**ABERPORTH VILLAGE HALL MINUTE BOOK 2**

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Meeting 22:vi:28

The Chairman Rev. O. J. Robinson presided over a special meeting of the Council held on June 27th 1928. The following members were present. Rev. D. J. Evans, Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. D. James, D. Evans, Pugh James, J Bowen, C. Nicholas, F. Evans, J. J. Cramp and the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

The report of the Dydd Iau Mawr Committee was given by Mr. Cramp. It was proposed by the Rector

“That inasmuch as this question had not been placed on the agenda for the meeting the report be considered again at the next meeting, but considering the near approach of the date the secretary be authorized to draw up posters and get them presented at the next meeting” – carried.

Mr. D. James brought to the notice of the Council a request from the Aberporth

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Dramatic Society for the holding of the Social which the Council had invited them to to be held at an earlier date than that already fixed. The Chairman’s proposition “that the request be granted” was carried unanimously.

The date for the Social was fixed provisionally for 6th of July and the usual arrangements were made.

The Secretary was asked to write the Blaenporth Parish Council drawing their attention to the need for cutting the hedges and clearing the path on cliff leading to Tresaith.

O. J. Robinson Chairman 9:vii:28

Monthly Meeting 9.vii.1928

The Chairman Rev. O.J. Robinson presided over the monthly meeting held on July 9th 1928. The following members being present. Rev. D. J. Evans, Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. D. James, D. Edwards, D. Evans, J. T. Davies, F. Evans, J. Bowen, T. James, G. D. Jones, J. Davies, J. J. Cramp together with the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

A deputation from the local Nursing Association was received and their case for the sanction of the sale of flags for the Association on Dydd Iau Mawr was fully explained by Capt. Jones and Rev. W. Evans, Tremain. The question was fully discussed and considered. Mr. Cramp moved a resolution. “That after giving the question full consideration we felt bound in the face of the great need at present for funds to carry out all the schemes contemplated by

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the council ~~we could~~ not **to** accede to the granting of any part of the day to any other party.” This was seconded by D. James. The Rector moved an amendment which was seconded by Mr. W. Evans B.A.

“That we as a Council cannot afford to forego the selling of the flags on Dydd Iau Mawr”

On the vote being taken 6 voted for the amendment and 8 for the proposition which was finally carried unanimously.

The deputation was then notified of the Council’s unanimous decision. The Rev. W. Evans thanked the Council for the kind and sympathetic hearing being given them.

Mr. Cramp on behalf of the Council thanked the members of the deputation for the courtesy they had displayed in asking the Council for the necessary permission.

Dydd Iau Mawr: Mr. Cramp the secretary gave his Committee’s report. The poster was passed for printing and Mr. T James proposed “that the sum of £17:10 be authorized to be spent as prizes in the Shooting Match.” This was seconded by Mr. D. Edwards and carried. It was also agreed 2that a Challenge Cup to the value of £6:10 be bought and offered for competition in the day’s match.

The question of procuring a suitable field was left in the hands of Messrs. J. J. Cramp and C. Nicholas. Mr. W. Evans B.A. was appointed unanimously as Joint Secretary for Dydd Iau Mawr.

The Chairman brought to the notice of Council the future procedure of “send-off” meetings in the cases of members leaving.

Mr. Davies (Barry Hse) moved a resolution “that a rule be made that in future

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the Council do not officially organize a “send-off” meeting to any members leaving the Council, but this rule need not debar any function of a private nature being organized by any member or members if they so wish” – this was unanimously agreed to.

Mr. D. James the caterer for the recent Social given to the Dramatic Society presented a bill for £1:2:0 which was passed for payment.

O. J. Robinson (Chairman) 26:VII:28

Meeting held July 26th 1928

A special meeting of the Council was held on 26th July1928 over which the Chairman Rev. O. J. Robinson presided, other members present being: Rev. D. J. Evans, Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. D. James, D. Evans, J. Bowen, J. J. Cramp, H. Jones, G. Davies-Jones, Dan Davies, T. Davies, C. K. Jenkins, D. Edwards, C. Nicholas together with the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and duly authorized to be signed.

The Rector reported on the decision arrived at after a joint meeting of the Aberporth and Blaenporth Parish councils, and said “that the question of the erection of conveniences at Aberporth had been carried unanimously at that meeting.”

The Chairman reported on the

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recent visit of Mrs. Thomas of Porthcawl to Aberporth and said “that a plot of her property had been kindly offered to the Council for the erection of a shelter,” the Working Committee had, however come to the decision that the site offered was impracticable for the erection of a shelter. The Committee then chose a more suitable site on the foreshore near the headland. They had interviewed the owner and sanction had been obtained to use it for the purpose of erecting a shelter. He proposed that the kind offer of Mrs. Thomas be accepted with thanks. This was seconded by Mr. D. James and carried. The question of the cost of conveyancing to be defrayed by the Council. It was further decided that Mr. Dan Davies erect a suitable sign on the plot indicating that it had been secured for the erection of a public shelter.

Dydd Iau Fach Flag selling

On the proposition of Mr. Cramp the following members viz: Chairman. Rev. W. J. Evans and Mr. Davies, Barry Hse. Be appointed to see the Secretary of the Hospital Committee so that in future all moneys collected by this Committee be sent in under the name of the Welfare Council – this was carried.

It was proposed and carried that Mr. C. K. Jenkins be authorized to pay the workmen engaged ~~in~~ on work with the river bed and slip building. It was also carried “that the staffing of labour for the work now in hand be left in the hands of the Chairman. Capt. Jenkins and C. Nicholas.

Mr. Cramp gave his report of the visit of Dr. Clare for the purpose of fixing upon a suitable field for the ”shoot” and said “that the most

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Suitable one for the purpose was the “Plas” field on the opposite side of the Council School. Mr. W. James pointed out to the Council that there was an equally good field near Traethfach and nearer the village. Much discussion took place on the suitability of the two fields mentioned and Mr. C. K. Jenkins proposed that the “Plas” field be hired. This was seconded by Mr. D. Edwards. ~~This was~~ and carried with one dissent.

The following arrangements were made and carried for Dydd Iau Mawr:

1. Rector was made responsible for obtaining the necessary permit forflag selling.
2. The following ladies were elected as a Committee for the Refreshments. Mrs. Evans “Ivy”. Miss. Jenkins “Craigydon,” Miss Swallow, Miss Evans “Ddol” Miss George.

This Committee was granted plenary powers to co-opt if necessary

1. Stewards were provisionally fixed for duty on the field.
2. Capt. Thomas “Cartref” was appointed to see to the selling of flags.
3. Suitable persons were named to see to the working of the clay pigeon traps.

O. J. Robinson (Chairman) Sept 3rd 1928

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Meeting Aug 27th 1928

A special meeting of the Council was held at the Schoolroom Aug 27th 1928, at8.15pm. Present Rev. O. J. Robinson (Chairman) Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. G. Davies-Jones, Hew Jones, C. Nicholas, J. Bowen, J. Evans, Dan Davies, Rev. D. J. Evans.

At the request of the Chairman, the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was deferred.

Owing to the absence, on holiday, of Mr D. J. G. Thomas, the Rector was appointed Secretary pro tem.

Business

1. Proposed purchase of Penygraig Field – otherwise known as Morfa Las.

The Chairman explained that in consequence of requests that had been made to him he had invited the Rector to accompany him on a visit to Capt. D. Davies of Neuaddwen, in order to ascertain whether or not Capt. Davies was prepared to

re-open negotiations with the Council with reference to the property in question. Proceeding the Chairman said that the reply was in the affirmative, the price being as originally fixed upon £205, subject to certain conditions.

All the members present agreed that steps be taken in the matter at once.

The Rector, having referred to the question of acquiring the portion of Banky Dyffryn which belongs to Mr. Godfrey Phillips, it was unanimously decided that a Committee consisting of the Chairman the Rector and Capt. Jenkins “Craig wen” should make enquiries with that end in view. The same Committee also to see Capt. Davies with reference to the conditions attached to his price for Penygraig field.

It was further decided that the whole matter be again discussed at a further special meeting.

Dydd Iau Mawr Balance Sheet: The Rector presented a draft balance sheet of Dydd Iau Mawr account, which showed a net

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balance in hand of about £28.

It was unanimously decided

1. That Dr Dan D. Thomas be asked to audit the a/c.
2. That a special letter of thanks be sent to Capt. Thomas, Glasfir and to Capt. T. O. Thomas, Cartref for their valuable services in connection with the event.
3. That a printed circular be sent to all who had sent gifts and donations in connection therewith.

The Chairman undertook to send the letters.

O. J. Robinson (Chairman) Sept 3rd 1928

Meeting held Sept 3rd 1928

The Rev. O. J. Robinson Chairman presided over a special meeting of the Council held on Sept 3rd 1928 at 7.30 p.m. The following members were present, Rev, D. J. Evans, Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. T. James, D. J. T. Davies, G. Davies-Jones, Dan Davies, J. Bowen, C. Nicholas, D. Edwards, C. K. Jenkins, T. Evans together with the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and initialed, but comments thereon were left until the next meeting, owing to lack of time for discussion.

It was also decided to defer the presentation of bills until the next meeting.

A letter was read from the President of the Council (Capt. James Jenkins of Penylan Cardiff) intimating ~~of~~ his visit to Aberporth during the week. It was unanimously decided that members be deputed to meet him, viz. Chairman, Rector, Sec, Messrs. J. T. Davies, T. James, Capt. Jenkins and C. Nicholas.

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A letter was read from Mr. Godfrey Phillips of Newport informing the Council of his selling price of the land running from the foreshore (southern side) to the main road on Banc y Dyffryn. As the price was considered far too ~~much~~ high the Chairman and Rector were asked to interview the owners and report at the next meeting.

“Morfa Las”

Further discussion took place re view to purchase of Capt. Davies plot named “Morfa Las”.

Capt. Jenkins (proposed) “that the plot of Morfa Las be purchased for the sum of £205” This was seconded by Mr. J. Bowen, and carried unanimously. The Rector moved “that the question of finding the necessary money for the purchase of Morfa Las be deferred until the deputation had had their interview with Capt. Jenkins, the President of the Council – carried.

The Chairman read a petition signed by a number of visitors to Aberporth asking the Council’s support to secure for them the freedom of using the cliff paths leading to Cribach Bay. The Rector proposed that the Secretary write to the owners of adjoining land to Cribach to invite them to meet a deputation to discuss the question and this was carried.

A letter was read from Mr. D. James intimating his immediate resignation from the Council. The Rev. D. J. Evans proposed “that the Secretary write Mr. James asking him kindly to reconsider his resignation”. This was seconded by Mr. F. Evans and carried unanimously.

O. J. Robinson (Chairman) Sept 20 1928.

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Meeting held Set 20th 1928

The monthly meeting of the Council was held on Thursday Sept 20th over which the Chairman Rev. O. J. Robinson presided. Other members present being Rev. D. J. Evans, Messrs. T. James, J. T. Davies, C. Nicholas, J. Bowen, D. Edwards together with the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and authorized to be signed.

The Chairman gave a report of the interview of the deputation ~~which~~ that had waited upon Mr. Godfrey Phillips re terms of sale of plot of land on Bankydyffryn. Owing to the selling price being fixed far too high it was unanimously decided that no further steps to be taken in the matter.

The question of the right of way of path over the cliffs leading to Cribach was deferred until the attendance of Mr. H. Jones of Penar.

The Rector reported on the deputation’s visit

to Capt. Jenkins, the president of the Council, during his stay at Aberporth re the Council’s project of purchasing the plot of land known as “Morfa Las”. The Chairman read a letter from Capt. James Jenkins ~~which~~ that had been written after his return from Aberporth intimating his willingness of helping the Council to purchase the said plot of land. It was proposed by Mr. J. Bowen and seconded by the Rector “that a public meeting be held on Thursday 27th of Sept. for the purpose of explaining the very generous offer ~~which~~ that had been so kindly been made by Capt. James Jenkins of Cardiff the President of the Council” – this was carried unanimously.

The following members were nominated to form a committee for carrying out the necessary arrangements for public meeting viz. Chairman, Rector, J. T. Davies, T. James and Secretary.

The Secretary was asked to write the G.W.R.

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with a view to inaugurate the running of an early bus through the village via Quarry for the conveyance of County School Children.

It was resolved that Mr. T. James interview Miss Jones Parry and draw her attention to the extremely dangerous state of the public path near her property.

Bills connected with the clearing of the river bed and erection of cliff steps were passed for payment.

The Secretary was authorized to purchase a further stock of writing material for his use.

O. J. Robinson (Chairman) 11:X:28

Monthly Meeting of Oct 1928

The monthly meeting of the Council was held on Oct 11th 1928 at 7.30pm. The Chairman Rev. O. J. Robinson presided; the other members present being Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. T. James, F. Evans, J. Davies (Trefor), J. Davies (Barry Hse), J. J. Cramp, J. W. Lloyd, J. T. Davies (London Hse), J. Bowen, G. Davies-Jones together with the Secretary.

The minutes were read and confirmed.

A letter was read from the G. W. R. notifying the Council of their latest service of buses run during the early morning from Aberporth to Newcastle Emlyn with a connection at Goggerddan Arms for Cardigan. The Secretary was asked to write ~~them~~ and thank them for their attempt to meet the conveniences of school children but the present service was not an ideal one. Owing to the absence of Mr. J. G. Jones of Penar the question of the right of way to Cribach was again deferred.

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A vote of condolence was passed to the family of the late Mr. Caleb Nicholas, the secretary was asked to write and convey the Council’s deep sympathy with them in their sad bereavement.

Mr. J. Davies (Trefor) brought forward a notice of motion for the next meeting “that the name “Tir Glas” given to the newly acquired plot of ground be reconsidered.”

The collectors for the “Tir Glas Fund reported on the canvass of the village and district for subscriptions. The report on the whole was quite satisfactory. The Secretary was given further names of persons who would most likely be prepared to subscribe to the Fund.

In was passed that tenders be advertised for the village lighting.

Further discussion took place on the present state of the river bed and on the motion of Mr. G. Davies-Jones it was decided unanimously that the

Council as a whole the spot next Monday at 2.30pm for inspection a see what further steps can be take in this work.

The Secretary was asked to call the Dramatic society together and discuss their scheme of work or programme for the coming session.

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The Rev. O. J. Robinson Chairman presided over the monthly meeting of the Council held Thursday Nov 1st 1928. Other members present were Rev. D. J. Evans, Capt Jenkins, Messrs. T. James, J. Bowen, D. Edwards, G. Davies-Jones, Dan Davies, J. Davies, J. Daniel Lloyd, Fred Evans together with the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

A vote of condolence was passed to Mr. D. Edwards and family in their sad bereavement.

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Two tenders were received for lighting the village lamps. Viz. Mr. Thomas “Ynyseven” whose tender was 6/6 a week and Mr. J. Davies “Trefor” at 7/- a week. The tender of Mr. J. Davies was accepted – the decision was arrived at by ballot.

On the motion of Mr. J. Daniel Lloyd. Mr. W. Edwards was made responsible for the lamp at Parcllyn at 1/- per week – carried.

Mr. Davies “Trefor” moved his notice of motion “that steps be taken to rename the plot of land. He said there was a strong desire among the inhabitants of the village for the renaming of the plot now known as “Tir Glas” – much discussion took place on the suitability of various suggested names. It was finally decided to vote on two most suitable names viz. Rock Parc and Welfare Park. The result being each name received 6 votes. The Chairman gave his casting vote in favour of Welfare Park. It was

then decided unanimously to re-name the plot of land “Welfare Park”.

The following sub-committee were elected to deal with

1. Subscriptions towards plot
2. Dramatic Society.

viz. Chairman, Secretary, Messrs. J. T. Davies, T. James, Fred Evans, Rev. D. J. Evans and Capt. Jenkins.

Passed that further work be proceeded with in the form of cementing the cliff steps recently made.

The following bills were passed for payment.

1. Mr. Davies “Trefor” 3/8 for work done to shelter.
2. The Managers of the Church School for damage done to desks and plank.

O. J. Robinson (Chairman) 22:11:28

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Meeting of Nov 22nd 1928

The Chairman Rev. O. J. Robinson presided over a special Council Meeting on Thurs Nov. 22nd 1928. The following members were present. Rev. D. J. Evans, Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. J. Bowen, Dan Davies, J. Davies “Trefor”, Pugh James, G. Davies-Jones and Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed

The Chairman moved a vote of condolence with the Rev. D. J. Evans and family in their bereavement. This was carried in the usual way.

The Rector proposed that Mr. Davies “Wernenad” be asked to sing at the forthcoming Dramatic Performance. Mr. Dan Davies promised to see to the arrangements.

Further discussion took place on the necessity of strengthening the right bank of the brook especially at a point where there is a tendency for it during flood times to spread

out endangering its flow back to the old river bed. Capt. Jenkins explained very lucidly the necessity of making an embankment of cement blocks. It was decided that Capt. Jenkins and Mr. Dan Davies make one experimental block weighing 3 cwts, and that the question be again discussed at the next meeting.

O. J. Robinson (Chairman) 6:XII:28

A monthly meeting of the Council was held at 8pm on Dec 6th 1928. The Chairman Rev. O. J. Robinson presided. The following members being present. Rev. D. J. Evans, Messrs. D. Edwards, J. J. Cramp, J. Bowen, F. Evans, J. T. Davies (Barry House), T. James, G. Davies-Jones, J. Davies together with the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

On the motion of Mr. Davies Barry House the following were nominated to form an

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advance party to fix places and dates for the Dramatic Society. This committee was given plenary powers to carry out all arrangements.

The Rev. O. J. Robinson was asked to interview Rev. Jubilee Young with a view of obtaining his services at a future date to lecture on behalf of the Council, the Chairman kindly promised to see him.

The Dramatic Sub Committee was also asked to see Mr. Gwendraeth James regarding his promise to help the “Welfare Park2 Fund.

The following sub-committee were formed to inspect the cliff steps and report at the next meeting of the necessary improvements needed to put the said steps in good order. Rector, Surveyor Mr. Jenkins and Capt. Jenkins.

The Chairman read the draft Balance Sheet of the recent Dramatic

performance. The report was considered very satisfactory and on the motion of the Chairman the Secretary was asked to write and thank the Dramatic Society for this very great help and support to the Welfare Council – this was carried unanimously.

O. J. Robinson (Chairman) 17:1:29

The monthly meeting of the Council was held on Thursday evening Jan19th 1929. Rev. O. J. Robinson Chairman presided – other members present being Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. Daniel Davies, J.T. Davies, J. T. Davies Barry Hse., J. Bowen, J. J. Cramp, Fred Evans, J. Davies, J. W. Lloyd together with the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

Mr. Cramp reported on the Dramatic arrangements which had previously been provisionally fixed. The report received was considered on the whole very unsatisfactory. The

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Chairman moved “that the question be put on the next agenda to see if any person or persons were prepared to take in hand the work of re-modelling the Dramatic Company with a view of making it a source of revenue for the Welfare Council” – this was adopted.

The Chairman gave the report of his interview with Rev. Jubilee Young re proposed Lecture. He said the estimated expenses of such a Lecture would amount to £3:18. Mr. Bowen proposed “that the Chairman be asked to make himself responsible of writing and fixing a date with Rev. gentleman for A Lecture some time in the month of April if possible” – carried.

