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1807
A Commission Council held on 22 Decem^r 1807

Present

Wm Walker Mayor }
George Shepherd } Aldm } Thomas Lecky
Sir Louis Ferguson }
Roger Murray }

Sir George F. Hill Bart
Wm Marshall Sheriff
Joseph Curry Chamberlain

Deben Cuninghame }
Alex Young }
Adam Schoales } Burgess }
Alex Major }
John Bond }
Archd Boyd }
Wm de Koox }

The Mayor acquainted this Commission Council that there together to inform them that the Lord Lieutenant had signified his intention to Sir George Hill ~~his intention~~ of visiting the City, and requests to know how and in what manner he is to be received.

Lord
Lieutenant
to be
introduced
at Dinner

Ordered that his Grace the Lord Lieutenant be requested to honor this Corporation with his Company at Dinner, and that he be waited on in the most respectful manner in order to have a Day appointed by his Grace for that purpose.

Ordered that the Sheriff in Person do convey the aforesaid invitation on such a day as the Mayor may direct.

Stewards
appointed

Ordered that the following members be appointed
Sir George Hill, Sir George Hill, Sir George Hill,
The Mayor Elect. & the Sheriff to regulate the
the above heretainment to be given of
The Kings Arms -

at a com. Council - held
2 Nov^r 1807 -
ordered that Sir George Hill do prepare
present a Memorial to the Lords of the
Treasury & Comm^r of Customs for a
grantee to them a sufficient proportion
of ground of the Quay at the West side
next the Gullet whereon to build
~~the~~ public houses, & that
he is thereby fully authorized to treat
with them & to conclude a bargain
in the same on the best terms possible
to be procured for the advantage of
the Corporation -

1779
1781

At a Common Council held on the 4th March 1780

Present

Thomas Leiby Mayor	and	Roger Murray
Wm Walker M ^r		Wm Alexander
Sir And ^{ew} Ferguson		Th ^o Scott
Thomas Woom Sheriff		
Joseph Curry Chamberlain		

Deakun Conroy	and	Wm Mackay
Alex Young		Wm Scott
Adam Schobler		John Curry
Wm Patterson		Wm Hancy
Alex Major		Jas Schobler
And ^r Boyd		John Nicholson
And ^{ew} Ferguson		

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he pulled them together to lay before them a letter he received from Sir George Hill for preparing instructions to be sent to our Representatives in Parliament in order to obtain a grant ^{from Parliament} for enlarging our Decays and regulating other matters appertaining to the Hair Beer -

Ordered that Sir George Hill's letter be referred to the Committee appointed the 2^d of November last, for the considering the amount of the Taxation of the Inhabitants for the supply of the water of this City, and that the Mayor the Mayor of the Staple, Sir And^{ew} Ferguson & M^r Boyd be attending added to the aforesaid Committee, and that they do

and the
Mayor be
forward
writ to
Sir by
where the
Sham. to
the pay
of the
Barbant

with all possible convenience Make their request
to the Mayor, that he may forward the same
to Sir George Kille for the purpose of obtaining
said act of Parliament, and that the Cham-
berlain be authorized to write to Sir George
Kille ~~any~~ sum or sums he may require to
pay the expenses of said act of Parliament

Summers
orders to
John the
Deathe
or be
disfranch

Orderd that all persons who have been admitted
to the freedom of this City, (who do reside in the
City or Liberties) who have not taken the Oath of
freedom, be immediately ordered to attend the
Mayor to take said Oath, and there if he do
not attend, on receiving said notice, are to
be disfranchised and their names be sent to
the Custom house

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A Common Council held on Thursday the
first September 1800

Present

The Lieut Mayor
Wm Walker M.S
Wm Lecky
George Shepherd

Also
Roger Murray
Saml Curry
The Scott

Sir George F. Hild Recorder
Barry Bunsford Sheriff
The Worn Chamberlain
Joseph Curry Chamberlain

Dickson Currying ham
John Hart
Wm M. Christie
Wm Lecky
Adam Schoales
Wm Paterson
Wm Major
John Bond

Burgesses
Alexr. Boyd
Wm Mackay
Wm Scott
John Schoales
John Curry
John Murray
John Nicholson

John Curry
elected
Alderman

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council
after notice being duly posted that he called
them together to elect an Alderman in the
Room and place of Sir And^o. Ferguson deceased
Accordingly John Curry one of the Capital
Burgesses was unanimously elected an
Alderman in the room and place of said
Sir And^o. Ferguson who having accepted
thereof, taken the Oath prescribed by
Act of Parliament, repeated and signed
the declaration, and taken the Oath of an
Alderman took his seat accordingly

The Young
Peter M'Donogh
to pay the
Salary

Ordered that Thomas Young & Peter M'Donogh
the late Sheriff having produced their
Certificate of settling their accounts, be
paid their Salaries

Ordered that the following persons ~~named~~
do remain over to take into consideration at
next Com^o Council if any and what Charity
will be allowed them Viz. Sarah Cotton
Widow Linagan Ann Martin Widow Peter
Eliot M^r Marcus Rebecca M^r O'Keefe, Rebecca
M^r Con. Serjants Widow

At a Board of Aldermen William
Brown is duly Elected Serjant at Mace
in the Room of Dan M^r Davit O'Connell
Present

Theo Lecky Mayor
W^m Wadher M^r S
Alder Lecky
Alder Shepleton
Alder Curry
Alder Scott
Alder John Curry

M^r Brown 1840 & 1841 Serjant

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The Common Council held Monday 12th Sept 1800

Present

Thomas Lecky Mayor	} Alder	Saml. Curry
Wm Walker M ^r		Thos Scott
Wm Lecky		
George Chapman		
Roger Murray		

Sir George F. Hill Recorder
Barry Bensford Sheriff
Joseph Curry Chamberlain

Dickson Crisingham	} Burgess	Andrew Nixon
John Hart		Andrew Ferguson
Wm Mcintosh		Wm Mackay
Alex ^r Lecky		Wm Scott
Adam Schoales		John Schoales
Wm Law		John Harvey
Alex ^r Mayer		Jas Schoales
Arch ^d Boyd		John Nicholson
		John Ferguson

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that
after notice being duly posted he called them
together to elect a Capital Burgess in the room
and place of John Curry elected an Alderman
Accordingly Marcus Saml Hill is duly elected
a Capital Burgess in the Room & Place of said John
Curry. Who having accepted the same taken
the Oath prescribed by act of Parliament
repeated and signed the declaration taken the
Oath of Burgess & Common Council took his
seat accordingly

reports of
the
Committee
for
regulating
the
Admission
of
freemen
Shewing
money
Expensed

The report of the Committee appointed for regulating
the admission of freemen and the granting of
money being ready agreed to. ~~Ordered that~~

~~Ordered that~~
Your Committee report to you as their Opinion
that in future when any person is proposed
as freeman his name and the Name of the
proposer shall be entered on the Book, but the
Question of his admission shall not be put till
the next Common Council ensuing except in
the following cases. Viz the son or sons in Law
of merchant the Lord Lieutenant of this Kingdom
and his Secretary, and Naval & Military Officers
on Occasion of Rendering their Country Service
And your Committee further reports
as their Opinion that no money be paid
by the Chamberlain or any other person for
the use of this Com^{on} Council unless the Grant
is confirmed at the next ensuing Com^{on} Council
after it is proposed, except in the following
cases the usual Special Grants of Salaries
& Pensions to the Widows of Members

Signed
Arch^d Prasad
Acting Schooler

Ordered that the above report be confirmed
Ordered that Alder Murray out of Solers to be
paid £36. 11. 10 being the Arrears of his Wile
of Cash

McMurray
Wife of
Capt

Charity

Ordered that Sarah Cotton, Wive of Senagans
Ann Masters Widow, Corst Elizabeth
Rebecca Melgans, Mary McCon
be back paid two Guineas p^r Year

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(Mr George Mendenhall memorial being received
and read it is to be taken into consideration
next Com Council

Ordered that the following persons be taken into
consideration next Com Council by
Widow Higgins, Widow Coakley what Charity
may be allowed them

From the
regulation
of the
Council

Ordered that the following Merch to be Committed
for regulating the standards of the Curran on the
Ship Quay - Mr Warner, Mr Nicholson, Mr
Mackay, Mr M. S. Lyons, Mr Robinson

Mr Hill proposes. Viall & Don^c Bowen to
be admitted a freeman and Mr Schober proposes
The Rev^d Mr Grattan to be admitted a freeman

From
Mr Lecky
next

Ordered that the payment of Mr Lecky's ground
at the Stone House be taken into consideration
next Com Council

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the 2^d Novem^r 1000—

Present—

Thomas Lecky Mayor	} Alde	Samuel Curry
Wm Walker M ^r J		Thomas Scott
Wm Lecky		John Curry
George Shepston		
Roger Murray		

Sir George F. Hile Recorder

Barry Bernersford Sheriff

Thos. Wood

Joseph Curry Chamberlain

Dickson Cuninghame

John Hart

Wm McEntosh

Alas Lecky

Adam Schoates

Wm Law

Alas Mayor

Wm Hall Boyd

} Burgess

Andrew Kinn

Wm Mackay

Wm Scott

John Schoates

James Schoates

John Nicholson

John Ferguson

Marcus S. Hile

The Lecky
Mayor

The Mayor acquainted this Common
Council that in Obedience to the Pleas
& Order of the Lord Lieutenant & Privy
Council he called them together to Elect
a Mayor for the City of S^t Derry for one year
commencing the 2^d Feb^r next, and Sheriff
for the City & County of Londonderry from
year next the 2^d Feb^r next—

Accordingly Thomas Lecky one of the Alder
of this City is unanimously Elected Mayor
for the ensuing year commencing the 2^d Feb^r next

The Sheriffs
of the City
of New York

And Thomas Shephard & Charles Rice by
Elihu Sheriff for the City of New York
for the ensuing year commencing the 2^d of July next
Ordere that the Chamberlain do give a
Certificate of this Election to our Solicitor
to Lay the same before the Lord Lieutenant
& Privy Council for their approbation

The Mayor
of the City
of New York
&
Barry
Barnes
&
Wm Woor
Constables

Ordere that Thomas Lecky be and is Elihu
Mayor of the Staple for one year commencing
the 2^d of July next, and Barry Barnes &
Thomas Woor our present Sheriffs and Elihu
Constables of the Staple for one year commencing
the 2^d of July next

Commissaries
to settle
the Chamberlains
Accts

Ordere that the Mayor M^r Boyde M^r
Nicholson M^r Mackay M^r Hiley M^r
Harmy or any three of them be a Committee
to settle the Chamberlains accounts, and
be instructed to report whether the Chamberlain
is entitled to any and what part of the
Account for Remuneration for his extraordinary
travelling Expence in transacting the Business
as far as respects the publick interests of this City
also that they do minutely state
The profits of this Corporation its annual
Income & Expenditures with a list of the
debts due by the Corporation and state the
same fully to this Common Council

Toll of the
Bridge
Market

Ordere that the Toll of the Bridge be sett up
to Auction on Thursday the first day of December
for one year from the first of January, when the Toll
of the Market for one year the 2^d of July next

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Mr Boyd's
Orderd that Mr Boyd's account for floating
the Leys joints & amending repairs in the Corporation
seat in the Church be paid by the Chamberlain

Mr Roscoe
Orderd that the Chamberlain do remit the
Mr Roscoe the full amount of his debt

Salaries
&
Charity
Orderd that the Salaries for the ensuing
year be paid the same as last year & the
Charity the same providing there Grants
this year

The Mayor having Communicated to this
Common Council that Mr David Watt Mr
Leonard Horner Mr Andrew Beakley & Mr
James Gibbons had been returned to him
from the four Wards of this City as persons
Elected in Vestry to be of the pipe water
Committee pursuant to the Statute,
Orderd that Alder Scott Alder John Curry
Mr Boyd & Mr Bond together with the
above named persons be the pipe water
Committee

Orderd that John Nicholson Joseph Curry
Wm Mackay Robt M Ingham Thos Carrington
James Wilson & James M'Crea Wholesale
Merchants are hereby appointed the
Ballast Office Committee in conjunction
with those expressed under the Statute

Orderd that Vice Admiral Boring & the
Revd Mr Gratton be admitted Honorary
Members

Police
Act

Ordered that the Mayor do Order a sufficient
Number of the Police Act of Parliament
relating to this City

To be heard
& take
in Bridge

Ordered that Mr Cheselton do propose a
Plan of a Toll house & Gate for the Bridge
with the same to be seen to be laid before
the next Council

Freemen

* Mr Wm Galloway of London is proposed
as freeman by Mr Niles John Gay Esq
is proposed as freeman by Mr Curry

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At a Common Council held the 11th Jan^y 1709
Present

Thomas Lacey Mayor	} Ald ^r	Sam ^l Curry
W ^m Waltham M ^r		Thomas Scott
W ^m Lacey		John Curry

Sir George A. Hill Recorder
Joseph Curry Chamberlain

Dickson Emeryham	} Burg ^s	W ^m Scott
Alex ^r Lacey		John Sturmy
Adam Schoales		J ^o Schoales
John Bond		John Nicholson
Arch ^d Boyd		Marcus Hill
And ^r Price		
W ^m Machy		

The Mayor acquainted the Common Council that he called them together to take into consideration he had with John & Boniford by the Irish Society's Agent respecting the renewal of our Leases

M^r M^r Conrath
has paid the
acc^t -

Ordered that M^r M^r Conrath be paid the full amount of his account for repairing the Chapel of War

Charity

Ordered that Widow Hughes and Widow Docherty be paid back two pounds of year

Ordered that ^{the grant} of Town by year be granted to M^r Garnett be taken into consideration next to Council

Adrup's
 Sir Arthur
 Wesley

Ordered that the following messengers be appointed
 to prepare forthwith an Address to Sir Arthur
 Wesley for the Approbation of this Common-
 Council. Sir George Nide Alder Sundry Alder
 Scotty Alder John Curry. Who having
 prepared the same which being read and
 approved of Ordered that the Mayor do
 affix the seal thereto and committ the
 same to Sir Arthur Wesley -
 Adrup.

Order that the Mayor do instruct our
 Solicitor to have the necessary notices served
 and proper steps taken for Valuing the parts
 of the property belonging to Alder Skipton
 for Widening Mr Allen Lecky & Mr James Murray messuages
 to be taken down for Widening that part of
 the Street leading from the Bridge to the
 Ship Quay opposite the same works —

Order that the following members be a
 Committee to Enquire in respect to what extent
 the Corporation in Board to renew the
 Lease of Lands of Spring town & Coglap to the two
 Messuages Mr Lecky, and their opinion whether
 any whether any or what further steps
 may be advisable to take on the part of
 the Corporation towards procuring a
 renewal of the above lands from the Trust
 Society, together with the rest of their
 determinable property held under the
 Society Alder Scott Alder John Curry
 Mr Boyd Mr Wiley Mr Murray —

Order that John Gay Esq; Mr Gallway
 of London Esq; be admitted Honorary
 members —

At a Common Council held the 3 day February 1609
Present

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|--------------------|---|------|----------------|
| Thomas Lecky Mayor | } | Aldr | Roger Murray |
| Wm Lecky | | | Thos Scott |
| Wm Walker | | | |
| Thomas Shepherd | } | | Sheriff |
| John Pea | | | |
| Joseph Curry | | | Chamberlain |
| Richard Springham | } | Burg | Archd Boyd |
| John Hart | | | Andew Grove |
| Wm Wetherlock | | | Wm Machy |
| Alex Lecky | | | Wm Scott |
| Wm Law | | | John Harvey |
| Adam Schoales | | | John Nicholson |
| Alex Mayor | | | |
| Archd Boyd | | | |
| John Ferguson | | | |
| Marcellus Kite | | | |

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he called them together to receive the Report of the Committee appointed at last report of the Common Council respecting the Renewal of our ^{report of} ^{the Committee} ^{on the lands} ^{of Springtown} Leases with the Irish Society of London in ^{of 1609} respect to the Lands of Springtown & Collyer
Ordered that the Report of the Alder Committee be read & entered. Wm

In pursuance to your order made in a Common Council held on the 11th day of January 1609. We your Committee submit that in the year 1606 this Corporation did demise to Alex. Lecky Esq. for the term of 40 years Two Ballyboes of Larish containing, as it appears

by a Map of the Society's Lands, 142 Acres at the yearly rent of £12 - which
 Lease contains a Clause Entitling the S^r. M^r. Lecky his heirs
 Exors or Assigns upon payment of a fine of £6 - to a Renewal
 thereof, so often as this Corporation should take from the ^{Society}
 a new Lease of said two Ballybous either alone or Inter Alia.
 That these Lands are now held by M^r. Lecky Esq^r. & Tho^s.
 Lecky Esq^r. the Lineal Descendants & Representatives of M^r.
 Lecky the Orig^l. Lessee - That the S^r. M^r. & Tho^s. Lecky appear
 to have good subsisting Equitable title to a Renewal of their
 Interest in said Lands if this Corp^o. takes a new Lease of them from
 the Society. That a Lease of the Lands of Cloghlafe which appears
 by the Society's Map to contain fifty one Acres & two Roods was Gran-
 ted by this Corporat^o. at the yearly rent of £6 - to Rob^t. Craighead
 for the term of forty years with a similar Clause of renewal as
 that comprised in the Lease to M^r. Lecky. That S^r. lands of Cloghlafe
 came by means of Assignments to Tho^s. Lecky late of this City Esq^r. and
 are now held by Tho^s. Lecky Esq^r. his Grand Heir at Law who in our
 Opinion has a subsisting Equitable title to a Renewal of the Same.
 Your Committee further report that the S^r. M^r. Lecky & Tho^s. Lecky
 have intimated their intention to surrender their respective Claims to a
 Renewal of their Leases and the aforesd. Clauses in order to remove
 any obstacle that might possibly occur to this Corporation's obtain-
 ing a new Lease of those lands from the Society.
 And your Committee offer it as their Opinion & Advice that you
 should accept the surrender of the Interest derived from the S^r.
 said covenants of Renewal & signify to the General agent of the

Society your Expectation that having thus obtained Com-
plete Dominion over this part of your property the Society
will include it in the next renewal of your lease as they have
here to fore uniformly done.

(Signed) Thomas Scott
John Curry
John Harvey
Archd. Boyd
M. S. Hill

~~Order~~
Ordered that a Letter being read from Thomas
J. Alexander Lecky and a Certificate Signed
The Lecky that the same be read in the Court
To the Worshipful the Corporation of the City of London.
Deers. Gentlemen

Understanding that a lease gran-
ted to Alex. Lecky our Ancestor so long ago as the year 1696,
containing a Notius Quotiens Covenant of renewal, might possi-
bly Operate so as to prevent the London Society renewing this

Cooperation that part of the Quarterland of Larish which we hold under you, rather than you should sustain any Diminution of the property which you so long possessed or your lands be seized at a time when they are so liberally and advantageously Applied to the Publick Interest. We are now willing to surrender into your hands all benefit resulting to Our selves and our representatives from that Covenant of Renewal By such Institution as you may be pleased to have prepared by yr. Law Agent for that Purpose relying that at the Expiration of our present Term we will share in the System of Liberality which has at all times been exercised by you towards Your Tenants

Feby 3. 1809 — (Signed.) Tho^s Lecky
Alex^r. Lecky

I For the reasons above stated I also resign my Claims upon the Totius Quatuor Clause of Loghloph
(signed) Tho^s. Lecky

Ordered that the following members be a Commission
 to examine the Charter of Bye Laws and an order
 to report what power this Body have to enforce
 the Attendance of its Members The Mayor
 Alder Lecky Alder Walker Alder Scott
 W. Boyd W. Niles W. Schoales

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At a Common Council held on the day the
2^d November 1789
Present

Thomas Lecky Mayor	} Alder	Sam ^l Curry
Wm Lecky		Thomas Scott
George Shipton		John Curry
Roger Murray		
For George F. Hill Recorder		
Thomas Shepherd	} Sheriff	
Charles Ma		
Joseph Curry		Charles

Dickson Livingston	} Burgess	Arch ^d Boyd
John Hart		And ^o Nixon
Wm McClintock		And ^o Ferguson
Alex ^r Lecky		Wm M ^r sky
Adam Schoales		Wm Scott
Wm N. Ash		John Schoales
Wm Catterer		John Harvey
John Bond		John N. Fisher
Marcus Hill		John Ferguson

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that in Obedience to the new Act & regulation of the Lord Lieutenant of this Council he called them together to elect a Mayor for the City of L. Derry for one year commencing the 2^d of February and Sheriffs for the year City & County of L. Derry for one year commencing the February. According Thomas Budson Scott one of the Alder of this City is here by elected Mayor for the ensuing year commencing the 2^d February & John Dwyer & Wm Ball are elected Sheriffs for the City & County of L. Derry for the ensuing year commencing the 2^d February

the P.
Scott
elected
Mayor
John
Dwyer
Wm Ball
Sheriffs

Ordered that the Chamberlain do give a Certificate of this Election to lay the same before the Lord Lieutenant & Privy Council.

Thomas
Lucy
Mayor of
the Staple
John
Shepherd
John
Shepherd
John
Shepherd

Ordered that Thomas Lucy be elected Mayor of the Staple of this City for one year commencing the 2^d Tenth next & Thomas Shepherd & Charles Beaun be elected Constables of this City for one year commencing the 2^d Tenth next.

Committee
to settle
Chamberlain
Account

Ordered that the Mayor M^r Boyd, M^r Niles M^r Harry, M^r Richardson & M^r Macky or any three of them be a Committee to settle the Chamberlain's Account.

Toll of the
Bridges
Market
by Auction

Ordered that the toll of the Bridge be set up by publick Auction ^{on Thursday the 7th of August} for one year commencing the 1st of January next and at same term the toll of the Market commencing the 2^d Tenth next.

Salaries
&
Charities

Ordered that the Salaries for the Present year be paid the same as last year and the Charities the same including those granted this year.

