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7th March 1972

The Annual Assembly of the Parish Meeting was held at the Institute, pursuant to notice, on the above date at 7.30 p.m.

Before commencement of formal proceedings, the Meeting was addressed by Mrs Sonia Walshaw, member of the Westmorland County Council, on the subject of local government reform. Mrs Walshaw answered questions put by parishioners and a general discussion took place.

Present at the opening of the formal proceedings were the Chairman, Mr & Mrs Bayes, Mr & Mrs Black, Mrs Morton, Mrs Driscoll, Mrs Leyland, Mr Bialy, Mr Leonard Hayton and Mr Andrew Williams.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and approved.

It was proposed by Mr Leonard Hayton and seconded by Mr Andrew Williams that the present Chairman remain in office.

After a discussion of reclassification it was agreed that Footpath no.3 from Sawmill Cottage to Kentmere Hall be reclassified as proposed as a Bridleway. The proposal to reclassify the road no.239 and the road no.240. the Garburn and Longsleddale pass roads respectively as Bridleways instead of Public Roads used mainly as Footpath or Bridleway was not accepted by the Meeting which maintained that these rights of way should be described under the new nomenclature as Byways Open to All Traffic and the Chairman was instructed to write a suitable letter of objection to the Secretary of State for the Environment.

The Chairman was also instructed to write to the County Council to ask if a litter bin could be provided in the area sometimes used as a car park between the Church and the Institute, and the Telephone Manager about the untidy state of the building formerly used as the Kentmere Telephone Exchange.

The Minutes as approved: R. Pighills