

March 16th 1967.

A Parish Meeting was held (according to notice duly published) in the Village Hall, Willand, on Thursday, March 16th, 1967.

Present:- Mr. R. Salter (in the chair), Mr. E. Rogers (clerk to the Parish Council) and 21 Parishioners.

Minutes.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and confirmed.

Parish Council Accounts.

The Audited Financial Statement of the Parish Council for the year ended March 31st 1966 was laid before the Meeting and unanimously approved.

Parochial Charities.

The Accounts (uncompleted as the year has not yet ended) of the Parochial Charities were produced by the Rector, examined and approved.

Reports.

The Chairman of the Parish Council made his report also the Chairman of the Village Hall Committee and Mrs. Godfrey reported with Accounts of Youth Council and on Miss Partridge's proposition the Rev. Napson was elected Chairman of this Council.

Proposed new Burial Ground.

The Meeting was told by the Chairman of the Parish Council that the time had come when it was very necessary to provide a Burial Ground in the Village as there is now very little space left in the Churchyard and

that part of the Allotment Field had been suggested for this purpose. Mr. Barnes as Representative on the District Council stated that this matter is still in committee stage but that the Rural District Council do not recommend this site for a Burial ground and a report has gone to Devon County Council for their comments.

Planning.

Mr. Macgill raised a question re planning at Townlands and Somerville Close and following considerable discussion it was decided that the meeting is not in agreement with the considerations taken into account of the development of the two sites with special aspects of safety on the road and that a letter be written to the Planning Authority expressing disgust of the planning of the two entrances to the Estates at Somerville Road and at Townlands in the Old Village. Mr. Downes seconded.

A.38 Road
at Gables Corner.

The Rector complained that a footbridge at this intersection of the A.38. Road is not the answer for pedestrians to cross the trunk road as it would be quite unsuitable for use by old people and perambulators. He recommended that the Parish Council seriously consider the placing of traffic lights at this point. Mr. Macgill seconded.

Robert Satter
Chairman,

March 14th 1968.