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A Comm: meeting was held at Churchfield on Tuesday May 9<sup>th</sup>, when Mrs Drew presided. The mins of the last meeting were read confirmed & signed; The G.F.W.I. monthly letter was then read. Mrs Drew then said Mrs Bayfield had been in communication with her re, the shelter the W.I. were paying for at Rivermead, Mrs Drew said she understood it was proposed to put a red brick shelter instead of a wooden one now, & ask what we thought of this, The comm: were not in favour of this, but Mrs Aldridge said she would find out further particulars before we did anything about this.

There was a request from Mrs West of the vicarage, asking if she could borrow the W.I. china for her sale of work for the United Aid to China fund, It was unanimously agreed we suggested Mrs West lined the Hall China as our china is getting short! Mrs Aldridge proposed we should send £15 to Maj: Horsefield for the United Aid to China fund This was seen by Miss Head; Miss Chamberlain said we had sent the Vicar two donations for the School Rec: ground, 1<sup>st</sup> £16 from the Grange in March & 2<sup>nd</sup> £11-16-0 from April:

Salute Soldier week: It was agreed to do the same as we did for Victory week last year, that it should be discussed at the monthly meeting. Miss Chamberlain said she wished to thank all the W.I. members for their hard work in helping with the Land Army Benevolent Fund week.

Gloria Drew