

The first meeting of the newly elected council was held on April 16th 1931 when the following members were present:-
B Pearson C Day A I Butcher A B Jacobs
E J Walkling and L C Nichols.

Declarations of acceptance of office were signed by those present.

On the proposition of C Day seconded by L C Nichols Mr A B Jacobs was elected Chairman of the Council for the year.

On the proposition of C Day seconded by E J Walkling Mr A I Butcher was elected vice Chairman for the year.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and being approved were signed by the Chairman.

The following gentlemen were appointed representative Trustees of the Parochial Charities for a term of three years

Mr L C Nichols	proposed by	C Day	seconded by	
Mr B Pearson	"	"	L C Nichols	" E J Walkling
Mr C Day	"	B Pearson	"	E J Walkling
Mr E J Walkling	"	C Day	"	L C Nichols

It was agreed on the proposition of B Pearson seconded by A I Butcher that B Shipt be reappointed waterman

It was agreed on the proposition of C Day seconded by E J Walkling that A I Butcher be reappointed caretaker of the Council Room.

It was agreed on the proposition of B Pearson seconded by C Day that W J Day be reappointed caretaker of War Memorial.

On the proposition of B Pearson seconded by A I Butcher it was agreed that consideration of a circular on Regional Planning be adjourned to the next meeting.

It was agreed on the proposition of B Pearson seconded by E J Walkling that the Council take steps to finish filling in the pond and seats be erected on the site for the use of the public.

A I Butcher proposed and B Pearson seconded that the Clerk be instructed to write to the Sanitary Committee of the CRDC asking them to clean out the drain near the pump.

A. B. Jacobs.