

October 9th 1951

2 members were absent from the Committee meeting held in the Parish Hall on Tues. Sept. 24th; Mrs Paxman presided. The minutes of the last meeting were read & signed.

The monthly letter was read & discussed.

The Treasurer presented a statement of accounts & suggestions for ways of spending some of the money were put forward. A Bursary to Denman College was suggested also subscriptions to the Churchyard Fund, the Cancer Campaign & missions to Seamen. Money would also be spent on a party for the over 60's & our own Christmas party.

Handicraft: The Handicraft Secretary announced a Dressmaking class to commence on Jan 2nd & said that enquiries were being made for classes in Raffia & Linen Embroidery.

Tea-plates
The Tea hostess Mrs R. Lane was given permission to purchase 6 day Tea-Plates. Arrangements were made for the monthly meeting & Mrs H. Aldridge kindly gave a prize for the 1st draw. It was decided to again broach the subject of evening meetings.

Competition prizes
Mrs W. Aldridge, Mrs Pearson & Mrs Palmer promised to give prizes to the winners of the year's Competitions. The meeting agreed to purchase a book for the Library from Mrs Lane for 4/- It. The Secretary was asked to invite Mr Lichfield to be one of the Tellers for the Annual Ballot.

A new member was elected, Mrs Funge. On the suggestion of Mrs R. Lane a telegram was sent to H.M. Queen expressing concern at the illness of H.M. King & the hope of a speedy recovery.

It was unanimously agreed to purchase a Poppy wreath to be placed on the War Memorial.

China cupboard 2 members agreed to make an Inventory of the China cupboard. Ruth Paxman.