

Meeting of the Parish Council, held in the  
Council Offices on Monday May 27 1895  
at 7.30 p.m.

Present. Mr Joseph Heathcote, the newly elected Chairman  
Attendance Messrs Reynolds, Heywood, Lomas (J) Lomas (B)  
Bramwell, Morten, Keyworth, Wain, & the Clerk.

Mr Reynolds (Vice Chairman) formally took the Chair at  
the commencement of the meeting, and asked the newly  
elected Chairman to sign the declaration of acceptance  
Chairman Signs the of Office.

Declaration Mr Heathcote did so, and afterwards presided over  
the meeting.

Minutes The minutes of the last meeting were read & confirmed  
Then signed by the Chairman.

The following communication had been received from  
the Derbyshire County Council

Derby. 30<sup>th</sup> April 1895

Dear Sir

An application has been received  
by the County Council, to remove the disqualification  
of Mr Bramwell from being a Member of your Council  
by reason of his contracting to do your printing, on the  
following ground namely - that his firm is the only  
County Council firm of Printers in Chapel-en-le-Frith.

My Committee will be glad to have the views of your  
Council upon this question.

Yours Truly

H. J. Hughes Hallett

The Clerk of the Parish Council  
Chapel-en-le-Frith

Mr Heywood proposed, Mr Lomas (T) Seconded

Reply to  
County Council That the Clerk be instructed to write to the Derbyshire County Council, asking them to remove the disqualification of Mr Bramwell.

For. Messrs Reynolds, Heywood, Lomas (T) Lomas (B)  
Morten, Keyworth.

Against. None

Neutral Mr. Bramwell.

Mr Bramwell then handed in the Accounts Report by him whilst acting as Treasurer of the Council

Report of The Report of the Charities Committee and the appointment  
Charities of Trustees in respect to Certain Charities, was next in  
Committee order on the agenda.

A Report was submitted stating that the Committee had considered a number of the Charities, but they recommended that the appointment of Trustees be deferred, until all the Charities had been considered in order that the Committee might then be able to give a full and complete report.

The Report of the General Purposes Committee was next received.

Report of Mr Heywood proposed, Mr Keyworth seconded.  
General That Resolutions no 1 & 2 of the General Purposes Committee, having  
Purposes reference to the Furnishing of the Council Offices, be referred  
Committee back to the Committee, and that Resolutions 3 & 4, empowering  
the Clerk to purchase the necessary material for heating and lighting, and  
the necessary Stationery for the use of the Council, also the Committee's  
Suggestion, that the Council recommend to the Surveyor, the  
desirability of placing a Urinal in a suitable position, on or  
near to the Market place, be adopted.

Ccarried unanimously

Mr Heywood proposed, Mr Keyworth seconded.

Letter to the  
Local Govern<sup>mt</sup>  
Board

That the Clerk be instructed to write to the Local Government Board, and enquire whether the Parish Council have power to furnish the Offices without the consent of a parish meeting.

Carried unanimously

Mr Morten then submitted the Report of the Wards Committee.  
He stated that the Committee had held two meetings.

Report of  
Division into  
Wards

they had gone carefully through the lists of voters, and in the interests of the ratepayers, they considered it advisable

to divide the Parish into Three Wards.

Committee

The Lighting area to be called the central Ward.

Chapel Milton, Wash, Corn Hey, Malcay, Rushop, Sparrowpit;  
Done Holes, to Bank Hall, down Bank Hall road to the  
Midland Railway, along the Railway to the Lighting Area  
to be called the East Ward.

Combs, Whaley Bridge, Bugsworth, Whitleough,  
Courses, Higher Crossings to Marsh Hall to be  
called the West Ward.

Mr Morten further stated that in the Central Ward  
there were 360 voters, and the Committee recommended  
that four members be elected to represent that Ward, or  
the Parish Council. One Member for every 90 voters  
In the East Ward there were 255 voters and the  
Committee recommended three Members for that Ward or  
One Member for every 85 voters.

In the West Ward, there were 281 voters, and the  
Committee recommended three Members to that Ward.  
One Member to every 93 voters.

After discussing the matter, for some time

Mr Heywood proposed, Mr Lomas (T) Seconded.

Adoption  
of  
Report- That the Report of the Wards Committee be adopted, and that the Clerk be instructed to make application to the County Council for the Division of the Parish into Wards.

Carried unanimously

Mr Heywood pro Mr Lomas (T) sec.

Letter to  
I W Lowe Esq That the Clerk be instructed to write to Mr. J W Lowe County Councillor for this district, asking him to give the matter his support.

Carried unanimously

Mr Bramwell then gave notice.

Notice of  
Motion That at the next meeting of the Council he should move the appointment of a Sanitary Committee

Mr Reynolds proposed, Mr Heywood Seconded.

The Supply  
of Water That the Clerk write to the Clerk of the District Council drawing attention to the insufficient supply of water in Chapel-en-le-Frith, and respectfully to ask that steps be taken at the earliest possible moment to provide a remedy.

Carried unanimously

Mr Reynolds proposed, Mr Bramwell Seconded. -

The Gas Supply That the Clerk write to the Everlast Building Society; in the name of the Chapel-en-le-Frith Parish Council, drawing attention to the deficient quantity, and the very bad quality of the Gas Supply, and to respectfully request that immediate steps be taken to provide a remedy

Carried unanimously

Mr. Bramwell proposed, Mr. Reynolds Seconded  
 That the Clerk write to the Surveyor and request  
 Letter to the Surveyor of Highways to refuse his sanction to the performance in the market place, of any Steam Engine or noisy instrument during the Wakes, the same being an intolerable public nuisance, and the Parish Council suggest that a field would be the most appropriate place for such performances.  
 Market Place being occupied by steam engines.

For. Messrs. Bramwell, Heywood, Morten,  
 during the Wakes Lomas (J). Keyworth, Wain,  
 Against. None

Neutral. Lomas (B)

Mr. Heywood proposed, Mr. Keyworth seconded  
 That the Clerk be instructed to pay the following accounts

Mr. Joseph Heathcott £ 16 " 0

Accounts Mr. Reynolds, postage & stationery £ 2 " 0

~~Op 32~~ Mr. C. F. Hardley for advertising £ 5 " 0

The Glos. Advertiser Company £ 3 " 6

£ 1 " 6 " 6

Carried unanimously

Cheques were signed in payment of the above acc's

The Meeting then terminated

for Heathcott

