

LYNDEBOROUGH HERITAGE COMMISSION

Friday, April 26, 2019, Tarbell Library

Present: Jessie Salisbury, Bob Rogers, Walter Holt, and Selectman Mark Chamberlain.

7 p.m. Jessie opened the meeting.

Minutes of March 22, were approved on a motion by Mark, seconded by Bob.

The treasurer's report showed a balance on March 31 of \$3,691.99

There were four intent-to-cut forms, three by Tom and Ginny Chrisenton, one by Frank Deland, none of concern to the commission

SHOW AND TELL

Jessie had an obituary for Janet (Atherton) Snow who died on April 20. She was the daughter of Katherine Bremner and Blaylock Atherton. Katherine's parents built the stone-porched house on Johnson's Corner Road sometime between 1905 and 1920. Atherton was our acting governor in 1952-53 following the resignation of Gov. Sherman Adams.

More research will be done on the house for the Old House Project.

Bob brought color print-outs of his Turnpike and Mountain Road entries in the Old House Project.

MORISON DEMOLITION PERMIT

The permit was issued to demolish a small building on Baldwin Hill Road. It was built by carpenter Roger Tuttle in the late 1940s and used as a workshop. Tuttle lived in a house across the road that no longer exists.

TOWN HALL ANTE ROOM STEPS

Russ said the project is on his list and will be overseen by Leo Trudeau.

COMMON REPAIRS

Winter damage included a part of the picket fence knocked over and a side of one of the benches sunk by frost. Both have been repaired by the town. The common will be readied for Memorial Day as usual as weather permits.

It was suggested that a granite curbing would keep people from driving over the brick railroad foundations, thus marking the end of the parking lot, and a flower garden could be added between the curbing and the bricks.

It was agreed that a picnic table between Putnam Hill Road and the railroad tracks might encourage people to stop there for lunch. No one wanted one on the common itself.

Russ has said there is \$200 available for the common, which could be used for the curbing.

DECORATIVE FENCE FOR BEHIND THE MONUMENTS

This item was postponed until Stephanie returns.

CLARK POTTERY SIGN UPDATE

The sign will be installed when weather and town road projects permit.

Clayton, Mark Chase and the landowner will decide on the location.

Stephanie will purchase and paint the posts.

HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION ANNUAL MEETING

Because of the closure for the rebuilding of Center Road, the annual meeting will be planned for prior to the meeting on June 21 when the commission meetings will return to Center Hall.

OTHER BUSINESS

There was no other business,

The next meeting is Friday, May 24, at the library.

The meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

Clerk

