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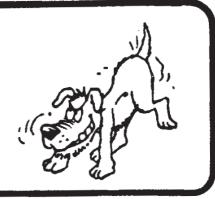
BY-PASS INQUIRY

A public inquiry into the plans for the A21 By-Pass will be held in the Village Hall on weekdays between November 1st and 11th. The inquiry will sit in the morning and afternoon and is open to any member of the public.

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WIEWPOINT



It is estimated that there is about one dog to every ten people in the United Kingdom.

If that proportion holds true in Pembury there must be between 600 and 700 dogs in the village, all of them with the need to satisfy the calls of nature. And it is this that causes periodic outbursts of anger among residents who ring up parish councillors and ask them what they propose to do about the disgusting state of the playing area of the recreation ground.

The answer is that the individual councillor can do nothing to prevent the fouling of grass—or of pavements for that matter. The Borough Council has bye-laws against the fouling of pavements by dogs and the parish council has a prominent notice at the entrance to the recreation ground ordering all dogs to be kept on a lead while they are there.

As anyone can testify, this doesn't prevent the presence of dog faeces on pavements and footpaths and on the grass in a recreation ground, as many an angry mother knows from bitter experience.

What, then, can be done? The observance of anti-fouling bye-laws depends entirely upon the goodwill and reasonable behaviour of dog-owners.

This problem has led to the formation of a Joint Advisory Committee on Pets in Society — JACOPIS for short — with peers of the realm as president and chairman and an M.P. as vice-chairman. JACOPIS doesn't favour swingeing fines for those whose pets offend. Instead it has drawn up a dog owners' code of practice for parks and public places.

There is nothing startling about the six points embodied in this code. They are what would occur to the majority of reasonable people.

They are:— Always read and observe the bye-laws and regulations applying to public parks and open spaces; even when your dog is off the lead, ensure that it is under control and doesn't interfere with other people, and keep it on the lead near sports pitches; encourage your dog to defecate at home or in a gutter when walking; don't allow your dog to foul sports pitches or areas round seats and if it does foul such an area, remove the mess; don't let your dog go into children's play areas or ornamental gardens, even on a lead; and finally don't let your dog go out on its own.

A counsel of perfection? Not really, especially in an area such as Pembury where there is plenty of open countryside. Like so many things in life, the solution to this problem lies in the exercise of ordinary good neighbourliness.

NEW RIES (I)

In July two members of the Parish Council resigned. They were Mr. Douglas Edwards, who has moved out of the village, and Mr. Adrian Stuart-Robson who resigned because of pressure of other work.

Mr. Edwards, who was co-opted two years to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Brian Walsh, was vice-chairman of the council's Finance Committee. Mr. Stuart-Robson was the hard-working chairman of the Highways Committee which has an oversight of street lighting and the upkeep of public footpaths. He played a leading part in the formation of the successful Pembury Footpath Walkers, a body which ensures that the parish footpaths are well-used and maintained.

Two applications only were received for the vacancies and the two applicants have been co-opted to serve on the council. They are Mrs. Hildy Swinden of 6 Church Road, formerly one of Pembury's representatives on the Borough Council and the village W.R.V.S. representative and who was formerly a teacher at the primary school, and Mrs. Freda Marsh of 45 Woodhill Park. Mrs. Marsh, mother of three young children, is also the village correspondent for the Kent Messenger.

Dr. Dorrit Waterfield

The late Dr. Dorrit Waterfield, who died in April, was known to many Pembury residents as a seemingly tireless doctor and a good friend whose interest in them went far beyond the purely medical field.

She was one of the founders of the Tunbridge Wells Samaritans and was at one time their director and her work among drug addicts, alcoholics and other drop outs from society was almost legendary.

In the weeks following her death it became evident that there was a feeling in Pembury that her work and personality should be commemorated in some tangible form. At its meeting in July the Parish Council decided that it would support any plan to set up a memorial appeal. Accordingly a public meeting will be held at the Village Hall at 8 p.m. on 7th October at which it is hoped suggestions will be made as to what form a memorial should take and a decision made to elect a small committee to administer the appeal fund.

Already several suggestions have been made as to what would constitute a fitting memorial to Dr. Waterfield. If you cannot come to the meeting but have ideas on this, please let the Editor of the Newsletter have your views. The address is 37 Highfield Close and the telephone number is Pembury 2439.

IT WAS A SUCCESSFUL FÊTE!!

