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Tuesday 4th Feby 1913.

At a Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date at 8 p.m. there were present :-

Br A. G. Makins J.P. (Chairman)
" J. T. Chapman (Vice-Chairman)
" W. H. Abercrombie
" G. J. Aldridge
" H. E. H. Braun
" H. Eames
" F. E. Jennings
" F. Lamb
" J. F. Mainland J.P.
" J. W. Pearson
" J. L. H. Thomas
" A. J. Wills

with Dr E. F. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health) Mr W. F. Wilkins (Surveyor), Mr E. W. Hill (Sanitary Inspector), Mr W. J. Ridgway (Captain of the Fire Brigade) and H. W. Poole (Clerk).

Minutes. On the motion of the Chairman, duly seconded, the Minutes of the Meeting of 21st January were taken as read and signed.

Farm. On the motion of Br Chapman seconded by Br Aldridge, the Report

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of this Committee of 30th January, was taken as read and adopted.

General Purposes. On the motion of Cr. Mainland, seconded by Cr. Pearson, the Report of this Committee of 30th Jany. was taken as read and adopted.

Finance. On the motion of Cr. Mainland, seconded by Cr. Pearson the Report of this Committee of 30th January, was taken as read and adopted.

Fire Precautions. A letter dated February 1st was read from Mr. F. J. Bancroft, stating that if the Council have the proposed new main in West End Lane for their exclusive use they will be responsible for its maintenance and repair etc. It was resolved – "That the matter be referred back to the General Purposes Committee for further consideration."

The Surveyor's Supplementary Report was read and considered.

Housing of the Working Classes Contract. On the motion of Cr. Mainland, seconded by Cr. Samb, it was resolved "That upon the certificate of the Surveyor a cheque be drawn for £1,000 in favour of Messrs. Boulton & Paul

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in respect of their contract for the erection of 22 cottages

The Surveyor reported that he had received a plan of the survey of the Housing Estate from Mr H.L. Beaven.

High Street Paving. Granite. The following estimates for the supply of granite were submitted from Messrs Ellis & Everard:-

2¼ in. Bardon Hill @ 12/7 per ton.
2½ in. " @ 12/7 per ton.

and on the motion of Cr Wills, seconded by Cr Thomas, it was resolved - "That Messrs Ellis & Everard's tender for the supply of an equal quantity of each size named be accepted, the aggregate not to exceed 1,000 tons."

Offices The Surveyor reported that up to date he had received 365 applications for particulars of the competition for designs for new offices and asked for instructions as to replies to the queries raised by intending competitors. On the motion of Cr Thomas, duly seconded, it was resolved - "That it be left to the Clerk and Surveyor to prepare and forward replies to the effect that the regulations of the competition had been issued and the Council had nothing further

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to add to them".

A letter from the Secretary of the Competitions Committee of the R.I.B.A. asking the Council to amend their instructions to Architects in order to conform with the Association's regulations, was read and laid on the table.

Employees. The Surveyor reported that driver Bagust had been absent from his duties for two days without explanation. On the motion of Cr Lamb duly seconded it was resolved "That the employee in question be allowed to resume his work forthwith and that he be notified to attend before the next meeting of the General Purposes Committee.

Sewers. Bedford Avenue. On the motion of Cr Lamb, seconded by Cr Pearson, it was resolved - "That the seal of the Council be affixed to an agreement with Mr J. Bude in connection with his proposed building over a sewer in Bedford Avenue".

Arkley Lighting. The Clerk reported the North Metropolitan Electrical Power Distribution Co. had considered the objections of the Council and were willing that the Draft

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Provisional Order should be amended in compliance with the request of the Council and that the date of the Order coming into force should be the day when the Act confirming the Order is passed, but as certain resolutions would have to be passed by the Council in respect of which notice would have to be formally given on the agenda, the matter would be dealt with at the next meeting accordingly.

Lee Conservancy. A letter dated Jany 20th was read from Mr E. B. Barnard asking the Council's support to his re-election as a member of the Lee Conservancy. On the motion of Br Mainland, seconded by Br Pearson it was resolved - "That the Chairman be deputed to attend at the offices of the Conservancy on March 4th, between 12 noon and 1.30 pm., for the purpose of recording a vote for Mr Barnard on behalf of the Council"

National Insurance Act, Hertfordshire Insurance Committee. Barnet District Committee. A letter dated January 21st was read from the Clerk of the County Committee, requesting the full name and address of the person

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nominated by the Council as their representative on the Barnet District Committee, under the scheme prepared by the Hertfordshire Provisional Insurance Committee under sec. 59 of the National Insurance Act. On the motion of Br Mainland, seconded by Br Pearson it was resolved – "That Br Frank Lamb be appointed the Council's representative on the Committee".

Motor Omnibus Traffic. A letter dated January 23rd from the Ilford Urban District Council enclosing copy of the Minutes of the Guildhall Conference on this subject was submitted and laid on the table.

Election of Urban District Councillors. A circular letter dated January 25th was read from the Clerk of the County Council stating that the day of election for Urban District Councillors and Guardians had been fixed for Wednesday April 9th 1913.

Steam Fire Engine. A letter dated January 25th was read from the Chief Engineer to the National Boiler Insurance Co. from which it appeared that the internal inspection of the engine was

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advisable. It was resolved - "That the Captain of the Fire Brigade be given authority to make all arrangements necessary for the inspection."

Hertfordshire County Council

The Clerk submitted the agenda and reports of the County Council in connection with their meeting held on the 3rd instant.

Education. On the motion of Br Mainland, duly seconded, Br Malins Professor Mac Lay and Mr E.H. Neal were nominated for re-appointment as representatives of this Authority for the ensuing year upon the Barnet Urban Local Education Sub-Committee. On the like motion it was also resolved - "That the following gentlemen be appointed as representative Managers of this Authority for the ensuing three years in respect of the following Schools:-
Byng Road School. Br W.H. Abercrombie Professor Alex. Mac Lay, Messers H.W. Milnes and E.H. Neal; Christ Church School: Mr H.W. Milnes; Moxon Street and St: Catherine's Schools: Br W.H. Abercrombie. Letters were read from the County Council

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stating that "The Non-Provided Schools Grouping Order 1910" in respect of the Barnet and Hadley Grouped Schools would expire on the 17th March next: and the County Authority proposed to make a new Order, as by draft enclosed by them, for a further 3 years, it therefore being necessary for the Council to appoint representatives on the body of Foundation Managers for the period named. It was— resolved "That Cl. A. G. Malins be re-appointed in that capacity in respect of Arkley C of E. School, Cl. E. H. Neal in respect of Barnet— C of E School and Cl. T. Smith in respect of Hadley C of E. Infants School."

Housing of the Working Classes. A letter was read from the Barnet Workmen's Association. asking when the smaller class property on the Housing Estate was likely to be erected. On the motion of Cl. Lamb seconded by Cl. Mainland it— was resolved— "That a reply be sent stating that the necessary steps will be taken as soon as the— buildings now in course of erection are completed".

The Council then resolved itself into Committee.

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Totteridge extension. Arkley. Housing and Town Planning.

The Clerk reported that at the request of Mr Longmore he attended at Hertford on the 1st instant, in company with the Surveyor and Inspector for the purpose of discussing these subjects before Mr County Alderman J. L. Tank, the Clerk of the County Council and the County Surveyor, with the result that it was considered expedient to press the above matters forward with as little delay as possible.

A letter of even date was read from Sir Samuel Boulton stating that in consequence of a notice received from the Finchley Urban District Council the Totteridge Parish Council had addressed communications to the Barnet Rural District Council, the Hertfordshire County Council and to this Authority, with reference to these matters. A letter also of even date, was read from the Clerk to the Totteridge Parish Council enclosing copy correspondence between that Authority the Finchley Urban District Council and the Local Government Board strongly objecting to the action taken by the Finchley Urban District Council & asking the assistance of this Authority in the action taken by the Totteridge

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Parish Council in opposing the scheme of the Finchley Council.

The Clerk Submitted the following draft particulars of the area proposed to be included in the scheme for Town Planning Arkley and Totteridge:-

(1) The whole of the lands comprising the Arkley Ward of the Urban District of Barnet, such lands being coloured pink on the plan hereinafter referred to, and bounded on the North by the District of South Mims Rural, the Parishes of Ridge and Shenley in the Rural District of Barnet, on the West and South-West by the Urban District of Hendon, on the South by Dollis Brook, the Parish of Totteridge and the Urban District of Finchley, on the East by the Great North Road and the East Barnet Valley Urban District, and on the North and North-East by Mays Lane and the Parish of Chipping Barnet, excluding certain lands known as the Barnet Urban District Council Irrigation Farm situate between Mays Lane and the Dollis Brook aforesaid, such excluded lands being coloured green on the map hereinafter referred to.

(2) The whole of the lands comprising the Parish of Totteridge situate in the Rural District of Barnet, coloured yellow on the

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map hereinafter referred to, and bounded on the North by Dollis Brook and the Parish of Askley, on the West, and South by the Urban District of Hendon and on the East by Dollis Brook and the Urban District of Finchley, excluding lands purchased by the Finchley Urban District Council for the purpose of a Recreation Ground land held by the South Herts Golf Club for the purpose of a Golf Course the Totteridge Green and Common Lands and the St. Andrew's Church and Grave Yard, such excluded lands being coloured green on the map hereinafter referred to.

On the motion of Cr. Mainland, seconded by Cr. Pearson, it was unanimously resolved - "That the proposed areas as submitted, be approved and that notice of the Council's intention to make application to the Local Government Board for permission to prepare a scheme to Town Plan the areas referred to be inserted in the next issue of the "Barnet Press" also that notices of the Council's intentions be served upon the owners and occupiers of all lands affected by the proposed scheme, and that the Surveyor be instructed to prepare a map shewing the areas proposed to be included."

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							On the like motion it was also resolved "That this Council enter a strong protest to the action taken by the Finchley Urban District Council with regard to their proposal to Town Plan the Parish of Totteridge."				
							Drainage. High Street. A letter dated February 1st was read from Messrs. Mc. Mullen & Sons. Ltd., together with a report from the Sanitary Inspector, with regard to the drainage of the "The White Horse" P. H., High Street. It was resolved – "That the matter be left in the hands of the Clerk and the Inspector."				
							Accounts. The following Cheques were drawn:-				
							District Fund Account				
						102	J. Warren & Co. Coal		4	17	0
						4	Clinical Research Assn. Examinations			18	0
						4	Oxford Steam Plough Co. Steam Rolling		17	4	6
						4	W. J. Gasson Overalls.		4	16	0
						4	Turner & Sisney, Ltd. Materials etc		16	4	4
						4	J. J. Sugg & Co. Coal			13	4
						4	J. T. Sambrook Disinfectants		1	2	6
						4	Pearson & Son Repairs			7	6
						4	North Metropolitan Co. Public Lighting Xmas 1912		171	12	6
						4	Barnet Gas & Water Co. Gas & Water		69	17	4
						4	E. Cowing & Son Printing		1	13	11
						4	W. C. Edwards Postages & Office Rent		5	10	10
						4	E. S. Wheatley Printing		3	0	3
						4	J. Cowing Stationery		2	5	7

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			102	Mrs A. Batten — Rates returnable.			16	1
			"	M. C. Clerks' Assn. — Official circular			10	0
			"	M. D. C. Association. — Do.		2	2	0
			"	Surveyor — Sabout		196	0	0
			"	Prudential Assurance Co. — Loan due Feb: 6th. (Bells Hill Sewer & Street Improvements) Balance £962-13-9.		26	13	1
			"	Equitable Life Assurance. Loan due Feby. 6th (Land for Sewage Disposal Buildings) Balance £3668-8-4.		146	18	7
			"	Court Pride A.O.F. Loan due Feby. 9th. (Hydrants) Balance £172-4-6.		7	13	1
			"	Liverpool Victoria Legal Friendly Society. Loan due Feby 20th (Site for Offices. Balance £997-17-0)		20	8	0
			"	Public Works Loan Board. Loan due Feby. 28th (Bells Hill & Mays Lane Sewers Blnce £304)		32	6	5
				Glebe Land & Sewage Disposal Loan A/c				
			110	W. Cunliffe & Sons. — Further on Account of Contract		231	0	0
			"	H. W. Poole — Clerk of Works' Salary		12	12	0
				Private Street Works Frontagers A/c				
			105	London County, etc. Bank. Balance of Fitzjohn Avenue Loan.		26	3	1
				High Street Paving Loan Account.				
			113	Pearson & Son — Repairs etc.		2	5	0
				Normandy Avenue (First Portion) Loan Account				
			112	Cutbush & Son. — Trees		2	12	6

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				Housing Rent Account.				
			104	Barnet Gas & Water Co. Water		15	10	4
			4	Inland Revenue. Income Tax on Cottages		17	10	0
			4	Ditto. Ditto on Housing Land			12	3.
				Housing Loan Account No. 2.				
			106	Pearson & Son Repairs		3	15	0
				Housing Loan Account No. 3.				
			114	Surveyor. Clerk of Works' Salary		15	0	0
			4	Boulton & Paul Ltd. On Account of Contract.		1000	0	0
				Alf. H. Malins				
				18th February 1913 Chairman				

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Tuesday 18th February 1913

At a Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date at 8 p.m., there were present:-

Cr. A.G. Malins J.P. (Chairman)
" J.T. Chapman (Vice-Chairman)
" W.H. Abercrombie
" G.J. Aldridge
" H.C.L. Braun
" H. Eames.
" T.W. Hackforth-Jones J.P.
" F.E. Jennings
" F. Lamb
" J.T. Mainland J.P.
" J.W. Pearson
" J.L.H. Thomas

with Dr. C.F. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health) Mr. W.H. Wilkins (Surveyor) Mr. C.W. Hill (Sanitary Inspector), and H.W. Poole (Clerk).

Minutes. On the motion of the Chairman duly seconded, the Minutes of the Meeting of 4th February 1913 were taken as read and signed.

Ashes. Cr. Chapman reported that several of the members of the Council had again visited the Farm with reference to the question of the roadway to the new site for an Ash Heap,

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and on the motion of Cr. Mainland, seconded by Cr. Abercrombie, it was resolved "That in accordance with the recommendation of the Farm Committee of the 31st October 1912, adopted by the Council on the 5th November, the existing roadway through the Farm be used, and that the necessary work of repair be proceeded with".

Fire Brigade. On the motion of Cr. Eames, seconded by Cr. Pearson, the Report of this Committee dated the 13th instant, was taken as read and adopted.

General Purposes. On the motion of Cr. Mainland, seconded by Cr. Lamb the Report of this Committee of the 13th instant was taken as read and adopted.

Arkley Electric Lighting. Electric Lighting Acts. 1882 to 1909. The Chairman moved in accordance with notice given - "That pursuant to Rule 9 of the Rules of the Board of Trade under the above Acts, it is hereby resolved that this Authority consent to the grant of the above proposed Provisional Order to the North Metropolitan Electrical Power Distribution Company Ltd subject to the amendment of Clause 6 of the draft Order by providing that the date of the coming into force of the

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Order shall be the day when the Act confirming the Order is passed" The motion was seconded by Mr. Pearson and carried unanimously.

Urban District Councils' Association. New Offices. A letter from the Urban District Councils' Association as to their Annual Meeting, together with a further communication from Mr. W. Gilbee Scott with reference to the Offices competition were read and laid on the table.

Railless Traction A letter was read from the Watford Urban District Council drawing this Authority's attention to the Metropolitan Electric Tramways (Railless Traction) Bill, but as the proposed enactment does appear to immediately concern any part of this area no action was taken thereon.

Barnet District Gas & Water Co. Notification was read from this company of their intention to sell by auction at the Mart, Tokenhouse Yard, on the 11th March £10,000 D. Capital Gas Stock under the provisions of the Barnet District Gas and Water Act, 1883.

Education. A letter dated the 12th. inst. was read from Mr. E. A. Neal with reference to his appointment as the Council's representative on

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the Managing body of Barnet C of E School, together with the Clerk's reply to the terms of which the Council adhered.

Motor Omnibus Traffic. A letter was read from the Ilford Urban District Council reporting as to the present results of the Conference of Local Authorities on this matter and asking if the Council would contribute £2.2.0 towards the expenses in connection with such Conference. On the motion of Cr. Hackforth-Jones seconded by Cr. Pearson it was resolved. "That the Council pay the sum named."

Sanatoria. Dispensary. A letter was read from the County Council on behalf of the County Tuberculosis Officer with reference to the provision of a Dispensary at Barnet. The Clerk made a Supplementary statement on the matter, and the subject was referred to the General Purposes Committee for consideration and report.

High Street Paving. Cr. Eames moved in accordance with notice given - "That a Committee of Inspection be appointed to compare the levels of channelling as laid by the Contractor in High Street with the plans and scheme as

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furnished by Mr Joseph Owen, and to report thereon to the Council." The motion was seconded by Cr Pearson - all the Councillors present voting in favour thereof with the exception of Cr Chapman who did not vote. On the motion of Cr Thomas, seconded by Cr Hackforth-Jones it was resolved - That such a Committee consist of Crs Abercrombie, Eames, Lamb, Mainland and Pearson, with power to employ the services of an independent Surveyor to assist them in the matter.

The Council then resolved itself into Committee.

Town Planning Totteridge. Letters were read from the Hertfordsire County Council and the Local Government Board acknowledging particulars of the Council's intention for the Town Planning of Totteridge. Formal notice of objection thereto was also read from the Barnet Rural District Council and a communication was submitted from the Finchley Urban District Council acknowledging the Council's notice of objection to the scheme of that Authority as affecting Totteridge. The Clerk reported that in company with the Surveyor and Inspector he had attended on Sir Samuel and Cd. Boulton and

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				fully explained the whole matter, the former of whom would at an early date explain the details to the Totteridge Parish Council. The draft Memorial of this Authority to the Hertfordshire County Council for the inclusion of Totteridge within this Urban area was submitted and considered, the further consideration thereof being deferred until after the next meeting of the Totteridge Parish Council, and in the meantime the Clerk undertook to send a proof to each Councillor.				
				Accounts. The following Cheque was drawn:-				
103				W. J. Ridgway Fitzjohn Avenue Fire expenses.		2	19	6

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Tuesday 4th March 1913

At a Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date at 8 pm. there were present:-

Cr A. G. Malins J.P. (Chairman)
Cr J. T. Chapman (Vice-Chairman)
Cr W. H. Abercrombie
Cr G. J. Aldridge
Cr W. Eames
Cr F. W. Hackforth-Jones J.P.
Cr F. E. Jennings
Cr F. Lamb
Cr J. F. Mainland J.P.
Cr J. W. Pearson
Cr E. V. Sheppard
The Rev. F. Spink
Cr L. H. Thomas
Cr A. J. Wills

with Dr C. F. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health). Mr W. F. Wilkins (Surveyor). Mr C. W. Hill (Sanitary Inspector). Mr W. J. Ridgway (Captain of the Fire Brigade) and H. W. Poole (Clerk).

Minutes. On the motion of the Chairman, duly seconded, the Minutes of the Meeting of 18th February, 1913 were taken as read and signed.

Overseers On the motion of Cr Mainland, seconded by Cr Pearson,

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the following gentleman were re-appointed Overseers of the Poor for the Parish of Chipping Barnet for the ensuing year:- Samuel Huggins, George Daniel Malins and Ernest Harry Neal. On the motion of Br Mainland, seconded by Br Abercrombie, the following gentlemen were re-appointed Overseers of the Poor for the Parish of Arkley for the ensuing year:- Alfred Parmenter and Frank William Hackforth-Jones, J.P. On the motion of Br Lamb, seconded by Br Mainland the following gentlemen were re-appointed Overseers of the Poor for the Parish of Hadley for the ensuing year:- Thomas Charles and Arthur Nunneley. On the motion of Br Pearson, duly seconded the following gentlemen were re-appointed Overseers of the Poor for the Parish of South Mimms Urban for the ensuing year:- Herbert Grieve and Thomas Smith.

Farm. On the motion of Br Chapman seconded by Br Eames, the Report of this Committee of 27th February, was taken as read and adopted.

General Purposes On the motion of Br Mainland seconded by Br Pearson the Report of this Committee of 27th February, was taken as read and adopted.

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Finance. On the motion of Cr Hackforth-Jones seconded by Cr Lamb the Report of this Committee of 27th February was taken as read and adopted.

Granite Supply and Paving. On the motion of Cr Mainland, seconded by Cr Pearson, it was resolved, nem. con.

"That the Report of this Committee dated the 24th February, be taken as read and adopted."

On the motion of Cr Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr Thomas, a vote of urgency was secured, and Cr Abercrombie then moved - "That the work as recently carried out under the Surveyor's supervision in connection with High Street receive the approval of this Authority". The motion was seconded by Cr Wills and carried nem. con.

Plans. The Surveyor reported the result of his Conference with the Clerk with reference to the plans submitted for the development of land at the south-western end of Seecroft Road and on the motion of Cr Mainland seconded by Cr Pearson it was resolved "That the plans be approved subject to the alteration in the width of the proposed street in accordance with the Clerk's opinion"

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Housing of the Working Classes. On the motion of Cr Mainland, seconded by Cr Pearson, the seal of the Council was affixed to the Receipt and Order for Certificate in respect of the second instalment of £2,700 on the Housing Loan Account, No. 3, receivable from the Public Works Loans Commissioners.

Mental Deficiency Bill. A letter from the Joint Committee with reference to this Bill was read and laid on the table.

Workmen's Wages. Cr Aldridge moved in accordance with notice given "That the Surveyor be instructed to furnish the Workmen's Wages Committee with the following information: (a) the number of carmen, roadmen, and farm employees in the service of the Council (b) their working hours per day: (c) their weekly wages; and (d) the number in family dependent upon each employee." The motion was seconded by Cr Lamb and carried nem. con.

Paving. Cr Aldridge also moved in accordance with notice given "That the Surveyor be instructed to ascertain in time for consideration with the next Estimates for Rate - the estimated cost of Paving Wrotham Road, the top portion of Fitzjohn Avenue, Bells

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Hill as far as "Oakhill" and West End Lane. The motion was seconded by Cr Pearson, and carried nem. con.

The Council then resolved itself into Committee.

Housing and Town Planning. Totteridge

The Clerk's report dated the 19th February was read, together with the letter dated the 24th February from the Totteridge Parish Council intimating that they had appointed a small Committee to confer with delegates from this Authority. On the motion of Cr Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr Wills, it was unanimously resolved "That a committee be appointed to confer with the delegates from Totteridge and report to the Council"

On the motion of Cr Lamb seconded by Cr Pearson it was further resolved "That such committee consist of the Chairman, with Crs. Hackforth-Jones and Mainland, attended by the Surveyor, the Sanitary Inspector and the Clerk."

The Memorial for the inclusion of Totteridge within this Urban area was approved and sealed by the Council, and on the motion of Cr Hackforth-Jones seconded by Cr

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				Mainland, it was unanimously resolved "That the Memorial be forwarded to the Hertfordshire County Council."				
				Sewage Disposal. On the motion of Cr Chapman, seconded by Cr Lamb it was resolved "That the new sewage disposal works be open to the inspection of Ratepayers for a period of 2 days on dates to be arranged, and that a paragraph to this effect be placed in the Barnet Press [N.B. This has since been arranged for Saturday, March 8th and Monday, March 10th from 12 noon to 5 p.m.] The question of the sale of turf from the site of the proposed new ash heap was left in the hands of the Chairman of the Farm Committee.				
				On the motion of Cr Lamb, seconded by Cr Jennings it was resolved "That the necessary amount of hardcore now on the new offices site, be used in connection with the construction of the roadway to the new ash heap.				
				Accounts The following cheques were drawn:-				
			103	John Inns — Hay		17	10	0
			104	Barnet Gas & Water Co. — Gas			6	0
			105	Guardians of Barnet Union — Firewood			12	6
			106	J. Smart & Co. — Gravel		27	6	0
			107	Enderby & Stoney Stanton Co. — Granite.		8	11	0
			108	H. Brazier — Hoggin		21	4	3
			109	Turner & Sisney Ltd — Lime & Cement.		5	3	10

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			103.	E. Cowing & Son. Printing & Advertising		3	17	9
			"	E. S. Whalley Printing		8	19	3
			"	J. Cowing Stationery		1	3	9
			"	Shaw & Sons. Ditto			15	4
			"	B. B. Fuller Advertising		3	10	6
			"	Rayward Bros. Stationery		2	2	5
			"	J. Halden & Co. Tracings		7	15	3
			"	E. Stanford Ltd Plans		8	4	8
			"	T. Haken Billposting			10	0
			"	G.P.O. Telephone Service Telephone charges (B267)		2	0	0
			"	Ilford Urban District Council Conference fees		2	2	0
			104	W. T. J. Evans. Rates returnable			9	0
			"	Mrs S. Deamer do			9	6
			"	Mrs T. Clayton do			4	4
			103	Medical Officer of Health Salary to Lady Day		15	0	0
			104	Clerk do		100	0	0
			"	Surveyor Salary & Fitting & Lighting		66	5	0
			"	Inspector Salary to Lady Day		41	5	0
			"	Governors of Grammar School. Rent of Offices to do.		14	10	0
			"	Local Government Board. Inquiry fees			16	10
			"	London County etc. Bank. Interest due			-	-
			"	on Fitz John Av: (2nd portion) Loan			2	1
			104	Equitable Life Assur: Loan due 1st March (Paving.				
			"	Balance £1238-1-2)		164	14	2
			"	Blackburn Philanthropic Burial Society.				
			"	Loan due 9th March (Union St. Paving				
			"	Balance £794-10-1)		62	6	1
			104	Captain of Fire Brigade Petty Cash		2	1	0
			"	Surveyor Labour		206	0	0
			"	Clerk Petty Cash		10	0	0
			104	H. W. Poole Legal Charges		52	17	2

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							Housing Rent Account.				
3	17	9				104	District Fund. Transfer on Account of Loan Instalments		200	0	0
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	15	4					**Housing Loan Accounts. No.3.**				
3	10	6				114	Public Works Loan Board. Stamp on Declaration and fee re Balance of Loan		2	2	6
2	2	5				4	Boulton & Paul. Ltd Further on Account of Contract		800	0	0
7	15	3									
8	4	8					**High Street Paving Loan A/c.**				
	10	0				113	Barnet Gas & Water Co. Repairs, Etc to Water Service			15	8
2	0	0									
2	2	0					**Glebe Land & Sewage Disposal Loan A/c.**				
	9	0				110	W. Cunliffe Sons Further on Account of Contract		222	0	0
	9	6				"	H. W. Poole Clerk of Works Salary		12	12	0.
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Tuesday. 18th March 1913.

At a Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date at 8. p.m. the were present:-

Cr. A. G. Malins J.P. (Chairman)
" J. T. Chapman (Vice-Chairman)
" W. H. Abercrombie
" G. J. Aldridge
" H. Eames
" F. W. Hackforth-Jones. J.P.
" F. C. Jennings.
" H. Lamb
" J. F. Mainland. J.P.
" J. W. Pearson
" C. V. Sheppard
" The Rev: F. Spink
" J. L. H. Thomas
" A. J. Wills

with Mr. W. F. Wilkins (Surveyor) Mr. C. W. Hill (Sanitary Inspector). Mr. W. J. Ridgway (Captain of the Fire Brigade) and the Acting Clerk.

Minutes. On the motion of the Chairman duly seconded. the Minutes of the Meeting of March 4th 1913, were taken as read and signed.

Lamps. On the motion of Cr. Mainland. seconded by Cr. Pearson. it was resolved That the North Metropolitan Electrical Power Distribution Co. be asked to more

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frequently clean the incandescent electric lamps within the District.

Fire Brigade & Water Supply. On the motion of Cr Lamb, seconded by Cr Pearson, the Report of this Committee of March 12th, was taken as read and adopted.

