

Council Meeting Parish Council Meeting, July, 13th/95.

at 4. P. M. at Mill Barn

Present F. J. P. Maunders Chairman also Messrs Mitchell, Harris, Dilling, and H. Webber

This meeting was called to consider and examine the Return, prepared by the Overseers, as requested by the County Council, of the Rateable Value of the Parish, for the basis of the County Rates. It was approved, and ordered to be forwarded to the Council.

F. J. P. Maunders
July 24th 1896

Council Meeting

Parish Council Meeting held, July, 24/96 at Mill Barn 4. P. M. Present F. J. P. Maunders Chairman, also Messrs Harris, May, Dilling & H. Webber.

1st The Assistant Overseers Appointment as sent to Council was signed by two Members of the Council, and sent to the Clerk of the Rural District Council.

X 2nd The letter sent by the Charities Commissioner to the Council, confirming the appointment of Messrs Mitchell, & Dilling, as Trustees to the following Charities belonging to the Parish viz. Sydenham's, Brook's, Greenclade's, and the Poor's Money, was read.

3rd It was proposed by Mr. Dilling, & seconded by Mr. Webber that this Parish Council call the attention of the Rural District Board to the dangerous state of the Road at Mill Bridge in time of floods to foot-passengers and would recommend that a Culvert

be carried across the Road. The Resolution was unanimously carried. And the Clerk was instructed to write the same to the Rural District Council.

J. J. P. Mauder
 Feb 19th 1896

Council meeting

Parish Council meeting held. February 19th 1896 at Mill Barn at 4 P.M. Present. J. J. P. Mauder Chairman also Messrs Harris. Webber. Dilling. P. H. May. W. Pickard & J. S. Mitchell. This meeting was called to consider & examine the basis of the County Rate prepared by the County Council. The Chairman proposed that the basis be accepted and was unanimously carried by all the Councillors.

2nd

Mr May proposed and was seconded by Mr Mitchell that the sum of 10^{/-} a year be given for the use of Room at Mill Barn. for the meeting of the Council & was approved by all the members. The sum of £1-4-4 was paid to the Clerk for Postages & Bills for Books &c. —

J. J. P. Mauder
 April 15th 1896

The Annual Parish Meeting, for the election of Parish Councillors having been duly convened by public notice. Was held at Mill Barn March 9th 1896. at 4. P. M.

M^r James Partridge of Upcott was chosen Chairman, having been proposed by M^r G. S. P. Maundev, & seconded by M^r J. S. Mitchell & unanimously carried. The number of nomination papers handed to the Chairman were seven. Viz.

Crookle Frederick E.	Taborn Vain
Harris John.	Fosden Willbridge
Maundev Frederick	Sal. Partridge
Middlewick	May Philip Henry.
Marchmont	Mitchell Thomas
Sonale	Providence
Petford William	Ludow
Webber Henry.	Stutchdown

Fifteen minutes having elapsed and ~~no~~ no more nomination papers were handed to the Chairman, he then declared the above named duly elected to the 15th April 1897.

James Partridge
March 18th 1897

Parish Meeting

The meeting having been duly convened, was held at Mill Barn on Tuesday March 31st at 4. P.M. Mr. F. J. P. Maunder, in the Chair. The question of the Charities was the general discussion.

1st Meeting
1896

15th April

Parish Council meeting held ~~on~~ ~~at~~ ~~March~~ 1896 at Mill Barn at 4. P.M. -

Present. F. J. P. Maunder Chairman also Messrs Harris, Webber, Mitchell, Crooke, & Piddard. Mr. J. Harris in the Chair

Mr. Mitchell proposed that Mr. F. J. P. Maunder be elected Chairman for the ensuing year and seconded by Mr. W. Piddard, and unanimously carried. Mr. Piddard proposed

Mr. Mitchell seconded that Mr. Harris be appointed Vice Chairman, and was unanimously carried. Mr. Harris proposed

