

No meeting was held at
Easter 1826 or 1827. but in
the former year the accounts
were inspected -

October 15 - 1827 - A meeting
of the Governors, convened by
resolution which was held in the
vestry of the Parish Church, to
examine the Accounts of the
Collectors (their former allowance
having been omitted at Easter
last) to take into consideration
the propriety of allowing the
vestry to take a limited
number of boarders, to fill up
any vacancy or vacancies which
may exist amongst the Governors,
and to determine upon the
matters connected with the
affairs of the Parish.

The accounts of up to Easter 1827
were presented, together with the vouchers,
appeared to be correct, and their final
allowance deferred till the legal meeting
at Easter next -

Resolved 1. That permission be
given to the Rector to take out ex-
ceeding three boarders, on the
condition that when six boarders
are boarded, he shall, at his own
charge, provide a competent Af-
fistant; such Affistant to be
removable at the will of the Gover-
nors.

+ 2. That the Application of W. For-
shaw for some assistance in
preparing the school of his present and
late schooler, be considered at Easte-
r.

3. That an application be made to
the Churchwardens, begging them
now that persons are employed about
the Church, to allow the expenses
to the Grammar School, and School
House; and, in the event of their
refusal, authority be given to the
collectors to repay to the Rector such
expenses as are already incurred
in his behalf.

4. That Mr. Mondsley's resignation
be entered on the Minutes as resolved

October 14 - 1827, and that the further consideration of the Appointment of Trustees be deferred till the Easter Meeting.

Leave was given to Mr. Palmer to keep present papers in the chest - Thomas Thomas Hoston in his private book, lodged in the chest - minutes

of said papers
J. J. H.
E. H.
J. S.

vicar of Cranbrook.

Edw. Houghton -
Jas Palmer

No meeting was held at Easter - but Pursuant to Regular Notice given in the Parish Church, a meeting of the Governors was held on Tuesday May 13 - 1828 - Resolved 1. That the accounts now presented - ~~and~~ not bearing date up to Easter Last be allowed, and signed by the Trustees present. 2. That the papers of the lodges occupied by James Smithwhite and Thomas Charnock be stored as soon as possible, and that the future appropriation of them be hereafter determined.

3. That Mr. Palmer be requested
to prepare a lease of the Me-
mories lot to George Allen
for 7 years from Good Friday
last - on the Terms already
arranged.

4. That ~~£ 25~~ ^{£ 25} be apportioned to
Mr. Forskew towards the expense
he incurred in respect of his
Assistance.

5. That the consideration of the
appointment of new Trustees
be deferred till the next
Meeting.

I signed

Joshua Thomas Horton
Chairman of our Society

Theo Brandegee
Jas Palmer

At a meeting of the Trustees
of the Grammar School, held
pursuant to the Statutes on
Easter Tuesday - April 21.
1829 -

Present Mr Palmer, Mr Brond-
with, Mr. Houghton -

The Vicar of church in
the choir -

- Resolved -
1. That the accounts
now presented, be allowed, and
signed by the Trustees now present.
 2. That Mr. Palmer be requested
to include the Cwth duty in the
account of his, Brondwith, in
his lease to George Allen.
 3. That Mr. Brondwith and Mr.
Palmer be requested to continue
in the office of Collectors - and that
they being willing to act, be elect-
ed accordingly -
 4. That a bill presented by Mr. For-
shaw for certain alterations -
amounting to £1.12.0 be paid.
 5. That so soon as complete Ref-
erence can be obtained of the
estate occupied by St. Michael's

a well be built along the
front of the garden on the
North side of the school, in
continuation of the wall round
the adjoining field.

6. It is so soon as the stew
churchwardens are sworn in,
the Trustees of the Grammar
School do confer with them
on the subject of Resolutions

3rd of October 15. 1827 —

Signed

John Thomas Weston

Edw. Haughton.

Thos Brandreth

Jas Palmer

1827

At a Meeting of the Trustees
of the Grammar School,
present W. Broadbent, W.
Palmer,

The Rev^d. J. J. Foster in the
Chair.

Resolved 1. That the Cottages lately
occupied by Thomas Chownock
and James Skonkivite be im-
mediately pulled down.

2. That W. Broadbent and W.
Palmer be requested and au-
thorised to communicate with
W. Stoker, relative to the Premises
lately occupied by Nancy
Keyes and Widow Woods, under
Miss Keyes's Execution.

3. That W. Fenshaw be author-
ized to appropriate the ground
on which the above-named Houses
stood, for the purposes of his Garden.

4. That the Trustees of the School
be willing to treat with the Survey-
ors of the Highways relative to
the widening and improving the
road in front of the Premises
aforesaid.

5. That such portion of the
materials of the store, as are
required for building a
shipper, as Mr. Foss has be-
allotted him for that purpose,
and that the remainder be
disposed of to the best advantage.

Signed -

Joshua Thomas Norton.

John Palmer
The Board

At a Meeting of the Governors
of the Grammar School, held,
pursuant to the Statutes, on
Easter Tuesday, April 13 -
1830.

Present - Mr Palmer, Mr Bond,
with,

The Rector of Bromwich in
the Chair -

Resolved 1. That the Bond
for £120 (together with shares)
borrowed in pursuance of Reso-
lution 2. of November 15. 1819,
having been paid off, be
cancelled, and placed in
the chest -

2. That it is herein recorded
that the plot of land enclosed
between the South West cor-
ner of the Grammar School,
and corresponding corner
of the Pock, being

or Sherbrooke, is the Property
of the Parish.

3. That £13.16.9 having
been already paid to
Mr. Palmer in furtherance
of the Proposal made by the
Parish, relative to the closing
of the entrance to the Grammar
School, through the Church-
yard, be allowed - and
4. That an expense of £3 having
been incurred in taking
down the old Building, the
same be paid, and £5 be
allowed to Mr. Forshaw to-
wards the Materials employed
in the New erection -
5. That the Accounts now present-
ed, having been examined, be
allowed, and signed by the
Governors present.
6. That Mr. Broadbent and Mr.
Palmer be requested to
continue their Services as
Collectors, and having signi-
fied their readiness to do,

They are accordingly elected.

7. That Mr. Fenshaw's rent for the field be reduced to Six Pounds per Ann. and that he be allowed to occupy the Garden at a nominal rent of 5/- per Ann.

8. That the Collectors be requested to select the Premises in Angleton Street, or soon as they are put in possession of the same.

Signed

James Thomas Horton

Thomas Bramoreth

at Palmer



At a Meeting of the Governors
of the Grammar Schools in
Warrington - held

April 22 - 1831 -

Present W. Salmer, W. Boughton,
The Rev. J. Ireland -

The Vicar of Warrington in
the Chair -

- Resolved 1. That the Accounts
now presented, having been
examined, be allowed, and
signed by the Governors present.
- 2. That the Thanks of the Trustees
be presented to W. Salmer
and W. Boughton for their
services as Collectors, and
they be elected to the same
Office for the present year.
- 3. That the Thanks of the Governors
be presented to Lord Selby for
his liberal grant of the site of
an old Cottage for the improve-
ment of the School Property.
- 4. That the Lord Selby's grant of
the Premises were named, presents

an opportunity to the Govern-
ment of promoting, in con-
junction with the Town's Offi-
cers, an improvement of the
Road, which they will take
immediate steps to carry into
effect.

