

SELECTMEN'S MEETING

April 1, 1976

A special meeting was called for 7:30 pm by the Selectmen to meet with the Police Chief, Hand-tub Asso. and the Playground Asso. Present were: Selectmen Roland Sallada, Thomas Mansfield and Oliver Andrews; secretary, Betty Hooper; "Gregg" Peirce, Mr. & Mrs. Byron Rollins, Mr. & Mrs. Roy Lowell, Gini Parss, Chief John Ballou and Officer Mark Walsh, and Robert Foote.

Robert Foote explained that a Hand-tub muster is tentatively scheduled for July 10 with a parade to begin about 10:00 am with the program running until dark. They would prefer to hold this function on August 7 on the 4-H grounds, but there is question about this date being available with the other Hand-tub Asso.

Jean Lowell explained the July 4 celebration will be held on July 4 sponsored by the Be-centennial Committee.

Primary interest in the reason for this meeting was, who is responsible for payment for police duty salary. John Ballou said it takes 7 police officers just to handle the parade.

It was agreed that the Town will pay the entire bill on the July 4 celebration.

Chief Ballou was especially interested in finding out what amount of police duty is involved in handling a muster since this is his first time on this type of performance.

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Dog Officer, Carolyn Strong, was called to ask her if she would be interested in canvassing the Town to get a list of dog owners, since the inventory does not contain dog ownership question this year. The Selectmen offered to pay her \$2.00 per hour plus mileage. She said she would give it some thought and get back to them soon.

Robert Thomas, who has built a new house on the Weare Road (Marsilia), came in with questions in regard to the building ordinance which was defeated at Town Meeting.

Cleaned up all business which had collected through the week. Paid bills.