

Attendees at the Opening Ceremony: The New Deal Central School

On the following two pages is a list of all the recorded people that attended the opening ceremony on Thursday, 2nd January 1936 in the Main Hall of the first portion:

Major the Honour J. J. Astor - Officially Opened the School with a Golden Key

Mr Baker - The Architect

Cr. and Mrs J. G. Tooms (The Mayor and Mayoress)

Cr. and Mrs C. G. Molyneux (Mayor and Mayoress of Hythe)

Cr. and Mrs Charles Lefevre (Mayor and Mayoress of Canterbury)

Cr. Col. and Mrs. W. V. L. Prescott-Westear (Mayor and Mayoress of Sandwich)

Ald. Ernest Cavell (Ex-Mayor and Vice-Chairman of the Deal Education Committee)

Mrs E. Cavell (Ex Mayoress)

Lady Davidson. of Lambeth, Lord Northbourne, the Rev. E. D. Bowser (Rector of Deal and Mayor's Chaplin)

Cr. J. Waller (Chairman, Deal Education Committee)

Mrs. Waller, Mr. H. H. F. Sirr, Mr. W. E. Rice (Representing the contractors) etc.

The Revs. Canon W. Ceidrych Thomas (Rural Dean and Rector of Northbourne)

Canon C. F. Tonks (Vicar of Walmer)

E. R. Fowles (Walmer Baptist Church)

H. H. Longuet Higgins (St. Andrews Church)

Canon W. E. Daniels (St. George's Church)

A. E. O. Anderson (St. Richards Church)

C. Moore Crispin (Deal Baptist Church)

J. B. Gordon (Curate, St. George's Church)

Mrs. Gordon, Mr. Gardner (Deal Corps. Salvation Army)

A. J. G. Marsh (Clerk, Education Committee)

Those also present in the ceremony of managers, members of the Education Committee and the Corporation, friends, teachers, staff and representatives of the firms of sub contractors included:

Ald. C. H. Russell	H. Pearson	C. U. R. Cavell	E. Adey,	W. Alexander
G. Brenchley,	S. Sadler	E. J. Dobson	W. P. D. Stebbing	C. W. Knox
W. Cole	J. Kirkham	E. T. Dixon	Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Pain	
Miss M. Mason	Inspector E. J. Gomar (Messrs)		A. W. Lambert	C. J. Burgess
T. Harvey	T. G. Elphinston	J. J. Williamson	W. B. West	G. R. Anderton
C. R. Marsh	J. Peters	M. R. Gibbon	J. F. Tyndall	G. Fowler
Mrs. Gibbon	Dr G. T. Birdwood		Mrs. Rouse	Mrs E. C. Pain
Miss Marden	Miss Famariss		and others...	

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