moiety of the cost of re-surfacing Brent Street (main, Class 1 road), Hendon, between Bell Lane and Church Road, with “Aztecpalite,” subject:—

- (A) To the work being carried out to the satisfaction of the County Engineer and Surveyor, and in accordance with the specification to be first approved by him;
- (B) To the capital or other expenditure of the District Council in connection with the work being audited by the County Engineer and Surveyor;
- (C) To the Ministry of Transport contributing a moiety of the cost of the work; and
- (D) To the District Council arranging with their Contractors for the maintenance of the surface, after completion, free of cost for a period of three years.”

The County Council made enquiry whether the terms of such resolution were acceptable to the Council.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That an intimation be transmitted to the County Council informing them that the Council accept the terms of the resolution referred to.

15.—BRENT STREET—STONE PAVING WORKS: Letter from the Clerk to the Middlesex County Council transmitting the following resolution adopted by the County Council with regard to the paving of the footpath in Brent Street, and desiring to be informed whether the terms of such resolution were acceptable to the Council:—

“That an intimation be given to the Hendon Urban District Council that the County Council will be prepared to allow the District Council to charge in their Main Roads Maintenance Accounts such a sum, not exceeding £242 10s., as shall represent one-fourth of the cost of paving with artificial stone slabs the footpath in Brent Street (main, Class 1 road), Hendon, between the Green Lane and the Crest, subject:—

- (A) To the Ministry of Transport making a grant of 50 per cent. of the cost of the work;
- (B) To the work being carried out to the satisfaction of the County Engineer and Surveyor, and in accordance with a specification to be first approved by him;

- (c) To the expenditure of the District Council in connection with the work being audited by the County Engineer and Surveyor; and
- (d) To the remainder of the cost of the work being borne or otherwise provided for by the District Council."

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the County Council be informed that the Council are in agreement with the terms of the resolution referred to.

16.—NORTH END ROAD: Letter from the Clerk of the Middlesex County Council forwarding the following resolution adopted by the County Council with regard to the proposed tar paving of the footpaths in North End Road, between the Park and the boundary of the Parish:—

"That an intimation be given to the Hendon Urban District Council that the County Council will be prepared to allow the District Council to charge in their Annual Main Roads Maintenance Accounts such a sum, not exceeding £40 1s. 2d., as shall represent one-fourth of the cost of tar paving the footpaths on the south-west side of the North End (main, Class 1) Road, between the Park and the boundary of the parish, subject:—

- (A) To the Ministry of Transport making a grant of 50 per cent. of the total cost of the work;
- (B) To the work being carried out to the satisfaction of the County Engineer and Surveyor, and in accordance with a specification to be first approved by him;
- (c) To the expenditure of the District Council in connection with the work being audited by the County Engineer and Surveyor; and
- (d) To the remainder of the cost of the work being borne or otherwise provided for by the District Council."

The County Council desired to be informed whether the Council approved the terms of such resolution. After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the County Council be informed that the Council approve of the terms of the resolution referred to.

17.—HIGHWOOD HILL IMPROVEMENT: Report from the Surveyor as to his negotiations with owners of certain land at Highwood Hill, Mill Hill, as to the dedication of strips of such land to enable the Council to carry out a much-needed improvement in that neighbourhood.

Upon one of the owners in question being approached upon the matter, he had intimated that he was not prepared to surrender the portion of his land required, but after some further negotiation in connection with the matter, had agreed to do so, upon payment by the Council of a certain sum for the land.

After considering the report of the Surveyor upon the matter, your Committee requested him to continue his negotiations, with authority to purchase the strip of land referred to at the limited figure determined by your Committee.

18.—TRANSFORMER CHAMBER: The Surveyor submitted plans received from the Hendon Electric Supply Company for the construction of large transformer chambers in Brent Street and Bridge Lane.

He reported that having regard to the position selected for the construction of the proposed transformer chambers, and the method of construction, he advised the Council to withhold their consent to the proposal. In view of the report of the Surveyor in the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Hendon Electric Supply Company be informed that the Council are unable to approve of their proposal.

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Minutes.

AT A MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 7th day of November, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
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 " " A. S. F. Ford,
 " " W. L. Glanville,
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 " " C. W. Hill,
 Councillor The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan,
 Mr. Councillor A. Roberts,
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 " " A. B. Soar,
 " " J. H. Sturgess,
 " " W. Taylor,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " R. M. Weeks,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant),
 Dr. T. S. McIntosh (Medical Officer of Health).

MINUTES: The Minutes of the last Ordinary Meeting of the Council held on the 10th day of October, 1921, and of the Emergency Meetings held on the 17th day of October and the 24th day of October, 1921, were submitted for confirmation.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Minutes be confirmed.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE: The Finance Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 31st ulto. (Agenda page 167.)

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

The following is a list of the accounts for payment referred to on page 168 of the report of the Finance Committee:—

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| Accessories Manufacturing Co. ... | Tracing cloth ... | 11 | 5 | 0 |
| Adams, Thomas ... | Circular kerbs ... | 13 | 10 | 8 |
| Anglo-American Oil Co., Ltd. ... | Oil ... | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| Batchelor, J. and Son ... | Bran ... | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| Beattie, J. H. and Co., Ltd. ... | Coal ... | 33 | 14 | 3 |
| Bells United Asbestos Co. ... | Asbestos sheets ... | 1 | 17 | 11 |
| Bevir, E. and Son ... | Legal expenses ... | 114 | 16 | 3 |
| Bradbury, Son and Co. ... | Coal ... | 26 | 5 | 10 |
| British Petroleum Co., Ltd., per Accountant's Account ... | Petrol ... | 10 | 4 | 4 |
| Burroughs, Wellcome and Co. ... | Antitoxin ... | 25 | 13 | 7 |
| Camberwell Research Laboratories ... | Diagnosis fees ... | 1 | 14 | 6 |
| Cement Marketing Co., Ltd. ... | Cement ... | 22 | 9 | 3 |
| Cloke, G. E. ... | Granite spalls ... | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Cherry, C. ... | Hired team labour ... | 259 | 19 | 9 |
| Church Army ... | Fine wood ... | 3 | 10 | 0 |
| Colne Valley Water Co. ... | Water supply ... | 12 | 2 | 8 |
| Connolly, J. W. and T., Ltd. ... | Sundries ... | 23 | 6 | 4 |
| Constable, Hart and Co., Ltd. ... | Tarmacadam ... | 643 | 19 | 4 |
| Cray, P. G. ... | Vice ... | 1 | 10 | 0 |
| Crisp and Hodgson ... | Sundries for repairs ... | 4 | 18 | 6 |
| Crossley Bros. Ltd. ... | Ignition tubes ... | 1 | 3 | 5 |
| Crow, Catchpole and Co., Ltd. ... | Tar ... | 196 | 8 | 0 |
| Drake, Driver and Leaver, Ltd. ... | Book-binding ... | 1 | 16 | 0 |
| Drysdale Stores ... | Washstand ... | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Durrant, A. H. ... | Greengroceries ... | 1 | 6 | 0 |
| Edwards, P. and A. ... | Sundries ... | 1 | 6 | 6 |
| Erith and Co., Ltd. ... | Screws and locks ... | 0 | 6 | 9 |
| Etherington, E. ... | Overalls, etc. ... | 4 | 11 | 7 |
| Farrow, H. ... | Clinker, etc. ... | 226 | 4 | 9 |
| Finekum, T. ... | Thatching pegs ... | 0 | 18 | 0 |
| Foskett, C. ... | Bicycle allowance ... | 1 | 2 | 6 |
| Fraser and Fraser, Ltd. ... | Repairs to boiler ... | 81 | 15 | 0 |
| Frost, C. H. ... | Wood ... | 41 | 2 | 1 |



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| Garrould, E. and R. | China | 1 | 15 | 6 |
| Gas Light and Coke Co., Ltd. | Repairs, etc., to lamps | 17 | 17 | 9 |
| Grahame-White Aviation Co., Ltd. | Rent | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Hammond, G. F. | Signwriting | 3 | 7 | 6 |
| Harris, A. J. | Dust collection | 126 | 0 | 0 |
| Harrison and Sons, Ltd. | Stores Received book | 5 | 8 | 6 |
| Harrison Press, Ltd. | Stationery | 2 | 5 | 0 |
| Harrow and Stanmore Gas Co. | Gas supply | 43 | 10 | 0 |
| Harvey, G. A. (London), Ltd. | Steel locker | 6 | 6 | 9 |
| Hendon Education Committee | Salaries contribution | 91 | 13 | 4 |
| Hendon Electric Supply Co., Ltd. | Supply | 22 | 8 | 7 |
| Hill, A. J. | Sundries | 72 | 8 | 11 |
| Hill, B. | Fish | 1 | 19 | 11 |
| H.M. Stationery Office | Publications | 0 | 19 | 0 |
| Hollington, Bros. | Oilskin coats | 5 | 11 | 0 |
| Hornett, C., per Accountant's Account | Hardcore | 2 | 10 | 0 |
| Hounslow Sand and Gravel Co., Ltd. | Shingle | 741 | 7 | 2 |
| Hospital Contracts Co., Ltd. | P.M. gloves | 0 | 6 | 6 |
| Hunt, O. A. | Uniform allowance | 3 | 15 | 0 |
| Hurling, G., per Accountant's Account | Lopping trees | 5 | 10 | 0 |
| Improved Woodpaving Co., Ltd. | Wood paving blocks | 124 | 10 | 0 |
| Jeyes Sanitary Compounds Co., Ltd. | Disinfectant | 5 | 5 | 0 |
| Johnson and Sons | Sundries | 0 | 15 | 6 |
| Justices, Gore Division, per Accountant's Account | Summons fees | 0 | 3 | 6 |
| Kado, Ltd. | Paper | 4 | 8 | 0 |
| Kingsbury Urban District Council | Lighting | 42 | 15 | 9 |
| Knight, C., and Co., Ltd. | Wedglock binder | 3 | 1 | 6 |
| Knowles, John, and Co., Ltd. | Lime | 4 | 0 | 6 |
| Lamberton, A. | Repairs to boots | 1 | 10 | 9 |
| Lavender, N. | Meat | 10 | 5 | 4 |
| Lea, A. | Bread | 3 | 18 | 3 |
| Lyle Trading and Manufacturing Co. | Cabinet | 5 | 10 | 0 |
| Matthews, A. | Smith's work | 0 | 14 | 3 |
| Matthews, J. | Sundries | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| Merryweather and Sons, Ltd. | Repairs to hose | 3 | 12 | 3 |
| Midland Railway Co. | Carriage | 1 | 15 | 8 |
| Negretti and Zambra | Rain gauge charts | 1 | 17 | 3 |
| North London Ballast and Sand Co. Ltd. | Shingle | 30 | 0 | 7 |
| North Middlesex Gas Co. | Repairs, etc., to lamps | 1018 | 3 | 1 |
| Norton and Gregory, Ltd. | Linen tapes | 1 | 16 | 0 |
| Overed, J. E. | Professional service | 4 | 7 | 10 |
| Page, C. H. | Sundries | 16 | 1 | 10 |
| Parvin, F. | Sand | 5 | 14 | 0 |
| Patent Victoria Stone Co., Ltd. | Paving | 42 | 1 | 8 |
| Pendleton and Co., Ltd. | Timber | 11 | 19 | 11 |
| Pruden, A. | Equipment | 17 | 13 | 0 |
| Ramsbotham, G. | Repairs | 1 | 14 | 6 |
| Rates Department | Rates | 779 | 19 | 4 |
| Rickett and Sons, Ltd. | Brasso | 0 | 10 | 6 |
| Read Manufacturing Co., Ltd. | Correcting fluid | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Richards, W. | Repairs | 2 | 15 | 6 |
| Robarts, A. W. | Oats | 57 | 15 | 0 |
| Rogers, E. J. | Plugs | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Rowe, C. W., and Son, Ltd. | Colletts | 0 | 10 | 6 |
| Roneo, Ltd. | Cabinet | 16 | 12 | 6 |
| Rowley, Thomas, Ltd. | Steam roller | 43 | 14 | 0 |
| Royal Insurance Co., Ltd. | Premium | 6 | 16 | 6 |
| St. Bride's Press, Ltd. | Advertisement | 1 | 14 | 6 |
| Sampson, Thomas | Horse shoes | 22 | 11 | 1 |
| Sanitas Co., Ltd. | Sanitas | 5 | 8 | 0 |
| Sankey, J. H., and Co., Ltd. | Cement | 9 | 3 | 6 |
| Sawford, R. | Car hire | 17 | 17 | 9 |
| Sayers, S. P. | Drugs | 2 | 10 | 7 |
| Scientific Press, Ltd. | Advertisement | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Shaw and Sons | Stationery | 7 | 0 | 3 |
| Sutton and Co. | Pipes | 142 | 19 | 5 |
| Shutler, F. H. | Patches | 0 | 14 | 0 |
| Smith Premier Typewriting Co., Ltd. | Paper | 3 | 2 | 6 |
| Spence, Peter, and Sons, Ltd. | Aluminoferric | 41 | 6 | 0 |
| Stanton Ironworks Co., Ltd. | Tarmacadam | 32 | 6 | 6 |
| Straker, W., Ltd. | Envelopes | 2 | 17 | 1 |
| Stillman, H. | Hired team labour | 257 | 5 | 9 |
| Suckling, C., and Son | Smith's work | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Sutton and Sons | Seeds | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Taylor, A. E. | Returns | 6 | 16 | 2 |
| Tottenham District Light, Heat and Power Co. | Coke | 32 | 10 | 0 |
| Waitrose, Ltd. | Groceries | 16 | 8 | 0 |
| Whittaker, Thomas, and Sons | Name plates | 6 | 16 | 0 |
| Wilford, T. W. | Car hire | 2 | 8 | 6 |
| Willesden Urban District Council | Maintenance | 8 | 5 | 0 |
| Woodrow, A. C. | Shovels, etc | 12 | 10 | 0 |
| Wragg, T., and Sons, Ltd. | Pipes | 35 | 6 | 9 |
| Young and Marten, Ltd. | Corrugated iron | 5 | 17 | 3 |
| Glaxo | Glaxo | 5 | 11 | 0 |
| Hodgkinson, Prestons and King | Drugs, etc. | 5 | 0 | 10 |

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 Newcastle-upon-Tyne Savings Bank ...
 Refuge Assurance Co., Ltd. ...
 Royal Liver Friendly Society ...
 Bascom, Mrs. M. E. ...
 Degen, Mrs. E. ...
 Hunt, Mrs. O. A. ...
 Matron ...
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 Hedges and Davis ...
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 Loan repayment ... 74 2 0
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 Telephone rents ... 5 9 0
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 Knowles, John, and Co., Ltd. ...
 Midland Railway Co. ...
 Patent Victoria Stone Co., Ltd. ...
 North London Ballast and Sand Co., Ltd. ...
 Ramsbotham, G. ...
 Rowley, Thomas ...
 Shields, J. G. ...
 Stillman, H. ...
 Williams, John, and Co. ...
 Harrison Press, Ltd. ...
 Ministry of Health ...

 Adams, Thomas ...
 Moss, Wm., and Son ...
 Farrow, H. ...
 Warden and Co. ...

 Tarmacadam ... 309 15 9
 Clinker ... 45 13 6
 Lime ... 4 0 6
 Carriage ... 2 0 3
 Paving ... 128 15 0

 Sand ... 5 0 8
 Drainage work, etc. ... 7 2 11
 Hired steam roller ... 5 14 0
 Gravel ... 8 7 1
 Hired team labour ... 108 13 1
 Certificate 1, Brent Hill Houses 1000 0 0
 Notices ... 7 16 3
 Materials, Brent Hill Housing 5405 4 7
 329 9 0
 Final certificate, Private Impts. 617 0 3
 On account of contract ... 4158 0 0
 Ditto, Edgware Road ... 3632 0 0
 Printing ... 15 14 0

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Upon consideration of paragraph No. 4 of the report of the Committee relating to the accounts for payment

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the total of such accounts be amended to read £26,150 9s. 5d.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF WORKS AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL COMMITTEE: The Works and Sewage Disposal Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee, held on the 17th ulto. (Agenda page 170).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE. No 1: The Public Health Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 17th ulto. (Agenda page 173).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Weeks,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

DITCHES: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 9 of the report of the Committee relative to the instructions given to the Surveyor to submit a report in connection with open ditches in the district,

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Councillor Mrs. Bannister,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That upon presentation of such report the Public Health Committee be invested with power to act in connection with any work suggested by the Surveyor in regard to such ditches in order that further work might be found for the Unemployed of the district.

MEDICAL SERVICES: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 20 of the report of the Committee recommending the rescission of the resolution of the Council passed on the 4th day of October, 1920, in connection with the allocation of the salary of the Medical Officer of Health in respect of the various medical services undertaken by him, and submitting an amended recommendation in connection with the matter with a view to meeting the request of the Ministry of Health in regard thereto.

In order to comply with Standing Order No. 37 of the Council, the Chairman put the recommendation of the Committee, to rescind the resolution referred to, to the meeting, and upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Councillor Miss Growse,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such resolution be rescinded, and that the recommendation relative to Medical Services, as now submitted, be approved—Mr. Councillor Ford dissenting.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE, No. 2: The Public Health Committee submitted a report of a further meeting of the Committee held on the 31st ulto. (Agenda page 176).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Weeks,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Weeks,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF TOWN PLANNING COMMITTEE: The Town Planning Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 24th ulto. (Agenda page 177).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

PLANS.—Upon consideration of paragraph No. 1 of the report of the Committee relative to the applications for approval of plans, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Glanville,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That application No. 5228a be further considered by the Council in Committee this evening.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HOUSING COMMITTEE: The Housing Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 24th ult. (Agenda page 178).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

CHILD'S HILL SCHEME: Reference was made to the question of selecting tenants for the remaining two houses in connection with the Child's Hill Scheme, and upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Housing Sub-Committee be invested with power to act in regard to the selection of such tenants.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Councillor the Rev. Dr. Macgowan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF FIRE BRIGADE COMMITTEE: The Fire Brigade Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 24th ult. (Agenda page 179).

Upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Mr. Councillor Fenn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Mr. Councillor Fenn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE: The General Purposes Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 31st ult. (Agenda page 180).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

SUPERANNUATION: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 2 (B) of the report of the Committee in regard to the proposal to give consideration, at a meeting of the Council in Committee this evening, to the question of adopting the principle of Superannuation for the employees of the Council under the provisions of the Middlesex County Council (General Powers) Act, 1921.

Mr. Councillor Hill moved:—

“That having regard to the importance of the question, the same be referred to the Staff Committee for consideration and report.”

Mr. Councillor Sturgess seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting, the Chairman declared the same to be carried *nem. con.*

KEN WOOD: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 3 (A) of the report of the Committee in regard to the recommendation re-submitted by the Committee relative to the proposal for the Council to contribute a sum of £1,000 to the fund for the acquisition of Ken Wood as an open space, report was made as to the visit paid to Ken Wood by those members of the Council able to attend.

Mr. Councillor Ford moved:—

"That no contribution be made by the Council to the fund in question, in view of the fact that the scheme for the provision of an open space in the Mill Hill Ward had been rejected.

Mr. Councillor Teare seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 4, viz.: Councillors Cartwright, Ford, Teare, and Weeks; and against the same 15, viz.: Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Miss Growse, Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Hodge, Fenn, Glanville, Hearn, Hill, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Reynolds, Roberts, Soar, Sturgess, Taylor, and Wise.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

Mr. Councillor Reynolds thereupon moved as an amendment:—

"That the following words be added to the recommendation of the Committee 'Subject to the Estate being acquired for the public.'"

Mr. Councillor Hill seconded the amendment.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 9, viz.: Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Hill, Hearn, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Reynolds, Soar, Sturgess, Taylor, and Weeks; and against the amendment 9, viz.: Councillors Miss Hodge, Miss Growse, Cartwright, Fenn, Ford, Glanville, Roberts, Teare, and Wise.

The Chairman recorded his vote in favour of the amendment, and declared the same to be carried.

ACCOUNTANT'S DEPARTMENT: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 13 of the report of the Committee relative to the resignation by Mr. Latham of the appointment held by him of principal assistant in the Accountant's Department, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That this Council hereby expresses its appreciation of the valuable services rendered by Mr. John Christmas Latham during the 15 years in which he was engaged as one of the principal officers of the Council. The Council, whilst heartily congratulating Mr. Latham upon his recent appointment, hereby conveys its best wishes for his future success, and orders that a copy of this resolution sealed with the Common Seal be handed to Mr. Latham as a token of the esteem in which he is held by the Council.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted—Councillors Ford, Cartwright and Teare dissenting.

REPORT OF HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE: The Highways Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 31st ult. (Agenda page 183).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

BURROUGHS IMPROVEMENT: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 5 of the report of the Committee in regard to the removal of the advertisement hoarding in Colindeep Lane, in the vicinity of the War Memorial, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Councillor Miss Growse,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Surveyor submit a report on Monday next in connection with the carrying out of the proposed improvement works at the junction of Colindeep Lane and the Burroughs.

PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS: Upon consideration of paragraph 8 (B) of the report of the Committee relative to the ownership of certain frontages in Somerton Road, Cricklewood. Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Sturgess, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the matter be further considered by the Council in Committee this evening.

HIGHWOOD HILL IMPROVEMENT: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 17 of the report of the Committee in regard to the negotiations of the Surveyor in connection with acquiring certain lands at Highwood Hill, Mill Hill, with a view to carrying out improvement works in that locality.

Mr. Councillor Ford moved:—

"That the matter be further discussed by the Council in Committee this evening."

Mr. Councillor Cartwright seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 8, viz.: Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Ford, Cartwright, Hill, Hearn, Roberts, Teare, and Weeks; and against the motion 1, viz.: Councillor Glanville.

The Chairman declared the motion to be carried.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF REQUISITIONS COMMITTEE: The Requisitions Committee submitted the following report of a meeting held this evening:

Report of Requisitions Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, this evening. Present: Mr. Councillor Egan (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Cartwright, Hill, Ford, Reynolds, Roberts, and Teare.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

REQUISITIONS: The Clerk, Surveyor, and the Chief Officer of the Fire Brigade submitted requisitions of goods required in their respective departments, and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the same be approved.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

CORRESPONDENCE: The Clerk reported the receipt of various letters, as detailed in his report book, and upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be referred to the respective Committees for consideration.

DOCUMENTS FOR SEALING: The Clerk submitted the following documents for sealing by the Council:—

Jones, S. G. and J. H.—Lease of Land at Booth Road for allotment purposes.

County Council of Middlesex.—Agreement as to attendance of Kingsbury residents at West Hendon Child Welfare Centre.

Hill, A. J.—Contract for Decorations and Repairs, St. Agnes' Roman Catholic School.

Three Petrol Licences as per Fire Brigade Committee Report. (Agenda page 179).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to such documents.

EMPLOYMENT OF CHILDREN LICENCE: Report from the Clerk that subsequent to the last meeting of the Council the Chairman had affixed the Seal of the Council to a licence under the Employment of Children in Entertainment rules in favour of Kathleen A. G. Jupp.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the action of the Chairman in the matter be confirmed.

FIRE STATION SITE, BURNT OAK: The Clerk reported the receipt of a letter from the Clerk to the Hendon Board of Guardians relative to the enquiry made by the Council as to whether the Guardians would be prepared to grant a site to the Council at Burnt Oak for the purpose of erecting a Fire Station thereon.

The Clerk to the Guardians intimated that the matter would be under consideration by the Works Committee of the Board on the 9th inst., and an invitation was extended to the Council to appoint representatives to attend such meeting.

After due consideration of the matter, and having regard to the shortness of the notice of the proposed meeting,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Clerk communicate further with the Guardians, informing them that the Council regret they are unable to appoint representatives to attend the meeting on the 9th inst., and making enquiry whether they would suggest another date for the purpose.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT OF GREATER LONDON: Letter from the Town Clerk, Borough of Ealing, making enquiry whether the Council would appoint delegates to attend a Conference with a view to discussing the necessity of Local Authorities in Greater London taking action in connection with the proposed Inquiry by Royal Commission upon the subject of Local Government of Greater London.

After due consideration of the matter,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That no action be taken in connection with appointing delegates to attend the proposed Conference.

Reference was, however, made to the question as to how the proposed scheme for the Local Government of Greater London would affect the Council's district, and upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Councillor The Rev. Dr. Macgowan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Officers submit reports upon the matter to the Council in Committee on Monday next.

BOOTH ROAD ALLOTMENTS: The Surveyor reported the receipt of a letter from the Grahame-White Company, Ltd., as to their intention to terminate the Agreement under which a footpath leading from Colindale Avenue to the Booth Road Allotments had been made available to the allotment holders.

The Company alleged that allotment holders making use of the footpath had constantly forced open the gate, and that the same had been left open. The Company considered that such procedure was likely to cause damage to their golf greens in the vicinity.

In view of the fact that the Company had notified that they proposed to adopt the course mentioned within seven days from the date of such notice, the Surveyor had requested them to suspend the operation of the same in order that he might have an opportunity of bringing the matter before the Council.

After due consideration of the matter,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Surveyor negotiate with the Grahame-White Company in regard thereto, with the object of securing the continued use of the footpath.

PROPOSED OPEN AIR SWIMMING BATH: Report from the Surveyor that the plans and estimates in connection with the proposed Open Air Swimming Bath to be erected on the site at The Hyde had been forwarded to the Unemployment Grants Committee with a view to a contribution being obtained from that body towards the cost of the work in accordance with the circular letter received from them. Noted.

NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD: The Surveyor reported that the work of diverting the River Brent, which formed part of the scheme in connection with the North Circular Road had been commenced that day. Work had thereby been found for 50 men. Noted.

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EDUCATION COMMITTEE MINUTES: The Minutes of the proceedings of the Hendon Education Committee at a meeting held on the 27th day of September, 1921, having been circulated amongst the members of the Council, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Councillor Miss Growse,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Minutes be received.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS COMMITTEE: Mr. Councillor Reynolds intimated that he was prepared to organise a campaign, on the same lines as last year, with a view to providing Christmas gifts to assist cases of distress in the district. He suggested, however, that on this occasion, having regard to the existence of the Unemployment Committee, that they should administer the fund.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Councillor The Rev. Dr. Macgowan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the thanks of the Council be tendered to Mr. Councillor Reynolds for his kind offer, and an opinion was expressed that the Unemployment Committee would no doubt render what assistance they could in the matter.

IN COMMITTEE—

APPLICATION No. 5228 (A): Consideration was given to the amended plan submitted by Mr. A. J. Hill in connection with application No. 5228 (A) in respect of proposed new printing works in Church Road, Hendon, together with a report from the Surveyor in regard thereto.

After some discussion in connection with the matter, Mr. Councillor Reynolds moved:—

“That the plan as now submitted be approved.”

Mr. Councillor Soar seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting, there voted in favour thereof 7, viz.: Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Hill, Reynolds, Soar, Taylor, and Weeks; and against the motion 11, viz.: Councillors Miss Hodge, Cartwright, Ford, Hare, Hearn, Glanville, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Roberts, Sturgess, Wise, and Teare.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS: Consideration was given to the question of the ownership of certain frontages in Somerton Road which the Highways Committee were informed was vested in the Ecclesiastical Commissioners, such information being required in connection with the proposal to carry out permanent works in the road.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the matter be referred back to the Committee for further consideration.

HIGHWOOD HILL IMPROVEMENT: Reference was made to the instructions given to the Surveyor by the Highways Committee in connection with negotiating with the owner of certain land at Highwood Hill in order that such land might be obtained for the purpose of carrying out improvement works.

After some discussion in connection with the matter, it was decided to leave the same in the hands of the Surveyor to continue his negotiations.

OPEN SPACE—GOLDERS GREEN: In accordance with the instructions of the Town Planning Committee, the Surveyor submitted a report as to his further negotiations with Mr. Hollis in connection with the land offered to the Council for the provision of an open space at Golders Green.

After careful consideration of the figure which Mr. Hollis intimated he was prepared to accept, on behalf of his client for the land in question, together with the report of the Surveyor in regard thereto.

Mr. Councillor Cartwright moved:—

“That the matter be referred to the Outdoor Committee in order that an inspection of the land might be made.”

Mr. Councillor Ford seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 14, viz.: Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Hargraves, Mrs. Bannister, Miss Hodge, Cartwright, Ford, Hare, Hearn, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Roberts, Sturgess, Taylor, Teare, and Weeks; and against the motion 2, viz.: Councillors Hill and Reynolds.

The Chairman declared the motion to be carried.

PAY ORDER: The Accountant presented a Pay Order amounting to the sum of £100 in respect of the stamp duty on the financial statement in connection with the Audit of the Accounts of the Council for the year ended 31st March last.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hearn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Pay Order be approved, and a cheque drawn for the amount named therein.

S. K. Gowan

Chairman.

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AT A SPECIAL MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon (in Committee) held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 14th day of November, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
 " " A. S. F. Ford,
 " " T. F. Fenn,
 " " W. L. Glanville,
 " " F. W. Hearn,
 " " C. W. Hill,
 Councillor The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan,
 Mr. Councillor T. Page,
 " " A. Roberts,
 " " A. J. Reynolds,
 " " A. B. Soar,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " W. Taylor,
 " " R. M. Weeks,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant).

The Clerk read the notice convening the meeting.

REPORT OF HOUSING COMMITTEE: The Housing Committee submitted a report of a meeting held this evening, as follows:—

Report of Housing Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall this evening. Present: Mr. Councillor A. S. F. Ford (Chairman), Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Mrs. Hargraves, Cartwright, Hearn, Roberts, Rev. Dr. Macgowan, and Teare.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

BRENT HILL HOUSING SCHEME:

- (A) TENDERS: That they gave consideration to the tenders received for the completion of the Brent Hill Housing Scheme, twenty in number.

Your Committee decided to refer such tenders to the Architect for report, and propose to give the same further consideration in conjunction with the Architect's report at a meeting to be held on Monday evening next.

Your Committee suggest that their report may be considered by the Council at a Special Meeting to be convened on the 21st inst.

Your Committee considered a communication received from the Ministry of Health, intimating that it was not possible to arrange for a representative to attend the meeting when the tenders were considered, but suggesting that full particulars in regard to the same should be transmitted for approval at the earliest possible date.

- (B) TENANCY: Report received in regard to an applicant for one of the houses recommended by the Sub-Committee, viz.: Mr. Bushnell. In the circumstances it was agreed to permit him to occupy one of the larger houses, which, although not quite completed, was habitable, on the condition that he would, if required, move into one of the smaller type of houses when available.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Councillor The Rev. Dr. Macgowan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Housing Committee be received, approved and adopted.

GREATER LONDON: Reports were received from the Officers upon the subject of the Royal Commission appointed to consider the question of the Local Government of Greater London.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the consideration of such reports be deferred to a further meeting of the Council to be held on Monday next.

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Report from the Clerk that the Middlesex County Council had convened a Conference of Local Authorities in the County of Middlesex on Monday, the 21st instant, to discuss the question now before the Commission, and inviting the Council to appoint delegates to attend such Conference.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Chairman of the Council (Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P.) and Councillors Hill and Cartwright, with the Officers, attend such Conference.

COLIN DEEP LANE IMPROVEMENT: The Surveyor submitted a plan shewing the widening of Colin Deep Lane at the junction with the Burroughs. The scheme, which will effect a much-needed improvement at this point, is estimated to cost the sum of £1,761.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hearn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such plan and estimate be approved, and that application be made to the Ministry of Health for sanction to a Loan for carrying out the works.

That an application be also made to the Ministry of Transport for a contribution towards the improvement of the road.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Taylor, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That upon the receipt of the sanction of the Ministry of Health to the necessary loan, the Surveyor have authority to carry out the work.

OPEN AIR SWIMMING BATH—THE HYDE: Report from the Surveyor that the necessary materials had been prepared in connection with this scheme, and he suggested that tenders be invited for the construction of the Swimming Bath.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Councillor Miss Growse,

IT WAS RESOLVED—

- (1) That an advertisement be issued inviting tenders for the construction of the bath.
- (2) That in due course application be made to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the appropriation of the portion of land at The Hyde proposed to be used for the purposes of the Bath.

Report was made that an application had been submitted to the Unemployment Grants Committee for a contribution.

CHRISTMAS GIFT FUND: Mr. Councillor Reynolds outlined his proposals in connection with the Christmas Gift Fund for the information of the Council.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Council afford the Committee such facilities in the matter as may be necessary.

S. H. Egan
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AT A SPECIAL MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 21st day of November, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
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 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant).

The Clerk read the notice convening the meeting.

REPORT OF HOUSING COMMITTEE: The Housing of the Working Classes Committee submitted a report of a meeting held this evening, as follows:—

Report of Housing Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, this evening. Present: Mr. Councillor A. S. F. Ford (Chairman), Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Hargraves, Mrs. Bannister, Cartwright, Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Roberts, and Teare.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—BRENT HILL HOUSING SCHEME: TENDERS FOR COMPLETION: That they gave consideration to a Schedule of the Tenders received for the completion of these houses, and the erection of twenty new houses on the estate, viz.:

URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL OF HENDON.
 Schedule of Tenders received for Completion of Brent Hill Housing Scheme.

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URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL OF HENDON.
Schedule of Tenders received for Completion of Brent Hill Housing Scheme.

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| 10 | Miskin & Sons, Ltd. | Rowland Street, St. Albans | 53081 0 0 | same | same | same | same | 19673 0 0 | same | same | same | same |
| 11 | Garner, F. & Son Ltd. | 181, Loughborough Rd, Leicester | 52501 0 0 | — | — | 500 0 0 reduction | open market basis | 16310 0 0 | — | — | 200 0 0 reduction | — |
| 12 | Shillitoe, Thos. ... | 3, Electric Parade, Seven Sisters Rd., N. | 51824 0 0 | — | 1000 0 0 reduction | 300 0 0 reduced | 600 0 0 increase | 18100 0 0 | 1000 0 0 reduction | 350 0 0 reduction | 100 0 0 reduction | 250 0 0 increase |
| 13 | Seymour Construc-tion Co., Ltd. | Hertford Road, Barking | 56671 19 11 | nil | nil | nil | nil | 14785 12 1 | 400 0 0 reduction | nil | nil | nil |
| 14 | Ports, W. & Sons Ltd. | 1, Station Road, Church End, Finchley | 50705 0 0 | option reqd. same price | option reqd. | 1000 0 0 reduction | 1000 0 0 | 14790 0 0 | brick only | require option | 200 0 0 reduction | 200 0 0 reduction |
| 15 | Silk, W. & Sons, Ltd. | 13, High Street, Homen-ton, E. | 70057 0 0 | — | 1000 0 0 reduction | 300 0 0 reduction | — | 22777 0 0 | 1000 0 0 reduction | 450 0 0 reduction | 250 0 0 reduction | — |
| 16 | Galliford & Co. ... | Montagu Rd., Hendon ... | — | — | — | — | — | 18805 6 0 | — | — | — | — |
| 17 | Neal, Harry ... | Oaklands Gate, North-wood, Middlesex | 41076 19 2 | nil | nil | 2053 0 0 reduction | nil | 13900 0 0 | nil | nil | 695 0 0 reduction | nil |
| 18 | Costin, I. & Co.... | Saw Mills, Harrow ... | 42307 0 0 | To be brick | nil | 1000 0 0 reduction | based on these | 15398 0 0 | in brick | nil | 850 0 0 reduction | based on these prices |
| 19 | Higgs, F. & H., Ltd. | Station Works, Hinton Rd., Herne Hill | 42029 0 0 | — | — | — | — | 18138 0 0 | — | — | — | — |
| 20 | Ellingham, J. W. | Spinal Street, Dartford, Kent | 50792 0 0 | same | nil | — | based on open market | 17380 0 0 | same | nil | nil | based on open market |

Your Committee have received a report from Mr. G. Hornblower (Architect) in reference to such tenders, and after very careful consideration thereof, they

RECOMMEND—

- (1) That the tender of Messrs. Billings and Co., Ltd., of Canal Street, Oxford, be accepted for the completion of houses at the sum of £34,914 4s. 4d., and for the erection of twenty new houses at the sum of £14,898 1s. 9d., a total sum of £49,812 6s. 1d., subject to the approval of the Ministry of Health, and subject to the usual enquiries being satisfactory, and to the Contractors entering into the necessary Contract and Bond.
- (2) That application be made to the Ministry of Health for their approval to the acceptance of the tender of Messrs. Billings and Co., Ltd., and also to the necessary Contract.

LOANS FROM ROYAL LONDON MUTUAL INSURANCE SOCIETY, LTD.: The Clerk submitted Engrossments of Mortgage Deeds in connection with the advances to be made by the Royal London Mutual Insurance Society, Ltd.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS RESOLVED—(1) That the offer of the Royal London Mutual Insurance Society, Ltd., to lend to the Council the sum of £1,970, repayable with interest thereon at the rate of Six Pounds Twelve Shillings and Sixpence per centum per annum, be accepted; (2) That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the Mortgage to the Trustees of the said Society for securing the repayment of the said sum of £1,970, with interest as aforesaid.

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(1) That the offer of the Royal London Mutual Insurance Society, Ltd., to lend to the Council the sum of £500, repayable with interest thereon at the rate of Six Pounds Twelve Shillings and Sixpence per centum per annum, be accepted; (2) That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the Mortgage to the Trustees of the said Society for securing the repayment of the said sum of £500 with interest as aforesaid.

(1) That the offer of the Royal London Mutual Insurance Society, Ltd., to lend to the Council the sum of £1,325, repayable with interest thereon at the rate of Six Pounds Twelve Shillings and Sixpence per centum per annum, be accepted; (2) That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the Mortgage to the Trustees of the said Society for securing the repayment of the the said sum of £1,325 with interest as aforesaid.

(1) That the offer of the Royal London Mutual Insurance Society, Ltd., to lend to the Council the sum of £1,051, repayable with interest thereon at the rate of Six Pounds Twelve Shillings and Sixpence per centum per annum, be accepted; (2) That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the Mortgage to the Trustees of the said Society for securing the repayment of the said sum of £1,051, with interest as aforesaid.

(1) That the offer of the Royal London Mutual Insurance Society, Ltd., to lend to the Council the sum of £600 repayable with interest thereon at the rate of Six Pounds Twelve Shillings and Sixpence per centum per annum, be accepted; (2) That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the Mortgage to the Trustees of the said Society for securing the repayment of the said sum of £600, with interest as aforesaid.

(1) That the offer of the Royal London Mutual Insurance Society, Ltd., to lend to the Council the sum of £3,715, repayable with interest thereon at the rate of Six Pounds Twelve Shillings and Sixpence per centum per annum, be accepted; (2) That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the Mortgage to the Trustees of the said Society for securing the repayment of the said sum of £3,715, with interest as aforesaid.

(1) That the offer of the Royal London Mutual Insurance Society, Ltd., to lend to the Council the sum of £742, repayable with interest thereon at the rate of Six Pounds Twelve Shillings and Sixpence per centum per annum, be accepted; (2) That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the Mortgage to the Trustees of the said Society for securing the repayment of the said sum of £742, with interest as aforesaid.

STANDING ORDERS—MOTION FOR SUSPENSION: Mr. Councillor Wise moved: "That the Standing Orders of the Council be suspended in order that a Deputation might be received by the Council."

The Chairman ruled that the matter was out of order, the Standing Orders requiring four days' notice to be given of a deputation desiring to attend before the Council.

IN COMMITTEE—

ROOMS AT TOWN HALL: The Chairman submitted a letter received by the Hendon Unemployment Fund as to a function proposed to be organized by the Local Lodge of Oddfellows on behalf of the Unemployment Fund on the 21st December next.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Council grant the use of the rooms free of charge for the function—
Mr. Councillor Fenn only dissenting.

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GREATER LONDON: The Clerk reported a communication from the Ministry of Health dealing with the procedure to be adopted by Local Authorities in submitting their views to the Royal Commission, the terms of reference being "To inquire and report what, if any, alterations are needed in the Local Government of the Administrative County of London and the surrounding districts with a view to securing greater efficiency and economy in the administration of Local Government Services, and to reducing any inequalities which may exist in the distribution of local burdens as between different parts of the whole area."

Reports were received from the delegates as to a Conference of Local Authorities held this afternoon at the Middlesex Guildhall, Councillors S. H. Egan, C. W. Hill, and C. C. Cartwright attending with the Officers on behalf of the Council. The representatives had intimated to the Conference that Hendon were satisfied to continue their administration as at present, in conjunction with the Middlesex County Council. The Officers submitted reports bearing upon the proposal from various points of view.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED—That this Council do take the necessary steps to oppose the proposals of the London County Council in connection with the question of the Local Government of Greater London, both in conjunction with the Middlesex County Council and as an independent body, and that the Officers submit a joint report upon the matter.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Officers also prepare a joint report dealing with the question of extending the boundaries of the Hendon district, to make the same co-terminous with the Hendon Parliamentary Division, and as to whether such a project would be advantageous.

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Minutes.

AT A SPECIAL MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 28th day of November, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
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 " " W. L. Glanville,
 " " C. W. Hill,
 " " A. B. Soar,
 " " J. H. Sturgess,
 " " W. Taylor,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.
 " " R. M. Weeks,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant).

The Clerk read the notice convening the meeting.

HOUSING SCHEME—SELECTION OF TENANTS: The Clerk reported receipt of a communication from the National Union of Railwaymen, West Hendon Branch, in reference to the application of Mr. Judd for one of the Council Houses at Brent Hill Farm. The communication also requested the Council to receive a deputation from the Union upon the subject.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Fenn, seconded by Councillor Miss Growse,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That a deputation consisting of four persons be received by the Council, two of such number to act as speakers.

The deputation consisting of Messrs. E. Holt, A. Morsman, W. H. Pendrill, and W. Stevens, attended the meeting of the Council, and Messrs. Holt and Pendrill addressed the Council in regard to the case of Mr. Judd.

After hearing the views of the deputation, Mr. Councillor Wise moved:

"That this Council agree to provide a home for Mr. Judd and family at the earliest possible opportunity."

Mr. Councillor Fenn seconded the motion.

Mr. Councillor Sturgess moved as an amendment:

"That this matter be referred to a meeting of the Council in Committee to be held at the conclusion of the public meeting."

Mr. Councillor Taylor seconded the amendment.

Upon the amendment being put to the meeting, there voted for it 9, viz.: Councillors Hill, Weeks, Cartwright, Ford, Soar, Taylor, Sturgess, Mrs. Bannister and Mrs. Hargraves; and against it five, viz.: Councillors Teare, Glanville, Fenn, Wise and Miss Growse.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be carried.

The amendment was then put to the meeting as the substantive motion, and declared to be carried, the members voting as before.

IN COMMITTEE—

HOUSING—CASE OF MR. JUDD: The case of Mr. Judd was then further considered by the Council. Mr. Councillor Sturgess moved:

"That the application of Mr. Judd be referred back to the Sub-Committee on letting of houses, with instructions to allot Mr. Judd a house as soon as possible, consistent with the rules of the Council regarding such allotment."

Mr. Councillor Taylor seconded the motion.

Mr. Councillor Hill moved as an amendment:

"That the action of the Sub-Committee be confirmed."

Mr. Councillor Ford seconded the amendment.

Upon the amendment being put to the meeting there voted for it 5, viz.: Councillors Hill, Weeks, Teare, Ford, and Mrs. Hargraves; and against it 8, viz.: Councillors Soar, Taylor, Glanville, Sturgess, Fenn, Wise, Mrs. Bannister, and Miss Growse.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be not carried.

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Mr. Councillor Fenn moved:

"That the question be now put."

Mr. Councillor Sturgess seconded the motion, and upon the same being put to the meeting it was declared to be carried *nem. con.*

The motion by Mr. Councillor Sturgess was then put to the meeting, and there voted for it 10, namely: Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Miss Growse, Wise, Fenn, Sturgess, Glanville, Taylor, Soar, Teare, and Weeks; and against it 3, viz.: Councillors Hill, Ford, and Mrs. Hargraves.

The Chairman declared the motion to be carried.

OUTDOOR COMMITTEE: Reference was made to the question of holding a meeting of the Outdoor Committee on the 3rd proximo, but it was decided to defer the meeting until the 10th proximo.

UNEMPLOYED RELIEF WORK: A Report was submitted by the Surveyor in reference to the provision of further work for the relief of unemployment. He suggested that a much-needed improvement for the widening of Bell Lane, Hendon, could be put in hand, provision being made for a carriageway 24 feet wide, and a footway 12 feet wide, with the necessary surface water drainage from the end of the existing houses opposite Belle Vue Terrace to the Bridge, the estimated cost of the scheme would amount to the sum of £4,848.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Weeks,


IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Council proceed to carry out the improvements in Bell Lane at an estimated cost of £4,848, and that application be made to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the necessary Loan for the works, and also to the Ministry of Transport for a contribution towards the cost thereof.

The Surveyor reported that a communication had been received from the Ministry of Transport in reference to the conditions relating to proposed grants in connection with Unemployment Relief Work, from which it appeared that the Ministry had laid down certain conditions regarding the recruitment of labour, and the rates of wages to be paid in connection with such work which must be observed.

The Surveyor was instructed to ascertain from the Ministry whether the conditions could not be relaxed to enable the Council to continue the present arrangement for procuring labour under the Hendon Unemployment Committee, and at the rate of pay now prevailing in connection with workmen engaged under this scheme.

SEWAGE WORKS EXTENSION: Reference was made to the possibility of carrying out a portion of the preliminary work in connection with the sewage works extension, more especially the excavation work, by unemployed labour, and upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Soar,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Engineer submit a scheme for putting in hand the first portion of the extensions outlined in the Consulting Engineer's report, such work to be carried out as unemployment relief work, to enable applications to be made to the Ministry of Transport for a grant in respect of such scheme, and to the Ministry of Health for the necessary sanction to Loan.


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HENDON, N.W.

1st December, 1921.

DEAR SIR, or MADAM,

I beg to inform you that a Meeting of the Urban District Council of Hendon will be held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday next, the 5th day of December, 1921, at 6.30 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of transacting the following business, namely:—

Agenda:

1. To confirm Minutes of previous Meetings.
2. Questions.
3. Report of Finance Committee.
4. Report of Works and Sewage Disposal Committee.
5. Reports of Public Health Committee.
6. Report of Town Planning Committee.
7. Reports of Housing Committee.
8. Report of Fire Brigade Committee.
9. Report of General Purposes Committee.
10. Report of Highways Committee.
11. Report of Staff Committee.
12. Report of Requisitions Committee.
13. Report of Clerk.
14. Report of Surveyor.
15. Education Committee (Minutes).

I am, Dear Sir or Madam,

Yours faithfully,

HENRY HUMPHRIS,

Clerk to the Council.

Pensions Committee, at 6.15 p.m.

The Requisitions Committee, consisting of the Chairmen of the Standing Committees, to follow.

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Report of Finance Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 28th day of November, 1921. Present: Councillor Cartwright (Chairman), Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Fenn, Soar, Sturgess, Teare and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, ETC.: Your Committee have examined the Treasurer's Pass Book and Cash Books, and report that the total receipts from all sources since the last meeting amounted to the sum of £17,492 3s. 8d., making a total of £115,476 18s. 10d. for the current financial year.

INCOME.

| Description. | Amounts previously Reported. | | Amounts now Reported. | | Total. |
|---|------------------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|------------|
| | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | |
| Rateable Accounts— | | | | | |
| Hendon Recreation Ground ... | 162 | 18 10 | 1 | 11 3 | 164 10 1 |
| Sewage Farm and Stables, Rents, etc. | 322 | 10 0 | 9 | 0 0 | 331 10 0 |
| Stables—Sale of Horses ... | 20 | 0 0 | | | 20 0 0 |
| Sanitary Department, Disinfecting, etc. | 4 | 7 0 | 10 | 6 | 4 17 6 |
| Burroughs House, Rent, etc. ... | 32 | 14 0 | 19 | 6 5 | 52 0 5 |
| Maternity Centres and Midwifery ... | 614 | 11 8 | 52 | 9 3 | 667 0 11 |
| Isolation Hospital—Charges recovered | 25 | 16 0 | | | 25 16 0 |
| Refuse Collection and Dust Shoot | | | | | |
| Permits ... | 96 | 2 6 | 3 | 17 6 | 100 0 0 |
| Fire Brigade, expenses, etc., recovered | 119 | 1 4 | | | 119 1 4 |
| Motor Ambulance, fees, etc. ... | 79 | 4 6 | 7 | 10 0 | 86 14 6 |
| Highways and Main Roads ... | 377 | 6 4 | 2470 | 0 0 | 2847 6 4 |
| Street Lighting, damages recovered | 1 | 6 9 | | | 1 6 9 |
| Lyons and Harvists Trust Fund | 365 | 18 8 | 250 | 4 7 | 616 3 3 |
| Salaries Account, fees, etc. ... | 297 | 19 10 | 107 | 17 7 | 405 17 5 |
| Public Offices, lettings, etc. ... | 161 | 5 8 | 47 | 2 8 | 208 8 4 |
| Establishment and Legal Expenses | 178 | 5 3 | 16 | 2 5 | 194 7 8 |
| Building Certificates ... | 82 | 19 0 | 17 | 17 0 | 100 16 0 |
| Interest and Dividends ... | 2239 | 10 0 | | | 2239 10 0 |
| Workmen's compensation ... | 22 | 3 4 | 3 | 4 2 | 25 7 6 |
| General District Rates and Costs | 44432 | 7 10 | 11893 | 3 9 | 56325 11 7 |
| Government Contribution in lieu of Rates | 336 | 7 6 | | | 336 7 6 |
| | £49972 | 16 0 | 14899 | 17 1 | 64872 13 1 |
| Suspense Accounts— | | | | | |
| National Kitchens ... | 58 | 1 0 | 15 | 0 0 | 73 1 0 |
| Allotments ... | 212 | 3 9 | 12 | 5 4 | 224 9 1 |
| Emergency Coal Control—Expenses | | | 5 | 6 1 | 5 6 1 |
| Lands Cultivation Orders ... | 133 | 5 4 | 2 | 0 | 133 7 4 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 1, Rents | 866 | 4 5 | 113 | 7 8 | 979 12 1 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 2, Rents | 527 | 4 9 | 118 | 15 4 | 646 0 1 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 2, Key Deposits | 6 | 10 0 | 1 | 10 0 | 8 0 0 |
| Emergency Food Control—repayment of advance | 250 | 0 0 | | | 250 0 0 |
| Private Works ... | 1251 | 0 11 | 176 | 1 4 | 1427 2 3 |
| Tender Deposits ... | 304 | 5 0 | 258 | 6 0 | 562 11 0 |
| Wages—Unemployment Fund | 532 | 14 2 | | | 532 14 2 |
| Hendon Overseers ... | 1036 | 19 5 | | | 1036 19 5 |
| Private Improvements ... | 1134 | 10 6 | 1720 | 0 6 | 2854 11 0 |
| Land, West Hendon, rent ... | 3 | 0 0 | 3 | 0 0 | 6 0 0 |
| Brent Hill Housing, rents ... | 648 | 2 11 | 157 | 19 2 | 806 2 1 |
| Ditto, ditto, wages repaid ... | | | 8 | 2 | 8 2 |
| Ditto, ditto, key deposits ... | 9 | 0 0 | 5 | 0 | 9 5 0 |
| Coal Reserve Stock—Sales | 83 | 17 0 | | | 83 17 0 |
| | £7056 | 19 2 | 2582 | 6 7 | 9639 5 9 |
| Capital Accounts— | | | | | |
| Loans—General ... | 32035 | 0 0 | | | 32035 0 0 |
| Loans—Housing ... | 7100 | 0 0 | | | 7100 0 0 |
| Housing Bonds ... | 1820 | 0 0 | 10 | 0 0 | 1830 0 0 |
| | £40955 | 0 0 | 10 | 0 0 | 40965 0 0 |

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| Rateable Accounts | 49972 | 16 0 | 14899 | 17 1 | 64872 | 13 1 |
| Suspense Accounts | 7056 | 19 2 | 2582 | 6 7 | 9639 | 5 9 |
| Capital Accounts | 40955 | 0 0 | 10 | 0 0 | 40965 | 0 0 |
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- 2.—**RATE COLLECTION:** They have also examined the Statement as to the rate collection, and find that there has been collected and paid to the Treasurer since the last meeting the sum of £11,890 13s. 6d. on account of rates, and £2 10s. 3d. on account of costs.
- 3.—**STATEMENT OF BALANCES:** They have also examined the Cash Book and Statement of Treasurer's Balances, which they found correct, and report that the total balance in hand amounted to £22,884 7s. 4d.

BANK ACCOUNTS.

| DEBITS— | Revenue Account. | | Sinking Fund. | | Loans Account. | | Housing Subsidised Account. | | Total. | |
|---|------------------|-------|---------------|-------|----------------|-------|-----------------------------|-------|--------|-------|
| | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| Balance in hand 28th October, 1921 | 1292 | 9 11 | 10 | 0 5 | | | 50581 | 8 10 | 51883 | 19 2 |
| Receipts per Statement to 23rd November, 1921 | 15777 | 3 2 | | | 1705 | 0 6 | 10 | 0 0 | 17492 | 3 8 |
| Cancelled Cheques | | 5 3 | | | | | | | | 5 3 |
| Balance overdrawn at 23rd November, 1921 | | | | | 26829 | 0 5 | | | 26829 | 0 5 |
| | £17069 | 18 4 | 10 | 0 5 | 28534 | 0 11 | 50591 | 8 10 | 96205 | 8 6 |

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| Balance overdrawn at 28th October, 1921 | | | | | 20236 | 6 4 | | | 20236 | 6 4 |
| Cheques per list to 7th November, 1921 | 10475 | 7 7 | | | 6297 | 14 7 | 7482 | 12 3 | 26255 | 14 5 |
| Balance in hand 23rd November, 1921 | 6594 | 10 9 | 10 | 0 5 | | | 43108 | 16 7 | 49713 | 7 9 |
| | £17069 | 18 4 | 10 | 0 5 | 28534 | 0 11 | 50591 | 8 10 | 96205 | 8 6 |

- 4.—**ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT:** They have also considered the various accounts submitted for payment, amounting to the sum of £23,031 2s. 3d., and

RECOMMEND—That the same be passed and cheques drawn for the various amounts.

- 5.—**EXPENDITURE JOURNALS, GENERAL AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS:** That they have examined these Journals, and

RECOMMEND—That the Personal Accounts in the Ledger be credited, and the various Impersonal Accounts debited with the amounts of the Invoices, as per the following Statement showing outlay to date:—

EXPENDITURE.

| Approved Estimate. | Account Chargeable. | Payments previously Reported. | | Amounts now Reported. | | Total. | |
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| | | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| RATEABLE ACCOUNTS— | | | | | | | |
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| 9906 | Main Roads | 2194 | 13 3 | 528 | 2 3 | 2722 | 15 6 |
| 4936 | Highways | 4809 | 13 8 | 177 | 1 1 | 4986 | 14 9 |
| 2547 | Tarpainting | 2529 | 12 9 | 101 | 2 11 | 2630 | 15 8 |
| 250 | Dust and Refuse Removal | 222 | 3 0 | | | 222 | 3 0 |
| | Warner Road Shoot | 93 | 15 0 | 93 | 15 0 | 186 | 15 0 |
| 250 | Emptying Cesspools | 182 | 10 0 | | | 182 | 10 0 |
| 670 | Mill Hill Dusting | 374 | 0 0 | 128 | 0 0 | 502 | 0 0 |
| 12280 | Public Lighting | 3837 | 8 4 | 1940 | 18 2 | 5778 | 6 6 |
| 115 | Sewers Maintenance etc. | 45 | 7 0 | 16 | 5 9 | 61 | 12 9 |
| 544 | Pumping Stations | 256 | 10 8 | 12 | 6 0 | 268 | 16 8 |
| 832 | Outfall Works | 627 | 4 3 | 67 | 17 3 | 695 | 1 6 |
| 440 | Sanitation, etc. | 236 | 0 11 | 9 | 16 7 | 245 | 17 6 |
| 1219 | Isolation Hospital | 663 | 5 8 | 13 | 4 6 | 676 | 10 2 |
| 1414 | Joint Smallpox Hospital | 555 | 4 11 | 3 | 10 0 | 558 | 14 11 |
| 162 | Maternity Centres | 96 | 5 10 | 20 | 6 0 | 116 | 11 10 |
| 950 | Maternity Stock and Milk | 307 | 6 9 | 30 | 11 1 | 337 | 17 10 |
| 300 | Day Nursery Grants | 225 | 0 0 | 75 | 0 0 | 300 | 0 0 |
| 55 | Mortuary | 16 | 11 3 | 0 | 10 0 | 16 | 11 3 |
| 1335 | Fire Brigade | 943 | 6 0 | 196 | 13 2 | 1139 | 19 2 |
| 87 | Accident Ambulance | 39 | 14 9 | 26 | 0 9 | 65 | 15 6 |
| 668 | Pleasure Grounds, Street Trees, etc. | 262 | 8 8 | 55 | 4 7 | 317 | 13 3 |
| 974 | Town Hall | 533 | 12 10 | 8 | 11 11 | 542 | 4 9 |
| 170 | Burroughs House | 96 | 17 7 | | | 96 | 17 7 |
| 800 | Legal, etc., Expenses | 875 | 2 0 | 8 | 0 0 | 883 | 2 0 |
| 200 | Establishment Expenses | 141 | 19 6 | 21 | 2 5 | 163 | 1 11 |
| 1100 | Printing, Advertising, and Insurances | 896 | 12 3 | 120 | 12 6 | 1017 | 4 9 |
| 194 | Election Expenses | 193 | 2 7 | 1 | 4 3 | 194 | 6 10 |
| 18070 | Loan Charges | 8791 | 12 1 | 851 | 11 2 | 9643 | 3 3 |
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| 27046 | Wages | ... | ... | 20942 | 6 1 | 1537 | 13 11 | 22500 | 0 0 | | |
| 3110 | Stables | ... | ... | 907 | 4 7 | 86 | 5 9 | 993 | 10 4 | | |
| 1616 | Stores | ... | ... | 1733 | 11 10 | 468 | 7 8 | 2201 | 19 6 | | |
| 45 | Public Depots | ... | ... | 32 | 5 3 | 7 | 3 6 | 39 | 8 9 | | |
| 1080 | Steam Wagons | ... | ... | 267 | 11 4 | 3 | 4 5 | 270 | 15 9 | | |
| 869 | Stationery Stock | ... | ... | 425 | 7 11 | 134 | 4 8 | 559 | 12 7 | | |
| 1950 | Special Works | ... | ... | 854 | 14 3 | 295 | 18 9 | 295 | 18 9 | | |
| | Ditto, Wages | ... | ... | | | 799 | 7 0 | 1654 | 1 3 | | |
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| | Bittacy View House | ... | ... | 1 | 2 6 | | | | | | |
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| Allotments | ... | 141 | 6 11 | 17 | 19 0 | 159 | 5 11 |
| Ditto, Wages | ... | 15 | 2 9 | | 6 11 | 15 | 9 8 |
| Lands Cultivation Orders | ... | 164 | 12 8 | 46 | 3 9 | 210 | 16 5 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 1 | ... | 379 | 16 9 | | 2 10 | 379 | 19 7 |
| Ditto, Wages | ... | 188 | 15 8 | | 6 8 3 | 195 | 3 11 |
| Overseers' Expenses | ... | 248 | 11 11 | | 13 7 10 | 261 | 19 9 |
| Food Control | ... | 250 | 0 0 | | | 250 | 0 0 |
| Open Air Swimming Bath | ... | | | | 1 10 2 | 1 | 10 2 |
| Kitchens | ... | 41 | 6 6 | | 6 17 0 | 48 | 3 6 |
| Private Works | ... | 419 | 16 0 | | 81 3 4 | 500 | 19 4 |
| Ditto, Wages | ... | 218 | 14 4 | | 4 8 4 | 223 | 2 8 |
| District Rate Refunds | ... | 47 | 4 3 | | 4 16 0 | 52 | 0 3 |
| Education | ... | 5 | 4 9 | | | 5 | 4 9 |
| Stables Reserve, Horses | ... | 200 | 0 0 | | | 200 | 0 0 |
| Unemployed, Wages | ... | 440 | 8 0 | | 92 6 2 | 532 | 14 2 |
| Subsidised Housing—excess of 1d. Rate | ... | 3771 | 14 8 | 1612 | 5 5 | 5384 | 0 1 |
| Tender Deposits repaid | ... | 387 | 15 0 | | | 387 | 15 0 |
| Coal Reserve Stock | ... | 12 | 0 0 | | | 12 | 0 0 |
| North Circular Road | ... | | | | 70 2 8 | 70 | 2 8 |
| Ditto, Wages | ... | 9 | 16 4 | | | 9 | 16 4 |
| Workmen's Compensation | ... | | | | 18 8 | 18 | 8 |
| Ditto, Wages | ... | 33 | 5 0 | | 7 0 0 | 40 | 5 0 |
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| 33939 | Child's Hill Housing, No. 2 | ... | 9836 | 18 11 | 1327 | 11 10 | 11164 | 10 9 |
| | Ditto, Wages | ... | | | 195 | 0 0 | 195 | 0 0 |
| 211556 | Brent Hill Housing | ... | 63039 | 16 4 | 1054 | 13 2 | 64094 | 9 6 |
| | Ditto, Wages | ... | 316 | 9 8 | 395 | 17 11 | 712 | 7 7 |
| 2533 | Bittacy Hill Housing | ... | 2720 | 19 9 | | 17 6 | 2721 | 17 3 |
| 35048 | Private Street Improvements | ... | 19646 | 15 3 | 295 | 3 6 | 19941 | 18 9 |
| 7100 | West Hendon Housing | ... | 7185 | 2 6 | | | 7185 | 2 6 |
| | Ditto, Wages | ... | 23 | 12 11 | | | 23 | 12 11 |
| 500 | Colindeep Lane Sewer | ... | 315 | 11 9 | | | 315 | 11 9 |
| 13735 | Kingsbury Lane Land (Pleasure Grounds) | ... | 14316 | 8 4 | | | 14316 | 8 4 |
| 1800 | Kingsbury Lane Land (Allotments) | ... | 1665 | 0 0 | | | 1665 | 0 0 |
| 86000 | Edgware Road Reconstruction | ... | 4619 | 18 4 | 3949 | 5 3 | 8569 | 3 7 |
| | Ditto, Wages | ... | | | 133 | 16 8 | 133 | 16 8 |
| 1977 | Outfall Works Extension | ... | 2673 | 4 7 | 2151 | 0 6 | 4824 | 5 1 |
| 3715 | Park Road Widening | ... | 133 | 17 11 | | | 133 | 17 11 |
| | Ditto, Wages | ... | 116 | 9 1 | | 3 6 11 | 119 | 16 0 |
| 6000 | Temple Fortune Sewer | ... | 4086 | 5 2 | 1086 | 5 10 | 5172 | 11 0 |
| | Ditto, Wages | ... | 10 | 16 8 | | 58 10 0 | 69 | 6 8 |
| 1970 | Woodstock Avenue, New Road | ... | 673 | 0 5 | 338 | 10 9 | 1011 | 11 2 |
| | Ditto, Wages | ... | 808 | 12 4 | | 43 11 0 | 852 | 3 4 |
| 1325 | Bittacy Hill Land (Pleasure Ground) | ... | 1383 | 13 3 | | | 1383 | 13 3 |
| 742 | Ditto (Allotments) | ... | 774 | 17 1 | | | 774 | 17 1 |
| | Fire Hydrants | ... | 15 | 0 | | | 15 | 0 |
| | Stores | ... | 390 | 16 10 | | | 390 | 16 10 |
| | Mill Hill Road and Shire Hall Lane | ... | 1000 | 0 0 | 469 | 11 3 | 469 | 11 3 |
| | Ditto, Wages | ... | | | 500 | 0 0 | 1500 | 0 0 |
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SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS TO DATE.

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| Rateable Accounts | ... | 65883 | 15 1 | 9167 | 8 10 | 75051 | 3 11 |
| Suspense Accounts | ... | 6975 | 11 6 | 1965 | 16 4 | 8941 | 7 10 |
| Capital Accounts | ... | 135749 | 2 1 | 12003 | 2 1 | 147742 | 4 2 |
| £208598 | 8 8 | 23136 | 7 8 | 231734 | 15 11 | | |

6.—LAND AT ASHLEY LANE: A further report was received in regard to the position of the negotiations in this matter, and a memorandum was received from the Ministry of Health, intimating that an Official communication would be forwarded in due course.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of this letter and hope that a further communication will be received for consideration at their next meeting.

7.—BRENT HILL HOUSES: Letter from Messrs. Purnell and Clifford, who deposited £10 10s. in connection with the tenders for the completion of the Brent Hill Scheme. Messrs. Purnell and Clifford intimated that owing to the conditions of contract, they would be unable to submit a tender and had returned the plans and documents to the Architect. In the circumstances, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the deposit of £10 10s. be refunded to Messrs. Purnell and Clifford.

8.—PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS:

(A) RODBOROUGH ROAD: Letter from Messrs. Neave Morton and Co., in reference to the notice of apportionment served upon the Trustees of the Wesleyan Church, Golders Green, for the sum of £439 3s. 6d. in respect of the Church Site in Rodborough Road. They applied for remission of the road charges in respect of the site of the church.

After careful consideration of the application, your Committee decided to follow the usual procedure and remit such charges in respect of the church site subject, however, to the trustees entering into an agreement to pay the full amount of the road charges in the event of the site being used for any other purpose than as a place of worship. They therefore

RECOMMEND—That the amount of private street improvement expenses in respect of the Wesleyan Church Site in Rodborough Road amounting to the sum of £439 3s. 6d. be remitted subject to the Trustees of the Church entering into an agreement in these terms.

(B) AUTHORITY FOR DEMANDS: Report from the Clerk that the time limited by the notices of apportionment in connection with the making up of the following private roads under Section 150 of the Public Health Act, 1875, expired on the 2nd proximo, and he asked for authority to serve the notices of demand.

Alba Gardens.
Ambrose Avenue.
Garrick Avenue.
Russell Gardens.
Sneath Avenue.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk have authority to serve notices of demand upon the owners in the above-mentioned roads.

(C) HIGHFIELD AVENUE: Letter from Mr. J. W. Styche, making enquiry whether any reduction could be made in the road charges for prompt payment. Report from the Clerk that Mr. Styche had been informed that the amount demanded could not be varied, but the Council agreed to spread payment over a period if desired.

Your Committee confirmed the action of the Clerk.

9.—HOUSING BONDS: Report from the Accountant that since the last meeting the sum of £10 had been received in respect of Local Housing Bonds, the amount to date being £27,215.

10.—CONTRACTORS' CERTIFICATES: The Surveyor submitted Certificates in favour of Contractors as follows:—

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| Adams, Thos. | Russell Gardens Private Improvements | £281 12s. 6d. |
| Moss and Son, | Temple Fortune Outfall Sewer | £1086 5s. 10d. |
| Moss and Son, | Sewage Outfall Works | £2150 0s. 0d. |
| Farrow, H., | Brent Hill Roads and Sewers | £349 0s. 0d. |
| Farrow, H., | Edgware Road Works, | £3930 0s. 0d. |

Such certificates have been included in the accounts for payment.

11.—BRENT HILL ROADS AND SEWERS: Report from the Surveyor as to his negotiations with Mr. Farrow relative to the release of a portion of his retention money in connection with the Contract for the construction of roads and sewers at Brent Hill Farm.

Report from the Surveyor that he had communicated with the Ministry of Health as to surplus materials delivered on the site by the Director of Building Materials Supply which would not now be required. He also submitted a communication from Mr. Farrow, the Contractor, agreeing to the conditions laid down by the Council in connection with the release of a portion of the retention money referred to. Your Committee now

RECOMMEND—That subject to the terms being agreed by Mr. Farrow, that the cheque for £500 be drawn in respect of the release of the portion of the retention money under the Contract.

Report

Ladies and Gentlemen

Your Committee
November, 1921.
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Report of Works and Sewage Disposal Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 14th day of November, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Roberts (Chairman), Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Cartwright, Egan, Glanville, Hill, Reynolds, Soar and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—BRENT LOW LEVEL SEWER: Report from the Engineer in regard to a proposal for the extension of the Brent Low Level Sewer from Brentmead Place, thence under the River Brent, and along Brent Street, to cope with the building developments, at an estimated cost of £1,900.

He intimated that he had been in negotiation with the owners of property who would benefit by the proposal, and one of the owners in question had agreed to make a contribution of £500 toward the cost of the work, subject to certain conditions. The Engineer explained that it would be necessary to negotiate with the Metropolitan Railway Company with a view to obtaining an easement over a portion of their land.

After due consideration of the report of the Engineer in regard to the matter, your Committee approved of the same, and requested him to continue his negotiations, and submit a further report thereon in due course.

In connection with this scheme your Committee understand that it might be possible, with the sanction of the Ministry of Health, to utilise certain unspent balances of loans for sewerage works.

Your Committee authorised the Engineer to submit his proposals to the Ministry with this object in view.

2.—ALLOTMENTS:

(A) WEST VIEW: Letter from Messrs. Hazel and Baines in reference to the completion of the lease on the part of All Souls' College Authorities in connection with the land for the West View Allotments.

It appeared from such communication that the College Agents had intimated that they were unable to complete the same until shanties erected on the land in question, by certain of the allottees, had been removed.

Your Committee are informed that the Surveyor has communicated with the Central Hendon Allotment Association requiring the removal of such shanties, and in view of such information it was decided to await a reply from the Association before proceeding further in the matter.

(B) ARCHFIELDS ALLOTMENTS: Letter from Messrs. Hazel and Baines as to the completion of the Lease of the Archfields Allotments, from which it appeared that the delay in the matter was due to the fact that the All Souls' College Authorities had not been able to obtain a formal surrender of the portion of the land leased to the Golf Club. It was anticipated, however, that the matter would be settled without further delay, when the Lease would be completed.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of such communication.

(C) PROVISION OF ALLOTMENTS: Letter from the Secretary of the Urban District Councils' Association in regard to the functions of the Departmental Committee appointed to investigate the position as regards the provision by Local Authorities of allotments, and to formulate recommendations for such amendments of the existing legislation and administration as might be desirable to secure adequate provision of allotments by Local Authorities, and to improve the tenure and security of occupiers of allotments.

The Executive Committee of the Urban District Councils' Association intimated that they had been invited to submit a statement to the Departmental Committee in connection with their inquiry, and in order to do so they asked to be furnished with the views of the Council as to what legislative changes the Council considered necessary to facilitate the provision of allotments. What (if any) changes in the law should be made as regards (a) the tenure and compensation for disturbance of allotment holders; (b) the rentals required to be fixed for allotments pursuant to Section 27 of the Small Holdings and Allotments Act, 1908; and (c) the operation of Section 46 of the same Act?

The Association made enquiry whether the Council would approve a proposal that the provision of allotments should form the subject of a charge on the rates (a) without qualification; (b) subject to the rentals charged for allotments being such as might be approved from time to time by the Ministry of Agriculture; or (c) subject to a moiety of the annual deficiency being borne by the Imperial Exchequer.

The Association also inquired whether the Council desired to make any other suggestions for submission to the Departmental Committee.

Your Committee have given due consideration to such representations, and instructed the Clerk to reply thereto in terms set out in MS. in the Committee Book.

(D) ALLOTMENTS—THE WOODLANDS: Letter from Mr. F. Bastable in further reference to the notice given by him terminating the agreement entered into by the Council in connection with the land for allotment purposes at The Woodlands on the 25th December next.

The Council will remember that Mr. Bastable stated that it might be possible to arrange, in the event of the Council desiring to do so, for them to remain in possession of the land after the expiration of the notice referred to, and negotiations were accordingly entered into with Mr. Bastable on these lines.

Mr. Bastable now intimated that he had received a notice from the Middlesex County Council relative to the construction of the North Circular Road, which would cut through the land in question, and delay immediate development on his part. He was therefore prepared to allow the Council to continue their occupation of the land under a tenancy at will, the allottees being required to surrender their occupation of the plots, without compensation immediately the land was required for development. After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

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RECOMMEND—That the Council accept the offer of Mr. Bastable, and that the Allotment Association be informed of the arrangement.

- (E) COOL OAK LANE ALLOTMENTS: Letter from Mr. G. Nye, Hon. Secretary of the Cool Oak Lane Allotment Association, in further reference to the notice to quit, which the Association desired to be served on the holder of plot No. 41 on the Cool Oak Lane Allotments.

On further consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a notice to quit be served.

- (F) CHILD'S HILL ALLOTMENTS:

(1) The Chairman reported that he had interviewed Mr. Rutland, the Child's Hill Allotment representative, relative to the question of uncultivated allotments at Child's Hill. It appeared that two of the plots in question, in the occupation of a person residing outside the district, had become uncultivated, and your Committee therefore gave authority for a notice to quit to be served in this case.

(2) Reference was made to the condition of the paths on the Child's Hill Allotments, and it was decided that the allottees should be requested to keep the same in proper order.

- (G) ALLOTMENTS—MILL HILL: Letter from Mr. A. Bacon, on behalf of the Hale and District Allotments' Association, expressing the views of the Association in connection with the proposal to acquire the land offered on the Mylesdown Estate for the provision of allotments.

After due consideration of such communication, your Committee instructed the Surveyor to continue his negotiations in connection with this land.

- (H) HOSPITAL FIELD ALLOTMENTS: Letter from Mr. J. H. Gurney making application for an allotment on the Hospital Field, which he stated would shortly become vacant, and alleging that one of the plot-holders on the said allotments was in possession of more than one plot.