Revived after a year's lapse, and under new management, Pembury Village Fete, held on the Recreation Ground on July 17th, was a resounding success.

Organised by the local Scout and Guide Groups it took over £1,500 and it is estimated that profits will amount to around £1,250. This will be the foundation of the building fund for a new Scout and Guide headquarters which the groups plan to build on the Woodside Recreation Ground.

Favoured by fine weather the Fete was visited by about 2,800 people. It began with a procession from the Village Green to the Recreation Ground, headed by the Tunbridge Wells Youth Band and Majorettes. In the procession were children riding ponies from the Wellgrove Riding School, costumed children of the Amberside School of Dancing, the Pembury May Queen, Lois Wigley, and Guides, Scouts, Brownies and Cubs.

In addition to a large number of stalls and sideshows there were displays by the Amberside School of Dancing, the Seven Champions Morris Dancers, the Bushido Judokhan judo display team and a Punch and Judy Show. There was also a revival of the inter-pub contest, this time in the form of a mattress race in which two men holding a mattress with a girl on it struggled over various obstacles. The winners were the King William team, who again proved their supremacy in the inter-pub sports field.

Afterwards Mr. Tony Berry, Group Scout leader for Pembury, who headed the organising committee, said: "I would like to say a big 'thank you' to all who supported and helped to run the fete. Socially and financially it was a great success."

To keep up the momentum generated by the Fete, the Scout and Guide Groups plan to form a committee to arrange future fund-raising projects on a long-term basis. It is estimated that the cost of the projected headquarters will be about £75,000, of which the groups will have to raise in the region of £50,000. Mr. Berry says it is hoped that building work will start in five years' time and be completed within two years.

This will mean a sustained programme of fund-raising and an announcement on the first of these is expected within a few weeks, after the fund-raising committee has been formed. Although the groups have already been asked to organise next year's Fete, Mr. Berry said no decision had been made on this. He felt that the Scouts and Guides having shown the way, other organisations in the village might be tempted to try their luck.



The Seven Champions Morris Dancers performing at the Fete.

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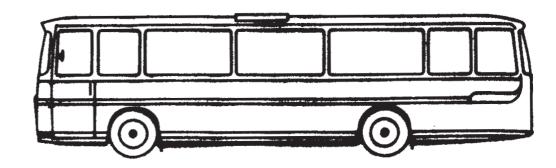


An Inspector Calls



On July 29th and 30th Pembury Players staged their first three-act play, J. B. Priestley's "An Inspector Calls" at the Village Hall, Producer Robert Good is to be congratulated on the success of this venture, which convincingly evoked the Edwardian period. The production was enormously helped by the superb set designed by Nick Lankester, which drew spontaneous applause from the audience on the second night as the curtain rose. In the picture all the characters are shown. From left:— Graham Shewel (Arthur Birling), Stuart Bell (The Inspector), Rita Willans (Sybil Birling), Diana Holtham (Edna), John Hawker (Gerald Croft), John Franks (Eric Birling) and Alison Lankester (Sheila Birling).

BUS SERVICE CHANGES



A number of changes in bus services affecting Pembury will take place from September 26th. These are fewer than was feared at one time, because Kent County Council has increased its subsidy to the Maidstone and District bus company by £247,000.

The changes are: —

- Service 6 Monday to Saturday 2011 Tunbridge Wells to Maidstone and 2136 Maidstone to Tunbridge Wells withdrawn.
- Service 207/8/9 Monday to Friday 0654 Tonbridge Pembury and 1925 Pembury Tonbridge withdrawn. There will be a new 0703 leaving Pembury for Tonbridge. On Saturdays buses will leave Pembury and East Peckham every hour from 0800 to 1700. Sunday service will be withdrawn.
- Service 276/86 Monday to Saturday Tunbridge Wells Pembury 2121 and Pembury Tunbridge Wells withdrawn; 2241 from Tunbridge Wells and 2307 Pembury Tunbridge Wells start 10 minutes earlier.
- Service 297/8 Monday to Friday 0610 from Tunbridge Wells withdrawn, 0951 from Tunbridge Wells starts 30 minutes earlier; new bus leaves Goudhurst for Tunbridge Wells 1750; and 1808 from Tenterden to Tunbridge Wells is also new. 1906 Cranbrook Tunbridge Wells, 1908 Tenterden Tunbridge Wells and 2035 Goudhurst Tunbridge Wells withdrawn. Sunday service is withdrawn. On Saturdays buses for Tunbridge Wells will leave the Free Church at 0820, 0920, 1120, 1320, 1520 and 1720. From Tunbridge Wells they will leave at 0951, 1151, 1351, 1551 and 1751.