General Purposes. Fire Brigade Cr Mainland moved - "That the Report of the General Purposes Committee of the 13th March, be taken as read and adopted" The motion having been seconded by Cr Lamb, Cr Pearson moved as an amendment - "That the words under the heading of 'Fire Brigade' at p. 18 of the Report, namely 'the matter to be again considered by this Committee at their next Meeting' be deleted' The amendment was seconded by Cr Hackforth-Jones and carried. nem. con. The Report of the Committee as amended was then adopted.

Main Roads. A letter from the County Surveyor referring to the condition of portions of New Road & Wood Street was referred to the General Purposes Committee for consideration and report.

Railless Traction. Manœuvres. Herts County Council. A letter from the

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Watford Urban District Council referring to the Metropolitan Electric Tramways (Railless Traction) Bill was submitted and laid on the table, together with the Agenda and Reports of the Herts County Council for their meeting on the 17th March. A circular letter was submitted from the War Office giving particulars of the area of the forthcoming Manœuvres for the present year.

Fire Precautions A letter dated the 15th inst. was read from the Barnet District Gas & Water Company stating that the new fire main down West End Lane had been completed, and was now charged and available.

Farm Br. Chapman submitted offers from Messrs. Butbush & Son & Messrs. Easton Bros. for the purchase of Topspit to be taken from the road being constructed to the new ash heap at the Farm - On the motion of Br. Wills, seconded by Br. Chapman it was resolved - "That the offer of Messrs. Butbush & Son of 1d per 4 yards super. excavated 9 inches deep, be accepted."

Shoeing. Forage. On the motion of Br. Hackforth-Jones. duly seconded, it was resolved - "That an advertisement be inserted in this week's issue of the

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"Barnet Press" inviting tenders for shoeing and forage for the ensuing year."

Workmen's Wages The Report of this Committee dated 13th March was submitted from which it appeared that no recommendation was offered.

Cr Jennings then moved in accordance with notice given - "That the workmen employed by the Council be put into grades, as follows:-

Grade I. All Carmen
" II. All men able to do heavy work
Grade III. All men able to do light work only.

and that the scale of wages be -

For Grade I. 27/- per week
" II. 25/- do
" III 24/- do

the Surveyor and Road Foreman to be the Responsible parties to make the selection for different grades"

The motion having been seconded by Cr Abercrombie, Cr Mainland moved as an amendment - "That the wages of the Council's carman be increased to 27/- per week and the wages of the roadmen to 25/- per week as from Lady Day next, the increase not to apply to the Road Foreman and Farm Bailiff. The amendment was seconded by Cr Lamb, and carried there voting - For Crs

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Aldridge, Hackforth-Jones, Lamb, Mainland, Malins, Sheppard, Spink and Thomas; Against 6: Abercrombie, Chapman, Eames, Jennings Pearson and Wills. The amendment was then put as a substantive motion and carried, nem., con.,

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Stables. Fire Station. The Surveyor submitted a sketch of an amended scheme for the proposed erection of Stables at the Fire Station, and on the motion of Cr Pearson, seconded by Cr Hackforth-Jones, it was resolved, nem. con.,- "That the Fire Brigade horses be stabled at the Fire Station, the Surveyor to prepare plans etc. in accordance with the sketch submitted and to invite tenders for the execution of the work."

The Council then resolved itself into Committee.

Totteridge. On the motion of the Chairman, seconded by Cr Hackforth-Jones the Report of the delegates in this matter dated the 12th instant was taken as read and adopted. A letter was read from the County Council acknowledging this Authority's Memorial for the inclusion of Totteridge within their Urban area. A letter was also read from the Solicitor to the Great Northern Railway Company

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as to the position of the company under the Town Planning Scheme proposed by the Council, the consideration of which was adjourned until the next proceedings in connection with the scheme are in hand.

Cr. Mainland reported the result of a conference between himself and Mr Farley with regard to the question of drainage of a portion of Totteridge, and it was resolved - "That before proceeding further in this direction, the Council's delegates be empowered to continue the negotiations with the representatives of the Totteridge Parish Council for report to this Authority at an early date."

Carts On the motion of Cr Chapman duly seconded it was resolved - "That new shafts be obtained for one of the carts at the Farm in place of those broken through the fall of one of the horses."

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L. Gilbertson
DISTRICT AUDITOR.

Chairman

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At a Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date at 8 p.m. there were present.

Cr A. G. Malins J.P. (Chairman)
" J. T. Chapman (Vice-Chairman)
" W. H. Abercrombie.
" G. J. Aldridge
" H. C. A. Braun
" H. Eames.
" F. W. Hackforth-Jones J.P.
" F. C. Jennings.
" F. Lamb
" J. T. Mainland J.P.
" J. W. Pearson
" E. V. Sheppard
" The Rev. F. Spink
" J. L. H. Thomas.
" A. J. Will

with Dr C. F. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health). Mr W. F. Wilkins (Surveyor) Mr C. W. Hill (Sanitary Inspector). and the Acting Clerk.

Minutes On the motion of the Chairman duly seconded, the Minutes of the Meeting of 18th March, were taken as read and signed.

Harm On the motion of Cr Chapman seconded by Cr Eames, the Report of

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this Committee of March 27th was taken as read and adopted.

General Purposes. Cr Mainland moved "That the Report of this Committee of March 27th. be taken as read and adopted." The motion having been seconded by Cr Pearson, Cr Hackforth-Jones moved as an amendment - "That the price mentioned for the old paving, referred to at p. 175 of the report, be altered to 3d per foot." This was seconded by Cr Jennings and agreed to nem. con., The Report was then adopted subject to this amendment.

Finance. On the motion of Cr Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr Lamb the Report of this Committee of March 27th, was taken as read and adopted with the exception of the item at p. 180 headed "Rate Estimate."

Rate Estimate. On the motion of Cr. Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr Mainland, it was then unanimously resolved - "That a rate of 1/1 in the £ be duly made and levied for the half year ending 30th September 1913."

Plans. The Surveyor submitted a full-sized section forwarded by the Monolithic Building Co., showing the proposed construction

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of the walls of the suggested bungalow at Arkley. On the motion of Bt Mainland, duly seconded, it was resolved "That the method of construction proposed be agreed to."

Annual Meeting. On the motion of Bt Mainland, duly seconded it was resolved "That the Annual Meeting of this Authority be held on Thursday the 17th April @ 8 pm the usual mid-monthly meeting for the 15th instant to be cancelled"

Housing and Town Planning. A letter was read from the National Housing and Town Planning Council as to the appointment of representatives for the Town Planning Conference to be held at the Westminster Palace Hotel, on May 27th & 28th. On the motion of Bt Lamb, seconded by Bt Mainland, it was resolved - "That the Chairman and Bt Abercrombie together with the Surveyor and the Sanitary Inspector be deputed to attend the Conference.

Lee Conservancy. A letter was read from this Board notifying the election of Mr E. B. Barnard J.P., as a representative member of the Board for 3 years as from April 4th 1913.

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								Barnet District Gas & Water Co. Offices. The accounts of the Barnet District Gas & Water Co., for 1912 were submitted and a letter from Mr. E. H. Neal relative to certain statistics in connection with the new offices was read and laid on the table, as the matter had been dealt with.				
								Fire Brigade. Authority was given for the seal of the Council to be affixed to an Agreement with the General Post Office in connection with the removal and re-connection of two fire call bell circuits.				
								Housing of the Working Classes. A letter was read from the Local Government Board enquiring whether the cottages in Totteridge Lane were completed and also the position of the Council's proposed scheme for the erection of smaller dwellings. On the motion of Cr. Mainland, seconded by Cr. Lamb it was resolved - "That the Board be informed the 22 cottages referred to are nearing completion and it is the policy of the Council to consider the erection of smaller dwellings at an early date				
								Sewage Disposal. A letter was read from Mr. Fairley enclosing a				

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certificate for £712-15-3 in favour of Messrs Chinliffe & Sons further on account of this work, and adding that details of the expenditure would be submitted when the Statement of Account was agreed to and signed. On the motion of Cr Pearson, seconded by Cr Lamb it was resolved - "That the consideration of the matter be deferred until the details of all monies paid to the Contractors and the estimated available balance out of the loan be submitted."

A letter was read from the Clerk of the Works asking for a sealed testimonial in respect of his work at the Sewage Farm. On the motion of Cr Pearson, seconded by Cr Chapman it was resolved - "That this be agreed to."

Chairman. On the motion of Cr Mainland, seconded by Cr Abercrombie a unanimous vote of thanks was accorded the Chairman for the able and courteous manner in which he had conducted the business of the Council during the past year.

The Council then resolved itself into Committee

Finance. Interest. On the motion of Cr Hackforth-Jones, duly seconded, it

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				was resolved – "That the Clerk be authorised to ask the Treasurer to be good enough to submit detailed particulars of how the interest on the Council's Bank Balances during the past 6 months has been arrived at"				
				Totteridge. A letter was read from the County Council enclosing copy of formal objection received by them from the Totteridge Parish Council in reply to this Authority's Memorial for the inclusion of Totteridge within this District. A letter was also read from the Totteridge Parish Council stating that the protest above mentioned had been forwarded to the County Council but it had been decided to continue negotiations in the matter. A further letter was read suggesting Tuesday the 8th instant at Copped Hall for the purpose of another Conference. It was resolved "That this date be agreed to. the Conference to be held at 6-15 pm"				
				Accounts. The following Cheques were drawn :-				
				District Fund Account.				
115				W. J. Wells. Repairs to Harness		7	10	0
4				H. Newbery Shoeing and Repairs		7	6	3
7				C. Briers Forage		148	15	0
9				John Inns do		23	2	6

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			115	B. Harrisson — Materials			11	5
			"	B. Warsop & Sons — Willow Tops			15	0
			"	H. W. Poole — Phoenix Insurance on Depot		1	12	3
			"	Dr Bernard Dyer — Analyses.		4	4	0
			"	H. Brazier — Hoggin		8	8	9
			"	T. Adams — Hoggin etc & Rolling		42	6	0
			"	J. Smart & Son — Gravel		18	2	7
			"	Enderby & Stoney Stanton Co. — Granite		539	4	10
			"	Oxford Steam Plough Co. — Rolling		78	0	0
			"	G. L. Wilson & Co., — Lime & Cement		12	13	11
			"	James Gibb & Co — Manhole covers		8	5	0
			"	H. Hawkins & Sons — Repairs to Water Services		1	0	5
			"	J. T. Sambrook — Disinfectants		1	18	6
			"	J & G. Child — Repairs to Vehicles		4	15	0
			"	Ogles & Co — Horse Cloths & Cart Covers		1	19	6
			"	S. M. Baldock — Returns		2	9	2
			"	Barnet Hospital Committee. — Maintenance of Patients		40	13	0
			"	G. T. Saul & Son — Materials		7	0	10
			"	B. King — do		3	3	0
			"	Merryweather & Co — Testing Fire Engine		3	18	8
			"	W. J. Ridgway — Retaining Fees etc		45	14	0
			"	T. Warren & Co — Coal		4	16	0
			"	G. P. O. Telephone Service — Name Plates		1	1	0
			"	Barnet Gas & Water Co., — Public Watering and Lighting to Lady Day		92	4	5
			"	North Metropolitan Co. — Public Lighting to Lady Day		176	2	10
			"	Cowing's Library — Stationery		9	2	9
			"	Cowing & Son — Printing & Advertising		14	13	9
			"	E. S. Wheatley — Printing		6	19	3
			"	W. C. Edwards — Commission to 25th March		57	12	9
			"	Miss Powell — Rates returnable			12	4

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					1st April 1913				
		11	5	116	Employers Liability — Premium		7	10	0
		15	0	"	South Mimms R.D.C. — Adjustment of Liabilities		15	1	1
	1	12	3	"	London County &c. Bank. — Interest on Bedford & Normandy Avenue Loans to Mar. 31st.		10	10	3
	4	4	0	"	Public Works Loan Board. — Loan Due 1st April 1913		123	1	0
	8	8	9	"	Surveyor — Labour		205	-	-
	42	6	0	"	Captain of Fire Brigade — Petty Cash	Stamps	220 / 15	0	0
	18	2	7	"	Clerk — do		10	4	11
	539	4	10	"	Housing Rent Account — Transfer of Loan Balance			0	0
	78	0	0					11	1
	12	13	11		**Housing Rent Account.**				
	5	5	0						
es	1	0	5	135	B. Harrisson — Repairs			18	1
	1	18	6	"	H. Hawkins & Sons — Repairs to Water Services			16	7
	4	15	0	"	Barnet Gas & Water Co. — Water to Midsummer		7	15	2
ers	1	19	6	"	Inspector. — Petty Cash		2	0	0
	2	9	2						
	40	13	0		**Housing Loan Account No. 2**				
	7	0	10	134	H. C. Beaven — Surveying Housing Estate		9	9	0
	3	3	0						
	3	18	8		**Housing Loan Account No. 3**				
	45	14	0						
	4	16	0	142	Surveyor. — Clerk of Works Salary.		20	0	0
	1	1	0						
	92	4	5		**Glebe Land and Sewage Disposal Loan Acc.**				
	176	2	10	138	District Fund Account. — Transfer of Legal Charges		1	18	4
	9	2	9						
	14	13	9						
ng	6	19	3						
	54	12	9						
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W. F. Mansland

14th April 1913 — Chairman.

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Saturday 5th April 1913.

At a Special Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date at 3-30 p.m., there were present:-

Cr A.G. Malins J.P. (Chairman)
" J.G. Chapman (Vice-Chairman)
" W.H. Abercrombie
" G.J. Aldridge
" H. Eames
" F.E. Jennings
" F. Lamb
" J.F. Mainland J.P.
" J.W. Pearson
" G.L.H. Thomas
" A.J. Wills

with Mr W.F. Wilkins (Surveyor) and H.W. Poole (Clerk).

Glebe Land and Sewage Disposal. On the motion of Cr Mainland, seconded by Cr Pearson it was resolved "That the seal of the Council be affixed to the Receipt and Order for Certificate to the Public Works Loan Commissioners for the sum of £1,300 being the 4th instalment and residue of the loan of £9,450 in connection with this matter; and that a cheque for £2-2-6 be drawn in favour of the Public Works Loan Commissioners in respect of their fees.

Letters were read from Mr Fairby

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and Messrs Cunliffe Sons with reference to the amount of £712-15-3 due to the latter in connection with these works under the Certificate of the Engineer. On the motion of Cr Mainland duly seconded, it was resolved - "That a cheque be drawn in favour of the Contractors for the sum named."

Offices. Cr Mainland moved - "That having regard to the figures circulating within the District, this Council issue an official statement to the Rate-payers with regard to the proposed New Offices question; the expenses in connection with the printing and distribution thereof not to be borne by the Rates" The motion was seconded by Cr Abercrombie and carried, there voting, for Crs Abercrombie, Aldidge, Chapman, Samb. Mainland, Malins, Thomas and Wills. Against: Cr Jennings. On the motion of Cr Lamb, seconded by Cr Mainland, it was further resolved, nem. con., (Crs Eames & Pearson abstaining from voting) - "That the statement now before the Council be signed by the Chairman and Clerk and issued in the form proposed."

Accounts The following cheques

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				were drawn..				
				Glebe Sand and Sewage Disposal Loan.				
			138	W. Cunliffe & Son. On account of Contract		7	12	15 3.
			138	P.W.L.B. Loan & Charges		2	2	6

P.J. Maitland

17th April 1913. Chairman.

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Annual Meeting.

Thursday 17th April 1913.

At the Annual Meeting of the Council duly convened and held on the above date at 8 p.m. there were present:-

Cr W. H. Abercrombie
" G. J. Aldridge
" J. T. Chapman
" H. Eames
" F. W. Hackforth-Jones J.P.
" F. E. Jennings
" F. Lamb
" J. F. Mainland J.P.
" J. W. Pearson
" E. V. Sheppard
" J. L. H. Thomas.
" H. R. Tinsley
" E. T. Williams
" A. J. Wills

with Dr C. F. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health) Mr W. F. Wilkins (Surveyor) Mr C. W. Hill (Sanitary Inspector), Mr W. J. Ridgway (Captain of the Fire Brigade), and H. W. Cole (Clerk).

Councillors Cr Eames, Sheppard, Thomas, Tinsley and Williams made the usual Declarations of Acceptance of Office, and signatures for the use of the Treasurer were given by all the members present:

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Chairman. On the motion of Cr. Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr. Pearson, Mr. H.W. Poole was voted to the Chair pro. tem. On the motion of Cr. Chapman, seconded by Cr. Abercrombie, Cr. Alfred George Malins was unanimously re-elected Chairman of the Council for the current year. On the motion of Cr. Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr. Wills, Cr. Mainland was unanimously voted to the Chair for the evening.

Minutes. On the motion of the Chairman, duly seconded, the Minutes of the Meetings of the 1st and 5th April 1913, were taken as read and signed.

General Purposes Committee. On the motion of Cr. Mainland, seconded by Cr. Chapman it was resolved:- "That this Committee for the current year consist of the whole Council. On the motion of Cr. Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr. Thomas, Cr. Mainland was re-elected Chairman of this Committee.

Farm Committee. On the motion of Cr. Mainland, duly seconded it was resolved "That for the current year this Committee consist of Cr. Abercrombie, Aldridge

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Chapman, Eames, Hackforth-Jones Jennings Sheppard, Thomas, Tinsley and Wills." On the motion of Cr Jennings, seconded by Cr Mainland Cr Chapman was re-elected Chairman of this Committee.

Finance Committee Cr Mainland moved That this Committee for the current year consist of Crs Chapman Eames, Hackforth-Jones, Jennings, Samb, Mainland, Pearson, Thomas Tinsley, Williams and Wills. "The motion having been seconded by Cr Wills, Cr Hackforth-Jones moved as an amendment - "That for the current year this Committee consist of the Whole Council." The amendment was seconded by Cr Thomas and carried. On the motion of Cr Pearson seconded by Cr Mainland, Cr Hackforth-Jones was re-elected Chairman of this Committee.

Housing of the Working Classes Committee On the motion of Cr Mainland, seconded by Cr Wills, it was resolved - "That this Committee for the current year consist of the whole Council." On the motion of Cr Abercrombie seconded by Cr Samb. Cr Mainland was re-elected Chairman of this Committee.

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Fire Brigade and Water Supply Committee. On the motion of Br Mainland, seconded by Br Chapman, it was resolved - That for the current year this Committee consist of Brs Abercrombie - Aldridge, Chapman, Eames, Hackforth-Jones, Jennings, Lamb Mainland, Pearson and Wills On the motion of Br Pearson, seconded by Br Thomas, Br Lamb was re-elected Chairman of this Committee.

Fire Brigade. A letter was read from the Association of Professional Fire Brigade Officers inviting two members of the Fire Brigade Committee with Captain Ridgway to attend its Twelfth Annual Meeting at Aberdeen in July next. Br Mainland moved - That the communication be referred to the Fire Brigade and Water Supply Committee for consideration and report." The motion having been duly seconded, Br Hackforth-Jones moved as an amendment - That the Council declines to send delegates to places so far distant as Aberdeen" The amendment was seconded by Br Wills and carried nem. con.,

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Queen Elizabeth's Grammar School. On the motion of Cl. Pearson, seconded by Cl. Jennings, Cl. Malins was re-elected as this Authority's representative on the Governing Body of Queen Elizabeth's Grammar School.

Town Planning Committee. On the motion of Cl. Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cl. Jennings, it was resolved - "That for the current year this Committee consist of Cls. Abercrombie, Chapman, Lamb, Mainland and Pearson." On the motion of Cl. Mainland, seconded by Cl. Jennings, Cl. Abercrombie was re-elected Chairman of this Committee.

Totteridge Extension Committee. On the motion of Cl. Mainland, seconded by Cl. Hackforth-Jones, it was resolved "That for the current year this Committee consist of the whole of the Council. Cl. Malins was duly re-elected Chairman of the Committee.

Barnet Isolation Hospital Committee. On the motion of Cl. Pearson, seconded by Cl. Jennings, Cls. Abercrombie, Chapman, Lamb, and Malins were re-elected as representatives of the Council upon this Committee for the current year.

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Housing of the Working Classes. On the motion of Cl. Mainland, seconded by Cl. Thomas, the Report of this Committee dated 1st April was taken as read and adopted.

General Purposes. On the motion of Cl. Mainland, seconded by Cl. Lamb, the Report of this Committee dated the 10th instant, was taken as read and adopted.

General District Rate. On the motion of Cl. Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cl. Pearson, the seal of the Council was affixed to a General District Rate of 1/7 in the £ for the half-year ending 30th September, 1913.

Sewage Disposal. On the motion of Cl. Pearson, seconded by Cl. Chapman, the seal of the Council was affixed to a testimonial to Mr. F. S. Oldfield in respect of his services as Clerk of Works in connection with the Sewage Disposal Contract recently carried out.

Education. Letters were read from the Clerk of the County Council enclosing copies of The Non-Provided Schools (Grouping) Order, 1913, in respect

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of the Hadley and Barnet Grouped Schools respectively. On the motion of Cl. Jennings, seconded by Cl. Lamb, Cr. Abercrombie and Malins, with Mr. S. H. Neal, were re-appointed as this Authority's representatives for the ensuing 3 years on the body of Barnet Grouped Schools Managers. On the motion of Cl. Pearson, duly seconded Mr. J. Smith was similarly re-appointed on the Hadley Grouped Schools Managers.

Election. The Returning Officer's account for expenses in connection with the Urban District Council Election on 9th April, 1913, amounting to £57-12-3 was submitted. On the motion of Cl. Hackforth-Jones, duly seconded, a cheque was drawn for this sum.

Building Bye-Laws. Poisonous Liquids. Letters on these subjects from the Local Government Board were submitted and referred to the Officers of the Council for attention.

New Road. Alston Road. A letter from Mr. G. Pearsall Locker with reference to No. 101, New Road asking for an appointment with

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his Architect herein, was referred to the Clerk for attention.

Trade Boards Act. 1909. A circular letter from the Local Government Board on this matter as — concerning Contracts of Local — Authorities was read and laid on the table.

Sanitary Inspectors' Association. A letter from this Association as to — their next Annual Conference at Llandudno was read and laid on the table.

The Council then resolved itself into Committee.

Totteridge. The Report of the Council's Delegates herein dated the 8th instant was submitted and — discussed at length, the further consideration thereof being — adjourned until the next — meeting. On the motion of Cl. — Pearson, seconded by Cl. Thomas. Cl. Mainland was asked to be good enough in the meantime to see Mr. W. Fairley and obtain particulars for report to the Council as to his fees for fully advising the Council with reference to any necessary scheme for dealing with the —

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				severing of the Parish.				
				Workmen's Wages. Cr Abercrombie moved "That 1/- a week increase in wages be accorded to the Caretaker at the Recreation Ground as from this date" The motion having been seconded by Cr Jennings Cr Hackforth-Jones moved as an amendment - "That no action be taken in the matter" The amendment was seconded by Cr Chapman, and not carried there voting: For: Crs. Chapman, Hackforth-Jones, Pearson, Sheppard and Wills. Against: Crs Abercrombie, Aldridge, Eames, Jennings, Lamb, Thomas, and Tinsley. The motion was then put and carried, there voting For: Crs Abercrombie, Aldridge, Eames Jennings, Lamb, Thomas and Tinsley; Against. Crs Chapman, Hackforth-Jones, Pearson, Sheppard & Wills.				
				Accounts. The following Cheques were drawn:-				
				District Fund Account.				
116				W J Ridgway Seecroft Road Fire expenses.		3	10	6
"				H. W. Poole Election expenses.		57	12	3
				High Street Paving Loan A/c.				
141				T. Adams. On account of Contract		532	6	3
				Normandy Avenue (First Portion) Loan A/c.				
140				T. Adams On account of Contract		116	6	0

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				Housing of the Working Classes Loan No.3. Account.				
			142	Boulton & Paul Ltd. On account of Contract.		400	0	0

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Tuesday 6th May 1913.

At a Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date at 8 p.m. there were present:-

Cr A G Malins J.P. (Chairman)
" W. H. Abercrombie
" G. J. Aldridge
" H. Eames.
" F. W. Hackforth-Jones J.P.
" H. E. Jennings
" H. Lamb
" J. H. Mainland J.P.
" J. W. Pearson
" J. L. H. Thomas
H. R. Tinsley
E. J. Williams.

with Dr G. H. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health), Mr W. H. Wilkins (Surveyor) and H. W. Poole (Clerk).

Minutes. On the motion of the Chairman, duly seconded, the Minutes of the meeting of 17th April 1913, were taken as read and adopted.

Farm. On the motion of Cr Eames, seconded by Cr Jennings, the Report of this Committee of 1st May was taken as read and adopted.

General Purposes. On the motion

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of Cr Mainland, seconded by Cr Pearson, the Report of this Committee of 1st May was taken as read and adopted.

On the motion of Cr Mainland seconded by Cr Hackforth-Jones the report of this Committee dated the 5th instant was read and adopted, subject to the withdrawal of Cr Eames from the Sub-committee therein referred to, who declined to serve thereon. On the motion of Cr Hackforth Jones, seconded by Cr Aldridge, Cr Williams was elected a member of the Sub-committee in place of Cr Eames.

Finance. On the motion of Cr Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr Lamb the Report of this Committee of 1st May was taken as read and adopted.

Urban District Council Association Herts County Council Quantity Surveyor (New Offices) Letters from the Urban District Council Association relative to their forthcoming Annual Conference, the Herts County Council Agenda and Reports, and letters from Messrs Stanger & Co., and Mr J. B. H Low as to the post of Quantity Surveyor in connection with the New Offices were submitted and laid on the table.

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Charities A letter was read from the Charity Commission enclosing an Order proposed to be made by them as to the removal and appointment of Trustees on the Charities of Garrett, Hill and Williams, to which the Council offered no objections.

Sewage Disposal. Insurance A letter dated the 3rd instant was read from the Law Accident Insurance Society, Ltd., stating that they were holding the Council covered with repect to employees working in connection with the pumping and distributing machinery erected at the Farm.

Barnet District Gas & Water Co., A letter was read from this Company notifying their intention to sell by Auction at the Mart, Tokenhouse Yard on the 3rd June, £10.000 of "D" Capital Water Stock.

Housing of the Working Classes A letter dated the 5th instant was read from the Local Government Board with reference to the use of concrete in the construction of working-class dwellings, stating that they had recognised concrete as a building material properly allowable

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in byelaws, it being of course necessary that any local byelaws should be observed, but before sanctioning a loan for erecting concrete cottages the Board would require full particulars as to materials and methods of preparation and construction.

By consent the Notice of Motion on the Agend standing in the name of Br Pearson was allowed to stand over to await the Annual Report of the Sanitary Inspector now nearing completion.

Tarspraying New Road. Wood Street. In accordance with notice given, Br Aldridge moved- "That New Road, from its junction with High Street to the County boundary and Wood Street, from the "Black House" Publichouse to the "Arkley Hotel" be tarsprayed."

The motion having been seconded by Br Thomas (for purposes of discussion) Br Hackforth-Jones moved as an amendment- "That the consideration of the matter be deferred until the Surveyor has had an opportunity of presenting figures as to the cost thereof." This was seconded by Br Pearson and

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carried, there voting For: Cllrs Abercrombie, Eames, Hackforth-Jones, Jennings, Lamb, Mainland, Malins, Pearson and Tinsley Against: Cllrs Aldridge and Thomas

Civic Sunday. A letter addressed to the Chairman was read from the Rector of Chipping Barnet inviting the Council and Staff to a Civic-Sunday Service at Barnet Parish Church on the Sunday after Empire Day (May 25th) On the motion of Cllr Williams, seconded by Cllr Pearson, the Rector's invitation was accepted and the date suggested agreed to.