Signed

Joshua Thomas Horton

John Adams.

Edw. Huntington -

Sam. Palmer

At a Meeting of the
Governors
of the
Grammar School
Barns Kirk -

April 24 - 1832 -

Present - Messrs. Palmer, Broad-
with, E. Wright, Wright
The Revd. J. Ireland

The Vicar in the Chair -

Resolved 1. That the Accounts
now presented, having been
examined and allowed, be
signed by the Governors present.

2. That the Thanks of the Jus-
tices be tendered to Messrs.
Palmer and Broadwith, for
their Services as Collectors,
and that they be selected to
that office for the ensuing
Year.

3. That the Remembrance of Mr.
Wright's appointment by Lord
Dunlop as his Representative
Governor, bearing date

April 10th - 1831 - be

placed in the chest —
4. That it is expedient
to file up the Records in
the desk of Governors —

5. That on Inquiring the
Particulars instituted by
Messrs. Palmer and Wright
as to the Party, or whom
the Regale Estate of the
Trust Property is now
vested —

— Signed —

John Thomas Gordon.

Lawrence Wright
Esq. Huntington.

John Jordan.

Thos Brandreth

James Palmer

At a meeting of Governors held
the 10th day of April 1833. Present
Mr Wright, The Earl of Derby's Deputy
and Mr Brandreth.

This meeting is adjourned to
Friday the 13th Day of April
instant at 12 o'clock. Lawrence Wright
Thos Brandreth

At a meeting of the Governors
held April 12. present the ad-
journment, present - Mr. Brand-
rett, Mr. Palmer & the Rev. J. J.
Horton -

The meeting was adjourned
to Friday April 19th 1833 -
I subscribe a note -

signed

John Thomas Horton

Thos Brandrett

Jas Palmer

At a meeting of the Governors
held by adjournment April the 19th
1833. Present Mr Houghton, Mr
Palmer and Mr Wright, & Mr Brandrett

The meeting is adjourned to
Friday the 26th instant at 12 o'
clock at noon.

Lawrence Wright.

Thos Brandrett

Edw^d Houghton

Jas Palmer

At a Meeting of the Governors
held by adjournment, April
26th 1833, Present The Rev^d.
J. Ireland, W. Palmer, W.
Burdett, The Rev^d. J. J. Horton,
It was resolved -

1. That the Accounts now
presented, having been examined,
found correct, and allowed,
be signed by the Governors
present -
2. That the best Words of the
Governors be spread to Messrs.
Burdett and Palmer, the
Collectors, and that they be
directed to the Office, for
the current year.
3. That, as it does not
appear in whom the legal estate
of the School Property is
vested.
4. That notice be given in
the Standard, &c. or any paper
at or on Monday May 5, at 12 o
clock in the forenoon, or election
of ~~Governors~~ will take place
in the City of Fine Governors,
Three of whom must be resident
at or near, one in London

and one in Bicknethorpe - -
in view of numerous vacancies
and removals.

Signed

John Thomas Horton.

John Ireland.

At a meeting of the Governors
of the Free Grammar School, convened
by notice in the Church, for the
purpose of electing Five Governors
in the place of those members de-
ceased or removed from the Parish,
three vacancies having occurred
for ormskirk - one for Latham,
and one for Bicknethorpe, and
held in the Vestry on Monday
May 6th. 1833 -

Present, Mr. Palmer, The Rev^d. of
Ireland, The Rev^d. of J. Horton;

It was resolved - That Mr. Alby be
appointed a Governor for Bicknethorpe
in the place of Mr. Walkden, de-
ceased, The Rev^d. the Rector be
withdrawn in the of Mr. Cowley
removed - Mr. E. Hoyle ^{for ormskirk} in the
of Mr. Mansley removed and de-
ceased, Mr. Worring ^{for ormskirk} in the of Mr.

Langston deceased, and the
Land ^{for sundry} in Part of W. Ford re-
moved —

Signed

John Thomas Boston.

John Ireland

Jas. Palmer



At a Meeting of the Governors
of the Grammar School, con-
voked by Formal Notice and
held October 22^d. 1833, upon
special business originated by
the Master —

Present W. Palmer and the
Rev. S. J. Boston (the Vicar)
the Rev. S. Ireland —

It was resolved

That — in W. Fenshaw consenting to
pay or reimburse the Master Ten
Pounds per ann. of out of his pre-
sent salary, the Governors will
provide such an Apportionment
on additional salary of thirty
Pounds out of the Funds.

Signed

John Thomas Boston.

John Ireland.

Jas. Palmer

At a meeting of the Governors
of the Grammar School, announced
by ~~Journal~~ on Tuesday, April 1.
1834, in ~~Eastern~~ ~~meeting~~, being the
Annual Meeting,

Present Mr Palmer, Mr. Broadbent,
Mr. Wright / Ld. Duty's Deputy / and
The Revd. J. J. Boston (the Vicar) -
Mr. Waring, Mr. Lee

It was resolved

1. That the accounts now presented,
having been examined, found
correct, and allowed, be signed
by the Governors present -

2. That the Book Shows of the
Meeting be given to Messrs
Broadbent and Palmer for
their services as Collectors,
and that they be requested
to contribute their services
for the ensuing year -

3. That certain windows to be
adjoining the Rectory, existing on the
Site of the Street Premises, be
shutted in such manner
as the Collectors may deem
best.

4. That Mr. Galista be ap-
pointed Assistant Teacher
in the Grammar School,
on the terms defined in
the Resolution of October 22. 1833

his claim to Slavery con-
sisting with Christmas last,
5. That, in the event of any
child or children clothing
admission to the School, who
are not able to provide them-
selves with books &c, the
master have authority to
reject them, referring them
to the Governor for his rea-
sons in so doing.

6. That Mr. Smith, having
called in a Principal sum
of £ 100 due to him, and
bearing int. at 4 per cent,
the same be paid off, in
such proportions, from time
to time, as the Funds will
allow, Mr. Smith having
kindly consented to receive
the same in such manner.

I signed

Joshua Thomas Porter

Lawrence Wright

Robt Waring

William Sax

The Brantworth

At a Meeting of the Governors
of the Grammar School, on Tues-
day April 21 - 1835, in
Easter week, being the Annu-
al Meeting

Present - W. Palmer, W. E.
Broughton, W. E. Boyer, The
Rev. J. J. Kerton, the Vicar.

It was resolved:

1. That the accounts now pre-
sented having been examined,
found correct and allowed,
be signed by the Governors, re-
sult -
2. That Messrs Palmer and Broughton
with be thanked for their
services - with or without re-
quest that they will continue
the same for the ensuing year.
3. That an allowance be made
to George Allen for the cost
of whetstone stone has been used
in repairing the Conds in his
occupation during the past year.
4. That the collectors be
and are authorized to take
strong steps against Anne
Brimpton and Elias Chadwick,
in order for rent -
5. That, as the Thatched buildings

belonging to the Trust, come
to require repair - The
same be replaced with
slates.

