

Annual Meeting.April 21, 1914.

Present: Messrs. J. Fletcher,
G. W. Hipwell, J. F. Pridgen,
J. Measures, E. E. Wileman,
and L. H. Ison.

Chairman

On the motion of Messrs.
J. Measures and E. E. Wileman
Mr. G. W. Hipwell was unanimously
elected Chairman of the Council for
the ensuing year.

Overseers.

On the motion of Messrs. J. F.
Pridgen and L. H. Ison
Messrs. George Hart (Builder)
and Thomas Pickering (Gardener)
were appointed Overseers of the
Poor for the ensuing year.

The minutes of the last meeting
were read and signed by the
Chairman.

Vice Chairman

On the motion of Messrs.
E. E. Wileman and L. H. Ison
Mr. J. Measures was unanimously
elected Vice Chairman for the
ensuing year.

Cemetery
Committee

Messrs. J. F. Pridgen, J. Measures,
and J. Fletcher were on the motion of
L. H. Ison and E. E. Wileman
elected as the Cemetery Committee
for the ensuing year.

Footpath
Committee

On the motion of Messrs. J. F. Pridgen
and J. Fletcher, Messrs. L. H. Ison,
E. E. Wileman and W. J. Edwards
were elected as the Foot-Paths
Committee for the ensuing year.

Water
Committee

On the motion of Messrs. J. F. Pridgen
and J. Fletcher Messrs. L. H. Ison
and W. J. Edwards were appointed
as the Water Committee for the
ensuing year.

It was resolved to invite Mr. H.
Jordan to co-operate with the Committee.

The Clerk reported respecting the
accounts for the year ended March 31st,
there being a balance in hand on
all the accounts.

A notice was received from
the County Education Committee
respecting the building of the new
Infant School.

Resolved on the motion of
Messrs. J. F. Pridgen and J. Measures that
the garden frame in the Cemetery be
repaired with good hard bricks.

Apr 21/14

A number of accounts were submitted for payment and on the motion of Messrs J. Y. Pridgen and J. Y. Letcher cheques were signed in payment of same as follows:-

Mr. J. Y. Bradshaw.	93. 0. 0	✓
John Connor.	1. 5. 0	✓
Joseph Bradford.	1. 6. 0	✓
J. Y. Bradshaw	3. 5. 0	✓
John Holaron	3. 5. 0	✓
Charles Hart	1. 8. 0	✓

pay the following accounts:

Geo Johnson	8. 0	✓
C. Hart. cheque Book.	4. 0	✓
Geo. Hart.	9. 8	✓
J. Holaron.	2. 6	✓
Dadden & Co.	8. 10	✓
	<u>£1. 8. 0</u>	

The balance sheet of the Overseers for the half year ended Sept: 30, 1913 was submitted.

Sketches of herbings with inscriptions in memory of Eliza Shuttleworth and William Shuttleworth were submitted and approved.

Purchase of
seeds.

It was resolved to purchase 10/6 worth of flower seeds for the cemetery ground and two loads of manure.

Apr 21/14

It was resolved on the motion of Messrs J. Measures and L. H. Ison to have the garden frame in the cemetery repaired and put in proper order.

The Pine Porrigade Drill Book was submitted and examined.

Geo. H. Hipwell
Chairman

May 5/14.

Measham Parish Council.
May 5, 1914.

Present: Messrs. C. H. Dipwell
 (chair) J. Measures (vice chair),
 J. H. Pridgeon, L. H. Ison, &
 J. Fletcher.

The minutes of the last
 meeting were read and signed
 by the Chairman.

Repairs of
 Cemetery
 Walls.

The Cemetery Committee
 reported that the Cemetery Walls
 needed repairing and on the
 motion of Messrs. J. Measures
 and J. H. Pridgeon it was
 resolved to invite tenders
 for the carrying out of the work
 from Messrs. J. Latham, G. Dart,
 & T. G. Dart.

Precept
 £15

The Clerk presented the
 estimate of expenditure on the
 general account for the year
 ending Sept. 30, 1914, and on
 the motion of Messrs. J. Measures
 and J. H. Pridgeon a precept
 was issued upon the Overseers
 for the sum of £15 for general
 expenses of the Council.

