

# LEAGUE OF FRIENDS OF LEWES VICTORIA HOSPITAL

## LEWES • SUSSEX

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Dear Mr. Barber

27 April 1982.

It was reported at the last Committee Meeting that having regard to your health you did not feel that you should or could remain on the Committee.

Having been Mayor at the time of the League's inception & largely responsible for saving the hospital, the Committee unanimously made you an Honorary Member of the Committee for life.

I was personally like to thank you for all your support throughout the 15 years during which there have been difficulties.

Yours sincerely  
Michael Stenn  
Chairman

# THOMAS PAINE SOCIETY

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R. W. Morrell,  
443, Meadow Lane,  
Nottingham.



PAINE'S STATUE  
THETFORD.

22nd. November, 1964.

Coun. A. C. Barber,  
9, Toronto Terrace,  
Lewes,  
Sussex.

Dear Mr. Barber,

I write on behalf of the Society to thank you for the kindness showed to us by you during our recent A.G.M. in Lewes.

The visit to the Council House in the afternoon and the Paine signatures displayed there made it something we will long remember.

Once again, our thanks. If as a Society we can at any time be of aid please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,

R. W. Morrell.

42 Highworth Road.

St. Ann's Park

Dear Dorrie

18. 12. 61

Bristol 4.

I thank you very much for your letter also the cheque, I appreciate your kind thought and offer, but you shouldn't have sent it, as I intended sending the things back to you, as I thought it was only right you should have them, I never thought they would take so long over the affairs. What a very cold spell we are having, I hope it won't be too bad for travellers through the Xmas which will soon be here, do you have the family with you. My sister, niece, + myself are going to another niece + her husband for Xmas they are fetching us on Sunday and we shall probably stay till Wednesday, it will be a very nice change, they thought it would give me a break; as my nephew + his wife will be going to her home for Xmas as she has been abroad for four years, + they will come to us for the New Year.

I have been in the hospital this afternoon for a check up, and they were very pleased that



my eyes had improved I am thankful. <sup>say</sup> to, "altho they  
are troublesome with the least thing.

I am sure you have been glad to have a break  
to be at home while you have had the workmen in,  
it is an expensive job, I had similar done two  
years ago in one of my bedrooms, I had the chimney  
stacks removed, the breast + fireplace taken away  
a new window + wall down to the bedroom floor,  
and now the damp has come through this year so  
I have now asked the builder to do over the  
walls outside with something there are different  
things that can be used, but it is annoying when  
the room looked very nice when done, I hope  
you will be more successful with yours. Well I  
mustn't stay for more as I would like to get this  
off in the morning, as you said you would like  
to give Bunty the spoon. So trusting you are all  
keeping well and with many thanks for your  
kind thoughts. Wishing you are very

Happy Xmas

+ New Year

yours very sincerely Ethel

THE BATTLE OF LEWES MEMORIAL

On Saturday 14th May 1966 a Memorial will be presented to the Borough of Lewes, in Sussex, to mark the 700th anniversary of the Battle of Lewes which was fought on 14th May 1264. It was the culmination of a long military and political struggle between Henry III and the rebel barons led by Simon de Montfort, and the decisive defeat of the king led to important advances towards a representative Parliament.

The battle itself was therefore of national significance, but the ceremony at Lewes is essentially of a local character. The Memorial is a gift to the people of the County Town from Sir Tufton Beamish M.C. who has been their Member of Parliament since he succeeded his father, the late Rear-Admiral Beamish, in 1945. The occasion marks his family's long and close association with the Borough, as well as his interest in the subject. Sir Tufton has made a study of the barons' rebellion, and his book Battle Royal (Frederick Muller 1965) which he dedicated to the People of Lewes, describes the events leading to the Battle of Lewes and the constitutional changes that followed.

