

11<sup>th</sup> November 1913

At a Chamber Meeting held this day pursuant to Notice, after the Minutes of the last Meeting were read and confirmed, the following was Considered.

- 1 Letter from Mr Warren, re Application from Sir Frederick Pole Bart, Water for Cottages Colcombe Gate
- 2 Payment of Various Accts
- 3 Applications for help from, Hy Chappell, Mr Dunn and Walter Longe Case.

Arising out of the Minutes of the last meeting it being reported that the Estates Committee had met re sale of Land & Premises at Ottery, and had decided with the approval of the Chamber to employ Mr R. Snell as Surveyor. Proposed by Mr Stokes that the report be adopted seconded by the Rev: G. E. F. Molinier carried.

The Bailiff to see Mr Mortimer and ask him to complete the Agreement between the Chamber & Mr Jackson.

- 1 A letter was read from Mr Warren asking if the Feoffees would carry the Water main to Colcombe Gate, or meet Sir Frederick Pole in the matter, after some discussion it was proposed by Mr Board that the Bailiff reply that the Feoffees will take the water to Colcombe Gate laying an inch pipe throughout provided Sir Frederick will pay 2 Thirds of the Cost, seconded by Mr Loveridge carried.
- 2 Proposed by Mr Stokes seconded by the Rev: G. E. F. Molinier that the following Accts be paid viz White Horse Inn £1.19.11 Cross Lake £1.2, Davy £8.9.0, N Hooper £6.15.6 Peardon £2.2.6 Tuke 2/5, Smith £1.15.8, Symons £1.13.3, Restorick 16/- Pelly Cash £1
- 3 Resolved that the following Grants be made Mr Long £1. Hy Chappell £1. G Turse, 13 Court £1. In respect to Manley's little Roadgreen pt help for their Son. Resolved to Grant £1.10.0.

Edwards for

Fixed in Feoffee room

It was decided to fit book shelves for Mr Jackson at a cost of £1. Members Present Mr Follett H. Chairman Rev: G. E. F. Molinier, Mrs. F. Bunning, Beale, Stokes, Loveridge, Board & Smith.

J. Follett, Chairman

9<sup>th</sup> December 1913

At a Chamber Meeting held this day pursuant to Notice after the Minutes of the last Meeting were read & Confirmed, the following was Considered.

- 1 Letter from Mr Warren, and report of Water Committee re Water to Colcombe Dale.
  - 2 Report re Property Ottery.
  - 3 Letter from Mr Heath, Ottery.
  - 4 Donation to Coal & Clothing Clubs.
  - 5 Application from Eye Infirmary
  - 6 Letter from Mrs Dunn.
- 1 Mr Warren's letter and the report of the Water Committee were read, after some discussion, It was proposed by Mr Board that the report be adopted, and that the Bailiff write Mr Warren saying the Chamber are sorry they cannot see their way to alter their previous decision, seconded by Mr Sweetland & Carried.
- 2 Mr Snell visited Ottery with Mr Laming & the Bailiff and was instructed to prepare a report upon the property in question viz. Mr Camus House, Shop, Yard, & Colyton Coal River.
- 3 Not Entertained.
- 4 The Vicar made an application for £5 towards Bonuses for the Coal & Clothing Clubs, Proposed by Mr Baker that the sum be granted, Seconded by Mr Sprague and Carried. Mr Follett & the Vicar to draw up a small Bill with regard to no Xmas doles.
- Bonus £5
- 5 Nil
- 6 Resolved that Mrs Dunn be given £1.
- Resolved that the following A/c's be paid Rev: G. F. Molineux £5  
Mr Mortimer £9. 11. 0, Strawbridge Bros £1. 8. 0, Berlakie 13/3  
to Burch £11. 5. 3.

Members present Mr Follett, Chairman

Rev: G. F. Molineux. Messrs Baker, Stokes,  
Loveridge, Sprague, Board, Sweetland & Smith.

F. Follett.  
Chairman

13<sup>th</sup> January 1914

At a Chamber Meeting held this day pursuant to Notice, after the Minutes of the last Meeting were read & Confirmed, the following was Considered.