On the motion of Messrs. J. H.
 Pridgeon and L. H. Ison the
 following were appointed members
 of the Fire Brigade for the
 ensuing year: -

J. T. Broadshaw
 E. Atkins
 J. Ennor
 A. J. Moore
 L. Jones
 J. W. Wileman
 E. Ennor
 A. Poall
 A. Dodson
 W. Price
 James Wileman
 A. Bandle

Several accounts were submitted
 for payment and on the motion
 of Messrs. J. H. Pridgeon and
 J. Fletcher cheques were signed
 in payment of same as follows: -

Geo. Dart. 1-1-9
 Charles Dart 1-8-1 to
 pay the following accounts:

J. Bonser 10-0
 Webb & Sons 10-6
 Geo. Johnson 4-6
 J. Stanfield 3-7
 £1-8-1

Collector of
Poor Rates
Increase of
Salary

A communication was received from the Board of Guardians stating that Mr. W. Bonas the collector of poor rates for the Parish of Measham had made an application for an increase of £7. 10s per annum to his present salary and asking for the observations of the Council respecting the matter.

After discussion Mr. J. H. Pridgen moved that the Guardians be recommended to grant Mr. Bonas' application for an increase of £7. 10s per annum to his present salary.

This was seconded by Mr. L. H. Ison and carried unanimously.

The Overseers wrote supporting the application and Mr. Bonas wrote giving particulars of the increase of work.

Sketch of headstone to be erected to the memory of William Wileman, Mary Wileman, William Wileman and Maud Mary Wileman was submitted and approved of.

Geo. H. Hipwell

May. 26, 1914

Chairman

Measham Parish Council

May. 26, 1914

Present: - Messrs. G. H. Hipwell (Chair), J. Measures (vice-chair), J. H. Pridgen, J. H. Ketcher, E. E. Wileman, L. H. Ison, and W. J. Edmonds

The minutes of the last meeting were read and signed.

Tenders
Repair
Cemetery

Tenders were received for the repair of the Cemetery Walls as follows: -

John Latham - £ 10. 14. 6
George Hart - £ 11. 15. 0

On the motion of Messrs. J. Measures and L. H. Ison it was resolved to accept the tender of Mr. John Latham for £ 10. 14. 6.

Cleaning
Ditch

It was resolved to have the ditch adjoining the Cemetery cleaned out the work to be done by Mr. T. G. & Son.

New traces
etc.

On the motion of Messrs. J. H. Pridgen and J. H. Ketcher it was resolved to purchase new traces & breechings to be fitted to the fire engine; the matter to be left in the hands of Mr. Bradshaw.

Fire Brigade
Charges. A communication was received from the County Fire Office offering £4. 4s in settlement of the account for the Fire Brigade turning out to a fire at a cottage at Swanstone owned by Mr. Riley.

On the motion of Messrs. J. Measures and J. Fletcher it was resolved to reduce the fee for the use of the engine from £2. 2. to £1. 1. making the total charges £5-6s

Water
Elevator The Water Committee reported that the Water Elevator needed putting into proper order and that the Elevator had been examined by Mr. J. Holdron.

Mr. Holdron's estimate for carrying out the work was £5-12s 6d.

Mr. J. P. Pridgen moved that the Elevator be repaired as per Mr. Holdron's estimate. This was seconded by Mr. J. Measures and carried.

Messrs. J. P. Pridgen, J. Measures, W. J. Edmonds, J. Fletcher, L. H. Tom, and E. E. Wileman voted in favour, Mr. G. H. Hipwell remaining neutral.

Plants
 25/- On the motion of Messrs. J. Measures and J. Fletcher it was resolved to purchase 25/- worth of plants for the Cemetery ground.

Soil
Cemetery It was resolved on the motion of Messrs. J. Measures and W. J. Edmonds that the loose soil be carted out of the Cemetery.

Resolved to hold the next meeting of the Council on July 7th.

Fire Brigade
Parade Permission was granted to the Fire Brigade to take the engine to the Moira parade on July 11th.

Geo. H. Hipwell,
 Chairman

July 7, 1914