Your Committee have referred the matter to the Accountant for attention.

- (I) BOOTH ROAD ALLOTMENTS: The Surveyor reported that he had communicated with Mr. Warland, Hon. Secretary of the Colindale Allotment Association, relative to the notice received by the Council from the Grahame-White Company, Ltd., as to their intention to close the gate at the entrance to the footpath in Colindale Avenue owing to the difficulty experienced in connection therewith.

Mr. Warland intimated in reply that he proposed to bring the matter before his Committee, and would communicate their decision in due course.

Your Committee are of opinion that in the event of any reasonable suggestions being put forward by the Association with a view to remedying the complaint referred to, that the matter be taken up with the Company forthwith.

They requested Councillors Ford and Reynolds, upon the receipt of a reply from the Allotment Association, to interview the Company, on behalf of the Council, with a view, if possible, of securing a continuance of the wayleave to the allotments.

- 3.—COAL EMERGENCY ORDERS: The Clerk reported the receipt of a letter from the Coal Mines Department in regard to the refund of expenses incurred by Local Authorities in administering the Coal Emergency Directions, 1921, and outlining the procedure to be adopted in the event of the Local Authority desiring to make a claim in respect of such expenses.

Your Committee are informed that the claim on behalf of the Council has been made and satisfied, and have therefore noted the contents of the communication referred to.

- 4.—PROPOSED RECREATION GROUND—COLINDALE AVENUE: The Surveyor submitted a report as to his further negotiations with H.M. Office of Works relative to obtaining land in Colindale Avenue, adjoining the British Museum Repository, for the purpose of providing a Recreation Ground for children resident in that neighbourhood.

It appeared that as a result of such negotiations, H.M. Office of Works were prepared to lease such land to the Council at a rental of £4 per acre per annum, it being a stipulation that in the event of the British Museum Repository being extended, the Council would be required to surrender their tenancy.

The Office of Works suggested that the Council should negotiate with the present tenant of the land with a view to his giving up the same. Failing satisfactory arrangements being made in this direction, they undertook to give him six months' notice to quit.

After due consideration of the terms upon which H.M. Office of Works were prepared to lease the land to the Council, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the same be accepted, and that the Surveyor negotiate with the present tenant of the land with a view to him surrendering his tenancy of the same, failing which the matter be placed in the hands of the Office of Works in accordance with their suggestion.

- 5.—REFUSE DISPOSAL: The Surveyor submitted a detailed report in regard to an inspection which he had made of a plant recently installed by the Hampstead Borough Council for dealing with house refuse.

After consideration of such report, your Committee were of opinion that it would be advantageous if an opportunity could be afforded to a Sub-Committee of the Council to visit the works in question.

Your Committee therefore appointed Councillors Egan, Roberts and Soar as such Sub-Committee, and requested the Surveyor to make arrangements with the Hampstead Borough Council for the Sub-Committee to visit their works on Saturday, the 26th inst.

- 6.—VAN—PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT: The Surveyor asked for and obtained authority to dispose of the old Horse Van at one time used in connection with the Public Health Services for the sum of £5.

- 7.—REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor submitted requisitions of goods required in his department, and the same were duly approved.

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Report of Public Health Committee, No. 1.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 14th day of November, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Teare (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Growse, Fenn, Ford, Hearn, Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Page, Taylor, and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—ISOLATION HOSPITAL: That they gave consideration to a report from the Medical Officer of Health and the Engineer as to an interview they had had with the Medical Officers of the Ministry of Health in reference to the proposals submitted for the extension of the Council's Isolation Hospital. Certain suggestions were made by the Officers of the Ministry, which your Committee consider would add considerably to the cost of the scheme, and your Committee cannot entertain the same. They have, however, given consideration to the question of reducing the cost of the present proposals, and

RECOMMEND—That the Medical Officer of Health and the Engineer submit a further report with a modified scheme on the lines suggested by the Committee, with a view to the cost of the work being defrayed out of revenue.

2.—DITCHES: That they received a report from the Surveyor in reference to certain ditches in the district, viz.: at Albert Road; also a ditch from near Brent Bridge to Finchley Road. Your Committee gather from such report that such ditches are wholly on private property, and have no recommendation to make thereon at present.

3.—VITAL STATISTICS: Report from the Medical Officer of Health that for the past four weeks the birth rate was 13.0 per 1,000; whilst the death rate for the same period was 13.23.

Your Committee desire to point out that the death rate calculated on deaths of Hendon residents only is 6.98 per 1,000, the rate of 13.23 including deaths in Hendon of persons resident elsewhere.

4.—MIDDLESEX DISTRICTS JOINT SMALL POX HOSPITAL BOARD: Reference was made to the Council's representation upon the Board, the population of the district being now over 50,000, the Council are entitled to one additional representative. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—(1) That application be made for one additional representative for this district; (2) That the Chairman of the Council be appointed the additional representative from this Council.

5.—DRAINAGE WORKS: That they received a report from the Sanitary Inspector in reference to certain drainage works in the district, and approved same.

6.—STATUTORY NOTICES: Report from the Sanitary Inspector that in the following cases preliminary notices had been served but not complied with, and he asked for authority to serve Statutory Notices:—

| | Notice under |
|----------------------|---|
| 26a, Argyle Road | Section 36, Public Health Act, 1875. |
| 26, Argyle Road | Section 91, Public Health Act, 1875. |
| 28a, Argyle Road | Section 36, Public Health Act, 1875. |
| 40, Ravenstone Road | Section 36, Public Health Act, 1875. |
| 18, Yew Grove | Section 91, Public Health Act, 1875. |
| 46, Cricklewood Lane | Section 91, Public Health Act, 1875. |
| 35, Oak Grove | Section 91 and 36, Public Health Act, 1875. |
| 9, Lichfield Road | Section 91 and 36, Public Health Act, 1875. |

7.—SANITARY CERTIFICATES: The Sanitary Inspector submitted a report in reference to applications which have been received for the issue of Certificates under Section 2 of the Increase of Rent and Mortgage Interest (Restriction) Act, 1920:—

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| 9, Hodford Road. |
| 26, Ash Grove. |
| 6, Corringham Road. |
| 2, Birkbeck Road. |
| 68, Woodville Road. |

After careful consideration of the report of the Inspector, your Committee gave authority for the issue of Certificates in such cases.

On the report of the Sanitary Inspector your Committee gave authority for the service of Statutory Notices in the above cases if necessary.

Report of Public Health Committee, No. 2.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 21st day of November, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Teare (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Growse, Ford, Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Taylor and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1 AND 2, HENDON PARK VILLAS: That they gave consideration to the notice served upon Mrs. Harriett Giddy, of "Holmdale," Finchley Road, the owner of 1 and 2, Hendon Park Villas, in accordance with the Housing Acts, 1890 to 1919, as to the proposal of the Council to consider the demolition of the dwelling houses referred to, but Mrs. Giddy did not attend the meeting of the Committee.

Your Committee are of opinion that the dwelling houses are in such a condition as to be a nuisance, and that their existence is dangerous to the inhabitants of neighbouring dwellings. They therefore

RECOMMEND—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to an Order for the demolition of the dwelling houses known as Nos. 1 and 2, Hendon Park Villas, Finchley Road, Hendon, in pursuance of the Housing Acts, 1890 to 1919.

- 2.—**MIDWIFE—RESIGNATION OF:** Report from the Clerk as to the receipt of a communication from Mrs. E. J. Degen, resigning her position as Midwife under the Council, and tendering one month's notice as from the 21st instant.

Your Committee decided to accept Mrs. Degen's resignation.

They gave consideration to the arrangements to be made for the appointment of a successor to Mrs. Degen, and authorised the Clerk to issue an advertisement inviting applications for the appointment of a midwife at a commencing salary of £170 per annum, rising to £190 per annum by annual increments of £5.

No uniform will be provided by the Council, but unfurnished quarters will be provided at a rental of 15s. weekly. Your Committee fixed the date for the receipt of the applications, viz. 10th December, and authorised the Clerk to schedule the applications as they are received, in order that the same may be considered at the Public Health Committee on the 12th December.

- 3.—**BURROUGHS FARM:** That they received a detailed report in regard to the proceedings instituted against Mrs. Cross and Mr. Hambley regarding their occupancy of Burroughs Farm, Queen's Road, in respect of which a Closing Order had become operative.

The Council will recollect that an action was taken under the County Court Acts (since the Council have never recognised the persons occupying the dwelling house as tenants). The Court held, however, that trespass had not been proved, the defendant (Mrs. Cross) alleging that she had been appointed as caretaker by the joint owner, since deceased.

Your Committee gave authority for a notice to be drawn up by the Solicitors and served upon Mrs. Cross to cease her occupancy of the premises, and propose to give the matter further consideration at their next meeting.

- 4.—**INFECTIOUS DISEASES AMBULANCE:** A report was received from the Sub-Committee, consisting of Councillors Ford and Hare, as to an inspection of the Ambulance used by the Public Health Department for the conveyance of patients to the Infectious Disease Hospital.

The Sub-Committee suggested certain improvements which could be carried out to the vehicle which they consider would cost the sum of £15.

Your Committee approved of the proposals of the Sub-Committee and gave authority for the Surveyor to have this work carried out at an expenditure not exceeding £15.

They desire to express their thanks to the members of the Sub-Committee for their report.

Report of Town Planning Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 21st day of November, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Reynolds (Chairman), and Councillors Egan, Fenn, Hill, Hare, Soar, Weeks and Taylor.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—**PLANS:** That they gave consideration to the following applications for approval of plans, and

RECOMMEND thereon as follows:—

| No. | Description of Premises. | Owner or Person submitting. | Recommendation. |
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| 5216 | Amended plan, four motor houses, Brookside Road | Mr. E. Wright | Approval. |
| 5228 | Amended plan, conservatory 13, Beechcroft Avenue | Mrs. Day | Approval. |
| 5240A | Amended plan, two detached houses, Cranbourne Gardens | Messrs. E. H. Waterman | Approval. |
| 5241 | One pair of semi-detached houses, Finchley Road | Mr. W. S. Gibson | Approval. |
| 5242 | One detached house, West Heath Road | Messrs. Haymills | Approval. |
| 5228A | Amended plan, printing works, 71, Church Road | Messrs. Warden and Co., Ltd. | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5244 | Five lock-up shops, Golders Green Road | Mr. W. T. Streather | Approval, subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5236 | Amended plan, conservatory and larder, 22, Russell Gardens | Mrs. Cordery | Approval, subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5245 | Temporary garage, Devonshire Place | Messrs. Greville and White | Disapproval. |
| 5246 | Temporary workshop, Highfield Road | Messrs. W. J. Keene, Ltd. | Disapproval. |
| 5247 | Two garages, Brentmead Place | Messrs. Haymills | Approval. |
| 5248 | Alterations, etc., "Red Lion," Cricklewood Lane | Messrs. Truman, Hanbury, Buxton and Co. | Disapproval (Surveyor to negotiate). |
| 5249 | Bungalow, Willifield Way | Mr. J. C. S. Soutar | Approval. |
| 5237 | Amended plan, block of flats, lock-up garages, etc., Finchley Road | Messrs. Ewen and Sons | Approval. |
| 5250 | Additions to entrance hall, "Oak Lodge," Bridge Lane | Mrs. Twiner | Approval. |
| 5251 | Conversion of conservatory into motor house, 20, Hamilton Road | Mr. Stafford Shallard | Approval. |

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2.—CONTRAVENTION OF BYE-LAWS: Report from the Surveyor that Mr. G. Ramsbotham had allowed premises erected by him and known as "Heathdene," Meadway Close, to be occupied without first giving notice to the Council of the completion of the premises in accordance with the Council's Bye-laws relating to New Buildings

After due consideration of the report of the Surveyor, your Committee RECOMMEND—That a notice be served upon Mr. Ramsbotham in connection with the matter.

3.—HOUSING (ADDITIONAL POWERS) ACTS, 1919 and 1921: Report from the Surveyor that in the following cases Certificates "B" might now be issued for the amounts named:—

| Application No. | Person to whom issued. | Locality and description of premises. | Amount of Grant. |
|-----------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------|
| 5204 | Mr. W. T. Streater | Beechcroft Avenue (1 house) | £260 |
| 5186 | Messrs. J. Webb and Son | Hillcrest Avenue (2 houses) | £260 |
| 5121 | Messrs. Haymills, Ltd. | Woodlands Crescent (1 house) | £260 |
| 5170 | Messrs. E. H. Waterman | Cranbourne Gardens (4 houses) | £260 |
| 5133 | Messrs. Haymills, Ltd. | Woodlands Crescent (1 house) | £260 |
| 5134 | Messrs. Dickson and Spokes | Wildwood Road (2 houses) | £260 |
| 5034 | Mr. E. Streater | Greenfield Gardens (11 houses) | £260 |
| 5085 | Mr. M. Sparkes | Wildwood Road (1 house) | £260 |
| 5035 | Messrs. Gillett and Co. | Park View Gardens (4 houses) | £260 |
| 5028 | Mr. G. Ramsbotham | 18, Decoy Avenue | £260 |
| 4950 | Mr. F. W. Bristow | Basing Hill (2 houses) | £260 |
| 4802 | Mr. E. Wright | Garrick Avenue (2 houses) | £260 |

Your Committee authorised the issue of such Certificates.

4.—TOWN PLANNING: Letter from the Ministry of Health relative to the Town Planning Schemes authorised to be prepared by the Council prior to the War and intimating the steps proposed to be taken by the Ministry in connection with the matter.

The Council will remember that it has recently been decided to incorporate the two original schemes promoted by the Council into one and proceed with the whole area, as the Hendon Town Planning Scheme, the Engineer being instructed to proceed with the preparation of the necessary map to enable the Council to obtain the required Interim Order.

Report from the Clerk that he had informed the Ministry of Health accordingly. Your Committee confirmed the action of the Clerk.

With regard to the preparation of the required map, the Engineer reported as to the steps proposed to be taken in the matter, and your Committee approved of the same.

Report of Housing Committee. No. 1.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 21st day of November, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Ford (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Hargraves, Mrs. Bannister, Cartwright, Roberts, Teare, Sturgess, Weeks and Rev. Dr. Macgowan.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—BRENT HILL SCHEME:

- (A) Letter from Mr. E. Campkin intimating that he would be prepared to submit an estimate for the completion of a pair of houses at Brent Farm if he might be allowed to rent one of the houses on completion. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Campkin be informed that the houses will be completed by contract, and they are unable to entertain his suggestion.

- (B) NAMING OF ROADS: That they gave further consideration to proposals for the naming of roads on the Brent Hill Estate, and your Committee have endeavoured in this connection to use names for the roads which appear on the colours of the Middlesex Regiment, and also to memorialise places where the Middlesex Regiment has won distinction. They

RECOMMEND—That the roads be named as follows:—

Alubera Road,
Alma Place,
Corunna Place
Delville Place.

- (C) TRANSFORMER CHAMBER: The Surveyor submitted an application from the Hendon Electric Supply Company, to fix a transformer chamber on the Brent Farm Estate, it being proposed to place the apparatus above ground upon one of the greens. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council approve of the same, but they consider that the Hendon Electric Supply Company should place a fence around the transformer chamber.

- (D) TOOL SHED: The Surveyor submitted an application from the tenant of 110, Park Road, applying for consent to the erection of a small shed for garden tools adjacent to the house occupied by him.

After consideration of the report of the Surveyor upon the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That consent be granted to the same and be subject to an annual licence as a temporary building.

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- (E) ROOF TILING: Report from the Architect that Messrs. Williams and Co. had completed the tiling of 30 houses, and others were being proceeded with.

Your Committee have duly noted this report.

- (F) CONTRACT: Mr. Hornblower (Architect) attended the meeting and reported in regard to the investigations relative to the Improved Concrete Construction Company's Contract, and it appeared from a communication from Mr. Rackley that he had been instructed to accept the figures submitted by Mr. Hornblower in connection with the settlement of this Contract. The actual figure had yet to be determined, pending the inclusion of other items of expenditure which had to be borne by the late Contractors.

Your Committee have arranged to meet again on Monday evening next, when a final report will be submitted upon this subject.

2.—CHILD'S HILL SCHEME:

- (A) Report from the Architect that the work to the houses was practically finished and would in all probability be completed by the end of the week.

- (B) NOTICE OF CHARGE: The Clerk reported that he had received a copy of the notice of charge given in connection with Mr. Ramsbotham's Contract for Child's Hill Housing Scheme. The same was duly noted.

Letter from Messrs. Poppleton and Co. intimating that notwithstanding the notice of charge received in connection with the Contract, they authorised the release of the sum of £450 out of the sums due under the Contract to be paid to Messrs. Barclay and Co., of Golders Green.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of this communication.

3.—REPORT OF HOUSING SUB-COMMITTEE: That they received the following report from the Housing Sub-Committee consisting of Councillors Cartwright and Roberts.

To the Chairman and members of the Housing Committee of the Hendon Urban District Council.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Sub-Committee have to report that they called 26 applicants for houses for interview, on the 8th instant, and

RECOMMEND tenants as follows, in pursuance of the power to act given them by the Council on the 7th instant.

CHILD'S HILL.

PARLOUR, LIVING ROOM AND THREE BEDROOMS.

| Appln. No. | Name. | Service in H M. Forces. | Children | Total in Family. | Present Accommodation. | Residence in Hendon. |
|------------|---------------|-------------------------|----------|------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------|
| Transfer | H. C. Woodman | 3 years | 4 | 6 | 29, Cloisters Road, (Small type) | 9 years |
| 1671 | R. E. Hunt | 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ years | 2 | 4 | Bed-Sitting room | 28 years |

Further, that application No. 1479a be transferred from the accepted list for Brent Hill to the Child's Hill list (Emmett).

(It should be pointed out here that this completes the letting of all the houses at Child's Hill, and that out of the 37 houses comprised in the new scheme, there are only two now remaining unoccupied, the keys not yet having been handed over.)

APPLICANTS FOR PRE-WAR TYPE HOUSES FROM PERSONS WHO ARE NOT TENANTS.

| Appln. No. | Name. | Service in H.M. Forces. | Children | Total in Family. | Present Accommodation. | Residence in Hendon. |
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| 833 | V. G. J. Woolley | 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ years. | 3 | 5 | 2 rooms and share of Kitchen. | 29 years. |

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| Appln. No. | Name. | Service H.M. Forces. | Children | Total in family. | Present Accommodation. | Residence in Hendon. |
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| 550 | E. Thompson | 5 years. | 2 | 4 | Bedroom and small Kitchen. | 18 years, but left owing to Service. |
| 856 | R. Learmouth (Armourer) | Still serving | 1 | 3 | Bed-sitting Room. | 24 years. |
| 1251 | J. Maurer | 3½ years | 2 | 4 | 4 Rooms. | 6 years. |
| 1284 | F. H. Newell | 4½ years. | 6 | 8 | In Lodgings | 11 years, but left owing to Service. |
| 1290 | R. Bushnell | 3 years | 1 | 3 | Bed-Sitting room | 28 years. |

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| 1285 | A. Gear | 4 years | 2 | 4 | 2 Bedrooms and Kitchen. | 35 years. |
| 1296 | G. Sherring | 26½ M.S.M. | 1 and Father | 4 | 2 Bedrooms and Kitchen. | 27 years. |
| 1315 | A. Ashford | 4½ years | 7 | 9 | 2 Bedrooms and Living Room. | 17 years. |

PARLOUR, LIVING ROOM AND FOUR BEDROOMS.

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| 1456 | A. Miller | 18 years | 3 | 5 | Bedroom and Living Room. | 8 years. |
| 1283 | H. A. Farthing | 4 years | 4 | 6 | 2 Bedrooms and Living Room. | 8 years |

With regard to the following cases, the Sub-Committee regret they are unable to make any recommendation at the present time.

565 F. B. Smith

1329 H. J. Judd

1337 F. Cowland

The Housing Committee will no doubt recollect the case of Bushnell was specially dealt with on the 14th instant, the keys of a house being handed to the applicant on the 16th instant.

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Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the report of the Sub-Committee be approved and adopted.

Report of Housing Committee, No. 2.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 28th day of November, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Ford (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Hargraves, Mrs. Bannister, Cartwright, Sturgess, Teare and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—BRENT HILL HOUSING SCHEME:

- (A) IMPROVED CONCRETE COMPANY: Mr. G. Hornblower F.R.I.B.A. (Architect) attended the meeting of your Committee, when further consideration was given to the statement as to the proposals for settlement with the Receiver (Mr. Rackley), in regard to the Contract with the Improved Concrete Construction Co.

Your Committee are of opinion that this is a matter which should receive very careful consideration, and they have appointed a Sub-Committee, consisting of Councillors Ford, Cartwright, Sturgess, Hill and Teare, to consider and report thereon.

- (B) CONTRACT FOR COMPLETION: That they gave consideration to a report in regard to the tender of Messrs. Billings and Co., Ltd., of Oxford, but have referred this matter also to the Sub-Committee for consideration, when other enquiries regarding the Company have been completed.

Report of Fire Brigade Committee,

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 21st day of November, 1921. Present: Councillor Miss Growse (Chairman) and Councillors Fenn, Hill, Hare, Reynolds, Sturgess and Taylor. (Councillors Ford, Teare, and the Rev. Dr. Macgowan were engaged in the Housing Committee).

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—MOTOR FIRE ENGINE No. 2: Letter from the Air Ministry expressing regret at the delay which had occurred in connection with the consideration of the tender of The Leyland Motors, Ltd., for the supply of a Motor Fire Engine to replace the machine commandeered in 1916. The Air Ministry intimated, however, that the matter was being hastened.

Report from the Clerk that he had again urged the Air Ministry to transmit their approval to the tender in question, so that the order for the Engine might be placed, pointing out that the machine was urgently required. Upon receipt of the communication referred to above, he had further communicated with them, expressing the hope that a reply would be forthcoming in time for submission to your Committee this evening, but no further communication had come to hand.

Your Committee trust that a definite decision will shortly be received.

- 2.—PETROL LICENCES: Letter from the Metropolitan Electric Tramways, Ltd., making application for a licence to store petrol at their depot at The Hyde; also from the London General Omnibus Company, Ltd., applying for a renewal of their petrol licence in respect of premises at Church End.

Report from the Chief Officer that in both cases the storage arrangements were found to be satisfactory, Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the applications be acceded to, and that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the licences in due course.

- 3.—FIRE SERVICES—KINGSBURY: Letter from the Clerk to the Urban District Council of Kingsbury, agreeing to the proposal of the Council that they should pay a retaining fee of £100 per annum in respect of the fire protection.

Your Committee note with satisfaction the decision of the Kingsbury Council in the matter, and

RECOMMEND—That the necessary agreement be prepared.

4.—CENTRAL FIRE STATION:

- (A) Letter from Mrs. J. Dickens intimating that she was endeavouring to find accommodation in order that she might vacate the quarters occupied by her at the Central Station, in accordance with the instructions received from the Council.

Your Committee have considered a report from the Chief Officer in regard to this matter, and appreciating the great difficulty experienced by Mrs. Dickens in her endeavours to find other accommodation, they

RECOMMEND—That Mrs. Dickens be allowed to remain in the quarters at the Central Station until the end of the present year, it being distinctly understood that the Council would be unable to grant an extension beyond that period.

- (B) Reference was made as to the necessity of carrying out certain work of re-decoration at the quarters occupied by Mrs. Dickens, and your Committee referred the matter to the Surveyor and Chief Officer to carry out any necessary work.

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(c) Report from the Chief Officer that in accordance with the instructions of the Committee, he had posted notices of the vacancy occasioned by the promotion of Fireman Hills, in the various Sub-Stations. No applications, however, had been received for the vacant post.

In view of such report, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That an advertisement be inserted in the local papers inviting applications for the position of Single Fireman.

5.—WATER PRESSURES: Report from the Chief Officer, submitting a list of water pressures taken since the last meeting of your Committee, and the same have been duly noted.

6.—MOTOR AMBULANCE: The Chief Officer reported as to certain repairs which had been found necessary to carry out in connection with the Motor Ambulance.

Your Committee approved of the action of the Chief Officer in the matter.

7.—DOMESTIC BOILER: Report from the Chief Officer in regard to certain repairs necessary to the Domestic Boiler at the Central Station, and your Committee gave the Chief Officer instructions to have the work carried out.

8.—FIRE HYDRANTS: The Chief Officer reported that the following hydrants had been fixed in the district since the last meeting of the Committee:—

One Woodlands Crescent.
One Renters Avenue.
One Park View Gardens.
Three Edgware Road.

Your Committee have duly noted such report.

9.—UNIFORM: Report from the Chief Officer that the following members of the permanent staff had applied for certain new uniform clothing and fire boots:—

Fireman E. Hills.
Fireman J. Coomber
Fireman Mercer.
Motor Mechanic F. Norton.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the uniform, etc., be procured, in accordance with the report of the Chief Officer.

10.—STORES REQUIRED: The Chief Officer submitted a requisition of stores required as detailed in his report book. After due consideration thereof, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the same be approved.

11.—FIRES: Report from the Chief Officer as to the fires attended; also a record of petrol consumption since the last meeting of your Committee. Noted.

Report of General Purposes Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 28th day of November, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Hill (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Miss Growse, Glanville, Egan, Ford, Taylor and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—LIGHTING STANDARD: Letter from the Secretary of the Hendon Electric Supply Company, Limited, terminating the agreement entered into between the Company and the Council relating to certain lamp standards at The Parade, Golders Green, such standards having been removed.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

2.—GREATER LONDON: Letter from the Town Clerk of the Borough of Ealing, in further reference to the proposed Conference of Local Authorities convened by them to discuss the action desirable to be taken by Local Authorities before the Royal Commission upon the subject of Local Government of Greater London.

The Ealing Borough Council intimated that it had been decided to hold the Conference at the Town Hall, Ealing, on the 30th inst., and invited the Council to appoint delegates to attend thereat.

The Council will remember that upon receipt of the previous letter from the Ealing Borough Council upon this subject, they decided to take no action in connection with this Conference.

3.—CLAIMS: Letter from Mr. T. Strange claiming compensation in connection with an accident which occurred to him in Golders Green Road, alleged to have been caused by the condition of the road.

Report from the Clerk that the Surveyor had made enquiry into the matter. From the Surveyor's report it appeared that the condition of Golders Green Road was in no way attributable to the accident.

Mr. Strange had been informed that the Council denied liability in the matter.

Your Committee confirmed the action taken.

4.—GAS:

- (A) Letter from Messrs. Sherwood and Co. transmitting the following notice in connection with the North Middlesex Gas (Charges) Order, 1921.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the calorific value of the gas which the North Middlesex Gas Company (hereinafter called "the Company") intend to supply is 450 British Thermal Units per cubic foot and as from the twelfth day of November, 1921, the Company will supply gas of this declared calorific value.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

- (B) Letter from the Board of Trade (Power, Transport and Economic Department) relative to the application of the North Middlesex Gas Company for an Order under Section 1 of the Gas Regulation Act, 1920, and forwarding a copy of the Order made by them in connection therewith.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of such Order, and desire to point out that the terms agreed at the recent Conference between representatives of the Company and the Council are embodied therein.

- (C) Letter from the Clerk of the London County Council relative to the scheme of the Gas Referees with regard to arrangements for testing gas in the area supplied by the Gas Light and Coke Company.

The London County Council referred to the powers of Local Authorities under the Gas Regulation Act, 1920, to appoint Gas Examiners, and enquired whether the Council would be willing to enter into an arrangement with them for the purpose.

It will be remembered that this matter has been considered on more than one occasion, and that the Council decided to take no action in regard thereto. Your Committee therefore make no recommendation, and

RECOMMEND—That the London County Council be informed accordingly.

- (D) Notice from the Secretary of the Gas Referees relative to special provisional prescriptions made by them in regard to the testing of Gas supplied by the Gas Light and Coke Company, with the testing arrangements at present available, and further upon the subject of the appointment of Gas Examiners. A communication was also reported relative to gas testing in the area of supply of the North Middlesex Gas Company.

Your Committee decided to take no action in regard thereto.

- 5.—JOINT INDUSTRIAL COUNCIL: Letter from the Clerk to the Middlesex County Council relative to a proposal to hold a Conference on the 2nd prox. to further consider the question of the setting up of a Provincial Council for Middlesex, and inviting the Council to appoint a delegate to attend such Conference.

Your Committee have given this matter consideration, but decided to take no action in regard thereto.

- 6.—BRENT STREET DRAINAGE: Letter from Messrs. Bramston, Skelton and Co. in further reference to the decision of the Council in connection with the drainage of the houses erected by Mr. Howkins in Brent Street, Hendon.

Messrs. Bramston and Co. now made enquiry, in view of such decision, whether the Council would apply to each of the seven owners affected thereby with a view to the payment by them of their respective proportions of the said sum of £140. After due consideration of this communication, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That final notices be served upon the respective owners of the houses in question, requiring compliance with the notices served for the provision of separate drains.

7.—UNEMPLOYMENT:

- (A) Letter from the Town Clerk of Bermondsey transmitting the following resolution passed by that authority relative to Unemployment Relief Works, and asking to be furnished with information as to the steps taken by the Council in regard thereto.

(A) "That this Council calls upon the Government to immediately revise conditions upon which grants are made to Local Authorities undertaking Unemployment Relief Works in order to assure that there shall be no differentiation between unemployed ex-Service men and civilians."

(B) "That copies of this resolution be forwarded to all Municipal Authorities asking for their support."

Your Committee have no recommendation to make in regard thereto.

- (B) Letter from Mr. B. Allen, Hon. Secretary of the Hendon Unemployed Organisation, making enquiry whether the Council would supply additional seating accommodation in the building loaned to them in Wilberforce Road. Mr. Allen stated that the request arose over the difficulty experienced in obtaining accommodation for holding large meetings, and they were compelled to hold such meetings in the building referred to. They desired seating accommodation for 50 or 60 persons.

The Council will remember that at the time application was made for the use of a room for the organisation it was stated that the same would be required for a small Committee (nine in number), and the use of the building was granted on this assumption. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the attention of the Organisation be called to the conditions under which the use of the building was granted.

- (C) Letter from Mr. B. Allen (Unemployment Organisation) as to the payment of the Water Rate in connection with the building at Wilberforce Road. He pointed out that the water was not used by the Organisation, and enquired whether the Council could make arrangements with the Water Company in regard thereto.

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Report from the Surveyor that he had requested the Water Company to cease to supply the premises.

Your Committee confirmed the action of the Surveyor.

(D) Letter from the Clerk to the Hendon Board of Guardians relative to the case of E. H. Poole, of West Hendon, a partially disabled ex-Service man, and making enquiry whether the Council would find him some suitable employment.

Your Committee are informed that the Chairman of the Council, in his capacity as Chairman of the Unemployment Committee, had had the case under consideration, and temporary suitable work had been found for the man. On the completion of this work the Surveyor had succeeded in finding him work elsewhere. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Hendon Board of Guardians be informed accordingly.

8.—DAWS FARM ESTATE: That they gave consideration to the question of re-opening the negotiations in connection with the acquisition of the Daws Farm Estate with a view to the same being acquired for the purposes of an open space, etc., for the Mill Hill Ward. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor re-open the negotiations accordingly.

Your Committee understand that a portion of the Estate, if acquired, might be utilised as a School Site in the event of the Education Committee concurring in the arrangement.

With a view to the matter being submitted to the Education Committee and the Higher Education Committee without delay, your Committee instructed the Clerk to communicate with the Secretary of the Education Committee upon the matter.

9.—COLINDEEP LANE SCHOOL: Report from the Surveyor suggesting that in view of the opening of the new School at Colindeep Lane, that two notices warning motorists of the existence of such School should be erected in the lane in the vicinity of the school premises. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the proposal of the Surveyor be carried out.

10.—CLERK OF WORKS: Report from the Engineer that it had been necessary to dispense with the services of the Clerk of Works in connection with the Temple Fortune Outfall Sewer, and he asked for authority to appoint a successor.

Your Committee authorised the Engineer to take the necessary action in the matter.

11.—OFFICE EQUIPMENT: Report from the Accountant as to certain office equipment for disposal at the Aircraft Manufacturing Company's Offices, and in particular an addressograph which would prove of value to the Council. The price asked for the machine was £35. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That authority be given to purchase the machine in question.

Report of Highways Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 28th day of November, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Ford (in the Chair), and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Miss Growse, Glanville, Egan, Hill, Taylor and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1. OMNIBUS FACILITIES: Letter from the London General Omnibus Company Limited intimating that their proposal to provide Omnibus Facilities between Hendon (Station Road) and Tottenham Hale had been deferred for the present, also letter from the Clerk to the Urban District Council of Finchley as to a letter received by them from the Company to the same effect.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of these communications.

2.—PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS:

(A) APPLICATION FOR LOAN: Report from the Clerk in regard to the question of making application to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the necessary loans for the execution of the proposed permanent works in Mill Way, Mill Hill, at an estimated cost of £4825, and the portion of Hedford Road, from Golders Green Road to The Ridgeway, at an estimated cost of £2928.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That application be made to the Ministry of Health in connection with the matter in due course.

(B) BEECHCROFT AVENUE: Letter from Mr. L. Lake complaining of the condition of Beechcroft Avenue, Golders Green, and suggesting that the Council should carry out permanent works in the road. After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That enquiry be made of the property owners in the road as to whether they are in favour of the carrying out of the permanent works suggested by Mr. Lake.

(C) CLIFTON GARDENS: The Clerk reported the replies received from the property owners in Clifton Gardens relative to the enquiry made by the Council as to whether they were in favour of permanent works being carried out in the road. It appeared from such replies that the majority of the owners were opposed to the execution of the works referred to at the present time.

Your Committee have received a report from the Surveyor in regard to the condition of this road, and after due consideration thereof, they

RECOMMEND—That a further communication be forwarded to the property owners therein informing them that if steps were taken by them to put the road into a reasonable state of repair the Council would defer the carrying out of the suggested permanent works for a period of twelve months, failing action on their part the Council would be compelled to proceed with the permanent works.

- (D) SOMERTON ROAD: That they gave further consideration to the question of the ownership of certain frontages in Somerton Road, Cricklowood, together with a report from the Clerk in regard thereto.

Your Committee adhere to their previous recommendation in the matter that a notice be served upon the Ecclesiastical Commissioners under Section 150 of the Public Health Act, 1875, in connection with the frontage in question, and recommend accordingly.

- 3.—EDGWARE ROAD: Letter from the Superintending Engineer, Post Office Engineering Department, as to alterations to their telegraphic plant likely to be affected by the carrying out of the re-construction works in the Edgware Road.

Your Committee understand that the matter has been referred to the Surveyor and dealt with.

4.—PUBLIC LIGHTING:

- (A) Letter from Mr. J. Stobart Greenhalgh making application for an improvement of the lighting facilities in the neighbourhood of Turners Wood and Wildwood Road.

Report from the Surveyor in connection with such application.

After due consideration of such report, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That an additional lamp be erected if the gas main is available in the position suggested in the Surveyor's report.

- (B) Letter from Miss Hoare suggesting the provision of lighting accommodation at the junction of Hampstead Way and North End Road. Your Committee have deferred the consideration of the matter until their next meeting to enable the Surveyor to submit a report in regard thereto.

- (C) The Surveyor submitted a letter from the Controller of Gas Sales, Gas Light and Coke Company, from which it appeared that the increased charges for public lighting had been reduced from 185 per cent. to 180 per cent. on the pre-war price, which still resulted in an increased expenditure to the Council of nearly £750 for the current financial year. In accordance with the instructions of the Committee at their last meeting the Surveyor submitted a report as to the possibility of reducing the expenditure by altering the existing two light burners to single light burners. It appeared from such report that in the event of this course being adopted practically the whole of the increased expenditure would be met thereby. Your Committee have given the matter careful consideration, and

RECOMMEND— That the question of the charge for street lighting be further taken up with the Gas Company with a view to a reduction in the same being made, failing which the Company be informed that the Council will be compelled to take steps to reduce the amount of gas consumed in accordance with the Surveyor's report.

- (D) Report from the Surveyor as to an application he had received from Mr. H. Farrow for the provision of a lamp in Princes Park Avenue. After due consideration of such application, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That one lamp be erected in the road at the junction of the same with Bridge Lane.

- (E) The Surveyor submitted a letter from Mr. J. W. Chant complaining of the inadequate lighting arrangements between the Great Northern Railway Station in Bunns Lane and the Midland Railway Arch in Hale Lane. Mr. Chant also made enquiry whether the Council would take steps to provide a pathway in Daws Lane, between Birkbeck Road and Marion Road.

With regard to the question of lighting in the neighbourhood referred to by Mr. Chant, your Committee have given the same consideration but have no recommendation to make in regard thereto.

Your Committee have also given consideration to the question of providing the pathway referred to, and have requested the Surveyor to report upon the matter.

- 5.—CHURCH WALK FOOTPATH: Letter from Mr. J. P. Donne suggesting the tar paving of the footpath leading from Parson Street to St. Mary's C.E. School.

After due consideration of the proposal and a report from the Surveyor in regard thereto, your Committee are unable to entertain the same. They

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Donne be informed accordingly.

- 6.—COLINDEEP LANE WIDENING: Letter from the Hon. Secretary of the Colindale and District Ratepayers' Association in further reference to the proposal of the Association that the existing footpath outside Messrs. Everett Edgecumbe's premises should be continued to link up with the footpath outside the houses lower down the road.

The Council will remember that when the matter was brought forward by the Association on a former occasion they suggested that the proposal should be carried out by acquiring a strip of land forming part of the property known as "The Chestnuts." They now suggested failing the acquiring of this strip of land, that the Council should take steps to acquire land on the opposite side of the road.

Your Committee have given the matter further consideration, and have requested the Surveyor to submit a report thereon at their next meeting.

- 7.—FOOTPATH—COLINDALE AVENUE TO DEANSBROOK LANE: Letter from the Hon. Secretary of the Colindale and District Ratepayers' Association relative to certain matters in connection with the footpath between Colindale Avenue and Deansbrook Lane.

Your Committee are informed that the matters referred to have received attention, and have noted this fact.

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8.—METROPOLITAN RAILWAY COMPANY'S LAND: Report from the Surveyor as to his negotiations with the Surveyor to the Metropolitan Railway Company relative to obtaining land in Brent Street, owned by the Company, with a view to carrying out certain widening works, and further the question of obtaining an easement over their land for the extension of the Brent Low Level Sewer.

Your Committee have requested the Surveyor to continue his negotiations and report further upon the matter in due course.

9.—ROAD, WOODSTOCK AVENUE: Letter from Mrs. E. Woolley alleging that the foundation of the supports to the fence belonging to her property had been removed in connection with the construction of the new road leading to Wessex Gardens School, and suggesting that the Council should fence off the strip of land between the road and her property.

Report from the Surveyor in connection with the matter. After due consideration of such report, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mrs. Woolley be informed that her fence was not interfered with in connection with the construction of the road in question, and that the Council are unable to entertain her suggestion in regard to the erection of fencing.

10.—FINCHLEY ROAD: Letter from Mr. S. Crouch in regard to the condition of a strip of unpaved footpath adjoining his premises at Park Rise, Finchley Road, and asking the Council to pave the same.

Your Committee understand that the Surveyor has attended to the matter complained of by Mr. Crouch. Noted.

11.—FOOTPATHS: Letter from the Hon. Secretary of the Northern Heights Footpath Committee making enquiry whether the footpath from Colindale Avenue to Hall Lane, also that from Deansbrook Lane to the entrance of the premises belonging to the Grahame White Company had been restored to the use of the public, such footpaths having been closed under the War Emergency Legislation.

Your Committee are informed by the Surveyor that in the former case the footpath has been restored to the use of the public, the same remarks also applying in the latter case except for a small portion upon which certain buildings belonging to the Grahame White Company have been erected. They

RECOMMEND—That the Northern Heights Footpath Committee be informed accordingly.

12.—REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor submitted a requisition of goods required in his Department, and the same were duly approved.

Report of Staff Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 21st day of November, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Egan (Chairman), Councillors Cartwright, Hill, Hare, Reynolds and Roberts. (Councillors Miss Growse, Ford, and Teare were engaged in a Special Meeting of the Public Health Committee).

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—ACCOUNTANT'S DEPARTMENT: That they gave consideration to the question of filling the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Mr. J. C. Latham, and have received a report from the Overseers with a suggestion in regard thereto.

Mr. Page, the Chairman of the Overseers, attended the meeting, and submitted the views of the Overseers thereon, viz.: That the existing staff should be promoted, and they made the following suggestions thereon:—

1. That Mr. G. W. M. Smith be appointed principal assistant at a salary of £450 per annum.
2. That a Chief Clerk be appointed, and that the Staff Committee allow the Overseers to make a recommendation as to this.
3. That Messrs. Fear and Chanin (now Rate Clerks) be recognised as Junior Collectors and Assistant Overseers, each with a salary of £200 per annum.
4. That two Rate Clerks be appointed, each at a salary of £105 per annum.

With regard to recommendation No. 2, the Overseers were of opinion that the vacancy could be filled from the existing staff, but a certain re-arrangement of duties would be necessary, such work being divided between Mr. F. O'Malley and Mr. S. Jackson.

A sum of £60 was allotted for the registration work, and this the Overseers proposed should be divided between the Officers named.

The Overseers proposed to submit the recommendation in regard to the matter to a future meeting of your Committee. Your Committee

RECOMMEND as follows:—

- (A) That Mr. G. W. M. Smith be appointed principal assistant to the Accountant at a salary of £450 per annum.
- (B) That Mr. H. Fear and Mr. C. G. Chanin, present Rate Clerks, be appointed as Junior Collectors and Assistant Overseers at a salary of £200 per annum each.
- (C) That two Rate Clerks be appointed at a salary of £105 per annum.

Letter from Mr. A. R. Norris applying for an increase in salary.

Your Committee are unable to recommend any increase in the salary of Mr. Norris at the present time.

2.—ENGINEER'S DEPARTMENT: Report from the Surveyor in reference to the proposal to secure the services of an Improver for his Department at a salary of £80 per annum. Your Committee now

RECOMMEND—That an advertisement be issued in the local Press.

3.—SUPERANNUATION: Your Committee decided to hold a Special Meeting on the 6th December to further consider the question of the Superannuation Scheme.

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AT A MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 5th day of December, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
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 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant),
 Dr. T. S. McIntosh (Medical Officer of Health).



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MINUTES: Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Minutes of the last ordinary meeting and the special meetings held on the 14th, 21st, and 28th days of November, 1921, be confirmed.

HOUSING—SELECTION OF TENANTS: Mr. Councillor Wise made enquiry as to whether power to act was given to the Sub-Committee in connection with the selection of tenants for the Council's houses.

The Clerk replied that the Council passed a special resolution investing the Committee with power to act.

Mr. Councillor Wise also made enquiry as to the definition of "rules of the Council regarding the allotment of houses."

The Accountant replied that the Council had recognized the following conditions:—

- (1) Ex-Servicé men.
- (2) Men with large families.
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REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE: The Finance Committee submitted a report of the meeting held on the 28th day of November, 1921 (Agenda page 204).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Weeks,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

The following is a list of accounts for payment referred to on page 205 of the Report of the Finance Committee:—

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| Anderson, Anderson and Anderson, Ltd. | Thigh boots | 3 | 10 | 0 |
| Anglo-American Oil Co. | Oil | 8 | 13 | 4 |
| Batchelor, J. and Son | Forage | 62 | 4 | 0 |
| Blyde, A. and Co. | Tyres | 10 | 4 | 0 |
| Bolton, Johnson, Yates and Lee | Rent | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Braby, F. and Co., Ltd. | Barb wire | 2 | 16 | 0 |
| British Petroleum Co., Ltd. | Petrol | 7 | 16 | 8 |
| Carter, Charles | Water cart | 30 | 0 | 0 |
| Cement Marketing Co., Ltd. | Cement | 42 | 10 | 9 |
| Cherry, Charles | Hired team labour | 202 | 5 | 2 |
| Clayton Wagons, Ltd. | Sundries | 2 | 10 | 11 |
| Constable, Hart and Co., Ltd. | Tarmacadam | 58 | 5 | 1 |
| Cornwall, Edwin A. | Slack | 2 | 17 | 6 |
| Couchman, H. Seymour | Rent | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Crisp and Hodgson | Rent | 4 | 4 | 7 |
| Edwards, E. and A. | Sundries | 10 | 8 | 2 |
| Express Motor Co. | Repairs to tarpot | 37 | 0 | 0 |
| Elliott, B. G. | Cartage | 12 | 10 | 0 |
| Farrow, H. | Poling Boards | 7 | 11 | 10 |
| Farniloe, T. and W., Ltd. | Iron steps | 7 | 3 | 8 |
| Gas Light and Coke Co., Ltd. | Paint | 1939 | 12 | 2 |
| Gainier and Co. | Supply | 4 | 4 | 0 |
| Gibb, James and Co., Ltd. | Hydrant plates | 173 | 13 | 0 |
| Gilpen, J., per Accountant's Account | Castings | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| Gréville and White | Sundries | 25 | 17 | 6 |
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| Grimley, S. S. | Salary | 100 0 0 |
| Hahn, Max | Rent | 3 10 0 |
| Harris, A. J. | Dust collection | 128 0 0 |
| Harrison Press, Ltd. | Printing, etc. | 16 0 10 |
| Hatton and Collier | Cloths | 15 10 6 |
| H. M. Stationery Office | Publications | 7 9 |
| Hounslow Sand and Gravel Co., Ltd. | Shingle | 65 8 11 |
| Howard, E. | Rent | 9 8 9 |
| Howkins, F. | Rent | 93 15 0 |
| Hurling, George, per Accountant's Account | Tree lopping | 15 7 4 |
| Jones, Blakeway and Jones | Rent, December quarter | 7 15 0 |
| Jones, Blakeway and Jones | Rent, June and September quarters | 15 10 0 |
| Justices, Gore Division, per Accountant's Account | Summons fees | 8 0 |
| King, J. | Rent | 1 10 0 |
| Knight, Charles and Co., Ltd. | Stationery | 4 1 11 |
| Knowles, John and Co., Ltd. | Cement | 4 1 3 |
| Kruse, G. F. | Rent | 6 17 0 |
| Laws, F. W. | Granite kerb | 58 2 6 |
| Lightfoot, P. | Winding clocks | 1 10 0 |
| Line, John and Sons, Ltd. | Paint | 7 11 2 |
| London Brick Co., Ltd. | Bricks | 15 13 0 |
| London Telephone Service | Telephone rents | 8 5 10 |
| Meager, Mrs. M. A. | Rent | 1 10 0 |
| Mountsorrell Granite Co., Ltd. | Granite | 263 4 9 |
| Metropolitan Water Board | Rent | 4 5 0 |
| Metropolitan Water Board | Supply | 51 19 4 |
| Midland Railway Co. | Rent | 7 0 |
| Midland Railway Co. | Carriage | 9 18 2 |
| Mosers, Ltd. | Sundries | 1 17 11 |
| Nicholls and Clarke, Ltd. | Paint | 3 4 0 |
| North Middlesex Gas Co. | Mantles | 8 0 |
| Odell, C. | Printing, etc. | 3 1 10 |
| Overed, J. E. | Veterinary fees | 6 5 0 |
| Patent Victoria Stone Co., Ltd. | Paving | 56 7 10 |
| Poor Law and Local Government Officers' Mutual Guarantee Association, Ltd. | Premium | 10 6 |
| Prices Co., Ltd. | Oil | 12 0 |
| Pryke and Palmer, Ltd. | Soap and Soda | 2 14 11 |
| Roberts, A. W. | Straw | 6 15 0 |
| Roneo, Ltd. | Cabinet | 9 10 0 |
| Rowley, Thomas | Hired Steam Roller | 49 8 0 |
| Ryman, H. J., Ltd. | Paper | 1 1 0 |
| Sanitas Co., Ltd. | Disinfectant | 11 10 0 |
| Sankey, J. H. and Co., Ltd. | Cement | 14 4 5 |
| Sawford, R. | Car hire | 9 7 3 |
| Shannon, Ltd. | Binders | 6 0 |
| Shaw and Sons | Stationery | 10 0 0 |
| Shields, J. G. | Gravel | 22 1 6 |
| Simpson Pinder | Rent | 2 8 8 |
| Smith Premier Typewriter Co., Ltd. | Stationery | 2 10 0 |
| Spence, Peter and Sons, Ltd. | Aluminiferous | 40 6 0 |
| Stillman, H. | Hired team labour | 346 2 6 |
| Stone and Colquhoun | Plans | 1 10 2 |
| Straker, W., Ltd. | Stationery | 5 17 6 |
| Streather, Edward | Rent | 12 0 0 |
| Tottenham District Light, Heat and Power Co. | Coke | 44 15 0 |
| Ward, R. G. and Co., Ltd. | Pipes | 31 10 8 |
| Warden and Co., Ltd. | Printing | 76 14 9 |
| Waverley Oils, Ltd. | Oil | 5 12 2 |
| West Hendon Day Nursery | Grant | 75 0 0 |
| Westminster Fire Office | Balance of premium | 7 5 |
| Widdowson, T. H. | Erasers | 7 6 |
| Willcox, W. H. and Co., Ltd. | Asbestos | 6 6 |
| Wilson, J. and Co. | Refund hoarding deposit | 3 0 0 |
| Young and Marten, Ltd. | Nails, etc. | 14 6 |
| Sundry Ratepayers | Rate refunds | 13 1 0 |
| Sundry Persons | Refund Private Works Deposits | 65 6 10 |
| Accountant | Wages and Board Allowance— | |
| Accountant | Midwife's Assistant | 17 2 0 |
| Accountant | Salaries—November | 1210 6 11 |
| Accountant | Insurance Deductions and Contributions | 7 7 3 |
| Grosch, H. | Milk | 1 4 8 |
| Express Dairy Co., Ltd. | Milk | 29 6 5 |
| Ecclesiastical Commissioners | Loan Repayment | 494 9 0 |
| Governesses' Benevolent Institution | Loan Repayment | 190 17 10 |
| Independent Order of Oddfellows | Loan Repayment | 48 3 7 |
| Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society | Loan Repayment | 36 10 11 |
| National Amalgamated Approved Society | Loan Repayment | 438 5 11 |
| Newcastle-upon-Tyne Savings' Bank | Loan Repayment | 81 9 10 |
| Royal London Mutual Insurance Society, Ltd. | Loan Repayment | 1173 19 6 |
| Hurling, S., per Accountant's Account | Lopping trees | 8 5 4 |
| Sundry Persons | Allotment compensation | 13 10 0 |
| Post Office Telephone Directories | Insertions in Directory | 1 10 0 |
| Cook, A. H. | Rate refund | 3 2 10 |
| London Telephone Service | On account, Telephone charges | 160 0 0 |

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Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,
 IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF WORKS AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL COMMITTEE: The Works and Sewage Disposal Committee submitted a report of a meeting held on the 14th day of November, 1921 (Agenda page 208).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,
 IT WAS RESOLVED—That such report be received.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,
 IT WAS RESOLVED—That such report be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE, No. 1: The Public Health Committee submitted a report of a meeting held on the 14th day of November, 1921 (Agenda page 210).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hearn,
 IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE: It was agreed to include the following paragraph in the report of the Maternity and Child Welfare Committee:—

Child's Hill Maternity Centre.—Report from the Medical Officer of Health as to the necessity for arranging for an additional Session at Child's Hill, having regard to the large number of mothers who now attended the Maternity Centre.

A communication was reported from the Child's Hill Baptist Church, offering the use of Granville Hall for a further Session per week at an inclusive rental of £30 per annum for two Sessions per week.

Your Committee approved of the proposed arrangement. Reference was also made to the desirability of securing the services of Dr. Leitch, the Lady Medical Officer, for the additional Session at Child's Hill at an extra remuneration of £50 per annum. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That this arrangement be adopted.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Public Health Committee, with additional paragraph, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE, No. 2: The Public Health Committee submitted a further report of a meeting held on the 21st day of November, 1921 (Agenda page 210).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Fenn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such report be received *and approved. C.H.*

MIDWIFE—APPOINTMENT OF: Upon the consideration of paragraph No. 2 relative to the appointment of a successor to Mrs. Degen, resigned, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Councillor Miss Growse,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Public Health Committee be invested with power to make the appointment.

REPORT OF TOWN PLANNING COMMITTEE: The Town Planning Committee submitted a report of a meeting held on the 21st day of November, 1921 (Agenda page 211).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Fenn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Soar,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such report be received.

HOUSING (ADDITIONAL POWERS) ACT: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 3 relating to the amounts in respect of grants, it was decided to add the words "per house" after the words "amount of grant."

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Fenn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Soar,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such report be approved and adopted.

ABSENCE OF MEMBERS: The Clerk reported that Councillor Miss Hodge and Councillor Ford were unable to be present owing to illness.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That communications be addressed to these members, conveying an expression of the Council's sympathy, and best wishes for their recovery.

REPORT OF HOUSING COMMITTEE, No. 1: The Housing Committee submitted a report of a meeting held on the 21st day of November, 1921 (Agenda page 212).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such report be received.

BRENT HILL SCHEME: Upon the consideration of paragraph 1 (B) dealing with suggestions for the naming of roads at Brent Hill Farm, Mr. Councillor Hill moved: "That the paragraph be referred back for further consideration."

Mr. Councillor Soar seconded the motion, and upon the same being put to the meeting it was declared to be carried *nem. con.*

SUB-COMMITTEE REPORT: Upon the consideration of paragraph No. 3 of the report of the Committee dealing with the report of the Sub-Committee as to applicants for tenancies of the Council houses, Mr. Councillor Wise moved that application No. 1251, relating to J. Mourier, be referred back to the Sub-Committee for further consideration.

Mr. Councillor Glanville seconded the amendment.

The amendment being put to the meeting, there voted for it three: Councillors Wise, Fenn, and Glanville; and against it 12: Councillors Cartwright, Hare, Hill, Mrs. Hargraves, Mrs. Bannister, Taylor, Roberts, Miss Growse, Teare, Weeks, Soar and Hearn.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be not carried.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HOUSING COMMITTEE, No. 2: The Housing Committee submitted a further report of a meeting held on the 28th day of November, 1921 (Agenda page 215).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

REPORT OF FIRE BRIGADE COMMITTEE: The Fire Brigade Committee submitted a report of a meeting held on the 21st day of November, 1921 (Agenda page 215).

Upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Mr Councillor Fenn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE: The General Purposes Committee submitted a report of a meeting held on the 28th day of November, 1921 (Agenda page 216).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Councillor Mrs. Bannister,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

CLAIMS: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 3,

IT WAS RESOLVED—To amend the same as follows:—To delete the word "attributable" and insert instead the word "contributory."

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE: The Highways Committee submitted a report of a meeting held on the 28th day of November, 1921 (Agenda page 218).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report be received.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF STAFF COMMITTEE, No. 1: The Staff Committee submitted a report of a meeting held on the 21st November, 1921 (Agenda page 220).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report be received.

SUPERANNUATION: It was decided to defer the special meeting arranged for the 6th December to deal with this subject to a later date to be arranged.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF STAFF COMMITTEE, No. 2: The Staff Committee submitted a further report of a meeting held this evening.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

Report of Staff Committee No. 2.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall this evening. Present: Mr. Councillor Egan (Chairman, Councillors Roberts, Cartwright, Teare, Miss Growse and Hill.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—ACCOUNTANT'S DEPARTMENT: That they gave further consideration to the question of filling the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Mr. J. C. Latham, and a report was received from the Overseers of the Parish upon the matter, and

RECOMMEND—That Mr. F. O'Malley be appointed to the position of Chief Rate Collector to the Council, and that Mr. S. J. Jackson should fill the position of Chief Clerk, and that their salaries be increased by £30 each, as suggested in their report of the 21st inst.

APPOINTMENT OF JUNIOR CLERKS: Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Chairman of the Council and Mr. Councillor Cartwright have power to make the appointments of the junior clerks for the Accountant's Department.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF REQUISITIONS COMMITTEE: The Requisitions Committee submitted the following report of a meeting held this evening.

Report of Requisitions Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall this evening. Present: Mr. Councillor Egan (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Cartwright, Hare, Hill, Roberts, and Teare.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor and the Chief Officer of the Fire Brigade submitted a requisition of goods required, and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the same be approved.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

UNEMPLOYMENT: Letter from the Clerk to the Hendon Guardians as to rates of pay in connection with Unemployment Relief Work.

It was decided to give further consideration to this matter in Committee.

CORRESPONDENCE: The Clerk reported the receipt of various correspondence.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be referred to the respective Committees.

LOAN FROM MIDDLESEX COUNTY COUNCIL: The Clerk submitted the Engrossment of the Mortgage Deed in connection with the advance of £40,000 to be made to the Council by the Middlesex County Council.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—

- (1) That the offer of the Middlesex County Council to lend to the Council the sum of £40,000 repayable with interest thereon at the rate of £6 per centum per annum be accepted;
- (2) That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the Mortgage to the Middlesex County Council for securing the repayment of the said sum of £40,000 with interest as aforesaid.

GREATER LONDON: The Clerk reported the position in regard to this matter, and submitted copies of a report of the Local Government and Museums Committee of the London County Council for the information of the members.

The sittings of the Royal Commission would open on the 6th inst. at the Ministry of Health, when a statement would be made by the Officials of the Ministry upon the matter.

The Clerk intimated that he would report further upon this matter to the Committee.

TENDERS FOR OPEN AIR SWIMMING BATH: The Clerk submitted tenders received in response to the Council's advertisement for Open Air Swimming Bath (28 in number).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such tenders be opened, initialled, and referred to the Surveyor for report.

OUTDOOR COMMITTEE: It was decided to defer the proposal to hold a meeting of the Outdoor Committee for the present.

TELEGRAPHIC LINES: The Surveyor reported applications from the Postmaster General for approval of a proposal to lay the following general telegraphic lines:—

- (1) Underground line E. Side of Sunny Gardens, and North Side Rowsley Avenue.
- (2) Underground line S.E. Side Gainsborough Gardens.
- (3) Underground line Bunns Lane and Uphill Road from G.N. Station to Limes Avenue, also Lawrence Street from Daws Lane to Uphill Road.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the applications be approved on the usual conditions.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE MINUTES: Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Councillor Miss Growse,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Minutes of the proceedings of the Hendon Education Committee at a meeting held on the 25th October last be received.

IN COMMITTEE—

UNEMPLOYMENT: The Surveyor submitted a report in regard to the question of rate of wages for Unemployment Relief Work, special mention being made to the improvements at Colindeep Lane and Bell Lane.

The Council also gave further consideration to the communication from the Guardians, suggesting that the Guardians should pay a certain proportion of the wages of unemployed receiving relief who had been given work by authorised Local Authorities, the arrangement being that the Guardians should provide an amount in wages equal to the amount of relief to which each applicant was entitled.

After some discussion Mr. Councillor Wise moved that the Council's proportion be 5d. per hour, and that the Guardians' proportion be 10d. per hour, making 1s. 3d. per hour.

Upon this motion being put to the meeting there voted for it two: Councillors Wise and Glanville; and against it nine: Councillors Cartwright, Hill, Sturgess, Fenn, Soar, Mrs. Hargraves, Mrs. Bannister, Taylor and Weeks.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

Mr. Councillor Roberts then moved that the pay be 1s. 2d. per hour.

Mr. Councillor Hearn seconded the motion.

Upon the same being put to the meeting there voted for it nine: Councillors Roberts, Hill, Fenn, Soar, Mrs. Hargraves, Sturgess, Mrs. Bannister, Hearn, and Miss Growse; and against it six: Councillors Cartwright, Glanville, Wise, Taylor, Teare, and Weeks.

The Chairman declared the motion to be ~~not~~ carried.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Council continue to take the men on at the Town Hall, and that the Council do not entertain the scheme under the Grants Committee in respect of the works at Bell Lane and Colindeep Lane.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hearn,

IT WAS FURTHER RESOLVED—That the proportion be 10d. and 4d. per hour, and that the matter be referred to the Chairman to endeavour to settle with the Guardians.

EMPLOYMENT EXCHANGE: Letter from the Ministry of Labour Employment Exchange Committee, suggesting that the Council should have a representative upon such Committee.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That Mr. A. O. Knight, Engineer to the Council, be the Council's representative upon the Committee.

LOAN OF £5308 (BELL LANE IMPROVEMENTS): The Council have under consideration a further report from the Surveyor in reference to the proposed improvements in Bell Lane, Hendon, by the widening of the carriageway and making provision for footway, etc., at an estimated cost of £5308.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Soar, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the scheme be approved, and that application be made to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the necessary Loan of £5308.

S. H. Egaw
Chairman.

Minutes.

AT A SPECIAL MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 12th day of December, 1921.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
 " " F. W. Hearn,
 " " A. Roberts,
 " " A. J. Reynolds,
 Councillor The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan,
 Mr. Councillor A. B. Soar,
 " " J. H. Sturgess,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 " " R. M. Weeks,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor).

The Clerk read the notice convening the meeting.

OPEN AIR SWIMMING BATH: In accordance with the Special Notice

IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED—Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Soar, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare, that the Council adopt the Baths and Wash-houses Acts for the Urban District of Hendon in pursuance of Section 10 of the Public Health Act, 1875.

Consideration was given to the question of convening a further Special Meeting of the Council to consider the report of the Works Committee in regard to the tenders for the proposed Swimming Bath, and

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such meeting be convened for Monday next, the 19th inst.

S. H. Egan
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 " " R. M. Weeks,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant).

The Clerk read the notice convening the meeting.

REPORT OF WORKS AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL COMMITTEE: The Works and Sewage Disposal Committee submitted the following report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 12th inst.:-

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 12th day of December, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Roberts (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Egan, Cartwright, Glanville, Hare, Hill, Reynolds, Soar, Sturgess and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—OPEN AIR SWIMMING BATH: That they gave consideration to the tenders received for the construction of the proposed Open Air Swimming Bath on the site at The Hyde, and

RECOMMEND—The acceptance of Mr. Neal's tender at the sum of £4,271 0s. 0d., subject to satisfactory replies from the Colne Valley Water Company and the Regents Canal Company, and subject also to the approval of the Ministry of Health, and to the issue of the necessary sanction to the loan for the carrying out of the scheme.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Soar,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

UNEMPLOYMENT: A report was submitted from the Surveyor and Accountant in connection with their interview with the Clerk to the Guardians relative to the suggestion of the Guardians in regard to Unemployed Relief Work, viz.: that they should provide an amount equal in wages to the amount of relief to which each applicant who had been given work by authorised Local Authorities would have been entitled, but for such work.

After careful consideration of the reports submitted by the Officers in the matter, Mr. Councillor Soar moved:—

"That the Council continue the present arrangement in connection with the unemployed relief work, and that the rate of wages be 1s. 2d. per hour."

Mr. Councillor Roberts seconded the motion.

Mr. Councillor Hill moved as an amendment—

"That the Council inform the Guardians that they adhere to the suggestion referred to by the Officers at their interview with the Clerk to the Guardians, viz.: That the Council pay a proportion of 4d. per hour and the Guardians 10d. per hour in respect of unemployment relief work."

Mr. Councillor Hearn seconded the amendment.

Upon the amendment being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof three, viz.: Councillors Hill, Cartwright, and Hearn; and against the amendment eight, viz.: Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Growse, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Glanville, Soar, Roberts, Teare, and Weeks.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be not carried.

The motion by Mr. Councillor Soar was then put to the meeting and declared to be carried.

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PAY ORDER: The Accountant presented a Pay Order amounting to the sum of £2,070 16s. 11d. in respect of certain urgent payments.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Pay Order be approved, and cheques drawn for the amounts named therein.

CHRISTMAS VACATION: Reference was made to the question of the Christmas Vacation, and upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Council adjourn their sittings until the 9th January, 1922.

IN COMMITTEE—

LONDON ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY: Report from the Clerk as to an application by the London Electric Railway Company for an Order under the Special Acts (Extension of Time) Act in connection with the extension of the Tube Railway to Edgware.

IT WAS RESOLVED—To take no action in regard to such application.

SWIMMING BATH:

- (A) Report was received from the Consulting Engineer in reference to the scheme and generally approving the same.
- (B) Report from the Surveyor as to correspondence with the Colne Valley Water Company in reference to a supply of water for the proposed bath. It was decided to request the Company to submit a form of agreement in regard to supply of water for the bath.
- (C) Report from the Engineer as to correspondence with the Regents Canal and Dock Company in reference to the discharge of water from the bath into the reservoir. It appeared that whilst the Company were not prepared to offer any pecuniary consideration for the water, they would agree to facilitate the discharge thereof into the stream, the arrangement to form the subject of an agreement between the Company and the Council.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Soar,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Company be requested to submit a draft agreement upon the matter.

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HENDON, N.W.

12th January, 1922.

DEAR SIR, OR MADAM,

I beg to inform you that a Meeting of the Urban District Council of Hendon will be held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday next, the 16th day of January, 1922, at 6.15 o'clock in the evening for the purpose of transacting the following business, namely:—

Agenda:

1. To confirm Minutes of previous Meetings.
 2. Questions.
 3. Report of Finance Committee.
 4. Report of Works and Sewage Disposal Committee.
 5. Reports of Public Health Committee.
 6. Report of Town Planning Committee.
 7. Reports of Housing Committee.
 8. Report of Fire Brigade Committee.
 9. Report of General Purposes Committee.
- Receive Deputation *re* Greater London Scheme, at 7.30 p.m.
10. Report of Highways Committee.
 11. Report of Requisitions Committee.
 12. Report of Clerk.
 13. Report of Surveyor.
 14. Education Committee (Minutes).
 15. Xmas Gift Fund. Organizers Report.

I am, Dear Sir or Madam,

Yours faithfully,

HENRY HUMPHRIS,

Clerk to the Council.

Pensions Committee, at 6 p.m.

The Requisitions Committee, consisting of the Chairmen of the Standing Committees, to follow.

Report of Finance Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 9th day of January, 1922. Present: Mr. Councilor Cartwright (Chairman), Councilors Mrs. Hargraves, Fenn, Hearn, Roberts, Sturgess, Teare and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, ETC.: Your Committee have examined the Treasurer's Pass Book and Cash Books, and report that the total receipts from all sources since the last meeting amounted to the sum of £79,675 13s. 11d., making a total of £195,152 12s. 9d. for the current financial year.

INCOME.

| Description. | Amounts previously Reported. | | Amounts now Reported. | | Total. | |
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| | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| Rateable Accounts— | | | | | | |
| Hendon Recreation Ground ... | 164 | 10 1 | 3 | 15 0 | 168 | 5 1 |
| Sewage Farm and Stables, Rents, etc. | 331 | 19 0 | 21 | 5 0 | 352 | 15 0 |
| Stables—Sale of Horses ... | 20 | 0 0 | | | 20 | 0 0 |
| Sanitary Department, Disinfecting, etc. | 4 | 17 6 | 5 | 10 6 | 10 | 8 0 |
| Burroughs House, Rent, etc. ... | 52 | 0 5 | 5 | 0 0 | 57 | 0 5 |
| Maternity Centres and Midwifery ... | 667 | 0 11 | 63 | 13 0 | 733 | 13 11 |
| Isolation Hospital, Charges Recovered | 25 | 16 0 | | | 25 | 16 0 |
| Refuse Collection and Dust Shoot | | | | | | |
| Permits ... | 100 | 0 0 | 1 | 5 0 | 101 | 5 0 |
| Fire Brigade, expenses etc., recovered | 119 | 1 4 | 46 | 15 5 | 165 | 16 9 |
| Motor Ambulance, fees, etc. ... | 86 | 14 6 | 12 | 17 0 | 99 | 11 6 |
| Highways and Main Roads ... | 2847 | 6 4 | 2361 | 9 2 | 6408 | 15 6 |
| Street Lighting, damages recovered ... | 1 | 6 9 | 5 | 11 9 | 6 | 18 6 |
| Lyons and Harvists Trust Fund ... | 616 | 3 3 | | | 616 | 3 3 |
| Salaries Account, fees, etc. ... | 405 | 17 5 | 33 | 6 8 | 439 | 4 1 |
| Public Offices, lettings, etc. ... | 208 | 8 4 | 39 | 13 4 | 248 | 1 8 |
| Establishment and Legal Expenses ... | 194 | 7 8 | 34 | 5 8 | 228 | 13 4 |
| Building Certificates ... | 160 | 16 0 | 44 | 2 0 | 144 | 18 0 |
| Interest and Dividends ... | 2239 | 10 0 | 457 | 16 8 | 2697 | 6 8 |
| Workmen's Compensation ... | 25 | 7 6 | 21 | 19 10 | 47 | 7 4 |
| General District Rates and Costs ... | 56325 | 11 7 | 22128 | 17 6 | 78454 | 9 1 |
| Government Contribution in lieu of Rates ... | 336 | 7 6 | | | 336 | 7 6 |
| | 64872 | 13 1 | 26490 | 3 6 | 91362 | 16 7 |
| Suspense Accounts— | | | | | | |
| National Kitchens ... | 73 | 1 0 | | | 73 | 1 0 |
| Allotments ... | 224 | 9 1 | 52 | 0 5 | 276 | 9 6 |
| Emergency Coal Control—Expenses ... | 5 | 6 1 | | | 5 | 6 1 |
| Lands Cultivation Orders ... | 133 | 7 4 | 47 | 5 0 | 180 | 12 4 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 1, Rents ... | 979 | 12 1 | 171 | 14 5 | 1151 | 6 6 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 2, Rents ... | 646 | 0 1 | 218 | 13 3 | 864 | 13 4 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 2, Key Deposits ... | 8 | 0 0 | 1 | 5 0 | 9 | 5 0 |
| Emergency Food Control—repayment of advance ... | 250 | 0 0 | | | 250 | 0 0 |
| Private Works ... | 1427 | 2 3 | 362 | 12 1 | 1789 | 14 4 |
| Tender Deposits ... | 562 | 11 0 | 46 | 4 0 | 608 | 15 0 |
| Wages—Unemployment Fund ... | 532 | 14 2 | | | 532 | 14 2 |
| Hendon Overseers ... | 1036 | 19 5 | | | 1036 | 19 5 |
| Private Improvements ... | 2854 | 11 0 | 714 | 2 3 | 3568 | 13 3 |
| Land, West Hendon, Rent ... | 6 | 0 0 | | | 6 | 0 0 |
| Brent Hill Housing, Rents ... | 806 | 2 1 | 241 | 14 0 | 1047 | 16 1 |
| Brent Hill Housing, Wages Repaid ... | 8 | 2 | | | 8 | 2 |
| Brent Hill Housing, Key Deposits ... | 9 | 5 0 | | | 9 | 5 0 |
| Coal Reserve Stock—Sales ... | 83 | 17 0 | | | 83 | 17 0 |
| | 9639 | 5 9 | 1855 | 10 5 | 11494 | 16 2 |
| Capital Accounts— | | | | | | |
| Loans—General ... | 32035 | 0 0 | 51280 | 0 0 | 83315 | 0 0 |
| Loans—Housing ... | 7100 | 0 0 | | | 7100 | 0 0 |
| Housing Bonds ... | 1830 | 0 0 | 50 | 0 0 | 1880 | 0 0 |
| | 40965 | 0 0 | 51330 | 0 0 | 92295 | 0 0 |

SUMMARY OF INCOME TO DATE.

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| Rateable Accounts ... | 64872 | 13 1 | 26490 | 3 6 | 91362 | 16 7 |
| Suspense Accounts ... | 9639 | 5 9 | 1855 | 10 5 | 11494 | 16 2 |
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2.—RATE COLLECTION: They have also examined the Statement as to the rate collection, and find that there has been collected and paid to the Treasurer since the last meeting the sum of £2,128 2s. on account of rates, and 15s. 6d. on account of costs.

3.—STATEMENT OF BALANCES: They have also examined the Cash Book and Statement of Treasurer's Balances, which they found correct, and report that the total balance in hand amounted to £76,148 8s. 7d.

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BANK ACCOUNTS.

| Revenue Account. | Loans Account. | Sinking Fund Account. | Housing Subsidised Account. | North Circular Road Account. | Total. |
|--|----------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------|
| £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Balance in hand, 23rd November, 1921 ... | 6594 10 9 | | | | |
| Receipts per Statement to 4th January, 1921 | 27887 14 8 | 51737 19 3 | 10 0 5 | 43108 16 7 | 49713 7 9 |
| Receipts on North Circular Road Account | | | 50 0 0 | | 79675 13 11 |
| Cancelled cheque ... | 13 2 0 | | | | |
| Transfer from Loans Account (see contra) | 50 0 0 | | | 3037 19 2 | 3037 19 2 |
| Transfer from North Circular Road (see contra) | 32 1 6 | | | | 13 2 0 |
| Transfer from Loans Account (see contra) | 57 13 6 | | | | 50 0 0 |
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CREDITS—

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|--|-------------|------------|--------|------------|-----------|--------------|
| Balance overdrawn at 23rd November, 1921 | | 26829 0 5 | | | | 26829 0 5 |
| Cheques per lists to 2nd January, 1921 | 14358 16 11 | 8289 17 1 | | 4333 2 6 | | 26981 16 6 |
| Outlay, North Circular Road Account ... | | | | | | |
| Transfer to Revenue Account (see contra) | | 50 0 0 | | | 2480 17 4 | 2480 17 4 |
| Transfer to Revenue Account (see contra) | | 57 13 6 | | | | 50 0 0 |
| Transfer to Revenue Account (see contra) | | | | | | 57 13 6 |
| Balances in hand, 4th January, 1922 ... | 20276 5 6 | 16911 8 3 | 10 0 5 | 38825 14 1 | 525 0 4 | 76148 8 7 |
| | £34635 2 5 | 51737 19 3 | 10 0 5 | 43158 16 7 | 3037 19 2 | 132579 17 10 |

4.—ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT: They have also considered the various accounts submitted for payment, amounting to the sum of £23,850 8s. 11d. on the Council's account, and the sum of £174 3s. 7d. for North Circular Road Account, and

RECOMMEND—That the same be passed and cheques drawn for the various amounts.