- 1 Report from Mr. Snell on Ottery Property.
- 2 Letter from Mr. Warren re Water to Colcombe Gate,
- 3 Payment of Salaries, Land Tax, and A/c's.
- 4 Application from Rev'd F. Wood.
- 5 Applications for help from Mark Fowler, Whitemoor for peer Rev'd F. Wood.

re Proposed sale  
of Property at  
Ottery St Mary

A letter was read from Mr. R. Snell saying he had visited the site at Ottery St. Mary lately occupied by Mr. Cann with Mr. Bunting & the Bailiff, for the purpose of valuation as desired by the Charity Commissioners, as the old buildings were of no use, he fixed the site value at £2,000. The Estates Committee were asked to fill up the application forms and send one copy with the Plan of the site and Mr. Snell's report to the Charity Commissioners.

Mr. Snell also wrote that he had at the same time visited Colyton Cod & River, It appears the river has altered its course, and a portion of the land is now on the opposite side. He suggested that the adjoining Owners should be approached with regard to purchase.

It was proposed by Mr. Baker that the matter be left in Mr. Snell's hands to negotiate with the adjoining Owners, seconded by Mr. Board & Carried.

- 2 Mr. Warren wrote that Sir Frederick Pole had agreed to pay 2 Thirds of the Cost of laying the Water to Colcombe Gate, viz £14. and asked that the work may be proceeded with. It was resolved that the work should be put in hand at once.
- 3 Proposed by Mr. Bunting seconded by Mr. Sprague that the following A/c's be paid. Mr. Jackson £2.5, for Assistant Market £3. Colyton Land Tax £6.15.5. Shute £1.2.9.

Colyton Cod &  
River.

- 3 Honiton Land Tax £3. 11. 9. Richards Son £4. 10. of Which was £2. 2. 0  
 Edwards for Rates £8. 13. 3. Salary £7. 10. 0. Champs £2. 6. 0. Clarke 7/9.  
 £18. 14. 0 No 2 A/c Northcott £14. 11. 6. Salary £3.
- 4 In reply to Rev: F Woods Applications for assistance under the New Scheme The Bailiff was desired to say.
- 1 Bonus to Coal Club. Arrangements have been made for the past year. If you bring forward your application at the beginning of next October in time for the Agenda it will be considered.
  - 2 Also at the same time give the Feoffees particulars of your library.
  - 3 The Feoffees have already in many cases made Weekly Allowances treating each case on its merits.
  - 4 With regard to your Application on behalf of Whittemore for a direct Application must be made to the Bailiff in time for Applications must be sent in time for Agenda It was Resolved that in future this rule should be strictly adhered to in every case.
  - 5 Mark Fowler was Granted £1. 8<sup>d</sup> Strawbridge adjourned until next Month.
- Mr Cuming made an Application that the Am<sup>d</sup> for Griggs Charity might be augmented by the Feoffees for the purpose of giving each person a lb Loaf of Bread.
- Resolved that the sum of £ 2. be granted for the purpose.
- Members present Mr Follett Chairman  
 Mess<sup>rs</sup> Smith, Cuming, Barker, Stokes, Sprague & Board.

Follett. Chairman

10<sup>th</sup> February 1914

At a Chamber Meeting held this day pursuant to Notice, after the Minutes of the last Meeting were read & Confirmed, the following was Considered,

- 1 Report of the Estates Committee "Sale of land, Ottery"
  - 2 Repairs to Wall, Langford
  - 3 Payment of Tithe.
  - 4 Reports from Mr Jackson "re Free Boys"
  - 5 Fire Brigade "Yearly Payment"
  - 6 Application from Mrs Sansom, Eye Infirmary Recommended
  - 7 Applications for help from C<sup>r</sup> Strawbridge as adjourned  
James Long Jr<sup>n</sup>, King St, Mrs Snell Hillhead, and  
Mrs Fox, Bulls Court
  - 1 The Committee reported they had sent on the 1<sup>st</sup> Inst  
the form of application to sell the property duly filled up,  
the Plan, and Mr Snell's report to the Charity Commissioners.  
This was Considered very satisfactory.
  - 2 Mr G. H. Smith made a report with regard to the state  
of the old wall by the Station, also on the bad condition of the  
bars and posts in Mrs Griffins Yard. John Hooper sent an  
estimate of £4. 18. 0. for rebuilding & repairing the wall,  
and R Langford an estimate of £3. for new bars & posts  
Proposed by Mr Burney that both Estimates be accepted  
Seconded by the Rev: G. E. T. Molineux & Carried.
  - 3 Mrs Smith agreed to see the work carried out in a satisfactory manner.
  - 4 Proposed by Mr W J Summers that the Tithe Ayes be paid  
Seconded by Mr Board. Vicas £6. 6. 1. Thake 6/-, Ottery 6/-
  - 5 Mr Jackson sent in Reports on the work of the Free Boys  
for the last Term. They were Considered satisfactory.
  - 6 Resolved that a Cheque of £3. 10/- for the Fire Brigade be signed.
  - 7 An Eye Infirmary Recommend fare was granted. Mrs Sanson
- Hooper re wall  
£4. 18. 0.  
Langford Posts & Bars  
£3. Colyford
- Vicarial Ditties