Pipe
Water
Committee

The Mayor having informed this Council that M^r David Watt Leonard Horner and Beatey & James Gibbner have been returned to him from the four Wards of this City as Persons Elected in Vestry to be of Pipe Water Committee pursuant to the Statute Ordinance that Alder John Curry M^r Niles M^r Harry & M^r Schoales with the above names persons be the Pipe Water Committee.

Ballast
Office
Committee

Ordered that Mr John - Nicholson Joseph Henry
Wm Macky Robt W Soutyr James Wilson
James McCrea & Thomas. Barrington whole
sale Merch^{ts} are hereby appointed the
Ballast Office Committee in conjunction with
those Expressd under the Statute

Wm
Thompson
Barrington

Ordered that Mr Thompson the Widow of the
Late Mr James Thompson be paid for her
5 year Annually for my^{er} since his Death.

Accts
to
be
paid

Ordered that the following accounts be paid
by the Chamberlain, John M^r 7.14.3 for
Greeting Mayor chair Wm Sterling 01.3.4
D^r 6.17.0 David M^r Blair for Lamp-

Accts
to
stand
over

Ordered that the following ac^{ts} stand over for
consideration Alex Wright 4.14.10 John
Shannon 4.14.7 James Gilman 7.13.4 Fred
Clark 7.16.2^{1/2} Wm Neffington 54.6.0 And
Beatty different ac^{ts} for sundry, paid by
him at the Jubilee. Th^o by Fry
for Lamp -

Committee
of
Gates
to
be
taken
down

Ordered that the Timber of the Gates at
the Cow market & Playhouse be taken down
and used at the ^{public} public works -

Committee
to
fix
Salary
with
Mr
Christman

Ordered that ~~that~~ Mr Christman be allowed
stand over and that the Mayor Recorder & Just
ices Committee do consult with him and are
appointed a Committee to agree with him for
his attendance & Inspection of the Bridge and other
publick works of this City and settle a Salary to
be paid him Annually for the same -

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Mr Grant
Bursar
of Bridge
Lambhous
and 2 Mrs
Grant to be
paid £30

Ordered that Mr Grant's Salary as Bursar
of the Bridge be suspended, and that Mr
Grant be paid thirty pounds -

Grant to
Miss Gannell

Ordered that the payment of twenty Guineas
to Miss Gannell be taken into Consideration
next Com^o Council -

Ordered 50 Guineas to the Stewards of the race
as our Subscription be also taken into Consideration

Ordered that a presentment be sent unto the
Grand Jury at next assizes for Wideswinging
the Street at the Lion house and that the Corporation
will pay Abt^r Shepton & M^r A. Lecky what ever
sum may be deficient between the verdict
of the Jurors, their Damages, and that persons
produced by our Solicitors and that Abt^r
Shepton & M^r Lecky do during the Presentment
Best manner they can, This Order to be
considered at next Com^o Council

The application for a Subscription for erecting
a monument to the memory of Sir M^r Pitt to
stand over us, till next Com^o Council

By order of the Council the 14th of June 1713

At a Common Council held the 6th Novem^r 1700
Present

Thomas Luby Mayor	} Alder	Samuel Curry
Wm Luby		Thomas Scott
George C. Shepton		John Curry
Roger Murray		

Sir George F. Kille Recorder
 Tho^s Shephard Sheriff
 Chas. Sea

Joseph Curry Chamberlain

Devison Coringham	} Burg.	Arch ^d & Boyd
John Hart		Andrew Knox
Alex ^r Luby		And ^r Ferguson
Alex ^r Major		Wm ^m Whiskey
Wm ^m H. Cook		Wm ^m Scott
John Bond		John Harry
Marcus S. Kille		James S. Keble John Nicholson

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council to transact the Business we had not time to take into Consideration last Common Council

The report of the Committee appointed the 2^d Novem^r 1700 to settle the Chamberlains accounts & examine the state of the Funds & of this Corporation & that recommendation the Chamberlain shew in the a^c for his trouble in paying the disbursements of the different works of this City being ready approved & ordered that the same be put in on the Books and I might ever con- tain next Common Council

Robert C.

A copy of the Common Council is to be taken from the records of the Chamberlain's office

We the Committee appointed at a Common Council held on the 2^d of November 1800, to settle the Chamberlain's accounts, to examine the state of the Funds of this Corporation and to report our Opinion, whether the Chamberlain is intitled to any, and what Rentage, or allowance as a recompence for his extraordinary trouble and expence, in transacting the pecuniary concerns thereof, so far as they relate to publick works lately executed by order of the Corporation; — do hereby report accordingly. —

That on a minute Examination of the Chamberlain's accounts we find the debts due by the Corporation on the 30th of Dec^r. 1800 amount

ed to £43234.13.0

That its gross annual income up to that period was 5279^{..} 4^{..} — (including the Town's customs and Tonnage duties arranged at £900^{..} 17^{..} 6^{..} per year, the accounts of the same not having been finally settled).

That its expenditure for one year ending said 30th of Decem^r. last was £2031^{..} 9^{..} 11^{..} leaving the nett yearly income at £3247^{..} 14^{..} 0^{..} for payment of Interest, and such other purposes as may be directed by the Corporation. That the Balance by your Chamberlain on that day as will appear by the annexed statement was £71^{..} 8^{..} 9^{..} — and that in every particular his accounts were proved by your committee, to be most strictly correct. — That since the commencement of the pipe water works your Chamberlain seems to have incurred a vast deal of additional trouble and expence in keeping the accounts thereof, and procuring the necessary supplies of money, which frequently he advanced out of his own private income without making any charge for the same.

That the amount of said Disbursements was £4000 —

That under these circumstances we conceive he is fairly entitled to remuneration — and as being the least exceptionable mode, your committee are unanimously of Opinion that as an acknowledgement of his services on the occasion it would be reasonable to allow him £100 Year in addition to his salary from commencement of said works to the time they were finished being five years ending the 30th of Decr. 1800 and beg leave to recommend the same accordingly.

Signed this 1st November 1800

Arthur Boyd
John Harvey
John Nicholson
W^m Machy
Me I Hill

Committee
to enquire
into the
Walls

Ordered that the Mayor Street Mr Boyd & Mr Harvey the Chamber L^a Committee be enquired into the Walls agreeable to the Plan of Estimates produced

Mr
Kashan
to take
care of the
Walls

Ordered that Mr Kashan be appointed Conservator of the Walls for keeping them clean and free of necessaries with a Salary of Twelve pounds per year

Turner of
Butcher
gate to be
taken down

Ordered that the Turnstile of Butcher gate be taken down and applied to the use of the Public Works

to open
the
Street
at
Butcher
gate
to
the
field

Ordered that the Aborn under the House at Butcher gate be opened and a Grate put on it, also that Mrrompton be ordered to open the paper Goring into his field so as to admit the water to pass through and that our Solicitors do enforce this order

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2166
Alderscott
Sir G. Klein
J
Alderscott
Savoy
L. 2. Nov
next

Ordered that Alder Scott be appointed
Scavenger for Bishop street ward for which
he is to receive £100 - Sir George Kile for
St. James street Ward & Butcher street
ward for £10 each & J. Scott for
Terryquay street ward £10 - from this
date write the 2^d Novem^r next their proposals
for the same being the lowest offered, and
that the Mayor do print by Costs &c to carry
off any dirt or Manure that accies in
the streets more than one day after it is
collected and that the Rates shall be
deducted from the Salaries ^{of the Scavengers} in the ward
it is collected in -

tradesmen
auth^y of
copies to
the best
and to be
paid

Ordered that the different trades men and
that were produced last Common Council
to be paid also fifty Guineas to the trustees
of the last Race as our Subscription then to.

Memorials
for the
Liberty
that to be

Ordered that the Mayor do write a letter to
the Rev^d Fred^d Hoarey Prison in reply to a
Memorial from Liberty Institution sub-
scribed by him to express the approbation the
Corporation have of the Institution and
that it shall have their Support -

Ordered that the payment of 50 Guineas for
our Subscription to the next Derby race be
taken into consideration next Council

M. A. S. by
next of

Ordered that M^r A. S. be paid the cost
of the Ground taken from ^{the} the Lime Street

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at Ser
Hous

The Grievances
of some
Hues
Recommended by the Committee appointed at
a Common Council held the 17th Oct^r 1805 and
stated by them -

Ordered that the addition proposed to be added
of £10 p year to Mr. Murray Pension be
taken into consideration next Council

Ordered that the Rasliff Memorial in the
following persons be taken into consideration next C.

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|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Mary Blain | Bath ^m Campbell | Bath ^m Stewart |
| Elizor Haggerty | Martha W. Cornick | Jane West |
| Bath ^m Robinson | Beggy Gray | Sarah M. Beauty |
| Mary Dwin | Jane Buchanan | Sarah Jordan |
| Widow Deale | Widow M. Shave | Widow Hartsch |
| John Clarendon | W ^m Lindsay's Wife | |
| Widow Lynch | Isabella Weston | |
| Mary Roberts | Dennis M. Laughlin | |
| Rose Collins | Mary Magill | |
| Rebecca M. Colgan | Bath ^m Campbell | |
| Charity Reed | Ann Roberts | |
| Kath ^m W. Foster | Mary Robinson | |
| Thos. Anderson | Isabella Boggs | |
| Eliza Brown | Widow M. Colgan | |
| Eliza Roberts | Widow Maguire | |
| Widow Howard | Mary West | |

Ordered that the Mayor do wait on the Lord
Bishop and return him the ^{thanks of} Corporation
for his most excellent sermon preached at the
Jubilee.

Ordered that
O'Herby be paid the cost
of the damage done to his flock by watering it
in a place to avoid spurning the property tax.

Ordered that Sir George Hill Alder Scully Alder
John Curry examine the Bills of the different
Quarries and to report thereon

Committee
to regulate
Ballast
Committee

Ordered that the Sheriff M Mackay M Harvey
M Nicholson be a Committee for regulating the
Ballast Office the Rates of the Chamber Ballast
this year and appointing a place for their
Stands

Quay Duties
Committee

Ordered that the Petition of the Quay
Duties be referred to a Ballast Office Committee
for regulating their prices &

Tonnage
Duty to be
paid the
Ballast Office
Committee

Ordered that the Tonnage Duty granted
in the 1740 by Act of Parliament be paid to the
Treasurer of the Ballast Office Committee for
improving & extending the Quay

Over the money
to be borrowed
for the Ballast
Office Committee

Ordered the Chamberlain be empowered to
raise the sum of One thousand pounds
for the use of the Ballast Office Committee
the said Committee engaging on their part
to pay the Interest of the same and to discharge
the Principal out of ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~same~~ ^{these} funds

Committee
to settle the
Tonnage
Duty

Ordered that Mr Boyd M Mackay M
Nicholson be a Committee to examine the
Tonnage Accounts and to report what sum
(if any) is due by the Receiver ^{at next Com^{ms} Council} of
the same

Report of
Committee
of Chamberlain
and confirm

Ordered that the report of the Committee
appointed to settle the Chamberlain account
do stand as last Com^{ms} Council be confirmed

30 Guineas
to the Receiver

Ordered that fifty Guineas be paid the Treasurer
of the Receiver for our subscription to the ^{Trust} Stairs

175 lb. M^{ts}
Murray
20 Guineas to
Ballast Committee

Ordered that fifteen pounds be paid M^r Murray
annually
Ordered that Twenty Guineas be paid M^r Jamieson

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Bailiffs
Salaries
£6-

Order that the Bailiffs Salaries be increased
to Six pounds per year

Comrs to
Sheriff
in the state
of the Bailiffs

Order that Alder of Curry (Dudley Scott)
Mr Nicholas Sheriff Dysart & Ball be
a Committee to examine into the state of
the Persons who receive Charters from the
Corporations, and to report those who should
be continued or not in the list, also to report
on the Claims of those Petitioners now under
consideration

Comrs to
Sheriff
Chambers
£920.11-

Order that the Committee appointed at
last Session (viz) to settle the Chamber
accounts for last year do report they have
examined & settled the same and find a
Balance of Seven Hundred & Twenty Eight
pounds Seven shillings due by the Corporation
to the Chamber as on the 30th of December 1809

Comrs to
Sheriff
Salaries
& Expence

of Sheriff Burgess & Wood having produced
Certificates for the payment of their Salaries
Order their Salaries be paid them

Order that the following accounts be
paid

Timothy Fry 30s. 6. 11 for Bridg
Worlock 3. 0s. 3 for Services for the Chamber
And Beatty 5. 13. 9 for Weights for Weigh House
J. M. Merriam 4. 14. 3 in hand of Gabriel M. M. M. M.
Edw. Selgar 16. 0s. 11 in hand of Mayor & Alder

Order that the Chamberlain do advance
£100. 5. 0 for erecting a flag of flag staff
in the Cathedral ordered by the late Mayor

At
Christ Church
in the
Parish
of
St. Andrew
in the
County
of
Middlesex

Ordered that Mr Chisolm be paid the sum of
£93. 3. 6 being one year's Service, Service
beginning the first day of November last, and
agreement that he be retained on the Service of this Corporation
at the Salary of fifty two Guineas per year
pursuant to his proposal herewith annexed
is as follow

Arch^d. Boyd Esq^r Dony 6th March 1710

In my last reports I omitted or plaining the different
works which I was to superintend for the fifty two Guineas
per annum, which are the Bridge, the Wood Wharf, the
Engine and any alteration in the Town Walls or gates
to see the Work executed according to the plans.

I should the Corporation be pleased to allow me 52 Guineas
per year for superintending the above & other works in which
the Corporation may be immediately interested and any
other works under the immediate Consideration of this
Corporation

I am Sir
Your most Obed^t. Serv^t
John Chisolm

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Chamber
Secy

Ordered that the application from the Committee
of the Charitable Loan ^{by the Comtee} be taken into Consideration
next General Council

Ordered that the petitions of the following
persons ^{for their respective} be taken into Consideration next Genl Council

Charles Moffat - Certified by Wm Moore
Joseph Hulse appointed for by the Mayor

Henry John Clements } by Mr Hill
Thomas Gray Wm Synnam }

Freeman
proposed

Doctor Thomas Brown by Doctor Scott
Capt Wm C. Brall by Wm J. Curry

Alex. Kennedy & Wm Kennedy by Wm Shepleton

James Sawyell & Co. Auctioneer by Mr Saw

Robt Carr & Lecky by Wm Lecky

Nicholas Fitzgerald by Mr Mackay

Rev Wm Macbride by Mr Ash

Robt Alexander by Wm Lecky

John McNeill of Colonsay by Mr Boyd

A General Council held the 15 day of May 1711

Present

Thomas Scott Mayor	} Alder	Roger Murray
Wm Lecky		Sam ^r Curry
George Shepherd		John Curry
Wm Walker		

John Chiswell	} Sheriff
Wm Bole	

Joseph Curry	Chamberlain
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Dickson	} Burg ^r	Wm Mackay
Jos ^r Ingham		Wm Scott
Wm M ^r Clark		John Harvey
Alex ^r Major		John Nicholson
John Bond		James Seaborn
Marcus Hill		
Rich ^d Boyd		
And ^r Knox		

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council
 he called them together to take into Consideration
 a Letter received by the Chamberlain from W^m Bole
 the Secretary to the Hon^{ble} the Irish Society, which
 Letter being Read is hereunto annexed

Doctors Commons 26 May 1711

Sir

I am directed to inform you that the memorial
 of the Corporation of Leary to the Hon^{ble} Irish Society praying
 a Renewal of their Leases is now under the Consideration of
 the Committee who are directed to make a report thereon & that
 previous to their so doing they expect the Corporation to
 make some propositions for such Renewal on terms which
 may be considered as liberal & Corresponding with the alteration
 of the Value of Lands at this present Day the said proposal to be
 made on the ground of a Surrender of their present Leases & the Part
 of new ones made by the Land that up to now to have been granted
 on the same Leases Leases. I have the Honor to remain Sir
 Y^r Obedt Serv^t R. Wade Secy

The Annual Memorial Addressed to the Hon^{ble} the Irish Society being read & ordered that the same be adopted and forwarded by the Chamberlain accompanied with a Letter to Mr. Wade the Secretary to the Hon^{ble} the Irish Society acknowledging the receipt of the foregoing letter—

To the Honorable the Governor & Assistants London of the New Plantation in Ulster within the Kingdom of Ireland.

The Memorial of the Mayor Commonalty & Citizens of London &c. in Common Council assembled humbly sheweth

That your memorialists have received a Letter from the Committee of your Honorable Society respecting the Renewal of their Leases, wherein it is desired that this Corporation should make some proposition for such renewal on terms which may appear liberal and come proportionally with the Value of Lands at the present day.

In reply to which your memorialists beg leave humbly to submit, that they are invested with no other property but what they derive from you that they have held their present Possessions undisturbed from the Period of their being first incorporated & that your Predecessors have uniformly granted them renewals thereof without the Consideration of an increased Rent.

That Confiding in a Continuance of the same liberal support your memorialists have expressed

The sum of £44,000 in making publick firmament
and useful improvements & that they procured all the
money which has been laid out on those works on the
credit of the Property they possess under your Honorable
Society.

That if your memorialists present income should
be much reduced they must cease to exercise their pub-
lick functions & what would give them the most
deep concern they will be rendered unable to discharge
the debts they have contracted in establishment of said
publick ^{works} & in enhancing the Value of your Honours stock.

Your memorialists humbly intreat you will dis-
singuish their case from that of an individual soliciting
a private advantage & that you will be pleas'd to recollect
they emanate from you and are the oldest Protestant Cor-
poration in this Part of the united Kingdom that they
are only seeking for the means of supporting the
Bank they have hitherto sustained in Society & hone-
stly satisfying the demands for which their faith as
a publick body stands pledged.

Under these circumstances your memorialists feel
them selves incompetent to make you a proposition
for a renewal of their leases corresponding with the
present improved Value of Lands but relying on your cus-
tomed Generosity & protection have authorized their
Recorder Sir George Hill to treat with you for a renew-
al on such terms as you may think proper to grant

Committee
Disputes
annual
of our
Leases

Ordered that the Mayor Alder John Curry
Mr Boyde the Chamberlain be a committee
to transact the Business with the Recorder
on the renewal of our Leases

Ordered that the proceedings of this Com-
mission shall not be communicated to
any person who was not of the Council
except the Recorder

At a Common Council held 30 July 1820

Present

Wm. Scott Mayor	} Alder	Sagm Curry
Wm. Lecky		Roger Murray
George C. Skilton		John Curry

Li. George F. Nile Recorder

John Doyson Sheriff

Joseph Curry Chamberlain

Dickson Coringham

John Hart

Oliver Lecky

Wm. H. Clark

Archd. Boyd

Marcus Nile

Andu Knice

} Burg

Wm. Scott

John Murray

John Nicholson

James Schoaler

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he called them together to appoint appraisers for valuing and appraising the dwelling houses Office & within the City & suburbs for lighting the streets of the same

Ordered that the following persons be appointed

Appraisers for each Ward

Saml Moore	} Bishop's Ward	Arthur Robinson	Ship
David Moore		George Mansour	Street
Andu Wall		John Thompson	Street
Ja. M. Wren	} Holy Trinity Ward	Ans. Jew Beatty	Butcher
Calvin Decker		George Gayman	Street
John Cochran		Ja. M. C. Murray	Street

Ben & Co
Chambers
Jan 27 1790, 11

Ordered that the Mayor be Authorized to
subject a Bond to the Chamberlain for
Seven Hundred Pounds by Eight pounds Eleven
Shillings, by being the balance due him by
the Corporation or Settling his last years Accounts

Freemen

Ordered that the following Persons be admitted
freemen, Charles Maffey, Joseph White, Henry
John Clement, Thomas Gray, Wm Lysons,
Thomas Brown M^cQ, Capt Wm Chester Ball
Alex^r Kennedy, Wm Kennedy, James Law, Alex^r
Cochrane, Robert David Lecky, Nicholas
Fitzgerald, Rev Wm Manser, Rev Alexand^r
John McMill of Calrossa on paying their fees

Ordered the following Persons proposed as freemen
Wm Dickson by the Mayor

Freemen
Proposed

Lieut James Walker by
Capt ^{James} Lecky of the Navy
Capt ^{James} Lecky by 200 Regt
Capt Alex^r Lecky 20 Dragoons
Lieut Henry Lecky 20 Dragoons
Wm Lecky Green foy

by Ald^r Lecky

Bath G^r Isaacson M^cWalt by M^cHenry
Wm Fisher, Jas Fisher & Wm Gibson by M^cBoyd

Robt Skipton, Alex^r Skipton } by Ald^r Skipton

John Boyce
James Culston by M^cBoyd

James Curry
John Thomas Gormery Curry } Ald^r Curry
Alexander Curry
George Curry son of

George Iron. Commissioner
David Iron, The Iron-son of M^r Iron

Wylbraut Olfherst by M^r Hart

Harvey Nicholson Detⁿ Nicholson son of M^r Nicholson

Wm Ash, George Ash son of M^r Ash

Demerit M^r Laughlin by J

John M^r Moore — M^r Dyest

John Gag Bate by Sheriff Bate

James Christy Cullingham

John Coley ~~by M^r Lecky~~ } by M^r Lecky
Cullingham 200 Reg^t

John Hoary, Thomas Hoary

Arch^d Hoary, Wm Scott Hoary

Arch^d Hoary Son of M^r Hoary

The Sheriff
Tolarian
to be paid

The Sate. Sheriff, having produced their
Certificate for the payment of their Sate
Orders that their Salaries be paid

Comonalty
of the Sate

Ordered that the following be a firm matter for
carrying into Effect the Statute Provisions of
the Statute for Lighting the City, and that
they do report their proceedings at Next Gen^l Assize
M^r Albroyd M^r Hoary M^r Nicholson Doctor
Scotty the Sheriff for the term being

Ord^r to
be order

Ordered that the Chamberlain do order a
sufficient Quantity of the best Burning Oil
for Lighting the City to be delivered to the Contractor
for Lighting the same at first Cost & Charge

Proposed
to be lighted
the Sate

Ordered that the Mayor do receive proposals
for Lighting each ward separately and that one
one person be contracted for more than one ward to
be light from the first Sept^r to first of April^r for the
same to be lighted two Clock in the morning

