

At a meeting of the Parish Council held on August 18th 1931 the following members were present:- Mr A B Jacobs (Chairman) Messrs C Day, A T Butcher & B Pearson

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

A letter was read from Mr S C Nichols stating that as a consequence of being a candidate for the vacant Clerkship he wished to resign from the council. It was agreed on the proposition of A T Butcher seconded by C Day that Mr Nichols' resignation be accepted.

Applications for the vacant Clerkship were received from Mr G Gray of Impington and Mr S C Nichols of Cambridge Road Milton.

It was agreed on the proposition of B Pearson seconded by A T Butcher that Mr S C Nichols be appointed Clerk to the Council on the following terms:-

The salary to be £9 (Nine pounds) per annum payable half-yearly.

That in the event of the Council or the Clerk desiring to terminate the appointment, 3 months notice shall be given one to the other as the case may be.

A letter was received from Mr F Y Baker of 119 Vinery Road Cambridge, stating that he was negotiating with the owner of the village green and asking the Council if they would be willing to vacate the field without notice. The letter also contained an offer to discharge any liability of the Council for rent due at the time of the completion of the purchase.

It was agreed on the proposition of D Jeanson seconded by A I Dutcher that the letter should be answered as follows:-

The Council had no intention of vacating the field, but should the purchase be completed and the purchaser make some compensation to the Council for any improvements to the field they would be prepared to consider the matter further.

A cheque was drawn in favour of G H Yeardon for the following

Salary from March 31st to August 18th
viz 20 weeks at 3/5½ per week £3-9-2

AB.Jacobs.