The Council then resolved itself into Committee

Totteridge. The delegates' Report herein dated the 8th April, was again under consideration, in conjunction with a copy of the detailed objections from the Totteridge Parish Council as forwarded to the County Authority together with a suggested reply as drafted by the Clerk. On the motion of Cllr Lamb seconded by Cllr Mainland it was unanimously resolved- "That the reply be approved subject to the preferential rating for

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				Totteridge being 1/- in the £ for the first 5 years, 1/3 for the next 5 years and 1/6 for a further 5 years, the full amount of the subsequent current rate to be then levied and payable; this arrangement being on the understanding that no important works of any description should be undertaken within the first 5 years in which event it would be necessary to amend these figures."				
				Accounts. The following cheques were drawn:-				
				District Fund Account.				
			116	W.E. Edwards. General District Rates.		18	12	9
			"	W.J. Wells Harness		7	5	6
			"	A. Sharp Cartage		12	12	0
			"	W. Dyer Poor Rate (Fire Station)		6	1	4
			"	J. Smart & Son Gravel		4	2	4
			"	H. Brazier Hoggin		8	11	1
			"	Turner & Lisney Cement		8	12	10
			"	Ellis & Everard Granite		412	1	5
			"	E. Martin Bricks		1	0	0
			"	T. Adams Repairing High Street			10	0
			"	Clinical Research Ass^n. Examinations		1	19	0
			"	Barnet Gas & Water Co. Fire Main		129	18	8
			"	E.S. Wheatley Printing		8	2	9
			"	E. Cowing & Son do.		6	2	8
			"	J. Cowing Stationery		3	14	10
			"	J. Halden & Sons Ltd. Materials		2	3	2
			"	Shaw & Sons Stationery			18	0
			"	W. Osborn Boyes Summons fees		3	6	0

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						6th May 1913.			
			114			W. E. Edwards. Making out Rate Book, Office Rent and Postages.	11	1	9
			"			Isolation Hospital Committee. Contribution (on Account)	100	0	0
			"			Do. Contribution (Balance)	227	0	0
			"			Clerk. Petty Cash	10	0	0
			"			W. J. Ridgway Do.		5	1
			"			Surveyor Labour	100	0	0
			"			Do. Do.	81	0	0
			"			Leeds City Council Loan due May 1st	110	7	4
			"			Brighouse Corporation. Loans due May 2nd	34	1	7
			"			Prudential Assurance Co. Loan due May 6th	71	5	10
			"			Do. Do. May 31st	34	14	10
			"			Do. Do. June 1st	94	16	3
18	12	9				Housing Rent Account.			
7	5	6							
12	12	0	135			W. E. Edwards. General District Rates (Cottages)	18	1	0
6	1	4	"			E. W. Hill Commission on Rents collected	3	9	3
4	2	4	"			District Fund Account. Transfer	100	0	0
8	11	1							
8	12	10				Glebe Land and Sewage Disposal Loan Account.			
412	1	5							
1	0	0	138			Wm. Fairley. Commission on Sewage Disposal Scheme	90	0	0
	10	0	"						
1	10	0				Housing Loan Ac. No. 3.			
129	18	8							
8	29								
6	28		142			Surveyor Labour	10	0	0
3	14	10							
2	9	2				Bedford Avenue (2nd portion) Loan Account.			
	18	0	139			London County, etc., Bank. On a/c of Loan	35	0	0
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Tuesday, 20th May 1913.

At a Council Meeting duly convened and held in the above date at 8 p.m., there were present:-

Cr A G. Malins J.P. (Chairman)
" W. H. Abercrombie
" G. J. Aldridge
" J. T. Chapman
" H. Eames
" H. W. Hackforth-Jones J.P.
" H. E. Jennings.
" F. Lamb.
" J. H. Mainland J.P.
" J. W. Pearson.
" E. V. Sheffard.
" J. L. Thomas.
" H. R. Tinsley
" E. T. Williams

with Dr E. H. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health) Mr W. H. Wilkins (Surveyor), Mr E. W. Hill (Sanitary Inspector), and H. W. Poole (Clerk).

Minutes. On the motion of the Chairman, duly seconded, the Minutes of the Meeting of the 6th instant, were taken as read and adopted.

Fire Call Bells. Arkley. On the motion of Cr Sheffard, seconded by Cr Lamb, it was resolved - "That a communication be -

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addressed to the General Post Office urging a reply to the Council's enquiry of the 6th March, as to the cost of erecting and maintaining a fire alarm at Arkley."

Watering. On the motion of Cl. Hackforth-Jones, duly seconded, it was resolved:- "That a letter be written to the County Council drawing their attention to the serious nuisance arising from dust on the Arkley Road, enquiring what steps they propose to take to deal with the matter and suggesting the watering of the road by this Authority on terms to be arranged in lieu of the proposed tar-spraying of the thoroughfare by the County Authority."

Housing of the Working Classes. On the motion of Cl. Mainland, seconded by Ct. Pearson the Report of this Committee dated the 6th instant was taken as read and adopted.

General Purposes. On the motion of Cl. Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cl. Jennings, the Report of this Committee dated the 15th instant was taken as read and adopted.

Sewage Disposal. The Clerk reported the attendance of the

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Sewage Works Committee at the Farm on the 8th instant, when Mr Fairley was also present and who gave detailed instructions to the Farm Bailiff with regard to the adjustment of the various flows with a view to the more satisfactory working of the filters.

High Street Paving. The Clerk reported as instructed by the General Purposes Committee, with regard to a claim from Miss Alice Young as to an alleged accident in High Street, and suggested that under the General Conditions of the Contract with Mr J. Adams the claimant should be referred to him, in which course the Council concurred.

Fire Brigade. On the motion of Cr Lamb, seconded by Cr Mainland it was resolved "That upon the application of the Captain of the Fire Brigade, 5 members of the Brigade be allowed to attend the National Fire Brigade Union Competition at Southall on the 28th instant, the consequent necessary expenses to be paid by the Council.

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Barnet District Gas & Water Company

A letter was read from the Company inviting representatives of the Council to an inspection of their Pumping Stations on the 16th June, commencing at 3 p.m. at the East Barnet Pumping Station.

On the motion of Cr Lamb, seconded by Cr Pearson, it was resolved – That the Chairman and Cr Abercrombie be deputed to attend as the Council's representatives".

Totteridge. Letters were read from the Herts County Council and the Totteridge Parish Council acknowledging this Authority's Reply to the objections put forward by the Parish Council with regard to the proposed inclusion of their Parish within this Urban Area – Notification was also received from the County Authority that an Inquiry into this Council's application for the inclusion referred to would be held at the Church House, Wood Street, Barnet on Monday 9th June, at noon, by 5 members of County Council. On the motion of Cr Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr Williams, it was resolved – That Mr H. W. Poole be and is hereby formally instructed to conduct the Inquiry on the 9th of June before the Commissioners of the Hertfordshire County Council as to the inclusion of the Parish of

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Ottenidge in this Urban area and to present the case of this Authority on their behalf."

Charities. Valentine Poole's charity. A letter dated the 9th instant was read from the Charity Commission enclosing draft of a scheme proposed to be established for the administration of the Charity of Valentine Poole, to which the Council offered no objections.

Waterways. A letter from the Waterways Association enclosing a suggested resolution to be passed by this Authority as to State acquisition of Waterways. was read and laid on the table.

New Offices. Authority having been given by the Council for the envelopes containing the names of the successful competitors in connection with the New Offices plans to be opened this was accordingly done when it appeared that the first prize had been awarded to Mr. H. A. Cheers of 73, Philbeach Gardens, Kensington; the 2nd prize to Messrs. White, Son & Pill of 13 & 15, High Street Barnet; and the 3rd prize to Mr. Richard J. Lovell of Brownlow House, 50 & 51, High Holborn. On the motion of Cr. Mainland seconded by Cr. Thomas, it was then resolved, nem. con.:- "That Mr. Cheers be invited to consult with the Council to

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discuss his plans with a view to any variations which might be suggested by this Authority." Cl. Hackforth-Jones moved "That application be made to the Local Government Board for sanction to borrow a sum not exceeding £4,400 for the erection of New Offices and a Public Convenience." The motion was seconded by Cl. Williams and carried, there voting For: Cl. Abercrombie, Aldridge, Chapman, Hackforth-Jones, Lamb, Mainland, Mellins, Sheppard and Williams; Against: Cls. Jennings, Pearson and Thomas.

Manor Road Place. Cl. Aldridge moved in accordance with notice given-"That the surveyor be instructed to place a kerb in front of the cottages at Manor Road Place, the cost not to exceed £3, and the work to be carried out by the Council's own workmen." The motion was seconded by Cl. Jennings and carried nem. con.,

Footpaths. Hoggin. On the motion of Cl. Jennings, seconded by Cl. Thomas, it was resolved "That a sufficient quantity of Hoggin be purchased under the existing contract to forthwith repair the footways in the District where necessary."

Watering. Cl. Pearson moved - That

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one of the water vans of the Council be altered to allow of the watering of the channels of the various roads within the District.' The motion having been seconded by Br Jennings, Br Hackforth Jones moved as an amendment - "That the matter be referred to the General Purposes Committee for consideration and report." The amendment was seconded by the Chairman and having been accepted in place of the motion, was duly carried.

High Street. Water Troughs. On the motion of Br Pearson, seconded by Br Chapman, it was resolved, nem. con, "That the necessary work of raising the levels of the granite setts near the water trough opposite Exchange Buildings be put in hand at once.

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Tuesday 3rd June 1913.

At a Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date at 4 pm there were present:-

Cr. A. G. Malins J.P. (Chairman)
" W. H. Abercrombie
" G. J. Aldridge
" J. G. Chapman
" R. Eames
" F. W. Hackforth-Jones J.P.
" F. E. Jennings
" F. Lamb
" J. F. Mainland J.P.
" J. W. Pearson
" E. V. Sheppard
" J. L. H. Thomas
" H. R. Tinsley
" E. T. Williams
" A. J. Wills

with Dr. C. F. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health), Mr. W. F. Wilkins (Surveyor) Mr. C. W. Hill (Sanitary Inspector), Mr. W. J. Ridgway (Captain of the Fire Brigade) and A. W. Poole (Clerk).

Totteridge. Mr. W. Fairley attended before the Council in Committee and first dealt with the question of Totteridge, consequent upon his written Statement which was read, as to the necessity for sewering that area.

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A letter was read from the County Council as to dealing with the Totteridge Hill Estate in any scheme of sewerage, while a lengthy communication was also read from the Totteridge Parish Council from which it appeared that although objection was not raised to the inclusion of their Parish within this Urban Area, the Parish Council had unanimously adopted their delegates' recommendations as to rating, consequent upon the conference of the 8th April last, and were opposed to the alteration in the suggested preferential rating as since proposed by this Authority. Intimation was received from Messrs Thorowgood & Co. that the Parish Council would be represented by Counsel at the Inquiry Mr. Hairley having fully explained his proposals for sewerage of Totteridge was thanked for his attendance and withdrew.

After the ordinary business of the Council had been disposed of the Council again resolved itself into Committee on this matter, when Cr. Hackforth-Jones moved in accordance with notice given - "That urgency be granted to reconsider resolution passed by the Council on May

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6th, with regard to proposed preferential rating for Totteridge" The motion was seconded by Cl. Jennings, and carried nem. con. The preferential rating proposals of this Authority were then fully considered, but a resolution proposed by Cl. Hackforth-Jones and seconded by Cl. Sheppard, for the Council to revert to its original suggested rating of 9d., 1/- and 1/3 in the £, was ultimately by leave withdrawn.

On the motion of Cl. Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cl. Williams it was resolved- "That having regard to the letter from the Solicitors to the Totteridge Parish Council, Mr. Poole be empowered to engage such assistance as he may deem necessary at the forthcoming Inquiry." On the motion of Cl. Tinsley seconded by Cl. Thomas it was resolved, nem. con., (Cl. Hackforth-Jones not voting) - "That Mr. Poole be instructed to advocate three representatives from Totteridge instead of six as previously mentioned, the matter, however, to be left in his discretion".

Sewage Disposal During Mr. Hartley's attendance the question of the management of the new sewage disposal works was considered, and Mr. Hartley undertook to attend

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at the Farm and confer with Bl Chapman on the matter as soon as possible.

Minutes. On the motion of the Chairman duly seconded, the Minutes of the meeting of the 20th May were taken as read and signed.

Farm. On the motion of Bl Chapman seconded by Bl Jennings, the Report of this Committee dated the 29th ulto was taken as read and adopted.

General Purposes. On the motion of Bl Mainland, seconded by Bl Pearson, the Report of this Committee dated the 29th ulto was taken as read and adopted.

Finance. On the motion of Bl Hackforth-Jones seconded by Bl Jennings the Report of this Committee dated the 29th ulto., was taken as read and adopted.

Fire Brigade and Water Supply. On the motion of Bl Lamb, seconded by Bl Pearson, the Report of this Committee dated the 29th ulto., was taken as read and adopted.

On the motion of Bl Hackforth-Jones seconded by Bl Pearson a cheque for £2-10-3 was drawn in payment of the Brigade's

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expenses in connection with their attendance at a competition at Southall.

Barnet District Gas & Water Co.

A letter from the Barnet District Gas & Water Company giving the Time Table of the Visit to the Company's Pumping Stations etc. on the 11th instant was read.

Contracts. The following notice of motion in the name of Cr. Williams was allowed to stand over until the next meeting of the Council viz., That all specifications for work to be given out by the Council under contract shall contain a fair wage clause stipulating that the wages paid by the Contractor and Sub-Contractor shall not be less than those recognized as fair in the District."

Road Repairing. Lighting Cr. Pearson moved in accordance with notice given "That a Special Committee be appointed to confer with the Surveyor as to the methods employed in Road-repairing and Lighting, with the view of deciding whether the best and most economical methods are employed" The motion was seconded by the Chairman, and

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carried, there voting For. Cr Abercrombie Aldridge, Lamb, Mainland, Malins, Pearson, Sheppard and Williams; Against. Cr Hackforth-Jones, Jennings, Thomas & Tinsley.

On the motion of Cr Mainland seconded by Cr Williams, it was then resolved- "That such Committee consist of Crs Lamb & Pearson, with the Chairman ex officio."

New Offices. Cr Eames moved in accordance with notice given - "That seeing the determination of this Council to build New Offices, the Brunswick House site be considered with a view to purchase, before proceeding further with the Plans now before the Council."

The motion was seconded by Cr Tinsley and not carried, there voting For. Cr Eames; Against. Crs Abercrombie, Aldridge, Chapman, Jennings, Lamb, Mainland, Malins, Pearson, Sheppard, Thomas, Williams, & Wills.

Mr H. A. Cheers was in attendance in Committee with reference to his plans for the proposed New Offices and on the motion of Cr Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr Lamb, it was resolved - "That Mr Cheers be instructed to prepare working drawings and specification for the purpose

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of inviting tenders and also for submission to the Local Government Board, and further that he be instructed to superintend the erection of the buildings" There voted for the motion: Cr Abercrombie, Aldridge, Chapman, Lamb, Jennings, Hackforth-Jones, Mainland, Mullins Pearson, Sheppard, Williams & Wills. Against Cr Thomas and Tinsley.

A letter from the Local Government Board asking for the usual particulars in connection with the application for a loan, was referred to the Clerk & Surveyor for reply.

Accounts. The following cheques were drawn:-

District Fund Account.

11th	W.C. Edwards	General District Rate		7	12	0
"	M. Main	Poor Rate		24	2	5
"	H.W. Poole	Tithe Rent Charge		8	7	9
"	Jangrjes Std	Oil			17	11
"	H. Brazier	Hoggin.		2	3	3
"	Cuthbush & Son	Materials		1	12	0
"	Allen & Hanbury Std.	Disinfectants			15	3.
"	Barnet Gas & Water Co.,	Alteration of Lamp at Abbey		1	5	2
"	H. Warren & Co.,	Coal		1	7	0
18	E.J. Pratt	Clothing		1	13	6.
"	Henry Simonis & Co.,	Copper Branch-pipe and Nozzle		-	13	0

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	"	E. S. Wheatley — Printing		9 14 4
	"	E. Cowing & Son — do		3 9 6
	"	J. Cowing — Stationery		17 4
	"	Shaws & Sons — do		16 0
	"	F. A. Milne — Hire of Church House		15 0
	"	White, Son & Pill — Second Prize Offices competition		15 0 0
	"	R. J. Sovell — Third Prize do		10 0 0
	"	Medical Officer of Health — Salary to Midsummer		15 0 0
	"	Clerk — do		100 0 0
	"	Surveyor — do and		66 5 0
	"	do — Fixing & Lighting to ditto		
	"	Inspector — Salary to ditto.		41 5 0
	"	Governors of Boys Grammar School — Rent of Offices to ditto.		17 10 0
	"	Captain of Fire Brigade. — Petty Cash		1 8
	"	Surveyor — Labour		198 0 0
	"	Barnet Oddfellows — Loan due June 6th (Street Improvements, Balance £932-14-4)		48 18 9
	"	W. J. Ridgway — Competition expenses		2 11 3.
		High Street Paving Loan		
	141	C. Garrod — Measuring up Works on completion		5 5 0
		Housing Rent Account.		
	135	M. Main — Poor Rates		35 0 3
	"	H. W. Poole — Tithe Rent Charge		2 5 6
		Housing Loan Acc No. 3.		
	142	Surveyor — Labour		10 0 0
	"	Boulton & Paul — On account of Contract		350 0 0

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Tuesday 17th June 1913.

At a Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date at 8 p.m., there were present.

Cr A.G. Malins J.P., (Chairman)
" W.H. Abercrombie.
" G.J. Aldridge.
" J.T. Chapman
" H Eames
" F.W. Hackforth-Jones J.P.,
" H.S. Jennings.
" H. Lamb
" J.F. Rainland J.P.
" J.W. Pearson
" J.H. Thomas
" H.R. Tinsley
" E.J. Williams
" A.J. Williams

with Dr C.F. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health) Mr W.H. Wilkins (Surveyor) Mr C.W. Hill (Sanitary Inspector) Mr W.J. Ridgway (Captain of the Fire Brigade) and the Clerk.

Minutes On the motion of the Chairman duly seconded, the Minutes of the Meeting of 3rd June, were taken as read and signed.

Road Repairing and Lighting.
This Committee presented an Interim Report as under:-

A meeting of this Committee

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was held on the 9th inst, at 7.30 p.m. when Cr H. Lamb A.G. Malins J.P. and J. W. Pearson with the Surveyor were present.

Cr Pearson was elected Chairman of the Committee.

Various questions concerning road repairs were discussed and instructions were given to the Surveyor to communicate with other Local Authorities as to the results of experiments with Asphalt and other paving, and your Committee will submit a report at a later date.

Housing of the Working Classes. On the motion of Cr Mainland seconded by Cr Jennings the Report of this Committee dated the 12th instant, was taken as read and adopted.

General Purposes. On the motion of Cr Mainland, seconded by Cr Pearson the Report of this Committee dated the 12th instant was taken as read and adopted.

Tarspraying Cr Eames submitted a lengthy communication addressed to himself from Mr J. H. Sharp, Water Engineer and Surveyor.

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of the Rugby Urban District Council with reference to the tarspraying of roads which was carefully considered. On the motion of the Chairman, seconded by Cr. Jennings, a vote of thanks was accorded to Cr. Eames and to Mr. Sharp for the information supplied.

The Chairman then moved- "That the question of tarspraying be referred to the Road Repairing and Lighting Committee for consideration and report." The motion having been seconded by Cr. Jennings Cr. Hackforth-Jones moved as an amendment "That a 200-gallon tarspraying machine, similar to that referred to by Cr. Eames and Mr. Sharp, be purchased from Messrs. John Yates & Co., Ltd., of Aston Manor, Birmingham, at a cost not exceeding £150."

The amendment was seconded by Cr. Abercrombie, and carried, there voting For: Crs. Abercrombie, Aldridge, Chapman, Eames, Hackforth-Jones, Jennings, Lamb, Mainland, Mallins, Pearson, Thomas and Tinsley; Against: Cr. Wills. The amendment was then put as a substantive motion and carried with similar voting.

Queen Elizabeth's Grammar School. On the motion of Cr. Hackforth-

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-Jones, seconded by Br Pearson, the Rev. William and Mrs Mary Manning were re-elected as this Authority's representatives on the body of Queen Elizabeth's Grammar School for a further period of 3 years as from July 3rd next.

New Offices. A letter was read from Mr Cheers enquiring whether he should undertake the work of Quantity Surveyor in connection with this matter at a commission of 2%. On the motion of Br Mainland, seconded by Br Lamb it was resolved - "That a separate Quantity Surveyor be appointed for the work referred to," there voting For: Brs. Abercrombie, Chapman, Jennings, Lamb, Mainland, Malins and Pearson; Against: Brs. Williams and Wills. The other Councillors present abstaining from voting.

Guides. A letter from Messrs Alex. Matthews & Co. as to official guide books for this District was submitted and laid on the table.

Charities. A revised draft scheme in connection with Valentine Poole's Charity was submitted from the

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Charity Commission and laid on the table.

Offices. A letter was read from the Barnet District Insurance Committee accepting the Councils terms for the use of the Council Chamber for meetings of the Committee.

Contracts. Cr. Williams moved - That all specifications for work to be given out by the Council under Contract, shall contain a Clause providing for payment of the standard rate of wages in the District". The motion was seconded by Cr. Abercrombie and carried, nem. con., there voting for: Crs. Abercrombie, Aldridge, Chapman, Eames, Jennings, Lamb, Mainland, Malins, Pearson, Thomas, Tinsley and Williams.

101, New Road. The draft contract for the purchase of this property together with a letter from Messrs. Merrimans & Thirlby were submitted and left to the Clerk and Surveyor for attention.

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Tuesday 1st July 1913.

At a Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date at 8 p.m. there were present:-

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" W.H. Abercrombie
" G.J. Aldridge
" J.T. Chapman
" F.W. Hackforth-Jones J.P.
" H.E. Jennings
" J.F. Mainland J.P.
" J.W. Pearson
" J.L.H. Thomas
" H.R. Tinsley
" E.T. Williams

with Dr E.H. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health), Mr W.H. Hill (Sanitary Inspector) Mr H.J. Edgeway (Surveyor), Mr W.F. Wilkins (Captain of the Fire Brigade), and H.W. Poole (Clerk).

Minutes. On the motion of the Chairman, duly seconded, the Minutes of the Meeting of the 17th June, were taken as read and signed.

Farm. On the motion of Cr Abercrombie seconded by Cr Jennings, the Report of this Committee of June 25th, was taken as read and adopted.

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General Purposes. On the motion of Cl. Mainland, seconded by Cl. Pearson, the Report of this Committee of June 25th was taken as read — and adopted.

Plans. Complete sets of plans — relating to "Meadowbank" Ickley. were now submitted, and on the motion of the Chairman. duly seconded. were approved. subject to the yard gully at the premises being deleted or connected to the storm water system.

Finance. On the motion of Cl. Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cl. — Jennings. the Report of this — Committee of June 25th was taken as read and adopted.

Drainage. Normandy Avenue. On the motion of the Chairman duly seconded, it was resolved — "That authority be given the Sanitary Inspector to open out and examine the drains at No. 158. Normandy Avenue, under the provisions of s. 41. of the Public Health Act 1875 as amended by s. 19 of the Public Health (2nd) Amendment Act 1890.

Fire Brigade. As instructed by the General Purposes Committee

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The Fire Brigade Captain reported with regard to arrangements for a resident deputy at the Fire Station during his holiday. On the motion of Bro Aldridge, seconded by Bro Pearson, it was resolved "That the Captain be granted a sum of £1-5-0 per week as extra retaining fee for a period of 3 weeks as from July 19th, in return for the services of Fireman Phillips who will be in charge of the Station during that time"

These voted for the motion: Bros Abercrombie, Aldridge, Hackforth-Jones, Jennings, Mainland Malins, Pearson, Thomas and Williams

Against Bro Tinsley

The National Boiler Insurance Co's Report was read stating that upon an external examination of the Fire Engine on the 10th ulto. the Boiler was found to be in Order.

Petroleum and Game Licenses.

On the motion of Bro Pearson, seconded by Bro Jennings, the seal of the Council was affixed to Petroleum Licenses as recommended by the General Purposes Committee, and also to Game Licenses to Frank Dodd

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and Alfred William Nicholls.

101, New Road. On the motion of Cl. Abercrombie, seconded by Cl. Mainland the seal of the Council was affixed to the Contract for the purchase of this property.

Housing & Town Planning. On the motion of Cl. Hackforth-Jones, duly seconded, it was resolved - That at the invitation of the National Housing and Town Planning Council, Cl. Malins, (or, should he be unable to attend, Cl. Abercrombie) be appointed as this Authority's representative at a Deputation and Conference herein commencing at 3 p.m. at the Westminster Palace Hotel on the 3rd instant.

Interest. On the motion of Cl. Hackforth-Jones seconded by Cl. Mainland a cheque for £10-8-6 was drawn payable to the London County & Westminster Bank Ltd., being £1-14-7 interest on Bedford Avenue (second portion) Loan and £8-13-11 on Normandy Av. (first portion) Loan to the 30th June 1913.

Architects. A letter addressed to the Chairman from the Society of Architects with reference to a Bill for the Registration of Architects

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was submitted and laid on the table.

Manoeuvres. A letter was read from the War Office enclosing a draft Order relating to the Military Manoeuvres, 1913, together with maps showing the area concerned.

General Districts Rates. A letter was read from the Barnet Ratepayers' Association suggesting the advisability of making the General District Rate yearly in future, payment to be made half-yearly in two equal instalments. On the motion of Cr. Mainland, seconded by Cr. Aldridge, it was resolved - "That the communication be acknowledged and that it be considered by the Council when the next Estimate for Rate is being dealt with."

New Offices. A letter was also read from the Association asking whether the Council would be prepared to afford their representatives evidence of the facts which induced the promotion of the New Offices scheme and its subsequent adoption by the Council On the motion of Cr. Mainland seconded by Cr. Abercrombie it was resolved: nem.con. "That every facility be afforded to Messrs. Fern and Gradden to view the present

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offices and that all other necessary information be accorded to them." A provisional appointment for the purpose was arranged for Tuesday the 8th inst. at 10.15 am.

Motor Speed Limit. A further letter was read from the Association thanking the Council for the help given by them in connection with the extension of the speed limit in High Street.

Audit. The Clerk reported that the audit of the Council's accounts for the year ended 31st March, 1913, had been satisfactorily completed on the 27th ulto.

Tarspraying. A letter was read from the Surveyor to the Rugby Urban District Council thanking this Authority for their appreciation of the information supplied by him.

Cr. Aldridge moved "That the Surveyor be instructed to obtain sufficient material to tarspray High Street as soon as possible, and New Road, as resolved by the Council on 6th August, 1912 so soon as it can be put in condition for tarspraying." The motion was seconded by Cr. Abercrombie and carried. nem. con.,

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				Accounts. The following cheques were drawn:-				
				District Fund A/c.				
			118	G. L. Wilson & Co. Ltd — Lime & Cement		43	10	8
			"	Turner & Sisney — Pipes, etc		15	7	4
			"	Ellis & Everard — Granite		9	6	11
			"	Inns & Co — Sand		2	1	0
			"	J. Smart & Son — Gravel & Sand		17	13	2
			"	H. Brazier — Hoggin		3	13	9
			"	Boots Cash Chemists — Tidal Fluid		1	0	0
			"	North Metropolitan Co., — Altering Arc Lamp & Exchange Buildings			10	6
			"					
			"	T. Green & Son Ltd., — Repairs to Lawn Mower		1	7	1
			"	H. W. Poole — Fire Premiums (Fire Engine & Isolation Hospital)		2	10	9
			"					
			"	London Telephone Service. — Rent & Fire Call Bells & additional wiring		14	14	6
			"					
			119	E. S. & W. Keatley — Printing		9	18	9
			"	E. Cowing & Son — Do. & Advertising		3	15	3
			"	J. Cowing — Stationery			19	8
			"	Shaw & Sons — Do.			8	0
			"	E. Stanford Ltd — Maps		3	2	4
			"	Merriemans & Thrilly — Purchase Money 101, New Road		100	0	0
			"	F. A. Milne — Hire of Church House for Inquiry		1	1	0
			"	P. & G. Geen — Rates Returnable			16	6
			"	London Telephone Service. — Rent & Barnet 267 and Local Calls		5	10	0
			"					
			"	Inland Revenue — Balance of Income Tax on Loans		6	0	2
			"	W. C. Edwards — Commission		75	18	4
			"	Clerk — Petty Cash (Audit Stamp)		20	0	0
			"	Captain of Fire Brigade — Ditto.			2	11
			"	Surveyor — Labour		343	0	0
			"	Prudential Assurance Co. — Loan due 10th July (High Street Paving)		15		
						43	11	2

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119		Public Works Loan Board. Loans due 1st July (Glebe Land & Sewage Disposal)		257 16 3
"		Ditto. Loans due 24th July (Sewage Disposal Works)		46 5 1
"		Ditto. Loans due 24th July (Housing)		244 16 6
120		London County etc., Bank. Interest on Loans		10 8 6.
		Housing Loan Account No. 3.		
142		Surveyor Labour		25 0 0
		Housing Rent Account.		
135		H.W. Poole Premiums on Mays Lane & Dollis Cottages		6 12 6
"		C.J. Anstee Repairs to Cottages		9 16 3.
"		W.C. Edwards General District Rate (Allotments)		3 9
		Private Street Works Frontagers &c.		
133.		London County etc., Bank. Balance of Bedford Avenue (Second Portion Loan)		165 0 0

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Thursday 17th July 1913.