Ordered that the Contractors be under the care and
of the aforesaid Committee

Ordered that the Chamberlain do borrow the
sum of five thousand pounds by Bond towards
Carrying on the Improvements of the Quay and
to be paid to the Ballast Office Committee for
that purpose and to be charged to the Account
of the Tonnage duty

Ordered that the Ballast Office Committee
be required to report at next General Council
what progress has been made in said Im-
provements and in what manner the sum of
£1000 advanced to them by order of Council
the 6th of March has been expended and what
further sum may be necessary to complete
the Works

Ordered that the Resolution of the 6th of
March last directing the Tonnage duty
to be paid the Ballast Office Committee be
reconsidered

Ordered that the order of the 6th of March last
ordering the sum of One thousand pounds
to be borrowed for the use of the Ballast Office by
the Chamberlain be reconsidered

Ordered that the following proposition be taken
into consideration next General Council viz
that if any member shall be absent from Six
Successive General Councils provided they are not held
within Six Months then he shall cease to be a member and an other
shall be no longer continued

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Elected to succeed him and this to be read as
a Bye Law and sent to Society for their
ratification

231 At a Common Council held on Friday 2 Nov^r 1681
 Present

Thomas Scott Mayor
 Wm Luby
 Roger Murray
 Sam^r Curry } Aldermen

John Dwyer } Sheriff
 Wm Ball }

Joseph Perry Chamberlain
 Jackson Corringham

John Hart	} Burg ^s	Wm Law
Wm M ^r Lee		Marcus N ^r le
Alex Luby		Arch ^d Boyd
Adam Schoals		And ^r Mason
Alex Mayor		And ^r Ferguson
Wm H ^r Oak		Wm W ^r by
		John H ^r any
	James Schoals	
	John Nicholson	

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that in Obedience to the new orders of the Lord Lieutenant & Privy Council that he called them together to Elect a Mayor for the City of Londonderry for one year commencing the 2^d July next and Sheriffs for the City & County of Londerry for one year commencing 2 July next

Th^r Scott Mayor

John Lee
 Joseph Perry
 David
 Alex

Th^r Scott

Accordingly Thomas Scott one of the Alder of the City is Unanimously Elected Mayor for one year commencing the 2 July next & John Corringham, Roger Murray & David P^r are Elected Sheriffs for the City & County of Derry for one year commencing the 2 July next

Ordered that the Chamberlain do give a Certificate of this Election to our Solicitor to lay the same before the Lord Secretarys Council for their approbation -

Mayer
of the Staple
of the Staple

Ordered that Tho: P. Scott is elected Mayor of the Staple of the Dyers of Wm. Ball an elected constable of the Staple for one year commencing the 2^d July next -

Committee
to settle
Chamberlain
Account

Ordered that M. Boyde M. Nicholson M^r Machy Quaterly & the Sheriff Dyers be a Committee to settle the Chamberlain's account

Account
of the
Bridges

Ordered that the Toll of the Bridge be set to publick Auction on Thursday the 6th of December next for one year commencing the first day of January next and the toll of the Market for one year commencing the 2^d February next -

9100
addition
to
Mayer
Salary

Ordered that the Salaries to be paid the same as last year with an addition of One Hundred pounds to the Mayors salary -

Charities

Ordered that those persons returned by the Committee of Charities in their report to be continued and those not approved of by them to be discontinued to the contrary. And those persons returned in the report of Claimants and recommended by the Committee to be paid annually the same amount to their names in the Report -

M^r
Lyon
Commissioner

Ordered that Widows Pension be paid Six Guineas Annually -
Ordered that the Committee of Charities be continued and that they do report on the different petitions -

Ordered that the propositions respecting the
abandoning the warehouse from Commission Councils
proposed at the last Com^l Council be taken into
consideration ~~before~~ prior to all other Business
at next Com^l Council -

Com to
to answer
Mr. Letter from
Gen. Post Office

The Chamberlain having laid before the Com^l
Council a letter he recd from the Post Office
Office. Ordered that Ald^r Murray M^r Scholes
Doctor Scott, Ald^r Lecky & M^r Hile be a Committee
to assist the Chamberlain to secure the same
Ordered that the Mayor be authorised to confer
with the Barrack Board or any others to obtain
possession of the Guard house -

Guard
house

Ordered that Sir G. Hile M^r Boyd M^r Nixon
& M^r Hile be a Committee to receive proposals
for the intended Market at the Poor
house and that they take possession of the same
when the poor are removed from it -

Market
at the
poor
house

Treasurer
ordered

Ordered that the business proposed at last Com^l
Council be referred to the next -

A Common Council held on Tuesday 16th Apr^l 1711-
 Present

Thomas Scott Mayor	} Elders	Samuel Curry
Wm Lecky		John Curry
Negro Murray		
Sir George F. Hill Recorder		
John Coringham Sheriff		
Joseph Curry Chamberlain		

Dickson Coringham	} Bury	John Ferguson
John Hart		Wm Lecky
Wm McLintock		Wm Scott
Alex Lecky		John Haney
John Braid		John Nicholson
Marcus Hill		Jasus Schoada
Arch ^d Boyd		John Ferguson
And ^r Trea		

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he called them together to take into consideration the proposals from the Irish Society of London for the renewal of our Lease -

Ordered that the Opinion of the Recorder

Alex^r Scott, John Curry be taken

Whether the Common Council can pass

any bye Law to be sanctioned by the Society

to discipline or fine any of its members

for non attendance and that opinion to be given

at a Common Council to be held on the first Monday in June next -

Opinion
 to give
 or discipline
 members
 non attendance

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Treason
admitted

Ordered that the pecuniar proposed as
the two last Com^{rs} Council had admitted
paying for

20 gr
L. Warden
Downing

Ordered that Tiers by Guineas proposed as
last Com^{rs} Council to the Warden of John
Downing be paid by the Chamberlain

50 Guin
L. the
Roman
Catholick
Chapel

Ordered that the fifty Guineas proposed as
last Com^{rs} Council to the Right Rev^d Charles
Downing for our subscription to the
Building to the Roman Catholick Chapel
in the suburbs be paid by our Chamberlain

In consequence of the different memorials
from the Corporation for a renewal of their
Lease to the Irish Society by which memorial
was under ~~seal~~ Seal of Dated 14 May
1710 and approved the Recorder Sir
George F. Hile to treat with the society
for the same. We have this day received
from him the copy of a minute to of the
Irish Society containing the Terms
on which they will renew our different
Leases and contained in the following
words as Officially communicated by the
Secretary of the Irish Society Robert
Hlade Esq^r—

I am directed by the Court of Assistants of the
 New Irish Society to advise you for the Information
 of the Corporation of L. D. that the Society is
 willing to grant the prayer of their memorial
 on their agreeing to pay annual rent of five
 hundred pounds as the consideration of the
 renewal prayed for, the said memorial rent to
 commence ~~at the~~ after the expiration of the present
 existing lease, and to be apportioned in such
 manner as you shall recommend, the Society
 taking to itself the benefit of the bargain value
 of the lands which have been granted to the Society
 jointly or to John Quicke's lease, you will therefore
 be pleased to communicate this over determination
 to the Corporation and requesting the reply of
 the Corporation thereto

Ordered and it is hereby resolved that we do hereby
 accede to the above terms -

Ordered that a memorial be prepared by the
 Recorder to the Irish Society communicating
 Society our acceptance to the above terms to be accompanied
 with a statement of our ~~own~~ circumstances
 the terms and clauses, and a such observations thereon
 as may strongly represent the Hardships of our
 case and that the Mayor do seal the same

Ordered that a Petition be presented to Parliament to
 be prepared by the Recorder praying Aid for the
 Improvement of our Quay Grounds upon
 the Heavy rent demanded by the Society
 from us and that the Mayor do sign the
 same

Memorial
in behalf
of the
M^r Lecky
Lecky

Ordered that a memorial to the Irish Society
be prepared by the former Committee and that
Aldo Lecky & M^r Lecky be added to the Committee
in behalf of the M^r Lecky; Lecky of Spring
Town & Lecky -

125
in favour
of
Bryd

Ordered that Catharine Bryd having memorial
this Common Council to receive from her
One Hundred & Twenty five pounds in an annuity
in order that she paid an Annuity for her life
of Twenty five pounds for the same

House
of
Council

A memorial from the Governor of the Prison
being read respecting the House of Correction
ordered that the Mayor do communicate to
them that we have determined it for the
purpose of a fish & Vegetable Market

A memorial from M^r Acheson being read
ordered that the same be taken into con-
sideration next Common Council

1200
to be
borrowed
for the
Army

Ordered that the Chamberlain do borrow
the sum of Two thousand pounds to be
applied for the improvement of the new
Quay, on the former Grant to the Board
Office Committee who are hereby authorized
to contract the Quay, in any way they
may think most proper -

To the Governours and Assistants of the new Plantation in Ulster
within the realm of Ireland

The memorial of the Mayor, Commonalty & Citizens of London
- doney in Common Council assembled this 16 day of April 1611
Gentlemen

By your memorial of the 14th of May last we ~~perused~~ ^{perused}
that you would permit us to treat for a renewal of the
property which we hold under your Honorable Society through
our Recorder the Rt. Hon^{le} Sir G. F. Hill whom we directed
to wait on you for that purpose

On his return from London he detailed to us the different
communications he had the Honor of holding with the
deputy Governour & the Committee of your Honorable Society
and the different letters he had written to them on each part
it gave us much pain and anxiety to learn from
him that he had not been able to conclude with
your Honors on the terms of your renewal to us. We had at
that time felt the indispensable necessity of completing
the additions to the Quays a very expensive publick Work
Which we have continued to execute notwithstanding our un-
certainty of your terms of our renewal. We beg leave to observe
the City funds directly applicable to defray the expenses of this
work is the amount of Quayage received under a ban from
your Honors and which is inadequate to the charges
upon it - - Our exertions in carrying on this work together
with the faithful application of our income to various &
important improvements Made by us in this City we had hoped
would have entitl'd us to at least as beneficial terms of renew-
al as our Predecessors have from time to time experienced
it has however become unnecessary to occupy your Honors

sometime by repeating your former statements of peculiar blame to
 your power having received an official communication
 from your agent John Claudius Bursford made to him by
 your Secretary Mr. Hade of the terms on which you
 have been pleased to offer that our property held under you
 shall be renewed to us and we have this day met in Com-
 mon Council to give an answer to that communication
 contained in the following Words.

" I am directed by the Court of Assistance of the Honourable
 " Irish Society to apprise you for the Information of the
 " Corporation of London that the Society is willing to
 " grant the Prayers of their Memorial on this agreeing
 " to pay an annual Rent of Five Hundred Pounds as
 " the Consideration of the renewal proposed for the said
 " Premises not to commence after the expiration of the
 " present existing Lease and to be appportioned in such manner
 " as you shall recommend the Society to himself the benefit
 " of the Increased Value of the Lands which have been granted
 " to the Leases formerly on Footes Quoties Lease you will be pleased
 " therefore to con in unvate their determination to the Corporation.

We do here by agree to and do accept of these terms from your Hon-
 orable Society - Permit us to remark that having no In-
 come to discharge the Debt we have incurred in executing publick
 Work except what is derived from Your Honourable Society
 We could not in justice to our Creditors do otherwise than make
 this declaration We shall not however since we have
 the means of completing what we have begun much
 depending on any new improvement as your Hon-
 orable Society seem disposed to take to yourselves that
 Profit here which we should have applied to the publick
 Benefit here - You are not to be surprisid therefore if under
 these Circumstances We should Petition Parliament to

To the Commons of Great Britain & Ireland in Parliament Assembled -

The Humble Petition of the Mayor Community & Citizens of London in common Council assembled this 16th Day of April 1711 Sheweth

That your petitioners were embodied as a Corporation by Letters from his Majesty King James the First in 1613 Which was afterwards confirmed by his Majesty King Charles the Second in 1662.

That by said Charter various & extensive Powers are granted and conferred upon your Petitioners under the Style & Title of the Mayor Community & Citizens of the City of London

That by said Charter a Common Council is created to whose management all the local Interests of the City are committed

That the said Council consists of a Mayor Recorder Twelve Aldermen Twenty four Burgesses and two Sheriffs

That the Mayor and Recorder hold Powers within their Jurisdiction the same as the Lord Mayor and Recorder of London are entitled to hold.

That three Sheriffs are appointed by the Common Council and act within the City and County of London in like manner as the Sheriffs of London act within the City of London County of Middlesex.

That the Governor and Parish Society are incorporated and have existence under the same Charter.

That to the said Governor & Parish Society all the parishes Lands comprising the City of London and Town of Colerain and almost the whole of the County were conveyed first by James the first and afterwards by Charles the second

To give usaid to compleat the Quay and Landing Place
which is a publick Work that cannot be dispensed with
and which must be executed either by your Honorable
Society, by the Cooperation of I Duty, or your Represent-
atives here or by the Publick Treasury.

We cannot consider without doing our utmost
Justice to remark that we ^{for some years} in the last twenty years for the
improvement of the City of London may there has been
attempted in the hundred ^{years} in years and did feel our selves
entitled to Support & Complement from your Honors in-
stead of being borne down & pushed by being required to make
an unexpected an addition to our annual payments and
we do most humbly beg you may consider what the bur-
den would be if we were to relinquish the discharge of
those Duties which ^{are} attached to our Chartered Corporation with
your Honorable Society, Be assured however that we will
continue to perform those Duties so long as that performance
is not made inhumane to us. - We feel authorized ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ ~~assuring~~
ing you that in us is vested locally by the Magistrate by both
executive and judicial ministration that to us is committed local-
ly the maintenance of the Publick Peace and the protec-
tion of private Property and that to Le from our Credit
or consequence in this Commonwealth will not, particu-
larly in the present temper of the times, tend to ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~ruin~~
either the one or the other

We Pray you to take these premises into your
serious consideration and to afford us such relief as may
appear reasonable to your Honorable Society

Signed & sealed this 16 Day of April 1671

That the Irish Society at this time receive a large Income from their possessions in the City and County of Londonderry, exclusive of several Estates held by other Corporations of London in that County

That the Corporation of the City of Londonderry had not any Grant of Lands made to them from the Crown, but have from their first Incorporation to the present hour held certain Leasehold Interests in the City, and a small Proportion of Land in the neighbourhood of the City, under the Irish Society for the purpose of enabling them to Support the Expences Incident to the public Duties

That they have applied their Income to public Works and charitable Purposes, almost exclusively

That amongst other Leaseholds they possess a Tenure under the Irish Society of the Quayage & Wharfage the property of the Irish Society as Lords of the Soil under the Crown

That the annual amount of the same Paid by the Vessels arriving at the port of Londonderry is insufficient to keep the Quays in common repair, and totally inadequate to make the necessary enlargements of the landing Place, which has become Indispensable for the Accommodation of the Trade

That the Corporation have notwithstanding borrowed Money to a large amount on the Faith and Expectations of a renewal of their different Tenements from the Society, on the usual Terms, which have never varied

That they have thus been Enabled to make considerable Progress in improving the Quays, which still however will require a considerable sum to complete them

That the prospect of your petitioners in Perfecting this Public work, out of their public funds is now at an end, from the Irish Society having called upon them for the first

time since their Incorporation for an increase of Rent and Demands that henceforth after the Expiration of their present Leases in the year 1820 the Rent to be paid by Pet^{rs} shall be increased from £12. 10 to £500 per Annum

That heretofore the Rent paid by Pet^{rs} to the said Irish Society has not ever been increased and was no more than an Acknowledgment of that Society as Lords of the Soil and the inferior Corporation from whom the Corporation of Londonderry as it were emanated

The Pet^{rs} do not at the same time dispute the strict Legal right of the Irish Society to Demand and increase of that from them to any amount the property is capable of paying, But they do humbly solicit ~~the~~ from this Honourable House to complete the Public Sinking Plan of the sixth Part in Ireland in point of Revenue.

That the Irish Society having determined to appropriate to their own purposes in London the Income applicable to this purpose in Londonderry, Your Pet^{rs} must henceforth relinquish their objections to complete the improvements and are reluctantly assent to the necessity of ~~appearing~~ praying that the premises herein stated may receive the fullest investigation that their Honourable House may think requisite and that their Honourable House will afford them an adequate relief and as in Duty Bound they will Pray

Signed & Sealed By order this 16 Day of April 1811

A Common Council held the 20 June 1671
Present

Thomas P. Smith Mayor }
Wm. Lecky }
George C. Shepherd }
} All }
} Sam^r Curry }
} John Curry }

Sir George Hill Recorder
John Cuninghame Sheriff
David Ross

Dickson Cuninghame
John Hart
Alex Lecky
Abel ~~Schoals~~
Wm Law
Alex Major
Wm H. Kirk
Wm Paterson
John Bona

By

Arch^d Boyd
Andrew Ferguson
Wm M. Lecky
Wm. Cott
John Harry
John Nicholson
W. Schoals
Marcus S. Hill

In the necessary absence of the Chamberlain
this Common Council have nominated Mr Arch^d
Boyd to act as Chamberlain in his room for this day

The Mayor stated that that he had caused
this Common Council to elect an Alderman
in the Room of Stephen Bennett deceased.

Accordingly ~~by~~ Marcus S. Hill one of the
Capital Burgesses is collected thereupon by
an Alderman in the Room of the said
Stephen Bennett, who having taken the Oath
presented by Act of Parliament, repeated and
signed the Declaration and taken the Oath
of an Alderman to sit his seat accordingly

Ordered that the memorial of the said ~~Common Council~~
The Committee of the Charitable Loan presented at
the said Common Council the 6 day of March 1671 being now
considered ordered that the Chamberlain do pay
the said Committee Twenty by Guinea

Marcus
Hill
Alderman

122.15
1. the
Charitable
Loan

Order that Mr. Thibault do receive proposals for painting the Bridge and do Contract with the City with the Approbation of the Mayor for doing the same -

Order that Mr. Thibault do propose to Lay before the Common Council a plan and Estimate for the Building of a sufficient number of Arches of stone at both ends of the Bridge -

Order that the Committee appointed for the repairing the Walls be empowered to build a parapet on the Inside of the City wall from Breuchergate to St. Quay gate and to widen the Street opposite the Magazine at the end that Mr. John Harvey shall be added to the said Committee -

Order that all the necessary apparatus for the recovery of Drowned persons be purchased and that a proper place be provided for the Immediate reception of such persons and that the Mayor Alder Mile Nisholme y^r Doctor Scott be a Committee for the carrying The same in Effect and that the Chamberlain be directed to pay the Expence attending the same -

Order that the petition of Rachel St. Laurence be sent to the Committee of Charities -

Order that the Petition of the Cur^y and^{ee} Lechean for his freedom be taken in to Consideration and Common Council -

Order that the freedom of this City be granted
to the said Lt Col Atkinson of the Kings County Militia
and that a token of his freedom be presented to him
by the Mayor -

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At a Common Council held 12 July 1811 -

Present

Thomas Scott Mayor	} Alder	Roger Murray
Wm Lecky		John Curry
George Shepton		Marcus Hale
Saml Curry		

Sir George Hale Recorder
John Cunningham Sheriff
David Ross

Dickson Cunningham	} Burgesses	John Murray
John Hart		John Nicholson
Alex Major		And ^{ew} Ferguson
Wm Peterson		Wm Mackay
John Bond		John Schoales
Wm Whitehead		Jamies Schoales
Archd Boyd		John Ferguson
And ^{ew} Huxie		
Wm Scott		

In the necessary absence of the Chamberlain
Mr Archd Boyd is appointed to act as
Chamberlain for this day -

The Mayor acquainted this Com^{on} Council
that he had convened them for the purpose
of electing a Capital Burgess in the Room
of Marcus J Hale Elected an Alderman
Accordingly Mr John Dysart is unanimously
Elected a Burgess in the Room and place of
the said Marcus Hale, who having taken
the Oath prescribed by act of Parliament
repeated and signed the declaration and
taken the Oath of a Burgess & Common Council took
his seat accordingly

Order that the Petition of Mrs Rebecca Miller
Lupford & the Society of Charities —

New
Orleans
Catharine
Prouva

Order that the New Andulphoran be admitted
a freeman paying fees —

Order that the petitions of the following persons for
their freedom be taken into consideration next
Common Council —

John Barclay of Shabam recommended by Alder Henry
Anderson & Messrs Laird

Marcus Messers Laird } by Mr John Harvey
sons of Alder Messers Laird

John Moore of the Colonies by Sheriff Roper

Order that the Petition of Philip Kennedy be
taken into consideration next Common Council

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At a Common Council Held 7 Sept^r 1701
Present

Thomas Scott Mayor	} All W ^{ts} {	Agge Murray
W ^m Lecky		Saml Curry
George Shepston		W ^m Alexander
Thomas Lecky		John Curry

Sir George Wile Recorder

John Conisburgh
David Pope } Sheriffs

Joseph Curry Chamberlain

Dickson Cuninghame	} Burges {	W ^m Mackay
W ^m McCulloch		W ^m Scott
Abel Lecky		John Schoales
Adam Schoales		John Harvey
W ^m Hamill Walsh		John Nicholson
John Dyssart		James Schoales

Arch^d Boyd

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he favoured them in consequence of the Lord Lieutenant having informed Sir George Wile his intention of being in this neighbourhood and requests to know in what manner he is to be received and entertained

Ordered that ~~the~~ the Mayor do send an Invitation to his Grace the Lord Lieutenant requesting he will Honour this Corporation with his Company at Quines any day he may appoint and Sir George Wile be requested to present the same to his Excellency

Copy to be sent to the
Lord Lieutenant

Sheweth
regulate
the
ment

Ordered that the following members be appointed
Sheweth, the Mayor Sir George Keble Alder
Wm Alexander Alder John Curry Charles Scott
and the Sheriff to regulate the Entertainment
and that the same be given at the King's Arms

Persons to
be
be

Ordered that the following persons be invited to
the above Entertainment, the General and
his Staff, the field Officers of the Garrison the
Clergy, the sons of Members, the Sheriff, Peter
~~Richard~~ Heath Hon. Mr. Forward General
Staff Admiral ^{John} Heath Com. Maxwelle Capt
Forward Mr. James Scott

