

KPM19510409

9th April 1951

A Special & the Annual Assembly of the Parish Meeting was held in the Institute on the above date at 8 pm pursuant to notice.

The minutes of the last annual & of a Special Meeting were read and confirmed.

Election of Chairman

It was proposed by Mrs Williams & seconded by the Rev^d B Scholfield that Mr A. M. Robinson be reelected Chairman for the ensuing. This was carried unanimously.

Electricity

The Chairman stated the present position, which had not materially altered since the reference made in the last Annual Meeting.

Kentmere Road

All parishioners present were agreed in complaining of the present state of the road, many pot holes were constantly appearing.

The Chairman said he would again bring the matter before the County Surveyor

Public footpaths & rights of way

The Chairman mentioned this matter & reported that he had secured large scale ordnance sheets to be marked with footpaths & rights of way.

The parishioners present seemed to consider the matter unimportant, as 'hikers' & other visitors seemed to disregard the question of rights altogether!

Civil Defence Corps

The Chairman said he was alarmed at the apathy & lack of volunteers for Air Raid Wardens & Special Constables.

He feared a war crisis would find the village quite unprepared. He would see the County & SWRDC officials again on the matter.

Evacuation

This matter was referred to & the general opinion of the meeting was that some outsider from Staveley, Kendal or elsewhere should be asked to interview householders. The Chairman said he would see Mr Ball of the SWRDC again on the matter.

A. Mackenzie Robinson