7 Resolved That the following Grants be made viz:  
 Edward Strawbridge £1. James Long Jr. £1. Mrs. Snell £1. &  
 Whitmore Fox 10/- both to be spent by the Bailiff for Roots for  
 the children. A Petty Cash Cheque for £3 was drawn for the Bailiff.

A letter was read from Mr F. B. Abrahams asking that  
 a supply of water be laid on for Meadowcroft. \*

Proposed by Mr Board that the matter be left to the Water  
 Committee with power to act, seconded by Mr Summers.  
 Mr WWB Board was added to the Water Committee.

Resolved that they meet to-morrow (Wednesday) at 3 P.M.

Members Present, Mr Follett Chairman.

The Rev<sup>o</sup> G. E. F. Molineux.

Mess<sup>es</sup> Bunning, Baker, Bealley, G. H. Smith, Summers,  
 Sweetland, Sprague, Board, Hann.

J. Follett Chairman

20<sup>th</sup> February 1914

A Special Meeting was held this day pursuant to Notice.

Letter from Charity Commissioners "re Sale of Land", Ottery,

The letter was read saying the Commissioners will be prepared to authorise the Trustees to offer the property in question for sale by Public Auction, subject to suitable conditions of sale, and at a reserve price to be named hereafter.

They accordingly request that draft particulars and Conditions of Sale may be prepared and forwarded to the Office for perusal.

Considerable discussion took place on the matter.

When it was proposed by Mr Board that the matter be referred back to the Estates Committee to bring up a report at the next meeting, seconded by Mr Loveridge,

A letter was read from Mr Jackson saying at his invitation His Majesty's Inspector for Secondary Schools had paid a visit to the Grammar School and seemed favourably impressed with the whole of the working. He advised that the Governors write to the Education Department applying for the school to be placed on the list of Efficient Schools.

It was proposed by Mr Stokes that the application be made Seconded by Mr G. N. Smith & Carried.

The Bailiff with Mr Jackson to write the letter.

Mr Jackson also made an application for payment for the scholarship boys for the last time saying after this he would be prepared to stand on his own feet.

Am: £8.12.0 (702a) Proposed by Mr G. Sprague that the sum be granted from the No 2 A/c Seconded by Mr G. N. Smith & Carried  
Members Present Mr Follett H. Chairman

The Rev: G. E. F. Molineux

Mess<sup>rs</sup> Baker, Stokes, Sweetland, Loveridge, Sprague  
Board & G. N. Smith.

Follett, Chairman

10<sup>th</sup> March 1914

At a Chamber Meeting held this day, pursuant to Notice, after the Minutes of the last Meeting were read and Confirmed, the following was Considered.

- 1 Report "re Sale of Land Ottery"
- 2 Report of Water Committee, and letter from Mr Abrahams.
- 3 Payment of Great Tithes, & Hospital Subscription.
- 4 Applications for help from Jabez Long c North Street.  
Ada Gladman North Street, Wm Edwards Jr<sup>n</sup>. Church Row  
Walter Long, Higher West Street, Thos E Purse, Bull's Court
- 1 Report of Charity Commissioners re Sale of Property at Ottery lately occupied by Mr Cunnin, Investment of proceeds of sale, and Conditions of Sale as prepared by Mr Molineux.  
After considerable discussion on these matters, it was proposed by the Rev G. E. F. Molineux that the proceeds of the sale of the House Smithy, & Garden at Ottery be invested in trustee security in the name of the Official Trustee of Charitable Funds, and that the Conditions of Sale be sent to the Charity Commissioners as asked for, seconded by Mr Board & Carried.
- 2 The matter of Water supply to Greencroft, Mr Abrahams letter fell through.
- 3 Proposed by Mr Cuming that the following Ayes be paid on the 30<sup>th</sup> Inst. Viz: Great Tithes £18. 2. 8. Devon Poor Hospital £5. 5. 0 Colyton Nursing Ass<sup>n</sup> £10. seconded by Mr Stokes & Carried
- 4 The following Grants were made, Jabez Long 10/- Wm Edwards 1/- Walter Long £1. T. E Purse left for the Bailiff to see Mr Hains.  
Gladman to stand over for Inquiry.

