

UPWOOD PARISH 1915



Minutes from meetings dated:

11th January

12th July

30th March

2nd November

12th April



Upwood and the Raveleys Parish Council

Minutes of and proceedings at the Parish Council Meeting, held in the National School on **Monday the 11th day of January 1915** at 7 o'clock in the evening.

Present: Mr. George Thompson, Chairman, Messrs. W. Sinclair, A. H. Ingle, W. G. Thompson, Henry Jacobs, and the Clerk R. J. Kidman.

Minutes

The minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed.

Letting of the Gravel Pits.

Proposed by Mr. W. G. Thompson, seconded by Mr. Jacobs, and resolved that the Clerk be authorised to instruct Messrs. Orris and Reeves, Auctioneers of Ramsey, to let the Parish gravel Pits at a date not later than the second week in April.

Parish Constables.

Proposed by Mr. Sinclair, seconded by Mr. Ingle, and resolved that the undermentioned persons be nominated to serve as Parish Constables for the ensuing year.

Stephen Wright, William G. Thompson, Cecil Sinclair, Cornelius Murfin, Lewis Fordham, Ernest Woodward.

Accounts.

Proposed by Mr. Sinclair, seconded by Mr. Ingle, and resolved that cheques be drawn in payment of the undermentioned accounts.

			£	s	d
Colonel Mowbray	Quit Rent	6.11	3	0	9
"	Tithe	1.18.10			
"	5 Common Rights	15			
Mr. Proud	Inland Revenue		2	1	10
Lord De Ramsey	11 Common Rights		1	13	
Sarah Jones	3 "			9	
W. H. Brighty	1 "			3	
Rev. W. O. J. Hughes	1 "			3	
F. A. Clarke	1 "			3	
Rev. J. F. Cooksey	1 "			3	
John Watts	1 "			3	
R. J. Kidman	Stamps	7.6	2	9	8
	Speechley Jubilee Well	2.6			
	Geo. Cross 1 Common Right	3			
	Emma Sinclair 1 Common Right	3			
	Ada Gaunt 1 Common Right	3			
	Rates	17.8			
	26 weeks insurance	13			

Cecil Sinclair	Carting Gravel	1		
Mrs Slack	School Caretaker		8	
Mr. Bennett	for gravel, footpaths	2	13	4
		£ 16	9	11

Arrears of Rents.

The Clerk reported that several allotment holders were in arrears with their rents. It was proposed by Mr. Ingle, seconded by Mr. W. G. Thompson, and resolved that the Clerk be instructed to write to those holders to the effect that the rents must be paid.

Parish Hedges etc.

Proposed by Mr. Ingle, seconded by Mr. W. G. Thompson, and resolved that Messrs. Sinclair and Jacobs be authorised to get the Parish Hedges and dykes cut and repaired.

Overseer Casual Vacancy.

Proposed by Mr. W. G. Thompson, seconded by Mr. Jacobs, and resolved that Mr. George Thompson be appointed Overseer of the Poor of the Parish in the place of Colonel Mowbray who was away from the village.

Signed: George Thompson.



Upwood and the Raveleys Parish Council

The Annual Parish Meeting after due notice was held in the National School on **Monday evening the 30th of March 1915** at 7 o'clock in the evening.

Present: William H. Sinclair, and the Clerk of the Parish Council Reginald J. Kidman.

Minutes

The Clerk submitted the account of the Parish for the past year.

Not Signed.



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Present: Mr. George Thompson, Chairman, Messrs. W. H. Sinclair, Albert H. Ingle, William G. Thompson, Henry Jacobs, and the Clerk Reginald J. Kidman.

Minutes

The minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed.

Appointment of Chairman.

Proposed by Mr. George Thompson, seconded by Mr. W. G. Thompson, and resolved that Mr. William Collett be the Chairman of the Council for the ensuing year.

Treasurer.

Proposed by Mr. A. H. Ingle, seconded by Mr. Sinclair and resolved that Mr. Collett be reappointed Treasurer of the Council for the ensuing year.

Overseers.

Proposed by Mr. William G. Thompson, seconded by Mr. Sinclair, and resolved that Mr. A. H. Ingle, Farmer, Upwood and Mr. George Cross, Gentleman, Upwood be Overseers of the Poor of the Parish for the ensuing year.

Accounts.

Proposed by Mr. George Thompson, seconded by Mr. W. G. Thompson, and resolved that cheques be drawn in payment of the undermentioned accounts. Mr. Palmers bill 15/4, and Mr. Kidman 10/- for audit stamp. P. L. Rogers and Longbourne £10 half years rent due at Lady Day 1915 for land on Hill Farm.

Repairs to Stiles.

Proposed by Mr. George Thompson, seconded by Mr. Jacobs, and resolved that stiles which were in a dilapidated state be repaired, and that Messrs. William Sinclair and W. G. Thompson constitute a Committee with power to have such repair executed.

Signed: A. Mowbray, Chairman.



Upwood and the Raveleys Parish Council

Minutes of and proceedings at the Quarterly Meeting of the Parish Council, held on **Monday evening the 12th day of July** at 7 o'clock in the evening.

Present: Colonel Mowbray, Chairman, Messrs. George Thompson, William G. Thompson, William H. Sinclair, Henry Jacobs, and the Clerk Reginald J. Kidman.

Minutes

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

Chairman.

The Clerk informed the Council that Mr. Collett thanked the Council for electing him Chairman of the Council at their annual meeting, but owing to his inability to attend all the meetings, declined the honour.

Proposed by Mr. W. G. Thompson, seconded by Mr. Sinclair, and resolved that Colonel Mowbray be the Chairman of the Council for the ensuing year.

Colonel Mowbray accepted the office of the Council.

Accounts.

Proposed by Mr. George Thompson, seconded by Mr. Sinclair, and resolved that the undermentioned accounts be passed and cheques drawn in payment.

		£	s	d
R. J. Kidman	Rates		17	8
	26 weeks Insurance		13	
William Govier	Locking Pump		4	
		£ 1	14	8

Common Right Arrears.

The Clerk informed the Council that Mr. Hugh Summers had sent in a claim for arrears of Common Right 1911 to 1914, on reference to the minute book, the claim proved to be correct as the last payment was made at the Council Meeting held on the 9th January 1911.

It was proposed by Mr. G. Thompson, seconded by Mr. Sinclair that a cheque for 12/- be drawn in payment of the claim.

Signed: A. Mowbray, Chairman



Upwood and the Raveleys Parish Council

Minutes of and proceedings at the Quarterly Meeting of the Parish Council, held on **Tuesday evening the 2nd November** at 7 o'clock in the evening.

Present: Colonel Mowbray, Chairman, Messrs. William G. Thompson, W. H. Sinclair, and the Clerk Reginald J. Kidman.

Minutes

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

Collecting Rents.

Proposed by Mr. W. G. Thompson, seconded by Mr. Sinclair, and resolved that the Council collect the Allotment and Small Holdings rents on Friday evening the 12th day of November at 7 o'clock in the evening.

Accounts.

Proposed by Mr. Thompson, seconded by Mr. Sinclair, and resolved that a cheque be drawn for £10 in payment of half years rent ending Michaelmas 1915 for land leased of Lord De Ramsey on Hill Farm.

Signed: A. Mowbray, Chairman