

Planned Celebrations for the Coronation of Edward VII

A public meeting convened at the instance of the Parish Council took place in the National Schoolroom, Seend, near Devizes, on Monday evening. The vicar of the parish (Canon A B Thynne) presided over a large and representative attendance. After a short discussion it was agreed that the celebrations take the form of a dinner, open to all inhabitants of the village. To be preceded by a thanksgiving service and followed by sports, &c. A band is to be engaged if possible. Mr W Heward Bell offered to entertain all the children of the parish to tea on a later date, and to present each child with a souvenir of the occasion, and this offer was accepted amidst applause. A strong representative committee was formed.

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