No 2 A/c Loan. It was resolved that £33 be paid towards clearing off the loan &c & that Mr S. A. Sellers £20 be paid the £3 due for the play field.  
A discussion took place with regard to scheduling the deeds, it was proposed by Mr Cuming that Mr Skinner & Mr Molineux be asked to do this, seconded by Mr Stokes.

Members present Mr Bollett, Chairman

Rev G. E. F. Molineux. Mess<sup>r</sup> Zealley, G. H. Smith  
J. Stokes, Cuming, Board, & Sprague.

Bollett, chairman

14<sup>th</sup> April 1914

At a Chamber Meeting held this day pursuant to Notice, after the Minutes of the last Meeting were read & Confirmed, the following was Considered.

- 1 Report of Estates Committee Nursing Home, &c.
- 2 Report of School Committee,
- 3 Letter from Mc Snell, Lovel Hayne,
- 4 Payment of Accts.
- 5 re Fishing at Cownalls
- 6 Eye Infirmary Recommend for Mr Woodley
- 7 Applications for help, A Gladman as adjourned,  
S Duance, Tom Strawbridge, Mr Pavey, K. Tucker,  
A Hussey. M. A Weston, Mr Sansom, M. Purse
- 1 The Estates Committee reported that an application was made by Mr Walter Harris of Floniton to take the Nursing Home provided they could come to terms with the Nursing Tenant at Lady Committee, They met this Committee who agreed to pay Day 1914. The rent to 24<sup>th</sup> June & give up possession at once, The Feoffees Rent £20 per Ann<sup>m</sup> to do the necessary repairs, This was accepted and the house let to Mr Harris as from Lady Day 1914 at a rental of £20 per Ann<sup>m</sup>. Mr Harris agreed to pay a portion of the cost of the repairs as he wished some extra painting and graining done. It was proposed by Mr Board that the report be adopted as the whole matter was so satisfactory, seconded by Mr Overidge & carried
- 2 The School Committee reported that Mr Jackson had filled up his portion of the forms for recognition of the School by the Board of Education, the Bailiff had completed them and they had been sent forward. Mr Jackson reported that only one Boy (Fred E. Wood) had passed the Exam. to enter the Grammar School

- 2 and asked if there were two girls suitable if they might come after the holidays for examination, the Committee see no objection to this. It was resolved that the School Committee should be added to, Mrs Champ has resigned her office of cleaning the schools, Mrs Pidgeon appointed in her place at the same salary. After the report was read the Chairman asked the Vicar to explain the advantage it would be if the school were recognised, this he did, and after some discussion it was proposed by Mr Loveridge that the report be adopted, seconded by Mr Bunning & Carried.

Proposed by Mr Sprague that Mr Bunning & Mr G.H. Smith be added to the School Committee, seconded by Mr Bealley & Carried. Resolved that the School Committee meet after each monthly meeting Mr Jackson to be present at the beginning and end of each term, and when necessary. The terms report on the free boys was presented & considered satisfactory. It was suggested that a general report on the whole school should be presented once a year.

- 3 A letter was read from Mr Snell Lovelayne asking for some repairs, Proposed by Mr Board that the matter be left to the Estates Committee to bring up a report at the next meeting Seconded by Mr Bealley.

- 4 Resolved that the following debts be paid Mr Follett £1. 3. 0  
St Restorick £1. 8. 0. T Turl 15/-, Bailiff Salary £7. 10. 0. Champ £3. 6. 0  
Smith £1. 18. 9. Townsend £2. Hooper John £5. 2. 6.

No 1 Accts.

- Mr Bunning £2. 2. 0, T Turl £5. 16. 9. St Restorick £2. 16. 6, Northcott Salary £3. 13/- £18. 0. 5, Taylor & Woodley £1. 2. 6.

