

JULY, 1939.

Minutes of the proceedings of a Parish Council Meeting held at the School on Monday, 10th July, 1939.

Present.

Mr A.G. Baker — Chairman.

Messrs Charman, Elbourne, Sliffe, Maynard, & the Clerk (T. Kelly).

Absence

An apology for absence was received from Mr Bee.

Minutes

The Mins of last meeting were read & confirmed.

Campers at

A letter was received from the R.D.C. pointing out the difficulties in effectively controlling the use of the land in question for occasional camping.

Gorsay Down.

That proper sanitary arrangements are provided, & a water supply is available — that the question of the behaviour is a matter for the Police etc.

A copy of Secⁿ 269 of the Public Health Act, 1936, was also received. The Secⁿ is in force in this district &c.

Election of

P. Councillors.

The S.C.C. in acknowledging the receipt of letter sent on 6th June, 1939, on this subject — informed the P.C. that the enclosure referred to therein would be submitted to appropriate Committee when this matter is under consideration by them.

Damaged stile

Footpath

between Old

Rectory Farm.

The Clerk reported that he had written to the R.D.C. about this matter, & that the stile had now been repaired.

Bus Stop Sign

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The Public Relations Officer L.P.T. B^d wrote — that the Kent County Council's Surveyor informed him that owing to necessity for the acquisition of private property, any adjustment to the existing

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present arrangements would not be practicable.

The Surveyor, however, agreed ^{to recommend} that a landing should be provided at the existing stop.

V. Cutting of grass on Tatesfield Com.

The Clerk reported that he had received a letter of complaint from the Rector - Rev W. E. Goudey - about the condition of the grass & weeds in front of the Rectory, Ricketts Hill, requesting the Council to have it cut down etc.

The ^{Clerk} informed the Council that he had sent the complaint to the Sanitary Inspector, who informed him that the matter would receive attention.

VI. Vacant Allotments: Cleaning &c. on six allotments

The Council agreed that the grass & weeds on the vacant allotments should be cut & burned etc.

Mr C. Outbush to undertake this work.

VII. P. C. Notice Boards

It was agreed that Mr S. Elbourne should paint & creosote the Council's two notice boards.

VIII. Audit of Accounts

The Clerk reported that the Council's Accounts for financial year 1938-39 were passed as correct at the Audit on the 14th June, 1939.

IX. Accounts for Payment.

Proposed by Mr Sliffe & Sec^y Chapman "that the following account be passed for payment": -

(1) Mr T. Kelly.

✓ Clerk's Petty Cash £2-0-0.

Carried

X. Next meeting of the Council.

It was agreed to hold the next meeting on Monday 4th September, 1939

A. G. Baker.

Chairman.

Present.

Absence.

Minutes

Footpaths & dangerous tree.

Council Meetings.

Accounts for Payment

SEPTEMBER, 1939.

Minutes of the proceedings of a Parish Council Meeting held at the School on Monday 4th Sept: 1939.

Present.

Mr A.G. Baker — Chairman
Messrs Bee, Elbourne & The Clerk (T. Kelly).

Absence.

Apologies for absence were received from Messrs Sliffe & Maynard.

Minutes

The minutes of the last meeting were read & confirmed.

Footpaths & dangerous tree.

The Clerk reported that the footpath from Tatefield Court Farm (Oasthouse) to the Homestead had now been cleared of obstructions, and that the dangerous tree opposite the Homestead had been cut down & removed.

Council Meetings.

Proposed by Mr Bee & Sec^d by Mr Elbourne "that the Standing order for meetings to be held on the first Monday of the month be held in abeyance & that in future meetings of the Council be held if & when required". Carried

Accounts for Payment

Proposed by Mr Elbourne & Sec^d by Mr Bee "that the following accounts be passed for payment:—

(i) Mr C. Butbush.

cutting grass, weeds etc on 6 allot^s £0—15—0.

(ii) Mr F. B. Watson.

bar hire for 1939 Audit £0—13—0

(iii) Mr T. Kelly.

Salary for Qtr 30-9-39. £7—10—0

Carried

A.G. Baker.
Chairman

NOVEMBER, 1939.

Minutes of the proceedings of a Parish Council Meeting held at the School on Monday 6th November, 1939.

I Present.

Mr A. G. W. Baker — Chairman.
Messrs Bee, Chairman, Elbourne & Monteith.

II Absence

Apologies were received from Messrs Cliffe & Maynard. The Minutes of last meeting were read & confirmed.

III Minutes

IV Vacant

Allotments.

Arising from Allotment rent payment — a discussion took place on the lack of enthusiasm for allotments in Tatesfield — The press was asked to give publicity to the fact that 9 plots await tenants & Mr Elbourne promised that this should also be advertised in the Workmen's Club etc.

V Footpath from

Tangland Castle to Lusted Lane.

Mr. Elbourne drew attention to the overhanging bushes on this ~~side~~ this path — near "Dell" Gate & stile. The Clerk was instructed to write to the owners of adjoining land & request them to cut back these bushes.

VI Overhanging bushes & trees on Ricketts Hill

The Clerk was instructed to draw the attention of Road Surveyor to this matter & ask that bushes & trees be cut.

VII Accounts for Payment.

- Proposed by Mr Bee & Sec^d by Mr Chairman that the following A/cs be passed for payment:—
- ✓ I Tithe Est Co. Rent for Allotment Land — £2-0-0.
 - ✓ II Mr J. Elbourne. Moving & repainting Notice Bds. £1-13-9.
 - ✓ III S. C. C. Acknowledgement for seat on Highway 0-1-0 PC
- " — Copy of Current issue of Register of Electors 0-1-6.

Carried.

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III Allotments.

The Clerk rep

Rents.

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IV Mrs Kelly's death.

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I Present.

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II Absence.

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IV Footpath from Tangland Castle to Lusted Lane.

V Annual Parish Meeting.

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Allotments. The Clerk reported that he had paid into the Bank the sum of £2-5-0 cents due for allotments to 25-9-39.

Mrs Kelly's death. The Council Agreed that a letter of condolence be sent to Mr Kelly & family on the death of The Clerk's Wife

A. G. Baker.

Chairman
7-2-40.FEBRUARY 1940.

Minutes of the proceedings of a Parish Council Meeting held at the School on Wednesday 7th February, 1940.

Present. Mr A. G. W. Baker - Chairman.
Messrs Bee, Elbourne, Sliffe & The Clerk (T. Kelly).

Absence. An apology for absence was received from Mr Maynard, & Mr Monteith.

Minutes The minutes of the last meeting were read & confirmed.

Footpath from England Castle to Lusted Lane. Mr Elbourne reported that no steps had been provided for the Stiles on this footpath. The Clerk was instructed to write again to Mrs Gooding & request that steps be provided for the two Stiles.

Annual Parish Meeting. It was agreed that the Annual Parish Meeting should be held on Wednesday 6th March - 40