At a Special Meeting of the Council duly convened and held in Committee on the above date at 7 p.m. there were present:-

Cr A. G. Malins J.P. (Chairman)
" W. H. Abercrombie,
" G. J. Aldridge
" W. Eames
" H. E. Jennings
" F. Lamb
" J. H. Mainland J.P.
" J. W. Pearson
" J. L. H. Thomas
" H. R. Tinsley
" E. T. Williams

with Dr. C. F. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health) Mr. W. H. Wilkins (Surveyor) Mr. C. W. Hill (Sanitary Inspector) Mr. W. C. Edwards (Rate Collector) and H. W. Poole (Clerk)

Totteridge Extension. A letter dated the 12th July was read from the Clerk of the Hertfordshire County Council enclosing 2 copies of the draft Order for the inclusion of Totteridge within this Urban Area. These having been very fully considered Cr Williams moved - That with regard to

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Article XIV unless a clause providing for payment by the Parish of Totteridge of any extraordinary expenditure in the Added Area during the first five years be inserted in the Order, the amount of rate per annum to be levied in such Added Area, be increased by threepence, namely:-

(a) During a period of five years from the 31st day of March, 1914 from ninepence to one shilling.

(b) During a period of five years from the 31st day of March 1919 from one shilling to one shilling & threepence.

(c) During a period of five years from the 31st day of March 1924, from oneshilling & threpence to oneshilling & sixpence.

The motion was seconded by Cr Pearson and carried unanimously.

It was also resolved - "That the word - 'annually' be inserted in line 3 of Article XIV."

It was further resolved - "That with regard to Article XV the term of years in which this Authority shall proceed to carry out and execute approved sewage works be altered from 4 years to 5 years."

Chairman

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Tuesday 5th August 1913.

At a Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date at 8 p.m. there were present.

Cr A G. Malins J.P. (Chairman)
" W. H. Abercrombie
" G. J. Aldridge
" J. H. Chapman
" H. Eames
" F. Lamb
" J. F. Mainland, J.P.
" J. W. Pearson
" J. L. H. Thomas
" H. R. Tinsley
" E. T. Williams

with Mr C. W. Hill (Sanitary Inspector) Mr W. J. Ridgway (Captain of the Fire Brigade) and H. W. Poole (Clerk)

Minutes On the motion of the Chairman, duly seconded the Minutes of the Meetings of the 1st and 17th July were taken as read and signed.

101. New Road On the motion of Cr Tinsley, seconded by Cr Pearson, the seal of the Council was affixed to the duplicate Conveyance and Memorials for registration in

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Middlesex in respect of this property. On the motion of Cl. Aldridge, seconded by Cl. Pearson it was resolved nem. con., - "That the Surveyor be instructed to proceed with the demolition of 101, New Road, and the completion of the work at the corner of New Road and Alston Road."

Farm. On the motion of Cl. Eames, duly seconded, the Report of this Committee of July 31st was taken as read and adopted.

General Purposes. Fire Station. Normandy Avenue. Cl. Mainland moved - "That the Report of the General Purposes Committee dated July 31st be taken as read and adopted." The motion having been duly seconded Cl. Pearson moved as an amendment - "That the paragraph headed 'Fire Station' at p. 233, of the Report be referred back for further consideration" The amendment was duly seconded and carried. Cl. Lamb moved as a further amendment - "That the paragraph headed "Normandy Avenue" be referred back to the Surveyor for a supplementary on the work." The amendment was seconded by Cl. Pearson and carried. The report of the General Purposes Committee subject to these amendments was

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then put and carried.

Finance. On the motion of Cr Abercrombie, seconded by Cr Pearson, the Report of this Committee of the 31st July, was taken as read and adopted.

Fire Brigade and Water Supply Committee On the motion of Cr Lamb, seconded by Cr Aldridge. the Report of this Committee dated 31st July was taken as read and adopted.

On the motion of Cr Lamb seconded by Cr Williams a cheque for £3-3-6 was drawn in payment of the Brigade's expenses at a fire in Hatfield Road on the 3rd ultimo.

The Captain reported that 5 members of the Brigade attended a competition at Leytonstone on the 4th instant when they won the 2-men drill, were second in the three men drill and third in the 1-man drill.

Wood Street Paving. Consequent upon the copy resolutions received from the County Council herein the Clerk reported upon the financial arrangements with reference to this matter, and on the motion of Cr Mainland, seconded

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by Cr Williams, it was resolved - "That this Authority provisionally approach the London County and Westminster Bank Ltd., asking upon what terms they would lend the £1,600 required, £1,100 of which is to be repaid to the lenders so soon as it is received from the County Authority."

Christ Church Lane. The Clerk - submitted an interim report upon this subject as referred to him by the General Purposes Committee, & the matter stands over for further consideration until the return of the Surveyor.

Urban District Councils Association. A circular as to this Association's next Annual Conference was submitted and laid on the table.

Tolteridge "The sealed Order of the County Council, dated the 21st July relating to the inclusion of the Parish of Tolteridge within this Urban area was received and considered. On the motion of Cr Williams seconded by the Chairman it was unanimously resolved - "That a detailed objection to the Order of the Hertfordshire County Council be forwarded to the Local Government Board setting out the resolutions

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passed by this Authority on the 17th ultº."

Sewage Disposal. A letter dated the 31st ultº was read from the Local Government Board conditionally sanctioning the provision of certain valves at the Sewage Disposal Works as asked for by Mr Fairley. but the question of the execution of the necessary work was deferred by the Council for further consideration.

Audit. A letter of the same date was read from the Local Government Board asking for the Councils observations on the Auditors Report which is already, however, receiving consideration by the Finance Committee.

Rates and Charges for National Services. A circular letter on this subject was read from the Cheshunt Urban District Council, but no action was taken in the matter.

High Street Paving. A letter from Mr F. C. Anstee with reference to the paving outside his premises at 192-4, High Street, was referred to the Surveyor for attention.

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Motor Omnibuses. On the motion of Cr Mainland, duly seconded, it was resolved "That the Clerk address a communication to the London General Omnibus Company calling attention to the Motor Bus Service through Union Street and a portion of Wood Street to Barnet Church, asking whether an alternative route could be devised having regard especially to the narrowness of Union Street, the proximity of schools and the general unsuitability of the neighbourhood for such services."

The Council then resolved itself into Committee.

Quantity Surveyor. New Offices. Further tenders from Quantity Surveyors were read together with replies as to references in respect of those previously considered, and instructions were given for enquiries to be made with regard to five of the applicants.

Workmen. A report was read from the Road Foreman notifying irregularity in attendance to duties by one of the Council's carmen. Instructions were given for the employee to be informed that if his conduct be repeated his services will be dispensed with.

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				5th August 1913.				
				Accounts. The following cheques were drawn:-				
			120	G. F. Saul & Son. Wire Netting, Roller and Materials		15	11	11
			"	Coffin & Son Sewer Boots		5	12	6
			"	H. Newbery Shoeing & Repairs		7	17	4
			"	Easton Bros. Mangold Seed		2	6	8
			"	J. Service Steps & Wheelbarrows		2	2	0
			"	G. Salmon Materials		1	10	5
			"	Boots' Cash Chemists Izal Powder		3	15	0
			"	H. Brazier Hoggin		9	19	2
			"	Inns & Co Sand		4	6	11
			"	Ellis & Everard Granite		19	14	6
			"	Geo. Waller & Son Sewage Screens		4	2	6
			"	J. & J. Child Repairs etc		6	18	6
			"	North Metropolitan Co. Electric Lighting to June 30th etc		173	7	3
			"	Barnet Gas Co. Publice Lighting & Watering to Midsummer etc		139	19	1
			"	Clinical Research Association Examinations			15	0
			"	E. J. Wheatley Printing		4	13	9
			"	E. Cowing & Son do		15	7	3
			"	J. Cowing Stationery & Books		4	1	5
			"	London Telephone Service Rental B.Co.		7	5	0
			"	W. C. Edwards Postages & Office Allowance		6	0	10
			"	Law Accident Insurance Soc. Premium Employers Liability		13	14	1
			"	G. W. Staff Returns		1	2	0
			"	W. J. Ridgway Fire Expenses		3	36	
			"	Surveyor Labour		214	0	0
			"	Clerk Petty Cash		10	0	0
			"	Equitable Assurance Co. Loan due 6th August (Land for Sewage Disposal, Balance £3581.-18-8)		147	0	4

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				5th August 1913.				
			121	Court Side & Barnet. Loan due Aug 9th (Hydrants		7	13	3.
			"	Balance £167-8-2.)				
15	11	11	"	Prudential Assurance Co. Loan due 19th Aug		.	.	.
.	.	.	"	(Street Improvements, Middle Row		.	.	.
5	12	6	"	Balance £840-18-0)		120	12	5
7	17	4	"	Liverpool Victoria Society. Loan due 20th Aug		.	.	.
2	6	8	"	(Site for Offices, Balance £995-13-1)		20	8	0
2	2	0	"	Public Works Loan Board. Loan due 28th August				
1	10	5	"	(Bells Hill & Mays Lane Sewers Balance £247)		31	16	11
3	15	0						
9	19	2		**Housing Rent Account**				
4	6	11						
19	14	6	135	District Fund Account. Transfer of Balance of				
4	2	6	"	amount due at March 31st		14	18	6
6	18	6	"	C.W. Hill Commission		3	11	9
173	7	3	"	Barnet Gas Co. Water		7	15	2
.	.	.	"	W. C. Edwards General District Rate on				
139	19	1		Dollis Cottages		9	15	6
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	15	0		**Housing Loan Account.**				
4	13	9	142	J. H. Turner & Sisney Pipes etc		7	5	11
15	7	3	"	Boulton & Paul On account of Contract		295	9	3
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Tuesday 2nd September 1913

At a Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date at 8 p.m there were present:-

Cr W. H. Abercrombie
" G. J. Aldridge
" J. T. Chapman
" H. Eames
" F. W. Hackforth-Jones J.P.
" F. E. Jennings
" F. Lamb
" J. F. Mainland J.P.
" J. L. H. Thomas
" H. R. Tinsley
" E. J. Williams
" A. J. Wills.

with Dr E. F. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health) Mr W. F. Wilkins (Surveyor), Mr C. W. Hill (Sanitary Inspector), Mr W. J. Ridgway (Captain of the Fire Brigade), and H. E. Dolton (Acting Clerk).

On the motion of Cr Mainland, seconded by Cr Jennings, Cr F. W. Hackforth-Jones, J. P., was unanimously voted to the Chair.

Minutes. On the motion of the Chairman duly seconded, the Minutes of the Meeting of the 5th August, 1913, were taken as read and signed.

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Farm. On the motion of Cr Chapman, seconded by Cr Eames, the Report of this Committee dated the 28th August, was taken as read and adopted.

Horses. A Report was read from Mr W. D. Wallis, Veterinary Surgeon, with regard to the illness of the "Charlie" stating that the animal was progressing favourably

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General Purposes. Tarspraying. Bells Hill. It having been duly moved and seconded - "That the Report of the General Purposes Committee dated the 28th August 1913. be taken as read and adopted," Cr Williams moved as an amendment - "That the final paragraph headed 'Tarspraying' at p. 245. of the Report be altered to read as follows - 'That the matter of further tarspraying be left for the remainder of the year entirely in the hands of the Surveyor'" The amendment was seconded by Cr Mainland and carried. Cr Mainland moved as a further amendent - "That the words 'If a suitable opportunity occurs' be added to the paragraph headed 'Bells Hill' at p. 244 of the Report." This was seconded by Cr Abercrombie and carried. The Report of this Committee, subject to these alterations, was then put and carried.

Finance. On the motion of Cr Hackforth-Jones, duly seconded, the Report of this Committee dated the 28th August, was

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taken as read and adopted.

Fire Brigade and Water Supply

On the motion of Cr Lamb, seconded by Cr Chapman, it was resolved, nem con, "That the Report of this Committee of even date be adopted"

In connection with this Report certain statements were made by Cr Tinsley with regard to the Fire Brigade organisation, and Cr Abercrombie moved "That whatever charges Cr Tinsley desires to make with regard to this matter be made by him in open Council" The motion having been seconded by Cr Lamb. Cr Mainland moved as an amendment "That the matter be considered in Committee This was seconded by Cr Jennings and there voted For the amendment: Crs Aldridge, Jennings, Mainland, Williams and the Chairman; Against Cr Abercrombie Chapman Eames, Lamb & Thomas. The voting being equal the Chairman gave his casting vote in favour of the amendment.

Christ Church Lane. Hadley Grove. As instructed by the General Purposes Committee the Surveyor submitted a plan of the thoroughfares in question and on the motion of Cr Eames, seconded by Cr Jennings, it was resolved, nem. con. "That the posts suggested to be placed

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at the western end of Hadley Grove be not erected."

Cheques. On the motion of Cr Mainland duly seconded, it was resolved - "That the London County & Westminster Bank Ltd., be requested to honour the signature on the Council's cheques of Mr A. E. Dolton as Acting Clerk until further notice."

Main Roads A circular letter was read from the Local Government Board stating that the President of the Board would preside at a Conference of local authorities to be held in the autumn with regard to the improvement of arterial road communication in Greater London, and asking the Council to appoint representatives to attend the Conference. Cr Mainland moved - "That Cr A. G. Malins, J.P., and Cr W. H. Abercrombie be requested to attend the Conference on behalf of this Authority." The motion was seconded by Cr Lamb and carried, nem. con.

Omnibuses. A letter was read from the London General Omnibus Company, Limited, stating that they had arranged for their omnibuses to be turned at the tramway terminus instead of proceeding by way of Union Street and Wood Street.

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Shops Act. Daylight Saving Bill. Land Values. Correspondence on these subjects from the Herts County Council. Mr William Willett and the Welsh League for the taxation of Land Values respectively were submitted and laid on the table.

Wood Street Paving. A letter was read from the County Council enclosing draft agreement herein which was left to the Clerk for attention

New Road. In accordance with notice given, Cr Tinsley moved the following resolution to which no seconder was obtained - "That the path in New Road from the end of the pavement to the Council's Boundary be picked up rolled and tarred"

Postal Service. Cr Williams moved in accordance with notice given, subject however as subsequently amended by permission of the Council - "That application be made to the Postmaster of Barnet for an improved postal service in the town by the provision of an extra delivery in the evening and an accelerated service between London and Barnet". The motion was seconded by Cr Lamb and carried nem. con Cr Aldridge abstaining from voting.

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Recreation Ground. In accordance with notice given, Cr Williams also moved - "That the Surveyor be instructed to obtain an estimate for putting the fountains in the Recreation Ground in working order." The motion was seconded by Cr Mainland and carried. nem con.,

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Wood Street. Fitzjohn Avenue. Wrotham Road. The following motion was proposed by Cr Aldridge in accordance with notice given, but no seconder was obtained thereto - "That in conjunction with the repaving of Wood Street, application be made to the Local Government Board for sanction to a loan for paving the top portion of Fitzjohn Avenue and Wrotham Road, in accordance with the Surveyor's estimate of £335 dated 27th March 1913, and that one contract be entered into for the whole of the work.

Bells Hill. By leave of the Council the under mentioned motion standing in the name of Cr Aldridge was referred to the General Purposes Committee for consideration and report - "That the Council take into consideration the question of paving Bells Hill (from West End Lane to Workmen's Institute, and from end of existing paving to "Oakhill" gates), with the

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best of the material removed from Wood Street".

The Council then resolved itself into Committee

New Offices. Quantity Surveyor. As instructed references were submitted with regard to certain of the applicants for this post, and on the motion of Cl Abercrombie, seconded by Cl Jennings it was resolved nem. con. "That the Council accept the quotation of Mr A E McEwan Waghorn of 8. King William Street, Charing Cross, and St. Albans, for taking out and preparing the Bill of Quantities herein from the drawings details and specification supplied by Mr Sheers, at a fee of 1¼% upon the amount of the accepted tender, or should no tender be accepted, then upon the amount of the lowest tender

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Sewage Disposal. A letter addressed to Cl Chapman was read from Mr Fairley with regard to the execution of certain works at the Farm, which he suggested should be carried out by the Council, and the cost thereof charged to the loan in connection with this matter. On the motion of Cl Chapman, seconded by Cl Lamb it was resolved - "That the works suggested be put in hand accordingly"

Clerical Assistance. On the motion of Cl Mainland, duly seconded

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It was resolved - "That the sanction of the Council be given to the Surveyor in connection with the engagement by him of extra clerical assistance necessitated by the illness of Mr Plumpton"

Fire Brigade. On the motion of Cr Mainland, seconded by Cr Jennings, it was resolved, nem. con., - "That the Council is now prepared to hear any charges which Cr Finsley desires to make with reference to the Fire Brigade" Cr Finsley then made certain statements dealing with the discipline and organisation of the Fire Brigade after which, on the motion of Cr Abercrombie, seconded by Cr Lamb, it was resolved nem. con. "That having heard the statement of Cr Finsley, this Council repose thorough confidence in the Captain and Officers of the Fire Brigade, and also express their satisfaction with the discipline and efficient manner in which the Brigade perform their duties." On the motion of Cr Mainland, seconded by Cr Jennings, it was further resolved, nem. con., - "That the Clerk be instructed to send a copy of the above resolution to the "Barnet Press" for inclusion in the report of this evening's meeting."

Accounts. The following cheques were drawn:-

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				2nd September 1913				
				District Fund Account				
			121	John Stapleford — Overalls			11	0
			4	Tangyes, Ltd. — Engine Oil and Fittings			14	11
			4	M. Main — Poor Rate		9	13	4
			4	Barnet Board of Guardians. — Firewood			12	6
			4	Easton Bros. — Canes and String			12	4
			4	G. Rowe & Son, Ltd — Sprinklers to Water Van		15	10	0
			4	John Yates & Co Ltd. — Tarsprayer		53	0	0
			11	Enderby & Stoney — Stanton & Co Granite Chips		29	17	10
			4	W. L. Ireland — Ditto		30	6	1
			4	H. Brayzier — Hoggin		18	2	7
			4	G. L. Wilson — Lime & Cement		6	16	10
			4	Captain of Fire Brigade — Fire Expenses		3	11	6
			4	North Metropolitan Co. — Alteration re High Street Paving		4	11	8
			4	E. S. Wheatley — Printing		3	4	3
			4	E. Cowing & Son — Ditto & Advertising		6	17	0
			11	B. B. Fuller — Advertising		3	11	6
			4	J. Cowing — Stationery		2	1	3
			4	Shaw & Son — Ditto		1	16	4
			122	Surveyor — Labour		259	0	0
			4	Captain of Fire Brigade — Petty Cash		1	6	11.
			121	Medical Officer of Health — Salary to Michaelmas		15	0	0
			4	Clerk — do		100	0	0
			4	Surveyor — do & Fixing & Lighting to do		66	5	0
			4	Inspector — Salary to Michaelmas		41	5	0
			4	Governors of Grammar School. — Rent of Offices to do		17	10	0
			122	Equitable Life Assurance Co. — Loan due 1st Sept				
			4	(Paying Balance £1,091-11-4)		164	16	10
			121	J. Adams — Balance of Contract (part) High				
			4	Street Paving		14	9	0

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				Normandy Avenue (First Portion) Loan A/c.				
	11	0	140	J. Adams Balance of Contract (part)		81	1	6
	17	11						
9	13	4		Private Street Works Frontagers' Account				
	12	6						
	12	4	133.	J. Adams Balance of Contract (part) Normandy Avenue (first portion)		9	12	4
15	10	0						
53	0	0		Housing Rent Account.				
29	17	10						
30	6	1						
18	2	4	135	M. Main Poor Rate (Dollis Cottages		14	11	11
6	16	10	"	Barnet Gas Co. Water		6	0	0
3	11	6						
4	11	8		Housing Loan Account.				
3	4	3	142	W. Brazier Hoggin		5	18	10
6	17	0	"	J. Welch Cartage		5	17	0
3	11	6						
2	1	3		High Street Paving Loan Account.				
1	16	4	141	J. Adams Balance of Contract (part)		305	16	1.
259	0	0						
1	6	11.						
15	0	0						
100	0	0						
66	5	0						
41	5	0						
17	10	0						
164	16	10						
				16th September 1913 Chairman				
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Tuesday 16th September 1913.

At a Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date at 8 p.m there were present

Cr. A. G. Malins J.P. (Chairman)
" G. J. Aldridge
" J. T. Chapman
" H. Eames
" F. W. Hackforth-Jones J.P.
" F. E. Jennings
" J. F. Mainland J.P.
" J. W. Pearson
" J. L. H. Thomas
" W. R. Tinsley
" E. T. Williams
" A. J. Wills

with Mr. W. F. Wilkins (Surveyor) Mr. W. J. Ridgway (Captain of the Fire Brigade) and A. E. Dolton (Acting Clerk).

Minutes. On the motion of the Chairman duly seconded, the Minutes of the Meeting of 2nd September 1913 were taken as read and signed.

General Purposes On the motion of Cr. Mainland, seconded by Cr. Pearson the Report of this Committee dated the 11th instant, was taken as read and adopted

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Main Roads. New Road. High Street. A letter from the Road Board suggesting the preparation of estimates for strengthing and surfacing New Road with bituminous material was read and referred to the Road Repairing and Lighting Committee for consideration and report at their meeting on Thursday next.

A letter from the County Surveyor drawing attention to the necessity for repair of certain portions of the High Street was referred to the Surveyor. The consideration of a suggestion submitted by the Surveyor for taking a census of the traffic in the High Street in readiness for an anticipated application to the Road Board in respect of the repair thereof was deferred.

Cr. Hackforth-Jones moved - "That immediate steps be taken to obtain expert advice as to the best method of making up Main Roads in the district of this Authority." The motion was seconded by Cr. Mainland, but was ultimately withdrawn by leave of the Council.

Telegraphs. Consent was given to an application from the Post Office Telegraph Service for the construction of an underground telegraphic line across High Street from the south-east to the north-west side at the south-side of Hadley Green.

Fire Station. On the motion of

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Cl. Mainland, seconded by Cl. Pearson, the seal of the Council was affixed to the duplicate Deed of Exchange between the Council and Dr. W. J. Harnett in respect of land at the rear of the Fire Station.

Meetings. On the motion of Cl. Hackforth-Jones, seconded by the Chairman, it was resolved- "That the next ordinary meeting of the Council be held on the 30th instant instead of on the 7th proximo."

New Offices. A letter from the Local Government Board on this matter, together with a communication from Mr. A. E. Mc Ewan Waghorn with reference to Quantities herein were referred to the General Purposes Committee for attention and report.

Fire Brigade. A letter from the Motor Union Assurance Co. with reference to a recent motor car fire in the High Street was referred to the Finance Committee for consideration and report.

Nesbitts Alley. On the motion of Cl. Aldridge, seconded by Cl. Eames, it was resolved- "That the attention of the Police be called to the danger existing at Nesbitts Alley through motor cycles, &c., using this footway."

Contributory Roads. A letter on this

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subject from the County Surveyor was referred to the Surveyor.

Provisional Orders. A communication from the Local Government Board on this matter was laid on the table.

The Council then resolved itself into Committee.

Totteridge. A letter was read from the Local Government Board in reply to the Clerk's communication of the the 8th ultimo, stating that in confirming the Order of the Hertfordshire County Council for the inclusion of Totteridge within this Urban area, the Board were only empowered to make such modifications as they * would have power to make under the provisions of the Local Government Act, 1888. Having regard, however, to the terms of the Council's letter, the Board would have to consider it as a petition for the disallowance of the Order unless after further consideration the Council decided to withdrawn their petition.

The Clerk's communication above referred to was also read, and on the motion of Cr Mainland, seconded by Cr Aldridge, it was resolved nem. con., "That with reference to the Local Government Board's letter of September 13th with regard to the Council's petition to them to amend the draft Order issued by the Hertfordshire County Council for the inclusion of the

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Totteridge in the Urban District of Barnet, the County Council be asked to arrange a conference between not more than three representatives from the County Authority the Barnet Urban District Council and the Totteridge Parish Council respectively, with a view to the re-adjustment of the Order, as the Urban District Council are unwilling to accept the inclusion of the Parish of Totteridge upon the terms at present laid down, and will be compelled to reconsider their position unless the Order is amended to include more equitable terms for the Urban Authority.

Alf. B. Malcolm

30th September 1913. Chairman

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Tuesday 30th September 1913.

At a Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date at 8 p.m., there were present

Br. A. G. Malins, J.P. (Chairman)
" G. J. Aldridge
" G. J. Chapman
" H. Eames
" F. W. Hackforth-Jones, J.P.
" H. C. Jennings
" J. F. Mainland, J.P.
" J. W. Pearson
" E. V. Sheppard
" J. L. H. Thomas
" H. R. Tinsley
" E. J. Williams
" A. J. Wills

with Dr. C. F. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health), Mr. W. F. Wilkins (Surveyor), Mr. C. W. Hill (Sanitary Inspector), Mr. W. J. Ridgway (Captain of the Fire Brigade) and H. W. Poole (Clerk).

Minutes. On the motion of the Chairman duly seconded, the Minutes of the Meeting of the 16th September, 1913, were taken as read and signed.

Road Repairing & Lighting. On the motion of Br. Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Br. Jennings, the Report of Brs. Pearson and Malins herein dated

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the 18th instant, was taken as read and adopted.

Farm. On the motion of Br Chapman, seconded by Br Hackforth-Jones, the Report of this Committee dated the 26th instant, was taken as read and adopted, with an addendum that the usual Farm Sale be held on the 15th October.

General Purposes. On the motion of Br Mainland, seconded by Br Pearson, the Report of this Committee dated the 26th instant, was taken as read and adopted.

Finance. On the motion of Br Hackforth-Jones, duly seconded, the Report of this Committee dated the 26th instant, was taken as read and adopted, with the exception of the last paragraph on p.263 of the Report.

General District Rate. On the motion of Br Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Br Wills, it was resolved, nem. con. - "That a General District Rate of 1/- in the £ be duly made and levied for the half-year ending 31st March, 1914."

Drainage. Leathersellers Almshouses. On the motion of Br Pearson, seconded by Br Jennings, it was resolved - "That the

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plan submitted by Messrs. Savill & Sons for the drainage of 21 cottages comprising the Featherselless Estate, be approved.

Fire Brigade. The Captain submitted the Report of a haystack fire at Stagg Hill on the 28th instant and authority was given for a cheque for £2-15-6 to be drawn in payment of the Brigades expenses, and for the account to be sent in to the owner for payment in the usual course.

New Offices. On the motion of Cr. Hackforth Jones, seconded by the Chairman it was resolved - "That Mr. H. W. Poole, as Solicitor, be and he is hereby instructed to represent the Council at the forthcoming Inquiry by the Local Government Board relative to the application of the Council for sanction to a loan of £4,400 for the erection of New Offices." On the motion of Cr. Pearson, duly seconded, the seal of the Council was affixed to the appointment of Mr. A. McEwan Waghorn as Quantity Surveyor in this matter.

