

SELECTMEN'S MEETING

May 31, 1979

Present were Roland Sallada, Thomas Mansfield, Merrill Todd and Betty Hooper.

The Selectmen met at 7:00 pm with Town Counsel, David Nixon, for the purpose of seeking advise on how to handle the violations of Milton Elliott in regard to his ~~old~~ Gravel Removal permit. A letter will be written to Mr. Elliott to cease and desist all operation until a hearing can be held. This will be a public hearing with all abutters and complaintants notified by certified mail. The Selectmen will make a decision following the hearing whether to rescind Mr. Elliott's permit or allow it to continue.

Mr. Elliott will be requested to submit a report of yardage removed to date. It was considered writing to J. H. Cronin to confirm Mr. Elliott's report.

The Selectmen asked for advise on whether Mr. Elliott was subjected to a fine due to the unregistered cars he has accumulated on his property. Mr. Nixon advised that the Selectmen have the Junk Yard Ordinance to back up their actions. This meeting was adjourned.

Ten driveway permits were submitted by William Sears; 3 for Pedonnic Trust subdivision, 7 for Continuity Family Trust.

Charles H. Townes renewed 3 Gravel Removal permits and paid the \$30 fee under protest.k

Paul Buchanan, Andrew Gallagher and Sandra Fletcher came in to apply for a permit to hold an out-door Senior Class Graduation party on the Buchanan property, on June 16, rain date June 17 located on the Francestown Turnpike. Permission granted.

Mr. Garth Witty, road agent for Mt. Vernon asked if there would be an ordinance against operating a stone crusher in the Charles Townes gravel pit.

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He said the work day would be ~~5 days a week~~ 2 to 3 days in each of 2 pits; the hours being from 7:00 am to 5:00 pm. The Selectmen inquired about insurance. They were advised that this is the responsibility of the owner of the gravel pit, Dr. Townes and that ~~th~~ he carries coverage of \$300,000. The Selectmen elected to consider the situation and report back to the Selectmen's Office in Mt. Vernon.