The Priory of Saint Pancras, outside the walled town of Lewes, served as headquarters to the royalist army, and many men who fell in the battle were buried there by the Cluniac monks. The Memorial has appropriately been erected on a site in the grounds, near the ruins of the splendid buildings that were demolished in 1537 on the orders of Henry VIII by his nefarious minister, Thomas Cromwell. It incorporates the Cross, symbolising the part played by the English Church in the fight against a stubborn and despotic king, and a frieze carries eight scenes from the battle which were described by contemporary chroniclers. The main structure is sand cast in aluminium, and the frieze is cast by the cire-perdue method.

The work has been designed and executed by the Italian sculptor, Enzo Plazzotta, who studied in Milan at the Accademia di Brera under Giacomo Manzù. Mr. Plazzotta was one of the war-time leaders of the Italian Resistance Movement, and twice escaped after capture by the Germans. In 1947 he was commissioned by the Comitato di Liberazione to create a tribute to the members of the British Special Forces who co-operated with the Italian Resistance Movement. His bronze sculpture, which is entitled "Spirit of Rebellion" and represents a youthful David challenging Goliath, stands in the Special Forces Club in Herbert Crescent, London S.W.1. It was this task that brought Mr. Plazzotta to London, and he has lived and worked here since. He has a studio near the river in Chelsea. An Exhibition of his work opened in Paris on 3rd May this year at the Galleries des Anciens et des Modernes on the Left Bank, to coincide with the Festival des Arts.

To The Mayors of New

Dear Mrs Barber,

Would

You please accept this small  
gift to go with your lovely  
new evening dress in appreciation  
of the enjoyable times we have  
had at the Civic Banquets &

Balls

also in thanks for looking  
after the Mayor so well that  
you have both been able to  
attend so many of the other balls  
irrespective of party politics.

An admiring out of town  
visitor.

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*Borough of Lewes*



*Traditional Civic Night*  
*Banquet*

**EIGHTH NOVEMBER, 1968**

*Alderman*  
*A. C. Barber, J.P.*  
*Mayor*

*Town Hall, Lewes*

## Menu

Smoked Salmon and Smoked Eel Fillets

★

Braised Ham

Madeira Sauce

★

Breast of Chicken  
in Sweetbread and Mushroom Sauce

Croquette Potatoes

Broccoli Spears

★

Chestnut and Meringue Gâteaux  
with Fruit Salad

★

Pizza Slice

★

Coffee

## Toast List

### THE QUEEN

HIS WORSHIP THE MAYOR OF LEWES  
(Alderman A. C. Barber, J.P.)

## Ten Minute Interval

### THE COUNTY TOWN

*Proposed by*

A. BOYES, ESQ.  
(Director, East Sussex Engineering Co. Ltd.)

*Response*

THE HOME SECRETARY  
(The Rt. Hon. James Callaghan, M.P.)

### OUR GUESTS

*Proposed by*

THE DEPUTY MAYOR OF LEWES  
(Alderman S. W. Crees)

*Response*

THE CHIEF CONSTABLE OF SUSSEX  
(T. C. Williams, Esq.)

## Music

THE MAE NUNN TRIO



## Lewes Exhibition Fund

A. A. DUMBRELL  
Clerk to the Governors  
Tel. Brighton 555436

6 Southdown Avenue  
Brighton  
BN1 6EG

23rd January 1974

CONFIDENTIAL

Dear Mr. Barber,

### Vacancy for a Co-optative Governor

It was suggested at the last meeting of the Governors that details of the persons, who were mentioned as suitable to be invited to fill the vacancy of Governor, created by the removal from the District of Sir Richard Boughey, might be circulated to the Governors. Brief details of the three suggested persons are -

Mrs. Audrey Brickell, Itford Farm, Rodmell  
- a Girl Guide Commissioner.

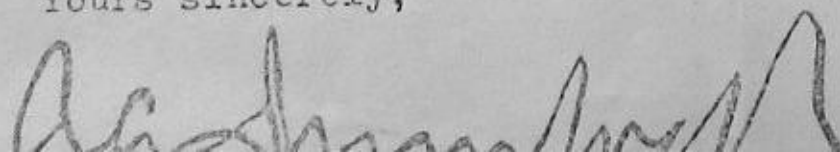
Mr. John S. Davey, 41, Springett Avenue,  
Ringmer - Senior Science Master at  
Roedean.

