

A meeting of Select Vestry was held on 11 Aug 1905 when there were present Rev. Jas. C. Archer - in the Chair - Rev. John Taylor - John Montgomery - Rob Gracey - David Rock - Tho. Martin - Jas Albin - Jos Mours - N. J. M. Dowell. A. Costello - Jos. H. Stevenson & W. H. Atkinson.

The proposed presentation to the Dean having been discussed, the following arrangement for collecting subscriptions was agreed to

Messrs Robert Gracey & Joseph Murray, with Messrs Tho. Martin & Atkinson Costello to assist, to collect all the townlands west side of Lurgan road, except Seage & Derrynore, which will be collected by Jas Atkinson Jr & J. J. Montgomery and Kernan which will be done by J. H. Collins.

N. J. M. Dowell & Jos Mours to collect all the townlands east side of Lurgan road - except Edenderoy - and to request assistance if required.

Edenderoy to be collected by John Montgomery, James Albin, David Rock & Jos. H. Stevenson.

It was agreed that the collectors should meet at Seage School on Friday 1 Sep to report results of their undertaking.

Proposed by John Montgomery & seconded by Thomas Martin that Thomas Mothers having sent in a demand note for Poor Rate payable out of his house & garden, with a request the Vestry should pay same the Secy is hereby instructed to return the note and say they will take no action in the matter.

The debt on Edenderoy Hall was considered and it was decided an effort should be made to reduce same, when James Albin proposed & Joseph Mours seconded, that a "Halloweew market or Fair" be held and that contributions of Poultry, Farm & Garden produce or money be requested from the Parishioners. In connection with this the following sub committee

was appointed to go more fully into the matter and make such arrangements as they should think best, namely, Revd John Taylor, J. J. Montgomery, David Rock, Joseph H. Stevenson & N. N. Atkinson.

James E. Archer  
Sept. 1<sup>st</sup> 1905

A meeting of Select Vestry was held on 1 Sept 1905 when there were present - Revd Jas. E. Archer - in the Chair - John Montgomery - J. H. Stevenson - Joseph Murray - Atkinson Costello - J. J. Montgomery - George Calvert - Joseph Moore - N. S. M<sup>r</sup> Dowell - W. Irwin - Robert Crace - David Rock - Jas Albin - Thos Martin - & N. N. Atkinson.

The Collectors appointed to ask for subscriptions to the Dean's Presentation attended when the sum of £31. 19. 0 was received.

It was arranged that the Churchwardens and Hon Sec<sup>y</sup> & George Calvert, should call on 2<sup>d</sup> inst, on the Dean, to inform him of the proposed Address and Presentation and hear from him in what shape he would wish to take the Presentation.

M<sup>r</sup> Archer kindly undertook to draft the Address and submit it to a meeting of the Select Vestry on 8 inst.

James E. Archer  
Sept. 8<sup>th</sup> 1905

At above meeting the Select Vestry sanctioned the employment of Isaac Shanks as organ blower at a salary of 15/- p quarter.