Addendum

I am grateful to member Buffy Heywood for providing me with material since this issue of *224* was prepared, and after it was no longer possible to add to the article on the Deddington Country Fair of 1938 due to exceptional production difficulties.

An article by Mary Robinson in the *Deddington News* for July 1978 states:

'And what became of the hard-earned Coronation Hall Fund? The Hall model and plans which the the visitors no doubt inspected enthusiastically, were never to achieve reality. The site (on the south side of the Co-op in the Market Place) had been donated by Dr G H James, but he was to die before the formalities could be completed, and the site was sold eventually by his son. The ideal site had been lost, and as we all know 40 years later, Deddinton is still trying to decide if it wants a village hall, and where it should be. The funds are still there, administered by the Parish Council and accruing interest and waiting for the big decision'.

Erratum

On p 3, para 2: replace 'wee' with 'were'.

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