Mr. Maurice Phillips, address unknown -  
Head of Social Services, East Sussex  
County Council.

The person appointed as Governor will serve until  
1st January 1980.

I regret that I am unable to give any additional  
details about these persons but you may know  
sufficient about them to enable one to be invited  
to serve as a Governor.

Yours sincerely,



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2nd December 1974

CONFIDENTIAL

Dear Mr Barber

The next meeting of the Governors will take place  
on Wednesday, 11th December 1974 in the Mayor's  
Parlour, Town Hall, Lewes, by kind permission of  
His Worship the Mayor at 11.00 a.m.

I hope that you will be able to attend when the  
undermentioned agenda will be considered.

Yours sincerely,

  
Clerk to the Governors

### A G E N D A

1. Minutes of the meeting held on 2 Oct 74

2. Matters arising from the minutes

3. Governors of the Fund

4. Bank balances as at 10th December 1974

5. Applications for educational grants  
(see enclosed schedule)

6. Letters of thanks for grants previously  
awarded)

7. 171, High Street, Lewes *1st Fl. Window Box*

8. The date of the next meeting has been  
arranged for Wednesday, 5th March 1975

9. Any other business.



East Sussex County Council

*Education Department*

PO Box 4  
County Hall  
St Annes Crescent Lewes Sussex  
Lewes 5400 Ext 718

J Rendel Jones MA *Chief Education Officer*

*My reference* FE/DTY/FB

*Your reference*

8th June, 1972.

Dear Mr. Barber,

LEWES TECHNICAL COLLEGE  
Governors

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At the recent meeting of the Lewes Technical College Governors your resignation as Lewes Borough Council's representative was reported. The Governors asked me to express their appreciation of the interest you have shown in and the work you have done for the college during your term of office as a Governor.

Yours sincerely,

A. C. Barber, Esq.,  
9 Toronto Terrece,  
LEWES,  
Sussex.

# BOROUGH OF LEWES

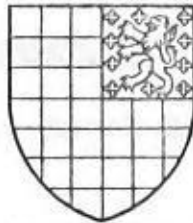
LEWES 6151

R. ARMITAGE  
Town Clerk

All Communications to  
be addressed to  
The Town Clerk

Your Ref:

Our Ref: AB/82



TOWN HALL

LEWES

SUSSEX

BN7 2DQ

9th January, 1974.

Dear Sir/Madam,

Fitzroy Memorial Free Public Library

Further to the discussion at last night's meeting of the Library Committee, I enclose, as promised, a copy of the First Annual Report of the Fitzroy Memorial Free Public Library, for the period 1st April, 1898, to 31st March, 1899.

Yours faithfully,

Town Clerk.

To: All Members of the Library Committee.  
(Copy to the Borough Librarian.)

Regulations were framed for the conduct of the Library, both as a Reading Room and as a Circulating Library. The Committee then advertized for Candidates for the post of Librarian, and, out of 27 Candidates, finally selected and appointed Mr. James B. Buckman. The Town Clerk, Mr. Montague S. Blaker was also appointed Secretary to the Committee, and Mr. Herbert Whitfield Honorary Treasurer,

The question of repairs would have been a formidable one to the Committee if they had not been relieved of this by the kindness of Alderman Kemp. It was known that considerable repairs to the building were needed, little or nothing having been done for some years and it was manifest that the cost could not be defrayed out of income. From this



THE COUNTY TOWN OF SUSSEX



CIVIC INSIGNIA AND PLATE

OF THE

CORPORATION OF LEWES

BY

L. S. DAVEY

BOROUGH OF LEWES



*Presentations*

*to*

**ALDERMAN ARTHUR CHARLES BARBER**

**COLONEL SIR TUFTON BEAMISH, M.C., D.L., M.P.**

**HEREWARD ERIC PARRISH, ESQUIRE, J.P.**

**and**

**DICK WHITTINGTON, ESQUIRE**

*to Commemorate their Admission as  
Honorary Freemen of the Borough*

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*5th May, 1970*

# ORDER OF PROCEEDINGS

of

A Special Meeting of Lewes Borough Council

on

5th May, 1970 at 3.30 p.m.

at

The Town Hall, Lewes

*for*

*Presentations to*

**ALDERMAN ARTHUR CHARLES BARBER**

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**to Commemorate their Admission as Honorary Freemen  
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## HONORARY FREEDOM OF THE BOROUGH

It is important to distinguish between the Freedom of a Borough and the Honorary Freedom of a Borough.