5.—EXPENDITURE JOURNALS, GENERAL AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS: That they have examined these Journals, and

RECOMMEND—That the Personal Accounts in the Ledger be credited, and the various Impersonal Accounts debited with the amounts of the Invoices, as per the following Statement, showing outlay to date:—

EXPENDITURE.

Approved Estimate.

Payments previously Reported.

Amounts now Reported.

Total.

RATEABLE ACCOUNTS—

| £ | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 9906 Main Roads ... | 3147 8 6 | 1748 2 2 | 4895 10 8 |
| 4936 Highways ... | 4464 8 2 | 143 0 6 | 4607 8 8 |
| 531 Ditto (Special) ... | 522 6 7 | 163 15 3 | 686 1 10 |
| 2547 Tarpainting ... | 2630 15 8 | | 2630 15 8 |
| 250 Dust and Refuse Removal | 222 3 0 | 23 4 9 | 245 7 9 |
| Warner Road Shoot ... | 187 10 0 | | 187 10 0 |
| Emptying Cesspools ... | 182 10 0 | 12 0 | 183 2 0 |
| 670 Mill Hill Dusting ... | 502 0 0 | | 502 0 0 |
| 12280 Public Lighting ... | 5778 6 6 | 2002 4 11 | 7780 11 5 |
| 115 Sewers Maintenance, etc. | 61 12 9 | 1 8 6 | 63 1 3 |
| 544 Pumping Stations ... | 268 16 8 | 106 18 5 | 375 15 1 |
| 832 Outfall Works ... | 695 1 6 | 25 17 2 | 720 18 8 |
| 440 Sanitation, etc. ... | 245 17 6 | 78 11 8 | 324 9 2 |
| 1219 Isolation Hospital ... | 676 10 2 | 307 0 2 | 983 10 4 |
| 1414 Joint Small Pox Hospital | 558 14 11 | | 558 14 11 |
| 162 Maternity Centres ... | 116 11 10 | 18 12 5 | 135 4 3 |
| 950 Maternity Stock and Milk | 337 17 10 | 88 10 0 | 426 7 10 |
| 300 Day Nursery Grants ... | 300 0 0 | | 300 0 0 |
| 55 Mortuary ... | 17 1 3 | | 17 1 3 |
| 1335 Fire Brigade ... | 1139 19 2 | 111 7 5 | 1251 6 7 |
| 87 Accident Ambulance ... | 65 15 6 | 26 7 2 | 92 2 8 |
| 668 Pleasure Grounds, Street Trees, etc. ... | 317 13 3 | 105 0 11 | 422 14 2 |
| 974 Town Hall ... | 542 4 9 | 118 6 4 | 660 11 1 |
| 170 Burroughs House ... | 96 17 7 | 8 16 3 | 105 13 10 |

Committee.

Council of London.

on Monday, the 9th day of ... Mrs. Hargraves, Fern, Hearn,

Treasurer's Pass Book and Cash ... meeting amounted to the sum ... financial year.

Accounts ... reported. Total.

| £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
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| 15 0 | 168 5 1 |
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| 6 8 | 439 4 1 |
| 13 4 | 248 1 8 |
| 5 9 | 228 13 4 |
| 2 0 | 144 18 0 |
| 15 8 | 2697 6 8 |
| 12 10 | 47 7 4 |
| 17 6 | 78454 9 1 |
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| 250 0 0 |
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| 1036 19 5 |
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| 800 | Legal, etc., Expenses | ... | 875 10 0 | 2 6 | 875 12 6 |
| 200 | Establishment Expenses | ... | 163 1 11 | 45 9 7 | 208 11 6 |
| 1100 | Printing, Advertising and Insurances | ... | 1017 4 9 | 49 1 5 | 1066 6 2 |
| 194 | Election Expenses | ... | 194 6 10 | | 194 6 10 |
| 18070 | Loan Charges | ... | 9643 3 3 | 987 10 4 | 10630 13 7 |
| 2100 | Subsidised Housing—Amount of Id. Rate | ... | 2100 0 0 | | 2100 0 0 |
| 14097 | Salaries | ... | 9887 17 8 | 1177 12 0 | 11065 9 8 |
| 27046 | Wages | ... | 22513 15 11 | 2524 12 7 | 25038 8 6 |
| 3110 | Stables | ... | 993 10 4 | 97 19 4 | 1091 9 8 |
| 1616 | Stores | ... | 1777 6 6 | | 1777 6 6 |
| 45 | Public Depots | ... | 39 8 9 | 1 9 | 39 10 6 |
| 1080 | Steam Wagons | ... | 270 15 9 | 109 3 5 | 379 19 2 |
| 869 | Stationery Stock | ... | 559 12 7 | 146 7 6 | 706 0 1 |
| 1950 | Special Works | ... | 295 18 9 | | 295 18 9 |
| | Ditto, Wages | ... | 1654 1 3 | | 1654 1 3 |
| 500 | Land, etc., The Burroughs Bittacy View House | ... | 1 2 6 | 400 0 0 | 400 0 0 |
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| | | | £75064 19 10 | 10615 16 5 | 85680 16 3 |

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SUSPENSE ACCOUNTS.

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| Allotments | ... | ... | 159 5 11 | 4 1 5 | 163 7 4 |
| Ditto, Wages | ... | ... | 15 9 8 | 5 1 10 | 20 11 6 |
| Lands Cultivation Orders | ... | ... | 210 16 5 | 44 2 6 | 254 18 11 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 1 | ... | ... | 379 19 7 | 20 5 0 | 400 4 7 |
| Ditto, Wages | ... | ... | 195 3 11 | 106 9 8 | 301 13 7 |
| Overseers' Expenses | ... | ... | 261 19 9 | 80 13 10 | 342 13 7 |
| Food Control | ... | ... | 250 0 0 | | 250 0 0 |
| Open Air Swimming Bath | ... | ... | | | |
| Kitchens | ... | ... | 48 3 6 | | 48 3 6 |
| Private Works | ... | ... | 500 19 4 | 111 10 9 | 612 10 1 |
| Ditto, Wages | ... | ... | 223 2 8 | 213 4 7 | 436 7 3 |
| District Rate Refunds | ... | ... | 52 0 3 | 8 10 10 | 60 11 1 |
| Education | ... | ... | 5 4 9 | 3 15 11 | 9 0 8 |
| Stables Reserve—Horses | ... | ... | 200 0 0 | | 200 0 0 |
| Unemployed—Wages | ... | ... | 532 14 2 | | 532 14 2 |
| Subsidised Housing—excess of Id. Rate | ... | ... | 5384 0 1 | 52 7 5 | 5436 7 6 |
| Tender Deposits repaid | ... | ... | 387 15 0 | 252 0 0 | 639 15 0 |
| Coal Reserve Stock—Wages | ... | ... | 12 0 0 | | 12 0 0 |
| North Circular Road—Wages | ... | ... | 9 16 4 | 2386 4 6 | 2396 0 10 |
| Ditto, Outlay | ... | ... | 70 2 8 | 185 17 10 | 256 0 6 |
| Workmen's Compensation | ... | ... | 18 8 | | 18 8 |
| Ditto, Wages | ... | ... | 40 5 0 | 47 5 10 | 87 10 10 |
| | | | £8939 17 8 | 3521 11 11 | 12461 9 7 |

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS.

| Sanction. | £ | | | | |
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| 33939 | | Child's Hill Housing, No. 2 | 11164 10 9 | | 11164 10 9 |
| | | Ditto, Wages | 195 0 0 | | 195 0 0 |
| 211556 | | Brent Hill Housing | 64094 9 6 | 2416 5 2 | 66510 14 8 |
| | | Ditto, Wages | 712 7 7 | 437 2 0 | 1149 9 7 |
| 2533 | | Bittacy Hill Housing | 2721 17 3 | | 2721 17 3 |
| 35048 | | Private Street Improvements | 19941 18 9 | 1746 12 5 | 21688 11 2 |
| 7100 | | West Hendon Housing | 7185 2 6 | | 7185 2 6 |
| | | Ditto, Wages | 23 12 11 | | 23 12 11 |
| 500 | | Colindeep Lane Sewer | 315 11 9 | 2 12 6 | 318 4 3 |
| | | Brent Street Sewer | | 16 7 | 16 7 |
| 13735 | | Kingsbury Lane Land (Pleasure Grounds) | 14316 8 4 | | 14316 8 4 |
| 1800 | | Ditto (Allotments) | 1665 0 0 | | 1665 0 0 |
| | | Huts Construction (Maternity) | | 5 8 10 | 5 8 10 |
| 86000 | | Edgware Road, Reconstruction | 8569 3 7 | 6696 2 0 | 15265 5 7 |
| | | Ditto, Wages | 133 16 8 | 36 15 10 | 170 12 6 |
| 1977 | | Outfall Works Extension | 4824 5 1 | 2825 0 0 | 7749 5 1 |
| | | Ditto, Wages | | 34 16 8 | 34 16 8 |
| 3715 | | Park Road Widening | 133 17 11 | 18 16 1 | 152 14 0 |
| | | Ditto, Wages | 119 16 0 | | 119 16 0 |
| 6000 | | Temple Fortune Sewer | 5172 11 0 | | 5172 11 0 |
| | | Ditto, Wages | 55 10 9 | | 55 10 9 |
| 1970 | | Woodstock Avenue—New Road | 1011 11 2 | 139 7 9 | 1150 18 11 |
| | | Ditto, Wages | 852 3 4 | 41 14 11 | 893 18 3 |
| 1325 | | Bittacy Hill Land (Pleasure Ground) | 1383 13 3 | | 1383 13 3 |
| 742 | | Ditto (Allotments) | 774 17 1 | 6 16 10 | 1390 10 1 |
| | | Sewage Sprinklers | | 3 18 2 | 778 15 3 |
| | | Fire Hydrants | | 775 0 10 | 775 0 10 |
| | | Swimming Bath, Wages | 15 0 | 52 4 4 | 52 19 4 |
| | | Ditto, Outlay | | 1 13 6 | 1 13 6 |
| | | Stores | | 18 5 5 | 19 15 7 |
| | | Shirehall Lane | 390 16 10 | | 390 16 10 |
| | | Ditto, Wages | 219 19 5 | 68 15 11 | 288 15 4 |
| | | Mill Hill Road Widening | 750 0 0 | 117 19 3 | 867 19 3 |
| | | Ditto, Wages | 249 11 10 | 1007 1 9 | 1256 13 7 |
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SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS TO DATE.

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| Rateable Accounts | ... | 75084 19 10 | 10615 16 5 | 85680 16 3 |
| Suspense Accounts | ... | 8539 17 8 | 3521 11 11 | 12461 9 7 |
| Capital Accounts | ... | 14,720 18 5 | 15637 12 7 | 164367 11 0 |
| | | £231734 15 11 | 30775 0 11 | 262509 16 10 |

6.—AUDIT:

(A) STAMP DUTY AND FINANCIAL STATEMENT: The Clerk reported the receipt of a Circular from the Ministry of Health transmitting copy of an Order made by the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury in pursuance of Section 61 (1) of the Finance Act, 1921, fixing a new scale of Stamp Duty to be charged in respect of the Audit of Accounts by District Auditors. The Order, known as the Audit Stamp Duty (Local Authorities) Order, 1921, came into operation on the 24th December, and applied to the accounts of Local Authorities for any financial period ending on or after 30th September, 1921.

The Ministry also transmitted copy of the Financial Statements Order, 1921, providing for a revised form of Financial Statement to be adopted by Local Authorities.

Your Committee have duly noted the orders referred to.

(B) AUDITOR—APPOINTMENT OF: The Clerk reported the receipt of a communication from the Ministry of Health as to the appointment of Mr. Mortimer David Probert to the office of District Auditor to the Middlesex Audit District.

Your Committee have duly noted such communication.

7.—PRICE OF GAS: Letter from the Gas Light and Coke Co. intimating that the Company had reduced the price of gas from 1s. 2d. to 1s. 1d. per therm throughout the whole of their district as from December quarter meter recording, and that the increase in the Company's charge for street lighting as from 1st January, 1922, would be reduced from 185 per cent. to 180 per cent.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of this communication.

8.—KENWOOD: Letter from the Ministry of Health in reference to the application of the Council for sanction to a loan of £1,000 in respect of the proposed contribution by the Council towards the cost of the scheme for the acquisition of "Kenwood" for public use.

The Ministry intimated that they would be prepared to issue a sanction to a loan of £1,000 repayable in sixty years subject to being satisfied as to the reasonableness of the sum proposed to be paid for the purchase of the Estate, and also to the scheme going through.

Your Committee have duly noted this communication.

9.—EMPTY HOUSES, PAYMENT OF RATES: Letter from the Urban District Council of Chiswick in reference to the rating of empty houses being held for sale with vacant possession. They expressed the opinion that steps should be taken to ensure that houses were not kept empty for an unduly long time. The Council had communicated with the Ministry of Health asking that a Bill might be introduced requiring payment of rates in respect of empty houses held for sale, and requested the Council to consider the matter with a view to taking similar action.

Your Committee are unable to recommend the Council to take any action in regard to this matter.

10.—HOUSING BONDS:

(A) Letter from the Urban District Council of Finchley making enquiry whether the Council would offer any objection to the postmasters at certain Post Offices in the Golders Green area being appointed as Official Agents for the sale of the Finchley Housing Bonds. Your Committee desire to point out that this Council also have their own scheme of Housing Bonds, and in the circumstances regret they cannot accede to the request.

(B) Report from the Accountant that the sum of £180 had been received in respect of Local Housing Bonds since the last meeting, the total to date being £27,365. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the further issue of Housing Bonds.

11.—LOANS:

(A) Letter from the Ministry of Health with particulars as to the procedure to be adopted in connection with the advance of loans from the Public Works Loan Commissioners, and the particulars to accompany same, which they have duly noted.

(B) LOAN OF £5,000—SWIMMING BATH: Letter from the Ministry of Health transmitting sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £5,000 for the construction of an open air swimming bath at The Hyde, also transmitting formal instrument under Seal consenting to the appropriation of the land acquired for allotments for the purpose of the construction of the swimming bath. Your Committee have duly noted the receipt of the Loan sanction and instrument of appropriation.

(C) GRANT: Letter from the Unemployment Grants Committee intimating that the work of construction of an open air swimming bath at The Hyde had been approved for the purpose of a grant under the Scheme, viz., 50 per cent. of the interest on the loan raised to meet the expenditure on the scheme for a period of five years in respect of a loan of £5,000. The grant was approved on the conditions contained in form 4 of the Unemployment Grants Committee.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of this communication.

(D) LOAN £1,761—COLINDEEP LANE IMPROVEMENT: Letter from the Ministry of Health transmitting sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £1,761 for the widening and improvement of Colindeep Lane at its junction with Station Road. The Ministry suggested that the money should be raised from local sources.

Your Committee have duly noted this communication.

(E) Report from the Accountant as to his negotiations with the Royal London Insurance Company in reference to the advance of further Loans.

Your Committee have requested the Accountant to submit a further report in regard to this matter.

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12.—PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS:

- (A) DUNSTAN ROAD: Letter from Mr. J. Darwen disputing the apportionment served upon him in respect of No. 18, Dunstan Road, on the ground that the cost was excessive.

Your Committee are informed that the amount apportioned in respect of Mr. Darwen's premises is £53 17s. 6d., the amount being apportioned by the Surveyor according to his frontage in the road, viz., 27ft. 4in.

Your Committee have given careful consideration to Mr. Darwen's communication but are unable to entertain his dispute. They

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor's apportionment in respect of Mr. Darwen's premises be confirmed, and that he be informed that the Council are unable to entertain his appeal.

- (B) AMBROSE AVENUE: Letter from Messrs. Roberts, Seyd, Jackman and Co., disputing the apportionment served upon Mrs. Taylor, of "Stalheim," Golders Green Road, in respect of the flank frontage of her house to Ambrose Avenue, amounting to the sum of £209 7s. 9d. Your Committee have received a report in regard to the apportionment in this case, and

RECOMMEND—That Messrs. Roberts, Seyd, Jackman and Co. be informed that the Council confirm the Surveyor's apportionment in respect of such premises.

- (C) Report from the Accountant that a number of frontagers desired to enter into an agreement for payment of private improvement expenses and agreements were being prepared and would be submitted for Sealing by the Council.

Your Committee have duly noted such report.

- 13.—HIGHWAYS ACCOUNT—WARNER ROAD: Report from the Accountant as to an amount of £531 4s. 2d. remaining in hand on this account, and having regard to the fact that Warner Road was being merged in the North Circular Road, he suggested that this sum should be applied in aid of the Highways Account, to meet the cost of materials on special works. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the suggestion of the Accountant be approved.

- 14.—RAILWAY ASSESSMENT: Report from the Accountant that the Great Northern Railway Co. had lodged an appeal against the Poor Rate Assessment in respect of their property in this district, and enquired whether in the event of a reduction in the Poor Rate Assessment taking place, the Council would make a corresponding reduction in the District Rate. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council agree to this course being followed in the event of a reduction taking place.

- 15.—PAY ORDERS: The Accountant submitted Pay Orders for the sums of £1,113 13s. 6d. and £25, and your Committee approved the same and authorised the drawing of the necessary cheques.

- 16.—EXAMINATION SUCCESS: Report from the Accountant that Mr. J. Skidmore of his Department had successfully passed the Intermediate Examination of the Society of Incorporated Accountants and Auditors. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the congratulations of the Council be tendered to Mr. Skidmore upon his success.

- 17.—CONTRACTORS' CERTIFICATES: The Surveyor submitted Certificates in favour of Contractors as follows:—

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| Thomas Adams, Sneath Avenue (Final) | 220 | 2 | 2 |
| Thomas Adams, Dunstan Road (Final) | 336 | 10 | 10 |
| Thomas Adams, The Ridgeway (Final) | 515 | 19 | 0 |
| Thomas Adams, Ambrose Avenue (Final) | 229 | 6 | 6 |
| Thomas Adams, Garrick Avenue (Final) | 224 | 8 | 11 |
| Wm. Moss and Sons, Sewage Outfall Works, No. 3. | 2925 | 0 | 0 |
| Ham Baker and Co., Sewage Outfall Works | 765 | 0 | 0 |
| Howard Farrow, Edgware Road Reconstruction No. 4. | 6644 | 0 | 0 |

Such Certificates are included in the amounts for payment.

Report of Works and Sewage Disposal Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 12th day of December, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Roberts (Chairman), Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Cartwright, Egan, Glanville, Hill, Hare, Reynolds, Soar, Sturgess and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—ALLOTMENTS:

- (A) CRICKLEWOOD: Letter from Mr. E. J. Rutland, Cricklewood Allotment Holders' Association, making enquiry whether the Council had been successful in their negotiations to secure additional land for allotments at Cricklewood.

Your Committee have received a further report from the Surveyor in regard to his negotiations in connection with this matter, and have requested him to continue such negotiations and endeavour, if possible, to secure a short lease of land in the neighbourhood of the Cricklewood Aerodrome. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Rutland be informed of the present position of the matter.

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(B) **BOOTH ROAD:** The Surveyor reported the result of his negotiations with the Grahame-White Company in reference to re-opening the private footpath from Colindale Avenue to Booth Road Allotments, from which it appeared that the Grahame-White Company did not appear to be disposed to re-open the pathway.

Reference was made to the negotiations for acquiring a piece of land on lease from the Office of Works near the Allotments, and your Committee have instructed the Surveyor to continue his negotiations in regard to this piece of land in conjunction with the Chairman of the Council. A further report will be submitted upon the matter at the next meeting of the Committee.

(c) **DAWS LANE:** Report was made that Messrs. Howard and Lavarack, the owners of the land in Daws Lane, had intimated that they might not require the same during the year 1922 for building development.

Your Committee instructed the Surveyor to send an intimation to this effect to the Secretary of the Allotment Association.

(d) **CENTRAL HENDON:** Report from the Surveyor that the temporary sheds on the West View Allotments had not yet been removed. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a reference be made of the Allotments affected and that notices be served upon the Allottees requiring the removal of the sheds to comply with the requirements of the All Souls' College Authorities.

2.—**CHILD'S HILL RECREATION GROUND:** Letter from Mr. Bottoms making enquiry whether the Council could see their way to permit him to sell refreshments in the Child's Hill Recreation Ground for the remainder of the season. After due consideration of this matter your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council permit Mr. Bottoms to sell refreshments for the remainder of the present football season upon payment of a fee of 5s., it being a condition, however, that no permanent fixture should be placed upon the ground. Reference was made to the question of granting a similar concession to sell refreshments at the Kingsbury Lane Playing Fields. Your Committee consider that a similar privilege might be allowed in this case.

3.—**RIFLE RANGE—CHILD'S HILL RECREATION GROUND:** Letter from Mr. Mulley on behalf of the Hodford Football Club as to their desire to inaugurate a gymnastic club, and they made enquiry whether the Council could see their way to grant the use of the Rifle Range in the Child's Hill Recreation Ground for the purpose. It was proposed to make use of the building five evenings in each week.

After careful consideration of this application your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council agree to the Rifle Range at Child's Hill being used for the purpose of a Gymnasium on three evenings per week to be arranged, upon payment of 1s. per evening, and the cost of the gas for lighting.

4.—**PUBLIC CONVENIENCE:**

(A) **WEST HENDON:** Letter from the West Hendon and Colindale Brotherhood upon the subject of the provision of an underground Public Convenience at West Hendon. A suggestion was submitted from the Brotherhood that a site at the junction of Wilberforce Road and Station Road would be the most suitable for an Underground Convenience. Your Committee have given careful consideration to the question of providing a Convenience in this locality and

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor prepare a scheme for the provision of an Underground Convenience for consideration by the Committee.

(B) **GOLDERS GREEN:** Reference was made as to the negotiations in regard to the provision of Lavatory Accommodation at Golders Green. The Clerk reported that he had received a draft agreement, and the same was now under consideration. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That this matter be proceeded with.

5.—**RATS—COMPLAINT AS TO:** Letter from Mr. S. Righton in reference to a nuisance from rats at his premises situate at Decoy Avenue. It appeared that Mr. Righton had already been in communication with the County Council upon the subject. Your Committee are unable to take any action in regard to this matter possessing no facilities for dealing with the same, they

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Righton be informed accordingly.

6.—**REFUSE DESTRUCTOR:** That they received a report from the Sub-Committee appointed to consider the question of refuse disposal as to their visit to the Hampstead Borough Council Works, when an inspection was made of a plant installed by the Council for dealing with the disposal of house refuse. After careful consideration of the report of the Sub-Committee, your Committee consider it desirable to secure further information as to the cost of such an installation, and they

RECOMMEND—That the Accountant submit a report as to the actual upkeep of such a scheme, and also that the Surveyor negotiate with the Midland Railway Company on the question of providing siding accommodation, and also report as to capital cost involved by the proposed scheme.

7.—**UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF WORKS:** That they received a report from the Surveyor in regard to suggestions from the West Hendon and Colindale Brotherhood as to works which they considered might be put in hand for the relief of unemployment, viz:—

(A) **REFUSE DESTRUCTOR:** This matter is under the consideration of the Committee but would not be suitable for unemployment relief as such work is usually carried out by firms experienced in that class of work, employing their own men.

(B) **CONVENIENCES:** This matter is also under the consideration of the Council.

(C) **SWIMMING BATH:** This scheme is in hand.

(D) **ANNESLEY AVENUE AND CECIL ROAD—MAKING UP OF:** In regard to the proposal for the making up of Annesley Avenue and Cecil Road, work in connection with the making up of private streets could not conveniently be proceeded with as relief works.

(E) **FOOTPATH—STANLEY ROAD:** In regard to the proposal for extending the footpath in Stanley Road, this would provide work for a few men for a short period. The cost was not included in the present estimates but would receive consideration in the next estimate.

- (F) COOL OAK LANE IMPROVEMENT: In regard to the suggestion for improvements in Cool Oak Lane, no development was warranted at the present time in this neighbourhood as the acquisition of land was involved. Your Committee agreed that the negotiations for the land proceed in this case.
- 8.—BRENT LOW LEVEL SEWER: Report from the Surveyor that together with the Accountant he had had an interview with the Officials of the Ministry of Health, from which it appeared that they did not think any difficulty would be raised in arranging for certain unspent balances on certain loans being used for this work. Your Committee
- RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor prepare plans for submission to the Ministry of Health, and that as soon as practicable an advertisement be issued inviting tenders for the work. Your Committee
- RECOMMEND—Further that application be made to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the appropriation of the balances of loans for the works.
- 9.—TELEGRAPH LINE: Letter from H.M. Postmaster General applying for consent to the laying of an underground telegraphic line in Sunningfields Road, Hendon. Your Committee
- RECOMMEND— That the same be approved.
- 10.—LAND—HIGHWOOD HILL: Reference was made to the question of procuring certain land (approximately 4 acres in extent) at the top of Highwood Hill which it was suggested would be suitable for allotments. Your Committee instructed the Surveyor to open up negotiations with the owner of the land.
- 11.—REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor submitted requisitions of certain goods required in his Department and the same were duly approved.

Report of Public Health Committee, No. 1.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 12th day of December, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Teare (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Hearn, the Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Page, Taylor, and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—VITAL STATISTICS: From the report of the Medical Officer of Health it appeared that the birth rate of the district for the past four weeks was 15.55 per 1,000, and the death rate for the same period 15.78 per 1,000.
- 2.—INFECTIOUS DISEASES: That they had under consideration a report from the Medical Officer of Health as to cases of infectious disease which had been notified since the last meeting of the Committee. Noted.
- 3.—REQUISITIONS: The Medical Officer of Health submitted a list of materials required, and
- RECOMMEND approval thereof.

With regard to the requisition of goods required in connection with the furnishing of the hut at Burroughs House, to be utilised in connection with Maternity and Child Welfare Services, it was decided to defer consideration of the same until the next meeting of your Committee.

- 4.—DRAINAGE WORK: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to the action taken in connection with certain drainage in the district, and the same was duly approved.
- 5.—STATUTORY NOTICES: Report from the Sanitary Inspector that in the following cases preliminary notices had been served but had not been complied with, and he asked for authority to serve Statutory Notices:—

37, Station Road—Notice under Section 91 and 36 Public Health Act, 1875.
 35, Station Road—Notice under Section 91 Public Health Act, 1875.
 33, Station Road—Notice under Section 91 Public Health Act, 1875.
 45, Station Road—Notice under Section 91 Public Health Act, 1875.
 39, Station Road—Notice under Section 91 Public Health Act, 1875.
 85, Hamilton Road—Notice under Section 91 and 36 Public Health Act, 1975.
 37, Ashbourne Avenue—Notice under Section 36 Public Health Act, 1875.
 31, The Burroughs—Notice under Section 91 Public Health Act, 1875.
 Rooms over Stables, "Fernside," Finchley Road—Notice under Section 91 and 36 Public Health Act, 1875.

In regard to 37, Ashbourne Avenue the Inspector asked for authority, in the event of the notice not being complied with, to have the work executed, the same being of an urgent character, the cost thereof to be recovered from the Owner as provided by Section 36 of the Public Health Act, 1875.

After due consideration of the report of the Inspector in the matter, your Committee gave the necessary authority.

In regard to the remaining cases authority was given for the service of the Statutory Notices referred to.

- 6.—SANITARY CERTIFICATES: The Sanitary Inspector submitted a report in regard to an application he had received for the issue of a Certificate under Section 2 of the Increase of Rent and Mortgage Interest (Restriction) Act, 1920, in respect of No. 2a, Golders Way.

Your Committee adjourned the consideration of the matter to enable the Inspector to submit a further report thereon at a Special Meeting of the Committee to be held on Monday next, the 19th inst.

- 7.—VETERINARY INSPECTION: Report from the Medical Officer of Health that the quarterly inspection of Cows and Cowsheds in the district had been undertaken, and the Veterinary Inspector reported that at the time of such inspection the same were found to be in a satisfactory condition. Noted.

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8.—SUPPLY OF MILK: The Medical Officer of Health reported the receipt of an application from Mrs. Packer for a supply of Milk at a reduced rate. He had made enquiry into the matter and found that the case was one in which relief was granted by the Guardians, and having regard to this fact he had informed Mrs. Packer that the Council were unable to accede to her request.

Your Committee confirmed the action of the Medical Officer in the matter.

9.—CONGRESS: Letter from the Royal Sanitary Institute in regard to the Annual Congress of the Institute proposed to be held at Bournemouth from the 24th to the 29th July, 1922, and inviting the Council to appoint delegates to attend such Congress.

Your Committee have given consideration to the matter, but have no recommendation to make thereon.

10.—MEDICAL SERVICES: Letter from the Ministry of Health approving of the amended allocation of the salary of the Medical Officer of Health submitted by the Council in respect of the various medical services undertaken by him.

The Ministry also intimated that they sanctioned the appointment of Dr. McIntosh as Medical Officer of Health for the Urban District of Hendon, such appointment to date from the 1st November, 1920.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

11.—COMPLAINT: Letter from Mr. E. May alleging that rubbish was being deposited on the vacant ground opposite his premises at The Riding, Golders Green, and requesting the Council to take steps to remedy the matter. The Clerk intimated that the complaint had been referred to the Sanitary Inspector for the necessary action.

12.—BURROUGHS FARM: Letter from Mr. H. Parsons, relative to the notice served upon Mrs. Cross, requiring her to give up possession of the premises occupied by her.

Your Committee have requested the General Purposes Committee to give the matter consideration.

13.—APPOINTMENT OF MIDWIFE: That they had under consideration a schedule of applications received for the appointment of Midwife, and after due consideration thereof decided to invite the following applicants to attend a Special Meeting of the Committee to be held on Monday next, the 19th inst., at 6.15 p.m.:

Miss M. L. Suggate, St. Marylebone.
Miss A. Pollexfen, Enfield.
Miss M. Turnbull, London, S.E.
Miss E. Dix, Hitchin.
Mrs. A. Dangerfield, Letchworth.
Miss A. L. Ash, Acton.

14.—ISOLATION HOSPITAL:

(A) Letter from the Hon Secretary of the Child's Hill and Golders Green Ratepayers' Association in reference to the proposal of the Council to extend the existing Isolation Hospital, and suggesting that the Council should in lieu thereof obtain a site elsewhere and erect a new hospital thereon.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

(B) That they had under consideration the question of modifying the scheme submitted by the Surveyor and Medical Officer of Health for the extension of the existing Isolation Hospital, together with a report from the Officers in regard thereto. The Surveyor submitted suggestions in connection with the matter as follows:—

(A) The deletion of the Diphtheria Block, estimated to cost £450.
The deletion of Central Heating, estimated to cost £750.
Thus reducing the cost of the original scheme from £4,500 to £3,300.

(B) He suggested that a further reduction might be made in the scheme by the deletion in the Staff Block of one proposed Sitting Room, Bath Room and W.C., estimated to cost £300, thus reducing the cost of the scheme to £3,000.

Your Committee have given very careful consideration to the schemes submitted, together with reports from the Surveyor and Medical Officer of Health thereon. It will be remembered that at the meeting of the Council held on the 5th December, 1921, your Committee suggested that the cost of the work should be defrayed out of Revenue. They now

RECOMMEND—That the Council adopt the original scheme submitted at a total estimated cost of £4,500.

Report of Public Health Committee, No. 2.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 19th day of December, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Teare (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Growse, Hearn, the Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Taylor and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—APPOINTMENT OF MIDWIFE: That they interviewed the following selected Candidates for this appointment:—

Miss A. Pollexfen, Enfield.
Miss M. Turnbull, London, S.E.
Miss E. Dix, Hitchin.
Mrs. A. Dangerfield, Letchworth.
Miss A. L. Ash, Acton.

Miss M. L. Suggate, one of the selected Candidates, unfortunately did not arrive until after the appointment had been made.

Miss Turnbull and Miss Dix, upon being interviewed, intimated that they were not prepared to accept the living accommodation offered by the Council and ultimately withdrew their applications.

After careful consideration of the qualifications and experience of the remaining Candidates your Committee, being invested with power to act, decided to appoint Mrs. Dangerfield to the position in accordance with the terms of the Council's advertisement.

Mrs. Dangerfield, in accepting the appointment, intimated that she would be prepared to commence her duties on the 16th prox.

- 2.—SANITARY CERTIFICATE: In accordance with the instructions of the Committee the Sanitary Inspector submitted a further report in regard to the application received by him for the issue of a Certificate under Section 2 of the Increase of Rent and Mortgage Interest (Restriction) Act, 1920, in respect of No. 2a, Golders Way.

After due consideration of the report of the Inspector your Committee gave authority for the issue of the necessary Certificate referred to.

- 3.—MAINTENANCE OF CHILDREN: The Medical Officer of Health reported the receipt of a letter from the Beauchamp Lodge Hotel for children as to the admittance of two children to the Institution during the indisposition of the mother, and expressing the hope that the Council would contribute to the maintenance of the children whilst in the Institution in accordance with the Maternity and Child Welfare Act, 1918.

Your Committee have deferred the consideration of the matter until their next meeting.

- 4.—INFECTIOUS DISEASES: Report from the Medical Officer of Health as to the occurrence of certain cases of Infectious Diseases and as to the action taken by him in the matter.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of such report.

It was agreed that authority be given to the Chairman of the Committee, in conjunction with the Medical Officer, to obtain further assistance at the hospital should the necessity arise.

Report of Town Planning Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 19th day of December, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Soar (in the Chair), and Councillors Egan, Hill, Glanville and Taylor.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—PLANS: That they gave consideration to the following applications for approval of plans, and

RECOMMEND thereon as follows:—

| No. | Description of Premises. | Owner or Person submitting. | Recommendation. |
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| 5252 | Garage, "Fir Island," The Ridge-way | Messrs. Frank Parvin | Approval. |
| 5253 | Motor Garage, "Lauriston," Neeld Crescent | Mr. E. Greville | Approval. |
| 5255 | One Bungalow, 22, Decoy Avenue | Messrs. J. Webb and Sons | Approval. |
| 5256 | Motor Garage, Armitage Road | Mr. Cook | Approval. |
| 5258 | One Cottage and Garage, Brampton Grove | Mr. J. Birch | Approval. |
| 5248 | Re-submitted. Urinal, W.C. and alterations to the Red Lion Public House, Cricklewood Lane | Messrs. Truman, Hanbury and Buxton | Approval. |
| 5246 | Re-submitted. Temporary Workshops, Highfield Road | Messrs. W. J. Keene, Ltd. | Disapproval. |
| 5254 | Alterations, 21, The Vale, Golders Green | Messrs. Banham and Cox | Approval subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5245 | Re-submitted. Temporary Garages, Devonshire Place | Messrs. Greville and White | Approval as a temporary building. |
| 5257 | Motor Garage, Garrick Avenue | Mr. Dymock | Approval. |
| 5259 | Shops and Garages, Finchley Road | Mr. H. E. Percy | Disapproval. |
| 5260 | Temporary Shop Premises, S.W. side of The Broadway | Mr. Harrington | Disapproval. |
| 5262 | Alterations and Additions to Brent Bridge House, Brent Street | Mr. H. Appenrodt | Approval, subject to Surveyor's report, and to Agreement being entered into. |
| 5261 | Motor House and Alterations, Linnell Drive | Mr. T. Rowat | Approval. |
| 5263 | Temporary Garage, Flower Lane, Mill Hill | Mr. H. Cottingham | Disapproval. |
| 5264 | Shop Front, 394, Finchley Road | Mr. P. Badoock | Approval. |
| 5265 | Temporary Hut, Avenue Farm, Cricklewood | Mr. F. L. Dickers | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5266 | Two Houses, Finchley Road | Mr. A. J. Reynolds | Approval. |

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2.—CONTRAVENTION OF BYE-LAWS: Mr. G. Ramsbotham attended the meeting in reference to a contravention of the Bye-laws, viz.: the letting of a newly erected building at Meadway Close, without notifying the Surveyor of the Council. Mr. Ramsbotham stated that a notification was transmitted, but apparently had not been delivered. After due consideration your Committee decided to accept Mr. Ramsbotham's explanation of the matter.

3.—PREMISES NO. 56, BRIDGE LANE: Letter from Mrs. L. M. Twiner in reference to certain defects which had appeared in her house, and she made enquiry whether the Council could meet her in the expense involved in connection with such repairs.

Your Committee have given consideration to a report from the Surveyor upon the matter and now RECOMMEND—That Mrs. Twiner be informed that the Council cannot accept any liability in the matter.

4.—TOWN PLANNING: Letter from the Ministry of Health as to the procedure to be followed in connection with the preparation of a Town Planning Scheme. Your Committee are informed that this will receive consideration at the proper time, and have duly noted the same for the present.

5.—TEMPORARY BUILDINGS: The Surveyor reported the receipt of 177 applications for renewal of licences for Temporary Buildings, and same were approved.

6.—HOUSING (ADDITIONAL POWERS) ACTS, 1919 and 1921: Report from the Surveyor that in the following cases Certificates "B" might now be issued for the amounts named:—

| Application No. | Person to whom issued. | Locality and Description of Premises. | Amount of Grant per house. |
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| 5135 | Mr. G. Foskett | Wildwood Road (2 houses) | £260 |
| 5151 | Mr. B. J. Monro | Holden Hill Road (2 houses) | £260 |
| 4950 | Mr. F. W. Bristow | Basing Hill (4 houses) | £260 |
| 5030 | Mr. P. Badcock | Wildwood Road (1 house) | £260 |
| 5071 | Waterman Bros. | Leaside Crescent (2 houses) | £260 |
| 5119 | Messrs. J. Webb and Son | Hillcrest Avenue (2 houses) | £260 |
| 5238 | Messrs. Haymills, Ltd. | Brentmead Place (1 house) | £240 |
| | | Brentmead Place (5 houses) | £260 |
| 5171 | Messrs. F. Parvin, Ltd. | Eversfield Gardens (1 house) | £260 |
| 5198 | Mr. W. J. Durnford | Wildwood Road (1 house) | £260 |
| 5180 | Hendon Vale Estate Co. | Greenfield Gardens (12 houses) | £260 |
| 5170 | Messrs. Waterman Bros. | Cranbourne Gardens (3 houses) | £260 |
| 5185 | Mr. S. J. Aish | Egerton Gardens (1 house) | £260 |
| 5184 | Mr. S. J. Aish | Egerton Gardens (1 house) | £260 |
| 5183 | Mr. H. P. Cartwright | Egerton Gardens (1 house) | £260 |
| 5141 | Mr. H. Parnum | Wildwood Road (1 house) | £260 |

Your Committee authorised the issue of such Certificates.

Report of Housing Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 19th day of December, 1921. Present: Mr. Councillor Egan (in the Chair), and Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Cartwright, Hearn, Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Roberts, Teare and Sturgess.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—BRENT HILL SCHEME:

(A) NAMING OF ROADS: That they gave further consideration to the question of naming of roads on the Brent Hill Farm Estate, but have decided to defer this matter for consideration at a future meeting.

(B) COMPLETION OF SCHEME: Letter from the Ministry of Health in reference to the schedule of tenders for the completion of the Brent Hill Housing Scheme. The Ministry requested to be furnished with a statement of expenditure in connection with the houses, and further intimated that an Officer of the Department would attend and visit the Estate in regard to the matter. Your Committee understand that the Architect's representative met the officer in question and that the statement of expenditure was discussed.

(C) SMITH'S CLAIM: Letter from the Ministry of Health in reference to the sum of £102 13s., the amount of the fees of Messrs. J. Baker Cooke and Standen in connection with the valuation re the tenant's claim for compensation. The Ministry intimated that they were prepared to approve a charge against the Housing (Assisted Scheme) Account of the sum of £88 9s. (the proportion in respect of the Housing Site) the full fee relating to the whole of the land at Brent Hill. Your Committee have duly noted this communication.

2.—CHILD'S HILL SCHEME: Letter from Mr. G. Ramsbotham in reference to the Contract for the erection of Houses at Child's Hill. He made enquiry whether, in view of the fact that the houses were now completed the Council could see their way to release the sureties under the terms of his Contract.

Your Committee have given careful consideration to this matter, but as the term of maintenance under the Contract has not yet expired, and the final payment has not been made, they cannot see their way to recommend the Council to accede to Mr. Ramsbotham's request. They

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Ramsbotham be informed accordingly.

Report from the Accountant in regard to the fixing of the rent of No. 14, Cloister Road, occupied by Mr. Wiltshire, viz., 10s. 11d. per week. Your Committee approved of the Accountant's proposal.

3.—HOUSING MEMORANDUM: Letter from the Ministry of Health transmitting Housing Memorandum No. 58, dealing with fees payable to Quantity Surveyors in private practice for the preparation of Bills of Quantities in connection with State-aided Housing Schemes.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

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Report of Housing Committee, No. 2.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 9th day of January, 1922. Present: Mr. Councillor Cartwright (in the Chair), and Councillors Mrs. Har- graves, Hearn, Roberts, Sturgess and Teare. Councillors Wise, Miss Growse, and Mrs. Bannister were en- gaged with the General Purposes Committee.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—CHILD'S HILL SCHEME: That they gave consideration to a communication from Mr. G. Hornblower in reference to the issue of a Certificate for slating work in connection with the houses erected at Child's Hill. Your Committee desire to be furnished with a statement as to the position regarding the scheme, and have adjourned the consideration of this matter accordingly.
- 2.—BRENT HILL SCHEME: That they received a report in reference to the present position of this scheme, and have adjourned the same pending a further report thereon.

Report of Fire Brigade Committee,

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 19th day of December, 1921. Present: Councillor Miss E. C. Growse (Chairman), and Councillors Hearn, Hill, the Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Sturgess Teare and Taylor.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—PETROL LICENCES: That they received the following applications for the renewal of petrol licences for the ensuing year:—

Messrs. Truman, Hanbury, Buxton and Co., Hendon Brewery.
 Messrs. Schweppes, Ltd., The Hyde.
 Mr. H. Appenrodt, Brent Bridge Hotel.
 Mr. J. H. Woods, Daws Lane, Mill Hill.
 Messrs. Erith and Co., Ltd., The Broadway, Cricklewood.
 Messrs. F. Ward and Savage, Ltd., Lower Welsh Harp Works.
 Messrs. Grimshaw and Seaman, 30, Corringway Garages, Golders Green.
 The Mill Hill Industrial Co., Ltd., The Hale, Edgware.
 Messrs. Everett, Edgcumbe and Co., Ltd., Colindeep Lane, Hendon.
 The Saunders Garage Co., Ltd., 31, The Parade, Golders Green.
 Messrs. Hawes Bros., Brent Street, Hendon.
 Mr. F. Parvin, Lawrence Street, Mill Hill.

An application was also received from Mr. G. C. Triggs for a licence in respect of premises situate at 72, Granville Road, Child's Hill.

After due consideration of such applications, and the report of the Inspector in regard thereto, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the same be acceded to and that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the Licences in due course.

- 2.—FIRE BRIGADE UNION—*RE* WAGES: Letter from Mr. J. J. W. Bradley (Firemen's Trade Union) referring to the communication received by him of the decision of the Committee not to receive a representative of the Hendon Fire Brigade Branch of the Union upon the question of wages, asking to be furnished with the reasons for declining to receive such representative. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk reply to such letter with an explanation why the attendance of a representative from the Union was deemed to be unnecessary.

- 3.—MOTOR ENGINE No. 2: Further letter from the Director of Contracts, Air Ministry, in reply to letter from the Council pressing for decision in regard to Tender for Motor Fire Engine, intimating that nothing further could at present be added to their previous letter but a further communication should be sent as soon as possible. Your Committee instructed the Clerk again to write pressing for a decision.

- 4.—MEANS OF ESCAPE FROM FIRE: Letter from the Nevett Book-binding Company, Ltd., making application for a Certificate as to the provision of adequate means of escape in case of fire in respect of their premises at the junction of Colin Deep Lane and the Edgware Road. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Chief Officer of the Fire Brigade make an inspection of the premises, and present a report thereon in due course.

- 5.—WATER PRESSURES: Report from the Chief Officer submitting a list of water pressures taken since the last meeting of your Committee, and the same have been duly noted.

- 6.—ILLNESS OF FIREMAN: Report from the Chief Officer that E. Hills (permanent fireman) had been on the sick list from the 3rd to the 6th December, and a doctor's certificate had been sent in. The fireman in question made application for the payment of one shilling paid for the certificate. Your Committee cannot recommend the Council to pay the fee in question.

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- 7.—MOTOR FIRE ENGINE: Report from the Chief Officer as to repairs which had been found necessary in connection with the motor fire engine. Temporary repairs had been carried out. The action of the Chief Officer was approved.
- 8.—BOILER REPAIRS: Report from the Chief Officer that the new safety valve had been fitted to the boiler for domestic supply, and other minor matters had been attended to. Noted.
- 9.—STORES REQUIRED: The Chief Officer submitted a requisition of stores required, as detailed in his report book. After due consideration thereof, your Committee
- RECOMMEND—That the same be approved.
- 10.—FIRES: Report from the Chief Officer as to the fires attended, also a report of petrol consumption since the last meeting of the Committee. Noted.
- 11.—FORD AMBULANCE: The Chief Officer suggested that a special fitting had on trial in connection with the Ford Ambulance should be purchased at a cost of £7. Your Committee instructed the Chief Officer to continue the trial for another month.

Report of General Purposes Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 9th day of January, 1922. Present: Mr. Councillor Hill (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Miss Growse, Egan, Reynolds, and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—STREET TRADING:

- (A) Letter from Mr. A. Humphreys applying for consent to stand a motor refreshment van at Golders Green from 8 p.m. in the evening until 7.30 a.m. in the morning.

After careful consideration of the application, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Humphreys be informed that the Golders Green Road is a main road, and they are not disposed to consent to street trading in that locality.

They suggest that he make application to the Urban District Council of Finchley upon the matter.

- (B) Letter from Mr. H. Knapp applying for consent to carry on street trading near the Broadway, West Hendon.

Your Committee cannot see their way to consent to a stall being placed on the highway, and suggest that Mr. Knapp secure a plot of land in the neighbourhood, and then renew his application.

2.—OMNIBUS TRAFFIC: Letter from the London General Omnibus Company intimating that arrangements were in hand to divert a section of omnibuses from East Finchley and to proceed via Hendon Lane, Finchley Avenue, and Finchley Lane to Hendon Station Road, commencing on the 25th instant.

Also for an extension of Service No. 140 to operate between South Harrow and Hale Lane, Mill Hill, such Service to commence on the 18th instant.

The Clerk reported correspondence with the Urban District Council of Finchley in regard to the proposed Service, and that a letter had been addressed to the Middlesex County Council requesting them to take action under Section 7 (4) of the Roads Act, 1920, and apply to the Ministry of Transport to restrict the use of the roads from motor omnibus traffic.

Letter from the Middlesex County Council in reference to the communications from the Urban District Councils of Finchley and Hendon in reference to the proposed new omnibus route as follows:—

"That an intimation be given to the Finchley and Hendon Urban District Councils that the County Council does not see its way to apply to the Ministry of Transport for the imposition of an Order under Section 7 (4) of the Roads Act, 1920, prohibiting or restricting the use of omnibuses along Finchley Lane, Finchley Avenue, Hendon Lane, and East End Road."

Your Committee have duly noted the communication from the Middlesex County Council upon the subject. They

RECOMMEND, however, that a communication be sent to the London General Omnibus Company intimating that the Council considered these roads unfitted for motor bus traffic, and would hold them responsible for any extraordinary damage to the roads in question by reason of such traffic.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND FURTHER—That a communication be addressed to the Urban District Council of Finchley informing them of the Council's decision upon the matter.

3.—PARLIAMENTARY BILLS:

- (A) NORTH METROPOLITAN ELECTRIC POWER SUPPLY BILL: Report from the Clerk as to the receipt of a Bill promoted by the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company in this session of Parliament.

Your Committee have instructed the Officers to report in regard to the Bill.

(B) COLNE VALLEY WATER BILL:

- (1) Report from the Clerk as to the receipt of a communication from Messrs. Sherwood and Co., together with copy of the Colne Valley Water Bill.

Your Committee have instructed the Officers to report in regard to the Bill.

- (2) Letter from the Middlesex County Council as to a conference of Local Authorities affected by the provisions of the Colne Valley Water Bill to be held at the Guildhall, Westminster, on Friday, the 13th instant, and inviting the Council to appoint delegates to attend.

Your Committee have requested Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P., and Mr. Councillor Hill to attend such Conference on behalf of the Council.

- (c) GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY BILL: Report from the Clerk as to the receipt of a copy of the Great Northern Railway Bill being promoted in this Session of Parliament. Your Committee have instructed the Officers to report in regard to the provisions of such Bill.

- 4.—SWIMMING BATH: Report from the Clerk as to the receipt of an agreement from the Colne Valley Water Company in reference to the supply of water for the proposed open air swimming bath at The Hyde.

The Agreement provided, *inter alia*, that the same might be terminated by one month's notice.

Your Committee suggest that this should be amended to provide for six months' notice, and they

RECOMMEND—That the Company be communicated with accordingly.

- 5.—STATUTORY UNDERTAKINGS: Letter from the Ministry of Transport in reference to the Order granted under the Statutory Undertakings (Temporary Increase of Charges) Act, 1918, modifying the provisions regulating the charges authorised under the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Act, 1907.

The Ministry now transmitted a copy of an Order made revoking the North Metropolitan Electricity (Temporary Increase of Charges) Order, 1920, to take effect as from the 31st December, 1921.

Your Committee have duly noted this communication.

6.—GREATER LONDON:

- (A) Letter from the Middlesex County Council transmitting for the information of the Council a copy of the Report of the Parliamentary Committee of the County Council upon the subject of Greater London, the Committee expressing the opinion that evidence be tendered to the Commission on the lines that the case as outlined by the London County Council had not been made out. Your Committee have duly noted this communication.

- (B) Letter from the Ealing Borough Council as to an adjourned Conference to be held on the 11th inst. at the Town Hall, Ealing, upon the matter, and inviting the attendance of representatives from Hendon.

Your Committee are unable to arrange for representatives to attend this Conference.

- (c) Letter from Mr. G. H. Potter, Chairman of a Joint Committee at Golders Green and Child's Hill, in reference to the proposals of the London County Council, requesting that a deputation from the Committee might be received by the Council.

Your Committee have given careful consideration to this matter and arranged that a deputation should be received at the meeting of the Council on Monday evening next.

- (D) Report from the Clerk that he had attended the sittings of the Commission, and evidence had been given by the Vice-Chairman of the Local Government Committee of the London County Council and the Chief Engineer of the County Council.

It was decided to defer the consideration of the matter until the evidence of the London County Council was complete.

- 7.—GAS TESTING: Letter from the Gas Referees prescribing certain periods for the testing of gas supplied by the Gas Light and Coke Company. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That this matter be referred to the Surveyor for report.

- 8.—BURROUGHS FARM: Letter from Mr. H. Parsons on behalf of Mrs. Cross, in reference to the recent proceedings regarding her occupancy of Burroughs Farm. After careful consideration of the matter your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Public Health Committee again take this matter into consideration with a view to further steps being taken to secure possession of the premises.

- 9.—EMPLOYMENT SCHEME: Letter from the Ministry of Labour transmitting form in connection with the National Scheme for the Employment of Disabled Ex-Service Men.

The Council will recollect that they have already assented to this scheme, and the present communication is in the nature of a renewal of the undertaking. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk sign such undertaking on behalf of the Council.

- 10.—RATES OF PAY: Letter from the Public Works Conciliation Board with particulars of rates of pay for the whole of the Districts of Local Authorities within the Metropolitan Police District, being effective until March, 1922. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a rate of pay of 1s. 4½d. per hour be adopted by the Council.

- 11.—APPEAL: Letter from the British and Foreign Sailors' Society in reference to an appeal being made for assistance to the Society's Funds, making enquiry whether the Council could render any help in this direction.

Your Committee regret they cannot recommend the Council to take any action in the matter.

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Letter from the Arthur Pearson Memorial Fund, in reference to the proposal connected with the fund, and making enquiry whether the Council could assist the same.

Your Committee, whilst sympathetically disposed to such appeal, are informed that the matter is receiving attention in this District, and are unable to recommend the Council to take any action in regard thereto.

12.—CLAIMS:

(A) Letter from Mr. F. Bull, as to an accident which occurred to his daughter, alleged to have been caused by the condition of the footpath in the Broadway, Hendon.

Your Committee have received a report from the Surveyor, from which it appeared that the path was in a good state of repair, and whilst expressing sympathy at the accident which occurred, your Committee

RECOMMEND—The Council deny any liability in the matter.

(B) Letter from the White Cross Insurance Co., as to a claim by Mr. A. K. Smith in reference to an accident in the Edgware Road, alleged to have been caused owing to the repair of the road near Oxgate Lane.

Report from the Clerk that he had informed the Company that the Council were not executing work on the section of the road in question, and he had denied liability on the part of the Council and referred the Company to the Tramway Company.

Your Committee approved of the action taken by the Clerk.

13.—ELECTRICITY COMMISSION: Letter from the Electricity Commission for the London and Home Counties Electricity District, transmitting a statement of the decisions of the Electricity Commissioners upon the scheme submitted at the Inquiry held in June and July last year.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

14.—FOOD PRICES: Letter from the Rural District Council of Chester-le-Street transmitting the following resolution upon the subject of food prices:—

“That the Council write to Local Authorities and the Prime Minister asking them to demand from the Government and to use all their powers to obtain a reduction in the cost of food-stuffs by reinstating the Retail Prices Order so as to enable people to exist on the wages that are at present being paid.”

Your Committee have no recommendation to make in the matter.

15.—METROPOLITAN WATER BOARD (CHARGES) ACTS: Letter from the Metropolitan Water Board giving notice to determine the agreements and arrangements under which the Board afforded the Council supplies of water by measure or otherwise, as from the end of March quarter, 1922.

The Board intimated that thereafter supplies would only be afforded by the Board in accordance with the terms and conditions contained in the Metropolitan Water Board (Charges) Acts, 1907-1921. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Officers report in regard to the Agreements affected.

16.—TRAMWAYS: Letter from the Hendon Labour Party transmitting resolution protesting against the Middlesex County Council agreeing to negotiate with the Metropolitan Electric Tramway Company for an extension of the lease in connection with the tramways.

Your Committee consider that this is a matter on which the Council have no jurisdiction, and should have been forwarded to the Middlesex County Council. They

RECOMMEND—That the Hendon Labour Party be informed accordingly.

17.—BRENT STREET DRAINAGE:—Letter from Messrs. Bramston and Co. in further reference to the drainage of houses at Brent Street, intimating that they would communicate with other owners with a view of obtaining the contributions required by the Council.

They also enquired as to a form of discharge which the Council would be prepared to give to each owner of the seven houses concerned.

Your Committee have left the matter in the hands of the Clerk.

18.—SHOPS ACT: That they received a report from the Shops Inspector in reference to inspections carried out under the Shops Act.

Report was received as to contravention of the Assistants' Half-holiday Order, and the proprietor of the shop had been warned against the repetition of the offence.

The Inspector submitted a report which had been received from the Commissioner of Police giving particulars of the sales of cigarettes and matches in certain licensed premises in the district.

He had seen the licensee, who had expressed her regret for having acted in contravention of the provisions of the Shops Act, and would strictly observe the provisions thereof in the future.

Your Committee decided to accept the explanation in this case, and have noted the report of the Inspector.

In regard to a suggestion made by the Inspector for dealing with cases of this kind in future, your Committee desire that each case should be brought before the Committee for their consideration.

19.—LAND AT COLINDALE: Report from the Surveyor as to his negotiations with Mr. Pottle in reference to securing possession of the piece of land at Colindale, from which it appeared that Mr. Pottle would be prepared to surrender his tenancy of the land upon the payment of the sum of £50 for possession at once, or £25 if possession was granted in June next. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council agree to the payment of a sum of £50 for possession of the land forthwith.

Report of Highways Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 9th day of January, 1922. Present: Mr. Councillor Egan (in the Chair), and Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Hill, Reynolds and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—CLASSIFICATION OF ROADS: Letter from the Ministry of Transport, in regard to the execution of works for which a grant had been obtained from the Road Fund in connection with the expenditure involved relative to such works.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

- 2.—REINSTATEMENT OF HIGHWAYS: Letter from the Gas Light and Coke Company, suggesting a reduction, as from the 1st inst. in the scale of charges imposed by the Council for the execution of reinstatement work in connection with highways, pavements, etc.

Your Committee have requested the Surveyor to submit a report upon the matter.

3.—PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS:

- (A) ANNESLEY AVENUE AND CECIL ROAD: Letter from the Colindale Ratepayers' Association, suggesting that the Council should carry out the work of making up Annesley Avenue and Cecil Road, Colindale. After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor submit plans and estimates for fully making up the roads referred to under Section 150 of the Public Health Act, 1875.

- (B) CLIFTON GARDENS: The Clerk reported as to the replies received to the communication addressed to the owners of property in Clifton Gardens in reference to the carrying out of permanent works therein.

Your Committee decided to defer the further consideration of the matter until their next meeting.

- (C) BEECHCROFT AVENUE: Report from the Clerk that in accordance with the Council's instructions he had communicated with the owners of property in Beechcroft Avenue making enquiry whether they were in favour of the execution of permanent works in the road, from the replies received it appeared that the majority of the owners were opposed to the execution of the works referred to at the present time. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the execution of permanent works in Beechcroft Avenue be deferred for the present.

4.—TREES:

- (A) BRENT STREET: Letter from Mr. Guignard, requesting the Council to remove the tree outside his premises at Brent Street, Hendon, which he alleged was causing damage to his property.

Your Committee have considered a report from the Surveyor in regard to this tree, and

RECOMMEND—That the same be removed subject to Mr. Guignard bearing the expense thereof.

- (B) FLOWER LANE: Letter from Mr. F. C. Rice in regard to a tree outside his premises in Flower Lane, Mill Hill, which he requested should be removed, he undertaking to bear the cost of such removal.

Your Committee have given instructions to the Surveyor in connection with the matter.

5.—PUBLIC LIGHTING:

- (A) SHIREHALL LANE: Letter from Mrs. E. Feilman, suggesting the provision of additional lighting accommodation in Shirehall Lane.

The Council will remember that it was recently decided to erect an additional lamp in Shirehall Lane, and your Committee understand that this has been done. They are unable to recommend the Council to erect further lamps in Shirehall Lane at the present time, and

RECOMMEND—That Mrs. Feilman be informed accordingly.

- (B) MILL HILL: Letter from the North Middlesex Gas Company in regard to gas mains recently laid by the Company in certain roads at Mill Hill.

Your Committee understand that in two of the roads in question, viz., Saunders Lane and Dole Street there are at present public lamps lighted with oil, and they are of opinion that these lamps should now be lighted by Gas. They therefore recommend accordingly.

- (C) GARDEN SUBURB: Letter from Mr. J. C. S. Soutar, making application for the provision of additional lighting facilities in Wildwood Road, Heathgate, Linnell Drive and Hampstead Way.

Your Committee have received a report from the Surveyor in regard to the matter, and after due consideration thereof

RECOMMEND as follows:—

That the existing lamp in Heathgate be removed to another site which your Committee are of opinion will meet the present requirements in this road.

In regard to Wildwood Road that two further lamps be erected therein, and in Linnell Drive one further lamp.

With regard to Hampstead Way that no further action be taken relative to the lighting arrangements in this road at the present time.

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- (D) BELLE VUE ROAD: Letter from Mr. J. Stanley Beard (Architect in connection with the new Cinema in Belle Vue Road), suggesting the provision of two further lamps in the road.

After due consideration of a report from the Surveyor, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That one additional lamp be erected in the road.

Mr. Beard also made enquiry whether steps could be taken to remove a tree in Belle Vue Road. Your Committee have left this matter in the hands of the Surveyor.

- (E) GREENFIELD GARDENS: Letter from the Hendon Vale Estate Company, suggesting the provision of lighting facilities in Greenfield Gardens.

Report from the Surveyor as to the number of lamps required to light the road, and suggesting in view of the present building development that four lamps should be placed therein.

Your Committee approve of the Surveyor's suggestion, and

RECOMMEND—That four lamps be placed in Greenfield Gardens in due course.

- (F) The Surveyor submitted a further letter from the Gas Light and Coke Company in regard to the charge imposed by them for street lighting.

The Council will remember that the Surveyor has been in negotiation with the Company with a view to a reduction being made in the present charge, failing which the Council would be compelled to consider the question of reducing the amount of gas consumed by altering the existing two-light burners to single burners.

It appeared from the communication referred to that the Company were unable to promise any reduction in the charge for street lighting in the near future, but they entertained the hope that a substantial reduction in the price of gas for all purposes would be possible within the course of the next twelve months.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the further consideration of this matter be deferred until the end of the financial year.

- (G) NORTH END ROAD: Report from the Surveyor in regard to the question of providing additional lighting facilities in North End Road at the junction of Hampstead Way, from which it appeared that the present arrangements were satisfactory.

The Council will remember that the question arose on a communication received from Miss Hoare, which was under consideration by your Committee at their last meeting, and referred to the Surveyor for report.

In view of the Surveyor's report, your Committee cannot recommend that the application be acceded to, and they

RECOMMEND—That Miss Hoare be informed accordingly.

- 6.—BELL LANE WIDENING: Report from the Clerk in regard to the payment of the Surveyor's and Solicitor's fees in connection with the agreement with Holborn and Frascati, Limited, relative to the dedication by them of land in Bell Lane. It appeared that the fees proposed amounted to the sum of £23 2s. 0d., comprising Surveyor's fees, £15 15s. 0d., and Solicitor's costs, £7 7s. 0d.

After due consideration your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council agree to the payment of the fees referred to.

- 7.—HOARDING—THE BURROUGHS: Letter from Mr. H. E. Orme, Hendon Billposting Company, in reference to the removal of the Advertisement Hoarding at The Burroughs, adjacent to the War Memorial Site, agreeing to remove the same, provided the Council contributed a sum of £25 in respect of such removal.

In view of the urgency of the matter, your Committee decided to contribute the sum referred to, and requested the Finance Committee to provide for the payment of the amount.

8.—GOLDERS GREEN ROAD AND BRENT STREET:

- (1) Report from the Surveyor intimating that the term of maintenance in connection with the Durax Paving, Golders Green Road, had now expired, and that the sum of £197 14s. 9d. was due to the Contractors for two years' maintenance.

It will be remembered that the Council agreed to the transfer of the maintenance work from the Durax Dustless Roads, Limited, to Messrs. A. and F. Manuelle, in conjunction with the Stoney Stanton Granite Company. Report from the Surveyor that he had called upon the Contractors to execute the necessary repairs to put the road in order pending final payment under the contract, and the work had now been satisfactorily carried out, but the road, however, still required to be properly grouted. This work could not be done at the present season, and the Surveyor suggested that the maintenance money be paid to the Company subject to their giving an undertaking to carry out the grouting of the road at the proper time. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council adopt the suggestion of the Surveyor in the matter.

- (2) Report from the Surveyor in regard to the extra allowance claimed by the Acme Wood Paving Company in connection with their Contract owing to the increase in prices, the Company suggesting they should be given an increase of 125 per cent.

The Surveyor explained that two years' maintenance money in connection with the Contract was now due.

It will be remembered that this has been submitted to the Middlesex County Council, and that body agreed to the payment of an extra two pence per square yard for the two years referred to on the assumption that the Council would pay an extra twopence per square yard, thus making a total increase payable to the Company of 100 per cent.

The Surveyor suggested that an offer of an additional fourpence per square yard for the two years 1920 and 1921 be made to the Company, subject to their putting the road into a proper state of repair.

With regard to the period of maintenance yet to run, the Company intimated that they were prepared to carry on at the agreed figure of sixpence per square yard plus the increase referred to.

The Surveyor suggested that the Company should be informed that the Council could not see their way to increase the figure beyond sixpence per square yard, but would be prepared to release the contractors from their obligation to carry out the work of maintenance should they so desire. After due consideration, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor negotiate further with the Company on the lines of his report.

- 9.—PARK RISE, FINCHLEY ROAD: Letter from Mr. A. Winter Gray in regard to the houses in Park Rise, Finchley Road, suggesting that the name Park Rise should be abolished and that the houses comprised therein should be furnished with a number in Finchley Road.

Report from the Surveyor upon the matter from which it appeared that it would not be practicable to carry out this suggestion at the present time, and in view of such report your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Gray be informed accordingly.

- 10.—HALL LANE: The Surveyor reported as to the result of his negotiations with Mr. Barham, relative to obtaining certain land in Hall Lane, opposite "Tithe Farm," for widening and improvement purposes.

Your Committee have left the matter in the hands of the Surveyor to continue his negotiations.

- 11.—COLINDEEP LANE: Report from the Surveyor in regard to the question of obtaining certain land in Colindeep Lane forming part of the property known as "The Chestnuts," with a view to continuing the construction of pathway existing at present outside Messrs. Everett, Edgumbe's premises and that lower down the road.

The Council will remember that the matter arose on a request from the Colindale Ratepayers' Association. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor negotiate with the owner of "The Chestnuts" in connection with the matter.

- 12.—DAWS LANE—PATHWAY: In accordance with the instructions of the Committee at the last meeting the Surveyor submitted a report in regard to the question of providing a pathway in Daws Lane between Birkbeck Road and Marion Road.

After due consideration thereof, your Committee have requested the Surveyor to report further upon the matter.

- 13.—REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor submitted a list of requisitions required by him, and the same were duly approved.

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AT A MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 16th day of January, 1922.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
 " " T. F. Fenn,
 " " W. L. Glanville,
 " " F. W. Hearn,
 " " C. W. Hill,
 Councillor The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan,
 Mr. Councillor T. Page,
 " " A. J. Reynolds,
 " " A. Roberts,
 " " J. H. Sturgess,
 " " W. Taylor,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " R. M. Weeks,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant),
 Dr. T. S. McIntosh (Medical Officer of Health).

MINUTES: The Minutes of the last ordinary meeting of the Council, held on the 5th day of December, 1921, and of the Special Meetings held on the 12th and 19th days of December, 1921, were submitted for confirmation.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Sturgess,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Minutes be confirmed.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE: The Finance Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 9th inst. (Agenda, page 231).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Report of the Committee be received.

The following is a list of the accounts for payment referred to on page 232 of the report of the Finance Committee:—

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| Adams, Thomas | Hire of Steam Roller | 1 | 18 | 0 |
| Aircraft Manufacturing Co., Ltd. | Addressograph | 45 | 10 | 0 |
| Akers, G. A. and Co. | Repairs | 61 | 12 | 6 |
| Anglo-American Oil Co., Ltd. | Oil | 4 | 6 | 8 |
| Archer, W. and F. | Brooms | 11 | 11 | 0 |
| Assets Auction Co., Ltd., per Accountant's Account | Sundries | 27 | 2 | 0 |
| Atkinson and Co., Ltd. | Uniform | 3 | 6 | 3 |
| Aveling and Porter, Ltd. | Sundries | 5 | 1 | 0 |
| Batchelor, J. and Son | Forage | 75 | 0 | 0 |
| Beattie, J. H. and Co., Ltd. | Coal | 36 | 11 | 3 |
| Bell Motor Works | Motor Requisites | 2 | 1 | 3 |
| Bluebell Polish Co. | Metal Polish | 2 | 6 | 10 |
| Bradbury, Son and Co. (1920), Ltd. | Coal | 23 | 11 | 8 |
| Bridge and Co. | Index Books | 1 | 10 | 0 |
| British Petroleum, Ltd. | Petrol | 11 | 8 | 8 |
| Brown, Brown, Ltd. | Rivets and Burrs | 7 | 11 | |
| Brown, J. H. and Co. | Tarpaulins | 5 | 10 | 0 |
| Burn Bros. | Boiler Requisites | 7 | 12 | 1 |
| Burroughs, Wellcome and Co. | Antitoxin | 41 | 5 | 7 |
| Camberwell Research Laboratories | Diagnosis Fees | 8 | 6 | 6 |
| Cement Marketing Co., Ltd. | Cement | 19 | 12 | 6 |
| Clarke, G. C. | Stockings | 2 | 7 | 6 |
| Cliffe Hill Granite Co., Ltd. | Granite | 195 | 8 | 5 |
| Constable, Hart and Co., Ltd. | Tarmacadam | 566 | 6 | 4 |
| Crawley, Dixon and Bowring, Ltd. | Premium on Insurance | 22 | 11 | 4 |
| Crisp and Hodgson | Sundries | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Crow, Catchpole and Co., Ltd. | Creosote | 16 | 6 | 4 |
| Degan, Mrs. E. J., per Accountants A/c. | Petty Cash and Salary | 6 | 2 | 7 |
| Dobbins, J. T. and Co. | Cotton Waste | 3 | 10 | 0 |
| Drake, Driver and Leaver, Ltd. | Book | 1 | 7 | 6 |
| Drummond, B. G. | Professional Services | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Duguid, J. L. and Co. | Metal Polish | 1 | 3 | 4 |
| Durrant, A. H. | Greengroceries | 3 | 12 | 10 |
| Emerton, Mrs. C. | Fee | 5 | 0 | |
| Evans, J. | Felt, etc. | 4 | 17 | 10 |
| Eyre and Spottiswoode, Ltd. | Publications | 7 | 0 | |
| Express Motor Co. | Cartage | 25 | 0 | 0 |
| Frost, C. H. | Sundries | 9 | 1 | 11 |

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| Farniloe, T. and W., Ltd. | Ceilingite | 15 8 |
| Farrow, Howard | Manhole Covers | 7 19 0 |
| Gas Light and Coke Co. | Supply and Repairs | 2073 8 8 |
| Garrould, E. and R. | Plates, etc. | 9 6 7 |
| General Electric Co., Ltd. | Lamps | 8 12 10 |
| Gestetner, D. | Paper | 1 9 0 |
| Gibb, James and Co., Ltd. | Castings | 206 13 10 |
| Gosling, C. and Son | Baskets | 20 11 0 |
| Grahame White and Co., Ltd. | Lighting, Maintenance | 19 10 0 |
| Hammond, G. F. | Signwriting, etc. | 8 17 0 |
| Harrison and Sons, Ltd. | Stationery | 6 12 6 |
| Harrison Press, Ltd. | Stationery | 79 6 6 |
| Hartley Memorial Hall | Hired Rooms | 1 0 0 |
| Hayllar, W. | Papers—Hospital | 1 0 10 |
| Heather Brick and Terra Cotta Co. | Bricks | 33 13 6 |
| Hill, B. | Fish | 13 7 7 |
| Hinton, J. | Trees | 23 12 6 |
| H.M. Stationery Office | Publications | 2 0 |
| Hollington Bros. | Oilskins | 8 16 6 |
| Hope and Sons, Ltd. | Firebars | 2 15 0 |
| Howes, H. and Co., Ltd. | Book | 10 0 |
| Hurling, G., per Accountant's Account | Tree Lopping, etc. | 37 2 8 |
| Hulton and Collier | Cement Bags | 9 0 0 |
| Johnson and Sons | Sulphuric Acid | 1 2 7 |
| Justices, Gore Division, per Accountant's Account | Summons Fees | 2 6 |
| Kado, Ltd. | Stationery | 14 2 9 |
| King, A. and Son | Mats | 3 15 0 |
| King, J. C., Ltd. | Books | 1 7 1 |
| King, P. S. and Son, Ltd. | Publications | 1 4 |
| Knight, C. and Co., Ltd. | Stationery, etc. | 17 16 0 |
| Knowles, John and Co., Ltd. | Lime | 15 7 0 |
| Laboratories of Pathology and Public Health | Diagnosis Fees | 5 0 |
| "Lancet, The" | Subscription | 2 2 0 |
| Lavender, N. | Meat | 23 1 8 |
| Lea, A. | Bread | 14 12 2 |
| Legal and General Assurance Society, Ltd. | Premium on Insurance | 4 9 |
| Lightfoot, P. | Repairs to Clock | 10 6 |
| London Fever Hospital | Maintenance | 17 11 0 |
| London Telephone Service | Telephone Charges | 36 10 9 |
| Lucas, E. and W. Ltd. | Shovels, etc. | 14 13 9 |
| Matthews, A. | Repairs to Tools | 11 3 |
| Merryweather and Sons, Ltd. | Axe | 5 3 |
| Metropolitan Water Board | Water Rates, etc. | 74 12 8 |
| Midland Railway Co. | Carriage | 7 1 8 |
| Middlesex County Council | Copies of Minutes re Greater London Scheme | 5 9 3 |
| Middleton Bros. | Polish, etc. | 3 7 6 |
| Mosers, Ltd. | Branding Irons | 3 3 0 |
| Nash, S. | Tree Stakers | 9 0 0 |
| National Boiler and General Insurance Co., Ltd. | Safety Valve | 3 7 6 |
| Nicholl, Sam | Old Wood Blocks | 35 0 0 |
| North Middlesex Gas Co. | Repairs and Alterations | 16 2 9 |
| Odell, C. Ltd. | Printing | 19 4 0 |
| Oliver Typewriter Co., Ltd. | Copying Ribbons | 1 3 6 |
| Page, C. H. | Sundries | 4 5 4 |
| Page, C. H., per Accountant's Account | Cartage | 3 0 0 |
| Patent Victoria Stone Co., Ltd. | Paving | 560 0 0 |
| Pendleton and Co., Ltd. | Timber | 6 16 8 |
| Prices Co., Ltd. | Engine Oil | 4 10 0 |
| Pryke and Palmer, Ltd. | Brooms, etc. | 4 5 6 |
| Public Works Roads and Transport Congress, 1921 | Congress Fees | 10 6 |
| Puddefoot, T. | Repairs to Tools | 5 2 0 |
| Ramsbotham, G. | Repairs | 6 6 |
| Richards, W. | Repairs | 12 18 0 |
| Ritchie, R. | Repairs | 10 6 |
| Rogers, E. J. | Cycle Chain | 7 6 |
| Rowley, Thomas | Hired Steam Roller | 49 8 0 |
| Sampson, T. | Frost Studs | 3 15 0 |
| Sankey, J. H. and Co., Ltd. | Sand | 12 4 6 |
| Sanitas Co., Ltd. | Disinfectants, etc. | 17 13 0 |
| Sawford, R. | Car Hire | 17 9 9 |
| Sayers, S. P. | Drugs | 12 19 1 |
| Schweppes, Ltd. | Firewood | 2 0 0 |
| Scientific Press, Ltd. | Advertisements | 16 0 |
| Shannon, Ltd. | Files | 16 0 |
| Shaw and Sons | Stationery | 11 11 6 |
| Shields, J. G. | Chippings | 50 14 7 |
| Shutler, T. H. | Sundries | 18 12 10 |
| Smith Premier Typewriter Co., Ltd. | Repairs to Typewriter, etc. | 11 4 4 |
| Smith, Thomas | Sheets, etc. | 32 13 7 |
| Stanford, E. Ltd. | Maps | 2 9 10 |
| Stillman, H. | Hired Team Labour | 311 16 0 |
| Stone and Colquhoun | Plans | 3 16 6 |
| Straker Squire, Ltd. | Motor Requisites | 3 17 1 |
| Suttley and Silvercock, Ltd. | Charts | 17 0 |
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 Waitrose, Ltd. ...
 Walton, J. ...
 Ward, R. G. and Co., Ltd. ...
 Waverley Oils, Ltd. ...
 West Hendon Motor Garage ...
 Whitfields Bedsteads Ltd. ...
 Wightman, Mountain and Andrews, Ltd. ...
 Young and Marten, Ltd. ...
 Express Dairy Co., Ltd. ...
 Glaxo ...
 Hodgkinson, Prestons and King ...
 Virol Ltd. ...
 West Surrey Central Dairy Co., Ltd. ...
 Chief Officer, per Accountant's Account ...
 Sundry Officers ...
 Sundry Persons ...
 Sundry Ratepayers ...
 Sundry Persons ...
 Ancient Order of Foresters ...
 Blackburn, Philanthropic Assurance Co., Ltd. ...
 Independent Order of Oddfellows ...
 Newcastle-upon-Tyne Savings Bank ...
 Prudential Assurance Co., Ltd. ...
 Refuge Assurance Co., Ltd. ...
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 Chief Officer ...
 Matron ...
 Maternity Nurse (Mrs. Hunt) ...
 Surveyor ...
 Accountant ...
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 Regents Canal and Dock Co. ...
 Bell Motor Works ...
 Joshua Baker, Cooke and Standen ...
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 Hendon Electric Supply Co., Ltd. ...