6. That the building in
Aughton Street, lately oc-
cupied as a warehouse, be
converted into a Cottage,
unless the same can be let
in its present state -

7. That a vacancy has taken
place amongst the Trustees
by the death of Mr. Sewi-
nitch, and that the present
Lord of Lute has no repre-
sentative in the Trust.

8.

Signed

James Thomas Horton
Edw. Houghton -
Edward Boyer

At a Meeting of the Governors of the Grammar
School held in the Vestry at St. Pauls Church
of Ormskirk this 5 day of April 1836

Present Mr. Palmer, Mr. Bradstreet, Mr.
Houghton and Mr. Waring

That this meeting be adjourned to this
place to Saturday the 7 May next at 12
of clock at noon

Mr Waring
Edw. Houghton -
Jas Palmer
Tho Bradstreet
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A Meeting of the Trustees
of the Grammar School, held,
by adjournment, in the Vestry
of the Parish Church May 7th
1836

Present Mr. Nelson, and the
Rev. J. J. Horton -

It was resolved -

1. That Henry Tottusall be
allowed to give up his office
of the Cottage in his occupation
paying the residue of his rent
at his own convenience -
2. That notice be given to
George Allen, unless notice
be given by him to the Govern-
ors to quit his premises
at Dordness -
3. That James Simpson and
Eliza Chadwick appear to be
gradually discharging their
duties of Clerk -
4. That David Duly be requested
to appoint a Representative
and that a Committee be formed
in the stead of the late Mr.
Lewis Smith -
5. That the Collectors be thanked
for their services, and requested
to continue the same for the
ensuing year.

6. That the Ache present
ed by the Master to the
Governors be referred
to the next Meeting.

+ 7. For the sake of a continu-
ous history of the Charity
That a Ledger be forthwith
provided and employed.

8. That the Accounts exam-
ined were found correct
on Tuesday in Easter week -
be allowed and paid.

Signed

Joshua Thomas Horton

John Palmer

At a Meeting of the Governors,
held March 25th. 1837 - being
Easter Tuesday,
Present Messrs. Brundage, Waring,
and the Rev. J. J. Horton, with
the Rev. J. Ireland.

It was resolved -

1. That the accounts, having been exam-
ined and found correct, do pass.
2. That Mr. Palmer be excused
with or the melancholy excuse of
his absence, and solicited to
rejoin his Office of Collector
for the ensuing year -
3. That the Collectors be thanked
for their services - Mr. Brundage

kindly consenting to continue in office the ensuing year.

- 4. That the Master be allowed to withdraw the note attached to in Resⁿ. 6 of the last Meeting -
- 5. That the Bond lately held by Matthias Smith, the Principal and Interest being discharged, be placed in the chest.
- 6. That the Coaches at the Bottom of the Hill be forthwith pulled down, but that the materials be sold previously and immediately by public auction, or otherwise.
- 7. That Messrs. Brandeeth, Belcher and Boston be appointed, with full powers, to engage with the Surveyors of the Highways, the terms and limits of the Improvement of the road - at the place in question, regard being had to the Resolution of a Vestry, held in 1831 -

Signed Stephen James Boston
 Robt Waring
 Tho Brandeeth
 John Ireland -

At a meeting of the
Governors of the Grammar
School - convened -
convened by invitation, and
held May 20th. 1837 -
Present Messrs Wright at
Boston - Brundage - & Hoagston -
on special business -

A letter was received from
Mr. Palmer concerning his resign-
ation of the Office of Collector
and Governor - and the
minutes both the both - both -
the Key of the chest, and the
balance of £12.5.0. which
are placed in the chest -
Mr. Palmer's surrendered key
being delivered to Mr. ~~Wright~~ Brundage
for the present.

Resolved - That the deep regret
and the warmest thanks of the
Governors present be tendered
to Mr. Palmer - the former
on his resignation and the
latter for his great services.

2. That a Special General Meeting
of the Governors be convened for
the purpose of Public Notice in the
press & through - for the purpose
of appointing a Collector in
the place of Mr. Palmer, two
Governors, and for the purpose

June 5th 1837

of taking into consideration a
Memorial presented by certain
Inhabitants respecting the objects
of the School, and the Interests
of the Inhabitants therein -

3. That Mr. Broadbent be allowed
the Materials of the House or both-
house Hill - together with
Ten Pounds, out of the Income of
the Trust, on receiving a Lease
of the Premises which were
granted by Elias Chalmers -
the term being 21 years - with
the best Five Pounds -

N. B. The matter is being being
working the books to be well
taken into charge by
Mr. Broadbent.

Signed

John Thomas Carter

Edw. Houghton -

Lawrence Wright -

for the Earl of Derby

At a Special General
Meeting of the Governors of the
Common School, convened
by Notice given in the form
and manner prescribed at
the last Meeting -

June 6. 1837 -

Present Messrs Wright, Broad-
with -

The Vice in the Chair -

It was resolved

1. That as it does not appear from
the report to appoint a Collector on any
other day than Easter Tuesday -
the making a new appointment
in the place of Mr. Palmer -
be deferred till the 1st day.

2. That Mr. Broadwith, the
now sole Collector be em-
powered to employ Mr. Ab-
bot in his Agent's - or as a
commissioner of 5 d . each on
receipt of the costs.

3. That Mr. Bushon, Mr. Boyer,
Capt. Perrowe be and
Mr. Scamwith be appoint-
ed Overseers of the
School in the place of

western Governors dissent.

4. That the further consideration of the Memorials be postponed until a future meeting called for the purpose.

Signed

Joshua Thomas Carter

Derby by me
Lawrence Wright his Deputy.

Thos Brandreth

At a meeting of the Governors held October 20. 1837 -

Present - Messrs. Boyer, Brandreth, Adams, and R. A. Hoising, The Hon. Joshua Thomas Carter in the Chair

It was resolved

1. That extreme measures appear to be called for against Aaron Simpson, George Leatherspoon, John Crockett and Margaret Reynolds, and be forthwith taken care and authority being given to the Collector to make such arrangements with any of the parties as may appear expedient.

2. That the thatched roofs
of William Corn's, August
Winnow's, and Anne
Hinson's Cottages, be
repaired, at the proper season,
with blue slates; and that
the Chimney of James
Street's House be so
altered as to prevent its
smoking, if possible, a new
Kitchen door being provided
for W. Corn's house.

3. That Resolution 3 of the
Meeting held May 20. 1837
be cancelled; and that
the original Resolution
no 6. of March 28, 1837,
be immediately carried
into effect by W. Astor.
Signed

John Thomas Gordon

The Brandereth

Edward Boyer

Waring

At the General Annual Meeting
of the Governors of the
Common School,

held on Thursday in Eastern
Mass - April 17. 1835 -

Present Messrs. Brundage,
L. Houghton, & Boyer, & others
It was resolved -

1. That further time, for the payment
of this debt be allowed to
John Crompton and George
Leathumson, extreme measures
being taken against Anne
Bishop and Margaret Reynolds.