The Cliff Committee had not met.

The Treasurer, Chairman and Secretary were appointed to collect the outstanding sums of the Park Fund as soon as possible so that this matter can be settled as soon as ~~possible~~ convenient.

The Secretary was asked to write to Mr. D. J. Jenkins re. Horticulture Balance.

It was proposed by ~~Mr. J. T. Davies Barry Hse~~ Capt. Jenkins and seconded by Mr. J. T. Davies that the Annual Public Meeting for the election of members for 1929 be held on Jan. 31st 1929 and that the number of members in future be limited to 15 – carried unanimously.

Mr. Davies (Trefor) proposed “that eleven concrete blocks similar to the one lying on the river bed be tendered for”. This was seconded by Mr. Davies (Barry) – and carried.

Capt. Jenkins, Mr. J. T. Davies (London Hse) Mr. Davies (Barry Hse) together with the Chairman and Secretary were elected to form a Committee to deal with this matter.

David J. Evans (Chairman) April 11 1929

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Meeting held April 11th 1929

A meeting of the Council was held on Thursday evening April 11th at 7.30pm. the following members being present. Rev. W. J. Evans, Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. J. T. Davies, Jno. Davies, Fred Evans, Dd. James, T. James, J. W. Lloyd together with the Secretary.

In the absence of the Chairman Rev. O. J. Robinson the Rector was unanimously voted to the Chair.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The report of the Sub-Committee re the contract of blocks was confirmed viz: “that Mr. Dan Davies be authorized to construct 11 concrete blocks similar to the one now lying in the river bed for the sum of 10/- each”

The Welfare Park Fund was again fully discussed and on the proposition of Mr. J. T. Davies seconded by Mr. D. James it was decided that a small committee

Consisting of the Chairman Rev. D. J. Evans, Treasurer, Secretary and Mr. J. T. Davies be granted plenary powers for the immediate settlement of the purchase of the Park.

It was decided that the Secretary again write to Mr. Jenkins “Ffrwd” re transfer of the Horticultural Shows’ Balance.

The Chairman Rev. O. J. Robinson who had so kindly promised to arrange for the lecture by the Rev. Jubilee Young was asked that in the event of his failing to obtain the reverent gentleman to deliver the lecture would he kindly make arrangements for securing another suitable Lecturer for Wednesday May 22nd 1929.

It was unanimously decided to hold the twice postponed public meeting for the election of members to serve on the Council on Friday Apr. 19th 1929. The Secretary to make all efforts to publish the new date.

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Public Meeting held Apr 19th 1929

A public meeting was held on Friday Apr 19th at 7.30pm. The attendance was disappointing. The Rev. O. J. Robinson presided.

It was unanimously decided that the voting be by ballot. The Chairman was appointed Returning Officer.

The following nominations were received.

Rev. O. J. Robinson Rev, D. J. Evans

Capt. Jenkins David James

T. G. James - Bradshaw

J. D. Lloyd Lewis Jones Davies

- Williams Dr. Powell

J. Bowen G. Davies Jones

Daniel Davies D. Evans B. A.

* Llewellyn J. Davies
* Davies (Llewyncelyn) Fred Evans

D. J. L. Thomas J. T. Davies

The following 15 members were duly elected

1. Rev. O. J. Robinson
2. Rev. D. J. Evans
3. David Evans
4. Dr. Powell
5. J. T. Davies
6. J. Bowen
7. L. Jones Davies
8. G. Davies Jones
9. J. Daniel Lloyd
10. D. James
11. – Llewellyn
12. Fred Evans
13. T. G. James
14. Capt. Jenkins
15. D. J. L. Thomas

O. J. Robinson (Chairman) 7: v:29

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Meeting of May 7th 1929

The first meeting of the new Council was held on Tuesday evening May 7th. The following members being present. Revs. D. J. Evans and O. J. Robinson, Dr. Powell, Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. T. James, D. Llewellyn, J. Bowen, F. Evans, J. T. Davies and D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the general meeting were read and signed.

The following officers were elected for the year.

Chairman: Capt J. Jenkins

Vice Chairman: Mr J. T. Davies

Secretary: Mr. D. J. L. Thomas

Treasurer: Mr. T. G. James

Rev. O. J. Robinson retiring Chairman thanked the Council for the kind support given him during his year of office and gave a brief summary of the Council’s work during his Chairmanship. He pointed out to the Council the need of further efforts on their part to

carry out still more progressive work. The new Chairman then took the Chair and in a few well-chosen words said that he hoped the Council would give him every assistance during the year to carry on the good work already commenced.

The Rector proposed that the Secretary be given an Honorarium of three guineas ~~this year~~ as an appreciation of his work. Carried unanimously.

On the motion of the Rev. D. J. Evans it was decided to publish the list of subscribers towards the Welfare Park in the local paper and that the following letter of thanks be sent Capt. Jenkins of Cardiff. “that we as a Council desire to express to our President James Jenkins Esq., Penylan, Cardiff our sincere thanks for his generous gift of £105:4:6 to meet a similar amount collected locally for the purpose of acquiring for the use of the public the field which

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will henceforth be known as the Aberporth Welfare Park. It is a source of great satisfaction to us that the President has by this gift shown his desire to assist us in our efforts to promote the Welfare of the Village” – seconded by Rev. O. J. Robinson and carried unanimously.

Further discussion took place re Sub Committee’s report of the need of the completion of the purchase of the Park and the Secretary was asked to see the Solicitor in order that a draft conveyance could be made out and the Park thrown open to the public at Whitsun.

The Sub Committee reported on the immediate need of finishing the work on the Cliff Steps near the Bungalow. It was decided to carry out the work and plenary powers be given to the Sub-Committee for its completion. The same Committee were asked to carry out the work needed on the river embankment.

The following members were elected to see to the work. Revs. O. J. Robinson, & D. J. Evans. Chairman, Mr. Davies (Barry House), Dr. Powell and Secretary.

A complaint was received of the dumping of stone and gravel near the Bungalow but no action was taken.

The Rector gave his report on the Drama arrangements which were adopted.

A bill of £1:14:11 for lighting cleaning oil etc was passed for payment.

John Jenkins 6 June 1929

Meeting held June 6th 1929

A general meeting of the Council was held on Thursday evening June 6th 1929. The Chairman Capt. John Jenkins presiding, other members present being Rev. O. J. Robinson, Messrs. J. T. Davies, D. James, D. Llewellyn,

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G. Davies Jones, T. G. James, J. Bowen together with the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

Clay Pigeon Shoot 1929 Proposed by the Rev. O. J. Robinson that this year’s shoot be held on the Bank Holiday – carried unanimously. It was decided that the match be held on the Plas Field.

Mr. D. Evans B. A. od Ivy Cottage was appointed Secretary and was given full powers to make all necessary arrangements etc.

The Secretary read a statement of accounts of the financial position of recent Drama held at the Hall. The net profits being £5:16:0.

Dydd Iau Mawr Programme: Discussion took place of ways and means of providing a suitable programme for Dydd Iau Mawr and it was generally agreed that an open-air Eisteddfod would eb a suitable event.

On the motion of Mr. T. James, the following

Members and others were selected to form a Sub Committee to go carefully into the matter – they were given plenary powers to carry out the Eisteddfod Programme.

Names selected:

Mr. J. T. Davies (Barry House) organizer

Rev. O. J. Robinson

Rev. D. J. Evans

Mr. J. T. James (Sculptor)

Mr. J. Davies (Trefor)

Secretary

The Steps Committee gave their report, which was highly satisfactory. All felt that excellent work had been done on the renovating of the Cliff steps near the Bungalows. The Secretary was asked to write the District Council to point out to them the necessity of putting the Glanmordy path in a similar condition to that of the Western Cliff Path.

It was also decided to order 6 more seats for the Welfare Parc. The work was left in the hands of the Chairman.

John Jenkins 4 July 1929

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Meeting held July 4th 1929

Capt. J. Jenkins Chairman presided over the monthly meeting of the Council held on July 4th 1929. Other members present were, Revs. D. J. Evans and O. J. Robinson, Dr. Powell, Messrs. D. James, T. G. James, D. Evans, J. W. Lloyd, D. Llewellyn, J. T. Davies, J. Bowen together with the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

On the proposition of the Rev. D. J. Evans the date of the formal opening of the Welfare Park was fixed for July 24th 1929. It was also carried that be charged 1/- for the tea and that the schoolchildren of the village be given a free tea.

The question of drawing up a sports programme was left in the hands of the local head-teachers.

It was also decided to ask Mrs. Williams (Emlyn) to kindly undertake

The work of calling all ladies of the village interested in the work of providing tea on July 24th to a Ladies Committee. The Secretary being made responsible for publishing the date of this meeting – it was further decided that the Chairman and the Rector be chosen to represent the Welfare Council at this important Ladies Committee and explain the Council’s programme for the opening day.

It was carried unanimously that Dr. & Mrs. Powell be asked to perform the opening ceremony of the Public Park.

The report of the Dydd Iau Mawr Committee was adopted, viz: “that in addition to the usual Flag Day two Open-air concerts be held, one in the afternoon and the other on the evening of Dydd Iau Mawr”.

The date of the Eisteddfod was left in the hands of the Committee.

The following bills were passed for payment:

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Mr. D. Llewellyn for labour in the Park. 18/3

Mr. G. P. Davies Tresaith timber for seats £5:3:9

Messrs. Richards and Davies cement for steps £3:9:6

John Jenkins 22 July 1929.

Meeting held July 22nd 1929

The Chairman Capt. J. Jenkins presided over a special meeting of Council on Monday evening July 22nd 1929. Other members present Revs. D. J. Evans, O. J. Robinson, Dr Powell, Messrs. J. T. Davies, T. G. James, D. James, J. Bowen, G. W. Jones, J. W. Lloyd, D. Llewellyn. D. Evans together with the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

Final arrangements were made for the shoot on Bank Holiday Aug. 5th 1929 re stuards etc. The question of refreshments for Officials was left in the hands of the Rector and Secretary.

Mrs. Thomas Schoolhouse be made responsible for badges of officials – 18 to be made.

Public Opening of village Park: The Committee’s report was adopted.

The following were appointed to form a Sports Committee. Rector, D. James, T. G. James and the two head teachers of the local schools together with the Chairman.

Capt. Thomas “Glasfor” was appointed to see about the flags etc.

Dydd Iau Mawr: The following were appointed to form a platform committee to make arrangements for the construction of a movable platform for the use of the Council when needed for open air concerts on the Welfare Park.: Dr Powell, T. G. James, J. W. Lloyd, J. T. Davies together with the Chairman and Secretary. The Dydd Iau Mawr Programme was adopted. The following gentlemen were to be asked to occupy the Chair at the

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two meetings viz:

Brinley Jones Esq. Treforgan

D. O. Evans Esq. Pigeonsford

A bill of £2:5 to D. Sambrook & Sons Cilgerran for posts supplied for construction of river bed was passed for payment.

John Jenkins Chairman 1st August 1929.

The monthly Meeting of the Council was held on Thursday evening Aug 1st 1929, the chairman Capt. J. Jenkins presiding, other members present were Revs. O. J. Robinson, D. J. Evans, Dr. Powell, Messrs. D. Llewellyn, D. James, J. T. Davies, J. Bowen together with the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

The Rector reported on the findings

Of the Platform Committee “that the making ofa movable platform for concerts on the Welfare Park be deferred for this year”- the report was adopted.

The following resolution was passed unanimously. “that yearly on Dydd Iau Mawr a portion of the Deeds re purchase of the plot of ground for use as a Public Park, now known as Welfare Park be read to the public.

On the motion of the Rector and carried “the resolution passed at the General Meeting of July 4th 1929 viz “that an Eisteddfod be held on Dydd Iau Mawr 1929 be rescinded.”

Final arrangements were made for the Clay Pigeon Shoot on Aug 5th and the Dydd Iau Mawr Programme Aug 8th 1929.

John Jenkins Chairman 26 Sept 1929

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Meeting Sept 26th 1929

Capt. J. Jenkins Chairman presided over the monthly meeting of the Council on Thursday evening Sept 26th 1929 at 7.30, other members present being Revs. D. J. Evans & O. J. Robinson, Dr. Powell, Messrs. D. James, T. James, J. T. Davies together with the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

It was unanimously decided to commence a Winter Programme of events by inviting the Rev. H. J. Jacob of Fishguard deliver a Lecture on Nov 13th 1929.

A notice of motion re the revival of the Aberporth horticultural Show in 1930 was moved by the Rev. O. J. Robinson.

On the proposition of Mr. J. T. Davies and carried unanimously 2the Secretary be asked to forward Mr. D. James the Council’s deep sympathy in his illness, and their best wishes for

his speedy recovery to his former good health.

It was proposed by the Secretary and carried unanimously that Dr. Selby Clare, Cardigan be thanked officially by the Council for his untiring efforts and splendid work of organization in connection with the Clay Pigeon Shoot.

Rev. O. J. Robinson proposed that tenders for the village lighting be advertised immediately – carried.

The Solicitors bill of £8:16:6 fees and charges for the purchase of Welfare Park was passed for payment.

John Jenkins Chairman 17 Oct 1929

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Meeting held Oct 17th 1929

The monthly meeting of the council was held on Thursday evening Oct 17th 1929. The Chairman Capt. J. Jenkins presided, other members present were Dr. J. W. W. Powell, Rev. O. J. Robinson, Messrs. D. Evans B. A. T. James, D. Llewellyn, D. James, G. D. Jones together with the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

The Secretary read the Balance Sheet of the recent Clay Pigeon Shooting Match, a balance of £2:4:6 was credited at the Bank – the report was adopted.

The notice of motion brought forward by the Rev. O. J. Robinson re the revival of the local Horticultural show was discussed it was finally decided to postpone the question until the next meeting.

Rev. O. J. Robinson proposed “that the lowest tender for the Lighting of the village be this year accepted” This was seconded by Mr. D. James and carried.

Two tenders were received for

Lighting of the village lamps (the successful tender to supply oil for the same) viz

Mr. J. Davies “Trefor” Aberporth for 7/- a week

Mr. D. Thomas “Ynyswen” Aberporth for 6/9 a week.

The tender of Mr. Thomas was accepted. Mr. D. Evans proposed that Mr. D. Edwards of Parcllyn be asked to light and supply oil for the lamp at Parcllyn at 1/11/2 per week” this was carried.

Arrangements were made for the sale of tickets for the coming Lecture.

The Treasurer reported the donation of 3 guineas from Mr. J. Jones “Dyffryn” Aberporth towards the Council’s Funds – the Secretary was asked write a letter of thanks to Mr. Jones for the great interest he took in the Welfare Council.

A small committee was elected to see to the necessary alterations that would be needed to make the shelter weather proof, and also that it could be used as a store for the seats – to report at the next meeting.

John Jenkins Chairman 7 Nov 1929

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Meeting held Nov 7th 1929

The monthly meeting of the Council was held on Thursday evening Nov 7th 1929. The Chairman Capt. J. Jenkins presiding other members present were Revs. O. J. Robinson & D. J. Evans, Messrs. J. T. Davies, D. James, G. Davies-Jones, J. Bowen, Fred Evans and the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

The Rev. O. J. Robinson brought forward the question of the acceptance at the last meeting of a sum of 3 guineas from Mr. T. Jones. The part of the takings of a Grey Hound Racing Meeting held at Aberporth last August. He said “he felt very strongly on the point and that the Welfare Council should do its utmost to stamp out the evils that attended these meetings and not support them in any way. The Rev. D. J. Evans also spoke on the evils of betting

at these Grey Hound Race Meetings. The Chairman and Mr. T. J. Davies also took part in the discussion. It was then proposed by the Chairman and seconded by Rev. O. J. Robinson “that the sum of 3 guineas be refunded to Mr. T. Jones Dyffryn with an accompanying letter explaining the reason for so doing – this was carried.

The question of the revival of the local Horticultural Show was left in abeyance. The Rev. O. J. Robinson promised that in the meantime he would make enquiries ere possibility of obtaining a suitable local marquee.

Final arrangements were made for holding the forthcoming Lecture at the Coronation Hall – Stewards were elected and ways and means of further advertising the Lecture were settled.

A bill of £3:2:8 presented by Mr. Dan Davies was passed for payment.

John Jenkins Chairman 12-12-29

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Meeting Dec 12th 1929

Capt. J. Jenkins presided over the monthly meeting of the Council on Thursday evening Dec 12th 1929. The following members being present Rev. D. J. Evans & Dr. Powell, Messrs. T. James, D. James, F. Evans together with the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

Mr T. James drew the attention of the Council to the question of the Cheque of three guineas passed at the last meeting. Much discussion took place on this question. The majority of the members taking part and on the proposition of Dr. Powell seconded by Mr. T. James

“that the minute referring to the refunding of the cheque of three guineas to Mr. T. James “Dyffryn” be rescinded on the grounds that the matter was raised in an ~~irregular~~ unfair (see Meeting Jan 16th 1930)

manner” – carried unanimously.

The Rev. D. J. Evans moved a notice of motion re “consideration at the next meeting of the future rescission of adopted resolutions”.

The Rector moved “that as no reply had been received from the Secretary of Local Horticultural Show. The Secretary be authorized to write to the Bank Manager to obtain his influence in the transference of the money to the Welfare Council” – seconded by Mr. T. James and carried.

It was decided that the Lamplighter and Mr. B. Thomas be asked to see to the storage of the village seats on western bank.

The Shelter Committee were asked to meet before the next meeting and report.

The Chairman reported that a few dramatic enthusiasts had approached him with a view of giving a Dramatic Entertainment in aid of the welfare Council in the near future. The Rector proposed,” that

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The Chairman be authorized to inform these Dramatists that they would obtain the co-operation and full support of the Welfare Council in their endeavours” – carried.

Dr. Powell proposed and the Rector seconded “that the question of a Competitive Meeting to be held in the near future be discussed as soon as possible”.

It was further decided to hold a Committee Meeting to discuss this question at “Avalon” on Monday Dec 16th at 7.30 the whole Council to form the Committee.

John Jenkins Chairman 16 Jan 1930.

Report of Committee Meeting at “Avalon” Monday Dec 16th at 7.30

The question of the holding of “Competitive “ Meeting was fully discussed and it was felt by all present that it would not result in a financial success and it was decided to consider the question of holding a Dramatic Competition instead of a Competitive meeting, the question to be discussed at a full meeting of the Council as soon as possible, in the meantime Mr D. James and Capt. Jenkins promised to interview Mr. O. J. Mathias the Drama expert of Cardigan.

A Special meeting of the Council was held on Dec 19th, the Council sitting as a Committee to discuss the question of organizing a Dramatic Competition in aid of the Welfare Council’s Funds. The Chairman presided, others present were Dr. Powell, Revs. D. J. Evans,

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O. J. Robinson, Messrs. G. D. Jones, J. Bowen, D. James, J. T. Davies and Scretary.

Mr. D. James gave a report of his interview with Mr. J. O. Matthias and after the question was fully discussed it was decided to forego the idea of a Dramatic Competition owing to the great outlay needed.

