

Finance Committee Meeting.
11th December 1942.

Present: Mr. M. B. Strawbridge. (Chairman)

Misses D. F. Baker, & M. M. Richards.

An apology was received from Mr. G. T. Restorick.

The following accounts were examined, and recommended for payment:

Bills.

		£	s	d
Edwards. W.	Clearing Chimneys	15	0	0
Asce Vale	Laundry fee	1	11	0
Acminster R. D. C.	Water rate.	6	19	9
"Pulmans"	Advt's	5	0	0
M. Hooper & Son.	Repairs etc	1	9	6
Waretakers.	Wages (Oct + Nov)	45	14	4
Kitchen Staff.	(Sep Oct Nov + Dec)	51	10	9
E. G. & Bastable.	Goods.	3	12	8
A. Wheaton & Co., T. & Books & Sta.		21	2	8
Gooding & Son.	repairs	4	0	0
W. J. Richards.	Wood	12	0	0
Smith's Library.	Sta:	13	0	0
Stanton & King.	Thermometer	12	6	0
"Times."	Advt	1	2	0
Bradford & Son.	Wood	1	11	3
P. Clarke.	Goods & repairs	4	2	3
C. R. Good.	Fuel Cartage	4	4	0
F. Akerman.	Goods	1	13	8
Seaton & Light Co.	Light & Power	4	1	1
Symons & Co.	Goods	3	13	8
Postmaster General.	Telephone etc.	3	16	4
Clerk.	Postage	1	2	4
Headmaster.	" of cash	1	15	1
R. H. & J. Hollett.	Goods	11	14	1
V. Harris.	Fuel	12	5	4
D.	S. Railway etc.	4	0	0
		£ 192. 9. 8		

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Estimates

Estimates were prepared for Income & Expenditure for the Year ending 31st March 1944.

An application, for a reduction of Prudence Cligg's Summer term's fees, owing to her part time absence through sickness, was considered. It was resolved to recommend that no reduction be granted.

S. P. Cunniff; Chairman.
14/12/42.

Governors' Meeting. 14th Dec^r 1942.

Present: Mr. St. John Irvine, (Chairman)

Mrs. Dent, Halswell, Borwick & Dent.

Col. G. M. Barron, Messrs. M. B. Strawbridge, A. F. Goddard.

G. I. Restrick, H. J. Rowridge, W. M. Lorraine, A. J. White.

W. A. Baker. An apology was received from Mr. Weeks.

The Minutes of the last meeting were confirmed.

Mes.

On the motion of Mr. Lorraine, seconded by Mrs. Dent, various accounts were passed for payment, and the recommendations of the Finance Committee were adopted.

Letters from the Committee were received stating:-

Grants.

(a) That grants recommended for pupils had been approved.

Mrs. Discey's appointment.

(b) That Mrs. Discey had been appointed as temporary Senior Assistant teacher at a salary of £240 p.a. plus war allowance.

Mr. Pinton's salary to be made up, and arrears paid.

(c) That the County Council have now agreed that Mr. Pinton's pay shall be made up while he is on service, and arrears of payment would also be paid.

14th December 1942. (Continued.)re-
Petrol coupons
for Governors.

(d) That with reference to Mr. Keek's letter, careful consideration had been given to same, but the Committee are not able to make any arrangement for the issue of petrol coupons to enable Governors to attend school meetings.

Use of two
rooms granted
as First Aid
Point.

(e) That approval had been given to the use of a small room in the Cricket Pavilion and to the use of room No. 6 in the school buildings as an Upgraded First Aid Point in the event of an emergency.

National Fire
Service to pay
for Static water
tank.

A letter from the Sanitary Surveyor, stated, that charges for conversion of the old septic tank at the school, to a static water tank, are payable by the National Fire Service.

P. & Buckland
~~and Durrell~~, &
W. Newton
allowed to
leave.

Letters received from the parents of Pearl Buckland, ~~Alma Durrell~~, and Wenda Newton were considered, and the Governors agreed to these pupils being withdrawn from the school.

Mrs Discey's
resignation.

The Headmaster reported^(a) that Mrs Discey had tendered her resignation. (b) That a further supply of school prospectuses were required, at an approximate cost of £.30. Agreed, that an order be placed for same. On the motion of Mr. Lorraine, seconded by Mr. Baker, Mr. G. Bunney was allowed to leave school.

