

Feoffee Minutes  
June 1888 - March 1909.

Feoffees

Rev<sup>d</sup> M. Guerity Colyton  
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 Mr J. B. Kettle - "

Mr W. H. Rogers. Colyton  
 " J. Stokes Esq: "  
 " J. Mounstephen Esq: "  
 " J. Harding " "  
 " J. G. Hamm. " "  
 " J. Searle " "  
 " J. White " "  
 " W. Tucker " "  
 " J. Strawbridge Esq: "

Committee

Finance, Mess<sup>rs</sup> Hamm, Harding, White & Strawbridge,  
 Water, Mess<sup>rs</sup> Guerity, Harding, & White.  
 Garden, Mess<sup>rs</sup> Guerity, Kettle, & Strawbridge Farmer,  
 Gas, Mess<sup>rs</sup> Strawbridge, & Tucker.

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Committee Town Water Supply  
 Rev<sup>d</sup> M. Guerity Mess<sup>rs</sup> Smith, Tucker, Drower  
 and Farmer

June 29<sup>th</sup> 1888. A Chamber Meeting having  
 been held this day pursuant to notice of the 22<sup>nd</sup>  
 Inst: to consider as under.

- 1 Mr Kingdon's reply re Ham Bread.
- 2 To bring forward again the question of filling up  
 the Chamber.
- 3 To receive report from <sup>Mr. J. B. Kettle</sup> Water Committee and to  
 consider Barrett's Estimate.
- 4 Correspondence between Mr Kingdon & Mr Stillman. re  
 exchange of Property.
- 5 To receive report as to Dams & Pools required at Stamford.
- 6 Mr Hardings notice to ask Charity Comm<sup>tee</sup> as to the  
 legality of saving money for Water Works.
- 7 Campiers claim for Rates.
- 8 Mr Clode's letter.
- 9 Auditing last Years A/C's.
- 10 Payment of Bills & Salaries.
- 11 Dispute between Snell & Rowell, "Ridgeway Flats."
- 12 Applications for help from J. Berry, J. Hoare, J. Northcote,  
 J. Northcote, W. Sprouge, G. Barrett,  
 57 for Glasses for M. Hoare, E. Long Hospital -

- 1 Proposed by Rev<sup>d</sup> M. Guerity, seconded by Mr Kettle that the Charity  
 Comm<sup>tee</sup> be written to, stating the case of the Rowlands Ham.  
 request, and asking their opinion.
- 2 Deferred.
- 3 Proposed by Mr Hamm seconded by Rev<sup>d</sup> M. Guerity that the  
 Bailiff ask the Agents of the Fire Offices to inquire at their  
 respective Head Offices if they will give anything towards  
 making a bank in Queen's Square.
- 4 Mr Scarborough declines to purchase or exchange Property.
- 5 Left in the hands of Committee, Mr Hamm to provide what is  
 necessary & to take the price of Elm.

over.

6 Proposed by Mr Harding, seconded by Mr Stann, that the Bailiff write to the Charity Comm<sup>rs</sup> asking their opinion as to the legality of laying by a fund for bringing water into the Town.

7 Allowed.

8 Deferred.

9 Deferred.

10 Cheques signed

11 Snell to give up ground taken from Rowell, by Sept. 29<sup>th</sup>, or to give notice to quit his Plot.

12 Berry & Hoare £1-10.0 each, & Northcote, & Northcote, W. Sprague & G. Barrett £1. each. Hoare 5/- for glasses.

J. P. Kettle Chairman

Present. Geo. M. Gurney Mess<sup>rs</sup> Kettle, Harding, Searle, Stann, White, Sucker, & Strawbridge.

July 20<sup>th</sup> 1888 - A Chamber Meeting having been held this day pursuant to notice of the 13<sup>th</sup> Inst. to consider as under.

1 Auditing A/c<sup>s</sup>.

2 New Grate, Cottage Colyford.

3 Repairs to Conduit, St. Andrews Square.

4 Applications for help from, James Sucker, Cotshayne, John Long, Geo. Bright, Sam. Edwards, & James Pack.

There not being a Quorum, no Meeting was held.

