

and Romington -

The Board direct that Mr. Sudpater's Bill of £1. be appointed and charged equally to and between the 3 parishes of Libertowold Barprestone and Romington accordingly

Resolved that the next Meeting of the Board be held on Thursday the 23rd day of January next at the Board Room of the Partry Union House at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Ordered that the following sums be paid by the Treasurer and orders upon him are made out accordingly:—

Mr. Pain, District Surveyor, General Account	}	1000.0.0
5 Checks of £200 each		
--- Do ---, Salary due 25 th September		71.5.0
Mr. Amerson, Clerk, --- Do ---		20.0.0
Mr. Hart, Clerk to Folkestone & Barham Downs Landpike Trust:—		
Contribution from Deulm		12.18.11
--- Do --- Barham		9.10.7
--- Do --- Woolton		1.14.11
Mr. Pain, for Mile's Bill		12.0.0
Taylor's Do		14.6.0
	}	1.6.6

Resolved that Mess^{rs} Toomer and Sandford 2 Members of the Board be and they are hereby authorized to sign the Orders of the Board made this day for payment of monies—

The Clerk produced and read Memorial to the Board— from Mr. King of Grove Ferry and others requesting their cooperation and that steps might be taken for the erection of a Swing or other Bridge over the River Stour there—

The Clerk is instructed to inform Mr. King that the Memorial had been laid before the Board but no proposition had emanated from it—

The Clerk read the District Surveyor's Report—

As to repairs of a Road leading from Sholden Church to the parish of Deal

The Clerk is directed (it being stated that the Road had never been repaired by the former Surveyors of Highways of the parish) to inform the Overseers that the Board could not interfere

until the Road in question had been adopted by the
parish in Vestry in manner directed by the Highway Act

The Clerk is also directed to make a similar communication
to the Overseers of Adisham in reference to a Road
leading from Adisham Street to Adisham Downs -

Thos Collett (Chairman)

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Ash Drainage & Water Supply

Read a letter from Mr Jamieson (Warrington Assistant) who had recently been to Ash station the present condition of the filter beds and that he had directed the large one to be laid aside for a week's rest. Also copy of report from Mr How upon the analysis of samples of sewage effluent made by him on the 31st ult. - The Clerk was directed to see Blutton with reference to irrigating more of the land belonging to the town with the sewage.

New Road & Bridge over Stour

Read a letter from the Local Government Board with reference to the application to loan £4500. asking to be supplied with a statement showing how the sum was made up, and stating that a Local Enquiry would be held on the subject by one of their inspectors as soon as the other engagements of the inspectors would permit they further stated with regard to the application that the Council for the issue of an order meeting them with the powers of section 154 of the Public Health Act 1875. that they were of opinion that the proceeding would not be necessary as they were advised that under the Highways and Bridges Act 1891 - the authorities concerned possessed sufficient powers to execute the improvement in question - The Clerk stated he had been in communication with the joint committee and had obtained the information required and he was directed to forward same.

Wingham Water Supply

Also a letter from the Wingham Parish Council asking what steps had been taken for increasing the supply of water for tanning the wheel also a letter from Mr W. S. Edgar upon the same subject - the clerk was directed to write Mr County and ask him to advise the Council on the subject when in the neighbourhood.

Road in Sholden

Also a letter from Mr J. E. Turner of Bonwell Road Warner asking if anything could be done to repair and improve the road leading from the Sandwich road at the side of Sholden Church. Resolved that Messrs Wilson & N. Supp & Co. be appointed a Committee to visit the spot referred to and report.

Worth Water Supply

Also a letter from Mr Bourneley with reference to this supply forwarding tenders from Mr Bond which he stated was not in his opinion excessive the subject was considered by and Mr Bond who was in attendance conferred with the Council thereon and it was Resolved unanimously that Mr Bond's tender amounting to £531. 18. 4 be accepted and that the Corporation seal of the Council be affixed thereto - the work to be completed within two months from this day - the Clerk to prepare the necessary bond in accordance with the conditions

Castery Water Supply

	£	s	d
Public Works Loan Commis	1	0	0
loan % over drawn	39	7	6
<u>Asht Drainage & Water Supply</u>			
J. E. Turner	1	2	6
<u>Yeann labour</u>	2	5	0
J. Betts & Co	1	15	3
Thos. Butler			4
<u>Steam Rolling</u>			10
Thos. Butler			21
<u>Materials</u>			122
H. Hobbs			3
M. Dueselid			127
<u>Wingham Agricultural</u>			52
Wingham Comis			1
J. Wilks			1
H. G. Paine			80
H. E. Blunt			
J. H. Morris			
E. Solley			
<u>District Surveyor</u>			
J. W. Watson			

Asht Drainage

The Clerk reported that Mr. Stone had offered £5 for the land at the sewage works for the year ending 11 October 1899 and it was Resolved that the offer be accepted. It was also Resolved that it be allowed to use the land for the further period of one year from the 11 October next for the sum of £5 on condition that the Council use any profits of the sewage works they may require for mitigation of the sewage and being liable for any compensation for damage.

caused thereby

Sanatorium

Read a letter from the Local Government Board with notices fixing the Inquiry for loan to amount £4500 for site and erection of Infectious Diseases Hospital for the 24th inst at 11, A. M., the Inspector being R. Deane writing to say M. B.

Provisional Orders

Received circular letter from the Local Government Board with instructions as to applications for Provisional Orders under the Public Health Act, 1875 in the Session of 1900.

Wingham Water Supply

Read a letter from D. Robinson calling attention to the danger to the above supply arising from the Hooper Works. The Clerk stated on receipt of the letter he at once communicated with Inspector of Municipalities & had also asked Mr. Courtney when he visited the works to report on the intention of visiting Wingham on the 21st or 22nd inst. The Clerk was directed to arrange for Mr. M. Stigar and Mr. M. W. Robinson to meet him.

Road in Shobden

The Committee appointed at the last meeting recommended that this road be repaired for a length of about 440 yards there being some 16 new houses built & four more in course of erection - they also reported that the boundary of Deal Road was in the centre of the road - Resolved that the surveyor prepare an estimate of the cost of the repair of the above length and that as soon as this is received, the Clerk write to the Deal Town Council

Resolved unanimously that this Council undertake to act under the Act as the 'Authority' in this district -

North Sandy Lane Ash

Also a letter from Mr. A. Gardner, Clerk of the Committee who undertook the survey of the material for this road had completed the work and that the Council's men had finished spreading it and that it would make a fine road when rolled but that at present it was too rough for traffic and stating that the Committee earnestly urged the Council to have it properly rolled at an early date - It was Ordered that the work be carried out.

Worth Water Supply

Also a letter from Mr. W. J. Green asking permission to have a junction placed in Bullock now being laid to Worth which his intention is that he could have the water laid on at any time.

It was Resolved that permission be obtained from the contractor for laying a main from the main in Worth Street to the Rev. W. Flowers' cottages.

Granville Terrace Wokingham

Also a letter from Messrs. G. & W. Wood & W. Bushell owners of four houses known as Granville Terrace in the Parish of Great Wokingham (Close to Wokingham Railway Station) asking the Council to make an asphalt path in front of the houses - a length of 69 feet - referred to the survey.

Road at Shrolden

The surveyor produced his estimate for this road amounting to £185- and the Clerk was directed to write to the Deal Town Council and enquire if they were willing to bear their proportion of the cost.

Sanatorium

The Clerk reported that the Local Inquiry was held on the 29th ult- and that there was no opposition to the application of the Council.

It was Ordered that Mr. Stephens' Road of Little Wokingham Farm Little Wokingham be registered as a cow-pen & Dairy under the Dairies cow sheds & Milk-shops Order 1885 -

The Inspectors & Surveyors reports were read and orders made thereon.

W. J. Green

Chairman

resident within 25 yards of the drain who
previous to the 31st December next applies in
writing to be supplied with water
It was also Resolved that the Clerk
prepare regulations and scale of charges similar
to those in force in the Parish of Easing and
produce them at the next Meeting for the
consideration and approval of the Council.
The Clerk was directed to obtain Tenders from
Mr Bond for the connection

Road at Sholden

A letter from the Deal Town Council was
read asking that a Committee of the Council
should meet a Committee of the Deal Town
Council with reference to the suggested improvement
in Sholden Church Lane. Ordered that the
Chairman Mr Wilson Mr Sage and Mr Bayly
a Committee to meet the Committee of the Deal
Town Council

Sanatorium

Read a letter from the Local Government
Board enclosing Order sanctioning the Loan of
£4500 the amount to be repaid in 28 years. The
Clerk was directed to write to the Local Government
Board pointing out that the application of the
Council was for a Loan to be repaid in 30 years
and asking that the Order might be amended

Medical Officer of Health's Report
The Report of the Medical Officer for the
past quarter was read

Water Committee

The following Report was read from the above
Committee was read:-

The Water Committee recommend

1. That £3 be paid to Mr Ethelbert Moot for
preparing and collecting the Easing Water Charges
for the quarter ending 30th September last

2. That Mr Ethelbert Moot Lewis be appointed to
collect the Water Charges in Easing and that he be
paid a salary at the rate of £5 per cent on the amount
collected

3. That in addition to the 3 Hydrants provided by
plans already adopted for the supply of North and
additional Hydrants be fixed in Filderland lane
and one additional Hydrant in the Village and
that the position of the Hydrants be left to the
Parish Council of North to decide and that a
stand pipe be also fixed at the end of Filderland
lane

4. That two additional Hydrants be provided for
Ash Mt - One by the Volunteer Guitton and one
by the Crooked Gullet New Street

5. That the key of the Stand Pipe near the
Prince of Wales Lane Quaintes Drive Woodchester
by kept in future by the Engineer at the Waterworks

It was Resolved unanimously that the
Report be adopted

Special Expenses

Resolved that Receipts be sent to the Treasurers
of the undiminished Parishes requiring them to
pay the undiminished sums to the Treasurer for
Special Expenses in the 1st February next and that

Board be accepted

New Road Townmouth to Monkton

Also a letter from the Public Works Loan Board stating that they regretted they were unable to entertain the application for the loan of £4500 for the above purpose having regard to the limited amount placed at their disposal by Parliament and to the amount of loans which they had already granted. A letter was read from the clerk of the joint committee stating that the cost of the work would probably exceed the estimate by £4500. Resolved that the clerk write to the Ecclesiastical Commissioners & ascertain if they will advance the amount required and if they will not, that he confer with Mr. Taylor with a view of advertising for tenders.

Waldershare

Also a letter from the Clerk of the County Council stating that the Local Government Act Committee of the Council would meet on 21st Inst and would then make an order for a fresh election to fill the casual vacancy for Waldershare.

Read at Holden

The Surveyor was directed to ask the Surveyor of Deal to arrange for such repairs of the road as may be absolutely necessary.

Eastry Water Supply

Resolved unanimously that the Clerk apply to the Public Works Loan Commissioners for the sum of £500 to cover the cost of the Eastry water supply making with the sum already advanced under the mortgage dated the 1st day of May 1899 the sum of £1000.

The application of Mr. G. F. Anderson for increased wages was considered & it was resolved that it be not entertained.

Eastry Water Supply

Mr. F. Pittcock applied for a special rate for his slaughterhouse & it was resolved that he be charged £3 per annum instead of £4.

Wm. L. King

Chairman

19th February 1900

An unimportant number of members absent & complete as necessary - Messrs. W. L. King, W. Wilson, W. L. King and J. King being the only members present.

Road at Sholden.

Read a letter from Mr J E Turner saying that this road should be repaired. The Clerk was directed to reply that the Council were doubtful as to the liability of the Public to repair the road and they could not undertake to spend money on its improvement.

Water Supply Cottages at Horded.

Read a letter from Mr R. Slopes Turner stating the owners of the property had taken the necessary steps to secure a full and suitable supply of water for these Cottages and applying for a certificate. Inspector to report.

The Inspectors & Surveyors reports respectively were read and orders made thereon.

Wm L Lloy
Chairman

the said sum to the credit of the Treasurer at the London & County Banking Company Limited, Lombard Street and it was Resolved unanimously that the Commission Seal of the Council be affixed to the said Mortgage and directions respectively.

A letter from the Clerk of the Court Comptrol was read asking that £1000 might be put into the joint Account at Lloyds Bank Messrs or before the 1st September; it was Ordered that a cheque be drawn at the next meeting.

Road at Staple

Read a letter from Messrs Robbins Baking & Co stating that the whole question of the repair of this Road was still open and asking the Council to state definitely whether they would repay them the sum of £8 or that amounts that had been expended or whether they would leave them to their legal advisers if defered.

Road near Upper Seal Park.

A letter was read from the Town Clerk of Seal acknowledging receipt of letter from the Clerk as directed at the last meeting. The Clerk reported that Mr J. Spinkston who occupied a house facing the Road had seen from the window that the road was almost impassable. It was decided not to alter the name to at the last meeting.

Ash Water Supply

Received tenders for extension of Water Mains (200 yards) as ordered at the last meeting as under

J. Ayling at 2/6 per yard - 57 1/2
S. V. Boid " " " " 70 ..

M^r Ayling also tendered for Stop Valve which would be necessary for £38.0

Resolved that M^r Aylings tender (including item for Stop Valve) be accepted.

Wingham Water Supply

It had a letter from M^r Elgar stating that he was not yet prepared to state what would be the Annual Cost of working the Engine recommended and that of an old Engine suggested by M^r Courtney, but that as soon as he had ascertained he would write again

Wingham Scavenging

Also a letter from M^r Palmer stating that Ellder had seen him and was willing to continue the scavenging for another year for £5 extra, making £8. The Clerk felt that the present contract would expire on 1st April. The Clerk was desirous to avoid what increase there had been in the rate to justify the increased cost.

North Water Supply

Also a letter from the Public Health Commissioners agreeing to lend £1000 for the above works for 21 years at 34 net per cent.

way of annuity.

Also a letter from M^r P. H. Pace asking for the Mains to be extended to supply some property at North belonging to M^r Raduck and known as "The Links" and from M^r G. S. Solley asking if the Council would extend the Water Mains a further distance along the Eastby Road for about 800 ft in the direction of Eastby.

It was Resolved that the Clerk write M^r Pace that the Council would say the same asked for to "The Links" on the same paying half the cost and to M^r Solley stating that the Council would say the additional man on the owners of the land on which the houses were to be erected paying 5/ of the cost.

It was also Resolved on the recommendation of the Water Committee that M^r G. H. P. of Stone Cross be supplied with Water for domestic and trade purposes for £3 per year.

Eastby Water Supply

Also a letter from M^r Holsom resigning his appointment as manager of Water Mains 18. The consideration of the letter was deferred.

Sanatorium

The Clerk reported that M^r Jennings was unable to meet the Committee that day, and he was directed to arrange for a meeting on the 26th Inst after the meeting of the Guardian.

Church Lane, Shalden

Read a letter from M^r Charles Watts

Main Roads.

The Clerk reported that the Mayor of Ipswich Staff & Miskin for the Roads in this District for £3334. 12. 6 had been accepted by the County Council.

Also a letter from Messrs F. W. Culbush Proprietors of the South Eastern Gazette stating that they proposed publishing from time to time full reports of the proceedings of the Hent County Council starting with the first meeting of the New Council and to issue the record quarterly in the form of a Quarterly pamphlet and enquiring if the Council would subscribe. It was Resolved not to subscribe.

Estimate

The Clerk produced estimate for the ensuing year amounting to £7866 and the same was approved.

The Inspector's reports were read and Orders made thereon.

W. C. Long C. Chairman

Auditor

8th August 1907

J. D. B. B. B.

calling attention to the condition of this lane. Resolved that the Clerk write in reply that the Council were of opinion that they were under no liability to repair it.

Road through Sandhills, Sandhills to Deal.

Also a letter from the Lower Clerk of Deal stating that the Lower Council had appointed a small Committee with a view of ascertaining if it would be possible to again open up the old road running through the Sandhills from Sandhills to Deal and asking if the Council would approve of the scheme. The Clerk was directed to inform the Lower Clerk of Deal that the Council did not feel justified in expending any of their funds upon the road and that it was questionable whether if they wished they could legally do so.

Weston.

The Clerk reported that in his opinion it would be better in the case of Mrs Brad to summon him before the Justice for all fully & retracting the passage of the footway instead of the Surveyor reconstituting it. A letter from Mrs Brad has addressed to the Surveyor was read.

Resolved that the Surveyor take the necessary proceedings against Mrs Brad of 12 Granville Terrace, Weston for willfully obstructing the passage of a footway at Deal and that Mrs F. A. C. E. B. be reimbursed with for the Council.