School
Prospectus
to be printed.Mr. G. Bunney
allowed to leave.Ass't Book's
page increased
to 257 weekly.Mr. Furneause
not granted
permission to leave.

It was agreed, that the Ass't Book be paid 257 p.w. An application, for Mr. Furneause to leave school at the end of the current term, was not granted.

Col. G. M. Barron
welcomed.

Col. G. M. Barron signed the Declaration of Office, and was welcomed by the Chairman.

John Lorraine, Chairman.
25/1/43

22nd January 1943.

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Finance Committee Meeting.

Present: Mr. N.B. Shawbridge (in the Chair)

Messrs D.F. Baker, Mr. Richards & G.T. Restrick

The following accounts were examined, and recommended for payment:-

		£	s	d	
A/c.	L. Gardiner. Interview Exp.	1	1	4	
	T. Gooding, Repairs		14	6	
	Acce Vale Laundry, Washing.	1	10	4	
	M. Hooper & Sons Repairs	1	4	0	
	A. Wheaton & Co Books	3	3	0	
	Western Times Advt.		4	0	
	Western Gazette "		8	0	
	N. McDary, Petrol	1	19	1	
	V. Harris Fuel & Rail carriage.		8	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	
	B. Bastable D. Science Goods	2	4	6	
	Postmaster School Badge Licence	1	1	0	
	Clerk Postage etc	2	0	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	
	F. Bradford & Sons. Timber	3	6	0 $\frac{1}{2}$	
	Postmaster Genl. Telephone etc	4	2	4 $\frac{3}{4}$	
	Headmaster Postage etc	1	3	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	
	Do. Bankers Wages	9	19	10	
	F. Akerman Goods Metalwork		6	5	
	Shell Mex & B.P. Oil	1	5	0	
	P. Clarke. Goods		5	6	
	Seaton Light Co Light & Power etc	9	19	10	
	Barstakers' Wages Dec. & January.	55	0	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	
		£	101	14	3 $\frac{1}{2}$

Over -

22nd January 1943.
Continued:

Refund of
T. J. Rawle's
tuition fees.

It was resolved to recommend:
That the current term's fees be refunded to
T. J. Rawle, in view of his having attended for
1 day only.

Pamela Salter
to be charged
½ term's fees.

That half term's fees be accepted from the parent of
Pamela Salter, owing to her attendance from Apr^l 30th
to May 20th only, during the Summer term 1941.

S. J. M. [unclear] Chairman.
25/1/43.

Governors' Meeting
25th January 1943.

Present: Mr. St. John Ervine. (Chairman)

Mrs. Borwick, Messrs A. F. Goddard, H. B. Strawbridge
& H. J. Lovridge.

Apologies were received from Mrs. Halmill, Col. Barron, Messrs Loraine,
Richards, Restorick.

The Minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

Agos

On the motion of Mr. Goddard, seconded by Mr.
Lovridge, various accounts were passed for payment, and
the recommendations of the Finance Committee approved.

Scholar's grant

Letters received stated^(a) that H. J. Boyland had been
granted free tuition, boarding, cycle £2 & Maintenance £5.

Fuel economy.

(b). Stressing the great need for economy in the use
of fuel.

25th January 1943.

Clerk's
salary.
refund.

The Chairman read a letter he had received, in reply to his letter of 24th July last, stating that the Executive Sub-Committee on August 20th after full debate had recommended to the Education Committee that the Clerk should be asked to refund the overpayment, and this was subsequently approved by the Education Committee.

Mr. Strawbridge stated that this matter had been dealt with at a recent meeting, when it was decided that the matter be referred back to the E. Committee for further consideration.

It was decided to await their decision before taking any further action.

The Headmaster reported that Miss Gardiner had been appointed as French Mistress.

Miss Gardiner
rec'd as
Senior
Mistress.

It was agreed to recommend to the Committee that she be appointed Senior Mistress of the school.

Miss Powell &
Raymond Summers
all^d to leave.

It was resolved, that Miss Powell & Raymond Summers be allowed to leave school.

Nancy Wilmington's
appⁿ refused.

An application, for Nancy Wilmington to leave, was refused.

A.B. Strawbridge Chairman,
29/3/43

Finance Committee Meeting.26th March 1943.