Proposed by the Rector and seconded by Dr. Powell

“that a Combined Drama and Concert be held on Feb 13th 1930 and if possible Mr. Gwendreath James choir be asked to assist. The event party to be asked to perform “Yr Hen Crydd”.

Mr. D. James kindly promised to see about the Concert.

Meeting of Jan 16th 1930

The Chairman Capt. J. Jenkins presided over the monthly meeting of the Council Thursday evening Jan 16th 1930, others present Dr. Powell, Revs. D. J. Evans & O. J. Robinson, Messrs. G. Davies-Jones, J. Bowen. J. T. Davies, T. James, D. James and the Secretary.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

Mr. D. James gave the report on the condition and necessary repairs needed to make the shelter weather proof.

On the proposition of the Chairman and carried “it was decided that Mr. D. James be authorized to employ a carpenter and carry out the necessary work immediately.”

The Rector moved his notice of motion re the future rescission of adopted resolutions. Much open discussion took place on this important point. The following resolution was proposed by

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the Rector, seconded by Rev. O. J. Robinson and carried unanimously.

“that in future before any rescission of an adopted motion took place it would be imperative for the proposer and seconder of the motion to be present at the meeting after suitable notice to attend had been given them”.

The Rector proposed that the word “irregular” be deleted from the minute of the last meeting referring to the refunding of cheque to Mr. Jones and the insertion of the word unfair – this was agreed to.

Fixed that General Meeting be held on Jan 30th at 7pm. Mr. Davies kindly agreed to announce meeting at a Concert to be held in the Hall on Jan 29th 1930.

The question of the Glanmordy steps and landslide was deferred to the next meeting.

It was suggested that the Secretary write the Postmaster at Cardigan with

A view of obtaining if possible, an evening delivery of letters in the village of Aberporth and also the collection of the ‘porth’ mail.

John Jenkins Chairman 7 Feb 1930

The first Monthly Meeting of the new Council was held on Friday evening Feb 7th 1930. The following members being present. Dr. J. Powell, Rev. D. J. Evans, Capt. Jenkins, Messrs> J. T. Davies, D. Edwards, T. James., D. James, F, Evans, F. O. Bradshaw, Simon Jones, J. Bowen and D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

Officers for year:

Mr. J. T. Davies, Barry Hse was unanimously appointed Chairman for the ensuing year. Mr. T. G. James “Avalon” was appointed Vice Chairman.

Mr T. G. James and Mr. D. J. L. Thomas were again elected Treasurer and Secretary respectively.

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Capt. J. Jenkins the outgoing Chairman warmly thanked the Council for their able support and kindness shown him during his year of office.

The new Chairman Mr. J. T. Davies thanked the Council for the honour given him by electing him Chairman for the year. He warmly thanked the retiring Chairman for the splendid work he accomplished during his year of office. He, Mr. Davies appealed to the Council for their kind cooperation ~~and sympathy~~ to carry out the good work already commenced for the improvement of the village of Aberporth.

It was decided to defer the question of the election of Sub Committees to the next meeting.

Final arrangements were made for the combined Dramatic and Concert entertainment to be held in the Coronation Hall on Feb 28th for the benefit of the Welfare Council.

The question of providing a Putting Green

on the Welfare Park was discussed and it was decided that a deputation consisting of Dr. Powell, Rector and Secretary visit Aberystwyth to make enquiries re cost etc. and also Mr. Bradshaw and Mr. Cramp visit Gwbert to obtain as much information as possible from groundman re cost of the construction of a “Putting Green”.

It was decided that steps be taken to clear the Welfare Park as soon as the new Working Committee was elected, but in the meantime the Chairman be authorized to carry out any work that needed immediate attention.

John T. Davies Chairman March 6 1930.

Meeting of March 6th 1930

Mr. Davies Chairman presided over the monthly meeting of the Council on Thursday March 6th at 7.30pm.

Present: T. James, D. James, Dr. Powell, F. Evans, Capt. Jenkins, Dan Davies, Rev. D. J. Evans, G. Davies Jones, F. O. Bradshaw and the Secretary.

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The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

The Rector proposed “that the Standing Committee for specific purposes be appointed as necessity arises” – this was carried.

Finance Committee: Chairman, Capt. Jenkins Secretary and Treasurer were appointed to form this Committee.

The report of the deputation to C. D. Council re the Glanmordy path was given by the Rector, and it was decided that the Council as a whole meet the Cardigan Rural District Council at 4.30pm the next day, near Glanmordy to further consider the question of erection of concrete steps.

Putting Green: Dr Powell reported on the visit to Aberystwyth of a deputation to inspect the Putting Green recently laid out there, and it was decided that Mr. Bennett golf professional be kindly asked to meet the Welfare Council, at

A fee of 2 guineas plus his travelling expenses. It was also passed that as many members as possible of the Council make a special effort to attend on the day of his visit to Aberporth also that Mr. Owen Jones be asked to attend and a ½ day’s wages be paid him.

Chairs: The question of the purchase of deck chairs for use on the park was deferred.

It was unanimously decided that the following members viz. Rector, Dr. Powell and Chairman visit Mr. Owen of Wstrws Farm and interview him re the long delay of the transfer of the Horticultural Show’s Balance to the Funds of the Welfare Council.

It was unanimously decided that the Council’s best thanks be sent to Mr. D. James and Dramatic Party, Mr. Gwendraeth James, Mrs. Bradshaw, Miss. Jenkins and Mrs. Williams for

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The services they rendered the Council in making the recent Drama and Concert Entertainment so successful. Mr. D. James was officially asked to invite the Dramatic Party to carry on. Rev. D. J. Evans was appointed official reporter of all meetings.

John T. Davies Chairman

24 April 1930

The Council met Mr. Bennett the golf professional of Aberystwyth on the Welfare Park on March17th 1930.

Present: Dr. Powell, Rev. D. J. Evans, Messrs. J. Davies, F. O. Bradshaw, T. James, D. James, F. Evans and Capt. Jenkins.

Mr. Bennett having reported favourably upon the ground as suitable proceeded to mark it out for the purposes of a 9 hole Putting Green.

The Council subsequently decided to proceed with the work at once and it was unanimously resolved

1. To accept from Mr. J. T. Davies, Chairman his offer of a practically new mower free of charge.
2. To offer the sum of £1 for a roller which had been recommended to by the Council Surveyor at Aberystwyth.
3. As an alternative to advertise for a second hand-roller.
4. To engage two men.

John T. Davies Chairman Apr 24 1930.

Meeting April 24th 1930

Mr. J. T. Davies Chairman, presided over the monthly meeting of the Council on Thursday Apr 24th at 7.30pm. others present were Dr. Powell, Rev. D. J. Evans, Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. T. G. James, D. James, F. Evans, G. Davies Jones, T. Jones, Dan Davies, F. O. Bradshaw and the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

Reporter: The Rector proposed that the resolution passed at the last meeting regarding the appointment of a special

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reporter be rescinded and that following resolution be inserted.

“that if need arises for the publication of any of the Council’s reports it shall be done solely through the Secretary of the Council” – this was carried unanimously.

Mr. Cramp “Ship” Aberporth kindly attended the meeting and gave an excellent report on the newly laid out Putting Green. He reported that the Green was practically ready and that he would endeavor to complete the work of marking out the fair ways etc. before his departure from Aberporth.

It was decided that the formal opening of the Green would take place on Wednesday June 4th 1930. Mr. Bennett Aberystwyth should be invited to attend the opening his travelling expenses to be paid him also that our President be asked to perform the opening Ceremony, and in the event of his declining Capt. Gomer Williams “Penrallt” be

then invited.

Rev. D. J. Evans proposed and Dr. Powell seconded that all matters appertaining to rules, score cards, purchase of putters, balls etc. be left in the hands of a small committee, these were: Dr. Powell, Rev. D. J. Evans, Mr. Cramp, The Chairman and Secretary.

It was reported that a second hand roller for use on the Green had been purchased for £1:2:6.

The Chairman Mr. J. T. Davies was warmly thanked for his gift to the Council of a mowing machine (lawn) for use on the Green.

Dr. Powell proposed that a tea be organized for the opening day of the Green and a Committee consisting of the Chairman, Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. T. James, D. James and F. O. Bradshaw were appointed. To make the necessary arrangements.

Chairs: Resolved that the Putting Green Committee be authorized to purchase 24 camp chairs.

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The Rector proposed a hearty vote of thanks to Mr. Cramp for the splendid services he had always rendered the Council and particularly in laying out the new Putting Green, this was carried unanimously.

The deputation that waited upon the Cardigan Rural District Council were warmly thanked for the excellent result of their interview viz. the construction of a fine up-to-date flight of steps over the cliff near Glanmordy.

The repair of the existing railings and entrance gate to Park was left in the hands of the Putting Green Committee.

The Finance Committee passed for payment the following bills

1. The Council’s expenses bill for year
2. Haulage for Putting Green
3. Printing Bill

It was decided to remove village lamp near Mr. Pugh James’s building site.

John T. Davies Chairman May 16 1930

The Monthly Meeting of the Council was held on Friday evening May 16th 1930, the following members being present: Mr. J. T. Davies Chairman, Rev D. J. Evans, Capt. Jenkins, Dr. Powell, Messrs. D. Edwards, T. G. James, D. James, F. O. Bradshaw and D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

It was unanimously decided to advertise for tenders for Caretaker of the Putting Green. Names to be submitted by the next meeting on May 22nd 1930. On the proposition of Dr. Powel which was seconded by the Rector and carried the following resolution was passed

“the charge for each game or round of golf be 3d and that the caretaker be paid 25% of all takings as wages.”

The naming of the nine holes of the links was left in the hands of Dr. Powell & Rector. It was decided to give the contract for

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scoring cards of “Green” to Tivy Side Office, and the Rector very kindly promised to make arrangements for order, and also obtain names of local tradespeople who were ready to advertise for a fee of 5/-.

After much discussion it was decided to adhere to the fixed date June 4th 1930 as the day for opening of the “Green”. It was also decided to leave the question of providing tea in the hands of local tradespeople.

Miss Jones Parry had kindly promised to invite about two dozen friends to tea that afternoon – the offer was graciously accepted.

The Secretary read a letter from the President intimating his inability to attend the opening function, and in the absence of Capt. Williams Penrallt on holidays it was resolved to leave the question of obtaining someone to perform the ceremony in the hands of Miss Jones Parry.

The question of the purchase of chairs by the Council was deferred to the special meeting on May 22nd.

Resolved to invite Mr. Bennett to fix bogey as soon as possible.

Capt. Jenkins moved “that the Secretary be paid an honorarium again this year of three guineas” this was seconded by D. James and carried.

It was decided to remove the protruding posts in the bed of the river immediately.

Capt. Jenkins promised kindly to see about necessary repairs to the Sea View steps to the beach.

The Secretary reported a balance of £11:2:7 on the recent Drama and Concert Entertainment.

John T. Davies Chairman May 22 1930

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Meeting of May 22nd 1930

A special meeting of the Council was held on May 22nd 1930. The Chairman Mr. J. T. Davies presiding Dr. Powell, Rev. D. J. Evans, Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. F. O. Bradshaw, Simon Jones, D. James, and the Secretary were also present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

Capt. Jenkins moved “that the names given to the Golf Holes by Dr. Powell and Rector be adopted “– carried.

The Secretary reported that no tender had been received as Caretaker of Putting Green.

The Rector proposed “that Mr. James of Glanmordy be asked to take care of the Course for this season” Dr. Powell seconded the proposal, this was carried unanimously.

Mr. James kindly accepted.

It was decided that the laying out of the Green be left on the hands of the Chairman and Mr. Bradshaw.

The Secretary was asked to write Mr. Bennett re fixing of Bogey.

Arrangements were finally made for the opening of the Green on June 4th 1930. The Chairman was authorized to purchase 1 dozen chairs for the Council for the purpose of hiring for visitors.

It was unanimously decided to ask Mrs. Williams “Bellevue” Mrs. Edwards and Mr. Fred Evans to organize a Carnival on opening day of the Green.

David J. Evans Chairman July 3 1930.

The June (Monthly) Meeting of the Council was held on Tuesday June 10th 1930.

Present: Chairman Mr. J. T. Davies, Dr. Powell, Capt. Jenkins, Mr. T. James, D. James, F. O. Bradshaw, D. Edwards, J. Bowen, T. Jones.

The question of the revision of charges for play on the Putting Green were fully discussed.

Mr. Edwards proposed “that the fee be raised from 3d. to 4d and players to be given

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the privilege of going round twice (18 holes). Capt. Jenkins moved an amendment “that the charge remains at 3d and players be given the privilege if they so desire of playing round twice – 18 holes- this charge to be reviewed again next year “. The amendment was carried.

It was decided not to issue season tickets this year.

A vote of thanks was passed to Mr. D. Edwards and Mr. J. Bowen for their kind offer to obtain a suitable holder for Golf Putters.

Chairs: The following charges for hire of camp chairs for season were adopted

6d for whole day

3d for sections of day.

David J. Evans Chairman July 3 1930.

The Monthly Meeting of the Council was held on Thursday evening July 3rd. The following members being present. Dr. Powell, Capt. Jenkins, Rev. D. J. Evans, Messrs. T. James, D. James, F. O. Bradshaw, J. Bowen, D. Edwards, T. Jones, G. Davies Jones and the Secretary.

In the absence of Mr. J. T. Davies the Rev. D. J. Evans was unanimously voted to the Chair.

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

Capt. Jenkins proposed “that the scale of charges for play on the P. Green fixed at the last meeting be rescinded” – carried.

Capt. |Jenkins then moved “that the charges for a game of golf on the Council’s Green during the month of August be 4d for 18 holes, except on Ddyd Iau Mawr when the charge of 3d for 9 holes will be made” This was seconded by Dr. Powell and carried.

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It was unanimously decided to write letters if thanks to the following persons for the splendid services they rendered to the Council viz.

1. Mrs. Williams “Bellevue” for organizing the successful Carnival on the day of opening of the Putting Green.
2. Miss Jones-Parry for a handsome donation of 1 guinea towards the Welfare Funds and also for hospitality extended to the Councillors and others on the day of opening the Putting Green.
3. To Dr. J. W. W. Powell for a splendid cheque of 3 guineas towards the Funds of the Welfare Council.
4. To Stephen Owens Esq. Grimsby for his very acceptable gift of a full sized waste paper basket for use on the Putting Green.
5. To Mr. Bennett for the interest he continues to take in the new Putting Green.

A small Committee consisting of the Rector, Dr. Powell, Chairman and Capt. Jenkins were appointed to draw out a Programme for Dydd Iau Mawr.

A letter from a party of Welsh Harpists for an appointment was ordered to lie on the table.

The Rector handed to the Treasurer the sum of 2/6 the surplus money after the payment for4 thousand scoring cards.

The Finance Committee passed the following bills for payment.

1. Timber £2:3:9 Davies, Tresaith
2. Labour for Council 10/6

Mr. J. Jones very kindly promised to see about the erection of a suitable sign for Putting Green.

John T. Davies Chairman July 25 1930

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Meeting held July 25th 1930

Mr. J. T. Davies Chairman presided over a special meeting of the Council on Friday evening July 25th 1930. The following members being present.

Dr. T. W. W. Powell, Rev. D. J. Evans, Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. D. Edwards, J. Bowen, and D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

It was decided that the hire of chairs for 1 week be 2/6

The Rector reported favourably on the preparations that were being made for the holding of sports o Dydd Iau Mawr.

Final arrangements were made for holding the Carnival and Open Air Concert.

John T. Davies Chairman Oct 30 1930

Meeting held Oct 30th 1930

The Chairman Mr. J. T. Davies presided over the Monthly Meeting of the Council on Thursday evening Oct. 30th 1930.

Present: Dr. Powell, Rev. D. J. Evans, Capt. J. Jenkins, Messrs. T. James, D. James, F. Evans, T. Jones, and D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

One tender viz. Mr. J. Cole was received for lighting the village lamps for the sum of 6/-

Mr. D. James proposed and the Rector seconded that the tender be accepted if he was prepared to comply with the advertised specification. The secretary and Chairman were given powers to make arrangements with him for lighting the Parcllyn lamp.

Mr. D. James gave a report of the Financial state of the Putting Green. The gross proceeds or takings for the season amounted to £36:1:6. The caretaker’s

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Commission was £9. The expenditure fore the year ending was £11:11 leaving a net profit of £15:10:6. The report was adopted.

The Secretary and Dr. Powell were appointed to see Mr. Gwendraeth James re the unused iron gate belonging to the District Council and get his permission if possible to erect it in the newly formed entrance to the Welfare Park.

The Rector very kindly promised to see Mr. Owen Jones re the re-turfing of worn out parts of the Putting Green.

A vote of thanks was passed to Mr. Simon James, a member of the Council, for painting, and erecting a notice-board at the entrance to the Putting Green, free of charge.

The Secretary was asked to write and formally thank Mr. Godfrey Phillips, Newport, and Capt. Jones, Tanygroes for their donations and services rendered in Dydd Iau Mawr.

It was resolved to consider at some future meeting the advisability of procuring

a movable platform for the holding of open air concerts on Dydd Iau Mawr.

It was decided to invite the Cardigan Dramatic Society under the directorship of Mr. Edwards, Midland Bank, Cardigan to give a performance at Aberporth in aid of the Council’s Funds as soon as possible.

Dr. Powel very kindly promised to see the members of the Waunfawr Dramatic Company as soon as possible and see if they could be booked for Boxing Night.

The Rector proposed and Capt. Jenkins seconded “that Mr. G. Davies Jones be asked to make himself responsible for the formation of a local Dramatic Party for this season – carried.

It was decided to run the forthcoming Horticultural Lectures under the auspices of the Women’s Institute, and Welfare Council. The both Council’s to be responsible for the expenses.

It was decided to postpone the question of a village Christmas Tree to the next meeting.

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The following bills were passed for payment:

1. Caretaker of Putting Green £9.
2. Samuel Evans iron for gate 5/9.
3. Printers Cardigan £1:13:0
4. Capt. Jenkins for holes 12/-

John T. Davies Chairman Nov 13 1930

The Chairman Mr. J. T. Davies presided over a Council meeting on Nov 13th 1930, other members present were Dr. Powell, Rev. D. J. Evans, Messrs. T. G. James, D. James, J. Bowen, F. O. Bradshaw, Simon Jones, F. Evans, G. Davies Jones and the Secretary.

The previous meeting’s minutes were conformed.

On the motion of the Rector seconded by the Chairman it was unanimously decided “that Mr. Jones “Quarry” be employed to re-turf the bare patches of the Putting Green – it was also decided that a privet hedge be planted around the boundaries of the Green, that 1000 privets be bought and these be used as far as possible – the Chairman and Treasurer

were appointed to see that the work be carried out.

The question of winter entertainments was then discussed at length and on the motion of Rev. D. J. Evans seconded by T. James it was decided to engage the Llanfair Orllwyn party for a performance of “Elinod” on Dec 6th 1930.

The following members were appointed to form a Committee to carry out the necessary arrangements. The Rector, Chairman, Treasurer and Secretary.

Arrangements were made for the holding of the County Horticultural Lectures on Nov 17, 18 & 19.

It was left in the hands of Dr. Powell and the Rector to see if they could arrange an entertainment for Boxing night.