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS—

Adams, Thomas ...
 Cherry, C. ...
 Cliffe Hill Granite Co., Ltd. ...
 Express Motor Co. ...
 Frost, C. H. ...
 Gas Light and Coke Co. ...
 Heather Brick and Terra Cotta Co. ...
 Hendon Electric Supply Co., Ltd. ...
 Hinton, J. ...
 Hurling, G. ...
 Manuelle, A. and F. Ltd. ...
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 Sankey, J. H. and Co., Ltd. ...
 Skinner, P. R. and Co. ...
 Stillman, H. ...
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 Adams, Thomas ...
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 Farrow, Howard ...
 Ham, Baker and Co. ...

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 Groceries ... 7 4 0
 Wood ... 46 13 8
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 Oil ... 40 8 11
 Car Hire ... 9 11 5
 Bedsteads, etc. ... 10 0
 Labels ... 10 4 4
 Seat Standards ... 1 1 0
 Milk ... 11 14 0
 Glaxo ... 53 15 8
 Chemical Foods, etc. ... 28 18 11
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 Dried Milk ... 3 5 0
 Fire Drills ... 25 0 0
 Overtime on Ambulance ... 34 11 9
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 Rate Refunds ... 64 14 2
 Allotment Compensations ... 24 15 7
 Loan Repayment ... 4 2 6
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 Petty Cash ... 3 2 1
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 Water Licence ... 2 2 0
 Car Hire ... 2 7 6
 Fees re Valuation ... 14 4 0
 Wages ... 3657 15 8
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Hired Steam Roller ... 34 4 0
 Hired Team Labour ... 22 11 9
 Granite ... 260 5 2
 Cartage ... 41 5 0
 Templates, etc. ... 1 10 4
 Gas, etc. ... 23 12 2
 Bricks ... 15 12 6
 Removing Cable ... 102 14 10
 Trees ... 4 4 0
 Lopping Trees ... 6 0 0
 Edge Kerb ... 128 5 0
 Fixing Fire Hydrants ... 52 4 4
 Expenses re Mortgage ... 2 2 0
 Sand ... 7 2 8
 Cement ... 3 4 7
 Hired Team Labour ... 100 14 3
 Fees re Valuation ... 83 9 0
 Final Certificates ... 1746 12 3
 Certificate 3 on Contract ... 2925 0 0
 Certificate 4 on Contract ... 6644 0 0
 Certificate 1 on Contract ... 765 0 0

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NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD ACCOUNT.

Anderson, Anderson and Anderson, Ltd. ...
 Brown, J. H. and Co. ...
 Buck and Ryan ...
 Cement Marketing Co., Ltd. ...
 Elliott, B. G. ...
 King, J. C., Ltd. ...
 Lucas, E. and W., Ltd. ...
 Lyle, Barrs and Co., Ltd. ...
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 Page, C. H. ...
 Pendleton and Co., Ltd. ...
 Sampson, T. ...
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Boots and Socks ... 2 10 6
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 Timber ... 2 12 11
 Sundries ... 10 19 8
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 Stationery ... 2 19 9
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EMPTY HOUSES, PAYMENT OF RATES: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 9 of the report of the Committee relative to the communication received from the Urban District Council of Chiswick in reference to a suggestion for the rating of empty houses held for sale with vacant possession.

Mr. Councillor Hill moved:—

“That the Council support the action of the Urban District Council of Chiswick in the matter and make representation to the Ministry of Health as suggested, provided that the action taken be limited to the period during which the Rent Restriction Act is applicable.”

Mr. Councillor Wise seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 5, viz.: Councillors Miss Growse, Hill, Wise, Glanville and Fenn, and against the motion 7, viz.: Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Hearn, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Reynolds, Roberts, Teare and Weeks.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted (Councillors Fenn, Glanville and Wise only dissenting).

REPORT OF WORKS AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL COMMITTEE: The Works and Sewage Disposal Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 12th ulto. (Agenda page 235.)

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE, NO 1: The Public Health Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 12th ulto. (Agenda page 237.)

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Weeks,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

ISOLATION HOSPITAL: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 14 (b) of the report of the Committee relative to the proposed extension of the Isolation Hospital, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Councillor Miss Growse,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the matter be further considered by the Council in Committee this evening.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Weeks,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE NO. 2: The Public Health Committee submitted a report of a further meeting of the Committee held on the 19th ulto. (Agenda page 238.)

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hearn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

APPOINTMENT OF MIDWIFE: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 1 of the report of the Committee relative to the question of the appointment of a Midwife, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hearn,

IT WAS RESOLVED, in view of the fact that Mrs. Dangerfield had now intimated that she was not prepared to accept the appointment, that the matter be referred back to the Committee with a view to a fresh appointment being made.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Councillor The Rev. Dr. Macgowan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF TOWN PLANNING COMMITTEE: The Town Planning Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 19th ulto. (Agenda page 239.)

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Sturgess,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Sturgess,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HOUSING COMMITTEE No. 1: The Housing Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 19th ulto. (Agenda page 240.)

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HOUSING COMMITTEE No. 2: The Housing Committee submitted a report of a further meeting of the Committee held on the 9th inst. (Agenda page 241.)

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

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REPORT OF FIRE BRIGADE COMMITTEE: The Fire Brigade Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 19th ulto. (Agenda page 241).

Upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

MOTOR FIRE ENGINE No. 2: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 3 of the report of the Committee, the Clerk reported that subsequent to the meeting of the Committee a communication had been received from the Air Ministry approving the acceptance of the tender of Messrs. Leyland Motors, Ltd., amounting to the sum of £2,215 for the supply of a motor fire engine to replace the one commandeered in 1915, and also agreeing to pay the Council the difference between the amount of the tender of Messrs. Merryweather and Sons, Ltd., for the original engine referred to, and the tender of Messrs. Leyland Motors, Ltd. In view of such communication, the Clerk asked for authority to proceed with the preparation of the contract with Messrs. Leyland Motors in the matter.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Councillor Miss Growse,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Clerk prepare the necessary contract for execution by Messrs. Leyland Motors, Ltd.

Upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Councillor the Rev. Dr. Macgowan,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE: The General Purposes Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 9th inst. (Agenda page 242.)

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Councillor Mrs. Bannister,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

STREET TRADING: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 1 (a) of the report of the Committee in regard to the application made by Mr. Humphreys, a resident of Finchley, for consent to stand a motor refreshment van at Golders Green Road, and to the suggestion of the Committee that Mr. Humphreys should apply to the Urban District Council of Finchley for a site in their district.

Mr. Councillor Fenn moved:—

That the paragraph be deleted.

There being no seconder thereto, the consideration thereof was not proceeded with.

PARLIAMENTARY BILLS—COLNE VALLEY WATER BILL: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 3 (b) of the report of the Committee in regard to the Colne Valley Water Bill, the Clerk submitted a report in regard to the Conference, convened by the Middlesex County Council, of Local Authorities affected by the Bill, such Conference being attended by Councillors Egan and Hill, together with the Clerk, on behalf of the Council.

It appeared from such report that it was the unanimous view of the Conference that the Bill should be opposed by all authorities affected, the proposal of the Company involving very serious increases in the charges for water supply. The Conference passed a resolution suggesting that each local authority should submit a petition against the Bill, and that a further meeting of the Conference should be convened to take place on the 24th prox. to consider the question of combined opposition, and the engagement for all parties concerned of the necessary Counsel and Witnesses.

In view of the proceedings at such Conference, the Council's representatives recommended that the Council present a petition against the Bill.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Council present a petition accordingly.

TRAMWAYS: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 16 of the report of the committee in regard to the communication from the Hendon Labour Party protesting against the Middlesex County Council agreeing to negotiate with the Metropolitan Electric Tramways, Ltd., for an extension of the lease in connection with the tramways, Mr. Councillor Wise moved, as an amendment:—

That the Council address a communication to the Middlesex County Council protesting against the proposal for the extension of the lease referred to.

Mr. Councillor Fenn seconded the amendment.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting, there voted in favour thereof 5, viz., Councillors Wise, Fenn, Glanville, Teare and Weeks; and against the amendment, 9, viz., Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Mrs. Bannister, Miss Growse, Cartwright, Hill, Hearn, Reynolds, Sturgess and Taylor.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be not carried.

Mr. Councillor Roberts thereupon moved:—

That the matter be referred back to the Committee, and that the Engineer obtain particulars in regard to the existing service of cars in the Edgware Road for consideration by the Committee.

Mr. Councillor Wise seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting, the Chairman declared the same to be carried unanimously.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE: The Highways Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 9th inst. (Agenda page 245.)

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF REQUISITIONS COMMITTEE: The Requisitions Committee submitted the following report of a meeting held this evening:—

Report of Requisitions Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall this evening. Present: Mr. Councillor Egan (Chairman), Councillors Miss Growse, Cartwright, Hill, Teare, Reynolds, and Roberts.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor and the Chief Officer of the Fire Brigade submitted requisitions of goods required, and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the same be approved.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

CORRESPONDENCE: The Clerk reported the receipt of various letters as detailed in his report book.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be referred to the respective Committees for consideration.

DOCUMENTS FOR SEALING: The Clerk submitted the following Documents for sealing by the Council:—

Farrow, H.—Agreement (Supplemental to Contract) in connection with the construction of Roads and Sewers, Brent Hill Housing Scheme.

Ham, Baker and Co.—Contract *re* Sewage Distributors (Counterpart).

Browett and Sons—Contract for Repairs to All Saints' School.

Sharp, I.—Agreement for payment of Road Charges by instalments, Highfield Avenue.

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| Marston, M. A. | do. | do. | do. |
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| Goodenough, F. J. | do. | do. | do. |
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| Smith, J. E. | do. | do. | Garrick Avenue. |
| Parker, H. V. | do. | do. | do. |
| Lait, E. | do. | do. | Ambrose Avenue. |
| Young, G. M. | do. | do. | Dunstan Road. |
| Wolsey, E. | do. | do. | Alba Gardens. |

13 Petrol Licences, as per Fire Brigade Committee Report. (Agenda, page 241.)

10 Housing Bonds, as per Housing Bond Register.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the documents in question.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE MINUTES: The Minutes of the proceedings of the Hendon Education Committee at a meeting held on the 29th day of November, 1921, having been circulated amongst the Members of the Council,

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED That such Minutes be received.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS COMMITTEE: The following report was presented by Mr. Councillor Reynolds in connection with the work of the Christmas Gifts Committee (1921).

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,—

During the latter end of November, I organized a scheme (with the Council's approval) for the purpose of obtaining donations with a view to providing food, fuel, and clothing for a large number of families in the Hendon Division who were in need owing to the bad condition of trade, and consequent unemployment, etc.

I therefore set up an organization to deal with the following matters:—

- (1) Obtain the necessary funds.
- (2) Compile lists of needy cases.
- (3) Distribute food and fuel.
- (4) Obtain gifts of clothing and comforts.
- (5) Distribute same.

Committees were formed for the purpose of mailing appeals, arranging house-to-house collections, compiling lists of needy families, etc., in six sub-areas, as follows:—

- Central Hendon—Chairman, Mr. Councillor R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E., assisted by Mr. Councillor R. M. Weeks.
- West Hendon—Chairman, Mr. E. Holt, assisted by Mr. A. Morsman.
- Golders Green—Chairman, Mr. Councillor A. J. Reynolds.
- Garden Suburb—Chairman, Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister.
- Child's Hill—Chairman, Mr. Councillor W. Taylor.
- Mill Hill—Chairman, Mr. Councillor A. S. F. Ford.

An "Administrative Committee" under the Chairmanship of Mr. S. H. Egan, J.P. (Vice-Chairman, Mr. Councillor A. B. Soar) was formed for the purpose of:—

- (1) Scrutinising, approving and indexing needy cases as received from Sub-Area Chairmen.
- (2) Obtaining quotations for food and fuel, and
- (3) Effecting prompt delivery.

During the early period of our activities, it was felt that from £600 to £800 would be needed, but later it became apparent that if all worthy cases (that were being brought to our notice) were to receive our consideration, a sum nearer £1,000 would be required. This sum was therefore made our object, but even this amount was insufficient, as will be seen by the following figures.

The total subscriptions, plus Bank interest, amounted to £1,164 5s. 11d.

A standard gift comprised the following:—

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| 1 Quartern Flour | 3 or 4 lbs. Beef (without bone) | ½ lb Raisins |
| 2 lbs. Sugar | ½ lb Currants | 1 lb Tea |
| 2 lbs. Golden Syrup | 1 tin Milk | 20 Cigarettes |
| 1 pkt. Suet | 2 lbs. Jam | 1 oz Tobacco |
| ½ lb Bacon | 1 lb Butter | Oranges, 1s. |
| ¼ lb Peel | ½ lb Cheese | 1 pkt. Oxo Cubes |
| ½ lb Lard | ½ lb Cocoa | Small box Crackers |
| 1 cwt. Coal | 1 lb Dates | Sweets, 1s. |

The following gifts were distributed on or before December 24th:—

| | Cwts of Coal. | Joints of Beef. | Grocery Parcels. |
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| Central Hendon | 251 | 252 | 255 |
| West Hendon | 195 | 284 | 303 |
| Golders Green and Garden Suburb | 75 | 77 | 78 |
| Child's Hill | 283 | 351 | 358 |
| Mill Hill | 34 | 35 | 35 |

Total:—842 cwt, or 42 tons 2 cwt of Coal.

979 joints, or 1 ton 6 cwt. 25lb of Beef.

1,027 special parcels of Groceries, etc.

A greeting card was enclosed with each gift stating that "The Hendon Council Christmas Gift Committee wish you a Happy Christmas and better luck in the New Year."

Having distributed the above quantities, and paid the accounts, it was found that a credit balance of £10 6s. 9d. was available. Additional gifts have therefore been distributed since Christmas equal to this amount.

The members of the Administrative Committee were:—Councillors R. J. Wise, A. J. Reynolds, W. Taylor, R. M. Weeks, Col. F. W. Hearn, R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E., and A. S. F. Ford, Councillors Miss E. C. Growse, and Mrs. S. J. Bannister; also Mrs. Tombs, Mrs. Butcher, Miss K. Smyrk, Mr. A. Morsman, Mr. Edwin Holt, Mr. P. Lightfoot, Mr. W. Kitcher and Mr. W. Clark.

A separate organisation was set up to deal with the reception, inspection and distribution of "Gifts in Kind." A large quantity of boots, shoes, articles of clothing and food was received and distributed, and many men, women and children were warmly clad by this department.

The burden of this work was kindly undertaken by Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister and Miss Bannister and a number of willing helpers.

Referring to the Christmas Gift Scheme as a whole, the work entailed has been far greater than would appear from a cursory glance at this report, and it would be impossible for me to mention the names of all the voluntary helpers who have given so much of their time. I, however, cannot conclude without mentioning the following:—

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P., Chairman of the Administrative Committee, who undertook a big task in arranging the administration of the fund.

Mr. Councillor A. B. Soar, Vice-Chairman of the Administrative Committee, who assisted Mr. Egan and did much hard work in connection with the publicity.

Also all the members of the Administrative Committee, amongst whom is included the various Chairmen of the six Sub-Area Committees mentioned above.

Amongst those who assisted in the detail work of the Scheme I desire to thank Mr. Henry Humphris (Clerk to the Council) and Mr. George Hails (the Council's Accountant), both of whom gave such great assistance that I can only feel that the organisation might easily have broken down without their help.

Mr. F. E. Gadd and Mr. C. F. Buttress (Clerk's Department) and Mr. S. A. Jackson (Accountant's Department) also worked late every night, giving most valuable assistance without interfering in any way with their ordinary duties.

Miss Thornett, Miss Fleming, Miss Flowerday, Miss Thorn, Miss Clarke, and Mr. F. E. Griffiths (all being members of the Council staff) undertook a heavy task by addressing envelopes (at home during the evenings) and doing much other useful work. The kind help given by these ladies and gentlemen was most welcome.

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Most practical assistance was given by Mr. James Anderson (Education Department), for he was able to supply us with the names and addresses of many needy families.

Other ladies and gentlemen who contributed largely to the success of the general scheme are:—Mr. S. Martin, Mr. W. Chester, Mr. A. K. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Skelton, Mrs. and Miss Edwards, Mr. Bernard Bull, Mr. William Butcher, Mr. W. A. Perkins, Mr. H. W. Reynolds, Mr. A. H. Mathewson, all the members of the Administrative Committee, and the members of the six Sub-Area Committees.

Our united thanks are due to the Editors of the "Hendon and Finchley Times" and the "Golders Green Advertiser," who gave assistance of inestimable value in bringing the fund to the notice of the public, publishing subscription lists, appealing for funds and supporting the scheme in every conceivable manner.

Thanks are also due to a large number of motor car owners, who gave their services as voluntary transport and despatch riders. Many useful journeys were undertaken by these workers and several "stood by" until midnight on Christmas Eve rather than a single gift should remain undelivered. The names of these gentlemen are as follows:—Chief Officer F. W. Adams, Mr. K. Andrew, Mr. L. R. Austin-Holmes, Mr. F. Howkins, Mr. J. R. Maidens, Mr. G. C. Trigg, Mr. H. Warden.

ARTHUR J. REYNOLDS,

Hon. Secretary and Organiser,

Hendon Council Christmas Gift Fund (1921).

Mr. Councillor Egan (Chairman of the Council) reported the following resolution adopted at a recent meeting of the Administrative Committee of the Christmas Gifts Committee:—

At a meeting of the Administrative Committee of the Christmas Gift Fund held on Friday, the 30th December, 1921, it was proposed by the Chairman (Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P.), seconded by Mr. Councillor Soar, and carried unanimously:—"That a hearty vote of thanks be given to Mr. Councillor A. J. Reynolds, Hon. Secretary and Organiser of the Christmas Gift Fund, for the excellent work he did resulting in the sum of £1,154 11s. 5d. being subscribed to the Fund; also to the various Chairmen and members of the Sub-Area Committees, and in particular to Mr. W. Clark and Mr. W. Kitcher (whose services were kindly arranged for by Mr. J. Anderson, Secretary of the Education Committee), members of the Central Sub-Area Committee for the special assistance they gave to the Chairman of the Child's Hill Ward, which was much appreciated; also to the Clerk to the Council, Mr. Henry Humphris; the Accountant, Mr. George Hails; and Mr. S. A. Jackson, of the Accountant's Department; Mr. F. E. Gadd (who unfortunately fell ill), and particularly to Mr. C. F. Buttress, who immediately on hearing of Mr. Gadd's illness gave his services and worked continuously early and late, and thus greatly assisted in the successful working of the scheme; and that this resolution be entered in the Minutes and forwarded to the Council."

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Councillor The Rev. Dr. Macgowan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such resolution be recorded on the Minutes of the Council.

Reference was made to the work undertaken by the Chairman of the Council in connection with the Committee, and upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED—That the Council tender a hearty vote of thanks to the Chairman of the Council (Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P.) for the services rendered by him in connection with the Hendon Council Christmas Gift Committee (1921).

With regard to the method to be adopted in conveying an expression of the thanks of the Council to the whole of the workers in connection with this organisation,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That this question be left in the hands of Mr. Councillor Reynolds and the Clerk to deal with.

MARRIAGE OF MR. COUNCILLOR T. PAGE: Mr. Councillor Egan, Chairman of the Council, tendered to Mr. Councillor Theodore Page the best wishes of the Council in connection with his recent marriage. Mr. Councillor Page suitably acknowledged the congratulations of the Council.

GREATER LONDON: In accordance with the arrangement made by the General Purposes Committee at their meeting held on the 9th inst. a deputation consisting of the following representatives of the Greater London Scheme Joint Committee for the Garden Suburb, Golders Green and Child's Hill Wards attended the meeting of the Council:—

Mr. H. G. Potter,
Mr. J. Robinson,
Mr. Leslie Raymond,
Mr. H. C. Braun,
Mr. J. E. Thomas.

Messrs. Potter, Robinson and Raymond, on behalf of the deputation, submitted their views in regard to the Scheme, strongly urging strenuous opposition to the same.

After hearing the views of the speakers referred to, the Chairman, on behalf of the Council thanked the deputation for their attendance, and intimated to them that the Council had already decided to oppose the Scheme, both in conjunction with the Middlesex County Council and independently.

IN COMMITTEE—

INFECTIOUS DISEASE: The Medical Officer of Health submitted a detailed report in regard to the prevalence of Diphtheria in the district during the past four weeks and as to the action taken by him in order to cope therewith.

It appeared from such report that it had been found necessary to consider the question of devising further methods for dealing with the same. The Medical Officer had accordingly conferred with the Chairman of the Council and the Chairman of the Public Health Committee outlining the procedure which he proposed to adopt in the matter, and he obtained the necessary authority to proceed on the lines indicated. After obtaining such authority the notifications of Diphtheria had fortunately become less numerous, and it had not been found necessary to proceed thereunder. After due consideration of the report of the Medical Officer, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Councillor the Rev. Dr. Macgowan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the action taken in the matter be approved.

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Reference was made to the work entailed in dealing with the emergency in question, and

IT WAS RESOLVED—That a vote of thanks be accorded to the Medical Officer of Health, the Hospital Staff, and the Staff at Burroughs House for the special effort displayed by them in dealing with the emergency.

ISOLATION HOSPITAL: Reference was made to the question of taking steps with a view to the erection of a permanent Isolation Hospital, particularly having regard to the report of the Medical Officer in connection with the recent outbreak of Diphtheria.

Mr. Councillor Cartwright moved:—

"That the Council proceed with the scheme for the erection of a permanent Hospital on the lines of the joint report of the Medical Officers of the Hendon and Finchley Councils presented in 1914, and that the matter be taken into consideration by the Public Health Committee as a matter of urgency."

Mr. Councillor Fenn seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting the Chairman declared the same to be carried unanimously.

Consideration was given to the recommendation contained in paragraph No. 14 (B) of the report of the Public Health Committee at their meeting held on the 12th ult. relative to the schemes submitted for the extension of the existing Isolation Hospital and the reports of the Officers in regard thereto.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Councillor Miss Growse,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the recommendation of the Committee be approved and adopted.

Report from the Medical Officer of Health as to an operation performed at the Isolation Hospital, and he submitted an account amounting to the sum of £26 5s., the fee of the Specialist (Dr. Mackenzie) in connection with the matter.

In view of the report of the Medical Officer in regard thereto, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Weeks,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the account be approved, and a cheque drawn in payment thereof.

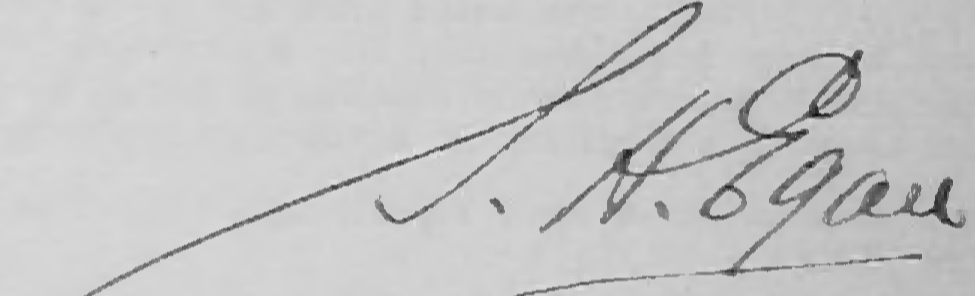
AMBULANCE: Letter from Mr. R. G. Clark criticising the arrangements for the removal of patients to the Council's Isolation Hospital, and suggesting the provision of a new ambulance for the purpose.

After due consideration of this communication, and the question generally, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That enquiries be made forthwith with a view to obtaining a new ambulance for the removal of infectious cases, and that the matter be taken into consideration by the Public Health Committee at their meeting on Monday next.

BRENT HILL FARM HOUSING SCHEME: Letter from Mr. G. Hornblower, accompanied by a copy communication from Messrs. J. D. Wood and Co., on behalf of their Clients, The National Bank, from which it appeared that the Bank would be prepared to accept Mr. Hornblower's figures in connection with the settlement of the accounts of the late Contractors provided an opportunity was afforded Messrs. Wood and Co. to check the same. After due consideration of the matter,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the request of The National Bank be acceded to in due course in accordance with the terms of the letter from Messrs. Wood and Co., and that the necessary arrangements be made in regard thereto.


Chairman.

Minutes.

AT A SPECIAL MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon (in Committee) held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 6th day of February, 1922.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
 " " T. F. Fenn,
 " " W. L. Glanville,
 " " R. Hare,
 " " F. W. Hearn,
 " " C. W. Hill,
 Councillor The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan,
 Mr. Councillor A. Roberts,
 " " J. H. Sturgess,
 " " W. Taylor,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " R. M. Weeks,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant),
 Dr. T. S. McIntosh (Medical Officer of Health).

The Clerk read the notice convening the meeting.

PARLIAMENTARY BILLS: The Council had under consideration the question of lodging petitions against the following Bills promoted in Parliament:—

Colne Valley Water Bill.

Railways (North Western and Midland Group) Bill.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That, subject to the report of the General Purposes Committee recommending that Petitions be lodged against the above Bills, such Petitions be lodged, and that the Chairman be authorised to affix the Common Seal of the Council to such Petitions.

BRENT HILL HOUSING SCHEME: The Clerk reported in reference to an interview which had taken place on the 1st instant, between the Chairman, the Accountant, the Architect (Mr. G. Horblower) and himself, with the Officials of the Ministry of Health, in regard to final accounts relating to the Improved Concrete Construction Company's Contract in connection with the Brent Hill Housing Scheme.

After careful consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the deputation to the Ministry of Health be received.

The Clerk reported a communication from Mr. A. S. Rackley, of Messrs. J. D. Wood and Co., also a further message which had been received by telephone that afternoon, but in respect of which confirmation had not been received.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That steps be taken to recover any monies due to the Council owing to the default of the Contractors under the terms of the Contract.

The Clerk reported as to a communication which had been sent to the Federated Employers' Assurance Association in respect of their Guarantee Bond under the Contract. The Association desired to be furnished with full particulars in regard to the Council's claim.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Clerk and Accountant arrange to interview Mr. Rackley, of Messrs. J. D. Wood and Co., in order to obtain from him a definite decision on behalf of their clients, and that the Officers then again approach the Ministry upon the matter.

It was agreed that the further report of the Officers upon the matter be considered by the Special Sub-Committee.

MID-WIFE—APPOINTMENT OF: Report received from the Public Health Committee that in accordance with the instructions of the Council an advertisement had been issued for a mid-wife at a salary of £170 per annum, rising to £190 per annum, but the Candidate selected for the appointment had withdrawn.

The Committee had accordingly advertised the appointment at a salary of £190 per annum, and they now desired the Council to consider the question of fixing a scale with increments from £190 per annum.

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Mr. Councillor Teare moved, and Councillor Miss Hodge seconded:—
"That the scale of salary for the mid-wife commence at £190 per annum, rising by annual increments of £10 to £220 per annum."

Upon the motion being put to the meeting there voted for it 12, viz.: Councillors Teare, Weeks, Mrs. Bannister, Taylor, Hare, Fenn, Miss Hodge, Miss Growse, Glanville, Wise, Roberts, and Rev. Dr. Macgowan; and against it 2, viz.: Councillors Hill and Cartwright.

The Chairman declared the motion to be carried.

CHILD'S HILL SCHEME: The Clerk reported correspondence with Mr. D. W. Drummond in reference to the account of Messrs. Williams and Co. for slates supplied in connection with the erection of 37 houses at Cloister Road.

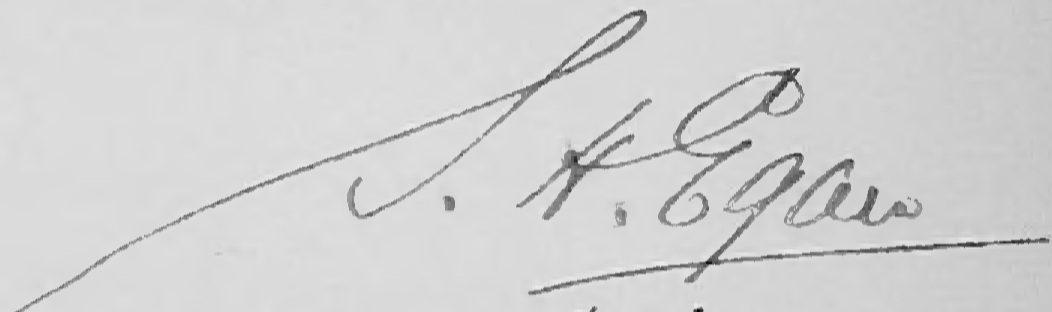
IT WAS AGREED—That the Architect be pressed to complete the statement of accounts by the earliest possible date in order that the matter may receive attention.

MARRIAGE OF PRINCESS MARY: The Chairman referred to the approaching marriage of Her Royal Highness Princess Mary, and he desired to ascertain the views of the Council as to tendering an address of congratulation to Her Royal Highness on the occasion.

IT WAS RESOLVED upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright:—"That an address of congratulation be prepared and sealed by the Council and transmitted to Her Royal Highness Princess Mary."

ISOLATION HOSPITAL EXTENSION: The Chairman reported that the Public Health Committee had accepted the tender of Messrs. Holltum and Green, of Holloway, for the sum of £1,198 for the extensions to the Isolation Hospital.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Councillor Miss Growse,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Chairman of the Council have authority to affix the Common Seal of the Council to the Contract when completed.


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Councillor Cartwright, seconded

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Councillor Taylor,

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Miss Hodge,

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9th February, 1922.

DEAR SIR, OR MADAM,

I beg to inform you that a Meeting of the Urban District Council of Hendon will be held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday next, the 13th day of February, 1922, at 6.15 o'clock in the evening for the purpose of transacting the following business, namely —

Agenda :

1. To confirm Minutes of previous Meetings.
2. Questions.
3. Report of Finance Committee.
4. Reports of Works and Sewage Disposal Committee.
5. Reports of Public Health Committee.
6. Report of Town Planning Committee.
7. Report of Housing Committee.
8. Reports of Fire Brigade Committee.
9. Report of General Purposes Committee.
10. Report of Highways Committee.
11. Report of Requisitions Committee.
12. Report of Clerk.
13. Report of Surveyor.
14. Education Committee (Minutes).
15. Receive tenders for Annual Supplies.

I am, Dear Sir or Madam,

Yours faithfully,

HENRY HUMPHRIS,

Clerk to the Council.

The Requisitions Committee, consisting of the Chairmen of the Standing Committees, will meet at 6 p.m.

NOTE—A Special Meeting of the Public Health Committee will be held after the Council Meeting to consider the applications for the post of Midwife.

Report of Finance Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 6th day of February, 1922. Present: Mr. Councillor Cartwright (Chairman), Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Hodge, Fenn, Hearn, the Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Roberts, Sturgess, Teare and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, ETC.: Your Committee have examined the Treasurer's Pass Book and Cash Books, and report that the total receipts from all sources since the last meeting amounted to the sum of £19,877 0s. 11d., making a total of £218,067 12s 10d. for the current financial year.

INCOME.

| Description. | Amounts previously Reported. | | Amounts now Reported. | | Total. | |
|--|------------------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|--------|-------|
| | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| Rateable Accounts— | | | | | | |
| Hendon Recreation Ground ... | 168 | 5 1 | 2 | 10 0 | 170 | 15 1 |
| Sewage Farm and Stables, Rents, etc. | 352 | 15 0 | 7 | 10 0 | 360 | 5 0 |
| Stables—Sale of Horses ... | 20 | 0 0 | | | 20 | 0 0 |
| Sanitary Department, Disinfecting, etc. | 10 | 8 0 | 1 | 1 0 | 11 | 9 0 |
| Burroughs House, Rent, etc. ... | 57 | 0 5 | 2 | 10 0 | 59 | 10 5 |
| Maternity Centres and Midwifery ... | 733 | 13 11 | 28 | 4 0 | 761 | 17 11 |
| Isolation Hospital, Charges Recovered | 25 | 16 0 | | | 25 | 16 0 |
| Refuse Collection and Dust Shoot | | | | | | |
| Permits ... | 101 | 5 0 | 403 | 0 0 | 504 | 5 0 |
| Fire Brigade, expenses etc., recovered | 165 | 16 9 | 62 | 16 6 | 228 | 13 3 |
| Motor Ambulance, fees, etc. ... | 99 | 11 6 | 34 | 1 6 | 133 | 13 0 |
| Highways and Main Roads ... | 6408 | 15 6 | 92 | 17 4 | 6501 | 12 10 |
| Street Lighting, damages recovered ... | 6 | 18 6 | 1 | 8 5 | 8 | 6 11 |
| Lyons and Harvists Trust Fund ... | 616 | 3 3 | | | 616 | 3 3 |
| Salaries Account, fees, etc. ... | 439 | 4 1 | | | 439 | 4 1 |
| Public Offices, lettings, etc. ... | 248 | 1 8 | 32 | 0 10 | 280 | 2 6 |
| Establishment and Legal Expenses ... | 228 | 13 4 | 11 | 9 11 | 240 | 3 3 |
| Building Certificates ... | 144 | 18 0 | 26 | 5 0 | 171 | 3 0 |
| Interest and Dividends ... | 2697 | 6 8 | 90 | 11 3 | 2787 | 17 11 |
| Workmen's Compensation ... | 47 | 7 4 | 20 | 14 2 | 68 | 1 6 |
| General District Rates and Costs ... | 78454 | 9 1 | 3916 | 3 5 | 82370 | 12 6 |
| Government Contribution in lieu of Rates ... | 336 | 7 6 | | | 336 | 7 6 |
| | 91362 | 16 7 | 4733 | 3 4 | 96095 | 19 11 |
| Suspense Accounts— | | | | | | |
| National Kitchens ... | 73 | 1 0 | 6 | 0 0 | 79 | 1 0 |
| North Circular Road Account ... | 3037 | 19 2 | 3026 | 5 10 | 6064 | 5 0 |
| Allotments ... | 276 | 9 6 | 93 | 14 10 | 370 | 4 4 |
| Bittacy View House, Rent ... | | | 35 | 0 0 | 35 | 0 0 |
| Emergency Coal Control—Expenses ... | 5 | 6 1 | | | 5 | 6 1 |
| Lands Cultivation Orders ... | 180 | 12 4 | 50 | 10 3 | 231 | 2 7 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 1, Rents ... | 1151 | 6 6 | 116 | 18 3 | 1268 | 4 9 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 2, Rents ... | 864 | 13 4 | 146 | 9 4 | 1011 | 2 8 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 2, Key Deposits ... | 9 | 5 0 | | | 9 | 5 0 |
| Emergency Food Control—repayment of advance ... | 250 | 0 0 | | | 250 | 0 0 |
| Private Works ... | 1789 | 14 4 | 290 | 1 3 | 2079 | 15 7 |
| Tender Deposits ... | 608 | 15 0 | | | 608 | 15 0 |
| Exchequer Subsidy (Assisted Housing Schemes) ... | | | 8100 | 0 0 | 8100 | 0 0 |
| Wages—Unemployment Fund ... | 532 | 14 2 | | | 532 | 14 2 |
| Hendon Overseers ... | 1036 | 19 5 | | | 1036 | 19 5 |
| Private Improvements ... | 3568 | 13 3 | 2795 | 5 1 | 6363 | 18 4 |
| Private Improvements—Interest and Stamp Duty ... | | | 10 | 12 1 | 10 | 12 1 |
| Land, West Hendon, Rent ... | 6 | 0 0 | | | 6 | 0 0 |
| Brent Hill Housing, Rents ... | 1047 | 16 1 | 158 | 0 8 | 1205 | 16 9 |
| Brent Hill Housing, Wages Repaid ... | 8 | 2 | | | 8 | 2 |
| Brent Hill Housing, Key Deposits ... | 9 | 5 0 | | | 9 | 5 0 |
| Coal Reserve Stock—Sales ... | 83 | 17 0 | | | 83 | 17 0 |
| | 14532 | 15 4 | 14828 | 17 7 | 29361 | 12 11 |
| Capital Accounts— | | | | | | |
| Loans—General ... | 83315 | 0 0 | | | 83315 | 0 0 |
| Loans—Housing ... | 7100 | 0 0 | | | 7100 | 0 0 |
| Housing Bonds ... | 1880 | 0 0 | 315 | 0 0 | 2195 | 0 0 |
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on Monday, the 6th day of
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Treasurer's Pass Book and Cash
meeting amounted to the sum
financial year.

| Amounts | Total. |
|---------|-------------|
| 0 | 170 15 1 |
| 0 | 360 5 0 |
| 0 | 20 0 0 |
| 0 | 11 9 0 |
| 0 | 59 10 5 |
| 0 | 761 17 11 |
| 0 | 25 16 0 |
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SUMMARY OF INCOME TO DATE.

| Rateable Accounts | Suspense Accounts | Capital Accounts | | | |
|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------|------------|--------------|
| ... | ... | ... | 91362 16 7 | 4733 3 4 | 96095 19 11 |
| ... | ... | ... | 14532 15 4 | 14828 17 7 | 29361 12 11 |
| ... | ... | ... | 92295 0 0 | 315 0 0 | 92610 0 0 |
| | | | 198190 11 11 | 19877 0 11 | 218067 12 10 |

2.—RATE COLLECTION: They have also examined the Statement as to the rate collection, and find that there has been collected and paid to the Treasurer since the last meeting the sum of £3,902 14s. 11d. on account of rates, and £13 8s. 6d. on account of costs.

3.—STATEMENT OF BALANCES: They have also examined the Cash Book and Statement of Treasurer's Balances, which they found correct, and report that the total balance in hand amounted to £69,049 12s. 11d.

| DEBITS— | | BANK ACCOUNTS. | | | | | | | |
|--|--|------------------|-------|----------------|-------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-------------|
| | | Revenue Account. | | Loans Account. | | Sinking Fund Account. | Housing Subsidised Account. | North Circular Road Account. | Total. |
| | | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| Balance in hand, 4th January, 1922 | | 20276 | 5 6 | 16511 | 8 3 | 10 0 5 | 38825 14 1 | 525 0 4 | 76148 8 7 |
| Receipts per Statement to 2nd February, 1922 | | 13778 | 12 0 | 2757 | 3 1 | | 315 0 0 | 3026 5 10 | 19877 0 11 |
| Cancelled cheques | | 68 | 9 2 | | | | | | 68 9 2 |
| | | £34123 | 6 8 | 19268 | 11 4 | 10 0 5 | 39140 14 1 | 3551 6 2 | 96093 18 8 |
| CREDITS— | | | | | | | | | |
| Cheques per lists to 30th January, 1922 | | 12110 | 4 8 | 12858 | 8 8 | | 466 5 2 | | 25434 18 6 |
| Outlay, North Circular Road Account | | | | | | | | 1609 7 3 | 1609 7 3 |
| Balance in hand, 2nd February, 1922 | | 22013 | 2 0 | 6410 | 2 8 | 10 0 5 | 38674 8 11 | 1941 18 11 | 69049 12 11 |
| | | £34123 | 6 8 | 19268 | 11 4 | 10 0 5 | 39140 14 1 | 3551 6 2 | 96093 18 8 |

4.—ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT: They have also considered the various accounts submitted for payment, amounting to the sum of £17,959 17s. 0d. on the Council's account, and the sum of £155 16s. 1d. for North Circular Road Account, and

RECOMMEND—That the same be passed and cheques drawn for the various amounts.

5.—EXPENDITURE JOURNALS, GENERAL AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS: That they have examined these Journals, and

RECOMMEND—That the Personal Accounts in the Ledger be credited, and the various Impersonal Accounts debited with the amounts of the Invoices, as per the following Statement, showing outlay to date:—

EXPENDITURE.

| Approved Estimate. | | Payments previously Reported. | Amounts now Reported | Total. |
|--------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------|-------------|
| £ | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| RATEABLE ACCOUNTS— | | | | |
| 9906 | Main Roads | 4895 10 8 | 337 13 10 | 5233 4 6 |
| 4936 | Highways | 4607 8 8 | 205 11 9 | 4813 0 5 |
| 531 | Ditto (Special) | 686 1 10 | 19 2 6 | 705 4 4 |
| 2547 | Tarpainting | 2630 15 8 | | 2630 15 8 |
| 250 | Dust and Refuse Removal | 245 7 9 | 2 13 4 | 248 1 1 |
| | Warner Road Shoot | 187 10 0 | | 187 10 0 |
| 250 | Emptying Cesspools | 183 2 0 | 71 10 0 | 254 12 0 |
| 670 | Mill Hill Dusting | 502 0 0 | 128 0 0 | 630 0 0 |
| 12280 | Public Lighting | 7780 11 5 | 1265 2 8 | 9045 14 1 |
| 115 | Sewers Maintenance, etc. | 63 1 3 | 21 6 2 | 84 7 5 |
| 544 | Pumping Stations | 375 15 1 | 5 17 10 | 381 12 11 |
| 832 | Outfall Works | 720 18 8 | 72 5 7 | 793 4 3 |
| 440 | Sanitation, etc. | 324 9 2 | 113 1 7 | 437 10 9 |
| 1219 | Isolation Hospital | 933 10 4 | 290 4 7 | 1273 14 11 |
| 1414 | Joint Small Pox Hospital | 558 14 11 | | 558 14 11 |
| 162 | Maternity Centres | 135 4 3 | 13 10 3 | 148 14 6 |
| 950 | Maternity Stock and Milk | 426 7 10 | 28 3 6 | 454 11 4 |
| 300 | Day Nursery Grants | 300 0 0 | | 300 0 0 |
| 55 | Mortuary | 17 1 3 | 2 1 2 | 19 2 5 |
| 1335 | Fire Brigade | 1251 6 7 | 79 7 1 | 1330 13 8 |
| 87 | Accident Ambulance | 92 2 8 | 8 0 | 92 10 8 |
| 668 | Pleasure Grounds, Street Trees, etc. | 422 14 2 | 30 1 5 | 452 15 7 |
| 974 | Town Hall | 660 11 1 | 53 18 6 | 714 9 7 |
| 170 | Burroughs House | 105 13 10 | 11 19 11 | 117 13 9 |
| 800 | Legal, etc., Expenses | 875 12 6 | 48 11 0 | 924 3 6 |
| 200 | Establishment Expenses | 208 11 6 | 43 9 6 | 252 1 0 |
| 1100 | Printing, Advertising and Insurances | 1066 6 2 | 61 5 2 | 1127 11 4 |
| 194 | Election Expenses | 194 6 10 | | 194 6 10 |
| 18070 | Loan Charges | 10630 13 7 | 4404 4 3 | 15034 17 10 |
| 2100 | Subsidised Housing—Amount of 1d. Rate | 2100 0 0 | | 2100 0 0 |

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|---------|---------------------------|-----|--------------------|------------------|------------------|
| 14097 | Salaries | ... | 11065 9 8 | 1239 15 4 | 12305 5 0 |
| 27046 | Wages | ... | 25038 8 6 | | 25038 8 6 |
| 3110 | Stables | ... | 1091 9 8 | 164 8 10 | 1255 18 6 |
| 1616 | Stores | ... | 1777 6 6 | 398 5 4 | 2175 11 10 |
| 45 | Public Depots | ... | 39 10 6 | | 39 10 6 |
| 1080 | Steam Wagons | ... | 379 19 2 | 1 2 1 | 381 1 3 |
| 869 | Stationery Stock | ... | 706 0 1 | 124 10 6 | 830 10 7 |
| 1950 | Special Works | ... | 295 18 9 | | 295 18 9 |
| | Ditto, Wages | ... | 1654 1 3 | | 1654 1 3 |
| 500 | Land, etc., The Burroughs | ... | 400 0 0 | | 400 0 0 |
| | | | <u>£85679 13 9</u> | <u>9237 11 8</u> | <u>94917 5 5</u> |
| £113412 | | | | | |

SUSPENSE ACCOUNTS.

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|---------------------------------------|-----|-----|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Brent Hill—Suspense Account | ... | ... | 2 5 | 2 5 | |
| Allotments | ... | ... | 2 6 | 163 9 10 | |
| Ditto, Wages | ... | ... | | 20 11 6 | |
| Lands Cultivation Orders | ... | ... | 11 0 7 | 265 19 6 | |
| Wages—Suspense | ... | ... | 4723 16 8 | 4723 16 8 | |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 1 | ... | ... | 17 12 11 | 417 17 6 | |
| Ditto, Wages | ... | ... | | 301 13 7 | |
| Overseers' Expenses | ... | ... | 34 15 9 | 377 9 4 | |
| Rate Collector—Advance for change | ... | ... | 4 10 0 | 4 10 0 | |
| Food Control | ... | ... | | 250 0 0 | |
| Kitchens | ... | ... | | 48 3 6 | |
| Private Works | ... | ... | 19 10 2 | 632 0 3 | |
| Ditto, Wages | ... | ... | | 436 7 3 | |
| District Rate Refunds | ... | ... | 7 8 11 | 68 0 0 | |
| Bittacy View House | ... | ... | 9 7 10 | 10 10 4 | |
| Education | ... | ... | 3 15 2 | 12 15 10 | |
| Hendon Park—Hard Courts | ... | ... | 322 3 6 | 322 3 6 | |
| Stables Reserve—Horses | ... | ... | | 200 0 0 | |
| Unemployed—Wages | ... | ... | | 532 14 2 | |
| Subsidised Housing—excess of Id. Rate | ... | ... | 779 11 1 | 6215 18 7 | |
| Isolation Hospital—Extension | ... | ... | 18 5 5 | 18 5 5 | |
| Tender Deposits repaid | ... | ... | 65 2 0 | 704 17 0 | |
| Coal Reserve Stock—Wages | ... | ... | | 12 0 0 | |
| North Circular Road—Wages | ... | ... | | 2396 0 10 | |
| Ditto, Outlay | ... | ... | 156 4 10 | 412 5 4 | |
| Workmen's Compensation | ... | ... | | 18 8 | |
| Ditto, Wages | ... | ... | | 87 10 10 | |
| | | | <u>£12462 12 1</u> | <u>6173 9 9</u> | <u>18636 1 10</u> |

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS.

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|-----------|---|--|---------------------|-----------------|--------------------|------------|
| Sanction. | £ | Child's Hill Housing, No. 2 | ... | 11164 10 9 | 241 13 10 | 11406 4 7 |
| 33939 | | Ditto, Wages | ... | 195 0 0 | | 195 0 0 |
| 211556 | | Brent Hill Housing | ... | 66510 14 8 | | 66510 14 8 |
| | | Ditto, Wages | ... | 1149 9 7 | | 1149 9 7 |
| 2533 | | Bittacy Hill Housing | ... | 2721 17 3 | | 2721 17 3 |
| 35048 | | Private Street Improvements | ... | 21688 11 2 | | 21688 11 2 |
| 7100 | | West Hendon Housing | ... | 7185 2 6 | | 7185 2 6 |
| | | Ditto, Wages | ... | 23 12 11 | | 23 12 11 |
| 500 | | Colindeep Lane Sewer | ... | 318 4 3 | | 318 4 3 |
| | | Brent Street Sewer | ... | 16 7 | 16 6 | 1 13 1 |
| 13735 | | Kingsbury Lane Land (Pleasure Grounds) | ... | 14316 8 4 | | 14316 8 4 |
| 1800 | | Ditto (Allotments) | ... | 1665 0 0 | | 1665 0 0 |
| 1051 | | Huts Construction (Maternity) | ... | 5 8 10 | | 5 8 10 |
| 86000 | | Edgware Road, Reconstruction | ... | 15265 5 7 | 3473 0 0 | 18738 5 7 |
| | | Ditto, Wages | ... | 170 12 6 | | 170 12 6 |
| 1977 | | Outfall Works Extension | ... | 7749 5 1 | 1 0 3 | 7750 5 4 |
| | | Ditto, Wages | ... | 34 16 8 | | 34 16 8 |
| 3715 | | Park Road Widening | ... | 152 14 0 | 15 1 0 | 167 15 0 |
| | | Ditto, Wages | ... | 119 16 0 | | 119 16 0 |
| 6000 | | Temple Fortune Sewer | ... | 5172 11 0 | 1 0 3 | 5173 11 3 |
| | | Ditto, Wages | ... | 55 10 9 | | 55 10 9 |
| 1970 | | Woodstock Avenue—New Road | ... | 1150 18 11 | | 1150 18 11 |
| | | Ditto, Wages | ... | 893 18 3 | | 893 18 3 |
| 1325 | | Bittacy Hill Land (Pleasure Ground) | ... | 1390 10 1 | | 1390 10 1 |
| 742 | | Ditto (Allotments) | ... | 778 15 3 | | 778 15 3 |
| 1977 | | Sewage Sprinklers | ... | 775 0 10 | | 775 0 10 |
| | | Fire Hydrants | ... | 52 19 4 | 14 19 0 | 67 18 4 |
| 5000 | | Swimming Bath, Wages | ... | 1 13 6 | 5 5 1 | 6 18 7 |
| | | Ditto, Outlay | ... | 19 15 7 | | 19 15 7 |
| | | Stores | ... | 390 16 10 | | 390 16 10 |
| | | Shirehall Lane | ... | 288 15 4 | 179 14 3 | 468 9 7 |
| | | Ditto, Wages | ... | 867 19 3 | | 867 19 3 |
| | | Mill Hill Road Widening | ... | 1256 13 7 | 6 11 1 | 1263 4 8 |
| | | Ditto, Wages | ... | 834 5 10 | | 834 5 10 |
| | | | <u>£164367 11 0</u> | <u>3939 1 3</u> | <u>168306 12 3</u> | |

6.—LOAN OF £5000 of the sum given in account Your Com the loan to

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14.—LOANS: (A) Report fro amounting your Com meeting o Your to the util

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS TO DATE.

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| Rateable Accounts | ... | ... | 85679 13 9 | 9237 11 8 | 94917 5 5 |
| Suspense Accounts | ... | ... | 12462 12 1 | 6173 9 9 | 18636 1 10 |
| Capital Accounts | ... | ... | 164367 11 0 | 3939 1 3 | 168306 12 3 |
| | | | £262509 16 10 | 19350 2 8 | 281859 19 6 |

6.—LOAN OF £5,308: Letter from the Ministry of Health transmitting sanction to the borrowing by the Council of the sum of £5,308 for the widening and improvement of Bell Lane, Hendon, such sanction being given in accordance with the recommendation of the Ministry of Transport.

Your Committee have duly noted this communication, and have referred the question of raising the loan to the Accountant.

7.—LOAN OF £1,000—KEN WOOD: Letter from the Ministry of Health in further reference to the application of the Council for sanction to a loan of £1,000 to enable the District Council to make a contribution towards the cost of the scheme for purchasing Ken Wood Estate.

The Ministry stated that this matter had received further consideration, and the Ministry were now prepared to issue sanction to a loan for a contribution by the Council. Your Committee have noted the contents of this communication, and

RECOMMEND—That the Ken Wood Preservation Council be informed that the Ministry are not prepared to grant the sanction, subject to which the Council had agreed to make a contribution.

8.—HOSPITAL—ADDITIONS, ETC., Report was made that the cost of the extensions to the Isolation Hospital would amount to the sum of £1,194, the cost of which would be borne out of revenue.

Report was also made that the cost of the new ambulance for conveyance of patients suffering from infectious disease would amount to £910, and this expenditure would also be borne out of revenue. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That this action be approved.

9.—BITTACY HILL LAND: Letter from Mr. J. F. Buttle as to the purchase from All Souls' College of the land at Bittacy Hill, intimating that certain fields were charged with a tithe amounting to 27s. 9d. per annum, and he offered to redeem the tithe at 16 years' purchase of £1 10s. 4d., the present annual value.

Your Committee understand that this matter is receiving attention by the Council's Accountant.

10.—AUDIT: Letter from the Assistant District Auditor transmitting Auditor's report for the year ended 31st March, 1921.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of the report, which have been referred to the officers concerned. Report from the Accountant as to the desirability of preparing an abstract of the accounts of the Council in book form.

Your Committee approved of the suggestion, and

RECOMMEND—That the Accountant have authority to prepare an abstract of the accounts of the Council, and that such abstract be published at a charge of 10s. per volume.

11.—HOUSING BONDS: Report from the Accountant that since the last meeting a further sum of £315 had been received in respect of Housing Bonds, the total sum received to date being £27,580. Your Committee have duly noted this report, and

RECOMMEND—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the further issue of Housing Bonds in due course.

12.—PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS: Report from the Accountant that 20 frontagers had arranged to enter into agreements for payment of private street improvement charges spread over a period. Your Committee approved of the action taken, and

RECOMMEND—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to such agreements when prepared.

13.—TENNIS COURTS—HENDON PARK: Your Committee received a report that the Hard Courts in the Park would be ready for use within a short time.

They have given consideration to the charges to be made for the use of the tennis courts. The Council will remember that the present charges for the grass courts in the Hendon Park is 3s. per hour per court for doubles, and 2s. per hour per court for singles. Your Committee now

RECOMMEND—That the resolution of the Council of the 21st June, 1920, fixing the charges for the use of the tennis courts in the Park be rescinded.

They

RECOMMEND—That the following charges be fixed for the use of the tennis courts:—

- Grass Courts, Doubles, 2s. per hour.
- Ditto, Singles, 1s. 6d. per hour.
- Hard Courts, 2s. 6d. per hour, Doubles.
- Ditto, 2s. per hour, Singles.

14.—LOANS:

(A) Report from the Accountant in reference to the offers he had received for an advance on loans amounting to the sum of £32,869. After careful consideration of the report of the Accountant, your Committee instructed him to submit a further report upon the matter to the Council at their meeting on Monday next.

Your Committee have also instructed the Accountant to report to their next meeting in reference to the utilization of certain balances on loans in hand by the Council.

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| 25038 | 8 | 6 |
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| 2175 | 11 | 10 |
| 39 | 10 | 6 |
| 381 | 1 | 3 |
| 830 | 10 | 7 |
| 295 | 18 | 9 |
| 1654 | 1 | 3 |
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| 11 8 | 94917 | 5 5 |
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| 2 6 | 163 | 9 10 |
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| 16 8 | 265 | 19 6 |
| 12 11 | 4723 | 16 8 |
| | 417 | 17 6 |
| 15 9 | 301 | 13 7 |
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(B) REDUCTION OF LOANS: The Accountant submitted a preliminary report in regard to the methods for the reduction on loans, viz.:-

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Your Committee instructed the Accountant to circulate copies of such report and propose to give the matter further consideration at their next meeting.

15.—LOAN £9,000, PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS: Report from the Accountant in reference to the desirability of taking up the loan £9,000 in connection with works of private street improvements, he suggested that such loan should be taken up from the National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd. Your Committee therefore

RECOMMEND—That the Council borrow the sum of £9,000 from the Bank, and that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the mortgage deed for such advance in due course.

16.—PAY ORDER: The Accountant submitted pay order amounting to the sum of £3,666 12s. 4d. in respect of certain accounts included in the Council's payment.

Your Committee approved the same, and authorised that the necessary cheques be drawn.

17.—CONTRACTORS' CERTIFICATES: The Surveyor submitted certificates in favour of Contractors, as follows:—

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| (2) Wm. Moss and Sons, Outfall Works | ... | ... | 3118 0 0 |
| (3) Howard Farrow, Brent Hill Housing | ... | ... | 780 0 0 |
| (4) A. and F. Manuelle, etc., Retention Money <i>re</i> Durax Paving, Golders Green Road | ... | ... | 395 17 8 |
| (5) Howard Farrow, Edgware Road Reconstruction | ... | ... | 3473 0 0 |

The same were duly approved and authorised for payment. (Note.—Certificates Nos. 1 and 5 are included in the accounts submitted for payment.)

Report of Works & Sewage Disposal Committee No. 1.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 23rd day of January, 1922. Present: Mr. Councilor Roberts (Chairman), Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Cartwright, Egan, Glanville, Hare, Hill, Sturgess and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—PREMISES—EDGWARE ROAD: Letter from the Hendon Education Committee, accompanied by a communication and plan which they had received from the Aircraft Manufacturing Company, offering to dispose of their premises in the Edgware Road.

Your Committee understand that the Education Committee were approached by the Company with a view to the premises being utilised for the purpose of a school. The Education Committee being, however, unable to entertain the offer, the same was transmitted to the Council—with a view to their taking into consideration whether the premises were suitable for any purpose required by them.

Your Committee have given the matter consideration, but cannot recommend the Council to entertain the purchase of the premises.

2.—SUNNY HILL FIELD: Report from the Clerk in reference to the agreement for the purchase of Sunny Hill Field, from which it appeared that the Solicitors to the Vendors had deleted from the plan attached to the agreement the access or accommodation road leading from Church End, over which, however, they claimed to possess a right of way, which they would be prepared to convey to the Council.

Your Committee considered a suggestion for acquiring land necessary for providing an additional access to the land from Hall Lane, Messrs. Hinge Bros. intimating that they were prepared to dispose of such land for the purpose at the same rate as that for Sunny Hill Field, viz.: £300 per acre.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee came to the conclusion that further investigation should be made by the Council's Solicitor in regard to the entrance road from Church End.

They consider the proposal for acquiring the necessary land for access from Hall Lane to be a good one, and decided to agree thereto on the terms stated by Messrs. Hinge Bros. This proposal will obviate the grant of the proposed sewer easement, as such sewer could be laid under the proposed approach road.

Your Committee gave authority for this matter to be proceeded with.

3.—COLINDALE AVENUE—PLAYING FIELD: Report from the Surveyor in regard to his further negotiations with Mr. Pottle, the tenant of the land proposed to be leased to the Council from the Office of Works for the provision of a playing field for children resident in the Colindale district.

Mr. Pottle now intimated that he would be prepared to surrender his tenancy of the land at the end of February next upon payment by the Council of a sum of £45.

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With regard to the rent to be paid to the Office of Works for the land, the Surveyor reported that the same would be £21 per annum, and it was anticipated that the draft lease would be forwarded by the representatives of the Office of Works in due course.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

4.—OPEN SPACE, GOLDERS GREEN: The Surveyor reported the receipt of a letter from Mr. Hollis pressing for the decision of the Council in regard to the land offered by him on behalf of his client for the provision of an open space at Golders Green.

The Council will remember that at their meeting held on the 7th day of November, 1921, it was decided that this matter should be considered by the Outdoor Committee, and that an inspection of the land should be made. It had, however, not been possible to arrange a meeting of the Committee.

After due consideration of the further communication received from Mr. Hollis, your Committee consider that arrangements should be made for the holding of an Outdoor Committee on Saturday, the 18th prox.

5.—STATION PREMISES—HENDON: Letter from the Engineer of the Midland Railway Company as to alleged flooding of the Station premises at Hendon. He stated that the drainage arrangements provided by the Company in connection with the premises in question were quite adequate to protect the same, and that the flooding experienced by them was due to water discharging from the highways. The Engineer of the Company suggested that the responsibility for dealing with the water from the highways was one for the Council, and that they should bear the whole of the cost of so doing, and that arrangements should be made by the Council to prevent a recurrence of the alleged flooding, otherwise the Company would hold them responsible for any damage occasioned by floodings in the future.

Your Committee have considered a report from the Surveyor upon the matter, and

RECOMMEND—That the Midland Railway Company be informed that the Council deny any liability in regard thereto.

6.—REFUSE COLLECTION: The Surveyor submitted a report in connection with the working of the Steam Wagons utilised in connection with the removal of house refuse during the past twelve months. It appeared from such report that the vehicles had proved satisfactory, approximately 3,200 tons of refuse having been removed by the two wagons, effecting an estimated saving of 1s. 6d. to 2s. per ton when compared with horse traction.

Your Committee had under consideration a suggestion from the Surveyor as to the use of trailers in connection with the wagons, and he asked for authority to hire a trailer for experimental purposes for the period of one month.

Your Committee approved of the suggestion of the Surveyor and gave the necessary authority in regard thereto.

The Surveyor recommended the Council to obtain an additional Steam Wagon, but your Committee have deferred consideration of the matter pending a report as to the working of the trailers.

7.—ANNUAL TENDERS: The Surveyor suggested the issue of advertisements for Annual Supplies required by the Council, limiting the same to certain supplies only. He considered it desirable that such tenders be for supplies during a period of six months only with an option on the part of the Council to extend the period to twelve months. The Surveyor recommended that the remaining goods required by the Council should, as on the last occasion, be obtained in the open market, as this course had proved economical.

Your Committee approved of the suggestion of the Surveyor in the matter, and gave authority for the issue of the necessary advertisements in accordance with the terms of his report.

8.—TELEGRAPHIC LINE: Letter from the Superintending Engineer, Post Office Telegraphs, making application for permission to lay an underground telegraphic line along the south-west side of Langley Park, Mill Hill, from Bunn Lane to property in the road known by the name of "Dooome Edge." Your Committee

RECOMMEND— That the application be acceded to upon the usual conditions.

9.—MAIN ROAD ACCOUNTS: Report from the Surveyor that he had received an intimation from the County Engineer and Surveyor to the effect that he desired the Main Road Accounts for the Year 1922—23 to be transmitted to him before the 25th inst. The Surveyor submitted a suggestion for the inclusion of certain works in such accounts, which your Committee approved.

In view of the request of the County Engineer and Surveyor your Committee authorised the Surveyor to transmit the estimates, instructions being given, however, for the estimates in question to be submitted to the Chairman of the Council and the Chairman of the Highways Committee for their approval before dispatching the same to the County Council.

10.—PUBLIC CONVENIENCE—BRENT STREET: Letter from the Ministry of Health in reference to the application of the Council for sanction to a loan for the erection of a public convenience (above ground) at the junction of Bell Lane and Brent Street. The Ministry again referred to the opposition to the scheme as now proposed, and to their suggestion that another site in the locality might be selected to which there would be no opposition, and in the event of such a site being available whether the erection of the convenience partly underground would not be the best solution of the difficulty.

Your Committee have given this matter further consideration and authorised the Clerk to state in reply that the Council had been unsuccessful in their efforts to obtain a site to which opposition would not be offered. With regard to the further suggestion of the Ministry the Council desired to ascertain whether approval would be given to proceed with the original scheme for the construction of the Convenience entirely underground.

11.—ALLOTMENTS CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE: The undermentioned representatives of the various Allotment Associations in the district attended the meeting of your Committee when the following matters relating to allotments were discussed:—

- Mr. B. Vann, representing Neeld, Hendon and District and Renters Avenue Allotment Associations.
- Mr. A. Peck, representing Cool Oak Lane Allotment Association.
- Mr. C. F. Windust, representing Archfield's Allotment Association.
- Mr. A. Bacon, representing Mill Hill.
- Mr. E. Warland, representing Booth Road Allotment Association.
- Mr. Atkinson, representing Cricklewood Allotment Holders' Association.

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CHILD'S HILL ALLOTMENTS:

- (A) NOTICE BOARD: Letter from Mr. E. J. Rutland, on behalf of the Cricklewood Allotment Holders' Association, complaining of the practice of the public in making a thoroughfare from Cloister Road to The Vale and Greenfield Gardens and as to the attendant risk of damage and pilfering from the allotments. The Association made enquiry whether the Council would erect a Warning Notice at the Cloister Road entrance to the allotments which they were of opinion would be of assistance in connection with the matter. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the request of the Association be complied with, and that a Notice Board be erected as suggested.

- (B) FENCING—GREENFIELD GARDENS ALLOTMENTS: The Association called attention to the condition of the fencing in connection with the Greenfield Gardens Allotments which was in bad condition and required renewal, they submitted certain suggestions in connection therewith.

Your Committee have referred the matter to the Surveyor to approach the representatives of the Ecclesiastical Commissioners thereon.

- (C) ADDITIONAL LAND FOR ALLOTMENTS: Further letter from Mr. E. J. Rutland, on behalf of his Association, as to the acquisition of additional land for allotments, and pressing for definite information as to the result of the negotiations undertaken by the Council in the matter.

Your Committee received a report from the Surveyor as to his further negotiations with the Ecclesiastical Commissioners, from which it appeared that he had an appointment with Messrs. Cluttons thereon on the following day. In the circumstances it was decided to hold a special meeting of the Committee on Monday next to consider the Surveyor's report as to the result of the interview.

- (D) HOSPITAL FIELD ALLOTMENTS: Letter from Mr. W. A. Perkins, on behalf of the Golders Green Allotment Association, making enquiry whether the allotments on the Hospital Field would be affected by the contemplated extension of the Isolation Hospital.

Report from the Surveyor that it was not the present intention to utilize any of the allotment ground in connection with the contemplated work. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Golders Green Allotment Association be informed accordingly.

- (E) CHILD'S HILL ALLOTMENTS—RE-NUMBERING OF PLOTS: Reference was made to the necessity for proceeding with the work of re-numbering the permanent allotments at Child's Hill, and the matter was left in the hands of the Surveyor.

- (F) GREENFIELD GARDENS—UNCULTIVATED PLOTS: Reference was made by the representative of the Cricklewood Allotment Holders' Association to certain uncultivated allotments at Greenfield Gardens, and the Association agreed to furnish a list of the plot-holders in question. Upon receipt of this information your Committee recommend the issue of notices to quit.

- (G) LANDS CULTIVATION ORDERS: The Clerk reported the receipt of a circular letter from the Ministry of Agriculture relative to land entered upon by the Council for the provision of allotments under the Lands Cultivation Orders.

The Council will remember that the occupancy of land held under the Orders referred to ceases on the 25th March, 1923, and the Ministry urged that negotiations should be entered into by the Council with a view to acquiring a lease of such land at the expiration of the period referred to. They outlined the procedure which they suggested should be adopted in the matter. After due consideration thereof your Committee

RECOMMEND—That negotiations be entered into with the land owners in accordance with the views expressed by the Ministry of Agriculture.

- (H) ALLOTMENTS—MILL HILL: Letter from Mr. A. Bacon, on behalf of the Hale and District Allotment Association, forwarding copy of a resolution passed at the Annual General Meeting of the Association urging the Council to revive the scheme for the acquisition of the Daws Farm Estate, under which scheme a portion of the Estate was to be set apart for the provision of allotments, and failing the acquisition of this Estate that steps be taken with a view to securing other land in the Mill Hill area for permanent allotments and also the provision of an open space.

Your Committee considered a report from the Surveyor as to his negotiations in regard to the land in Daws Lane, from which it appeared that it would be possible for this land to be acquired for permanent allotments.

The Allotments Consultative Committee then withdrew.

- 12.—LAND—MILL HILL: The Surveyor reported the result of his negotiations with Mr. Howard relative to the acquisition of certain land having a frontage to Daws Lane and Flower Lane which Mr. Howard offered to dispose of to the Council for the provision of allotments.

Your Committee have requested the Surveyor to continue his negotiations and submit a further report thereon in due course.

Reference was made to the question as to whether in acquiring land for allotments the cost thereof should be met by the rentals charged to the Allotment Holders.

Your Committee have requested the Clerk to submit a report in regard thereto.

- 13.—DAWS FARM ESTATE: That they gave consideration to a report submitted by the Surveyor as to the steps taken by him in connection with the re-opening of the negotiations for the acquisition of the Daws Farm Estate.

Your Committee have requested the Surveyor to bring up at the next meeting plan and particulars of the suggested lay-out of the Estate.

- 14.—REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor submitted requisitions of goods required in his department, and the same were duly approved.

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Report of Works & Sewage Disposal Committee No. 2.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 30th day of January, 1922. Present: Mr. Councillor Roberts (Chairman), Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Cartwright, Egan, Glanville, Hare, Hill, Reynolds, Sturgess and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—ALLOTMENT LAND—CHILD'S HILL: That they had under consideration a report from the Surveyor in further reference to his negotiations with Messrs. Cluttons, acting on behalf of the Ecclesiastical Commissioners relative to the Council obtaining a lease of land for allotments, about 18½ acres in extent, such land adjoining the Cricklewood Aerodrome.

He submitted a communication from Messrs. Cluttons, with a memorandum embodying the terms upon which they would be prepared to advise the Ecclesiastical Commissioners to lease the land in question to the Council. It appeared from such memorandum that the same provided for the lease of land for a period of 18½ years, commencing on the 25th March, 1922, the rental therefor being £75 per annum subject amongst other things to the present tenancies.

Messrs. Cluttons also stated they were only in a position at the moment to give possession of about one-third of the land owing to the fact that the Aerodrome fence had not been removed. They were, however, in communication with the Director of Lands upon the subject. After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council agree to lease the land referred to upon the terms offered by Messrs. Cluttons.

With regard to the removal of the fence referred to, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That in the event of any further difficulty being experienced in the matter the Council seek the assistance of Major Sir Philip Lloyd-Greame in connection therewith.

Report of Public Health Committee, No. 1.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they held a Special Meeting at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Thursday, the 19th day of January, 1922. Present: Mr. Councillor Teare (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Hearn, Weeks, and the Chairman of the Council (Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan).

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—ISOLATION HOSPITAL: That they received a report from the Medical Officer of Health and the Engineer with a modified scheme for improving the accommodation at the present Isolation Hospital at Renters Lane, which it was considered would meet present requirements. The scheme provided for the erection of a temporary building which would accommodate 12 Beds, also a further building which would provide sleeping accommodation for the Staff, and release space for 3 more Beds in the wards.

Your Committee consider it advisable that a covered way should be provided between the existing buildings and the new Temporary Ward, and also that a bath and lavatory basin should be provided in connection with the additional staff building.

The Engineer suggested that the work of providing the foundations could be carried out by direct labour, and be proceeded with forthwith, and in the meantime tenders could be obtained for the new buildings.

Your Committee authorised the Engineer to proceed with the necessary foundation work, and they approved the scheme submitted as amended.

The Engineer was authorised to obtain tenders for the erection of the buildings at a total estimated cost of £1,500, and your Committee arranged to hold a Special Meeting on the 30th inst. to further consider the matter.

2.—ACCIDENT TO NURSE: Report from the Medical Officer of Health that one of the nurses had met with an accident at the Hospital, and it was agreed that her salary be paid until she recovered.

