Selectmen's Meeting, Monday, February 20, 1984

7:30 Meeting was called to order with the Pledge.
Present: John J. Jones, chairman, Katherine M. Ring, and Leslie MacNeil.

Brian Brown, police chief gave his weekly report. There have been a lot of problems with the College and Delli pubsl.

George Cole, Road agent said many of the Roads are getting washed out due to all the rain. Not much can be done at this time of year.

Brian and George spoke of the many Roads which could use stop signs, one of which was Old Hancock Rd/ Pleasant St. Brian will make a list of the needed signs and the police and road crew will work together to decide which are most important.

There have been quite a few people looking for work on the road crew. It was decided to hold off hiring until after the elections. George Sr. will give George Jr. a two week notice and he will then let the selectmen know when George Sr. will be leaving. Due to the early thaw a notice is to be put in the paper that all dirt roads are closed to heavy traffic. Proceed at own risk.

After speaking to the water commissioner Eric Tenney, the selectmen decided that when the Road crew does work that was connected to the sewer, the time will be paid by the sewer and water department.

There have been some problems with culverts at the White Birch Point bridge. Meeting with the State tomorrow on the Elm Ave. Bridge

Some corrections were found to be needed in the warrant and the financial statement. A call will be made to the printers and corrected copies of the pages will be dropped of tomorrow.

There will be a public hearing on the Budget and warrant items on Monday, March 5th. Notice to go into the Advertiser.

Bill Landley spoke to the selectmen about putting in a bridge on Gregg Lake Rd. by the small pond. Land is owned by the Town. K.Ring sees this as a danger due to the heavy summer traffic on Gregg Lake Rd. Lloyd asked if the land was of any value to the Town? Can the selectmen grant a ROW or sell property without the vote of the people? Lloyd was to look into the deeds and see what answers he can find for the selectmen. John wanted to know if there were no technical problems would the present selectmen grant a ROW. No decisions were made. The site would have to be checked before any decisions can be made.

At present there is a ROW over the dam to the property which is for sale. But Mr. Landley can see no way to get a car across there. K. Ring mentioned that when there was logging done on the property, the trucks came down Old Hancock Rd. and wanted to know why this route was not being checked out in place of going over the pond.

Selectmen discussed the positions of deputy tax collector and deputy town clerk.

meeting adjourned at 11:30