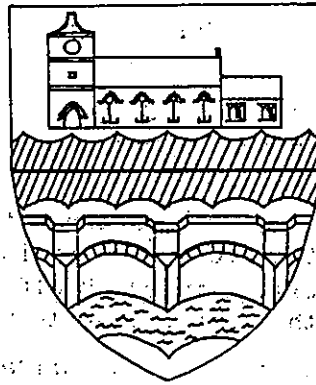


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TYNEDALE NOTES.

Dear Friends,

I have extracted from the Parish notes two pieces of interest to this community which have originated from discussion at Tynedale District Council. Between myself and the officers involved or Mr. Waite and the officer involved.

RATCLIFFE ROAD/CHURCH STREET. Back lane private road scheme.

At the Parish Council meeting on 26th June a member of the public requested a report on progress towards adoption of the wasting roadways.

Unfortunately, at that point in time I could only report that Tynedale District Council proposed to approach each interested party with a proposal in principle towards a full adoption.

On Friday 27th June I received a telephone call from T.D.C. requesting that I verified the Name and Addresses of all the parties who should be consulted in the matter of this adoption.

So now I am hopeful that those involved will, before this is printed, be in a position to send a reply to T.D.C. as soon as possible.

I will here make a personal request. Please reply even if your opinion is negative. Without this reply, Mr. Waite and myself cannot proceed in our attempt to have this road adopted so that eventually N.C.C. will forever more be responsible for its maintenance.

THE SCHOOL OF SPORT.

The Haydon Bridge School of Sport will be held from Monday 28th July to Friday 1st August 1986 inclusive.

This replaces the recent proposal to hold a School of Sport that week at the Wentworth Leisure Centre.

The Sports on offer will include table tennis, gymnastics, football, golf, netball, tennis, squash, basketball, badminton, cricket, karate and fishing.

A detailed timetable will be available soon.

The refurbishment of the play area at Greenwich Gardens will be discussed by myself with the Recreation and Amenities Officer with a view to putting forward the opinions of this village. Any future developments will be reported to the Parish Council and your good selves as soon as possible.

Best Wishes
Marion Howard.

We hope to have an August Issue this year. So please let me have all your contributions for the magazine by Sunday July 20th.

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To raise money to continue to publish this monthly publication The Friends of Haydon Bridge will hold
A . JAM AND JUMBLE SALE. on FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 19th 1986.

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BARBECUE AT ST. CUTHBERTS CHURCH HALL. Sat. July 19th.

PARISH COUNCIL PICKINGS.

Nine Councillors present. Councillor Waite has been unable to attend for some time owing to illness: those present expressed their hope for his early restoration to good health.

As so often roads in one form or another occupied a good deal of attention; in particular, a representation of the general public wanted to know why none of the procedures promised by Tynedale District Council aimed at securing some action to improve the Radcliffe Road back lane had been set in motion. No answer to this question was available, so the matter will be pursued again with the District.

The widening of the A69 at Lipwood also provoked some comments: why spend money there when the need is much greater at "Watson's Garage?" How is it that the work is being carried out by Tynedale District Council employees, when other minor road repairs are being neglected? Problems caused by running ground - water are reported on both sides of the river.

There were four planning applications. Two related to building a new dwelling house and to convert a barn into another one at or near Ivy Lea. A third house is projected to the East of Peelwell: the Council wondered whether there was suitable access to the site. They were also concerned about the noise which might emanate from a proposed joiner's shop behind Shaftoe Street.

The Northumberland County Council Planning Committee has turned down Settlingstones mines proposal on a whole catalogue of reasons - it would disturb an old mining site which is beginning to become reabsorbed into the landscape; it would damage woodland; there is not enough evidence that there is enough worthwhile matter to be extracted etc, etc.