Report of Public Health Committee, No. 2.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 23rd day of January, 1922. Present: Mr. Councillor Teare (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Hodge, Miss Growse, Fenn, Hearn, Taylor and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE:

- (A) ESTIMATE: That they received a report from the Maternity and Child Welfare Committee accompanied by an estimate of expenditure to be incurred for the purposes of Maternity and Child Welfare during the financial year ending on the 31st March, 1923, such estimate amounting in total to the sum of £2,440. This figure includes the amount granted by the Council in aid of the Day Nursery at West Hendon, which your Committee

RECOMMEND be continued at the rate of £75 per quarter.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the estimate of expenditure of the Maternity and Child Welfare Committee for the year ending 31st March, 1923, be approved at the sum of £2,440, and they gave authority to the Accountant to transmit the same to the Ministry of Health for approval in accordance with the requirements of the Ministry.

- (B) MILK SUPPLY: That they received a report from the Maternity and Child Welfare Committee, in reference to Circular 267 of the Ministry of Health dealing with the supply of milk for expectant and nursing mothers.

The Ministry intimated that having regard to the commitments of local authorities during the present financial year it had been decided that the 50 per cent. grant for milk supply free, or at less than cost price, under the conditions of Circular 185 should be continued until the end of the financial year.

The Ministry suggested

- (1) That the provision of meals for expectant and nursing mothers on premises controlled by the Local Authority would be of greater value than the supply of milk under existing conditions, and
- (2) That in regard to children, in view of the fact that it was necessary to reduce the quantity of milk now supplied, the Council should consider the question of providing an adequate supply of fresh or dried milk to children up to 12 months in cases where the mother could not nurse the child.

In the event of the Council deciding to adopt the suggestion for the provision of Meals for mothers, the Ministry desired to be furnished with a statement as to estimated expenditure in connection therewith.

Your Committee have given careful consideration to this matter and to the terms of the circular (a copy of which has been forwarded to each Member of the Council), and

RECOMMEND—That the Council make no change in their present policy in regard to the supply of milk for expectant and nursing mothers and children, and that the Council do not entertain the question of providing dinners.

- (c) That they received an estimate from the following firms for the supply of floor covering for Burroughs House, which was approved by the Council:—

Messrs. Maple and Co.
Messrs. T. R. Roberts, Ltd.
Mr. F. Morris.
Messrs. Treloar and Sons.

After careful consideration they decided to accept the estimate on sample No. 4 of Messrs. Maple and Co. at the sum of 8s. 3d. per square yard. The Medical Officer was instructed to negotiate in regard to the cost of laying the material.

The Medical Officer submitted further requisitions in regard to articles required for the Maternity and Child Welfare Centres, and your Committee approved the same.

- (D) Letter from Beauchamp Lodge Hostel making enquiry whether the Council could see their way to make a contribution towards the maintenance of two children at present in the Hostel, whose mother was a resident of the Hendon District.

After careful consideration of the case your Committee are unable to recommend the Council to make a contribution and instructed the Medical Officer to inform the Secretary accordingly.

- 2.—VITAL STATISTICS: From the Report of the Medical Officer of Health it appeared that the birth rate of the District for the past six weeks was 17.33 per thousand, and the death rate for the same period was 15.78.

Your Committee desire to point out that the death rate calculated on the deaths of Hendon residents only is 9.13 per thousand. The rate of 15.78 included deaths in Hendon of persons resident elsewhere.

- 3.—INFLUENZA: That they received a report from the Medical Officer of Health in regard to the incidence of Influenza in the District, and have duly noted the same.

- 4.—INFECTIOUS DISEASES: That they had under consideration a report from the Medical Officer of Health, as to cases of Infectious Disease which had occurred in the District since the last meeting of the Committee. In one case it had been found necessary to remove the patient to the London Fever Hospital for treatment, and a charge of £8 8s. per week had been incurred. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That this outlay be approved.

They have also received a report as to the cases under treatment at the Isolation Hospital, and have duly noted the same.

- 5.—DRAINAGE WORKS: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to the action taken by him in connection with certain drainage works in the District, and the same was duly approved.

- 6.—STATUTORY NOTICES: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to three cases detailed on Page 215 of his report book where notices had been served to abate nuisances of an urgent character, and the same had not yet been complied with.

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In the following cases, the Inspector reported that preliminary notices had been served to abate nuisances but had not been complied with. He asked for authority to serve statutory notices in the usual way:—

139, Woodstock Avenue.
27, Ash Grove, Cricklewood.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Sanitary Inspector have authority to serve Statutory Notices in the event of non-compliance with the Preliminary Notices.

7.—SANITARY CERTIFICATES: The Sanitary Inspector submitted a report in regard to an application he had received for the issue of a Certificate under Section 2 of the Increase of Rent and Mortgage Interest (Restriction) Act, 1920, in respect of No. 27, Ash Grove, Cricklewood.

After due consideration of such application your Committee gave authority for the issue of a Certificate in this case.

8.—DAIRIES, COWSHEDS AND MILKSHOPS ORDER: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to an application made by Mr. Joseph Charlton, of Copt Hall Cottages, Mill Hill, to carry on the business of purveyor of milk in the District.

The premises where the milk would be stored would be at Goodhews Farm, from whence the supply was obtained. On the report of the Inspector your Committee

RECOMMEND That Mr. J. Charlton be registered as a purveyor of milk.

9.—TENNYSON ROAD, MILL HILL: That they received a report in respect of premises No. 5, Tennyson Road, Mill Hill, and after due consideration thereof they have requested the Sanitary Inspector to submit a further report at a Special Meeting to be held on Monday next.

10.—CONFERENCE: Letter from the Royal Institute of Public Health with particulars of Congress to be held at Plymouth in May next, expressing the hope that the Council would appoint delegates to attend.

Your Committee have given careful consideration to this communication but are unable to recommend the Council to take any action in regard thereto.

11.—MEDICAL OFFICER'S ANNUAL REPORT: Letter from the Ministry of Health in reference to particulars required to be furnished in the reports of Medical Officers of Health for the year 1921. A copy of the Circular had been forwarded to the M.O.H., and your Committee have duly noted the receipt thereof.

12.—FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACT: A letter from H.M. Inspector of Factories transmitting notice of the occupation of a factory and workshop in Golders Green Road. The same had been referred to the Sanitary Inspector and duly registered, and your Committee have noted the communication.

13.—BURROUGHS FARM: That they gave consideration to the communication from Mr. Parsons, referred back to your Committee for re-consideration by the General Purposes Committee, in reference to the premises known as Burroughs Farm, occupied by Mrs. Cross and Mr. Hambley.

It will be remembered that a Closing Order was made in respect of the premises and is still operative. Your Committee now

RECOMMEND—That in accordance with the recommendation of the General Purposes Committee that further notices be served upon Mrs. Cross and Mr. Hambley who are occupying the premises under the terms of the Closing Order, requiring them to cease to inhabit the premises.

14.—MIDWIFE—APPOINTMENT OF: That they gave consideration to the question of filling the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Mrs. Degen, and the subsequent withdrawal of the candidature of Mrs. Dangerfield, who had been appointed as her successor.

It will be remembered that Miss Suggate, one of the selected candidates, attended after the appointment had been made and was interviewed by the Chairman.

Your Committee being invested with power to act decided to offer the appointment to Miss Suggate, subject to a satisfactory interview with the Medical Officer of Health.

The Medical Officer arranged to communicate with Miss Suggate accordingly.

15.—HOUSING ACT: Letter from Bermondsey Borough Council in reference to proceedings taken by that Council under Section 28 of the Housing and Town Planning Act, 1919, in which the Council had been unsuccessful in recovering the expenses incurred by them. They desired that the Council should communicate with the Ministry of Health asking for a modification of Section 28 of the Housing Act, 1919.

Your Committee have given consideration to the matter but are unable to recommend the Council to take any action thereon.

16.—AMBULANCE: That they gave consideration to estimates obtained by the Engineer for the supply of a fully-equipped motor ambulance for the conveyance of patients to the Isolation Hospital, viz:—

Messrs. Crossley, £1,125.
Wood and Lambert, £950.
Daimler Motors, £910.

After careful consideration of the report of the Engineer in regard to the tenders and the types of ambulances submitted, your Committee decided to accept the tender of Daimler Motors, Ltd. at £910, subject to the Engineer and Medical Officer of Health approving the vehicle in every respect.

With the concurrence of the Chairman of the Council the Engineer was instructed to proceed with the matter in hand forthwith.

17.—ISOLATION HOSPITAL: That they received a report from the Medical Officer of Health and the Engineer as to site for Permanent Hospital.

It will be remembered that the Council had contemplated the erection of an Isolation Hospital jointly with Finchley District Council on a site at Ashley Lane, but the Finchley Council had now made other arrangements for Isolation Hospital accommodation.

Your Committee have received a report from the Surveyor as to the outlay involved in connection with sewerage and road works for this site.

They have instructed the Officers to interview the Officials of the Ministry of Health upon the matter, and report further thereon.

Report of Public Health Committee, No. 3.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 30th day of January, 1922. Present: Mr. Councilor Teare (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Hodge, Miss Growse, Fenn, Hearn, Rev. Dr. Macgowan and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—SANITARY DEFECTS: That they received a report from the Sanitary Inspector in reference to certain cases under consideration at the meeting of your Committee held on the 23rd instant, and it appeared therefrom that in each case the work of repair had either been proceeded with, or instructions had been given for the repairs to be carried out.

Your Committee have noted this report with satisfaction.

2.—TENNYSON ROAD PREMISES: The Sanitary Inspector reported that he had not yet been able to arrange for an interview with the owner of the premises, No. 5, Tennyson Road, but he would report further in regard thereto at the next meeting. Noted.

3.—MIDWIFE—APPOINTMENT OF: Report from the Medical Officer of Health that in accordance with the instructions of the Committee he had communicated with Miss Suggate, one of the selected candidates for this appointment, but she had intimated her inability to take up the appointment.

Your Committee have given further consideration to the question of the appointment of a midwife.

It will be remembered that on the previous occasion applications were invited for this post at a salary of £170 per annum, rising to £190. Your Committee consider that if a salary of £190 per annum was offered a larger number of suitable applications might be received.

They therefore authorised the Clerk to issue an advertisement for the appointment of a midwife at a salary of £190 per annum, without uniform allowance, but unfurnished quarters being provided by the Council at 15s. per week.

Your Committee arranged to hold a Special Meeting at the conclusion of the Council meeting on the 13th February to consider the schedule of applications received for the post of midwife, and to select candidates to appear before the Committee at their meeting on the 20th February.

4.—ISOLATION HOSPITAL:

(A) EXTENSIONS: That they received tenders for the extension of the Isolation Hospital as follows:—

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| No. 1. Messrs. Holtum and Green, Holloway | ... | £1,194 |
| No. 2. Messrs. Humphreys, Ltd., Knightsbridge | ... | £1,487 |
| No. 3. Messrs. Harbrow, Ltd., Bermondsey | ... | £1,220 |
| No. 4. Messrs. Frank Parvin, Ltd., Mill Hill | ... | £1,335 |
| No. 5. Mr. Chas. Frost, Hendon | ... | £1,345 |

Your Committee have received a report from the Surveyor in regard to the tenders, and they

RECOMMEND—That the tender of Messrs. Holtum and Green, of Holloway, be accepted for work of extensions to the Isolation Hospital for the sum of £1,194.

(B) PERMANENT BUILDINGS: That they received a preliminary report from the Medical Officer of Health in reference to the requirements of this district for Permanent Isolation Hospital accommodation, together with suggestions in regard to the arrangements of blocks for dealing with infectious diseases.

After consideration of such report, your Committee gave instructions for particulars of the same to be circulated, together with the particulars of the Joint Hospital Scheme originally proposed.

Your Committee have also received a report from the Clerk in reference to the negotiations of the Officers with the Ministry of Health regarding the site for Isolation Hospital, and have instructed the Officers to continue such negotiations.

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Report of Town Planning Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 30th day of January, 1922. Present: Mr. Councillor Reynolds (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Hodge, Egan, Penn, Glanville, Hare, Weeks, and Taylor.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—PLANS: That they gave consideration to the following applications for approval of plans, and RECOMMEND thereon as follows:—

| No. | Description of Premises. | Owner or Person Submitting. | Recommendation. |
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| 5266 | Two Houses and Two Garages, Finchley Road, N.W. side, and Two Houses and Two Garages, Hoop Lane | Mr. A. J. Reynolds | Approval |
| 5267 | New Shop Front, Colindale Avenue, | Mr. J. Wright | Approval. |
| 5268 | Motor Cycle House, 4, Victoria Road, Hendon | Mr. F. Seear | Approval. |
| 5269 | Detached House, Hampstead Way, West side | Mr. C. H. James | Approval. |
| 5272 | Detached House, Orange Hill | Mr. F. Hilling | Approval. |
| 5276 | Motor House, Babington Road | Mr. H. Ebdon | Approval. |
| 5273 | Additional Floor at Ginger Beer Factory, Wilberforce Road | Messrs. Schwepes | Approval. |
| 5259 | Amended plan, Six Lock-up Shops, Finchley Road, West side | Mr. F. C. Carter | Approval (subject to Surveyor's report). |
| 5270 | Temporary Garage, Cranbourne Gardens, North side | Mr. F. W. Wood | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5271 | Two Detached Houses and Garages, Finchley Road | Mr. C. W. B. Simmonds | Disapproval (Surveyor to negotiate). |
| 5274 | Church Hall, Hodford Road | Trustees, Wesleyan Church | Approval (subject to Surveyor's report). |
| 5275 | Detached House and Garage, Wildwood Road | Mr. C. Dagnall Ells | Approval (subject to Surveyor's report). |
| 5260 | Temporary Shop Premises, The Broadway, West Hendon | Mr. S. G. Bowyer | Approval (subject to Surveyor's report). |
| 5277 | Alterations and Additions to the "Royal Oak," Temple Fortune | Mr. J. I. Selman | Disapproval. |
| 5278 | Nine Garages, Hillcrest Avenue | Mr. Wm. Hollis | Disapproval (Surveyor to negotiate). |
| 5279 | Detached House, Brent Street | Mr. B. A. T. Hammond | Disapproval. |
| 5280 | Temporary Garden Shed, Wildwood Road | Guild of Builders | Approval. |
| 5281 | Temporary Boiler House, Neeld Crescent | Mr. A. J. Hill | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5282 | One House and Garage, South side of Elmcroft Avenue | Mr. Dymock | Disapproval. |
| 5283 | One Bungalow and Garage, South side of Elmcroft Avenue | Mr. Dymock | Approval. |

APPLICATION No. 5278: Upon consideration of this application, the Clerk reported the receipt of a letter from Messrs. Snow, Fox and Co., objecting on behalf of certain householders in the neighbourhood of Hillcrest Avenue to the erection of the proposed Garages.

Your Committee have duly noted the same for the time being.

2.—HOUSING (ADDITIONAL POWERS) ACTS, 1919 and 1921: Report from the Surveyor that in the following cases Certificates "B" might be issued for the amounts named:—

| Application No. | Person to whom issued. | Locality and Description of Premises. | Amount of Grant per house. |
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| 4802 | Mr. E. Wright | Ambrose Avenue (2 houses) | £260 |
| 5071 | Messrs. Waterman Bros. | Leaside Crescent (2 houses) | £260 |
| 5084 | Mr. F. W. Bristow | Basing Hill (2 houses) | £260 |
| 5089 | Messrs. Waterman Bros. | Princes Park Avenue (2 houses) | £260 |
| 5180 | Hendon Vale Estate Co. | Greenfield Gardens (14 houses) | £260 |
| 5060 | Mr. C. W. B. Simmonds | Hodford Road (4 houses) | £260 |
| 5171 | Mr. F. Parvin | Eversfield Gardens (1 house) | £260 |
| 5234 | Mr. F. Parvin | Lyndhurst Avenue (1 house) | £260 |

Your Committee authorised the issue of such Certificates.

3.—TEMPORARY BUILDINGS: The Surveyor reported the receipt of further applications for the renewal of Licences for temporary buildings, as set out in his report book, such buildings having been inspected and found in order.

Your Committee approved of the renewal of the Licences.

4.—CONFERENCES:

(A) Letter from the Hon. Secretary of the International Garden Cities and Town Planning Association relative to a proposed International Conference to be held by the Association at the Daily Mail Ideal Home Exhibition, Olympia, from March 14th to the 16th, 1922, to discuss problems connected with Housing and Town Planning, and inviting the Council to appoint delegates to attend the Conference. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Councillors Hill and Taylor be appointed as delegates to attend such Conference on behalf of the Council.

- (B) Letter from the Secretary of the National Housing and Town Planning Council as to their intention to convene a series of Conferences in the near future upon the subject of Housing and Town Planning, also forwarding various documents in the matter, certain of which related to Housing, and your Committee have referred the same to the Housing Committee for consideration.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of the remainder of the literature forwarded by the Town Planning Council.

Report of Housing Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 30th day of January, 1922. Present: Mr. Councillor Roberts (in the Chair), and Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Mrs. Hargraves, Cartwright, Hearn, Rev. Dr. Megowan, Sturgess Teare, and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—BRENT HILL SCHEME:

- (A) **CONTRACT:** That they received a report from the Clerk, and also from the Accountant in reference to the position regarding the Improved Concrete Construction Company's Contract.

Your Committee are informed that the Officers have arranged a further appointment with the Officials of the Ministry of Health upon the matter, and they have requested the Chairman of the Council also to attend.

Your Committee have decided to further deal with the matter on Monday, the 6th February.

Letter from the Federated Employers Assurance Company in reference to the Brent Hill Scheme Contract.

Your Committee have deferred the consideration of the letter until their Special Meeting next Monday.

Letter from Messrs. Billings and Co., making enquiry as to the position of their Contract for the completion of the Brent Hill Scheme.

Your Committee deferred the consideration of this communication pending a further report at their next meeting in regard to this matter.

- (B) **ROADS AND SEWERS:** Letter from the Ministry of Health in reference to the curtailment of the Contract for construction of roads and sewers on the Brent Hill Farm Estate.

The Ministry desired to be informed of the amount of expenditure incurred in connection with the construction of the roads and sewers as compared with the original Contract for the whole works. Your Committee are informed that this matter is receiving attention by the Accountant of the Council.

The Ministry also made enquiry in regard to the surplus pipes supplied by the D.B.M.S. They desired to know whether the Council would be prepared to take over the surplus pipes at the original cost.

Your Committee are informed by the Surveyor that there has been a considerable decrease in the price of pipes since the date when the pipes referred to in the Ministry's communication were delivered, and in the circumstances, your Committee are unable to recommend the Council to take over the surplus pipes at the original cost.

- (C) **SUB-CONTRACTOR'S PLANT:** Letters were received from Mr. C. F. Pegrum and Messrs. Burbidge and Clark (Painters and Decorators), who had undertaken work for the Improved Concrete Construction Co. in connection with the Brent Hill Scheme. It was claimed that a number of completed plate racks had been supplied and painters tools, alleged to be the property of the Sub-Contractors, remained on the site.

Your Committee have received a report in regard to this matter, and are advised that the proper course for the Sub-Contractors referred to is to make application to the Official Receiver who is dealing with the matter.

They instructed the Clerk to inform Mr. Pegrum and Messrs. Burbidge and Clark accordingly.

- (D) **NAMING OF ROADS:** Your Committee decided to give further consideration to the question of naming of roads at Brent Hill Scheme at the next meeting of the Committee.

2.—CHILD'S HILL SCHEME:

- (A) Letter from Mr. W. D. Drummond in reference to the claim of Messrs. Williams and Co. for slates supplied in connection with the erection of 37 houses at Child's Hill.

Report from the Clerk that he had informed Mr. Drummond in regard to this matter that the final accounts in connection with this scheme were now in course of preparation, and that a communication would be forwarded to him upon the matter at a later date.

Your Committee confirmed the Clerk's reply upon the matter and have deferred this matter until the final accounts have been disposed of.

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3.—HOUSING REGULATION: Report from the Clerk as to the receipt of a further communication from the Housing Department amending the Local Authorities (Assisted Scheme) Regulations with reference to the erection of houses by Local Authorities.

Your Committee propose to consider the Regulations at the next meeting.

4.—CLOISTER ROAD: Report from the Surveyor in reference to certain repairs required to some of the houses at Cloister Road.

The Surveyor was given instructions in regard thereto.

5.—PAY ORDER: The Accountant submitted Pay Order amounting to the sum of £1,209 9s. 7d., and the same was approved and authority given for the issue of the necessary cheques.

Report of Fire Brigade Committee, No. 1.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, the Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 30th day of January, 1922. Present: Councillor Miss E. C. Growse (Chairman), and Councillors Hare, Hill, Reynolds and Sturgess. Councillors Fenn, Hearn, the Rev. Dr. Maegowan, Teare and Taylor were engaged in a Special Meeting of the Public Health Committee.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—PETROL LICENCES, ETC.: That they received the following applications for the renewal of petrol licences for the ensuing year:—

The British Petroleum Co., Cricklewood Depot, Cricklewood.
 Rolls Royce, Ltd., 112, Cricklewood Lane, Cricklewood.
 Express Motor Co., Finchley Road, N.W.11.
 Edwards, F., 384, Finchley Road, Child's Hill.
 Bellchambers, G., Bell Motor Works, Brent Street.
 Norris and Hall, 312, Cricklewood Lane.
 Sneath, H. G., Hyde Model Laundry, The Hyde.
 Hirst, A., 24, Corringway, Golders Green.
 Edwards, P. and A., 25 and 27, The Burroughs, Hendon.
 Scholte, F. P., "Sunnyfield," West Heath, Hampstead.
 Orton and Co., Ltd., The Broadway, Mill Hill.
 Handley Page, Ltd., Cricklewood.
 Wynter, H. N., Colindale Laundry, Bell Lane, Hendon.
 Wardman, C. B. and Co. Ltd., Bridge Lane, Hendon.
 Johnson and Sons, Renters Avenue, Hendon.
 Greville and White, Devonshire Garage, Child's Hill.
 Strong, F. W., Ltd., Stag Motor Works, Edgware.
 Hamilton, J. M., The Homestead, 5, Queen's Road, Hendon.
 Autocar D. and S. Co., 33, The Parade, Golders Green.
 Rogers, E. J. and Son, Church Road, Hendon.
 Sawford, R., White Bear Garage, The Burroughs.
 Carlill, H. C., Hendon Hall Hendon.
 Thrupp and Maberly, Ltd., 108, Cricklewood Lane.
 Selman, E. J. and S. J., Royal Oak Garage, Temple Fortune.
 Walker, P., Mill Hill.
 Turner and Barnes, The Broadway, West Hendon.
 Nutt, F. E., The Garage, Hayes Crescent, Hendon.

After due consideration of such applications, and the report of the Inspector in regard thereto, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the same be acceded to, and that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the Licences in due course.

2.—WATER PRESSURES: Report from the Chief Officer submitting a list of water pressures taken since the last meeting of your Committee, which have been duly noted.

3.—FIREMEN ON SICK LIST: The Chief Officer reported that Firemen Stevens, Mitchell and Hill, had been on the sick list as a result of an attack of Influenza, and that authority had been given by the Chairman of the Council to engage a temporary man for a period of fourteen days.

Your Committee approved of the action taken in the matter.

4.—GOODS RECEIVED AND REQUIRED: The Chief Officer submitted a list of goods received which your Committee have duly noted. He also submitted a list of stores required, and after due consideration thereof, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the same be approved.

5.—CENTRAL FIRE STATION: That they had under consideration a report from the Chief Officer as to the occupancy of the rooms at the Central Fire Station by the Widow of the late Fireman Dickens, and as to the efforts made by her to obtain living accommodation elsewhere in order to comply with the instructions of the Council in regard thereto. It appeared from the report of the Chief Officer that Mrs. Dickens had so far been unsuccessful in her efforts.

The Council will remember that they agreed to allow Mrs. Dickens to retain her apartments at the Central Station until the 31st ult., it being understood at the time that the Council would be unable to grant an extension beyond that period. Your Committee have given the matter further consideration, and

RECOMMEND—That Mrs. Dickens be informed that unless the quarters occupied by her at the Central Station are vacated before the end of February the Council would be reluctantly compelled to take steps to secure vacant possession thereof.

6.—FIRE BOOTS: The Chief Officer reported an application from Second Officer R. Stimpson to be supplied with a new pair of Fire Boots at a cost of £2 7s. 6d. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the application be acceded to.

7.—FIRE HYDRANTS: Report from the Chief Officer that a Fire Hydrant had been installed in Brentmead Place. Noted.

He also reported as to the necessity for the provision of Hydrants in The Vale and Greenfield Gardens (three in number). Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That such Hydrants be provided in accordance with the report of the Chief Officer.

8.—FIRE ALARM: Report from the Chief Officer as to the desirability of fixing a Fire Alarm in the neighbourhood of Greenfield Gardens and The Vale. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That steps be taken to fix such fire alarm.

9.—PETROL CONSUMPTION: The Chief Officer reported as to the consumption of petrol by the Motor Fire Engine, Motor Ambulance, and the Conveyances used in connection with the Public Health Services, which calls for no special comment.

10.—FORD AMBULANCE: A report was received from the Chief Officer in regard to the special fitting on trial in connection with the Ford Ambulance and which could be purchased by the Council at a cost of £6 15s. In view of the report of the Chief Officer in the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council purchase the fitting in question.

11.—LIST OF FIRES: That they had under consideration a list of fires attended by the Brigade since the last meeting, and the same has been duly noted.

12.—PROPOSED FIRE STATION—BURNT OAK: Letter from the Clerk to the Hendon Board of Guardians relative to the application of the Council for a site for the provision of a fire station thereon at Burnt Oak.

It appeared from such communication that the matter would be further considered by the Guardians at a meeting to be held on the 1st prox., and they invited the Council to appoint representatives to attend the meeting to discuss the matter.

After due consideration thereof, Councillor Miss Growse kindly undertook to attend the meeting on behalf of the Council.

13.—SITE FOR FIRE STATION—CHILD'S HILL: Your Committee instructed the Surveyor to make inquiries as to the provision of a suitable site for a Fire Station at Child's Hill and report thereon to your Committee in due course.

Report of Fire Brigade Committee, No. 2.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 6th day of February, 1922. Present: Councillor Miss Growse (Chairman), and Councillors Hearn, the Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Sturgess, Taylor and Teare. (Councillors Hare and Hill were engaged at the General Purposes Committee.)

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—BURNT OAK FIRE STATION: That they received a report as to the interview between the Chairman of the Committee (Councillor Miss E. C. Growse), together with Mr. F. E. Gadd (Clerk's Assistant), with the Works Committee of the Hendon Board of Guardians, in reference to the Council's application to the Guardians for a site for a Fire Station at Burnt Oak.

It will be remembered that the existing premises are small, and are in a bad state of repair.

The Works Committee of the Guardians, whilst not disposed to grant a piece of land on the main road frontage, offered a site on land adjacent to the schools, and having a frontage to East Road, Burnt Oak, approximately 30 feet in depth, and 20 feet in width, for the Council's purposes.

The Guardians suggested that a rental of £1 1s. per annum should be paid by the Council for the land, the arrangement to be determined by six months' notice on either side.

Your Committee are informed that this would necessitate an alteration to a gateway which at present formed an entrance to the Guardians' premises, and the Guardians would expect that the expense of this alteration should be borne by the District Council.

After careful consideration of the report, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the offer of the Hendon Board of Guardians to grant the Council a site at East Road, Burnt Oak, at a rental of £1 1s. per annum, be accepted.

In regard to the existing fire shed, the Council will recollect that this is held under an agreement with Mrs. A. S. Meager at a rental of £6 per annum.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That one quarter's notice be given to Mrs. Meager as from the 25th day of March, 1922, determining the tenancy of the fire shed at Burnt Oak.

The Committee received a report from the Surveyor in reference to the suggestion for the removal of the existing building at the junction of Wilberforce Road and Station Road, formerly used as a Fire Station, and its re-erection on the site at Burnt Oak, and alternatively as to the erection of a new building at Burnt Oak.

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It appeared that the approximate cost of the removal and re-erection of the building at Burnt Oak would be £60, whilst the erection of a new building might amount to something like £130.

Your Committee are aware that at the present time the building is used for meetings of the Unemployed Organisation. They

RECOMMEND—that an intimation be given to the Unemployed Organisation that the Council contemplate the use of the building exclusively for Fire Brigade purposes, and that their free occupancy of the building may be interfered with in a few months time.

Your Committee also

RECOMMEND—that in due course the building at Wilberforce Road be removed and re-erected upon the site to be leased from the Hendon Board of Guardians at Burnt Oak.

Your Committee further

RECOMMEND—that arrangements be made for determining the agreement for the use of the land at Wilberforce Road with the Midland Railway Company.

2.—PETROL LICENCE: Application was received from the Hendon Car Service, Church Road, Hendon, for consent to the installation of an underground tank and pump adjacent to their premises at Church Road, to provide for a storage capacity of 500 gallons. Your Committee desire to be furnished with a further report in regard to this application, and have adjourned the same until such report is received.

Report of General Purposes Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 6th day of February, 1922. Present: Mr. Councillor Hill (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Miss Growse, Egan, Glanville, Hare and Taylor.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—WAR PENSIONS COMMITTEE: Letter from Mr. W. C. Cornwall (Secretary, Hendon War Pensions Committee) intimating that Mr. J. Powell and Mr. C. Latham had resigned their membership of the Hendon War Pensions Committee, and nominating Captain F. Dudley Taylor, of No. 104, Audley Road, Hendon, and Mr. R. Connolly, of 100, Park Road, Hendon, to fill the vacancies thus occasioned. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—that Messrs. F. Dudley Taylor and R. Connolly be appointed members of the Hendon War Pensions Committee.

2.—POLLING DISTRICTS (HENDON PARISH): Letter from Mr. F. J. Seabrook (Clerk to the Guardians of the Hendon Union) transmitting the following resolution for the consideration of the Council:—

“That this Board of Guardians resolves to call the attention of the Middlesex County Council to the hardship inflicted on a large number of electors residing in the Midland Railway Cottages at Cricklewood, in having to pass the Child's Hill Polling Station, and having to go a mile beyond to record their votes at the Golders Green Polling Station, and requests that in the interests of the free exercise of the franchise that these electors be included in the Child's Hill Ward, Hendon.”

Your Committee have noted the resolutions, and have no special recommendation to make thereon, the matter being one for determination by the Middlesex County Council.

3.—ARTERIAL ROAD: The Clerk reported the receipt of a notice from the Solicitor of the Middlesex County Council of the intention of the Middlesex County Council, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by the Unemployment (Relief Works) Act, 1920, upon the expiration of seven days from the service of the notice, to enter on and take possession of a strip of the Council's lands abutting upon Kingsbury Lane for the purpose of widening Kingsbury Lane. Your Committee have no recommendation to make upon the matter at the present time, but propose at a later date to submit particulars in order that a claim may be made in respect of the land taken.

4.—TUBE EXTENSION: Letter from the Federation of Ratepayers' and Kindred Associations of Middlesex upon the subject of the extension of the Tube Railways to Enfield, Waltham Cross and Whetstone, and requesting the Council to support the appeal to the Ministry of Transport in connection with the proposal. Your Committee have no recommendation to make in regard to the matter.

5.—SUMMER TIME ACT: Letter from the Early Closing Association in reference to the intention of the Government to re-introduce the “Summer Time Act,” and urging the Council to pass a resolution supporting the Government's action. Your Committee understand that the Bill has been introduced, and that it will not therefore be necessary to take any action in the matter.

6.—UNEMPLOYMENT:

(A) Letter from the Borough of Lambeth transmitting the following resolution for the consideration of the Council:—

“That a Conference be convened of representatives of County Councils and Local Authorities within 20 miles of London for the purpose of considering how the money spent on outdoor relief and Labour Exchange doles could be expended on useful works, such as clearing slums, main roads, building dust destructors, etc., which works are much needed in London and the suburbs, the labour employed on such work to be paid for at Trade Union rates of wages.”

The Lambeth Council invited the Council to appoint delegates to attend the Conference. Your Committee have no recommendation to make upon the matter.

(b) Circular letter from the Unemployment Grants Committee advertizing to schemes of work submitted under the Government proposals issued in September last for granting financial assistance to Local Authorities inaugurating works of public utility for the relief of unemployment, extending the time for starting such works. Noted.

7.—BLIND PERSONS ACT, 1920: Letter from the Charity Commission forwarding copy communication which had been addressed to Mr. E. J. Riley, of No. 17, Mount Road, Hendon, pointing out that certain charitable schemes had not been transferred to the Register of Registered Charities for the Blind in pursuance of the Regulations made under the above-mentioned Act. Your Committee have noted the matter for future reference.

8.—ACCIDENT CLAIM: Letter from Mr. F. E. Smith, of No. 47, Sunny Gardens, as to an accident which had occurred to him in Nursery Walk, alleged to have been occasioned by an obstruction of the footpath by a quantity of tarpaving material. Your Committee have carefully considered the report of the Surveyor upon the matter and have given him instructions in regard thereto. They

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk inform Mr. Smith that whilst the Council sympathise with him in his mishap they deny any liability in the matter.

9.—INDUSTRIAL COUNCIL: Letter from the Middlesex County Council as to proposed Provincial Joint Industrial Council for Local Authorities Non-Trading Services (Manual Workers) for Middlesex, inviting the Hendon Council to appoint a member to form a Committee on the Employers' side:—

- (A) To settle with the Employees' Side the Constitution of a Whitley Council, and
- (B) To report on the advisability of the Committee being constituted on a permanent basis to watch the interests of the Employers' Side.

And that unless a majority of the Authorities invited appoint representatives no further steps be taken.

Your Committee cannot recommend the Council to take any action in the matter, and suggest that the Middlesex County Council be informed accordingly.

10.—RATES OF WAGES: Letter from the Director of the Federation of Civil Engineering Contractors forwarding particulars relating to the Civil Engineering Construction Conciliation Board for Great Britain, and inquiring as to the rate of wages paid by the Council to men, other than permanent employees, employed on road and street work.

Your Committee are informed by the Surveyor that the Council do not operate under the conditions laid down by this Board, and they have therefore no recommendation to make in regard thereto.

11.—DAWS FARM ESTATE:

(a) Letter from Mr. J. Anderson, on behalf of the Hendon Education Committee and the Hendon Local Higher Education Committee, intimating that the Committees referred to were of opinion that a site on the Daws Farm Estate would be suitable for the erection of an Elementary and Secondary School thereon.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

(b) That they had under consideration a report from the Surveyor as to his further negotiations with the Solicitors for the Vendors of the Daws Farm Estate with a view to the Council acquiring such Estate for the provision of an open space and other purposes.

It appeared from such report that the Solicitors suggested that the Council should adhere to the terms of the draft agreement originally drawn up, which provided for the acquisition of the Estate for the sum of £20,500, and in addition the Council should pay interest at the rate of 5 per cent. from the date of the original negotiations, and the actual date of the completion of the matter.

Your Committee have given the matter careful consideration, and are unable to recommend the Council to agree to the question of the payment of interest. They

RECOMMEND, however, that the Council make a definite offer of £20,500 for the acquisition of the Daws Farm Estate, subject to the approval of the Ministry of Health thereto.

12.—GREATER LONDON:

(a) Report from the Clerk that at the last sitting of the Royal Commission upon the subject of Greater London, held on the 31st ulto., it was announced that the evidence to be submitted by the London County Council was practically completed, and the sittings of the Commission were adjourned until the 7th March next.

It appeared from such report that upon resumption of the sittings the evidence of the Hertfordshire County Council would be taken, followed by other County Councils, and finally the remaining Authorities.

The Clerk intimated that it was anticipated that the complete evidence of the London County Council would be published at an early date, when the Council's Memorandum of Evidence would be completed, and a joint report would be submitted by the Officers upon the matter.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of such report.

(b) Letter from the Clerk to the Southgate Urban District Council intimating that they were of opinion that a request should be made to the Royal Commission to extend the period of adjournment for a period of not less than three months, in order that Local Authorities concerned might have ample opportunity of conferring together and to organise joint action if deemed necessary.

Your Committee have no recommendation to make in regard thereto.

(c) A report was submitted from the Ealing Borough Council in connection with the adjourned Conference of representatives of Local Authorities in West Middlesex held at Ealing on the 11th ulto. upon the subject of Greater London.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

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13.—METROPOLITAN WATER BOARD (CHARGES) ACTS: Report from the Surveyor as to the effect of the notice received from the Metropolitan Water Board, intimating that the Board's rates and charges for the supply of water both for domestic and non-domestic purposes would be increased under the provisions of the Metropolitan Water Board (Charges) Acts, 1907 to 1922, as from the 1st April next, and terminating all existing agreements as from the 31st prox.

Your Committee await information as to the actual charges proposed to be made by the Water Board before dealing further with the matter.

14.—PARLIAMENTARY BILLS:

(a) COLNE VALLEY WATER BILL, 1922: Letter from the Clerk to the Middlesex County Council transmitting the following resolution passed at the Conference of representatives of Local Authorities affected by the Bill held at the Guildhall on the 13th ulto.:-

"That each authority be recommended to lodge a Petition against the Colne Valley Water Bill, 1922, and that a further Conference be held with a view to combining on the subject of Counsel, expert witnesses, and procedure generally."

The Council will remember that the Chairman of the Council, and the Chairman of your Committee (Councillors Egan and Hill), were appointed as representatives to attend such Conference on behalf of the Council, and a report was submitted in regard thereto at the Council meeting held on the 16th ulto., and that steps are now being taken by the Council to lodge a petition against the Bill. The Middlesex County Council now intimates that the further Conference referred to would take place on the 24th inst. at the Guildhall as before, and the representatives of the Council kindly undertook to attend such Conference.

(b) GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY BILL: Consideration was given to a report from the Officers in regard to the provisions of the Great Northern Railway Bill, 1922, from which it appeared that the point in the Bill affecting the Council's district was a question of the Assessment of the Company's property, which appears to be a matter for the Assessment Committee of the Guardians, the Council having no control over Assessments.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee do not

RECOMMEND the Council to take any action in connection with this Bill.

(c) NORTH METROPOLITAN ELECTRIC POWER SUPPLY BILL: Report from the Clerk in regard to the provisions of the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Bill, from which it appeared that the Company sought power to revise prices and methods of charges by making representation to the Ministry of Transport. The Bill provided that after such Inquiry by the Ministry as they thought fit, the Ministry might make an Order altering the prices or methods of charge.

The Clerk also reported as to proposed action of other Local Authorities in connection with this Bill.

After due consideration, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council take no action in regard thereto.

(d) RAILWAYS (NORTH WESTERN AND MIDLAND GROUP) BILL, 1922: The Clerk reported in regard to the provisions of the Railways (North Western and Midland Group) Bill, and as to the desirability of presenting a petition against the Bill.

In view of the decision of the Council at the Special Meeting held this evening, your Committee gave authority for the necessary steps to be taken in regard to lodging a Petition against this Bill, and the Chairman of the Council arranged to seal the same in due course.

15.—PROPORTIONAL REPRESENTATION: Letter from the Secretary of the Proportional Representation Society in regard to the objects of the Local Elections (Proportional Representation) Bill, and as to the re-introduction of the same during the present Session of Parliament. The Society urged the Council to pass a resolution in favour of the Bill, and to press for the grant of facilities by the Government to ensure the early passing thereof into law.

Your Committee have no recommendation to make in regard thereto.

16.—GAS TESTING:

(a) GAS LIGHT AND COKE COMPANY: In accordance with the instructions of the Committee at the last meeting the Surveyor submitted a report in regard to the communication received from the Gas Referees relative to the testing of gas supplied by the Gas Light and Coke Company.

The Surveyor referred to the testing stations mentioned by the Gas Referees in their communication, and also to the fact that 73 per cent. of the gas sold by the Gas Light and Coke Company was consumed within the area of the London County Council, and to the suggestions of the Gas Referees in regard to testing the same. One of these suggestions being the appointment of a Gas Examiner at the existing testing place at Notting Hill, which should be regarded as made jointly by the following six Local Authorities, who should share in the expenses thereof in the following proportions:—

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Your Committee have given this matter further consideration, and

RECOMMEND—That the Council enter into the proposed joint arrangement for the testing of the Gas in the Gas Light and Coke Company's area of supply in accordance with the above suggestion.

(b) NORTH MIDDLESEX GAS COMPANY: Consideration was also given to a report submitted by the Surveyor in connection with the testing of the Gas supplied by the North Middlesex Gas Company, and as to an interview which he had had with the General Manager of the Company in regard thereto.

The Surveyor also reported the receipt of a letter which he had received from the Company subsequent to his interview, from which it appeared they had been in communication with the Gas Referees regarding the testing of the Gas supplied by the Company. It appeared therefrom that the Company suggested that the testing station should be at their works at Mill Hill, and in the event of the Council not desiring to appoint an Official Tester, they intimated that they would be prepared for the Surveyor, or other official of the Council, to periodically visit the works and see the tests in progress.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council inform the North Middlesex Gas Company that they are prepared to agree to their suggestion in regard thereto.

Reference was made to the question of installing a pressure gauge at the Town Hall, and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor obtain prices for the apparatus in question.

- 17.—TRAMWAY SERVICE—EDGWARE ROAD: In accordance with instructions, the Surveyor reported as to a census which had been taken in connection with the tram service in the Edgware Road between the hours of 6 a.m. and 9 a.m. each morning from the 23rd to the 28th January (inclusive).

It appeared from the figures in the Surveyor's report that the existing tram service in the Edgware Road between the times stated was not reasonably sufficient, and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a communication be addressed to the Middlesex County Council requesting that steps may be taken to improve such service.

- 18.—LAND AT COLINDALE AVENUE: Report from the Surveyor as to the final settlement of the terms with H.M. Office of Works for the lease to the Council of land adjoining the British Museum Repository in Colindale Avenue, and he requested that the draft lease might be forwarded without delay. He mentioned, however, that the Office of Works stated in the terms referred to that the period of the Council's tenancy should be five years. He had now suggested that the lease should contain a clause for the extension of this period, provided the land was not required for building or for the extension of the Museum Repository.

Your Committee confirmed the action of the Surveyor in the matter.

- 19.—REPORT OF SHOPS INSPECTOR: That they had under consideration a report from the Shops Inspector as to certain contraventions of the Shops Act, and as to the action taken by him in regard thereto.

He asked for instructions in regard to a case where a Shopkeeper had sold certain articles on the Early Closing Day, despite the fact that a Notice relative to the Act was exhibited in the shop.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a communication be addressed to the Shopkeeper warning him against a repetition of the offence.

Report of Highways Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 6th day of February, 1922. Present: Mr. Councillor Hare (Chairman), Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Egan, Hill, Glanville and Taylor.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—TREE—FLOWER LANE: Report from the Surveyor that in accordance with the instructions of the Committee at the last meeting an inspection had been made of the tree in Flower Lane, Mill Hill, outside the premises occupied by Mr. Rice, and the same was being removed at the householder's expense.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

- 2.—TRIANGLE—BRENT STREET: The Surveyor reported as to the correspondence he had had with the owners of the triangle in Brent Street, opposite the Police Station, with a view to adding the same to the highway.

Your Committee await a further report from the Surveyor in regard thereto.

- 3.—CRICKLEWOOD LANE: Letter from the Rev. R. Kemp Teasdale complaining of alleged danger to pedestrians traversing the footpath under the Midland Railway Bridge in Cricklewood Lane, and suggesting that a further Archway should be provided for the construction of another footpath for the convenience of foot passengers by the side of the existing one upon part of the site now utilised in connection with the railway station premises.

Your Committee have given the matter consideration, and are of opinion that the same is one which should receive the consideration of the Midland Railway Company. They therefore

RECOMMEND—That the communication received from the Rev. Mr. Teasdale should be referred to the Railway Company for consideration, and that he be informed of the action taken.

- 4.—GARDEN SUBURB ROADS: Letter from the Rev. B. G. Bouchier suggesting the gritting of certain roads on the Garden Suburb during the frosty weather, and particularly Hoop Lane, The Meadway, and Erskine Hill, with a view to assisting horses dragging heavy loads along the roads in question.

Report from the Clerk that he had informed the Rev. B. G. Bouchier in reply that the matter would receive consideration, and had pointed out that The Meadway and Erskine Hill were roads of a private character, over which the Council had at present no jurisdiction.

Your Committee confirmed the action of the Clerk in the matter.

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3.—ELECTRIC CABLE: Report from the Surveyor from the Princess Park Cable Car Co. Ltd. in regard to the supply of oil by the owner.

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Report from the Surveyor that the Council should consider the matter.

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3.—In the event of the Council not taking any other action, the Council should refer the matter to the company.

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After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council be prepared to agree to the terms proposed by the company.

- 6.—COOL OAK LANE: Report from the Surveyor in regard to the widening of the road at the junction of the road with the terms upon which the same is to be widened.

Report from the Surveyor that the Council should consider the matter.

RECOMMEND—That the Council be prepared to agree to the terms proposed by the company.

- 7.—PRIVATE STREET

(A) CLIFTON: Report from the Surveyor in regard to the widening of the road at the junction of the road with the terms upon which the same is to be widened.

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Mr. Dr. Hare suggested that the Council should refer the matter to the company.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council be prepared to agree to the terms proposed by the company.

- (B) WENTWORTH: Report from the Surveyor in regard to the widening of the road at the junction of the road with the terms upon which the same is to be widened.

The Council when it was sitting on the 12th inst.

Report from the Surveyor that the Council should consider the matter.

RECOMMEND—That the Council be prepared to agree to the terms proposed by the company.

- (C) THE VALE: Report from the Surveyor in regard to the widening of the road at the junction of the road with the terms upon which the same is to be widened.

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With regard to Hoop Lane your Committee understood from the Surveyor that roads of this description receive attention as far as practicable, it being considered important to give main roads the first consideration. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a further communication be addressed to the Rev. B. G. Bouchier informing him of the practice adopted.

5.—ELECTRIC CABLES: That they had under consideration a renewed application received by the Surveyor from the Hendon Electric Supply Company for permission to lay an underground cable between Princes Park Avenue and Woodlands Crescent along the line of a sewer easement granted to the Council by the owners of the land in question.

The Council will remember that they have had the matter under consideration on a previous occasion when it was suggested that the cable should be laid outside the boundary of the sewer easement referred to.

Report from the Surveyor in connection with the further application of the Company. It is suggested that the Council might now agree to the same upon the following conditions:—

- 1.—The cable to be laid on the outside boundary of the sewer easement granted to the Council.
- 2.—The Company to remove the cable when called upon by the Council to do so.
- 3.—In the event of it being necessary to disturb the cable through the construction of sewer or other works incidental thereto the cost of re-instating the cable, etc., to be borne by the Company.
- 4.—The Council to be indemnified from any liability for any damage to the cable.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Hendon Electric Supply Company be informed that the Council are prepared to grant them permission to lay the proposed underground cable upon their entering into an Agreement embodying the terms referred to by the Surveyor.

6.—COOL OAK LANE: Letter from Messrs. Peacock, Fisher and Company, on behalf of their Clients, advocating the widening of Cool Oak Lane in the neighbourhood of the Edgware Road, and making enquiry as to the terms upon which the Council would be prepared to carry out the work.

Report from the Surveyor in regard thereto. After due consideration of such report, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Messrs. Peacock Fisher and Company be informed that in the event of their Clients being prepared to surrender the necessary land for the purpose of carrying out the widening work referred to the Council would be prepared, when they deemed expedient, to carry out such work.

7.—PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS:

(A) CLIFTON GARDENS: Letter from Mr. H. D. Drysdale forwarding copy of a resolution passed by certain property owners in Clifton Gardens relative to the suggestion of the Council that the owners should put the road into a reasonable state of repair, the Council on their part agreeing to defer the question of the execution of the suggested permanent works for a period of twelve months.

It appeared from the resolution referred to that the owners in question had agreed to repair the road at their own expense, and they outlined the procedure proposed to be adopted in the matter.

Mr. Drysdale made enquiry, however, whether in the event of the owners carrying out the suggested work the Council would take steps to keep the road scavenged.

After due consideration of the matter your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Drysdale be informed that the Council offer no objection to the carrying out of the works in Clifton Gardens referred to by him, but until permanent works had been carried out in the road and dedicated by the Council they had no power to undertake the scavenging work suggested.

(B) WENTWORTH ROAD: That they had under consideration the question of carrying out permanent works in the portion of Wentworth Road, Golders Green, from St. John's Road to St. George's Road, the matter having been deferred for a period of six months on the representations made to the Council by the owners of property in the portion of the road referred to.

The Council will remember that they have already approved an estimate submitted by the Surveyor in connection with the proposed permanent works, and notices requiring the execution of such works have been served upon the frontagers in the road.

Report from the Surveyor in regard to the present condition of the road. In view of such report, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor submit a revised estimate in connection with the matter for consideration at the next meeting, and that in due course notices under Section 150 of the Public Health Act, 1875, be served upon the owners of property in the road.

(C) THE VALE AND GREENFIELD GARDENS: Letter from Mr. A. V. Hyde complaining of the condition of The Vale and Greenfield Gardens, and suggesting that the Council should take steps to scavenge the same. Your Committee are unable to recommend the Council to take any action in regard thereto at the present time, both the roads in question being of a private character, not yet under the jurisdiction of the Council.

With regard to the question of the condition of a public footpath in the neighbourhood referred to, your Committee have requested the Surveyor to consider the question of carrying out reasonable works of improvement.

- (D) **ANNESLEY AVENUE:** The Surveyor submitted plans and estimates for the fully making up of Annesley Avenue, Colindale, under Section 150 of the Public Health Act, 1875, the cost working out at approximately 41s. 2d. per foot frontage.

Your Committee are of opinion that the estimates should provide for flagging to be carried out in connection with the footpaths in the road in question, and have requested the Surveyor to amend his estimates accordingly.

- (E) **THE RIDGEWAY:** The Surveyor submitted his apportionment of the expenses incurred in the making up of The Ridgeway, Golders Green, such apportionments working out at a cost of 45l. 35 pence per foot frontage. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the apportionments be approved, and that the necessary notices of apportionment be served upon the owners of property in the road in due course.

- (F) **DEDICATION OF ROADS:** Report from the Surveyor that the Contractor's term of maintenance in the undermentioned roads had now expired, and he suggested that such roads should be dedicated as public highways:—

Russell Gardens.
Ambrose Avenue.
Garrick Avenue.
The Ridgeway.
Rodborough Road.
Dunstan Road.
Sneath Avenue.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor's suggestion be approved, and that the necessary steps be taken for the dedication of the roads in question as public highways.

- 8.—**FINCHLEY ROAD—HEDGES:** Letter from Mr. G. H. Dudman complaining of certain hedges alleged to overhang the pathway in a section of the Finchley Road, and suggesting that steps should be taken by the Council to remedy the matter.

Report from the Surveyor that the matter had been dealt with, and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Dudman be informed accordingly.

- 9.—**RAVENSHURST AVENUE—STORM WATER:** Letter from Mr. J. Rofe complaining of a nuisance caused by a collection of storm water alleged to collect in a pool near the passage adjoining his premises in Ravenshurst Avenue, and requesting that steps might be taken to remedy the matter.

Your Committee understand that the Surveyor is giving the matter his attention.

- 10.—**HALE GROVE GARDENS:** Letter from Mr. C. E. Cousins as to the practice of cyclists making use of the footpath in Hale Grove Gardens, causing danger to pedestrians therein.

Report from the Clerk that he had informed Mr. Cousins that Hale Grove Gardens was a private road over which the Council at present had no jurisdiction, and further that the matter was one which should be dealt with by the Police.

Your Committee confirmed the action of the Clerk in the matter.

- 11.—**RE-INSTATEMENT OF TRENCHES:** Report from the Surveyor in regard to the application from Statutory Companies for a reduction of the charges made by the Council for the re-instatement of trenches opened by them in the public highways. He submitted a schedule of amended charges.

The Council will remember that the matter arose on a letter received from the Gas Light and Coke Company suggesting a reduction in the existing charges. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Schedule prepared by the Surveyor (and entered in his Report Book in detail) be approved.

With regard to the charges imposed by the Water Companies for fixing hydrants, the Surveyor suggested that he should have authority to negotiate with the Companies with a view to securing a reduction in such charges. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the suggestion of the Surveyor be approved, and that he negotiate accordingly.

- 12.—**BELL LANE WIDENING:** Report from the Surveyor submitting a plan showing the proposed new kerb line in connection with the widening works in Bell Lane, and also as to the necessity for the removal of certain trees in connection with the improvements. He suggested that the trees in question should be removed, and replaced by planting suitable young trees along the new line. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the suggestion of the Surveyor in the matter be adopted.

- 13.—**PUBLIC LIGHTING:** Letter from Captain Hamilton making application for the provision of an additional lamp in Sinclair Grove. Your Committee have received a report from the Surveyor in regard thereto, and

RECOMMEND—That he be authorised to fix an additional lamp in the road in question.

- 14.—**MAIN ROADS:** Report from the Surveyor that in accordance with instructions issued to him, he had forwarded to the County Council the estimates for the maintenance and re-construction of the main roads in the district for the coming financial year. He also reported as to the works included in such estimates.

Your Committee approved the action of the Surveyor in the matter.

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15.—PILLAR BOX—HERMITAGE LANE: The Surveyor reported the receipt of an application, together with a sketch plan accompanying the same, from H.M. Postmaster General for permission to erect a pillar box in Hermitage Lane. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the application be acceded to, subject to the Surveyor being satisfied as to the exact site selected for the erection of the pillar box.

16.—COLINDEEP LANE: The Surveyor reported as to the result of his negotiations with Mr. Daw, the owner of the property known as "The Chestnuts," Colindeep Lane, with a view to obtaining a strip of land forming part of this property for forming a pathway to link up with the section of footpath lower down the road.

It appeared from such report that Mr. Daw was prepared to surrender the necessary land required by the Council upon payment of a sum of £50, provided also that the Council would erect a wrought iron fence with a gate along the boundary of the land to be given up. The Surveyor estimated that the total cost of this work, together with the compensation required by Mr. Daw would amount to the sum of £120. After careful consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the offer of Mr. Daw be accepted, and the work carried out.

17.—REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor submitted a requisition of goods required by him, and the same were duly approved.

S. A. Egan

Chairman. —

AT A MEETING of
Hall, The Bu
February, 1922.

MINUTES: The Minutes of
and of the Special Meeting

Upon the motion of

IT WAS RESOLVED

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE
Committee held on the 6th

Upon the motion of

IT WAS RESOLVED

The following is a
Finance Committee:—

- Accessories Manuf.
- Addressograph.
- Aircraft Manuf.
- Allen, Masey and
- Alumino Co., Ltd.
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- Ltd.
- Anglo-American
- Army and Navy
- Supply Co.
- Atkinson and Co.
- Atlas Stone Co.
- Aveling and Por
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- Beattie, J. H. a
- Bell Motor Wor
- Bluthner and C
- Boardman Bros.
- Bonner, T. and
- British Petroleum
- Browett and Jo
- Brown Bros., Ltd.
- Burn Bros.
- Burroughs, Welle
- Camberwell Rese
- Cement Marketin
- Cherry, C.
- Colne Valley Wa
- Constable Hart
- Cooper, Taber a
- Crisp and Hodges
- Crossley Bros., L
- Crossley, Jacob a
- Durrant, A. H.
- Elliot, B. G.

Minutes.

AT A MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 13th day of February, 1922.

PRESENT:

Mr Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
 " " W. L. Glanville,
 " " F. W. Hearn,
 " " C. W. Hill,
 Councillor The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan,
 Mr. Councillor A. J. Reynolds,
 " " A. Roberts,
 " " A. B. Soar,
 " " J. H. Sturgess,
 " " W. Taylor,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " R. M. Weeks,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant),
 Dr. T. S. McIntosh (Medical Officer of Health).

MINUTES: The Minutes of the last ordinary meeting of the Council held on the 16th day of January, 1922, and of the Special Meeting held on the 6th day of February, 1922, were submitted for confirmation.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Minutes be confirmed.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE: The Finance Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 6th inst. (Agenda page 260).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Councillor the Rev. Dr. Macgowan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Report of the Committee be received.

The following is a list of the accounts for payment referred to on page 261 of the report of the Finance Committee:—

| | | £ | s. | d. |
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| Accessories Manufacturing Co., | Sundries | 3 | 2 | 10 |
| Addressograph, Ltd. | Addressograph requisites | 2 | 18 | 6 |
| Aircraft Manufacturing Co. | Electric light pendants | 1 | 10 | 0 |
| Allen, Maxey and Co., Ltd. | Envelopes | 2 | 7 | 3 |
| Alumino Co., Ltd. | Slabs | 40 | 9 | 11 |
| Amalgamated Publicity Services, Ltd. | Greaseproof bags | 3 | 9 | 6 |
| Anderson, Anderson and Anderson, Ltd. | High boots | 3 | 3 | 0 |
| Anglo-American Oil Co. | Oil | 6 | 10 | 0 |
| Army and Navy Furnishing and Supply Co. Ltd. | Oats | 60 | 15 | 0 |
| Atkinson and Co., Ltd. | Uniform | 29 | 1 | 3 |
| Atlas Stone Co., Ltd. | Paving Slabs | 28 | 5 | 9 |
| Aveling and Porter, Ltd. | Sundries | 6 | 11 | 3 |
| Bamber and Son | Tiles | 4 | 15 | 0 |
| Batchelor, J. and Son | Moss | 5 | 5 | 0 |
| Beattie, J. H. and Co., Ltd. | Coal, etc. | 32 | 10 | 1 |
| Bell Motor Works | Sundries | 3 | 10 | 6 |
| Bluthner and Co., Ltd. | Tuning Piano | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Boardman Bros. | Cotton waste | 6 | 4 | 6 |
| Bonner, T. and Sons | Sweeping flues, etc. | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| British Petroleum Co., Ltd. | Petrol | 10 | 16 | 8 |
| Browett and Jones | Repairs | 6 | 2 | |
| Brown Bros., Ltd. | Blades | 6 | 5 | |
| Burn Bros. | Sundries | 5 | 12 | 9 |
| Burroughs, Welleome and Co. | Antitoxin | 119 | 11 | 11 |
| Camberwell Research Laboratories | Diagnosis fees | 2 | 16 | 0 |
| Cement Marketing Co., Ltd. | Cement | 19 | 12 | 6 |
| Cherry, C. | Hired team labour, etc. | 197 | 13 | 6 |
| Colne Valley Water Co. | Water rates | 14 | 13 | 9 |
| Constable Hart and Co., Ltd. | Tarpaving | 7 | 8 | 6 |
| Cooper, Taber and Co., Ltd. | Lucerne | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| Crisp and Hodgson | Sundries | 8 | 18 | 3 |
| Crossley Bros., Ltd. | Engine requisites | 10 | 19 | 3 |
| Crossley, Jacob and Gill, Ltd. | Lamps | 7 | 15 | 0 |
| Durrant, A. H. | Greengroceries | 5 | 14 | 11 |
| Elliott, B. G. | Timber | 17 | 12 | 1 |

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| Erith and Co., Ltd. | Slates | 9 9 |
| Etherington, E. | Sheets and blankets | 24 18 1 |
| Gamage, A. W., Ltd. | Jacket | 2 10 0 |
| Gas Light and Coke Co. | Repairs | 81 18 7 |
| Gibb, James, and Co., Ltd. | Sundries | 82 15 9 |
| Hadden Best and Co. | Publication | 1 11 0 |
| Ham Baker and Co., Ltd. | Signs | 2 11 4 |
| Hammond, G. F. | Stamps | 12 0 |
| Hardyment, A. F. | Sundries | 5 14 9 |
| Harris, A. J. | Dust collection | 128 0 0 |
| Harrison Press, Ltd. | Stationery | 24 8 11 |
| Harrow and Stanmore Gas Co. | Lighting | 43 10 0 |
| Hendon Education Committee | Salary | 37 10 0 |
| Hendon Electric Supply Co. | Supply | 57 16 11 |
| Hill, B. | Fish | 12 4 11 |
| H. M. Stationery Office | Publications | 2 11 9 |
| Hospital Contracts Co., Ltd. | Medical requisites | 19 6 |
| Hurling, G., per Accountant's Account | Lopping trees | 9 0 0 |
| Justices, Gore Division | Summons fees | 48 4 0 |
| King, P. S. and Son, Ltd. | Publications | 1 18 3 |
| Knight, C. and Co., Ltd. | Stationery | 5 12 9 |
| Kricheski, A. M. | Boiler suits | 1 14 6 |
| Laboratories of Pathology and Public Health | Diagnosis fee | 5 0 |
| Lamberton, A. S. | Boot repairs | 12 6 |
| Lavender, N. | Meat | 11 3 3 |
| Lea, A. | Bread | 3 16 7 |
| London Telephone Service | Telephone rent, etc. | 9 11 9 |
| Mackay, A. | Antitoxin | 1 6 10 |
| Maddison, Miss | Professional services | 6 4 0 |
| Marshall, J. | Emptying cesspools | 10 0 0 |
| Matron, per Accountant's Account | Petty cash advance | 5 0 0 |
| McKensie, Dr. Dan | Professional services | 26 5 0 |
| Merritt and Hatcher, Ltd. | Binding vouchers | 5 5 0 |
| Metropolitan Electric Tramways | Rent | 1 0 |
| Metropolitan Water Board | Water supply | 44 12 1 |
| Midland Railway Co. | Carriage | 8 8 11 |
| Middlesex County Council | Hired steam roller | 29 15 0 |
| Mono Service Containers, Ltd. | Containers | 1 15 11 |
| Mount Sorrel Granite Co., Ltd. | Granite Chippings | 122 6 4 |
| North Middlesex Gas Co. | Gas | 1166 15 1 |
| Odell, Chas., Ltd. | Printing | 2 13 0 |
| Overed, J. E. | Professional services | 10 12 10 |
| Page, C. H. | Sundries | 2 1 4 |
| Partridge and Cooper, Ltd. | Sundries | 2 9 0 |
| Parvin Frank, Ltd. | Cement | 14 9 10 |
| Pendleton and Co. | Timber | 2 8 |
| Prices Co., Ltd. | Oil | 5 9 2 |
| Pruden, A. | Brushes | 3 18 0 |
| Puddefoot, T. | Sundries | 1 16 0 |
| Queensborough Construction Co., Ltd. | Refund tender deposit | 2 2 0 |
| Ramsbotham, G. | Repairs | 14 9 3 |
| Rates Department | Rates | 39 7 4 |
| Richards, W. | Repairs | 14 19 0 |
| Rothband, W. S. and Co. | Rubber sheeting | 11 8 1 |
| Rowley, Thomas, Junr. | Hired steam roller | 39 18 0 |
| Sampson, Thos. | Sundries | 25 18 11 |
| Sanitas and Co., Ltd. | Gummed rolls, etc. | 8 8 0 |
| Sankey, J. H. and Son, Ltd. | Cement | 14 10 6 |
| Sawford, R. | Car hire | 18 1 3 |
| Sayers, S. P. | Drugs | 11 15 10 |
| Shaw and Sons, Ltd. | Stationery | 12 17 6 |
| Shields, J. G. | Gravel | 44 14 1 |
| Smyrk, W. Frank | Repairs | 3 6 |
| Stephens and Carter, Ltd. | Ladder | 4 17 4 |
| Stillman, H. | Hired team labour | 339 5 3 |
| Stone, G. | Window cleaning | 4 0 0 |
| Stone and Colquhoun | Copy plans | 13 4 |
| Swire and Sons | Stationery | 5 7 6 |
| Taylor, A. E. | Returns | 3 17 10 |
| Taylor, S. and Co., Ltd. | Paint | 15 12 0 |
| Tottenham District Light, Heat and Power Co. | Coke | 67 10 0 |
| Troughton and Simms, Ltd. | Repairs to level | 1 5 0 |
| Tyrie, Geo. | Brooms | 11 0 0 |
| Unite, John, Ltd. | Canvas bags | 8 1 6 |
| Urban District Councils' Association | Subscription | 5 5 0 |
| Virol Research Laboratories | Diagnosis fees | 6 11 6 |
| Waitrose, Ltd. | Groceries | 39 13 6 |
| Warden and Co., Ltd. | Printing, etc. | 59 15 6 |
| Watson, Marsh and Co. | Hand lamps | 16 0 |
| Whitfields Bedsteads, Ltd. | Mattress | 2 15 0 |
| Willett, H. | Refund Private Works deposit | 7 7 10 |
| Willeox, W. H. and Co., Ltd. | Sundries | 18 10 |
| Willing, James, Ltd. | Advertisement | 2 17 0 |
| Wragg and Sons, Ltd. | Socket and Bends | 46 7 8 |
| Express Dairy Co., Ltd. | Milk | 10 4 2 |
| Grosch and Co., Ltd. | Milk | 12 8 |
| Hodgkinson, Prestons and King | Chemical foods | 3 15 3 |
| Virol, Ltd. | Virol | 1 12 6 |

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Bascombe, M
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Frost, C. H.
Gibb, James
Halden, J. a
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Norton and C
Page, C. H.
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PRIVATE STREET IMPR
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| 9 9 | West Surrey Central Dairy Co., Ltd. |
| 24 18 1 | Sundry Persons |
| 2 10 0 | Sundry Ratepayers |
| 81 18 7 | Hull Savings Bank |
| 82 15 9 | Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society |
| 1 11 0 | Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society |
| 2 11 4 | Prudential Assurance Co., Ltd. |
| 12 0 0 | Public Works Loans Board |
| 5 14 9 | Royal London Mutual Insurance Society, Ltd. |
| 128 0 0 | Bascombe, Mrs. M. E. |
| 24 8 11 | Accountant |
| 43 10 0 | Chief Officer |
| 37 10 0 | Hunt, Mrs. O. A. |
| 57 16 11 | Matron |
| 12 4 11 | Surveyor |
| 2 11 9 | Sundry Persons |
| 19 6 | Gaze, W. H. and Sons, Ltd. |
| 9 0 0 | Wesley, Harold |
| 48 4 0 | Accountant |
| 1 18 3 | Sinking Fund Account |
| 5 12 9 | Justices, Gore Division, per Accountant's Account |
| 1 14 6 | Assets Auction Co., Ltd., per Accountant's Account |
| 5 0 | Rate Collectors, per Accountant's Account |
| 12 6 | Income Tax Commissioners |
| 11 3 3 | Hendon Electric Supply Co., Ltd. |
| 3 16 7 | Shops Act Inspector |
| 9 11 9 | Beattie, J. H. and Co., Ltd. |
| 1 6 10 | Constable, Hart and Co. |
| 6 4 0 | Harrington, F. S. |
| 10 0 0 | Metropolitan Water Board |
| 5 0 0 | Rowley, Thomas, Junr. |
| 26 5 0 | St. Bride's Press, Ltd. |
| 5 5 0 | Stillman, H. |
| 1 0 | Stone and Colquhoun |
| 44 12 1 | Willing, James, Ltd. |
| 8 8 11 | Ministry of Health |
| 29 15 0 | Farrow, H. |
| 1 15 11 | Gas Light and Coke Co., Ltd. |
| 122 6 4 | |
| 1166 15 1 | |
| 2 13 0 | |
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LOAN ACCOUNTS—

| | | | |
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| Dried milk | £ | s. | d. |
| Allotment compensations | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Rate refunds | 9 | 9 | 1 |
| Loan repayment | 20 | 16 | 8 |
| Loan repayment | 214 | 1 | 9 |
| Loan repayment | 82 | 10 | 0 |
| Loan repayment | 4 | 0 | 10 |
| Loan repayment | 20 | 0 | 6 |
| Loan repayment | 2001 | 1 | 5 |
| Loan repayment | 142 | 9 | 11 |
| Petty cash | 5 | 2 | 5 |
| Petty cash | 52 | 0 | 6 |
| Petty cash | 12 | 3 | 1 |
| Petty cash | 1 | 5 | 5 |
| Petty cash | 4 | 4 | 7 |
| Petty cash | 10 | 7 | 8 |
| Tender deposits on account | 63 | 0 | 0 |
| Hard tennis courts | 322 | 3 | 6 |
| Envelopes | 2 | 15 | 9 |
| Wages | 4723 | 16 | 8 |
| Contributions, 1921-22 | 1079 | 9 | 7 |
| Summons fees | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| Desk, etc. | 13 | 5 | 0 |
| Advance for change | 4 | 10 | 0 |
| Income tax balance, 1920-21, and further payment on account, 1921-22 | 1600 | 0 | 0 |
| Supply Estate Office, Brent Hill Scheme | 2 | 5 | 0 |
| Petty cash | 4 | 14 | 10 |
| Clinkers | 23 | 2 | 6 |
| Tarpaving | 15 | 1 | 0 |
| Hardcore | 16 | 5 | 0 |
| Fixing hydrants | 14 | 19 | 0 |
| Hired steam roller | 7 | 12 | 0 |
| Advertisement | 2 | 0 | 6 |
| Hired team labour | 94 | 11 | 9 |
| Copies of plans | 16 | 6 | 0 |
| Advertisements | 5 | 5 | 1 |
| Materials | 71 | 13 | 10 |
| On account Edgware Road reconstruction | 3473 | 0 | 0 |
| On account Contract Child's Hill Housing | 170 | 0 | 0 |
| | £17959 | 17 | 0 |

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| Revenue Accounts | £ | s. | d. |
| Capital Accounts | 14065 | 9 | 10 |
| | 3894 | 7 | 2 |
| | £17959 | 17 | 0 |

NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD ACCOUNT—

| | | | |
|---------------------------------------|------|----|----|
| Anderson, Anderson and Anderson, Ltd. | £ | s. | d. |
| Brown, J. H. and Co., Ltd. | 1 | 5 | 3 |
| Burt, Bolton and Haywood, Ltd. | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| Cloke, G. E. | 9 | 15 | 0 |
| Elliott, B. G. | 23 | 15 | 0 |
| Frost, C. H. | 16 | 19 | 4 |
| Gibb, James and Co., Ltd. | 5 | 10 | 6 |
| Halden, J. and Co., Ltd. | 6 | 4 | 5 |
| Lucas, E. and W., Ltd. | 2 | 5 | 4 |
| Moss, Wm. and Sons, Ltd. | 12 | 11 | 3 |
| Norton and Gregory, Ltd. | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Page, C. H. | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Rowland, Thos. | 10 | 17 | 6 |
| Saky, H. and Co. | 13 | 6 | 0 |
| Sawford, R. | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Stillman, H. | 26 | 2 | 0 |
| Unite, John, Ltd. | 1 | 15 | 0 |
| Rubber boots | 13 | 16 | 0 |
| Tarpaulins | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Poles | | | |
| Sleepers | | | |
| Timber | | | |
| Timber | | | |
| Sundries | | | |
| Tapes | | | |
| Shove's | | | |
| Hut | | | |
| Ranging poles | | | |
| Sundries | | | |
| Sharpening tools | | | |
| Shingle | | | |
| Car hire | | | |
| Hired team labour | | | |
| Rope | | | |
| | £155 | 16 | 1 |

ABSTRACT OF ACCOUNTS: Upon the consideration of paragraph No. 10 of the Report of the Committee as to preparation of Abstract of Accounts, Mr. Councillor Hill moved that in view of the outlay involved the recommendation be deleted. The motion was not seconded, and was therefore not proceeded with.

PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 12 of the report of the Committee relative to the number of frontagers who desired to spread the payment of road charges due from them over a period,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the paragraph be amended to read 18 frontagers instead of 20.

LOAN £9,000—PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 15 of the report of the Committee relative to the question of raising a loan for private street improvement purposes,

IT WAS AGREED to amend the same to read Loan £8,000 instead of £9,000, Private Street Improvements.

Mr. Councillor Hill then moved: "That the recommendation of the Committee in the matter be referred back to the Committee to consider the question of taking up the loan as and when required." There being no seconder to the motion, the consideration thereof was not proceeded with.

Mr. Councillor Hill thereupon moved: "That the matter be referred back to the Committee for further consideration."

Mr. Councillor Wise seconded the motion.

After some discussion in connection with the matter, the motion was subsequently withdrawn, and it was decided to add to the recommendation of the Committee that the money be borrowed from the Bank as and when required.

TENNIS COURTS—HENDON PARK: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 13 of the report of the Committee relative to the revision of the charges for the use of the Grass Courts, and the suggested charges for the Hard Courts in the Hendon Park, Councillor Mrs. Bannister moved: "That the charge for the Hard Courts be the same as that charged for the Grass Courts."

Mr. Councillor Hill seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 2, viz.: Councillors Mrs. Bannister and Hill; and against the motion 14, viz.: Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Growse, Miss Hodge, Cartwright, Glanville, Hearn, the Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Reynolds, Roberts, Soar, Sturgess, Teare, Weeks, and Wise.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF WORKS AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL COMMITTEE: The Works and Sewage Disposal Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 23rd ulto. (Agenda page 264).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Councillor Mrs. Bannister,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF WORKS AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL COMMITTEE, No. 2: The Works and Sewage Disposal Committee submitted a report of a further meeting of the Committee held on the 30th ulto. (Agenda page 267).

The Surveyor reported that the difficulty with regard to the removal of the fencing had been overcome, and he hoped to secure possession by the 1st March next.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Councillor the Rev. Dr. Macgowan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE, No. 1: The Public Health Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 19th ulto. (Agenda page 267).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE, No. 2: The Public Health Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 23rd ulto. (Agenda page 268).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Weeks,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Councillor the Rev. Dr. Macgowan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE, No. 3: The Public Health Committee submitted a report of a further meeting of the Committee held on the 30th ulto. (Agenda page 270).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Weeks,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Weeks,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF TOWN PLANNING COMMITTEE: The Town Planning Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 30th ulto. (Agenda page 271).

