

provide five exhibits, each lasting 3 weeks. After that we will improvise. We will have an exhibit on the nativity in stained glass at Christmas time. Mrs. Lockwood was to check with Mr. Mungworth concerning the plaque to go on the Exhibits Case.

Under Old Business Mr. Beindle reported that the gate at the head of the stairs would be acceptable with the insurance company. Mr. Straight was to check on the cost of installing the gate.

Mrs. Moore said that the steps in the exhibit storage room are too narrow to be safe. She brought one sample of ones with suction cups on the bottom and quoted a price of \$5.00. She asked that the shelves be rearranged and showed us plans for this new arrangement. Mr. Straight was to have Mr. Pearson look at it when he came about the gate. Mr. Fernald made a motion that \$100.00 be allotted to the Building Committee for repairs. This motion was seconded and passed.

Mr. Moore read a report from the Smithfield Library Council saying that the Town Council would not make a survey of the libraries but would look at a survey if it were made.

Under New Business Mrs. Lockwood asked that Stephanie Morse and Roberta Lockwood be paid every two weeks and the Board agreed to that.

Mr. Straight reported that a firm in Johnston would wash and wax the floors once a month for \$15.00 and a motion was made and passed to have this done. He also made a motion that an adult be present at all times with any monitor under 21 on the lower floor. The board passed this motion also. Mr. Straight was given authorization to get rubber tread for the new floor up stairs to be used in the foyer during bad winter weather and Mrs. Lockwood was to look into this. We were to rent two rugs from Swiss at \$2.50 a month to be used at the doors to pick up dirt.

Mrs. Moore reported on the nuisance caused by the newspapers being scattered in front of the library and Mr. Fernald said he would see this was stopped.

Mr. Moore showed us plans he had drawn up for shelves to be placed behind theavenport and plans for a case to be used in the foyer near the card catalog. He was asked to bring them up at a