Wood Street Paving. On the motion of Cr. Mainland, duly seconded, the seal of the Council was affixed to the Agreement between this Authority and the Herts County Council as to the repaving of Wood Street.

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Totteridge. A letter was read from the County Council in reply to this Authority's letter of the 23rd instant, stating that the Chairman of the District and Parish Councils Committee would be glad to receive representatives from the Barnet Urban District Council at the offices of the Holborn Borough Council, 197 High Holborn, on Friday, the 3rd October, at 2.15 pm. The Chairman and Cl. Mainland were deputed to attend the appointment together with Cl. Chapman in place of Cl. Hackforth-Jones who was unable to be present, and to report thereon at the next meeting.

Mays Lane. A petition having eleven signatories relative to the condition of a portion of Mays Lane was read and referred to the General Purposes Committee for consideration and report.

The Council then resolved itself into Committee.

Housing of the Working Classes. A letter dated the 27th instant was read from the Local Government Board enquiring the present position of the Council as regards proposals for the erection of further cottages under Part III of the Housing of the Working Classes Act 1890. The Surveyor having reported on the matter, on the motion of Cl. Pearson, seconded by the Chairman it was resolved, nem con., - That an

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				advertisement be inserted in the next issue of the "Barnet Press" inviting quotations from Architects and Surveyors for carrying out the erection of the further cottages referred to. and the construction of the necessary roads, applicants residing within the Urban District to have preference."				
				Road Repairing and Lighting. On the motion of Cl Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cl Pearson, C. Eames was appointed an additional member of this Committee.				
				Accounts. The following Cheques were drawn:-				
122				H. Newberry — Shoeing & Repairs		7	1	5
4				Jr G. Child — Repairs to Vehicles		4	12	9
4				C. Briens — Fodder		125	12	0
4				J. Smart & Son — Gravel		11	9	7
4				J. H. Turner & Sussey — Pipes etc		11	12	11
4				John Inns — Forage		65	2	6
4				G. F. Saul & Son — Materials		6	7	3
4				F. J. Sugg & Co. — Coal			10	8
4				Boots Cash Chemists — Disinfectants		6	6	4
4				B. King — Materials etc		9	12	2
4				H. Hawkins & Sons — Repairs			14	6
4				B. Harrison — Ditto		2	11	0
4				G. L. Wilson & Co — Lime & Cement		5	5	1
4				W. & T. Archer — Rotary Broom		5	2	0
4				H. Brazier — Hoggin		11	19	2
4				Enderby & Stoney Stanton Co. — Granite		8	5	1
4				Ellis & Everard — Ditto		283	8	6
4				W. S. Ireland — Granite Chips		15	4	2

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			122	J. Adams — Trench Repairs		2	19	0
			"	Oxford Steam Plough Co. — Hire of Steam Roller		69	17	6
			"	Merryweather & Sons — Pump Valves		3	4	6
			"	National Boiler Insurance Co — Premium on Fire Engine		3	2	0
			"	W. D. Wallis — Veterinary Fees		6	4	6
			"	W. J. Ridgway — Fire Expenses, Retaining Fees etc		48	18	6
			"	North Metropolitan Co. — Public Lighting to Michaelmas		177	9	10
			123.	Barnet Gas Co. — Gas, Water and Tar		174	17	5
			"	Gas Light & Coke Co. — Tar		63	10	6
			"	E. J. Wheatley — Printing		4	19	9
			"	E. Lowing & Son — Ditto		6	1	0
			"	J. Lowing — Stationery		2	16	8
			"	Barnet Billposting Co. — Billposting		2	0	0
			"	W. O. Boyes — Summons Fees & Insurance Premium		8	18	0
			"	W. C. Edwards — Commission to September 23rd		69	13	5
			"	S. M. Baldock — Returns		2	7	2
			"	C. F. Hardie — Notifications		1	15	6
			"	W. G. Harnett — Ditto		1	7	6
			"	Law Accident Insurance Soc. — Excess premium		8	19	10
			"	William Fairley — re Totteridge		21	0	0
			"	London County etc., Bank — Interest on Normandy Avenue Loan		8	15	9
			"	W. J. Ridgway — Fire Expenses		2	15	6
			"	Surveyor — Labour		163	0	0
			"	Ditto — Insurance Stamps		15	0	0
			"	Clerk — Petty Cash		10	0	0
			"	Captain of Fire Brigade — do		1	0	1
			"	Prudential Assurance Co. — Loan due October 4th		69	13	10
			"	Public Works Loan Board — Loans due October 17th		123	1	0
				Housing Rent Account				
			135	H. Hawkins & Sons — Repairs		1	5	3
			"	C. W. Hill — Commission on Rent collected		5	2	11

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				30th September 1913.				
135				Barnet Gas Co. — Water		13	15	2
4				B. Harrisson — Repairs (part account)			3	10
4				District Fund Account — Repayment on account of instalments of Loans advanced		175	0	0
				Housing Loan Account No 3.				
142				G. L. Wilson & Co. — Cement			5	1
				Private Street Works Frontagers Account.				
133				London County, etc., Bank — On account of Normandy Avenue Loan		100	0	0

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Thursday 16th October 1913.

At a Special Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date there were present:-

Cr A. G. Malins J.P. (Chairman)
" W. H. Abercrombie
" J. T. Chapman
" H. Eames
" F. W. Hackforth-Jones J.P.
" F. E. Jennings
" J. F. Mainland J.P.
" J. W. Pearson
" E. V. Sheppard
" J. L. W. Thomas
" H. K. Tinsley
" E. T. Williams.

with Dr C. H. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health), Mr W. H. Wilkins (Surveyor), Mr C. W. Hill (Sanitary Inspector), Mr W. J. Ridgway (Captain of the Fire Brigade) and A. C. Dolton (Acting Clerk).

Sewage Disposal. Correspondence was read from Mr W. Fairley and Messrs Cunliffe & Sons, Ltd., relative to the amount due on the completion of these works, and Mr Fairley's certificate for £554-19-5 being the balance due to the Contractors was submitted On the motion of Cr Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr Pearson

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				a cheque for £554-19-5 was drawn in favour of Messrs W. Cunliffe & Sons, Ltd.,				
			138	in payment of the amount due to them.		554	19	5

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Tuesday, 21st October, 1913.

At a Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date at 8 p.m. there were present:

Cr A. J. Malins, J.P., (Chairman)
" W. H. Abercrombie
" J. T. Chapman
" H. Eames
" H. W. Hackforth-Jones. J.P.
" F. C. Jennings
" J. H. Mainland J.P.
" J. W. Pearson
" E. V. Sheppard
" J. L. H. Thomas
" H. R. Tinsley
" E. J. Williams

with Dr C. H. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health) Mr W. H. Wilkins (Surveyor) Mr E. W. Hill (Sanitary Inspector), and A. E. Dolton (Acting Clerk).

Minutes. On the motion of the Chairman, duly seconded, the Minutes of the Meetings of the 30th September and 16th instant, were taken as read and signed.

Nesbitts Alley. Notices of question concerning this thoroughfare, together with 3 notices of motion on this and other matters, in the name of Cr Aldridge were allowed to stand over, a letter having been received from Cr Aldridge stating that he was —

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prevented by illness from attending the Meeting.

Electric Lighting. On the motion of Cl. Eames, duly seconded, it was resolved "That the Surveyor communicate with the North Metropolitan Electrical Power Co., with a view to obtaining a more suitable position for the lamp now standing outside No. 82, High Street."

Finance. Cl. Hackforth-Jones asked leave to make a statement in contravention of certain allegations contained in a letter from Mr. C. H. Neal appearing in the last issue of the "Barnet Press", and on the motion of Cl. Mainland, seconded by Cl. Jennings, the necessary permission was accorded.

General Purposes. Motors. Speed Limit. Cl. Mainland moved - "That the Report of the General Purposes Committee dated the 16th instant, be taken as read and adopted" The motion having been seconded by Cl. Pearson, Cl. Jennings moved as an amendment "That the recommendation at p. 269 headed 'Motors, Speed Limit,' be altered to read as follows - 'That all the members of the Council be invited to attend the Conference on October 29th and that a request be forwarded to the Commissioner of Police of the Metropolis asking that Sub. Div. Inspector Wilkinson be allowed to be also present." The amendment was seconded by the Chairman & carried nem. con., The Report of the Committee as

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altered was then adopted.

Farm. With reference to the paragraph under this heading at p. 268 of the General Purposes Committee's Report, the Surveyor reported upon the condition of the stables rented from the Council by Mr. Cox, and suggested that in addition to the £3 to be allowed Mr. Cox for repairs thereto, he be given a load of old setts from the Sewage Farm for paving the stables. On the motion of Cr. Mainland, duly seconded, this was agreed to. A letter was also read from Mr. Cox applying for the reduced rental of £39 per annum referred to by the General Purposes Committee, and on the motion of Cr. Mainland, seconded by Cr. Pearson, Mr. Cox's application was granted in accordance with the resolution of the Committee

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Paving. On the motion of the Chairman duly seconded, it was resolved - "That a letter be sent to Mr. H.B. Estill of 59, Calvert Road, with reference to a number of bills recently pasted by him on the pavement in various parts of the District, and cautioning him against a repetition thereof."

Sewers. Sunset Estate. A letter of even date from Mr. John Page with reference to this Estate was submitted and referred to the General Purposes Committee for consideration and report.

Legal Charges. On the motion of Cr. Tinsley

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seconded by Br Jennings, it was resolved, nem con., "That the appointment of a Committee to consider the duties of the Clerk and Solicitor of the Council in accordance with the recommendation of the Finance Committee on the 28th ulto., (adopted by the Council on the 30th ulto) be now proceeded with and that such Committee consist of the whole Council".

General District Rate. On the motion of Br Hackforth-Jones, duly seconded, the seal of the Council was affixed to a General District Rate of 1/6 in the £ for the half-year ending 31st March 1914.

Wood Street Paving. A letter was read from the Local Government Board enclosing forms to be used in connection with the Council's application for a loan herein, and the matter is receiving the attention of the Surveyor.

Fire Station. A letter was read from the Local Government Board enquiring for certain particulars relative to the Council's application for a loan of £200 for the erection of stables at the Fire Station and asking for an estimate of the cost of the proposed works. On the motion of Br Pearson, duly seconded, it was resolved "That the figures required by the Board be not forwarded until tenders for the necessary work have been received."

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Valentine Poole's Charity. A letter was read from the Charity Commission enclosing copy of a scheme made by them concerning this Charity. Under Clause 4 of the scheme four representative Trustees are to be appointed by this Authority, and it was resolved - "That the Rev. W. Manning, Messrs F. E. Jennings and J. W. Pearson be appointed as this Council's representatives in respect of the Parish of Chipping Barnet and Mr F. W. Hackforth-Jones in respect of the Parish of Arkley, the appointments being for a term of 4 years."

New Offices. A letter was read from Mr A. E. McEwan-Waghorn stating that he would be prepared to supply the Council with 50 copies of the Bills of Quantities for the sum of £32-10-0 and enclosing form of contract for use in connection with this matter. The latter was referred to the Clerk for attention, and instructions were given for local prices to be obtained for printing the Bills of Quantities before Authority is given for the printing thereof.

Urban District Councils Association. A circular letter relative to the next Annual Meeting of this Association was submitted and laid on the table.

Watering. Tarspraying. A letter was read from Mr E. H. Neal asking for certain

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particulars of the cost of these items, and on the motion of Cr Tinsley, seconded by Cr Jennings, it was resolved (Cr Thomas voting contra) - "That the letter be laid on the table."

Queen Elizabeth's Grammar School.

On the motion of Cr Mainland, seconded by the Chairman, it was resolved - "That the Clerk be instructed to write to the Hertfordshire County Council protesting against the alteration in the assessment of the charges on the new loan for the Barnet Queen Elizabeth's Grammar School, recommended by the Finance and General Purposes Committee of the County Authority on the 10th instant The local charges on the present loans in respect of the School being levied on the rateable value of the Districts served, this Council respectfully but most emphatically protest against any deviation from this fair method, and regret that the Finance and General Purposes Committee of the County Council did not afford this Authority the same opportunity of expressing their views on the subject as was allowed to the East Barnet Valley Urban District Council; further that Dr Boyes, C.C., and Mr J. H. Gilling J.P. C.C., the representatives of this District upon the County Authority, be approached with the view of obtaining their support of this Council's contention."

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The Council then resolved itself into Committee

Totteridge. The Clerk reported the attendance of the Council's delegates before Mr County Counsel Alderman J. L. Rank, J.L., J.P. and Sir Charles Longmore, K.C.B., at the Holborn Borough Council Offices on the 3rd instant when the terms of the County Authority's Order as to the inclusion of Totteridge within this Urban Area were fully discussed, and the County representatives stated that the Hertfordshire County Council would no doubt be prepared to agree the amendment of Art. XV. of the Order in accordance with the Urban District Council's resolution of the 17th July, namely:- That the period for commencing or proceeding to carry out and execute approved sewerage works should be altered from 4 to 5 years. Mr Rank had stated that he would endeavour to obtain the acquiesence of the Parish of Totteridge to this alteration, and if all the parties concerned consented thereto, it would be necessary for each to make separate applications to the Local Government Board for the amendment of the Order on the lines indicated.

On the motion of Cr Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr Chapman, it was unanimously resolved "That the Clerk be and he is hereby instructed to communicate with the Local Government Board agreeing on behalf of this Authority to the amendment of the Order on the lines above mentioned.

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On the motion of Lt. Hackforth-Jones, seconded by the Chairman, it was further unanimously resolved - "That the letter addressed to the Local Government Board dated the 8th August, and regarded by the Board as a petition for the disallowance of the Order, be withdrawn"

Town Planning. A letter dated the 17th instant was read from the Finchley Urban District Council sending formal notice of their intention to make application to the Local Government Board for authority to prepare a Town Planning scheme embracing land situate in the Parish of Totteridge and Rural District of Barnet. The communication added that the action of the Finchley Urban District Council was in no way antagonistic to the neighbouring Authority, and if, through the instrumentality of a scheme promoted by any such neighbouring Authority, and approved by the Finchley Council the land abutting upon the Finchley District could be properly Town Planned, the Finchley Urban District Council could with the consent of the Local Government Board, withdraw such part of their scheme as related to lands outside their own District. A letter was also read from the Herts County Council enquiring the position of the scheme proposed to be promoted by this Authority, and the

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Clerk reported a call from the County Surveyor upon the matter. On the motion of Cr Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr Williams, it was resolved, nem. con., "That the Town Planning Committee in consultation with the officials of the Council, be instructed to take the necessary steps to proceed with this Authority's proposed Town Planning scheme for the Parishes of Totteridge and Arkley." On the motion of Cr Mainland, duly seconded it was further resolved - "That a letter be written to the Hinckley Urban District Council, pointing out that this Council have already taken steps to Town Plan the Parish of Totteridge, and strongly oppose the Hinckley proposal to Town Plan any portion of that area, but that in the preparation of the scheme of this Authority the Council are prepared to meet the Hinckley Urban District Council and co-operate with them in the production of a plan." On the motion of Cr Hackforth-Jones, duly seconded, it was resolved - "That the Committee to confer with the Hinckley Council consist of Crs Abercrombie, Chapman Mainland, Malins & Pearson, in conjunction with the officers of the Council."

Housing of the Working Classes. Tenders were considered in connection with the preparation of plans, etc., for the erection of

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of Workmen's Dwellings. Cr Hackforth-Jones moved - "That the Council accept the lowest tender, namely, that of Mr H. P. Eames of "Lavington" Wood Street, Barnet, for submitting a sketch of the cottages for the Council's approval, - preparing full working drawings specification etc., for the cottages and roads, giving the necessary attendance at the Council Meetings and the supervision of the works in progress, at a price of sixty guineas, this fee not to include the cost of typing or printing - copies of the specification or drawings." The motion was seconded by Cr Jennings, and carried, there voting For: Crs Chapman Hackforth-Jones, Jennings, Malins, Pearson Sheppard, Tinsley, and Williams; Against Cr Mainland. On the motion of Cr Pearson, duly seconded, it was further resolved - "That Mr H. P. Eames be asked to make variations as far as possible in the elevations of the dwellings"

Plans. Barnet Common Estate. As - instructed by the General Purposes Committee (p.268) the Surveyor reported upon the levels connected with this Estate, and a letter was read from Mr G. D. Byfield stating that the Council's letter to Mr Cude relative to the drainage of the premises proposed to be erected had been handed to him, and making application on his own behalf and that of Mr Cude to connect the existing sewer in Kings Road with the Council's sewer in Queens Road. The Clerk reported upon the

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legal aspect of the matter and suggested a conference between the parties concerned. On the motion of Cr Hackforth-Jones, duly seconded, it was resolved - "That Mr Byfield be invited to an informal conference to discuss the matter at the meeting of the General Purposes Committee on the 30th instant, at 8 p.m., the plans for the 6 houses in Kings Road to be held over in the meantime."

Accounts. On the motion of Cr Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr Pearson the following Cheques were drawn:-

Folio	Payee	Particulars	£	s.	d.
123	C. W. Hill	One month's salary	13	15	0
"	W. J. Ridgway	do retaining fee	2	10	0

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Tuesday 4th November 1913.

At a Meeting of the Council duly convened and held on the above date at 8 p.m. there were present.

Cr A. G. Malins J.P. (Chairman)
" W. H. Abercrombie
" G. J. Aldridge
" J. T. Chapman
" H. Eames
" F. W. Hackforth-Jones, J.P.,
" J. H. Mainland, J.P.,
" J. W. Pearson
" E. V. Sheppard
" J. L. H. Thomas
" H. R. Tinsley
" E. T. Williams
" A. J. Wills,

with Dr C. F. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health), Mr W. F. Wilkins (Surveyor), Mr C. W. Hill (Sanitary Inspector), Mr W. J. Ridgway (Captain of the Fire Brigade), J. A. E. Dolton (Assistant Finance Clerk).

Minutes On the motion of the Chairman, duly seconded, the Minutes of the Meeting of the 21st October, 1913, were taken as read and signed.

Clerk. On the motion of Cr Mainland, seconded by Cr Abercrombie, a unanimous vote of sympathy was directed to be conveyed to Mr Poole in his illness.

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Farm Tithe. Glebe Land. On the motion of Br Chapman, duly seconded, the Report of the Farm Committee dated the 30th October, was taken as read and adopted, subject to the paragraph headed "Tithe, Glebe Land" being referred to the Finance Committee for consideration and report.

General Purposes. Totteridge Hill Estate. Mays Lane. On the motion of Br Mainland, duly seconded, the Report of the General Purposes Committee on the 30th October, was taken as read and adopted, with the exception of the paragraph headed "Totteridge Hill Estate" which was dealt with in Committee, and subject to an amendment moved by Br Aldridge, and seconded by Br Williams that the recommendation headed "Mays Lane, Footpaths" should read - "That the further consideration of the matter be deferred," instead of as recommended in the Report at p. 278.

Finance. On the motion of Br Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Br Pearson, the Report of this Committee dated the 30th October, was taken as read and adopted.

High Street Paving. As instructed by the General Purposes Committee the Assistant Clerk reported upon the payments made to Mr Joseph Owen in respect of his work in connection with the Quantities for High Street Paving, a letter having been received from Mr Owen asking that the question of his remuneration might be taken into further

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consideration. On the motion of Cr Williams, seconded by Cr Thomas, it was unanimously resolved - That Mr Owen be asked for a reply to the Clerk's letter of the 25th February last, with regard to the Quantity of granite used in connection with these works.

Offensive Trades. On the motion of the Chairman, duly seconded, the seal of the Council was directed to be affixed to the printed Bye-laws for the regulation of Offensive Trades as previously adopted by the Council and approved by the Local Government Board, the sealed copies to be forwarded to the Board for their confirmation.

Valentine Poole Charity. A letter was read from the Rector of Chipping Barnet accepting appointment as one of the Council's representatives on this Charity.

Housing of the Working Classes. A letter dated the 24th October, was read from Mr H.P. Eames thanking the Council for their acceptance of his tender for the preparation of Plans, etc., in connection with the Housing Estate and stating that he would place himself in communication with the Surveyor with regard to the particulars for the erection of further cottages, which he has since done.

Queen Elizabeth's Grammar School. An acknowledgement of the Council's letter

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of the 23rd October herein, was read from the County Council, together with a letter from Dr Boyes. C.C., stating that he had already taken a certain course in this matter which he thought would commend itself to the Council.

Senghenydd Disaster. A letter was read from the Caerphilly Urban District Council asking if the Council would institute a collection for relieving the distress occasioned by this disaster. On the motion of Cr Hackforth-Jones seconded by Cr Pearson, the Clerk was instructed to forward a sympathetic reply to this communication.

Housing & Town Planning. A letter was read from the National Housing and Town Planning Council relative to a conference of representatives of Local Authorities to be held at the Westminster Palace Hotel, on Thursday 13th November at 3 p.m., and on the motion of Cr Mainland duly seconded, the Chairman and Cr Abercrombie with the Surveyor and Sanitary Inspector were empowered to attend thereat.

Barnet Common Estate. A letter dated 1st November was read from Mr Byfield accepting the suggestion to attend a conference with the Council on this matter. It was arranged that Mr Byfield should be asked to attend the next meeting of the General Purposes Committee.

Electric Lighting. On the motion of

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Br Pearson, seconded by Br Aldridge, it was resolved - "That the Electric Lighting Company be called upon to at once take steps to obviate the nuisance and danger arising from many lamps in the side streets being so often out, and that the Surveyor should see the Company, enquiring if it would be possible to introduce 'fool-proof' switches at the tops of the lamps, or to place the switches in the bases of the lamps.

The Council then resolved itself into Committee.

Town Planning. Totteridge Hill Estate. Alston Road. On the motion of Br Abercrombie, seconded by Br Pearson, the Report of the Town Planning Committee dated the 28th October, was taken as read and adopted.

A letter dated the 2nd November was read from the Totteridge Hill Estate Co., - enquiring whether the Council were likely - to take in hand at an early date the provision of drainage facilities for Totteridge. On the motion of Br Williams, seconded by Br Wills, it was resolved - "That a reply be sent on similar lines to that now directed to be forwarded to the County Council on the subject as recommended by the General Purposes Committee at page 279 of their Report."

A letter dated the 23rd instant, was read from the Barnet Workmen's Association asking the Council when dealing with their Town Planning schemes to take into consideration the question of remedying the dangerous -

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kinning at Underhill, and thanking them and their Surveyor for the improvement carried out at the junction of Alston Road and New Road. The receipt of the communication was directed to be acknowledged.

Totteridge. On the motion of the Chairman, duly seconded, it was resolved.- "That a letter be written to the Totteridge Parish Council - informing them of the resolutions passed by this Authority at their last meeting, with regard to their acceptance of the Order of the Herts County Council as amended in Article XV. for the inclusion of Totteridge within this Urban Area."

Clerk's & Solicitor's Duties. On the motion of Cl. Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cl. Pearson it was resolved (Cl. Finsby voting contra) "That the Report of this Committee dated the 30th October, be taken as read & adopted, subject to the recommendation reading as follows:- "That Mr. Arthur Edward Dolton, be and he is hereby appointed on the Staff of the Council as Assistant and Finance Clerk at a nominal salary of Ten Guineas per annum as from Michaelmas, 1913." On the motion of Cl. Williams, seconded by Cl. Pearson it was resolved [6-5]- "That the above information be conveyed to the Barnet Press."

New Offices. On the motion of Cl. Williams, seconded by the Chairman, it was resolved "That renewed application be made to the

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				Local Government Board, that the Public Inquiry in connection with the Council's application for a loan herein, should be held in the evening, and that request be made for ample notice of such Inquiry to be given."				
				Accounts. The following cheques were drawn:				
				District Fund Account.				
123.				H. W. Poole. Tithe		8	7	8
4				W. B. Edwards General District Rate		29	1	10
4				J. Inns Straw		6	0	0
124				Turner & Sisney Hardcore & Road Gully		6	13	4
4				Tangyes. Ltd Engine Sundries & Oil		1	2	7
4				G. Salmon Material			18	2
4				W. Dyer Poor Rate (Fire Station)		6	6	0
4				W. J. Wells Repairs to harness			14	9
4				Enderby Stoney Stanton &c. Granite Chips		2	14	7
4				T. Welch Cartage		16	6	3
4				G. L. Wilson & Co. Lime & Cement		2	12	3
4				East Barnet Valley U.D.C. Hire of Steam Roller		3	15	0
4				Joslin & Co. Sawing Stone Slab.			10	0
4				W. Slough Repairs to 165 High Street		14	19	2
4				Clinical Research Assn. Examinations		1	4	0
4				E. Cowing & Son Printing		3	5	0.
4				E. S. Wheatley do.		6	6	6
4				J. Cowing Stationery			18	2
4				Harland & Son Rates Returnable			10	0
4				London Telephone Service. B.26% Call Fees		2	0	0
4				Isolation Hospital Committee. Contribution		930	0	0
4				W. B. Edwards Commission etc.		12	10	9
4				H. W. Poole Legal Charges		60	3	10.

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			124	Surveyor — Labour		100	0	0
			4	do — do		83	0	0
			14	South Mimms R.D.C. — Adjustment of Liabilities		34	9	9
			4	Leeds City Council — Loan due Nov: 1st (West		110	8	4
			4	Barnet Park Rd Sewers, Balance £2758-5-8)				
			4	Brighouse Corporation. Loan due Nov: 2nd (Fire		19	2	10
			4	Station Buildings, Balance £480-14-4)		+	-	-
			4	do. Loan due November 2nd (Fire Station				
			4	Land, Balance £737-8-9)		14	19	0
			125	Prudential Assurance Co. Loan due 6th November (High		-	-	-
			4	Street Paving, Balance £1963-18-0)		72	12	8
			4	Clerk — Petty Cash		10	0	0
			4	Captain of Fire Brigade — do			11	4
			124	Ditto — One month's salary		2	10	0
			4	Sanitary Inspector — do		13	15	0
				Housing Rent Account.				
			135	H. W. Poole — Tithe		2	5	6
			4	W. C. Edwards — General District Rate		34	12	1
			4	C. Winskell — Repairs			5	6
			4	Barnet Gas & Water Co. — do			11	6
			4	Pearson & Sons — do		8	15	0
			4	District Fund A/c — Transfer in respect of				
			4	Loan Repayment		50	0	0
				Glebe Land & Sewage Disposal Loan a/c.				
			138	Turner & Viney — Pipes etc		9	6	4
			4	J. Stone & Co., Ltd — Flushing Values		2	11	0
			4	W. Hartley — Balance of Fees		15	1	8
				Housing Loan A/c				
			142	Boulton & Paul Ltd., — On account of Contract.		405	13	8.

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Tuesday 18th November 1913.

At a Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date at 8 p.m. there were present:-

Cr. A. G. Malins, J.P. (Chairman)
" W. H. Abercrombie.
" G. J. Aldridge.
" J. T. Chapman.
" H. Eames.
" F. W. Hackforth-Jones. J.P.
" H. C. Jennings.
" H. Lamb.
" J. F. Mainland J.P.
" J. W. Pearson.
" E. V. Sheffard.
" J. L. H. Thomas.
" H. K. Tinsley.
" E. T. Williams.

with F. C. F. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health). Mr. W. H. Wilkins (Surveyor). Mr. C. W. Hill (Sanitary Inspector). Mr. W. J. Kidgway (Captain of the Fire Brigade) and A. E. Dalton (Assistant and Finance Clerk).

Minutes. On the motion of the Chairman, duly seconded, the Minutes of the Meeting of the 4th November, 1913, were taken as read and signed.

General Purposes On the motion of Cr. Mainland, seconded by Cr. Pearson, the Report

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of this Committee dated the 13th instant, was taken as read and adopted.

Fire Brigade & Water Supply. On the motion of Cl Lamb, duly seconded, the Report of this Committee of even date was adopted. Edrman Blackwell having expressed his willingness to undertakes the duties of driver of the Fire Brigades horses forthwith.