Before 1835, the right to the Freedom of a Borough could be obtained by purchase or gift or could arise from birth, marriage or apprenticeship to a Freeman; much depended on the Charter and Custom of the Borough. In a number of Boroughs the right could not be transferred through the widows of daughters of a Freeman. Freemen formed part of the Corporation, were entitled to a share in the Corporate property and were exempt from Tolls and dues; they also had the right to vote at Parliamentary Elections. In some Boroughs they were, until 1832, the only electors.

In the reforms of the 1830's, the rights and privileges of the Freemen were severely curtailed and the Municipal Corporations Act of 1835 provided that no one should be admitted by gift or purchase. Subsequent claims have only been made on the grounds of birth, marriage or apprenticeship and, although there are a number of cities and towns where these claims still arise, and the ancient Freemen's Guilds have only a shadow of their former importance, there are no such Freemen of Lewes.

Since the Honorary Freedom of the Boroughs Act of 1885 (now the Local Government Act, 1933), it has been possible for a Borough Council to admit as Honorary Freemen, persons of distinction or persons who have rendered eminent services to the Borough. It is the greatest honour which a Borough can bestow; it is a right peculiar to a Borough and there is no similar privilege available to County or District Councils. It is an honour but it carries no right to share in Corporate property nor an exemption from tolls, dues and rates.

On the 28th January 1970, at a meeting of the Borough Council specially convened for the purpose, Alderman A. C. Barber, Colonel Sir Tufton Beamish, H. E. Parrish, Esq. and D. Whittington, Esq., were admitted as Honorary Freemen of the Borough.

To-day's ceremony, is a special meeting of the Borough Council convened for the express purposes of making presentations to these four eminent gentlemen. Each one will be presented with an illuminated address containing the appropriate Resolution of the Borough Council, together with a silver goblet to commemorate this important occasion in the history of Lewes.

It is appropriate to record that in the eighty-five years since the Borough Council obtained the right to admit persons to be Honorary Freemen, only nine admissions to the Roll were made prior to this year.



The Roll of Honorary Freemen contains the following entries:

NAME	DATE OF ADMISSION
Alderman George Holman, J.P. (died 25th October, 1932)	12th May, 1926
Alderman John Henry Every, J.P. (died 18th October, 1941)	12th May, 1926
Alderman Arthur Ebenezer Rugg, J.P. (died 11th February, 1937)	2nd October, 1935
Alderman Charles Doland Crisp, O.B.E. (died 5th February, 1956)	19th February, 1940
The Rt. Hon. the Lord Mayor of London, Alderman Sir Denys Colquhoun Flowerdew Lowson, Bart., M.A., L.C.C.	21st July, 1951
The Royal Sussex Regiment (following mergers of the Infantry, the Council decided on 23rd April, 1969, that the rights and privileges should, in future, be enjoyed by the Queen's Regiment)	6th June, 1953
John Christie, Esq., C.H. (died 4th July, 1962)	3rd November, 1954
Neville Rowland Joseph Bradshaw, Esq., M.A.	9th November, 1960
Joseph Colgate Robinson, Esq. (died 29th November, 1962)	9th November, 1960
Alderman Arthur Charles Barber	28th January, 1970
Colonel Sir Tufton Beamish, M.C., M.P.	28th January, 1970
Hereward Eric Parrish, Esq., J.P.	28th January, 1970
Dick Whittington, Esq.	28th January, 1970

The Resolution of the Borough Council admitting as Honorary Freemen of the Borough, the persons in whose honour this meeting is called, is in the following terms:

