



The New Parish Councils

In compliance with the new Act for the governance of rural affairs of local self government, meetings for the election of Parish Councils were held on Tuesday night in the thousands of parishes throughout the country that have now, for the first time, had the power given them. Among local results are the following, from which it will be seen that Wiltshire, at least is not behind hand:-

Wanborough

The meeting here on Tuesday was well attended. Mr. Walter Winchcombe, presiding. The following 19 candidates were nominated for 11 seats:-

Candidate			Candidate		
Surname	Given Names	Occupation/Status	Surname	Given Names	Occupation/Status
Avenell	Jos. E.	Farmer	King	H. T.	Rev.
Carpenter	William	Farmer	Palmer	Richard James	Labourer
Clargo	Thomas	Farmer	Payne	Richard	Builder
Deacon	James A.	Farmer	Pocock	A. A.	Farmer
Ford - Deacon	Joseph	Farmer	Richens	Alfred	Labourer
Fowler	George	Shoemaker	Stallard	Job	Labourer
George	Jabez	Gentleman	Sykes	James	Labourer
Grubb	William Henry	Labourer	Tucker	William	Labourer
Haines	Edward	Market Gardener	Vines	Thomas	Navy Pensioner
Kemble	Richard	Farmer			

A poll was demanded

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Successful Candidate				Unsuccessful Candidate			
Surname	Given Names	Title/Status	Number of Votes Received	Surname	Given Names	Title/Status	Number of Votes Received
King	H. T.	Rev.	64	Tucker	William		36
Ford - Deacon	Joseph		59	Fowler	George		34
George	Jabez		57	Vines	Thomas		31

Deacon	J. A.		54	Grubb	William Henry		24
Pocock	A. A.		52	Haines	Edmund		21
Kemble	Richard		48				
Avenell	Joseph. E.		47	Clargo	Thomas		20
Palmer	Richard Joseph		41	Stallard	Job		13
Payne	Richard		41	Richens	Alfred		11
Sykes	James		40				
Carpenter	William		39				

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OPC Note:-

Candidate Palmer is recorded as both Richard James and Richard Joseph

Candidate Haines is recorded as both Edmund and Edward