

Weymouth Historical Society

Box 56

Weymouth, Massachusetts

02190



V6-#3
VS-73

Newsletter

February 1970

Dear Members and Friends:

We wish to bring to your attention some important changes and events coming up in our Society. It is most important that you know the goals of your Society and the laws that govern our proceedings. Therefore, we have made available at no charge, copies of our By-laws & Constitution for anyone desiring one. Write or call our Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. J. Holbrook Jewell, 15 Bald Eagle Rd., South Weymouth, and she will send it promptly to you.

At the February 18th meeting, a motion to make a Constitutional change was placed for consideration by Harry Belcher. It follows:-

Moved: That Article V of the Constitution of the Weymouth Historical Society now reading as follows:

"The Annual Meeting of the Society shall be held on the FIRST Monday in April of each year".

be changed to read:

"The Annual Meeting of the Society shall be held on the LAST Monday in April of each year".

It is to be noted that in accordance with Article VI, this motion will be voted on at the Annual Meeting in April and all members are there-by duly notified. Mr. Belcher, in defining the reasons for the proposed change cited the adoption of a conflicting date next year for the Town Meeting, which would draw on our membership and lessen our effectiveness at the Annual Meeting.

The Nominating Committee, Mr. Edward O'Rourke, Chairman, assisted by Miss Marion Belcher and Wilbur G. Tirrell, Esq., has returned its proposed slate of officers for the 1970-1971 season.

- President: Mr. John W. Benoit
- Vice Pres: Mr. James J. Palmieri
- Treasurer: (Mrs.) Eleanor Cormack
- Rec. Sec: (Mrs.) Jean Dawes
- Corr. Sec: (Mrs.) Jane Holbrook Jewell

Please ATTEND the ANNUAL DINNER and Business Meeting with a top-notch program climaxing it. Mrs. Bertha Warren's color slides, original commentary, etc., of Williamsburg, Va., entitled "FREEDOM'S FORGE" is something you don't want to miss.

The date: MONDAY APRIL 6th

You will be contacted by Supper Committee members for tickets sometime during March. Let's plan ahead and be there !!!

(over)

Don't forget there's still another fine program before April.....
Check you calendar!..... March 18th. We'll guarantee you a real
ZINGER! Marion Belcher's "AMERICANA - Yesterday & Today": some classic
pictures with a gift of gab to go with it! No Business meeting... so
come at 8 pm SHARP (Tufts Library)

We are glad to see that Past President, Lou Davis, is recuperating nicely
after a lengthy hospital confinement.

We welcome our new members and sincerely hope that they will enjoy
the programs and the good fellowship, and will involve themselves in the
projects concerning Holbrook House. for which we always need volunteer
help.

The Shoe Shop at Holbrook House has been moved to the right rear
of the property where it is visible from the double gate on Park Avenue.
It is ready to have a foundation put underneath it and to be shingled.

Any items of news concerning the Society and its members may be mailed to
the Newsletter Editor:- Mrs. Wilbur J. Kingwill. 80 Buttonwood Lane, Han-
over, 02339.

Retrospect:- What could have been more appropriate on a cold
winter's night, than the delicious buffet at the Jan-
uary meeting put on by Mrs. Evans??? Many Thanks. Laura!

Looking Ahead:-

Let's ALL get behind the new OFFICERS
next year and SUPPORT and PARTICIPATE
in Committee work when asked.
20 volunteers out of 120 is a poor
percentage to keep this Society moving:
Don't you agree???