Pembury parents with children at Sandown Court School, who do not qualify for free school transport, can obtain season tickets which reduce the cost of travel. The single fare from Lower Green to the school is 35p or 70p return. The under-14 weekly season rate is £2.45 and from 14-18 £2.80.



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YOUR CLERK REPORTS.....

Over the years, because of the development of the village during the late sixties and early seventies, Pembury is now seeing an increase in the number of young people in its population but unhappily this increase has not coincided with an increase in youth facilities. The Parish Council is very well aware of this lack of amenities but as usual its lack of action is mainly due to financial restrictions. However when costs are not a major factor, the Parish Council can be seen to translate its concern into action.

For example, it has readily agreed to the provision of a pitch in the Lower Green Recreation Ground for the Pembury Junior Hockey Club, and to ensure natural progression in this sport, agreement has already been given by the Parish Council for the provision and future maintenance of a new adult pitch.

The Parish Council has also applauded the creation of the new Pembury Junior Football Club — "The Pembury Whiteleggs" — by allowing it the facilities of the Woodside Playing Fields.

Finally, although the project is one of a long term nature, the Parish Council has given its blessing to the project for a new Pembury Scouts and Guides Combined Headquarters by making available a possible site at the Woodside Playing Fields at a nominal rent. It was very pleasing to hear of such a good financial start being made towards its provision by the Scouts' very successful Village Fete.

Although I have used my report to give you details of my Council's involvement in these three new youth projects, it must not be forgotten that no progress whatsoever could have been made in their provision or indeed in all Pembury's existing youth activities if it was not for the dedication and hard work of those persons who have made it their business to create and then take on the responsibility to ensure the future success of these youth projects.



Last December the country was shocked by the disaster to the Penlee lifeboat whose entire crew perished when attempting to save the survivors of a wrecked vessel off the Cornish coast. Pembury people will have the opportunity of contributing in a small way to the Royal National Lifeboat Institution's funds by attending the coffee morning to be held by the association's local branch in the Village Hall on Saturday, October 23rd.

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The Phoenix Foster Care Association, a group of local foster parents, is holding a jumble sale in the Catholic Hall on Saturday, October 9th at 2 p.m. Anyone able to contribute articles for sale should get in touch with Mrs. Wendy Stevens, 1a Henwood Green Road, Pembury 3740.

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In the last two Newsletters we have appealed on behalf of the Darby and Joan Club for volunteers to help either with preparing sandwiches for the club's meetings (approximately once a year per volunteer) or with transport to take members to and from meetings at the Village Hall. Meetings are held at approximately fortnightly intervals from 2.00 to 4.30 p.m. Although there has been some response to these appeals the club organisers would appreciate offers from still more people for one of these essential duties.

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Probably many people in the village do not realise that the ornamental iron gates at the entrance to the drive into the Upper Church are a memorial to the fallen in the last war. They were erected more than 30 years ago and are now in need of repair. The Parish Council, as the custodian of parish property, is to pay for their repair. It will also pay for the repair to the stonework of the War Memorial nearby, which is showing signs of deterioration in a number of places. Work, which is expected to start soon, will be carried out in both cases by craftsmen living in the village.

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Have you ever wondered who looks after the flowers in the horse trough on the Village Green? Members of Pembury Afternoon Women's Institute undertook to care for the trough several years ago. The ladies who do this work not only plant out flowers and bulbs, renewing the display each spring and summer, but they also in many cases raise the flowers at home. Ironically, although it was originally a horse trough, the structure is no longer connected to the mains supply, so the "flower ladies" have either to bring their own water in a large

container or cross the road to the churchyard where they can fill watering cans from a standpipe. All this is done without any cost to the parish. Pembury's thanks are due to the W.I. for its efforts in maintaining an amenity which greatly enhances the Green.

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A Department of Transport public inquiry to hear objections to and representations about the proposed route of the A21 by-pass will be held in the Village Hall in November. The Department has booked the hall from November 1st to 11th. This means that previous daytime bookings of the hall have had to be cancelled. Evening meetings are unaffected although users will be asked to be careful of the various maps, plans and other matter which will be displayed on walls and frames for the duration of the inquiry. Incidentally the inquiry, as its name implies, is open to the public and will sit on weekdays during the morning and afternoon.