No 2 Accts.

- 5 A letter was read from Mr Murley asking if a fir pole might be fixed across the river Axe at Cownalls, Proposed by Mr Board that a rough bridge be erected the cost not to exceed £5. left to the Estates Committee with power to act see by Mr Loveridge.

- 6 An Eye Infirmary recommend granted Mrs Woodley and 5/-

- 7 The following grants were made of Quance £1. T Sprawleybridge £1.  
Jem Purse £1. M. A. Weston 7/6, Robt Sansom 5/6.

Members Present Mr Follett Chairman

Rev: G. G. F. Molineux

Messrs Bunning, Baker, Bealley, Sprague, Hann, Stokes  
Loveridge, Board, Smith & G.H. Smith,

J. Follett Chairman

12<sup>th</sup> May 1911

At a Chamber Meeting held this day pursuant  
to Notice, after the Minutes of the last meeting  
were read & confirmed, the following was considered

- 1 Report Sale of Land Ottery.
- 2 Report of Estate Committee "Lorchaunes Repairs"
- 3 Letter from Board of Education.
- 4 Letter & Report, "re Bathing Place."
- 5 Noniton Rates, Langfords A/c.

Sale of Cams 1 Mr Follett reported that he attended the sale of  
House Shop and the House Shop &c. at Ottery with Mr Mortimer & the Bailiff  
Garden Ottery he was pleased to say the property fetched £400, Mr  
Heath of Ottery was the purchaser, this was satisfactory,

2 The Estates Committee reported they had been  
to Lorchaune and seen the repairs that were necessary,  
and advised that they should be proceeded with  
as soon as possible, It was proposed by Mr Board  
that the report be adopted, and the Committee  
be empowered to see the work carried out at once.  
Seconded by Mr Sprague, Carried

3 Resolved that the time mentioned for the Inspectors  
to meet the Governors & for the examination of the School  
viz 22<sup>nd</sup> or 23<sup>rd</sup> Inst was quite convenient, Bailiff to notify

4 The draft Agreement as sent by Mr Kyte was  
read, after considerable discussion Mr Board  
proposed that a Committee be formed to meet Mr  
Warren at 10 A.M. on Monday Morning next, and  
bring up a report at a Chamber meeting on the 23<sup>rd</sup> Inst,  
seconded by Mr Laveridge & Carried.

The Chairman, The Vicar, Mess<sup>rs</sup> Bunting, Baker, Hamm, Sprague  
& G. H. Smith, The Bailiff to ask Mr Warren to  
meet the Committee at the bathing pool on Monday  
next at 10 A.M.

Bathing  
Committee

5 Resolved That the following Cheques be signed viz  
 Moniton Rates £1. 19. 2., R Langford £3, Bailiff Petty Cash £5.  
 A letter was read from Mrs Beer asking for help as she  
 desired to join her husband who is in Wales, & to take her  
 family. Resolved that she be given 30/-.

Members present Mr Follett, Chairman  
 The Rev G. E. F. Molineux  
 Mess<sup>rs</sup> Baker, Bealley, Hann, Stokes, Sweetland,  
 Loveridge, Sprague, Board, G. H. Smith, Summers,  
 Cumming. Follett Chairman

A School Committee Meeting held 8 P.M.  
 Considerable discussion arose on the Question of Fees,  
 also if there would be any Charge on the Rates. T.C.

It was decided to have a Meeting on Monday next  
 to further consider the matter, and draw up a list of  
 Questions to be asked the Inspectors on the 23<sup>rd</sup> Inst.

Present The Vicar in the Chair.  
 Mess<sup>rs</sup> Follett, Bealley, Baker, Board, Cumming & Smith

Follett Chairman

School Committee Meeting held 18<sup>th</sup> May 1914

A set of Questions as suggested was produced by  
 the Bailiff to be asked the Inspectors on the 23<sup>rd</sup> Inst.  
 by the Chairman. A discussion took place on the whole  
 matter of the School, in which Mr Jackson joined. The  
 Bailiff was asked to make a list of the various Parishes  
 in the neighbourhood from which Pupils might be  
 drawn.

Present Vicar in the Chair, Mr Jackson  
 Mess<sup>rs</sup> Baker, Cumming, Bealley, & Smith.

