

Nov 1917

Minute Book  
of the  
Kingston and Ringmore Food Production Committee

At a meeting of the farmers of Kingston + Ringmore parishes held in School Room Kingston on Nov 27<sup>th</sup> 1917. To form a committee to hear appeals and consider the Quota to go under cover on each farm in the two parishes.

It was proposed by Mr. Sandover and seconded by Mr. Suggs that Mr. John Suscombe be chairman of the meeting.

Only eight attended and it was unanimously agreed that these should form the committee with Mr. Suscombe as chairman.

It was proposed by Mr. Suggs and seconded by Mr. Sherrell that Mr. Sandover be secretary to the committee.

The Quota on each farm was gone through and an amended list made and sent to Mr. Brown Kingsbridge.

Members of the committee are as follows.  
Messrs. Coad. Ryder. Sherrell. Suscombe. Suggs.  
Brown. Sandover and J. Suscombe. (Chairman)  
Mr. Suscombe.

# Y/ Kingston Parish

Name of Holding	Tenant	Total Acreage	Quota Demanded	
Scobbicombe	J. Coad	563	220	Waste 50 acres
Langston	H. H. Luscombe	210	60	" 4 "
Fort Down	E. Ryder	90	29 $\frac{1}{4}$	
Pando Farm	P. B. Bally	42	18 $\frac{1}{4}$	
Fort Farm	W. Maddick	89 $\frac{1}{2}$	30	
Robins Farm	H. J. Sherrill	117 $\frac{1}{2}$	36	" 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ "
Gl Fort & Laigs	J. Kingdom	234 $\frac{1}{2}$	40	
Home Farm	W. King	63 $\frac{1}{2}$	20 $\frac{1}{2}$	" 3 "
Whonwell Land	J. Luscombe	388	120	" 3 "
Chying Mills	H. J. Fort	40	13	
Crearage etc	A. J. Griggs	44	15	
Wastor	S. Pearce	66 $\frac{1}{2}$	20	
Freemar	Miss De la Pole	5 $\frac{1}{4}$	1	
Dolphusdon	H. Freeman	2	$\frac{1}{2}$	
	J. Freeman	2	$\frac{1}{2}$	
	J. Edgecombe	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	
	H. Barkshire	1 $\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	

Total 1964 $\frac{1}{2}$

655 Total

## Kingmore Parish

Name of Holding	Tenant	Total Acreage	Quota Demanded	
P. Glebe Farm	G. Freeman	10	3	
Orkenburg	A. Moore	293	90	Marwell Farm. Kingsto
Sth Langston	A. Luggar	18 $\frac{1}{2}$	54	
W <sup>2</sup> Manor Farm	J. P. Moore	243	40	Waste 8 acres
Marwell	Smale	120	36	Kerse Farm. South Milto
Glebe	J. Hyder	20	6	
Newton	E. M. Sandover	114	35	
Lower Farm	C. H. Brown	195	60	Waste 5 acres
Belle View	W. J. Beck	3 $\frac{3}{4}$	1	
The Elms	Miss B. Damerall	1 $\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	
Hill Pleasant	W. Luckcraft	11	4	
Frogland	B. Holman	2	$\frac{1}{2}$	

Total 1202  $\frac{1}{2}$  363

December 18<sup>th</sup> 1914

At a meeting held in the Kingeton school room on the date above and at 7-30 P.M.

A few questions were considered which had been sent from the secretary of the southern division at Brent

These questions were gone into and signed by the representatives of the two parishes

Quantity of seed oats required for sowing 1915	none
Is this quantity available locally	yes
Is it likely that ploughmen and horses will be required in your parish	There has been no application up to the present
What are the number of holders who have less than eight acres to cultivate	nine
What is the area of the above	nine acres
Will these want help	It was considered these would not
Have you any <u>applications</u> for <u>Tractor</u> ploughing	no

The secretary was also asked to write as follows

The Farmers in this district have been having their manure by Barque to Mothecombe, but up to now they have not been able to get any, as we are a considerable distance from any station (nine miles) it would save a lot of labour if they could get it to Mothecombe as usual, they would be glad if the executive could help them in this matter.

John W. Combe

July 17-1918

A meeting of the joint Committee for the Parishes of Kingston and Ringmore met in the School Room, Kingston on July 17<sup>th</sup> at 8 p.m.

To consider the offer of a German prisoner camp in the neighbourhood for harvest work.

It was considered none would be required

Also it was considered no volunteer labour would be wanted.

The secretary was also asked to send the following resolution to Brent.

The above committee consider the services of H. M. Gwens is urgently required in hauling manure and drawing away corn, and if taken would put the farmers in this district in an awkward position in getting away their corn, as he is the only haulier left in this district which is many miles from <sup>any</sup> station.

It was proposed by Mr. Sherrell and seconded by Mr. Brown that the name of Mr. Biddell of Ringmore be forwarded to Brent, and described as a man of about 46 years of age, who was understood to be doing no work of national importance and should be, also that he had not had his calling up papers  
John W. W. W.

## Kingston Parish

A meeting was held in the School Room Kingston on Oct 22<sup>nd</sup> at 7-30 pm to consider the Quota for Corn and Potatoes on each holding in Kingston and Ringm<sup>o</sup> parishes, the Quota for Kingston was fixed as follows

		Wheat	Barley	Oats	Potatoes	
Seabiscombe	Lethbridge	53½	60½	36	12½	180½
St. Langston	Luscombe	21	29½	20	1	64½
Torr Dawn	Ryder	10	10	8	¼	29¾
	Bulley	9½	3¾	4		16¾
Torr	Maddock	10	12	8	½	31
Robins. &	Sherrell	9	17	9	2	40
9th Torr	Kingdom	35	31	9	½	76
Coat	King	6½	2	6	3	22
Wanswell Ct	Luscombe	46	44	32½	3	130
Clyng	Torr	4	5	4	½	14
Vicarage	Triggs	3	8	5	¼	16½
Wastor	Pearse	5	10	6		21
Freemar	de la Pole		1	1		2
Dolphin	Freeman				½	1½
Jug. Cottage	J. Freeman				½	1½
The Shop	Edgcombe				½	1½
Torr Cottage	Berkshire				¼	½
Mudbury	Pitman				¼	½

## Ringmore Parish

		wheat	barley	Oats	potatoes	
Chalaboro. ltt	Freeman				1	2 $\frac{1}{2}$
Chembury	Moore	20 $\frac{1}{2}$	49	29	2	99
St Langston	Lugger	22	25	12	2	64
Manor Farm	Moore	15	34	21	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	76
Marwell	Smale	12	13	10	2	40
Ringmore	Ryder		2	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	4 $\frac{1}{4}$
Rinton	Sandover	15	14	10		39
Lower Farm	Colwell	6		16	3	64 $\frac{1}{2}$
Belle View	Beck		1			1
Mount. pleasant	Luckraft		3	4		7
The Elms	Ash					
Channel View	Colwell					1 $\frac{1}{4}$