Church Lane - Sheldon

Read a letter from Mr Charles Watts advising
petition signed by the property owners and tenants who
property and residing in Church Lane Sheldon asking that
something should be done to remedy the present unsatisfactory
state of the Ford - deferred till next meeting -

The committee appointed at the last meeting to
consider the question of the footpath leading from the
East Office to the Eastby School recommended that the foot
path will be continued to the end of the footpath in front of the
church and the path made up.

Mr Lester stated that he would postpone his
motion with reference to footpath bill for the present

It was ordered that Frederick James Gupp of
Sheldon Farm Sheldon be required as a bookkeeper

Factory + Workshops Cick

Received from Mrs Harder, Cick, list of 6
workers employed by her

The surveyors and Inspector's reports were read
and orders made thereon

Wm Long
Chairman

22nd December 1902

At a Meeting of the Eastby Rural District Council held
this day

Present: Mr Long Chairman

Mr Lee Vice Chairman

Committees: Mr Tagg - Mr Inge - Mr Leaking
Rev. J. West - G. B. Miller - W. H. Brown - W. S. Fisher

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and confirmed

The Balance in the hands of the Treasurer this day on the
General Account is £1092 - 2 - 3 and on the Loan Account £959 - 9 - 6

Treasurer's Receipts

Water Charges	Donnerborough	18	8	2
do	Eastby	10	-	-
do	do	4	14	7
do	do	1	4	6
Chas. H. Buckley for 600 tons	do	20	5	1
Production	Contribution	46	-	-
Remoture	do	16	-	-
Water Charges	Rate	9	17	2
Trade	Contribution	43	-	-
Telephone	do	50	-	-
W. Ingham	do	109	-	-
W. Donnerborough	do	174	-	-
Ripple	do	32	-	-
Minington	do	114	-	-

Resolved that the following orders be drawn upon bank and
paid in the future

District Boards

The letter from the Clerk of the County Council with the papers which accompanied them were considered and it was resolved that the matter be referred to a committee consisting of the Vice-Chairman and Councillors Sapping and the Sgt. of the

Church Lane Station

The Station received at the last meeting was further considered and the Clerk was directed to write to the East London Council upon the subject

Received a letter from Mr. Lacey, Bowmaker Street, Ash, with reference to the state of one of the roads in the Parish - referred to Surveyor

Received from Mr. Johnson report with reference to the Documentary condition of the premises owned and occupied by Mrs. John Jiggle, Belle Dingleton and also the adjoining premises owned by Mr. Walsh and occupied by Mr. J. Wilson - Inspector to visit premises and report

Received a letter from the East London Council containing report of a committee which they had addressed to the Medical Officer of Health with reference to the Annual Report for the year 1902

The Inspectors and Surveyors reports were read and orders were given

Wm. J. Long
Chairman

main to be laid in such a manner and upon such lines as might be agreed upon by Mr. West Latham on the one side and an Engineer to be appointed by this Council on that for the site of the road. A letter from the Clerk of the Council (to whom the Clerk of the Council had also written) that they were inclined to think that the best suggestion of the Margate Corporation that they should exercise their power and if they did not arrange, merely pay for the same, and the adoption of such a course they would take no notice upon themselves.

It was resolved that it should be left to the Council of Margate to exercise their power as above mentioned

Northampton Water Supply

The Clerk stated that he had written to the East London Council Water Company in accordance with the resolution at last meeting and had received an acknowledgment from the same - a letter was read from the same Clerk of Margate and also of a letter which he had written to the Secretary of the company (in answer to a telephonic communication from him) in which he stated that the Margate Corporation would be pleased to carry out their statutory duty for the supply of water if called upon.

Eastley Water Supply

Received an application from the Sgt. of the Police for the supply of two houses in Eastley Street belonging to the same - granted

Waltham Water Supply

Also application from the same for a supply of two houses on the landwards and Eastley Street and same was granted

Wootton Bassett

On application of Mr Ernest Phillips for supply for his garden and orchard in his occupation at Church Lane Farm Wootton Bassett was granted with permission to use high pressure steam pipe through his private ground to the street, leading being used across the Public Road to the street.

Church Lane Sholden

Also letter from the Town Clerk of Deal in reply to me from the Clerk is directed at the last meeting stating that it would be prepared to consider any proposals made by the Council for putting the road in passable repair, the cost contributing a fair proportion towards the cost but he has said that as there were 34 houses on the Sholden side of the road and only one on the Deal side his Council could not be expected to incur any considerable outlay - he also pointed out that when the Committee of this Council and the Deal Council met some two or three years ago it was the opinion of the Council that the road was not repairable by the Public and that it was really a bad way - at the request of Mr Phillips question was further advanced.

Kent Electric Power Syndicate Limited

Also a letter from Mr Harrison, Clerk to the Deal Urban District Council, stating that his Council had decided to oppose the application of the above for a personal order for Electric Lighting and requesting whether the Council would be prepared to confer with the other three local authorities concerned a view to (a) combined application of the question of providing a scheme for lighting and traction or both (b) consideration of the question of lighting and traction or both (local authorities) a letter from Messrs Norman and Stajgal, promoters

order and also a further letter with reference to a proposed Light Railway between Lanchurch and Deal were also read - A letter from the Town Clerk of Deal stating that the Town Council would join the conference were also read - Resolved that the Chairman Mr. Chatterman and Mr. Coler be appointed to attend the conference on behalf of this Council.

With reference to the road to which Mr. A. Solley called attention at the last meeting, after considering a report by the Surveyor it was Resolved to refer the consideration of the matter for the present to the Medical Officer of Health.

The Medical Officer of Health read his report for the past quarter. The Clerk was directed to write to Mr. Clerk giving him notice that under the Factory and Workshops Act the Council would not be prepared to authorize, after the expiration of the current year the use of his underground Balthouse in Deal.

The Clerk was also directed to write to the Town Clerk of Margate pointing out that the cartage of the Water Pipes for the supply was causing considerable damage to the roads in the District and inquiring what his Council proposed to do in the matter.

The Medical Officer of Health reported that he had visited the Baitry Agency this morning and that the sewage works already carried out had effected a considerable improvement.

Petroleum Licenses

The Inspector (Mr. H. J. Luchford) reported that he knew of no reason why the whole of the Petroleum Licenses should not be renewed and it was Ordered that the unrenovated persons licenses be renewed for the year ending 31st December next and that the Chairman deal of the Council be applied thereto respectfully.

Mr. Long calling attention to the dangerous condition of this boundary road between Court Lodge Farm and Lion Lane and stating that an accident had already occurred to a horse belonging to his tenant (Mr. Lloyd) - they had therefore instructed their surveyor to put that portion of the road in temporary repair and asking this Council to bear their proportion of the cost, referred to surveyor.

The question of the repair of Church Lane near St. Helen's Church was again deferred.

Speech at Stroudmouth

Also a letter from Mr. J. V. Kelly explaining why this stream had not been cleared and stating he would make arrangements for being it done.

Marquise Water

Also a letter from Mr. J. J. Spill with reference to the proposed temporary closing of the road from Birmingham up the hill to the four turnings at Buxton - the clerk stated that on receipt of the letter he had written the surveyor on the subject and told him to see that no undue interference with the convenience of the Public took place.

Edmondstone

Also a letter from the East Kent District Water Company dated 24th ultimo stating that they had this day completed the laying of the main and the supplying of the water to Edmondstone in accordance with their quotation.

Birmingham Water

The clerk produced letters from the East Kent District Water Company dated 20th, 23rd + 24th ultimo with reference to a supply for the above parish and it was decided that the Company be asked to furnish a plan showing the proposed main on the east of the Council property a quantity in accordance with their letter of the 24th ultimo and that a receipt of such plan the matter be referred to the Birmingham

to old more work namely to carry out the work of some gardening - that a Ward Meeting also be appointed to scrub clean the places used water etc and that a Resident Nurse and Council be also appointed - they recommended that they should be authorized to appoint a Resident Nurse and Council and to arrange with the Surveyor for taking over the duties and to purchase the necessary furniture - It was decided unanimously that the above report be approved and that Mrs. J. A. Perry be appointed Nurse at a salary of £30 per annum and the Council be authorized to act in the appointment of Resident Nurse and Council as the purchase of furniture in accordance with the recommendation.

The clerk was directed to arrange with the Council reference to her being over her duties.

It appeared from the Sanitation report that (including Langley) there had been two patients discharged and one admitted since the last meeting leaving six Patients and treatment for several days.

Worcester Bridge

Read a letter from the Clerk of the Street Road Board Council enquiring whether this Council were willing to join them in making application to the West London Board for formally accept liability to keep the above in repair as Council firm with that of Street in applying to the Council as suggested.

Church Lane, St. Helen's

Also a letter from the Town Clerk of St. Helen's stating that at a meeting of the Special Sanitation Committee that morning the Borough Surveyor produced a letter

Wesby 16 February 1903

To the Chairman & Members
of the Wesley Rural District Council

Gentlemen

Dear

Best iron pipes left over at Downage Works

Mr. Blois informed me that the price of the
2 inch cast iron socket pipes was 1/6 per m. I had one
9 feet length weighed and it worked out at nearly
10/ for each pipe. If the open water at the main the
Electricity Turn in Ash Street between the main and
District roads is laid with pipes, 7 lengths of these
would come in at a very reasonable price.

Wesby

There are 2 surface holes rather high on the
footpath in Ashy Street in connection with the water supply
that require a little concrete outside, as the ground
round them has worn away. I wrote Mr. Birch and
he has given permission for this to be done. There are
also a few others that require a small quantity of
material not concrete round them, to make up the
surface of the path, and the Hydrant hole in front of the
5 Bell Turn needs raising to the level of the road.

Sixton Longshaw

I submit an Agreement the solicitors
of Mr. Phipps have sent for your review regarding
the line of the Stone Depot at East Stoddol.

Church Lane Stoddol

As instructed at last Meeting I have
inspected the length of this Lane between Gun Lane
and the Wesley District Boundary a little above
Bourne Lodge Farm. When there I saw Mr. Taylor

the tenant of the farm who told me that before the
 Royal Corporation repaired the road, the rut was so
 deep it was almost impassable. The length is 30
 rods. I should say with what has been done to it now
 that it will go in till another year. I inquired of the
 hapsonice as an old inhabitant if he ever knew of
 anything being done to the repair of the road, and he
 said that he had used the land adjoining for years
 and never remembered any repairs being executed by
 the Parish. There are 19 houses on the Sholden side
 between Gun Lane and the Tasty District Boundary.
 From what I was informed regarding the state of the
 road before being repaired I estimated the expense
 at £7. 3. 4 for the 30 rods -

Woodstonrough

I have received a letter from the clerk
 to the Parish Council regarding the bad state of the road
 from Woodstonrough Church to the Church Cottages, this
 road has never been repaired by the Highway Authority.
 The length from the Tasty Road to the lowest cottage is 30
 rods. I do not think much could be done to it at this
 time of year, but if the hedge and bank outside the
 Churchyard were cut back and brusked, and the higher
 portions of the road picked in and levelled into the rut
 and the mud in front of the cottages scraped off, and a
 load or two of fine gravel put on there if found to be
 necessary, the road would stand good all the summer.
 If it was to be repaired in the autumn it would require
 about 15 yards of gravel to do so.

Straw Pathing

Mr. Stantonrough has asked permission to take away
 his straw for 2 days this week on Tuesday & Wednesday to roll down
 Granite in at Water. As he will finish at 11 o'clock on Tuesday
 it will not hinder much. I have allowed him to do so

has repaired
 4 rods

with the
 stone fire

When next
 to turning
 for traffic
 vehicles
 sent to go

Kent Electric Power Syndicate

Received from Messrs Geo. & Co. answers to a copy of Local Authorities addressed by them to the Board of Kent and also letter from the Board of Kent asking to be furnished with the observations of the Board thereon. The Clerk stated that on receipt of the above he had communicated with the Local Board of Kent and that a meeting of the Committee would be held at 3.30 on the 4th. It was resolved that the Resident Clerk attend such meeting.

Read a letter from the Local Board of Kent with reference to damage to the Road by the carriage of the Water Works materials had before them the report of the Engineer on the road in question namely the New Road from Puck's Hill Bridge through Sturminster a distance of about 1/4 mile and that report of the Engineer clearly showed that had been no extraordinary traffic so that the Committee were unable to recommend the Board to take any steps in the matter. The Clerk was desired to acknowledge the receipt of the letter and state that the road were damaged by the carriage of the Water Works persons causing such traffic would be held responsible.

Petroleum Licence

The Wingham Agricultural Implements Co. Limited applied for a renewal of their licence and it was resolved that the same be granted and that the Clerk of the Board be afforded Month's

Church Lane - Skelton
The letters from the Town Clerk of Skelton

reference to this road were further considered and a letter was prepared by the Surveyor from Mr. J. H. Lepp of Skelton who stated he had used the land by the side of the road for 20 years and had never known it repaired by the Public - The Clerk was desired to write to Mr. Skelton for further particulars as to the portion of the road recently repaired by the Local Board.

Wotton-Burgate Water Supply

Applications from L. Rogers and J. Dyer for supply of Water were received and granted subject to compliance with regulations. The Inspectors and Surveyors reports were read and orders made thereon.

The Surveyor produced to the Board and Benjamin Francis Popham of Breckingham Manor on the boundary of Norfolk for hire of a Stone Jetty at East Church - the quantity of work being 10 perches and the rent £1. per annum.

The agreement to commence on the 1st April next and to be determined by either party at any Michaelmas or Lady Day on the month previous notice in writing.

The Clerk was authorized to sign the agreement on behalf of the Board.

John Long
Clerk

Lord & Leitch Power Syndicate

The clerk produced correspondence which had taken place between Messrs Norman Gifford and himself since the last meeting and in pursuance of Notice duly given by the Board considered the question of consenting to the application of the Lord & Leitch Power Syndicate for a Provisional Order - in consequence of Messrs Norman Gifford not having replied to the last communication from the clerk it was Resolved that the consideration of the subject be adjourned to the next meeting unless the clerk is satisfied with concessions quoted by Messrs Norman Gifford in the meantime and if he is so satisfied he is authorized to certify the amount of the loan and subject to his modification as he may think fit

Church Lane Station

I had a letter from the Town Clerk of Great Witley one from the clerk as directed at the last meeting explaining the circumstances under which the portion of the road adjacent to the Church Lane Station had been repaired by the Clerk for the Board

It was Resolved that whilst declining to admit the liability of the Public to repair any portion of the above road the Board should on this occasion pay half the cost incurred by the Board in the circumstances mentioned in their letter of the 25th instant etc.

It was also Resolved with reference to the post as a whole that the Board decline to repair it.

Also a letter from the Town Clerk of Mespil in reference to one from the clerk with reference to damage to the road near the station stating that he would lay it before the next meeting of the committee

Joint Committee (Medical Officer of Health)

Also a letter from the clerk of the Joint Committee stating that the expenditure for the half year ended 29th September last was £19-13-5 - the proportion payable by this Board being £1-19-3 and a cheque was ordered to be drawn therefor

Credit

Received notice from the Auditor of his intention to audit the accounts for the half year ended 29th September last on the 16th instant at 11.15 A.M.

Stone Birket Shrubbery

The clerk stated he had received a verbal agreement from Mr. Appham duly signed

Ostimate (Highway)

The Surveyors estimate for the ensuing year was considered the amount for Section one being £3695-6-8 and for Section two being £2103-11-5 making together £5798-17-11 it was Resolved to reduce the quantity of gravel for Oak Parade by 40 yards and to add thereto 40 yards of picked flints and also to add 40 yards of picked flints for the Parade at Witley - the additions increasing the total estimate by £20 - subject to these alterations the estimate was approved and it was ordered that arrangements be entered for the same to be sent in by the 26th instant and that in all cases persons tendering for material be required to state when they propose to draw the stones intended for and that spreading stones for the same being be included in the tender for paving

The Surveyors and Inspectors reports were read and orders made thereon

Resolved that at the next meeting the Council will re-appoint the Inspector of the same

Wm. Long
Chairman

them - see Inspectors Report.

Church Lane - Shelton -

Also a letter from the Town Clerk of Deal enclosing account for the Ministry of cost of repairing portion of Church Lane, Shelton as agreed amounting to £11-15-10 - ordered that the amount be paid.

Water Supply (Worh) -

Resolved on the recommendation of the Committee that the minimum rate of supply be allowed to the Water for the Garden on payment of 2/- per annum -

The Inspectors and Surveyors Reports were read and order made thereon.