Present: Mr Strawbridge in the Chair & Mr W. F. Baker
 Apologies were received from Messrs G. T. Restonck & Mr. I. Richards

The following A/c's were examined & recommended for payment:

A/c's		£	s	d
Secty Local Exams		2.	12.	0
J. Wakley.	Repairs	1.	0.	8
Asce Vale Laundry	Washing		18.	8
The Times.	Advt's	1.	16.	0
E. G. + Bastable.	Goods	4.	4.	5
Teoffees	Rent	2.	0.	0
Letter Redemption Commission	Letter	1.	10.	3
V. Harris. Fuel £8.4.0.	Rly carriage 1/2	8.	15.	2
Renwick Wilton + Dobson	Fuel.	35.	12.	3
R. H. + J. Gullett	Goods	1.	18.	5
H. Brady + Co	1 Revolving Shutter	9.	8.	0
Headmaster.	Postage a/c	1.	7.	2
Clerk.	"	1.	2.	9
Seaton Co. Light Co	Repairs etc	6.	13.	1
A. Wheaton + Co	1 set books	24.	14.	3
"	Stationery etc	96.	5.	0
Warden Staff Wages.	Feb + March	34.	13.	3
Waretakers' Wages	"	52.	1.	1 1/2
		£	286.	12. 5 1/2

The Finance Committee were empowered to draw cheques for outstanding bills to the 31st instant.

It was resolved to recommend:-

- (a) That Monica Denning be charged half fees, having ~~only~~ attended one half of the current term owing to illness.
- (b) That N. Furineau's application for reduced fees, be deferred to the Gov's meeting on Monday next for production of Form N. 45(S).

M. Denning.
 Staff fees
 allowance.

26/3/43.

Canteen
funds

A letter regarding the Canteen funds was considered, and it was resolved to recommend, that the balance existing before 1st April 1941, and the amounts subsequent to that date be earmarked for a school swimming bath.

H.B. Strawbridge • Chairman

29/3/43

Governors' Meeting
29th March 1943

Present: Mr. H. B. Strawbridge (in the Chair)
Mrs Dent, Mrs. Halswell, Mrs. Borwick
Messrs W. H. Lorraine, H. J. Lorridge, S. I. Restorick.
Apologies were received from Messrs St. John Ervine,
D. J. Baker, W. M. Richards, & Col. G. H. Barron.

The Minutes of the last meeting were confirmed,
and the recommendations of the Finance Committee adopted.

Agos Mr. Lorraine proposed, & Mr. Goddard seconded,
that cheques be drawn for the various accounts.

Letters from the Committee stated:-

Mrs Gardiner
app^{ts}
S. Mistress.

(a) That the appointment of Mrs H. J. Gardiner as Senior
Mistress as from the beginning of the Spring term, with
Special Responsibility payment of £24 p.a. had been
approved.

Clerk's
salary -
£45 p.a.

(b) That it had been decided that the Clerk's salary
be fixed at £45 p.a. and that the overpayment of
£20 would not be re-claimed.

Scholar's
grant.

(c) That A. N. Whet's grant had been re-considered, and
free tuition and Cycle allowance of £1 only granted.

Canteen
balances.

(d) Regarding Canteens, it had been agreed that the balances
of the semi-private dinner funds which existed before
April 1st 1941 should be disbursed for the benefit of
the school at the discretion of the Governors.

Rec^d that
balances
be ear-marked
for
Swimming
Bath.

In regard to the amounts subsequent to that date
they have agreed, on the recommendation of a conference of
headmasters & headmistresses of secondary schools that,
subject to the provision of a reasonable working balance for
each canteen, any profits arising from the provision of
meals should be paid into the County fund.

Having heard the Headmaster's report on the matter, Mrs. Halswell proposed, & Mr. Forane seconded, that the balances which existed before 1st April 1941, and the amounts subsequent to that date be ear-marked for a School Swimming Bath. Carried.

Canteen
Staffs
&
Salaries.

Copy of a letter, sent to the Headmaster concerning canteen staffing & salaries, stated the present numbers entitled him to a cook & one kitchen maid only, & suggested a revision of the canteen staff to accord with the scale.

The remuneration was payable for the whole year of 52 weeks and not during term time only.

The Headmaster said that the salary paid to the present staff of 3 was about the same amount as now allowed for two.

It was resolved, that the matter be left in the hands of the Headmaster to carry on as before.

Left to
the
Headmaster.

The Headmaster reported:-

Miss
Crofton
leaving.

(a) That Miss Crofton was leaving, and suggested that Miss Bastable take over the Physical Training next term, and Mrs. Jowett be engaged for that period to take charge of the Domestic Science department.

