

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held on  
14<sup>th</sup> January, 1976 at 3, Silver Street.  
Mr. B. Lenton in the Chair.

Apologies for absence were received from  
Mr. G. Skines, Mrs G. Howland & Mrs O. Morris.  
The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

#### Matters Arising.

Bench. The Chairman reported that he had been  
in touch with Mr. White regarding progress.

The stone & wood had now been obtained and  
the finished article would cost between £30 & £35.

#### Goods Lifting

The Secretary read a letter from Mr Aylatt,  
Manager of the Weymouth Adult Training Centre  
thanking the members for the donation to the  
Amenities Fund of £14, the proceeds from this event  
Plans for proposed building on site between  
Wynnings & Dell Cottage, Plaister Lane.

The Chairman reported on his meeting with  
representatives of the Weymouth & Bantley  
Planning Departments. It was decided that the  
Chairman should write to the Weymouth Planning  
Office setting out the details of the new recommended  
access driveway.

## Social Evening on 10/4/76.

Hall & Band. Mrs Hitchens reported that these had been booked.

Refreshments The Chairman agreed to ask Mrs Loveland to arrange these.

Theme The Chairman agreed to discuss this with Mrs Brown.

It was decided that Mr. Loveland should be asked to bring his tape recorder and play suitable music whilst the guests were arriving.

Plaques The sub-committee had no further information on this subject & the Chairman suggested <sup>that</sup> Mrs Hitchens should contact Mr. Mike Chapman at Wyke School who may be able to help.

Newsletter Mrs Shires was asked to write a newsletter within the next few weeks.

## Civic Society

The Chairman reported that he had attended one meeting as our representative and that he would attend future meetings when possible.

### Lecture in February 1976.

The Secretary reported that she was still awaiting a reply from Mr. Geoffrey Pool, lecturer at the Weymouth College of Education. It was decided that as no reply was forthcoming, Mr. Jack West, Curator of the Weymouth Museum be contacted, and invited to speak at the February meeting.

### A.G.M. in March 1976.

The Secretary & Chairman were asked to find a suitable film for this event as the Drama Group's latest production is too long for the time available at this meeting.

### Float in Carnival.

Mr. Hitchens suggested that the Committee might like to enter the Carnival this year. A float was suggested perhaps depicting a scene from one of the Drama Group's productions. The Committee decided to think about this new venture & discuss the matter at a later meeting.

### Owermaigue

Mr. Hitchens informed the Committee that the villagers were experiencing some difficulty with their local Planning



Authority & may be forming a Society such as an am.  
The Secretary was asked to write to Mrs. A. N. Woodhall  
offering our help & enclosing a copy of our Constitution  
& Rules.

### Dorset Grants Homes Amenities Fund.

Mrs Shires requested that should any Committee  
members have any unwanted gifts, furniture etc,  
they might like to donate these articles to the  
people covered by this Fund.

### Plans. Land between Verlands Rd & Preston Road.

Mrs. Litschi reported that the Planning Officer, Weymouth,  
Road received an application for 'houses' from  
SKILL CONSTRUCTION, (DORSET) LTD, CAMBRIDGE ROAD,  
GRANBY ESTATE, DORCHESTER. The land comprises  
6.4 acres and the proposal is for 6 houses to the acre.  
The Committee discussed <sup>the</sup> various aspects of this application  
and concern was felt that this might become  
skyline developments. There was also a feeling that this  
might be designated White Land.

Mrs Litschi offered to see the Weymouth Planning  
Officer, & discuss these points, & report to the next  
meeting.

Trees The Committee agreed that as several trees were being  
felled in and around the village, the members might like to

replace them where possible. It was suggested that Mr. Hiroshi approach Mr. Henry Diamant with a view to obtaining his permission to plant a tree on his land.

The next meeting was arranged for 16/2/76 and there being no further business, the meeting closed at 9.30pm.

*H. Bent*

16<sup>th</sup> February, 1976.