W. B. Long

Chairman

She also reported that she had secured the services of Miss Mabel Steward of Littlehampton as Probationer for 6 months without salary.

Resolved that a Dept. Steam Sprayer - some

Macintosh Sluicing for a least 12 Beds - 2 sets of Water Pillows and two hot Water Bottles be obtained and that arrangements be made of possible for a man from the Workhouse to assist in pumping - it was also decided to advertise for Old Lanes.

Water Supply -

Read a letter from Mrs. J. Banks of the asking she could get no Water for her broods & Cracks & holes - The Clerk was directed to suggest that Run Water Tanks should be made.

Motor Cars -

Also a letter from the Wokingham Road Bus Council enclosing copy of a resolution passed by the Council against any extension of the present limit for Motor Cars and in favour of all dues being levied, such license to be forfeited on conviction exceeding the legal speed limit. It was unanimously resolved to adopt the resolution.

Wootton Bassett Water Supply -

Also a letter from Mr. G. Brown in answer to one from the Clerk explaining the circumstances which he had tapped a Main in Wootton Bassett application had been made to the Council.

Also a letter from Mr. J. Edmunds explaining to some extent at Wokingham reported upon by Inspector explaining the steps taken by him.

a rental of 25/- per annum

New Road

Read a letter from Mr Taylor, Clerk to the Council, explaining what was proposed to be done with the documents in the possession of the Council and it was decided to agree to the suggestion.

Margate Water District Roads

The Committee approved at the last meeting that they had met the Town Clerk of Margate, the Engineer and the Contractor, at Stourmouth on the 11th inst and conferred upon the state of the roads and had suggested to the Margate Corporation that they should pay £200 and the Council should have the roads once relieving them from all further liability. Clerk read correspondence between Mr Bean, Mr Bean and himself since the above meeting from which appeared that Mr Bean had applied to the Margate Corporation to assist him in paying the fees so that the question would be considered by them.

Youngington Water Supply

Read a letter from the Chairman of the Council forwarding copy of a resolution passed by the Council requesting the Council to ask the Corporation to continue the mains from South to Beatham Bottom (a distance of about 2 1/2 miles) upon the same terms as those upon which the mains are being laid in the Parish. The Council was directed to communicate with the Corporation asking them to accede to the request.

The Clerk produced correspondence between Mr W Peley and himself with reference to the Treasurer complained of by Mr Peley and stated he had also seen Mr Peley on the subject who was willing if the Council would meet him to be at half the expense of the work or if the Council preferred he would find either the paper or the labour. Resolved that Mr Peley be asked to find the paper, the Council finding labour.

The Clerk reported with reference to the letter from the Secretary of the Conique Port Golf Club read at the last meeting that he was unable to find the undertaking in 1894. He was referred to ^{the Council} but had not yet received a reply.

Church Lane - Sholden (see Minutes 14 December last)

A further letter was read from Mr Charles Watts with reference to the repair of the road and intimating the intention of the ratepayers to appeal to the County Council - The Clerk stated he had written to Mr Watts as to the owners and ratepayers putting the road in order and it was decided to await a reply to this letter.

Footpath, Eastly

The Committee approved on the 26th October last reported that this path required slight repairs and recommended that a Bricklayer be employed to do what is necessary - the report was adopted.

Woodnesborough Water Supply

The Inspector reported that Mr Buley had been using water for his stock without any arrangement with the Council - The Clerk stated he had written to Mr Buley on the subject and a letter from Mr Buley in reply was read - The Inspector was directed to obtain further information.

Mr. Long Mr. Wells
collect Mr. Ford's
account

yards of flints. Mr. Ford will give the chalk only
charging for carriage, and the flints could be
delivered in the road @ 3/6 per yard. The cost would
be about £6. Mr. Ford will erect a fence round
the pond, and put up a gate for the public to get in
for water.

Sholden Church Lane

Mr. Minister drew our attention
to the want of a road well at the head of this lane
to prevent its being flooded after rain from
surface water off the main District roads. The
water comes from the County Councils Main Road
the Local Corporation roads and a little from the
Easton District. I bring this suggestion before you
to know if you would like to get at the bottom, which
could be done by road collecting.

Collect to write
to County Surveyor

I submit the following
accounts for payment

✓ G. H. Bass	20. 8. 4	materials
✓ G. Holliday	" 6 3	"
✓ Mr. Baker	per	
✓ Mr. Nuttall	37. 10 "	"
✓ Wingham Co	50. 1. 8	"
✓ H. H. Parker	1. 1 -	"
✓ D°	12. " "	Team labour
✓ D° 14. 16. 3	1. 15 3	Steam Pitting Team labour
✓ H. Davison	11. 11 -	D° W° D°
✓ D° 13. 14. 1	2. 9. 4	Team labour
✓ Mr. Myers	" 4. 6	D° D°
✓ D° 2. 0. 0	1. 17. 6	Steam Pitting Team labour
✓ J. Fox	2. 17. 3	D° D° D°

Carried Forward £ 1311. 13. 1

Account

Wastrey 2nd August 1904

To the Chairman & Members
of the County Rural District Council
Exeter
Ash

With reference to the water cow
since Messrs Brisley have had it repaired, they
find after washing & cleaning the wheels that
2 felloes are very much decayed which require
renewing, also 1 rod split w^h will need a fresh one

Wastrey

Mr Brendley the builder informs me
that the Landlord of the cottage in Church Street
where the chert wall to keep up the path was not
continued when the other was done has now
consented to do it at his own expense, and has
given him (Mr B) the order, so that will complete
the wall from the Post Office to the School Alley.

Water Main, Ash, Wastrey, Kingham & North

Mr Foster in compliance with Mr
Alfred Satter submits tracings of the water mains
showing the hydrants in the above Parishes where
water can be obtained for the Main Roads.

Sholden, Church Lane.

Mr Foster has received a reply
from the County Surveyor stating that the County
Council will pay £3 as their proportion
towards the cost of road work, and from the
Surveyor to the West Corporation that they will
pay £6 towards it, which I submit,
leaving £3 for the Wastrey Authority to pay.
If the depth of 18 feet will answer the purpose
may not amount to the above sum.

Word to be amended
see.

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Rushby 13 September 1901.

To the Chairman & Members
of the Rushby Rural District Council
Gentlemen
Rushby

The cast iron grating that
was fixed sometime ago near the Cross, some
years by this Council and the County Council
at the commencement of the drain that takes
the surface water from Will Lane across under
the main road to the pond in Rushby Street by
Hind's shop has got broken in 2 places, but
no one seems to know. There is no danger at
present, but I would suggest that it would be
as well to have a new one. I can inform
the County Surveyor respecting it.

To be done

Rushby

I have had a letter from
Mr Bradley, Statenborough, asking for a drain
pipe to be laid in the water table at Holden
Lane where the private road branches off to
his house. He says after rain much water
collected there. I acknowledged his letter
but informed him I thought it was doubtful
if you would lay pipes there as his was a
private road and the water table was sufficient
for the highway.

Referred

Holden Road Well

The road well is now completed
The arrangement was, the local Corporation
to pay 2, the County Council to contribute
the expense not to exceed a total of £10.
The entire work although the work was done

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three feet deeper than at first specified was £10.10.6 which includes casting away the Chalk, so that the apportionment will be

Coal Corporation	£5.5.3
County Council	2.12.8
Wesley Council	<u>2.12.7</u>
	<u>£10.10.6</u>

Mr Jeffords Bill has been placed before the Finance Committee today for payment amount £9.15.6 and I will send the Deal and County Council surveys and account of what they are owing.

I submit the following accounts for payment

H. H. Baker for			
Mr Nuttall	37.10.0	Materials	
Joseph Foss	63.24.1	"	
W. H. Parker	57.10.0	"	
Wingham Co	252.1.8	"	
"	15.12.1	"	
D. Stone	270.4.8	2.11.0	Steam Rolling
J. Sheaff	19.0.1	Materials	
"	3.17.1	Team labour	
D. K. 5.8.9	12.9	Steam Rolling Team labour	
H. Jones	8.8.1	Team labour	
D. K. 3.10.6	7.61	Steam Rolling Team labour	
Wm. G. Trotton	24.3.31	" " "	
"	4.3.3	3 " " Team labour	
"	15.0.1	"	
D. K. 0.19.6	4.6	Steam Rolling Team labour	
"	4.61	" " "	
D. K. 1.13.0	15.6	Team labour	
Current Account	447.3.8		

3 bills £9.15.9

Salaries Contd.

1144	W. Goodwell	Assistant Surveyor	160
"	M. K. Robinson	Medical Officer	24 1/2
"	W. C. Page	Inspector	26 5
<u>Sanatorium</u>			
123	E. S. Ashton	Major	12 1/2
"	Walter Hayes	Nurse	5
"	W. Gibbons	Barstler	7
"	J. F. Rogers	for Gate slab	3 1/2
"	Dewson Brothers	for Dushes etc.	9
"	S. Gornston	Bill	4
<u>Country Water Supply</u>			
127	S. Harding	quarters salary to 30 th instant	2 1/2
"	E. Mout	Collector	5 1/2
<u>Chelmsford Water Supply</u>			
128	The Corporation of Mangate payment under guarantee		27 6
<u>Wingham Water Supply</u>			
128	Wingham Agricultural Implements Limited		4 1/2
<u>Other expenses</u>			
119	Kentish Observer	Advertising	7
"	S. W. Swindell	Notice to Medical Officer of Health	5
"	Madden Best & Co	Stationers	7
"	E. Baker	Premium on Insurance	5
"		Audit Stamp	5

Water Supply Act

Read a letter from Messrs G. W. & Co with reference to the water supply to Motland Farm. Asking the Council would lay the main as far as the gates as in the Council would be a much better course of others wanting a supply it would be a much better course than their carrying a private connection across from Guildon. It was decided that the owners - make the necessary connection

Road near Crooked Pile

Also a letter from Messrs Thompson & Sons agreeing to the Council doing the work on the road in front of the Crooked Pile Inn at the estimated cost of £12 15 0. The Clerk stated he had instructed the Assistant Surveyor to have the work carried out

Seavering Wingham

Also a letter from Mr Richard Deverson Home Farm Wingham with reference to obtaining the use of the sanitary cart for emptying his cesspool. It appeared from the statement of Mr Maxonally that the scavenger was willing to empty the cesspool free of charge and under the circumstances the Clerk was directed to state that the Council could not grant the use of the cart except on payment of 2/6 the usual charge

Cost laying on Main Roads

Also a circular letter from the Blean Rural District Council forwarding copy of a letter which they had addressed to the Kent County Council in reply to a letter from them on the above subject. The Clerk was directed to acknowledge the receipt of the letter.

Country Water Supply Herndon

No further suggestion was received by the Council and the question was again deferred

Also a letter from Mr F. S. G. Epworth with reference to the repair of a road forming the boundary between Deal and Walmer and which had been made five years ago by the Deal Corporation. The road now required repairing and he asked this Council to bear half the cost. The Clerk was directed to reply to the letter and inquire if Mr Epworth was willing to throw the footpath on the Deal side of the road

into the roadway make it up to the satisfaction of the Council if they undertook to repair it afterwards.

Sanatorium

The Motion was asking if the Council would supply a Plane for the use of the Nurses in consideration of the isolation and monotony of their lives - the consideration of the question was deferred for a month.

The Chairman reported that certain repairs printing was required and it was decided to obtain estimate for the work.

It also appeared that the Telephone wires required sketching and the Clerk was directed to write to Mr. Gibson on the subject.

Audit

Received notice from the District Auditor of his intention to audit the accounts of the Council for the half year ended 31st March last on the 18th October next at 11 a.m.

The Inspector's and Surveyor's reports were read and orders made thereon.

Wm E Long Chairman

Mrs. E. J. Long
17th Oct 1905
Secretary

- 10th October 1905 -

At a Meeting of the Barrow Rural District Council held this day -

Present: Mr Long Chairman
 Mrs Vice Chairman

Councillors A Gardner - W. S. Lister - Rev. S. H. Sargent
 Mr J. J. Holt - H. Capeling

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and confirmed.

The Balance in the hands of the Treasurer this day is £320 - 8 - 0

Receipts

Preston Contribution	59	.	.
Water Charges Eastrey	14	16	6
Newton Contribution	10	.	.
Chilenden do	10	.	.
Water Charges Woodnesborough	2	5	6
do Woth	2	8	5
Felmarstone Contribution	34	.	.
Water Charges Ash	22	17	10
Woodnesborough Contribution	112	.	.
Wingham do	55	.	.
Wythorne do	40	.	.
Water Charges Wingham	31	4	10
Wingham Contribution special expenses	8	15	2

Resolved that the following Orders be drawn upon

Sanatorium

The Clerk stated he had been in communication with Mr Atwell with reference to the telephone at the Sanatorium which was not altogether satisfactory and he had undertaken when the wire had stretched a little more to tighten it up - It was Ordered that when this is done the account for the work rendered by Mr Atwell be paid.

An Application was received from Mr W. Gibson caretaker, for an increase of salary and it was Resolved that he be paid £10-0 for the current quarter and for the expiration of that period at the rate of £30 per annum. Two tenders were received for painting the outside of the building and the consideration thereof deferred in order that the estimate for the Iron Hospital might be separately given.

Joint Water Supply Sandwich Bay

The Clerk produced terms of Agreement approved by Lord Salford solicitors with undertaking to execute formal Agreement and it was Resolved that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed thereto.

Coastly Water Supply

Applications were received for Water Supply to be lodged in the occupation of Captain Barbara Poter and to Cottage belonging to Mr Brown in High Street Coastly and were granted subject to compliance with the Council's regulations.

Water Supply

An application from Mr W. Warham for Water supply to two New Houses at Stone Cross was granted subject to compliance with regulations.

Read a letter from Mr. Spinkstone in reply to one from the Clerk as ordered at the last Meeting stating that Mr Spinkstone would be quite willing to throw her path into the road and make it up if the Council would then take it over with their half of the existing road in the same way that the Road Authority took over their half and stating he should be much obliged if the Surveyor could let him have an estimate for the necessary work the Surveyor was instructed to prepare estimate.

General Expenses

Resolved that to provide the Council with funds estimated to be requisite for defraying their general expenses for the current half-year Precepts under the Common Seal of the Council be issued to the Overseers of the undermentioned Parishes requiring them to pay the undermentioned sums to the Treasurer on or before 1st November and the 1st February next:

Parishes	Payable	
	Assessable Value	1 st Nov 1905 1 st Feb 1906
Wick	10225	327
Burfootone	363	10
Bethanger	557	15
Chilender	363	10
Coastly	4866	132
Colmaton	716	20
Coythorne	1976	54
Goodenstone	1865	51
Ham	408	11
Knowlton	369	10
Mengeham Great	1403	38
Mengeham Little	706	19
Newton	4575	124
Northbourne	3007	82
Carried fwd	31399	903
		899

The question of providing a Piano was further considered and it was Resolved on the proposal of the Rev'd J. H. Argent seconded by Mr Fogg that the matter be considered this day six months.

Chilwellenden Water supply

Read a letter from the Rev'd J. O. Brown with reference to the amount payable by the Parish of Chilwellenden under the arrangement for the water supply stating that the feeling in the Parish in opposition to the special rate was intensified by the consideration that the District Council did not keep the Parish Council informed as to the possible cost and as to the terms entered into. The letter was considered and

The Clerk produced draft reply to that purpose stating that this Council could not admit that they failed to keep the Parish informed of the steps taken in the matter and of the probable cost - also stating the facts showing that the Council had acted throughout in accordance with what they believed to be the wishes of the Parishioners and that they could not now alter the agreement. It was Resolved unanimously that the letter be approved and forwarded to Mr Brown

Wingham Water supply

The Committee appointed at the last meeting reported that the property of the Council on the site of the Pumping Station consisted of 1/2 acre fenced in by a spring three three water pumps (2 speeds) and a cast iron water wheel about 80 yards of 5 bar 3/4" fence about 5' 6" high (cost about 2/6 per yard) 21 bar iron pipes socketed about 24" x 18" (cost about 4/ each) - Mr F. M. Beger on behalf of the Wingham Agricultural Company offered £5 for the wheel and

pumps as they stood - the cost of removal and breaking out to be borne by them

The Clerk was directed to look up the correspondence with Messrs J. Webb & Co with reference to the fence.

With reference to the repairs of the Mains the Committee expressed an opinion that the damage was caused by the reason of the soil in which they were laid being soft and of their being too near the surface. Mr Beger was suggested a Pressure reducing Valve but the Committee recommended that having regard to the number of joints already dealt with the Council should not go to the expense of a Valve as suggested until it was seen to be necessary - it was Resolved that the Committee's recommendation be adopted.