Appointed
to
be

Ordered that the following persons be appointed
app. voters for valuing the Houses & for taxing
the City & Suburbs for the Lighting the Lamps
in the same agreeable to Act of Parliament

John Guyson	} for Bishops street ward	George Hasted	} Thrope Quay ward
Andr. Wall		John Nelson	
Arch. McSwain		Sam. Glyn	
Edw. and D. Kerthy	} Ferry Quay street ward	Andr. Beatty	} In Kings ward
Sam. Lee		John Nelson	
James Beatty		Robt. Young	

proposed
Street
for
Lamps

Ordered that the Mayor do advertisement in the
Daily Belfast papers for proposals for Lighting
the Lamps of this City and that he do
receive in back for the same by wards if such
can be obtained

Committee
to
regulate
the
Lamps

Ordered the persons who for regulating the
Lamps for last year be continued for the present year

Freemen

Ordered that John Barclay of Stratham Marston
 Walsingham, and ~~Andrew~~ Mace land and
 John Moon Fittell be admitted freemen
 having fees

Freemen

Ordered that Wm Ferguson Alexander son of
 Alder Wm Alexander, Clement Archer Schoaler
 & John Schoaler son of John Schoaler & Charles
 Lecky & James Lecky son of Alder Thos Lecky
 be admitted freemen

Ordered that the Petition of Philip Manley be
 sent forward to next Com^{on} Council

Freemen
 proposed

Ordered that the following persons proposed as
 freemen viz Charles Thomas Quenbury by
 Joseph Curry George Foster by M^r Boyd
 be taken into consideration next Com^{on} Council

At a Common Council held on Saturday 2^o Novem^r 1701¹
Present

Thomas Scott Mayor
Wm Lecky
George Shipton
Roger Murray
Thomas Lecky

Ald^r

Sam^l Curry
Wm Alexander
John Curry
Manus Hill

John Cunningham
David Ross } Sheriff
Joseph Curry Chamberlain

Dickson Cunningham
John Hart
Wm McCulloch
Alex^r Lecky
Adam Schauls
Wm Law
Alex^r Major
Wm H. Ash
John Bond

Burg^r

John Oystard
Arch^d Boyd
Andrew Ance
Andrew Ferguson
Wm Macky
Wm Scott
John Schauls
John Murray
John Nicholson

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that in consequence of the new act and Ordors of the Lord Lieutenant's private Council that he desired them to elect a Mayor for the City of Londonderry for one year commencing the 2^o Feby Next and Sheriff for the City's Liberty of Londerry for one year commencing the 2^o Feby Next according to John Curry one of the Aldermen of the City is unanimously by elected Mayor for one year commencing the 2^o Feby next and John McCulloch Murray the Kennedy by elected Sheriff for the City's Liberty of Londonderry for one year commencing 2^o Feby Next

John Curry Mayor
John Murray
the Kennedy
Sheriff

Ordered that the Chamberlain do give a certificate of this Election to our Solicitor to lay the same before the Lord Lieutenant and bring Counsel for their approbation

The Lord Mayor the Deputy Mayor the Aldermen the Common Council the Chamberlain
 Ordered that Tho: Scott Esq is elected Mayor of the City and John Jennings Esq is elected Sheriff of the City
 Ordered that Ald: Murray Ald: H. M. Boyd M. Harry M. Nicholson M. Cresswell be a Committee to settle the Chamberlain's accounts

Ordered that the toll of the Bridge to be settled by public Auction on Thursday 5 Decem^r next for one year to commence 1st Jan^y next the payment to be made in Bank of Ireland notes, also to the toll of the market for one year comm^g the 1st Feb^r next to be paid in Bank of Ireland notes

Ordered that the Salaries to be paid the same as last year, and the Charities the same with the Addition of those persons returned in the Report of Claimants by the Committee of Charities and recommended by them to be paid the Annual sum annexed to their names

Ordered that the Committee of Charities be continued the same as last year and that they report on the Disbursements for Charities

Piper
Water
Committee

The Mayor having communicated to the
Common Council that Messrs James Wilson James
Maca Andrew Beatty & John Harvey had
been returned to him as persons from the four
wards ^{of the City} elected in virtue to be of the pipe water
Committee pursuant to the statute ordered that
Oliver Murray Mr Mackay Mr Nicholson & Mr
Dugan be appointed to the committee for conducting
the pipe water business

Sabbath
Office
Committee

Ordered that John Nicholson Joseph Curry
Wm Mackay John Harvey James Wilson James
Maca and Robert W. Beatty be appointed the
Sabbath Office Committee in conjunction with
their respective in the statute

Scavenger

Ordered that the following be appointed scavengers
for the different wards of the City viz
The Mayor for Bishop street Sir George Kile for
Ship Quay Bulwer street & Mr James Scott for
Terry quay street wards with the same salaries
as last year

M. M.
Noble
Letter
in the
L5-

Mr M. Noble of Coburn say letter being read at the
meeting a Bank note for £5 - With that to be
disbursed in charity ordered that the same be
paid to charity Committee to be disbursed of
by them and that the letter be placed with
the records

John
Hume
Committee

Resolved for building a Toll house on the
Bridge being produced and approved of Ordered
that Oliver Kile Mr Hart Mr Boyd & the others whom
be a Committee for carrying the same into effect and
that they do advertise for proposals for erecting
building the same

285
Subscrib
Public
Jan 5

Ordered that the Chamberlain do pay Mr Alder
Murray £74. 12. 6 being his Bill of Costs

Common
Coun
March 15

Ordered that the Mayor elect Alder Murray
Mr John Schoales be a Comonitie to regulate
The appointment of the City Marshall

Mr Alder
Murray

Arrumerial from Mr Alder Murray being read
Ordered that Alder Mr Lecky Mr Schoales & Mr
Harvey be a Comonitie to report on the savor

Ordered that Tenetby Toys out of £13. 7. 6 for
different Pairting in the Cathedral be paid

Town
Coun

Ordered that the Taxation Petition be taken into
Consideration next Comon Councill

Sept
Town
Coun

Ordered that Lieut Lyons of the Navy be
admitted a Honorary freeman and that a Ticket
be ~~forwarded~~ ^{forwarded} to him

Mr Town
Coun

Ordered that Mr Spencer Knave & Mr Wm Knave some
of the Lord Bishop of Overy be adome the Freeman

Thomson
Propos

Ordered that the granting the freedom to the following
personally James Fenningham James Simpson
David Patton & John Helbo ^{John Helbo} be taken into
Consideration next Comon Councill

Wharfe
The walk
Coun

Ordered that Mr Boyd do get the Walk in the
Cheer regard put in to proper order and that
the Chamberlain do pay for the same

Labelling
The streets

Resolved that the several Streets Lanez & Places
in the City which have old established names
Ought to be Labbled with such names agreeable
to the maps of the City in the hand of the Society
Agent, the above resolution being noted was
negotiated

At a Common Council Held 31 Jan 41012
Present

Thomas Scott Mayor	} Ald.	Thomas Leiby
Wm Leiby		Sam ^r Curry
George Shepston		John Curry
Roger Murray		Marion Hill

John Cunningham } Sher
 David Duff
 Joseph Curry Chamberlain

Dubson Cunningham	} Burge.	Arch ^d Boyd
John Hart		Andrew Ferguson
Alex ^r Leiby		Wm Malby
Wm Law		Wm Scott
Alex ^r Major		John Nicholson
Wm H. Ash		James Schoales
John Bond		

John Cypert

Wm
Scott
Aldermⁿ

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council
 that he Commaided them to elect an Aldermⁿ
 in the Room of John Carcus Deceased
 Accordingly Wm Scott one of the Capital
 Burgeiss is Unanimously elected Aldermⁿ
 in the Room of the said John Carcus who
 Having taken the Oath presented by
 Parliament repeated and signed the
 Declaration and taken the Oath of
 an Aldermⁿ took his seat Accordingly

Chamberlain
do report

The Committee appointed at last for viewing
to examine & settle the Chamberlain accounts
do report that they have examined yet the
the same and find a balance of One
Hundred Nine by seven pence Sixteen
shillings seven pence due the Chamberlain
by the Corporation —

Report of
Committee
on Mr
Peterson
Memorie
for a piece
of ground
between
the Wale

The Report of the Committee on Mr Peterson
Memorie do Report they have examined
the Premises and find there is a space
of 600 in front of the Old Northern Barber
and built on by Mr Peterson of about
Eighteen feet Square and that the lower
wale is raised about three feet which
we think about one foot too high as
interfering with the View, that we do
not at present consider it as any
nuisance or burroughment but the lower
Wale rather an improvement, but if
the Wale is raised any higher we think
it would be a nuisance that ought to
be prevented — Oldam Schooler
John Hanney

Truener

Ordered that the freedom of the persons
proposed at last Common Council
Confirmed saying for the
James Cuningham James Simpson David
Batter Joseph Nelson & James Robinson
Robert Lawrence

Sherriff
 Original
 at Rule
 Certificate
 that the Chamberlain do pay them their salaries

Ordered that Mr. Knappington's acct of £39. 6. 00
 of Benjamin Bassetts Charge be paid by the
 Chamberlain

Sherriff
 produce
 Mayor
 Certificate
 for fine
 levied

Ordered that the Sherriff shall hereafter
 produce a Certificate from the Mayor of their
 having levied the fines proposed at the
 City Sessions also the Chamberlain receipt
 for the same or that they do account satis-
 factorily why they have not done so

Mayor
 of
 and Alder
 men to be
 made
 Majorities
 of the
 County

Ordered that an Application be made to
 the Lord Chancellor that the Mayor of
 Senior Alderman be presented in the Common Pleas
 of the Peace for the County of Middlesex
 pursuant to Charter and that the Chamberlain
 do pay the expenses of the same

Ordered that the following persons be found
 as free men to be taken into consideration at next
 Common Council viz. Capt. Merington Thomas
 Daniel Graham Thomas Greenslade
 Gabriel Caldwell

Charities

Ordered that ^{the names of} Mary Perry Broadley Widow Nathaniel
 Ann M. Girdley Jane Stew art Widow Rebecca
 Moore be returned to the Common Pleas for Charities

Committee
 for the
 purchase
 of the
 26

Ordered that the Committee appointed
 for forwarding the old Bills into the
 different Markets do advertise for proposals
 to carry the same into Effect and that
 they agree for the same

Committee
 for
 the
 purchase
 of the
 26

Ordered that Mr. Nicholson Mr. Seaton
 Mr. Barry Mr. Bond & the Chamberlain
 be a Committee to report at next Court
 a proper situation for a Dutch Bourse
 & the best means of
 carrying the same into Effect

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Cork
Bristol
Market

The Committee appointed last Com^{rs} Council
to report a proper Situation for a Publick Bank
& Alex^r market having reported Inajudicially
that they continue to do the same

From
London

The following person being professed a Jesuit
Viz Sam^l Black Lieutenant Wm Black

Holland being present in the Dock Militia
to be taken into Consideration next Com^{rs} Council

£50
reward

Ordered that a reward of fifty pounds be offered
for the apprehending & prosecuting to Conviction
the persons who lately fired at the Soldiers
at the Magazine —

At a Common Council held the 10th June 1812
Present—

John Curry Mayor	} Alder	} {	Thos Lecky
Thos Scott M ^r			Wm Scott
Wm Lecky			
Roger Murray			

John Murray Sheriff
Joseph Curry Chamberlain

Dickson Coningham	} Burg ^s	} {	John Beard
John Hart			John Owsen
Alex Lecky			Archd Boyd
Wm H Ash			Andw Ferguson
Wm Law			Wm M ^r Lecky
Wm W ^m Gibson			John Harney
John Beard			John Nicholson
			Jam ^s Schoales

The Mayor acquainted the Common Council that he conveyed them to receive the report of the Committee appointed to recommend a proper plan for the better Cook & Flea Markets—

Ordered that the former proposed at last Common Council's by Sam^l Blackhall the Street Wm Blackhall and Lecky but in the Curry Mitatia had no the former paying fees

Ordered that the Plan for a new weigh house New Weigh produced & drawn by Mess^{rs} M^r Garagham & Kussell adopted and that the Committee appointed to improve to receive proposals and contract for the same proceeds to it by

Wm Grant Ordered that Mr Grant be paid thirty pounds pursuant to a former Order—

apptd
for the
Lamp

Orders that the following persons be appointed
Appraisers for Valuing the Houses for Taxing
the City Suburbs for Lighting the Lamps in
the same agreeable to act of Parliament

David M. Shefferson	Bishops Ward	John Pruster	St. Mary's Ward
David Lyvar		Robt. Crossland	
Abner Cuying		Saml. Glyn	
Andrew Ayle	Bishops Ward	Rough Thompson	St. Mary's Ward
John Corkebury		John Mooney	
James Brown		Abner Stewart	

Spoken
Committee

Ordered that the Mayor be directed to receive
proposals for Lighting the Lamps and Alder
Wm Scott M. Waring & Mr Macky be a
Committee to Contract for Lighting the Lamps
of the City

Ordered that the following persons be appointed
Valuators appraisers of the Houses & in the City

apptd
for the
Lamp

Suburbs for the publick Taxes

David Moore	Bishops Ward	Wm. M. Foshole	St. Mary's Ward
Robt. Moore		Rough Thompson	
Abner Wall		Br. G. Graham	
John Thompson	St. Mary's Ward	Robt. Young	Bishops Ward
George M. Conrath		John Helander	
Henry M. Lenthick		Thos. Norway	

Ordered that Samuel Hunter of Newcomb, Linnecounty
be appointed Coroner for this County

apptd
for the
Lamp

Ordered that Miss Sarah Stinson be paid
Ten pounds Annually for Life

apptd
for the
Lamp

Ordered that Major General Burrill be admitted
an Honorary Freeman and a Ticket to sell his Arms

apptd
for the
Lamp

Ordered that the Mayor Alder Thos Scott be added to
the Commission for Building the Markets in the
Court House Yard

James
Graham

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Ordered that the following persons being proposed

James Shaw Wilson James Wilson Just Allen Quinn
Herbert
James Ogden by Barrister Alexander Buchanan
Thomas Gibson and James Wilson Wm L Paterson John
Paterson sons of Mr Paterson be taken into Consideration
of the General Council

At a Common Council held on Monday 2 Novr 1012

Present		
John Curry Mayor	Aldr	Thomas Lecky
Thos P. Hill M ^r		Marcus Hill
Wm Lecky		Wm Scott
Robert Murray		
		Sir George Hill Recorder
		John Murray } Clerk
		Thomas Kennedy }
		Joseph Curry Chamberlain
Duckson Currier ham	Wryg ^r	Abm R. Boyd
John Hart		Andew Finca
Adam Schoales		Andew Ferguson
Wm Law		Wm Mchey
John Bond		John Harvey
John Yeast		John Nicholson
John Ferguson		James Schoales
		John Maginop

The Mayor acquainted the Common Council that in consequence of the order of the Lord Lieutenant of Princy Council that he conveyed them to elect a Mayor for the City of Princy for one year commencing the 2^d of February and a Sheriff for the City & County of London & County of Middlessex for one year commencing the 2^d of February. Accordingly John Curry one of the Alder's unanimously elected Mayor for one year commencing the 2^d of February. John P. Hill James Greg, Davise Robt being proposed as Sheriff a Bill was drawn up when the Recorder stood this for the 21st of Greg 21st of Robt & then for John P. Hill James Greg and Davise Robt as Sheriff for one year commencing the 2^d of February.

John Curry
Mayor
John P. Hill
James Greg
Davise Robt

The Mayor having informed the Common Council that Mr David Moore Leonard Horner The Poors Dependants John Lee had been returned to him as Persons appointed from the four different Wards of the City Elected in Virtue to be of the Pipe Water Commissions pursuant to the Statute and that Alder Thede Alder Youcott Mr Maskey Mr Dyson had appointed a Committee in conjunction with him to transact the Pipe Water Business

Ordered that the following persons be appointed Scavengers for the four Wards of the City viz Alder Pett for his Ward £100 - for John Lee for his Ward £100 - for Thede for his Ward £100 - for Youcott for his Ward £100 -

Ordered that the Ballast Office Committee do continue the same as last year for the ensuing year agreeable to the Statute

Ordered that Mr Grant be paid thirty pounds

Ordered that the Freeman be paid at last Common Council viz James Shaw William Smith The Clerk Clerk to the Court School Alex^r Carr Carpenter James Deputy Provost Andrew Peterson Ward Butler John Dubois sons of Mr Wm Dubois & admittin the sworn freemen

Ordered that the Charter be read do read to be John Nichols of Gloucester Lane Founder four hundred and two pounds fourteen shillings seven pence being the amt of the Ball and that he do pay the Charge of ^{on them} them by Gloucester and for building them ~~in~~ in the Cathedral and that the Mayor Sheriff Alder Niles Mr Seaman & Mr Nicholson be a Committee to carry the above into effect and that they do communicate with the said Bishop the Dean & Church Warden on the subject

Dependants
Common

Scavenger

Ballast
Office
Committee

paid

*
Freemen
admittin

Balls
to be
paid
for by
the
Cham
berlain

Memorandum Orders that the Importing Merchants resident within the City of Liberties shall be from this date to account for the payment of Customs dues on Goods bona fide their own Acquisition properly and then not qualified by Law to be admitted former -

Commissioners Orderd that the Mayor Alder Wm. M. Boyd M. Rouse M. Schoales be a Committee to order Major Surveyors Valuations of the different properties of the Corporation to be made out and that they do report their Opinion the terms on which such respective properties should be let together with such other Observations as they may think necessary for the Interest of this Corporation -

Lease of the County house Orderd that a Lease for five years be made to John Dobie of the County house in pursuant under Covenants at an Annual rent of Ten Shillings p^{ann} p^{ann} from the first day of November that and that the Mayor do Sign and Affix the seal thereto -

Memorandum The Memorials of Edward Durbury Esq^r Bishop Secretary James Leases of the Bridge being produced Orderd that they be referred to the following Committee Alder Leake Alder Scott Alder Wm. S. M. M. Boyd M. Nicholson and that they do report their Opinion on them -

Memorandum The following persons proposed as Jurors Viz James M. Ganigal Clerk to Wm. Ellis John Wise Esq^r who served his term to Arthur Robinson North Samuel Jennings M. Esq^r Wallworth John Graham son to Colonel Graham Major Charles Gardner Brother in Law to Sir George Hill. Michl Stewart Surgeon George Smith who served his term to Wm. Lane Moore M^d Dr. J. Sedford Harney of the City of London his Son George Harney to be referred to the next Com^{mission} -

269 A Common Council held 8 December 1812

Present

John Curry Mayor

Thomas Scott Ald

Roger Murray

Thomas Kirby

Ald

Samuel Curry

Marcus Hale

Wm Scott

John Murray Sheriff

Thos Kennedy

Joseph Curry Chamberlain

Nicholson Covington

John Hart

Wm McCordlock

Wm Law

John Bond

John Oystart

Archd Boyd

Anders Knud

Burg

Andrew Ferguson

Wm Malshy

John Harry

John Nicholson

James Schoaler

The Mayor acquainted the Common Council that he conveyed them to a certain or what term the New Weight House of Crane should be

Order
Weight
£300

Ordered that there be paid for the new Weight House is to be let for to the Weightmaster Butler Taxer & Cranes that may be appointed by the Aldermen and shall take a Lease of the same during the term he continues in that office.

Amount
£45.10
to the
M^{rs} Mary
Mankels

Ordered that an sum of forty five pounds Ten shilling, be granted to M^{rs} Mary Mankels M^{rs} Alice Laythrop M^{rs} Letitia Mankels M^{rs} Rebecca Mankels & Elizabeth Mankels and the Survivors of them as a Compensation to them for the Surrender of the Office of Weightmaster

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Ordered that the petition proposed at Last Common Council by

Thomas

Lucas and Murray of the City of London Surgeon
George Murray his son, Ja^s M^r Gurrigal Clerk to W^m
Ollis John Friday who served his time to W^m Dothan
Robinson Samuel Livingstone Miller at Wallworth
John Graham Son to Rich^d Graham Major
Charles Gardner W^m Stewart Surgeon George
Smith who served his time to W^m Smith & Moore
be admitted freemen - pay 9 p^{er}
George W^m Dant the petitioner proposed as freeman
be refused to read Common Council

24th A Common Council held the 5th of February 1613

Present

John Curry Mayor	} Al ^o	} Sam ^l Curry	
Roger Mennay			} W ^m Scott
Thomas Seely			

Les George Hill Recorder

Ja ^s Gray	} Sher ^l having taken the Oath of Con ^{se} nt
John Ma ^r	

Joseph Curry Chamberlain

Debenham Comyngham

John Hart	}
Adam Schoale	
W ^m Kearnston	
W ^m Law	
John Bred	

John Dycast	}
Arch ^d Boye	
And ^r Nixon	
W ^m Machy	
John Harry	
John Nicholson	
Ja ^s Schoale	}
John Maginoff	

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that
 he Comyngham them to take into Consideration
 the State of the Bridge on the request of Ralph Comyn
 the Inhabitant

Ordered that M^r Nixon M^r Nicholson M^r Machy
 M^r Schoale M^r Dycast Doctor Maginoff Sheriff
 be a Comyngham to order such repairs as they
 think necessary

Ordered that the Mayor Sheriff be Comyngham to Consider
 Report what regulations should be an Act of Parliament
 would be Effectual to prevent Street Begging and any other
 such regulations to be transmitted to Sir George Hill
 for his Instructions to frame a Bill according thereto
 and to report the Reference of passing said Act of
 Parliament to Parliament to be passed for the prevention
 the Introduction of such a Bill and that the Mayor
 to put the seal thereto of the Chamberlain of the same

Comyngham
 Petition
 Resolutions
 Consideration
 Street
 Begging

Print
Charter

The Committee appointed to settle the Chamberlain's accounts, do report they have settled the same and that there is a balance of five shillings and twenty two pence due to the Chamberlain which is due by the Corporation to the Chamberlain. Ordered that the Mayor do perfect a Bond to the Chamberlain for the same.

