

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF MILTON PARISH COUNCIL
HELD IN THE SCHOOLROOM ON TUESDAY, 17TH JANUARY,
1950, AT 7.30 P.M.

There were present:

Mr. E. J. Walkling, Chairman, in the Chair;
Messrs. C. W. Langley, D. Pearson, S. A. Siggs, A. W. Wenham and
Rev. J. M. Plumley, together with the Clerk.

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

MATTERS ARISING FROM MINUTES.

Footpath at Petrol Pumps. The Clerk reported that he had
now received a reply from the County Surveyor to the effect that
a comprehensive scheme would be prepared after sewers had been
laid.

Village Hall. The Cambridgeshire County Council had now
given the necessary permission to develop land situate at O.S.P.
98 Milton (The Green) for the purpose of a Recreation Ground and
site for Village Hall, subject to details of the siting of the
buildings being agreed, and the reservation of the necessary land
for road works.

LEVELLING OF BANKS. The Chairman reported that the Chesterton
Rural District Council were not willing to level the spoil
deposited on the banks unless and until the Parish Council could
make adequate arrangements for fencing the ditch and so prevent
cattle from treading in the ditch, and undoing all the work they
had done. The question of fencing was then discussed and Mr.
Siggs agreed to get a quotation for fencing posts for submission
to the next meeting. It was reported that the fencing on the
opposite side of the bank needed repairing and on the proposition
of Mr. D. Pearson seconded by Mr. A. W. Wenham it was agreed that
the County Council be asked to repair the length of fencing for
which they were responsible.

ALLOTMENTS. The Clerk reported that Mr. H. E. Butler wished to
terminate his tenancy of Plot No. 1 containing 1 acre. A list
of applicants, namely Messrs. T. Housden, R. Clarke and R.
Bradnam was presented and on the proposition of Mr. D. Pearson
seconded by Mr. C. W. Langley it was unanimously resolved that
Plot No. 1 be let to Mr. R. Bradnam, and that the unsuccessful
applicants be notified.

MONIES RECEIVED. The Clerk reported the receipt of the following
monies:

H. Easy	£2.	2.	6d.	Rent due at Lady Day, 1949.
H. Easy	2.	2.	6d.	do. Michaelmas, 1949.
H. E. Butler.	17.	0d.		do. do.
B. Pearson & Sons.	2.	15.	2d.	do. do.
H. Pearl.	2.	13.	6d.	do. do.
	£10.	10.	8d.	

BILLS FOR PAYMENT. The following bills were authorised to be
paid:

Playing Fields Assoc.	5.	0d.	Affiliation Fee 1949.
L. F. Coulson.	4.	0.	Od. Clerk's Salary to Christmas, 1949.
L. F. Coulson.	1.	0.	Od. Waterman's salary to Christmas, 1949.
	£5.	5.	Od.

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ANY OTHER BUSINESS.

It was reported that Fen Road was continually in a filthy state due to sand and water dripping from lorries using Mr. R. J. Green's Gravel Pits. The Chairman intimated that he would draw Mr. Green's attention to this.

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

E. J. Walkling

Chairman.

14 March 1950.

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF MILTON PARISH COUNCIL
HELD IN THE SCHOOLROOM ON TUESDAY, 14TH MARCH
1950, AT 7.30 P.M.

There were present:

Mr. E. J. Walkling, Chairman, in the Chair:
Messrs. C.W. Langley, D. Pearson, S.A. Siggs and A.W. Wenham,
together with the Clerk.

MINUTES.

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

MATTERS ARISING FROM MINUTES.

Bankers Ditch - Fencing. Mr. Siggs submitted figures as to the cost of fencing. The cost for materials only for 1,000 yards of fencing amounted to £143. It was agreed that the matter be deferred for the time being and that in the meantime the Chairman would discuss the matter with Chesterton Rural District Council. Regarding the fencing of the opposite side of the ditch, the Clerk reported that the County Council considered that expense on additional fencing was not justifiable.

PRECEPT 1950/1951.

The Clerk presented an estimate of income and expenditure for the coming financial year and on the proposition of Mr. D. Pearson seconded by Mr. A. W. Wenham, it was unanimously agreed to precept on the Chesterton Rural District Council for an amount of £32.

ALLOTMENTS.

The Clerk reported that subsequent to notification that his tenancy had terminated, Mr. H. E. Butler contended that his remarks to the Clerk had been misunderstood and that he had no intention of relinquishing his tenancy of Plot No. 1. The Council referred to the Allotment Agreement signed by the tenant on 24th February, 1922, and it seemed clear that the tenant could not be disturbed without compensation becoming payable. After consideration it was deemed advisable for the tenancy to continue in the meantime. In future it was agreed that written notice should be obtained for terminating tenancies.

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