August 22<sup>nd</sup> 1888 A Chamber Meeting having been held this day pursuant to notice of the 16<sup>th</sup> Inst. to consider as under

1 Auditing A/c<sup>s</sup>.

2 New Grate, Cottage Colyford.

3 Repairs to Conduit, St. Andrews Square.

4 Repairs at Stanton.

5 Repairing Lamps.

6 Applications for help from Dan: Hoare, & H. Chappell. Resolved.

1 Accounts passed.

2 Bailiff to get the Grate.

3 Water Committee to report next Meeting.

4 Mr Stokes to see Mr Chard.

5 Mr Harding and Mr Searle to see to the Lamps.

6 H. Chappell £1-

Present - Mr J. P. Kettle Chairman  
Mess<sup>rs</sup> Stokes, Harding, Searle & White

Sept. 14<sup>th</sup> 1888 A Chamber Meeting having been held this day pursuant to notice of the 10<sup>th</sup> Inst. to consider as under.

1 Report from Water Committee, Conduit, St. Andrews Square.

2 Mr Chard's Estimate.

3 Lighting Lamps.

4 To consider rearrangement of Allotments.

5 Repairs at Lovehayne.

6 Special case for Help, Peter Hroom.

Resolved

1 That the Bailiff advertise in Dalman's Weekly News for Tenders for pipe & laying same.

2 Repairs at Mr W. B. Clarke's to be tendered for.

THE FEOFFES of COLYTON Invite TENDERS for about 250 feet of 3 CAST IRON PIPE, 24 inches in diameter, and for LAYING the same complete, in good working order, from a Junction in the Churchyard path to the Conduit in St. Andrew's Square, with the necessary connections, &c. Tenders to be sent by the 27th inst. to the Bailiff.  
ALBERT EDWARDS, Colyton.  
Colyton, Sept. 15th, 1888. [1813]

- 3 Proposed by Mr. J. Starding seconded by Mr. J. B. Kettle that the Lamps be lit as before, The Chamber to give £20 as usual, Mr. J. Strawbridge to collect for the remainder.
- 4 Mrs. Ann Canning, Ada Richards, Isaac, Snell, Geo. Bright, Tho: Burton, Robert Burton, Mrs. Baker, to be given a half years notice from the 29<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup> 1888 to give up their Plots in Ridgway Vineyard.
- 5 Proposed by Mr. Stokes seconded by Mr. Starding that Mr. Kettle & Mr. White with the Bailiff go to Loochayne & report on repairs required.

6 Peter Froom given £2. Luke West £3.

The Bailiff to send the following Resolution to Mr. Mackaig  
 In consequence of what has transpired with reference to the Leoffe Room. The Chamber have decided to reserve it for their sole & special use, and they beg to remind you that at the period of your appointment it was understood that you would reside in the Leoffe House.

Present. Messrs Kettle, Stokes, Starding, White & Strawbridge  
 H. D. Kingdon Chairman

October 5<sup>th</sup> 1888

At a Chamber Meeting held this day pursuant to notice of the 1<sup>st</sup> Inst, to consider as under.

- 1 Reply from Charity Commissioners.
- 2 Tenders for laying pipe Golyton, &c for Repairs Honiton.
- 3 Appointment of Lighting Committee.
- 4 Report on Repairs required at Loochayne.
- 5 Lease, "Leoffe to Mr. Swain".
- 6 Application from Mr. E. J. Scarbrough.
- 7 Payment of A/Cs &c.
- 8 Easel for Mr. Mackaig.
- 9 Manifold Writer for Bailiff.
- 10 Applications for help from J. Green, Geo. Littley & H. Fowler.