David M
1763.6

Ordered that Mr Mool be paid £263.6 the amount of his account for Surveying Mapping & Valuing the lands of the Corporation.

Mc
Petition

The Memorial of Mr Corbet for the removal of the Potatoes that market being read ordered to be taken into consideration at a future day.

1764.2.6
Charter
Loan

Ordered that thirty Guineas be paid on aid of the Charitable Loan Annually.

Freeman
Petition
Days

Ordered that where Gillissey being proposed as a freeman do not to be taken into consideration next Com^o Council. Ordered that in future no freemen shall be made but on the two following days, viz first day of May & second day of November in each year.

Freeman

Ordered that George M Durd be admitted a freeman having pay.

Petition
of the
Bishops
of the
Protestant
Religion
in
consequence
of their
disapprobation
of the
Catholic
Board
and
to suggest
such
other
steps
to
be
taken
therein
as
shall
be
thought
proper
by
the
said
Board

Ordered that Petitions be proposed from the Body to the Prime Request the two houses of Parliament and the Duke of Richmond relation to the Petition now urged by the Roman Catholics of this Kingdom praying that special care might be taken that no injury shall be done to the Constitution of the Protestant Religion of the United Kingdom in consequence of their flame, and suppression of our disapprobation of the Catholic Board their interference with the exercise of the Election Franchise and to suggest such other steps to be taken thereunto as shall be thought proper by the said Board and that the Mayor Recorder the wife of M Boyd be allowed the same.

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 A Common Council held the 12th of July 1613
 Present

John Curry Mayor	Alders	} <table border="0"> <tr><td>Saml Curry</td></tr> <tr><td>Wm Scott</td></tr> </table>	Saml Curry	Wm Scott
Saml Curry				
Wm Scott				
Robert Murray				
Thomas Lecky				
Sir George T. Hild Recorder				
James Gregg } Sherif				
John Pitt } Sherif				
Joseph Curry Chamberlain				

Duckson Curry	Burgess	} <table border="0"> <tr><td>John Oystard</td></tr> <tr><td>Arch Boyd</td></tr> <tr><td>Andrew Nixon</td></tr> <tr><td>Wm Macky</td></tr> <tr><td>John Hearn</td></tr> <tr><td>Jas Schoole</td></tr> <tr><td>John Nicholson</td></tr> <tr><td>John Maginup</td></tr> </table>	John Oystard	Arch Boyd	Andrew Nixon	Wm Macky	John Hearn	Jas Schoole	John Nicholson	John Maginup
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Jas Schoole										
John Nicholson										
John Maginup										
John Hart										
Adam Schoole										
Alex Lecky										
Wm H. Ark										
Abel Major										
Wm Law										
John Bond										

The Mayor acquainted this Com^{on} Council
 that he conveyed them to receive the Report
 of the Committee appointed to prepare petitions
 to the Prince Regent & House of Parliament &c
 The ~~petition~~ ^{address} to the Prince Regent the Petition
 to the House of Lords Memorandum and the Address
 to his Grace the Duke of Richmond being
 ready approved of Orderd that the Mayor do
 put the seal to each and the Chamberlain
 do sign the same and insert them in our books
 and that they be published in such papers as the
 Committee may think proper

Ordered that Lord Londonderry be requested to present our petition to the House of Lords or should his Lordship be not in London, then the Marquess of Waterford but if absent that Sir George Hild be Authorised to deliver it for presentation to Whom he may think proper also that he will present our petition to the House of Commons —

Direct
to the
Honble
of Lords
Commons

Ordered that Mr Whiffing be paid £33.9.4 for the Seafarers to Limerick —

Mr Whiffing

Ordered that the Schedule of the Tolls of the markets be printed on boards and posted up at the different Markets to the City —

Tables of the
Markets



Ordered that Capt John Gillman be admitted a freeman —

Summit

A Common Council held the 20th Sept 1783

Present

John Curry Mayor	} Alder	Wm Alexander
Wm Lecky		Marcus Hile
Thos Lecky		Wm Scott
Thos Scott		

Geo George Hile Recorder

James Grogan Sheriff

John Pua

Joseph Curry Chamberlain

Duckson Curry Barr	} Burg ^{rs}	Amos Boyd
Wm M. Huntick		Benjamin
Wm Lecky		Amos Ferguson
Alex Major		Wm M. Lecky
John Bond		John Starry
John Cressat		John Maguire

The Mayor acquainted the Common Council that he
Curry with them to receive the report of the Comrs of the
Appointed to Value the Lands Houses &c belonging
to the Corporation -

The Report being received of Read -
Order that the Common Council do meet on
Thursday next to take the same into Consideration

Alta Comissio Council held on 23 Sept 1813 -

Present -

John Curry Mayor	} Mr	{	Wm Alexander
Wm Lecky			Marcus Hill
Thos Lecky			Wm Scott
Thos Scott			

Srs George Lile Recorder
 James Gray } Sheriff
 John Shea }

Joseph Curry Chamberlain

Robert Crisneghaan	} Barristers	{	Archd Boyd
Wm McLeskerh			Andew Ross
Alex Major			Andew Ingam
Alex Lecky			Wm Macky
John Ross			John Hanny
John Cysart			John Maginap

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he conveyed them to consider the Report of the Comrs of the District for valuing the Lands & Houses of this Corporation

Order that the Voters for flagging part of Church St & adjacent agreeable thereto

Order that the Chamberlain at next Common Council lay before them a Schedule containing the Gross amount of the Debt of this Body the Names of its Creditors distinguishing the sums due to each with the nature & date of their Securities including the orders of the Common Council and the respective ap. l. l. values of their Sums -

The Names of the Tenants of this Body description of their holdings the Term for which each Term is held and the amount of the Rent paid by each Tenant for each holding respectively -

Order that the following persons be appointed ap. l. l. for the valuing the Houses for taxing the City & suburbs for Land Tax & for valuing the Sums in the same agreeable to Act of Parliament -
 Barchmont -

David Covert	Bishop's Ward	Jas. Denton	Ferry Quay 1 st Ward
Wm Miller		Robt. Crossadler	
Wm Living		Thos. Parway	
Andr ^e Mack	Bulwer's Ward	Key & Thompson	Ferry Quay 2 nd Ward
Robt. Young		Wm Stewart	
Jas. Proctor		Sam ^l Lee	

James
Proctor

Wm Proctor by King's Late Lord Mayor Quelling George
 Street & Lewis Morgan late Sheriff of the City of London
 being proposed to be presented with their pardon
 Major Robt Campbell late of Lonsdale Militia Capt
 Edw Scott of St Pauls Church, Lieut Wm James
 Magistrate of the City being also proposed
 desired the same to be taken into Consideration and
 Consideration Council

At a Common Council held the 27 September 1703 218

Present

John Curry Mayor	} Also	Wm Alexander
Wm Lecky		Marcus Kile
Thos Lecky		Wm Scott
Thos Scott		

Mr George Kile Recorder
 James Grog Sheriff
 Thos Grog Chamberlain

Wm Wm Birmingham	} Burgesses	John Bristow
Wm M. Corbett		Andrew Boyd
Wm Lecky		Andrew Boyd
Wm Major		Ant. Ferguson
John Ferguson		Wm Macky
John Bond		John Massey
		John Nicholson

The Mayor acquainted the Common Council that the
 Council had them to take into consideration the report
 of the Committee appointed for valuing the Lands & Messuages
 of the Corporation

Ordered that said Committee be instructed to treat wth
 the different Tenants on the Value of Tenure proposed
 by the Committee to list to them respectively their
 different Holdings & to report the result ^{of the same}
 to the Common Council for their determination

Ordered that

David M^r be appointed Coroner for the Barony of Loughlinshillogh also James
 Hannial for the Barony of Coleraine

Freemen

Ordered that Abraham Bradley King Late Mayor of
 the City of Dublin being proposed for his freedom at last
 Common Council be admitted a freeman of this City
 and George M^r de dasky being Morgan late Sheriff of the
 City of Dublin Major Robt Comptroler of the Lennox
 Militia Captⁿ ~~Scott~~ Scott, M^r Rich^d Scott & Leimbond
 Wm James Maginess of the Wth Reg^t be admitted freemen
 of this City

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 A Common Council held the 2^d Novemb^r 1613

Present

John Cunningham
 Wm Litchy
 George Shipston
 Roger Murray
 Tho^s Lerby

Also

Thomas Scott
 Wm Alexander
 Marcus Hile
 Wm Scott

Sir George T Hile B^t Recorder

James Grey

John de^o Shuck

Joseph Curry Chamberlain

Dickson Cunningham
 Wm M^r Chertock
 Alex^r Peck
 Wm H. Peck
 Wm Lacy
 John Ferguson
 John Bond
 John Dygart

Barge

And^r Boyd
 And^r Ferguson
 Wm Muelly
~~James~~
 John Harvey
 John Nicholson
 James Schoals
 Wm Maginess

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council
 that in consequence of the new Order of the
 Lord Lieutenant's Privy Council he desired
 them to Elect a Mayor for the City of L^o Perry
 for one year commencing the 2^d of February
 the Sheriff for the City & County of L^o Perry for one year
 commencing the 2^d of February

Also
 the
 Mayor

Accordingly Marcus Saint Hile one of the Alder-
 men is elected Mayor of this City for one year commencing
 the 2^d of February, and Conolly Shipston one of the Alder-
 men is elected Sheriff for one year commencing
 the 2^d of February

Ordered that the Chamberlain do give a certificate of this Election to our Solicitor to lay the same before the said Lieutenant & King Council for their approbation

Ordered that John Curry is hereby elected Mayor of the City the Haberdashers for one year commencing 2^d February 1697 and John Grey John Pea Constables of the Staple for one year commencing the 2^d February next

Ordered that Alder Murray Alder Hill Alder Wm. Salt John Pender John Oye and the Committee be left to the Chamberlain account

Ordered that the Toll of the Bridgeway be left by publick Auction on Thursday 2^d Oct for one year commencing the first day of January next and at a rate to be set the Toll of the Market for one year commencing the 2^d Feb by the Bankers in Bank of Ireland Notes

Ordered that the Salaries be paid the same as last year of the Charities the same with the addition by Elizabeth Hale Anne Moore Harriack Levery Widew M Gadder Bridget Curry Widew Nicholson each one pound four teen shillings three Half pence

Ordered the Committee of Charities be continued the same as last year

The Mayor having requested this Court Council that Edward Moore Leonard Horne this Henry John Lee had been wth to be him as persons wth appointed at last by for the four Wards of this City to be a Committee for the Pipe Water pursuant to the Statute Ordered that Alder Scott Alder Scott Alder Mayors of the Haberdashers be a Committee in conjunction with the Alder to transact the business of the Pipe water

Ordered that the following be persons appointed scavengers for one year for George Hill for Beckett's ward, Shap Quay 1st Ward £20 Alder Scott for Bishop & Ward £100 James Scott for Ferry Quay 1st Ward £100

Ordered that the Ballast office continue the same as last year pursuant to the Statute

John Murray
the Haberdashers
the King
the Council
the Chamberlain

Alder of the
Bridgeway
1697

Charities

Committee
of Charities

Edward
Committee

scavengers

Ballast
office

1780
Shiriff
Shiriff
Curry
Solitor
Murray
Murray
Solitor
Shiriff
Curry

Shiriff Shuff Curry have having produced Evidence
of their having paid their Fth Orders that they
be paid their Salaries

Shiriff Murray & Curry having produced Evidence
that they had paid their Fth Orders that they
be paid their Salaries

Ordered that Mr. Murray our Solitor be paid
L 4. 15. 4 the amt of his Account

Free school
House
to be
taken
by
the
Trustees
of
Derry

Pursuant to a proposal from Sir George White on
the part of the Bishop of Derry and the Trustees
of the new School

Ordered that the old free school House premises
be taken at a Rent of Ten by private Sale by
Auction for two and that the Mayor do accept
and receive a Seal of the same on the part of
this Corporation

Ordered
to
Wright

Ordered that the Chamberlain to order Quercus
from Liverpool for the New Wigham and that
the same be carried and pay for the same

Alexander May Carpenter being proposed as freeman
Ordered to be taken into Consideration

John Curry Mayor	} Ald	Thomas Luby
Wm Luby		Wm Alexander
George Shipton		Marion Hill
Robert Murray		Wm Scott

Sen. George F. Hildes^r Recorder
James Gray Sheriff
John Allen
Joseph Curry Chamberlain

Dickson Grayham	} Burgess	Arch ^d Boyd
Wm M. Charlack		Wm Mackay
Adam Schoales		John Haring
Alex ^r Major		John Nicholas
John Ferguson		James Schoales
John Bond		
John Oyster		

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he assigned them to Ox in the Report of the Committee appointed for valuing the Houses Lands &c of this Corporation being read by

Your Committee beg leave to report that in pursuance of the resolution of the Common Council they have procured the different tenements the Estate of the Corporation in the City & Suburbs of Derry to be surveyed & numbered & to each map they have annexed a Schedule containing the name of the tenement of each lot, its actual value as ascertained by a Jury impanelled for the purpose of local taxation, the extent in acres, the Value your Committee have thought right, to lay upon each by the foot and the rate according to that value at which they recommend that Leases should be granted to the Tenants or Your Committee in forming this Valuation have been guided by the following considerations, in the first place the necessity in Common Justice of providing an ample and

Satisfactory security for the Debts due by the Corporation and next of enabling them to pay their necessary expenses and to make such improvements as may be necessary for the benefit of the City, convenience of Trade, and the comfort & advantage of the Inhabitants and consistent with these paramount objects they have wished to be as liberal as possible to the tenants who have built upon the Land of these Tenements. With respect to the Lands of the Corporation Your Committee are of Opinion ~~and of Opinion~~ that they should be let at a fair rent as between Landlord & tenant & with that View they have had them surveyed & Valued, and they consider the return made by Mr Colhoun (assisted by Mr M. Collins an intelligent man) of the Value of the Sheriff's Mountain as fair and reasonable & at which rents they w^d recommend the Corporation to grant leases of that part of their Property. They have also had the Town Parks surveyed & Valued & the returns made of them appear fair & just & they beg to refer to the several maps, schedules, and Valuations. Your Committee are of Opinion that Leases with necessary covenants should be granted according to these Valuations of the Tenements in the City & Suburbs for terms not exceeding 41 years and of the Lands in the Suburbs & the Sheriff's Mountain for 99 years and of the Town Parks for terms not exceeding 21 years & they beg to recommend that the lot of the Shore at the Ship Quay between the Wooden Wharf & Mr Wilson's Yard together with the Stone immediately adjoining should be expressly reserved to the Corporation in the Leases of the different tenements covering that lot.

Your Committee are of Opinion that with respect to the Drayage no permanent lease of it should be granted to any Individual but that it should be set up to Auction annually in the same manner as the Sells of the bridge and market are. With respect to the Perry burn Mr Milbourn says your committee have considered the Monies entered in the Corporation Books, by which it is engaged to grant on term of Ninety one years to the Tenant

upon the terms of his paying his proportion of any rise rent which
 might hereafter be imposed upon the Corporation by the Lord
 Society. Your Committee have considered themselves bound by that
 Article & have in consequence calculated the proportion of that
 rise rent to amount to the sum of £14... at which sum in
 addition to the present reserved rent of £240... & since they
 are of opinion that a Lease of fifty one years (leaving a residue
 of 10 years in the Corporation) should be granted to the Tenant
 with a covenant for the renewal for the residue of the Term
 of 91 years pursuant to the Minute provided the Corporation
 should be hereafter enabled to grant such renewal ~

284 The different Schedule of ^{of Valuation of Rent} the Houses on the Quay
& Wharfing being returned, Read Orderd that the
one fifth of the Valuation of the Houses on the Quay
be deducted from the Valuation and that Lease of
the said Tenements be Granted for the term of
fifty one Years to the different Holders, also that
one shilling per foot be deducted from the Valuation
of the Houses in Wharfing & Lease be Granted of
the same to the different Holders or Tenants for the
term of fifty one year

Resolved that the Street paved by the Late Alder Nathl. Alcock shall be repaired to his Executors since the Commencement of his Year from this Corporation

Resolved that the persons privileged by them paying Aliens dues by Order of Council 2^d Novem^r 1682 not being free men & required to take an Oath that the respective Goods valued by them on which they are relieved from paying Aliens dues on Bone Trade their own Individual property and are not indirectly or directly the property of any other Individual

Resolved that the following persons be a Committee by Alder W^m Lecky Alder Thos^s Dickson Ald^r Thos^s Scott M^r Nicholson M^r Murray & M^r Mackay to inquire into and ascertain the property of this Corporation in the City Suburbs Liberties and to report the same at next Com^{on} Council

Resolved that Sir George Aile Alder Aile & M^r Nicholson be a Committee to treat with Alder Sam^l Curry for a Lease for two of that piece of Ground or Plot on the opposite side of the new walk from the old Jail in the Garden as far as M^r Curry's property extends from his present yard Stone towards the Bridge and to report the same to the next Com^{on} Council

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 Present

John Curry Mayor	} abt	Wm Alexander
Wm Lecky		Wm S. M
Agnes Murray	} abt	
Thos Scott		
Wm Lecky		Sir George F. Kile R. Recorder
		James Greg Sheriff
		Joseph Curry Chamberlain
Deacon Combergham	} Burg	David Ferguson
Wm M. Christak		Wm M. Lecky
Wm H. Cook		John Murray
Abel Major		John Nicholson
John Bond		John Maguire
John Dyson		
Arch. Boyd		
Abel Lecky		
Wm Law		

The Mayor acquainted the Common-Council
 that he conveyed their agreement to the order
 of last Common Council

The Memorial of Mr. Blackwell being read
 Order that Alder Murray Alder Scott & Sheriff
 Greg be a Common to report on the same as
 next Common Council and no leave to be
 granted until they make their report

Order that a Dinner be taken in the
 provided by the Corporation on the 10th Instant the
 Anniversary of the shutting of the Gates of this City
 the year 1600 for the purpose of celebrating the late
 the Gate Glorious obtained for Europe by Great Britain
 and her Allies over the Tyrant of Europe and that
 the following be a Common to the Mayor Sir George
 Kile Alder Murray Alder Scott & the Sheriff

In virtue hereof to be conducted the same, and that the
Mayor be accompanied by the Corporation in City
Regalia do proceed at 2 o'clock of said day to lay
the first Stone of the New Court House, and
that ten Guineas be given to the Lieutenants of
Yeomanry Corps to treat them to drink together
that day And that each Yeoman with the town
Obed to live the Street be paid One Shilling British

non Almond
Clause in
the House
of the town
parish

Order that the ^{Clause} be made to the President Lieutenants
of the Corporation for the Town Parks a ~~non Almond~~
Allegation Clause be inserted, that the Lease
shall become void in case the Lieutenants
does not Obey by the same

M^r Davies
Comision

Order that M^r Davies the Widower of the late
Alm Davies be paid the pension of five pounds
usually granted to Aldermen Widows -

Freedom
in the City
Hon^{ble} John
Abbot in
a Gold
Box

Order that the freedom of this City be presented to the
Right Hon^{ble} John Abbot Speaker of the House of
Commons for his vigorous upright & Constitutional
conduct with a suitable address accompanied
with a Gold Box Value Twenty five Guineas and
that the following be Committed to prepare the
Address the Mayor Recorder Sheriff Greig and
that the Mayor do affix the Seal to the same

Leave the
Paragaph
of the City
for Greig

Order that a Leave of the Quayage at the present
Schedule be ~~made~~ granted to Lieut Colonel
David Leitch James Greig Sheriff for five Years
five pounds per year for seven years

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Marion Hill Mayor	} Alder	Thomas Scott
John Curry M ^r		W ^m Alexander
W ^m Lecky		W ^m Scott
Roger Murray		
	Let George Hill Recorder	
	Joseph Curry Chan ^r	

Dickson Cunningham	} Burg ^r	W ^m Macky
Alex Lecky		John Harry
W ^m H Ash		J ^{as} L Schaefer
John Bond		John Nicholson
John Byrass		John Maginess
John Byrass		
Arch Boyd		

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he conveyed them to take into consideration the present state of the Corporation & to adopt such measures as may be requisite to satisfy their Creditors

Committee
to communicate
with the
creditors

Ordered that the Recorder M^r Boyd M^r Bond M^r Nicholson & M^r Byrass be a Committee to communicate with the creditors of the Corporation to discharge to satisfy them of the State to be made all demands on & further to communicate to the Creditors the ~~condition~~ condition of the books

Signed in Common Council this day by the following creditors of the Corporation being members of this Body viz

Joseph Curry for his father's debt Jan ^r 1814	£0120
Alder Th ^{os} Scott	2450
Joseph Curry	2544

We the undersigned Members of the Common Council being read-
of the Corporation of Serjeants at Law hereinafter annexed
Having been perfectly satisfied of the Stability of the Corporation
funds & the Security they afford for the discharge of our debts are willing
and hereby offer to relinquish all priority of payment to which we
are now entitled by virtue of the several Writs of Execution issued
in our names and for our benefit provided the other Creditors will agree
to obtain from legal process for the recovery of their demands
it being our wish and intention that every Creditor of the
Corporation should stand upon the same fair and
equal footing and that the ~~same~~ ^{same} should not be impaired
by any additional unnecessary expense

and Ordered further that the said Common Council be empowered
to make such arrangement with the Sub-Sheriff
of London for their fees as said Common Council may
deem most prudent with the View to save to the
Common

29th A Common Council held the 12th Feby 1744

Present

Marcus S. Hill Mayor	} Alder	Thomas Scott
John Curry M ^r		W ^m Alexander
W ^m Lecky		W ^m Scott
Ague Murray		

Col George S. Hill Recorder
 Marcus M^r Casson Secy
 Joseph Curry Chamberlain

Richard Corringham	} Burgers	Andr ^e Nixon
Alex ^r Lecky		W ^m Mackay
W ^m H. Oak		John Harry
Alex ^r Major		James Schoales
John Broad		John Nicholas
John Cressat		John Maginup
And ^r Boye		

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he conveyed them to Observe the Report of the Commissioners appointed at last Common Council to Communicate with the Creditors on the Stability of the Funds of the Corporation -

Bishop
 Kennedy
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 attend

Ordered that agreeable to the Report of the Committee appointed on Philip Kennedy Memorial that the Chamberlain do pay him Twenty five pounds Sterly taking his receipt on file for the same

Order
 Dec^r by
 memorial
 not to
 attend

The Report of the Commissioners on Bodie^s Decker^s Memorial being read Ordered that the same be confirmed not to make him any Allowance on the same

M^r Nelson
 memorial
 brought

The memorial of M^r Nelson being read ordered the same be paid for the same

Committee
of the
House of
Commons

The Committee appointed to enquire into the Charitable
accounts, do report they have examined the same
and that there is a balance of £531. 0. 11^{1/2} due by
the Corporation to the Charitable on the 30th Dec last

29th Comm. Council held the 15 April 1804
Present.