Woodnesborough Water supply Grove Farm.

Read letters dated 23rd ultimo and 2nd instant from Mr F. M. Beger with reference to the position of the Meter fixed for the above supply pointing out that they found the stop cock in the position in which it is fixed the Meter so that one cover should do for both they offered to provide and fix a non-Mantole cover if desired for £2.12.0 Clerk to ascertain cost of meter and fixing

Drainage of Road at Heavy Down Wingham

The letter from Messrs J. Webb & Co read at the meeting was further considered and it was Resolved to accept the terms offered by them

Read a letter from Mr F. B. Beptonstone with reference to the road at Upper Deal forming the boundary between Deal and Sholdon stating that Mr B. Beptonstone was willing to pay the cost of making the part of the road and footpath in Sholdon Parish as estimated by the

Surveyor of the Council would then take the minutes.
The Clerk was directed to reply that on the
work estimated for by the Surveyor being done
road and that in accordance with the future repairs of the
received they had instructed the Surveyor to carry
out the work.

An application of Mr. Green Kemp for a supply
of water for New House on Sandwich Road was
granted.

The Surveyor's and Inspector's reports, reports
were read and orders made thereon.

Wm. E. Long Chairman

— 21st November 1905 —

At a Meeting of the Eastleigh Rural District
Council held this day:

Present: Mr Long Chairman
Geo Geo Chairman

Councillors: A. Gorman M.C. Spring S. S. Stedden
W. J. Foster Regd. S. H. Argent
H. J. Walker Sumpster.

The Minutes of the last meeting were read and
confirmed.

The Balance due to the Treasurer this day is £29.7.10

Resolved that the following bills be drawn upon him
and paid in the ledger:-

<u>Sanatorium</u>	
175	158
182	
42	

Sanatorium

Mr Foster reported that the Report had explained
of the running of the Telephone line and he suggested

Assistant Surveyor

W. G. Cozelle

Sanatorium

S. Mout Water charges

Sanatorium

The committee recommended that a heap of the and rubble on the ground be removed by copying the undertaking to remove it free of cost the Council

Stour Bridge

Read a letter from Frank Mission Limited in reference to the wood pavement slaking that was laid there was as usual expansion plates left in place but it appeared that instead of those being the to the surface had taken place as it appeared from time to time the surface had evidently been worked and the tar allowed to run into the expansion joints and at hard thereby defeating its object. The suggested that one of the roadmen should do the expansion joints out to the full depth of the road and the paving would then doubtless have some take its proper bed - they feared however that the been so long off it, led that it might not be a situation. If the course suggested did not seem recommended that it be taken up and a new surveyor instructed to have expansion joints done

Encroachment at Holden

Read a further letter from Messrs. B. & J. from which it appeared that their client had proposed to resist the order of the Council in that the surveyor should stump off the portion

which the custom fence was to be set back - However to see Mr. Cozelle and afterwards to see Mr. G. and point out where fence is to be placed.

Tilmanstone Water supply

Received from the East Kent Water Company account for the past year from which it appeared that the amount received by them for water was £. 56 - 18 - 10 leaving a balance of £. 0 - 1 - 2

Read a letter from the Secretary of the Central Chamber of Agriculture with copy of the following resolution which had been unanimously passed at the last meeting of the Council of the Central and Localised members of Agriculture on the 6th inst.

"That local authorities should enforce with more vigour the Acts to prevent adulteration and that failing this pressure should be brought upon them by the Board of Agriculture"

Church Lane Holden

Read a letter from the Clerk of the County Council stating that they had received a complaint with reference to the non-repair by the Council of a road known as Church Lane Holden and asking whether the road was correct by accident as being in the County Council District and if so upon what ground the Council declined to repair it if that allegation was correct

The Clerk was directed to reply that so far as this Council is informed the lane in question is an occupation road about 4 feet wide, which forms the boundary between the Public and Holden and has never been repaired by the Public. One half of the lane is in this district

Costs estimate

- at money analysis and Report dated 11/11/71
- Special District towards transportation
- Special winter
- Expenses for 1971-72 Special Report
- Books accounts
- W. A. Clark Clark

Received a letter from Dr. Anderson asking about
on behalf of the local and national groups in the
then in course of action on local level and the
discussion of the letter to this with existing
letter written by him on the 2nd August to the
District on the subject suggesting that he should
be an arrangement with the local group to
the message from the group and then
that would be the way and the money was not
was a request the letter must be substantially
submitted or removed as to be absolutely correct
in the conference of the District through the
which that the local group has been written power
Action of the Public Health Act 1971 referred
shown by letter of the local government District
Request that the local group in the
provision have to inform the board of health
arrange arrangements

Also a letter from the local District with paper
a letter from the local District to the
which was obstructed by National Health and
not the great danger which would be to
just and the national report for the

James Bridge

Also a letter from the James Road District
suggesting that the water supply should be
water. It was suggested that the local
that James Road District should be
to do the work at once.

Water Supply

Also a letter from the James Road District
that it was their intention to provide that the
of the Districts opposite to the water supply
grant a free supply of water.
It was suggested that the local
later at the meeting on the 16th August by
the committee and things to be an arrangement
to provide water.

Also a letter from the National Telephone Company
applying for permission to erect a series of poles on the
one of the area having first to receive approximately
at least on a plain and therefore for the purpose of
substituting telephone communication for
District. It was suggested that the
District Council. Requested that the

Church Lane Station

Also a letter from the Church Lane Station
District at least long (1000 ft) length
possibility of this road and asking that the
might be obtained in the local area
the road in question and it is
by the Council.

Given to Mr. E. W. Walter Sumpter on his 6th birth
County Alderman

The Clerk produced further correspondence being built at Great Mongeham and also a copy of the Owner and Builder Mr. H. J. Hoston of St. Mary's Mill Ford Deal from which it appeared that was willing to drain into a cesspool well built absolutely water tight and maintained in proper water tight and to be inspected at any time by the Surveyor to the Valmer District Council and also promised that the drainage should be laid and properly jointed and that he would do everything in his power to avoid any possibility of contaminating the Water supply - the Clerk stated that the Council were not in a position to require Mr. Hoston to do more than this and it was directed to write to Mr. Hoston to his offer.

Stow Bridge

Deal a letter from the Clerk to the Clerk of the District Council that they had written for estimate for carrying out the work of wood paving

Wingham Water Supply

Deal a letter from the Town Clerk of Wingham for permission to make a connection with the main for the purpose of supplying two cottages at Bamberge for which they had undertaken to give a supply.

It was Resolved that the necessary permission given on condition that the work was carried out with an expense to this Council - that the connection pipes be

kept in repair by the Margate Corporation and that the Council be allowed the quantity of water used by the Cottages in addition to the Three million gallons they are already entitled to for Wingham

The Clerk reported that he had been in communication with the Clerk of the County Council with reference to the claim for £3,111-1 produced at the last meeting and so far as he could learn it was surface drainage works at Deal - it appeared from the ledger that the pipes used belonged to both Parish and were purchased by the Council for £5-5-0 of which the County Council contributed one-half It was Ordered that the amount be paid

Church Lane Holden

Deal a letter from the Town Clerk of Deal stating that the Town Council had received a letter from Mr. Charles Watts complaining of the condition of the road between Sun Lane and South Wall Road and asking the Council to take some steps to put it in order and mentioning that he had written to this Council who had replied to the effect that it did not appear to be a road repairable by them - he also stated that three or four years ago the road was put in order by their Surveyor at the joint expense of this Council and the Borough of Deal and that there could be no doubt this Council were jointly liable with Deal - The Clerk stated he had referred to the correspondence which had taken place on this subject between the Town Clerk of Deal and himself in February and March 1903 from which it appeared that the repairs were referred to were ordered by the Town Council of Deal previous to communication with this Council and that on the 2nd March 1903 he wrote to the Town Clerk of Deal in accordance with a resolution passed by this Council as

follows: "That this Council whilst declining to assume any liability for the repair of this road, will, under the circumstances mentioned in your letter of the 23rd, pay your Council one half of the cost incurred."

Resolved that the Clerk write in reply that the Council ^{has} always contended that the road in question is not repairable by the Public.

Sandwich Bay Estate Water Supply.

The Clerk produced agreement with Lord Suffolk for supply of water to the Sandwich Bay Estate to Bulford undertaking to pay all expenses necessary to extend the main to the Estate and the Council to receive 8^d per 1000 gallons for water supplied. New Agreement with Albert H. Bell 4th for carrying out extension of the Mains the Council entering into the Agreement on the indemnity of Lord Suffolk. The Ordered that the deal of the Council be affixed to the Agreements respectively.

The Clerk reported that Messrs S. & J. and J. M. Goodson had offered to allow an easement over a meadow belonging to them to enable the main to the Sandwich Bay Estate to be more conveniently laid upon condition that they received a free water supply to stock grazing in the meadow (containing about 3 1/2 acres) that the fees in the meadow were not injured and that any damage done in laying the main was put right free of expense to them. The Clerk also reported that Lord Suffolk was desirous that the Council should enter into agreement suggested with Messrs Goodson would indemnify the Council against losses and would undertake to pay the sum of 20^{/-} per annum to the Council for supply of water for the

The Clerk was instructed to accept Messrs Goodsons offer of the easement and to prepare agreement subject to Lord Suffolk giving the necessary indemnity and undertaking to pay the sum of 20^{/-} per annum for the water to be supplied to Messrs Goodson and the cost of connection Messrs Goodson to find the tank.

Wardwellers

Also a letter from the East Botford District Council with copy resolution passed by them in favour of a tax of not less than 4^d per annum being levied for each travelling van used as a dwelling and asking this Council if they agreed with it to pass a similar resolution and send it to the Chancellor of the Exchequer.

Resolved unanimously that the above resolution be adopted.

Also a letter from the Resident Engineer at Dover stating that the Telegraph Pole at Beckholt had been shifted well into the bank. The Clerk stated that he had ascertained from the Assistant Surveyor that the position of the pole was now satisfactory.

Lanternium

It was Resolved on the recommendation of the Mayor that the price be allowed £2 per annum in being Beer. The Mayor asked that some indemnity about 24 good Mr. Lister reported for the building; referred to the Committee lightning conductor as it was dangerous at present. It was Resolved that the Clerk give notice to the Insurance Office that a telephone had been fixed and that Mr. Bishop of Canterbury be asked to report as to what is necessary to be done.

Clitenden Water Supply

Received account for the year ended 23rd Dec^r under the guarantee was £25. 1. 11

Church Lane Holden

Read a further letter from the Town Clerk reiterating his opinion as to the liability of the Boy and Rural Councils to put this road in parcels & the Clerk was directed to acknowledge the receipt of the letter and state that the Council adhere to this decision

Great Monketon

The Clerk stated that he had written Mr Hardman as directed at the last meeting and had also pointed out to him the desirability of endeavouring to arrange for the drainage of the House into the Walmer sluices and a letter in reply from Mr Hardman stating that he agreed with the observation and had obtained a promise from Mr Horton to call with the Walmer surveyor with the object of getting the houses drained into the Walmer sluice.

He also reported that he had written Mr H. G. Stanborough with reference to the report of refusal complained of by the Walmer Council (see Stanborough report) and a letter from Mr Stanborough in reply was read stating he had made arrangements for removal of the refuse

Telephone Poles

Received form of agreement with reference to Telephone Poles to be erected by the National Telephone Company limited in pursuance of permission granted

by the Council and it was Resolved that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed thereto.

Joint Committee for appointing Medical Officers of Health
Read a letter from the Clerk of the Committee stating that the expenses of the Committee for the half year ended 24th September 1905 amounted to £21. 5. 0 the proportion payable by this Council being £2. 2. 6 It was Ordered that a cheque be drawn therefor

Knacker's Licence

Mr F. Spain of Bakley applied for renewal of his licence and it was Ordered that it be renewed for a further period of one year and that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed thereto

Brook's Pullet Note

The Clerk stated that Messrs Thompson & Son had paid the sum of £12. 15. 0 so agreed for repair of the road in front of the above house

Spindle Path, Winkland Cuts to Appleton Farm

It was Resolved on the suggestion of Mr. Stedden that this question be further deferred

Drainage of Road at Leamy Ditch, S. Ingram

Read a letter from Messrs G. White & Co. enclosing a formal letter confirming easement for allowing Road - Water to flow upon Lady Desborough's land at the points marked 'A' and 'B' on the tracing annexed thereto upon the payment of an acknowledgment of 2^{1/2}% per annum for each outfall in advance from Mr. White & Co. It was 1905 on condition that the Council undertook to close the outfalls at any time upon receiving three months notice it was Resolved that

Wingham Water supply-

He also reported that he had written Messrs Salt & Co with reference to the supply to Wingham farm and that ascertained that they had made arrangements for the supply and that all that was required was the permission of the Council for the Margate Corporation to lay the main and that he had accordingly written to the Margate Corporation giving them the necessary permission - approved

Stour Bridge-

Read a letter from the Clerk of the Rural District Council that they had given the order to Messrs Frank Mackin limited to relay & paving

Scavenging Wingham-

Ordered that notice be given in Wingham inviting tenders for scavenging the Village for one month from the 14th April. Tenders to be sent in by the next meeting

Old road from Deal to Sandwich-

Read a letter from the Town Clerk of Deal with copy resolution passed by the Town Council at a meeting on the 16th instant as follows: "That the Town Clerk be instructed to write to the County District Council respecting the necessity of repairing the old road through the Sandhills to facilitate means of communication between Deal & Sandwich. The means of communication between Deal & Sandwich and the Golf Links and the Sandwich Bay & Sandwich after a reply has been received to consider the advisability of appointing a Committee to go into the matter." Clerk stated that in his opinion there was no objection

on the part of the Council to repair the road. Resolved that the Clerk acknowledge the receipt of the letter and point out that as the road was not repairable by the Public the Council were not empowered to incur expenditure upon it

Asht drainage-

Mr Gardner reported that the contents of one of the contact beds had been turned over as recommended by Mr Shenton and suggested that as the men were on the spot the others should also be done - it was resolved that the work be done if Mr Shenton saw no objection

Church Lane Stoldern-

Also a letter from Mr Charles Watts with reference to this road stating that they could not continue to pay the "District part of the rate" until the Council could see their way to alter their decision - the Clerk was directed to acknowledge the receipt of the letter and point out that the Owners of property had not done any thing to make up the road

Short Lane Wivborough-

Also a letter from Messrs F. K. Swett and G. Cornes stating that they had repaired Short Lane and they now asked the Council to take it over - the Clerk was directed to acknowledge the receipt of the letter and state that the Council were unable to accept the liability for a future repair

Treasurer-

Also a letter from Mr F. B. Stening resigning his appointment as Treasurer Resolved that his resignation be accepted

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Easby April 10th 1906

To the Chairman & Members of the
Easby Rural District Council
Gentlemen
Easby

Captain Irby of Brook St Lane asks
for permission to lay some 6" Iron pipe
in the water table, to make it level,
for his carriages & motor, coming in and out,
There will be no objection as far as the
road is concerned, His letter I submit

Rythorne

Mr J. Boushell of the Eagle Hotel Barnsgate
as stopped up the outlet that leads
into a pond which he is having
filled in, near the Baptist Church.

This will turn the water across the
road, the outlet must either be
opened, or a catchpit built with
Iron pipe to take the water across
the road

Sholder

Drainage at Church Lane

I have inspected this with Mr S. Randerson
the main D.A. Inspector, The present road
well is 18ft deep, 4ft over at top and
7ft at bottom, this could be deepened
10 or 12 feet, or dig a new road well
which the main D.A. Inspector recommends
provided the Deal Corporation are willing
to pay their part of the cost

I have written Mr Golden the Deal
Borough Surveyor twice, but have had

reference

reference

reference

no reply, If the present well was deepened
12 feet the cost would be altogether
with carting away chalk about £5-10-0

A new well I estimate the cost about
£12-0-0

The main Rd Inspector
asks for copies of the estimates if the
work is carried out, so that he
can let Mr Maybury the County Surveyor
place them before his Committee

yours Obediently
D. G. Foster

deposited

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Sholden

Drainage at Church Lane
I met Mr. J. C. Golder the Deal Borough
Surveyor on Saturday regarding the
above, who doubts whether his
Council will do anything more in
the matter, And he thought it
would be best to send a copy
of the letter complaining of the
nuisance to his Council

Woodnesboro

Mr. C. Gornie has had some 4" Iron pipes
laid in ditch to form a roadway into his
stone on the Canterbury Rd just beyond
Kinglemere I called on him also wrote
him saying the pipes were not large
enough; His reply I submit

Worth

In reference to the letter Mr. Cloke
had from the Parish Council regarding
the bad state of the road leading down
to the street from the Deal Main Rd,
Their suggestion was carried out as far
as the material would allow when
rolling last year, regarding the material
I had to use what the Committee
recommended, But I consider the
material selected this year will be
better

Letter ree procuring
to put in larger pipes if
necessary

of his frontage to the Waterworks Road and the fall of the ground would not admit of his drain being carried into the side road and along the Waterworks Road at such a height as to get into the present sewers and stating he would bring the matter again before the joint Board - deferred

Early Water Supply -

Also a letter from Mr J. S. Harvey stating that the extended water service referred to in his previous communication was at Little Stokenborough Farm House and not at Stokenborough House.