The Chairman spoke about the "Emergency Relief Fund." when it was set up, not much thought was given to how it would operate after the people immediately concerned with it were no longer available to run it. He thought, therefore, that the time had come for the Parish Council to take it under its wing, to provide the administrative support, continuity of management, and also funding from the "discretionary two pence." The council went along with this idea, and the steps are to be taken to establish a formal constitution for the fund. At the moment, it has just about enough money to keep the bank account open.

There was some surprise that the Recreation Department at Tynedale are to refurbish the Greenwich Gardens play area, without any prior consultation with the Parish. The District will be asked to listen to the Parish Council's views before proceeding further.

A new shed at the cemetery has been tentatively priced at about £600. It was decided to seek competitive tenders.

Finally, there was a report that there are rubbish skips at Allendale, even though the amenity tip is still open: it was agreed to press again for a similar service in the village.

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DO NOT DROP LITTER.

It is gratifying that we started our anti-litter campaign about a year before the Prime Minister, after a visit to China, noticed that there was too much litter in Britain. It so happens that I was in Canada earlier this year and noticed that there was less litter in the whole of Toronto, Canada's largest City, than in Haydon Bridge.

I have the impression that there is slightly less litter on our streets than there used to be, although there is far too much, and we still have a very substantial litter problem. The anti-litter campaign which ran for about a year may have done a bit of good after all and the Friends of Haydon Bridge think it is worth renewing their efforts to stir the consciousness of the people to take litter home and not drop it on the street. Help is needed from everyone, so if you are a member of a group or club, please do bring the subject up at your next meeting. When you read this have a word with the rest of the family about it.

It is easy to say that children and young people are the main culprits, but children only do what they have learnt to do from their parents and elders. Nevertheless it is important to teach children that dropping litter is anti-social; they are the next generation. It is also, I believe, illegal, and I think the maximum fine for dropping litter is quite heavy.

The message is simple.

DO NOT DROP LITTER.

P.Sharp.

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BRITISH RED CROSS SOCIETY.

The house to house collection this year amounted to £182 . 19 an increase on last years collection.

At very short notice Miss. E.Shout took over the organisation due to my illness.

I would like to express my sincere thanks to her and to all the collectors, and to you all who donated so generously.

HILDA.J.FORTNER.

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PARISH CHURCH NOTES.

CHOIR MEMBERS WANTED. Any boys, girls, men or women, who would like to sing in the Parish Church Choir would be most welcome. If you are interested, please contact the vicar.

SPONSORED WALK.

Many thanks to all those who joined in our Sponsered Walk on Sunday 11th May and also to those who sponsered walkers.

When our Parish Church is open
I like to make a visit
So, when one day, I'm carried in
God will not ask "Who is it? "

STEEPLECHASE. 6th SEPTEMBER.

No - it isn't a horse race. - it is a "church crawl." Churches in the Newcastle and Durham dioceses will be taking part in this sponsered event, in which participants will visit as many churches as possible between 10am and 6pm. People may walk, cycle, drive - or even go on horse back.

Sponser money raised will be divided equally between the participants own church and the Northumbria Historic Churches Trust.

If you would like to take part in this event and can recruit some sponserers, the vicar will be pleased to furnish you with further details and sponserership form.

CHURCH HALL NOW OPEN.

St.Cuthbert's Church Hall has now recovered from it's leaking roof and associated problems and is now open for bookings again. If you wish to book the Hall for any event, contact Mrs.Marshall, 45 Strother Close, Tel. 454.

Many thanks to everyone who supported the Parish Church for it's Summer Fete and Gift Day. Over £1400 was raised.

KEITH FLETCHER.
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THE CALF PATH.

One day, through the primeval wood
A calf walked home, as good calves should
But made a trail all bent askew
A Crooked trail as all calves do.

Since then two hundred years have fled
And, I infer, the calf is dead
But still he left behind his trail
And thereby hanes my moral tale.

The trail was taken up next day
By a line dog that passed that way
And then a wise bell-wether sheep
Pursued the trail o'er vale and steep
And drew the flock behind him too
As good bell wethers always do.