The question of a second delivery of letters was raised and discussed. Dr. Powell very kindly promised to see the Postmaster at Cardigan and report to the Council.

John D. Davies Chairman Feb 5 1931

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Meeting Feb 5th 1931

Mr. J. T. Davies Chairman presided over a Council meeting on Thursday Feb 5th1931 at 7pm – present Dr. Powell, Rev D. J. Evans, Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. D. James, T. G. James, Dan Davies, G. D. Jones, Simon Jones and the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were confirmed.

Dr. Powell reported on his interview with the Cardigan Postmaster who said “that the present number of letters for the village did not warrant a second delivery”.

The Rector reported that satisfactory work had been carried out on the Park in the form of re-turfing the Green and planting of shrubs around the boundaries. He said that the Secretary had been obliged to order a further 250 shrubs making a total purchase of 1,250 privets.

Dr. Powell proposed and the Rector seconded

that the Annual Meeting be held Thursday next Feb 12th at 7.30pm.

The Rector moved a notice of motion for the next meeting viz. “The revision of the present system of the yearly election whereby the whole Council is elected yearly (15 members).

The Secretary of the Drama Party was urged to fix a date as early as possible for the performance of same. The question of engaging another Drama Party was left over until the local party had performed.

Dr. Powell moved a notice of motion viz. “that at end next meeting the question of advisability of building a Public Hall or Institute be considered.”

It was decided to hold the next meeting on Thursday Feb 12th at 6.30pm.

Dr. Powell moved that the Secretary be asked to thank Mrs. Davies “Gilwedir” for the successful concert she organized in order to obtain funds for a Village Hall.

John T. Davies Chairman Feb 12 1931

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Special Meeting Feb 12th 1931

The Chairman Mr. J. T. Davies presided over a special meeting of the Council on Thursday evening Feb 12th 1931 at 6.30pm. The members present were Dr. Powell, Revs. D. J. Evans, & O. J. Robinson, Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. F. O. Bradshaw, Dan Davies, D. James, T. G. James, J. Bowen, Simon Jones, D. Edwards, F. Evans & D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

The notice of motion re. Village Hall by Dr. Powell was fully discussed and the following resolution was moved by the Rector.

“We, as a Welfare Council feel that there is a great need for a Village Hall, and that steps be taken immediately to ascertain the feeling of the villagers on this important movement.” – this was seconded by Dr. Powell and carried unanimously.

Capt. Jenkins moved and Mr. Simon Jones

Seconded “that steps be taken immediately to move on the question of a Village Hall by securing that co-operation of the Aberporth Women’s Institute “. Messrs. J. T. Davies and T. James to be held responsible to interview the officials of the Women’s Institute and the Rector and Chairman to be speakers at the joint meeting – carried.

The notice of motion by the Rector was next discussed this motion dealt with the future arrangement of the retirement of members, which was at present yearly.

The Rector moved and Mr. T. James seconded “that the resolution whereby the members en-bloc retired yearly be rescinded” this was ~~seconded by Mr. J. Bowen~~ carried.

On the motion of the Rector, seconded by Mr. J. Bowen the following scheme or arrangement of retirement was passed. “The Council in future to consist of fifteen members as at present, members

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To retire in relays of five yearly. The five lowest candidates of the poll to retire the first year, the “second five” on the list to retire at the expiration of their second year of office, and the five “top” candidates of the poll retain their seats for three years, thereby making a yearly election of five candidates” - this was carried unanimously.

Dr. Powell moved and Capt. Jenkins seconded “that a sum of £43:15:6 be taken from this years’ balance and added to £56:4:6 ear marked for a Hall, to make a sum of £100. And this Fund should in future be called “Village Hall Fund” – carried.

The Secretary read the Balance Sheet for the year, and Capt. Davies (Glenville) and Mr. D. Evans B. A. were elected auditors for the year.

John T. Davies Chairman March 5th 1931

Meeting held March 5th 1931

The first meeting of the new Council was held on Thursday evening March 5th at 7pm. Mr J. T. Davies occupied the Chair, other members present were Captains J. Jenkins & D. Thomas, Messrs. D. James, J. Jones, D. Edwards, F. Evans, Dan Davies, G. Davies Jones & D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the last meeting were adopted.

The Secretary presented the Balance Sheet for year ending Feb 28th which had been duly audited – the balance for the year was £96:1:4.

The Chairman proposed that the Balance Sheet be accepted and congratulated the Council on the very satisfactory and healthy condition of their years’ working.

The Secretary was asked to see that the £8:10 proceeds of concert organized by Mrs. Davies “Gilwendir” be credited to the £100 now deposited

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in the Bank as “Village Hall Fund”.

A vote of thanks was passed Capt. Davies “Glenmore” and Mr. D. Evans B. A. Ivy Cottage for auditing the accounts.

Capt. Jenkins proposed that owing to the fact that many Councilors were absent ~~owing~~ ~~to~~ through various reasons the election of officers be deferred until the next meeting on March 12th. this was seconded by Mr. D. Edwards and carried.

Mr. D. James moved a notice of motion “that the coming election of officers for the year 1931 be by ballot”

John Jenkins 12/3/31

Meeting held March 12th 1931

A special meeting of the Council was held Thursday Mch. 12th at 7pm. In the unavoidable absence of the Chairman Capt. J. Jenkins was unanimously appointed.

Chairman. Other members present were Capt. Thomas, Rev. D. J. Evans, Messrs. Dan Davies, Fred Evans, Dd. James, G. Davies Jones, Dd. Edwards, Simo Jones & D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

D. James proposed “that Mr. Dan Davies be thanked for his expeditious and efficient work at the Park entrance in fixing gate etc. – carried.

It was unanimously passed that the Secretary be given an honorarium of three guineas for his services rendered to the Council.

Election of Officers for year 1931

Mr. Dd. James brought forward his notice of motion re method of election of officers. “that after receiving nominations the election be by ballot” this was seconded by Mr. Dan Davies and carried.

The following officers were duly elected.

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President: Capt. James Jenkins, Cardiff

Chairman: Mr. J. T. Davies, Barry House

Vice-Chairman: Dr. T. W. W. Powell

Treasurer: Mr. T. G. James

Secretary: Mr. D. J. L. Thomas.

It was unanimously decided to appoint a Park Committee for the year. The following were appointed

1. Dr. Powell
2. Mr. J. T. Davies
3. Rev. D. J. Evans
4. Capt. J. Jenkins.

John T Davies Chairman 23 April 1931

Meeting held Apr 16th 1931

The Monthly Meeting of the Council was held Thursday Apr 16th at 7pm.

Present: Messrs. J. Davies (Chairman), Dr. Powell, Rev. D. J. Evans, Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. D. James, Simon Jones & Jno. Bowen.

In the unavoidable absence of the Sect. the reading of the minutes of the previous

meeting was deferred.

The Rev. D. J. Evans was appointed Sect. pro tem.

The Putting Green Committee presented its report with reference to the work that should be carried out in readiness for the coming season. Consequent upon a discussion which followed, it was resolved:

1. “that a formal opening be arranged for Monday May 18th.
2. That Capt. Jenkins be appointed hon. Superintendent of the Park and Green for this year.
3. That Mr. D. James Glanmordy be caretaker at a renumeration of 25p.c. of the gross takings of the Putting Green.
4. That Mr. Owen Jones be engaged to prepare the Green, and do any other work necessary before the opening.
5. That the caretaker be responsible

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or the entire upkeep for the remainder of the year.

1. That the Green Committee should draw up a code of rules and regulations for the guidance of the superintendent and caretaker.
2. That season tickets be issued at the price of 10/- each.

The Chairman informed the Council that arrangements had been made to take the Drama “Jac Martin” to Llechryd on April 22nd.

The provision of refreshments and a conveyance together with a dark scene and stewards was entrusted to the Chairman, doctor and Rector.

John T. Davies Chairman April 23 1931

Meeting held Apr.23rd 1931

Mr. J. T. Davies presided over a special meeting of the Council Thursday evening Apr 23rd 1931. Present: Dr. Powell

Rev. D. J. Evans, Capts. J. Jenkins and D. Thomas, Messrs. D. James, G. Davies Jones, Fred Evans, Simon Jones & D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the last meeting Apr 16th and also the minutes of the meeting held Mch 12th were read and signed.

The Chairman read the amount of the gross takings of the “Drama” performance held at the Hall. “Jac Martin” by the local Dramatic Society which amounted to £17.7.1.

The draft rules and regulations drawn up by the Green’s Committee were considered and the following adopted.

1. To issue tickets and scoring cads and putters.
2. To keep all that area comprised in the Putting Green in good playable condition.
3. To roll the fairways, & water them when necessary.

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1. To cut all grass using either scythe or mowing machine.
2. To keep the Green tidy, placing all litter in receptacle provided.
3. To keep the boundaries and wire in good repair, and see that entrance gate is closed during non-playing hours.
4. To see that each player is provided with a scoring card.
5. To prevent any disorderly behavior by players on the green, and see that the fairways are not damaged.
6. To keep the putters clean
7. To see that damaged putters, or lost balls are paid for.

The Secretary read the provisional Balance Sheet of the Drama Entertainment at Llechryd on Apr 22nd 1931.

The total takings together with a donation of 1 guinea by Brinly Jones Esq. of Treforgan amounted to £4:17:0 – the total expenses was £3:0:0.

leaving a balance of £1.7.6.

The Green’s Committee were asked to draw up a programme for the opening day, and report at the next meeting.

John T. Davies Chairman May 7 1931

The Chairman presided over a meeting of the Council on Thursday May 7th at 7pm, members present were. Rev D. J. Evans, Dr. Powell, Captains D. Thomas & J. Jenkins, Messrs. T. James, D. James, Fred Evans, G. Davies Jones, D. Edwards and the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

Dr. Powell reported that arrangements for opening the green were complete. It was passed unanimously

1. To purchase a small quantity of Sulphate of Ammonia for immediate use on the green
2. Secretary to place notices re tournament on May 18th in the village shops.

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1. Damaged putters to be re-leathered by saddler in Cardigan
2. Seats to be painted by Mr. Jones Quarry
3. Mr. Simon Jones to see to the defective number plates on the green
4. Sign to be fixed on Plas side giving visitors notice of Putting Green
5. Working committee to meet and see condition of the Dolwen steps’ Capt. D. Thomas was added to the Committee.
6. Miss Reddie to present prizes on opening day of Green
7. Dr. Powell very kindly consented to give prizes for Carnival on opening day of Green

Summer Programme:

The Rector proposed and Dr. Powell seconded “that a request be sent to Mr. Jenkins “Frwyd” to organize an Eisteddfod at an early date for the benefit of the Council.

Mrs. Davies Cilwendir’s offer to run two concerts in August for the Council be kindly accepted.

It was decided to organise a carnival on Dydd Iau Mawr under the W. I. and also run a concert the same night.

The Secretary was asked to write and invite Mr. Lewis County Horticultural Organiser to deliver a Lecture jointly with “W. I.” on May 20th.

The following bills were passed for payment

1. Lighting rent, cleaning etc.
2. Secretary’s bill for year
3. Wire for Park
4. Bus for Llechryd (Drama Party)
5. Treasurer of Y.M.C.A. (Llechryd)
6. Fred Evans (sundries for Drama Party)
7. Capt. Davies (Hire of Hall)

Dr. Powell (prop.) and Capt. Jenkins seconded that the Bank Form 547 be passed and signed for opening account in the Midland Bank to be known as “The Village Hall Fund”.

John T. Davies Chairman July 9 1931

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Meeting held July 9th 1931

The Chairman (Mt J. T. Davies presided over a general meeting of the Council Thursday July 9th 1931 at 7.30pm.

Dr. Powell, Capts. Jenkins and Thomas, T. G. James, D. James, D. Edwards and the Secretary were also present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

Dr. Powell moved a vote of condolence with the Rector in his bereavement this was passed in silence, all standing.

Passed the Capt. Jenkins be authorized to procure additional scoring cards if necessary.

Capt. Jenkins reported on the work carried out recently on the Green; the painting he said better be left over until the Autumn owing to the bad weather – report was adopted.

Dydd Iau Mawr arrangements.

The sale of flags to be placed in the

hands of Mr. Williams Bellevue.

The Chairman very kindly promised to obtain the necessary permit for the Flag Day.

Resolved to hold an impromptu Concert on the same lines as last years on the evening.

It was decided to hold a special meeting of the Council on Thursday July 30th at 7.30pm.

The following bills were presented for payment.

1. Bridge End Foundry
2. Owen Jones Labour
3. Saddler at Cardigan
4. Watering pot.

John T. Davies Chairman July 29th 1931

The Chairman Mr J. T. Davies presided over a special meeting of the Council on Wednesday 29th July at 7.30pm. other members present were Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. G. Davies Jones, Daniel Rees, J. Bowen, D. James, Rev. D. J. Evans together with the Sec.

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The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

A letter was read from Mrs. Davies “Cilwendir” re the concert that was be held at Hen Gapel Vestry Aberporth under the auspices of the Welfare Council – the Secretary was asked to reply to the letter informing Mrs. Davies that all assistance would be given for sale of tickets, supply of stewards etc by members of the Council.

Final arrangements were made for Dydd Iau Mawr.

For the Open-Air Concert Mr. D. M. Yorwerth of Penforial was to be asked to be the organizer.

Mr. Owen Picton Davies of London was to be asked to preside over the Concert.

Mr. George was to be asked for loan of wagon to form a platform for the Community Singing.

Mr. Jones “quarry” was instructed to see to the trashing of hedge of Welfare Park

leading to the beach.

Arrangements were made for the repair of the mowing machine: it was further decided that in the event of the machine becoming unworkable the chairman be authorized to buy a new one for work in the Welfare Park.

John T. Davies Chairman Sept 3 1931.

A special meeting of the Council was held at Barry House (school under repair) on Saturday Aug 22nd at 7pm. Mr. J. T. Davies presided over the meeting. Other members present were Rev. D. J. Evans, Capts. J. Jenkins & W. Thomas, Dr. Powell, Messrs. Daniel Rees, Simon Jones, D. Edwards, Fred Evans, J. Bowen, and D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were not read.

The Chairman at the outset explained the object of holding this special meeting. He informed the

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Council that a misunderstanding had arisen with the Ladies Committee re the Dydd Iau Mawr proceeds. He further stated that a joint meeting of the Ladies Committee and the Welfare Council would be held that evening at 8pm, at The Ship Tea Rooms to settle the points in dispute re the handing over of the money to the Welfare Council.

Dr. Powell proposed and Mr. Daniel Rees seconded that the following resolution be read by the Chairman at the joint meeting:

“That we as a Welfare Council request the Ladies Committee to pay in forthwith the proceeds of Dydd Iau Mawr Fete to the Council’s Public Hall Fund.

That we desire to tender to the Ladies Committee and all who helped them our sincere thanks for their kind assistance.

That at the next meeting of the Council 1st Thursday in September we appoint a permanent Hall Committee to consist of four members of the Council and any three nominated by the Ladies Committee.

The above resolution was carried unanimously.

At the joint meeting held at 8pm all the members of the Council with the exception of Mr. Jones Troedyrhiw were present.

Mr. Godfrey Phillips presided over the joint meeting. The room was filled: many visitors who had helped the Ladies Committee during the Dydd Iau Mawr Festivities were present.

The chief point of dispute viz. “was the Ladies Committee of Dydd Iau Mawr working under the auspices of the Welfare Council” was most ably discussed by many present

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Miss Jones Parry moved that the resolution brought to the meeting by the Welfare Council be adopted. This was seconded by Mrs. Williams “Emlyn” and carried unanimously. All the ladies without exception voting for the motion.

John T. Davies Chairman Sept 3 1931.

Mr J. T. Davies Chairman presided over the monthly meeting of the Council on Thursday evening Sept 3rd 1931. Present Dr. Powell, Capts. D. Thomas & J. Jenkins, Messrs. S. Jones, G. Davies Jones, Dd. Edwards, D. James, T. G. James, J. Bowen, Dan Davies, D. Rees and the Sec.

The minutes of the two previous meetings were read and signed.

The four following members were duly elected members (permanently) of the Village Hall ~~Fund~~ Committee.

1. Daniel Rees Pantyffrwrn
2. Dr. J. W. W. Powell “The Moorings”

John T. Davies Barry House

Capt. J. Jenkins “Brohedyn”

The Secretary reported that he had not ~~yet~~ received the Balance Sheet and takings of Dydd Iau Mawr 1931.

Dr. Powell (proposed) and Mr. D. James seconded

“that the Secretary see Mrs. Davies “Cilwendir” immediately and demand the handing over to the Council a Cheque for the money in hand of the takings of Dydd Iau Mawr and any outstanding bills to be paid by the Council.” – This was carried unanimously.

The question of a Winter Programme was fully discussed.

Mr. Tom James proposed “that the Drama Party performing “Jac Martin” be again asked to perform this season.

It was decided unanimously that Mr Daniel Rees be appointed trainer of the Dramatic Perfromances.

Dr. Powell and Capt. Jenkins were

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appointed to make arrangements for holding Drama Entertainments at New Quay and Sarnau or Penmorfa.

The following bills were passed for payment.

1. John Jones Parcllywd Uchaf – 8/- - Carriage of timber
2. Evan James “Ty Ardd” Blaenpant - £1 for 10 long rails
3. Owen Jones Quarry for labour - £1:9:3.

T. W. Powell

Dr. Powell vice Chairman presided over a special meeting of the Council on Monday 14th of Sept 1931 at 7.30pm.

Present: Capts. D. Thomas & J. Jenkins, Rev D. J. Evans, Messrs. Daniel rees, T. James, D. James, G. Davies Jones, Simon Jones & Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

It was decided to perform the Drama “Jac Martin” at Sarnau the date to be left open.

A suggestion was also made that the same Drama be performed at Kilgerran.

Dr. Powell reported that a cheque for £153:19:4 had been sent to the Treasurer of the Welfare Council by Mrs. Davies Cilwendir: proceeds of the Dydd Iau Mawr and two concerts held during August 1931.

The following were appointed to form Trustees of the New Village Hall Fund.

1. Dr. T. W. W. Powell “The Moorings”
2. Capt. D. Thomas “Penmorfa”
3. Mr. T. G. James “Avalon”

A sub-committee consisting of Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. D. James, J. T. Davies, Rev. D. J. Evans and T. G. James & Dr. Powell were appointed to draw up a Winter Programme and report to the next monthly meeting on Oct 1st 1931.

Capt. Jenkins moved a resolution that a record be made of the Council’s deep appreciation and warmest thanks to Miss. Jones Parry and the Ladies Committee for their most excellent and valuable work in connection with the

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Welfare Council during the Summer – carried unanimously.

The Clerk was asked to write and convey this resolution to the right source.

Dr. Powell very kindly promised to see Miss. Jones “Hawen” with a view of re-forming the Ladies Committee.

John T. Davies Chairman Oct 1 1931

Mr. J. T. Davies Chairman presided over the monthly meeting of the Council on Thursday evening Oct 1st 1931, members present: Dr. Powell, Rev. D. J. Evans, Captains J. Jenkins & D. Thomas, Messrs. Fred Evans, Simon Jones, D. James, T. G. James & D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

The report of the sub-committee on Winter Entertainments was received, and the following resolutions were adopted.

1. To Invite the Drama from Aberystwyth

to give a performance in Xmas week.

1. To hold a Competitive Concert some time near St. Davids Day Feb 26th 1932 being a very suitable date: Mr. T. G. James “Avalon” and Ap Myrnach being made responsible for drawing up programme. These two gentlemen were given powers to add to their number to form a Committee if found necessary.
2. To hold the Horticultural Course for one week some time in November.

A letter was read from Miss Jones Parry notifying the Council of the formation of a Ladies Committee to work in conjunction with the Welfare Committee for the benefit of the Village.

It was unanimously approved that the Ladies Committee had been appointed and that the Secretary write Miss Jones Parry thanking her for her very kind letter, and authorizing her Committee to use the stationery and wording suggested. “Aberporth, Welfare

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Ladies Committee”.

It was also decided to enter the names of the Ladies Committee on the minutes as soon as received.

It was decided that the Rector and Secretary interview Mr. Dan Davies re his re-entry to the Drama Caste so that the company could perform at Sarnau at the end of October or beginning of November.

The Rev. D. J. Evans proposed and Dr. Powell seconded “that T. Cole be asked to light the lamps this year for the same price as last year i.e. 7/6 a week – carried.

The following bills were passed for payment

Mr. E. B. Evans Solicitor, Cardigan 2 guineas.

T. W. W. Powell Vice Chairman.

Meeting held Nov 5th 1931

The Chairman Mr. J. T. Davies presided over the monthly meeting of the Council on Thursday Nov 5th 1931 at 7.30pm.

Members present: Dr. Powell, Rev. D. J. Evans, R. D. Captains J. Jenkins & D. Thomas, Messrs. D. James, T. G. James, J. Bowen, S. Jones, G. Davies jones, F. Evans, D. Edwards and D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

Dr. Powell moved that no engagement be entered into with the Aberystwyth Dramatic Company. The report of the Sub Committee was adopted viz. “that the Newcastle Emlyn Dramatic Party be engaged to perform “Yscoli Newydd” on Dec 16th 1931, subject to the fee of the Hall being favourable – full powers were granted the Sub Committee to carry out all arrangements for this drama.

Mr. D. James Caretaker gave a full

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account of the financial position of the Putting Green for the season ending Sept 31st. The total receipts amounted to £26:6:9. The accounts were duly audited by Messrs. F. Evans & Simon Jones and the report was adopted.

A hearty vote of thanks was passed Mr. D. James for the healthy condition of the Balance Sheet for the year ending.

The Chairman read a letter from Mrs. Davies “Cilwedir” This letter together with various other documents pertaining to Dydd Iau Mawr 1931 were ordered to lie on the table. This was moved by Dr. Powell and carried unanimously.

The Council then resolved itself into a general committee and completed the arrangements for the Eisteddfod in Feb 1932.

The following bills were passed for payment.

Mr. D. James £6:11:8, M & M Thomas Printers Cardigan £2:17:6.

T. W. W. Powell Vice Chairman Dec 3 1931

Meeting held Dec 3rd 1931

Dr. T. W. W. Powell Vice-Chairman presided over the monthly meeting held Thursday evening Dec 3rd 1931, others present were Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. Simon Jones, D. James, Fred Evans, Jno. Bowen and D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

The final arrangements for the Drama on Dec 19th were made viz. Stewards, Ticket sellers etc.

It was decided unanimously to ask Mr. Davies Barry Hse, and Mr. James “Avalon” to kindly invite the Dramatic Company to supper.

Final arrangements re Stewards, Conveyance of artists and scenery were made for the performance of the Drama at Sarnau by the local Dramatic Party.

Mr. D. James Glanmordy was authorized to see that the party were supplied with light refreshments.

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Arrangements were also made for the holding of the County Horticultural Lectures for the week Dec 7 to the 12th 1931.

It was decided unanimously that the Welfare Council give their wholehearted support to the N. C. Emlyn Branch of the British Legion to hold a Drama at Coronation Hall on Boxing Night for the benefit of Ex-Servicemen.

John T. Davies Chairman January 13 1932

The Chairman Mr. J. T. Davies presided over the monthly meeting of the Council on Wed. Jan. 13th 1932 at 7pm: members present: Dr. Powell, Rev. D. J. Evans, Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. Simon Jones, John Bowen, D. James, T. G. James, D. Edwards and D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

The Sect. reported that a sum of £22:8:5 was made at the Drama on Boxing Night in aid of the Newcastle Emlyn Branch of the British Legion.

Mr. D. James reported that the gross takings of “Sion Newydd” performed on dec 16th 1931 was £11-3-6, but the expenses would be over £9.

The proceeds of Sarnau was £5:3:9 The surplus of the Whist drive organized by the Ladies Committee of the Welfare Council was £4-11-0.

It was decided that the annual public meeting beheld on Jun 28th 1932: auditors appointed were Capt. Jones, Ardwyn & D. Evans B. A. Ivy Cottage.it was also decided to insert an item of news in the local paper to advertise the meeting, and the rule regarding nominations.

Further progress was reported in the preparations for the Eisteddfod: all members were urged to put their whole weight into the event to make it successful.

The Rector moved that a letter be sent to the Cardiganshire County Council

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drawing their urgent attention to the very dangerous conditions of the cliff railings near the bungalows.

Capt. Jenkins very kindly promised to see to the storage of seats and their renovation.

The following members were selected to forma Committee to see to the fencing of the Park and the cutting of the new steps over cliffs – and to report at the next meeting. Chairman, D. Dames, T. James, Simon Jones & Capt. Jenkins.

Capt. Jenkins moved a notice of motion re construction of a bathing pool for children on the foreshore.

T. W. W. Powell Feb 4 1932

Meeting Feb 4th 1932

The first monthly meeting of the new Council was held on Thurs. evening Feb 4th 1932: present Capts. D. Thomas & J. Jenkins, Rev. D. J. Evans, Dr. Powell, Messrs. J. T. Davies, J. Daniel Lloyd, Simon Jones, F. O. Bradshaw, D. James, T. G. James, F. Evans & D. J. L. Thomas.

Mr. J. T. Davies the retiring Chairman proposed Dr. Powell Chairman for the ensuing year, this was seconded by Mr. D. James and carried unanimously.

The Rector moved a hearty vote of thanks to the retiring Chairman and said he had ably ~~handled~~ filled the chair during his year of office. Mr. Davies briefly replied and thanked them all for their co-operation and courtesy extended him during his Chairmanship.

Dr. Powell then took ~~his place as~~ the Chairman. He thanked them all for

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The honour they had bestowed upon him in electing him their Chairman for the present year and he hoped they rally round him, as they did Mr. Davies, and make his year of office a huge success.

Rev. D. J. Evans was unanimously elected V. Chairman. Messrs. T. G. James & D. J. L. Thomas were re-elected Treasurer and Secretary respectively.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

A letter was read from Tegryn Llanfynach re enlarged portrait in connection with the Baby Show, on Dydd Iau Mawr 1931. The Sect. was asked to reply, and it was decided to refer the letter to the Ladies Committee for their consideration.

Re the notices of motion by Mr. D. James and Capt. Jenkins it was decided to elect a committee to visit the beach

and see what could be done in making of bathing pools and suggested slipway.

Committee: Capt. D. Thomas, Capt. J. Jenkins, Mr. D. James, Mr. J. T. Davies and Dr. Powell

The committee were to report to the next meeting.

The above committee were also instructed to examine roller (repairs) and also mowing machines.

It was resolved to run a Concert in the Spring and a formal request be made to the Ladies Committee to run it – artists for Concert had been assured.

It was decided to add another item to the Eisteddfod Programme viz. Champion Solo with a prize of 21/- - several other minor details were left in the hands of Mr. Dd. James Eisteddfod Secretary.

A printer’s bill for £3 was passed for payment.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman March 3 1932.

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Meeting held Feb 12 at 7.30

Present: Dr. Powell (Chairman), Rector, Capts. J. Jenkins, and D. Thomas, Messrs. F. O. Bradshaw, Simon Jones, J. T. Davies, T. G. James, D. James, J. W. Lloyd, B. J. Waters & D. Edwards.

In the unavoidable absence of the Sect. the Rector was requested to record the minutes of the meeting.

Mr. J. T. Davies gave an account of the deliberations of the Committee which had been appointed to inspect the beach with a view of constructing a bathing pool. He said the Committee was of the opinion that a pool seemed possible at a comparatively small cost on Dolwen Beach, and that it should be proceeded with at once. It was decided unanimously that the Committee of Inspection be authorized to get the work in hand forthwith. Mr. Bradshaw raised the question of providing a pool on the Bankydyffryn side. It was agreed that

The matter be deferred for the time being.

Capt. Jenkins referred to the advisability of keeping up interest in the provision of a Public Hall, and it was unanimously decided that the Committee above mentioned take steps with a view to placing before the Council at as early a date as possible suitable designs.

Roller and Mower: It was unanimously decided to entrust the repairing of the roller to Mr.Jones, the “Lion Forge”, Mr. James “Avalon” to attend to the matter.

Putting Green: It was decided the Chairman be authorized to purchase the requisite grass seed. Mr. D. James informed the Council that he was in hopes of securing rubber mats for use on the courts.

Eisteddfod: It was decided that Messrs. D & T. G. James be authorized to hire a

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piano in the village for use at the Eisteddfod. The following were appointed stewards: Messrs. J. T. Davies, (Ticket office), Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. Simon Jones, D. Edwards, J. W. Lloyd & G. Davies Jones.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman March 3 1932

Dr. Powell, Chairman presided over the monthly meeting at 7pm on Thursday March 3rd 1932, members present Rev. D. J. Evans, Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. D. James, T. G. James, D. Edwards, J. Daniel Lloyd & D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

It was decided to purchase one rubber mat for use on the Green.

The question of building a slipway was deferred for a twelvemonth.

Mr. D. James reported on the Bathing Pool now been made on Dolwen Beach, and it was decided to leave future work on same in the hands

of the Chairman. The question of proceeding with a second Bathing Pool was deferred until the next meeting.

Mr. D. James Sect. of the Eisteddfod produced the Balance Sheet which was adopted. This showed a balance of £8:2:3.

The Rector proposed a hearty vote to Mr. D. James, Mr. T. G. James and Capt. Jenkins for running the Eisteddfod – this was carried unanimously.

The Secretary moved “that an Eisteddfod be held on March 3rd 1933 and notification be sent to the local paper for ~~to be put in the~~ “coming events” – carried.

The Secretary was authorized to write and formally thank Mrs. Bradshaw “Tohirchcon” and Mr. I. L. Morgan Manager Midland Bank for services rendered in connection with the last Eisteddfod.

The sowing of grass seed on the Green was left in the hands of

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Chairman and Mr. D. Edwards.

It was decided that the Secretary write Rev. T. Lewin Williams with the view of delivering a lecture on May 2nd 1932.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman April 7 1932.

Dr. Powell Chairman, presided over the monthly meeting of the Council on Thursday evening Apr 7th at 7.30pm: members present Rector, Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. D. James, D. Edwards, F. O. Bradshaw, J. T. Davies & D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

Proposed Whit Monday Entertainment.

It was decided to write the “Mond Nickel Concert Party at Clydach to see if an engagement could be booked. Also to write Miss Rosina Davies St Dogmaels with a view of securing her services as a Lecturer.

It was resolved after much discussion

to alter the date for next years Eisteddfod from march 3rd to Apr. 20th Thursday in Easter Week.

Dr. Powell reported that steady progress was being made with the Bathing Pool. It was decided that the whole Council visit the spot on the following day and inspect.

Mr. Dd. James moved a vote of sympathy with Mr. Thomas in his recent sad bereavement – this was carried unanimously.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman April 13th 1932

The Chairman Dr. Powell presided over a meeting of the Council on Wednesday Apr. 13th 1932. Present: Capts. Jenkins & Thomas, Messrs. D. James, T. G. James, D. Edwards, J. Daniel Lloyd, G. Davies Jones, F. O. Bradshaw, Simon Jones, J. T. Davies & D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

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The secretary read a letter from the Mond Concert Party and this was discussed, the general expression being that the fee offered was very high. Mr. J. T. Davies proposed “that the letter be referred to the Ladies Committee and if they approved of getting them, the Council would fully support them – Mr. D. James seconded the proposition which was carried.

After considerable discussion re an entertainment on Whit Monday it was decided to concentrate the Council’s efforts on the opening of the Putting Green on June 1st with a tea.

Mr. T. James moved “that a letter be sent the monthly meeting asking them to favour the Welfare Council with their first offer of Bryn Sion if it were for sale.

Resolved that the Rector write Rev. T. M. James to see if his services

could be secured to deliver a Lecture on Whit Monday evening at Hen Gapel.

A letter was read from the Tresaith Welfare Council re Electric Supply to the District – it was decided that the Aberporth Council support them, and the Secretary write the Electric Company with a view of hurrying on the scheme as soon as possible.

A hearty vote of thanks was passed Mr. J. Daniel Lloyd for his work in painting and renovating the village seats of western side.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman April 21 1932

Dr. Powell Chairman presided over a special meeting of the Council on Thursday evening Apr. 21 at 7.30pm. members present were Capts. Thomas & Jenkins

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Rev. D. J. Evans, Messrs. D. Edwards, Simon Jones, J. T. Davies & D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

A letter was read from Miss. Rosina Davies St Dogmaels re delivering of Lecture.

Capt. Jenkins proposed “that she be engaged as Lecturer on Whit Monday, this met with no seconder. Mr. Simon Jones moved “that Rev. T. M. James, Rector of Llanfyrnach be engaged as Lecturer, this amendment was seconded by Mr. D. Edwards and carried unanimously. Resolved to utilize old tickets for Lecture and make some handmade posters. The admittance to be 1/-. It was decided to ask the Ladies Committee to assist the Council in the forthcoming Lecture.

Owing to the date of opening the Putting Green fixed for June 1st clashing with the Church festival it was decided to change the opening of the Green to Thursday June 2nd 1932.

It was resolved to hold a joint meeting with the Ladies Committee on Friday Apr 29th with a view of discussing ways and means of celebrating the opening day of the Green and Bathing Pool on June 2nd.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman May 5th 1932.

A joint meeting of the Council and Ladies Committee was held on Friday Apr 29th. members present were. Rector, Capts. Thomas & Jenkins, Messrs. J. T. Davies, J. Daniel Lloyd, G. Davies Jones, D. James & D. J. L. Thomas - the Chairman Dr. Powell presided over the joint meeting.

Final arrangements were made for the opening of the Green and Bathing Pool. It was resolved to try and fix with the District Council to formally open the water works on the same date. Mr. J. T. Davies was authorized to try and fix the date.

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A letter was read from Miss Jones Parry at a special meeting of the Council held after the joint meeting, pointing out to the Welfare Council that the path leading to Tresaith near her property had been closed.

The contents of the letter were fully discussed. The Rector moved the following resolution

“We as a Welfare Council with the interest of the village at heart for its improvement to attract visitors, do respectfully call the attention of the Blaenporth Parish Council to take immediate action with the view of getting the path leading to Tresaith re-opened to the public.” – this was seconded by Capt. Thomas and carried unanimously.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman May 5 1932.

The Chairman Dr. Powell presided on Thursday evening May 5th 1932. pres. Capt. Jenkins, Rector, Messrs. D. James, T. G. James, F. O. Bradshaw, Simon Jones, Fred Evans, J. Daniel Lloyd, J. T. Davies and D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

It was reported that the official date of opening the Water Works had not been fixed by C. R. D. C. The following officials were appointed for Lecture on Whit Monday.

Chairman: Rector

Stewards: Messrs. J. D. Lloyd, Simon Jones & Capt. Jenkins.

The above mentioned members were also made responsible for the seating.

The Chairman Messrs. D. James and F. O. Bradshaw were appointed to form a committee & given plenary powers to put the Green in order. The same

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Committee was asked to inspect the suggested position of the provisionally mentioned Bathing Pool on the Eastern Bank and report to the next meeting.

Mr. Simon Jones was authorised to procure 3 more bags of cement for finishing touches of Bathing Pool.

It was decided unanimously that the Secretary read rule re absent members at the next meeting.

It was decided that the Secretary write the Cardiganshire County Council and inform them of the resolution which was moved by the Rector and seconded by Mr. J. T. Davies and carried unanimously:

1. That in view of the approach of the holiday season with its consequent increase of traffic and influx of visitors, the Southern Main Roads Committee be urged to proceed

Immediately with the proposed improvements to the dangerous corners in the village, together with the cliff iron railings

1. That the attention of the Committee be respectfully drawn to the rapid land sliding which is now going on near Dolwen Beach, thereby doing serious damage to the road near the bridge now under repair.

It was resolved “that a Banking Account for the Aberporth Welfare Council be continued with the Midland Bank Ltd. At their Cardigan Branch, and that the Bank be and is hereby empowered to honour Cheques, Orders for Payment, Bills of Exchange and Promisary Notes drawn, signed, accepted or made on behalf of the said Aberporth Welfare Council by Chairman and Secretary, and to act on any instructions given by the persons so authorized with regard to any accounts or transactions of the said Aberporth Welfare Council.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman May 31 1932

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Meeting held May 31st 1932

The Chairman Dr. Powell presided over a special meeting of the Council on Tuesday evening May 31st 1932.

Pres: Capt Jenkins, Rev. D. J. Evans, Messrs. D. James, Fred Evans, F. O. Bradshaw, T. J. Davies, T. G. James & Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

Mr. D. James, last years’ caretaker, announced that he did not wish to take on the work for the coming season. Mr. T. G. James moved that the post be advertised in the village, fee to be the same as last year – 25% of the takings (carried).

Capt. Jenkins was again appointed Secretary for the Green.

Arrangements were made for a joint meeting of the Welfare and District Councils re the opening of Aberporth Water Works.

The Rector moved “that the Welfare Council be made responsible for the expenses of tea on the opening day of ~~Council~~ Works.

It was also decided that a hearty invitation be given the President Capt. Jenkins of Cardiff to attend at the opening day of the Works.

Mr. J. T. Davies moved “that Mrs. Evans “Ship Hotel” be asked to cater for tea at 1/3 a head.

The following bills were passed for payment

1. Rev. T. M. James 1guinea for Lecture
2. Insurance for workmen
3. Haulage for Bathing Pool

T. W. W. Powell Chairman July 7 1932

* The Aberporth Water works were formally opened on Wednesday June 15th 1932.

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At 3pm. The Aberporth welfare Council under the Chairmanship of Dr. Powell entertained the Cardigan District Council and their invited guests together with the Water Works Officials to a tea at the “White Lion Tearooms (bereavement in the passing of Mr. Evans, landlord of the “Ship Hotel” prevented the tea being held there as formerly arranged.) – the expenses being kindly subscribed by the members of the Welfare Council. Miss Jones Parry “Madryn” very kindly entertained the children of Blaenporth Church School to a sumptuous tea at the White Lion Tearooms during the afternoon – after the children’s sports were held in the Welfare Park under the stewardship of the Headmaster, the prizes for which had been kindly subscribed by the public.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman July 26 1932

Meeting held July 7th 1932

The Chairman Dr. Powell presided over the monthly meeting of the Council on July 7th 1932. Present’ Rev. D. J. Evans, Capts. D. Thomas & J. Jenkins, Messrs. F. O. Bradshaw, J. T. Davies, D. James, J. D. Lloyd, D. Edwards & D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read – the Rector moved that a note should be entered in the “minutes” giving a brief synopsis of the events of the opening day of the Water Works – the minutes were then signed.

