

17-5-44 at the rear of the school building. After a discussion on the work performed by the cleaning staff it was resolved that approval of the Education Department be sought for the employment of an additional full time cleaner.
(Mrs Farr & Nicholson)

Accounts. It was resolved that accounts amounting to £ 1848-3-1 as per Chairman's Book, folio 42, were passed for payment.
(Mrs Jones & Wilson)

Correspondence The following correspondence was read and received:-
9th May, from Education Department stating that the school's request for a suitable testing machine will receive consideration.
(Mrs B.A. John & Mr J. Bealand)

General. Accident to Mr H. Brew, Resident Caretaker. The Registrar reported that Mr H. Brew, resident caretaker, was an inmate of the Base Hospital with a fractured leg; the result of an accident due to a skid by his bicycle in loose metal in Lydiard Street on the 22nd April. The Caretaker's Award did not contain any provision for sick pay and as the accident did not occur whilst he was on duty he was not entitled to compensation under the Workers Compensation Act.
It was resolved that the accident

17-5-44 he reported to the Education Department and that the Department be requested to inform the Council of the amount of sick pay which could be granted to Mr Brew. It was also considered advisable to stress the fact that during the eight years he has occupied the position he has rarely taken the annual leave to which he is entitled.
(Mrs Sutton & B.A. John)

Youth Centre.
Mr Nicholson, who represented the Council at the first meeting of the Youth Centre Council, reported that the meeting which was fully reported in the local press, was a very successful one. It was very pleasing to know that Mr B. F. Jeffery, Headmaster of the Junior Technical School had been appointed chairman of Activities

Ministerial Visit.

The President reported that on Friday, 28th April the Honourable the Minister of Public Instruction (Mr J. S. Holloway M.P.) accompanied by Mr A. A. King, W. K. Bevan and P. Everett had paid a visit of inspection to the school.

They were met by the Finance Committee and shown over the old Court House and school grounds and buildings.

The proposed location of Vardis school buildings was fully discussed and at the conclusion of the visit the Minister