Church Lane - Stoddon -

Also a further letter from Mr Charles Watts urging the Council to further consider the question of the repair of this road and stating that the property owners could not see their way to make any proposal in the matter. They considered that each time they paid their rate they were contributing towards the cost of repairing that road and that they had been heavy losers through empty houses caused by the state of it

Also a letter from the Stoddon Parish Council stating they would be glad if this Council could see their way clear to make up the road it being almost impassable particularly for children attending Stoddon Deal Schools

It was Resolved that the Surveyor meet the Surveyor of the Deal Borough and prepare an estimate of the cost of repairing the part of the road as far as the houses and that the matter then be further considered -

Drainage -

Mr Gardner reported that the Rumbok Stream would

For consultation with Surveyors on matters affecting Highway Repairs and Streets

- 101 District: Mr A. H. Rice
- J. Wilks
- E. J. Burgess
- 102 District: Mr W. Gagg
- A. Capeling
- J. Byron

Read a letter from the Local Government Board enclosing copy of an Order issued by them assigning the duties of Auditor of this District to Augustus Simmer Esq.

Also a letter stating that they had paid to the Treasurer £499.6.4 being the Council's share of the Annual Grant under the Agricultural Acts in respect of the half year ending 29th September 1901

Great Morningsham -

Also a letter from Mr Hardman on behalf of the Deal and Water Joint Water Board stating that the houses in course of erection by Mr Storton were not capable of being drained into the existing sewers and suggesting that this Council should set out a special drainage district for the building and provide sewers - the Clerk stated that on receipt of the letter he had written explaining this Council could not set out a special drainage district without the consent of the Local Government Board and asking what the difficulty was in connecting with the Deal or Water sewers. A further letter from Mr Hardman was read from which it appeared that Mr Storton had built up on the whole

Rostry May 8th 1906

To the Chairman & Members of the
Rostry Rural District Council
Gentlemen Sir,

I have received a reply to my letter to
Mr J. Bushell, agreeing to provide the
18 ft of 6" cast-iron pipes, for the drain
opposite the Baptist Chapel, in letter I submit

Staple

The drain which carries the surface water
under the Banterbury Rd, at Barnsole, empties
into some earthenware pipes which run
parallel with the road for 42 ft, these have got
broken and want renewing with 4" glazed
socket pipes, I have seen Mr Bartlett the
Leasant of the adjoining land, who has given
permission for the pipes to be laid across the
corner of his land. This will prevent
them getting broken again, the cost of pipes
will be £1-10-0 the roadman can
lay them in across the field

Sholder Church Lane

I have measured up the length of road
in front of the houses, the length is
63 rods long, the width varies from
eleven to 14 ft, the cost of putting this in repair
with carting away surplus soil and providing
brick bats chert & flints with steam dolly,
Team Labour, Manual Labour; will be about
£122-15-0, half of this amount the Deal
Corporation would be liable for

To be carried out

To be carried out
of course walking

write to Mr J. & Turner one of the adjoining Owners stating that if the Owners would undertake to contribute £30 towards the cost the Council would undertake to arrange with Deal for the work to be carried out

Also a letter from the Northborne Parish Council calling attention to the condition of certain cottages situated in the upper portion of Northborne Village and known as 'Triggers Row'. The Clerk stated that on receipt of the letter he had communicated with the Inspector of Nuisances who reported that he had seen Mr T. Bent High Street, Deal, the agent for the Owner who had promised to attend to the matter - The Clerk was directed to write to Mr Bent and state that in view of the premises were put in order, the Council would consider the question of proceeding under the Housing of the Working Classes Act with a view of closing them up.

Team Labour -

Also a letter from Mr A. Rawson stating that in tendering for Team labour for the Parish of 6 Hillside Cottages, Knowlton Parfittone and Norington he had inadvertently tendered to supply two horses and men for 9^h per hour instead of 1/3 per hour and asking the Council to allow him to rectify the mistake as was Resolved to allow him to send his tender so as to charge 1/3 per hour for two horses and men

Stour Bridge -

Also a letter from the Thanet Rural District Council with copy letter sent by them to Messrs Frank Minton Limited calling attention to the unsatisfactory manner in which the wood paving had been retied and declining to pay their account until the work had

Sanatorium Contd

213	196	W. Tagg & Sons for coats and bike	7 6
		A. Marsh for Milk	2 8
		R. & Hughes Grocer	1 4 1
		A. Pittock Butcher	3 4
	193	<u>Other Expenses -</u>	
		The Mercury Printing Co Bill	
	200	<u>Cost of Drainage -</u>	
		W. & L. Carter for 9. & Church on account of	
		Burlock Street	2

Ash Drainage -

Mr Gardner reported that he had arranged with Mr G. & Church to keep the Burlock Stream clear during the summer and to have the banks bushes and weeds removed to the satisfaction of the Council before the 1st October for the sum of 8⁰ per rod and it was Resolved that the arrangement be confirmed

Valley of Preston - North Bridge -

Read a letter from Mr G. & Kingsford Clerk to the Commissioners of Levers stating that at a recent survey of the Valley of Preston by the Commissioners of Levers it appeared to them that for the protection of the Public a post and rail fence on each side of the North Bridge was desirable and he was directed to call the attention of the District Council to the matter - referred to Surveyor

Church Lane Sholden -

The Surveyor reported that he had made an estimate of the cost of putting this road in order amounting to £107 10 s one half of which would be payable by Deal and it was Resolved that the cost

meeting stating he had submitted the Council's proposals to the respective Owners for their consideration and as soon as he heard their views he would write again
At 100 a letter dated 11th May from R^d Hornerman stating that Mr Turner had chartered from the Clerk's letter and that he had been instructed to state that neither Mr Turner nor any other Owner was willing to contribute towards the repair of this road - that a week or two ago he lodged with the Kent County Council a complaint under section 10 of the Highways Act 1878 that the Highway Authority had made default in maintaining the road - the consideration of the matter was deferred

Cottages at Northbourne -

The Clerk stated he had written Mr Bent the object of the Owner of these Cottages as directed at the last meeting and had received a reply stating that the matter was receiving attention

Stone Dept. Church Farm Works -

The Clerk also stated that he had been in communication with Mr G. S. Kingsford with reference to the Dept - the Council having received notice determining their tenancy on the 10th October next and a letter from Mr Kingsford was read stating that he had just concluded the letting of the farm (including the 15 perches used as the stone dept) to Mr G. S. Coupell and referring the Council to him the Vice-Chairman stated that Mr Coupell was willing for the Council to use the dept for another year

Midwater Act 1902 -

Read a letter from the Clerk to the County Council with reference to payments for expenses incurred by the Council stating that detailed expenses with vouchers

Materials Const -

Wingham Agricultural Implements Co. 38 10	197 6 2 21
do	31
W. H. Barker	91
J. B. White	17 10
do	44 13 4 10 1
do	11
do	11
<u>Stam Polling -</u>	
C. & D. Breasting Brothers	17 3
<u>Team Labour -</u>	
C. & D. Breasting Brothers	1 8 1 1 1
<u>Trade Bills -</u>	
T. H. Lovell Stone	11
Genl. Manuel & Co	13
<u>District Surveyor -</u>	
R. G. Foster	36
<u>Assistant Surveyor -</u>	
W. Goodwell	36

Ash drainage -

The Clerk produced agreement with 3, 6, 6 for cleaning District Stream duly signed

Stone Bridge -

Read a letter from the Secy of the Kent Rural District Council enclosing a letter received by Mr Messers Bank which admitted stating he would put right anything which was wrong

Church Lane - Stalden -

At 100 a letter dated 9th May from Mr J. & T. in reply to one from the Clerk is directed at the

- 5th June 1966 -

At a Meeting of the Easton Rural District Council held this day

Present: Mr Long Chairman
 Councillors: A Gardner Vice Chairman
 C. J. Burgess M. G. Taylor
 W. D. Lister M. G. Taylor

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and confirmed

The Balance in the hands of the Treasurer to day is £56.16.8

Treasurer's Receipts -

212	68	Shaple Contribution	47
	67	do	67
	51	do	277
	56	do	20
	205	Water Charges Club	16 8 8
	89	Ram Contribution	11
	53	do	15
	66	Northbourne do	82
	205	Water Charges Club	1 14 6
		do	1 6
		do	15

Resolved that the following Orders be drawn upon him and paid on the day

Sanatorium - Bree
 A. K. B. Smith Blacksmith - Bree

Sanatorium Court -

M. E. Whitehead Poor and Special rate 11 5
 S. 14 6
 P. E. Hughes - Voter
Easton Water Supply -
 G. N. Bond - repairs to air valve 1 7 6
Scavenging -
 J. W. Luck Easton to 28th ultimo 9

Ash drainage -

Read a report dated 1st instant from Messrs Croxson and Shenton with reference to the above works from which it appeared that they were working satisfactorily - they recommended the provision of an extra 1st Contact bed as being desirable

It was resolved that the Material in the first Contact bed should be turned over as suggested in the report and that the Clerk communicate with Mr Shenton and enquire as to the value of stones taken from the paths in Ash Street for use in the beds

Church Lane Shelter -

The letter from Mr Handman read at the last meeting was further considered together with a letter from the Clerk of the County Council stating that the complaint was before the County Council on the 11th ultimo and was referred to the Roads Committee and asking to be informed how the matter stood - The Clerk was directed to inform the Clerk of the County Council of the facts and write to Mr Handman enquiring if he could supply the Council with any evidence showing the case in question to be a Public Highway

Great Northway -

Also a letter from the Local Government Board

Drainage

Read a letter from Mr. Stenton with reference to the purchase of material for the 1st Contact Beds and stating his views thereon - The Clerk was directed to communicate with the County Surveyor and ascertain whether he would be willing to sell the stones or a portion of them to the Council at 2 1/2 per yard.

Church Lane - Sholden

The Clerk read a letter he had received from Mr. Hardman upon the subject and reported the steps taken by him since the last meeting to obtain information - It was resolved that the Clerk be authorized to confer with Mr. Arthur J. Dawson upon the subject with a view to obtaining information with reference to the making of the Beal Main Road and of the road which was formerly used and for which the new road was in substitution and to pay his charges therefor.

Extraordinary Traffic

The Clerk reported that he had applied to Mr. Fairbrace for payment of £8.19.6 in respect of extraordinary traffic in Somerton and to Mr. Speed for £60.16.8 in respect of extraordinary traffic in Knoughton - he read letters received from them in reply and also a letter received from Mr. E. E. Kingford on behalf of Mr. Fairbrace.

The Surveyor produced certificates under section 23 of the Highway and Locomotives (Amendment) Act 1878 with reference to the expenses incurred in Somerton and Knoughton respectively by reason of extraordinary traffic.

The Clerk was directed to take the necessary

Sanatorium Compt

214	196	W. Gibbons	Sanatorium	70
		A. Marsh	for Milk	14
		A. Pittock	Butcher	11
		C. Baker	Premium on Insurance	11
	186	<u>Clerks account</u>		
		F. A. C. Lott		20
	193	<u>Other expenses</u>		
		C. Knight & Co Limited		11
	190	<u>Materials</u>		
		James Robson & Sons		37 15 6
		do		55 10 0
		J. B. White		27 18 4
		do		23 6 8
		Wingham Agricultural Implement Company Limited		54 10 0
		do		94 10 0
		C. Colley		19 11
		A. O. Moss		4 11
		E. Rogers		19 11
		W. H. Parker		40 5 0
	189	<u>Team Labour</u>		
		W. H. Parker		15 0 0
		A. Dawson		3 0 0
		do		1 2 6
	192	<u>Grade Bills</u>		
		Constant District Water Company		1 11
		South Eastern & Chatham Railway Co		1 11
	185	<u>District Surveyor</u>		
		A. B. Fisher		40 0 0
		<u>Assistant Surveyor</u>		
		W. Goodwell		35 0 0

working at bound material
look first down
of close volumes when the

prior to issuing summons and bills for
Mr Bradshaw dated 21st and 26th ult. no
reply were read.

Skolden - Church Lane -

The Clerk also reported that he had
careful inquiry into this matter and had
copy of the Act 37 Geo. 3rd cap. 156. and had
received from Mr. Hardman statements of
witnesses he proposed to call in support of
Client's memorial to the County Council.
so far as he had been able to ascertain the
road was not part of the Old road but
the new Turnpike road was substituted and
that it appeared to have been a road used
the Public as at present on the paving of the
General Highway Act 1835 and that there appear
no ground for contending that the Council was
not liable to repair it. Resolved that the
Clerk communicate with Mr. Deal Town Cor-
poration and suggest a meeting of the surveyors of the
two Councils with a view to the necessary
repairs being carried out and that he inform
the Clerk of the County Council of this Council's
decision.

Great Mingeham - Sea View Estate

Received a report from Mr. Stenton of
the above on the 13th ult. stating from
Mr. Stenton that there was no great difficulty
from an engineering point of view in driving
Mr. Stenton's horse into the drains of the Sea View
Walter Bathursts. that the horse in question
could be drained for 25s. £100 into either of the

nearest sewers or into the furthest sewer as shown
on a plan which accompanied the report for say £300
he also pointed out that by the last mentioned
sewer it would serve for all the houses built along
one of the roads but if the whole estate were built
over the sewage from the lowlying part would have
to be lifted in one way or another to the gravitation
sewers - he further pointed out that as matters
stood he did not think this Council could be
forced to do anything more than they had done
already and that if the Water Company needed
sewers merely to protect their works they ought to
pay for them - left to Clerk to arrange interview
with Local Government Board and report.

Extraordinary Traffic -

The Clerk stated that Mr. Fairbrace had
expressed to the Resident Clerk his willingness
to pay for a portion of the road for which he
considered he was liable - left to Clerk to arrange
- he also produced a letter he had received from
Mr. Speed stating that he must take advice in
the matter.

Council at. Phillips

The Clerk reported that judgement had
been rendered against the Council in this action

Sandwich Bay Estate Water Main -

Read a letter from Mr. J. L. Harvey stating that
Canon Towers fence had been put into a proper
state of repair to his satisfaction.

Rostry July 31st 1906

To the Chairman & Members of the
Rostry Rural District Council
Gentlemen
Northbourne

Mr J. Pettman as refused to let the
postbox be fixed, in the church road
where he has had the plank put
down; Mr Pettman says it is on his
private property, and the public cross
over there at their own risk,

The plank projects into the road 14 feet
from his fence, He also says the
path from his gate down the Street
to the Well at the corner of
Abbey hill has been made on his
private property,

Sholder Church Lane

I met Mr J. L. Golder the Deal
Borough Surveyor there yesterday,
and is going to report to his Council
tonight. He recommends blinkers in
the place of chalk and brick bats,
He thinks we can purchase them very
reasonable at the Gas works Deal

yours Obediently
D. R. Foster

no objection if
now and then
help from

Wingham Water Supply-

The Clerk reported that he had received report from Mr. Edgar from which it appeared the supply of water to Wingham Court had ended 30th June last was 4760 gallons and he had written to the collector instructing him to collect the charges for this quantity.

Well at Brecon Lane Woodnesborough-

Received analysis of sample of water from Mr. L. Harvey who reported that the results indicated water affected by sewage percolation or drainage and on that account was not safe for drinking purposes. Also letter from Mr. Robinson who had made a second analysis stating the result justified a condemnation of the water for drinking purposes.

The Clerk stated that on receipt of the above had seen Mr. Wood, Chemist of Doncaster who by direction of Mr. Bay had taken the sample for examination by the Clinical Research Society. He stated their report, after a Bacteriological analysis of the water, was that it was quite safe for drinking purposes. He further stated the he had also written to Mr. Robinson informing him of the above interview and a letter from Mr. Robinson in reply was read asking for a copy of the analysis of the water furnished with a copy of the analysis of the Clinical Research Society.

The Clerk was directed to forward a copy to Mr. Robinson.