On the motion of Cl Pearson, seconded by Cl Thomas, it was unanimously resolved - "That the question of the constant absence from the district of some of the Chief Officers of the Fire Brigade be forthwith considered by the Fire Brigade and Water Supply Committee".

On the motion of the Chairman, duly seconded, the seal of the Council was affixed to an agreement with the London Telephone Service in respect of the increased mileage occasioned by the removal of a fire call bell from 16, Bruce Road to "Wordnorton" Stapylton Road.

Cl Lamb having resigned the Chairmanship of the Fire Brigade and Water Supply Committee owing to his removal from the District, on the motion of Cl Lamb, seconded by Cl Abercrombie Cl Pearson was unanimously elected Chairman of the Committee.

Isolation Hospital. On the motion of Cl Chapman, seconded by Cl Hackforth-Jones Cl Jennings was unanimously appointed as this Authority's representative on the Barnet Committee Isolation Hospital in place of Cl Lamb resigned.

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Old Age Pensions Sub-Committee. On the motion of Cl. Abercrombie, seconded by Cl. Pearson, Cl. Hackforth-Jones was appointed a member of this Sub-Committee in place of Cl. Lamb resigned.

Insurance Committee. On the motion of Cl. Lamb, seconded by Cl. Pearson, Cl. Chapman was appointed the Council's representative on the local National Health Insurance Committee in place of Cl. Lamb resigned.

Electric Lighting. As desired by the General Purposes Committee the Sub-Committee herein reported upon the proposed removal of the Electric Lamp outside 82. High Street, ~~Barnet~~. On the motion of Cl. Mainland, seconded by Cl. Hackforth-Jones, it was resolved - "That instructions be given for the necessary alterations to be put in hand so soon as the consent of Messrs. McMullen be obtained to the fixing of a bracket to their premisses for carrying this lamp."

New Offices. The Assistant Clerk reported that the Local Government Board Inquiry herein had that day taken place before Major. J. Stewart, R. E., the case for the Council being conducted by Mr. Poole, assisted by Mr. H. V. Wells.

Herts County Council. The Agenda and Reports relating to the meeting of the County

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Council on the 10th inst. were submitted.

Town Planning. A letter dated the 8th instant was read from the Clerk of the Hendon Urban District Council, acknowledging the Council's communication as to the suggested co-operation of the respective Authorities in this matter.

Totteridge. A letter dated the 12th inst. was read from the Totteridge Parish Council stating they had unanimously resolved to inform the Local Government Board of their acquiesence in the alteration of Article XV. of the Order of the Herts County Council, and had asked for the Board's confirmation of the Order accordingly.

A further letter of the day following was also read from the Parish Council, enclosing copy notice and communication from the Finchley Urban District Council, dated the 17th October, as to that Authority's suggest application to prepare a Town Planning scheme for part of the Parish of Totteridge. In reply to this the Parish Council had unanimously resolved to oppose the proposals submitted by Finchley, having already agreed to accept the Town Planning proposition submitted by the Barnet Urban ~~Urban~~ District Council.

On the motion of Cr Hackforth-Jones seconded by Cr Williams, instructions were given for copies of the above-mentioned correspondence to be handed to the Press.

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Barnet Queen Elizabeth's Grammar School. A letter dated the 10th November was read from Dr Boyes, C.C., stating that the items on the Agenda of the County Council for the proposed alteration of the incidence of the charges connected with the new loan in respect of this School had been referred back to be dealt with on a future occasion when this Authority would have an opportunity of being heard on the question. On the motion of Cr Mainland seconded by Cr Pearson, it was resolved - "That the Clerk be instructed to write to Dr Boyes on behalf of the Council thanking him for his good offices to the town in the matter of the assessment of the expenses of the new loan for the Grammar School, expressing appreciation of his efforts, especially as he is only just recovering from a serious indisposition, and expressing a fervent hope for his complete and rapid recovery."

Motor Omnibus Traffic. A circular letter dated 22nd October was read from the Urban District Council of Slough intimating they had resolved to support or co-operate with any other local Authority who might take steps to obtain legislation dealing with this matter. On the motion of Cr Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr Williams, the Clerk was directed to acknowledge the receipt of the communication and to intimate the Council's willingness to accord their support in this matter.

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Offensive Trades. A letter dated the 15th instant was read from the Local Government Board returning the bye-laws herein confirmed by them.

Petroleum. On the motion of Cl. Hackforth-Jones, duly seconded, a letter from the Bowring Petroleum Co. as to a proposed petroleum store was referred to the Surveyor for attention.

Byng Road. Surveyor. A letter was read from Mrs. King, of 14, The Drive, calling attention to the alleged unsatisfactory condition of Byng Road. On the motion of Cl. Williams, seconded by Cl. Hackforth-Jones, the letter was referred to the General Purposes Committee for consideration and report, together with the question of providing the Surveyor with a qualified assistant.

The Council then resolved itself into Committee.

Horses. Fire Brigade. Cl. Chapman reported upon the recent illness of two of the Council's horses. Cl. Hackforth-Jones moved - "That it is desirable that the Council should take into consideration the question of re-horsing the Fire Engine, including the purchase of two lighter horses instead of one heavier horse". The motion was seconded by Cl. Pearson and carried, there voting For: Cls. Hackforth-Jones, Lamb, Mainland, Malins, Pearson, Thomas, Sheppard, and Williams. Against: Cls. Aldridge, Chapman, & Jennings.

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Fire Brigade and Water Supply Committee. On the motion of Cr. Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr. Pearson, Cr. Thomas was appointed as an additional member of this Committee.

Barnet Common Estate. Mr. Poole's report herein, following his consultation with the Surveyor and Sanitary Inspector, was read, when Cr. Mainland moved - "That the plans submitted by Mr. J. Cude be approved, subject to the storm water being received into a separate sewer, Mr. Byfield to be called upon to put in a storm water sewer under s.9 of the Private Street Works Act, 1892, and to form a proper entrance from Kings Road to Granville Road by laying return kerbs and a paved crossing in Granville Road; and further that Mr. Byfield's offer to purchase on behalf of the Council, the necessary wayleave, for the sum of £100, such amount to include all legal and other expenses in connection therewith, be accepted." The motion was seconded by Cr. Pearson and carried nem. con., Crs. Abercrombie, Aldridge, Eames, Hackforth-Jones, Jennings, Lamb, Mainland, Malins, Pearson, Sheppard, Thomas, Tinsby, and Williams voting for the resolution.

Housing of the Working Classes. As instructed the Inspector submitted three names of prospective tenants for any vacancies at the Council ~~Cottages~~. On the motion of Cr. Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr. Pearson, the application of R. Shipsey, of 11, Calvert Road, was directed to be accepted for the first vacancy

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On the motion of Cl. Mainland, duly seconded the applications of H. Knott and J. J. Peak were also directed to be accepted for succeeding vacancies.

On the motion of Cl. Tinsley, seconded by Cl. Hackforth-Jones, it was resolved - "That ~~the~~ the eaves guttering in front of the Council Cottages be cleaned out & that cages be put over the top of each outlet where required."

New Offices. On the motion of Cl. Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cl. Pearson, formal instructions were given to Mr. A. E. McEwan-Waghorn to prepare alternative quantities in certain instances in connection with the New Offices and Public Conveniences as desired by the Council.

Town Planning. The Sanitary Inspector reported that he proposed visiting Totteridge in order to ascertain further particulars of owners, leaseholders & occupiers in connection with the serving of the necessary Town Planning Notices, and the Assistant Clerk stated that he was arranging for the necessary assistance from the Clerks staff.

Accounts. The following cheque was drawn:-

125	W. J. Ridgway	Fire Expenses			2	2	6

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At a Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date at 8 p.m., there were present

Cr. A. G. Malins, J.P. (Chairman)
" W. H. Abercrombie
" G. J. Aldridge
" J. G. Chapman
" H. Eames
" F. W. Hackforth-Jones J.P.
" F. C. Jennings
" J. F. Mainland J.P.
" J. W. Pearson
" J. L. H. Thomas
" H. R. Tinsley
" E. J. Williams

with Dr. C. F. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health) Mr. W. F. Wilkins (Surveyor), Mr. C. W. Hill (Sanitary Inspector), H. W. Poole (Clerk and Solicitor), and A. E. Dolton (Assistant and Finance Clerk).

Minutes. On the motion of the Chairman, duly seconded, the Minutes of the Meeting of the 18th November 1913, were taken as read and signed.

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Farm On the motion of Cr. Chapman seconded by Cr. Jennings, the Report of this Committee dated the 27th November, 1913. was taken as read and adopted.

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General Purposes. Diaries. High Street. Elm Road. On the motion of Cl. Mainland seconded by Cl. Chapman, the Report of the General Purposes Committee dated the 27th ulto., was taken as read and adopted, subject (a) to the last paragraph headed "Diaries" on p. 296 of the Report reading as follows - "That the Surveyor be required to keep a diary shewing his daily work and that the Surveyor's Assistant keep a diary recording the employment of his overtime" and (b) to the first portion of the Report at p295 headed "High Street, Elm Road," reading as follows - "A request was before the Committee, through the Inspector, from Mr. H. Neal, etc."

Finance. On the motion of Cl. Hackforth-Jones. seconded by Cl. Pearson, the Report of this Committee dated the 27th ulto., was taken as read and adopted.

On the motion of the Chairman, duly seconded, salary cheques for the Medical Officer of Health and the Surveyor's Assistant were drawn for £15 and £6-4-7 respectively.

Housing of the Working Classes. On the motion of Cl. Mainland, seconded by Cl. Pearson, the Report of this Committee dated the 28th November 1913. was taken as read and adopted.

Motors. Speed Limit. The Clerk read his report upon the Conference on this subject held on the 25th ulto. between the County Council

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the Motor Union, the Automobile Association and this Authority. Cr Mainland moved – "That the Clerk be instructed to write letters to the Motor Union and the Automobile Association stating that this Council are willing to withdraw their application for an extension of the speed limit in Wood Street, provided that these bodies will agree to the limit in High Street being extended to the southern boundary of the Council's District at the top of Barnet Hill, inasmuch as their representative at the Conference appeared to be not averse to the adoption of this course." The motion was seconded by Cr Jennings and carried, the voting for: Crs Abercrombie, Aldridge, Chapman, Jennings, Mainland, Malins, Pearson, Thomas, & Williams; Against: Crs Eames & Tinsley.

Town Planning. Various letters on the Agenda upon this subject were referred to the Town Planning Committee for consideration and report at their meeting on Thursday next.

A letter (the contents of which were duly noted) was read from the Barnet Ratepayers' Association inviting the members and officials of the Council to a lecture on Town Planning to be delivered by the Secretary of the Garden Cities and Town Planning Association, at the Co-operation Hall, High Street, Barnet on Wednesday, 10th December, at 8-15 p.m.

Royal Sanitary Institute. A letter as to the 29th Congress of this institute was submitted and laid on the table.

New Offices. Letters were read from the Barnet

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Ratepayers' Association and the Barnet Tradesmen's Association asking the Council to abandon their scheme for the erection of new offices. Cr. Hackforth-Jones moved - "That the Council tender their thanks to the respective Associations for the views expressed by them, but regret that this Authority is unable to alter the policy hitherto taken up by them with reference to the erection of Public Offices." The motion was seconded by the Chairman, and carried, there voting For Crs. Abercrombie, Aldridge, Chapman, Hackforth-Jones, Jennings, Mainland, Malins, Pearson, Tinsley & Williams: Against: Cr. Thomas.

Barnet Grammar School. A letter dated the 1st instant was read from the County Council stating they proposed to take into further consideration the question of charging capital expenditure to be incurred in connection with the Barnet Queen Elizabeth's Grammar School and would be glad if representatives of the Urban Council would meet the Education Finance Sub-Committee on Monday next, the 8th December, 2-15 p.m. at the Holborn Borough Council Offices. On the motion of Cr. Williams, seconded by the Chairman, Crs. Mainland and Hackforth-Jones were deputed to attend on that occasion, it being understood that the Chairman would endeavour to attend should Cr. Hackforth-Jones be unable to be present.

Horses. Cr. Williams also moved in accordance with notice given - "That the Horse Purchasing Sub-Committee consisting of Crs. Chapman, Eames Hackforth-Jones, Malins, and Wills, be re-elected

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and that the name of Cl. Sheppard be added thereto." The motion was seconded by Cl. Abercrombie and carried, nem con.

Motor Omnibus Traffic Cl. Williams also moved in accordance with notice given "That in view of the damage done to roads by motor traffic generally, and by motor omnibus traffic in particular, the Council send letters to the Local Government Board, the Hertfordshire County Council, and the Slough Urban District Council, urging that the Petrol Tax be ear-marked and used for road building and road repairs only." The motion was seconded by Cl. Pearson.

A letter was read from Mr. A. Partington addressed from the Town Hall, Ilford, asking for replies to queries enclosed by him relative to motor omnibus traffic within this District for collation and use by the Executive Committee who would shortly be conferring on the subject with the Prime Minister. The motion above-mentioned was then by leave of the Council withdrawn, and in lieu thereof the mover and seconder substituted the following resolution which was carried, namely - "That in supporting the action of the Executive Committee referred to, the queries enclosed by Mr. Partington be replied to".

The Council then resolved itself into Committee.

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Barnet Common Estate. A letter was read from Mr. Byfield acknowledging the Clerk's letter of the 24th November and stating that he would communicate with the Council again after considering it. A further report on this subject by the Clerk was also read, and Br. Hackforth-Jones moved - "That having heard the further report of the Clerk, the Council see no reason to depart from their previous decision herein." The motion having been seconded by Br. Insley, Br. Mainland moved as an amendment - "That the matter be referred back to Mr. Poole, and that should he see any reason why the resolutions herein previously passed by the Council should not be carried out he be asked to report further as to his views thereon." The amendment was seconded by Br. Abercrombie and carried, their voting For: Br. Abercrombie, Aldridge, Chapman, Eames, Jennings, Mainland, Malins, Pearson, Thomas and Williams: Against Br. Hackforth-Jones and Insley. The amendment was then put as a substantive motion and carried with the voting for: and Br. Hackforth Jones Against.

Tuberculosis. As desired by the General Purposes Committee the Medical Officer of Health and Sanitary Inspector reported very fully upon a case notified under the Tuberculosis Order 1913, and on the motion of Br. Mainland seconded by Br. Pearson, it was unanimously resolved - "That the Offices be authorised to interview the Local Government Board, the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, and if necessary, the Chief Inspector of the County with regard to the settlement of certain questions raised by them.

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				Accounts The following cheque were drawn :-				
			125	M. Main Poor Rate on Farm Lands and Sewage Works		34	16	8
			4	do. do Depot, Offices & Offices site		16	8	8
			"	J. Inns Hay & Straw		21	0	0
			4	J. Smart & Son Gravel		1	17	4
			4	Ellis & Everard Granite		19	12	2
			4	Patent Victoria Stone Co. Paving		20	15	9
			4	T. Warren & Co Coal		1	6	0
			4	Boots Cash Chemists Disinfectants		2	12	0.
			4	Barnet District Gas Co. Repairs		2	17	3
			4	E. S. Wheatley Printing		10	2	6
			4	E. Bowing & Son do & Advertising		13	1	0
			4	J. Bowing Stationery		3	9	11
			4	Shaw & Sons do		2	16	3
			4	Clerk Salary to Christmas		100	0	0
			4	Surveyor do & Firing & Lighting to do.		66	5	0.
			4	Surveyor's Clerk Salary to December 31st		6	4	7
			4	Inspector do		14	4	0
			4	Captain of Fire Brigade do		2	10	0
			4	Medical Officer of Health do to Christmas		15	0	0
			4	Governors of Grammar School. Rent of Offices to Christmas.		17	10	0.
			4	W. C. Edwards Commission and Postage to Nov: 24th		34	18	9.
			4	Surveyor Labour		234	0	0
			4	W. J. Ridgway Petty Cash			2	2
			4	Prudential Assurance Co. Loan due December 1st		32	4	4
			"	(Purchase of Land for Depot, Balance £968 "15"2)				
			126	Ditto Loan due December 1st (Purchase of Land for		62	12	7
			4	Sewage Disposal, Balance £2,670 "1"1)				
			4	Independent Order of Oddfellows. Loan due December 6th		48	19	11
			4	(Bells Hill & Mays Lane Road, Street				
				Improvements, Balance £867 "10"1)				

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					Housing Rent Account.				
				135	C. W. Hill — Commission		3	19	0
				7	M. Main — Poor Rate on Mays Lane Cottages		62	18	6
				"	Barnet District Gas Co. — Repairing Water Service			9	6
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Tuesday, 16th December 1913.

At a Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date at 8 p.m. there were present:-

Cr. A. G. Malins, J.P. (Chairman)
" W. H. Abercrombie,
" G. J. Aldridge
" J. T. Chapman
" H. Eames
" J. F. Mainland J.P.
" J. W. Pearson,
" J. L. H. Thomas
" H. R. Tinsley
" E. T. Williams.
" A. J. Wills

with Dr. C. F. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health), Mr. W. F. Wilkins (Surveyor), Mr. C. W. Hill (Sanitary Inspector), Mr. W. J. Ridgway (Captain of the Fire Brigade), H. W. Poole (Clerk and Solicitor) and A. C. Dolton (Assistant and Finance Clerk).

Minutes. On the motion of the Chairman, duly seconded, the Minutes of the Meeting of the 2nd December, 1913, were taken as read and signed.

Queen Elizabeth's Grammar School. The Chairman reported that the delegates appointed in connection with this matter had attended a Conference with representatives of the Hertfordshire County Council and the East Barnet Valley

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Urban District Council, as to the allocation of the charges in respect of repayments of loans in connection with the Grammar School, - when the County Council had, however, decided to confirm the recommendation of their Finance and General Purposes Committee that the moiety of such charges should be equally divided between the Urban Districts of Barnet and East Barnet Valley instead of in proportion to the rateable value of each district as heretofore.

Fire Brigade Cr Pearson moved - "That the Report of the Fire Brigade and Water Supply Committee dated the 4th instant be taken as read adopted." The motion having been seconded by Cr Aldridge, Cr Eames moved as an amendment "That the second paragraph of the Report, headed "Fireman" be referred back to the Committee for further consideration, so that the matter may be more fully gone into by them." The amendment was seconded by Cr Finsley, and on being put, was not carried, only the mover and seconder voting for the amendment, and the remainder of the Crs present voting against. The adoption of the Report was then carried, nem. con.,

On the motion of Cr Williams, seconded by Cr Pearson it was resolved "That the Fire Call Bell at No. 24, New Road, being the premises vacated by Fireman Soet, be transferred to No. 81, New Road, the residence of Driver Blackwell."

The Captain submitted a report of a fire on the 12th instant at stables in the rear of High Street in the tenancy of Cr A.J. Wills and on the motion of the Chairman, duly seconded

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a cheque for £3-16-6 was drawn in payment of the Brigade's expenses thereat.

A letter was read from Fireman Loader Hon. Sec. of the Fire Brigade asking if the Council could see their way to provide a medal for 10 years' service by Fireman King and a 15 years' service bar for Fireman Cheek, at an estimated total cost of £1. On the motion of Cr. Mainland, seconded by Cr. Wills, it was resolved - "That the Council award the medal and bar as desired".

Town Planning. On the motion of Cr. Abercrombie, seconded by Cr. Pearson, the Report of this Committee dated the 4th instant was taken as read and adopted. Cr. Abercrombie also drew the attention of the Council to the formal report of the Public Meeting herein held on the 9th instant. A letter dated the 8th instant was read from the Hendon Urban District Council stating that it could no doubt be arranged to deal with the proposals with regard to the Town Planning of Arkley and Totteridge at the Conference on the 17th instant. A letter was received from the Finchley Urban District Council stating that it would be inconvenient for their Committee to confer on this matter on the 16th instant, and asking for alternative dates. It was agreed that the fixing of a date should be held over until the New Year.

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General Purposes. Motor Fire Engine. On the motion of Cr. Mainland, seconded by Cr. Aldridge, the Report of the General Purposes Committee of the 11th instant was taken as read and adopted. With reference to the first paragraph at p. 308 of the Report, particulars from various manufacturers and local Authorities were submitted with regard to a motor-propelled fire engine, and on the motion of the Chairman seconded by Cr. Williams, the matter was referred to the Fire Brigade and Water Supply Committee for consideration and report.

Main Roads. With regard to the paragraph under this heading at p. 308 of the General Purposes Committee's Report, the Surveyor stated that he had attended upon the County Surveyor who had informed him that at the instance of the Road Board the County Authority were approaching all local Authorities within the County with regard to a comprehensive scheme for resurfacing main roads, which would affect High Street and New Road in this District. It was agreed to refer the subject to the next meeting of the Road Repairing and Lighting Committee.

Fidelity Guarantees. A letter was read from the Royal Insurance Company, Ltd., stating that this Policy was being prepared and the Council were covered meanwhile.

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Motor Speed Limit. A letter was read from the Automobile Association and Motor Union in reply to the Council's communication, referring to the remarks made on behalf of the Association at the recent Conference and suggesting that the Council should endeavour to induce the police to prosecute offenders for driving to the danger of the public, instead of extending the speed limit. On the motion of Mr. Williams seconded by the Chairman, the Clerk was directed to communicate with the Police on the matter, and instructions were also given for a letter of condolence to be sent to the Association in the loss sustained by them through the sudden decease by accident of Mr. Wilde.

Crystal Palace. A circular letter was read from Mr. W. A. Bayst of Woodford Green, as to the preservation of the Crystal Palace & grounds to the public use, and the Clerk was directed in reply to notify the Council's sympathy with the proposals therein contained.

Urban District Councils' Association. In reply to a circular letter from this Association it was resolved to accord this Authority's vote for the Annual Meeting and Conference of the Association in July next to be held in London.

County Rate Basis. A circular letter

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from the County Council enclosing particulars of the County Rate Basis was submitted and laid on the table.

Housing of the Working Classes. A letter was read from the Clerk of the County Council asking for certain information as to the houses erected by the Council, and on the motion of Cr. Mainland, seconded by Cr. Pearson, it was resolved to forward the particulars desired.

Hoardings. A letter was read from the Rickmansworth Urban District Council stating that no bye-laws dealing with this matter were in force in their area, but a copy of bye-laws was submitted from the Enfield Urban District Council, and on the motion of Cr. Aldridge, duly seconded, the question of making similar bye-laws for this District was referred to the General Purposes Committee for consideration and report.

Offices. A letter was read from the Clerk to the Trustees of Barnet Chancel Estate stating that for the six months ending 30th September next, the Council could have the use of the Hall at the Church House on the usual evenings of Council and Committee Meetings at a charge of 10/6 for each occasion, but that after that date the use of the room could not be guaranteed. Cr. Williams then

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				moved - "That the Council take into consideration the question of seating accommodation for themselves and their officers at meetings to be held after March 31st. 1914, and that arrangements be made for holding the Council Meetings only at the Church House, Wood Street, Barnet, for the time and at the charge named". The motion was seconded by Br. Aldridge and carried, there voting For: Bros. Abercrombie, Aldridge, Chapman, Mainland, Malins, Thomas and Williams, Against: Bros. Eames. Pearson, Tinsley and Wills.				
				Accounts. The following Cheques were drawn:-				
			126	J. Cox Allowance for Repairs to Stables		3	9	0
			4	W.J Ridgway High Street Fire Expenses		3	16	6

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Tuesday 6th January 1914.

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" W. H. Abercrombie.
" G. J. Aldridge
" J. T. Chapman
" W. Eames.
" F. W. Hackforth-Jones J.P.
" H. E. Jennings
" J. H. Mainland J.P.
" J. W. Pearson
" H. R. Tinsley.
" E. T. Williams
" A. J. Wills.

with D. C. H. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health) Mr W. H. Wilkins (Surveyor). Mr. C. W. Hill. (Sanitary Inspector). H. W. Poole (Clerk & Solicitor) and A. E. Dolton (Assistant & Finance Clerk)

Minutes. On the motion of the Chairman, duly seconded, the Minutes of the Meeting of the 16th December, 1913, were read and signed.

Farm. On the motion of Cr Chapman seconded by Cr Eames, the Report of this Committee dated the 1st inst. was taken as read and adopted.

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General Purposes. On the motion of Cr. Hainland, seconded by Cr Jennings the Report of this Committee dated the 1st instant, was taken as read and adopted.

Finance. On the motion of Cr. Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr Abercrombie the Report of this Committee dated the 1st instant, was taken as read and adopted.

Fire Brigade. On the motion of Cr. Pearson, seconded by Cr. Jennings, the Report of this Committee of even date was taken as read and adopted. (Cr. Tinsley abstaining from voting).

The Captain's Report of a fire call to No 14. Bruce Road, on the 3rd instant was submitted, and on the motion of the Chairman, duly seconded, a cheque for £1-1-6 was drawn in payment of the Brigade's expenses thereat, together with a cheque for 16s 4d in respect of the recent weighing of the steam fire engine, and 5-0 retaining fee due to ex-Driver Bagust.

Town Planning. On the motion of Cr Abercrombie, seconded by the Chairman it was unanimously resolved - "That application be made to the Local Government Board for Authority to prepare a town planning scheme for the areas coloured pink and yellow respectively on the map now before the

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Council and marked Map No2, the area coloured pink being within the area of the local Authority and that coloured yellow being within the Rural District of Barnet, the area so coloured yellow being (subject to the consent of the Local Government Board) about to be included in the area of the Urban District of Barnet."

A letter was read from the Finchley Urban District Council agreeing Friday next. at 6-30 p.m. for a Conference herein.

Local Government Board. The forty-second Annual Report of the Local Government Board was submitted.

Offices. A letter was read from the Clerk to the Trustees of the Barnet Chancel Estate - consenting to the use of the Church House - for meetings on the lines suggested by the Council.

Motor Speed Limit. A letter was read from the Automobile Association and Motor Union thanking the Council for their vote of sympathy on the decease of Mr. Francis Wilde.

Motor Car Acts. Arterial Road Communication. Letters and information from the Local Government Board on these subjects were submitted and laid on the table.

Land Values. Public Rights of Way Bill.

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A letter from the Inland Revenue Commissioners as to Land Values in respect of the Depot, together with a communication from the Commons and Footpaths Preservation Society regarding the Public Rights of Way Bill, were submitted and referred to the Finance Committee and the General Purposes Committee respectively for consideration and report.

Wood Street Paving. A letter dated the 24th ulto was read from the Local Government Board sanctioning the borrowing of £1,650 repayable within a period not exceeding 5 years, in respect of the repaving of Wood Street. The Surveyor reported that the preparation of the specification in connection with the advertisements for tenders was in hand.

Hoardings. A letter was read from the Committee of Barnet Victoria Cottage Hospital calling attention to the hoardings on Barnet Hill, and adding that the Committee would support any action of the Council in making bye-laws to deal with this matter.

The Council then resolved itself into Committee.

Barnet Common Estate. The Clerk submitted a draft of a communication proposed to be sent by him to Mr Byfield following the General Purposes Committee's Report of the 1st instant,

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and on the motion of Cr Mainland, duly seconded, the letter was approved.

Postal Service. A letter was read from the Secretary of General Post Office stating that the Postmaster General was unable to establish an additional delivery of letters at Barnet, but had sanctioned a collection between 11 p.m. and 12-30 a.m. in place of the existing collection between 5 and 6 a.m. On the motion of Cr Williams, seconded by Cr Pearson, it was unanimously resolved - "That in reply the Post Office Authorities be asked to institute a fifth delivery of letters daily at Barnet, and to generally expedite the transmission of letters in this district."