2. That the accounts being
been examined and found cor-
rect, do pass.

3. That Messrs. Brundage,
and L. Boyer be requested
to officiate as collectors
during the ensuing year.

4. A bill of many years
standing being read this
day presented by George
Prest, requiring be made as
to its particulars and
such proposition as the State
may think, or may be
convenient, in the existing
state of the Funds.

5. That these minutes
be signed by the
governors present -

John Thomas Horton.

Edward Boyer.

Edw.^d Houghton -

Geo Brandt

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At a Meeting of the Governors,
being the General Annual one
of the Grammar School, held
April 21. 1840,

Present Messrs Broadbent, Forster
Wright and J. J. Foster

It was resolved

1. That the accounts of the
last past year, having been
found correct, be allowed
and passed.
2. That steps be taken to
recover the arrears of rent
due from John Broadbent
and Anne Simpson; and
that, in the event of George
Leatherbarrow not forth-
with paying his arrears,
notice be given to give
to him.
3. That such trees, growing
around the school, as
pruned by Mr. Dearborn, as
are fit for falling, be
disposed of by Ticket, or
otherwise as may appear
expedient.
4. That Fire Bells be also

Conceded to Mr. Foulden - for
the temporary employment
of an Assistant in
1838.

2 5. That these minutes be
signed by those present.

1 6. That Mr. Brandreth
and Mr. E. Hargreaves -
the collectors for the
past year, be thanked
for their services, and
requested to continue
in office during the
coming year.

Signed

John Thomas Astor.

Done by me
Lawrence Wright his Deputy
Thomas Brandreth

At the annual meeting of the Governors held on Easter Tuesday the ~~4th~~ 13th of April 1841 -

Present Mess^{rs} Thomas Brandreth, Thomas Kershaw, and Lawrence Wright,

Resolved

- 1 That the accounts being now examined and found correct do pass.
- 2 That Mr Wright have power to make terms with Ann Bimpson, and in default of that take out Execution against her, in case after Conference with W Horton it is thought expedient.
- 3 That the thanks of the meeting be given to the Collectors for their services in the past year: That they be Mr Brandreth and Mr Houghton be continued Collectors for the ensuing year and requested to continue their services.
- 4 That the minutes be signed by the Governors present.

Signed by me Lawrence Wright his Dep^y
 Thomas Brandreth
 Thomas Kershaw

At the Annual Meeting
of the Governors,
held on Easter Tuesday
March 29th. 1842,
at West W. Bromfield, N. E.
Bangor,

The Vice in the Chair,
It was resolved

1. That Mr. Wright be directed to proceed forthwith against James Threlfall for his debt.
2. That he be directed to proceed further against George Leatherbarrow, owing £15.13.5--.
3. That steps be taken to get possession of the premises occupied by Richard Baxter.
4. That the accounts now presented be allowed with interest.
5. That before any distribution of the balance in hand £50. be made - Mr. Fosden be required to put the Governors in possession of the books and papers, underlet by him to various tenants, together with the books owing thereon.

6. That the Trustees of the Savings' Bank be requested to permit the said balance, less by £15- to be placed in the Savings' Bank for the benefit of the Government, in the name of the Collector Messrs. Brandreth and E. Haughton.

7. That Messrs. Brandreth and E. Haughton be requested to become Collectors for the ensuing year.

8. That Mr. Wright be requested to take immediate steps to against Henry Barclay's Emasculation, and to present a Bill for his suppression already done.

Signed

John Thomas Carter

Edw. Haughton

Thos Brandreth

At a Meeting of the Governors
of the Grammar School, convened
by Public Notice, in the
Form Prescribed, and held
July 27. 1842 -

Present The Hon. J. T. Foster, Jr.,
Wm. Wright,
Wm. B. Smith,
The Hon. J. T. Foster
in the Chair.

For the Purpose of meeting with
the authorized Representatives
of a Meeting of the - Deacons
of the Parish for the sale of
the site of the said school
and premises to be added to the
Church - yard of the said -

For the further Purpose of
determining where, and in what
manner a new school shall be
erected; And, if expedient,
for electing a Governor and
Deacons in the Township of Bicknell.

It was wished

1. That the Perpetuity be allowed to take possession of the site of the Free-Governor School out house, not however, not yet, on payment of the sum of one hundred pounds to the collectors of the same Town. Such sum to be by the Governor's hand laid out in providing a new school in like kind, the same being in a ruinous condition.
2. That the materials be sold by Auction to the best advantage, not to be taken away by the first of September.
3. That Mr. Fosher be allowed, in the interim given to build in the place now of the Charity School in Church Street, till a new school is provided.
4. That the fixing of a site of a new school be postponed to a future opportunity.

James Thomas Norton

At the Annual Meeting of
the Governors of the Grammar
School held on Easter Tuesday
the 18th of April 1843

Present Thomas Brandreth
Lawrence Wright

The meeting was
adjourned to Friday the 21st
instant at 12 o'clock at noon.

W. Derby. by me
Lawrence Wright his Deputy
Thomas Brandreth

At the Adjourned Annual Meeting of the Governors of the Grammar School, held April 21st 1543 -

Present W. Byromdale, The Rector.
J. J. Ashton

The Accounts were allowed and passed. And it was

Resolved - That W. Knight be requested forthwith to effect some arrangement between Richard Berton and the Governors, as to the balance due from him, finally giving him notice to quit, or obtaining Possession of the Premises.

2. That he should also compel some settlement of the disparted account for Rent, between

Compton ~~himself~~ and W. Palmer - a late Collector of the said Rent.

3. That W. Ashton be requested to apply, through W. Hovsing, for the return of the Property and Income Tax.

4. That the System of outletting be forthwith discontinued, wherever existing.

5. That the case as at present is

istry between the Governors and
Mr. Fenshaw, he referred to
Mr. Norton - with a view to
its being brought under the
contemplation of the last
Resolution -

6. That Mr. Norton be author-
ized to receive the sum of
£100, due and owing by the
Churchwardens, for the pro-
vision of the Promises now en-
closed within the Church-
yard, at the crossing Lewis's
Court -

7. That £100 be placed
in the Savings' Bank - as
soon as possible -

8. That one year's Rent, £8
be paid to Mr. Fenshaw, on
May 1 - for the house formerly
occupied with the
School -

Signed

Justice Thomas Norton

Thomas Brandreth

At the annual Meeting of the Governors
held on Easter Tuesday the 9th of
April 1844.

Present Messrs Lawrence Wright
proxy for the Earl of Derby
Thomas Brandreth -

The Accounts were examined,
allowed and passed. —

That the Resolutions of the last
Meeting with reference to Compton and
Heaton be revived and Mr Wright be
requested to act thereupon. —

That one Glass Rent be paid
to Mr Forshaw £8 in lieu of the
house formerly occupied with the
School. —

That the Collectors Mr Brandreth
and Mr Houghton be continued.

That the meeting be adjourned
to this day fortnight at 12. o'clock
of which special notice be given.