"That in pursuance of Section 259 of the Local Government Act, 1933, the Council do hereby admit as Honorary Freemen of the Borough:

- (a) Alderman Arthur Charles Barber, in recognition and appreciation of the eminent services rendered by him to the Borough, particularly in the sphere of adult education in his capacity as the founder member in 1931, of the Lewes Branch of the Workers' Educational Association, of which he is at present Chairman; as a Governor, Manager and member of various educational bodies and other organisations; as a member of the Borough Council since 1954 (having been elected an Alderman in 1967 and served as Mayor of Lewes on three occasions); and as an expression of the high regard in which he is held in the Borough.
- (b) Colonel Sir Tufton Beamish, M.C., M.P., in recognition and appreciation of the eminent services rendered by him to the Borough, particularly as Member of Parliament for the Lewes Constituency since 1945, following a distinguished Military career; his practical interest in this ancient and historic County Town, Lewes Priory in particular; the many charitable and other organisations he actively supports; and as an expression of the high regard in which he is held in the Borough.
- (c) Hereward Eric Parrish, Esquire, J.P., in recognition and appreciation of the eminent services rendered by him to the Borough, particularly by the great practical interest taken by him in the youth of the Borough and many charitable and other organisations; membership of the Borough Council for over twenty-three years, including seventeen years as an Alderman and three years as Mayor; his service as a Magistrate and as Chairman of the Lewes Petty Sessional Division; and as an expression of the high regard in which he is held in the Borough.
- (d) Dick Whittington, Esquire, in recognition and appreciation of the eminent services rendered by him to the Borough, particularly his active participation and interest in the welfare of elderly persons and ex-servicemen; his support of numerous voluntary and charitable organisations; service as a member of the Borough Council for fourteen years, including eight years as an Alderman and one and a half years as Mayor, and as an expression of the high regard in which he is held in the Borough."



## ORDER OF PROCEEDINGS

1. 3.20 p.m. – the Councillors and Chief Officers of the Council will proceed to the Assembly Room.
2. 3.25 p.m. – the Mayor, preceded by the Mace Bearer and followed by the Town Clerk, the Mayor's Chaplain, the Deputy Mayor, the Honorary Freeman and the Aldermen will proceed to the Assembly Room.
3. 3.30 p.m. – Prayers by the Mayor's Chaplain.
4. The Mayor will declare the meeting open.
5. The Town Clerk will read the summons convening the meeting.
6. The Mayor will call upon Alderman A. F. Hayward to speak on the admission of Alderman Arthur Charles Barber to the Roll of Honorary Freeman.
7. The Mayor will invite Alderman Arthur Charles Barber to sign the Freeman's Roll in the presence of the Mayor and the Town Clerk and to receive a sealed copy of the Resolution admitting him to be an Honorary Freeman of the Borough, and a silver goblet.
8. Alderman Barber will, on the invitation of the Mayor, address the meeting.
9. The Mayor will call upon Councillor P. C. J. Nicholl to speak on the admission of Colonel Sir Tufton Beamish, M.C., D.L., M.P., to the Roll of Honorary Freeman.
10. The Mayor will invite Colonel Sir Tufton Beamish to sign the Freeman's Roll in the presence of the Mayor and the Town Clerk and to receive a sealed copy of the Resolution admitting him to be an Honorary Freeman of the Borough, and a silver goblet.
11. Colonel Sir Tufton Beamish will, on the invitation of the Mayor, address the meeting.
12. The Mayor will call upon Councillor D. A. W. Wheeler to speak on the admission of Mr. Hereward Eric Parrish, J.P., to the Roll of Honorary Freeman.
13. The Mayor will invite Mr. Hereward Eric Parrish to sign the Freeman's Roll in the presence of the Mayor and the Town Clerk and to receive a sealed copy of the Resolution admitting him to be an Honorary Freeman of the Borough, and a silver goblet.
14. Mr. Hereward Eric Parrish will, on the invitation of the Mayor, address the meeting.
15. The Mayor will call upon Alderman M. S. Breese to speak on the admission of Mr. Dick Whittington to the Roll of Honorary Freeman.
16. The Mayor will invite Mr. Dick Whittington to sign the Freeman's Roll in the presence of the Mayor and the Town Clerk and to receive a sealed copy of the Resolution admitting him to be an Honorary Freeman of the Borough, and a silver goblet.
17. Mr. Dick Whittington will, on the invitation of the Mayor, address the meeting.
18. The Mayor will declare the meeting closed and preceded by the Mace Bearer, will leave the Assembly Room accompanied by the Town Clerk, Deputy Mayor and the Honorary Freeman, the Aldermen and the Councillors.



