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Minutes of a Meeting of Milton Parish Council held in the Schoolroom on Tuesday, 22nd February 1955, at 7.30 p.m.

There were present:-

Mr. E. J. Walkling. Chairman.

Mrs. D. Pearson and Messrs. J. Bradnam, D. Pearson, S. A. Siggs and A. W. Wenham together with the Clerk.

Apology for Absence

An apology for absence was received from Mr. A. Wayman.

Minutes

The Minutes of the Meeting held on 30th November 1954, were confirmed and signed.

Matters arising from Minutes

Third Party Insurance. The Clerk submitted a quotation from the Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company Limited for a £50,000 Indemnity at an annual premium of £1. O. O. and was instructed to take out a policy in the amount stated.

Bus Shelter - Lighting. The Clerk reported on the interview he had with Colonel Knights, Sub-Area Manager of the Eastern Electricity Board, when the Board had agreed to instal a light in the bus shelter near the Men's Institute, provided a connection could be made to the Institute circuit. The permission had been obtained and accordingly the light would be installed in the very near future. The Clerk was instructed to agree with the Men's Institute for payment of current consumed.

Precept 1955/56

The Chairman's action in issuing a precept on Chesterton Rural District Council in an amount of £40 was confirmed; this was equivalent to a fourpenny rate.

Bills for Payment.

The following bills were authorised for payment:-

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Commissioners of Inland Revenue

15. 9d. Tax on Banks 1954/55

L. F. Coulson

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105. <u>Coronation Celebrations</u>

The Clerk reported that at the request of the Chesterton Rural District Council he had forwarded an unpaid account in respect of materials supplied for the bus shelters in support of the Parish Council's Claim for a grant. The Chairman reported that a grant of £10 would be forthcoming in the near future.

It was agreed that the Clerk arrange for the transfer of the balance of monies standing to the credit of the Coronation Celebrations Fund to the Parish Council's Post Office Savings Account.

106. Allotments - Waterbeach Road.

The Clerk reported he had communicated with the County Surveyor following a complaint from an allotment tenant that bushes growing on the roadside caused an obstruction of vision. The County Surveyor had replied that the bushes had now been cut, but Mr. J. Bradnam submitted that the bushes which caused most obstruction were some blackberry brambles which had not been cut. The Clerk was instructed to ask that these also be cut.

107. <u>Litter Baskets</u>

Mrs. D. Pearson raised the question of litter baskets being provided at the bus shelters. The Clerk was instructed to enquire whether the County Council would provide them.

Mr. Siggs agreed to make enquiries as to cost of

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providing a notice in the bus shelters concerning litter. Cemetery - Landbeach Road.

Mr. Siggs raised the question of the maintenance of the cemetery. After discussion it was agreed that the Rector and one representative from the Parochial Church Council be invited to attend the next meeting of the Parish Council.

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Date of next Meeting

It was agreed that the next meeting be held on Tuesday, 22nd March 1955, to be followed at 8 p.m. by the Annual Parish Meeting.

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

Chairman.

22nd March, 1955.