- 1 Resolved, that Mr. H. de S. Kingdon write to the Charity Commissioners on this matter.
- 2 Deferred - Mr. Otten's tender for Repairs at Honiton, accepted.
- 3 Messrs Tucker & Strawbridge appointed as Lighting Committee and to collect subscriptions for the same.
- 4 Left in the hands of the Committee.
- 5 Lease to be placed with other documents.
- 6 Messrs Kettle & Seale to see Mr. Scarbrough on the matter.
- 7 Cheques signed.
- 8 Granted.
- 9 Granted.
- 10 Green & Fowler £1 each.

Present. Messrs Kettle, Starding, Seale, White, Tucker & Strawbridge  
 M. J. Quereby Chairman

Nov<sup>r</sup> 13<sup>th</sup> 1888

At a Chamber Meeting held this day pursuant to notice of the 9<sup>th</sup> Inst, the following was considered

- 1 Investigation asked for by Mr. Mackaig.
- 2 Repairs at Mrs. Fratts, Honiton
- 3 Applications for help from Hermon, Anning (Special)  
 Dan Moore, C. Y. Barrett, Geo. Purse, J. Long, John Gacey, J. Tho: Lucy & Emma, Chapeau.

The minutes of the last Meeting were read & confirmed.

- 1 On consideration & in an interview with Mr. Mackaig it was decided to let the matter drop - and the use of the Room was again granted to Mr. Mackaig - with the understanding that it shall be used fairly & carefully.
- 2 Mr. Richards estimate for 16/- accepted.

- 3 The following grants were made.  
 Hermon Tuning £2. George Purse £1.  
 John Facey Sr £1 - Emma Chapple £1.  
 to pay which a Cheque was signed for £5 -  
 Members present. M. Quiretz. Chairman  
 & Messrs. Kettle, Stokes, Strawbridge & Searle -

Decr: 14<sup>th</sup> 1888

At a Chamber Meeting held this day  
 pursuant to notice of the 10<sup>th</sup> Inst: to consider as  
 under -

- 1 The purchasing of 140 feet of Hose for Fire Engines -
- 2 Making a small Reservoir in Queen's Square -
- 3 Reduction of rent, Mr. Clode, Sidbury.
- 4 Review list for Xmas doles -
- 5 Opening the Soup Kitchen -
- 6 Application for Removal of Conduit, Lower Church, St.
- 7 Letter from Mr. Todd.
- 8 Repairing stoves, Mr. Chard, Honiton -
- 9 Plate Glass Front, shop, Mr. Godfrey, Ottery.
- 10 Application for help from W<sup>m</sup>: Long -

At a Meeting held in pursuance of the above notice  
 it was resolved -

- 1 It was resolved to authorize Mr Searle to purchase  
 the necessary hose for the large Engine. and it  
 was also agreed to purchase 92 feet for the small  
 engine from Mr Searle for 50/-
- 2 It was resolved that this matter stand over for the present.
- 3 Mr Clode to be offered a reduction of 10/-
- 4 That Messrs. Kettle, Stokes & White be appointed as a  
 Committee to revise the list -
- 5 That the Soup Kitchen be opened when thought  
 necessary by the Committee -

- 6 The Conduit to be moved as far as necessary & set  
 back -
- 7 It was resolved to grant £2 to Thomas Seel -
- 8 The repairs to the Stove (15/- according to Mr. Mather's  
 estimate) were allowed - The grate for the front  
 room refused -
- 9 The Bailiff to ascertain the cost -
- 10 It was resolved to make a grant of 30/- to  
 Walter Long -  
 A letter was read from Mr. Mackaig & referred to  
 the next Meeting -  
 Members present M. Quiretz. Chairman.  
 & Messrs. Harding, Kettle, Searle, White, Stokes & Strawbridge

January 25<sup>th</sup> 1889

A Chamber Meeting held this day pursuant  
 to notice of the 21<sup>st</sup> Inst: to consider as under.