*John went with Charlie  
& really enjoyed herself.*

*P.T.O.*



**THE SUSSEX MAYORS'  
ASSOCIATION**

*Wednesday, 9th July, 1986*

\* \* \* \* \*

*Luncheon*

*Town Hall  
Lewes*

The Angus photograph  
produced a number  
of phone calls from  
folk who <sup>(1)</sup> were pleased  
to see Dad was out  
about.

(2) Asked Bert to  
do various jobs!

## Menu

Ardenne Pâté  
Brown Bread & Butter

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Roast Leg of Lamb, with  
Mint Sauce & Red Currant Jelly

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Petit Pois  
Baby Carrots  
Roast Potatoes

\* \* \* \*

Peach Pavlova

\* \* \* \*

Cheese Board - Cheddar,  
Danish Blue, Brie  
Assorted Biscuits  
French Bread & Butter

\* \* \* \*

Coffee



## Ex-mayor in the spotlight



CHARLIE BARBER made history in Lewes 22 years ago when he became first Labour mayor of the town.

He was in the spotlight again as the oldest member at a Sussex Mayor's Association reception in Lewes Assembly Room.

The present Lewes mayor, Coun. Mrs Joanna Hallett, is pictured making

Mr Barber welcome. Now 87, he served as mayor for five years between 1964 and 1969.

More than 40 mayors from ancient Sussex boroughs attended the association's annual meeting and reception.

They also visited the new Lewes Town Model exhibition.

## MU fro

A MOTHER heart-wrenching from her husband's death, two young children, cause of a death order.

Mrs Naseem of Blacksmith Sompting, was Saturday she Tuesday to leave. She and husband, 29, both arrived years ago from Pakistan.

The couple have of the top Indian in Worthing, employ people full-time plus others.

### Upset

They are about to start another business in the building trade employing people and three trainees.

The threat means the year-old girl, Wafa, a year-old boy, Moez, were both born in a face life without a mother.