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Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Weeks,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HOUSING COMMITTEE: The Housing Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 30th ulto. (Agenda page 272).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Councillor Mrs. Bannister,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

COUNCIL HOUSES: Reference was made to the issue of the Geddes Report on Economy, and referring to the Council Houses. Mr. Councillor Hill moved:—

“That immediate steps be taken to dispose of the houses erected by the Council at Chi'd's Hill and Brent Hill Farm under the Assisted Housing Scheme.”

The Chairman intimated that the motion could not be considered without notice given in the usual way.

REPORT OF FIRE BRIGADE COMMITTEE No. 1: The Fire Brigade Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 30th ulto. (Agenda page 273).

Upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Councillor the Rev. Dr. Macgowan.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF FIRE BRIGADE COMMITTEE No. 2: The Fire Brigade Committee submitted a report of a further meeting of the Committee held on the 6th inst. (Agenda page 274).

Upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Councillor the Rev. Dr. Macgowan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

BURNT OAK FIRE STATION: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 1 of the report of the Committee relative to the proposal to remove the building, formerly used as a Fire Station at the junction of Wilberforce Road and Station Road, to the site proposed to be leased from the Hendon Board of Guardians at Burnt Oak.

Mr. Councillor Wise moved:—

“That the matter be referred back to the Committee with a view to the erection of a permanent building at Burnt Oak.”

Mr. Councillor Roberts seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 5, viz.: Councillors Miss Hodge, Wise, Roberts, Glanville, and Hill; and against the motion 10, viz.: Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Growse, Cartwright, Hearn, the Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Sturgess, Soar, Taylor, Teare, and Weeks.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

Upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Councillor the Rev. Dr. Macgowan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE: The General Purposes Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 6th inst. (Agenda page 275).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED That the report of the Committee be received.

POLLING DISTRICTS (HENDON PARISH): Upon consideration of paragraph No. 2 of the report of the Committee in regard to the resolution transmitted by the Hendon Board of Guardians relative to arrangements made in the past under which electors residing in the Midland Railway Cottages at Cricklewood were obliged to record their votes at the Golders Green Polling Station.

Mr. Councillor Sturgess moved as an amendment:—

“That the Council approach the Middlesex County Council with a view to obtaining an alteration in the present polling districts or, as an alternative, that a polling station be provided at Child's Hill for electors residing in Midland Brent Terrace.”

Mr. Councillor Roberts seconded the amendment.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 9, viz.: Councillors Miss Hodge, Sturgess, Roberts, Glanville, the Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Soar, Teare, Wise and Weeks; and against the amendment 6, viz.: Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Mrs. Bannister, Cartwright, Hill, Reynolds, and Taylor.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be carried, and upon the same being submitted to the meeting as a substantive motion, he declared the same to be carried, the members voting as before.

TRAMWAY SERVICE—EDGWARE ROAD: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 17 of the report of the Committee in regard to the census taken by the Surveyor of the Tram Service in the Edgware Road between the hours of 6 a.m. and 9 a.m. each morning from the 23rd to the 28th ulto. (inclusive), Mr. Councillor Wise moved:—

“That the Council protest against the renewal by the Middlesex County Council of the lease of the tramways to the Metropolitan Electric Tramways, Ltd.”

The motion was not seconded.

Mr. Councillor Hearn thereupon moved:—

“That representation be made to the Middlesex County Council as to the need of improvement in the light railway service in the Edgware Road between the hours specified in the Surveyor's report.”

Mr. Councillor Teare seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting the Chairman declared the same to be carried *nem. con.*

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE: The Highways Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 6th inst. (Agenda page 278).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

PILLAR BOX—HERMITAGE LANE: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 15 of the report of the Committee in regard to the application received from H.M. Postmaster General for permission to erect a pillar box in Hermitage Lane.

Mr. Councillor Roberts moved as an amendment:—

“That a suggestion be made to H.M. Postmaster General that the pillar box should be erected on the opposite side of Finchley Road.

Councillor Miss Growse seconded the amendment.

Upon the amendment being submitted to the meeting, there voted in favour thereof 9, viz.: Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Roberts, Glanville, Hearn, the Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Soar, Sturgess and Taylor; and against the same 1, viz.: Councillor Hill.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be carried.

Upon the amendment being put as the substantive motion it was declared to be carried, the members voting as before.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF REQUISITIONS COMMITTEE: The Requisitions Committee submitted the following report of a meeting held this evening:—

Report of Requisitions Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall this evening. Present: Mr. Councillor Egan (Chairman), and Councillors Cartwright, Hill, Roberts and Teare.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor and the Chief Officer of the Fire Brigade submitted a requisition of goods required, and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the same be approved.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

CORRESPONDENCE: The Clerk reported the receipt of numerous letters, as detailed in his report book, and upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be referred to the respective Committees for consideration in the usual way.

HOSPITAL FIELD ALLOTMENTS: The Clerk reported the receipt of a letter from Mr. W. A. Perkins on behalf of the Golders Green Allotment Association, making application for sanction to the erection of a shed, for the use of the allottees on the Hospital Field Allotments, on a piece of vacant ground situate at the entrance to the allotments in question.

After due consideration of such application,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be acceded to, subject to the Surveyor being satisfied as to the exact site proposed for the erection of the shed.

GREATER LONDON: The Clerk reported the receipt of a letter from Mr. H. G. Potter, on behalf of the Greater London Scheme Joint Committee, transmitting a petition signed by a large number of ratepayers in the Garden Suburb, Golders Green, and Child's Hill Wards in opposition to the Greater London Scheme submitted by the London County Council. Noted.

DOCUMENTS FOR SEALING: The Clerk submitted the following documents for sealing by the Council:—
 Gaze, W. H. and Sons, Ltd.—Contract for construction of three hard tennis courts, Hendon Park.

Appenrodt, H.—Agreement for extension of Brent Low Level Sewer.

Constable, Hart and Co.—Contract for re-surfacing Brent Street.

Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England and another.—Agreement for diversion of footpath at Greenfield Gardens.

Holborn and Frascati, Ltd.—Agreement for dedication of land at Bell Lane.

Neal, H.—Contract for construction of Open Air Swimming Bath.

Springhall, A. C.—Agreement for payment of road charges by instalments, Sneath Avenue.

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| Baldwin, E.— | Ditto, | Ditto, | Ditto. |
| Pinfold, A. R.— | Ditto, | Ditto, | Ditto. |
| Bill-Winterton, E.— | Ditto, | Ditto, | Russell Gardens. |
| Howkins and Farrow.— | Ditto, | Ditto, | Ditto. |
| Major, A. F.— | Ditto, | Ditto, | Ditto. |
| Kennedy, G. H.— | Ditto, | Ditto, | Ditto. |
| Gower, H.— | Ditto, | Ditto, | Ditto. |
| Enoch, M.— | Ditto, | Ditto, | Ditto. |
| Phillips, A. B.— | Ditto, | Ditto, | Rodborough Road. |
| Edwards, J. W.— | Ditto, | Ditto, | Highfield Avenue. |
| Howkins, F.— | Ditto, | Ditto, | Ditto. |
| Grey, A. H.— | Ditto, | Ditto, | Ditto. |
| Phillips, H. A.— | Ditto, | Ditto, | Garriek Avenue. |
| Evans, W. E.— | Ditto, | Ditto, | Ambrose Avenue. |
| Hunt, C. A. W.— | Ditto, | Ditto, | Ditto. |
| Jolly, J.— | Ditto, | Ditto, | Ditto. |
| | | | Alba Gardens. |

27 Petrol Licences, as per Fire Brigade Committee Report. (Agenda page 273).

2 Housing Bonds, as per Housing Bond Register.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the documents in question.

PETROL LICENCE: Report from the Clerk as to the receipt of a report from the Petroleum Inspector in regard to the application made by the Hendon Car Service, of Church Road, Hendon, for consent to the installation of an underground tank and pump adjacent to their premises with a storage capacity of 500 gallons of petrol, from which it appeared that the method proposed for storing such petrol was in accordance with the Council's requirements.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Councillor The Rev. Dr. Macgowan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the proposal of the Hendon Car Service be acceded to, subject to the work being carried out to the satisfaction of the Surveyor, and that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the necessary licence in due course.

GAS REGULATION ACT, 1920: The Clerk reported the receipt of draft of Special Order under Section 10 of the Gas Regulation Act, 1920, which the Gas Light and Coke Company proposed to apply to the Board of Trade to sanction.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be referred to the General Purposes Committee for consideration.

CHILD'S HILL HOUSING: Report from the Clerk as to the receipt of a further communication from Mr. W. D. Drummond, the Solicitor on behalf of Messrs. Williams and Co., pressing for payment in respect of their account for slates supplied in connection with the Child's Hill Housing Scheme.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That this communication be referred to the Housing Committee for consideration.

DUNSTAN ROAD PRIVATE IMPROVEMENTS: The Clerk asked for authority to serve the necessary demand notices upon the frontagers of property in Dunstan Road, Golders Green, in connection with the expenses incurred in the carrying out of permanent works in the road, the apportionment notices in connection therewith expiring on the 16th inst. In view of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the necessary authority be given to the Clerk in the matter.

RE-NUMBERING OF ROADS: Report from the Surveyor as to the desirability of re-numbering Hodford Road and Brentmead Place, Golders Green, and asking for authority to serve the necessary notices in connection with the matter.

After due consideration of such report,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Surveyor have authority to serve the necessary notices requiring the re-numbering of the roads in question.

ALLOTMENT LAND—MILL HILL: Report from the Surveyor as to his negotiations with Mr. Francis T. Wright, the owner of land at Marsh Lane, Mill Hill, at present utilised as allotments, 1½ acres in extent, with a view to such land being leased to the Council for continued use of the same for allotments, such negotiations having proved unsuccessful.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the matter be considered by the Council in Committee this evening.

APPLICATION NO. 5277: Report from the Surveyor as to his negotiations with the owners of the "Royal Oak," Finchley Road, in connection with the application submitted by them relative to the proposed alterations and additions to the premises in question.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the matter be referred to the Council in Committee for consideration.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE MINUTES: The Minutes of the proceedings of the Hendon Education Committee at a meeting held on the 20th day of December, 1921, having been circulated amongst the members of the Council, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Minutes be received.

TENDERS FOR ANNUAL SUPPLIES: The Clerk reported the receipt of the tenders for Annual Supplies (111 in number), and

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be opened, initialled by the Chairman, and tabulated for consideration by the Works Committee.

BUS SERVICE—GOLDERS GREEN TO EDGWARE ROAD: Reference was made to the present 'bus service (Service No. 83) between Golders Green Tube Station and Edgware Road, and particularly to the inadequate service between the hours of 5.30 and 7.30 in the evening.

Upon the motion of Councillor The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, seconded by Councillor Mrs. Bannister,

IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED—That the Clerk communicate with the London General Omnibus Company making enquiry whether they could see their way to improve the service in question.

IN COMMITTEE—

LAND AT MARSH LANE: The Surveyor reported the receipt of a further letter from Mr. F. T. Wright, the owner of the piece of land in Marsh Lane, 1½ acres in extent, heretofore used as allotments, declining to entertain the Council's proposal for the purchase of the same for allotment purposes. It was decided, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Councillor the Rev. Dr. Macgowan, that the Surveyor inform Mr. Wright that the Council will have no alternative but to resort to their power for compulsorily hiring the land, in view of his decision.

ALTERATIONS AT "ROYAL OAK," TEMPLE FORTUNE: The Surveyor submitted a report as to his further negotiations in connection with the building line to be adopted in carrying out the alterations and additions to the "Royal Oak."

After due consideration of such report, it was moved by Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts, that the Council favourably consider the building line suggested, subject to the matters contained in the report, which included the provision of adequate accommodation in connection with the convenience, and subject to them giving up the strip of land in Bridge Lane when in a position to do so, and that the Surveyor continue the negotiations on these lines.

Upon the motion being put it was declared to be carried.

RAISING OF LOANS: The Accountant reported upon quotations which he had received for advances on loans, the lowest being 6 per cent. interest from the Trustees of Queen Anne's Bounty. It was decided, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds, that the Accountant be authorised to proceed with the offer of £32,869 at 6 per cent. Mr. Councillor Hill only dissenting.

PROVISION OF HOSPITAL ACCOMMODATION: The Council gave careful consideration to the scheme formulated by the Medical Officer of Health for the provision of a permanent hospital for the needs of the district, it being proposed to provide for 74 beds.

The question of combining with Hornsey or the Rural Council in the provision of hospital accommodation was further discussed, and it was moved by Mr. Councillor Sturges, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds, that the Clerk communicate with Hornsey making inquiry whether it is now possible to join the proposed combination of districts, and if the reply be in the affirmative that such proposal be submitted to the Ministry of Health.

Upon the motion being put, there voted for, 8, viz., Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Hill, Sturges, Cartwright, Roberts, Glanville, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, and Reynolds; and against it 8, viz., Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Miss Hodge, Miss Growse, Soar, Taylor, Teare, Wise and Weeks. The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

It was then moved by Mr. Councillor Sturges, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare, and unanimously

RESOLVED—That the Medical Officer of Health and the Surveyor bring up a scheme for the provision of an Isolation Hospital with 74 beds, submitting sketch plans of the proposals.

BRENT HILL HOUSING SCHEME: Report from the Clerk that in company with the Accountant he had an interview with the officials of the Ministry of Health to further discuss the final accounts in connection with the termination of the contract with the Improved Concrete Construction Company, when the letter from Mr. Rackley (acting on behalf of the National Bank) had been submitted, to the effect that he had agreed the accounts as prepared by Mr. Hornblower (the Architect). Mr. Rackley subsequently attended the interview and appealed for some consideration in respect of the costs to which the Bank had been put. It had been pointed out to the Ministry officials that such a proposal could not be entertained, inasmuch as the accounts showed a margin of loss. Mr. Rackley abandoned his plea and agreed to report to the Solicitors to the Bank that no money could be shown to be due to the Bank.

The Ministry officials announced that they would accept the statement of accounts as submitted and would assent to the acceptance by the Council of the tender of Messrs. Billing for the completion of the houses (158 in number) and promised to write to that effect.

Subsequently a letter from the Ministry of Health was received in the following terms:—

Ministry of Health,
Whitehall, S.W.1.
11th February, 1922.

SIR,—

BRENT HILL HOUSING SCHEME K. 29.

With reference to your letter of the 7th instant and the discussion between the representatives of the Council and of the Department to-day, with regard to the Contract entered into between your Council and the Improved Concrete Construction Company, I am directed to confirm the arrangements arrived at, as follows:—

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The motion submitted Councillors Miss Hodge, M

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The Chairman declar

1. The Department agrees to a settlement with the representatives of the Estate of the Improved Concrete Construction Company on the basis of payments already made, the Council to retain all materials and plant on the site.
2. The foregoing approval is given on the understanding that subsequent to such settlement no further charge shall be allowed against the Housing Account in respect of any matters arising out of the Contract with the defaulting Company.
3. The Department also approves the acceptance by your Council to the tender submitted by Messrs. Billing and Co., Ltd., for the completion of the 158 houses at present partially erected, at a total cost of £34,914 4s. 4d. This approval is subject to the following conditions:—
 - (A) That the Contract shall be in the form of the Ministry Model No. 1, modified so that the Contract price shall not be subject to variation in respect of fluctuation in the cost of materials. The Contract price will, however, be subject to variation in respect of fluctuation in the rates of labour as from the date of the tender.
 - (B) To the above price for completion, allowing for complete houses including all paths, drains, fences, water, lighting and heating.
 - (C) To the Contractor undertaking to employ ex-Service men in accordance with the terms of the Ministry's circular letter No. 197.
 - (D) To your Council being satisfied with the financial stability of the Contractor.
 - (E) The Contractor, if required, taking over the plant on the site formerly belonging to the Improved Concrete Company at a price of £3,000, which sum the Council shall be entitled to deduct from moneys due to the Contractor.

I shall be glad to receive a copy of the Contract for approval before it is actually signed.

4. The Council will make a claim under the Bond in respect of the due performance of the Improved Concrete Construction Company's contract for the full amount of the damages to which they have been put in consequence of the failure of the late Contractors. Any proposed settlement in this connection should be submitted to the Department for approval.

I have to add that a communication has been received from Mr. Hornblower enclosing an account of his fees, together with those of the Quantity Surveyor, and a further communication in regard to this will be addressed to you in due course.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

J. C. WRIGLEY,

for Assistant Secretary.

The Clerk to the

Urban District Council of Hendon.

Instructions were given to the officers to clear up the evident misapprehensions expressed in Clause 2 and Clause 3 (B).

Mr. Councillor Sturgess moved:—

"That subject to the financial stability of Messrs. Billings and Co. proving satisfactory, that the Council accept their tender for the completion of the houses referred to."

Mr. Councillor Hill seconded the motion.

Mr. Councillor Soar moved as an amendment:—

"That the tender of Mr. Neal be accepted for the work, subject to the terms of the communication received from the Ministry of Health."

Mr. Councillor Reynolds seconded the amendment.

Upon the amendment being submitted to the meeting, the Chairman declared the same to be not carried.

Mr. Councillor Cartwright thereupon moved as a further amendment:—

"That the whole matter be dropped and that the Council do not proceed with the remainder of the scheme."

Councillor Mrs. Hargraves seconded the amendment.

Upon the amendment being submitted to the meeting it was declared to be not carried.

The motion submitted by Mr. Councillor Sturgess was then put, when there voted for it 10, viz., Councillors Miss Hodge, Miss Growse, Hill, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Reynolds, Roberts, Sturgess, Taylor, Teare and Weeks, and against it 3, viz., Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Cartwright and Soar.

The Chairman declared the motion to be carried.

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Health,
Hall, S.W.1.
11th February, 1922.

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Minutes.

AT A SPECIAL MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon, held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 27th day of February, 1922.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
 " " T. F. Fenn,
 " " F. W. Hearn,
 " " C. W. Hill,
 Councillor The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan,
 Mr. Councillor A. Roberts,
 " " A. J. Reynolds,
 " " A. B. Soar,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " R. M. Weeks,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),

The Clerk read the notice convening the meeting.

REPORT OF WORKS COMMITTEE: The following report was received from the Works Committee of a meeting held on the 20th February, 1922.

Report of Works & Sewage Disposal Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 20th day of February, 1922. Present: Mr. Councillor Roberts (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Cartwright, Egan, Glanville, Hare, Hill, Reynolds, and Sturgess.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

ALLOTMENT LAND AT MILL HILL: Your Committee beg to report that they have considered a report from the Surveyor as to his negotiations for leasing the land owned by Mr. Francis T. Wright, of "Greystanes," Mill Hill, 1½ acres in extent, from which it appeared that Mr. Wright was not willing to let the land for the purpose. Your Committee consider this to be a case where the Council should exercise their powers of compulsory hiring under the Small Holdings and Allotments Acts, 1908 to 1919 and the Small Holdings and Allotments (Compulsory Hiring) Regulations, 1919, they therefore submit a formal Order for this purpose, and recommend that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed thereto and that due notice be given to Mr. Wright accordingly.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Soar,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

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 reported that together
 address of congratulation
 as follows:—



MARRIAGE OF H.R.H. PRINCESS MARY: The Chairman of the Council (Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan) reported that together with Mr. Councillor Hill he had attended at Buckingham Palace and presented the address of congratulation from the Council to Her Royal Highness Princess Mary. The address being as follows:—


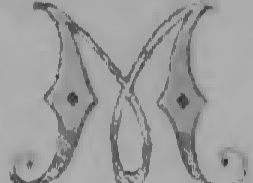
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 To Her Royal Highness
PRINCESS MARY
 May it please your Royal Highness
 We the Chairman & Members
 of the Urban District Council of Hendon
 in the County of Middlesex, most loyally
 desire to tender to your Royal Highness our
 sincere and heartfelt congratulations on the
 occasion of your approaching Marriage
 with the Viscount Lascelles, D. S. O.
 We earnestly hope that the union will be
 crowned with domestic felicity and happiness.
 Given under our Common Seal
 this Twentieth day of February, 1922.
 Chairman of the Council
 Clerk to the Council.



A reply had been received in the following terms:—

Buckingham Palace.

To The Hendon Urban District Council.

MR. CHAIRMAN,

It is a great pleasure to me to receive the cordial congratulations which on behalf of the Urban District Council you offer me on my approaching marriage.

Will you tell the kind people of Hendon that I am deeply touched by their good wishes for my future happiness and send them my sincerest thanks.

(Signed) MARY.

22nd February, 1922.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the thanks of the Council be accorded to the Chairman and Mr. Councillor Hill for attending on behalf of the Council.

S. A. Egan
Chairman.

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HENDON, N.W.

9th March, 1922.

DEAR SIR, OR MADAM,

I beg to inform you that a Meeting of the Urban District Council of Hendon will be held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday next, the 13th day of March, 1922, at 6.15 o'clock in the evening for the purpose of transacting the following business, namely:—

Agenda:

1. To confirm Minutes of previous Meetings.
2. Questions.
3. Report of Finance Committee.
4. Report of Works and Sewage Disposal Committee.
5. Reports of Public Health Committee.
6. Report of Town Planning Committee.
7. Report of Housing Committee.
8. Reports of Fire Brigade Committee.
9. Reports of General Purposes Committee.
10. Report of Highways Committee.
11. Report of Outdoor Committee.
12. Report of Requisitions Committee.
13. Report of Clerk.
14. Report of Surveyor.
15. Education Committee (Minutes).

I am, Dear Sir or Madam,

Yours faithfully,

HENRY HUMPHRIS,

Clerk to the Council.

Pensions Committee at 6 p.m.

The Requisitions Committee, consisting of the Chairmen of the Standing Committees, to follow.

Report of Finance Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 6th day of March, 1922. Present: Councillor Cartwright (Chairman), Councillors Mis. Hodge, Mrs. Hargraves, Hearn, Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Roberts, Teare and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, ETC.: Your Committee have examined the Treasurer's Pass Book and Cash Books, and report that the total receipts from all sources since the last meeting amounted to the sum of £5539 13s. 2d., making a total of £223,607 6s. 0d. for the current financial year.

INCOME.

| Description. | Amounts previously Reported. | | Amounts now Reported. | | Total. | |
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| Rateable Accounts— | | | | | | |
| Hendon Recreation Ground ... | 170 | 15 1 | 2 | 5 0 | 173 | 0 1 |
| Sewage Farm and Stables, Rents, etc. | 360 | 5 0 | 22 | 12 0 | 382 | 17 0 |
| Stables—Sale of Horses ... | 20 | 0 0 | | | 20 | 0 0 |
| Sanitary Department, Disinfecting, etc. | 11 | 9 0 | 1 | 0 0 | 11 | 10 0 |
| Burroughs House, Rent, etc. ... | 59 | 10 5 | 2 | 10 0 | 62 | 0 5 |
| Maternity Centres and Midwifery ... | 761 | 17 11 | 31 | 7 6 | 793 | 5 5 |
| Isolation Hospital, Charges Recovered | 25 | 16 0 | | | 25 | 16 0 |
| Refuse Collection and Dust Shoot | | | | | | |
| Permits ... | 504 | 5 0 | 1 | 5 0 | 505 | 10 0 |
| Fire Brigade, expenses etc., recovered | 228 | 13 3 | 16 | 9 11 | 245 | 3 2 |
| Motor Ambulance, fees, etc. ... | 133 | 13 0 | 25 | 18 6 | 159 | 11 6 |
| Highways and Main Roads ... | 6501 | 12 10 | 161 | 8 8 | 6663 | 1 6 |
| Street Lighting, damages recovered ... | 8 | 6 11 | 2 | 8 5 | 10 | 15 4 |
| Lyons and Harvists Trust Fund ... | 616 | 3 3 | 356 | 3 0 | 972 | 6 3 |
| Salaries Account, fees, etc. ... | 439 | 4 1 | | | 439 | 4 1 |
| Public Offices, lettings, etc. ... | 280 | 2 6 | 54 | 8 4 | 334 | 10 10 |
| Establishment and Legal Expenses ... | 240 | 3 3 | 6 | 16 6 | 246 | 19 9 |
| Building Certificates ... | 171 | 3 0 | 30 | 9 0 | 201 | 12 0 |
| Interest and Dividends ... | 2787 | 17 11 | | | 2787 | 17 11 |
| Workmen's Compensation ... | 68 | 1 6 | 4 | 0 0 | 72 | 1 6 |
| General District Rates and Costs ... | 82370 | 12 6 | 1994 | 13 5 | 84365 | 5 11 |
| Government Contribution in lieu of Rates ... | 336 | 7 6 | | | 336 | 7 6 |
| | £96095 | 19 11 | 2712 | 16 3 | 98808 | 16 2 |
| Suspense Accounts— | | | | | | |
| National Kitchens ... | 79 | 1 0 | 7 | 3 7 | 86 | 4 7 |
| North Circular Road Account ... | 6064 | 5 0 | 27 | 0 0 | 6091 | 5 0 |
| Allotments ... | 370 | 4 4 | 41 | 3 5 | 411 | 7 9 |
| Bittacy View House, Rent ... | 35 | 0 0 | | | 35 | 0 0 |
| Emergency Coal Control—Expenses ... | 5 | 6 1 | | | 5 | 6 1 |
| Lands Cultivation Orders ... | 231 | 2 7 | 40 | 12 9 | 271 | 15 4 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 1, Rents ... | 1268 | 4 9 | 115 | 15 8 | 1384 | 0 5 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 2, Rents ... | 1011 | 2 8 | 146 | 9 4 | 1157 | 12 0 |
| Child's Hill Housing, No. 2, Key Deposits ... | 9 | 5 0 | | | 9 | 5 0 |
| Emergency Food Control—repayment of advance ... | 250 | 0 0 | | | 250 | 0 0 |
| Steam Lorries—Damages recovered ... | | | 3 | 2 0 | 3 | 2 0 |
| Private Works ... | 2079 | 15 7 | 120 | 10 9 | 2200 | 6 4 |
| Tender Deposits ... | 608 | 15 0 | 2 | 0 0 | 610 | 15 0 |
| Exchequer Subsidy (Assisted Housing Schemes) ... | 8100 | 0 0 | | | 8100 | 0 0 |
| Wages—Unemployment Fund ... | 532 | 14 2 | | | 532 | 14 2 |
| Hendon Overseers ... | 1036 | 19 5 | | | 1036 | 19 5 |
| Private Improvements ... | 6363 | 18 4 | 999 | 1 0 | 7362 | 19 4 |
| Private Improvements—Interest and Stamp Duty ... | 10 | 12 1 | 11 | 18 6 | 22 | 10 7 |
| Land, West Hendon, Rent ... | 6 | 0 0 | | | 6 | 0 0 |
| Swimming Bath—Sale of Turfs ... | | | 2 | 6 | 2 | 6 |
| Brent Hill Housing, Rents ... | 1205 | 16 9 | 161 | 17 5 | 1367 | 14 2 |
| Brent Hill Housing, Wages Repaid ... | 8 | 2 | | | 8 | 2 |
| Brent Hill Housing, Key Deposits ... | 9 | 5 0 | | | 9 | 5 0 |
| Coal Reserve Stock—Sales ... | 83 | 17 0 | | | 83 | 17 0 |
| | £29361 | 12 11 | 1676 | 16 11 | 31038 | 9 10 |
| Capital Accounts— | | | | | | |
| Loans—General ... | 83315 | 0 0 | | | 83315 | 0 0 |
| Loans—Housing ... | 7100 | 0 0 | | | 7100 | 0 0 |
| Housing Bonds ... | 2195 | 0 0 | 1150 | 0 0 | 3345 | 0 0 |
| | £92610 | 0 0 | 1150 | 0 0 | 93760 | 0 0 |

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SUMMARY OF INCOME TO DATE.

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| Rateable Accounts | ... | ... | 96095 19 11 | 2712 16 3 | 98808 16 2 |
| Suspense Accounts | ... | ... | 29361 12 11 | 1676 16 11 | 31038 9 10 |
| Capital Accounts | ... | ... | 92610 0 0 | 1150 0 0 | 93760 0 0 |
| | | | £218067 12 10 | 5539 13 2 | 223607 6 0 |

2.—RATE COLLECTION: They have also examined the Statement as to the rate collection, and find that there has been collected and paid to the Treasurer since the last meeting the sum of £1,964 1s. 9d. on account of rates, and £30 11s. 8d. on account of costs.

3.—STATEMENT OF BALANCES: They have also examined the Cash Book and Statement of Treasurer's Balances, which they found correct, and report that the total balance in hand amounted to £49,399 1s. 1d.

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BANK ACCOUNTS.

| | Revenue Account. | | Loans Account. | | Sinking Fund Account. | | Housing Subsidised Account. | | North Circular Road Account. | | Total. | |
|---|------------------|-------|----------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|-----------------------------|-------|------------------------------|-------|--------|-------|
| | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| Balance in hand, 2nd February, 1922 | 22013 | 2 0 | 6410 | 2 8 | 10 0 5 | | 38674 | 8 11 | 1941 | 18 11 | 69049 | 12 11 |
| Receipts per Statement to 1st March, 1922 | 3351 | 13 8 | 1010 | 19 6 | | | 1150 | 0 0 | 27 | 0 0 | 5539 | 13 2 |
| | £25364 | 15 8 | 7421 | 2 2 | 10 0 5 | | 39824 | 8 11 | 1968 | 18 11 | 74589 | 6 1 |
| CREDITS— | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cheques per lists to 20th February, 1922 | 15688 | 18 5 | 6815 | 7 5 | | | 1151 | 13 10 | | | 23655 | 19 8 |
| Outlay, North Circular Road Account | | | | | | | | | 1534 | 5 4 | 1534 | 5 4 |
| Balance in hand, 2nd March, 1922 | 9675 | 17 3 | 605 | 14 9 | 10 0 5 | | 38672 | 15 1 | 434 | 13 7 | 49399 | 1 1 |
| | £25364 | 15 8 | 7421 | 2 2 | 10 0 5 | | 39824 | 8 11 | 1968 | 18 11 | 74589 | 6 1 |

4.—ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT: They have also considered the various accounts submitted for payment, amounting to the sum of £19,709 13s. 4d. on the Council's Account, and the sum of £955 3s. 0d. on North Circular Road Account, and

RECOMMEND—That the same be passed and cheques drawn for the various amounts.

5.—EXPENDITURE JOURNALS, GENERAL AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS: That they have examined these Journals, and

RECOMMEND—That the Personal Accounts in the Ledger be credited, and the various Impersonal Accounts debited with the amounts of the Invoices.

6.—INFECTIOUS DISEASE NOTIFICATION: Letter from the Ministry of Health, intimating that as from the 1st September, 1921, the fee to be paid to Medical Practitioners for the notification of cases of Infectious Disease would revert to the sum of 2s. 6d.

The Council will recollect that by the provision of the Local Government (Emergency Provisions) 1916, the fee in respect of the notification of Infectious Disease was reduced to 1s., and consequent upon the termination of the war, as fixed by an Order in Council, the fee now reverts to the original sum of 2s. 6d.

The fee for notification of cases occurring in Institutions remains at 1s.

Your Committee have duly noted this communication.

7.—JOINT HOSPITAL:

(a) Report from the Clerk as to the receipt of a communication from the Ministry of Health, in reference to the site in Ashley Lane, proposed to be acquired by the Council for the erection of an Isolation Hospital. This matter has been under consideration by the Ministry of Health for some considerable time, and the Ministry now intimated that the site was larger than was required for the purposes of an Isolation Hospital for the district, and that they were not prepared to issue sanction to a loan for the acquisition of the site.

Your Committee have duly noted this communication.

(b) The Clerk reported that a communication had been received from Mr. Max Hahn in reference to the rent of the land under the terms of the Agreement, which had been referred to the Treasurer of the Council.

He also reported that he had informed Mr. Max Hahn that a communication had now been received from the Ministry intimating that they were unable to issue sanction to the loan for the purchase of the land.

Your Committee approved the action of the Clerk in the matter.

8.—LOANS—UNEXPENDED BALANCES:

Letter from the Ministry of Health in reference to the utilization of certain unexpended balances of loans raised in respect of sewage works. The Ministry intimate that no objection would be offered to the proposals of utilizing such unexpended balances for the extension of sewers in Golders Green Road and Brent Street.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That authority be given to proceed with such sewer extension works accordingly.

9.—HOUSING BONDS:

Letter from the Ministry of Health in reference to the issue of 6 per cent. Local Housing Bonds. The Ministry intimated that the issue of Housing Bonds was to be suspended as from the 25th February, and requested that details of the Financial position of the Council's Housing Scheme should be supplied to the Ministry, when a further communication would be transmitted to the Council.

Your Committee have duly noted the communication as to the suspension of the issue of Housing Bonds.

The Accountant reported that since the last meeting of the Committee, £1,150 had been received in respect of Local Housing Bonds. The total amount received up to the date of suspension of issue was £23,730, whilst the cost incurred in connection with the issue of Bonds amounted to £65 only.

Your Committee have noted this report with satisfaction.

10.—ACCOUNTS: The Clerk reported the receipt of statements of account to the 31st December, 1921, from the Gas Light and Coke Company, and the Colne Valley Water Company. The same were duly referred to the Accountant.

11.—IMPROVEMENTS—MILL HILL: Letter from the Ministry of Transport in reference to the application of the Council for grants in respect of the road improvement works at Mill Hill Road and Highwood Hill.

The Ministry now intimated that grants would be made in connection with the Schemes, as follows:—Mill Hill Road £374, and Highwood Hill £164, subject to the conditions of the Ministry under which the grants were made.

Report from the Accountant that claims would be made in due course for payment of such grants.

Your Committee have duly noted the receipt of this communication.

12.—PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS: That they received a report from the Clerk that the time limited by the notices of apportionment served in connection with the making up of Rodborough Road, Golders Green, under Section 150 of the Public Health Act, 1875, had expired, and he asked for authority to serve the notices of demand.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That notices of demand be served upon owners of property in Rodborough Road in respect of such Private Improvement Expenses.

13.—ESTIMATES: That they gave consideration to estimates of the Committees' requirements for the period to 31st March, 1923, and approved the same.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the estimates of the various Committees be considered at a meeting of the Council in Committee, to be held on the 20th instant.

14.—ISOLATION HOSPITAL: That they received a report from the Public Health Committee in reference to the extra duties carried out by the Matron of the Isolation Hospital (Miss Haines) during the recent epidemic of Infectious Disease.

Your Committee are informed that the Matron was herself taken ill, and was ordered away by the Medical Superintendent.

Your Committee are of opinion that a grant should be made to the Matron in respect of expenses incurred by her, and

RECOMMEND—The payment of a sum of £7 10s. to the Matron in respect thereof.

15.—PAY ORDER: The Accountant submitted Pay Order amounting to £4,108 18s., such amount being included in the statement of accounts for payment. Your Committee approved the same, and authorised the issue of the necessary cheques.

16.—CONTRACTORS' CERTIFICATES: The Surveyor submitted certificates in favour of Contractors as follows, the same being included in the statement of accounts submitted to your Committee:—

| | £ | s. | d. |
|------------------------|------|----|----|
| Thos. Adams | 105 | 4 | 0 |
| Thos. Adams | 297 | 19 | 0 |
| Farrow, Howard | 3870 | 0 | 0 |
| Holtum and Green | 300 | 0 | 0 |
| Neal, Harry | 450 | 0 | 0 |
| Ham, Baker and Company | 2700 | 0 | 0 |
| Frost, C. | 157 | 9 | 6 |

17.—LOAN BALANCES: That they received a report from the Accountant in reference to certain balances of loans in hand, amounting to the sum of £4,746 2s. 5d., which he suggested should be applied to the discharge of various loan sanctions which had been overspent to the extent of £5,551 6s., and that a transfer should be made from Revenue Account to Loan Account of £805 3s. 7d. to meet the difference between the two sums. The whole of the items comprised in the transfer related to pre-war works.

Your Committee approved of this suggestion, and

RECOMMEND—That application be made to the Ministry of Health for consent to the arrangement proposed.

Report

Ladies and Gentlemen

Your Committee
February, 1922. Pr
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Report of Works & Sewage Disposal Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 20th day of February, 1922. Present: Mr. Councillor Roberts (Chairman), Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Cartwright, Egan, Glanville, Hill, Hare, Reynolds, and Sturgees.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—ESTIMATES: That they gave consideration to draft estimates submitted by the Accountant of the Committee's requirements for the year ending 31st March, 1923, and

RECOMMEND—That the same be approved.

2.—ALLOTMENTS:

(A) CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE: Letter from Mr. G. Hugh Robinson resigning his membership as a representative of the Central Hendon Allotment Association on the Allotments' Consultative Committee. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the thanks of the Council be tendered to Mr. Robinson for the services rendered by him as a member of such Committee.

Your Committee await a nomination from the Central Hendon Allotment Association to fill the vacancy thus occasioned.

(B) STATION ESTATE—FINCHLEY ROAD: Letter from Mr. A. J. Reynolds as to his intention to submit plans for the development of certain land in Finchley Road, at present utilised as allotments, and suggesting that the allottees affected by such building development should be served with the necessary notices forthwith to quit their allotments.

Your Committee have given the matter consideration, and

RECOMMEND—That upon deposit by Mr. Reynolds of the necessary plans of the development of the land in question the allottees be served with notice to quit the allotments held by them.

(C) FINCHLEY ROAD: Letter from Mr. H. P. Merriman, on behalf of the Hampstead Garden Suburb Allotments' Association, as to negotiations which the Association had had with the Urban District Council of Finchley relative to obtaining certain land, north of the Mutton Brook, for the provision of permanent allotments. It appeared from such communication that the Association were in possession of a number of names of persons desirous of obtaining an allotment, and that certain of such persons were residents in the Hendon district, and they suggested, having regard to this fact, that the Hendon and Finchley Councils should co-operate in regard thereto. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk communicate with the Finchley Council upon the matter, and propose to give the same further consideration at a later date.

(D) ALLOTMENTS—CHILD'S HILL: Letter from Mr. W. A. Kitcher, Hon. Secretary of the Child's Hill Ratepayers' Association, relative to the dispossession of allottees owing to the land being required for building development, and urging the Council to provide additional land for the provision of allotments.

Report from the Surveyor in regard to the present position of the negotiations with the Ecclesiastical Commissioners relative to the land proposed to be leased from them at Child's Hill, and as to the action taken by him in regard to the present tenancies.

It appeared from such report that one of the tenants (Mr. Raymond) had agreed to relinquish his tenancy forthwith, and that in the case of the other tenant the negotiations had not yet been concluded.

In view of such report, your Committee authorised the Surveyor to proceed with the staking out of the land to be surrendered by Mr. Raymond. Consideration was given to the question of staking out 25 per cent. of the whole area of the land to be leased from the Commissioners in seven pole plots. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That this suggestion be carried out.

Having regard to the report of the Surveyor, your Committee authorised the Clerk to communicate with Mr. Kitcher informing him of the arrangements made by the Council, with a view to providing additional land for allotments at Child's Hill, and further to state that in the letting of such allotments preference would be given to allottees dispossessed of their allotments as a result of building development taking place.

(E) GREENFIELD GARDENS ALLOTMENTS: Letter from Mr. E. J. Rutland, on behalf of the Cricklewood Allotment Holders' Association, relative to the question of dealing with certain uncultivated allotments at Greenfield Gardens, and suggesting, in view of the difficulty experienced in ascertaining information as to the exact holders of such plots owing to unauthorised transfers and sub-letting, that notices should be placed on the plots intimating that unless steps were taken to cultivate the same within a period of seven days, the plots would be re-let.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the suggestion of the Allotment Association be approved, and that notices be placed on the uncultivated allotments at Greenfield Gardens in due course.

The Association also made reference to the question of certain fencing in connection with the Greenfield Gardens Allotments, which was discussed at the last meeting of your Committee, and they forwarded a sketch showing the exact position of the fencing in question.

Your Committee decided to leave the matter in the hands of the Surveyor to carry out any necessary repairs to such fencing.

- (F) **DAWS LANE:** Report from the Surveyor as to his further negotiations with Mr. Howard for acquiring an area of about 8½ acres of land in Daws Lane for the purpose of allotments. Your Committee instructed the Surveyor to continue his negotiations, and

RECOMMEND—That in due course application be made to the Ministry for sanction to the necessary loan for the acquisition of this land.

3.—PUBLIC CONVENIENCE:

- (A) **CHILD'S HILL:** Letter from Mr. W. A. Kitcher, on behalf of the Child's Hill Ratepayers' Association, urging the Council to take steps to provide a Public Convenience at Child's Hill.

Your Committee understand that the Outdoor Committee had this matter under consideration at their meeting on Saturday last, and that the Surveyor has been instructed to make enquiries with regard to obtaining a site for the erection of a Public Convenience at Child's Hill. They therefore

RECOMMEND—That the Child's Hill Ratepayers' Association be informed that the matter is receiving attention.

- (B) **CENTRAL HENDON:** Letter from the Ministry of Health in regard to the proposal of the Council to construct a Public Convenience at the junction of Bell Lane and Brent Street, and intimating that they would be prepared to sanction a loan for the construction of the Convenience entirely underground, provided that the Council were satisfied that the land could be utilised for the purpose.

Your Committee have adjourned the consideration of the matter until their next meeting, and have requested the Surveyor to submit the original plan and estimate providing for the underground scheme.

- 4.—**SUNNY HILL FIELD:** Letter from Mr. R. Brooke-Short transmitting a petition signed by certain residents in Sunningfields Road, whose property abutted on the roadway leading to Sunny Hill Field, protesting against the use of the field as a playing ground, and suggesting that the Council should arrange that the lower end of the field only should be utilised for this purpose, the remainder of the land being used as a park. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Brooke-Short be informed, on behalf of the petitioners, that the matter will receive consideration by the Council when possession of the land is obtained.

- 5.—**GREATER LONDON:** Letter from the Town Clerk, Borough of Ealing, intimating that an adjourned Conference of Local Authorities in West Middlesex would take place at the Town Hall, Ealing, on Thursday, the 23rd inst.

Your Committee decided to take no action in regard thereto.

- 6.—**RAILWAYS (LONDON AND NORTH WESTERN AND MIDLAND GROUP) BILL:** Letter from the Hon. Secretary of the Standing Joint Committee of Mechanical Road Transport Associations as to a proposal to hold a Conference of petitioners against the Railways (London and North Western and Midland Group) Bill on the 27th inst., and inviting the Council to be represented thereat.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee decided not to appoint representatives to attend the Conference.

- 7.—**HENDON PUBLIC PARK:** Report from the Surveyor in regard to the condition of the pitches utilised for the purposes of football and cricket in the Hendon Public Park, and as to the work necessary in connection with such pitches to prepare the same for the coming cricket season. He submitted a suggestion in order to secure good pitches that a period of six weeks should elapse from the termination of the use of the pitches for football, viz., the 15th April, and the commencement of the cricket season.

Your Committee have given the matter consideration, but in view of the fact that the cricket season should commence on the 1st May, they are unable to recommend the Council to agree thereto. Consideration was also given to the question of curtailing the present football arrangements with a view to meeting the suggestion of the Surveyor, but your Committee are unable to make any recommendation in this respect, as these fixtures have long since been arranged. They

RECOMMEND—That the football season terminate on the 15th April, as originally agreed, and that with regard to the commencement of the cricket season, that the same be postponed for a period of two weeks, thus commencing in the middle of May. They further

RECOMMEND—That next season's arrangements be made for the termination of the football season at the end of March.

8.—SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS:

- (A) Report from the Engineer in regard to the progress made in connection with the construction of the New Sewage Disposal Works, from which it appeared that the work was progressing satisfactorily, and it was anticipated that the same would be completed within the next two or three months.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of such report.

- (B) The Engineer reported the receipt of a quotation from Messrs. George Kent, Ltd., for the provision of a Venturi Meter at the Sewage Works, at an estimated cost of £484, the Engineer stating that a provisional sum of £500 had been included in the contract for the meter in question.

He suggested that as the provision of the meter formed part of the original scheme prepared by Mr. Grimley, that details of the construction and fitting thereof should be referred to him for approval. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Engineer's suggestion be approved, and that the quotation of Messrs. George Kent, Ltd., be accepted, subject to a satisfactory report from the Consulting Engineer in regard thereto.

- 9.—**BRENT LOW LEVEL PUMPING STATION:** The Engineer submitted a report from the National Boiler and General Insurance Company, Ltd., as to an inspection made of the electrical machinery at the Brent Low Level Pumping Station, from which it appeared that at the time of such inspection the same was in order. Noted.

10.—**BRENT LOW LEVEL**
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11.—**DAWS FARM ESTA**
Surveyor submitted
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12.—**ANNUAL TENDERS:**
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Lamb, W. T. and Sons

Hartshill Granite Co.

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Name.

Breedon and Cloud ... Isley
Hill Lime Works

Name.

Hounslow Sand and ... Hour
Gravel Company

Tabey, H. and Company Padd

Name.

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Constable, Hart and Co.

10.—BRENT LOW LEVEL SEWERAGE EXTENSION: Report from the Engineer as to his negotiations with the Metropolitan Railway Company relative to the extension of the Brent Low Level Sewer through land belonging to the Company at Brent Street, from which it appeared that as a result of such negotiations the Company had agreed to accept the sum of £50 in respect of the easement referred to. After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council agree to the payment of £50 to the Metropolitan Railway Company in accordance with such negotiations.

11.—DAWS FARM ESTATE: In accordance with the instructions of the Committee at the last meeting, the Surveyor submitted a plan showing the final scheme approved by the Council, for the lay-out of the Daws Farm Estate, when the matter was under their consideration on the last occasion, such lay-out plan providing as follows:—

| | | | |
|----------------------|-----|-----|-------------------|
| Housing site | ... | ... | 5½ acres. |
| School site | ... | ... | 4½ acres. |
| School playing field | ... | ... | 4 acres. |
| Allotments | ... | ... | 8 acres. |
| Park | ... | ... | 27½ acres. |
| | | | <u>49½ acres.</u> |

The Council will remember that it has been decided to offer the vendors of the estate the sum of £20,500 for the acquisition thereof, subject to the approval of the Ministry of Health, and the Surveyor suggested that before doing so the Council should agree on an allocation of the land to meet the present requirements of the Council, and certain suggestions were put forward in regard thereto.

Your Committee have requested the Surveyor to prepare a plan of the suggested lay-out of the Estate in accordance with the terms of his report.

12.—ANNUAL TENDERS: That they gave consideration to a Schedule of Tenders received for Annual Supplies for the year ending 31st March, 1923. After due consideration thereof your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the following tenders be accepted, and that the Clerk prepare the necessary Contracts in due course.

LEICESTERSHIRE GRANITES.

| Name. | Address. | Midland Railway. | | | G. N. Railway. | | Remarks. |
|-----------------------|-----------------|------------------|---------|--------------|----------------|-----------|--------------|
| | | Mill Hill. | Hendon. | Cricklewood. | Mill Hill. | The Hale. | |
| | | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | |
| Lamb, W. T. and Sons | Shoe Lane, E.C. | 22 8 | 22 8 | 22 8 | — | 23 0 | 2in. gauge. |
| | | 21 8 | 21 8 | 21 8 | — | 22 1 | 3in. gauge. |
| | | 21 11 | 21 11 | 21 11 | — | 22 4 | 1in. gauge. |
| Hartshill Granite Co. | Hartshill | 22 8 | 22 8 | 22 8 | 22 8 | 22 8 | 2in. gauge. |
| | | 20 8 | 20 8 | 20 8 | 20 8 | 20 8 | 1½in. gauge. |
| | | 21 8 | 21 8 | 21 8 | 21 8 | 21 8 | 3in. gauge. |
| | | 21 11 | 21 11 | 21 11 | 21 11 | 21 11 | 1in. gauge. |

Subject to a satisfactory list of the Quarries from which it is proposed to procure the Granite being furnished.

LIMESTONE.

| Name. | Address. | Midland Railway | | | G. N. Railway. | | Remarks. |
|-------------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|------------|----------------|-----------|-------------------|
| | | Hendon. | Child's Hill. | Mill Hill. | Mill Hill. | The Hale. | |
| | | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | |
| Breedon and Cloud | Isley Walton, | 17 8 | 17 8 | 17 8 | 18 5 | — | 1in., 1in. & 2in. |
| Hill Lime Works | Derby | 17 2 | 17 2 | 17 2 | 17 11 | — | Rockery pieces. |

SHINGLE.

| Name. | Address. | Midland Railway | | | G. N. Railway. | | Remarks. |
|----------------------------------|------------|-----------------|---------------|------------|----------------|-----------|----------------------------------|
| | | Hendon. | Child's Hill. | Mill Hill. | Mill Hill. | The Hale. | |
| | | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | |
| Hounslow Sand and Gravel Company | Hounslow | 17 0 | 17 0 | 17 0 | — | — | Delivered on Highway (per ton). |
| Sabey, H. and Company | Paddington | 16 3 | 16 3 | 16 3 | — | — | Delivered on Highways (per yd.). |

TARPAVING AND TARMAC.

| Name. | At per | 2in. gauge. | 1½in. gauge. | 2in. & 1½in. mixed. | 1in. gauge. | 1in. gauge. | 3in. gauge. |
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| Article. | At per | Doz. | Jas. Gibb and Co. Contractor's pattern. | |
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| Circular Manhole Covers ... | Doz. | ... | 52 | 17 6 |
| Gal. W. I. Plates, 1ft. 7in. dia. | Doz. | ... | 3 | 7 6 |
| 1ft. 8in. dia. | Doz. | ... | 3 | 8 6 |
| 1ft. 11in. dia. | Doz. | ... | 3 | 9 6 |
| C. I. Gully Grates, 26in. by 19½in. | Doz. | ... | 32 | 15 0 |
| Circular Lamphole Covers ... | Doz. | ... | 35 | 10 6 |
| Square Lamphole Covers ... | Doz. | ... | 27 | 10 0 |
| Galvanised Iron Plates for ditto. | Doz. | ... | 1 | 10 0 |
| C. I. Gully Grates, 20in. by 20in. | Doz. | ... | 28 | 10 6 |
| C. I. Lamp Columns ... | Doz. | ... | 59 | 10 0 |
| Rect. C. I. Covers ... | Doz. | ... | 42 | 17 6 |
| W. I. Plates for ditto ... | Doz. | ... | 3 | 0 0 |
| R. W. Guttering, 6ft. ... | ... | ... | 13 | 17 6 |
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DISINFECTANTS.

| | At per | Sanitas Company, Ltd. | £ s. d. | |
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| | | | £ | s. d. |
| "Sanitas" Okol ... | Gal. | 5 9 "A" | | |
| "Sanitas" Crude ... | Gal. | 6 9 "B" | | |
| In 8oz. tins ... | Doz. | 10 6 | | |
| "Sanitas" No. 2 Powder ... | Ton. | 12 10 0 | | |
| | | Jeyes Sanitary Compounds Limited. | £ s. d. | |
| White Cyllin ... | Gal. | 5 3 | | |
| In 8oz. Bottles ... | Doz. | 9 0 | | |
| Corporation Powder ... | Ton | 9 0 0 | | |

CARTAGE OF MATERIALS.

| Name of Contractor. | Address. | Midland Railway. | | | G.N. Railway. | |
|---------------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|-----------------|
| | | Child's Hill Ward. | Hendon Ward. | Mill Hill Ward. | Hendon Ward. | Mill Hill Ward. |
| | | At per ton. | At per ton. | At per ton. | At per ton. | At per ton. |
| | | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. |
| Cherry, C. | Mill Hill | 3 3 | 3 3 | — | — | — |
| Ballard, R. | Child's Hill | 5 0 | 3 0 | 6 0 | 4 0 | 6 0 |
| Stillman, H. | Hendon | — | — | — | — | — |

CLEANSING CESSPOOLS.

| | 1,500 gallons. | 2,000 gallons. | 2,500 gallons. | 3,000 gallons. |
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| Cherry, C. | £5 0s. 0d. | £5 10s. 0d. | £6 0s. 0d. | £6 10s. 0d. |

STEAM ROLLER HIRE.

| Name. | 10 Ton Roller and Scarifier, including Horse and Cart, Fuel, Oil, Watchman, etc. | Remarks. |
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| Rowley, Thos., Junr. | 8½ hours. £1 16s. 0d. | Council to find Horse and Driver, Fuel, Oil, Water, Tynes, and Sharpening Tools. |

VETERINARY SERVICES.

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| Sherren, E. R. | Stanmore | 17s. 6d. per horse per annum. 10s. 6d. per examination. £20 per annum for quarterly inspection of cows. |
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13.—MILL HILL DUSTING: Consideration was given to the tenders received for the work of refuse removal in the Mill Hill Ward, and it was ultimately decided to defer the further consideration thereof to a meeting of the Council in Committee to be held on the 13th prox.

Upon the report of the Surveyor it was decided not to accept tenders for the supply of the following materials:—

- Guernsey Granite.
- Welsh Granite.
- Various Granites.
- Tarred Granites.
- Hoggin.

With regard to the question of Harness Repairs, the Surveyor suggested that quotations should be obtained for this work in the open market, and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the suggestion be adopted.

14.—LAWRENCE STREET, MILL HILL: Reference was made to the confusion caused by the adoption of various names in certain sections of Lawrence Street, and the Surveyor was instructed to submit a suggestion for remedying the matter at the next meeting of your Committee.

15.—REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor submitted a requisition of goods and materials required in his department, and the same was duly approved.

Report of Public Health Committee, No. 1.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 13th day of February, 1922. Present: Councillors R. A. B. Teare, (Chairman), Miss Growse, Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Hodge, Hearn, Taylor, Weeks, and Rev. Dr. Macgowan.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—APPOINTMENT OF MIDWIFE: That they gave consideration to the schedule of applications received for the appointment of the Council's Midwife, and selected six candidates to attend before the meeting of your Committee on Monday next, the 20th instant.

Your Committee considered it desirable that each of the candidates should view the unfurnished quarters prior to attending the meeting of the Committee, and gave instructions accordingly.

Report of Public Health Committee, No. 2.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 20th day of February, 1922. Present: Mr. Councillor Teare (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Miss Hodge, Mrs. Hargraves, Hearn, Fenn, Taylor, Weeks, and Rev. Dr. Macgowan.

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Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—APPOINTMENT OF MIDWIFE: That they interviewed the following selected candidates for the appointment of Midwife:—
- Nurse Clegg, London.
 - Nurse Sherman, Baldock, Herts.
 - Nurse Thompson, Creton, Northamptonshire.
 - Nurse Norwood, London.

Nurse Crowe, of Barnet, and Nurse Burns, of Upton, intimated by letter that they desired to withdraw their candidature, and did not attend the meeting.

After consideration of the qualifications of the candidates who attended before the Committee, your Committee being invested with power to act, unanimously decided to appoint Nurse Sherman, of Baldock, to the position of Midwife, with a salary of £190 per annum, rising by annual increments of £10 to £220 per annum, such salary being inclusive of bonu and allowances, except travelling expenses.

- 2.—ESTIMATES: That they gave consideration to the Estimates of the Committee's requirements for the year ending 31st March, 1923, and after very careful consideration thereof your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Estimates at the sum of £19,970 be approved, and that the same be referred to the Finance Committee for approval.

- 3.—ISOLATION HOSPITAL: That they received a report from the Medical Officer of Health as to the cases under treatment at the Hendon Isolation Hospital, and have duly noted the same.

Your Committee also received a report as to certain disciplinary action taken by the Medical Superintendent in connection with the Hospital staff, and have duly approved the same.

Letter from Mr. G. Erskine as to treatment of infectious disease at the Isolation Hospital. Your Committee have instructed the Officers to reply thereto.

In connection with the preparation of particulars for the proposed permanent Isolation Hospital, your Committee gave authority to the Medical Officer of Health to visit the Isolation Hospital at Nottingham, to inspect the building and arrangements for dealing with infectious diseases.

- 4.—WATER SUPPLY: Report from the Medical Officer of Health as to certain complaints which had been received as to the water supply in a portion of the Council's district. A sample of the water had been analysed and found to be very satisfactory.—Noted.

- 5.—DRAINAGE WORKS: That they received a report from the Sanitary Inspector as to the action taken by him as to certain drainage works in the district, and the same was duly approved.

- 6.—SLAUGHTER HOUSE LICENCES: A report was received from the Sanitary Inspector in reference to the following applications:—

Mr. Holdstock, of Reets Farm, Kingsbury, for renewal of licence.
Mr. John Samuel Gough, Hale Lane, Edgware, for a licence in respect of new slaughter house premises.

Your Committee are informed that the premises in question have been inspected and are found to be satisfactory in all respects for carrying on a business of slaughtering. They

RECOMMEND—

- (a) That the licence in respect of the slaughter house at Reets Farm, Kingsbury, occupied by Mr. Holdstock, be renewed for a further period of 12 months.
- (b) That a licence be granted to Mr. J. S. Gough in respect of the slaughter house at Hale Lane, Edgware, for a period of 12 months.

- 7.—FACTORY AND WORKSHOPS ACT: Letters from H.M. Inspector of Factories, transmitting notices as to certain matters requiring attention at the following factories and workshops:—

176, The Broadway, Hendon.
25 and 27, The Burroughs.
148, Granville Road.

Report from the Sanitary Inspector that the communications had been referred to him, and the defects complained of were being remedied.

- 8.—STATION ROAD: Report from the Clerk as to the receipt of a communication from the Ministry of Health, with a copy letter from Mr. H. Goddard, the tenant of No. 41, Station Road, complaining as to the condition of the premises. The matter had been referred to the Sanitary Inspector, and a report had been presented to the Ministry in regard thereto.

Your Committee have given consideration to a report from the Inspector as to his inspection of the premises, and

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk's action be approved.

- 9.—TENNYSON ROAD, MILL HILL: Your Committee have received a report from the Sanitary Inspector as to premises No. 5, Tennyson Road, from which it appeared that the repair work required to be carried out was being put in hand.

Your Committee have approved the Sanitary Inspector's action in the matter.

- 10.—STATUTORY NOTICES: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to the following cases, where preliminary notices had been served, but had not been complied with, and he asked for authority to serve statutory notices:—

39, Ashbourne Avenue.
8, North Street and 58a, Victoria Road.

Your Committee gave authority for the issue of statutory notices if found necessary.

- 11.—SANITARY CERTIFICATES: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to an application for the issue of a certificate under Section 2 of the Increase of Rent and Mortgage Restriction Act, 1920, in respect of 7, Hale Grove Gardens, Mill Hill.

After due consideration of such application, your Committee gave authority for the issue of a certificate in this case.

- 12.—REQUISITIONS: The Medical Officer submitted requisitions for certain goods required, and the same were duly approved.

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Report of Town Planning Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 27th day of February, 1922. Present: Mr. Councillor Reynolds (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Hodge, Egan, Penn, Hill, Soar, Weeks, and Taylor.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—APPLICATION No. 5277: That they had under consideration an amended plan showing the proposed alterations and additions to the "Royal Oak," Finchley Road, and Mr. Masters, the Architect to the Lessee of the premises, attended the meeting of your Committee in regard thereto.

After careful consideration of the amended proposals put forward by the Architect, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council agree to the new line of frontage projecting beyond the front main wall in Finchley Road, subject to the following conditions for the erection of a new convenience abutting upon Bridge Lane, etc.:—

- (1) A convenience with three stalls not less than six feet in width and one w.c. at least 2 feet 9 inches wide by 4 feet long, with automatic flushing tanks, top lighting, and tiled walls and floor. Undertaking to be given that convenience will be always available for the use of the public between the hours of 6 a.m. and 11 p.m.
- (2) The existing steps on the footway in Bridge Lane to be removed immediately.
- (3) An undertaking to be given when rebuilding the site of the existing garages to set back in a line with the premises now known as Messrs. Wardens, and the new line of the convenience at the junction of Finchley Road and Bridge Lane.

- 2.—PLANS: That they gave consideration to the following applications for approval of plans, and

RECOMMEND thereon as follows:—

| No. | Description of Premises. | Owner or Person submitting. | Recommendation. |
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| 5262 | Amended Plan, Detached House and Garage, Elm-croft Avenue. | Mr. F. Dymock | Approval. |
| 5279 | Amended Plan, Two Detached Houses and one Garage, Brent Street. | Mr. B. Hammond | Approval. |
| 5287 | One Garage, 99, Leaside Crescent | Messrs. Waterman Bros. | Approval. |
| 5288 | Additions and Alterations, Langley Park | Mr. Easton | Approval. |
| 5289 | Additions and Alterations, 32, The Vale. | Messrs. F. Troy & Co. | Approval. |
| 5290 | Additions and Alterations, No. 8, Hedford Road. | Mr. W. Rowland | Approval. |
| 5291 | Alterations and Additions, Sunny Lodge, Sunning-fields Road. | Mr. Kilm | Approval. |
| 5294 | Motor House, Elm Cottage, Shirehall Lane. | Mr. A. J. Hill | Approval. |
| 5312 | One Pair of Semi-Detached Houses, and one Garage, Finchley Road | Mr. W. S. Gibson | Approval. |
| 5295 | Additions, 7, Willifield Way | Mr. H. Merriman | Approval. |
| 5281 | Amended Plan, Temporary Boiler House, "Heath View," Neeld Crescent. | Mr. A. J. Hill | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5292 | Garage, 68, The Drive. | Mr. R. Westray | Approval. |
| 5293 | Temporary Lock-up Garages, Lawrence Street. | Messrs. Orton & Co. | Approval as temporary buildings. |
| 5296 | Temporary Army Hut, East Road. | Mr. A. Arnett | Disapproval. |
| 5297 | Ten Lock-up Shops, Golders Green Road, West side. | Mr. W. Ainslie | Approval, subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5298 | Workshop Stores and Residence, Finchley Road. | Messrs. Garsubil, Ltd. | Approval. |
| 5299 | Two Semi-Detached Houses and Two Garages, Basing Hill, N.W. side, and one Detached House and three Garages, Basing Hill, S.E. side. | Mr. C. W. B. Simmonds | Approval. |
| 5300 | One Pair of Semi-Detached Houses and one Garage, Moreland Close. | Mr. W. Quennell | Disapproval. |
| 5301 | One Detached House, Hillview Road, Mill Hill | Mr. L. B. Moss | Approval, subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5302 | Temporary Sports' Pavilion, St. Andrew's Road | Templars Lawn Tennis Club Ltd. | Approval as temporary building, subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5303 | Temporary Sports' Pavilion, The Vale, North side | You Dec Sports Club | Disapproval (Surveyor to negotiate). |
| 5304 | Alterations and Drainage, Hendon Aerodrome, No. 32. | General Motors, Ltd. | Approval. |
| 5305 | Temporary Hut, Dallas Road. | Mr. A. J. Martin | Approval. |
| 5306 | Additions, Nicholl's Almshouses, Milesplit Hill, South side. | Trustees of Nicholl's Almshouses | Disapproval. |
| 5308 | Temporary Garage, 1, South Square. | Hampstead Heath Tenants' Society | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5309 | Additions and Alterations, 36, Brockenhurst Gardens. | Mr. G. W. Holloway | Approval. |
| 5310 | Offices and Flats, Willifield Way, North side. | Messrs. T. Hodson & Sons | Disapproval. |
| 5311 | Temporary Garages, Bunn's Lane, Mill Hill. | Messrs. Frank Parvin, Ltd. | Approval as temporary buildings. |
| 5313 | Additions and Alterations to "Lloyds Bank," Temple Fortune. | Mr. Wilson | Approval. |
| 5246 | Amended Plan, Temporary Store Sheds, Highfield Road. | Messrs. Keene | Disapproval. |
| 5314 | Garage, Linnell Drive. | Messrs. King & Sons | Approval. |
| 5315 | Store Sheds at the rear of 135, Hamilton Road. | Messrs. Needs & Co. | Approval. |
| 5316 | Garages and Stores, Willifield Way. | Mr. J. C. S. Soutar | Disapproval. |
| 5317 | One House, Elms Avenue | Mr. Bond | Approval. |

3.—HOUSING (ADDITIONAL Certificates "B" might be Persons to

Application No. Mr. E. Messrs. Mr. J. Miss E. Mr. C. Mr. A. Mr. A. Mr. E. Mr. R. Mr. E. Mr. H.

Your Committee authorised

4.—TOWN PLANNING: The preliminary Town Planning of Health upon the subject

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Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—BRENT HILL SCHEME:

- (A) CONTRACT: The Council and the Ministry in regard to the construction of the scheme have been addressed to the Ministry's form, and the Ministry has received a representation from the Ministry in regard to the completion of the scheme. The Contract was quite in accordance with the received.

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- (B) COMPLAINT: The Ministry had received a complaint in the previous occasions of the garden. Your Committee

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- (C) SUB CONTRACT: The Council has received a sub-contract from the Official Receiver. Your Committee has considered the matter and has recommended that the sub-contract should be identified in connection with the main contract.

The Council

Your Committee

- (D) NAMING OF ROADS: The Council has received a proposal for the naming of roads in connection with the scheme. Your Committee has considered the matter and has recommended that the roads should be named in accordance with the proposal.

RECOMMEND

3.—HOUSING (ADDITIONAL POWERS) ACTS, 1919 AND 1921: The Surveyor reported that in the following cases Certificates "B" might be issued for the amounts named:—

| Application No. | Persons to whom issued. | Locality and Description of Premises | Amount of Grant per House. |
|-----------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 4802 | Mr. E. Wright | Ambrose Avenue, five houses | £260 |
| 4844 | Messrs. Haymills, Ltd. | Wentworth Road, three houses | £260 |
| 5033 | Messrs. Haymills, Ltd. | Portdown Avenue, four houses | £260 |
| 5191 | Mr. J. P. Lloyd | Wildwood Road, one house | £260 |
| 5191 | Miss E. Forbes | Wildwood Road, one house | £260 |
| 5137 | Mr. C. F. Ives | Wildwood Road, one house | £260 |
| 4770 | Mr. A. H. Arnell | Wildwood Road, one house | £260 |
| 4770 | Mr. A. H. Arnell | Cranbourne Avenue, one house | £260 |
| 5089 | Mr. E. H. Waterman | Bridge Lane, one house | £260 |
| 5167 | Mr. R. Strcather | Princes Park Avenue, two houses | £260 |
| 5193 | Mr. E. H. Waterman | Millway, six houses | £260 |
| 5187 | Mr. H. G. Parsons | Cranbourne Gardens, two houses | £260 |
| | | Needle Crescent, one house | £260 |

Your Committee authorised the issue of such Certificates.

4.—TOWN PLANNING: The Surveyor submitted a detailed report, together with a draft map of a suggested preliminary Town Planning Scheme for the district, in accordance with the revised Regulations issued by the Ministry of Health upon the subject of Town Planning.

Your Committee propose to give such report detailed consideration in due course.

Report of Housing Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 27th day of February, 1922. Present: Mr. Councillor Roberts (in the Chair), and Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Mrs. Hargraves, Cartwright, Hearn, Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Teare and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—BRENT HILL SCHEME:

(A) **CONTRACT:** That they received a report as to the recent interview between the Chairman of the Council and the Treasurer of the Council with the Officials of the Ministry of Health in reference to the communication received from the Ministry, dealing with various outstanding points in regard to the scheme, and the settlement relative to the Contract of the Improved Concrete Construction Company. Your Committee also received a report as to a communication which had been addressed to the Ministry in reply to the points raised, and approved the same.

It appeared that the Ministry required the new form of Contract with Messrs. Billing, on the Ministry's form, but agreed certain variations would have to be made therein.

The Ministry have not yet returned the tender of Messrs. Billing finally approved, in order that the Contract may be prepared.

A representative of Messrs. J. E. Billing and Co., the Contractors, also attended at the Ministry in regard to the scheme, and a communication was addressed to them requesting to be furnished with their confirmation that they were prepared to proceed with the Contract for the completion of the 158 houses, the 20 new houses being omitted for the time being.

The Contractors had replied confirming the arrangements arrived at, and also intimated that they were quite prepared to proceed with the Contract for the completion of the 158 houses in accordance with the drawings and specification immediately the final approval of the Ministry was received.

Your Committee have noted this communication with satisfaction. They gave authority for the Contract to proceed immediately the Ministry's final approval had been received, together with the tender.

(B) **COMPLAINT:** Letter from the Ministry of Health enclosing copy of communication which the Ministry had received from Mr. C. S. Windsor, one of the Council's tenants, complaining of the obstruction in the garden of his house. The Council will recollect that Mr. Windsor has on previous occasions complained in regard to the smoke from the Contractor's engine, and he now complained of the existence of the engine shed, which he alleged interfered with the use of his garden. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Ministry be furnished with a copy of the previous communication sent to Mr. Windsor on the occasion of his last complaint.

(C) **SUB CONTRACTOR'S PLANT:** Letters from Messrs. Gibson and Weldon, on behalf of Mr. C. Pegrum, requesting that certain painters' tools which he had left on the works might be returned to him.

The Council will recollect that on an application being made by Mr. Pegrum, he was referred to the Official Receiver in regard thereto.

Your Committee decided to enquire as to whether the tools in question were clearly marked so as to be identified as the property of Mr. Pegrum, and propose to give the matter further consideration at their next meeting.

(D) **NAMING OF ROADS:** Your Committee gave further consideration to the naming of roads in connection with the Brent Hill Scheme, and they now

RECOMMEND—That four of the roads be named as follows:—

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Surveyor's report.

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Surveyor's report.

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Surveyor's report.

Disapproval (Surveyor

to negotiate).

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buildings.

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(E) LIGHTING: The Surveyor reported in regard to the quotation of the Hendon Electric Supply Company for the lighting at Brent Hill Scheme, which amounts to £6 10s. per lamp complete. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That 10 lamps be fixed in accordance with the suggestion of the Surveyor.

(F) GARDENS: Reference was made to the desirability of setting out the gardens of the houses in Park Road in order that the same might be used by the tenants. At the present time a light railway track exists on the site of the gardens, and your Committee suggest that the track might now be removed.

2.—CHILD'S HILL SCHEME:

(A) CONTRACT: Letter from Mr. Drummond, on behalf of Messrs. Williams and Co., in reference to the claim for slates supplied to Mr. Ramsbotham, the Contractor for the Child's Hill Scheme.

Report from the Clerk that Mr. Drummond had been informed that the Architect was now busily engaged on the accounts in connection with the Child's Hill Scheme, and that the Council were unable to take any action in the matter until the final accounts had been completed. Your Committee confirmed the Clerk's action.

(B) ALLOTMENT LAND: Reference was made to a small piece of land at the Child's Hill Scheme which would provide for three allotments. It was suggested by your Committee that the tenants of the cottages might be disposed to take the land for allotments at a rental of 1s. per pole.

It was agreed that the land be used for the purposes of allotments at that rental.

3.—HOUSING POLICY: Letter from the National and Town Planning Council transmitting resolutions adopted by the Joint Meeting of the Executive Committees of the Council as to the Housing Situation, and expressing the hope that Local Authorities would pass similar resolutions. Your Committee do not consider any useful purpose would be served by taking any action in this matter, and have no recommendation to make thereon.

4.—ESTIMATES: That they gave consideration to the estimates of the Committee's requirements for the year ending March, 1923, and approved the same for submission to the Finance Committee.

5.—HOUSING SCHEMES: Reference was made to the question of repairs and replacements, such as broken windows, etc. in connection with the Council's Housing Schemes, and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That for all ordinary breakages such as windows, etc., the responsibility for repair shall be entirely a matter for the tenants of the houses, and that each tenant be informed accordingly.

Report of Fire Brigade Committee, No. 1.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 27th day of February, 1922. Present: Councillor Miss Growse (Chairman), and Councillors Fenn, Hearn, Hill, Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Mrs. Bannister, Reynolds, Teare and Taylor.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—PETROL AND CARBIDE LICENCES: On the report of the Chief Officer, that the following applications for renewal of petrol and carbide licences be approved:—

- Shutler and Winterton—Petrol.
- Saunders Garage Co.—Petrol.
- F. W. Strong, Ltd.—Carbide of Calcium.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the licences in due course.

The Chief Officer submitted applications from General Motors, Ltd., and F. W. Strong, for licences to store petrol in bulk in sealed tanks, but they have deferred the consideration of these applications pending a report in regard to the plans submitted.

2.—FIRE ALARMS: Letter from the Urban District Council of Kingsbury as to a proposal for the erection of a Fire Alarm post at Roe Green Village, within their district, which they suggested should be connected to the Council's Fire Station.

In view of the arrangement between the Urban District of Kingsbury and the Council as to fire protection, your Committee agree that the alarm in the Kingsbury District should be connected to the indicator board at the Council's Fire Station.

The Kingsbury Council intimated in their communication that they would be responsible for the rent of the indicator. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the arrangement be approved.

3.—WATER PRESSURES: The Chief Officer submitted a report as to water pressures taken since the meeting of the last Committee, but such report called for no special remark.

4.—STORES: The Chief Officer submitted a report in regard to certain stores required for the Brigade. Your Committee approved the same for submission to the Requisitions Committee.

5.—MOTOR FIRE ENGINE No. 2: Report from the Chief Officer that Leyland Motors, Ltd., had applied to be furnished with the necessary 16ft. and 10ft. length of motor suction, and two delivery couplings for the new motor fire engine being constructed.

Your Committee received a report from Messrs. Leyland Motors, Ltd. and had to be given in regard to the suggestion that the members in lieu of the Requisition Committee from the Engineer as to the proposed variation is agreed, and the hose has been fixed, instead of a capacity of 1,000. Your Committee have given approval.