By me Lawrence Wright his Deputy
Thomas Brandreth

At the annual Meeting of
the Governors of the Grammar
School held on Easter Tuesday
the 25th March 1845

Present Mess^{rs} Lawrence Wright
(Proxy for the Earl of Derby)
Thomas Braudette
Edmond Foughton

Resolved

That the Accounts produced
and examined be passed.

That M^{rs} Whiteside be
compelled to pay her half year's
Rent.

That the Rent of Richard
Heaton be reduced to £3.0.0.

That Thomas Stearns be
ejected.

That Enquiry be made as
to the person or persons in whom
the legal estate of the property
belonging to the Schools is now
vested.

That M^{rs} Wright be

requested to undertake that.

That Mr Brandt and Mr Foughton be continued collectors until an adjournment of this meeting can be held.

That such adjourned meeting be held on Wednesday the 9th day of April next at 12 o'clock at noon.

That in order to taking the entire state of the Trust Charities into consideration that meeting be also called together as a special meeting.

Derby.

By me Lawrence Wright
his Deputy.

Edm^d Foughton
Thomas Brandt

At the Meeting held by adjournment the 9th day of April 1845

As the undersigned being the only Governors attending did adjourn the same to Friday the 10th ^{inst} at 12 o'clock at noon.

by me Lawrence Wright ^{Derby} his deputy
Thomas Brandt

At a meeting held, by ad-
journment, April 11. 1843.

Present Messrs Wright, Broad-
well, J. J. Norton

It was resolved

1. That the sum of Eight
Pounds, being a yearly al-
lowance in lieu of House
Rent, be paid to Mr.
Forslow

2. That the sum agreed
by Mr. Norton's account
to Mr. Forslow, be paid.

3. That the Collectors be
Mr. Broadwell, and Mr.
Houghton. &c

4. That next day be
conferred with on the
subject of the legal Es-
tate of the School Lands.

I signed

Lawrence Thomas Norton.

Derby
By Lawrence Wright his Deputy.
Thomas Braintree

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At the annual Meeting of the Governors of the
Grammar School held on Easter Tuesday, the 14th
of April 1846 Present

Rev^d L. Hornby

Rev^d J. Ireland

Mr Brandeth

Mr Houghton

Resolved

- 1 That the Accounts produced & examined be passed
- 2 That Mr Wright be instructed to take such steps
as may be necessary for recovering the rents due
respectively from Robert Hewitt & Elizabeth Whiteside
- 3 That John Owens' rent for the land on Bardhouse
Hill be reduced to £8 per ann. and that Mr
Brandeth be requested to confer with Mr Kershaw
on the subject of the rent of the field on Freethy Hill.
- 4 That as it appears that the legal estate of the
School property has been already brought before
two meetings, Mr Wright be strongly urged to
bring the matter to as speedy an issue as possible
~~as possible~~
- 5 That the thanks of this Meeting be presented to
the Collectors, and that they be requested to undertake
the office for the ensuing year
- 6 That a resolution be entered into with Lord
Derby relating to land on which to rebuild

the school, and that the Rev^d L. Homby be
requested to take steps towards it

(signed) L. Homby,
Minister.
The Board with
Edw. Haugston.

At a meeting of the governors of the Grammar
School held on Wednesday July 29th in the Vestry
of the Parish Church at 12 o'clock & called
according to the following notice

I Edward Homby Vicar of Ormskirk being lawfully
do hereby give public warning that on Wednesday
the Twenty ninth day of July instant at 12 o'clock
at noon the Governors of the Free Grammar
School will meet in Ormskirk Church then
& there to consider of some meet course
to be taken for the well ordering repairing &
putting in safety the Good Stock & revenues
of the said School & disposition of the same:
and then and there also to appoint three
Governors in the place of three governors deceased
Dated the 18th day of July 1846
signed Edward Homby Vicar

1 It was resolved that the Rev^d William Wainop
be elected for the township of Burscough, the Rev^d
Thomas Abraham for Bickerstaffe, and Mr
Palmer for Ormskirk in the room of governors
deceased, and that a list of the governors be
appended to the Minutes of this meeting

The Earl of Derby

The Vicar of Ormskirk

Ormskirk {	Mr Brandreth
	Mr R. Waring
	Mr J. Houghton deceased
	Mr Lee
	Mr Palmer resigned Mr. Welby

Lathom {	Lord Helmersdale
	Mr Robert Boyer

Sarnsbury {	Mr Sarnsbury
	Mr Edward Boyer

Bickerstaffe {	Captain Harrington ^{resigned} Mr. Smyth
	Rev ^d T. Abraham

Helmersdale - Rev^d J. Ireland

Burscough - Rev^d W. Wainop

2 That conveyance be obtained of the property
of the School in order to invest the legal estate
of the same in the Governors as Trustees.

- 3 That the Vicar be requested to inform Mr. Forshaw that an Examination of the Scholars will take place at Christmas.
- 4 That Mr. Wright be remunerated for his services, and that this Meeting wish publicly to record their sense of the trouble he has taken -

(Sind) of Honby
Duty
by me Lawrence Wright
Deputy
Thomas Brandreth
Edward Boughton
Edward Poyer.

At a meeting of the Governors of the Grammar School held on Friday Feb: 5th at 12 o'clock in the Vestry of the Parish Church according to the following notice

I Edward James Geoffrey Hornby, Vicar of Omskirk do hereby give notice that a meeting of the Governors of the Omskirk Free Grammar School will be held in the Vestry of the Parish Church on Friday the 6th day of February next at 12 o'clock at noon to consider the notice received from the East Lancashire Railway Company for the taking part of the Land belonging to the School & to give the necessary directions thereupon, & to transact other business of the School

Dated the 23rd Day of January 1847

(signed) E. J. Hornby Vicar of Omskirk

It was agreed by the only two Governors present the Vicar & Mr. Wright, that the meeting be adjourned to Saturday Feb: 6th at 11 o'clock.

(signed) E. J. Hornby

At a meeting held by adjournment on Saturday
Feb. 6th at 11 o'clock Present

Messrs Wright, Brandeish and the Rev.
E. Bromby

It was agreed

That Mr. Wright be requested to undertake the
necessary steps for the transfer of the School
lands to the East Lancashire Railway Company
and that an authority be given to him to that
effect.

(Signed) E. Bromby
Thomas Brandeish

At a meeting held in the Vestry of the Parish Church
on Tuesday, March 2nd at 12 o'clock, called by
Special Notice to confer & decide upon the steps to
be taken as to the land required by the Railroad
Present

Messrs Wright, Waring & Beaudreth - Rev.
E. Homby.

It was agreed

That Mr. Newton be employed to
value the land required, on behalf of the School.

(Signed) E. Homby

Thomas Beaudreth

W. Waring

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Thomas Ross

(Signature)

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At the annual meeting of the Governors held
on Easter Tuesday April 6th 1847 Present
W. Brandeith, W. Wright, W. R. Waring
Rev. E. Homby

The accounts for the last year were allowed
and passed. It was resolved

- 1 That W. Brandeith & W. Soughton be
requested to act as collectors for the present
year, and that the thanks of the Governors
be given them for their past services
- 2 That W. Wright be instructed to take the
necessary steps for bringing before the Magistrates
the case of Edward Balslow in converting his
house into a beer shop contrary to his
agreement, & also to take in hand the cases of
Brompton, Monk & Heaton.
- 3 That W. Wright & W. Robert Waring be
requested to examine the Records with a view
of ascertaining the manner of appointing and
conducting former examinations.
- 4 That as W. Palmer has declined to ^{act} ~~serve~~

as a Governor Mr. Welby be elected in his
place, and Mr. George Smythies in that of
Captain Pennington. resigned.