Follett Chairman

22<sup>nd</sup> May 1914

A Meeting of the Feoffees was held this day to meet H.M. Inspectors with a view of the Grammars School being recognized by the Board of Education as a secondary school.

Present The Vicar in the Chair, Mr Jackson, Messrs Follett, Cuming, Baker, Summers, G.H. Smith, Stokes, Loveridge, Sprague, & Zealley.

Inspectors, Mr Duxton, Mr Fletcher, Mr Morley and Mr Young, Secretary of the Devon Education Committee.

The Inspectors explained the whole system of the working of the School if recognized, and answered the various questions asked them in a very satisfactory manner, they also suggested a slight alteration to the building, mentioned that additional plant would be required, the whole would mean but a small outlay, and then the schools would answer for the present, Mr Duxton promised that a Report from the Board of Education should be sent as early as possible,

Mr Follett proposed a Vote of thanks to the Inspectors & Mr Young, which was carried unanimously

Follett Chairman

After the above a meeting was held of the Bathing Committee & others.

Present Mr Follett Chairman

The Revd G E F Molineux Vicar

Messrs Baker, Zealley, Cuming, Summers, Stokes, Loveridge & Sprague.

A discussion took place on the interview with Mr Warren, on the fencing required, and other matters with regard to the management of the Bathing pool, £3. 3. 0 per annum": when Mr Sprague proposed that the fencing be left for the Vicar to arrange with Sir F de la Pole, that if he would do it, the Feoffees would pay £1. 1. 0 extra per annum: failing this the Vicar would make an arrangement for getting it done by public subscription, seconded by Mr Baker & carried.

Follett Chairman

£3. 3. 0 per annum":  
Rent for Bathing  
Pool.

9<sup>th</sup> June 1914

At a Chamber Meeting held this day pursuant to Notice, after the Minutes of the last meeting were read & Confirmed, the following was Considered.

- 1 re Winding Church Clock
  - 2 re Bathing Pool.
  - 3 Letters from Mr Kettle, water supply Hillhead.
  - 4 Letter Managers Lloyds Bank.
  - 5 Plan of Piggerys Lovelhayne, Tenders for Trees.
  - 6 Payment of A/c's.
  - 7 Applications for help from. Mr Hannaford, Mrs Woodley and Mr Weston.
- 1 Resolved That A Tolman be notified that on the 24<sup>th</sup> June his late Fathers Agreement would terminate for winding the Church Clock, after which the work would be let by Tender. The Bailiff was desired to get out a few bills inviting tenders as from the 24<sup>th</sup> June.
  - 2 The Vicar reported that he had seen Sir Frederick Pole with regard to the fencing at the bathing pool, Sir Frederick is prepared to erect the fence himself and will take the extra £1.1.0 per Ann<sup>m</sup> for this purpose, but he impressed upon the Vicar that the Chamber should erect a Ninal near the pool. Resolved that the Vicar be thanked for the trouble he had taken, and the erection of the Ninal be left to the Bathing Committee.
- Proposed by Mr Cumming that the Chamber pay the £3.3.0 per Ann<sup>m</sup>, and that a subscription list be opened for carrying out the necessary work which will be entailed, the Feoffees to head the list with £5, and that the young men of the place be asked to contribute. Seconded by Mr Board and Carried.
- 3 Mr Kettle's letters re water supply at Hillhead were read

- 3 After some discussion it was decided to refer the whole matter back to the Water Committee to deal with, Resolved that they meet on Friday next at 10 A.M. Northcott to be present.
- 4 A letter was read from the Bank Manager asking that a new Guarantee Bond may be signed for the balance on the loan off under the new arrangements, Resolved that the Chairman, the Vicar, Mr. Cumming & Mr. Baker be asked to sign the Bond, this they agreed to do.
- 5 Mr. Richards plan of the Piggeries &c was produced after tenders for 52 Pigs from Mr. Hann £37.10.0  
Mr. Richards 36.0.0.