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In the June Newsletter Diary page there appeared an entry under the date September 25th "Village Distribution". This was an undetected misprint which should have read "Village Exhibition". In any event the exhibition, based on the findings of the latest Pembury 2000 survey, will now take place in the Catholic Hall on November 27th. So don't turn up at the Village Hall on September 25th expecting that a bountiful parish Council will be handing out free goodies.

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Members of Pembury Scout Group undertook the distribution of some 600 copies of the last Newsletter, thereby easing the burden on some parish councillors who find it difficult to deliver except at weekends. Thanks to these volunteers and also one or two individual members of the public who also helped.

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Another planning application for a supermarket on the Royal Oak site in Henwood Green Road has been submitted by Wards Construction (Medway) Ltd., owners of most of the site. The plan shows a total of 23,500 square feet of buildings, including a meeting hall for the parish, and parking for 122 cars. It will be discussed by the Borough Council's Western Area Planning Committee at the Dower House on September 30th.

a JUNIOR village football team

Pembury Football Club, which competes in the Tonbridge and District League, has decided to form an Under-12 side, which will compete in Division 3 of the Tunbridge Wells Minor Football League, starting this September. Training and coaching began on July 30th and has continued throughout the summer at 6.30 p.m. every Friday.

All boys of 12 and under are welcome to join the junior club, which has started with the great advantage of sponsorship by Whiteleggs Garden Centre who have supplied the team with a complete strip. It has been decided, therefore, to call the junior team Pembury Whiteleggs.

The management committee is hopeful that other sponsorship for the new venture will be forthcoming in a smaller way and anyone willing to help is asked to get in touch with members of the committee. Help is also wanted with such things as first aid, coaching and transport — and most important of all, general support.

If this venture proves successful the committee hopes to extend the club in future to include other age groups with the aim of ensuring a steady flow of youngsters who will eventually graduate into the senior sides.





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Looking at Pembury



The Workers' Educational Association local history group, formed last year, will continue its study of the history of Pembury with a new course — "Looking at Pembury". It will begin with a survey of the older buildings and it is hoped to include other areas of 19th century life with the help of log books and other records lent by the Kent Archives Office, including estate and Ordnancy Survey maps. It is hoped this study will help to build a picture of the growth of the village centre. An exhibition of the work carried out by last year's class will be shown in the Library during September.

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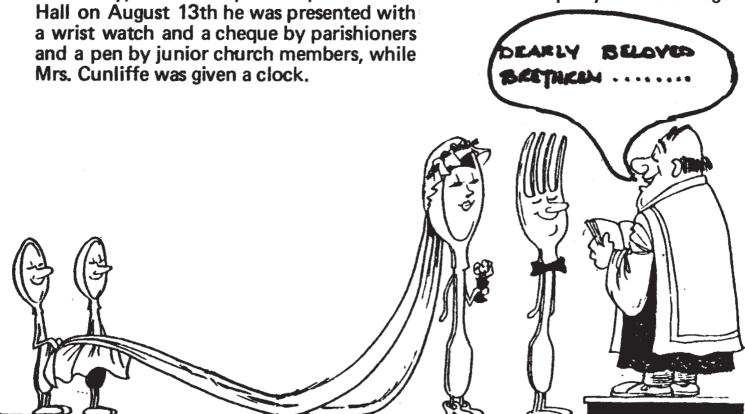
A new vicar is coming

The new Vicar of Pembury, the Rev. R. C. L. (Colin) Pilgrim will be instituted into the living by the Bishop of Rochester on October 28th.

Mr. Pilgrim, Rector of Gravesend for the last eight years, took his degree at Pembroke College, Cambridge and then studied theology at Ridley Hall, being ordained deacon in 1952. He held a curacy at Esher for three years before becoming Minister of the New Cathedral Conventional District of Guildford for a further two years. From 1957 to 1965 he was Rector of Puttenham and Vicar of Wanborough—in the Guildford area—before becoming an industrial chaplain in the Rochester diocese, with an honorary curacy at St. Nicholas's Church, Chislehurst from 1965 to 1974.

