

1TH JANUARY 1898

Statutory Meeting

of
Parish Council. held at
The Board School. on Tuesday Jan 7th 1898
at 8 PM.

Present Rev^d Geo Mettraman. Chairman
Messrs Knights, Pyman, Rigg, Harnes. &
Wilkinson.

W^r Harnes moved }
W^r Pyman seconded } That the minutes
as read be signed

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Poor's Marsh Dykes
W^r Harnes made a further statement
in addition to the Report made at the
last Meeting.

W^r Pyman & myself have been down
again and inspected the Dykes. There is
a portion of the Dyke near Wyhill's gate
in a bad state. which requires Bottom
fying. and something done to stop the
sand from running in from off the Road.

W^r Harnes moved }
W^r Pyman seconded } That the Clerk give
the order to Bottomfy the Dyke mentioned
in the additional Report and add to
Dove's A/c

Carried Unan
In connection with Dove's A/c W^r Stollery
was present and made a complaint as
to the state of the Dykes, and the Council

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advised him to make his Complaint to the
Clerk of the Wartham Drainage Commissioners.
unan

Fuel Charity A/Cs

Mr Warren's moved }
Mr Knight seconded } That Mr Tomlins A/C
for Coal £20.10.4. also Doves & Stationary
A/Cs be passed for payment

Carried

County Council Roads

Mr Rigg Proposed }
Mr Barnes seconded } That the Clerk ask
our C.C. to complain of the state of
those portions of the Roads used as
Footpaths as being in a very bad state
while the Roads themselves are not
sufficiently in repair.

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It was resolved that the next Meeting of
the Council be called for the Nomination
of Parish Constable when the Precept is
received, and to make arrangements
for the Annual Parish Meeting

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Georgie Mestineau
March 3rd 1898.

12th Jan 1898
Cheques drawn
for £20.10.4
Dove 13/6
Stationary 16/9

3rd MARCH 1898

Parish Council Meeting
held at the Board School on Thursday
March 3rd 1898 at 8 P.M.

Rev^d. Merriman Chairman

Present Messrs Bracey. Pyman. Rust
Warnes & Wilkinson.

Mr Pyman moved }
Mr Warnes seconded } That the minutes as
read be signed, with the addition of
"staking the sides &c" to the resolution
of Bottom fying the Dykes.

Unan

The Clerk reported that the resolution
of January 11th 1898, as to the Bottom fying
the Dykes had not been carried out as
it needed staking.

Correspondence read re Common Road.
Received from Charity Commissioners
from Jan'y 3rd 1898 to February 19th /98
inclusive No C 62861.

Cheque drawn
Rev^d. Merriman
£ 2.10.0

Mr Warnes moved }
Mr Rust seconded } That the Rent for
Pond Right be passed and Paid
Unan

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Cheques drawn 6.6
 Rogers 6.6
 Campbell 1.12.4
 Boney 1.12.4
 Rogers 2.18.3
 School Board 1.00
 Audit Stamp 1.00
 for money 16.4
 Sundries 2.18.3
 Rest 2.4.9
 Rogers 1.10
 Postage 11.9
 Sundries 1.18.8
 Land Tax 1.18.8
 £ 2.12.3

Mr Barnes moved }
 Mr Bracey second } That the Parish Council
 A/Cs be passed and paid.
 Poor Rate. Tithes. Sutton. Postage. Haddon.
 2/9 2/10 7/6 1/2

Mr Barnes moved } unan
 Mr Bracey second } That the Fuel Charity
 A/Cs be passed & paid
 unan

Mr Pymman Proposed }
 Mr Wilkinson second } That Mr David
 Thompson be nominated for Parish
 Constable for the Ensuing Year
 unan

Mr Barnes moved }
 Mr Rust second } That the Annual meeting
 for the Election of Councillors be held
 on Tuesday March 15th 1898 at 7.30 P.M.
 and that the Annual Assembly of the
 Parish Meeting be held on the same day.
 unan

Mr Rust Proposed }
 Mr Bracey second } That to present the
 Parish Council A/Cs, Fuel Charity A/C,
 General & Educational A/C Schedule II, should
 be the Business for the Parish Meeting
 unan

George Merriam
 April 19th 1898.

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19TH APRIL 1898

The Fourth Annual Meeting
of the Parish Council
was held at the Board School on
Tuesday the 19th April 1898. at 8 PM.

Temporary Chairman

Mr Jeary proposed }
Mr Barnes seconded } That Mr Pyman
acts as Temporary Chairman

Unan

Declarations

The following members of the Council
signed their declarations viz

Mr William Bracey the younger
Mr Thomas Dyball
Mr Henry Fetter
Mr George Grimble
Mr Herbert Wilson Jeary
Mr Richd. Geo. Barber. Knights
Mr James. Rix. Pyman
Mr Wilb. Arthur. Rigg.
Mr Oliver. Aldred. Starling
Mr Wilb. Grimson. Barnes
Mr Henry. Etridge. Wilkinson

Chairman

Mr Jeary Proposed }
Mr Dyball seconded } That the Revd.
Merriman be invited to occupy the
Chair for the ensuing year.
Carried

Messrs Jeary & Dyball were then deputed to wait upon the Vicar. The Business of the Evening being suspended untill their return.

Upon their return accompanied by the Rev^d Merriman he briefly addressed the Council, thanked them for their courtesy, and accepted the office.

Election of Overseers

Mr Warnes moved }
 Mr Pyman seconded } That Messrs Bracey Jr.
 & Dyball be the Overseers of the Parish
 for the Ensuing Year.

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Mr Warnes moved }
 Mr Futter seconded } That the minutes of
 the last meeting as read be signed,
 was carried Unanimously.

Vice Chairman.

Mr Pyman moved }
 Mr Bracey seconded } That Mr Herbert.
 H. Jeary, be Vice Chairman for the
 ensuing Year.

Carried

Statutory Meetings.

Proposed by Mr Warnes }
 Seconded by Mr Starling } That the dates of
 such meetings be Tuesday the 12th of July,
 Tuesday the 11th of October, & Tuesday the 10th
 of January 1899, at the hour of 8 PM. each meeting.

Carried

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Fuel Charity A/Cs

Mr Warnes moved } That the A/Cs be
 Mr Knights second } passed, does to include the extra
 matter against the Poor Marsh Gate when
 done to the satisfaction of Messrs Pyman
 & Warnes.

Carried

Change of Fire Insurance Policy
on Common Farm Buildings

Mr Futter moved

Mr Rigg seconded } That the following be
 the items of a Policy of Insurance to be
 effected with the Office of which Mr Rogers
 is agent,

140 £ on House

90 £ on Barn, Stable & Piggery.

30 £ on South Bullock Lodge

30 £ on East Lodge,

20 £ on Turnip House & Copper House Combined.

£ 310

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Poor's Marsh Letting.

Mr Warnes Proposed

Mr Bracey seconded } That the Poor's Marsh
 be let for the term of 2 years in two lots
 at the Rand Letting as before at an
 Annual Rent payable on January. 6th
 1 Against. 1 Neutral. 9 for. Carried.

Mr Warnes Proposed

Mr Pyman seconded } That the next Meeting
 of Council be the Statutory
 one of Tuesday July 12th at 8 PM.
 Grace Mervin

unan.

July 12th