Dydd Iau Mawr: After much discussion re Dydd Iau Mawr programme it was decided to ask the Ladies Committee to organize the usual Carnival. The Welfare Council to allocate the sum of 30/- towards the prizes. It was also decided to

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dispense this year with the Flag Day and to utilize collecting boxes instead.

Resolved that a joint meeting of the Ladies and Welfare Councils be held at 7pm. July 21st 1932 on the welfare Park to make the final arrangements for Dydd Iau Mawr.

The Rector moved “that the Secretary write the County and District Councils drawing their attention for immediate action in the closed path leading to Tresaith. -this was seconded by Mr. J. D. Lloyd and carried unanimously.

Capt. Jenkins moved “that a letter be also sent the C. D. R. C. drawing their attention to the need of periodical flushing of the new water mains – carried.

The question of trashing the Welfare Park was left in the hands

of the Parks Committee.

The Bill for £5:10:0 presented by Mr. Simon Jones Contractor of the Bathing Pool was passed for payment.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman July 26 1932

Dr. Powell presided over a special meeting of the Council on the Welfare Park on Thursday July 21st at 7pm. Present. Rev. D. J. Evans, Capts. J. Jenkins & D. Thomas, Messrs. J. Daniel Lloyd, D. James, T. G. James, F. O. Bradshaw, J. T. Davies, ~~F. Evans~~, Simon Jones, D. Edwards & the Secretary.

The Chairman fully explained the meaning of the meeting. He said ~~“that Mr. Holmes Amusement Caterer and expressed a strong wish of securing the Welfare Park for his show during part of August.~~ The Rector moved ~~“that the request be acceded to~~ & Mr Davies Barry house seconded this motion which was carried unanimously.

“that Mr Holmes, Amusement Caterer, Swansea be invited to bring his Pleasure Fair to a portion of the Welfare Park for a part of August and the terms to be arranged by the Chairman”

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Resolved that the Parks Committee build a temporary shelter near the lime kilns to act as a “Ladies Lavatory” for the month of August – carried.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman July 26 1932

An extraordinary meeting of the Council was held on July 26th 1932 at The Whirte Lion Tea Rooms, at 8.30pm

Present: Dr. Powell (Chairman), Capt. Jenkins, Rector, Messrs. D. Edwards, F. O. Bradshaw, D. James, T. G. James, G. Daniel Lloyd, Simon Jones & the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

The Chairman briefly explained the object of the meeting. He said that a certain number of people had objected to the Pleasure fair being placed on the Welfare Park – this objection was supported by a Petition

signed by 20 persons, collected by Capt. D. Davies “Neuaddwen” and addressed to the Rector.

The question was again fully discussed and on the motion of Mr. D. Edwards seconded by Mr. Bradshaw – “that we adhere to the resolution passed at the last meeting “ – this was carried unanimously.

It was decided that Mr. D. James be given powers to make the necessary entrance in the Park ~~entrance~~ for the Pleasure Fair.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman Oct 12 1932

The Chairman Dr. Powell presided over the Council’s monthly meeting on Wednesday Oct 12th 1932 members present: Rev. D. J. Evans, Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. F. O. Bradshaw, T. G. James, J. Daniel Lloyd, Simon Jones, and the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meetings

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were read and confirmed.

Resolved “that plenary powers be given a Committee consisting of the Chairman, Rector, Capt. Jenkins, Messrs. F. O. Bradshaw & D. James to carry out the necessary work with the view of putting the Playing Green in a good condition for next year.

The above Committee were also authorized to see to the demolition of the temporary latrines in the Welfare Park.

Capt. Jenkins very kindly promised to see to the storage of the public seats for the winter.

The rector moved “that the streets be again lighted for the winter, and Mr. Cole be asked to carry out the work at the same price as last year” – carried unanimously.

The lamp lighter was authorized to see to the repair of the lamps.

A Winter Programme was discussed but no action was taken.

The Secretary reported that the School piano had been damaged while lent for a dance under the auspices of the Welfare Councilo. Mr. T. G. James moved “that the damage be repaired and the piano be put in order” – carried.

The Secretary reported that the Hort. Lectures would be held ~~on~~ the week commencing Oct 24th 1932.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman Nov 17th 1932

The Chairman Dr. Powell presided over the monthly meeting of the Council on Nov 17th at 7pm. The following members being present. Rev D. J. Evans, Capt. J. Jenkins, Messrs. F. O. Bradshaw, Simon Jones, T. G. James, J. T. Davies, G. Davies Jones & the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

Mr. Bradshaw gave a report of the recent work carried out on the Welfare Park and Green, and said

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progress had been made – the report was adopted.

The Council drew attention of the Parks Committee to the urgent need of tidying up the Park near the lime kilns and they were given plenary powers to see to the work.

A letter was read from the local Secretary of the Royal Lifeboat Institution intimating that they meant to dispose of their Barometer ~~placed near~~ fixed on the Post Office Buildings, and wished to know if the Aberporth welfare Council would offer a price for same. The question was fully discussed and it was decided unanimously that the Secretary write and inform the Institution that they were not prepared to buy the instrument.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman Dec 15 1932

Meeting held Dec 15th 1932

The monthly Council meeting was held on Thursday evening Dec 15th 1932 at 7pm, Dr. Powell presiding.

Present: Rev. D. J. Evans, Capts. D. Thomas and J. Jenkins, Messrs. J. T. Davies, D. James, F. O. Bradshaw and D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

It was decided unanimously that every support be given to the Blaenporth Parish council at the forthcoming Inquiry regarding the closure of the Tresaith path near Madryn Aberporth.

Mr. Davies (Barry House) moved “that a letter be sent the Cardigan District Council drawing their notice to the increasing practice at Aberporth of the erection of bungalows in the form of converted railway carriages” -this was seconded by Capt. Thomas, and carried unanimously

T. W. W. Powell Chairman Jan 12 1933

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Meeting held Jan 12th 1933

The Chairman Dr. T. W. W. Powell presided over the monthly meeting of the Council on Thursday evening Jan 12th 1933 at 7pm. present: Rev. D. J. Evans, Capts. D. Thomas & J. Jenkins, Messrs. D. James, T. G. James, Simon Jones, F. O. Bradshaw, F. Evans, D. Edwards & D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

The date of the annual meeting was fixed for Thursday Jan 26th 1933 at 7pm.

Mr. D. James moved “that Mr. D. Evans B. A. and Capt. J. Davies “Steppes” be the official auditors of the yearly accounts” – seconded by Mr. Bradshaw - carried.

Rev. D. J. Evans proposed that a notice of motion be moved at the annual meeting to the effect that “in the case of a new member being elected to replace a defaulter, the said new member will automatically

be placed on the rota of retiring members ~~when~~ occupied by the defaulter

T. W. W. Powell Chairman Feb 1 1933

The first general meeting of the year was held on Wednesday Feb 1st 1933 at 7pm.

Present: Dr. Powell (Chairman), Rev. D. J. Evans, Capts. D. Thomas & J. James. Messrs. J. Daniel Lloyd, Simon Jones, T. G. James, D. James, F. O. Bradshaw, G. Davies Jones, J. Bowen, D. S. Davies & D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted.

The Rector spoke in appreciatiative terms of the services rendered during the year by the officers of the Council, and he warmly thanked the retiring Chairman Dr. T. W. W. Powell J. P. for the excellent way he had conducted

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the Councils meetings during his year of office.

Dr. T. W. W. Powell suitably responded.

The election of Chairman and Vice Chairman for the coming year was made by ballot with the following result.

Chairman: Dr. T. W. W. Powell J. P.

Vice Chairman: Rev. D. J. Evans B. A., R. D.

The Secretary and Treasurer were re-appointed.

Dr. Powell the re-elected Chairman thanked the members cordially for the honour they had bestowed upon him in his re-election as Chairman and hoped that he would still maintain their whole hearted support and confidence as in the past year, and he sincerely hoped that the coming year would be one of happiness and prosperity.

Mr. F. O. Bradshaw paid a warm tribute

to the Chairman and said it was a good omen for a successful year, for the ship was again in charge of the same captain in whose capable hands she had been most carefully maneuvered during the past twelve months.

The Rector thanked the Council for their continued confidence in him by his re-election as Vice Chairman.

The Chairman on behalf of the Council welcomed the three new members viz. Capt. J. James, D. S. Davies and J. Bowen, each member suitably responded.

Mr. D. James was authorized to purchas easuitable quantity of manure for use on the Putting Green. It was decided to discuss the requisition list for Putting Green at the next meeting.

A letter was read from the

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Unemployment Centres Headquarters but no action was taken.

The Joint Jumble Sale of the W. I. and Welfare Council was fully discussed and it was decided unanimously to give the project every support and on the proposition of Mr. Bowen and seconded by Mr. Bradshaw it was resolved furthermore to vote the sum of 1 guinea to the Committee of the Jumble Sale.

Resolved that the Secretary write the Rural Surveyor calling his immediate attention to the deplorable condition of Dolwen Road, and the road leading to the beaches of Aberporth.

The Secretary was also authorised to write the Sanitary Inspector calling his attention to the crying need of Public Conveniences in the village of Aberporth.

On the proposition of the Rector

Seconded by Mr. D. James it was decided unanimously that a Committee consisting of Messrs. D. James, Simon Jones, F. O. Bradshaw and Capt. J. James be given plenary powers for the repair of a dangerous cave near Glanmordy path.

The following members were appointed in the Finance Committee

Dr. T. W. W. Powell

Rev. D. J. Evans

J. T. Davies

T. G. James

The question of providing seats at various spots was deferred to the next meeting.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman March 9 1933

Dr. T. W. W. Powell J. P. presided over the monthly meeting of the Council on Thursday March 9th 1933 at 7pm.

Present: Capts. D. Thomas and J. James

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Messrs. J. T. Davies, D. James, T. G. James, J. Daniel Lloyd, G. Davies Jones, F. O. Bradshaw and D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

Mr. D. James reported that nothing had been done sofar to repair the inroad of the sea underneath his garden but the work would be carried out as soon as possible.

The following members were appointed to form a Working Committee for year 1933.

Dr. T. W. W. Powell J. P.

Mr. J. T. Davies

Capt. D. Thomas

Capt. J. James

Mr. F. O. Bradshaw

Mr. J. Daniel Lloyd moved “that the question of the erection of seats be proceeded with, and plenary powers

be granted the Working Committee to decide the number of seats, necessary specifications etc. Work to be done by tender. This was seconded by D. S. Davies – and carried unanimously.

Mr. D. James moved that Capt. Jenkins be co-opted a member of the Council for services rendered ~~the Council~~ during his tenure of office - this was seconded by Mr. T. G. James.

Mr. J. Daniel Lloyd proposed “that the Rev. O. J. Robinson be co-opted a member of the Council, this met with no seconder. Mr. D. James’ resolution was carried unanimously.

It was decided that the Working Committee be authorized to see to the Requisition List needed for the Putting Green.

The Working Committee were also asked to see to the dismantling of the latrines in the Welfare Park and

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tidying up the ~~Park~~ Grounds.

The Secretary was asked to write Mr. Ivor George, Sanitary Inspector for an appointment to meet the Council as a body to discuss the question of Public Conveniences.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman March 27 1933

Dr. T. W. W. Powell J. P. presided over a special meeting of the Council on Monday March 27th 1933 at 7pm.

Present: Capt. J. James, Rev. D. J. Evans, Messrs. J. T. Davies, J. Daniel Lloyd, Simon Jones, T. G. James, D. James, F. O. Bradshaw and D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

Mr. J. T. Davies gave a report of the meeting of the Working Committee ~~and~~ with Mr. I. George, Sanitary Inspector re the building of ~~Sanitary~~ Public Conveniences. Mr. J. T. Davies moved “that a small

deputation be selected to meet the Cardigan Rural District Council at their next meeting” Mr. J. T. Davies and the Rev. D. J. Evans were appointed to act as the deputation. The Welfare Council granted the deputation authority to offer the C.R.D.C. a donation of £20 as the maximum, or 20% of the cost of the Conveniences, the percentage not to exceed £20.

It was also decided that the Working Committee meet the Engineer at his next visit.

Mr. F. O. Bradshaw, Secretary of the Working Committee read the minutes of their last meeting. Mr. J. T. Davies moved that the reports be approved – carried unanimously.

The Secretary was asked to write and thank the Cardiganshire County Council for the work recently done in the repair of the beach approaches. He was also instructed to write and point out to the said Council the dangerous condition

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of the cliff railings between the Ship Hotel and the Post Office.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman May 4 1933

The monthly meeting of the Council was held on Thursday May 4th 1933 at 7.30pm. Dr. T. W. W. Powell Chairman presided. Present: Rev. D. J. Evans, Capts. J. Jenkins and J. James, Messrs. D. James, Fred Evans, Simon Jones, D. S. Davies, J. Bowen, G. Davies Jones, J. T. Davies & D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the last meeting were adopted.

The Rector Rev. D. J. Evans gave the report of the meeting of the deputation with the C. R. D. C. re the erection of Public Conveniences: this report was highly encouraging.

The Working Committee were authorized to see to the damaged seats.

Mr. Dd. James moved that Capt. Jenkins be made a member of the Working

Committee – carried unanimously.

Mr. J. T. Davies proposed “that a special meeting of the Council be held on May 11th 1933 to discuss the question of purchasing a site of land for the erection of a Public Hall” this was seconded by Capt. Jenkins and carried unanimously.

Mrs. D. J. Williams, secretary of the local Womens Institute attended the meeting and extended a cordial invitation to the members of the Council to attend a supper on Friday May 5th at 7pm.

Mrs. Williams was warmly thanked by the Chairman for her attendance and kind offer on behalf of the Institute.

The following were appointed to form a Working Committee in conjunction with the W. I. for the Fete on June 14th. Messrs. Simon Jones, D. S. Davies, Jno. Bowen, J. T. Davies, Ev. D. J. Evans & Capt. James.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman May 11 1933

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Dr. T. W. W. Powell J. P. presided over a special meeting of the Council on Thursday May 11th 1933 at 7pm.

Present: Rev. D. J. Evans, Capt. D. Tomas, Messrs. D. James, T. G. James, Fred Evans, Jno. Bowen, D. S. Davies, Simon Jones, T. J. Davies & D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

The Rector lodges a complaint to the effect that the new seat on the bank had been erected too near the Church and without the official authority of the Constitution and it was therefore liable to be moved at any time.

The question of purchasing a plot for the building of a Public Hall was fully discussed; three sites were mentioned as being suitable, it was unanimously decided on the proposition of Mr. J. Bowen, seconded by Mr. D. S. Davies, to buy the plot of ground at the north end of New Road adjoining Mr. Wa~~l~~ters’ property. The Chairman and Rector

Chairman and Vice Chairman respectively were authorized to purchase a plot of 75ft. On the proposition of Mr. D. James seconded by Mr. J. Bowen, E. B. Evans Esq. Solicitor, Cardigan was appointed the Solicitor for the Conveyance.

The question of constructing a slipway for landing and launching local boats was fully gone into and the Rev. D. J. Evans moved “that a Public Meeting of all interested persons be held on Monday next at 7pm on the Welfare Park to further consider this important matter “– carried.

Chairman moved “that Mr. D. James Glanmordy be the caretaker for the Putting Green for the season” – carried unanimously.

The Secretary was asked to write and officially thank Miss Nina George “The Bungalow” for the splendid services she rendered the Council by organizing

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Tournaments of Golf on the Putting Green last season, the Council felt that they would be extremely thankful if Miss. George could again this year undertake this valuable work.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman May 22 1933

On Monday May 15th a Public Meeting was held on the Public Park at 7pm, in the unavoidable absence of the Chairman the Rev. D. J. Evans, Vice Chairman presided. There was a fair attendance of interested villagers, and a number of the Councillors were present to discuss the question of constructing a slipway for launching and stowing of boats. Mr. D. James “Glanmordy” said that the local seamen and other inhabitants who were interested in boating were anxious for such protection and said they were willing to offer their services free providing they could get the materials. After carefully considering the

matter it was suggested that a small breakwater near “Pen Cynwyl” would answer a better project for the mooring of boat - this was proposed by Mr. J. T. Davies and seconded by Mr. J. D. Lloyd.

Capt. James “Avalon”, Mr J. H. Davies “Neuaddwen” together with Capt. James Herwaun House, Mr. J. W. Lloyd Dolwen and Mr. J. T. Davies Barry House were appointed to examine and inspect similar small breakwaters on neighbouring coasts and report aas soon as possible.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman May 22 1933

Dr. T. W. W. Powell J. P. presided over a special meeting of the Council on Monday May 22nd 1933 at 7.30pm.

Present: Capts. D. Thomas & J. James, Messrs. D. James, D. S. Davies, J. T. Davies, J. W. Lloyd, F. O. Bradshaw & the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

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The Chairman explained the object of calling the special meeting and said that the Cardigan Rural District Council desired a contribution of £50 from the Welfare Council towards the proposed scheme of erecting Public Conveniences at Aberporth. The question was fully discussed and on the motion of Mr. J. T. Davies seconded by Mr. F. O. Bradshaw the following resolution was carried unanimously.

“that the previous offer of a contribution of not exceeding £20 be adhered to conditionally, that the work be completed by August 1st next.

The Secretary read a letter from Mr. Morgan-Richardson complaining that seats had been erected on private property near the lime kilns, the letter was ordered to be on the table.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman June 16 1933

Dr. T. W. W. Powell J. P. presided over the monthly meeting of the Council on Friday 16th of June 1933 at 7.30pm.

Present: Capts. D. Thomas & J. Jenkins, Rev D. J. Evans, Messrs. F. O. Bradshaw, D. S. Davies, D. James, J. T. Davies and D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

Mr J. T. Davies reported that the sum of £33:15s had been paid by the Ladies Committee into the general fund of the Welfare Council.

The Chairman moved “that the Secretary write Miss Jones Parry thanking her and her kind helpers for organizing such a successful Fete – carried.

Resolved unanimously that a cheque for £20 be sent the Cardigan Rural District Council being the Welfare Council’s donation towards

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erecting Public Conveniences in the village.

The Secretary read a letter from Mr. Morgan-Richardson ordering the removal of two new seats placed on cliff near the Lime Kilns. Mr. J. T. Davies moved and Mr. Bradshaw seconded “that the two seats be removed forthwith and one be placed at Quarry and the other near Bont.

The question of clearing Bathing Pool od sand was in the hands of the Chairman.

Mr. D. James was given powers to see to the cutting of the grass on the Park.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman June 29 1933

Dr. T. W. W. Powell J. P. presided over a special meeting of the Council on Thursady 20th June 1933 at 7.30pm.

Present: Capts. D. Thomas & J. Jenkins and Jno. James, Messrs. F. O. Bradshaw, D. S. Davies, D. James & D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and signed.

A letter was read from E. B. Evans Esq. Solicitor, Cardigan re the payment by cheque for part payment of erecting Public Conveniences at Aberporth. Capt. D. Thomas moved “that the cheque be presented for payment” – this was seconded by Mr. F. O. Bradshaw and carried unanimously.

