

Minutes of the Caunt Place Farm
Allotments Committee Meeting held in
the Ancient Building on Site on
Tuesday July 4th 1978. The meeting commenced
at 7-45 P.M.

Members present Mr Sheehan, Mr Flay
Mr Strauch, Mr A Smith, Mr Jandy
Mr Dilsdale, Mr Jant, Mr Ball Mrs
Hall, Mr G Smith, Mr Webb, Mr James
Apologies for absence Mr Beesley

Minutes of the last meeting read and
proposed as a true record by Mr
Jandy Seconded by Mrs Ball and
Ball Unanimous

Matters arising

Overage shed a Mr Punce
had still not made his shed the correct
size or applied for permission to have
a shed on his plot.

Secretarys Report

June meeting The Secretary reported that
the June meeting of committee had been
cancelled due to the fact that it was
felt more important to attend the
meeting being held as a protest to
the proposal of a gypsy camp near
Old Marston.

Water supply

The Trench was now in,
properly 2'6" deep but the man who

~~that~~ did it had to get the machine from Yunnan at the cost of \$50.00 but we had not got charged for labour so we had given the man a \$10 for his efforts which he was pleased with. The inspector from the water board had now passed the work. Mr Straud further reported that there was still more work to be done on the water supply re-another connection the cost of this work to be about \$20.00 Mr A Smith asked where the money was coming from Mr Straud replied the Rent Account.

Rough Plots

Mr Straud reported that it was becoming more difficult to let plots and the grass need cutting down for people want take them it was difficult to get volunteers to do this work. There were 3 plots that needed the grass cutting down.

Car Park.

Mr Straud reported he had tried to see Mr Prior with a view to getting the grass cut on the car park but his eye was bad so help was also needed to do this job.

Insurance

We cant get insured against theft from the Amenity Building because our site was exposed but we can get fire insurance for \$10.00 and this was worth doing in September. Proposal from Mr A

Smith that the Amenity Building against fire as soon as possible secured by Mr Joanes and Vote Unanimous.

Waiting list There was about 3-4 on the list.

Sales.

Orders were being placed for Onion sets and Bulbs. (Daffodils and Tulips.)

Treasurers Report.

The rent account stood at £131-45 The Mortimer Hall Committee Room had been paid up also the water rate £50-00 and Bills for £30-00 so £51-00 left so with rent in arrears we are a bit short.

General Account

This stood at £671 but Bill for £134 + £42 owing so £490-00 in the Bank. Mr Joanes commented that this was excellent considering our new Building and stock in hand. Mr Stroud said this balance is essential for trading and needs to be more so that we can get Bargains.

Condition of Site

Areas of weeds to be cut Mr Joanes reported that some allottees were complaining about their main paths not being cut, it was felt the committee that if allottees in general volunteered to help with jobs on site then committee would have more time

to cut paths.

~~the~~ condition of Plots.

Mr Sheehan complained about plot 51A and asked committee to look at it and decide on the course of action along with other rough plots. It was generally agreed that the Secretary should deal with this.

Draw an allottee Mr D. Kimber plot 87 was asked to make the draw Prizes to be 1st. Stainless Steel Spade 2nd Spade 3rd Fork 4th. Dutch Hoe 5th Pick The winners names to posted on shed.

There being no further Business the meeting closed at 9-15 PM the next meeting to be at 7-30 on August 15 1978 in the Assembly Building

H. Sheehan.

Sec. Secretary

Sheehan
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