Marcus & Nile Mayor	} Mr	Thomas Scott
Wm Lecky		Wm Scott
Roger Murray		
Thomas Lecky		
Sir George F Nile Recorder		
Marcus Wallace Land Sheriff		
Joseph Curry Chamberlain		
Dickson Coringham	} Burg.	Wm Mackay
Alon Lecky		John Nicholson
Alon Major		Jam. Scholes
John Bond		John Magness
John Ferguson		
Arch Boyd		
Arch Henderson		

The Mayor acquainted this Comm. Council
that he conveyed them to receive the Report of
the Committee appointed at last Comm. Council
to communicate with Mr Adamson respecting
the plan of a bridge for the Repairing of the Bridge

Report of the Bridge Committee -
Gentlemen

In Obedience to your order of last Comm. Council your Committee, mutually directed their attention
chiefly to the points contained in letter A. In order to arrange
together with the evidence and other documents called for
by your Committee for the Information of this body -
your Committee having called on Mr Chamberlain for a
return of No 1 in letter A recd from him a paper marked
the same return called for to No 2 to which he declined paper

marked C for the purpose of procuring the Information required by No 3 of paper A your Committee examined Mr James Adamson the Engineer very minutely and a minute of his evidence is in the proceedings of the Committee and an Estimate signed by him, quoted in explanation of No 4 of paper, marked A and an account was made out by one of your Committee (Mr Nicholson) which is marked B and which your Committee conceive very satisfactory — In considering the point contained in No 3 of paper A your Committee are of opinion that it would be for the Interest of the Corporation under all the Circumstances of the nature of the different Estates and the heavy pressure of the debt to which their Property is liable to accept of the sum of £40,000 for their Interest in the passage of the river by a Ferry — In consideration of No 6 of paper A your Committee are of opinion that altho the Passage of the river by Boat might produce as much larger net Profit annually the Ferry being now let at the Rate of £2,000 p annum than considering all the Expenses, or repairing and maintaining the Bridge would be received from the Bridge Toll, They wish to impress the minds of the Common Council that the Commercial Interest of the City and the lands Interest of the neighbouring Counties are too deeply concerned in the re-establishment of the Passage of the river by a Bridge to permit the body in their anxiety felt for the Public advantage to relinquish the object of restoring the Passage by a Bridge —

The point of Consideration in No 7 of paper A is explained in paper D before alluded to —

Your Committee have directed Mr Edmondson to furnish the Information required in No 8 of paper A which will require some time to execute, in considering No 9 of paper A your Committee went for and examined Chas Gallegos, Mr Robinson, Mr Lindsey, Mr W. Bond

and Mr John A. Smyth on the expediency of raising
 the Tolls and in what manner it might (if indispensable
 be had to do so, a minute of their evidence is annexed
 and your Committee are of opinion that if it can be
 avoided, no increase ought to be sought for, therefore
 that your Instructions to your Recorder in pursuance should
 be first to negotiate a sale with the Polish Government
 of your Interest in the passage of the River—Secondly
 to solicit a sum from them equal to the expence of repairing
 the Bridge, Thirdly in case an absolute grant cannot
 be obtained to solicit the sum necessary to perfect the
 repair, Interest free, to be repaid in such a period of
 time as may be stipulated for—Fourthly If a sale of
 Tolls should become necessary indispensable, your Committee
 recommend that the Instructions to the Recorder in that
 Point should be revised for a future Consideration
 Communication to be made to him by letter after he
 goes to London—Fifthly, your Committee presume
 strongly to recommend that your Recorder be instructed
 to obtain sufficient Legal authority for this Corporation
 to give Debentures of £100 and £50 each at an Interest
 of 6 per cent equal to the amount of their Debt Interest
 to be payable half yearly—Sixthly, that your
 Recorder be instructed to consult with the Magistrates
 of the City, and to introduce into any Act to be passed
 for the City of London, such Regulations, respecting
 Fairs, Market and Police, as they may in consultation
 with him advise, with reference to N^o 90 of papers
 your Committee beg leave to refer to their proceedings
 of Saturday the 9th of April 1840—With respect
 to N^o 44 of papers your Committee felt much diffi-
 culty in recommending to this Body that any additional
 sum should be borrowed from the circumstances
 in which their affairs appear to be at present placed
 and still more until it shall be ascertained what the

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will be afforded or what measures adopted by the Dock
Government. Your Committee for the present have
only availed themselves of the offer made by your
Chamberlain just referred to, which will furnish,
in the opinion of your Committee sufficient means
to prevent any delay towards carrying on the repairs
of the Bridge. Your Committee having given
their best attention to the duty referred to them, by leave
further to recommend with a view to the easiest and most
economical of executing the repairs to be made to the
(Bridge) that a Committee be empowered to advertise
for the supply of all materials and to conclude Bargains
for the same necessary to complete the said repairs,
and to adopt such mode as shall appear to them best
calculated to check all payments for material, workman-
-ship and wages (Signed)

Friday 10th April 1814
Saml. A. Hill in the Chair

John Scott
John Boyd
John Bond
John Nicholson

Bridge Committee met Saturday 9th April 1814
pursuant to adjournment

Present

Alamart S. Scott	Mr Nicholson
Mr Bond	Mr Boyd

Records in the Chair

In consequence of a communication with Mr Joseph
Cory Chamberlain, he has undertaken to order
timber sufficient to commence the repairs of the
Bridge, and to advance weekly wages to the extent
of two or three thousand Pounds for which he has
agreed to take the security of the Corporation to be
referred to him out of the first monies which
may be advanced by Government to the Corporation

Adjourned to 12 o'clock on Tuesday 12th Inst
Signed S. A. Hill Records

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to correspond with the Recorder on the subject of his
instructions contained in said report Concerning the
The Recorder Alder Tho^s Scott W^m Boyd W^m Bond
W^m Mackay & W^m Nicholson

Ordered that the Mayor Alder Lecky Alder Scott
W^m Boyd & W^m Ferguson & W^m Maguire &
a Committee to take into consideration the state
of our finances and to report at next Common
Council if any and what retrenchments should
be made in our Expenditures

300 A Common Council held the 10th of June 1814

Present

Marcus S. Miles Mayor	} No	} Wm Alexander
John Curry MS		
Wm Lecky		
Thomas Lecky		

Marcus M. Fairbank Sheriff		
Joseph Curry Chamberlain		
Dickson Cunningham	} Bays	} Wm. Mashey
John Hall		
Wm M. Harlock		
Wm Lecky		
Wm Lutz		
John Dwyer		
Arch Boyd		John Starving
		John Nicholson
		Jam. Schoales
		John Maginup

Resolved
That the
Commissioner
take with
the Recorder
respecting the
Toll in the
new act of
Parliament

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he forwarded them to take into Consideration some things relative to the Bridge

Ordered that the Bridge Committee be authorized to Communicate with Our Recorder and that the following ~~to~~ should be authorized to be seized if the same hereafter should be found necessary in the Bill he is prepared to bring into Parliament respecting our Bridge and at same time the Toll on the Parcels Besides Receipt ~~from~~ all those who pass over might Foot Carriages to pay three half pence each Carts & Drays with one Horse each to pay ten pence Dr. the drawn by two Horses to pay One shilling & four Wheeled Carriage drawn by two Horses to pay One shilling & six pence

Ordered that the Committee be authorized to Communicate to the Recorder that the Corporation

Will consent to take a Sum not less than ^{forty 300} ~~thirty~~ ~~thousand~~
Thousand pounds for their Interest in the Passage
provided he can negotiate and conclude a Bargain
with Government so that ~~the~~ and that the Government
shall agree at same time to keep up a permanent
Bridge and provide for the repairs thereof.

30th A Common Council held the 7th September 1784
Present

Marcus White Mayor	} Alder	Thos Scott
Wm Lecky		Wm Alexander
Thos Scott		Wm Scott
Thos Lecky		
Sir George White Recorder		
Joseph Curry Chamberlain		

Duchess Crisighan	} Burgess	John Pyeart
John Hart		Archd. Boyd
Wm Lecky		Wm Mackay
Wm Ash		John Stabury
Wm Murray		John Maynes
John Boyd		
John Ferguson		

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council
that he conveyed them to take into consideration
the Report of our Recorder respecting the repairing
the Bridge—

The Recorder having made his report with
respect to his obtaining the Act of Parliament
for the Bridge on a sum of fifteen thousand
pounds granted thereby—

Ordered that the Clerk be authorized to
draw the same from the Treasury of the land
the Order that Mr Boyd, Mr Boyd & Mr Nelson be
appointed a Committee to consider Report to be
made to the next Common Council the most efficient mode
of repairing the Bridge agreeable to the Act of
Parliament—

30th A Common Council held the 7 October 1844

Present

Marcus White Mayor	} Alder	} Mr Scott	
Wm Litchy			Wm Alexander
Roger Murray			Wm Scott
Thomas Litchy			
Lieut George F White Recorder Marcus Mauleland Sheriff Joseph Curry Chamberlain			
Decker Loringham	} Burg	} John Curran	
Alex Litchy			Richd Boyd
Alex Gearing			Wm Mackay
Alex Maffey			John Hobbins
Wm Shaw			John Kirkbride
John Bond			Geo Schoales
John Ferguson		John Maguire	

The Mayor acquainted the Common Council that he conveyed them to take into Consideration some important Business respecting the Deputation sent by the Irish Society of London to this City

Ordered that the Corporation do retain the Deputation from the Irish Society of London by Deputy Governor Nathl Saunders Secretary Nathl Wade Charles Foster John Thomas Thos Thomas Withshire at Dinner in the Hoop Room from this day

Ordered that Nathaniel Saunders Deputy Governor of the Irish Society John Thomas Thos Charles Foster Thomas Withshire be admitted Honorary Freeman of this City and that the Mayor do sign from satisfaction which the Corporation feel in having the Honor of receiving a Deputation from the Irish Society of London

* Order that George Horsey Mem^r of London M^r
 from ^{proposed} ~~by~~ Alexander Meik London Per^r John Holmworth
 M^r of W^m George Monarch ^{prop} per sig^r Professor Freeman
 do taken into Consideration and Com^r Council

A Common Council held the 19 October 1814

Present-

Marcus J. Hill Mayor	} Ald-	W ^m Ladbey
John Curry M ^r		Thomas Scott
W ^m Ladbey		Sam ^l Curry
Roger Murray		W ^m Scott

~~Joseph J. Hill~~

Joseph Curry Chamberlain

William Conringham	} Burg	Arch ^d Boyd
Adam Schoals		And ^r Price
Alm ^t Ladbey		W ^m Mackay
Alm ^t Major		John Kebley
John Benda		John Nicholson
John Doyant		J ^o Schoals

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he conveyed them an Important Business Relation to the Deputation of the Irish Society of London

A letter being read which was received by the Mayor from the Secretary to the Irish Society on the part of the deputation from the Society now in this City of which the following is a Copy

W^m Wade in the name of the Deputation has the honor to express the high satisfaction they have felt from the very frank and candid manner in which their communications of this morning was received by Alm^t Mayor and the Gentlemen who accompanied him at the Conference, and particularly for the very ready offer made by W^m Mayor to give the Deputation the inspection of all the Deeds, Seal

London Society requires to know
The Titles under which the Corporation claims
to hold the Premises possessed by them
under the Society —

also to inspect such Deeds, Leases,
Charters, and Grants as relate thereto —

also a statement and description of
such parts of the Premises as the
Corporation may here undertake,
the Tenor of the Demises, and the
annual Rents reserved.

more immediate object from a
committee on the part of the Society that the
Shores of the River belong of right to
the Society as well as the Lands of the
Sheriff's Phourstard —

of secondary nature and copy
of the same to the Society

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and parts belonging to such premises as they hold of the
Society. The Deputation have great pleasure
in complying with the request made at the Conclusion
of the Conference by now stating that their more im-
mediate object for the present is to request a Statement
in writing of the Tithes under which the Corporation
of Derry claim to hold the premises possessed by them
under the Society and the Inspection of such Deeds,
Leases, Tenures and Charters, as relate thereto and also a
statement and Description of such parts of the premises
as the Corporation may have unenclosed, the Sums of
the ^{same} and the annual Rents reserved. The Deputations
them it right to repeat that these enquiries and Requi-
sitions, are made by the express terms of their
Commission from the Society and from a Committee
on the part of the Society that among other things
the Thores of the River belong of right to the Society
as well as the Sands of the Shieriffs mountains, and
an impression that the Corporation of Derry may
have been in the practice of exercising some Dominion
and probably deriving some benefit profit from premises
which have not been granted to them by the Society.

The Deputation wish thus to confine their
enquiries in the first Instance to the matters which
formed the immediate Subject of the Conference this
morning and feel themselves called upon to express the
Expression of their opinion that the Society in the
due exercise of their rights will be disposed to show
that degree of Liberality towards the Corporation of
Londonderry and to the Individuals themselves
which will correspond with the spirit of Candour
which has hitherto so satisfactorily been manifested by
the respectable Body they have the Honor to address

Londonderry 18th Decr 1846

To the Mayor & Corporation
of Londonderry

308 Orders the Mayor Ald. Th. Stoll and John Curry
and the Recorder be authorized to sign by the
same which they by w. are follows -

To the Deputy Mayor & the other Members comprising
the Deputation of the Hon. the Irish Society

In compliance with your wishes as expressed in a letter born
of the bearing date the 18th Inst. We are authorized by
the Common Council of this City to make the following
communications - Our possessions on the Ship Quay
are held under the Lease marked N^o 1 and by virtue of
several Acts of Parliament Viz. 5th Geo 3 ca. 1. 7th Geo 3 ca. 1
11th Geo 3 ca. 4. - The Leases with their Subsons' mutations
and the Mills are held under Lease marked N^o 2 - out of this
Lease the Irish Society, in the renewal ^{which} they have agreed
to grant to the Corporation of Bury have occupied the Leases
held by the Lecky family.

The Farms are held under a lease marked N^o 3 and by
virtue of an Act of Parliament 30th Geo 3 ca. 31

The House of Correction is held under a Lease marked N^o 4
Lots of Ground occupied by the Houses of Chuggmen's widows
by the City Blue School, by the Bible Society house
and by the Charitable Repository are held by Lease
N^o 5 the renewals of which cannot be found; and
it is to be observed that those Lots have been
uniformly let by the Corporation for the above
charitable and humane purpose at a nominal
rent of ten Shillings per annum.

Agreements in the Cow Bog held by Lease No 6
the renewal of which cannot be found

With respect to the Sheriff's mountain the
Corporation of Derry have been in the uninterrupted
possession of it for a period of two hundred years and
upwards without any Lease of the same from the
Irish Society or any rent having been paid to
them or a part of it by this Corporation

A paper marked No 7 contains a Rent Roll of the
entire of the Corporation Estate as held under the
Society or otherwise in lands and Tenements on the
the first day of Nov last The Corporation are unable
to state with any degree of certainty what the probable
amount of the increased Rent may be, as they are yet in
treaty with their Tenants for a Renewal of their respective
Holdings, but they lament exceedingly that they will
be under the necessity of increasing their rents to a consid-
erable extent in order to meet the great additional
Demand made on the part of your Honble Body and to
provide for the payments of the Debts specified by this
Corporation in executing public works of the utmost
importance and benefit to this Settlement

and we by leave to submit to your Consideration the sub-
joined Statement of the Sums expended on these works

Maps of the Sheriff's mountain and the
Lands of Cernyburn Mills marked No 8

We by leave further to state that the Corporation
of Derry are only in possession of what has been handed
down to them by their predecessors from the most remote
period and they feel called on to declare that they are
not conscious of having exercised a Dominion over
any property granted to the Society to which the Corpo-
ration as representing the City of Derry are not entitled

That with respect to the Thores of the River they
are not in possession of any part of them or of what

is necessarily comprised in the grant of the Ship Duty
 That under the circumstances in which the
 Corporation is plac'd, loaded with a heavy Debt & man-
 by the Execution of great and important Publick works
 Solidly calculated for the benefit of this City, and of the
 Estate of the Society, the Corporation did hope that
 the Deputation of the Society, after having personally
 inspect'd those works and witness'd their Magnitude
 and Importance, would have recommended to the
 Society a Diminution of the great additional Rent
 demand'd by them, and which Demand the Corporation
 from a principal of Honor and Good Faith allow to
 their Creditors did accede to confirm by their Act of Coun-
 as communicated afterwards to the Society

That it is now with Surprise and regret the
 Corporation have receiv'd an intimation from
 the Deputation, that instead of the hope for
 Diminution of this Rent, it is in contemplation
 of the Society still further to diminish the Sums
 of the Corporation and the security on the Faith
 of which the Creditors have been induc'd to lend
 their money — For Statement of the Sums
 expended as refer'd to in the foregoing part of this
 Communication See the annex'd acct duly
 vouch'd by our by our Chamberlain to whom
 we beg leave to refer for any further Information
 you require respecting our Receipts or Expens'ds

Londonerry
 22nd Oct 1814

W. S. Hill
 Tho. Scott
 J. C. Curry

At a Common Council held the 2^d November 1677
Present

Marcus S. Hale Mayor	} Mr	Tho Scott
John Curry M ^r		Wm Alexander
Wm Lecky		Wm Scott
Roger Murray		
The S ^r ty		

County Shipton Staff
Joseph Corty Chamberlain

Nicholas Cuninghame	} Burg	John Ferguson
John Hart		Archd Boyd
Wm Nassie Wm Ash		Andew Rouse
Alex ^r Major		Andew Ferguson
Wm S ^r ty		Wm Mackay
John Bond		John Nicolson
John Cypert		James Choate
		John Maynard

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that on
 consequence of the new erecty Order of the Lord Lieutenant
 of Spring Council He conveyed them to elect a Mayor
 for the City of Londonderry for one year commencing
 the 2^d February and Sheriff for the City County of
 Londonderry for one year commencing the 2^d February
 Accordingly Marcus Sam^r Hale one of the Alder^{men}
 unanimously elected Mayor of the City of Derry for one
 year commencing the 2^d February and Samuel Curry Jun^r
 of Tristram Curry his son unanimously elected Sheriff
 of the City of Londonderry for one year commencing
 the 2^d February

Marcus
Hale
Mayor
Sam^r Curry
Tristram
Curry
Sheriff

Marcus Ordered that the Chamberlain do give a Certificat
 of the Election to our Solicitor to lay the same
 before the Lord Lieutenant's Privy Council for their
 approbation
 Marcus Ordered that Marcus S. Hale be elected Mayor of the Staple
 for one year commencing 2^d February and County Shipton & Marcus
 Corty be Sheriff of the Staple for one year commencing
 2^d of February

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Consent
to settle
Consent
meet

Ordered that M. Mayor, Ald. Murray, M. Cresswell & M. Maginor be a Committee to settle the Chamberlains account

Take the
Bridge
Market
to sell

Ordered that the Toll of the Bridge be sold by Auction on Thursday the 4th of December for one year commencing from the first of January from the tolls or profits for Carriage &c. also at same time the Toll of the Market for one year from 2^d February next shall payable Quarterly in Bank of Ireland notes —

Order
under
Committee

Ordered that the Salaries Pensionary Charities be paid the same as last year

The Mayor having acquainted the Common Council that no return having been received from the City appointing a Committee for the pipe water, Ordered that the Committee appointed last year for the four Wards do continue to act for the ensuing year agreed to be the Statute and that the Committee appointed last year by the Corporation for the pipe water be a Committee or Commission with the labor to transact the business of the Corporation works for the ensuing year —

Mayor
Surveyor
of the
Streets

Ordered that the Mayor be authorized to have the Surveying of the Streets as he may think proper for the ensuing year —

Order
of the
Committee

Ordered that the Ballast Office Committee do continue the same as last year pursuant to Statute

Order
of the
Committee

The report of the Committee on the Memorial of M^r Hugh Corbet Brother Pastors Chavres being read Ordered that a Lease of the Wharf house be given him as Mr. Heuridid, Treasurer of the Common and the said Lease to be formed by the following Committee with the Trustee the security of the property of this Body respecting practice to be the nature of the Tenure. The Order Ald. The Scott Ald. Murray Ald. J. M. Cresswell

Present
Present

Ordered that George Charles Harvey of the City of London
W^o Lester Abroad of London, Rev^d John Maberwick
Stephens M^r George M^r James M^r L^r admitted to the

Present
Present

Ordered that Mr^r Thomas W^o, Oliver John, Jas^r Murray,
John Alex^r Dur^r Sons of M^r John Brand, James
Thomson Macky W^o Rev^d Macky John Macky sons
of M^r W^o Macky W^o, John Mitchell, George Dwyer
Sons of M^r John Dwyer, John F. A. Gray who served
his term to M^r Arthur Robinson, Benj^r James Heath
& Gray Heath sons of Admiral Heath, M^r Hugh (son of
and James James his high honor's son) as
Katharine of the City of London

Present to be taken into consideration next
Council

3rd A Common Council Held 3rd 4th 1715

Present
Marcus J. Wile Mayor
J. M. S.
Wm Lecky
Thomas Lecky
The Scott

John Curry
Wm Alexander
Wm Scott
Sir George Wile Recorder
Saml Curry Junr Sheriff
Joshua Curry
Joseph Curry Chamberlain

Richard Cunningham
Adam Schoote
Alex Lecky
Wm Hammett Clerk
John Boyd
John Cysant

Wm R. Boyd
Wm Mackay
John Harny
John Withers

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he Commed them to take into Consideration some Important Business relation to the Bridge -

^{Chamberlain}
^{to borrow}
¹²⁰⁰⁰
^{and}
^{bridge}
Ordered that the Chamberlain be Authorized to Borrow the sum of two thousand pounds for the purpose of establishing an immediate passage over the Bridge and that the Mayor do affix the seal to the Bonds -

^{Report}
^{Common}
^{Chamberlain}
^{Accts}
The Commettee appointed to settle the Chamberlains Accounts do Report that they have settled the same and there is a Balance of three hundred and fifty pounds fifteen shillings three pence due by the Corporation to the Chamberlain on the 31st of December last -

At a Common Council held the 10th of April 1815. 315

Harriet Hill Mays	} Met	Thos Scott
Wm Lecky		John Curry
Thos Lecky		Wm Alexander
Reyn Murray		Wm Scott

Wm Sir George Hill Bart Member
 Saml Curry Jun^r Sheriff
 Joseph Curry Chartermain

Dickson Cunningham	} Burg ^s	Archd Boyd
Alex Lecky		Wm Ferguson
Wm H Aik		John Waring
Alex Mays		John Vitcher
John Bond		John Maginn
John Campbell		
John Ferguson		

The Mayor acquainted the Common Council that he conveyed them to receive the Report of the Bridge Committee

The Report of the Committee being received and Ordere^d that the same be entered in the Books by

Monday 10th April 1815

The Bridge Committee having met this 10th day of April 1815 and having fully considered the state of the Bridge, the repairs essential to its existence, and the means existing to defray the expenses have come to the following resolutions

1st That it will be the most economical mode of repair to make the ends of the Bridge solid to the extent of 10 feet on the Derry side and 15 on the Water side which will require a sum of about £3500

2nd That it will require a considerable

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Sum in addition to this to repair the remainder
of the old work, and in ten years at farthest it
will require a Sum altogether of (say) 20,000 £
to maintain the Bridge

2nd That in order to meet this expence, besides
whatever economic Reform in expediture can
be adopted by the Corporation which we strongly
recommend an application should be made to
Government to relinquish their percentage on
the Treasury advance, to the Irish Society, to
relinquish their demand of Rent, and to the Parlian
to add the Toll of one halppenny to each foot of passage

G. Pitt
Thos. Spott
A. Lloyd
John Bond
John Nicholson

Ordered that the following Salaries be reduced to the following Sums viz to commence the 2^d of July next.

