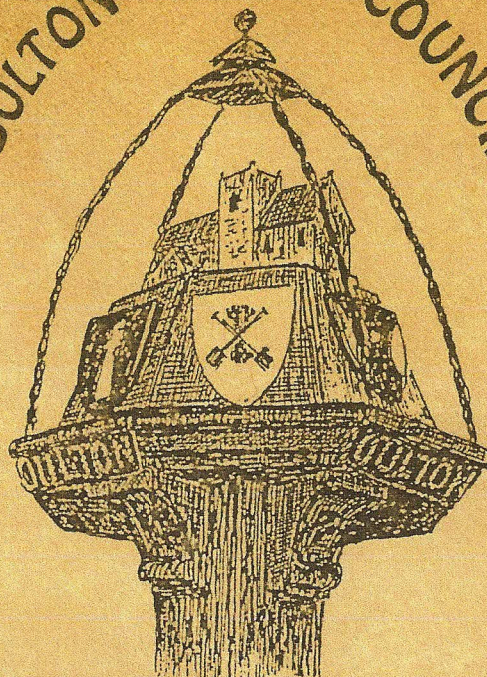


# OULTON PARISH COUNCIL

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## OULTON PARISH COUNCIL CENTENARY

This paper-weight was presented  
to:

*Councillor: Mr. Kenneth Alexander*

to mark the occasion of the Centenary of the first meeting of the  
OULTON PARISH COUNCIL:

It is one of only ten which were produced to present to the nine  
Councillors and Parish Clerk in office at the time.

The Councillors were:

MR. BRIAN HUNTER	-	CHAIRMAN:
MR. CHARLES SWAN	-	VICE-CHAIRMAN:
MRS. HILDA BURTON		
MRS. HEATHER BROWNE		
MR. KENNETH ALEXANDER		
MR. PATRICK FINNIGAN		
MR. PETER FLETCHER		
MR. JAMES GOODHEW		
MR. WILLIAM ROBERTSON		

MRS. EVELYN DUNGATE - Parish Clerk:

Signed: *E. J. Dungate*

13th December 1994



OULTON PARISH COUNCIL

M I N U T E S

of the first Parish Council Meeting  
held on 13th December 1894

Members of Oulton Parish Council at 14th February 1994:

Chairman: Mr.Brian Hunter

Vice-Chairman: Mr.Jeremy Hobbs

Councillors: Mr.K.Alexander

Mrs.Heather Browne

Mrs.Hilda Burton

Mr.Pat Finnigan

Mr.Jim Goodhew

Mr.Charles Swann

Mr.W.Robertson

Parish Clerk: Mrs.Eve Dungate



THIS IS A COPY OF THE MINUTES OF THE  
FIRST MEETING OF THE OULTON PARISH COUNCIL  
HELD ON THE 13TH DECEMBER 1894 AT 7.00PM.

The first meeting of the Council for the Parish of Oulton took place in the Board School on Thursday December 13th 1894 at 7.00pm.

The following members were present and signed the Official declaration on taking office.

Stafford Plowman	COX	Oulton
Edward	CHAMBERS	Oulton
James William	SWATMAN	Oulton
John	RUSHMERE	Oulton
Samuel	SEXTON	Oulton
George	OLDMAN	Oulton
Henry	BULL	Oulton
James Thomas	GOLDSMITH	Oulton
George Harding	SMART	Oulton
James Knights	JONES	Oulton
Clifford Rockhill	HARRISON	Oulton
George	BAXTER	Oulton

On the proposition of Messrs.Harrison and Swatman, Mr.S.P.Cox was elected provisional Chairman.

The business then proceeded in accordance with the Agenda drawn up by the Chairman of the Parish Meeting.

Mr.Chambers proposed and Mr.Oldman seconded that Mr.Stafford Cox be Chairman of the Council - no other name being seconded Mr.Cox was thus elected.

No member of the Council being proposed as Clerk the Chairman declared that the appointment of Clerk devolved upon Mr.George Herrivan, the Assistant Overseer.

Mr.Jones proposed with Mr.Harrison seconding that the question of the Clerk's salary be left over to the Annual Meeting in April 1895 when the Council will remunerate him for the duties he has performed up to that date. This was agreed to.

For the post of Treasurer to the Council Mr.J.T.Goldsmith was proposed by Messrs.H.Bull and C.Harrison and Mr.Chambers by Messrs.Jones and Baxter. Mr.Chambers having withdrawn, Mr.Goldsmith was duly elected.

Mr.George Oldman now gave notice that he desired the question of the election of a Vice-Chairman to be placed upon the Agenda for the next meeting.

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On the proposition of Messrs. Chambers and Baxter, it was resolved that a Committee consisting of the entire Council be formed to investigate and inspect the Parish documents and the contents of the Parish Chest with a view to making any necessary arrangements for the custody of the same and that this Committee shall meet for that purpose at such a time (preferably between the hours of 12 and 2) and on such a day during the first week in January 1895 as shall be most convenient to the Rector and the Churchwardens.

It was resolved that the following Councillors form a Committee to draw up Standing Orders for the regulation of the business of the Council and to bring them up at the next meeting - Messrs. Jones, Smart, Goldsmith, Swatman and the Chairman.

The next meeting was arranged for the second week in February 1895: