

Selectmen's Meeting, Monday, July 6, 1981

Present Paul Mercier, chairman, Katherine Ring, Leslie Mac Neil
Betty Shaw Secretary.

The selectmen met at 7:30 and signed checks, building permits and intent to cut.

It was agreed that in the future there will be a need for a committee for the U.S.S. Antrim. At this time Jane Hill, Peter Martel, and Paul Mercier were appointed as honorary committee members.

Knowing the great need for the library to have a new member the topic once again came up. After much discussion on the needs of the town a vote was taken. Two to one for Jane Miller. Next week, she will be signed in as the new member of the Trustee of the Library.

A member of the fire department came in to speak to the selectmen and ask what they can do to the building. He told what the firemen would like to see and the selectmen told him, that depending on just what the town receives from the insurance and what the department receives in donations will depend the extent of the repairs and changes on the North Branch fire station. All agreed that they were free to draw up designs and get estimates but the final decision will be made when it is known what money will be coming to finance the job.

Carolyn Straub of the Messinger arrived during the discussion on the fire dept.

George Cole gave a report on the amount of fill he has to date put in the tennis court. It is much more than he had been told would be needed. He will hold up until he hears from the rec. comm. (782 yds. instead of 270 yds)

Three property owners from Summer street were in to talk over the water problem since the sewer was installed. The ruts are getting so bad that they are a danger. George Cole agreed to look into it and do what he can to correct the problem and not wait for Pandellena to do the job since it was a danger.

It was agreed that all who have not sent in their inventories will receive a letter with the amount of penalty which will be added to their taxes if not received before the tax bill goes out.

George Cole was commended on the good job his crew of the clean up after the storm.

George will also take care of the hole on Gregg Lake Rd. and see th the clearing of the corners as soon as he can.

Mr McCollough had given the trucks the right of way to use his property to make the turns while the sewer was being installed. Now he would like the property to be put in its former condition since they have completed the installation.

Brian Brown was in to discuss Chris Josephs coming raise and the states over the board 9%. He was told to check at the beach to see that there are no floats being used and to speak to parents about having their tots

clothed as there are complaints about children running around without any covering. He was also told of dogs nipping at people on the beach. Back to Chris's raise no decision was made at this time.

Meeting broke up at 930.

*Mr. Jackson has notified selectment he was not building
an apartment in barn. ~~He~~*