Mr. Mitchell, that the Overseers for the ensuing year to be Messrs Tucker & Piddard and were duly appointed. The declaration of acceptance of Office was then signed by all the Councillors

Mr. Harris proposed & seconded by Mr. Crooke, that the Clerk write to the Rural District Council that the Bridge at Charnapond was broken and was now dangerous to children in having

to cross to attend School. Also the Rural District Council be informed that the sides

DEVONSHIRE AIDT DISTRICT EXAMINED THIS 18 DAY OF May 1896

DISTRICT AUDITOR

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Declaration

We having been elected Parish Councillors for the Parish of Shelbridge hereby declare that we the undersigned take the said office upon ourselves and will duly and faithfully fulfill the duties thereof according to the best of our judgement and ability.

F. J. P. Maunders

- . John Harris
- . Thos. S. Mitchell
- . William Rickard
- . Henry Webber
- . Frederick Brock
- . Philip H. May

F. J. P. Maunders
Nov 30th 1896

2. Meeting
1896

Parish council meeting held at Mill Barn
Nov. 30th at 7. P. M.

Present, Messrs F. J. P. Maunders in the Chair
Harris. May. Mitchell. Brock & Webber

A resolution was proposed by Mr Harris
& seconded by Mr May. That a letter
be written to the Rural District Council
to protest against the increase of the
Highway Contributions orders, and
to ask for an explanation, also to
call their attention to the bad state of
the Occupation Road belonging to
Mill Barn. (continued)

Audit Stamp
18/ May. 5⁰

Mr Maunday proposed and was seconded by Mr Mitchell that the debt be repaid - 5/- for the Stamp at the Audit. & Carried.

Mr May proposed & seconded by Mr Mitchell that a letter be sent to Mr Fisher to say that a complaint had been made of the Foot Bridge between Hele's Tenement & Washford, and to ask him to repair the same, as he considered it the duty of the occupier of the land on which the Bridge is situated to do so, not the Parish Council (Carried.)

F. J. P. Maunday
Jan 4th 1897

3 meeting

Parish Council meeting held at Mill Barn December 4th. Present F. J. P. Maunday Chairman & Messrs Mitchell, May, Pielands, Webber & Crooke. a letter in answer to the one sent to the Rural District Council was read. The answer stated that the extra Rates was owing to the heavy calls from the County Council orders.

A letter received by the Chairman, from Jan. Heathcote, Amory, Esq^r, Chairman of the Town Council of Tiverton was laid before this Council. The letter stating that a conference was shortly to be held, at Tiverton on behalf of a Light Railway to Ebchester and asking this Council to appoint a Delegate to attend. The meeting. Mr Mitchell proposed & Mr Pielands

be sent to Chairman, and was carried
 The Parish Councillors of Shelbridge thank
 the Town Council of Tiverton for their consideration
 of a Light-Railway to Witheridge. They are
 of opinion it would be the best possible thing
 that can be done for Witheridge & the district
 and would greatly improve the market and
 trade of Tiverton, and that this Council
 are unanimous in electing their Chairman
 J. S. Maunder Esq; as deputation to attend
 the conference on this subject to be held at
 Tiverton. The Clerk was directed to write
 to the Rector of Washford Tyns. stating that this
 Council is of opinion from information
 they have received that through the Gateway
 at Mill Bridge is the direct pathway to
 Washford. The stile adjoining having been erected
 by the occupier of the Farm for his own convenience
 he having at the time closed the Gateway

J. S. Maunder
 April 15th 1847

The Annual Parish meeting for the election of
 Parish Councillors having been duly convened
 by public notice, was held at Mill Barn, March
 18th 1847. at 7. P. M. Mr. James Partridge of
 Upcott occupied the Chair, having been proposed
 by Mr. J. S. Maunder & seconded by Mr.
 Harris, & carried. The minutes of the last
 the last year meeting, were read & duly
 signed by the Chairman. The nomination

to the number of seven viz, Messrs.