Two bills for labour on the “Green” and Welfare Park were passed for payment.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman Oct 19 1933

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The Monthly meeting of the Council was held on Thursday Oct 19th 1933 at 7pm. Pres: ~~D~~ T. W. W. Powell Chairman J. P., Rev. D. J. Evans, Capt. D. Thomas, Messrs. T. James, G. Davies Jones, J. Bowen, T. J. Davies, Simon Jones and D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

The Secretary presented a bill of £92:7 from E. B. Evans Esq. Cardigan, the charges for buying and conveyancing a new plot of land at the upper end of New road ~~to serve~~ the purpose of building a Village Hall.

Proposed by G. Davies Jones seconded by the Rector and carried “that the bill be passed for payment”.

Proposed by Capt. D. Thomas and seconded by J. Bowen

“that the deeds of the Welfare Park – and the new plot be deposited at the Midland Bank, Cardigan.

It was unanimously decided to rail in the new plot – Mr. Owen Jones Quarry be asked to undertake the work. It was proposed by the Rector seconded by Mr. Simon Jones and carried.

“that the Councils’ appreciation of the work done by the C. R. D. C. in the erection of modern Public Conveniences on the Welfare Park be shown in a formal letter to said Council”

The Secretary was also asked to write and point out to the District Council that the Welfare Council felt that the management of the Public Conveniences should be left entirely in their hands. Resolved that shrubs be planted near the entrance to the Lavatories – scheme to be left in the hands of the Chairman.

It was decided unanimously

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That owing to the adverse financial position of the Council the lighting of the village be not proceeded with this year – carried.

Mr. D. James produced his bill for commission of the takings of the Putting Green amounting to £2:3:0, the bill was passed for payment.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman Dec 14 1933

Dr. T. W. W. Powell J. P. Chairman, presided over the monthly meeting of the Council on Thursday, Dec 14th at 7.15pm.

Present: Rev D. J. Evans B. A., Capt. D. Thomas, Messrs. T. G. James, Fred Evans, D. James, Jno. Bowen, J. T. Davies & D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

Mr. D. James moved a vote of sympathy with Capt. J. Jenkins in his recent bereavement” this was carried in

the usual way”

The Secretary was asked to find out the custodian of the Hydrants’ Key and bring in the report by the next meeting.

A discussion took place on the advantage and need of a Public Hall and it was resolved tat a joint meeting of the “W. I.” Male Voice Party and Welfare Council be held on Monday Dec 18th 1933 at 7pm. To further discuss this very important question.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman Jan 8 1934.

Dr. Powell J. P. presided over a meeting of the Council on Monday Jan 8th 1934 at 8pm.

Present: Rev. D. J. Evans, Capts. J. Jenkins, J. James and D. Thomas, Messrs. Jno. Bowen, T. G. James, D. James, J. Daniel Lloyd, Fred Evans and D. J. L. Thomas.

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The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

The Secretary was asked to write and urgently draw the attention of C. R. D. C. to the bad condition of the fire hose which had been reported worthless to deal with an emergency.

Dr. Powell moved the following resolution in connection with ~~objection~~ obstruction placed near the Limekiln on the cliff roadway.

“that this meeting of the Aberporth Welfare Council strongly protests against the report of the Committee appointed by the County Council to investigate the public right of way on the old roadway at Bankyplas, and consequently they respectfully ask your Council to reconsider the matter and hold an inquiry when evidence can be produced showing the old roadway and the use made of it until recent times, they consider this matter most urgent

as pertaining to the general amenities and future development of the village” – this was seconded by Capt. Thomas and carried unanimously.

It was also passed that the foregoing resolution be sent the Aberporth Parish Council as well as the County Council.

Reports of visits to New Quay and Newport (Pem) village Halls were given by Mr. T. G. James and Dr. Powell respectively with a view of ascertaining the costs thereof of building.

Jan 25th 1934 was fixed as the date for the annual meeting, and Capts. J. Davies (Steps) and J. Davies Mordwel were appointed auditors of the accounts.

Mr. D. James proposed and Mr. J. Bowen seconded “that the election be on similar lines to recent previous elections viz. “that five members be elected” – carried.

~~D. James~~ T. W. W. Powell Chairman

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Dr. Powell J. P. presided over a meeting of the Council on Jan 25th 1934 at the close of the Public Meeting. All members being present – 15.

The minutes were read.

Officers:

Mr. J. T. Davies moved “that Mr. D. James be appointed Chairman for the ensuing year”. This was seconded by the Rector and carried unanimously.

Mr. J. Davies moved “a hearty vote of thanks and appreciation for the splendid work and services rendered to the Council by the retiring Chairman Dr. T. W. W. Powell for the last two years”- this was seconded by Mr. J. Daniel and carried unanimously.

~~The~~ Dr. Powell suitably responded and warmly thanked the members for their splendid co-operation and faithfulness during his two years chairmanship.

The Rev. D. J. Evans, Rector was unanimously appointed Vice Chairman, on the proposition of Mr. J. T. Davies, seconded by Mr. T. G. James. Mr. T. g. James and Mr. D. j. l. Thomas were re-elected Treasurer and Secretary respectively.

D. James Chairman March 1st 1934

Mr D. James Chairman presided over a meeting of the Council on Thursday 1st March 1934 at 7pm.

Pres: Dr. Powell J. P. Capts. D. Thomas and J. Jenkins, Messrs. F. O. Bradshaw, J. Daniel Lloyd, Fred Evans, D. S. Davies, G. D. Jones and the Secretary.

The minutes of the previous meetings were read and signed.

The Secretary was asked to write the new District Council re the perished hose pipe at Aberporth.

The Secretary was also asked to draw the Sanitary Inspector’s attention to the need of a supply of

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Sanitary paper for the use of the Public Conveniences and also the need of keeping these ~~clean~~ lavatories ~~kept~~ clean.

Resolved that the surplus turf be taken from the Hall site to cover certain portions of the Putting Green.

Decided to purchase ½ cwt. Of manure for fairways.

Dr. Powell proposed that a sum of money be granted the W. I. for the purchase of working material for the coming Fete.

Mr. Lloyd moved that a guinea be granted, this met with no seconder. Capt. Jenkins moved a sum of three guineas, seconded by Dr. Powell and carried.

Dr. Powell moved that the whole Council visit the Park on March 2nd at 5pm to see what steps could be taken to put the ruined limekilns which are at present an eyesore, tidy.

Daniel James Chairman Apr 26/34

Mr. D. James chairman presided over a Council meeting on Thursday 26th of April at 7.30: The following members being present DR. Powell J. P., Rev. D. J. Evans, Capts. J. Jenkins, J James and D. Thomas, Messrs. J. T. Davies, T.G. James, G. D. Jones, Jno. Bowen, D. S. Davies and D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were confirmed.

It was decided to use the ~~present~~ stone around the limekilns on the Park to fill up the cavities and put the ruins into ship shape order.

Proposed by Mr. J. T. Davies and seconded by the Rector that the whole Council form themselves into a Committee and pay a visit to the Putting Green and Park to see what work is needed to be done ~~to bring~~ before the summer season.

It was unanimously decided to ask Mr. John Griffiths to undertake all necessary work in and around the Park.

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It was felt that something should be done to obscure the entrance to the Public Lavatories.

The question of fire appliances for the village was discussed, and the Secretary was asked to write the Teifiside District Council to see what steps were being taken in the matter.

D. James Chairman June 22nd 1934.

Mr. David James Chairman presided over a Council meeting on Friday June 22nd at 7.30pm. Messrs. J. T. Davies, D. S. Davies, D. J. L. Thomas, Rev. D. J. Evans & Capt. J. James being present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and signed.

The form re placing of stays from poles carrying electric cables for the West Cambrian Electric Co, in the Welfare Park was authorized to be signed

on the proposition of Mr. J. T. Davies, seconded by the Rector.

The Chairman reported that the seat removed from Pencartws had now been placed on the Tresaith path.

A letter was read from “the B. of T. re the alleged building of a Bathing Pool on the beach by the Council.” The Secretary was instructed to reply that the Council had no intention of erecting a Bathing Pool below high-water mark.

The question of grass cutting on the Welfare Park was left in the hands of Secretary, and councilors of the Bankydyffryn side of the village.

David James Chairman Nov 28/34

Mr. David James Chairman presided over a meeting of the Council on Nov 28th 1934, at 7pm.

Present: Captains D. Thomas & J. James, Messrs.

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J. T. Davies, J. Bowen, Simon Jones, Rev. D. J. Evans and D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and signed.

The Rector at the outset of the meeting extended to the Secretary the Councils’ best wishes on the wonderful recovery he had made after a long and severe illness, and sincerely hoped that he would soon be restored to normal health – this was supported by Mr. J. T. Davies and carried unanimously.

The Secretary thanked them all for their expression of best wishes on his restoration of health.

The Chairman reported that one of the seats fixed on the cliff path had been pulled up by some unauthorised person or persons and had since been fixed on the Welfare Park.

The report was adopted.

It was decided to pay Mr. Williams “Brynhyfryd” to sum of 5/- for work done in cleaning up the Welfare Park during August.

Mr. J. Bowen moved “that the following bills be paid:

1. D. James Commission as Caretaker of Putting Green £3:0:0
2. Requisition list for Park 11:0
3. Labour on Park 11:0
4. This was seconded by Mr. S. Jones and carried unanimously.

The Rector moved that the Council ~~undertake~~ should do all in their power to support the Parish Council in their application for a second delivery at Aberporth, and also the fixing of an additional letter box near Glanmordy – this was seconded and carried unanimously.

D. James Chairman Febry 14/35

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Mr. Dd James, Chairman presided over a meeting of the Council on Thursday 14th Feb 1935 at 7pm.: others present were: Dr. T. W. W. Powell. J. P., Rev. D. J. Evans R. D. Capts. D. Thomas, J. James & J. Jenkins, Messrs. T. G. James, Jno. Bowen, D. S. Davies, Simon Jones, J. T. Davies, Fred Evans & D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

The question of improving the condition of the putting green together with that ~~question~~ of improving the fences of the same were deferred to the next meeting. A committee was appointed to inspect the green, and its fencing and to report to the next meeting.

Mr. Ben Walters & Mr. Davies “Claremont” were unanimously appointed auditors of the Balance Sheet for 1934.

The general meeting was fixed for Feb 20th 1935 at 7.30pm.

Mr. J. T. Davies proposed and Mr. D. S. Davies

Seconded “that the following bills be passed for payment”

1. Bill of 10/- meetings held at Village Hall
2. Bill of 7/0 meeting held at N. P. School

Capt. D. Thomas moved that the Secretary be granted an honorarium of £3, this was seconded by Mr. J. T. Davies and carried unanimously.

The question of a trip during the summer of the Welfare Council was discussed and deferred to the next meeting.

The question of thanking Capt. Jenkins for his great kindness in storing seats during the winter months was ~~left~~ deferred to the annual meeting.

It was decided unanimously that Dr. Powell J. P. Mr. Dd. James be appointed to meet the T. R. D. C. during their visit to the village re. drainage, and point out to them the necessity for a wall near conveniences, and also the very important question of procuring adequate fire appliances for the village.

D. James Chairman March 14/35

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Mr. D. James Chairman presided over a meeting of the Council on Thursday March 14th 1935, the following members being present: Dr. Powell J. P. Captains D. Thomas, J. Jenkins & J. James, Messrs. Dan Davies, T. J. James, Simon Jones, W. J. Evans, Fred Evans, F. O. Bradshaw & D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

It was reported that the question of Fire Appliances for the various villages in the District was under consideration by that Council

The question of a trip away during the coming summer of the Welfare Councillors was deferred owing to the absence of Mr. ~~T~~. J. Davies Barry House.

Officers for the year, Resolved by Mr. F. Evans & Capt. J. James

“that the Rev. D. J. Evans B. A. be re-elected Vice Chairman for the year”

On the proposition Capt. Thomas seconded by Dr. Powell J. P.

Mr. T. J. James and Mr. D. J. L. Thomas were re-elected Treasurer and Secretary respectively.

Jubilee Celebrations

The following members were appointed to act jointly with other committees of local bodies to make arrangements for the celebration of their Majesty’s Silver Jubilee on May 1st 1935.

1. Capt. J. Jenkins
2. Capt. J. James
3. Mr. J. T. Davies
4. Mr. D. James
5. Mr. Simon Jones
6. Mr. Dan Davies

Railings for Putting Green

Dr. Powell proposed and Mr. T. G. James seconded

“that the sum of £4 be expended for procuring chestnut palings 4’ high with 3” interval, and the purchase of same to be left in the hands of the Chairman” – carried.

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Resolved on the proposition Capt. D. Thomas seconded by Mr. F. O. Bradshaw.

“that the offer of Capt. J. Jenkins for the sale of posts at a nominal price be accepted.”

Resolved on the proposition of Capt. D. Thomas and seconded by Dr. Powell J. P. that Mr. Dan Davies be made responsible for the painting and renovating of the seats before putting them in their places for the coming season.

It was decided to open the Putting Green for play on Easter Monday.

Mr. W. J. Evans moved “that pressure be brought upon the Postal Authorities for a Sunday Dispatch of Mails. Seconded by Dr. Powell J. P. and carried unanimously.

D. James Chairman Apl 18th 1935

Mr. Dd. James Chairman presided over a special meeting of the Council on Thursday 18th April 1935 at 7.30pm, the following members being present: Dr. T. W. W. Powell J. P. Captains D. Thomas, J. James and J. Jenkins, Rev. D. J. Evans, Messrs. J. T. Davies, Daniel Davies, F. Evans, F. O. Bradshaw, D. S. Davies, Simon Jones and D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The sub-committee of the care of the Welfare Park reported that they had resolved that there was no necessity for erecting palings around the Putting Green this year – the report was adopted.

The Secretary reported that he had been officially informed that a collection of letters from Aberporth on Sunday was inaugurated on Sunday April 14th 1935.

The Rector moved “that a letter of thanks be sent the Head Postmaster at Cardigan and the Postal Authorities

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for their kindness in granting the village this facility” seconded by Mr. D. S. Davies and carried unanimously.

It was decided that the question of the date of formally opening the Putting Green be left in the hands of the Sub Committee.

Trip: Resolved that Mr. J. T. Davies and the Secretary make enquiries re cost of trip, and report at the next meeting.

It was decided unanimously to cancel the kind offer of Capt. Jenkins to supply posts at nominal cost for erection, so as to strengthen the railings around the Putting Green.

The Chairman reported that damage had been done to the Councils’ property by Capt. Davies Neuaddwen by deliberately removing the fencing between the Park and the Putting Green.

The Rector moved that the following letter be sent Capt. D. Davies. The

letter to be registered.

“it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Welfare Council that under your instructions the Council’s property on the Welfare Park has been deliberately damaged.

This is to give you notice that unless the damage is made good by five o’clock on Tuesday next Apr 23 the Council will put the matter in the hands of its solicitor.”

This was seconded by Mr. D. S. Davies and carried unanimously.

On the proposition of the Rector and seconded by Mr. J. T. Davies it was resolved that the Chairman and Dr. Powell J. P. be given plenary powers after consultation with the solicitor to act on the instructions of the solicitor if the letter would be ignored by Capt. D. Davies.

D. James Chairman June 1st 1935.

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June 1st 1935

Mr. D. James Chairman presided over a Council meeting on Saturday 1st June 1935.

Present: Captains J. Jenkins & J. James and D. Thomas, Dr Powell. J. P. Rev. D. J. Evans, Dan Davies, W. J. Evans, Simon Jones, J. T. Davies and D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the last meeting were signed.

Dr. Powell reported that the damaged fencing to the \putting \green had been replaced satisfactorily. It was decided unanimously that no further action be taken in the matter.

A letter was read from Mrs. E. B. Evans thanking the Council for their expression of sympathy in sending a wreath in memory of the late E. B. Evans Esq. Solicitor, Cardigan. It was decided that each member contribute 1/- towards the cost of the wreath.

Mr. J. T. Davies proposed and the Rector seconded “that a Committee of three be appointed to go thoroughly into the ways and means of making the Green a paying proposition and a more popular game with visitors and villagers alike. The following were appointed: Chairman, Rector, Messrs. J. T. Davies, W. J. Evans. These were given plenary to put into practice any suggestions agreed to by them.

The 1st meeting of this ~~meeting~~ Committee was fixed for June 3rd at 5pm.

A bill of 15/- for golf balls was passed for payment.

Resolved to sell the disused gate on the Park to Mr. Dan Davies for the sum of 2/6.

Resolved that deck chairs be used on the Putting Green during Tournaments at 2d each.

Dr. Powell J. P. proposed that a trip

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for the Councillors be arranged for June 20th seconded by Mr. W. J. Evans and carried unanimously.

It was finally decided that a Circular Trip of Pembrokeshire be taken, the route of which was left to be mapped out by the four members appointed to deal with the Putting Green improvements. Nine members indicated their willingness to join in the trip around Pembrokeshire.

D. James Chairman Dec 5/35

Mr. D. James Chairman presided over a meeting of the Council on Thursday 5th Dec 1935 at 7.30pm.

Present: Dr. Powell J. P. Rev. D. J. Evans, Captains J. James & J. Jenkins, Messrs. Fred Evans, F. O. Bradshaw, W. J. Evans, Dan Davies, J. T. Davies & D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and signed.

Mr. Dan Davies paid 2/6 for the gate purchased. Mr. F. O. Bradshaw and Mr. Fred Evans paid 1/- each towards wreath of the late Mrs. Robertshaw of Cardiff.

The Sec. read the Balance Sheet for the season 1935 of the Putting Green. The takings amounted to £13:5: and expenditure on green was £5:9:1. Commission due to Caretaker was £3:6:3 plus a bill of 2/3 for labour. Mr. W. J. Evans moved the above sum of £3:8:6 be paid. Carried.

Resolved on the motion of Mr. W. J. Evans seconded by the Rector that the following bills be also passed for payment:

1. Hardware Stores 6/- for sharpening the knife of the mower.
2. Mr. J. James, Parcllwyd for cartage of seats.

The question of the needs of the newly formed Young Peoples Club in the village was fully

discussed.

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and it was resolved in the proposition of Mr. W. J. Evans and seconded by the Rector that a letter be sent the Building Hall Committee to meet a deputation from the Club to discuss any suggestions that should like to bring forward for recreative purposes of the young of the village.

The Annual meeting was fixed for January 29th 1936.

The auditors for the Balance Sheet were appointed viz.

Mr. Jones Rose Villa

Mr. Davies Claremont

The Secretary was asked to write to the area managers of the Crosville & Western Welsh Omnibus Companies.

1. Crosville: re altering route of 9am bus and relief buses during the summer season.
2. Western Welsh: re daily run of buses to “the Ship” side of the village.

The people of Parcllyn wrote

Asking the Council to support the in an application to the Post Office Authorities of opening a sub-Post Office at that hamlet. It was resolved that the Council support them in every way possible and the Secretary was authorized to write a letter to the Head Postmaster at Cardigan.

D. James Chairman Feb 5/36

The annual meeting of the Council was held at the Village Hall on Wed 29th January 1936 at 7pm. Mr. D. James Glanmordy presided over a fair attendance.