Salaries	The Mayor	300
to be	Sweet Beans	20
reduced	Mace Beans	20

Ordered that the following Salaries Pension & Grants be discontinued from 2^d July next.

to be	The Sheriff
discont	Wm. C. C. Clerk to the Mayor
and	Irish Cash Paver

The Pension to the Widow of Deceased M^r M^r C^o C^o
 & the Grant to the Bishop of Derry for the new Free school - &

Ordered that the Pension of 60 shillings to Nover be suspended & continued but no more to be granted

At a Common Council held the 22 Sept 1688

Present
Marion J. Hill Mayor
Wm Lushy
George Shipton
Roger Murray

Also
The Lushy
The Scott
The Scott

Being George Hill & the Records

Dickson Livingston
John Hart
Adam Schoales
Alex Lushy
Wm W. Ash
Alley Major
Jno Bond
Cook Corp

Resolved

Domr Mackey
Jno Schoales
Jno Warney
Jno Nicholson
James Schoales
Jno Maginnis

The Chamberlain Mr Joseph Cunn being absent on a necessary occasion, Mr Jno Schoales was elected to serve the office of deputy Chamberlain for this day

Wm W. Ash
Jno Bond
Cook Corp

The Mayor, informed the Common Council that he had convened them for the purpose of electing an Alderman in the Room of the late Samuel Cunn Esq^r

Wm W. Ash Esq^r was proposed as Alderman by Domr Wm Lushy, and seconded by Alon^o Shipton. And the question being put, he was unanimously elected

Committee
to frame
a case
to be laid
before the
Attorney
General

It was moved that and seconded, that, Alon^o Scott Alon^o Murray and Mr Jno Schoales be appointed a Committee to frame a case to be laid before the Attorney General, on the power of a magistrate of the County of Derry to issue a warrant for an offence stated to be committed in the City and Liberties of Derry

It was moved that the consideration of the above

Resolution be postponed to the next Common Council,
which resolution passed in the negative —

The original resolution was then put and carried —
adjourned M. S. Will Mayor
The Schoales Dep^t Chamberlain

At a Common Council held the 13th Oct^r 1815

President

Macus S. Hill Major
and Mr J
Wm Lecky
Ged. Highton
Roger Murray
Thos Lecky

Almon { Thos Scott
Jm Curry
Wm Alexander
Wm Scott
Wm Hask

Jm Geo S. Hill Esq^r Recorder
Samuel Curry } Sheriffs
Friston Cary }
Joseph Curry Chamberlain

Dickson Coningham
John Thirt
Alex Lecky
Alex Young
Adam Schoales
Wm Patterson
Alex Major
Wm Law
John Bond
John Dyart

Burgesses { John Ferguson
Ande Doye
Ande Knox
Ande Ferguson
Wm Macky
John Schoales
John Darrow
John Nicholson
Samuel Schoales
John Maginnis

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he convened them for the purpose of electing a Capital Burgess in the room of Wm Hask elected an Alderman

And Burgess

Mr Jm^r Nea having been proposed and Mr Jm Coningham having also been proposed

the Poll was demanded and the Common Council consisting of the members as above set forth

follows — For Mr John Nea
John Maginnis, John Bond, Friston Cary, M. S. Hill,
Wm Macky, Wm Law, Thos Curry,
Ande Ferguson, Alex Major, Thos S. Hill,
Ande Knox, Alex Young, Wm Alexander,
John Ferguson, Joseph Curry, John Curry,
John Dyart

and the following members of the Common Council
 voted for Mr John Coringham vid
 James Schoales, ^{John Lecky,}
 John Nicholson, ^{John Lecky,} Roger Munay
 Mr Haney, ^{Dickson Coringham,} George Ship
 Mr Schoales, ^{Wm de Ash,} Wm Lecky
 Capt. Begg, ^{Wm Scott,}
 Wm Patterson, ^{The Scott,}
 Adam Schoales, ^{The Lecky,}

John dea ^{de}
 dea a
 Capital
 Dugge

and the Poll being therefore cast up and it
 appearing that the numbers equal being
 Seventeen each, the Mayor declared Mr
 John dea duly elected

Common Council adjourned

John Maynes	1
James Schoales	1
John Nicholson	1
John Harvey	1
John Schoales	1
Wm. Mackay	1
And ^r Ferguson	1
And ^r de Thoma	1
And ^r Boyd	1
John Ferguson	1
John Oycard	1
John Bond	1
Wm. Law	1
Alex ^r Major	1
Wm. Galtison	1
Adam Schoales	1
Alex ^r Young	1
Alex ^r Leithly	1
Wm. M ^r Harkness	1
John Ward	1
Richard Cunningham	1
Joseph Curry	1
James Curry	1
James Curry	1
Lu ^y Kille	1
Wm. H. Dick	1
Wm. Scott	1
Wm. Alexander	1
John Curry	1
Th ^r J. S. M.	1
Th ^r Leithly	1
Major Murray	1
Georg. M ^r H ^r M ^r	1
Wm. Leithly	1
Major	1

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2nd of February next. According to ...

A Common Council held the 2^d Nov^r 1815^o present

Marcus S Hill Mayor	} Aldermen	Tho ^s Scott
and Mr S		John Curry
Wm Lecky		Wm Alexander
George C Shipton		Wm Scott
Roger Murray		Wm Hamilton Esq
Tho Lecky		

Sir George Hill Bart Recorder
 Samuel Curry Sheriff
 Jo Sept^r Curry Chamberlain

Dickson: Cuninghame	} Burgesses	John Ferguson
John Mack		Arch ^d Boyd
Alw ^d Lecky		Arch ^d Ferguson
Adam Schoales		Wm Macky
Alw ^d Major		John Harvey
John Bond		John Nicholson
John Deput		James Schoales
		John Maginnis

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that in consequence of the new Rules and orders of the Lord Lieutenant and Privy Council, he convened them to elect a Mayor for the City of Londonderry for one year, commencing the 2^d of January next, and Sheriffs for the City and County of Londonderry for one year commencing the 2^d of February next. Accordingly Wm Alexander one of the Aldermen is unanimously elected

Wm. Abenden
Mayor

John McEntosh
Mayor
The E. Moody
Sheriff

Mayor of the City of London for one year
commencing the 2nd of July next and John
McEntosh Murray and Tho^s Parkinson
Kendry are unanimously elected Sheriffs
of the City and County of London for one
year commencing the 2nd of February next.

Ordered, that the Chamberlain
do give a Certificate of the Election to our
Solicitor to lay the same before the Lord
Lieutenant and privy Council for their
approbation

Marcus Still
Mayor of the
Staple
Saml. Cury
Constable of
the Staple

Ordered, that Marcus Still be elected
Mayor of the Staple for one year commencing
the 2nd of July next, and Samuel Cury
and Thomas Cury Constables of the Staple
for one year commencing 2nd of July next.

Committee to
settle
the Chamberlain
accts

Ordered, that the Mayor, Tho^s Murray
W^m Dyar and W^m Maginniss be a
Committee to settle the Chamberlain's
accts

Toll of the
Bridges
Marked

Ordered, that the Toll of the Bridges be
let by Auction on Thursday the 1st of Dec^r
for one year commencing from the
1st of Jan^y next, Rent to be paid in
Bank of Ireland Notes, Monthly, and
at same time the Toll of the Market
for one year, from the 2nd of July next
Rent payable quarterly in Bank of
Ireland Notes

Ordered That the Salaries, Pensions and Charities be paid the same as last year

The Mayor having acquainted this Common Council that John Atcherson Smyth, Francis Thomas, Wm Buchanan, and John Lee had been returned to him as persons appointed at Vestry for the four wards of this City to be a Committee for Pipe Water pursuant to Statute Ordered, that the Committee for the Pipe Water for last year, be a Committee in conjunction with the above to transact the business of the Pipe Water

Ordered, That the following ~~part~~ ^{part} be appointed Suckling of the Streets ~~to be regulated as last year~~ ^{to be regulated as last year} The Mayor having power of employing men for that purpose

Ordered, that the Committee for the Ballast office for the last year be continued for the ensuing year

Ordered that the Bridge Committee for the last year be continued

The Mayor acquainted the Common Council that he has contracted with Charles Gallagher for lighting the Lamps of the City at one pound five Shillings for each lamp Ordered, that the Expence of all new Lamps and repairs to be appled on the City and Suburbs in the Lamp tax

Ordered, that the Solicitor do give notice in the
 Daily Journal to the Tenants of the Corporation
 that unless they come in and take out Leases
 according to the Rent laid upon the different Ten-
 on or before the 1st day of July next that the
 Holdings of those that neglect so to do will be set
 up and let to the highest Bidder

Ordered that the Law Agent of the Corporation
 shall take the opinion of the Recorder and such
 other Legal opinions as the Recorder shall deem
 necessary relative to the Titles of the Corporation
 to the Sheriffs Mountain and to the Claim
 of the Irish Society to inspect the Common
 Council Book

This follows the
 memorial

Read a memorial from Charles Gallagh
 praying to be remunerated for his attendance
 at the Ferry after the breaking down of the
 Bridge

Ordered that the said memorial be
 referred to the Bridge Committee for their
 report — and also another Memorial
 from same person in which he prays
 for payment of a Bill of Costs incurred for
 prosecuting the Bridge Notes

Comm. the
 Tenants
 Lease of the
 County House

Ordered, that Messrs Mayor and Mr Doig
 are hereby appointed a Committee to make an
 agreement for the Lease of the County House
 in Pump Street with such person or persons as
 they shall deem fit or proper to keep the same
 as an Hotel and House for the accommodation of the

Judges and Grants pay at a Rent of one thousand Pounds with such covenants as they shall deem necessary

Roger Galvins memorial

Ordered, that Roger Galvins Memorial being read be referred to the Bridge Committee

Freemans list

* The following persons being proposed as
 Freeman George Schoobles Smith Drogheda,
 Wm Graham and John Graham sons of Wm
 Graham, Wm Stuen, Wm Bondsonly, Wm
 Miller, Rev Wm Phelan, Rev Hamilton Stuart,
 Sam Barkley son of In^o Barkley, Valentine
 Walker son of Rob^t Walker Thaban, James +
 Dysart Murch, James Mackay Atetudon Lyle,
 Wm McClintock Murch Major Wm Piddall,
 Captⁿ George Le Fet, Rev George Mashell
 Donagh, Rob^t Wm Boyd Captⁿ Rodney Shannon,
 Lieut Hugh Shannon Jun^r, Sons of the late
 John Shannon — Ordered, that they be taken
 into consideration next Common Council

Ordered that the opinion of the Attorney General relative to justices of the Peace acting as Magistrates within the City and Liberties be taken care of with the Record of this Corporation

Wm Davenport
James McKeever
memorial

The Memorial of Wm Davenport and James McKeever being read respecting Leases being granted; ordered that the same be referred to the Recorder and Solicitor

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At a Common Council held 30th Jan^y 1816 present

Thomas Still Mayor
and do S
Wm Lecky
Thos Lecky
Thos Scott

Stamens

John Cury
Wm Alexander
Wm Scott
Wm Hamilton Esq

Surgens Still Bar Records
Joseph Cury Chamberlain

Dickson Cunningham
John Grant
Wm M'Gavin
Wm Saw
John Bond
John Dymond
Wm's Boyd

Burgesses

Andr Knox
Andr Ferguson
Wm Macky
John Murray
John Nicholson
James Schorles
John Maginnis

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he convened them to discuss a Capital Burgess in the room of Wm's Esq; accordingly Mr Dickson Cunningham having taken the oath and signed the Declaration was sworn in to office of Burgess of this Corporation

Ordered, that Major Graves of the 72nd Regt be admitted an honorary Freeman and that the Mayor be directed to transmit to him a ticket of the same

Ordered, that the Mayor Wm's Scott & John Cury be a Committee to draw up a Memorial to be presented to the Treasury by our Records setting forth the hardships of the new Stamp Duty that has been imposed upon the election of Freemen and paying the same may be reduced so far as relates to the Capital

Ordered, that Miss Brown's Memorial regarding that she & Wm's be admitted a tenant to this Corporation for their kids - Ordered that her couple for a Tenant for the same

Major Graves
72nd Regt
James Grant
John Grant
Freeman

Miss Brown
Wm's

Right Constables, & that the Right Constables shall have their
Salaries ^{increased} ~~increased~~ ^{to} 6 p^{er} year each

Common Council adjourned

At a Common Council held the 30 Oct 1786 present

William Alexander Major	} Elements	Thos Scott
Marcus White		John Cury
William Lacey		William Scott
George Chipton		William D Ash

Wth Honble Mr George White Sec^y Recorder.
 Jo^{seph} Cury Chamberlain

Dickson Cunningham	} Burgesses	Arch ^d Boyd
Alexander Lacey		And ^{ro} Boyd
Adam Schoales		And ^{ro} Ferguson
Alexander Major		Wm Mackay
John Bond		John Murray
John Dewart		John Nicholson
John Ferguson		James Schoales
		John Cunningham

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he convened it for the purpose of electing a Capital Burgess in the room of the late John Hart. ^{Wm Boyd elected Burgess} And accordingly Wm Boyd Esq^r was unanimously elected Burgess. Ordered, That Sicut Henry Wallintock Esq^r Son of Wm Wallintock be admitted a Freeman and that George Kinsley Dalrymple James Boyle Dalrymple and Richard Dalrymple be admitted Freemen.

Ordered, that Messrs William Scott Esq^r Hill Committee and Mr Nicholson be a Committee to draw up ^{to present and} an address to Lord Eymouth congratulating him ^{on his Victory at Algiers}

Ordered, that Comdly Chipton & Marcus Chamberlain Sheriffs having produced the receipts of their having paid their tolls, be paid their Salaries

Ordered, on the Report of the Bridge Committee on Chas^d
 the Gallaghers Memorial for taking care of the Bridge and collecting
 the money; that he be paid the sum of eighty pounds for
 all his claims

Ordered, on the Report of the above Committee on Peter
 Agard's Memorial Petition for his loss on the Towns Customs, that
 he be paid the sum of Twenty Guineas.

Ordered, that the Fine of four Marks imposed at the
 Sessions on John Dingley be remitted on account of his poverty
 and long confinement in jail

Ordered, that Wm^d Huffington be paid his cost for
 cloathing the Sergeants £198. 12. 10

Ordered, that Mr Thompson be paid the sum of his
 cost £54. 19. 04 for cloathing the Sergeants for 1816

Ordered, that Mr John Cunningham Mr Dycar
 and Mr Mackay be a Committee to superintend the
 lighting the Lamps and receive Complaints and report
 the same to the Mayor

The Mayor acquainted the Common Council that the
 Committee had agreed with Chas^d Gallagher for lighting the Lamps
 of the City at 206 for a Lamp

Ordered, that James Will Mr Boyd and Mr Nicholas
 be a Committee to superintend the sweeping the
 Streets and report at the next Common Council

Ordered, that Adm^r Lecky Mr Schoales Adm^r
 Mr Ferguson be a Committee to report on
 Mr Davys and Mr Davports Memorial

Common Council adjourned

At a Common Council Held the 2nd Nov^r 1816 present

Wm Alexander Major
Marcus Hill M^r Alderman
Wm Lecky
George Clapton

John Murray
Wm Scott
Wm Hammett & Co

John Murray Sheriff
Joseph Cunn Chamberlain

Adam Charles
Wm Peterson
Alex^r Major
Wm Lewis
John Bond
John Dupont
John Ferguson

Arch^d Boyd
Geo^d Ferguson
Wm Mackay
John Harvey
John Nicholson
James Schoales
John Murrin
John Cunningham

The Major acquainted this Common Council that according to the new rules and orders of the Lord Lieutenant and Privy Council he convened them for the purpose of electing a Mayor for the City of London for one year to commence the 2nd Feb^r next and Sheriffs for the City and County of London for one year to commence the 2nd Feb^r next accordingly Wm Alexander one of the Aldermen was elected Mayor of the City of London for one year commencing the 2nd of Feb^r next and Wm James Major and Wm Mackay were elected Sheriffs for the City and County of London for one year commencing the 2nd Feb^r next

Mayor and Sheriffs elected

Ordered that the Chamberlain do give a Certificate of this Election to the Solicitor to lay the same

certificate of election

By the Lord Lieutenant and Privy Council for their
Approbation

Ordered, that Wm. Chapman be elected Mayor of the
City of Exeter for one year commencing the 2^d of the next month
and that John Murray and Tho^s P. Hervey be elected Constables
of the Staple for one year commencing 2^d of the next month

Ordered, that the Mayor, Clerks, Minors, Mr^r Dyball
to settle the Chamberlains
Accts Chamberlains Accts

Ordered that the Toll of the Bridge be let by Auction
the Bridge on Thursday the 5th December next for one year commencing
and Market the 1st of the next year and at the same time the Toll of the
Market for one year commencing 2^d of the next month

Ordered, that the Salaries, Charities and Pensions
be paid agreeable to the orders of the Common Council
of the 10th April 1845

The Mayor having acquainted this Common Council
that no return had been made to him from the Vestry
appointing a Committee for the Pipe Water agreeable to
the Statute, Ordered, that the Committee appointed last
year be continued for the ensuing year

Ordered, that the Committee appointed last year
for the Ballast office be continued for the ensuing
Year

Ordered that the Bridge Committee of this year
be continued for the ensuing year

The Report produced by the Committee appointed at
last Common Council to draw up and send to
His Majesty's High Court of Exchequer, Ordered that the Mayor
do forward the same and that it be copied into the
minutes

Ordered that Mr^r Dyball be paid the Expense of repairing
the gate leading into Castle Lane in the sum of £23, 10, 0

Common Council adjourned

My Lord,
 At the Conclusion of a war immortal in
 British Annals for the Brilliancy of its naval
 achievements; we with peculiar Satisfaction
 Congratulate you on an exploit, whose only and avowed
 Subject was the rescue of Suffering Humanity.

The Conquest of Algiers has stamped an un-
 perishable name on your Lordships Character,
 whether we consider the cause for which it was
 undertaken, the judgment with which it was
 planned or the gallantry with which it was
 executed.

Permit us therefore to add our mite of
 approbation to the well earned gratitude of
applauding Europe.

In the early part of your Lordships life you
 resided in our City, we then esteemed you, as a man,
 we respected you as a Gentleman, and we gave the most
 decisive proof of our attachment by enrolling you amongst
 our Citizens and now it contributes, not a little to
 our pleasure and our pride that in congratulating
 the Commander whose promptitude and conduct
 broke the fetters of Slavery, we address the man
 of London.

Right Hon^{ble} Lord Viscount Lynmouth
Admiralty Office
London

My Lord, It is with sincere pleasure that I have the honor to forward to your Lordship the enclosed address unanimously voted to you by the Corporation of London, and I feel particularly happy that it should have fallen to my lot to do so as it gives me an opportunity of individually congratulating you on the great success of your public Service, which deserves and must call forth the grateful thanks of every honest heart.

I have the honor to be my Lord your
Lordship's most Obedt ^{Serv^t}

Wm Alexander

Wm Alexander Esq^r
Mayor of London

Tigermouth 13th Nov 1766

Sir, I have had the honor to receive your letter of the 2nd Inst conveying to me in the most flattering manner an address unanimously voted to me by the Corporation of London in approbation of my Services before Algiers.

