

Minutes of an Annual General Meeting held at the Mission Hall, Sutton Paynter on Friday 21st April 72 Mr Hackett Jones in the Chair.

Apologies from Mr Mullins, Mr & Mrs Sewell, Mr & Mrs McKew, Mr & Mrs Hall.

Minutes of the previous A.G.M. were read and adopted. The Chairman expressed his pleasure in the designation of the village as a Conservation Area, and hoped that suggestions would be given to the Committee as to ways of improving the area under the terms of the Conservation Act. He thanked Mrs Morris for taking over the Chair during his term of illness.

Secretary's Report was read and adopted. Thanks were expressed for her help on the Planning Committee.

Treasurer's Report - There was now a balance of £60.37, thanks to the Jubilee Sale and donations towards the architect's fee. Gratitude to the architect for his modest fee was expressed and Mrs Shires proposed that he be sent a letter of thanks. Mr Shires stressed the need to have a good bank balance, not only to assist in the providing of amenities but as a fighting fund.

Electing Officers was as follows: —

Chairman - Mr George Shires

Vice-Chairman - Mrs Joan Morris

Secretary - Mrs J. Litschi

Treasurer - Mr R. Saunders

Committee :- Mrs Hunt, Mrs Shires, Mr Hitchcock, Mr Cox, Mr Bullen, Mr Denton, Mr Pressley, Mr Brown, Mr Hackett-Jones. Mr Kelley and Mr Presswell were retiring and their places were filled by Mrs Brown and Mr Hailes.

Mr Presswell was elected Auditor.

Pleasure was expressed that Mr Hackett-Jones was well again and a vote of thanks was made to him and to Mrs Morris for their duties in the Chair. There being no further business, the meeting adjourned for refreshments, and these were followed by a film "A Future for the Past" which was introduced by Mr Wykes of the County Planning Office. After the film Mr Wykes gave a short talk on conservation, emphasising points in the film. After ~~warmly thanking~~ ^{warm thanks had been expressed to} Mr Wykes for giving up his time to address the meeting, the evening was brought to a close.

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