(said) E. Homby

Derby by me

Lawrence Wright his

Thomas Braswell Deputy.

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At a meeting of the Governours of the Free Grammar School duly called and held in the Vestry of the Parish Church on Tuesday Sept. 29th at 12 o'clock present Messrs Hornby, Wright Brandreth, Abraham & Smythies

The Revd John Alberton Kershaw was elected a Governour in the room of Mr Edward Houghton, deceased.

1 It was resolved that Mr Foster be desired to fix some day before June 1847 for an examination of the Scholars to be held by the Governours, and to acquaint Mr Ashton what day will be most convenient to him.

2 That Mr Ashton be authorised to provide for all necessary repairs of the School Property.

J J Hornby -
Derby by Mr
Lawrence Wright his Deputy
G. Smythies
J Abraham
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At a meeting of the Governors of the Grammar School duly called & held in the Vestry of the Parish Church on Tuesday November 23rd 1847 Present

Rev^d J. Hornby, Rev^d W. Lannop,
Rev^d J. Ireland, & Mr. Smythes

A communication from Mr. Forshaw contained in two letters was read to the meeting -

It was moved by Mr. Lannop & seconded by Mr. Smythes & carried that Mr. Wright be requested to ascertain ^{forthwith} from Lord Derby whether any site can be placed at the disposal of the Governors for the erection of a Grammar School.

Mr. Forshaw having ^{declined} refused to recognise the authority of the Governors they cannot but express their regret that they should have received from him such a reply - but they defer for

the present their decision as to
the course which it will be most
proper to adopt.

Mr. Smythies & Mr. Waring were
requested to do the Governor the kindness
of effecting an arrangement with
Thomas Hines as to the deduction
of his rent in consequence of the
portion of his land occupied by the
Railway.

(Signed) J. J. Stomby Chairman
John Ireland.

William Warriner

J. Smythies

At a meeting of the Governors called by the usual notice held in the Vestry of the Parish Church on Tuesday March 7th at 12 o'clock present

Rev^d. S. Hornby, J. Abraham, J. Newson
Messrs Wright, Brandeth & Delby.

It was resolved

- 1 That Mr. Wright be requested to communicate with Lord Delby's agents as to the conveyance of land for the erection of a Grammar School & Master's House -
- 2 That Mr. Hornby be requested to communicate with Mr. Smide as to the erection of stack buildings -
- 3 That in order to put the whole affairs of the Trust on a firm footing it will be necessary to apply for a decree in Chancery. -

4 That a very kind offer ~~having been made~~
having been made by Mr. Bethell
through Mr. Abraham, of his best
assistance in obtaining a Decree, this
meeting gratefully accepts his offer
and begs Mr. Wright to prepare a
case for him -

(Agreed) L. S. Henry Senior
D. Derby
by me Lawrence Wright
Thomas Brandreth
J. A. Kershaw
W. H. B. J.

G. Smythies
J. Abraham.

At the annual meeting of the Governors
of the Grammar called by usual
notice & held on Easter Tuesday April 25th
1848 Present

Mr. Wright, Mr. Boyer, Mr. Brandreth
Mr. Abraham, Mr. Warrup, Mr. Smythes
and Mr. Homby.

1. The accounts for the last year were
allowed and passed.

2. The resignation of Mr. Brandreth as
Collector was accepted with great regret,
and the thanks of the Governors for
his long & valuable services were voted
unanimously.

3. Mr. Waring and the Rev. J. A. Kershaw
were appointed Collectors for the year
& Mr. Ashton was continued as agent
to the Collectors on the same salary as
heretofore. The Collectors were also
empowered to invest a balance of

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now in the hands of Mr.

Ashton, in the Royal Bank of Liverpool
or any other paying interest at the rate
of 5 per cent.

4 It was unanimously agreed that
it would be desirable to hold an
annual examination of the School
on the second Thursday in December.

J. J. Amby

Deputy by me
Lawrence Wright his Deputy

Thomas Brandreth

Edward Boyer.

William Cannon

J. C. Crabtree

J. Ruyter

On Dec^r 12th, a meeting of the Governors
 having been duly called for the purpose of
 holding an examination of the School according
 to Minute 4 of the last meeting, of the time
 of which examination as fixed by the Governors
 Mr. Rev^d C. Foskew was aware. The Vicar
 attended at the Grammar School at 9¹/₂
 A.M.

On telling Mr. Foskew that he attended
 for the purpose of examining the School, no
 other Governors having appeared for that
 purpose, and having shown Mr. Foskew the
 Minute of the last meeting relative to the
 examination, Mr. Foskew begged the Vicar to
 understand that he objected to an examination
 being held in such a way, that he should
 not allow it to proceed, and that he objected
 to the Governors, as Governors, examining the
 School at all -

Dec^r 12th 1848

E. J. Hornby.

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At the annual meeting of the
Governors of the Grammar School
duly called and held on Easter
Tuesday April 10th 1869 present
Rev. J. Homby, J. Kershaw, J. Selman
Messrs. Weldy, Brandeth & Smythies

1 The accounts for the last year were
examined & passed

2 Rev. J. Kershaw & Mr. Waring were
appointed Collectors for the year &
were empowered to open an account
with said Bank as they may see upon
for said Balances as may be paid into
their hands - Mr. Ashton was also
continued as agent at the same salary.

3 The following gentlemen were appointed
as a Committee to superintend the
arrangements in connection with
building the Grammar School and

house - ~~Resolved~~ The Collectors for the year
Rev. E. Hornby -
W. V. Selby Esq^r and
Lawrence Wright Esq^r

4 A communication having been received
from Mr. Wright, on the subject of a rent
applied for by the United Charity School
Trustees on account of the room occupied
by the Grammar School, Mr. Hornby was
empowered to reply to the same that
the Trustees are willing to pay a rent to
any Parties legally entitled to it

E. J. Hornby

John Ireland.

J. A. Bershaw demur^s to Resolⁿ 4.

J. Smythies
W. V. Selby

At the meeting of the Governors of
the Grammar School held

on Easter Tuesday the 2nd of
April 1850

Present The Earl of Derby
by Lawrence Wright his proxy:
Thomas Braudrith Esq^r
The Rev^d J. A. Kershaw...
The Rev^d Wm Parker; George Smythies Esq^r =
Rev^d J. Abraham;

The Minutes of the last
years meeting were read.

The Accounts of the past
year were examined and
found correct and passed.

The Rev^d John Asherton Kershaw
and Robert Wareing were
appointed Collectors. With thanks
to them for their services in the
past year.

Mr Ashton was reappointed
Agent.

