

Bristol Planning Board Gets Brown Request

W. Stanley Barrett, an official of Brown University, last night reviewed three requests for the University's Haffenreffer grant, before a session of the Bristol Planning Board.

Brown University has asked for assurance that streets remain private, assurance against public access to the water and requested that no area not platted for homes would be for public use.

The grant is located on Mt. Hope Bay south of Babbitt Avenue and Bayview Drive which provide the sole town-owned entrances to the 24-acre parcel called "Pokanoket Farm."

No action was taken on any of the requests until contour maps and further details are completed prior to a scheduled public hearing next month. Abutting the property is another Haffenreffer parcel and the Hopeworth development.

Mr. Barrett noted that there

are 15 lots in the parcel, seven of which may be sold outright in order to derive funds to beautify the area, seen as a possible wildlife preserve.

The planning board and Brown representatives had agreed several months ago that the university could sell the lots but must refrain from any building until utilities are installed.

Mr. Barrett said two of the lots had not met state percolation test standards, reducing the total number to 13. The two lots, it was suggested, may serve as areas for persons entering the plat to turn cars around for exit through Babbitt Avenue.

Under the procedure outlined by Mr. Barrett, no funds would be invested for 2,100 feet of water mains or 3,600 feet of roads until the university had sold the seven lots.

Last night marked the last session of the planning board before Monday's financial town meeting. Terms of three members, Manuel Prenda, secretary; Rep. Samuel A. Pasqua and Joseph A. Murgo, expire at the town meeting.

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LEGION INSTALLS

Installation of officers has been held by Newell-Blais Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and Auxiliary of North Attleboro. Ernest was seated as commander of the post and Mrs. Catherine as president of the auxiliary.

include Hector as commander; as police commissioner; chaplain; and as

CAR STRIPPED

Ralph L. Vitullo, a soldier stationed at the Mt. Hope Nike Site, today complained to Bristol police that four hub caps and a radio antenna were stolen from his 1953 model automobile last night while the vehicle was parked on State Street. He also told police that thieves scratched profane words on the hood of the car.

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