The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and on the motion of Dr. Powell J. P. and seconded by Mr. F. O. Bradshaw were ordered to be signed.

A vote of confidence was moved the

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Rector in his bereavement by the Chairman the motion was carried in silence all standing.

The Secretary read the statement of accounts for the year ending Dec 31st 1936. The total receipts for the year were £27:10s:11d. and the total expenditure amounted to £14:6:11 leaving a Balance of £13:4:0. The accounts had been duly audited by Mr. J. A. Davies of Rose Villa and Mr. John Davies “Claremont”, Aberporth.

Dr. Powell J. P. moved that the accounts be passed, this was seconded by Miss Nina George and carried unanimously.

Election of 5 members

As Mr. Fred Evans Chemist did not seek re-election Dr. Powell J. P. proposed that the other 4 old members viz

Mr. Simon Jones Craigymor

Capt. J. James Hirwaun House

Mr. D. S. Davies Treview

Mr. D. James Glanmordy

be re-elected seconded by Capt. D. Thomas and carried unanimously.

The following were nominated for the other vacant seat:

Mr. William Brown Porth House

Mr. J. A. Jones Rose Villa

Capt. Tam Jenkins

Mr. John Davies Claremont

The election was by ballot and resulted in the election of Mr. Jones Rose Villa, Aberporth. The tellers for the election being Messrs. Dan Davies “The Mill” and Mr. W. J. Davies Treview, Aberporth.

A very hearty vote of thanks was passed the two auditors for their work.

Miss Nina George was warmly thanked for her splendid work in connection with the Putting Green in organizing the Tournaments. Capt. J. Jenkins had again so kindly undertook the work for the storage of the village seats, and he was heartily thanked for his labour of love.

J. James Chairman Feb 3rd 1937

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Mr. D. James Chairman presided over a Council meeting on Wednesday 5th Feb 1936 at 7.30pm. other members present were: Dr. T. W. W. Powell J. P. Rev D. J. Evans B. D. T. G. James, F. O. Bradshaw, J. A. James, W. J. Evans a& D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the last meeting were adopted.

Chairman for Year: Three members were nominated for Chairman viz: Capt. James, Messrs. F. O. Bradshaw & D. S. Davies.

In the first ballot Capt. J. James and Mr. D. S. Davies tied with an equal number of votes. The result of the second poll was that Capt. J. James was elected subject to his accepting office as Chairman. On the proposition of Mr. J. A. Jones seconded by Mr. W. J. Evans, Mr. D. S. Davies was unanimously appointed V. Chairman for the ensuing year.

Mr. T. G. James and Mr. D. J. L. Thomas were re-appointed Treasurer and Secretary respectively.

Owing to the absence of Capt. J. James, Mr. D. James continued as Chairman for

this meeting.

The Secretary read replies to letters sent the Crosville and Western Welsh Omnibus Companies which were considered fairly favourable.

Suggestions were discussed to try and improve the popularity of miniature golf on the Putting Green during the coming season. Mr. J. Evans Ship Hotel, very kindly promised a cup for competition during the next season. He, in the proposition of Dr. Powell J. P. was warmly thanked for his sporting offer and the very keen interest he always takes in the work of the Welfare Council. The whole question of the Green was deferred to the next meeting.

Mr. W. J. Evans proposed “that the old village hurricane lamps and glass containers be offered for sale privately – lamps to be

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sold for 1/6 and glass containers for 2/-. Seconded by Mr. D. S. Davies and carried unanimously.

Mr. J. A. Jones moved that an honorarium of £3 be again this year given the Secretary – seconded by Mr. T. G. James and carried.

The Secretary thanked the Council for their practical appreciation of his work.

D. James Chairman May 5/36

A meeting of the Welfare Council was held on Tuesday 5thg May 1936 at 7.30pm. Present: Captains J. James, D. Thomas & J. Jenkins, Dr. T. W. W. Powell J. P., Rev. D. J. Evans B. A., Messrs. D. James, W. J. Evans, J. A. Jones, T. G. James, J. T. Davies & D. J. L. Thomas.

Mr. D. James occupied the chair for the preliminary business.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

Mr. D. James before vacating the Chair for the new Chairman warmly thanked the members for their loyalty and kindness extended to him during his two years of office as Chairman. Mr. John Davies Barry House proposed a hearty vote of thanks to Mr. James for the excellent way in which he had carried out the duties of the Chair during his term of office.

Mr. T. G. James seconded the proposition which was carried unanimously.

Capt. J. James in accepting office as Chairman thanked the Council for the honour they had bestowed upon him and said that he hoped they would give him their full co-operation and help during his tenure of office.

It was decided to send the

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village lamps, containers and ladder to be sold at the Village Hall Fete to be held in July next.

Putting Green:

The following Working Committee were appointed to deal with the work in connection with the Green and Park: Capt. J. James, Messrs. D. James, T. G. James, J. T. Davies and J. A. Jones.

Plenary powers were given the above Committee to improve the boundary between Park and Green by erecting new posts and wire netting. Dr. Powell J. P. very kindly promised to give some additional wire netting if needed to complete the work satisfactorily. The Committee were also asked to get the Green into condition for playing by Whitsuntide and they were also empowered to deal with the two broken seats at present lying derelict on the cliff path.

Dr. Powell, Rector and Mr. W. J. Evans were appointed to formulate a scheme for the Villagers’ Cup Competition and to report at the next meeting., which was fixed for Monday 18th May at 7.30pm.

A letter was read from the Sect. of the local Branch of the Women’s Institute to accompany them on their trip, no action was taken and the Secretary was asked to write and thank them for their kind invitation.

It was reported that the sum of 6d annual rent of a post in the Welfare Park had been received from the West Cambrian Electric Company.

The Chairman, Capt. Jenkins and Mr. W. J. Evans were asked to inspect stream underneath the Post Office to see if anything can be done to improve the fording of the stream by pedestrians – and report at the next meeting.

J. James Chairman May 18th 1936

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Capt. J. James Chairman presided over a meeting of the Council on Monday May 18th 1936 at 7.30pm.

Present: Capt. Jenkins, Rector, Dr. Powell J. P., Messrs. D. James, J. A. Jones, W. J. Evans & D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

It was decided that the Sub Committee deal with the question of improving the fording of the stream that crossed the beach.

The scheme drawn up by a Sub-Committee of the rules and conditions fort the “Thomas Plas” Putting Green Cup Competition was adopted.

It was also unanimously decided to purchase a cup for competition, for the Visitors, and the cup to be known as the Visitors Putting Green Tournament Cup. The purchase of the cup and the rules for competition were left in the hands of Dr. Powell J. P.

Resolved to officially open the Green for play on Tuesday June 2nd at 4.30pm. Mrs. Evans the Ship Hotel to be kindly invited to perform the opening ceremony.

On the proposition of Mr. D. James, it was unanimously decided to leave the painting and repair of the Public Shelter ~~be left~~ in the hands of the Chairman and Mr. J. A. Jones.

Dr. Powell proposed that a bill for the sum of £2:5 repair of seats and painting by Mr. Dan Davies be passed for payment – this was seconded by Mr. D. James and carried.

J. James Chairman July 20th 1936

Capt. J. James, Chairman, presided over a meeting of the Council on Monday 20th July 1936 at 7.30pm – present Rector

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Dr. T. W. W. Powell J. P., Messrs. D. James, J. A. Jones, Dan Davies, Simon Jones, T. G. James, J. T. Davies & D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the last meeting were confirmed.

It was decided that the question of providing facilities for fording the stream running across the beach be left in abeyance.

Decided that the “Thomas Plas” Challenge Putting Green Cup be played for by the ~~visitors~~ villagers on Aug 6th – play to commence at 9.30am.

Dr. Powell was authorized to buy a Cup for competition among the visitors – purchase price to be 10/6. Competition for this Cup to be held on Dydd Iau Bach – time of play to be fixed later.

Mr. D. A. Jones very kindly promised to see about the posters.

Resolved to employ Mr. Dai Thomas to cut the grass of the Park and Putting Green – work to be carried out immediately.

It was decided unanimously to sell the deck chairs at 2/- each with an option to hire if not sold.

Extra Mural Lectures

The Rector moved that the Lectures in Social Geography be held this winter under the auspices of the Welfare Council, and that the Secretary make arrangements for holding the same – seconded by Mr. J. A. Jones and carried.

Mr. J. T. Davies moved that Lectures on Horticulture be given also during the winter session – carried. The Secretary was asked to make an application for these Lectures to Lampeter.

J. James Chairman Sept 8th 1936

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Capt. J. James, Chairman, presided over a meeting of the Council, Tuesday Sept 8th 1936 at 7.30pm.

Members present: Rev. D. J. Evans B. A., Dr. Powell J. P., Messrs. D. James, Simon Jones & D. J. L. Thomas.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

Mr. D. James reported that he had sold a good number of the deck chairs there were in good repair. He was warmly thanked for the work he had done in disposing of the chairs.

Final arrangements were made for organizing the Horticultural Lectures to be held in November next.

It was decided unanimously to fix ~~Saturday~~ Wednesday Sept 16th as the date for playing off

the Putting Green Tournament for the Thomas Plas Challenge Cup - play to commence at 4pm. It was also resolved that in the event of the postponement of the game on Wednesday due to bad weather, the tournament should be held on Saturday Sept 19th at 4pm. The entrance fee for players was finally fixed at 6d each.

A bill for £1:13 payable to David Thomas for mowing the grass on the Welfare Park was passed for payment.

J. James Chairman Dec 23rd 1936

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General Meeting Jan 1933

Dr. T. W. W. Powell J. P. presided over the Annual General Meeting of the Council Thurs. Jan26th 1933 at 7pm. – there was a record attendance.

The minutes of the previous meeting were signed and adopted.

The Rev. O. J. Robinson lodges a protest that the meeting was not in keeping with its constitutional rules. The Chairman rules that the meeting was carried out according to revised rules and business proceeded.

The Secretary read the Balance Sheet for the year ending 31 Dec 1932 which showed a Balance ~~Sheet~~ of £26:11:9. The accounts had been duly audited by Mr. D. Evans B. A. Ivy & Capt. J. Waves Steppes, Capt. G. Thomas “White House” and Mr. E. Isaac Frondeg were elected tellers for the election.

Fifteen candidates were nominated for the 6 vacant seats and the

following elected:

1. Mr. Fred Evans, Chemist, Aberporth I
2. Capt. J. James Hirwaun Hse do. I
3. Mr. Simon Jones Craigymor do. I 3 yrs.
4. Mr. D. James Glanmordy do. I
5. Mr. D. S. Davies Treview do. I
6. Mr. John Bowen Maesymeillwn do. I 2 yrs.

Resolved on the motion of the Rev. E. D. Evans that representatives of the Press be asked to be present at the Council meetings – carried.

Votes of thanks were passed to

1. The two auditors
2. The two tellers
3. The Chairmen.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman

The Annual meeting of the Welfare Council was held at the Schoolroom on Thursday 25th January 1934 at 7pm. Dr. T. W. W. Powell J. P. presided. There was a record attendance, the room being crowded. The minutes of the last annual meeting were read

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and signed. The Secretary read the Balance Sheet of 1933 which had been duly audited. The statement of accounts were in a healthy condition and showed a balance in the right direction to the sum of £20:14:2.

Election of 5 members

Mr. D. James Glanmordy moved “that the five outgoing members be re-elected en bloc – seconded by Capt. D. Thomas, as there was no amendment the five members were unanimously elected for 3 years. The members being:

1. Dr. T. W. W. Powell J. P. “The Moorings”
2. Rev. D. J. Evans R. D. “The Rectory”
3. Mr. T. G. James, “Avalon”
4. Mr. T. J. Davies Barry House
5. Mr. D. J. L. Thomas School House

Votes of thanks were passed the two auditors of the accounts viz. Capt. J. Davies “The Steppes” and Capt. J. Davies “Morawel”

D. James Chairman Febry 20/35

General Meeting 1935

The annual meeting was held at the Village Hall on Wednesday the 20th of February 1935 at 7.30pm. Mr. D. James presided. The attendance was fairly good.

The minutes of the 1934 general meeting were read, & on the proposition of the Rectot seconded by Dr. Powell were authorized to be signed.

The Secretary read the Balance Sheet for the year ending 31st December 1934 which showed a balance on the right side to the sum of £13:11:5. Dr. Powell J. P. moved “that the accounts be passed this was seconded by Miss Nina George, and carried unanimously.

The Rector moved a vote of thanks to Miss Nina George, for the splendid services she had rendered the Council during the

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seasons of 1933 & 1934, in organizing tournaments on the Putting Green, which brought in a good revenue towards the Council’s Funds. The Rector also coupled in his vote the name of Capt. J. Jenkins Brohehyn, who always did his best for the Council and also stowed the village seats gratis every winter. This was seconded by Mr. J. T. Davies, and carried unanimously.

The following were duly nominated for the 5 vacant seats on the Council:

1. Capt. J. Jenkins “Brohedyn”
2. Capt. D. Thomas “Penmorfa”
3. Mr. W. J. Evans “The Ship”
4. Mr. F. O. Bradshaw “The White Lion”
5. Mr. Dan Davies “The Mill”

As no other nominations were handed in the Rev. O. J. Robinson proposed that the five be elected to serve on the Council for the next

3 years, this was seconded by the Rev. D. J. Evans and carried unanimously.

The Chairman moved a hearty vote of thanks to the two auditors viz. Messrs. T. Gwyn Thomas “Ynyswen” and J. Davies Claremont: seconded by Mr. F. O. Bradshaw, and carried unanimously.

A hearty vote of thanks was passed the Chairman moved by Dr. T. W. W. Powell J. P. and carried with acclamation. The Chairman suitably responded.

D. James Chairman Jany 29/36

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Rector Capt. J. Jenkins Capt. James

T. G. James Mr. W. J. Evans Simon Jones

J. T. Davies Mr. F. O. Bradshaw D. S. Davies

D. J. L. Thomas Mr. Daniel Davies Jones

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Reports of Sub Committees

Dan Davies to be given the contract od supplying 11 concrete blocks for 10/- each. No tender was received for this contract.

Report re completion of purchase of Welfare Park. The following was passed unanimously.

1. Payment to Capt. Davies immediately the sum of £120 and all arrangements to be

made forthwith for the immediate settlement of the transaction as soon as cheque from Capt. Jenkins was received – all efforts to be made to get the deeds made with Mr. E. B. Evans Esq. Solicitor as soon as possible.

Rev D. J. Evans very kindly promised to undertake the responsibility of obtaining the Llanfair Ollwyn Dramatic Company to perform for the Welfare

Council on Wednesday May 15th 1929.

The need for the immediate action of the Council to see to steps and suitable seating in the Park.

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Report of General Meeting 1931

The Public Meeting for the election of fifteen members to form the Welfare Council for the year 1931 was held at the Schoolroom on Feb 12th 1931. There was a good attendance – a feature of which was the increased attendance of women. Mr. Davies Barry House occupied the Chair. P.C. Evans “Vaughan” and Capt. James “Avalon” were appointed tellers for the election which was by Ballot. 30 persons were nominated for 15 seats.

The following were duly elected.

For 3 years For 2 years For 1 year

Dr. Powell (24) Capt. J. Jenkins (21) Capt. D. Thomas (18)

Rev. D. J.. Evans (23) Fred Evans (21) J. Daniel Lloyd

Dan Rees (15)

T. G. James (24) David James (21) F. O. Bradshaw

Johny Bowen (14)

J. T. Davies (23) Simon Jones (20) Ben Waters

Dan Davies (13)

D. J. L. Thomas (22) David Edwards (19) G. Davies-Jones (12)

A vote of thanks was passed to the two” tellers” by the Rector – this was carried.- and after a vote of thanks to the Chairman the meeting was closed.

John T Davies Chairman March 5 1931.

General Meeting 1932

The annual general meeting of the Council was held at the Schoolroom on Thursday evening Jan 28th 1932 at 7pm. There was a fairly good attendance. Mr. Davies Barry House, Chairman of the meeting ~~addressed~~ gave an address in which he reviewed the Council’s work during the past year, which he said was on the whole very satisfactory.

Capt. D. O. Jones, Ardwyn, who together with Mr. D. Evans B. A. Ivy Cottage ~~who~~ had audited the accounts for the year read the Balance Sheet which showed a Balance of £13:11:4 on the right side. He pointed out that all efforts should be made during the coming year to increase the Funds of the Council.

Out of a large number of nominations

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The following were elected by Ballot to serve on the Council for 3 years.

1. Capt. D. Thomas “Penmorfa”, Aberporth
2. Mr. Ben Walters, Grocer, Aberporth
3. Mr. F. O. Bradshaw, White Lion, Aberporth
4. Mr. G. Davies-Jones, Troedyrhiw, do.
5. Mr. J. Daniel Lloyd, Dolwen do.

A very hearty vote of thanks was passed to the two auditors viz. Capt. D. O. Jones “Ardwyn” and Mr. Evans “Ivy” Aberporth and the two tellers for the election in the persons of P. C. Evans Vaughn and Capt. James of Avalon.

T. W. W. Powell Chairman Jan 26 1933

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Report of a Public Meeting held at the Coronation Hall Aberporth re the purchase of a plot of land named “Morfa Las”

Well-wishers of Aberporth, and those interested in the preservation of its many unspoiled beauty spots, will be interested to learn that at a public meeting called by Aberporth Welfare Council, and held in the Coronation hall, on Thursday Sept27 1928, it was disclosed that the Welfare Council had taken the bold step of preserving, by purchase, to the public, the field and foreshore known as “Morfa Las”.

The Rev. O. J. Robinson, Chairman of the Welfare Council, ably explained the work and objects of the Council and its difficulties as a body acting without legal status and a plentitude of funds.

The Council said Mr. Robinson had ventured to purchase this plot of land and foreshore in order to preserve to the village and

public users generally, and for all time, a popular part of the beach. The field was in danger of being built upon, and this prompt action had prevented this.

The question, continued Mr. Robinson, was one of money. Capt. Jenkins, Cardiff, the President of the Council had made a very generous offer of giving £1 for every Pound collected on condition that the fund in the Council’s hands earmarked for various improvements was not to be raided. Needless to say, the offer had been accepted.

The Rev. D. J. Evans the rector of the Parish, appealed for support from all interested, and expressed sentiments that were approved by all present. He asked everyone to remember the danger of children playing on the roads, and of the blessings that this open space would provide for one and all.

Mr. Davies, Barry Hse, briefly expressed his earnest desire to help; and his

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great pleasure at the step taken.

Mr. J. Gwendraeth James C. M. Aberporth, pointed out the necessity of public trusteeship and urged that there must be no doubt or danger of the property ever being anything but wholly and absolutely public. On being reassured that such would be the case he concluded with a generous public-spirited offer that met with whole-hearted applause. If his example were followed Aberporth would soon be able to offer amenities unequalled on this part of the coast.

The Rev. E. W. Evans vicar of Tremain, briefly expressed his support and interest. Captains J. D. Thomas and S. Jenkins, Mr. Davies Barry Hse and the Rev. O. J. Robinson were appointed collectors. After discussion it was unanimously resolved to name the space “tirlas”.

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