Resolved
That if Mr Wareing and
Mr Welby be satisfied as to the
right of the Parties claiming
as in Resolution 4 of last

Year ~~1750~~ be allowed for the
use of the Room in Church Street
up to July next.

Ordered That the Bill for
conducting the proceedings in
Chancery be paid subject to
Revision by W Wareing and Mr
Welsby.

That the grateful
Acknowledgements of the Governors
be conveyed to Mr Bethel for his
kindness and liberality in the
conduct of these proceedings.

That the Building
Committee be continued, and

Order'd by me Lawrence Wright
his Deputy.

- Thomas Brandt
- J. A. Kershaw
- William Wainwright
- J. Abraham
- J. Smith

On September 11th 1850.-

At a meeting of the Governors duly
called and held in the vestry of the
Parish Church. - present

The Earl of Derby by Lawrence Wright Esq.
his Proxy. The Rev. Mr. E. Rawstone
Vicar. R. Waring Esq. W. Melby Esq.

Resolved that this meeting be ad-
journed to Wednesday the 18th of Sep-
tember at 12.0. clock. -

W. E. Rawstone. Vicar

Derby by Lawrence Wright
his proxy.

W. Waring

W. Melby

On September 10th 1850.

At an adjourned meeting of the Governors
daily held in the vestry of the Parish Church.

Present The Earl of Derby by Lawrence Wright
Esq. his Proxy. - The Rev^d W. E. Ransborne
vicar. - Rev^d J. Kershaw. J. Brandreth Esq.
R. Waring Esq. - W. Trevelyan Esq. - G. Ingham
Esq. -

Resolved

1. That the Rev^d Charles Forshaw be
allowed to enter upon and occupy the
new School Room and School house; he
undertaking to give the collector for the
time being possession of the school-room
upon his ceasing to be master, and of
the school-house and premises within
one month afterwards. -

2. That Mr. Wright be requested to draw
up an agreement in compliance with the
above resolution. .

3. That in consideration of Mr. Forshaw being admitted into the New School house, the payment of 8 £ per annum in lieu of a house do cease.

The above Resolutions having been read to Mr. Forshaw, he expressed his assent in them... and Notice having been given to Mr. F. of the intention of the Governors to examine the school half-yearly, Mr. Forshaw assented to that arrangement. —

W. 2. Ransome. Vicar.

Ordy by me Lawrence Wright
his Deputy

Thomas Brandreth

Wm. King

J. A. Kershaw

William Lee

G. Smythies

~~W. H. H. H.~~

At a meeting of the Governors of
 the Muskirk Free Grammar
 School duly convened, and held
 the ~~23rd~~ ^{October} day of ~~November~~ 1850 for
 the purpose of appointing a
 Governor in the Room of the
 Reverend John Ireland deceased
 present the Rev W G Rawstone
 Vicar; the Earl of Derby by
 Lawrence Wright his deputy,
 and William Welsby —

which said meeting was
 adjourned and held by
 adjournment the 7th day of
 November 1850

Present the Reverend William
 Warriner W Brandreth the
 Earl of Derby by Lawrence Wright
 his deputy —

Resolved That the Rev. ~~W. G.~~
 Raw James T. Warriner

be appointed a Governor in the
 place of the Rev. John Ireland deceased.

Derby. by me } Thomas Brandreth
 Lawrence Wright his } William Warriner
 Deputy. } G. Smyth

At the Annual Meeting of the Governors
of the Free Grammar School, called by usual
notice, and held on Easter: Tuesday April 22nd
1851. -

Present.

The Rev^d. W. 2. Bevanstone, the Rev^d. W. Stannif,
W. Broadbent, W. Waring, & W. Walsby, & the
Rev^d. J. A. Kerslaw, & the Rev^d. J. S. Abraham.

The Accounts of the last year were examined,
found correct, and passed. -

Resolved, that Mr. Wright be instructed to
take proceedings for the recovery of the Rent &
for obtaining possession of the property in the occupation of Parker.

Resolved, that a fence brick wall be built
along the premises in the occupation of Peter Cartledge,
according to the estimate furnished by Henry Stannifolk
to Mr. Kerslaw, & ~~that Mr. Stannifolk~~

Ordered

that the following Bills be paid.

- George Peet 7 - 14 - 3
- John Wignat 4 - 4 - 2
- H. Bromley & Co . . . 3 - 10 - 9 1/2
- Mess^{rs}. Stannifolk & Prop. . 1 - 3 - 0

Ordered,

That Mr. Peet's account amounting to
130 £ = 16 s = 9 ½ d be paid, with the exception
of 5 £ = 10 s = 6 d the amount of the account
for the new-canal stone coat of arms, which
is reserved for the decision of the Building
Committee. . .

That an Examination of the School be
held on the 17th or 18th of June. . . That
the Rev^d J. R. Abraham, & the Rev^d W. E. Row
Stone be requested to act as examiners. . .

That Mr. Rowstone be empowered to pro-
cure the necessary desks. . .

That Mr. Smiche be requested to furnish
a design for a front-wall and gates. . .

That Mr. Foshaw be allowed his expenses for
Quicks, & fruit-trees, & also for Blinds for the
Schools, & necessary bolts & fastenings.

That Mr. Kenshaw & Mr. Wareing be re-
appointed Collectors. . .

W. E. Rawstone.

As Waring

Thos Dr under Mr

William Harrop

J. E. Graham

J. A. Kershaw

[Signature]

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At a Meeting of the Governors of the
Ormskirk Free Grammar School duly convened
and held on the . . . Day of . . . 1851
for the purpose of receiving the Report of the
Examiners appointed to inspect the School.

Present. The Rev^d. W. E. Rawstorne. Vicar. — The
Rev^d. Jas. Waring, & R. Waring Esq. —

The Report of the Examiners was presented.

It was resolved that, pursuant to the
Recommendation of the Examiners, a sufficient
Apparatus be provided for the school, & that
the Rev^d. W. E. Rawstorne be permitted to select
it to the best of his Judgment.

The consideration of the Prizes suggested by
the Examiners was deferred to a future Meeting

W. E. Rawstorne.

At a Meeting of the Governors of the Ormskirk
Free Grammar School held on Wednesday the 15th of
December. in the Vestry of the Parish Church,

Resolved

That the Revd. Mr. R. Rawstorne, ~~the~~ Revd. J. E. Abraham,
& L. Wright Esq. be appointed Examiners. —

That the Examination be held on Tuesday
the 16th Inst. — at $\frac{1}{2}$ past nine in the Forenoon.

That the Examiners be empowered to give
a few Prizes to any boys whom they may think
deserving, and to announce some more to be
given at the next Examination.

W. E. Rawstorne. Chairman.

Waring
William Wainwright
J. F. Kershaw.

At the Annual Meeting of the Governors of
the Free Grammar School held on Easter Tuesday
1852.

Present.

The Rev^d. W. 2. Rawstorne.
The Rev^d. J. A. Kershaw.
The Rev^d. Jas. Waring.
Thomas Brandreth. Esq.

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Resolved.

That the Agent Mr. Ashton be instructed to
appeal against the Property & Income Tax being
charged upon the school.

Resolved.