RECOMMEND—That subject be authorised to have the same.

CENTRAL FIRE STATION STAFF: Report from which it appeared that the Chief Officer suggested the disconnection of the motors and drive. In view of the fact that the second order that an appointment should be made.

RECOMMEND FURTHER—That scale for motor mechanic and

Report from the Chief Officer in regard to the upkeep of his motor cycle and whether the Council would also.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That this matter that they received a letter from the Committee in regard to the work at the

Your Committee agreed to receive a deposit.

REPORT: That they received a report in regard to a report called for no special remark.

ESTIMATES: Your Committee decided to refer financial year to the special meeting.

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To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 27th day of February, 1922. Present: Councillor Miss Growse (Chairman), and Councillors Fenn, Hearn, Hill, Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Mrs. Bannister, Reynolds, Teare and Taylor.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—ESTIMATES: That they gave consideration to the estimates of the Committee's requirements for the year ending March, 1923, and have approved the same for submission to the Finance Committee.

2.—BRIGADE STAFF: That they received a report from the Chief Officer in regard to the proposed variation in the number of the Hendon Fire Brigade and the London Fire Brigade. The question of the annual leave should be allowed annually. After hearing the views of the Deputy Chief Officer, the Council would be fully considered at their meeting.

3.—CENTRAL STATION: The Chief Officer reported that the Council had decided to have the Central Station staff increased to 10 men.

4.—FIRE HYDRANTS: Letter from the Chief Officer in regard to the proposed variation in the number of the Hendon Fire Brigade and the London Fire Brigade. The question of the annual leave should be allowed annually. After hearing the views of the Deputy Chief Officer, the Council would be fully considered at their meeting.

5.—MOTOR FIRE ENGINE No. 2: Report from the Chief Officer that Leyland Motors, Ltd., had applied to be furnished with the necessary 16ft. and 10ft. length of motor suction, and two delivery couplings for the new motor fire engine being constructed.

Your Committee received a report from the Surveyor that this was not included in the contract with Leyland Motors, Ltd., and had to be provided separately, they therefore gave authority for the same to be supplied from store to Leyland Motors, Ltd.

In regard to the suggestion that Messrs. Leyland Motors, Ltd., should fit their own type of first aid apparatus in lieu of the 30-gallon copper cylinder, as arranged in the contract, your Committee have received a report from the Engineer as to the proposal.

Your Committee are informed that a reduction of £50 will be allowed in the cost of the machine if this variation is agreed, and the hose box will have a capacity of 2,000 feet of hose if the Leyland First Aid apparatus is fitted, instead of a capacity of 1,000 feet if the type of apparatus specified is used.

Your Committee have given careful consideration to this matter, and

RECOMMEND—That subject to the Air Ministry assenting to the variation, that the Surveyor be authorised to have the same carried out in connection with the construction of the Engine.

6.—CENTRAL FIRE STATION STAFF: Report from the Chief Officer in reference to the staff at the Central Hendon Station, from which it appeared that at present there was a temporary man on duty at the Station.

The Chief Officer suggested the desirability of advertising for a fireman who would be also able to do repair work to the motors and drive.

In view of the fact that the second motor engine will be delivered in the near future, your Committee consider that an appointment should be made. They

RECOMMEND FURTHER—That an advertisement be issued for a fireman in accordance with the Council's scale for motor mechanic and driver.

Report from the Chief Officer in reference to the allowance which has in the past been made to him in respect of the upkeep of his motor cycle. The Chief Officer stated that he now possessed a small car, and made enquiry whether the Council would also make a grant in respect thereof.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That this matter be considered by the Council in Committee

That they received a letter from the Staff at the Central Station applying to interview the Fire Brigade Committee in regard to the work at the station.

Your Committee agreed to receive a deputation of not more than four at a special meeting to be held on Monday next.

7.—FIRES: That they received a report in reference to the fires attended by the Brigade since the last meeting, but such report called for no special remark.

8.—ESTIMATES: Your Committee decided to adjourn the consideration of the estimates of the requirements for the next financial year to the special meeting to be held on Monday next.

Report of Fire Brigade Committee, No. 2.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 6th day of March, 1922. Present: Councillor Miss Growse (Chairman), and Councillors Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Reynolds, Hearn, Taylor and Teare. (Councillors Ford, Hill and Hare were engaged in the Highways Committee.)

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—ESTIMATES: That they gave consideration to an estimate of the Committee's requirements for the period to the 31st March, 1923, and have approved the same for submission to the Finance Committee.

2.—BRIGADE STAFF: That they received a deputation from the Firemen at the Central Station, consisting of Firemen Hockey, Comber, Hill and Hills.

The Deputation requested your Committee to give further consideration to the question of placing the members of the Hendon Brigade Staff at the Central Station on a scale of wages equivalent to that adopted for the London Fire Brigade.

The question of the annual leave was also referred to, and a request was submitted that uniform should be allowed annually.

After hearing the views of the Deputation, your Committee informed them that the matters referred to would be fully considered at their meeting to be held on the 27th instant.

3.—CENTRAL STATION: The Chief Officer submitted a report in regard to the appeal made on behalf of Mrs. Dickens, from which it appeared that a sum of £97 16s. 0d. had been collected on her behalf.

Your Committee are informed that Mrs. Dickens has secured other accommodation, and has now vacated the quarters at the Central Station.

4.—FIRE HYDRANTS: Letter from the Metropolitan Water Board in regard to the substitution of hydrants for fire plugs, intimating that in view of the representations of certain Local Authorities on the subject, the Board had decided to extend the suspension of the work for a further period of two years.

The Council will recollect that in 1914 the Metropolitan Water Board proposed to abolish fire plugs and substitute therefor fire hydrants, but the Board agreed to defer the carrying out of the works until after the war. This period is now extended for a further period of two years. The Board stated, however, that in cases where the presence of the existing plug involved a waste of water, the Board would require the work of substitution to be carried out forthwith. Your Committee have duly noted this communication.

Report of General Purposes Committee; No. 1.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 27th day of February, 1922. Present: Mr. Councillor Hill (Chairman), Mrs. Bannister, Miss Growse, Councillors Egan, Taylor and Reynolds. (Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Hodge, Cartwright, Penn, Hearn, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Roberts, Soar, Teare and Weeks were also in attendance.)

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

- 1.—GREATER LONDON: That they had under consideration draft notes of evidence prepared by the Officers which it was proposed should be tendered to the Royal Commission on Greater London in opposition to the proposals of the London County Council in the matter.

Your Committee decided to adjourn the final consideration of the draft evidence until Monday next in order that copies thereof might be sent to each member with a view to affording them an opportunity of giving the same full consideration.

Report of General Purposes Committee, No. 2.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 6th day of March, 1922. Present: Mr. Councillor Hill (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Miss Growse, Egan, Ford, Glanville, Hare, Reynolds, Taylor and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—TRAVELLING FACILITIES:

- (A) Letter from the London General Omnibus Company in reply as to the representation made by the Council as to the inadequate service of buses on Service 83 (particularly between the hours of 5.30 p.m. and 7.30 p.m. daily), from which it appeared that the Company had augmented the service between the hours mentioned by the Council, and had also improved Service No. 13.

The Company stated that the matter was being further investigated to ascertain whether the present services were adequate to meet traffic requirements.

Your Committee note with satisfaction the communication from the London General Omnibus Company.

- (B) Letter from the Town Clerk, County Borough of Grimsby, transmitting the following resolution passed by them upon the subject of travelling facilities, and asking the Council to pass a resolution in similar terms.

(A) That this Council request the Great Central and the Great Northern Railway Companies to restore as quickly as possible all pre-war, cheap, fast, and comfortable travelling facilities, and at fares not proportionately higher than the increase in operation on ordinary fares.

(B) That copies of this resolution be sent to all Borough and Urban Councils throughout the country, asking them to pass a similar resolution with regard to the Railway Companies serving their respective districts.

Your Committee have no recommendation to make in regard thereto.

- 2.—CONFERENCE: Letter from the Secretary, Institution of Municipal and County Engineers as to proposed Annual Conference to be held at Cardiff from the 21st to the 24th June (inclusive), and inviting the Council to appoint representatives to attend such Conference.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee have no recommendation to make thereon.

- 3.—ARCHES—GOLDERS GREEN STATION: Letter from the Odhams Press, Limited, as to their desire to secure sites for the erection of advertisement boards, and making application for permission to use the Arches at the Golders Green Tube Station for the purpose.

Report from the Clerk that he had informed the Odhams Press, in reply, that the Council had no interest in the Arches in question.

Your Committee confirmed the action of the Clerk in the matter.

4.—PARLIAMENTARY BILLS:

- (A) RAILWAYS (NORTH-WESTERN AND MIDLAND GROUP) BILL: Letter from Messrs. E. Bevir and Son reporting in regard to the Railways (North-Western and Midland Group) Bill that the Promoters' Agents had decided not to proceed with the proposals embodied in the Bill authorising them to carry passengers in conveyances on the highways.

In view of the fact that this does not meet the whole of the objections raised by the Council, your Committee are unable to recommend the Council to withdraw their opposition to the Bill.

- (B) COLNE VALLEY WATER BILL: The Clerk reported the receipt from the Clerk to the Ruislip-Northwood Urban District Council of a copy of the report of the proceedings at the recent Conference of Local Authorities proposing to offer joint opposition to the Colne Valley Water Bill.

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The Council will remember that Councillors Egan and Hill were appointed as representatives to attend such Conference on behalf of the Council.

It appeared from such report that the Authorities at the Conference (other than Watford Urban District Council) had decided to combine in a joint opposition to the Bill, the expenses to be shared upon the basis of the rateable value of their respective districts. One Parliamentary Agent, one set of Counsel, and one set of expert witnesses only being engaged.

A Committee had been formed of the Clerks to the several Authorities to watch the proceedings and report to their respective Authorities.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—Approval of the action taken by the Council's delegates.

5.—CLAIMS:

- (A) Letter from the Wheel and Wings Assurance Association, Limited, relative to an accident to a vehicle belonging to Messrs. Matthews and Co. at Mill Hill, for which they alleged that the Council were responsible.

Report from the Clerk that he had made enquiry why an earlier intimation had not been furnished to the Council in order that investigations might be made in regard thereto, and further as to the particular place where the accident occurred. He had not, however, up to the present, received any further information upon the subject.

Your Committee await further information upon the matter.

- (B) Letter from the Bluebell Polish Company as to an accident which had occurred to one of their motors in Wills Grove, Mill Hill, it being alleged that the same was caused through the bad condition of the road. The Company intimated their intention to make a claim upon the Council in connection with the matter.

Report from the Clerk that he had informed the Company, in reply, that Wills Grove was a private road, and that the Council were not responsible for the condition thereof, and that on behalf of the Council he denied any liability in the matter.

Your Committee confirmed the action of the Clerk.

- (C) Letter from Messrs. S. Hanson and Son relative to an accident to one of their wagons in Flower Lane, Mill Hill, which they alleged was due to the defective condition of the road in question, and intimating that they would hold the Council responsible for the damage occasioned thereby.

Report from the Surveyor in regard to the matter.

After due consideration of such report, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Messrs. Hanson and Son be informed as to the actual circumstances of the case, and that the Council deny liability in the matter.

- (D) Letter from Messrs. Cohn, Seigman and Bax relative to the accident which occurred to Mr. F. E. Smith in Nursery Walk, alleged to have been occasioned by an obstruction of the footpath by a quantity of tarpaving material.

Your Committee have already given this matter careful consideration in conjunction with a report from the Surveyor in regard thereto.

Messrs. Cohn and Co. now intimated that in view of the Council's decision, they proposed to commence an action against the Council on behalf of their client.

After further consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Clerk interview Messrs. Cohn and Co., without prejudice, to discuss the actual facts of the case.

- 6.—TOWN HALL: Letter from Mr. B. Allen, on behalf of the Hendon Unemployed Organisation, making application for the use of the Library at the Town Hall in connection with the meetings of the Organisation in the place of the old Fire Station at Wilberforce Road. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a further communication be addressed to the Organisation explaining that no definite arrangement had yet been arrived at relative to the Council resuming possession of the temporary Fire Station, and that probably the same would not be required for some time to come.

7.—SUPERANNUATION:

- (A) Letter from the Middlesex County Council in reply to the communication from the Council suggesting that the provisions of the Middlesex County Council (General Powers) Act, 1921, dealing with superannuation should be extended to apply to all Local Authorities in the County, explaining that the Bill as originally drafted made this provision, but the Clause was amended in the House of Commons confining it to Authorities with a population of 50,000 or over.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of this communication.

- (B) Letter from the Southall Norwood Urban District Council upon the subject of Superannuation, requesting in view of the limitation in the Clause contained in the Middlesex County Council (General Powers) Act that Local Authorities should support the Bill promoted in Parliament giving power to establish Superannuation to all Local Authorities. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a copy of the Bill, when printed, be obtained for consideration.

- 8.—FINCHLEY ROAD: Letter from Mr. E. F. Errington, with reference to the danger to pedestrians occasioned by the traffic of motor vehicles along the Finchley Road, between Golders Green Station and Addison Way, and calling attention to the number of accidents which had occurred in this section of road.

Your Committee are unaware of the fatal accidents referred to by Mr. Errington, and

RECOMMEND—That he be referred to the Police Authorities.

- 9.—BYELAWS FOR GOOD RULE AND GOVERNMENT: Letter from the Middlesex County Council, transmitting copy of a communication which had been received by them from the Home Office, with a copy of Byelaw made by the London County Council dealing with lamps indicating the position of road obstructions.

The Secretary of State requested that the Middlesex County Council should consider the question of adopting similar byelaws for their area.

The County Council, before coming to a decision upon the matter desired to be furnished with the observations of the Local Authorities in the County in regard to the proposal.

Your Committee have given consideration to the Byelaw, and have come to the conclusion that the existing statutory provisions adequately deal with the matter. They therefore

RECOMMEND—That the Middlesex County Council be informed accordingly.

10.—GAS REGULATION ACT:

- (A) Letter from the Gas Referees, transmitting copy of Provisional Prescription for testing gas supplied by the North Middlesex Gas Company.

The Gas Referees desired to be furnished with information as to the name and address of the Gas Examiner appointed by the Council.

Your Committee have instructed the Surveyor to deal with the matter.

- (B) Letter from the Gas Referees, transmitting copy of Provisional Prescription for the testing of gas supplied by the Harrow and Stanmore Gas Company.

Your Committee referred the document to the Surveyor for necessary action.

- (C) Report from the Clerk as to the deposit of a draft of Special Order and map in explanation thereof by the Gas Light and Coke Company, and notice of their intention to make application to the Board of Trade for approval of such Order under Section 10 of the Gas Regulation Act, 1920.

Apparently the principal object of the Order is to secure to the Gas Light and Coke Company the transfer of the undertaking of the Ilford Gas Company.

After careful consideration of the terms of the Order, your Committee have come to the conclusion that it is unnecessary for the Council to take any action in the matter.

- (D) Report from the Surveyor as to his correspondence with the North Middlesex Gas Company, in reference to the testing of gas, from which it appeared that arrangements had been made for the gas testing station to be at the Gas Works in accordance with the recommendation of the Gas Referees.

The Company intimated that the Council's Engineer would be granted every facility in connection with the matter.

Your Committee approve of the arrangements made by the Engineer.

- 11.—OVERSEERS: That they gave consideration to the question of appointing Overseers of the Parish for the ensuing year. The present Overseers are Mr. Stephen Huntley Egan, Mr. Charles Harrington Page, Mr. Arthur Burgess Soar, Mr. Robert Arminius Beaumont Teare, and Mr. Francis Thomas. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the above-mentioned gentlemen be re-appointed Overseers for the Parish of Hendon for the ensuing year, and that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the necessary formal appointments.

- 12.—ESTIMATES: That they gave careful consideration to draft estimates of the requirements of the Committee for the year ending 31st March, 1923, and approved the same. They recommend same to the Finance Committee.

- 13.—LAND—COLINDALE: The Surveyor reported the receipt of a communication from His Majesty's Office of Works in reference to land adjoining the British Museum Repository in Colindale Avenue.

The Department intimated that they would have no objection to the Council taking over the land as from the 28th February from Mr. Pottle and entering into possession, subject to the Council being agreeable to executing a lease when prepared. The Treasury Solicitor would in due course forward the draft lease.

The Surveyor reported that he had taken possession of the land accordingly.

Your Committee consider these arrangements to be satisfactory, and approved the action taken by the Surveyor.

- 14.—GREATER LONDON (When this matter was under consideration Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Hodge, Cartwright, Hearn and Weeks were also in attendance):

- (A) Report from the Clerk as to a communication from the Middlesex County Council as to Conferences of Local Authorities in the County in groups to discuss the report of the Parliamentary Committee of the Middlesex County Council.

The County Council transmitted also for consideration a suggested scheme dealing with Education.

The Conference of the group in which Hendon had been placed would meet on the 20th March, at 3.30 p.m., at the Middlesex Guildhall. The group consisting of

Hendon Urban,
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Your Committee do not approve of the grouping of Authorities proposed, and instructed the Clerk to inform the County Council accordingly.

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They have appointed Councillors Egan, Cartwright and Hill to attend the Conference on behalf of the Council.

In regard to the suggested scheme which accompanied the letter from the Middlesex County Council, your Committee gave instructions for copies to be prepared for each member of the Council, and

RECOMMEND—That the same be considered by the Council in Committee on Monday next.

Your Committee report the receipt of Minutes of a further Conference held at the Town Hall, Ealing, upon the subject of London Government, and have duly noted the same.

That they gave further consideration to the notes of evidence proposed to be submitted to the Commission on behalf of the Urban District Council of Hendon, and instructed the Officers in regard thereto.

Report of Highways Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 6th day of March, 1922. Present: Mr. Councillor Hare (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Ford, Egan, Glanville, Hill, Reynolds, Taylor, and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—COOL OAK LANE: Letter from Messrs. Peacock, Fisher and Co., in further reference to the proposal submitted by them for the widening of Cool Oak Lane, and suggesting that the Council should, in addition to carrying out the widening work, lay the sewer with the necessary connections.

Report from the Surveyor in regard to the matter.

After due consideration of such report, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor negotiate with Messrs. Peacock, Fisher and Co. in accordance with the terms of his report.

2.—PAVEMENT ADVERTISING: Letter from the Pavement Publicity, Limited, forwarding details of a scheme promoted by them relating to this matter, together with proposed terms, to be arranged with Local Authorities.

Your Committee have no recommendation to make in regard thereto.

3.—CLASSIFICATION OF ROADS:

(a) Letter from the Divisional Road Engineer, Ministry of Transport, enclosing copy of circular letter addressed to the Clerks of County Councils upon the subject of the Classification of Roads.

It was stated by the Ministry of Transport that in the case of the County of Middlesex it appeared convenient that the Local Authorities should submit particulars of estimated expenditure on district and subsidised roads, classified in Classes 1 and 2, direct to the Ministry, and not through the County Council, and a supply of forms was accordingly enclosed for the purpose.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of such communication.

(b) Letter from the Assistant Secretary, Roads Department, Ministry of Transport, intimating that it had not been found necessary to make any amendment in the provisional classification of the roads maintained by the Council, such provisional classification having been received by the Council in May of last year. In view thereof they requested that the estimates of the Council should be framed in accordance with the said classification.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

(c) Letter from the Ministry of Transport relative to the employment of ex-Service Men on road construction and improvement works, and forwarding particulars as to the conditions upon which grants would be made by the Ministry in respect of road works expedited for the relief of unemployment.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

4.—PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENTS:

(a) BEECHCROFT AVENUE: Letter from Mr. L. Lake in further reference to the bad state of repair of Beechcroft Avenue, and as to the action taken by him to obtain an expression of opinion from the property owners in the road in regard to the importance of carrying out permanent works therein.

The Council will remember that they have already taken steps to ascertain the views of the property owners upon the matter, and that the majority of such owners were then opposed to the carrying out of such works. The Council had accordingly decided to postpone the same for the time being.

Your Committee understand from the Surveyor that at the present time the road is not sufficiently developed to warrant the carrying out of permanent works therein, and they

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Lake be informed accordingly.

(b) DERSINGHAM ROAD: The Surveyor submitted plans and estimates for the fully making up of Dersingham Road, Cricklewood, under Section 150 of the Public Health Act, 1875, such estimates amounting to the sum of £3,237 19s. 9d. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the plans and estimates be approved, and that in due course notices under Section 150 of the Public Health Act, 1875, be served upon the frontagers in the road.

- (c) **ANNESLEY AVENUE:** In accordance with the instructions of the Committee at the last meeting, the Surveyor submitted amended plans and estimates for the making up of Annesley Avenue, the estimate, which amounted to the sum of £4,484 16s. 2d., providing for flagging to be carried out in connection with the footpaths in the road in question.

Your Committee have given the matter further consideration, and

RECOMMEND—That the plans and estimates as now submitted be approved, and that notices under Section 150 of the Public Health Act, 1875, be served upon the frontagers in the road.

- (d) **FRANCES ROAD, COLINDALE:** The Surveyor reported the receipt of a petition from certain property owners in Frances Road, Colindale, asking the Council to take steps to carry out permanent works in the road. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor prepare plans and estimates for the fully making up of the road under Section 150 of the Public Health Act, 1875.

- 5.—**FOOTPATH—CLOISTER ROAD:** Letter from Mr. W. A. Kitcher, Hon. Secretary of the Child's Hill Ratepayers' Association, suggesting that the Council should take steps to divert the existing footpath from Cloister Road to Granville Road in accordance with a sketch transmitted by the Association.

Your Committee have given the matter consideration, and are unable to recommend the Council to comply with the request of the Child's Hill Ratepayers' Association in regard thereto. The Surveyor stated that the condition of the existing footpath had been improved. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Association be informed accordingly.

- 6.—**LAND—BRENT STREET:**

- (a) Letter from the Hendon Estates, Ltd., intimating that they were not prepared to enter into negotiations with the Council with a view to the disposal of the triangular plantation in Brent Street, opposite Brent Villas, as they were of opinion that such a course would seriously prejudice their property in the immediate neighbourhood.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Hendon Estates, Ltd., be urged to reconsider their decision in the matter, and to name a figure for the sale of the plantation to the Council.

- (b) Letter from Mr. T. S. Dangerfield relative to the plantation outside his premises at Brent Street, Hendon, from which it appeared that he was not favourably inclined to dispose of the same to the Council.

Your Committee have requested the Surveyor to continue his negotiations in the matter, and to submit a further report thereon in due course.

- 7.—**ACCOMMODATION ROADS, GOLDERS GREEN:** Letter from Messrs. Cluttons in regard to accommodation roads at Golders Green at the rear of The Parade, Golders Green Parade, Cheapside, and The Promenade, making enquiry whether the Council would be prepared to make up and take these roads over under Section 150 of the Public Health Act, 1875, and advancing reasons in support of their request.

Your Committee have received a report from the Surveyor in regard to the proposal, and

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor enter into negotiations with Messrs. Cluttons in regard to the matter.

- 8.—**BRIDGE OVER SILK STREAM, COLINDEEP LANE:** Letter from the Hon. Secretary of the Colindale Ratepayers' Association suggesting that the Council should provide additional protection to children in connection with the bridge over the Silk Stream in Colindeep Lane.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the matter be left in the hands of the Surveyor to take such action as he may deem expedient.

- 9.—**PILLAR BOX—HERMITAGE LANE:** Letter from the Postmaster, North Western District Post Office, in further reference to the proposal to erect a Pillar Box in Hermitage Lane.

The Council will remember that they had the matter under consideration at their last meeting, and it was agreed to make a suggestion to the Postmaster-General that the box should be placed on the opposite side of Finchley Road. The Postmaster now intimated that he was unable to agree to the suggestion.

Your Committee have given the matter further consideration, and

RECOMMEND—That the original suggestion of the Postmaster be agreed to, subject to the exact position proposed for the erection of the box being approved by the Surveyor.

- 10.—**AMBROSE AVENUE:**

- (a) Letter from Mr. E. Wright relative to a notice board erected by him advertising the sale of his houses at Ambrose Avenue, which the Surveyor had required to be removed owing to the dedication of the road by the Council. Mr. Wright made enquiry whether the Council would be willing to allow him to retain the board until such time as he had disposed of the whole of his property in the road.

In view of the decision of the Council to take steps to dedicate this road as a public highway, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Wright be informed that the Council regret their inability to allow the notice board to remain.

- (b) Letter from Mr. E. Wright suggesting that certain trees in Ambrose Avenue, in the vicinity of Golders Green Road, should be removed, and that certain other trees should be lopped.

Your Committee have received a report from the Surveyor in regard to the matter, and are unable to recommend the Council to remove any of the trees in question. They

RECOMMEND, however that the Surveyor have authority to lop the trees referred to by Mr. Wright.

11.—**HIGHWAYS IMPROVEMENT:** The labour to be utilised should be obtained through the Selection Sub-Committee.

Your Committee existing arrangements with further works.

12.—**HIGHWAYS PLANTING:** A further tariff of a further tariff. After due consideration.

RECOMMEND—That the Council purchase a machine for the purpose of planting.

13.—**PUBLIC LIGHTING:**

- (a) Letter from the Surveyor in regard to lighting in the streets. The cost of the lighting from the 1st of January 1923 to the 31st of March 1923 would be about £180 per annum. The price of gas is 1s. 6d. per 1000 feet.

After consideration.

RECOMMEND—That the Council purchase a machine for the purpose of planting.

- (b) **WILDWOOD:** Wildwood Road. The cost of the lighting from the 1st of January 1923 to the 31st of March 1923 would be about £180 per annum. The price of gas is 1s. 6d. per 1000 feet.

Your Committee are of opinion that the local authorities should be invited to contribute towards the cost of the lighting.

RECOMMEND—That the Council purchase a machine for the purpose of planting.

- (c) Reference was made to the fact that the price of gas is 1s. 6d. per 1000 feet.

Your Committee

14.—**ESTIMATES:** Consideration of the estimates for the year ending March, 1923, and for the year ending March, 1924.

RECOMMEND—That the Council purchase a machine for the purpose of planting.

15.—**REQUISITIONS:** The requisitions for the year ending March, 1923, and for the year ending March, 1924, have been approved.

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Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to thank you for the report of the Surveyor.

S. H. Egan (Chairman), M.C.

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1.—**GOLDERS GREEN OPEN SPACE:** The open space at Golders Green should be kept open.

Your Committee are of opinion that the local authorities should be invited to contribute towards the cost of the lighting.

feet or thereabouts to the Surveyor.

After careful consideration.

RECOMMEND—That the Council purchase a machine for the purpose of planting.

taking to the Council on either side of the road.

The said open space to be purchased without the cost of the Council.

The price of gas is 1s. 6d. per 1000 feet.

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2.—**LAND AT POWIS GREEN:** The vacant land at Powis Green should be kept open for the purpose of an open space.

Your Committee are of opinion that the local authorities should be invited to contribute towards the cost of the lighting.

the end of these roads. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council purchase a machine for the purpose of planting.

letter from Mr. Wright.

11.—HIGHWAYS IMPROVEMENTS: Letter from the Ministry of Labour Employment Exchange intimating that the labour to be utilised in connection with the carrying out of the improvement work at Highwood Hill should be obtained through the Employment Exchange, and suggesting that the matter should be dealt with by the Selection Sub-Committee as in the case of the North Circular Road.

Your Committee have requested the Surveyor to communicate with the Ministry of Transport as to the existing arrangements for securing labour with a view to the continuance of such arrangements in connection with further works.

12.—HIGHWAYS PLANT: The Surveyor submitted a quotation from the Phoenix Engineering Company for the supply of a further tar spraying machine, together with a report in regard thereto.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee
RECOMMEND—That the quotation of the Phoenix Engineering Company be accepted, and that the machine be procured in due course.

13.—PUBLIC LIGHTING:

(a) Letter from the General Manager, North Middlesex Gas Company, as to the Company's charges for street lighting in the district, from which it appeared that the Company proposed to make a reduction, as and from the 1st January, 1922, of 5s. per lamp per annum, which the Surveyor stated would effect a saving of about £180 per annum. The Company also stated that a further reduction of 2s. 6d. per lamp per annum would be made for every reduction of one half-penny per therm made by the Company in the price of gas to the ordinary consumer.

After consideration of the report of the Surveyor upon the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council approve the terms proposed by the Gas Company.

(b) WILDWOOD ROAD: Letter from Mr. A. Farley making application for additional lighting facilities in Wildwood Road between Wildwood Rise and Hampstead Way.

Your Committee have considered a report from the Surveyor upon the matter, from which it appeared that the locality referred to was of an undeveloped character. They therefore

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Farley be informed that the Council regret that they cannot see their way to comply with his request at the present time.

(c) Reference was made to the early hour in the morning the lamps were extinguished in Ravenshurst Avenue and John's Avenue, causing inconvenience to persons using the roads in question.

Your Committee have requested the Surveyor to communicate with the Gas Company in regard thereto.

14.—ESTIMATES: Consideration was given to an estimate of the Committee's requirements for the year ending 31st March, 1923, and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That such estimate, after amendment, be approved.

15.—REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor submitted a requisition of goods required by him, and the same were duly approved.

Report of Outdoor Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met on Saturday, the 18th day of February, 1921. Present: Councillors S. H. Egan (Chairman), Mrs. Bannister, Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Hodge, Hearn, Reynolds, Taylor, Teare and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—GOLDERS GREEN OPEN SPACE: That they made an inspection of the site offered by Mr. Wm. Hollis for an open space at Golders Green, situate between Princess Park Avenue and Oakfield Road.

Your Committee are informed that the land is approximately $3\frac{3}{4}$ acres in extent, and has a frontage of 300 feet or thereabouts to Oakfield Road, Golders Green. The land is freehold and it is partly wooded.

After careful consideration of the offer, together with a report from the Engineer thereon, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Engineer offer the sum of £2,500 for the land, subject to the owner undertaking to properly lay out Oakfield Road, also to it being agreed that any houses which may be built on either of the roads surrounding the open space shall not have any right of entrance direct on to the said open space, and further, that no road shall be allowed to flank directly upon the land proposed to be purchased; that no entrance shall be constructed from any road leading directly into the land without the consent of the Council.

The proposal to be subject to the sanction of the Ministry of Health being obtained to the necessary loan, and to the actual area of the site being ascertained upon survey to be not less than $3\frac{3}{4}$ acres.

2.—LAND AT POWIS GARDENS, ETC.: That they had under consideration letter from Mr. Prestage suggesting that the vacant land at the end of Powis Gardens, Gainsborough Gardens and Golders Gardens should be utilised for the purpose of an open space or for permanent allotments.

Your Committee have made an inspection of this locality, and it appears that there is vacant land adjacent to the end of these roads, which your Committee are informed is the property of the London Electric Railway Company. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor negotiate with the Company in regard to the suggestion contained in the letter from Mr. Prestage, and that he be informed that the matter is receiving consideration.

3.—CHILD'S HILL RECREATION GROUND: That they made an inspection of the entrance to the Child's Hill Recreation Ground near Hodford Road, and considered the question of placing an additional lamp at the entrance gate to the Recreation Ground.

Your Committee consider that the existing lighting arrangements are sufficient for the time being.

4.—GRANVILLE ROAD: That they made an inspection of Granville Road in regard to the suggestion made for securing an extension of the road into the Vale. The Council will recollect that this suggestion has been under consideration on previous occasions.

Your Committee decided to leave this matter to the Surveyor to negotiate with the Educational Commissioners in regard thereto.

5.—CRICKLEWOOD LANE:

(a) PILLAR LETTER BOX.—That they made an inspection of the site of the Pillar Letter Box, proposed to be erected in Hermitage Lane.

Your Committee consider that it would be much more convenient if the same were placed on the main Finchley Road in a position indicated to the Surveyor, and have decided to leave the matter in the hands of the Surveyor to endeavour to arrange this site with the Post Office Authorities.

(b) TRAMWAY STOPPING PLACE: Your Committee observed that the trams passing towards Cricklewood stop twice within a short distance, namely, once in the Finchley Road, opposite the Castle Hotel, and also in Cricklewood Lane, opposite No. 374.

Your Committee consider that two stops are unnecessary, and

RECOMMEND—That a communication be sent to the Middlesex County Council suggesting that only one stopping place is required at this point, namely, the one opposite the Castle Hotel.

(c) REFUGE: That they made an inspection of the roadway at the junction of Cricklewood Lane and Finchley Road, opposite Messrs. J. Barnes' premises, particularly in regard to the suggestion for the provision of a street refuge at this spot.

After careful consideration, however, your Committee are unable to recommend the Council to take any action in regard to the provision of a street refuge in this locality at the present time.

(d) PUBLIC CONVENIENCE: Your Committee also considered the question of a suitable site for a public convenience in this locality.

It would not appear possible to secure a suitable site for a convenience on the main Finchley Road, but your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Surveyor make enquiry in regard to a site in Hermitage Lane at the rear of the Castle Hotel, and that a report be submitted thereon.

6.—FIRE STATION: Reference was made to the question of the suitability of the position of the existing fire station in Cricklewood Lane, it being considered that a site in the neighbourhood of the Castle Hotel would be more convenient.

Your Committee are unable to make any suggestion in regard to this matter, but they

RECOMMEND—That the Fire Brigade Committee take the same into consideration.

7.—EDGWARE ROAD: Your Committee received a report in regard to the suggestion for providing a refuge in the Edgware Road at the junction with Chichele Road, but decided to defer this matter for the present.

J. H. Evans
Chairman.

AT A MEETING OF
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 March, 1922.

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Minutes.

AT A MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 13th day of March, 1922.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
 " " A. S. F. Ford,
 " " W. L. Glanville,
 " " F. W. Hearn,
 " " C. W. Hill,
 Councillor The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan,
 Mr. Councillor A. J. Reynolds,
 " " A. Roberts,
 " " A. B. Soar,
 " " J. H. Sturgess,
 " " W. Taylor,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " R. M. Weeks,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant),
 Dr. T. S. McIntosh (Medical Officer of Health).

MINUTES: The Minutes of the last Ordinary Meeting of the Council held on the 13th day of February, 1922, and of the Special Meeting held on the 27th day of February, 1922, were submitted for confirmation.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Minutes be confirmed.

The Chairman welcomed Mr. Councillor Ford on his return to the work of the Council after his recent illness.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE: The Finance Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 6th inst. (Agenda page 295).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Weeks,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

The following is a list of the accounts for payment referred to on page 296 of the report of the Finance Committee:—

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| Aircraft Manufacturing Co., Ltd. ... | Opal shades ... | 1 | 10 | 0 |
| Akers, G. A. and Co. ... | Thermometers ... | 3 | 6 | 0 |
| Anderson, Anderson and Anderson, Ltd. ... | Thigh boots ... | 2 | 14 | 3 |
| Anglo-American Oil Co. ... | Oil ... | 6 | 10 | 0 |
| Art Pavements and Decorations, Ltd. ... | Tiles ... | 4 | 6 | 1 |
| Ashby, W. C. ... | Tiles ... | 18 | 0 | |
| Atkinson and Co., Ltd. ... | Uniform ... | 5 | 3 | 0 |
| Atlas Stone Paving Co., Ltd. ... | Slabs ... | 85 | 5 | 0 |
| Bailey, W. H. and Son, Ltd. ... | Weighing machine ... | 3 | 10 | 0 |
| Batchelor, J. and Son ... | Forage ... | 3 | 2 | 6 |
| Beattie, J. H. and Co., Ltd. ... | Coal ... | 12 | 16 | 6 |
| Bell's United Asbestos Co., Ltd. ... | Sundries ... | 8 | 0 | 3 |
| Bevir, E. and Son ... | Legal Expenses ... | 1 | 17 | 3 |
| British Petroleum Co., Ltd. ... | Spirit ... | 10 | 16 | 8 |
| Buck and Ryan ... | Tools ... | 5 | 9 | 0 |
| Camberwell Research Laboratories ... | Diagnosis Fees ... | 9 | 12 | 6 |
| Carron Co. ... | Furnace pan ... | 2 | 9 | 0 |
| Cement Marketing Co., Ltd. ... | Cement ... | 19 | 0 | 0 |
| Cherry, C. ... | Hired team labour ... | 121 | 13 | 0 |
| Clark, G. C. ... | Jackets, etc. ... | 1 | 19 | 10 |
| Clayton Wagons, Ltd. ... | Sundries ... | 15 | 3 | 10 |
| Cliffe Hill Granite Co., Ltd. ... | Granite ... | 245 | 0 | 5 |
| Clutton, Messrs. ... | Rent ... | 26 | 19 | 0 |
| Connolly, J. W. and T., Ltd. ... | Sundries ... | 6 | 17 | 6 |
| Crawley, Dixon and Bowring ... | Premium ... | 1 | 4 | 3 |
| Crisp and Hodgson ... | Sundries ... | 7 | 0 | 9 |
| Crossley Bros., Ltd. ... | Ignition tubes ... | 3 | 17 | 3 |
| Denny, A. and T., Ltd. ... | Publications ... | 4 | 3 | 0 |
| Dickers, E. M. M. ... | Rent ... | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| Done, Hunter and Co., Ltd. ... | Rent ... | 55 | 5 | 0 |
| Drysdale, A. ... | Sundries ... | 5 | 3 | 4 |
| Durrant, A. H. ... | Greengroceries ... | 9 | 12 | 4 |
| Edwards, P. and A. ... | Repairs ... | 7 | 3 | 6 |
| Elliott, B. G. ... | Timber ... | 16 | 16 | 0 |

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| Ellis, Nurse D., per Accountant's Account | Salary, etc | 13 | 0 | 11 |
| Engelbert and Co. | Motor oil | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| Etherington, E. | Sundries | 4 | 4 | 0 |
| Evans, Edwin | Rent | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Evans, J. | Repairs to chairs | 1 | 6 | 0 |
| Eyre and Spottiswoode, Ltd. | Publication | | 7 | 0 |
| Farnloc, T. and W., Ltd. | Varnish | 6 | 6 | 0 |
| Farrow, H. | Ashes | 5 | 8 | 0 |
| Frost, C. H. | Cupboards | 10 | 17 | 0 |
| Gall and Inglis | Books | | 4 | 0 |
| Gas Light and Coke Co. | Repairs | 38 | 15 | 11 |
| Gibb, James and Co., Ltd. | Castings | 86 | 3 | 6 |
| Grimley, S. S. | Salary | 100 | 0 | 0 |
| Halden, J. and Co., Ltd. | Sundries | 11 | 1 | 4 |
| Hall, J. Vernon | Antitoxin | 1 | 4 | 0 |
| Hardyments, A. F. | Cups, etc. | | 6 | 9 |
| Hendon Cottage Hospital | Maintenance | 2 | 5 | 0 |
| Hendon Electric Supply Co., Ltd. | Electricians work | 7 | 2 | 3 |
| Hendon Rural District Council | Maintenance | 51 | 12 | 0 |
| Hill, A. J. | Bricklayer's services | 3 | 9 | 5 |
| Hill, B. | Fish | 9 | 4 | 6 |
| Hinge Bros. | Rent | 3 | 14 | 10 |
| H.M. Stationery Office | Publications | | 8 | 7 |
| Hospital Contracts Co., Ltd. | Mask | | 4 | 10 |
| Howard, E. | Rent | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Howkins, F. | Rent | 93 | 15 | 0 |
| Jones, Blakeway and Jones | Rent | 7 | 15 | 0 |
| Justices Gore Division, per Accountant's Account | Fees | 15 | 0 | 0 |
| Kado, Ltd. | Stationery | 5 | 7 | 0 |
| King, J. | Rent | 1 | 10 | 0 |
| Knight, C. and Co., Ltd. | Stationery | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Laboratories of Pathology and Public Health | Diagnosis fees | | 3 | 6 |
| Lavender, N. | Meat | 11 | 7 | 0 |
| Lea, A. | Bread | 3 | 17 | 0 |
| Lightfoot, P. | Clock | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| Lockhart, F. G. and Co. | Slack | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Lucas, E. and W., Ltd. | Shovels | 5 | 6 | 0 |
| Lyle Barrs and Co. | Stationery | 2 | 7 | 0 |
| Mackay, A. | Antitoxin | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Matthews, A. | Smith's work | | 5 | 6 |
| Meager, Mrs. | Rent | 1 | 10 | 0 |
| Medical Supply Association, Ltd. | Jars | | 18 | 4 |
| Metropolitan Water Board | Rates, etc. | 9 | 17 | 8 |
| Metropolitan Water Board | Rent | 4 | 5 | 0 |
| Middlesex District Joint Smallpox Hospital Board | Precept | 370 | 0 | 0 |
| Midland Railway Co. | Rent | | 6 | 0 |
| Midland Railway Co. | Carriage | | 8 | 8 |
| Millman, T. | Smith's work | | 11 | 6 |
| Morris, F. | Table | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Mosers, Ltd. | Tools | 2 | 1 | 7 |
| O'Brien, Thomas and Co. | Furnace pans | 4 | 1 | 9 |
| Page, C. H. | Sundries | 3 | 0 | 10 |
| Partridge and Cooper, Ltd. | File | | 8 | 3 |
| Pendleton and Co., Ltd. | Timber | 1 | 3 | 6 |
| Poor Law and Local Government Officers' Mutual Guarantee Association, Ltd. | Premium | 1 | 6 | 8 |
| Poulton, Rev. J. S. | Rent | 16 | 16 | 5 |
| Prices Co., Ltd. | Grease | | 14 | 0 |
| Rates Department | Rates | 1 | 1 | 9 |
| Railway Passengers' Assurance Co., Ltd. | Premium | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Richmond and Chandler, Ltd. | Hinge, etc. | | 12 | 10 |
| Robarts, A. W. | Forage | 89 | 4 | 6 |
| Rowley, Thomas, Junr. | Steam roller | 22 | 16 | 0 |
| Sampson, Thomas | Road pins | 6 | 1 | 3 |
| Sanitas Co., Ltd. | Formigators | 4 | 16 | 0 |
| Sankey, J. H. and Co., Ltd. | Tiles, etc. | 20 | 1 | 11 |
| Sawford, R. | Car hire | 19 | 8 | 9 |
| Sayers, S. P. | Drugs | 8 | 2 | 0 |
| Scientific Press, Ltd. | Advertisements | | 12 | 0 |
| Shaw and Sons | Stationery | 3 | 17 | 3 |
| Smith, Parfrey and Co., Ltd. | Fire bars, etc. | 4 | 18 | 0 |
| Smith Premier Typewriter Co., Ltd. | Paper | 3 | 2 | 6 |
| Smyrk, Frank W. | Sundries | | 16 | 0 |
| Stillman, H. | Hired team labour | 269 | 11 | 3 |
| Suttley and Silverlock, Ltd. | Temperature Charts | | 17 | 0 |
| Sutton and Co. | Gullies | 58 | 19 | 5 |
| Swire and Sons | Stationery | 20 | 19 | 8 |
| Tottenham District Light Heat and Power Co. | Coke | 105 | 6 | 8 |
| Tout, W. | Glass | 2 | 7 | 11 |
| Tyrie, G. | Brooms | 5 | 4 | 0 |
| Unite, John, Ltd. | Lime | | 5 | 4 |
| Vacuum Oil Co., Ltd. | Oil | 7 | 8 | 0 |
| Waitrose, Ltd. | Groceries | 19 | 6 | 10 |
| Warden and Co., Ltd. | Printing, etc. | 3 | 1 | 0 |

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| 4 | Willesden Urban District Council | ... |
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| 0 | Sundry Ratepayers | ... |
| 0 | Dickson, James | ... |
| 0 | Sundry Persons | ... |
| 0 | Sanitary Inspector, per Accountant's | ... |
| 11 | Account | ... |
| 6 | Sanitary Inspector | ... |
| 0 | Bascombe, Mrs. M. | ... |
| 4 | Hunt, Mrs. O. A. | ... |
| 0 | Chief Officer | ... |
| 0 | Express Dairy | ... |
| 9 | Grosch, H. and Sons | ... |
| 0 | Glaxo | ... |
| 3 | Hodgkinson, Prestons and King | ... |
| 0 | Virol, Ltd. | ... |
| 5 | West Surrey Central Dairy Co., Ltd. | ... |
| 6 | Cardiff Corporation | ... |
| 10 | Ecclesiastical Commissioners | ... |
| 7 | Hearts of Oak Benefit Society | ... |
| 10 | Hodge, Miss M. E. | ... |
| 0 | Legal and General Assurance Society, | ... |
| 0 | Ltd. | ... |
| 0 | Liverpool Corporation | ... |
| 0 | Middlesex County Council | ... |
| 0 | Ministry of Health | ... |
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| 0 | Pearl Assurance Co., Ltd. | ... |
| 0 | Queen Anne's Bounty | ... |
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| 6 | Royal London Mutual Insurance | ... |
| 0 | Society, Ltd. | ... |
| 0 | Walters, J. C. | ... |
| 0 | Surveyor | ... |
| 0 | Matron | ... |
| 0 | Bell Motor Works | ... |
| 0 | Accountant | ... |
| 0 | Holtum and Green | ... |
| 6 | London Telephone Service | ... |
| 0 | Housing Bond Interest Account | ... |
| 4 | Income Tax Collector | ... |
| 8 | National Provincial and Union Bank | ... |
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LOAN ACCOUNTS—

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| 0 | Adams, Thomas | ... |
| 0 | Coward and Hawksley, Sons and | ... |
| 8 | Chance | ... |
| 6 | Croft Hill Granite Brick and Concrete | ... |
| 0 | Co. | ... |
| 7 | Farrow, H. | ... |
| 9 | Harrington, F. and S. | ... |
| 10 | Heather Brick and Terra Cotta Co. | ... |
| 3 | Hendon Electric Supply Co., Ltd. | ... |
| 6 | Hill, A. J. | ... |
| | Midland Railway Co. | ... |
| 8 | Mountsorrel Granite Co., Ltd. | ... |
| 5 | Oldacres and Co., Ltd. | ... |
| 0 | Unite, John, Ltd. | ... |
| 9 | Rowley, Thos., Junr. | ... |
| 0 | Stillman, H. | ... |
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| 0 | Browett, T., per Accountant's Account | ... |
| 10 | Frost, C. H. | ... |
| 6 | Ham, Baker and Co. | ... |
| 0 | Farrow, H. | ... |
| 3 | Neal, Harry | ... |
| 0 | Adams, Thomas | ... |
| 11 | Page, C. H. | ... |

NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD—

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| 6 | Brown, J. H. and Co. | ... |
| 7 | Cement Marketing Co., Ltd. | ... |
| 4 | Cloke, G. E. | ... |
| 5 | Elliott, B. G. | ... |
| 8 | Ellis, John and Sons, Ltd. | ... |
| 8 | Foules Construction Supply, Ltd. | ... |
| 6 | Gibb, James and Co., Ltd. | ... |
| 8 | Johnson's Reinforced Concrete Engi- | ... |
| 7 | neering Co., Ltd. | ... |
| 4 | Moss, William and Sons, Ltd. | ... |
| 5 | Norton and Gregory, Ltd. | ... |
| 8 | Page, C. H. | ... |

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| | Hire of ambulance | 5 11 0 |
| | Stoneware pipes | 1 4 0 |
| | Rate refunds | 32 7 3 |
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| | Private works deposits refunds | 5 5 0 |
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| | Petty Cash | 4 14 3 |
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| Millars Timber and Trading Co., Ltd. | Tripod derrick | 24 0 0 |
| Victoria Fencing Co., Ltd. | Fencing | 79 5 8 |
| Willecox, W. H. and Co., Ltd. | Pump | 19 9 5 |
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STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, ETC.: Upon consideration of the item in paragraph No. 1 of the Report of the Committee (Statement of Receipts, etc) relating to establishment expenses.

Mr. Councillor Ford moved: "That a Sub-Committee be appointed with a view of making inquiry as to the delay experienced in connection with the issue of the Council's Minutes and Agendas."

Mr. Councillor Reynolds seconded the motion.

After some discussion the motion was withdrawn, the Clerk intimating that he would bring up to the appropriate Committee suggestions for remedying the matter.

INFECTIOUS DISEASE NOTIFICATION: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 6 of the report of the Committee in regard to the communication received from the Ministry of Health relative to the fee paid to Medical Practitioners for the notification of cases of Infectious Disease.

Mr. Councillor Hill moved:—

"That the Council enter a protest against the proposal to pay the larger fee of 2s. 6d."

Councillor Miss Hodge seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 10, viz:—Councillors Miss Hodge, Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Hill, Hearn, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Roberts, Soar, Teare, and Weeks; and against the motion 2, viz:—Councillors Mrs. Hargraves and Taylor.

The Chairman declared the motion to be carried.

ISOLATION HOSPITAL: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 14 of the report of the Committee relative to the extra duties performed by the Matron at the Isolation Hospital during the recent epidemic of Infectious Disease, and as to the expenses incurred by the Matron in connection with her illness.

Mr. Councillor Hill moved as an amendment:—

"That a payment of £10 be made to the Matron in lieu of the £7 10s. recommended by the Committee in respect of the expenses referred to."

Councillor Miss Growse seconded the amendment.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 6, viz:—Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Miss Hodge, Hill, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan and Wise; and against the amendment 11, viz:—Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Ford, Cartwright, Glanville, Hearn, Reynolds, Roberts, Soar, Teare, Taylor and Weeks.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be not carried.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF WORKS AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL COMMITTEE: The Works and Sewage Disposal Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 20th ulto. (Agenda page 298).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

ALLOTMENTS: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 2 (sub paragraph D) of the report of the Committee relative to the land proposed to be leased from the Ecclesiastical Commissioners at Child's Hill for the provision of additional allotments, the Clerk reported that he had received the draft lease of the land and the matter would proceed in due course.

Report from the Surveyor that he had obtained possession of the portion of the land previously occupied by Mr. Raymond, some portion of the land had been staked out, and the allottees could take possession of the same forthwith.

ANNUAL TENDERS: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 12 of the report of the Committee relative to the acceptance of tenders for Annual Supplies for the year ending 31st March, 1923.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the following additional tenders be accepted for the supply of granite:—

Mountsorrel Granite Company.
Cliffe Hill Granite Company.
Messrs. William Griffiths and Co.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE NO. 1: The Public Health Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 13th ulto. (Agenda page 303).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Weeks,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

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REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE NO. 2: The Public Health Committee submitted a report of a further meeting of the Committee held on the 28th ulto. (Agenda page 304).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Weeks,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

VITAL STATISTICS: It was decided to add the following to the report of the Committee relative to the Vital Statistics of the District since the last meeting of the Committee.

Birth Rate, 14.16 per thousand; Death Rate 17.87 per thousand. With regard to the Death Rate it was pointed out that the rate for Hendon residents only was 9.51 per thousand.

ESTIMATES: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 2 of the report of the Committee in regard to the estimates of the Committee's requirements for the year ending 31st March, 1923,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be amended to read £17,970 in lieu of £19,970.

ISOLATION HOSPITAL: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 3 of the report of the Committee relative to the preparation of particulars in regard to the proposal of the Council to erect a permanent Isolation Hospital, and to the suggestion that the Medical Officer of Health should visit Nottingham to inspect the building and arrangements provided for dealing with infectious diseases in that city.

Mr. Councillor Ford moved: "That the suggestion be not carried out, but that application be made to the Ministry of Health for particulars relating to the scheme for dealing with infectious diseases at Nottingham."

Mr. Councillor Glanville seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 8, viz.: Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Ford, Cartwright, Hill, Glanville, Reynolds, Sturgess and Wise; and against the motion 10, viz.: Councillors Miss Growse, Miss Hodge, Mrs. Bannister, Hearn, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Roberts, Taylor, Teare, Soar and Weeks.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

Mr. Councillor Sturgess thereupon moved: "That Hornsey be substituted for Nottingham."

Mr. Councillor Reynolds seconded the motion.

Upon the same being put to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 3, viz.: Councillors Sturgess, Ford and Reynolds; the remaining members voting against the motion.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

Mr. Councillor Ford further moved: "That particulars of the Nottingham scheme be obtained, and that the proposed visit of the Medical Officer of Health to that city be deferred for the present."

Mr. Councillor Cartwright seconded the motion.

Upon the same being put to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 8, viz.: Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Ford, Cartwright, Hill, Glanville, Reynolds, Roberts, and Sturgess; and against the motion 9, viz.: Councillors Miss Hodge, Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Hearn, Soar, Teare, Taylor and Weeks.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

Mr. Councillor Hill thereupon moved: "That the Council apply to Nottingham for particulars of their scheme, and that the same be considered by the Public Health Committee prior to the Medical Officer visiting Nottingham."

Mr. Councillor Reynolds seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 8, viz.: Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Ford, Cartwright, Hill, Glanville, Reynolds, Roberts, and Sturgess; and against the motion 9, viz.: Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Miss Hodge, Miss Growse, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Hearn, Soar, Teare, Weeks, and Taylor.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Councillor The Rev. Dr. Macgowan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF TOWN PLANNING COMMITTEE: The Town Planning Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 27th ulto. (Agenda page 305).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Weeks,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HOUSING COMMITTEE: The Housing Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 27th ulto. (Agenda page 306).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF FIRE BRIGADE COMMITTEE No. 1: The Fire Brigade Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 27th ulto. (Agenda page 307).

Upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

Upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Councillor The Rev. Dr. Macgowan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF FIRE BRIGADE COMMITTEE, No. 2: The Fire Brigade Committee submitted a report of a further meeting of the Committee held on the 6th inst. (Agenda page 308).

Upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

BRIGADE STAFF: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 2 of the report of the Committee in regard to the deputation from the members of the Central Station Staff which attended the meeting of the Committee upon the subject of wages, etc.,

Mr. Councillor Wise moved: "That in future when the Fire Brigade Committee have under consideration matters connected with the Central Station Staff, and a Deputation from the Staff attends before the Committee, an Official of the Firemen's Trade Union be allowed to accompany such Deputation."

Councillor Miss Hodge seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 3, viz.: Councillors Miss Hodge, Wise and Glanville; and against the motion 14, viz.: Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Mrs. Bannister, Miss Growse, Ford, Cartwright, Hill, Hearn, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Reynolds, Roberts, Soar, Taylor, Teare, and Weeks.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

Upon the motion of Councillor Miss Growse, seconded by Councillor The Rev. Dr. Macgowan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE, No. 1: The General Purposes Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 27th ulto. (Agenda page 309).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

REPORT OF GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE No. 2: The General Purposes Committee submitted a report of a further meeting of the Committee held on the 6th inst. (Agenda page 309).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

PARLIAMENTARY BILLS: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 4 (a) of the report of the Committee relative to the opposition of the Council to the Railways (North Western and Midland Group) Bill,

Mr. Councillor Sturgess moved: "That the Council take no further steps in connection with their opposition to the Bill."

Mr. Councillor Roberts seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 7, viz.: Councillors Sturgess, Roberts, Hearn, Soar, Taylor, Teare, and Weeks; and against the motion 4, viz.: Councillors Cartwright, Ford, Hill and Reynolds.

The Chairman declared the motion to be carried.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE: The Highways Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 6th inst. (Agenda page 312).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

PILLAR BOX, HERMITAGE LANE: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 9 of the report of the Committee in regard to the proposal of the Post Office Authorities to erect a pillar box in Hermitage Lane,

Mr. Councillor Roberts moved: "That the Council request the Post Office Authorities to erect the pillar box on the west side of Finchley Road near the existing police box."

Mr. Councillor Taylor seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 4, viz.: Councillors Roberts, Taylor, Sturgess and Weeks; and against the motion 7, viz.: Councillors Ford, Cartwright, Hill, Hearn, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Soar and Teare.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF OUTDOOR COMMITTEE: The Outdoor Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 18th ulto. (Agenda page 314).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Reynolds,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

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CRICKLEWOOD LANE: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 5 (b) of the report of the Committee relative to the Tramway stopping places in the neighbourhood of Cricklewood Lane and Finchley Road in connection with cars proceeding to Cricklewood.

Mr. Councillor Roberts moved: "That the paragraph in question be deleted."

Councillor Miss Hodge seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 10, viz.: Councillors Miss Hodge, Mrs. Bannister, Miss Growse, Ford, Cartwright, Hill, Reynolds, Roberts, Sturgess, and Wise; and against the motion 6, viz.: Councillors Glanville, Hearn, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Teare, Taylor and Weeks.

The Chairman declared the motion to be carried.

Mr. Councillor Glanville thereupon moved as an amendment: "That a communication be addressed to the Middlesex County Council suggesting that only one stopping place is required in connection with the service in question, namely, the one opposite No. 374, Cricklewood Lane."

Mr. Councillor Taylor seconded the amendment.

Upon the same being put to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 15, viz.: Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Growse, Ford, Cartwright, Hill, Hearn, Glanville, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Roberts, Soar, Taylor, Teare, Weeks, and Wise; and against the amendment 2, viz.: Councillors Sturgess and Reynolds.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be carried.

EDGWARE ROAD: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 7 of the report of the Committee relative to the suggestion for the provision of a refuge in the Edgware Road at the junction of Chichele Road,

Mr. Councillor Sturgess moved: "That in lieu of the decision of the Committee that the matter be deferred for the present, the Surveyor communicate with the Willesden Council asking for their co-operation in connection with the construction of a refuge in the vicinity in question."

Mr. Councillor Soar seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof, 14, viz.: Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Growse, Miss Hodge, Cartwright, Hill, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Reynolds, Roberts, Soar, Sturgess, Taylor, Teare, and Weeks; and against the motion 1, viz.: Mr. Councillor Ford.

The Chairman declared the motion to be carried.

Mr. Councillor Ford moved as an amendment: "That before taking action on the lines contemplated, a communication be addressed to the Commissioner of Police asking for information as to the volume of traffic in the locality referred to, and further that he be asked to suggest a position for the proposed refuge."

There being no seconder to the amendment, the consideration thereof was not proceeded with.

CREWYS ROAD, CHILD'S HILL: Reference was made to the question of carrying out permanent works in the remaining portion of Crewys Road, and Mr. Councillor Taylor moved: "That the Surveyor prepare plans and estimates for the fully making up of the remaining portion of Crewys Road under Section 150 of the Public Health Act, 1875."

Mr. Councillor Hearn seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting, the Chairman declared the same to be carried *nem. con.*

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Taylor, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hearn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF REQUISITIONS COMMITTEE: The Requisitions Committee submitted the following report of a meeting held this evening:—

Report of Requisitions Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall this evening. Present: Mr. Councillor Egan (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Growse, Cartwright, Ford, Hill, Reynolds, Roberts, and Teare.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor and the Chief Officer of the Fire Brigade submitted a requisition of goods required, and your Committee

RECOMMEND approval thereof.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

CORRESPONDENCE: The Clerk reported the receipt of numerous letters, as detailed in his report book, and upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be referred to the respective Committees for consideration in the usual way.

DOCUMENTS FOR SEALING: The Clerk submitted the following documents for sealing by the Council:—

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| Heymer, J. A.—Agreement for payment of road charges by instalments, | Alba Gardens. |
| Helmuth, H. W. | Dunstan Road. |
| Pearce, A. J. | Ditto |
| Conisa, M. | Ditto |
| Thomson, A. R. | Ditto |
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| Simon, A. | Ditto |
| Murray, A. | Ditto |
| Lewis-Day, H. J. | Ditto |
| Elliott, D. A. | Ditto |
| Hay, W. N. | Ditto |
| Wetton, L. N. | Ditto |
| Griffiths, J. | Ditto |
| Martin, A. J. M. | Ditto |
| Cheney, A. K. | Ditto |

Appointments of Overseers of the Parish of Hendon for the ensuing year.

Two Petrol Licences and one Carbide Licence as per Fire Brigade Committee Report (Agenda page 307).

Two Housing Bonds as per Housing Bond Register.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hill, seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the documents in question.

BRENT VALLEY LOW LEVEL SEWER EXTENSION: The Clerk reported the receipt of the tenders in response to the Council's advertisement in connection with the Brent Valley Low Level Sewer Extension (ten in number), and

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be opened, initialled by the Chairman, and referred to the Engineer for report.

BRENT HILL FARM SCHEME: The Clerk intimating that he desired to submit a report as to the present position in regard to the re-letting of the Contract in connection with the Brent Hill Housing Scheme,

IT WAS RESOLVED, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright, that the matter be considered by the Council in Committee this evening.

TELEGRAPHIC POST: The Surveyor submitted an application from the Superintending Engineer, Post Office Telegraphs, for consent to the erection of a telegraph post outside No. 46, Alba Gardens, Golders Green, together with a report in regard thereto, from which it appeared that the application was in order.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the application be acceded to.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING MAIN: Report from the Surveyor in regard to an application from the Hendon Electric Supply Company for permission to lay an underground main in the footpath on the west side of Gillingham Road, Cricklewood, from which it appeared that such application was in order.

Upon the motion of Councillor The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the application be approved, subject to the usual conditions.

'BUS ROUTE, FINSBURY PARK AND GOLDERS GREEN: Report from the Surveyor as to a communication he had received from the London General Omnibus Company as to their intention to operate, commencing on the 14th inst., a service of single deck omnibuses between Finsbury Park and Golders Green, such service of 'buses traversing North End Road. Noted.

EXTENSION OF TUBE RAILWAY: The Surveyor reported the receipt of a communication from the London Electric Railway Company relative to the proposed extension of the Tube Railway from Golders Green to Edgware.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hearn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the communication be considered by the Council in Committee.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE MINUTES: The Minutes of the proceedings of the Hendon Education Committee at a meeting held on the 24th day of January, 1922, having been circulated amongst the members of the Council, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Councillor The Rev. Dr. Macgowan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Minutes be received.

IN COMMITTEE—

EXTENSION OF TUBE RAILWAY: Consideration was given to the communication received from the London Electric Railway Company in regard to the proposed extension of the Tube Railway from Golders Green to Edgware.

It appeared from such communication that the Company were completing their plans for the proposed Railway in anticipation of the Government accepting their proposals, and they referred to the importance of properly locating the stations on the route, and invited the Council to submit suggestions in connection with the matter.

Report from the Surveyor in regard thereto.

After due consideration of the matter, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hearn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Surveyor confer with the Company with a view of ascertaining their proposals in connection with the situation of the proposed stations.

BRENT HILL HOUSING SCHEME
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the Brent Hill Housing Scheme

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BRENT HILL HOUSING SCHEME: The Accountant submitted a Certificate issued by the Architect in favour of Messrs. Williams and Co., amounting to the sum of £240, relating to tiling works in connection with the Brent Hill Housing Scheme.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Certificate be approved, and a pay order issued in favour of Messrs. Williams and Co. for the amount named.

The Clerk submitted a report in regard to the re-letting of the Contract for the completion of the Brent Hill Housing Scheme, from which it appeared that the Ministry of Health had been interviewed upon the matter, and had verbally agreed the draft contract with Messrs. Billings and Co., subject to certain variations.

The Clerk intimated that he now proposed to submit to the Ministry a copy of the form of Contract as finally agreed, and to press for the early approval in writing of the document when steps could be taken to obtain the execution of Messrs. Billings and Co. thereto without delay.

After due consideration of the action taken in the matter,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be confirmed.

MILL HILL DUSTING: Consideration was given to the tenders received for the work of refuse removal in the Mill Hill Ward, the matter having been referred to the Council in Committee by the Works Committee at their meeting on the 20th ulto.

Report from the Surveyor in connection with such tenders.

After due consideration of the matter, together with the report of the Surveyor in regard thereto,

Mr. Councillor Sturgess moved:—

“That the tender of Mr. Cherry be accepted.”

Mr. Councillor Teare seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 3, viz:—Councillors Miss Growse, Sturgess and Teare; and against the motion 11, viz:—Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Hodge, Ford, Cartwright, Hill, Glanville, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Roberts, Reynolds, Soar and Weeks.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

Mr. Councillor Cartwright thereupon moved as an amendment:—

“That the tender of Mr. Harris be accepted.”

Mr. Councillor Ford seconded the amendment.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 8, viz:—Councillors Ford, Cartwright, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Reynolds, Roberts, Soar, Teare and Weeks; and against the amendment 2, viz:—Councillors Hill and Sturgess.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be carried.

GREATER LONDON: Reference was made to the suggested scheme forwarded by the Middlesex County Council, and which was reported at the last meeting of the General Purposes Committee, dealing with the question of Education, and upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Councillor Mrs. Hargraves,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the consideration of the same be deferred for the present.

Consideration was given to a report submitted by the Accountant as to an interview which he had had with the Clerk to the Kingsbury Council when the question of the Greater London Scheme was mentioned. The Clerk to the Kingsbury Council suggested that representatives of their respective Councils should meet to discuss the matter.

Mr. Councillor Ford moved:—

“That the Council appoint a Committee to meet representatives of the Kingsbury Council with a view to a mutual interchange of views upon the subject of Greater London.”

Mr. Councillor Soar seconded the motion.

Mr. Councillor Sturgess moved as an amendment:—

“That the matter remain in abeyance until a formal communication has been received from the Kingsbury Council upon the subject.”

Mr. Councillor Hearn seconded the amendment.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 5, viz:—Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Glanville, Hearn, Sturgess and Taylor; and against the amendment 7, viz:—Councillors Ford, Cartwright, Hill, Roberts, Soar, Teare and Weeks.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be not carried.

After some discussion in connection with the matter, it was ultimately agreed that the Chairman of the Council should meet the Chairman of the Kingsbury Council to have an informal discussion in regard thereto.

CENTRAL FIRE STATION STAFF: Consideration was given to the question of the allowance to be made to the Chief Officer of the Fire Brigade in respect of a small car which he now used in connection with his work in lieu of his motor cycle, the allowance in respect of the latter being £3 per annum.

Mr. Councillor Ford moved:—

“That the allowance of £3 per annum to the Chief Officer be continued.”

Mr. Councillor Hill seconded the motion.

Councillor Miss Growse moved as an amendment:—

“That the allowance be increased to £4 per annum.”

Mr. Councillor Reynolds seconded the amendment.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 11, viz:—Councillors Miss Growse, Mrs. Bannister, Miss Hodge, Glanville, The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, Soar, Sturgess, Taylor, Reynolds, Roberts and Wise; and against the amendment 7, viz:—Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Cartwright, Ford, Hill, Hearn, Teare and Weeks.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be carried.

Upon the amendment being put as the substantive motion it was declared to be carried, the members voting as before.

LOAN OFFER: Report from the Accountant as to an offer which he had received to advance the sum of £2,000 to the Council for a period of thirty years at £5 17s. 6d. per cent. per annum interest.

After due consideration of the offer,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Accountant negotiate for the raising of the sum referred to with interest not exceeding 5½ per cent per annum.

FIELD PATHS: Reference was made to the condition of certain Field Paths in the district, and particularly to the one between Lawrence Street and Highwood Hill, and

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Surveyor make an inspection of the path in question with a view to an improvement being effected.

TEMPORARY SHOP PREMISES—WEST HENDON: Reference was made to certain amended proposals which Mr. Bowyer proposed to submit to the Council in connection with his proposition to erect temporary shop premises at the junction of York Road and Edgware Road, West Hendon.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Chairman of the Council and the Chairman of the Town Planning Committee be invested with power to act in connection with the matter.

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AT A SPECIAL MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon (in Committee) held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 20th day of March, 1922.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
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 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor).
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant),

The Clerk read the notice convening the meeting.

ESTIMATE FOR GENERAL DISTRICT RATE: The Council gave detailed consideration to the estimates of the respective Committees of the Council of their requirements for the year ended 31st March, 1923, and after careful consideration and amendment thereof approved such estimates.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such estimates be approved and submitted for sealing at a meeting of the Council to be held on Monday next.

INVESTMENTS: Reference was made to funds that the Council had invested in various Government securities, and after very careful consideration, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That it be left to the Chairman of the Finance Committee and the Accountant of the Council to realise such of the Council's investments as may be considered necessary if and when required.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE'S ESTIMATES: Letter from the Hendon Education Committee, in reference to their requirements in respect of Elementary Education for the period to the 30th September, 1922, viz:—£17,500.

In respect of Higher Education, the Education Committee made no requisition for the period to 30th September next.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hearn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the estimate in respect of Elementary Education be approved and that a Precept be issued upon the Overseers for the sum of £17,500 in respect of the requirements of the Hendon Education Committee for the half-year ending 30th September, 1922.

GREATER LONDON: A report was received from the delegates who had attended the Conference convened by the Middlesex County Council upon this subject at the Guildhall, Westminster. It appeared that a further Conference would be held on Monday next.

The Clerk reported the receipt of a communication from the Willesden Urban District Council inviting the attendance of delegates from Hendon to a Conference with representatives of the Urban Districts of Wembley and Kingsbury and the Rural District of Hendon in regard to Greater London.

Some discussion took place in regard to the communication, and upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Rev. Dr. Macgowan,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Council continue to be represented at the Conferences arranged by the Middlesex County Council.

RESOLVED further that Councillors Egan, Ford, Hill and Soar attend the Conference at Willesden when arranged.

CONFERENCE WITH KINGSBURY: It was agreed that Councillors Cartwright, Egan and Hill confer with members of the Kingsbury Council upon the subject of Greater London.

ALLOTMENT LAND NEAR GREYSTANES, MILL HILL: Report was made that Mr. F. T. Wright had agreed to let to the Council about 4½ acres of land in the place of the piece of land now under cultivation for Allotments.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Council accept Mr. Wright's offer and that the Surveyor take the necessary action to secure the use of the land for Allotments at the earliest date possible.

S. H. Egan
 Chairman.

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AT A SPECIAL MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon, held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 27th day of March, 1922.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister,
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
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 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant),
 Dr. T. S. McIntosh (Medical Officer of Health).

The Clerk read the notice convening the meeting.

GENERAL DISTRICT RATE: The Council considered the report of the Council (In Committee) in regard to the estimates for General District Rate, to meet the expenses of the Council for the year ending 31st March, 1923.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts,

IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED—That such estimates be approved and that a General District Rate of 1s. 7d. in the £ be prepared and submitted for sealing by the Council in due course. Resolved further that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to such estimates.

BRENT HILL FARM: Report from the Clerk that Messrs. J. E. Billings and Co., the Contractors for the completion of the Brent Hill Farm Housing Scheme, had executed the Contract and the Guarantee Society of Birching Lane had completed the necessary Bond.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Taylor,

IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the Contract of Messrs. Billings and Co. and the Bond in connection therewith and the seal was thereupon affixed.

IN COMMITTEE—

GREATER LONDON: The Council gave very careful consideration to the notes of evidence proposed to be submitted to the Royal Commission on London Government, and subject to minor amendments therein approved the evidence proposed to be given.

In regard to the Engineer's evidence to be given by Mr. Knight,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That Mr. S. S. Grimley, the Consulting Engineer, be invited to attend to substantiate if found necessary portions of the evidence which related to a report he had made upon the question of sewage disposal. In regard to the evidence upon the subject of Education, it was agreed that the same should be referred to the Education Committee for approval.

MOTOR FIRE ENGINE: Report was made that an accident had occurred to the Council's Motor Fire Engine whilst proceeding to a fire, and it had become necessary to secure a motor engine from Messrs. Leyland Motors, to stand by during the time the Council's motor was under repair.

The Chairman reported that he had authorised this action to be taken, and

IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED—That the action of the Chairman be confirmed.

PAY ORDER: The Accountant submitted Pay Order amounting to the sum of £12,742 10s. 5d.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Fenn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Pay Order be approved and that cheques be drawn for the amounts mentioned therein.

S. H. Egan
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AT A SPECIAL MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Tuesday, the 4th day of April, 1922.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
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 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant),
 Dr. T. S. McIntosh (Medical Officer of Health).

The Clerk read the notice convening the meeting.

GENERAL DISTRICT RATE: Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hill,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to a General District Rate of 1s. 7d. in the £ to meet the expenses of the Council for the period to the 30th September, 1922. The Seal was thereupon affixed.

ORDER OF MEETINGS:

IT WAS RESOLVED—That Special Meetings of the Finance Committee to pass accounts for payment, and of the Town Planning Committee to consider building applications be held on Monday next prior to the Council meeting.

HOSPITAL SUPPLIES: Tenders were received for supplies to the Isolation Hospital.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be opened, initialled and referred to the Accountant for report to the Council, In Committee, on Monday next.

PAY ORDER: The Accountant submitted Pay Order amounting to the sum of £398 1s. 8d.

Upon the motion of The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Pay Order be approved and that cheques be drawn for the various amounts.

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DEAR SIR, or MADAM,

I beg to inform you that a Meeting of the Urban District Council of Hendon will be held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday next, the 10th day of April, 1922, at 7 o'clock in the evening for the purpose of transacting the following business, namely—

Agenda:

1. To confirm Minutes of previous Meetings.
2. Questions.
3. Report of Finance Committee.
4. Report of Works and Sewage Disposal Committee.
5. Report of Public Health Committee.
6. Report of Town Planning Committee.
7. Report of Requisitions Committee.
8. Report of Chairman.
9. Report of Clerk.
10. Report of Surveyor.
11. Education Committee (Minutes).

I am, Dear Sir or Madam,

Yours faithfully,

HENRY HUMPHRIS,

Clerk to the Council.

Finance Committee, to pass accounts, at 6 p.m.

Town Planning Committee, to pass plans, at 6 p.m.

Pensions Committee at 6.30 p.m.

The Requisitions Committee, consisting of the Chairmen of the Standing Committees, to follow.