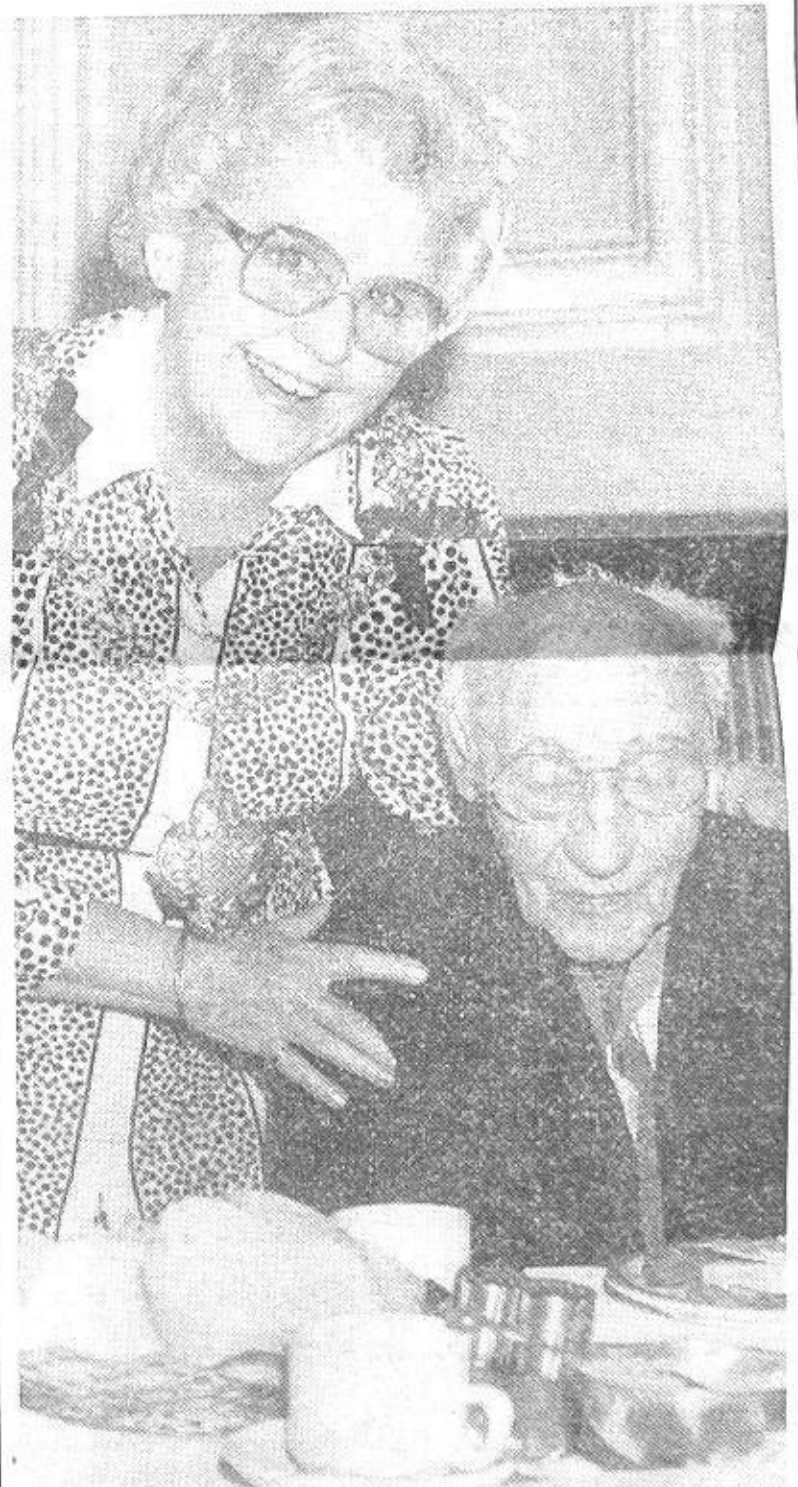
Now the family has to their MP Richard asking for his help to appeal to the Home Office.

Mr Khan, who manages

## Dole 'snow walk

UNEMPLOYMENT benefit workers out of their homes today in protest "get-tough" fraud investigation.

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Knockout





Mayor's Parlour  
Town Hall  
Lewes  
Sussex

TELEPHONE: LEWES 4085

COUNCILLOR A. C. BARBER, J.P.  
Mayor

3. 5. 66.

Cher Madame De Bernard,  
Je voudrais vous remercier beaucoup  
pour votre bonté à mon  
mari et moi au cours de notre visite  
de Blois. Nous sommes très reconnaissant  
de votre hospitalité dans votre <sup>Charmant</sup> ~~beau~~ château.  
~~Cher Madame~~, your knowledge of English  
being so much better than mine of 'Français'.  
I am sure you will forgive me if I finish  
my letter in my native tongue. We  
enjoyed our visit immensely, due largely to  
the fact that you made us so comfortable  
and happy. Our visit to Blois was  
certainly the high-light of our two years as  
Mayor & Mayress of Lewes.

Again, many thanks.

Yours very sincerely  
Dorothy Barber.

20 th ANNIVERSARY of SCHOOL-EXCHANGES  
between BLOIS-and LEWES

A delegation of the town council of Lewes (Sussex)  
will be present at the celebrations on the  
21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th and 26th of April 1966

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THURSDAY APRIL 21st

21 h. 30 - Town Hall, Council Chamber.

Monsieur le MAIRE de BLOIS, the Town Council and the Twinning  
Committee will meet and welcome the LEWES delegation.