Agreed to.

Repairs

(b) That top portion of Entrance gates & the interior of 1. Boys Laboratories required painting.

It was agreed, that same be done by M. Stoper & Sons, also that other minor repairs be carried out.

Grant to
Mr. Furneaux.

On the motion of Mrs. Jowett, seconded by Mr. Forane, it was decided, that Mr. Furneaux be granted a £2 tuition fee allowance, per term, from the Foundation.

W. J.

Finance Committee Meeting.14th May 1943.Present: Mr. A. B. Strawbridge (in the Chair)

Messrs J. F. Baker, & A. W. Richards.

An apology was received from Mr. G. I. Restorick.

The following accounts were examined, and recommended for payment:

		£	s	d	
Apr	Barstakers' Wages	Apr & May.	51.	14.	10
	Uxoe Vale Laundry Co	Laundry Apr		3.	10
	Diamond & Co.	Printing	2.	6.	3
	S. J. Richards & Son.	Attraction to Kitchen.	26.	5.	0
	J.	Repairs		6.	0
	Headmaster.	Postage Apr		18.	9
	"	Canteen Ware.	2.	0.	0
			£	83.	14. 8

It was resolved to recommend that a Microscope be purchased from Messrs Burton at a cost of £5.

The question of the Clerk's National Health Insurance, and the provision of more fire extinguishers for the school, was deferred to the Governors' meeting on Monday next.

S. J. Richards Chairman.

14/5/43

Governors' Meeting14th May 1943.

Present: Mr. St. John Ervine. (Chairman.)
 Mrs. Borwick, Mrs. Halswell, Col. G. N. Barron.
 Messrs. D. Baker, H. Strawbridge, A. F. Goddard, G. T. Restorick,
 W. A. Loraie, H. J. Lovridge.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were confirmed, and the recommendations of Finance Committee adopted.

Yes

On the motion of Col. Barron, seconded by Mr. Strawbridge, various accounts were passed for payment.

Govs
 re-appt'd
 for 3 years,
 ending
30/6/46.

Letters from the Committee stated:-

- (a) That the Governors had been re-appointed for a period of three years ending 30th June 1946.
- (b) That approval had been given to the appointment of Mr. Jowett Domestic Science teacher for the Summer term, & to Miss Bastable taking Physical training. other arrangements must be made for the Autumn term.
- (c) That the Governors' recommendation in regard to Banker balances had been noted.

Fire
 Extinguishers.

A report, and suggestion that additional fire extinguishers be purchased for school premises, was received from the Minimax Company's representative.

6 Shovels
 to be purchased.

The Governors considered that the present equipment was adequate for dealing with ordinary fires, and it was decided that 6 long handled shovels be purchased for removal of any incendiary bombs that may drop on the school premises.

14th May 1943.

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Clerk's
N.H.I.

The Governors being of opinion that the Clerk ought to be insured under the National Health & Pensions Insurance scheme, it was decided to ask for the Committee's instructions regarding the matter.

Use of
School
granted.

The Headmaster reported that application had been made for permission to use the school for an Exhibition on Buildings in July, also during the "Wings for Victory week" for exhibitions by the A.I.C. etc.

On the motion of the Chairman, it was agreed that the school be available for the two purposes mentioned.

9th & 16th July 1943.

Finance Committee Meetings.

Present: Mr. N.B. Strawbridge, (Chairman)

Mr. W.H. Baker, G.T. Restonick, Mr. H. Richards.

The following accounts were recommended for payment:-

<u>Accts.</u>		£	s	d
Philip Harris.	Apparatus.	1	3	
W. H. Davy & Co.	Oil	5	4	
Bradford & Sons.	Wood	18	6	
Times.	Adv ^t .	2	4	0
E.M. Curtis.	Interview expenses.	1	10	11
H. Jagger.		4	10	0
H. P. Traffield.		1	16	10
Ace Vale Laundries.	Towels.	14	9	
E. G. Bastable.	Soap.	3	3	4
		15	5	2

13¹/₂ for

Apr.	Clerk.	Postages etc.	15. 5. 2
		Wireless Licence.	3. 1. 5
	Wheaton & Co, T. Books	£16. 11. 3, Triggs £9. 19. 10,	10. 0
	Etherium L ^{td} ,	Water system treatment.	26. 11. 1
	R. M. & J. Follett,	Goods.	10. 0. 0
	E. J. Arnold,	Oral Exam fees.	6. 12. 10
	A. Symons & Co,	Goods.	10. 0
	F. A. Kerman,	M. work	18. 0
	V. Harris,	Fuel	1. 8. 2
	"	S. Rail etc.	8. 18. 8
	Renwick Wilton & Dobson,	Fuel.	13. 4
	Cartmen Wages,	May, June, & July.	33. 16. 2
	Headmaster,	Postage etc	52. 5. 5
	Cartaker's Wages,	June & July.	1. 15. 10
			55. 0. 1/2
		Total.	£ 214. 6. 8 1/2

Special Places.