Report of Works & Sewage Disposal Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, on Monday, the 27th day of March, 1922. Present: Mr. Councillor Roberts (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs. Bannister, Cartwright, Egan, Hill, Glanville, Soar, Sturgess and Wise.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—ALLOTMENTS:

(A) BOOTH ROAD:

- (1) Letter from Mr. E. Warland making inquiry on behalf of the Colindale and District Allotment Association, as to the completion of the lease of the land now used for allotments in Booth Road, and as to the period of such lease.

Report from the Clerk that the lease in question had been completed. He had accordingly furnished Mr. Warland with particulars thereof.

Your Committee confirmed the action of the Clerk in the matter.

- (2) Letter from Mr. E. Warland relative to the right of way to the Booth Road Allotments, proposed to be constructed by the Council through the land to be leased from H.M. Office of Works at Colindale Avenue, and requesting that steps might be taken to secure the opening thereof at an early date.

Your Committee have received a report from the Surveyor in regard thereto, and

RECOMMEND—That when the Council obtain actual possession of the land in question that arrangements for the provision of the proposed right of way be completed.

- (3) Consideration was given to the question of fixing the rent for the plots on the Booth Road Allotments, and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the rent be fixed at 1s. per pole.

- (B) ALLOTMENT JUNCTION OF WILLIFIELD WAY AND FINCHLEY ROAD: Letter from Mr. H. P. Merriman, on behalf of the Hampstead Garden Suburb Allotments Association, in regard to an alleged trespass by a firm of builders on an allotment cultivated by one of the members of the Association (Mr. Whitehead) at the junction of Willifield Way and Finchley Road.

The Association requested the Council to take some action in the matter.

Letter from Mr. A. H. Whitehead, the tenant of the allotment in question, relative to the notice to quit subsequently served upon him, and asking the Council to take steps in connection with the alleged trespass.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a communication be addressed to the builders asking for an explanation in regard to the matter.

(C) NEW ALLOTMENTS—CRICKLEWOOD:

- (1) Letter from the Hon. Secretary, "Youdees" Social and Sports Club, relative to the provision of allotments by the Council on the land to be leased from the Ecclesiastical Commissioners at Cricklewood, such proposed allotments adjoining the Sports Ground utilised by the Club.

The Hon. Secretary of the Club referred to the removal of the boundary fence between the Sports Ground and the Aerodrome land, leaving part of the ground unprotected, and a suggestion was made that the Club should erect unclimbable chestnut fencing to replace the old fencing and that the expense of so doing should be borne jointly by the Club and the Council.

Report from the Surveyor in regard to the suggestion, from which it appeared that the approximate cost of the fencing in question would amount to the sum of £25.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the suggestion of the "Youdees" Sports Club be acceded to.

- (2) Report from the Surveyor in regard to the question of erecting a fence on the North East Side of the Allotments in question, and he suggested that the Council should erect "Chestnut Pale Fencing" thereon which he estimated would cost approximately £65. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the suggestion of the Surveyor be approved, and that arrangements be made for the erection of the fencing referred to.

- (3) Report from the Accountant as to lists of persons desirous of securing plots on the new land at Cricklewood. A suggestion had been made that a ballot should be taken with a view to determining the persons to be allotted plots.

Your Committee approved of the suggestion and gave instructions for the same to be carried out forthwith, it being understood that only residents in the Hendon District were to participate in such ballot.

- (4) Letter from Messrs. Milles and Co., on behalf of the Ecclesiastical Commissioners, transmitting draft lease for the approval of the Council of the land proposed to be utilised for allotments at Cricklewood. Your Committee

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- (5) Report from the Surveyor in further reference to his negotiations with Mr. Raymond, one of the tenants of the land in question, in regard to giving up possession thereof.

The Council will remember that upon Mr. Raymond being approached by the Surveyor he agreed to surrender tenancy of the land occupied by him forthwith, and he now intimated the amount of compensation required by him in connection with such surrender.

Your Committee gave instructions to the Surveyor in regard thereto.

(D) ARCHFIELDS ALLOTMENTS:

- (1) The Clerk reported in regard to the delay on the part of All Souls' College Authorities in the completion of the lease of the Archfields Allotments.

Your Committee gather that the delay has been occasioned in connection with obtaining a formal surrender of the portion of the land leased to the Golf Club. The difficulty in connection with the surrender referred to appeared now to have been overcome, and it was anticipated that the lease would shortly be received by the Council.

Your Committee have duly noted the report of the Clerk in the matter.

- (2) Report from the Accountant that the Archfield Allotment Association took exception to the allotment holders being required to pay the full rent for the plots on the allotments in question, in view of the fact that the lease of the land to the Council had not yet been completed.

Your Committee instructed the Accountant to inform the Association that as the Council were paying full rent for the lease of the land, the allottees would be required to do likewise.

- (3) Consideration was given to a request received from the Archfield Allotment Association that the holders of plots Nos. 74 and 75 on the said allotments should be served with notices to quit such plots owing to the plots being uncultivated.

Your Committee authorised the Clerk to serve the required notices to quit.

- (E) LAND AT MILL HILL: Letter from Messrs. Ward Perks and Terry on behalf of their Client, Mr. T. R. Wright, of "Greystanes," Mill Hill, offering to lease to the Council certain land in Lawrence Street, Mill Hill, for the provision of allotments, in lieu of that referred to in the Order made by the Council on the 27th ulto. for the compulsorily hiring of land previously utilised as allotments in the vicinity of Mr. Wright's residence.

It appeared from such communication that as a result of an interview which the Surveyor had had with Messrs. Ward and Co. their Client was prepared to lease to the Council the land in Lawrence Street for a period of five years from the 25th inst. subject to the Order referred to being rescinded, and to satisfactory arrangements being made by the Council with the present tenant of the land (Mr. Cherry).

Report from the Surveyor that he had interviewed Mr. Cherry upon the matter, and he had agreed to accept the sum of £21 as compensation for relinquishing his tenancy of the land forthwith. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council agree to the payment to Mr. Cherry of the sum referred to.

With regard to the offer of Mr. Wright, your Committee decided to take advantage of the same, and also that arrangements should be made whereby the Council should pay a rental for the land of £4 per acre, per annum.

The Surveyor reported that he proposed to stake out the land on the following day, and your Committee approved of the proposal.

Reference was made to the persons who should participate in such allotments, and it was agreed that preference should be given to dispossessed allotment holders, and that further cases should be dealt with by ballot.

- (F) ALLOTMENT—WILDWOOD ROAD: Consideration was given to a complaint received from Mr. A. Farey of Wildwood Rise as to the action of the builder in entering upon his allotment prior to the receipt by him of the required notice to quit. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That a communication be addressed to the builder asking for an explanation in regard to his alleged action.

- (G) DAWS LANE: The Surveyor submitted a further report in regard to his negotiations with Mr. Howard for the acquisition of the land in Daws Lane (approximately 8½ acres in extent) for the purpose of allotments, from which it appeared that Mr. Howard would be prepared to dispose of such land to the Council for the sum of £300 per acre, it being a condition of the sale that such land should be continued as allotments for a reasonable number of years.

The Council will remember that they have already agreed to make application to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the necessary loan for the acquisition of this land, subject to the negotiations of the Surveyor proving satisfactory.

After due consideration of the further negotiations of the Surveyor in the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That application be now made to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the necessary loan for the acquisition of the land in question.

- (H) GREENFIELD GARDENS: Letter from Mr. G. W. Bower intimating that Mr. E. Streather was the sole person now interested in the land at present utilised by the Council as allotments at Greenfield Gardens under an agreement between Mr. Howard and the Council of July, 1919.

Mr. Bower intimated that Mr. Streather now required to obtain possession of the land for building development and other special purposes, and that he required the Council to give up possession thereof on the 24th prox.

Your Committee gave instructions for the necessary notices to quit to be served upon the allottees, and further that the dispossessed allottees should be given preference in connection with the letting of the new allotments.

- (r) COOL OAK LANE: Letter from Mr. A. Peck, Secretary of the West Hendon Allotment Association, making enquiry whether the Council could supply the allottees on the Cool Oak Lane Allotments with manure.

Your Committee have referred the matter to the Surveyor.

Mr. Peck also intimated in his communication that Mr. Nye had resigned the Secretaryship of the Cool Oak Lane Allotments, and that he had been appointed in his stead.

Your Committee have duly noted the same.

- 2.—GREATER LONDON: The Chairman of the Council reported in regard to an interview which had taken place between himself and the Officers of the Council and the Chairman and Officers of the Kingsbury Council upon the subject of the Greater London Scheme.

It had been suggested by the Kingsbury representatives at such interview that a further meeting of the two bodies should take place in conjunction with representatives of the Hendon Rural District Council. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That such further Conference be arranged.

- 3.—SWIMMING BATH COMPETITION: Letter from Mr. T. M. Wilson in reference to his correspondence in connection with the Swimming Bath Competition organised by the Council prior to the War and requesting the Council to further consider his claim for fees in connection therewith.

It will be remembered that this matter was under consideration in June, 1920, when certain suggestions were made without prejudice on behalf of the Council with a view to a settlement of the matter. Mr. Wilson's Solicitors promised to consider these suggestions and communicate their decision in writing to the Council, but the matter had apparently dropped. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the General Purposes Committee reconsider the same.

- 4.—PUBLIC CONVENIENCE, BRENT STREET: Consideration was given to the further communication received from the Ministry of Health, reported at the last meeting of the Committee, in regard to the proposal of the Council to construct a Public Convenience at the junction of Bell Lane and Brent Street, the Ministry intimating that they would be prepared to sanction a loan for the construction of the Convenience entirely underground, provided that the Council were satisfied that the land could be utilised for the purpose.

In accordance with the instructions of the Committee, the Surveyor submitted the original plans providing for an underground scheme.

After due consideration of the matter, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council proceed with the original scheme for the construction of the Convenience entirely underground, and that application be made to the Ministry of Health for sanction to the additional loan necessary to carry out the work.

- 5.—OPEN-AIR SWIMMING BATH—THE HYDE: The Surveyor submitted a report in regard to the progress made in connection with the construction of the Open-Air Swimming Bath on the site at The Hyde.

He also submitted a report in regard to the action taken by him in connection with certain materials utilised in the execution of the work.

Your Committee confirmed the action taken by the Surveyor in the matter.

- 6.—DAWS FARM ESTATE: In accordance with the instructions of the Committee at the last meeting the Surveyor submitted a plan of the suggested lay-out of the Daws Farm Estate on the lines proposed in his previous report.

He also reported in regard to his further negotiations with the Vendors of the Estate relative to the acquisition thereof by the Council.

Your Committee consider that this matter is one which should be dealt with by the whole of the Members of the Council, and they

RECOMMEND—That the same be considered by the Council in Committee.

- 7.—SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS EXTENSION: The Engineer reported that the work in connection with the extension of the Sewage Disposal Works was proceeding satisfactory, and he anticipated that the same would be completed by the end of April.

He made enquiry whether Members would like to view the works, prior to the same being utilised for the reception of the sewage.

Your Committee requested the Engineer to submit this suggestion at the Annual Meeting of the Council.

- 8.—BRENT LOW LEVEL SEWERAGE EXTENSION: The Engineer submitted the following schedule of Tenders received in response to the Council's Advertisement in connection with the Brent Low Level Sewerage Extension.

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| Messrs. Davidson and Sykes, | 32, Victoria Street, S.W.1., | 2242 | 8 | 0 |
| Mr. S. Hall, | 8, Marlborough Road, Bromley, | 1677 | 8 | 6 |
| Messrs. Wareham and Johnson, | 268, Wightman Road, Hornsey, | 1510 | 0 | 0 |
| Messrs. Alexander Thomson and Co., | 2, Gordon Place, W.C., | 1459 | 19 | 0 |
| Mr. Charles Carter, | Golders Green, N.W.11., | 1447 | 0 | 0 |
| Messrs. D. R. Paterson, Ltd., | 3, Hamilton Street, S.W.1., | 1403 | 6 | 0 |
| Messrs. A. L. and H.W. Chown, | Edinburgh Road, Northampton, | 1399 | 4 | 0 |
| Mr. Howard Farrow, | Golders Green, N.W., | 1374 | 5 | 0 |
| Mr. C. W. Killingback, | East Finchley, N., | 1332 | 0 | 0 |
| Messrs. Wm. Moss and Sons, | 16-18, Bloomsbury Street, W.C., | 1284 | 0 | 0 |

After due consideration of such Tenders, and a report submitted by the Engineer thereon, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the tender of Messrs. William Moss and Sons, amounting to the sum of £1284 be accepted, and that the necessary Contract be prepared for execution by Messrs. Moss and Sons in due course.

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9.—LAWRENCE STREET, MILL HILL: In accordance with the instructions of the Committee at the last meeting the Surveyor submitted a report in regard to the existing names adopted in various sections of Lawrence Street, Mill Hill, and suggested that such names should be abolished, and the road properly numbered as far as possible. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the suggestion of the Surveyor be approved, and that the necessary notices requiring the re-numbering of Lawrence Street be issued in due course.

10.—COUNCIL'S HORSES: Report from the Surveyor in regard to certain of the Council's Horses, from which it appeared that it had been necessary to send one of the animals at present on hire by the Council to Hospital.

It also appeared from such report that one of the horses was unsuitable for the Council's work, and the Surveyor suggested that the Council should purchase a horse, at present on hire from Mr. Holdford, and for which he required the sum of £80, subject to Mr. Holdford purchasing at an agreed figure the horse being no longer suitable for the Council's work. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the suggestion of the Surveyor be approved.

11.—BOILER AND DISINFECTOR—OUTFALL WORKS: The Surveyor submitted reports which he had received from the National Boiler Insurance Company as to an inspection made of the Boiler and Disinfector at the Outfall Works from which it appeared that the same were found to be in order.

Your Committee have duly noted such reports.

12.—TELEGRAPHIC WORKS: The Surveyor reported upon certain applications from H.M. Postmaster General relative to telegraphic works proposed to be carried out in various parts of the district. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council accede to such applications, subject to the usual conditions.

Consideration was given to a report submitted by the Surveyor in connection with his negotiations with the Post Office Authorities with a view to the removal of the telegraph post at present in existence near the War Memorial Site at the junction of Colindeep Lane and The Burroughs.

Your Committee have requested the Surveyor to continue his negotiations in the matter.

13.—GAS MAIN—HOOP LANE: Report from the Surveyor in regard to an application received from the Gas Light and Coke Company for permission to lay a main in Hoop Lane, Golders Green, from which it appeared that such application was in order. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the application be approved, subject to the usual conditions.

14.—EX-SERVICE MEN'S MARKET: Letters from Mr. A. Fox, Organiser, Ex-Service Men's Co-operative Market, and Mr. Connolly relative to a proposal to establish Ex-Service Men's Co-operative Markets on certain vacant land in the Edgware Road owned by the Council.

Your Committee understand that certain restrictive covenants exist in connection with this land and have deferred their consideration of the applications for a report on such covenants.

15.—TOWN HALL: Report from the Surveyor in regard to the question of providing additional ventilation on the first floor of the Town Hall, and he submitted estimates which he had obtained for the carrying out of certain work with a view to improving such ventilation. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Tender of Mr. Seear of £9 7s. 6d. be accepted, and that the work be carried out.

16.—LAND—COLINDALE AVENUE: Letter from Mr. T. H. Cleave, on behalf of the West Hendon and Colindale Brotherhood, making enquiry whether the Council would be prepared to allow the Brotherhood the use of the land to be leased from H.M. Office of Works at Colindale Avenue for the purpose of holding a Vegetable and Flower Show on July 22nd, the proceeds of such show being in aid of the West Hendon District Nurse Fund and the Brotherhood Benevolent Fund.

Your Committee have deferred the consideration of this matter until the lease of the land has been settled.

17.—TUBE EXTENSION—GOLDERS GREEN TO EDGWARE: The Surveyor submitted a report as to an interview which had taken place between representatives of the London Electric Railway Company and himself in reference to the question of the proposed extension of the Tube from Golders Green to Edgware.

In regard to the question of stations on the route the Company suggested that one station should be on the Woodstock Estate at the bottom of Highfield Avenue, to be known as "Brent (Hendon)."

In regard to the station in Hendon Central which the Council had suggested should be at "The Burroughs" the Company had intimated that on the ground of expense the Council's suggestion could not be entertained, but it was proposed to construct such station in Queen's Road opposite "Stoney Farm," and the station would be known as "Hendon Central."

Your Committee have given the matter further consideration, and still hold the view that the Council should press for the original site for the station, and

RECOMMEND—That the Engineer negotiate further with the Company upon the matter.

Reference was made to the vacant land in the neighbourhood of Gainsborough Gardens which the Company stated would be utilised as a Main Depot by the Contractor during the progress of the works, and they suggested that the allottees on such land should be served with notice to quit the allotments held by them.

Your Committee are of opinion that the allottees in question should not be disturbed until the land is actually required by the Company's Contractors, they are therefore unable to recommend the Council to comply with the request of the Company.

18.—DRAINAGE OF SHOPS—GOLDERS GREEN ROAD: Report from the Engineer in regard to the proposed drainage of certain shops in Golders Green Road, at the junction of Alba Gardens, in course of erection by Mr. W. T. Streather. It appeared from such report that difficulties had been experienced in regard thereto, and the Surveyor submitted certain suggestions in connection therewith.

Your Committee have left the matter in the hands of the Engineer to negotiate with the owner of the property on the lines of his report.

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Report of Public Health Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, on Monday, the 24th day of March, 1922. Present: Mr. Councillor Teare (Chairman), and Councillors Miss Hodge, Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Growse, Fern, Hearn, Taylor and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—VITAL STATISTICS: Report from the Medical Officer of Health that the death rate of the district for the period since the last meeting of the Committee was 11.51 per thousand, and the birth rate 12.81 per thousand.

Your Committee desire to point out that the death rate of Hendon residents only for the same period is 5.75 per thousand.

2.—INSPECTION WORK: That they received a report from the Sanitary Inspector as to the inspection and drainage work carried out since the last meeting of the Committee, and have duly approved the same.

3.—STATUTORY NOTICES: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to cases where preliminary notices had been served, but had not been complied with, and he asked for authority to serve Statutory Notices in such cases, viz.:—

Rosendale Villas, Stanley Road.
20, Hamilton Road.
1 and 2, Swiss Cottage, Golders Green Road.

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Statutory Notices be served in such cases if found necessary.

4.—SANITARY CERTIFICATES: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to applications which had been received for the issue of Certificates under the Increase of Rent and Mortgage Interest (Restriction) Act in respect of the following premises:—

23, Hurstwood Road.
99, North End Road.

After due consideration of the report of the Inspector in regard to such premises, your Committee being invested with power to act in such matters, gave authority for the issue of the certificates in these cases.

5.—DAIRIES, COWSHEDS AND MILKSHOPS ORDER: Report from the Sanitary Inspector as to an application by Mr. C. V. Mander to be registered as a cowkeeper and dairyman in respect of premises at Deansbrook Lane, Edgware.

Report from the Inspector that the premises had been visited and found to be satisfactory. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. C. V. Mander be registered as a cowkeeper and dairyman in respect of premises at Deansbrook Lane, Edgware.

6.—MATERNITY AND CHILD WELFARE:

(A) Letter from the Ministry of Health in reference to the statements of expenditure submitted by the Council in connection with Maternity and Child Welfare work for the year ended 31st March, 1921, and also the estimated expenditure during the year ended 31st March, 1922.

The Ministry intimated that it had been decided to make a grant of £724 16s. 4d., and an Order for the amount would be transmitted to the Treasurer in due course.

Your Committee have duly noted this communication.

(B) Letter from the Ministry of Health in reference to the provision made by the Council for Maternity and Child Welfare work, intimating that the Minister had decided to make a supplementary grant of £135 on account of the estimated expenditure in connection with the West Hendon Day Nursery, and an Order would be forwarded to the Treasurer.

Your Committee have duly noted this communication.

(C) Circular from the Ministry of Health in regard to the recommendations of the Committee on National Expenditure relating to Public Health Services.

The Committee considered that the contribution of the State next year for such services should not be in excess of the figure provided for the present year, and the Ministry expressed the hope that with the greatly increased incentive to economy, Local Authorities would be able still further to increase their beneficial work.

Pending a decision on the question of the grant, the Government had decided to allocate such amounts from public funds during the next financial year as would enable the existing standard of provision in the Public Health Service to be maintained.

Your Committee have duly noted this communication.

7.—HOUSING ACTS: Report from the Clerk as to the receipt of a circular from the Ministry of Health drawing attention of the Council to a decision of the Courts under the Housing and Town Planning Act, 1919.

The Ministry suggested that all notices served by the Council under Section 28 of the Housing and Town Planning Act, 1919, should contain information as set out in the Circular relative to the time within which notice of appeal may be given to the Ministry of Health.

Your Committee have duly noted this communication.

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8.—COUNTY ANALYST: Letter from the Middlesex County Council intimating that Mr. Stafford Aston, of 3 and 4, New Court, Lincoln's Inn, had been appointed County Analyst for Middlesex.

Your Committee have duly noted the contents of this communication.

9.—COMPLAINT: Letter from Mr. A. Matthews complaining of the condition of vacant land near to his house at The Ridgeway, and also from Mr. F. O. Farrell complaining of annoyance from fowls in adjacent premises and also as to the prevalence of rats in his garden.

Report from the Clerk that the complaints had been referred to the Sanitary Inspector, and your Committee are informed that the matters complained of have received attention.

10.—INFECTIOUS DISEASE: Letter from the U.D.C. of Kingsbury in reference to the charge made by the Council for the treatment of cases of Infectious Diseases from the Kingsbury District at the Council's Isolation Hospital, viz.:—£4 4s. per week per case.

The Kingsbury Council made enquiry whether the Council could see their way to make a reduction in the charge.

Your Committee have given very careful consideration to the application of the Kingsbury Council and it will be remembered that the Council have themselves been called upon to pay £4 4s. per week when sending patients for treatment in other Hospitals.

In view, however, of the fact that Kingsbury is a neighbouring local authority, your Committee consider that a reduction might be made in the charge to £3 3s. per week in respect of the Kingsbury District. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the charge for patients suffering from Infectious Diseases from the Kingsbury District be fixed at £3 3s. per week.

11.—ISOLATION HOSPITAL EXTENSION: That they gave consideration to a report submitted by the Chairman and Medical Officer as to the furnishing and equipment which would be required for the extension to the Isolation Hospital.

After careful consideration of the list of articles required, your Committee approve of the Requisitions for furnishing articles, and

RECOMMEND—That the list be approved and that prices be obtained therefor. That it be referred to the Chairman of the Committee, together with Councillor Mrs. Hargraves and the Medical Officer of Health to deal with.

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Minutes.

AT A MEETING of the Urban District Council of Hendon held at the Town Hall, The Burroughs, Hendon, N.W., on Monday, the 16th day of April, 1922.

PRESENT:

Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan, J.P. (Chairman),
 Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves,
 Councillor Miss E. C. Growse,
 Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge,
 Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright,
 " " A. S. F. Ford,
 " " W. L. Glanville,
 " " F. W. Hearn,
 " " A. J. Reynolds,
 " " A. Roberts,
 " " A. B. Soar,
 " " J. H. Sturgess,
 " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E.,
 " " R. M. Weeks,
 " " R. J. Wise,
 Mr. H. Humphris (Clerk),
 Mr. A. O. Knight (Engineer and Surveyor),
 Mr. G. Hails (Accountant),
 Dr. T. S. McIntosh (Medical Officer of Health).

MINUTES: The Minutes of the last Ordinary Meeting of the Council held on the 13th day of March, 1922, and of the Special Meetings held on the 20th day of March, the 27th day of March, and the 4th day of April, 1922, were submitted for confirmation.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Cartwright,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Minutes be confirmed.

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE: Apologies for absence were tendered by Councillor Mrs. Bannister, Councillor The Revd. Dr. Macgowan, and Mr. Councillor Hill.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE: The following report was received from the Finance Committee of a meeting held this evening.

Report of Finance Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, this evening. Present: Councillor Cartwright (Chairman), Councillors Miss Hodge, Hearn, Roberts, Soar, Teare and Weeks.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT: That they gave consideration to accounts submitted for payment, amounting to the sum of £12,098 0s. 1d., as follows:—

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| Addressograph, Ltd. | Zinc plates | 1 | 5 | 9 |
| Aircraft Manufacturing Co., Ltd. | Files | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| Alumina Co., Ltd. | Alumina | 41 | 17 | 0 |
| Anglo-American Oil Co., Ltd. | Oil | 6 | 10 | 0 |
| Archer, W. and F. | Brooms | 13 | 16 | 0 |
| Army and Navy Furnishing and General Supply Co., Ltd. | Oats | 59 | 13 | 9 |
| Atkinson and Co., Ltd. | Uniforms | 71 | 19 | 3 |
| Bailey, W. H. and Son | Sundries | 5 | 5 | 2 |
| Baker, Chas. and Co., Ltd. | Coat | 2 | 19 | 6 |
| Bamber and Sons | Trees | 4 | 15 | 0 |
| Barker, John and Co., Ltd. | Canvas | 4 | 1 | |
| Baron, Nurse E. K. | Midwife fees | 3 | 15 | 0 |
| Beattie, J. H. and Co., Ltd. | Coal, etc. | 77 | 15 | 4 |
| Bell Motor Works | Sundries | 2 | 8 | 6 |
| Blyde, A. and Co. | Tyres | 4 | 10 | 0 |
| Bradbury, Son and Co., Ltd. | Coal | 20 | 16 | 3 |
| Buck and Ryan | Knives | 16 | 0 | |
| Burnett, Sir Wm. and Co., Ltd. | Paving blocks | 98 | 15 | 0 |
| Burroughs Milling Co. | Wages boxes | 2 | 10 | 0 |
| Camberwell Research Laboratories | Diagnosis fees | 6 | 16 | 6 |
| Carbonic Acid Gas Co. | Refilling cylinder | 4 | 6 | |
| Cement Marketing Co., Ltd. | Cement | 19 | 0 | 3 |
| Cherry, C. | Hired team labour | 93 | 16 | 0 |
| Church Army | Firewood | 3 | 5 | 0 |
| Clarke, G. | Thigh boots | 4 | 10 | 0 |

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| Neale, D. W. and Co. ... | Antitoxin ... | 6 6 |
| Clayton Wagons, Ltd. ... | Sundries ... | 4 14 0 |
| Colne Valley Water Co. ... | Water rate ... | 7 3 |
| Connolly, J. W. and T., Ltd. ... | Tyres, etc. ... | 9 18 6 |
| Constable, Hart and Co., Ltd. ... | Tarpaving ... | 211 0 4 |
| Cooper, Faber and Co., Ltd. ... | Mangle seed ... | 10 0 |
| Crawley, Dixon and Bowring | Premium ... | 43 10 0 |
| Crisp and Hodgson | Sundries ... | 5 13 0 |
| Croft Granite Brick and Concrete | Posts ... | 14 3 4 |
| Co., Ltd. ... | Globes ... | 1 12 8 |
| Crossley, Jacob and Gee, Ltd. ... | Oil ... | 16 0 0 |
| Crow, Catchpole and Co., Ltd. ... | Publication ... | 11 0 |
| Denny, A and F., Ltd. ... | Professional fees ... | 2 2 0 |
| Done, Hunter and Co. ... | Greengroceries ... | 7 4 9 |
| Durrant, A. H. ... | Spanners, etc. ... | 4 1 3 |
| Edwards, P. and A. ... | Charges repaid ... | 32 8 0 |
| Erskine, C. E. ... | Materials ... | 5 11 |
| Etherington, E. ... | Pillows ... | 2 19 0 |
| Evans, John ... | Bicycle allowance ... | 1 2 6 |
| Foskett, C. ... | Sundries ... | 39 5 2 |
| Frost, C. H. ... | Repairs ... | 54 16 5 |
| Gas Light and Coke Co. ... | Castings ... | 36 8 11 |
| Gibb, James and Co., Ltd. ... | Stamp books ... | 13 6 |
| Goddard, Walker and Brown, Ltd. | Removing pole ... | 1 13 1 |
| Grahame White Co., Ltd. ... | Balance of interest, etc. ... | 12 6 4 |
| Hahn, Max (per Accountant's Account) | Antitoxin ... | 2 11 0 |
| Hall, J. Vernon ... | Signwriting, etc. ... | 3 14 0 |
| Hammond, G. F. ... | Dust collection ... | 128 0 0 |
| Harris, A. J. ... | Stationery ... | 9 2 6 |
| Harrison and Sons, Ltd. ... | Sundries ... | 1 19 0 |
| Harrods, Messrs. ... | Professional fees ... | 5 15 0 |
| Hazel and Baines ... | Salary ... | 37 10 0 |
| Hendon Education Committee ... | Sundries ... | 1 15 0 |
| Hendon Electric Supply Co., Ltd. | Fish ... | 9 6 2 |
| Hill, B. ... | Publications ... | 3 11 1 |
| H.M. Stationery Office ... | Sundry medical requisites ... | 5 15 6 |
| Hospital Contracts Co., Ltd. ... | Plough fittings ... | 2 0 9 |
| Howard, James and Frederick, Ltd. | Tree lopping ... | 5 0 0 |
| Humphris, W., (per Accountant's | Uniform allowance ... | 3 15 0 |
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| Hunt, Mrs. O. A. ... | Car hire ... | 4 16 3 |
| Hurling, G. ... | Thigh boots ... | 1 19 0 |
| H.W.D. Motor Co. ... | Sunmons fees ... | 4 5 0 |
| Jones Bros. (Holloway), Ltd. ... | Paper ... | 3 12 0 |
| Justices Gore Division (per Accountant's | Lighting ... | 24 0 0 |
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| Kado, Ltd. ... | Lime ... | 3 5 6 |
| Kingsbury Urban District Council | Diagnosis fees ... | 4 10 0 |
| Knight, Charles and Co., Ltd. ... | Repairs ... | 13 0 |
| Knowles, John and Co., Ltd. ... | Meat ... | 12 1 3 |
| Laboratories of Pathology and | Subscription ... | 5 0 0 |
| Public Health ... | Bread ... | 10 1 7 |
| Lamberton, A. S. ... | Filing cabinet ... | 4 6 2 |
| Lavender, N. ... | Maintenance ... | 79 1 0 |
| Law Times ... | Charges ... | 5 11 6 |
| Lea, Albert ... | Stationery ... | 26 13 10 |
| Libraeo Ltd. ... | Subscription ... | 2 2 0 |
| London Fever Hospital ... | Rent ... | 3 6 |
| London Telephone Service ... | Repairs ... | 16 11 10 |
| Lyle, Barrs and Co., Ltd. ... | Carriage ... | 5 1 7 |
| Medical Officer ... | Cleaning rags ... | 3 15 0 |
| Metropolitan Police Account ... | Sundries ... | 13 17 5 |
| Metropolitan Water Board ... | Granite ... | 240 6 9 |
| Midland Railway Co. ... | Subscription ... | 2 9 0 |
| Millar, E. and Co. ... | Typewriter equipment ... | 9 0 0 |
| Mosers, Ltd. ... | Bicycle allowance ... | 1 2 6 |
| Mountsorrel Granite Co. ... | Repairs ... | 61 16 7 |
| Municipal Engineering and Sanitary | Printing ... | 1 4 6 |
| Record ... | Printing ... | 8 12 10 |
| Munson Supply Co., Ltd. ... | Sundries ... | 14 13 2 |
| Newman, H. ... | Foolscap ... | 2 16 0 |
| North Middlesex Gas Co. ... | Timber ... | 5 14 1 |
| Odell, C., Ltd. ... | Boots ... | 35 12 6 |
| Oldacres and Co. ... | Special box rent ... | 8 10 0 |
| Page, C. H. ... | Oil ... | 7 3 5 |
| Partridge and Cooper, Ltd. ... | Copying cloths ... | 1 1 6 |
| Pendleton and Co., Ltd. ... | Brasso ... | 8 6 |
| Perks Bros., and Co. ... | Repairs ... | 10 0 |
| Postmaster, N.W. District | Seeds ... | 1 8 4 |
| Prices Co., Ltd. ... | Cycle chain ... | 9 0 |
| Rayward Bros. ... | Ronuk ... | 1 19 8 |
| Reckitt and Sons, Ltd. ... | Subscription ... | 1 11 6 |
| Richards, W. ... | Barrows ... | 14 8 0 |
| Robarts, A. W. ... | Potatoes ... | 2 7 0 |
| Rogers, E. J. ... | Hired Steam Roller ... | 27 11 0 |
| Ronuk, Ltd. ... | Disinfectant ... | 15 16 9 |
| Royal Sanitary Institute ... | | |
| Rowland Bros. ... | | |
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| Sankey, J. H. and Sons, Ltd. | Cement | | |
| Sayers, S. P. | Drugs | 24 | 19 7 |
| Sawford, R. | Car hire | 7 | 9 5 |
| Scientific Press, Ltd. | Advertisement | 19 | 4 6 |
| Shaw and Sons, Ltd. | Stationery | | 13 0 |
| Smith, Wm. and Sons | Scraping machine | 5 | 9 4 |
| Smith Premier Typewriter Co. | Stationery | 39 | 0 0 |
| Smyrk, W. F. | Lamps | 5 | 7 6 |
| Spence, Peter and Sons, Ltd. | Aluminoferric | 5 | 1 3 |
| Stillman, H. | Hired team labour | 41 | 2 0 |
| Stone and Colquhoun | Copy plans | 363 | 4 4 |
| Styles, Mrs. L. | Midwife's fees | 18 | 7 |
| Sweet and Maxwell, Ltd. | Publication | 1 | 1 0 |
| Swire and Sons | Stationery | 2 | 16 3 |
| Taylor, A. E. | Returns | 14 | 9 8 |
| Tottenham District Light Heat and Power Co. | | 3 | 9 6 |
| Turpie Bros. | Coke | | |
| Tyrie, Geo. | Repairs | 102 | 0 0 |
| Urban Council Clerks' Association | Brooms | 2 | 1 0 |
| Waitrose, Ltd. | Subscription | 11 | 2 0 |
| Warden and Co., Ltd. | Groceries | | 10 0 |
| Waterlow Bros. | Printing, etc. | 40 | 6 3 |
| Wesley, H. | Vellums | 32 | 12 0 |
| West Hendon Day Nursery | Envelopes | 2 | 15 0 |
| Willecox, W. H. and Co., Ltd. | Grant | 4 | 16 5 |
| Willesden Urban District Council | Sundries | 75 | 0 0 |
| Willing, James, Ltd. | Ambulance hire | | 16 0 |
| Williamson, A. | Advertisements | 2 | 0 6 |
| Wolf, S. and Co., Ltd. | Tickets | 13 | 14 8 |
| Woodrow, A. C. | Carburettor | | 17 0 |
| Wyman and Sons | Mattocks | 6 | 16 0 |
| Young, J. | Publications | 2 | 2 6 |
| Glaxo | Allotment compensation | | 11 7 |
| Hodgkinson, Prestons and King | Glaxo | 2 | 10 0 |
| Virol, Ltd. | Sundries | 4 | 16 0 |
| West Surrey Central Dairy Co., Ltd. | Virol | 7 | 16 8 |
| Hull Savings Bank | | 1 | 12 6 |
| Chief Officer | Dried milk | 9 | 12 0 |
| Sundry Persons | Loan repayment | 190 | 10 0 |
| Sundry Ratepayers | Fire drills | 36 | 19 10 |
| Accountant | Refund Private Works Deposits | 2 | 0 11 |
| Bascom, Mrs. | Rate refunds | 17 | 14 3 |
| Hunt, Mrs. O. A. | Petty cash | 63 | 1 5 |
| Sanitary Inspector | Petty cash | 2 | 8 9 |
| Surveyor | Petty cash | 2 | 16 1 |
| Chettoe, Rev. S. E. | Petty cash | 6 | 14 1 |
| Humphris, H. | Petty cash | 13 | 19 0 |
| Midwife | Tithe rent | 8 | 8 6 |
| Accountant | Petty cash advance | 20 | 0 0 |
| Holdford, John | Petty cash advance | 2 | 0 0 |
| Holtum and Green, Ltd. | Wages | 2710 | 7 9 |
| Returning Officer | Purchase of horse | 80 | 0 0 |
| | On account Hospital extension | 500 | 0 0 |
| | Election expenses | 172 | 10 7 |
| | | | |
| | | £6681 | 3 11 |

LOAN ACCOUNTS—

| | | | |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------|-------|
| Beattie, J. H. and Co., Ltd. | Clinkers | 28 | 3 7 |
| Blount, Bertram | Cement inspection | 9 | 9 0 |
| Carter, Charles | Bricks | 1 | 12 10 |
| Cherry, C. | Hired team labour | 43 | 10 0 |
| Constable, Hart and Co. | Tarmacadam | 380 | 18 4 |
| Frost, C. H. | Pegs | | 15 0 |
| Harris, W. | Hired team labour | 49 | 0 0 |
| Hinton, J. | Trees | 3 | 3 0 |
| Hurling, G. | Tree lopping | 5 | 10 0 |
| Metropolitan Water Board | Fixing hydrants | 59 | 11 4 |
| Midland Railway Co. | Carriage | 9 | 18 0 |
| Ministry of Health | Materials | 1457 | 12 3 |
| Mosers, Ltd. | Chains | 17 | 19 3 |
| North British Rubber Co. | Knee boots | 1 | 4 7 |
| North Middlesex Gas Co. | Removing street lamps | 11 | 11 0 |
| Rowley, Thos. Junr. | Hired steam roller | 18 | 1 0 |
| Sankey, J. H. and Co., Ltd. | Cement | 7 | 17 6 |
| Stillman, H. | Sand | 7 | 4 0 |
| Stillman, H. | Hired team labour | 119 | 14 6 |
| Willing, James, Ltd. | Advertisement | 2 | 18 0 |
| Moss, Wm. and Sons | On account of contract, extension | | |
| | Sewage Works | 1828 | 0 0 |
| | | £10744 | 17 1 |

NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD ACCOUNTS—

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| Accountant | Wages | 1350 | 0 0 |
| Sawford, R. | Car hire | 3 | 3 0 |
| | | £1353 | 3 0 |

Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That such accounts be passed, and that cheques be drawn in payment thereof in due course.

2.—TENDERS FOR HOSPITAL SUPPLIES: That they gave consideration to a schedule of tenders received for supplies to the Isolation Hospital, and

RECOMMEND—That the following tenders be accepted:—

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| Meat | ... | ... | N. Lavender. |
| Groceries | ... | ... | F. Isaacs. |
| Bread | ... | ... | A. Lea. |
| Flour | ... | ... | A. Lea. |
| Fish | ... | ... | R. Vernon Cook. |
| Greengrocery | ... | ... | F. Kipping. |
| Milk | ... | ... | J. Richards, Ltd. |

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hearn,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

REPORT OF WORKS AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL COMMITTEE: The Works and Sewage Disposal Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 27th ulto. (Agenda page 330).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Sturgess,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

After due consideration of such report, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Roberts, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE: The Public Health Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held on the 27th ulto. (Agenda page 334).

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Weeks,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

INFECTIOUS DISEASE: Upon consideration of paragraph No. 10 of the report of the Committee relative to the representation made by the Urban District Council of Kingsbury in regard to the question of a reduction being made by the Hendon Council in their charge for the treatment of cases of Infectious Disease from the Kingsbury District at the Isolation Hospital.

Mr. Councillor Ford moved:—“That the matter be referred back to the Committee for further consideration.”

Mr. Councillor Cartwright seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 4, viz.:—Councillors Ford, Cartwright, Hearn and Soar; and against the motion 6, viz.:—Councillors Miss Hodge, Miss Growse, Roberts, Teare, Wise and Weeks.

The Chairman declared the motion to be not carried.

Mr. Councillor Roberts thereupon moved:—“That the matter be further considered by the Public Health Committee at their next meeting, and that a report be presented to the Committee as to the actual cost involved in the treatment of cases at the Isolation Hospital.”

Mr. Councillor Hearn seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting the Chairman declared the same to be carried *nem con.*

Mr. Councillor Ford moved further:—“That enquiries be made as to the charge made by other neighbouring local authorities for treatment of cases of Infectious Disease, and a suggestion be made with the object of securing the fixing of uniform charges.”

Mr. Councillor Cartwright seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting the Chairman declared the same to be carried *nem con.*

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Teare, seconded by Mr. Councillor Weeks,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF TOWN PLANNING COMMITTEE: The Town Planning Committee submitted a report of a meeting of the Committee held this evening.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received.

Report of Town Planning Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall, Hendon, this evening. Present: Mr. Councillor Reynolds (Chairman), and Councillors Egan, Soar and Weeks. (Councillor Miss Hodge was engaged in a Special Meeting of the Finance Committee).

Your Committee
1.—PLANS: That they s

RECOMMEND

| No. | Description of |
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| 5310 | Amended Plan, Willifield Way |
| 5316 | Amended Plan, Willifield Way |
| 5300 | Amended Plan, houses, Moreland |
| 5318 | Detached House, West side |
| 5323 | Garage, No. 7, I |
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| 5301 | Amended Plan, |
| | Hillview Road |
| 5302 | Amended Plan, |
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| 5321 | Greenhouse and |
| | Lichfield Road |
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| 5326 | Temporary Hut |
| | Finchley Road |
| 5345 | Detached House, |
| 5346 | Additions to No |
| 5347 | Covered Way, 27 |
| | Hill |
| 5335 | Extension to No |
| | Golders Green |

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

1.—PLANS: That they gave consideration to the following applications for approval of plans, and RECOMMEND thereon as follows:—

| No. | Description of Premises. | Owner or Person Submitting. | Recommendation. |
|------|---|----------------------------------|--|
| 5310 | Amended Plan, Office and Flats, Willifield Way | Messrs. Hodson and Sons | Approval. |
| 5316 | Amended Plan, Garage and Stores, Willifield Way | Messrs. J. Hodson | Approval. |
| 5300 | Amended Plan, Two Semi-detached houses, Moreland Close | Mr. W. Quennell | Approval. |
| 5318 | Detached House, Lyndale Avenue, West side | Messrs. R. Hart and Son | Approval. |
| 5323 | Garage, No. 7, Basing Hill | Mr. Hubert | Approval. |
| 5325 | Motor Garage, 98, Station Road | Mr. E. E. Towell. | Approval. |
| 5327 | Motor Garage, No. 24, Elms Avenue | Mr. E. Streater | Approval. |
| 5328 | Garage and Room over, 38, Cranbourne Gardens | Mr. E. H. Waterman | Approval. |
| 5330 | Two Cycle Stores, 32 and 34, Garrick Avenue | Mr. E. Wright | Approval. |
| 5331 | One Detached House and Two Semi-detached Houses, Audley Road | Mr. A. S. Ridout | Approval. |
| 5334 | Four Semi-Detached Bungalows, Hillcrest Avenue | Messrs. J. Webb and Son | Approval. |
| 5336 | Detached House, Wellgarth Road | Mr. F. R. Payne | Approval. |
| 5337 | Detached House, Constable Close | Mr. B. W. Fagne | Approval. |
| 5338 | Garage, 34, Brentmead Place | Messrs. Haymills | Approval. |
| 5339 | Detached House and Garage, Basing Hill | Mr. C. W. B. Simmonds | Approval. |
| 5341 | Two Detached Bungalows, Hillcrest Avenue | Messrs. J. Webb and Son | Approval. |
| 5332 | 14 Semi-detached Houses, Cricklewood Lane | Mr. E. Streater | Approval. |
| 5333 | Garage, Neeld Crescent | Mr. Perrin | Approval. |
| 5246 | Amended Plan, Temporary Sheds, Highfield Road | Messrs. Keene and Co. | Approval as temporary buildings, subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5301 | Amended Plan, Detached House, Hillview Road | Mr. L. B. Moss | Approval, subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5302 | Amended Plan, Temporary Sports Pavilion and Offices, The Vale | Youdees Sports Club | Approval, subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5319 | Temporary addition to Almshouses, Mylespit Hill | Nicholls and Daniels Trust | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5320 | Temporary Garage, 61, Hale Lane | Mr. Honner | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5321 | Greenhouse and Conservatory, 16, Lichfield Road | Mr. C. Kropacsy | Disapproval. |
| 5322 | Garage, 8, The Ridgeway, Golders Green | Mr. W. Muirhead | Approval, subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5324 | Temporary Sports Pavilion, Bridge Lane | Temple Fortune Lawn Tennis Club | Approval as temporary building. |
| 5329 | Temporary Garage, 32, Park View Gardens | Messrs. Gillett and Co. | Approval, subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5260 | Temporary Shop Premises, The Broadway, West Hendon | Mr. S. G. Bowyer | Disapproval. Surveyor to negotiate. |
| 5297 | Ten Lock-up Shops, Golders Green Road | Messrs. North, Robin and Wilsdon | Approval, subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5340 | Detached Bungalow, Elmcroft Avenue | Mr. H. Mashden | Approval, subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5342 | Two Houses, The Vale | Mr. E. Streater | Approval, subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5343 | Building Line for proposed shops, Cricklewood Lane, North side | Mr. Streater | Approval, subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5344 | Block plan of Building Line for proposed houses at the corner of Golders Green Road and Princes Park Avenue | Mr. F. Rowntree | Disapproval. Surveyor to negotiate. |
| 5326 | Temporary Hut on the East side of Finchley Road | Mr. H. Whitehead | Disapproval. |
| 5345 | Detached House, Wills Grove | Mr. Wm. Tout | Approval. |
| 5346 | Additions to No. 71, Hodford Road | Mr. Ritchie | Approval. |
| 5347 | Covered Way, 27, The Park, Golders Hill | Messrs. King, Freeman and Co. | Approval, subject to Surveyor's report. |
| 5335 | Extension to No. 38, The Ridgeway, Golders Green | Messrs. C. Small and Sons | Approval. |

Present: Mr. Hodge was engaged

2.—HOUSING (ADDITIONAL POWERS) ACTS, 1919 and 1921: Report from the Surveyor that in the under-mentioned cases Certificates "B" might now be issued for the amounts named. Your committee therefore

RECOMMEND the issue of such Certificates.

| Application No. | Persons to whom issued. | Locality and Description of Premises. | Amount of Grant per House. |
|-----------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 5147 | Mr. F. Dymock | Elmeroft Avenue, 1 house | £260 |
| 5193 | Messrs. Waterman Bros | Cranbourne Gardens, 2 houses | £260 |
| 5187 | Mr. H. G. Parsons | Neeld Crescent, 1 house | £260 |
| 5071 | Messrs. Waterman Bros. | Leaside Crescent, 4 houses | £260 |
| 4844 | Messrs. Haymills, Ltd. | Wentworth Road, 6 houses | £260 |
| 4959 | Messrs. Haymills, Ltd. | Templars Avenue, 6 houses | £260 |
| 5035 | Messrs. Gillett and Co. | Park View Gardens, 4 houses | £260 |
| 5034 | Messrs. Haymills, Ltd. | Western Avenue, 6 houses | £260 |
| 5202 | Mr. M. Cuyper | Brentmead Place, 5 houses | £170 |
| 5060 | Mr. C. W. B. Simmonds | North End Road, 1 house | £260 |
| 4887 | Mr. H. J. Dabbs | Hodford Road, 2 houses | £260 |
| 5122 | Mr. J. F. Cowper | Sinclair Grove, 2 houses | £260 |
| 5189 | Hendon Vale Estate Co. | Wildwood Road, 1 house | £260 |
| 5180 | Hendon Vale Estate Co. | Greenfield Gardens, 14 houses | £260 |
| 5067 | Hendon Vale Estate Co. | Greenfield Gardens, 14 houses | £260 |
| 4930 | Mr. E. Streather | Greenfield Gardens, 5 houses | £260 |
| | | Elms Avenue, 6 houses | £260 |

3.—CONTRAVENTION OF BYE-LAWS: Report from the Surveyor in regard to a Contravention of the Bye-laws in connection with the erection of an Army Hut at East Road, Burnt Oak, in the occupation of Mr. Harnett.

After due consideration of the report of the Surveyor in regard thereto, your Committee

RECOMMEND—That Mr. Harnett be served with a notice to show cause why the structure should not be removed, altered or pulled down.

4.—LAND—SHIREHALL LANE: Report from the Surveyor in regard to an application he had received from Messrs. Gillett and Co. to vary the terms of an agreement entered into with Mr. Streather in 1915 (he being at that time the owner of the land) whereby in consideration of the dedication of certain land in Shirehall Lane the Council agreed to grant facilities to the Owners for access from their building estate to the Hendon Public Park by means of a passageway to be provided by the owners fifteen feet in width.

Messrs. Gillett and Co., the present owners, now made enquiry whether the Council would be prepared to reduce the width of such access road from fifteen to ten feet. Your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the Council assent to this variation of the agreement subject to the concurrence of Mr. Streather.

APPLICATION No. 5260: Upon consideration of Application No. 5260, submitted by Mr. S. G. Bowyer for temporary shop premises at the junction of York Road and The Broadway, West Hendon, Mr. Councillor Sturgess moved:—

"That the application be referred back to the Committee for further consideration."

Mr. Councillor Roberts seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 7, viz.: Councillors Miss Hodge, Mrs. Hargraves, Cartwright, Glanville, Roberts, Sturgess and Wise; and against the motion 6, viz.: Councillors Miss Growse, Ford, Hearn, Soar, Teare, and Weeks.

The Chairman declared the motion to be carried.

Mr. Councillor Hearn thereupon moved as an amendment:—

"That the application be considered by the Council in Committee this evening."

Mr. Councillor Reynolds seconded the amendment.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 7, viz.: Councillors Miss Growse, Ford, Hearn, Reynolds, Soar, Teare, and Weeks; and against the amendment 4, viz.: Councillors Cartwright, Glanville, Roberts and Sturgess.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be carried.

The amendment was then put as the substantive motion and again declared to be carried.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee, as amended, be approved and adopted.

REPORT OF REQUISITIONS COMMITTEE: The Requisitions Committee submitted the following report of a meeting held this evening:—

Report of Requisitions Committee.

To the Chairman and Members of the Urban District Council of Hendon.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Your Committee beg to report that they met at the Town Hall this evening. Present: Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan (Chairman) and Councillors Miss Growse, Cartwright, Ford, Roberts, Reynolds, and Teare.

Your Committee beg to report as follows:—

REQUISITIONS: The Surveyor submitted a requisition of goods required in his department, and your Committee

RECOMMEND—That the same be approved.

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Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Egan, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That the report of the Committee be received, approved and adopted.

CORRESPONDENCE: The Clerk reported the receipt of numerous letters, as detailed in his report book, and upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Ford,
IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be referred to the respective Committees for consideration.

OMNIBUS FACILITIES—GOLDERS GREEN AND MILL HILL: Letter from the London General Omnibus Company, Ltd., intimating that it was their intention to commence to operate the proposed service of single deck omnibuses between Golders Green and Mill Hill on the 12th inst.

After due consideration of the matter,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That a communication be addressed to the London General Omnibus Company, Ltd., intimating that the Council adhere to their previous decision in the matter, and will hold the Company responsible for any damage occasioned to the roads in question by reason of the traffic of such omnibuses.

OMNIBUS FACILITIES—FINSBURY PARK AND GOLDERS GREEN: Letters from Mr. G. Owen and Mr. F. Charlton Fry protesting against the proposal of the London General Omnibus Company, Ltd., to run a service of omnibuses between Finsbury Park and Golders Green, such proposed service traversing North End Road.

It appeared from such communications that the writers thereof were strongly opposed to the proposal, and they urged the Council to take steps with a view to opposing the same. After due consideration of the matter, Mr. Councillor Reynolds moved:—

“That the Council lodge an objection with the London General Omnibus Company, Ltd., in connection with the proposal in question.”

Councillor Miss Growse seconded the motion.

Upon the same being submitted to the meeting there voted in favour thereof 9, viz.: Councillors Mrs. Hargraves, Miss Growse, Cartwright, Hearn, Reynolds, Roberts, Sturgess, Teare, and Weeks; and against the motion 5, viz.: Councillors Miss Hodge, Ford, Glanville, Soar and Wise.

The Chairman declared the motion to be carried.

GREATER LONDON: The Clerk reported the receipt of a circular letter from the Ministry of Health in regard to the proposed procedure in connection with the presentation of evidence by Local Authorities in connection with the Greater London Scheme.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be considered by the Council in Committee this evening.

The Clerk presented a report in regard to the Conference convened by the Urban District Council of Willesden, and held at their Offices on the 7th inst., when representatives from Hendon, Wembley and Kingsbury attended to discuss with Willesden the Greater London Scheme.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Sturgess,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such report be considered by the Council in Committee this evening.

WAR MEMORIAL: Letter from Mr. F. E. Gadd, Hon. Secretary of the Central Hendon Ward War Memorial Committee, intimating that the Unveiling Ceremony in connection with the War Memorial at The Burroughs would take place on the 23rd inst., and inviting the attendance of Members of the Council at the function.

The Chairman invited the Members to assemble in a body at the Town Hall, thence proceeding to the War Memorial Site for the Unveiling Ceremony.

DOCUMENTS FOR SEALING: The Clerk submitted the following documents for sealing by the Council:—

Jeyes Sanitary Compounds Co., Ltd.—Contract for the supply of Disinfectants.

Hounslow Sand and Gravel Co., Ltd.—Contract for the supply of Shingle.

Sanitas Co., Ltd.—Contract for the supply of Disinfectants.

Gibb, J. and Co., Ltd.—Contract for the supply of Castings.

Holttum and Green, Ltd.—Contract for additions to Isolation Hospital.

Carter, F. C.—Duplicate Agreement as to dedication of land, Finchley Road.

All Souls' College.—Lease of land for allotments, “Archfields” (counterpart).

Regents Canal and Dock Co.—Demise of Easement for Open Air Swimming Pool, West Hendon.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to the documents in question.

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ATTENDANCES OF MEMBERS: In accordance with the Standing Orders of the Council, the Clerk submitted a list of attendances of members of the Council at the meetings of the Council and its Committees during the past year, as follows:—

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| Councillor Mrs. S. J. Bannister | 110 | 99 |
| Mr. Councillor C. C. Cartwright | 111 | 98 |
| " " S. H. Egan, J.P. | 120 | 118 |
| " " T. F. Fenn | 112 | 72 |
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| Councillor Miss E. C. Growse | 147 | 86 |
| Mr. Councillor W. L. Glanville | 106 | 101 |
| " " F. W. Hearn | 124 | 69 |
| " " R. Hare | 132 | 104 |
| " " C. W. Hill | 132 | 81 |
| Councillor Miss M. E. Hodge | 108 | 99 |
| Councillor Mrs. G. Hargraves | 111 | 81 |
| Councillor The Rev. Dr. W. S. Macgowan | 123 | 81 |
| Mr. Councillor T. Page | 118 | 35 |
| " " A. J. Reynolds | 133 | 98 |
| " " A. Roberts | 111 | 108 |
| " " A. B. Soar | 95 | 65 |
| " " J. H. Sturgess | 111 | 67 |
| " " W. Taylor | 119 | 101 |
| " " R. A. B. Teare, M.B.E. | 137 | 136 |
| " " R. J. Wise | 122 | 85 |
| " " R. M. Weeks | 108 | 106 |

PRIVATE STREET IMPROVEMENT WORKS: The Clerk reported the receipt of tenders for works of private street improvement at Golders Green (20 in number), and upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Teare,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the same be opened, initialled by the Chairman, and referred to the Surveyor for report.

USE OF LIBRARY: The Clerk reported that The Very Rev. Canon Carter had made enquiry whether the Council would grant him the use of the Library on Sunday, the 30th inst., at 8 p.m., for the purpose of a reception in connection with the Unveiling of a War Memorial at the Hendon Catholic Church.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Ford, seconded by Mr. Councillor Roberts,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the application be acceded to.

TELEGRAPHIC LINES: Report from the Surveyor in regard to applications he had received from H.M. Postmaster General to lay underground telegraphic lines in Langley Park, Mill Hill, Sneath Avenue, Woodstock Avenue, Woodstock Road, Temple Gardens, and Golders Green Road, from which it appeared that the applications were in order.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Soar, seconded by Mr. Councillor Sturgess,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the applications be acceded to, subject to the usual conditions.

PUBLIC PARKS AND OPEN SPACES: The Surveyor submitted a report in regard to applications he had received for the allocation of Cricket Pitches in the Hendon Public Park, Child's Hill Recreation Ground, and the Kingsbury Road and Colindale Avenue Playing Fields.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the allocation of the Pitches be approved in accordance with the Surveyor's report.

He also submitted a report in regard to two applications for pitches from organisations outside the Council's district.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Councillor Miss Hodge,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That these applications be considered by the Council in Committee this evening.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE MINUTES: The Minutes of the proceedings of the Hendon Education Committee at their meetings held on the 21st day of February and the 7th day of March, 1922, having been circulated amongst the Members of the Council, upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Hearn, seconded by Councillor Miss Growse,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That such Minutes be received.

REPORT OF CHAIRMAN, 1921-22: The Chairman presented the following report on the work of the Council during the year 1921-22:—

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

As my term of office as Chairman of the Council is now drawing to a close, I think it desirable to follow the usual procedure, and report shortly upon some of the more important matters which have been dealt with by the Council during the year 1921-22.

1.—**HOUSING SCHEMES:** After very protracted negotiations in connection with the Brent Hill Scheme, I am very glad to be in a position to state that the works are again progressing, and hope that Messrs. Billings and Co. (the new Contractors) will complete the scheme well within the time given in their Contract, viz.: nine months, as the demand for houses appears still to be great. The site value of the Brent Hill Scheme has been settled at £8,000 with the Land Valuation Department. A satisfactory settlement has also been made with the tenant of the lands, a very involved matter, which at one period threatened to result in litigation. Seventy-four of the new houses have been let during my term of office—affording accommodation for 397 persons.

The Child's Hill Scheme has been completed, and all the houses are now in occupation.

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In regard to the proposed Housing Scheme at The Hyde and Bittacy Hill, it will be remembered that owing to the change of policy on the part of the Health Ministry, these schemes have been stopped, at any rate for the present.

- 2.—PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT: The general sanitary inspection of the district has been carried out satisfactorily, and all complaints received have been investigated. Nuisances have been abated in most cases without the necessity of serving a Statutory Notice. Where Statutory Notices have been served, they have been complied with, and it has not been necessary to take proceedings to enforce them.

A Closing Order was made in respect of No. 2, Hendon Park Villas, which was found to be unfit for human habitation. Legal proceedings had to be taken to enforce the Council's Notice requiring the tenant to vacate the premises. The necessary order was made by the Court, and the house, together with the adjoining house, which had been closed for a considerable period, has been demolished.

In December and January an outbreak of diphtheria caused considerable anxiety, and put a severe strain on the Isolation Hospital accommodation. In consultation with the Chairman of the Public Health Committee and the Medical Officer of Health, I gave authority for certain measures to be taken to deal with the emergency, and these measures were successful in tiding over the difficult period. The Council subsequently decided to provide additional temporary accommodation at the Isolation Hospital, and this work is now approaching completion. It was also decided to purchase a new Infectious Diseases Ambulance to replace the present one.

This has been ordered, and will be delivered shortly. The Council further decided to proceed with a scheme for a new permanent Isolation Hospital adequate for the needs of the district, and plans are at present in the course of preparation. The Maternity and Child Welfare work of the Council has been carried on with success. Owing to the steadily increasing numbers attending the Welfare Centres it was found necessary to inaugurate an additional session per week. This was started in January, 1922, and the attendance has fully justified the measure.

- 3.—UNEMPLOYMENT: This question assumed serious proportions in the district during the year, and the Council expedited many public works to alleviate the distress occasioned by unemployment in Hendon.

During my year of office it has been my privilege to act as Chairman of the Hendon Unemployment Committee, and I am glad to place on record the fact that donations amounting to the sum of £1,566 1s. 9d. were made to the Unemployment Fund, and this sum has enabled the Committee to grant assistance in cases which otherwise could not have been dealt with.

The number of Food Orders issued during the year was 741, and 3,997 loaves of bread have been supplied.

The Committee undertook the supply of meals to the children of the unemployed, and in West Hendon 17,799 meals and in Central Hendon 7,496 meals have been supplied.

The inclusive cost of these meals per head amounted to approximately 4d.

The scheme for providing work is still in operation. In the cases of men who had registered, and who were physically unfit for the heavy work available, the Unemployment Committee themselves, succeeded to a certain extent in providing lighter work to assist such cases. A sum of £666 14s. 9d. has been expended in this way.

The number of men who have registered with the Committee married and single, is 1210.

It is gratifying to state that the numbers who attend each week for work are gradually diminishing, due no doubt to the works in progress in connection with the Arterial Roads and other works now in course of construction.

The number of men registered at the Hendon Employment Exchange for the week ending 8th April was 679.

The thanks of the Community are due to a number of helpers in the Scheme, without whose assistance it would have been extremely difficult to have successfully managed the Kitchen. Personally I tender my thanks to them for the valuable services so willingly rendered.

- 4.—FIRE BRIGADE: The Brigade has been able successfully to cope with all the calls upon them (and owing to the drought last summer, there were many) during the year. The difficulties in connection with the second motor fire engine have been overcome, and I believe that the engine will shortly be delivered.

- 5.—PARLIAMENTARY BILLS: Various Parliamentary Bills affecting the District have been submitted to Parliament and the Council in each case have taken the necessary action for the protection of the interests of the ratepayers.

- 6.—SEWERAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL: The extension of the Council's Outfall Works has progressed satisfactorily and the Engineer reports that the same will be completed in the very near future. It will be remembered that a suggestion was made by the Engineer that the members of the Council should inspect the new works before the same are put into operation and the suggestion will shortly be under consideration.

- 7.—ALLOTMENTS: The Council are to be congratulated upon their successful efforts in securing additional land for allotments in the District, considerable areas having been secured in Central Hendon, Child's Hill, Booth Road and Mill Hill.

The following have been provided since April, 1921:—

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| West View | ... | 117 | |
| Archfield | ... | 101 | Were L.C.O. |
| Cool Oak | ... | 88 | |
| Booth Road | ... | 86 | Were L.C.O. |
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- 8.—OPEN SPACES: A special feature of the year is the acquisition of the Sunny Hill Field as a Pleasure Ground, and the purchase has now been completed.

The temporary playing field in Kingsbury Lane is well patronised, and the youngsters in this locality thoroughly appreciate the Council's action in providing them with such a desirable playing field.

It is satisfactory that a lease has been secured from H.M. Office of Works of a piece of land in Colindale Avenue in the Colindale area.

The following open spaces and playing fields have been provided:—

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| The Hyde | ... | 6 acres (35 acres sanctioned). |
| Bittacy Hill | ... | 5½ acres. |
| Sunny Hill | ... | 17 acres. |
| Colindale | ... | 5 acres. |

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It will be remembered that the Council agreed to contribute a sum of £1,000 towards the acquisition of Ken Wood, subject to the sanction of the Ministry of Health, and this sanction although provisionally given was subsequently withdrawn and the project for acquiring the whole of the estate appears now to be somewhat doubtful.

The Council have provided further tennis courts (both hard and soft) at the Hendon Public Park.

- 9.—IMPROVEMENTS: The improvement works carried out by the Council at the junction of Colindeep Lane with the Burroughs have given very great satisfaction, and the Council are to be congratulated on securing the removal of the huge advertising station which existed for so long.

Very satisfactory road widenings have been effected in Shirehall Lane, Bell Lane, and Mill Hill Road, at a very moderate outlay and the roadway to the Wessex Garden Schools has been constructed, effecting another great improvement.

- 10.—PUBLIC WORKS: The following important works have been put in hand during the year, and a considerable number of public works have been executed purely with a view to meeting the distress caused by Unemployment. These works have been done partly by direct labour and partly by Contract.

Works done by direct labour are as follows:—

| | £ |
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| Mill Hill Road Widening | 1491 |
| Bell Lane Widening | 470 |
| Shirehall Lane Widening and Surface Water Drainage | 3196 |
| Brent Street Footway Paving | 808 |
| Golders Green Road Widening and Footway Paving | 839 |
| Bridge Lane, Colindeep Lane, Sanders Lane, Flower Lane, Daws Lane, Queens Road, etc., Widening | 778 |
| New Road, Woodstock Avenue to Wessex Gardens | 1970 |
| Hard Tennis Courts at Hendon Park | 430 |
| Colindeep Lane Improvement | 1761 |
| Bell Lane Widening and Surface Water Drainage | 5308 |
| North Circular Road | 85000 |
| | <u>£102,051</u> |

The whole of the above works both as regards the Engineering and Contracting has been carried out by the Engineers Department. The labour for the work with the exception of the North Circular Road has been obtained from a register kept at the Town Hall and the men have been interviewed each week before being set on to the various works by me.

WORKS BY CONTRACT: The following works have been carried out by Contract, viz:—

| | £ |
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| Edgware Road Reconstruction | 86000 |
| Temple Fortune Outfall Sewer | 5752 |
| Extension of Sewage Disposal Works | 24100 |
| Brent Street Resurfacing | 2800 |
| Open Air Swimming Bath | 4300 |
| Colindeep Lane Sewer Extension | 500 |
| Extensions to Isolation Hospital | 1286 |
| | <u>£124,738</u> |

In addition the Roads and sewers for the Child's Hill Housing Scheme have been completed at a cost of £3,287, and the amount of £13,292 has been spent on the Roads and Sewers for the Brent Hill Housing Scheme.

The total value of the public works put in hand during the year therefore amounts to £243,368. Of this amount work to the value of about £150,000 has been completed during the year.

This is the highest amount for public works put in hand in any one year during the Council's existence. In addition, plans, sections, etc., for six additional roads to be made up under the Public Health Act have been prepared, and tenders are before the Council to-night.

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- 11.—**OPEN AIR SWIMMING BATH:** The Works in connection with the construction of an Open Air Swimming Bath are progressing and the facilities which will thus be afforded for bathing will, it is hoped, be much appreciated.
- 12.—**GREATER LONDON:** Much time has been occupied in the consideration of the scheme submitted by the London County Council to the Royal Commission on London Government and the matter will be considered further this evening after the public meeting.
- 13.—**ASSESSABLE VALUE:** The Assessable value for the District Rate in April, 1922 is £548,232, and the Loans which have been sanctioned amount to no less a sum than £148,510, and for the greater part have been and are being used for improvements in which the unemployed are engaged.
- 14.—**HOUSING BONDS:** The amount raised by these means is £287,730, representing 222 bonds on an average of about £130 per bond.
- 15.—**BUILDING:** A large number of building applications have been received during the year, the total number being 278. This number includes the following, viz:—

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| Houses | .. | ... | 605 |
| Shops | ... | ... | 27 |
| Garages | ... | ... | 160 |
| Public Buildings | ... | ... | 15 |
| Alterations and Additions | ... | ... | 45 |

A large amount of work has been done under the Housing (Additional Powers) Act, the certificates for the subsidy of which are issued by the Council. The total number of certificates for completed houses which have been issued is 225, making a total since the commencement of this scheme of 491.

- 16.—**PRIVATE STREET WORKS:** During the year work has been recommenced on making up the numerous private streets in the District. Eleven roads have been commenced and completed during the year, comprising a total length of $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles.

In conclusion, I have very heartily to thank the Staff, for the assistance they have so willingly given to the many demands I have made upon them, from the Heads of Departments down to the Junior Clerks, and also for the invariable courtesy I have received from them all.

Upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Soar, seconded by Mr. Councillor Hearn,

IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED—That a very hearty vote of thanks be tendered to the Chairman (Mr. Councillor S. H. Egan) for the valuable services rendered by him during the past year.

RETIREMENT OF MEMBERS: Reference was made to the retirement from the work of the Council of Councillor Miss Hodge, and Councillors Teare and Hare, and upon the motion of Mr. Councillor Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Councillor Sturgess,

IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED—That the thanks of the Council be tendered to the Members in question for the services rendered by them during their term of office.

IN COMMITTEE—

GREATER LONDON: Consideration was given to the circular letter received from the Ministry of Health relative to the proposed arrangements for the submission of evidence by Local Authorities affected by the Greater London Scheme. The Ministry intimated that in the event of the Council desiring to offer evidence on their behalf, in opposition to the proposal, they would be glad to be thus informed without delay, and further to be informed whether the Council would submit such evidence in combination with other Authorities.

Report from the Clerk that he had informed the Ministry in reply that the Council desired to submit evidence in their own behalf.

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the Clerk's action in the matter be approved.

Consideration was also given to the following report presented in connection with the recent Conference convened by the Urban District Council of Willesden at their Offices, when representatives from Hendon, Wembley and Kingsbury attended to discuss with Willesden the Greater London Scheme.

REPORT OF DELEGATES AS TO CONFERENCE WITH WILLESDEN, WEMBLEY AND KINGSBURY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCILS held at the TOWN HALL, WILLESDEN, on the 7th APRIL, 1922, *re* the GREATER LONDON SCHEME.

Your representatives (consisting of Councillors Egan, Hill and Soar) attended, accompanied by Mr. Councillor Hearn in the place of Mr. Councillor Ford, absent through illness, and the Clerk and Surveyor.

A statement drawn up by the Willesden Urban District Council in reference to the Scheme, submitted by the London County Council to the Royal Commission on London Government, was considered at some length.

The delegates in attendance were unanimous in their opinion that the Scheme of the London County Council should be opposed.

The Willesden Council in their statement expressed the opinion that a case had been made out for the centralisation of Main Services common to the whole of Greater London, but were against any extension of the present London County Council area, and they suggest an amalgamation of the districts of Willesden, Hendon, Wembley and Kingsbury, and an application for County Borough powers. Your representatives entirely disapprove of such a proposal, and intimated accordingly.

Wembley and Kingsbury also announced that they would not consider such a scheme of amalgamation with Willesden.

It was suggested that in the event of the Royal Commission finding in favour of the views submitted by the London County Council that a further conference should be held to consider alternative proposals, but the delegates generally thought that no useful purpose would be served by such a Conference.

After due consideration of such report,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the action of the Council's delegates be confirmed.

CRICKET PITCHES: Report from the Surveyor in regard to the applications he had received for cricket pitches from persons outside the Council's district, one of such applications being made on behalf of the West Hampstead Church Lads' Brigade for a pitch in the Child's Hill Recreation Ground, and the other by Councillor The Rev. Dr. Macgowan, on behalf of the boys of the Parish of Holy Trinity, Kingsway, for a pitch in the Hendon Public Park.

With regard to the first application, the Surveyor intimated that in the past it had been found possible to accommodate the Lads' Brigade without displacing local clubs, and it was agreed that the same procedure should be adopted this season.

In regard to the other application, Mr. Councillor Ford moved:—

"That The Rev. Dr. Macgowan be informed that all available pitches in the Hendon Public Park during the coming cricket season had been allotted, and the Council regretted their inability to accede to his application."

Mr. Councillor Cartwright seconded the motion.

Upon the motion being submitted to the meeting the Chairman declared the same to be carried.

APPLICATION No. 5260: Further consideration was given to the application submitted by Mr. S. G. Bowyer for the erection of temporary shop premises at the junction of York Road and The Broadway, West Hendon, and the Surveyor's report in regard thereto.

Mr. Councillor Ford moved:—

"That the application be approved in accordance with the terms of the Surveyor's report."

Mr. Councillor Soar seconded the motion.

Mr. Councillor Sturgess moved as an amendment:—

"That the application be referred back to the Town Planning Committee for further consideration."

Councillor Mrs. Hargraves seconded the amendment.

Upon the amendment being submitted to the meeting 5 members voted in favour thereof and 8 against.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be not carried.

Mr. Councillor Roberts thereupon moved as a further amendment:—

"That the application be disapproved."

Mr. Councillor Cartwright seconded the amendment.

Upon the amendment being submitted to the meeting 7 members voted in favour thereof and 4 against.

The Chairman declared the amendment to be carried.

Upon the same being put as the substantive motion it was declared to be carried.

DAWS FARM ESTATE: Report from the Surveyor in regard to his further negotiations with the Owners of the Daws Farm Estate, from which it appeared that they had definitely intimated that they were not prepared to accept a figure below £22,000 for the Estate, the Council to conform to certain conditions in regard thereto.

After some discussion in connection with the matter,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the further consideration thereof be adjourned for the present.

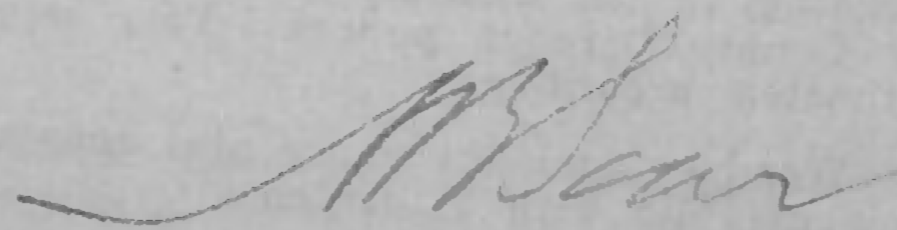
HEALTH VISITOR: The Chairman of the Public Health Committee reported that Mrs. Hunt had intimated that it would be necessary for her to resign her position as Health Visitor owing to certain domestic difficulties, but upon further consideration she was prepared, subject to the Council being in agreement, to take three months' leave of absence, without pay, and to resume her duties with the Council after that period.

After due consideration of the matter,

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the suggestion of Mrs. Hunt be agreed to.

Consideration was then given to the question of obtaining temporary assistance during Mrs. Hunt's absence, and

IT WAS RESOLVED—That the matter be considered by the Public Health Committee at their next meeting. In the meantime the Medical Officer of Health was invested with power to make temporary arrangements.



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