LYNDEBOROUGH HERITAGE COMMISSION

January 27, 2011, Tarbell Library

Members present: Bob Rogers, Jessie Salisbury, Lorraine Strube, and Jen Dumont.

Jen opened the meeting at 7:05 p.m.

The minutes of Dec. 23 were approved on a motion by Bob, seconded by Lorraine.

OLD BUSINESS

Stephanie has been unable to establish our checking account because she has been away on personal business. The record book and a check for \$90 from the town will be given to her as soon as possible.

NORTH CEMETERY

Bob reported that the Cemetery Trustees met with Seth Tompkins, representing Jason Curtis, the logger whose employee badly damaged some parts of the cemetery. Kate Thorndike was present representing the selectmen. Although no agreements were reached, the logging company is expected pay for repair or restoration of the broken grave monument, gate post and hitching post and return stones to the wall. Work will be done in the spring. The erring employee has been fired.

WRITING FOR TOWN REPORT

The theme of this year's report is historical preservation.

A picture of the new Town Pound gate will be submitted, ideally one with the horse kept there for a while during voting. (Nadine Preftakes will be asked for the picture). Kate asked for an article and pictures of the Village Church steeple being repaired and that has been provided.

ADDITION TO CITIZENS' HALL

There has been no additional information. It was agreed that the Commission is still left out of the loop when it comes to town buildings.

CENTER HALL WINDOW REPAIR

Selectmen are apparently still discussing repair only.

Andy Roeper has offered to continue the restoration for free as he has time.

OTHER

Jessie brought a scrapbook of mostly Lafayette Artillery Company memorabilia compiled by C. Henry Holt in the 1890s, given to her by former resident Barbara Center, to be put in an appropriate place. After Society members have looked at (and enjoyed) it, it will presented to the Artillery. The binding is in poor shape.

The meeting adjourned at 7:35 p.m.

Secretary