I request you will do me the favour to convey to this respectable body of my Countrymen my warmest sentiments of gratitude for the very kind manner in which they have been pleased to appreciate my humble Services on this occasion; next to the approbation of my Sovereign

the applause of my Countrymen is the most gratifying reward
I could receive for any act of Public duty, and it is highly satisfactory
to me thus to be hailed by my fellow Citizens of the Loyal
City of London.

I must request your acceptance of my best
acknowledgements for the very handsome manner in which
you have made this communication as also for your individual
congratulations.

I have the Honor to be, with sentiments
of esteem & regard

Sir

Your most Obedt^d

Humble Serv^t

Cymouth

A Common Council held the 20th Nov^r 1748

Present

Wm Alexander Mayor	} Aldermen	} The Mayor	
Moses Stille M ^r S			Wm Gato
William Lecky			Wm Blomfield

Wth Hon^{ble} Sir George Stille Bart Recorder
 John Murray Sheriff
 Joseph Curry Chamberlain

Alex ^r Lecky	} Burgesses	} And ^r Burgesses	
Adam Schoales			Wm Mackay
John Bond			John Stacey
John Doynt			John Nicholson
Arch ^d Boyd			John Maginnis
And ^r Kny			Wm Doyntson & Co ^{rs} Com ^r

State of
 Poor

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he desired them to take into consideration the state of the Poor —

It was in Order, that Twenty Fifty Pound debentures be Debentured & recited and issued to such persons as may choose of Fifty Pounds purchase the same, the Am^t or the Debentures each to themselves to be handed by way of Loan into the hands of the Committee of Citizens (consisting of fifteen if they should prefer the Debentures) appointed at a Common Hall on Friday the 15th of Nov^r for the purpose of applying all money subscribed for the same gratuitously or by way of Loan to provide for the relief of the poor during the ensuing year.

It was also in Order, that beside the Interest the Corporation will make good to the said Committee of fifteen any loss which may arise from the sale of the Markets, upon the articles

for the purchase of which they shall apply the
Amount of said Debentures — — — — —

Common Council adjourned

At a Common Council held 15th March 1817 Present

W ^m Alexander Mayor	} Aldermen	} Tho ^s Scott	
George Sam ^l Tibble M ^r			John Curry
Thomas Lecky			W ^m Scott

James Major	} Supp ^{ts} and committee in Council
Rich ^d Denny	

Joseph Curry Chamberlain

Dickson Cunningham	} Judges	} John Denny	
Alexander Lecky			John Nicholson
John Bond			James Schales
John Dyseret			John Maginnis
Arch ^d Boyd			John Cunningham
And ^w Ferguson			William Boyd

W^m Mackey

* The Mayor acquainted this Common Council
 that he comend them to address the Lord Lieutenant
 on his recovery and to present his Excellency and
 Mr Beil with their thanks of this City
 The following address to the Lord Lieutenant
 being read & approved, the same is hereby approved
 and that the same be presented by our representatives
 whenever Sir George will in a God by

To his Excellency Charles Earl
 Whitworth Lord Lieutenant General
 and General Governor of Ireland

We the Mayor, Commonalty and
 Citizens of the City of Londonderry in

Common Council assembled, by leave to present
to your Excellency the tribute of our Duty & respect

Long ere your Excellency was nominated to
your present exalted Situation your Fame had
reached us, and we could not but feel proud at
recognising in the History of Ireland the Man
whose dignified firmness had rebuked the rude
Violence of the Despot of France even when surrounded
by the Satellites of his Usurpation

Our experience of three eventful years has since
fully proved to us the wisdom which dictated the
Selection of your Excellency for the important
Station you have filled in this Kingdom, in which
you have tempered Dignity with Condescension,
firmness with urbanity, and Firmness with
Justice

Under these Impressions as an humble
but sincere appreciation of your Excellency's
eminent Services ^{we hope} the Honor of being permitted
to enroll the name of Whitworth among the
Gentlemen of Lordborough

We by leave to offer our Congratulations
on the restoration of your Health and our sincere
hope that the Government of Ireland may long
remain in the Hands of your Excellency and
when it shall be your convenience to retire from
the arduous Duties of Public Life, may Providence
permit you long to remain, an ornament to
Society and an Honor to your Country

Signed & Sealed this nineteenth day of March
One thousand eight hundred and seven

Wm Alexander Mayor

The following address to the Wth Hon^{ble} Robert Peel being read and approved of by order, that the same be presented by our Representative & Recorder Sir George Hall in a Gold Box

To the Wth Hon^{ble} Robert Peel Chief Secretary for Ireland

Sir,
We the Mayor, Commonalty and Citizens of the City of London in Common Council assembled, impelled with a due sense of your regard for the general welfare of Ireland, which a series of distinguished Expositions, directed by the purest motives and aided by Splendid Talents, have earned, by leave to tender you our deep Gratitude and Esteem

We wish not to raise the happy Demagogue or the seditious violators of the Laws from the oblivion to which public contempt has so justly consigned them, but to hail with heart-felt approbation the honest able and successful advocate of Liberty, and the unshinking supporter of that Constitution which our Ancestors purchased with their Blood - and which we are determined to transmit unimpaired to our Posterity

In token of which approbation, Respect Gratitude and Esteem - permitted to present you with the Freedom of the City of London Signed and sealed this nineteenth day of March in the thousand eight hundred and four

Wm. Alexander Mayor

Wm. Buggin
 Order, that Wm. Buggin be paid ^{38. 11. 4}
 being the amt of his amt for the Tyrants
 Cloathes

* Order, that Hamilton Maginnis and
 Chas Maginnis sons of Dr Maginnis
 be proposed Rectors

Præmises
 Order, that George Alexander Wm Stuart
 Alexander sons of the Bishop of Down
 Jocelin Waller of Dublin Esq. George Lyon
 Merchant Esq. Delap. Merchant John Buggin
 Merchant Esq. Esq. be proposed
 next Common Council

Order, that our Solicitor be directed
 forthwith enforce the taking out their Leases
 by those who do not be reported at next Common
 Council.

Order, that the Corporation to subscribe
 for 25 Copies of, Deviana

Common Council adjourned

At a Common Council held 19th June 1817

Present

Wm Alexander Mayor	} Deacons	Thos Scott
Marcus Hill M.D.		John Cunn
Wm Lecky		Wm Scott
Thos Lecky		Wm Hamilton Esq

Richd Harvey Sheriff
Joseph Cunn Chamberlain

Dickson Cunningham	} Burgesses	And ^r Lygon
Alex Lecky		Wm Mackay
Adam Schrales		John Nichol
John Bond		John Majumdar
John Duffart		John Cunningham
Edw Boy		

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he commended them to take every consideration a letter read from Sir George Hill our Recorder respecting our Property devised from the Irish Society of London

The following letter being read and approved of (to the Honble Irish Society) Ordered, that the same be forwarded to our Record Sir George Hill to deliver the same to the Society

To the Double Jurors and Assistants
of the new Plantation of Ulster in
Ireland

We the Mayor, Community
and Citizens of Londonderry in Common
Council assembled, by leave to state to
your Honors, that a Verbal Communica-
tion has lately been made to a part of
our Bay by John Claudius Dinsford Esq^r
your Honors General Agent, relative to certain
Demands on your behalf of parts of our Property
That at the time the said Communication
was made, we were not able to collect a
Sufficient number of members to form a
Common Council, and that if we had been
enabled so to do, we could not have given
an Answer under our Circumstances upon
these important Subjects, without due
Deliberation, and without having those
Demands particularly specified in writing
— We by leave respectfully to state to
your Honors that we are anxious to
give every Information in our power
and to make a candid reply to whatever
Communication in writing your Honors

Body may think proper to make upon
 the subject, and if you would be pleased to
 deliver that Communication to our Recorder
 the Rt Honble Sir George Stuyvesant, White
 Hall, now in London - That we will
 give him Instructions and authority to make
 what we think will be satisfactory answers
 to your Demands on each and every point
 - In testimony whereof we have
 hereunto affixed our Seal this
 nineteenth day of June 1717 -

Signed by order,
 Joseph Cuming
 Chamberlain

The following letter to our member Mr Double
Sir George Willbury read and approved —
Ordered, the same be forwarded to him by your
Major

Private

S. Dury 19th June 1817

Sir, We now enclose you a letter to
Double the Irish Society, in pursuance
of your recommendation. We think it necessary
to state to you particularly the demands
contained in the verbal communication
lately made to a part of our body by John
Clausius Conesford Esq on the part of the
Irish Society. Those Demands were the un-
conditional surrender of "the Sheriff's Mountain
of all the Tenements round the City Wall
on the outside to the distance of 250 ft,
including Wapping, the tenements on the
North west Dulwich, the new weigh house
&c of the "new Fish Market, grounded upon
the clause of forfeiture in the lease of 1777
1776 and lastly of all the tenements of the
Ship Quay to the River in to the granting of
their former Leases in 1721 and also of all the
Space between the ebb and reflux of the
tide not actually occupied by the Merchants
Quay, and that in case those demands were not
complied with Mr Conesford stated that he had
presumptory orders to direct the Law Agent of the
Society to take immediate steps at Law

to obtain the possession of those different Properties
 — With respect to the Sheriff's Mountain
 we can trace back in our earliest Records a
 Possession from the year 1672 down to the
 present day without payment of any rent to
 the Irish Society, or any demand of any demand
 of any rent by them, but even putting all these
 Ideas of adverse Possession out of the case, we
 submit that this would be considered of itself
 conclusive evidence of a Grant from the Society
 to the Corporation of Derry, the same conclu-
 sion may be made with respect to leaving
 the Inverments of the North West Balcash
 &c — with respect to the Claims made
 of the Ship Quay, our present existing
 Lease must speak for itself

You Sir are perfectly ^{acquainted} with our Situation,
 you know that these Properties form
 a very considerable part of the Funds on
 the faith of which we borrowed the
 large Sums of money which we have
 expended on the great and necessary works ordered
 by this Corporation for the benefit of the
 Society's estate particularly and for the
 Country at large, that in fact these Prop-
 erties are not ours to give up, they belong to
 our Creditors, We do trust therefore that
 the Society will not consider it any disreputa-
 tion in us towards them, if we have (as we do think
 we have) a title to these Properties, the same

decline giving them up unconditionally;
 but we are most anxious to do every thing
 in our power with justice to our
 Creditors to gratify the Society, we are
 willing to ~~take~~ ^{take} Leases from the
 Society of all those Properties for 60 years
 and apportion to each of them a rent part
 of the rent of £300 per An^m which has
 already been agreed upon, and with these
 means we do trust we shall be ena-
 bled to secure our Creditors, and we must
 leave our Successors at a future day to the
 kindness of the Successors of the present Society,
 We inclose you also copies of all the
 Memorials & written Communications
 between this body & the Irish Society and
 their Deputation & we do trust that you
 will be able to terminate these differences
 amicably and in a way that will satisfy
~~our~~ ^{our} Creditors the repayment
 of our Debts; if unfortunately that should not
 be the case we do hope we have furnished you
 with materials for stating such a case
 as will procure the first Legal advice and
 opinion upon our title and for our
 conduct and direction and which we
 now authorise you (in that event)
 and request you to do —
 In order of
 the Common Council Wm Alexander
 Private & Confidential Mayor of St. Jany

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Was Common Council held on Monday 13th Aug^r 1811
 Present.

Wm. Alexander Mayor	} Names	Tho. Lacey
Marcus Hill Esq		Tho. Chace
Wm. Lacey		Wm. Scott
George Ripston		William Wash
John Murray		

James Major	} Shuffes
Rich ^d Harvey	

Adam Schoales	} Dues	John Schoales
Ally Major		James Schoales
John Boyd		John Maginnis
Arch ^d Boyd		John Cunningham
Wm. Ferguson		Wm. Boyde

Common Council considered
 The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that he convened it for the purpose of electing an Alderman in the room of the late Wm Walker Esq deceased the notice being duly posted

John Schoales Esq
 Alderman
 Accordingly John Schoales Esq is unanimously elected into the office of Alderman, who having taken the oaths prescribed by Act of Parliament took his seat accordingly, and the oath of Alderman

Chamblain
 In the absence of Mr Joseph Cunniff Chamblain, Mr Arch^d Boyd is duly elected to act as Chamblain for the present day

Ordered, that James Colthoun Clerk be paid Ten Guineas for his trouble and
 Colthoun
 his quiet expense in putting a minute hand to the
 Town Clock

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 Ordered, that Alderman John Schoales
 Committee of the Records and Mr William Doy be a
 to report Committee to enquire and report accordingly
 on the Stamp into an Act of Parliament for establishing
 a Stamp Duty on the Admission
 Duty of Strangers into the Citizenships
 Act of this City

Ordered, that the Solicitor for
 the Corporation be directed to wait
 to call on Mr John Atcheson Smith and
 Mr J. Atcheson Smith communicate to him the Case
 to report which was laid before the Attorney
 his Honor General with his opinion thereon
 respecting the alleged right of the
 County of Dury Magistrates to act
 as Magistrates within the City
 Magistrate within Suburbs, and that he communicate
 Mr Smith's answer to the next
 Dury Common Council

Common Council adjourned

At a Common Council held 2 Oct 1817
present.

Wm Alexander Magdoff	} Aldermen	John Curry
Wm Lecky		Marcus Hall
George Whiston		Wm Scott
Robert Murray		Wm Hammett Esq
Thos Lecky		John Schoales
Thos Sate		

Wm Wmth Sir George Will Bart
 Jas Major }
 Richd Waring } Sheriffs

Joseph Cury Chamberlain

Alex Lecky	} Burgesses	Crash Bury
Alex Young		Andru Knox
Adam Schoales		Andru Ferguson
Wm Patterson		Wm Mackay
Alex Major		John Waring
Wm Law		John Nicholson
John Bond		James Schoales
John Dyser		John Mackay
John Ferguson	Wm Boyd	

C. Council The Mayor acquainted this Common Council
 that he convened them after due notice being
 posted up, to elect a Capital Burgess in
 the room of John Schoales elected an Alderman
 Burgh also to elect a Capital Burgess in the room of the
 late John Cunningham Esq deceased
 Sir Robt Ferguson being proposed and desired
 to fill the vacancy of Alderman John Schoales
 is unanimously elected a Capital Burgess

John Sea
Burgess

John Sea being proposed and seconded to fill up the vacancy of the late John Cummings is unanimously elected a Capital Burgess they having taken the Oath prescribed by Act of Parliament and repealed the Declaration and oath of Burgess took their seats accordingly

Salants
Sherriffs
Cummings

The Certificates of Sherriffs Coum'd Casey having paid in their Totes, being produced Ordered that the Chamberlain do pay their Salaries.

Freemen

The following persons being proposed & approved by Aldom^r Mills, George Dill & Rowley John proposed Will, sons of the late Sir John Will of S^rriding and Holland Lecky son of General Lecky Esq^r proposed by Aldom^r Lecky - also James Bruce Henry Bruce & Stewart Bruce sons of Sir Wm^r Bruce proposed by Aldom^r Mills be taken into consideration at next Common Council

Regulate
off
Markets

Ordered, that the having the Vegetables off off Butter and Fresh buttes, made on the Waste near the Fish Market pursuant to plan presented and signed by the Mayor shall be constructed provided the Claim the claim of the Irish Society to recover those Premises shall be withdrawn or made in favor of the Corporation

Committee
House of
Council

Ordered, that Aldom^r Lecky Edm^r & Lot Aldom^r Will Aldom^r Coum^r with the Mayor be a Committee to ascertain and report at what expense and upon what Plan the House of Correction situated between the Fish Market and Koderway Lane shall be repaired

Common Council adjourned

At a Common Council held the 3^d Nov 1817

Present

Wm Alexander Mayor	} Deacons	Thos Leakey
Wm Leakey		Thos Scott
George Whipton		Wm Scott
Chas Murray		Wm Hamilton Esq

Rich^d Wainey Sheriff

Joseph Cury Chamberlⁿ

Dickson Cunningham	} Burgesses	Andr ^s Ferguson
Ally Leakey		Wm Mackay
Adam Schales		John Wainey
John Bond		John Nicholson
John Dugent		James Schales
John Ferguson		Wm Boyd
Andr Boyle		Jm Robt Ferguson

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that according to the new rules and orders of the Lord Lieutenant and Privy Council he Comand them for the purpose of electing a Mayor for the City of Londonderry for one year commencing the 2^d Feb^y next and Sheriffs for the City and County of Londonderry for one year commencing 2^d Feb^y next, accordingly Wm Scott was unanimously elected Mayor of the City of Londonderry for one year commencing 2^d Feb^y next and John Thompson and Richard Wainey Esq^r were unanimously elected Sheriffs for the City and County of Londonderry for one year commencing 2^d Feb^y next.

Common Council

Mayor elected

Sheriffs elected

Officers of Election

Ordered, that the Chamberlain do give in a Certificate of this Election to our Solicitor to lay the same before the Lord Sicut and Privy Council for their approbation

Mayor of Staple

Ordered, that ~~William Alexander~~ is elected Mayor of Staple for one year commencing ~~the 1st of July next~~ and that James Major and Richard Bonville & Harry an elected Constables of the Staple for one year commencing ~~the 1st of July next~~

Chamberlain's Books

Ordered, that the Mayor, Peter Munday, Donalson, Mr Dyer and Mr. Hoyle be a Committee to settle the Chamberlain's Accounts

Bridge

Ordered, that the Bridge be sold up by Publick Auction on Thursday the 1st day of December next for one year commencing the 1st of January and at the same time the toll of the Markets

Sales of Markets

Ordered, that the Salaries Pensions Charities be paid the same as last year

Pipe Water Committee

The Mayor acquainted the Common Council that the Committee for the Pipe Water for last year had been returned at a Vestry held for that purpose agreeable to Statute Committee to act as the Pipe Water Committee for the ensuing year - Ordered that the Pipe Water Committee of last year with the addition of Mr John Nicholson be appointed in conjunction with the above to transact the Business respecting the Pipe Water

Ballast Office

Ordered, that the Ballast Office Committee for the last year be continued for the ensuing year - Ordered, that the Bridge Committee for the last year be continued for the ensuing year

Lighting
Lamp

The Mayor acquainted this Common Council that with he contracted with Mr Alexander Living for lighting the lamps of this City at the rate of twenty five Shillings per Lamp

Committee
for seeing
the Contract

Ordered, that the following persons be a Committee to regulate the Lamps in the City and to adjust the Cops or appointments for the Contract Mr Boyd Thomas Murrey and Capt Lecky

Committee
to attend
the Auction
of the Bridge

Ordered, that the following be a Committee to attend the Auction of the Bridge the Mayor Elect Thomas Lecky, Mr Boyd the said Committee do attend the sale of the Markets

Committee
for the Lamp
Day for the
different
wards

Ordered, that the following persons be appointed for the Lamp Day for the different wards of this City, and to wit, Under Scott & Murr Mr Murr for Bishop Street

Robt Cowcarden Jas Kells & George McConnell for Shipquay Street
Wm Charles McLee Mr Graham jun for King Quay Street
George Gwyn, Robt Young, John Ken for Butcher Street

Miss
Civil
Annuity

Ordered, that Miss Rebecca Civil be paid an Annuity of £45 per Annum during her life or her surviving into the Corporation the sum of hundred Pounds and that the Mayor be authorized to put the Seal to the Bond and that the Chamberlain to sign the same

Bishop of
Down
letter

The Lord Bishop of Down's letter to the Chamberlain being read with the Minutes of the Common Council dated 18th Feb^y 1807. Ordered, that this Common Council cannot comply with the terms and that the

Committee
to consider
the Petition
21th

following be a Committee to consider the same
The Mayor, Daniel Scott, Mr Boyd, Mr School
and Sir Robt Ferguson

M. A. A. A.
Memorial
to be
deposited
in the
present

Mr Atchison's Memorial being read ordered
that the same consideration of the same be
deferred for the present

Committee
to be
appointed
for the
purpose
of
examining
the
petition
of
the
Traders
in
admission
of
freemen

The report of the Committee respecting the Stamp
Duty on Freeman being produced the same being
read ordered, that the same be entered on the
journals of the Common Council

Ordered that the following the Mayor, the Aldermen
Daniel Scott, Sir Robt Ferguson, Mr Wom
Boyd, Alder Charles, Alder Sackey, Mr Nicholas

Freemen
to be
admitted

and Alder Campbell a Committee to form a
Petition to Parliament respecting the
same and to correspond with the different
Cities on this subject

Ordered, that the Freeman proposed at last
Common Council, do stand over until
further consideration

Committee
for the
Bells

The Petition of the Bell ringers being read
ordered, that the same be referred to the
following Committee the Mayor, Alder
Sackey, Alder Scott, Mr Mackay, Alder
Sackey & Mr Charles

29th Dec. 1796 - Mayor laid before council

the petitionary Petition -

ordered that a Committee - H^{on}. Kennedy, Ald^r.
 James & H^{on}. Gury, Joseph Gury Geo. Gury & Thompson
 a committee to hang the gates of the City in the
 most expeditious & ~~the~~ economical manner -

See 2^d Nov: 1796

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Genl
London 28th August 1798

Sir,

I have the pleasure to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 5th of this month informing me that my friend Mr. John Living had, as indeed I desired him, applied for payment of the Money due to myself, and to my late Brothers family from the Corporation, and saying further that at the present Crisis it is next to impossible to Comply with the application, but that no endeavour would be wanting to raise Money and discharge the Debt without delay, or to that effect. In reply to what you are so good as to write I can only observe that I am sorry the exigency of my affairs compells me to press for prompt Payment, which I hope it will soon be in the power of the Corporation to make, otherwise I shall suffer much inconvenience and probably considerable loss. Circumstances I am confident the Gentlemen are far from wishing to happen, and would regret being the Cause of.

At the same time as six Months Notice is, by the tenor of the Bonds, a ^{stipulated} ~~stipulated~~ Condition previous to an ultimate Demand. I request, in order to my application standing on equal ground with any other not made at an earlier period, that the date of Mr. John Living's letter may, as then intended,

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- G. Curry 6
- J. Curry 7
- Mr Gledock 8
- J. Hall 9
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James Montgomery
 Chamberlain to the Corporation
 January

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