

# Stowford First Parish Meeting.

at a meeting held by order of the Local Government Board in pursuance of Local Government Act of 1894 in the Parish Schoolroom at Stowford, at 7 o'clock P. M. on Dec<sup>r</sup>: 4<sup>th</sup>: 1894

Mr. Harold B. Blackburn was proposed by Mr. Downing seconded by Mr. Jacob Coombe and unanimously voted to preside at the first Parish meeting

The Chair was taken at 7.15 P. M.: after a space of thirty five minutes had elapsed and at a request from the Chairman the following were nominated as candidates

Mr. E. B. Blackburn

" W. Downing

" J. Took

" J. R. Rowe

" J. Coombe

" A. Martin

" W. Cole

" J. Doidge

" T. Palmer

" W. Reddcliffe

eventually Messrs E. Blackburn & J. Took withdrew to avoid a poll and on a show of hands the following were elected

Mr. Jacob Coombe 22 Mr. William Cole 26

Mr. William Downing 30 Mr. John Doidge 30

Mr. Thomas Palmer 27 Mr. John Randle Rowe 32

Mr. William Reddcliffe 32