The new vicar's wife, Anne, is a lay reader. Chaplaincy duties at Pembury Hospital nowadays form part of the work of the Vicar of Pembury. Mr. Pilgrim should not find this work strange since he was chaplain to the Royal Surrey County Hospital for several years and chaplain to St. James's Hospital, Gravesend since 1975. Mr. and Mrs. Pilgrim have three children: their son, Mark, is training for ordination; their married daughter, Alison, is a physiotherapist; and their younger daughter, Suezie, is an art student.

The Rev. Gerald Cunliffe, curate for the last three years and priest-in-charge since February, was instituted as Vicar of the Church of the Holy Redeemer, Lamorbey, near Sidcup on September 8th. At a farewell party in the Village



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- Oct. Evening W.I. – Make-up demonstration by Miss Collins of Boots, Village Hall 7.45 p.m.
 - 2 Pembury Footpath Walkers – Walk, meet Stonecourt Lane bus stop 2.15 p.m.
 - 4 Parish Council - Highways, Planning, Public Relations, Village Hall 8.00 p.m.
 - Darby & Joan Club Village Hall 2.00 to 4.30 p.m.
 - 7 Afternoon W.I. - A Visit to The Netherlands, Mrs. Tubb, Village Hall 2.30 p.m.
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 - Phoenix Foster Care Association Jumble Sale, Catholic Hall, 2.00 p.m.

 Horticultural Society Floral Art Group, Village Hall 8.00 p.m.

 Parish Council meeting Village Hall 8.00 p.m. (Public question time 8.30 p.m.)

 Darby & Joan Club Sale of Work (open to the public), Village Hall 2.00 to 4.30 p.m. 19
 - 28 Horticultural Society - Talk on Sweet Peas by Mr. Julian Martin, Village Hall 8.00 p.m.
- Nov. 1 to 11 (morning and afternoons) A21 BY-PASS PUBLIC INQUIRY, Village Hall.
 - Parish Council Amenities, Planning, Finance, Village Hall 8.00 p.m.
 - Afternoon W.I. Annual Meeting, Catholic Hall, 2.30 p.m.
 - 5 Evening W.I. - Annual Meeting and talk on Teaspoons by Mrs. V. Tolliday, Village Hall 7.45 p.m.
 - Pembury Footpath Walkers Walk, meet Camden car park 2.15 p.m. 6
 - Horticultural Society Floral Art Group, Village Hall 8.00 p.m.
 - 12/13 Pembury Players Pantomime, Village Hall 8.00 p.m.
 - Parish Council Highways, Planning, Public Relations, Village Hall 8.00 p.m. 15
 - Darby & Joan Club Talk on Food by representative of Sainsbury's, Village Hall 2 to 4.30 p.m.
 - Pembury Footpath Walkers Annual General Meeting, Village Hall 8.00 p.m. 23
 - 25 Horticultural Society – Illustrated talk (subject to be anounced) by Mr. P. H. Johnson, Village Hall 8 p.m.
 - Village Exhibition organised by Pembury 2000, Catholic Hall 10,00 a.m. 27
 - 29 Parish Council meeting - Village Hall 8 p.m. (Public question time 8.30 p.m.
 - 30 Darby & Joan Club – Concert by Horsmonden Choir, Village Hall 2.00 to 4.30 p.m.
 - Afternoon W.I. Christmas Party, Village Hall 2.30 p.m.
 - Evening W.I. Talk on English Cheeses by Mr. D. J. March, Village Hall 7.45 p.m.
 - Pembury Footpath Walkers Walk, meet Bo-Peep 2.15 p.m.
 - 13 Horticultural Society - Floral Art Group, Village Hall 8.00 p.m.
 - 14 Darby & Joan Club - Christmas Party, Village Hall 2.00 to 4.30 p.m.
 - 14 Parish Council - Amenities, Planning, Finance, Village Hall 8.00 p.m.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH SERVICES

Upper Church

Dec.

- 8.00 a.m. Holy Communion
- 9.45 a.m. Parish Communion with Sermon
- 10.00 a.m. Family Communion (last Sunday)
- 11.30 a.m. Junior Church
- Evensong and Sermon 4.00 p.m.
- Shortened Holy Communion (3rd Sunday) 5.00 p.m.

Parish Church

- Holy Communion (Second Sunday) 8.00 a.m.
- 11.15 a.m. Matins and Sermon
- 11.15 a.m. Sung Communion with Sermon (4th Sunday)

Every Friday - W.I. Market - V.Hall 10.15 - 11.15 a.m.



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