J. J. P. Maundw. Muddhwick

J. Harris Foseden. Washbridge

J. S. Mitchell. Providence

Leach. Old Hills Lemenent

J. Dilling. Berry Chase

W. Peckard. Tudor

P. H. May. Marchmont

Fifteen minutes having elapsed and no more nomination, & received the Chairman declared the above named to be duly elected to the 18th March 1898. Cheques were then drawn for expenses during the year for Hire of Rooms printing flight 10-0 to Elias Partridge, M. C. Chapple for forms Stationary, & Postage £1-1-3. The returning Officers fees. 18-9 = for 1896 = a Precept was drawn on the Overseers for the sum of £3-0-0. payable to the Treasurer of the Parish Council on the 20th of March.

10-0 ✓

£. 1-1-3 ✓

18-9 ✓

3-0-0
Precept

DEVONSHIRE AUCTION DISTRICT
EXAMINED
THIS 31 DAY OF MAY 1897
Robert C. Barrett
DISTRICT AUDITOR

J. J. P. Maundw
April 15th 1897

Parish Council Meeting held April 15th 1897 at Mill Barn at 4 p. M. Present Messrs Maundw. Harris Mitchell. Dilling. & Leach. Mr Harris in the Chair the Councillors present having signed the declaration Mr Leach proposed & seconded by Mr Dilling. that Mr J. J. P. Maundw be appointed Chairman for the ensuing year. and was carried unanimously Mr W. Peckard & John J. Leach were appointed Overseers for the ensuing year proposed by Mr Mitchell & seconded

Declaration

We having been elected Parish Councillors for the Parish of Shellbridge hereby declare, that we the undersigned take the said office upon ourselves and will duly and faithfully fulfill the duties thereof according to the best of our judgement and ability

J. J. P. Maunders
John Harrie
Tho^s. S. Mitchell,
John Dilling,
Frederick Leach
William Pickard
P. H. May J. J. P. Maunders
May 13th 1897

A Public meeting was held at Mill Barn on May 13th at 4. P. M. to consider what steps should be taken to commemorate the Queens Diamond Jubilee to be held on June 22nd. Mr J. J. P. Maunders in the Chair also present Rev^d. S. Hill Honywood, & Messrs Mitchell, Dilling, Loosemore, Crook & Hooper Partridge, & E. Partridge. It was decided ^{a motion} to have Mr Mitchell proposed & Mr J. Partridge ^{seconded} that the Tea & Sports be held in Mr Maunders field at Hitchdown.

But afterwards it was decided that as to where it should be held ^{postponed} until the Committee met at their next meeting, whether it would not be better to have it at the Rectory or adjoining, Mr Partridge proposed & Mr Mitchell

be appointed the Committee. Mr Maundus proposed
 an amendment that a committee be appointed
 from those present. Mr Mitchell proposed and
 was seconded by Mr Loosemore that the
 + Rev. J. H. Hargood as one of the Committee
 + carried, it was decided that the Parish
 Councillors + Collectors should be the Committee
 of Messrs Hooper, Pickard, Maundus + Partridge
 were chosen as collectors. + that the committee
 meet this day fortnight. Mr Loosemore to enquire
 + report as to cost of a Tent for the occasion

J. S. P. Maundus
 May 27th 1897

a Parish Council meeting held May 27th 97 Present
 J. S. P. Maundus, L. Harman also Messrs Harris, May
 Pickard, Mitchell, Dilling + the collectors
 appointed to collect for the Jubilee, Messrs
 Hooper, Pickard, Maundus + J. Partridge
 having reported that the amount collected +
 promised only amounted to £2-2-3
 Mr Harris proposed, + seconded Mr Mitchell
 that no Jubilee meeting be held + carried. The
 amount collected to be returned.

J. S. P. Maundus
 April 15th 1898