Cherwell Lane Shollers-

Read letter from the Town Clerk of West from

which it appeared that the Council proposed to carry out the repairs to this road in accordance with the estimate of Mr. Foster at a cost of £137 10 0.

It was Resolved that the Council pay one half of this sum if the surveyors specification is fully carried out.

Stover Bridge-

Also a letter from the Franet District Council with reference to the road paving from which it appeared that although it was not quite satisfactory they did not think it was sufficient to resist payment of Messrs Grant Maitland's account and they were prepared to pay it if this Council would agree. It was Resolved that the Council agree to the payment of the account.

Royal Commission on Coast Erosion-

Received from the Clerk of the County Council a list of questions upon which the Commission required information. Clerk to enquire and report.

Factory and Workshops Act 1901 Section 107-

Also letter from Mr. Hardman enclosing list of Out Workers in Great Morningsham in connection with the Tailors Shop at the Royal Marine Depot. Wainor the Clerk stated he had sent the names to the Inspector.

Grants-

The following tenders were received viz:-

F. A. Phillips Street Museum 11/3 pattern

B. Hancock's Broken Granite 11/3

G. M. Minnells Square Granite 11/5

Mr Pettman if he would let me try
the Penstock to see whether it would
answer but he declines to have it
there, as he says it would choke up,
He as plenty of fall to the ditch if he
keeps it cleaned out.

Sholden Church Lane

I wrote to Mr T. C. Golder the Deal
Borough Surveyor in reference to the
about differences in the cost of materials
being deducted. He replies saying we
shall have this advantage if there is any.
His letter I submit. The work as
been put in hand.

yours Obediently
J. R. Foster

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Rostry December 4th 1906

To the Chairman & Members of the
Rostry Rural District Council
Gentlemen

Rythorne & Salmanstone Roads

These roads are getting cut up badly at
places there are several traction engines
using them now, and some flints
should be purchased so that we can
begin to feed the bad places.

Northbourne

Mr J. Pettman will not agree to have
a grating fixed over the grip in Church
Road, as he says this would choke up.
He says we could try half of the
wooden pestock which we had fixed
there, but if this choked up he should
remove it, I have repaired the
road by this point, but it is not
altered the condition of the grip.

Sholden Church Lane

Mr J. C. Golder the Deal Borough
Surveyor is getting on with the clearing
and levelling, and has commenced
getting the blinkers on for the foundation
when he has got there rolled down
he will commence spreading the flints.

to change to
some other material
where necessary

reference for
Mr Pettman
to be applied
carefully

Two bills £ 11-9-6
35-6-1
46-15-7
Two bills £ 8-12-6
33-10-0
41-2-6

Church Lane Staldon.

Read a letter from Mr. Wills of Church Lane Staldon stating he was informed that no provision had been made for kerbing and making up the footpath on the left hand side of this road and that the road was being made higher than the footpath. Surveyor to report.

Well at Beacomb Lane Woodrookborough.

Also a letter from Mr. Richard Wills with reference to this Well in which he referred to the report of the year of the Council Research Association limited and that that of the Council would not have a copy of the Medical Officer's report he would submit the same as another sample of water to the Association for further analysis. The Clerk was directed to inform Mr. Wills the results of the further analysis by Mr. Robinson and Mr. Harvey and state that the Council did not see any necessity for further analysis.

Bye Laws.

A report was received from the Committee appointed on the 6th ultimo stating that in their opinion power should be obtained to make Bye Laws for the better regulation of sanitation in parishes where necessary and that power to accept of Streets Works Acts in Parishes having or likely to acquire an Urban character should also be applied for without delay. Resolved that the report be adopted and that it be referred to the Committee to consider and report as to the Bye Laws they would recommend for adoption.

The Surveyors and Inspectors reports respectively were read and Orders made

Thereon

Wm. Long

Chairman.

Rastry December 18th 1906

To the Chairman & Members of the
Rastry Rural District Council

Gentlemen

Rythorne & Tilmanstone Roads

I have purchased 100 yds of flints
from Mr. J. Foxe of Coldred for 6/0 per yard,
have got them delivered and some of
them on between the Tilmanstone pit
and Greys fis; The length of Flawies
Dd which the Dove District are
liable for by agreement is getting very
much out of repair, I wrote to
Mr. Sargent the Dove Surveyor last
night.

Sholden Church Lane

I called on Mr. C. Watts in reference to his
letter about the footpath, Mr. Golder
found when taking his levels he would
have to bury the road 4 1/2 in front
of Mr. Watts to get the water away,
I met Mr. Golder there, and ask him
when excavating for the road to allow his
men to spread some of the best of the
surplus soil on the footpath to bring it
up which he has allowed them to do.
and if some footpath gravel was spreaded
over the soil it would put the path
in very good condition, when preparing my
estimate for the road I allowed for 20 yds
of footpath gravel, Mr. Golder did not
as the path was on the Sholden side.

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Foster

Factory and Workshops Act 1901

Received from the Water Urban District Council list of Outworkers employed by persons in Waterford residing in this district

Eastrey Water Supply

The Clerk reported that Mr Brindley had applied for permission to connect two New Cottages with him with the Water Main for a supply of water for domestic purposes. It was Resolved that permission granted subject to compliance with the Council's bye-laws and that Mr W. C. Page see that such regulations are complied with

The question of appointing a person to look after the Water Mains was referred to the Water Committee

Bythorne School

The Clerk reported that notice had been signed by two members of the Council closing this school on account of an outbreak of Scarlet Fever from the 31st to the 10th inst

Church Lane School - See Minutes 6th November 1906
Received from the Seal Corporation account for making up portion of Church Lane School, in pursuance of the arrangement between the two Councils, amounting to £15.12.2 - The Clerk stated that the estimate of the Surveyor (Mr Foster) was £17.10.0 -

Read a letter from the Youngs Syndicate Limited stating that should shortly be pumping large quantities of water from their pits at Snowdown and that this would be allowed to settle in the Valley which pass at the foot of their ground - that an order to protect the pond at that point and also to protect Fiddlers Park against inundation that proposed to

build a dam across the Valley - that it had occurred to them that it would materially improve the pond if the same were built on the pond itself - that is if they were to raise the level of the pond 6 feet - they stated that Mr Goodall (Assistant Surveyor) was fully acquainted with the facts and acting for the sanction of the Council to proceed - they further stated that as the raising of the pond on this deep and damp hollow would materially and beyond all question improve it they did not consider it unreasonable to request the Council to contribute to some extent to the cost of the labour involved or at least to credit the expenditure with a proportion of the cost in the Council's claim for extraordinary traffic.

Referred to Highway (No 2 District) Committee for consideration and report and it was Resolved that the Committee be authorized to obtain the opinion and advice of a competent Surveyor

The Clerk was directed to write to Mrs Williams of Bythorne who had allowed her children to attend Bythorne School whilst suffering from Scarlet Fever enquiring her for her action and pointing out the serious consequences of her neglect and her liability to be prosecuted for the offence.

Measures Act 1902

Also a letter from the Clerk of the County Council enclosing copy of a letter and resolution received by them from the Central Inquiries Board with reference to the action of the Council in the earlier stage of the case - It was Resolved to ask the Medical Officer of Health to give the necessary directions

The Surveyor's and Inspector's reports respectively were read and orders made thereon

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Obediently
D. S. Foster

Roastry August 27th 1907

To the Chairman & Members of the
Roastry Rural District Council

Gentlemen
Church Lane Sholden

As instructed at the last meeting
I have inspected the above,
and found it in good condition.
There is a deep ditch on the right
hand side going down, from Gun Lane
to the end of the boundary, this is
on the Deal side of the road and
will be on the length which
the Deal Borough Surveyor is going
to take over.

yours Obediently
D. S. Foster

Sholden

recommended
that the suggestion
is accepted

I met by appointment Mr J. C. Golder
Deal Borough Surveyor on Friday last
in Church Lane Sholden. To measure up
the length of road which was repaired
in 1907. As the boundary of the two
districts falls down the centre of road
Mr Golder suggests that he takes the
length north of Gun Lane, he will
bring this before his Committee on Friday
and write me again. The same thing
would meet the case at Glack Rd
were the boundary is in the centre of Rd
Mr Golder suggests that he should take
the half of this length nearest Pound Lane

Respanning Drain Plugs

I submit the following estimates

Mr J. Akhurst Sandwich	no 1 6-4" 4-6"	Plugs in Brass	£ 4-17-0	accepted
	no 2 6-4" 4-6"	"	4-16-0	
J. Ayling Ash	Temp. Patent 6-4" 4-6"	Brass	5-11-0	
" "	Jones 6-4" 4-6"	galvanised	3-19-0	
	Jones 6-4" 4-6"	Brass	5-5-6	
Shaw Brothers Birkenhead	6-4" 4-6"	Brass	5-0-0	
Tham Baker & Co London	6-4" 4-6"	galvanised	3-18-6	

New Buildings

I submit plan of proposed new drainages
to Dipple Court for Col. Gladen for
your approval. The plan is in
accordance with The Byelaws.

Sholder Church Lane, Glack Rd
 I have received a letter from
 Mr J. C. Golder, Deal Borough Surveyor
 stating that his Committee were
 agreeable for him to take the portion of
 Church Lane north of Jun Lane to be in
 repair, also half the length of Glack Rd
 354 lineal feet. Footpaths and the
 construction of same to be done by the
 Council in whose District the same
 are in & not to form part of this
 agreement. This letter I submit.

June Bills
 No 1 - £ 9 - 7 - 6
 2 - 32 - 9 - 2

Motor Caution Signals

I have received 4 Motor Caution
 signals from Mr Mayhew County
 Surveyor. Two has been erected in
 Broad Lane leading from Northbourne to
 Fingledam. Two at Tilmanstone
 near the Church.

New Buildings

I submit plans for your approval
 from Mr J. J. Denne. for a new House
 at Sandwich Bay in the Parish of North
 for C. Thunders Esq. Drainage plans
 will be sent on in the course of a
 day or two. yours

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The Clerk read to an objection to a Draft Path at Sutton. The Clerk stated that when this question was before the Council in 1907 the Surveyors and the vicar at each end of the path and that he subsequently had a correspondence with the Vicar to the same purpose and that it was undoubtedly a legal path and was there would the present time there had been no objection. He stated to write to the vicar of land pending and that the path must not be obstructed.

Objections.

Also a letter from the Parish Council calling attention to the dangerous condition of the upper part of Church Lane near the church caused by the depositing of sundry loads of refuse in the roadway. Surveyors instructed to look into the matter.

Barby Lake Duffery

The Chairman on behalf of the Committee appointed at the last Meeting reported that a length of about 100 yards of main and two side pipes would be required to supply the adjacent houses with water. He also stated that a Memorial was being sent from the adjacent holders to the Parish Council against the supply being suspended and under these circumstances it was decided to refer the construction of the question.

Building Bye Laws.

Read a letter from the Barber Bricks with reference to the bylaws as to erections. The Clerk was desired to acknowledge the receipt of the letter and point out that the Council with reference to which the complaint was made, was made before the bylaws of the Council were in force.

The Surveyors and Inspector of Rates respectively were read and Orders made thereon.

J.P. Howe
Chairman.

Ask any by name of its drop and construction condition in a state so dangerous and exposure to loss as to be unfit for human habitation. The Clerk stated he had written to Mr. B. F. Brown the vicar and a letter from Mr. Brown in reply was read stating that when he was at the house he would look into the matter. The Clerk was decided to reply that the Council have no definite statement as to what was proposed to be done by the next meeting.

Extraordinary traffic.

The Clerk read the correspondence between himself and the Company since the last meeting and stated that in claims due to the 21st March had not been paid and a sum of £100 had been paid in account of the expenses of the company. It was reported that the Clerk with the Company had under the claims were promptly settled the Council would hold legal proceedings to recover the whole amount due to them in respect of extraordinary traffic.

Compliance of Rural District Councils

The question of appointing representatives was considered and action having been given to each member it was reported that the Chairman, Vice Chairman and Clerk be appointed to attend the Conference and that their report be made.

Recreation License.

The Clerk reported that Mr. John Mayling had stated not to seek over 50 lbs of tobacco tobacco and would not require the license granted in the 2nd instant.

Draft Path, Sutton.

See Minutes 22nd October 1911. Read a letter from Mr. G. J. & John with reference

Eastrey May 30th 1911

To the Chairman & Members of the
Eastrey Rural District Council

Gentlemen

Kippes

In reference to the complaint about the
brittle road from Little Moreham to
Kippes being obstructed. I have
inspected this and find there has
now been a 14ft 6 gate erected at
each end of the field. with a staple
& hook for fastening.

✓
ex. 1 Highway Com
to inspect & report

Sholden Church Lane

I have made enquiries in reference
to the letter complaining about the
tins & rubbish being deposited in
Church Lane Sholden.

There are a lot of old tins which would
carting away. I should suggest
that a caution board similar to
that at Hound pits Hill Woodnesboro
be erected. this might prevent
any further nuisance.

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£ 12. 12. 0

yours Obediently
J. - R. Foster

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£ 161. 17. 11

granted subject to compliance with the Councils Regulations

Crackers License
Resolved that a License be granted to Frederick Charles Spaul for one year from the 1st June last and that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed thereto

Building Bye Laws

Read letter from Messrs G. Webb & Co. with reference to the emptying of the cesspit cesspool at Dene Farm. The Clerk was directed to reply that the Council would not interfere so far as the emptying was concerned unless a nuisance arose - subject to the cesspool being emptied the plans for the new cottages were passed. Plans were also received from Mr A. W. Thompson for a new cottage to be built adjoining the road leading from Dalmer to Ripple Court and being in accordance with the Bye Laws were passed.

Work Water Supply

The Inspector reported that Mr. Hopkins was desirous of having a supply of water for a bucket pit and it was Resolved that a supply be granted on payment of £1 per annum.

Revising Town Planning Act

Mr. Burgess pursuant to notice called attention to the provisions of the Revising Town Planning Act and proposed that a Committee be formed to consider the desirability of the adoption of a Town Planning Scheme for any part of the Rural District and also to consider the provisions for the making arrangements for the making plans in the District and that the attendance of the Committee be made at the next meeting of the Council.

the last Meeting, suggesting the distribution of a leaflet he had prepared and copies of which he enclosed. Resolved that 500 copies of the leaflet be printed for distribution by the Inspector.

Sign Board, Redborough Roads

Also a letter from the Town Clerk of Redborough asking if the Council would have any objection to a sign Board being placed at the corner where Redborough Hill stands in the Parish of Redborough for the information of visitors desiring to visit Redborough. It was Resolved that the Council have no objection to the placing of the sign-board as suggested.

Church Lane, Stalden

Also a letter from the Town Clerk of Stalden stating that his Council had received a complaint with reference to the state of this road at the upper end at its junction with London Road near Stalden Church and asking if any arrangement could be made between the two authorities for putting the road in better condition.

The Surveyor was instructed to confer with the Surveyor of the Rural District and report to the Council.

Compensation for bedding etc

Resolved that the sum of £1 10/- be paid to Frederick Charles Marsh of New Purchase, Redborough as compensation for bedding etc destroyed by fire of a cottage to prevent the spread of infectious disease.

Work Water Supply

An application from Mr. Green & Son for a supply of water for a bucket pit.

Wastrey September 19th 1911

To the Chairman & Members of the
Wastrey Rural District Council

Gentlemen

Church Lane Sholder

In reference to instructions received
at the last meeting, to meet the
Deal Borough Surveyors at the above
mentioned Lane. Mr. Golden is
away on Holiday until the 25th next
Monday.

To be purchased
from Biggleswade
at this standard
price

New Buildings

approved no 1

I submit plans for your approval
from Messrs Weston & Dixon Architects

Plans for an additional Cottage at
the Stone Farm Waldershare for the

approved

approved no 2

Right along the Road of Guilford

Proposed Conversion of the Kennels
into ³ Cottages for the Right along

the Road of Guilford Both plans
are in accordance with the Byelaws

yours Obediently
W. S. Foster.

Wootton October 17th 1911

To the Chairman & Members of the
Wootton Rural District Council

Gentlemen

Church Lane Sholden

I met Mr J. C. Golder the Deal Borough
Surveyor yesterday. In reference to the
application for repairing the top end of
Church Lane near Sholden Church:

The length down to the point, which
the Deal Town Clerk wrote about, is
180 feet long by 10 ft wide.

To repair this with flints the cost with
material steam rolling & labour would
be about £10. If ^{the} work is carried out
as the boundary of the District goes down
the centre of the road. The expense to the
Council would be £5.

