

The Monthly Committee Meeting was held in the Parish Hall on the 11th February, Miss Chamberlain presiding.

Apology for absence An apology for absence was received from Miss Atkinson.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

Programmes Programmes for 1947 were given to Members of the Committee for distribution & it was agreed to place before the General Meeting the question of any charge being made for them.

Monthly Letter The Monthly Letter was read, also letters from Mrs Drew and the Polish Children Rescue Fund.

Entertainment Mr. H. Aldridge reported that there had been a Meeting of the Entertainment Committee resulting in a Bridge Drive & Whist Drive being organised, which had brought in a small profit - The Social Evening, however, had fallen through - Mr. H. Hutchings had consented to take over the Social Half Hour at the General Meetings.

Arch Meeting Birthday As the Institute would be celebrating its 21st Birthday in March, it was recommended to invite all ~~original~~ ^{those who were} Members of the Institute ^{when it was first started} to attend that Meeting - Mr. Lane undertook to make a Birthday Cake & it was agreed to ask Members at the General Meeting to contribute to the ingredients.

Grace Hadow book The Treasurer produced the book Grace Hadow which she had been able to purchase & this will, in time, be passed round to all Members for perusal.

New Members.

The following were elected as new Members: -
Mr^s Whittington, - proposed Mr^s Lane, seconded Miss Chamberlain
Miss Chamberlain - Miss Champion - Mr^s H. Aldridge.
Miss M. Kennedy - Mr^s Stubbs - Miss Chamberlain.

War Graves.

Mercury's Fete.

Trading Stall

It was agreed to put to the General Meeting the questions of caring for the War Graves, of re-establishing a band of Mercury's, & of arranging a Fete during the summer, and of having a Trading Stall every month when there is no Bring & Buy Stall.

Library

Canning Machine

It was ~~also~~ suggested that a W.I. Library might be arranged, and ^{also} a Canning Machine purchased - Both of these matters to be discussed at the General Meeting.

Group Meeting

Miss Chamberlain gave information with regard to the forthcoming Group Meeting, the final arrangements for which would be made at the March Meeting.

Signing on.

It was agreed that Members should sign the register at Monthly Meetings.

Doris Chamberlain

March 10th 1947.