- 1 Andilring Gas A/c (Mr. Farmer's) -
- 2 Mr. Mackaig's Letter -
- 3 To take into consideration the purchasing of Consols  
 with the money at present on deposit in the Dorsetshire Bank -
- 4 Payment of A/c's -
- 5 Summers, (Xmas dole) -
- 6 Applications for help from W<sup>m</sup>: White, W<sup>m</sup>: Overmass,  
 Job Richards, Is. Broad Long, & Laurence Hill -

Resolved

- 1 Mr. Farmer's Gas A/c's passed & signed - and his Cheque  
 of £1-5-6 handed to Mr. Strawbridge, with a Cheque of £10. from the  
 Chamber for the Gas A/c -
- 2 £2. granted Mr. Mackaig for Coals, £3-3- to be given next Xmas  
 in prizes to boys residing in the Parish, and the School to be  
 Examined by an Inspector appointed by the Chamber, at their Cost -
- 3 Referred - Mr. Hamm proposed that the Bailiff answer the letter  
 from the Commissioners, with regard to bringing the water into the

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Down, in a four state. It was proposed by Mr. Harding and seconded by Mr. White that a subcommittee be composed of Messrs Rogers & S. B. Kettle to meet the Bailiff and write the letter.

4 Cheques signed for A/C's

5 Granted.

6 The following grants were made

Wm White £ 5 - L. Hill £ 2. Wm Overmass, Job Richards and James Broad Long £ 1. each.

Proposed by Mr. Rogers and seconded that the condition of the Chimney in the Coffee room be attended to, and that steps be taken for a better protection of the Ceeds &c.

Members present Mr. Stokes Chairman  
Messrs S. B. Kettle, Rogers, Harding, Stann, White, Searle and Strawbridge -  
Francis Stokes Chairman

March 8<sup>th</sup> 1889.

At a Chamber Meeting held this day pursuant to notice of the 4<sup>th</sup> Inst., the following was considered

- 1 Condition of Chimney & Grate, Coffee room -
- 2 Letter from Mr. Godfrey, and specification for new Shopfront -
- 3 Relletting Plots, "Ridgway Vineyard" -
- 4 Mr. Sweetlands offer to take land now rented by Mr. Hawker Colyford -
- 5 Applications for help from Geo: Purre, Noah Holmes, Ellen Hancock, Jy Northcote, John Seaward, Jan. White, John Drower, Charles Barrett, Robert Walker, Dan Hoare, Esau Barrett, Robert Worham.

1 Mr. Harding proposed that the Bailiff write to Milner & Chubb for a price list of their fire proof safes, the Grate and Chimney in the Coffee room to stand over.

2 Mr. Stann to visit Mr. Godfrey's and report -

3 Deferred until next Meeting, in the mean time notices to be posted of Plots to be let, and Mr. Kettle to print some forms of Agreement.

4 If Mr. James Sweetland can arrange with Mr. Hawker, he is to take possession at Ladyday, and sign an agreement.

5 The following grants were made

John Drower, Robert Worham, and Dan Hoare £ 2. each -  
George Purre, Noah Holmes, Ellen Hancock, Jy Northcote, John Seaward, Jan. White, Charles Barrett, Robert Walker and Esau Barrett. £ 1. each.

Members Present - Mr. Stokes, Chairman  
Messrs Stann, Harding, Kettle, Searle, White, and Strawbridge  
Wm Kettle  
Chairman

March 22<sup>nd</sup> 1889

At a Chamber Meeting held this day pursuant to notice of the 18<sup>th</sup> Inst. the following was considered -

- 1 Milner, & Chubb's price lists, for safe.
- 2 Applications for Plots, Ridgway Vineyard.
- 3 Applications for help from John Inrl Hooper, Geo: Bull, Tom Bright. Wm Potter, Hermon Anning, John Facey, Geo Crabb. Wm Edwards, Sarah Northcote, M. A. Littley (Cork Boot) Letter from Mr. E. Smith.
- 4 Cheque for Salaries - Mr. Clarke's notice to quit Lovetayne
- 1 Resolved - On examination of the present safe, it was decided not to have a new one.
- 2 Mr. Stann proposed that the Bailiff call upon Mrs. Anning and give her a final offer to have half of her plot, if after the 25<sup>th</sup> of March she is found trespassing on the other half, proceedings will be taken against her, - Isaac Small and Lisa Richards to have half years notice to quit their plots from Ladyday 1889 -
- 3 John Inrl Hooper granted £ 2 - Geo Crabb £ 1. to be given in kind.
- 4 Cheques signed Members Present Messrs Stokes, Stann, White, Harding and Strawbridge, S. B. Kettle, Chairman