FRIDAY APRIL 22nd

14 h. 30 - Place de la République, Palais de Justice.

Trip to MESLAND. Visit of the cellars and vineyard of M. BOUDIN,  
vine-grower and winemerchant.

21 h. 00 - Salle des Jeunes.

Performance of TOPAZE, a comedy by Marcel PAGNOL.

SATURDAY APRIL 23rd

10 h. 00 - The war memorial, Place de la République.

The Mayor of LEWES will lay a wreath.

10 h. 20 - Blois cemetery, Arche des Granges entrance.

" In memoriam " ceremony at the grave of Mr. AULD who initiated  
the BLOIS-LEWES school-exchange with Mr. PIOLE in 1947.

11 h. 00 - Château of Blois, States General Chamber.

Official ceremony of the commemoration of the 20th anniversary of  
the exchanges between the GRAMMAR SCHOOL of LEWES and the LYCEE  
AUGUSTIN-THIERRY of BLOIS.

12 h. 00 - Restaurant du Val de Loire, 119, Quai Ulysse Besnard.

The Twinning Committee will entertain its guests to luncheon.

22 h. 00 - Salle de la Mutualité Agricole, Route de Vendôme.

FRANCO-BRITISH BALL.

SUNDAY APRIL 24th

Day spent with the families.

MONDAY APRIL 25th

10 h. 00 - Place de la République, Palais de Justice.

The party will leave for the day.

In the morning, visit to CHEVERNY.

12 h. 30 - BRACIEUX, Grande Rue, Mr. Autebert's restaurant. The Committee  
will entertain its guests to luncheon.

In the afternoon, visit to CHAMBORD.

TUESDAY APRIL 26th

The LEWES delegation will leave BLOIS. (Suggested rendez-vous at the Town  
Hall).

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VINGTIEME ANNIVERSAIRE  
des ECHANGES SCOLAIRES BLOIS-LEWES

avec la participation de la Délégation Municipale de Lewes (Sussex)  
21, 22, 23, 24, 25 et 26 Avril 1966

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JEUDI 21 AVRIL

21 heures 30 - Hôtel de Ville, Salle du Conseil.

Accueil et réception de la Délégation de Lewes par Monsieur le Maire,  
la Municipalité et le Comité de Jumelage.

Les Hôtes accompagneront les membres de la délégation à leur domicile.

VENDREDI 22 AVRIL

14 heures 30 - Place de la République, devant le Palais de Justice.

Excursion à MESLAND ; visite des caves et de l'exploitation vinicole  
de Monsieur Boudin, négociant en vins.

21 heures - Salle des Jeunes, en Vienne.

Représentation de TOPAZE de Marcel PAGNOL.

SAMEDI 23 AVRIL

10 heures - Monument aux Morts, Place de la République.

Dépôt de gerbes.

10 heures 20 - Cimetière de Blois-Ville, entrée côté Arche des Granges.

Cérémonie du Souvenir sur la tombe de Mr. D. M. AULD, initiateur avec  
Monsieur PIOLE des échanges scolaires BLOIS-LEWES.

11 heures - Château de Blois, Salle des Etats Généraux.

Cérémonie officielle de commémoration du 20ème Anniversaire des  
échanges de la GRAMMAR SCHOOL de LEWES et du LYCEE AUGUSTIN-THIERRY  
de BLOIS.

12 heures - Restaurant du Val de Loire, 119, Quai Ulysse Besnard.

Repas offert par le Comité de Jumelage.

22 heures - Salle de la Mutualité Agricole, Route de Vendôme.

Bal Franco-Britannique.

DIMANCHE 24 AVRIL

Journée dans les familles.

LUNDI 25 AVRIL

10 heures - Place de la République, devant le Palais de Justice.

Excursion.

Avant le déjeuner, visite de CHEVERNY.

12 heures 30 - BRACIEUX, Grande Rue, Monsieur Autebert. Repas offert par  
le Comité de Jumelage.

Après le déjeuner, visite de CHAMBORD.

MARDI 26 AVRIL

Départ.- Rendez-vous suggéré à la Mairie.

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