It was resolved to recommend that Special Places, and Allowances be granted to the following:

225. 1	Underdown, K.	Colyton, Tuition & County scale Allowances.	218
249. 2	Jefford, M. P.	Dalwood.	215
151. 3	Perham, R. M.	Aceminst.	201
118. 4	Harris, R. A.	Beer, Whole	200
210. 5	Bishop, M. J.	Mustury, County scale	198
224. 6	Gifford, J. P.	Seaton.	196
181. 7	Hilder, J. O.	"	196
442. 8	Henderson, A. H.	"	195
187. 9	Boord, R. G.	Acemouth.	191
310. 10	Capps, H. M.	Colyton.	183
467. 11	Meak, B. A.	Aceminst.	182
218. 12	Orkcott, J.	"	179
190. 13	Adlam, W.	Branscombe.	179
300. 14	Kirichard, A. S.	Seaton.	176
130. 15	Drimson, H. E.	Shute. Tuition, Trunk, & Dinners.	176

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1. 10.15/6
Special Places.

Williams, A. P., Southleigh, Tuition, & County Scale Allowance

2. 7.215

Chapple, M. C. Rees, " " "

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St John Ervine
21/7/43

Chairman.

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21st July 1943.

Gov^{ts} Meeting.

Present: Mr St John Ervine (Chairman)

Mr Dorwick Col. G. H. Barron, Messrs D. W. Baker
N. Strawbridge, G. T. Restrick, A. F. Goddard.
A. Capp.

Apologies were received from Mrs. Halswell, & Mr. N. Richards.

The Minutes of last meetings were confirmed, and the recommendations of Finance Committee approved.

Agos

On the motion of Mr Goddard, seconded by Mr Lorraine, various accounts were passed for payment.

Miss Jagger
apptd P. T.
Mistress.

Letters from the Committee stated (a) That Miss R. Jagger has been appointed as a temporary P. T. & Lower form Mistress at a salary of £185. p.a. plus war allowance.

Stage-play
licence to
be obtained
by C. Committee.

(b) That a decision had been reached to apply for a stage play licence for secondary schools, this school had been included in the list, they therefore wished to know if the Governors had any observation to submit. It was agreed to reply, that the Governors were in

21st July 1943.

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agreement with the proposal.

Clerk's
M. H. Insurance

The Clerk reported that the Accountant has asked for further information, which had been forwarded.

Miss Gardner
&
Mr Woodcock
leaving.

The Headmaster reported:-

(a) That Miss Gardner & Mr Woodcock were leaving, he had interviewed a Miss Curtis & Mr Pye Jones, recommended that they be appointed to fill the respective vacancies. This was agreed to.

(b) That he had received a communication from Dr Smart of Seaton regarding the health of R. G. Richards who wished to leave the school. As no application for removal had been received from the parents, no action was taken, the Headmaster was asked to reply to Dr Smart accordingly.

School
library
books

The Headmaster was empowered to purchase at Applegarth books for School library.

Fees of
P. Lucas
waived.

It was resolved, that the tuition fees of Peter Lucas be waived owing to his few days attendance during the current term.

Book's
Bus fares
allowed.

A letter was received from the Secretary approving payment of the Book's bus fares.

St John's
11/10/43

1st October 1943.Finance Committee Meeting.

Present:- Mr. J. Baker (in the Chair) & Mr. M. Richards,
Apologies were received from Messrs. N.B. Strawbridge & G.T. Restrick.