April 1<sup>st</sup> 1889

At a Chamber Meeting held this day pursuant to notice of March 29<sup>th</sup> the following was considered -

- 1 To decide what steps are to be taken against Mrs Canning for refusing to give up half her plot, and for destroying Long's seeds, Potatoes &c.
- 2 Ownership of Hedge (Cottage Garden Colyford) -
- 3 Mr R. Kettle's claim. (Rick plot Ridgway) -
- 4 Cheques for Fire Insurance -
- 5 Applications for help from Tom Peasey, John Pady, St Edwards, Alice & Susan Hoare, Alfred Purse to enable him to come home from Hospital -

Resolved

- 1 The Bailiff to see Mr Weed, and instruct him to conduct the case against Mrs Canning at the next Magistrates Meeting for the fee of one Guinea - to recover possession of her plot in Ridgway Vineyard -
- 2 Messrs Kettle and Searle to see the Hedge, and report -
- 3 Messrs Stokes & Strawbridge to see Mr R. Kettle, with reference to Rick Plot, and report at next Meeting -
- 4 Cheques signed -
- 5 The following grants were made -

John Pady £2 - St Edwards £1 - A & S. Hoare £1 - G. Purse £1 -  
Mr Fred Williams's Tender to be accepted (for new shop front at Mr Godfrey's Ottery) provided he will put the kitchen window in thorough repair & include it in the £19.15 -

Members Present. Messrs Kettle, Hann, Harding, Searle, Stokes, & Strawbridge. Mr A de S. Kingdon Chairman -

M. G. G. G.  
Chairman

April 23<sup>rd</sup> 1889

At a Chamber Meeting held this day pursuant to notice of the 18<sup>th</sup> Inst, the following was considered -

- 1 Soup and Gas A/c<sup>s</sup> to be balanced to Lady day, Payment of Bills &c -
- 2 Letters from Miss Gill, and George Gill, Gylcombe.
- 3 Applications for help from, Eli White, John Long, Mark Fowler, George Long, M. A. Purse, Wm Fowler, G. Long, (St Long's son) Tom Northcote, Elizabeth Restorick, G. Long, (St Long's son) Caroline Fowler, Mark Canning, St Burlington, and Tom Weston,

Resolved

- 1 Soup A/c passed & Cheque for Balance £16.17.7 drawn & paid
- 2 Mr W. L. Gill, granted £5 - Mr G. Gill's letter to stand over -
- 3 All the Applications dismissed -

Mr J. Harding proposed that Mr Scarborough be allowed to build the wall adjoining that of the Feoffes on the west side of Cottage at Colyford. The part against "Whites" farm to stand over -

Messrs Stokes & Strawbridge to see Mr R. Kettle with regard to the measurement of Rick Plot -

Mr Clarke applies for a reduction in his rent, and wishes to have a Gate & Posts put against the Common.

Members Present. Rev. Mr G. G. G. Chairman, Messrs Kettle, Harding, Stokes, White & Strawbridge

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read & Confirmed -

A. D. Kingdon

June 7<sup>th</sup> 1889

At a Chamber Meeting held this day pursuant to notice of the 3<sup>rd</sup> inst. the following was considered -

- 1 Auditing Gas Ac<sup>t</sup>.
- 2 Forming Committees.
- 3 Correspondence re Ham Bread.
- 4 Tenders for repairs at Lovehayne, and Mr. Clarke's application as per last Meeting.
- 5 Applications for help from Mrs. Boatch, Sally Purse, George West, John Restorick, Chas Purse, Sarah Ann, Filleys (Cook Post) and letter from St. Restorick