Accounts. The following Cheques were drawn:-

126	Collector of Taxes	Income Tax on Farm. Offices &c.		35	0	1
"	Ditto	Ditto on Fire Station		5	6	1
"	J. Inns	Hay & Straw		19	0	0
"	H. W. Poole	Phoenix Assurance Co., premiums		1	7	6
"	G. L. Wilson & Co Ltd	Lime & Cement		16	18	11
"	Oxford Steam Plough Co.	Hire of Roller		6	9	6
"	Inns & Co.,	Sand		3	18	1
"	J. Smart & Son	Gravel		7	17	3
"	H. Brazier	Hoggin		2	2	4
"	Enderby Co., Ltd	Granite		11	6	6
"	Boots Cash Chemists	Disinfecting Powder		3	15	0
"	E. J. Pratt	Fireman's Trousers			14	0
"	E. S. Wheatley	Printing		5	12	0
"	C. Cowing & Son	Ditto & Advertising		10	6	9
"	Shaw & Sons	Stationery		1	6	0

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			126	J. Cowing — Stationery		2	7	0
			4	A. West & Partners — Tracings		2	5	4
			4	Royal Insurance Co. — Fidelity Guarantee Premium		4	6	0
			4	Barnet Chancel Estate — Hire of Church House		1	1	0
			4	W. C. Edwards — Commission & Post to Dec. 31st		33	7	11
			4	Sanitary Inspector — Salary to January 31st 1914		13	15	0
			4	Surveyor's Assistant — Salary to do		6	13	4
			4	W. J. Ridgway — Salary to do		2	10	0
			4	Collector of Customs & Excise — On a/c of Income Tax on Loans.		30	0	0
			124	London County etc. Bank. — Interest on Normandy Av: (first portion) Loan to Dec 31st		7	16	7
			4					
			4	Prudential Assurance Co., — Loan due Jan: 10th (High Street Paving. Balance £1,178-6-9.		43	11	8
			4	do. — Loan due 20th January (Alston Rd Improvement (Land). Balance £123-14-7.		5	2	4.
			4	do. — Loan due 20th January (Alston Rd Improvement, Balance £116-6-8.)		8	16	8
			4	Public Works Loan Board. — Loan due January 9th (Glebe Land, Balance £3,055-10-0)		88	15	10
35	0	1	4	do — Loan due January 9th (Sewage Disposal Works, Balance £6,161-13-8		179	19	4
5	6	1	4					
19	0	0	4	do — Loan due January 24th (Sewage Works Balance £720-0-0)		45	14	0
1	7	6	4					
16	18	11	4	do — Loan due January 24th (Land for Housing, Balance £2,481-14-5)		46	13	4
6	9	6	4					
3	18	1	4	do — Loan due January 24th (Erection of Workmen's Dwellings, Balance £5,601-14-2)		116	4	0
7	17	3	4					
2	2	4	4					
11	6	6	4	do — Loan due January 24th (Erection of Workmen's Dwellings, Balance £4,683-3-3).		94	0	0
3	15	0	4					
	14	0	4	do — Balance of £36 in respect of transfer of Glebe Land & Sewage Disposal Loan			9	2
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			128	Surveyor — Labour		164	0	0
			4	Clerk — Petty Cash		10	0	0
			4	Captain of Fire Brigade — do			10	7
			126	Do. — Potters Bar Fire Expenses		5	16	6
			124	Do — Bruce Road Fire Expenses &c.		2	2	10.
				Housing Rent Account.				
			126	Collector of Taxes — Income Tax on land			12	3
			4	Do — do on Cottages (Mays Lane)		17	10	0
				Glebe Land & Sewage Disposal Loan A/c.				
			138	Public Works Loan Board — Repayment of unexpended balance		35	10	10
				Alf Malin				
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17	10	0						
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Tuesday 20th January 1914.

At a Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date at 8 p.m. there were present:-

Cr. A.G. Malins, J.P. (Chairman)
" W.H. Abercrombie
" G.J. Aldridge
" J.T. Chapman
" H. Eames
" H.W. Hackforth-Jones, J.P.,
" F.C. Jennings
" J.F. Mainland J.P.
" J.W. Pearson
" J.L.H. Thomas
" H.R. Tinsley
" E.J. Williams.

with Dr. C.F. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health), Mr. W.F. Wilkins, (Surveyor) Mr. C.W. Hill (Sanitary Inspector), H.W. Poole (Clerk & Solicitor), and A.E. Dolton (Assistant & Finance Clerk).

Minutes. On the motion of the Chairman, duly seconded, the Minutes of the Meeting of the 6th January, 1914, were taken as read and signed.

Housing of the Working Classes. A letter dated the 19th inst., from Mr. H.P. Eames stating that he was now ready for a further meeting of the Housing of the

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Working Classes Committee to consider the Specification and the amended design for the proposed Flats, was referred to the Chairman of that Committee for attention.

Town Planning. On the motion of Cr. Abercrombie, seconded by Cr. Pearson, it was resolved, nem. con., "That the Report of this Committee dated the 12th instant be taken as read and adopted, and that in future the whole of the members of the Council constitute the Town Planning Committee."

General Purposes. Wood Street. Ditch. New Offices. Cr. Mainland moved "That the Report of this Committee dated the 16th inst., be taken as read and adopted" The motion having been seconded by Cr. Jennings, Cr. Williams moved - That the Report be adopted subject to the deletion of the last paragraph on p. 327 headed 'Wood Street Ditch." The amendment was seconded by Cr. Aldridge, and not carried, there voting For: Crs. Abercrombie and Williams: Against: Crs. Chapman, Eames, Jennings, Mainland, Malins, Pearson, Thomas and Tinsley. Cr. Pearson then moved as a further amendment "That the Report be adopted subject to a sum of £12-12-0 instead of £10-10-0 being paid to Mr. Wm Plumpton under the item headed 'New Offices' at p. 326." This was seconded by Cr. Abercrombie and carried unanimously" The Report

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as amended was then adopted nem. con..

Gas & Water. The Surveyor submitted a notice from the Barnet District Gas and Water Co.. of their intention to lay a 6-in and a 10 in. gas main from the tram terminus along the south side of Wood Street to connect with the existing 10in gas main near Blenheim Road.

Fire Brigade. The Captain of the Fire Brigade submitted a report of a fire at "The Star" P.H., High Street, on the 14th instant, and on the motion of the Chairman duly seconded, a cheque for £2-2-6 was drawn in payment of the Brigade's expenses thereat.

Motor Speed Limit A letter dated the 6th instant was read from the Clerk of the County Council asking for names of Councillors who would be prepared to give evidence in support of the extended speed limit at the forthcoming Local Government Board Inquiry. to which the Clerk had replied giving the names of Cllrs Malins and Jennings.

New Offices. With reference to the recent Public Inquiry herein, a letter dated the 6th instant was read from the Local Government Board stating that they considered the scheme to be generally satisfactory with the exception of the steel work, which should be increased in

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section and depth and that details should be supplied as to drainage, etc. the plans being returned for that purpose. The Board added they would defer sanction to any loan until tenders for the works had been provisionally accepted, and a fresh estimate submitted based on such tenders, and should the cost be increased a further resolution would have to be passed by the Council. The Clerk stated that the plans had been amended by Mr. Cheers and returned to the Board.

Electric Lighting. A letter was read from the County Council with regard to the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Bill, 1914, and enquiring whether this Authority wished to seal the petition of the Herts County Council against the Bill.

The Clerk submitted a Report upon the Bill, especially as to the effect Clause 24 thereof might have upon the purchase of the undertaking by the Council. On the motion of Cr. Mainland, seconded by Cr. Abercrombie, it was resolved: That the Clerk address a communication to the Company asking them if they are prepared to safeguard the interests of the Council as regards the Clause referred to, and that should their reply be unsatisfactory, the County Council be asked to oppose the Bill on this Authority's behalf; and further that the Company's attention be called to the fact that the steps taken by them for proceeding under the Order recently obtained with the Council's consent as to lighting at Arkley are inadequat

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in the interests of residents in the Parish.

Main Roads. With reference to the paragraph under this head at p. 310 of the Councils' Minutes, a letter was read from the East Barnet Valley Urban District Council, inviting the appointment of two respresentatives and the Surveyor from this Authority to a Conference on the subject at their offices on Monday the 26th instant, at 3. p.m. On the motion of Cl. Mainland seconded by Cl. Williams it was resolved:- "That the invitation to Conference be accepted, but that it be suggested the appointment should be held in the evening." On the motion of Cl. Hackforth Jones, duly seconded, Cls. Eames and Pearson were appointed as the representatives referred to, together with Cl. Thomas should Cl. Pearson be unable to attend.

Motor Fire Engine. Hoardings. Cl. Pearson reported that Messrs. Leyland Motors Ltd. were sending a Motor Fire Engine to Barnet Fire Station for inspection and test on Saturday next, the 24th instant between 2.30. and 3 p.m., and that Messrs Merryweather were also sending an engine on the 31st instant at about 1 p.m. A letter was read from Messrs Morris & Sons enclosing particulars of their machines, and the communication was handed to Cl. Pearson for attention.

A letter dated the 17th instant, was

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read from the Barnet Ratepayers' Association endorsing the action of the Council in deciding to replace the existing fire engine by a motor engine, and expressing the Association's satisfaction at the steps being taken by the Council to promote byelaws to control the erection of hoardings in the district. On the motion of Cr. Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr. Williams, it was resolved "That the Council acknowledge the communication and express their satisfaction at the attitude adopted by the Association."

Steam Fire Engine Brakes. It was reported that in company with Cr. Thomas and the Captain of the Fire Brigade, Messrs. Merryweather would examine the brakes of the steam fire engine, at 11. a.m. on the 21st inst., after which a report would be submitted thereon as desired by the Council. (P.305)

Hoardings. Cr. Pearson moved in accordance with notice given - "That the Clerk be instructed to open negotiations with the owners for the removal of the hoardings in the field adjoining the Victoria Cottage Hospital" The motion was seconded by Cr. Mainland, and carried, nem con.

Fire Station. In accordance with notice given Cr. Pearson also moved - "That the Surveyor be instructed to prepare plans and specifications for at once carrying out the alterations to the boundary of the Fire

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Station yard so as to include the land recently acquired from Mr. Harnett." The motion was seconded by Cr. Jennings, and carried, nem. con.

~~The Council then resolved itself into Committee.~~

Barnet Common Estate. Letters dated the 7th & 10th instant were read from the Clerk to Mr. Byfield on this subject, together with a letter from Mr. Byfield dated the 9th instant. A further communication is now awaited from Mr. Byfield as promised by him.

Totteridge. A letter dated the 10th inst. was read from the County Council stating that it was possible the Local Government Board would confirm the Order for the inclusion of Totteridge within this Urban Area, omitting Article ~~XV~~ which it is understood the Board considers to be ultra vires.

Town Planning. Correspondence was read between the Clerk and the Totteridge Parish Council from which it appeared that Colonel Boulton and Mr. H. E. Haward (or failing the latter Mr. C. Dunch) had been appointed representatives to serve on the Town Planning Committee of this Authority. A letter dated the 15th instant was read from the County Council, together with the Clerk's reply thereto, as to opposition to the proposed scheme of the Finchley Urban District Council for town planning a portion of the

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Parish of Totteridge.

Accounts. The following cheques were drawn:-

Debit Folio Ledger	Payee	Particulars	£	s.	d.
128	Wm. Plumpton	Duplicating Bills of Quantities re New Offices	12	12	0
"	W. J. Ridgway	"The Star" P.H Fire Expenses	2	2	6

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Chairman

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Tuesday 3rd February 1914

At a Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date at 8 p.m there were present :-

Cr A. G. Malins, J.P. (Chairman)
" W. H. Abercrombie
" G. J. Aldridge
" J. T. Chapman
" H. Eames.
" F. W. Hackforth-Jones J.P.
" F. C. Jennings.
" J. F. Mainland J.P.
J. W. Pearson
" C. V. Sheppard
" J. L. H. Thomas
" H. R. Tinsley
" E. T. Williams
" A. J. Wills

with F. C. T. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health), Mr W. F. Wilkins (Surveyor) Mr C. W. Hill. (Sanitary Inspector) H. W. Poole (Clerk and Solicitor), and A. E. Dolton (Assistant and Finance Clerk).

Minutes. On the motion of the Chairman, duly seconded, the Minutes of the Meeting of the 20th January 1914, were taken as read and signed.

Public Rights of Way Bill Various acknowledgments were submitted with

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reference to the resolutions dealing with this Bill passed by the Council at their last meeting.

Farm. On the motion of Br. Chapman, seconded by Br. Barnes, the Report of this Committee dated the 29th January, was taken as read and adopted.

General Purposes. On the motion of Br. Mainland seconded by Br. Jennings, the Report of this Committee dated the 29th January, was taken as read and adopted.

Plans. Moon Lane. With reference to the plans for a Bungalow in Moon Lane (referred to at p. 332 of the General Purposes Committee's Report), the Clerk verbally reported that he had considered the question of drainage, and there was no reason why the system proposed should not be carried out.

Postal Facilities. Brs. Abercrombie, Thomas and Williams were appointed as the Sub-Committee in connection with this matter referred to at p. 333 of the General Purposes Committee's Report.

Finance. On the motion of Br. Hackforth-Jones seconded by Br. Jennings, the Report of this Committee dated the 29th January, was taken as read and adopted.

Land Values. Depot. A letter of even date was read from Messrs. Harland & Son stating they would advise the Council in this matter at a nominal fee of one guinea, to include — negotiating for an amended Provisional

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Valuation, if necessary. Instructions were given for the matter to be proceeded with on these lines.

Road Repairing and Lighting. On the motion of Cr. Pearson, seconded by Cr. Abercrombie, the Report of this Committee of even date was adopted. On the like motion Cr. Thomas was appointed a member of this Committee.

Town Planning. Arterial Roads. A circular letter dated the 31st instant was read from the Local Government Board asking that representatives should be appointed on — Sectional Conferences dealing with this matter, that for the Northern Section, in which this District is situate, being held at the Local Government Board Office, on Monday, March 16th at 2.30 pm. On the motion of Cr. Hackforth-Jones seconded by Cr. Pearson, Crs. Abercrombie and Malins were appointed as such representatives.

A letter dated the 2nd instant was read from the Totteridge Parish Council stating that they had approached the Herts County Council and the Barnet Rural District Council to obtain their assistance in — opposing the town planning scheme of — Finchley, as affecting Totteridge. The Clerk — submitted a report drawing attention to the necessity for the application of this Authority for sanction to prepare a Town Planning Scheme to be speedily forwarded to the Local Government Board. The Surveyor

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also reported upon the matter, and on the motion of Br Abercrombie, seconded by Br Pearson, it was resolved - "That the Local Government Board be asked for permission to submit with this Authority's application herein, one map shewing the combined particulars set forth on Maps Nos. 1 and 2."

Fire Brigade. On the motion of the Chairman duly seconded, a cheque for £1-13-0 was drawn in payment of the Brigades expenses in connection with the testing of a Motor Fire Engine on Saturday the 31st January.

Fire Engine Brakes. A letter was read from Messrs Merryweather Sons Ltd., with reference to the brakes on the Steam Fire Engine, and instructions were given for the necessary work to be put in hand according to particulars submitted by Brs Pearson and Thomas.

Weekly Rest Day Bill. Arkley Lane. Underhill School. Letters on these subjects from the Lord's Day Observance Society, Mr Wm. Ware and the Barnet Workmens Association respectively, were submitted and referred to the General Purposes Committee for consideration and report.

Shop Act, 1912. A letter dated the 31st January was read from the County Council, enclosing a print of an Order made by them on the 10th November last, fixing the Weekly Half Holiday for certain non-exempted shops at Barnet, also a print of an Order exempting photographers' businesses at Barnet from the obligation to close for the

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Weekly Half Holiday.

Tolleridge. A letter was read from Sir Charles Longmore in reply to one from the Clerk suggesting that the latter should communicate with the Local Government Board pressing them for the confirmation of the Order for the inclusion of the Parish of Tolleridge, having regard to the pending elections. This has been done by the Clerk.

Nuisances. Mays Lane. Correspondence was submitted from the Solicitor to the Owner of Vale Cottage Farm with reference to the pending service of notices from this Authority and the Clerk's reply of the 2nd instant was read and approved.

Housing of the Working Classes. A letter was read from the Barnet Ratepayers' Association inviting the Council and its Officers to a lecture on this subject to be held on Wednesday, the 11th instant, at 8.15 at the Co-operative Hall.

Street Noises. Cr. Aldridge moved, in accordance with notice given "That the attention of the Police be directed to the annoyance caused by hawkers calling their wares in the streets within the District and that the police be requested to enforce the Bye-law dealing with the matter as made by the Hertfordshire County Council under S.16 of the Local Government Act 1888." The motion

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	was seconded by Cl. Williams, and carried (Cl. Abercrombie voting contra).				
	The Council then resolved itself into Committee.				
	Electric Lighting. The Clerk read his Reports upon the provisions of the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Bill consequent upon an interview with Sir Charles Longmore, together with correspondence from the County Council and the North Metropolitan Co. On the motion of Cl. Tinsley seconded by Cl. Mainland, it was resolved - That authority be and is hereby given for the seal of the Council to be affixed to the petition of the County Authority against this Bill, such petition to embody the points enumerated in the Clerk's Report with Special Reference to Clauses 9, 22 and 24 of the Bill.				
	Totteridge Rate Collection. On the motion of Cl. Aldridge, seconded by Cl. Williams, a letter from Mr. W. H. Bennett asking that the Council would give him the offer of appointment as Urban District Rate Collector for the Parish of Totteridge, was referred to the Finance Committee for consideration and report.				
	New Offices. At 8.45 p.m. Mr. H. A. Sheers was in attendance with reference to the tenders received for the erection of New Offices and a Public Convenience as under:-				
	C. B. King Ltd — Hampstead		5798	0	0
	Clark & Sons — Cambridge		5800	0	0
	Allen Fairhead & Son — Enfield		5986	0	0

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				Markham & Markham — Victoria St., S.W.		5993	0	0
				Ekins & Co., Ltd — Hertford		5996	0	0
				H. & H. F. Higgs — Herne Hill		6055	0	0
				C. Brightman & Son Ltd., — Watford		6155	0	0
				Herbert Pickrill — Wealdstone		6365	0	0
				S. Redhouse & Son — Stotfold		6439	0	0
				W. Slough — Barnet		6460	0	0
				C. Lawrence & Sons Ltd. — City Road. N.		6471	0	0
				A discussion took place between the Council and Mr. Cheers with reference to the discrepancy between the figures quoted by him when submitting his plans and the amounts of the tenders received. After he had retired the Chairman and the Clerk at the request of the Council interviewed Mr. Cheers with regard to the sum which would be required by him in full discharge of the Council's liability towards him. Ultimately Mr. Cheers agreed to accept £100 in settlement of all claims he might have upon the Council, and on the motion of Cr. Hackforth-Jones seconded by Cr. Pearson it was resolved:- nem. con., "That the terms stated be agreed, and that a cheque for £100 be drawn in favour of Mr. Cheers. An agreement to this effect was prepared by the Clerk and signed by Mr. Cheers when the cheque was handed to him.				
				Suggestions as to the utilisation of another site were considered but not brought to a definite conclusion. Cr. Thomas gave notice that he would move at the next meeting - "That the Council adopt a new scheme embodying the erection of New Offices." On the motion of				
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				Cr. Wills seconded by Cr. Mainland, it was unanimously resolved - "That the further consideration of this matter be deferred to a special meeting to be convened by the Chairman". On the motion of Cr. Pearson seconded by Cr. Williams it was also resolved "That the amounts of the tenders received for the erection of New Offices be communicated to the Press but that the Council have decided not to accept any tender, and the architect whose plans were accepted has been paid the sum of £100 in full settlement of his competition premium and subsequent services.				
				Accounts. The following cheques were drawn :-				
			128	H. Newbery — Shoeing etc.,		8	9	10
			4	Ogles & Co — Loin Cloths		2	5	0
			4	B. Warsop Sons Ltd — Willow Setts		5	0	0
			4	G. Salmon — Materials & Appliances		1	14	4
			4	B. King — do		3	5	2
			4	J & G. Child — Repairs to Vehicles		2	11	9
			4	Barnet Gas Co. — Gas, Water & Tar		87	6	2
			4	J. Inns — Straw		4	0	0
			4	C. Briers — Forage		74	6	6
			4	Turner & Sisney Ltd — Pipes & Cement		5	6	4
			4	Enderby Co. Ltd — Granite		19	13	0
			4	Inn & Co. — Sand		4	5	6
			4	Saul & Son — Materials & Appliances		6	5	0
			4	Clinical Research Assn. — Examinations		3	3	0
			4	B. Harrisson — Repairs at Fire Station and		2	2	9
			4	— covering Wall in Normandy Avenue				
			4	H. Warren & Co — Coal		3	8	0
			4	E. J. Pratt — Trousers (Fireman Hawkins)			12	6
			4	W. J. Ridgway — Expenses re Testing Motor Fire Engines		3	6	6
			4	Allen & Hanbury Ltd — Diphtheria Serum			10	3

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			128	North Metropolitan Co	Public Lighting to ditto	174	9	11
			4	London Telephone Service	Call Bell Removal Charges		15	4
			4	E. S. Wheatley	Printing	4	10	3
			4	E. Cowing	Ditto & Advertising	6	16	0
			4	B. B. Fuller	Advertising	5	1	0
			4	J. Cowing	Stationery	1	5	10
			4	Rayward Bros.	do	4	8	0
			4	Shaw & Sons	Books & Stationery	1	9	8
			4	J. Halden & Co., Ltd	Copy Plans	2	5	10
			4	E. Stanford Ltd	do	7	14	11
			4	Urban District Councils' Assoc.	Official Circular for 1914	2	2	0
			4	Collector of Taxes	Income Tax etc (Offices Site)	2	7	7
			4	A. Wiltshire	Copies of Supplemental Lists	1	13	8
			4	W. C. Edwards	Commission & Postages	51	3	9
8	9	10	4	Sanitary Inspector	Salary to Feby 28th	13	15	0
2	5	0	4	Surveyor's Assistant	do	6	13	4
5	0	0	4	Captain of Fire Brigade	do	2	10	0
1	14	4	4	do	Petty Cash		13	0
3	5	2	4	Surveyor	Labour	166	0	0
2	11	9	4	Equitable Life Assurance Co.	Loan due Feb. 6th	147	2	2
87	6	2	4		(Land for Sewage Works. Balance £3,293-18-9)			
4	0	0	4	Prudential Assurance Co.	Loan due Feb. 6th (Bells Hill			
74	6	6	4		Sewers) Balance £344-13-11)	26	13	9
5	6	4	4	Court Pride A.O.F.	Loan due Feb. 9th (Hydrants			
19	13	0	4		Balance £162-10-1)	7	13	4
4	5	6	4	Liverpool Victoria Legal	Loan due Feby 20th (Offices			
6	5	0	4	Friendly Society	Site Balance £993-8-4)	20	8	1
3	3	0	4	Public Works Loan Board	Loan due Feby 28th (Bells	31	7	6
2	2	9	4		Hill & Kay Lane Sewers Balance £250			
			4	W. J. Ridgway	Fire Engine Test Jan: 31st.	1	13	0
3	8	0	4	H. A. Cheers	In settlement of Claim in	100	0	0
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				Housing Rent Account.				
			136	C. D. Hill — Commission		3	10	5
			"	Collector of Taxes — Income Tax (Wells Cottages)		13	17	11
			"	Barnet Gas Co — Water to Lady Day		13	15	2
			"	District Fund A/c — Balance of Instalment of Loans		-	-	-
			"	" — Advanced on July 24th 1913		19	16	1
			"	do — On account of Instalment of Loans		-	-	-
			"	" — Advanced on January 24th 1914		76	17	4
				Housing Loan Account.				
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Tuesday 10th February 1914

At a Special Meeting of the Council duly convened and held on the above date at 8 P.m there were present

Cr. A. G. Mallins J.P. (Chairman)
" W. H. Abercrombie,
" G. J. Aldridge
" J. T. Chapman
" H. Eames
" F. W. Hackforth-Jones, J.P.,
" F. S. Jennings
" J. W. Pearson
" J. L. H. Thomas
" H. R. Tinsby
" E. T. Williams
" A. J. Wills

with Mr. W. F. Wilkins (Surveyor), Mr. E. W. Hill (Sanitary Inspector) H. W. Poole (Clerk and Solicitor) and A. E. Dolton (Assistant and Finance Clerk).

New Offices A letter was read from Cr. Mainland regretting his inability to be present and suggesting that the further consideration of this matter should be postponed until after the next election.

By leave of the Council, the following motion on the Agenda in the name of Cr. Thomas was withdrawn

"That all previous resolutions relating to the erection of municipal offices (excepting

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those which will permit the building of offices on a modified plan) be, and are hereby rescinded".

Cr Thomas then moved in accordance with notice given –

(1). "That the Surveyor be requested to issue instructions to Architects on the following bases: –

The provision of a Council Chamber, General Office and waiting room, Clerk's private office, Finance Clerk's account office, Strong room, Surveyor's office, Sanitary Inspector's office, Cloak room and Lavatory. Public Lavatory with men's and women's departments The erection of such offices not to exceed in cost the sum of £3000, inclusive of all fees."

(2) "That local Architects be invited to submit designs, in accordance with Surveyor's instructions, the designer of the plan accepted to be paid the sum of £15"

The first motion was amended to include the provision of a private office and laboratory for the Medical Officer, but no seconder was obtained to either of the motions.

Cr Hackforth Jones moved – "That the question of providing new office accommodation be deferred until after the next election" This was seconded by Cr Pearson and carried, there voting for: Crs Abercrombie, Chapman, Hackforth Jones Jennings, Malins, Pearson & Tinsley Against: Crs Aldridge, Barnes & Williams.

On the like motion instructions were given (nem. con.) for the decision arrived at to be communicated to the Press.

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Chairman.

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Tuesday 17th February 1914

At a Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date at 8 p.m. there were present

Cr. A. G. Malins. J. P. (Chairman)
" W. H. Abercrombie
" G. J. Aldridge
" J. T. Chapman
" H. Eames
" F. W. Hackforth-Jones J. P.
" J. H. Mainland J. P.
" J. W. Pearson
" J. L. H. Thomas
" H. R. Tinsley
" E. T. Williams
" A. J. Wills

with Dr. C. H. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health) Mr. W. F. Wilkins (Surveyor), Mr. C. W. Hill — (Sanitary Inspector) H. W. Poole (Clerk & Solicitor) and A. E. Dolton (Assistant & Finance Clerk.)

Minutes. On the motion of the Chairman duly seconded the Minutes of the meetings of the 3rd and 10th February, 1914. were taken as read and signed.

Postal Facilities. A letter dated the 6th instant was read from the East Barnet Valley Urban District Council, stating that representatives had been appointed

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by them to consider the matter of postal facilities, and asking for a joint meeting of the representatives of both Authorities. It was agreed to suggest Friday the 27th instant at 7. p.m. for the purpose, at the offices of either Authority.

General Purposes. New Offices. On the motion of Cl. Mainland, seconded by Cl. Pearson, the Report of the General Purposes Committee dated the 12th instant was taken as read and adopted, subject to the recommendations under the head of "New Offices" at pp. 345/346, being altered to the effect that the matter is still under consideration.

Motor Fire Engine. On the motion of Cl. Pearson, seconded by Cl. Hackforth-Jones the Report of this Sub-Committee of even date was agreed to nem. con.,

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Town Planning. The Clerk submitted his report with regard to the Town Planning Meeting held by the Hinckley Council on the 9th instant. Letters dated the 12th and 14th instant were read from the National Housing and Town Planning Council, inviting the appointment of representatives to attend a Conference at the Westminster Palace Hotel on April 1st and 2nd; and on the motion of Cl. Mainland, seconded by Cl. Pearson, Cl. Abercrombie and Malins with the Surveyor and Sanitary Inspector were appointed as delegates, the total membership fee payable being two guineas.

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A circular letter dated the 12th instant was read from the Local Government Board enclosing a copy of amended Regulations made by them under the Housing, Town Planning etc. Act. 1909 to the terms of which the Clerk briefly referred.