And from that day o'er mill and glade
Through those old woods a path was made
And many men wound in and out
And dodged and turned and bent about
And uttered words of righteous wrath
Because 'twas such a crooked path
But still they followed - do not laugh -
The first migrations of that calf
And through this winding woodway stalked
Because he wobbled when he walked.

This forest path became a lane
That bent, and turned, and turned again
This crooked lane became a road
Where many a poor horse with his load
Toiled on beneath the burning sun
And travelled some three miles in one
And thus a century and a half
They trod the footsteps of that calf.

Each day a hundred thousand rout
Followed this zig zag calf about
and o'er crooked journey went
The traffic of a continent.

A moral lesson this might teach
Were I ordained and called to preach
For men are prone to go it blind
Along the calf paths of the mind
And wok away from sun to sun
To do what other men have done
They follow in the beaten track
And out and in and forth and back
To keep the path that others do
They keep the patch a sacred grove
Along which all their dives they move.

But how the wise old wood gods laugh
Who saw the first primeval calf
Ah: Many thigs this tale might teach
But I am not ardained to preach.

PARISH COUNCIL NOTES.

This was the Annual General Meeting, and Mr. Bates was again elected Chairman, with Mr. Dryden as Vice Chairman. Seven councillors attended plus Chairman and Secretary. Apologies were received from two members. Three members of the public were present, and among matters raised during public participation were problems caused by a blocked drain and deteriorating stonework at Spa Well. The council agreed to investigate.

From various items of correspondence it seems the English Estates have agreed to erect a sign prohibiting overnight parking in the factory yard. The bridge parapet is to be repaired in the near future, and Tynedale District are to monitor the tipping beside the Anchor Hotel.

The Texaco garage is becoming an eyesore, and the Company is to be approached to tidy the site and state their future intentions.

The problem caused by tricycle demonstrations behind Bowmans has been resolved, as these have been transferred to Henshaw.

There was a plea from one councillor to improve the look of the village for the benefit of visitors and those passing through. Suggestions included making flower beds on spare ground at the junction of the Alendale road and A69.

No one mentioned the recent anti-litter campaign.

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THE HEART MACHINE FUND.

It is now two years since the Heart Machine Fund was launched. The response was both generous and immediate.

The latest purchase being a Fetal heart detector costing £219. We have now decided to close the fund and the balance of £66 has been handed over to the doctor's to do with as they think necessary.

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A VISIT TO THE FESTIVAL HALL.

A work study officer's report on a recent visit to a concert at the Festival Hall.

- 1/ For considerable periods the four Oboe players had nothing to do. The number should be reduced and the work spread more evenly over the whole concert, thus eliminating peaks of activity.
- 2/ "All twelve violins were playing identical notes; this seems an unnecessary duplication. The staff of the section should be drastically cut. If a larger volume of sound is required it could be obtained by means of electronic apparatus.
- 3/ "Much effort was absorbed by the playing of demi-semi-quavers; It is recommended that all notes rounded up to the nearest semi-quaver. If this was done it would be possible to use trainees more extensively.
- 4/ There seems to much repetition of some musical passages. No useful purpose is served by repeating on the horns, a passage which has already been handled by the strings. It is estimated that if all redundant passages were eliminated the whole concert time of two hours could be reduced to 20 minutes. There would be no need for an interval halfway through.
- 5/ It was noted that the pianist was not only carrying out most of his work by two handed operation, but was also using both feet for pedal operation. Nevertheless, there were excessive reaches for some notes, and it is probable that redesign of the keyboard to bring all the notes within the normal working area would be of advantage to this operator.
- 6/ In many cases the operator's were using one hand to hold their instrument, whereas the use of a fixture would have rendered the idle hand available for other work.
- 7/ It was also noted that excessive effort was being used occasionally by the players of wind instruments, whereas one air compressor would supply adequate air for all instruments under more accurately controlled conditions.

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PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

PEELWELL REST HOME GARDEN PARTY.

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