Resolved

- 1 Ac<sup>t</sup> passed, A Cheque granted to Mr. Strawbridge for balance viz: £9.11.10. and a vote of thanks accorded him for the trouble he had taken in lighting the Town.
- 2 Committees Formed.
- 3 To stand over
- 4 Tenders were received from Mr. A Richards £21.2.6, Mr. J. Hooper £18.19.6, Mr. John Inrl, £20. Mr. W Restorick £22.16.6 Proposed by Mr. J. White, seconded by Mr. Strawbridge and carried that Mr. Hooper's tender be accepted. The same Committee to get a gate made & fixed. The Bailiff to inform Mr. Clarke that no reduction can be made him, but since he wishes to withdraw his notice to quit, he may continue in the Farm at the same rent, and the Chamber consider that the must not apply to them again for a reduction
- 5 The following Grants were made  
Sally Purse £1. George West £2. Charles Purse £1 - provided he has not got parochial relief. Mr. Edwards to get the Cook Post - Members present - Messrs Kettle, White, Harding & Strawbridge

Mr. St. de. S. Kingdon, Chairman  
The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and confirmed -

M. Gueritz  
Chairman

Sept: 2<sup>nd</sup> 1889

At a Chamber Meeting held this day pursuant to notice of the 21<sup>st</sup> inst. the following was considered -

- 1 To consider whether an application shall be made to W. Edmonds, Esq.
- 2 Committees Report re Rick Plot
- 3 Application from Mr. Chard (Stoniton) -
- 4 Letters from Special Commissioners -
- 5 Signing Cheques -
- 6 Retelling Plots at Ridgway
- 7 Mr. St. de. S. Kingdon has applied to take an Extract from the Charter -
- 8 Applications for help from Mrs. Peter Groom, John Richards, Alice Summers, Hermon Amming, James Somers, Philip Mitchell & Chas Purse.

Resolved

- 1 Rev. Mr. Gueritz to see Mr. Edmonds.
- 2 Proposed by Mr. Stokes seconded by Mr. Gueritz & carried that the Bailiff give the Tenant notice not to pay the rent for Rick Plot to any one but the Groffees - who hold him responsible for the rent during the whole time he has occupied it - Also to give him six months notice to quit from the 29<sup>th</sup> of September 1889. -
- 3 Allowed Mr. Chard £2. -
- 4 The Bailiff to take an Extract with Rev. Mr. Gueritz -
- 5 Cheques signed -
- 6 Cisa. Richards Plot to be let to Job Richards, Isaac, Snells to Tom Sandford -
- 7 Mr. St. de. S. Kingdon to take an Extract from the Charter, the Bailiff to be present the whole time, and to be paid 1/- per hour -
- 8 The following grants were made - viz Mrs Peter Groom 10/- John Richards, Hermon Amming, Philip Mitchell & Chas Purse £1 each, James Somers £2 - Mr. Macking £2.6 - for Coals & Cost of Paper  
The usual sum of £20. was granted towards lighting the Town  
Members present - Messrs Kettle, Stokes, Scarle, Tucker, Strawbridge, St. de. S. Kingdon - Rev. Mr. Gueritz Chairman -



November 13<sup>th</sup> 1889

At a Chamber Meeting held this day pursuant to notice of the 8<sup>th</sup> Inst, the following was considered-

- 1 Examination of School at Xmas, and Prizes.
- 2 Letter from Miss Gill.
- 3 Application respecting the Fair Solls.
- 4 Application for help from John Drower, R<sup>d</sup> Snell, Henry Newton, Sarah Northcote, and Henry Fowler.