Electric Lighting. The Clerk reported that in accordance with the instructions of this Authority, the common seal of the Council had been affixed to the Petition forwarded by the Hertfordshire County Council against the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Bill, and the receipt of which had since been acknowledged by the County Authority

Old Age Pensions. A letter dated the 4th instant was read from the County Council appointing Cr. Hackforth-Jones as this Authority's representative on the Barnet Local Pension Sub. Committee in place of Cr. Lamb resigned.

Queen Elizabeth's Grammar School A letter of the 7th instant was submitted from the County Council confirming the Report of the Chairman herein on the 16th December last. (p. 309)

Road Repairing Committee. A letter dated the 9th instant was read from the County Council stating that the Vice Chairman of the Highways

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Committee desired to meet representatives of this Authority at the Holborn Borough Council Offices on Monday the 16th March at 11 a.m. with reference to this matter. Cllrs. Eames, Malins, Pearson and Thomas were appointed to attend the meeting.

Election. Notification was received from the County Council that Wednesday the 8th April had been appointed as the day of Election for Urban District Councillors, while the last day and hour for receipt of nominations would be noon on the 19th March.

Sanatoria. A circular letter on this subject was received from the Local Government Board, and the Clerk stated that he had called the attention of the Medical Officer of Health and the Sanitary Inspector to the communication.

New Offices. The following notice of motion standing in the name of Cllr. Williams, viz. "That Councillors be and are hereby requested to inspect the Brunswick House property with a view to purchase," was not proceeded with by him, but was moved by Cllr. Hackforth-Jones and subsequently withdrawn after the latter Councillor had made a statement on the Offices question.

Cllr. Eames moved in accordance with notice given - "That the Clerk be instructed to furnish a full statement of all Expenditure of the late scheme for New Offices up to date" The motion was seconded by Cllr. Mainland

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and carried (nem. con) in the following — amended form as suggested by Cr. Williams "That the Clerk be instructed to furnish a full statement of all receipts and expenditure of the late scheme for New Offices immediately after the settlement of Mr. McEwan-Wagforn's account."

Housing of the Working Classes. Cr. Aldridge moved in accordance with notice given - "That in accordance with the letter dated January 19th, received from Mr. H. P. Eames tenders be invited forthwith for the erection of buildings on both sides of the proposed new road on the Housing Estate and that application be made to the Local Government Board for sanction to borrow a sufficient sum for the purpose" The motion was seconded by Cr. Hackforth-Jones, but not carried, there voting for Cr. Aldridge. Against: Cr. Abercrombie, — Chapman, Mainland, Malins, Pearson, and Wills.

Fire Brigade. By leave of the Council the figures submitted with regard to the Fire Brigade, in reply to a question by Cr. Insley, on the 2nd September, 1913, were considered: and on the motion of Cr. — Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr. Pearson it was resolved (nem. con) "That the figures relating to the expenditure and upkeep of the Brigade be printed and circulated"

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				Wood Street Paving. The Clerk and Surveyor reported upon this matter as requested by the General Purposes Committee at p. 344, and on the motion of Cr. Hackforth Jones, seconded by Cr. Pearson, it unanimously resolved "That the tender of Mr. Thomas Adams of £1.710-12-3 be accepted for the work of repaving Wood Street, subject to the usual bond with two satisfactory sureties."				
				Accounts. The following cheque was drawn:-				
			129	W.J. Ridgway — Expenses re Whelm Laundry Fire, and Motor Fire Engine Exb		7	13	3

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Tuesday 3rd March 1914

At a Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date at 8 p.m. there were present

Cr. A. G. Malins, J.P., (Chairman)
" W. H. Abercrombie,
" G. J. Aldridge
" J. T. Chapman
" H. Eames
" H. S. Jennings
" H. W. Hackforth-Jones J.P.,
" J. F. Mainland J.P.
J. W. Pearson
" J. S. A. Thomas
" H. R. Tinsley
" E. T. Williams
" A. J. Wills

with Dr. C. F. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health), Mr. W. F. Wilkins (Surveyor) Mr. C. W. Hill (Sanitary Inspector), Mr. W. J. Ridgway (Captain of the Fire Brigade), H. W. Poole (Clerk and Solicitor), and A. C. Dolton (Assistant and Finance Clerk)

Minutes. On the motion of the Chairman duly seconded the Minutes of the meeting of the 17th February 1914, were taken as read and signed.

Farm Workmen. Cr. Chapman moved "That the Report of the Farm Committee dated the

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26th ulto., be taken as read and adopted, subject to the omission of the paragraph headed "Workmen". The motion having been seconded by Br. Jennings Br. Williams moved as an amendment "That the Report be adopted, but that a sum of £2-0-3 be expended for the purchase of 3 waterproof coats and caps for the men at the Farm, in lieu of the recommendation contained in the paragraph headed "Workmen". The amendment was seconded by Br. Abercrombie, and carried nem con

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General Purposes Br. Mainland moved and Br. Pearson seconded "That the Report of this Committee dated the 26th February be taken as read and adopted" The following amendment was moved by Br. Aldridge, and seconded for purposes of discussion by Br. Hackforth-Jones "That the Report be adopted, subject to the paragraph headed 'Storm Water Ditches' Moxon Street' being referred back for further consideration". No support being obtained to the amendment the motion for the adoption of the Report was then put and carried nem. con.

Finance On the motion of Br. Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Br. Jennings, the Report of this Committee dated the 26th February was taken as read and adopted.

Postal Facilities. A letter dated the 28th ulto was read from the East Barnet Valley Urban District Council enclosing the following resolutions which were unanimously passed by the Joint Committee on the 27th February

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for consideration by the respective Authorities

(1) "That in the opinion of this Joint Committee, it is desirable that the whole of the Urban Districts of Barnet and East Barnet Valley should be included in the London Postal District or, if that cannot be obtained, that arrangements should be made for (a) a fifth delivery of letters, (b) the Barnet and New Barnet post-offices to be kept open until 9 o'clock in the evening, and (c) the raising of the postmen in that part of the two districts which is at present outside the London Postal District to the higher grade status, and that the two Councils be recommended to approve this resolution".

(2) "That in the event of the two Councils approving the above resolution, a joint deputation be appointed to interview the Postmaster General in support thereof and that each Council be recommended to appoint three representatives on such deputation."

Cr. Malins moved the adoption of the first portion of the Report with reference to inclusion in the London Postal Area. This was seconded by Cr. Williams, but not carried, there voting For Crs Malins, Thomas and Williams Against: Crs Abercrombie, Chapman, Eames, Hackforth Jones, Jennings, Pearson, Tinsley and Wills. Cr. Williams moved the adoption of part (a) as to a fifth delivery

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of letters, and this was seconded by the Chairman but not carried, there voting For: Cr Hackforth Jones, Malins, and Williams. Against: Cr Abercrombie Chapman, Jennings, Pearson, Thomas and Wills. Part (b) was not dealt with, and part (c), moved by Cr Abercrombie, and seconded by Cr Williams was carried, nem. con. (Cr Aldridge refraining from voting).

Fire Engine Sub-Committee. On the motion of Cr Pearson, seconded by Cr Chapman, the Report of this Sub-Committee of even date was adopted, nem. con.

Wood Street Paving. On the motion of Cr Pearson, seconded by Cr Mainland, the seal of the Council was affixed to the Contract with Mr. J. Adams for works of paving, kerbing, and channelling in Wood Street, and instructions were given to the Surveyor to issue the order for the commencement of the work.

Electric Lighting. Prints of the Petition to the House of Lords against the North Metropolitan Electric Supply Bill were submitted, and instructions were given for Mr. Poole to attend before the Committee of the House and give evidence in support of the petition as asked for by Sir Charles Longmore.

New Offices. A letter dated the 19th February was read from Mr. McEwan Waghorn asking for the Bills of Quantities sent in by Messrs King Ltd, to be forwarded to him in order that he

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might make up his account. The Bills of Quantities were received from Messrs King Sttd., on the 2nd instant, and will be forwarded to Mr Wagborn.

Land Union. National Cottage Society. Royal Institute of Public Health. Urban District Councils Association. Letters from these various Associations etc were submitted and laid on the table.

Totteridge. A letter dated the 26th ultimo was read from the Local Government Board — enclosing an Order made by them confirming the Order of the Herts County Council for the inclusion of the Parish of Totteridge in the Urban District of Barnet, subject to a slight modification of Article VIII and the omission of Article XV.

A letter dated the 25th February, was read from the Totteridge Parish Council asking whether this Authority would, under the provisions of Article V (4) of the Order, allow all books, etc., now under the control of the Parish Council to be deposited in the custody of the Vicar and Churchwardens of Totteridge from the date of commencement of the Order. The consideration of the matter was deferred until the Parish of Totteridge is represented on this Authority.

Housing of the Working Classes. A letter was read from the Local Government Board enclosing copy of a question to be asked in the House of Commons by Mr Kellaway, with reference to the

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Council's Housing Estate, and particulars for replying to the Question had been forwarded to the Board by the Clerk.

A circular letter of the 27th ulto. from the Board enclosing certain forms for completion dealing with the Housing Estate was referred to the Clerk and Inspector for reply.

Notice having been received from the Local Government Board of an Inquiry to be held by them at the Shire Hall, Hertford on the 10th March at 11 a.m. with reference to an application by the Herts County Council for an Order under s.13 of the Housing Town Planning etc Act, 1909, on the motion of Cr. Hackforth-Jones seconded by Cr. Pearson, Mr. Poole and Mr. Hill were directed to attend the Inquiry on behalf of this Authority.

Town Planning. A letter having been received from the London Society asking for particulars of the maps prepared by this Authority with reference to Town Planning, on the motion of Cr. Thomas, seconded by Cr. Aldridge, it was resolved - "That as much information as possible be forwarded."

High Street Paving. A letter dated the 13th February was read from Mr. Joseph Owen again asking if the Council would make him a further payment in respect of the work executed by him with regard to the Quantities for High Street Paving. On the motion of Cr. Pearson, seconded by Cr. Eames it was resolved (rem con.) "That a further sum of 15 Guineas

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making in all 50 Guineas be paid to him in full payment for his services."

Tramway Byelaws. New byelaws made by the Metropolitan Electric Tramways, Limited, with reference to the carriage of dogs on the Company's cars were submitted.

Road Repairing. A letter was read from the East Barnet Valley Urban District Council enclosing copy list of points upon which it was suggested information should be obtained at the coming conference with the Herts County Council on this matter.

Fire Brigade. The Report of the Eleventh Annual Meeting of the the Association of Professional Fire Brigade Officers was submitted.

Gas. A letter of even date was read from the Barnet District Gas & Water Co. stating that as from Lady Day next the price of gas to meter consumers would be reduced to 3/2 per 1000 cubic feet.

General District Rate. Cr Eames moved in accordance with notice given - "That in the future the half-yearly rate be made on April 1st and Oct. 1st respectively" The motion having been seconded by Cr Abercrombie Cr Williams moved as an amendment "That future Estimates for Rate be made at meetings of the Council to be held on the first Tuesday, and the Rate sealed on the third Tuesday in the months of March and

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and September." The amendment was seconded by Cr. Pearson and carried unanimously.

Meetings. Annual Meeting. On the motion of the Chairman, seconded by Cr. Hackforth-Jones it was resolved, nem con. - "That no meeting of the General Purposes Committee be held on Thursday, April 16th 1914, but that the Annual Meeting of the Council be held on the 21st April 1914."

The Council then resolved itself into Committee.

Postal Facilities. A letter was read from the Secretary of the General Post Office stating that as some difficulty had arisen in connection with the establishment of a collection between 11 p.m. and 12-30 a.m., and it had been represented that an early morning collection, which could be provided forthwith, would probably be preferred by the inhabitants, steps would be taken accordingly if the Council had no objection. No action was taken in the matter.

Totteridge Rate Collection. The letter from Mr. Bennett referred to in the report of the Finance Committee (p. 357) was considered, and the Clerk was directed to ascertain the amount of remuneration previously paid to Mr. Bennett for rate collection: also, to communicate with the County Council as to the question of compensation referred to in the Order.

Accounts. The following cheques were drawn:-

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129				Langley's Ltd. — Engine Oil			13	11
"				G. Inns — Hay		8	10	0
"				W. D. Wallis — Veterinary Fees		2	18	6
"				J. Bruton & Sons — Enamelled Plates		1	5	6
"				J. Gibb & Co., Ltd. — Gully Grates		4	10	0
130				Inns & Co — Sand		2	5	0
"				G. L. Wilson & Co Ltd — Pipes & Cement		5	13	10
"				J. Smart & Son — Hoggin		6	0	2
"				W. Cathcart & Son — Trees		4	0	6
"				W. J. Wells — Repairs etc			19	6
"				W. & T. Archer — Rotary Brooms		5	2	0
"				H. Hart — Sewer Rods		2	14	6
"				E. S. Wheatley — Printing		8	10	0
"				E. Cowing & Son — Ditto & Advertising		6	10	6
"				B. B. Fuller — Advertising		4	7	0
"				J. Cowing — Stationery		1	8	7
"				Shaw & Sons — do and "Justice of Peace"		1	13	0
"				M. D. & C. Clerks' Assn. — Official Circular for 1913-14		1	0	0
"				Mrs M. A. Gordon — Rates Returnable		1	4	6
"				H. Wheeler — do			5	0
"				Medical Officer of Health — Salary to Lady Day		15	0	0
"				Clerk — do		100	0	0
"				Surveyor — do		60	0	0
"				Ditto — Firing and Lighting to ditto		6	5	0
"				Governors of Grammar School — Rent of Offices to ditto		17	10	0
"				Sanitary Inspector — Salary to 31st March		18	15	0
"				Surveyor's Assistant — Salary to do		6	13	4
"				Captain of the Fire Brigade — Salary to do		2	10	0
"				Ditto — Petty Cash			17	5
"				Clerk — do		10	0	0
"				Surveyor — Labour		215	0	0
"				Ditto — Insurance Stamps		15	0	0
"				Ditto — Return of Deposits: New Offices & Wood Street Paving Tenders		35	14	0

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			130	Equitable Life Assurance Soc. Loan due March 1st (Paving. Balance £942-15-9)		164	19	4
			"	Blackburn Philanthropic Assurance Co. Ltd. Loan due March 9th (Union Street Paving. Balance £60-5-)		62	7	4
			131	J. Owen Balance fees re High Street Paving		15	15	0
				Housing Rent Account.				
			136	District Fund Account Transfer on Account		80	0	0
				Private Street Works Frontages Account.				
			133	London County, etc. Bank On account of Normandy Avenue Loan.		90	0	0
				Housing Loan Account No. 2.				
			142	Boulton & Paul Balance on Contract		406	13	8

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Tuesday 17th March 1914.

At a Council Meeting duly convened and held on the above date at 8 p.m., there were present:-

Cr A. G. Malins J.P. (Chairman)
" W. H. Abercrombie
" G. J. Aldridge
" J. T. Chapman
" H. Eames
" F. W. Hackforth-Jones J.P.
" H. E. Jennings
" J. H. Mainland J.P.
" J. W. Pearson
" E. V. Sheppard
" J. L. H. Thomas
" H. R. Tinsley
" E. T. Williams,
" A. J. Will.

with Dr. C. F. Hardie (Medical Officer of Health) Mr. W. H. Wilkins (Surveyor), Mr. C. W. Hill (Sanitary Inspector) Mr. W. J. Ridgway (Captain of the Fire Brigade), H. W. Poole (Clerk and Solicitor) and A. E. Dolton (Assistant and Finance Clerk).

Minutes. On the motion of the Chairman duly seconded, the Minutes of the Meeting of the 3rd instant were taken as read and signed.

Overseers. On the motion of Cr Jennings, seconded by Cr Chapman, the following persons

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were re appointed Overseers of the Poor for the Parish of Chipping Barnet for the ensuing year:- Samuel Huggins, George Daniels Malins and Ernest Harry Neal. On the motion of Cr. Pearson, seconded by Cr. Mainland, the following persons were re-appointed Overseers of the Poor for the Parish of Arkley, for the ensuing year:- Alfred Parmenter and Frank William Hackforth-Jones, J.P. On the motion of Cr. Abercrombie seconded by Cr. Mainland, the following person were re-appointed Overseers of the Poor for the Parish of Hadley for the ensuing year:- Thomas Charles and Arthur Nunneley. On the motion of Cr. Pearson, seconded by Cr. Chapman the following persons were re-appointed Overseers of the Poor for the Parish of South Mimms Urban for the ensuing year:- Herbert Grieve and Thomas Smith. On the motion of Cr. Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr. Pearson the following persons were re-appointed Overseers of the Poor for the Parish of Totteridge for the ensuing year:- Charles Dunch, George Ball and Josiah Kipping Mackay.

Totteridge School. On the motion of Cr. Abercrombie, seconded by Cr. Thomas, Mr. William Henry Bennett was reappointed representative School Manager for Totteridge Elementary School for the ensuing year.

Meetings. It was agreed that no meetings of the Farm and Finance Committees be held on the 2nd April, and that after the meeting of the General Purposes Committee on

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that evening, a special meeting of the Council be held for the purpose of sealing the Rates.

Farm. Cr Chapman moved the adoption of the Report of this Committee dated the 12th instant. The motion having been seconded by Cr Eames, Cr Mainland moved as an amendment - That the Report be - adopted, subject to the paragraphs headed "Farm Bailiff" and "Farm Workman" being referred back for further consideration The amendment was seconded by Cr Wills and not carried, there voting For Crs Mainland and Wills; Against Crs Abercrombie, Aldridge, Chapman, Eames, Jennings, Malins, Pearson, Sheppard Thomas, Tinsley, and Williams. The motion was then put and carried nem. con..

General Purposes. On the motion of Cr Mainland, seconded by Cr Pearson, the Report of this Committee dated the 12th instant was taken as read and adopted.

Finance. On the motion of Cr Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr Jennings, the Report of this Committee dated the 12th instant, was taken as read and adopted, with the omission of the paragraph at p. 69 referring to the making of a General District Rate.

On the motion of Cr Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr Pearson, it was resolved That a cheque for £2-18-4 be drawn

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in favour of the Sanitary Inspector, being balance of Salary to March 31st, and that a similar cheque be drawn for the period ending April 30th also that a cheque for 16-8 be paid to the Captain of the Fire Brigade for balance of retaining fee to April 30th."

General District Rate. On the motion of Br. Hackforth Jones, seconded by Br. Wills, it was resolved, nem. con, – "That a General District Rate of 1/8 in the £ be made and levied throughout the District, with the exception of the Parish of Lotteridge, for the half-year ending 30th September, 1914."

Housing of the Working Classes. On the motion of Br. Mainland, seconded by Br. Jennings, the Report of this Committee dated the 3rd March was taken as read and adopted, subject, on the motion of Br. Pearson, seconded by Br. Abercrombie, to the following words being added to the third paragraph thereof, namely:- "and that instructions [redacted] be given to the Architect to forthwith proceed to plot out the whole of the Estate shewing the Houses that are to be erected from time to time."

A letter was read from the Local Government Board enquiring the present position with regard to the Council's scheme for the erection of further cottages. On the motion of Br. Mainland, seconded by Br. Wills, it was resolved "That a reply be sent stating that so soon as the building trade is in a more settled state the Council intend to at once proceed with the matter."

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The Clerk read his report with reference to the attendance of the Sanitary Inspector and himself at the Inquiry at Hertford, on the 10th instant in connection with the application of the County Council for an Order under s13. of the Housing, Town Planning, etc. Act 1909, from which it appeared that such application was strongly opposed by most of the Urban & Rural District Councils there represented, and the matter would again be brought before the Council upon the Inquiry previous to a sanction for loan, should the application for the Order be granted.

Town Planning. Mr. Abercrombie reported upon his attendance at the sectional conference on this matter, held on the 16th instant, at the offices of the Local Government Board at which Conference, after dealing with the town planning question generally, it was stated that as regards this District the suggestion was to widen the railway bridge and the road at the foot of Barnet Hill and in order to relieve the congestion of traffic at Barnet Church, to construct a relief road from the foot of Barnet Hill on the east of High Street and linking with the Great North Road at the Northern extremity of the Council's District. The question of finances for this undertaking was not dealt with, as this was a matter outside the purposes of the Conference.

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Road Repairing. The Report of this Committee of even date was submitted, but the consideration thereof deferred until the next meeting.

Fire Brigade. On the motion of Br. Pearson, seconded by Br. Hackforth-Jones, the Report of this Committee of even date, was adopted.

Sanitary Inspector. A letter, dated the 11th instant, was read from the Local Government Board sanctioning the increase of Mr. Hill's salary as Inspector of Nuisances from £165 to £200 per annum, as from the 1st March, 1914.

Motor Speed Limit. A letter was read from the County Council enclosing copy communication from the Local Government Board on this matter, and asking where the proposed Inquiry could be held, and whether the Council wished to change their views with regard to the extension of the Speed Limit in Wood Street, owing to application having been received from the Royal Automobile Club for the removal of the existing speed limit in that thoroughfare. On the motion of Br. Jennings, duly seconded it was resolved - "That the County Council be informed the Inquiry could be held at the Church House, and that the Clerk be requested to attend such Inquiry on behalf of this Authority, to press for the retention of the existing limit in Wood Street, and the extension of

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the speed limit in High Street to the top of Barnet Hill".

Isolation Hospital. A letter dated the 13th. instant was read from the Barnet Isolation Hospital Committee, determining as from the 24th June next their tenancy of the Emergency — Isolation Hospital rented from this Authority. The letter was referred to the Clerk for report as to an inventory of goods on the premises belonging to the Council.

Urban District Councils' Association. A circular letter from this Association as to the 1914 Conference, was read and laid on the table.

Ophthalmia Neonatorum. A circular letter from the County Medical Officer of Health with reference to the General Order of the Local Government Board herein, was read, and referred to the Medical Officer of Health for attention.

Underhill School. A letter was read from the Barnet Urban Local Education Sub-Committee stating they had considered the question of proposed school accommodation at Underhill, and in their opinion any such application at the present time was premature.

Surveyor. A letter, dated the 16th instant having been received from Mr. W. H. Wilkins

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resigning his position as Surveyor to this Authority owing to his appointment as Surveyor and Inspector to the Borough of Dunstable, the matter was afterwards considered in Committee, and on the motion of Cr. Williams, seconded by Cr. Abercrombie, it was resolved - "That the resignation be received with regret, such resignation to take effect in accordance with the terms of the agreement between the Surveyor & the Council"

With regard to an application received from the Surveyor for extra remuneration in respect of his services as Architect for the erection of the Council's cottages in Mays Lane and Totteridge Lane, on the motion of Cr. Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Cr. Williams it was unanimously resolved - "That taking into consideration the work rendered by Mr. Wilkins in connection with the erection of houses on the building estate, this Council agrees that a special fee should be paid to him for his services."

A letter was read from the Local Government Board stating that application had been made to them to confirm Mr. Wilkins' appointment as Inspector of Nuisances for the Borough of Dunstable, and asking whether during his service to this Authority he had discharged his duties satisfactorily. On the motion of Cr. Williams, seconded by Cr. Pearson the Clerk was requested to send a reply in the affirmative.

On the motion of Cr. Mainland, seconded by Cr. Wills, it was resolved nem. con., "That

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				advertisements be forthwith issued inviting applications for the post of Surveyor to this Authority, at a commencing salary of £250 per annum.				
				On the motion of Cr. Abercrombie, seconded by Cr. Dills, the Council passed a unanimous expression of appreciation of the services of Mr. Wilkins to this Authority.				
				Accounts. The following cheques were drawn:-				
			131	H. Newbery — Shoeing & Repairs		4	1	6
			4	Jr G. Child — Repairs to		5	16	0
			4	C. Briers — Fodder		46	5	0
			4	B. King — Materials, etc			9	1
			4	Barnet Gas Co. — Gas & Water		14	10	1
			4	John Inns — Forage		10	10	0
			4	Easton Bros. — Rye Grass seed		5	11	0
			4	G. Salmon — Materials			9	8
			4	W. J. Wells — Repairs to Harness		4	10	0
			4	G. F. Saul & Son — Materials		5	19	2
			4	Boots Cash Chemists — Disinfectants		4	0	3
			4	H. Hawkins & Sons — Repairs		2	16	4
			4	G. L. Wilson & Co. — Lime & Cement		4	14	3
			4	Enderby & Stoney Stanton Co. — Granite		64	14	6
			4	Ellis & Everard — Ditto		34	2	6
			4	J. Smart & Son — Gravel		39	8	2
			4	Oxford Steam Plough Co — Hire of Steam Roller		28	10	0
			4	W. D. Wallis — Veterinary Fees		2	2	6
			1	John Welch — Cartage		4	1	0
			4	Guardians of Barnet Union — Firewood			12	6
			4	F. Warren & Co — Coal		3	11	6
			4	London Telephone Service — Call Bells		2	0	3
			4	Captain of Fire Brigade — Retaining Fees etc		25	15	0
			4	North Met. Co — Public Lighting		172	4	10

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			131	Barnet Hospital Committee Maintenance of Patients		21	13	4
			4	E. S. Wheatley Printing		4	18	9
			4	E. Bowing & Son do & advertising		10	1	9
			4	J. Bowing Stationery		6	9	6
			4	Shaw & Sons do		1	5	9
			4	J. Haken Billposting			10	0
			4	S. M. Baldock Returns		2	5	0
			4	W. O. Boyes Summons Fees		5	14	0
			132	W. B. Edwards Commission		23	2	6
			4	Assistant & Finance Clerk. Salary to Lady Day		5	5	0
			4	London County &c Bank Interest on Normandy Loan		4	7	9
			4	Messrs Mercer & Hunn Notifications			15	0
			4	W. G. Harnett do			10	0
			144	Surveyor Labour		174	0	0
			4	Clerk Petty Cash		10	0	0
			132	Captain of Fire Brigade do			3	3
			4	Sanitary Inspector Balance of Salary for March		2	18	4
			144	Ditto Salary for April		16	13	4
			4	Surveyor's Assistant do		6	13	4
			4	Captain of Fire Brigade do		3	6	8
			4	Public Works Loan Board Loan due April 17th				
			4	(Arkley Sewerage, Balance £3.881-13-11)		123	1	0
				Housing Rent Account				
			136	H. Hawkins & Sons Repairs &c			7	5
			4	Barnet Gas & Water Co Water		13	15	2
				Housing Loan Account No 3				
			142	Saul & Son Wide Bages			11	8

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				On the motion of Br. Pearson, seconded by Br. Abercrombie, the undermentioned Cheque was also drawn:-				
				District Fund Account.				
132				W.J. Ridgway — Railway fares, board & lodging of Captain Ridgway & Fireman Pugh at Guildford, and services of Fireman Phillips at Fire Station.		2	2	4.
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Examined & found correct

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Friday 20th March 1914.

At a Special Meeting of the Council duly convened and held in Committee on the above date at 8 p.m. there were present:-

Cr. A. G. Malins J.P. (Chairman)
" W. H. Abercrombrie
" G. J. Aldridge
" J. T. Chapman
" H. Eames
" F. W. Hackforth-Jones J.P.
" J. F. Mainland J.P.
" S. V. Sheppard
" J. L. H. Thomas
" W. R. Tinsley
" E. J. Williams
" A. J. Wills.

with the Clerk and Solicitor, and the Assistant and Finance Clerk.

Electric Lighting. The Clerk referred to his report of the 17th January with reference to the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Bill and the Councils opposition thereto in the House of Lords, and submitted a confidential communication from Sir Charles Longmore stating he thought it possible that if the Council would give up all their powers of purchase of the undertaking of the Distribution Company he could get them the sum of £2000 and asking whether this sum would be likely to be accepted.

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The matter was fully discussed, and on the motion of Br. Hackforth-Jones, seconded by Br. Thomas, Mr. Poole was requested to consult the Board of Trade in the matter, and report thereon to the Council.

Surveyor. Applications having been received for the names and addresses of Councillors in connection with the filling of this vacancy, instructions were given to the Clerk to reply that only the formal application and one copy each of three testimonials would be required from the applicants, any communication with individual members of the Council being considered a disqualification.

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Chairman

AUDITED
22 JUL. 1914
J. Wilkinson
ASSISTANT DISTRICT AUDITOR.