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CARLTON WATER SUPPLY - 1891 - 1892

following Committee:-

The above water supply is under the control of the

The Rev. Wade Dalton, Messrs. Geldard, Walker, Constantine, Simpson, Law and Horner.

The Scheme is arranged as follows:-

At the fountain head in Melbecks a small receiving tank is made where the feeder is collected and conveyed across the Ghyll head in 4" cast iron pipes and joined to 4" sanitary pipes "Standard Patent Joints" which conveys the water to a second tank from thence the water is conveyed in a 3" cast iron pipe to the village where a junction is made with a 2" cast iron pipe which conveys the water to the Town Head and also down the main street to Miss Buckells and from thence to the Town Foot in a 1" galvanised pipe.

Stop taps for washing out the pipes have been placed as follows:-

1. 3" Sluice valves near the large tank, another ditto at the junction near Mr. Longstaff's house. Also at the same place, two 2" sluice valves are fixed for the East and West divisions. These valves are placed so that the supply can be cut off from either end of the village in case of repairs without stopping the whole supply. Another washout valve is at Miss Buckells.

2. Rules and Regulations to be observed in the future management of the said scheme:-

It must be distinctly understood that the present water supply is solely for domestic purposes and that no pipe shall be connected to the mains or be extended from any private supply for the purpose of conveying water to adjoining land for the use of cattle.

The Committee shall appoint a suitable person who will have general supervision over the whole scheme whose duties shall be to clean out the tanks, wash out the pipes by opening the sluice valves and regulate the supply feeder at the fountain head as the varying conditions of the spring or feeder may require.

The four public supplies shall be kept in order and maintained at the expense of the Parish. These will also be under the care of the officer in charge. Should he have suspicion that any private supply is faulty and hence causing a waste of water, the said officer shall report the same to the Committee who shall give notice to the party in question to abate the waste of water immediately, and should anyone in the circumstances fail to comply, the Committee shall have power to cut off their supply till the defect complained of be rectified.

3. All supplies, both public and private have been put down with $\frac{3}{4}$ " galvanised iron pipe with stop taps at the mains screwed down tap at the delivery end and in the event of any private supply being required the consent of the 'Management Committee will have to be obtained and a guarantee given that a proper connection with the mains shall be made with pipes and tap in accordance with the above paragraph in brackets.

The Committee earnestly request that all private supplies be kept in good order so that there be no friction and that everything work smoothly and in harmony.

During the winter months the Committee request that all persons drawing water from the public supply taps should be good enough to leave the taps partly open as a precaution against frost.

"The Committee of Management shall not exceed seven and not less than five in number whose term of office shall be from year to year (i.e.) March to March and open to re-election at the Annual Township Meeting" so that all Ratepayers have a voice in the choice of their Committee.

When washing out the mains the public supply taps should be left open for the escape of air in refilling.