

At a meeting of the Parish Council held on August 6th. 1931 the following members were present:—

Mr A B Jacobs Chairman Messrs S Bay
E J Walkling B Pearson C Day
A I Butcher and J C Nichols.

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

A letter was read from the Chesterton Rural Council containing the result of negotiations with the Cambridge Waterworks Compy on the question of supplying water to the village. The letter stated that the Compy required the sum of £185.12.0 per annum to be guaranteed by the Parish Council less any sums collected from private users of the water.

After giving the matter serious consideration the following resolution was proposed by B Pearson: "That in the opinion of this Council the economic situation of the country is so serious that it is unthinkable that further expense, especially unnecessary expense should be incurred by agreeing to the provision of a public water supply." This was seconded by S Bay and carried unanimously.

A letter was read from the CRDC on the question of the Cambridge Borough Extension Scheme. part of
 The letter stated that the village of Milton was included in the scheme and sought the views of the Council as to whether the inclusion of Milton met with their approval or not.

It was agreed that on the proposition of E J Walkling seconded by B Pearson that the Clerk be instructed to inform the CRDC that the Parish Council strongly oppose the inclusion of Milton in the Borough.

It was agreed on the proposition of B Pearson seconded by C Day that in the matter of lighting the streets by ~~the~~ electricity no action be taken at present.

One application was received ~~was received~~ for the post of Clerk to the Council and after some consideration it was agreed on the proposition of B Pearson to adjourn the matter for a future meeting to receive further applications.

Cheques were drawn in payment of the following a/cs
 Sack + Sons repairs to Pump £ 3-2-6
 Macintosh + Sons 3 seats

A. B. Jacobs