Apes. The following apes were examined & recommended for payment:-

		£	s	d
Warehousers' Wages Aug ^t & Sep ^t		48	18	4
A. Soanes.	Motor mower repairs	6	12	10
Arce Vale Laundry Co.	Laundry		11	5
Smith's Library	Sta:	1	5	6
Bradford & Sons	Octge of Fuel	2	14	4
Remwick Milton & Dobson	Fuel	28	13	11
Clerk.	postage ape.	2	4	2
Times.	Advs	4	4	0
S. Railway Co.	Demurrage on fuel truck		6	0
Stanton & King.	Gas plant repairs	7	18	6
Tethes Commission,	tithes..	1	10	3
A. Wheaton & Co.	Sta.	1	2	0
V. Harris	Fuel	7	8	0
Bernard Pitt	Goods		1	6
P. Clarke.	Repairs.		8	6
Shell Mex & B.P. L ^{td}	Floor Oil		15	0
Calipe Dettmer & Capel	Goods	1	14	4
Bankers Wages	To 1 st Oct ^r	14	10	3
E. Bastable.	D.S. Goods	2	10	10
Headmaster,	postage ape	1	13	4
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		135	12	3
Lloyds Bank,	Cheque book		2	0
		<hr/>		
		£	137	12
			3	

It was resolved to recommend that:-

Grants. R. M. Perham, Azenister, be granted Bus fares.
 N. J. Brinson, Seaton Jun: . . . Railway fares by
 the County Authority, failing which, same to
 be granted from the Foundation.
 S. M. Newbery, Seaton, be granted County scale, regarding
 her tuition fees.

St John Ervine, Chairman.
 11th October 1943.

Governers' Meeting.
 11th October 1943.

Present: Mr. St. John Ervine. (Chairman)
 Mrs. Borwick, Mrs. Dent, Col. G. M. Barron,
 Messrs. W. A. Graine, G. T. Restonick, H. J. Forudge,
 A. J. Goddard.

Apologies were received from Mrs. Halswell, Messrs D. F. Baker
 & B. Strawbridge.

The Minutes of the last meetings were read and
 confirmed, & the Finance Committee's recommendations adopted.
 On the motion of Mrs. Dent, seconded by Mrs
 Borwick, cheques were drawn for the accounts presented.

Miss
 Pryce-Jones
 &
 Miss Curtis
appr'd.

Letters were read, stating the Committee had approved
 the appointment of Mr. J. Pryce-Jones as temporary
 Asst. Teacher at a salary of £480 p.a, plus war
 allowance, also of Miss E. M. Curtis at a salary of

11th October 1943.

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salary of £228 p.a. plus war allowance.

Appns to leave
school

Applications for withdrawal from school, being below the age of 16 years, were considered, from:-

Granted

R. G. Richards, Seaton. } Resolved, they be allowed

to

A. J. Gillingham, Skeet. } to leave.

Not Granted

M. Taylor, Seaton. } Resolved, that parents be informed

to

M. Furneuse Colyton, } that the Governors do not consent to their leaving, and the Committee be notified that they have left without the consent of the Governors.

Miss Perkins
apptd
Senior
mistress.

The Headmaster recommended that Miss Perkins be appointed Senior Mistress in the place of Miss Gardner.

This was agreed to, also, that the Committee be requested to make her the usual grant for such services.

The Headmaster reported that a modified wage scale had been allowed for the Kitchen Staff.

Grants
from
Foundations.

It was resolved to recommend, that a grant of £5 from the Foundation fund, be made to H. W. Boyland, & G. A. Jackson, towards their College expenses.

The Headmaster mentioned that several "Old Boys" had received Naval & Military recognitions for services rendered.

Pilot Officers, 14 Colts R.A.F.

awarded the D.F.C.

A. Lemon, R. Navy, Mentioned in Despatches.

Chairman

6/12/43

3rd December 1943.

Finance Committee Meeting.

Present: Mr. N.B. Strawbridge (Chairman)
Messrs N.F. Baker, G. V. Restorick

The following accounts were examined & recommended for payment:-

		£	s	d.
<u>A/cs.</u>	Arce Vale Laundry Co. Wasking a/c	3.		4
	W. Edwards, Sweeping Chimneys	15.		0
	S. J. Jones, Oil	5.		3
	T. Gooding Repairs	4.		6
	Fulman's Weekly News, Advt's	16.		0
	S. J. Richards & Son Repairs	2.	1.	11
	Stanton & King "	1.	12.	6
	W. Hooper & Sons, Painting & repairs	25.	3.	6
	A. Wheaton & Co	42 ³⁶ .	2 ¹ .	9 ⁹
	Barretakers' Wages Oct. & Nov.	48.	18.	4 ¹ / ₂
	Bankers' Staff " " & Dr.	50.	11.	0
	Headmaster Postage a/c	1.	3.	9
	Clerk "	1.	8.	9
	P. Harris & Co Goods	4.	2.	5
	Seaton & Light Co Light & repairs.	8.	16.	11
	C. R. Good & Son. Fuel cartage.	2.	16.	3
		<u>£ 194 - 5 - 5¹/₂</u>		

Estimates Estimates were prepared for Income & Expenditure for the year ending 31st March 1945.