That the following Bills be paid,

John Cropper.	4	16	5 $\frac{1}{2}$
H. Bromley & sons ..	5	1	10 $\frac{1}{2}$
George Peet . . .	16	6	0
Mess ^{rs} . Leak & Hutton . .	7	6	
Staniforth & Mops for toll	4	5	0
Ormskirk Christ. Ch. Soc. . .	9	0	

That the following Bills presented by Mr. Forsker
be paid.

Ja^s. Campbell 5-9-8.
John Cropper 1-11-4 $\frac{1}{4}$.
Rich^d. Walmesley 14-10 $\frac{1}{2}$.

That this Bill for Maps, &c procured by
the Rev^d. W. S. Rawstone be paid.

Resolved.

That Mr. Wright give the ~~Executors~~ ^{Administrator} of the late
Mrs Spenser notice to quit in August.

That Mr. Wright's attention be drawn to the
resolution of the last Annual Meeting respecting
Edward Parker.

That the Building Committee be requested
to carry out the resolution of the last Meeting
for the Erection of a wall, & to complete
and present the accounts as soon as possible.

That the Rev^d. Mr. Kershaw & Mr. J. Wavering
be reappointed collectors; & the Rev^d. W. S. Rawstone,
Rev^d. J. Abraham, & Mr. Wright examiners.

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That the Examiners be empowered to give some
Prizes at their discretion. -

Mr. Ashton was reappointed Agent.

W. E. Pawstorne
J. A. Kershaw
Thomas Brandreth
James T. Waring

At a Meeting of the Governors of the Free
Grammar School held pursuant to Notice
in the Vestry of the Parish Church.

Present. The Earl of Derby by Lawrence Wright Esq. His proxy.
Rev^d. J. A. Kershaw.

Rev^d. J. Waring. —

The Vicar in the Chair. —

Resolutions were ordered to Questions sent from
the Charitable Commissioners of Charities. —

X That the land on Greetby Hill be let in
Allotment Gardens. —

That the Rev^d. W. E. Rawstorne be empowered
to have the Land measured out, & advertised, im-
mediately after the it is given up at Land Taxes.

W. E. Rawstorne
James J Waring
J. A. Kershaw

At the Annual Meeting of the Governors of the Free Grammar School held in the vestry on Easter Tuesday, March 29th - 1853. -

Present. The Rev^d. W. 2. Rawstone in the Chair. The Rev. Brandreth Esq. - The Rev. J. A. Kershaw. - The Rev. W. Wannop. - W. Welby Esq. -

The Accounts were examined and passed. -

Resolved.

That the following Bills be paid.

Henry Mawdesley . . . 13 - 8 1/2.

John Cropper 15 - 9 1/2. -

Stanforth & Mops . 1 - 11 - 3 -

That Richard Owen's account amounting to 10/- 14s - 6d be referred to the Building Committee.

A Proposal having been received from the Surveyors of the Ormskirk Roads, to bear a part of the expense of building a wall along the land on Greeting Hill on condition of the Fence being thrown about five feet further back according to a plan then exhibited, & 10/- having been offered,

Resolved, that the Collectors & the Rev^d. W. 2. Rawstone be appointed to treat with the Surveyors, & to take measures for the building of the wall. -

Resolved, that the late Collectors, & Examiners be reappointed.

Resolved that this meeting be adjourned till
Wednesday April 12th at noon, to receive
the report of the Building Committee -
Resolved, that Mr. Ashton be continued as Agent.

W. E. Rawstorne -

Thomas Brandreth

William Hamner

J. A. Kershaw

(On Wednesday April 12th being the Funeral of Lord Stet-
mersdale, no one attended.)

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At a Special Meeting of the Governors of the
Ormskirk Free Grammar School, held pursuant to
notice on Wednesday. May 18th for the election of two
Governors in the room of the late Edward Lord Shel-
mersdale of Lathom House, & E. Boyer Esq. of Leavis-
brick, deceased.

Present. The Vicar of Ormskirk in the chair; The Rev^d
W. Mannop, & The Rev^d J. Kershaw. —

Resolved.

That the Lord Shelmersdale be appointed
Governors in lieu of the late Lord Shelmersdale,
deceased. —

That Mr^r James Shawe be appointed Gov-
ernors in the place of the late Edward Boyer
Esq. deceased. —

W. E. Rawstone
J. A. Kershaw
William Mannop

At the Annual Meeting of the
 Governours of the Free Grammar School,
 held in the Vestry, on Easter Tuesday, April 18th 1854

Present The Rev^d Joseph Bush in the Chair,
 Tho^s Brandrett Esq, Rev^d J. A. Kershaw,
 Rev^d W. Wainwright, Rev^d V. A. Abraham,
 Rev^d J. T. Wareing, W. Welby Esq

The accounts were examined & passed

Resolved.

That the following Bills be paid

Ann Cotton	5. 12. 9 ¹ / ₄	} These Bills are included in the accounts re- ferred to in the above resolut- ion.
Local Board of Health	10. 3. 6	
J. & R. Bromley	9. 0. 9	
R. Servard	3. 9. 4	
T. Sutton	1. 0. 6	
J. M'namus	3. 3. 0	
G. Peet	41. 1. 0	
J. Gorse	2. 0. 7	

Resolved

That the Plan & Specification for a
 new boundary wall, now submitted to the
 Trustees, be approved & adopted.

Resolved

That the Collectors be empowered to draw from the Savings Bank to the amount of £40—

Resolved

That the Collectors be re-appointed viz. Rev. J. P. Wareing & Rev. J. A. Kershaw

Resolved

That the Half-Yearly Examination of the Grammar School shall take place on the second Tuesday in June. and that the Examiners be authorized to give Prizes to an amount not exceeding Five Pounds.—

Resolved

That the resignation of Mr. Ashton, as Agent, be accepted, and the thanks of the Governors be tendered to him for his long & useful services

Resolved

That this Meeting be adjourned to Tuesday May 2nd for the purpose of receiving the Building Accounts & appointing an Agent in the place of Mr. Ashton

and transacting any other business
which may be brought before it -

Joseph Bush, Vicar
Thos Dransfield
J. A. Kershaw
William Wainwright
J. E. Abraham -
James J. Wainwright
~~Wainwright~~

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At an adjourned Meeting of the Governing
of the Grammar School held in the Vestry
on May 2nd 1854

It was resolved that the Building Account
having been examined, & found correct, the
same be entered in the Cash Book.

The late Agent's Books & Papers having
been sent in, together with a Balance of
£ 4. 3. 5 which was remaining in his hands

Resolved

That the Collector be directed to send
a receipt for the above Balance to the
Executors of the late W^m Ashton.

Resolved

That W^m Dixon be appointed Agent
in the place of the late W^m Ashton, &
on the same terms -

Joseph Bush, Vicar
W^m Waring
J. A. Kershner
James J. Waring

At an afternoon meeting of the
of the General Assembly held on the 2nd
of May 1833

The following resolution was
passed, viz. That the
sum of £1000 be granted to the
General Assembly for the purpose of
purchasing a site for a new
building to be erected on the
site of the old building in
Edinburgh.

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