After some discussion the whole matter was left to the Estates Committee to carry out, Mr. Cumming agreed to see Mr. Hann with a view of getting him to give £10 for the Pigs

- 6 Resolved that the following Alms be paid Otton £4.15.1,  
Follett 19/4<sup>th</sup> Helliott 15/-

To John Alf £30, Rowe Bros. £3.0.5, Cumming 15/- Cligg £3.  
Resolved that Mr. Woodley be given £1, J. Hanniford £1.  
S. Weston £1. T.G. A. Rectorick £1, These last two the Vicar kindly consented to be laid out for the purpose required  
re sale at Ottery a Cheque was signed for Messrs. Snell for £13.17.3 and the matter of choosing an investment for the £400  
proceeds of sale was left to the Chairman, the Vicar & Mr. Baker

Members Present Mr. Follett Chairman

The Rev<sup>r</sup> G. E. F. Molineux

Messrs. Cumming, Baker, Bealley, Summers, Sweetland  
Leveridge, Sprague, Board & C. & Smith

Follett. Chairman

After the above a School Committee Meeting was held  
The Bailiff reported that no further communication had been received from the Board of Education.

A discussion took place with Mr. Jackson with regard to the Holidays he had given

Resolved that 15/- be granted for Prizes as usual.

Present the Vicar in the Chair. Mr. Jackson  
Messrs. Follett, Baker, Cumming, Bealley & Smith

23<sup>rd</sup> June 1914

At a Special Meeting held this day the following was considered

- 1 Tenders Winding Church Block
- 2 Letter from Board of Education, and to hear the Revd J. J. Jackson respecting the same at 6.30 P.M.
- 1 Tenders were received from F. Wood £1. 0*v* per Annum  
R. C. Smith 1*m*. 11*v* " "  
W. Fred White 5. 0. 0. "

It was proposed by Mr W Summers that F White be appointed to wind the church block on the same terms as the late Mr Dolman Viz for the sum of £5 per Ann<sup>u</sup> seconded by Mr Hann Carried.

Appointment  
To date from  
24<sup>th</sup> June 1914

Resolved that a Cheque for £6. 5. 0 to 24<sup>th</sup> June 1914 be drawn for Excess of late J. Dolman.

- 2 A letter from the Board of Education was read, and a Copy of Inspectors report was Enclosed.  
Mr Jackson explained the position of the Chamber with the Board of Education, after considerable discussion  
It was proposed by the Revd G. E. F. Molineux that application be made to the County Education Committee to make a grant of £40, or such further sum as may be required in order that the Colyton Grammar School may be recognized by the Board of Education as a Secondary School.

Seconded by Mr Baker and Carried.  
The Bailiff was desired to send the proposition to Mr Young by this evenings post.

Present Mr Follett Chairman.

The Revd G. E. F. Molineux, Revd J. J. Jackson.

Messrs Zealley, Summers, Hann, Stokes, Sprague & Baker

*Follett - chairman*

14<sup>th</sup> July 1914

At a Chamber Meeting held this day, pursuant to Notice, after the Minutes of the previous meetings were read & confirmed, the following was Considered.

- 1 Letter from Mr Mortimer re "Investment"
- 2 Letter from Mr Kittle.
- 3 Years A/cs, as balanced.
- 4 Payment of salaries.

1 In reply to Mr Mortimers letter It was resolved that the Chairman be authorized to sign the request to the Official Trustees of Charitable Funds for remittance of dividends, to pay to Floyds Bank Colyton.

*Proceeds of Sale of Property at Ottery.*  
The Bailiff reported that the Charity Commission had on the 7<sup>th</sup> July notified that £400 had been invested in the name of "The Official Trustees of Charitable Funds" in £398. 19<sup>a</sup>. 0<sup>c</sup> New Zealand 4 per Cent Stock 1943/1963. Dividends payable in February and August.

- 2 No further action to be taken with reference to Mr Kittle's letter
- 3 The Bailiff produced the years A/cs as balanced Proposed by Mr Baker that they be adopted and that Mr Murley be asked to audit them as usual. Seconded by Mr Stokes & Carried
- 4 Resolved that the following cheques be signed  
Mr Jackson £30. 1. 8. Bailiff £7. 10. 0 Rates £ 8. 12. 6  
Northcott Salary £3. Bill £9. 2. 10.

No 1 A/c  
No 2. A/c

3/- per week

Applications for help by letters. Resolved that Mr Snells rent be paid for the time being, H. Edwards a Grant of £1.  
Members Present Mr Follett Chairman  
Messrs Bunting, Baker, Beale, Stokes and Board

J. Follett, Chairman

After the General Meeting a School Committee meeting was held.