It was agreed, to recommend to the Committee that Mr. & Bogar's travelling expenses from 1 Dec. be paid, owing to the non-attendance of the school doctor.

Smiles
Chairman
6/12/43.

Governors Meeting.6th December 1943.

Present: Mr. N. F. Baker (in the Chair.)

Mr. Borwick, Mr. Dent, Mr. Halswell, Col. G. M. Barron
 Messrs G. V. Restorick, H. N. Loraine, & A. F. Goddard
 Apologies were received from Messrs N. B. Shawbridge, N. J. Overidge,
 St. John Ervine, also from Mr. Weeks who said he regretted
 his inability to attend meetings owing to the present petrol
 restriction, and trusted that in the circumstances he may
 be allowed to retain his Governorship.

The Governors expressed the opinion that Mr. Weeks
 still remained a member of the Governing Body.

The Minutes of the last Meetings were confirmed,
 and on the proposition of Mr. Halswell, seconded by
 Mr. Loraine, cheques were drawn for the submitted
 accounts, and the recommendations of the Finance
 Committee approved.

A letter was received from Mr. Irvine, ^{stating} that the
 Clerk was not insurable under the National
 Insurance Act.

An application for J. Hartnell, ^{to leave} was deferred for
 further information.

On the motion of Mr. Dent, seconded by Mr. Borwick,
 it was agreed to inform the Committee of the great inconvenience
 caused to parents, who wished to be present at the examination of
 their children, when the School Doctor failed to attend as
 arranged, and to recommend, that Mrs. Bogen of Beer be
 allowed her taxi expenses to the school, in view of the
 Doctor's non-attendance.

Clerk not
 insurable
 under N.I.
 Insurance.

Non-attendance
 of School
 Doctor.

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Oxford Higher School Certificate Examination.

G. Jackson passed with Mathematics, Physics and Geography as main subjects.

W. Lake passed in Physics, (main), and reached the subsidiary standard in Mathematics and Geography.

H. Boyland reached the subsidiary standard in Mathematics and Physics.

Beryl Smedley reached the subsidiary standard in English and Geography.

Oxford School Certificate Examination.

1. Dorothy Rouse.	2. F. M. H. Priestland.	3. T. S. Clark.
B. F. Aylard.	B. Duke.	M. A. Enticott.
M. D. Hall.	B. E. Merrett.	P. Neate.
I. M. Restorick.	E. Sellers.	P. Spurway.
A. E. Tuck.	M. Gane.	J. H. Hurford.
R. Johnson.	L. J. Leyman.	A. T. Lovegrove.
D. G. Payne.	D. J. S. Stockwell.	W. J. C. Symes.
P. G. Turl.		

The examination result as a whole was most satisfactory as these forms had passed through difficult periods owing to the entry, and withdrawal, of evacuated pupils.

The standard reached in Physics was very good :-
'Very good' 2, Credit 13, Pass ~~4~~ 6, Fail 5.

The Geography was very good :- 'Very good' 2, Credit 15
Pass 10, Fail 4.

Mathematics was very good :- Credits 15, Pass 10, Fail 6
The 'Very good' mark was obtained on 12 papers.

The General Science was the best subject result in the examination :- 'Very good' 3, Credit 5, Pass 3, Fail 1.

The work in Domestic Subjects is the best the school has had :- 'Very good' 1, Credit 7, Pass 3, Fail 1.

The work in English Language was quite good :- 'Very good' 1, Credit 13, Pass 11, Fail 6, but the English Literature was weak, especially that of the boys, :- Credit 6, Pass 11, fail 14.

French was weak, especially the boys, Credit 6, Pass 3, fail 14.

History was very fair on the whole, but good in parts :-
'Very good' 1, Credit 7, Pass 7, Fail 10.

Religious Knowledge was rather weak :- 'Very good' 1, Credit 4, Pass 5, Fail 19. Three entered for Latin and all failed.

In Art :- Credit 1, Pass 4, Fail 6.

The Metalwork was very weak.