

There were present:

Dr. R. M. Woodman, Chairman, in the Chair,
Messrs. B. E. Lander; F. M. Garner; J. Russell; E. J. Walkling and
F. Wilson.

MINUTES.

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read, confirmed by the meeting and signed by the Chairman.

MATTERS ARISING FROM MINUTES:

A further discussion took place regarding the building of a Village Memorial Hall, but in view of the high cost of materials it was decided to defer the matter. In the meantime the Clerk was instructed to enquire of Mr. C. W. Gunn whether his late father's gift to the village could be used towards such a project.

MONIES RECEIVED:

The Clerk reported the receipt of the following:

£9. 13s. 10d.	Allotment rents due Michaelmas 1945.
£7. 10s. 3d.	Bank " " " "
£15. 0s. 0d.	Half precept due from C.R.D.C.

BILLS FOR PAYMENT:

It was proposed by Mr. F. Wilson, seconded by Mr. B. E. Lander that the following bills be paid:

County Agricultural Officer	£7. 17s. 0d.	Allotment rents due Mich. 1945.
B. G. Shipp	19s. 6d.	Waterman's salary to " "
M. C. Coulson	2. 5s. 0d.	Clerk's salary " " "
C. E. Garner	2. 16s. 0d.	Repairs to slacker.
A. I. Butcher.	1. 15s. 0d.	Repairs to Village & Allot. pump
	<u>£15. 12s. 6d.</u>	

SAVINGS WEEK.

The Thanksgiving Savings Week had been arranged by Chesterton Rural District Council to be held in the area during the week 10 - 17th November and it was left to Mr. E. J. Walkling to arrange with Miss A. Conder for a suitable programme.

Governing Body - Village College, IMPINGTON.

The Cambridgeshire Education Committee asked for the appointment of a member to the above. After discussing the matter no appointment was made.

STREET LIGHTING.

A reply had now been received to our letter of February last re the above and the Council was asked to supply evidence showing the necessity for an installation and also the number and positions of lamps. After a full discussion the Clerk was instructed to reply suitably giving the number of lamps as seven.

BANKS.

The Clerk reported that Mr. B. Pearson had intimated his willingness to revert to the full rent for the Banks now that they had been levelled. The Council expressed their gratitude for his offer and instructed the Clerk to approach Mr. H. Easy and inform him that in their opinion his banks also should now be worth the full rent.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS.

The Clerk reported that several allotment holders had asked for the allotments to be measured afresh as all the markers had disappeared. Instructions were given to approach the County Smallholdings Committee for this to be done.

Mr. Walkling kindly offered a load of clankers for making up the gateway, the Clerk to arrange for carting.

The Clerk was also instructed to ask Mrs. Cox to have the hedge at the Gravel Pits cut as it was overhanging the roadway.

A unanimous vote of thanks was passed to the Deputy Clerk for the able way she had carried on during the Clerk's absence.

This concluded the business and the Chairman declared the meeting closed.

R. M. Woodman
Chairman.