Present Mr Follett in the Chair, Mr Jackson,  
Messrs Cumming, Baker, Bealley & Board.

It was resolved to leave the alterations at the Grammer School to the School Estates Committee, a meeting to be held on July 31<sup>st</sup> so that it may be completed during the holidays.

A Committee meeting was held on July 31<sup>st</sup>  
Present Mr Follett, Messrs Cumming, Baker, Board  
& Smith with Mr Jackson & Mr Wm Richards.

It was decided that Mr Richards prepare a plan for the alterations in time for a meeting on August 7<sup>th</sup>.

Resolved that a form should be placed under the windows in the kitchen, also that there should be a table on tressels provided for the boys use.

A Committee meeting held Aug: 7<sup>th</sup>

Present Mr Follett in the Chair Mr Jackson  
Mr Cumming, Mr Bealley

Mr Richards produced the plan & explained it.

It was decided to place the matter in Mr Richards hand to carry the work out at once.

### Bathing Pool.

A Committee meeting was held on July 31<sup>st</sup>.

Sir Frederick de la Pole sent a message offering to open the pool on Thursday August 6<sup>th</sup>. It was decided to ask him to alter the date to Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> to give the working classes an opportunity of attending. If this was agreed to, the Bailiff to have a notice inserted in Pulmans, also to get some bills printed for circulation.

At a meeting on 7<sup>th</sup> Inst. It was resolved to ask the Town Band to attend & to invite the Boy Scouts, the School Children, and any Parishioners to join with the Feoffees in the procession to the opening by Sir Frederick on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> August at 3-30 P.M.

11th August 1914

At a Chamber Meeting held this day pursuant to Notice, after the Minutes of the last meetings were read & Confirmed the following was Considered

- 1 To Elect a Chairman.
  - 2 The A/c/s as Audited
  - 3 Letter re School A/c.
  - 4 Payment of Vicars Tithe.
  - 5 Report of School & Estates Committee's "Alterations"
  - 6 re Bathing Pool Arrangements.
  - 7 Applications for help from T Barrett, West St  
v C Purse Jr<sup>r</sup>. Cross Street
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- 1 Mr Follett's year of Office as Chairman having ended, Mr Board proposed that Mr Burningham be elected for the ensuing year, this was seconded by Mr Follett & carried. Mr Burningham thanked the Feoffees for the honour conferred upon him.
  - 2 The Bailiff produced the years A/c/s as audited by Mr Murley. Resolved that they be printed and circulated in the usual way, and that a Cheque for £1.1.0 be drawn for Mr Murley.
  - 3 Letter from the Board of Education was read saying they would accept a printed statement for this years A/c/s, in future they would send a form for the School A/c/s.
  - 4 Proposed by Mr Summers that a Cheque be drawn for £6.8.0 Vicarial Tithe, seconded by Mr Stokes.
  - 5 A discussion took place with regard to the steps down to enter the new lavatory, the matter was left to the Estates & School Committee.
  - 6 After some discussion it was proposed by Mr

Stokes that the matter of erecting the shed at the Bathing Pool, and drawing up Rules & Regulations be left for the Committee to deal with, and to meet Mr Warren at the Pool with regard to the erection of the fencing, seconded by Mr Sprague, Carried  
 Application for help from T Barrett was adjourned for next meeting, Mr Cuming promised to enquire into this case, no grant was made to Purse.

7 A letter was received from Mr R Snell re sale of Colyton Cod & River saying he had tried to get £30 for it, a letter was enclosed from Mr Pratt offering £15 for this piece of land. After some discussion Mr Board proposed that if Mr Snell could get £25 it should be sold subject to the approval of the Charity Commissioners seconded by Mr Stokes & Carried.

It was proposed by the Rev: G. E. F. Molineux that the Resolution (item 7) of the Meeting July 14<sup>th</sup> be adopted Viz: It was resolved that the Chairman be authorized to sign the request to the Official Trustees of Charitable Funds for remittance of dividends i.e. to pay to Lloyds Bank Colyton. Seconded by Mr Stokes & Carried Mr Mortimer stated it was necessary that this be done as there was not a Quorum (7) present at the July Meeting Members Present Mr Cuming Chairman The Rev: G. E. F Molineux

Mess'rs Follett, Summers, Stokes, Sprague & Board

E. H. Cuming  
Chairman