Resolved

- 1 That Mess<sup>rs</sup> Kettle, Kingdon, & White, form the Committee and make arrangements for the Examination and Prizes, also to confer with Mr. Mackraig on the matter.
  - 2 Mr. Gill granted £10.
  - 3 Deferred till next Meeting.
  - 4 The following grants were made, John Drower £2, R<sup>d</sup> Snell Henry Newton, & Sarah Northcote, £1 each.
- Members present. Mess<sup>rs</sup> H. de S Kingdon, F. W. Kingdon, Searle, Stokes, Harding, White,  
Mr. J. B. Kettle, Chairman

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and confirmed

F. W. Kingdon  
Chairman

December 10<sup>th</sup> 1889

At a Chamber Meeting held this day pursuant to notice of the 6<sup>th</sup> Inst, the following was considered-

- 1 Possession of the Market House.
- 2 Reopening the Soup Kitchen.
- 3 Revising List for Xmas doles.
- 4 White's Letter, repairing Ridgway Lane.
- 5 Recovering Chairs, Coffee Room.
- 6 Paper for correspondence.
- 7 Repairs to Linhays Clifford Cottages.
- 8 Mr. E. J. Scarborough's offer to build a wall.
- 9 Mr. Vrat, (Hamilton) applies for a reduction of Rent.
- 10 Applications for help from Wm Overmass, Mary Long, George Warrell, and George Long, Colshayne.

Resolved

- 1 Adjourned for the Examination of the Charter.
  - 2 To be opened by the Committee when necessary, the usual grant of £20 made.
  - 3 Mess<sup>rs</sup> Stokes, Kettle, and White, appointed to revise the List.
  - 4 The Garden Committee to ascertain the cost, and Report.
  - 5 The Bailiff to ascertain the Cost from Mr. Burch and report at the next Meeting.
  - 6 Passed over.
  - 7 Tenders to be invited for new Linhays, & Mess<sup>rs</sup> Kettle, Stokes, and Kingdon appointed the Committee.
  - 8 The same Committee to examine and Report.
  - 9 The application cannot be entertained.
  - 10 The following grants were made W. Overmass £1-10- George Long, Colshayne £1.
- Members Present. Mess<sup>rs</sup> Stokes, Kettle, Harding, White, Searle & Strawbridge, Mr. F. W. Kingdon, Chairman
- The Minutes of the last Meeting were read & confirmed

F. W. Kingdon  
Chairman

December 16<sup>th</sup> 1889 Special Meeting

At a Chamber Meeting held this day. the following was considered.

Application for help from Thos White, Colthayne.  
Resolved

That £ 5- be granted to Thos White.

Members Present. Rev: M. Guerity, Chairman.  
Messrs Stokes, Kettle, Searle, Kingdon, & White.

F W W Kingdon  
Chairman

December 19<sup>th</sup> Special Meeting

At a Chamber Meeting held this day pursuant to notice of the 18<sup>th</sup> Inst. the following was considered -

1. Notice of Execution served on Mr Stone Heniton:  
for Payment of Income Tax -

Resolved

That the Bailiff write to the Special, and Charity Commissioners, & Mr J White to the Surveyors of Taxes, Exeter, on the matter,

Members Present. Mr J. B. Kettle Chairman  
Messrs. Kingdon, Searle, White Stokes & Ham

M Kettle Chairman

December 26<sup>th</sup> 1889. Special Meeting

At a Chamber Meeting held this day pursuant to notice of the 24<sup>th</sup> Inst. the following was considered -

To consider a letter from Special Commissioners, and notice of distraint on Hampton property for Income Tax -

Proposed by Mr Stokes seconded by Mr Searle, & carried  
That <sup>the</sup> Chamber having read letters from the Special, and Charity Commissioners, consider they have no alternative but to pay the Income Tax demanded on the several properties on which it has been charged.

Resolved

That a Cheque be drawn for £10. towards the Gas of Mr A Richards Estimate for mending Oak Gates at Mr Stone's Heniton, according to specification for the sum of £ 2-12-6. be accepted.

Members present. Mr J. B. Kettle Chairman  
Messrs Stokes, Sucker, Searle, and Strawbridge

F W W Kingdon  
Chairman