New Buildings

I submit plan for your approval from
Mr J. Pain of Park Rd Dover
for new House & Shop. At the junction
of Chapel Hill & Sandwich Rd Rye Town
for Mr L. R. Hampshire Rye Town
They propose to have soakaway cesspool
there are no wells near in use. the
water is obtained from the East T. D. W. Coy

Council prepared to
bear part of cost

Approved

Clerk to Wootton
Limeyball & Co

Roastry. February 4th 1913

To the Chairman & Members of the
Roastry Rural District Council

Gentlemen

Church Lane Sholden.

As instructed at the last meeting I have
inspected & measured ^(Church Lane) the length from
Deal & Sandwich Main Road down to where

No 1 Highway Committee the road was made up in 1907
to inspect & report the length is 450 yards long by 7ft wide.

It would be useless to make a footpath
in the existing roadway. As the occupiers
of the land on either side use the road
carting to and from the fields.

If a footpath was made on the field by
side of the roadway where there was
to be a path, the cost with gravel &
labour would be £20-0-0.

If the road was made up at its present
width 7ft with chalk & flints the cost
with materials labour &c would be
about £80

New Buildings

Approved

I submit plans for your approval from
Messrs Hayward & Parnham, Builders, Folkestone
for two new houses at Sandwich Bay
Worth for Messrs Foster & Lovell of
Queen Street, Westminster, London S.W.
The plans comply with the bylaws.

Shree Plays

The clerk reported that he had granted a license since the last meeting to the village of Thorne on behalf of the Board of Education. Such for Church Schools on Thursday 23. Nothing.

Mr. J. H. Morris applied for a license for the Advice Hall, Little Houghdown for the 6th inst. and the same was granted.

Church Lane Sholders

Also a letter from Mr. Henry Long of 28 Lane, near St. Paul, Isle of Wight asking attention to the state of this road and asking that it might be improved. Referred to Mr. (Highway) Board for report.

Gravel

A. Tender of Mr. Arthur Resmond for 4000 yards gravel from Boston pit at 3/- per yard was accepted.

Joint Water Supply Sandwell Road Works

Read a letter from the Town Clerk of Sandwich with reference to the same to be paid to the Corporation in respect of the above supply.

Resolved unanimously that the same be paid

Not to exceed an order:

Sandwich Corporation	56
Act	21 11 5
Boarding	20 9 2
Wormsborough	4 12 5
Work	5

Archd.

Also notice from the Auditor of his intention to audit the accounts of this Board for the half year ended 30 September last on Monday the 14 instant at 9.15 am at the Board Room, Buxton.

Great West District Water Co.

Also copy analysis of the Company's water for the month of December 1912.

Chilwellton Water Supply

Received account from the Margate Corporation of the amount due from the Board (£20 0 9) in respect of the water supply to Chilwellton for the year ended 25 December last. Resolved that a receipt for £20 0 9 for Special Expenses be issued to the Director of Chilwellton to be paid on or before the 31 March next and that the Common Council of the Board be advised thereof.

Knoxton Water Supply

Also an account for £49 0 5 in respect of the water supply to the parish of Knoxton. The clerk stated that he had referred to the Special report for the above amount.

Compensation for Bedding etc.

Resolved that the sum of £3 be paid to John Gardner of Buxton for bedding etc. referred to in the report of the Special Committee.

Worth Surveying

Read a letter from the Worth Parish Board in reply to one from the clerk with reference

Rastry February 18th 1913

To the Chairman & Members of the
Rastry Rural District Council

Gentlemen

Great Drongeham

In reference to the letter & plan which
Mr Stanley Parker sent in at last
meeting, asking that the drain pipes
which take the overflow from the
pond in Drongeham Street, to the ditch
in front of Mr Garland's Shop, should be
cleaned out & repaired. I have had the
pipes uncovered and inspected with
the Highway Committee, who suggest
as the pipes are practically all broken
that the overflow shall be allowed
to run down the channel as it has
done for years. And that Mr Parker
be allowed to fill ⁱⁿ the section shown
red on ^{the south end of pond} plan & on condition that he
enlarges the pond at the North end, to
hold same quantity of water.

Church Lane Sholden

As requested at the last meeting the No 1
Highway Committee inspected the above
mentioned road last Wednesday

The Committee recommend that the ^{road}
be made up ^{from sand which is taken down to where it is always} 7ft wide with chalk & gravel
at a cost of £140, and that the Deal
Corporation be approached to contribute

Clark to write Deal Corp
also to land owners

Channel to be filled

No
Approved

No
Approved

Clerk to write Seal Corporation
also to land owners

part of the cost. They also suggest that
the land owners on either side be
asked to give sufficient land for
a passing place half way down.

Shatherling Stagle

I submit letter & tracing received from
Mr J Amos of Nash. Nash asking if
something could be done to prevent the road
surface water getting into his well which
his tenants come to use for drinking at
Bromfield Cottages Shatherling Stagle.

I have inspected this and find top of
well is a good bit higher than the
road. There is a little water lies
in front, if channel was filled up
with a little chalk it would
drive water press into ditch just
beyond well.

Channel to be filled up

New Buildings

No 1

I submit plans for your approval
from Mr J. S. Overden Builder Dover
for detached house at East Studdale
Little Drongham for Mrs Evans
They propose to have soak away
cesspool.

No. 2.

approved

Drainage plan from Mr G. Robinson for
Captain Spender Blay, New House
at Sandwich Bay North. This will
be taken into the Sandwich Bay
estate drainage

Trade Bills Book

61	83	V N Lovell & Sons	
		J. H. Shawcross	
144		Barrow for No. 1	
		D. S. Foster	
		Barrow for No. 2	
		W. Prosser	
46		Rob. Water Supply Co. account	
		H. G. H. Skerton	
84	83	Special Expenses	H.C.H. Skerton 4 18 6
		Woodhouseborough Water Supply	
57		Special Expenses	do 9 6 6
		Rob. Water Supply	
		H. G. H. Skerton	2 15 5
		Woodhouseborough Water Supply	
54		H. G. H. Skerton	19 16 9

Resolved that the following items also be paid in the Ledger:

205	201	To the debit of the parish of Southwold of the parish of Ash	2 6
	224	Southwold	
	201	do	
225		do	
	224	do	
54	201	Southwold	
	205	do	
	224	do	
	225	do	

Syphons Parish Council

Read a letter from the clerk of the parish council stating that the local burroughs had not at the Council (making under integrated power) passed that the number of parish councillors for the parish of Syphons should from the date of the date

showed in March 1918 would further reduce the number of seats at five or six before

Post Office Telegraphs

Write a letter from the national engineer of the South Eastern district stating that in connection with some work in hand by that department it was necessary to make some alterations and additions to the list of telegraphic poles along the roads between Broadwick and Wingham and to amend the plan to show that there was an objection to the proposed and suggesting an arrangement for erecting ^{the necessary} poles at the proposed location provided the poles were placed back clear of the water table and the clerk was directed to write to the National Engineer asking the Council had no objection if the poles were set back as directed

Church Lane School

Write a further letter from Mr. H. Long in reply to one from the clerk with reference to this road. The Highway (No. 1) Committee reported that they had, in connection with the busstop, inspected this road and recommended that it be made up across foot wide from Station School to where it is at present repaired a distance of 100 yards with chalk and flint at an estimated cost of £100 and that the Road Trusts should be asked to contribute one half the cost - they also suggested the Town Council might wish to be asked to give sufficient land for a turning place just west of the school. Received unanimously that the report be adopted and that the clerk write to the Road Trusts Council accordingly

Other expenses

66 84

- A. & Knocker proportion of expenses
- Radical Officer of Health } 2 9
- A. B. Richmond Painter } 2 10
- Kentish Express (Lepidoptera Co) advertising } 10
- V. 4. Yagg compensation for bedding etc } 2 12
- Sanatorium
- A. P. Brock Butcher } 2 13 1
- M. Marsh Milk } 1 10
- D. E. Hughes Grocer } 3 10 1
- Church Lane, Shaldene.

Recd a letter from the Iron Works at the last meeting stating that it had been considered by the General Purposes Committee who did not feel inclined to spend £50 on work which would leave that part of the road wide enough for single vehicles only and he thought they took the view that the upper part of this road was not sufficiently important to deal to unusual such an expense in any case, having regard to the most urgent demands arising in respect of other roads within the Borough - at the same time they thought it might be as well to go into the matter and they suggest that this Committee should meet the Borough Surveyor who would then be made fully acquainted with what was proposed to be done. The Surveyor was directed to arrange to meet the Borough Council as suggested.

East Kent District Water Company
 Also Statutory notice of the intention of the Company to offer for tender 200 7 1/2 ordinaries at 10 each and that the last day for the

reception of tenders would be Saturday the 22nd March next
East Kent Light Railways

Also a letter from Mr. G. J. Edgar stating that was some misunderstanding with Mr. Juniper as to the right of way over the land of the Council by the side of the 4 tracks purchased by them, agreed to state to report.

Compensation for Bedding etc.

Recd that the sum of £2 10 0 be paid to V. 4. Yagg of work for bedding and clothing destroyed by order of the Council to prevent the spread of infectious disease.

Extraordinary traffic.

The Surveyor reported that there was considerable tractor engine traffic from Bythorne to South and Woodborough on Sunday over the road from Kemp Lane Bythorne via Pike and Church Lane and Union Colliery to Shaldene and below roads materials for the light railways. A report was received from Mr. V. 4. Yagg as to the present condition of the road from Union Colliery to Stone Court and as it appeared from the Surveyor's statement that he had inspected other roads he was directed to return the certificate in order that the roads inspected might be clearly specified.

Building Site Lands

Plans were received from Mr. G. J. Edgar regarding for a piece of building at Pender Lane and for N. 2. Ploughing Day and approved.

Rastry March 18th 1913

To the Chairman & Members of the
Rastry Rural District Council

Gentlemen

-Church Lane Sholden

I met the Deal Boro Surveyor on Wednesday
last in reference to the making up of
the top part of Church Lane Sholden.
Mr Golders the Surveyor is reporting to
his Committee. I pointed out to Mr
Golders the lane could be greatly ^{improved} by
the construction of an overflow
soakaway or a considerable enlargement
of the present one as this was quite
inadequate since the main roads had been
tar-painted.

Extraordinary Traffic

I with Mr Goodall met Mr F. Harris
Acting Surveyor to the Kent Colliery
Company last Thursday week,
who went over all the roads now
being used by traction engines hauling
materials to various points for the
East Kent Light Railways.
Mr Harris agreed with us, that at
places damage was being done
especially Pike Rd Tilmanston &
Thornon Rd Rastry. We have since
then been over these roads with

Surveyor to make
an appointment to
meet the Engineer
report next week

telegram line along the public road between the three divisions' public house and Llanvethrone village and reaching plan of the proposed route. Shelley unanimously that the consent of the Council to give

Sanatorium

Also a letter from the Lower Clerk of Banterbury with reference to a patient suffering from diphtheria cough who was sent by Dr Taylor and six or more patients ticket to the street and Banterbury Hospital who refused to admit the patient as they had no accommodation for infectious cases and the child would in the opinion of their Medical Officer undoubtedly have died if sent back to her home. But she was taken to the baby Sanatorium where she still remained - he further stated that to understand the case was sent to the hospital in consequence of this Council not having accommodation for diphtheria patients and asked if the Council would agree to accept responsibility for the cost incurred in treating the case. The letter was sent Lucy Clark and her address is Llanvethrone Park. The Clerk was decided to obtain further information as to the case and state that the Council had already of recommendation in their hospital for the patient.

Local Insurance Committee

Also a letter from the Clerk of the Committee reaching scheme for district Committee which had been approved with that of the Local Committee.

Extraordinary Traffic

Also report dated 12 instand from No. 44 Banterbury with reference to certain roads in the district which he had inspected in accordance with request of Surveyor. The Clerk was directed to communicate with the Surveyor to the Companies with a view to an arrangement if possible.

Church Lane Shelters

The Surveyor reported that he had met the Rev. Borough Surveyor who would report to his Committee.

Chilwellers

The Surveyor reported that in Company with the Highway Committee he had inspected the proposed alterations to the wall at Chilwellers by the side of D. Brown and that was no objection to its being carried out as proposed. The Clerk was directed to write to the Clerk of D. Brown to that effect.

Work. Scavenging

The Clerk reported that he had written to the Local Government Board asking them to issue an order declaring the scavenging proposed to be undertaken by the Council to be special contracts and a letter in reply was sent stating that the Board would proceed to issue the order.

Scavenging. Buxby, Wingham

The Clerk reported that the Clerk for Buxby expressed in the 3rd instand and that for Wingham on the 10 instand. It was Resolved

Subscribers receipts card

79	201	March 27	Widdowson	Contribution	11
	220		hutton		8 1/2
	221		Whimshurst		37
	211		Great Longshaw		5 1/2
	212		Little Longshaw		27
	69		Water charges	Walth	16 2 6
				Wingham	10
	218		29	Waltham	16 5 9
	69			Contribution	61
				Water charges	26 10

Resolved that the following order be drawn upon him and paid in the Ledger.

Sanctified Bury Bank.
 Part of unpaid payment arrangements of 16 May 1910 from 24 June 1910
 Decided. } 81 1/4

Widdowson's receipts

114			Q. & Hughes	purchase money for act.	150
109			Public Works Loan Commission		125
			South England Wingham	Supply	39 17 3
					7 15 3
					40 10 1
					5 8 8
					8 17 8
					14 6 5
					6 11
					3 6 11
					19 5 6
					9 14 6
					22 5
					201 11 2 98 18 or 200 1 1

Widdowson's account

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	of W. Luck			7 10
	Wingham			5

Widdowson's account

Read a letter from the Clerk of the Great Parish Council regarding a packet of the parish meeting at a date of the works being sent them when my little matter is done at the savings bank. The Clerk was invited to acknowledge the receipt of the letter and state that the work now in progress was stated in the communication of the local committee and was being carried out under their supervision.

Widdowson's account

Also a letter from the Clerk of the Parish Council stating that at the annual parish meeting on the 17th inst. it was unanimously resolved that they were not in favour of the adoption of a special bye-law for saving but suggesting that the Parish Council should call the attention of the National Office of the district to the unsatisfactory condition of certain cottages in the parish.

Widdowson's account

Also a letter from the Clerk of Great Parish Council that his committee had considered the report of the savings bank. They did not at their meeting of 27th inst. under the circumstances and in their report to the Council to that effect the latter body had adopted the committee's report and he was invited to state that the Council would not have any part of the proposed expenditure. The Clerk was directed to inform the Clerk of the Council of the Great Parish Council.

Widdowson's account

Also a letter from the Clerk of Savings Bank

To the Chairman & members of the
Coastway Rural District Council

gentlemen

Sholder Blunch Lane

In reference to the complaint of a pipe being
laid in above mentioned road, and left
dangerous. I find by enquiries that a
Miss Grange of Liverpool had had the pipes laid to improve the
entrance to her stables. I met her
Coachman there last week, and told
her that pipes are set back I did not think the Council would
back, also to erect object to them, if Miss Grange would
notice board, caution here them removed back close to bank.
to not to deposit and level road off at lower end.

Surveyor to see
that pipes are set
back, also to erect
notice board, caution
them removed back
close to bank.
to not to deposit
rubbish in this
lane

Sholder Street Pond

As instructed at last meeting I have taken
the levels to see if some improvement could
be made at the Pond in Sholder Street

to write to where when we get heavy rains the
County Surveyor water lays all over the road & foot-
asking him to arrange path. It will require a length of
a mile with the 240 yards of 6" earthenware pipe with
District Surveyor as 4 catchpits. I estimate the cost for
pipes & catchpits & bricklayers £42 the
excavating could be done by the roadmen
If the work was carried out I have
it permission would have to be
obtained from the owner of the list road
where the water would discharge into ditch

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to audit the Accounts of the Council for the half year ending 30th September last on the 10th April next at 11 a.m.

Joint Water Supply

Also account from the Town Clerk of Sandwich of joint Working expenses for the year ended 31st December last, the proportion payable by this Council being £255 14:0. Clerk to obtain further particulars as to the supply by the Sandwich Town Council to Stover.

Local Traffic after War

The Clerk produced report of the proceedings at a meeting of Representatives of the Dean Bridge Dover Cartage & Strand Rural District Councils held at Canterbury on the 20th inst, and stated that at the request of Mr Rice he had sent a copy to Mr P.W. Cox War Agricultural Committee, divisions Stonebridge.

Compensation for Disturbance etc.

The Surveyor reported that since the last meeting he had seen the John Matthews of Wingham with reference to his claim for bedding etc. destroyed by Order of the Council and that he was willing to accept £5:10:0 in settlement and

Ordered that a cheque be drawn therefor

Trees by Brome and Woodborough

The Surveyor reported that the trees planted to near the centre of the road by Mr Ash had been set back as required by the Council.

Scavenging

The Clerk reported that the Scavenging Contracts for Ash, Warty, & Wingham expired on the 31st inst. Letters were read from Mr St. L. Ash stating he was willing to continue the work for £5:10:0 per week, from the 1st January that he should

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Parliamentary Road Transport Committee

Read a letter from the Members of the Executive of the above Committee with reference to the proposals of the Government in their Bill to establish a Ministry of Ways and Communications.

Church Lane Skolden

Also a letter from the County Surveyor to whom the Vicar of Skolden had written with reference to the width of this lane leading to the Church and schools. The consideration of the letter was deferred.

Road near Billo Green Ash

Also a letter from Mr E.B. Stelling calling attention to flooding which existed on the road near Billo Green. The Surveyor was directed to report on the subject later.

East Kent Railway Crossing at Eastbrook Ash

Also a letter from the Ash Parish Council asking if the Council could do something to amend the condition of the above Crossing. Clerk to look into question of the Railway Company's Liability.

Joint Committee for appointing Medical Officer of Health Rural District Council

Also a letter from the Dean Rural District Council with reference to the proposed division of the District and pointing out the advantage which, in their opinion, would accrue if this District was included in Group No. 2. The Clerk stated he had not yet received a reply to his letter to the Joint Committee.

Audit

Received Notice from the District Auditor of his intention

22nd April 1919

Winding up regulating and siting the Work Pouch Block the sum of £5-5-0 per ann. and the same was approved.

Local Water Supply

Read a letter from the Town Clerk of Wandsworth in reply to one from the Clerk with reference to the Water supplied to Stone and it was Resolved that a cheque of £23-11-0 the proportion of Working expenses payable by this Council to the 31st December last be drawn.

Institution of Municipal - County Engineers

Received notice of the 16th Annual General Meeting and Conference to be held in Birmingham on the 26, 27, 28th June next.

Wingham Water Supply Collection

Also a letter from Mr G. Hambrook Collector of rates changes asking that his Commission might be increased from 5 to 6% to cover Costs of Poling & Malting. Resolved that his remuneration be increased from 5% to 6%.

Agricultural Rates Act

Also a letter from the Local Government Board who they had paid to the Treasurer £499-6-11 the Grant of the above Act in respect of the half year ending on the 30th September next.

Rose Cottages Westmeath

Resolved that notice be given to Messrs Bubb & Co to remove to provide a Red blood for the Cottages steps respectively by William Castle and Edwin Dalrymple 23 days

Waivering

Orders were received as under

Cash. £3-10-0 per week

Dorothy £98 for the year

Resolved that they be respectively accepted for year ending 31 March next.

Local Staff after the War

Mr Rice reported that he had discussed the report produced at the last meeting with the Kent Agricultural Executive Committee and that the Report had been forwarded to the Board of Agriculture.

Chesham Lane Whitlow

Mr Burgess reported that this matter was still under consideration but that no definite report could be given at this meeting.

General Expenses

Resolved that to provide the Council with funds estimated to be required for defraying the General expenses for the current half year Receipts under the Common Seal of the Council be issued to the Treasurer of the undesignated Parishes requiring them to pay the undesignated sums to the Treasurer on or before the 21 May and the 20 July next viz

Parishes	48 th Dec	21 st May 1919	20 July 1919
Cash	118 14 8	56 1	56 1
Dorchester	10 2	10	12
Westhanger	6 2 9	20	19
Whitlow	11 11	10	10
Dorchester	5 8 9	18 1	18 1
Whitlow	9 2 7	26	26
	196 0 9	61 4	61 2

15th July 1919
 The Clerk produced copy of the Order. It was Resolved that arrangements made by the late Committee for Officers and staff so far as the Fuel Overseer may require be continued and that the Assistant Clerk act as adviser to the Fuel Overseer at the same salary he received as Clerk of the Committee.

Rats Orders 1918-19

Also a letter from the Clerk of the County Council forwarding the Councils formal consent to enable the Council to exercise the powers under the above Order.

The Clerk reported that he had communicated with the Clerk of the Parish Councils and Parish meetings in the District in accordance with the resolution passed on the 20th May last.

Also a letter from Mr. S. Scott Home Farm, Ditchingham stating he heard that a statement had been made to the Board that Northbourne Board Works were overrun with rats and he was quite at a loss how such a statement could be made that he had finished threshing about three weeks ago six stacks of Wheat and two of Oats, that there were only two rats in the Oat stacks and not one in the Wheat stacks.

Also letters from the Home Wingham & North Parish Councils.

East Kent Joint Committee

Also a letter from the Clerk of the Joint Committee expressing regret that the letter from the Clerk of the 29th February last had been overlooked and reporting the proceedings at the Staff party meeting on the 28th May. The Council conferred with the Medical Officer of Health on the subject and it appeared that the suggested Districts would in all probability have to be altered.

Report of Medical Officer of Health

Also copies of the report of the Medical Officer of Health for the year 1918. The report for the quarter ended 30th Sept. was read by the Medical Officer of Health. It was Resolved that notices be prepared by D. Greenwood with reference to rough houses be posted in this District.

Road Sweeping, damage to Fisheries

Also a letter from the Clerk of the Council asking for information as to the sweeping of roads in this District. The Clerk stated that he had forwarded the information asked for and it did not appear that any fisheries were polluted in this District.

Water Rent Charge Redemption

Also a letter from Mr. G. F. Colgate stating the land at the Munge Works Ark was charged with a commuted sum of 147^s. under an all-land appointment dated 10th January 1898 and that he was taking the necessary steps with reference to the land purchased of Mrs. Gardner, that the Board of Agriculture were very slow in moving and he anticipated it would be at least three months before he could get the matter definitely settled.

Petroleum Licences

Applications were received from J. Hutchings Wooley for a licence for the Storage of Petrol and from Mr. A. G. Sanders of Wooley for a licence to Store Outside of Boleston, the Mayor reported that there was no objection in either case, and it was Resolved that the licences be granted.

Church Lane Wharfen

The Clerk reported that he had been in communication with Mr. J. P. Bagg with reference to his allowing a footpath on his land by the side of Church Lane, the Council being willing to pay an acknowledgment, and a letter in reply was read stating

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that the Minutes of the Land could not give permission and that the property would shortly be coming into the hands, Clerk to communicate again with the Corp.

Gold Storage Recommendation

Also a letter from the Ministry of Food (Gold Storage department) enclosing plans of a Gold Storage Store of about 120 tons. Vapour estimated to cost about £8000 excluding land, in case the Council should decide on providing one.

Workmen's dwellings Act

Also a letter from the Ministry of Health regarding that an error had been made in the Local Government Board's letter of the 12th inst. in reference to the 1914 House plans and approving the plans last submitted, the Clerk stated he had informed Mr Jennings and instructed him to write London.

Small Pox Hospital

The Clerk reported that a lease of small Pox was landed at Deal on the 7th inst. and admitted to the Hospital he also produced correspondence with Mr W. J. Elgar with reference to the Council's claim for damages.

Billing of Shrotho etc

Read a letter from the Local Agricultural Executive Committee asking that steps should be at once taken to cut the Shrotho Docks and other suburbs on the road side the surveys were directed to attend to the matter.

Food Control

Also a letter from the Ministry of Food extending the term of Office of Food Control Committee for a period of six months beyond the year for which the members were

originally appointed and enclosing copy of a letter which had been addressed to the Chairman of the Committee.

Proposed Revision of Hoopla's Hoathbourne

The Clerk reported that he had brought this matter before the Hoathbourne Parish Council who had requested the consideration to Wednesday the 23rd inst. that he proposed to attend the adjourned meeting and the question could then be further considered by the Council.

Camping water supply

Read a letter from Mr R. C. Whithead asking if the Council would grant a supply of water to the proposed Boys Life Brigade Camp to be held in Hoopes Meadow Camp from the 2nd to the 9th August, previous camps had been held in the same meadow before the War and the Council had then made a charge of 10/- and it was resolved a similar charge to be made for the Camp about to be held.

He also enclosed a letter from Mr E. S. Burt with reference to the supply of water to a plantation at Malsborough. Resolved that the Council will grant a supply of water.

Woodenborough water supply

Also an application from Mr J. H. Taylor, Woodenborough for a supply of water for the Wooding Green. Resolved that the Council are willing to supply the water at a charge of 10/- per annum.

Housing

The applications for appointment of Council to assist the Council in Housing Helms and the acquisition of sites were considered and it was resolved unanimously that Mr John Archbold be appointed for a period of six months from the 1st inst. the question of remuneration to be considered later on.

again calling attention to this footpath and stating that they considered it should be repaired by the Highway Authority.

The Clerk was instructed to inform the Parish Council that the footpath in question appeared to be a private footpath constructed for the convenience of the property immediately adjoining it and not forming part of a continuous footpath or of general benefit to the inhabitants of Ash and in these circumstances the Council did not consider themselves justified in undertaking the repair.

A Deputation was received on behalf of the Unemployed Ex-Services Men attached to the British Legion Honington and District Branch with reference to four single men for whom the Council had found employment and subsequently stood off in favour of married men. It appeared that

three single men should never have been put forward by the British Legion Representation and it was decided to find them one week's work in connection with the road widening at Lammill Corner.

An application from a married man who had been given employment at stone breaking for his adopted son to do the work ^{for him} owing to his hands being unfit for the work was refused.

Woodnesborough Water Supply

Also a letter from the Woodnesborough Parish Council stating that the Tyndale which had been recently placed near the Palm Tree was very unsatisfactory with regard to pressure and suggesting that it should have been placed on the large main. The Clerk was instructed

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Sholden

Read a letter from the Clerk to the Sholden Parish Council enclosing a Petition signed by such Council with reference to the widening of the upper portion of Church Lane, so that the roadway could be used for traffic. Refers to No. 1. Highway Committee.

County Sanitary Inspector

Read a letter from Dr. Greenwood enclosing copy of a Report which he had presented to the Kent County Council with reference to a Report of the County Sanitary Inspector dealing with this district.

Ash

Also a letter from the Ash Parish Council enquiring whether the District Council would be willing to allow the use of land purchased in connection with housing to be used for allotments. The Clerk was instructed to inform the Parish Council that the District Council would be willing to let the land to the Ash Parish Council for the purpose of allotments if desired subject to satisfactory arrangements being made with the present tenant and on same terms as the land was at present let. The Clerk was directed to inform the Ash Parish Council that the written consent of the present tenant to relinquish his tenancy should be obtained before the Council could consider the matter.

Ash Street End Footpath

Also a letter from the Ash Parish Council

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Wingham
R. J. Parsons.

It was Resolved that the above tenders be accepted.
Read a letter from Miss Maestri asking that cross-pools should be included in the Scavenging Area for Wingham. The Clerk was directed to inform Miss Maestri that the Council did not undertake the emptying of cross-pools.

Joint Water Supply

Ordered that a cheque be drawn for £92.2.0 in favour of the Sandwich Corporation being the proportion of Joint Working Expenses to the 31st December last.

Sholden.

The Ho. Highway Committee reported that they had with Representatives from the Corporation of Deal and the County Surveyor inspected Church Lane, Sholden and that the Deal Representatives had promised to consult the Deal Town Council on the matter. The Committee were of opinion that the owners of the land on the side of the road in this district should be approached with a view to their giving a strip of land sufficient to make a footpath for the children.

Ash

Read a letter from the Ash Parish Council enclosing a letter received by them from Mr. Johnson the tenant of the land at Ash belonging to the Council stating that he was prepared to hand over the same for allotments on the following conditions:

(1) That rent and rates were refunded as from Michaelmas last.

(2) That all work after harvest on the land was paid for, and

(3) That this Council put a substantial and closed fence round the boundary and give a written guarantee to pay all damages proved to be done by any live stock getting through of such fence.

The Clerk was instructed to communicate with Mr Austin Gardner from whom the Council

purchased the land and enquire whether he desired to repurchase it and in the event of his not desiring to do so it be offered to the Parish Council on a lease of 7, 14, or 21 years at £1 per annum and that it be left to the Parish Council to make arrangements with the present tenant as to possession.

Ash Street End Footpath

Also a letter from the Ash Parish Council in reply to one from the Clerk as directed at the last Meeting stating that the path in question is not a private path but is used for the Public generally and that if the District Council would not see their way to repair the path perhaps they would have it turned into the road as it is at present full of holes and dangerous. The Council were of opinion that the path was a private one and decided to take no action in the matter.

Woodnesborough

With reference to the letter from the Woodnesborough Parish Council as to the dangerous

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are levied.

"The produce of a General Rate of one penny in the pound calculated in the manner prescribed was £291.6.3, and the sum of £446.14.11 is due to the Guardians, representing the difference between the estimated and the actual product of a rate of one shilling and tenpence in the pound, called for by them.

"It is important that the Water Rate Collectors should pay over to the Treasurer promptly the amounts received by them.

"In view of the large amount in the sum and the small number of your Treasurer, the Council should consider the advisability of revising the amount of security to be required to give.

"It was evident that great care had been exercised in the preparation of the Account which have gone in volume, and the ready manner in which all the required information was given by the various Officers concerned greatly facilitated the work of the Audit.

Treasurer's Board
It was Resolved in view of the Auditor's Report that the Treasurer be asked to give a Bond in the sum of £5,000.

Sholden
The Clerk was directed to write to the Local Corporation suggesting that their Surveyor should meet this Council's Surveyor with the County Surveyor with a view to considering the question of improving the state of the above road.

A letter was read from the Sholden Parish Council enquiring whether they had urban powers with reference to footpaths.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Council that they had no such powers.

It was Resolved that application be made to the Ministry of Health for an Order investing this Council with urban powers in connection with footpaths in respect of the Parish of Sholden.

Shattering Staple

The Clerk was directed to write to Mr. Stogden calling his attention to the damage caused to the road by his chickens.

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Authorities to be held at Seville
in March 1929
No action taken.

Chatterling Staple

Read a letter from Mr J. J. Hoppen in reply to a letter from the Clerk with reference to the damage caused to the mud by his chickens.

Cholden

Read a letter from the Ministry of Health enclosing copies of an Order investing this Council with urban powers with reference to footpaths in respect of the above named parish.

The Clerk was instructed to advertise the Order in the next issue of the 'Deal Mercury'.

Surveyors

Mr Foster was granted 14 days leave of absence on the occasion of his marriage.

Mr Cooke gave notice that at the next meeting he would bring forward the question of the salaries at present paid to the Surveyors.

Land for Road Widening
It was resolved that Mr Amos be paid the sum of £5 for a strip of land taken for road widening at Chatterling Staple.

Hot Water Supply
Mr A. Lolley brought forward the question of supplying the Westmarch Village Hall with water and it was resolved subject to the recommendation of the local Council that this Council agree to lay on a supply.

Hydrogeological Survey.

It was resolved that Messrs Archibald, Barker & Price be employed to accept the Sanitary Inspector and the Medical Officer of Health in taking the levels of wells in the district.

Church Lane Cholden.

The Chairman reported that he had met the County Surveyor with the Deal Surveyor at Shank Lane Cholden, and that the County Surveyor had agreed to take the water from the main road into a hollow and make ainder path, that the County Council and the Deal Town Council would supply two

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men each, and that this board
would supply the necessary
clinker.

It was Resolved that the
Chairman's action be approved.

The Inspectors and Surveyors
Reports respectively were read
and Orders made thereon.

J. J. Kempster

Chairman

1st January 1929

At a meeting of the Easton
Rural District Council held this
day. Present - Mr J. J. Caspell, Vice-
Chairman, Mr W. J. G. Caspell, Secy.

Councillors G. Colley, W. H. Clark,

A. B. Winter, W. Tegg,

A. Stone, K. Cooke,

R. W. D. Cranwood, Hon.

Walter James, J. L. Layfitt,

A. W. Clumpton

Mr J. M. Goodwin

On the proposition of Mr J. J.
Caspell it was Resolved that
the Board having heard with
deep regret of the death of Mr
J. M. Goodwin, formerly a Member
of the Council, desire to express
their sincere sympathy and
condolence with Mrs Goodwin in
her sad bereavement.

The minutes of the last Meeting
were then read and confirmed.

The Balance in the hands of the
Treasurer this day is £34 7 5

Treasurer's Receipts:

15 Dec. 1928. Arthur Chapman's Salary
sent from Plumpton 5 7 8