

£110 Will Be Handed To Council

THE money left when the former Llanblethian and Cowbridge Children's Entertainment Society went out of existence will be handed over to the Cowbridge Borough Council.

This was stated by Alderman Edward John, J.P., at a meeting of the Council's standing committees on Wednesday.

Alderman John, replying to a question by Coun. J. Roberts, stated that he and Mr R. C. Wiseman were appointed as trustees of the money when the children's committee ceased to exist. He had spoken to Mr Wiseman, who had suggested that the money, about £110, should be handed over to the Council.

It was agreed that a committee of councillors who were interested in the children's playground, could make a recommendation to the Council as to how the money was spent, but the Council would have the final say.

Alderman John commented that he hoped the committee of interested persons would work to raise another £110 to supplement the money held in trust.

'LOT OF FUSS'

Coun. Roberts: In order to put this matter on an official basis, has the sub-committee permission to approach Mr Wiseman to discuss the matter.

Alderman John: I am the co-trustee with Mr Wiseman, and if you are not prepared to listen to what I have to say, then go and see Mr Wiseman.

Coun. Roberts: Alderman John has just said that Mr Wiseman is the man who has the money.

Alderman John: The money is in the National Provincial Bank, and Mr Wiseman and I are the signees of the cheques and are its trustees.

Alderman John explained that at the final meeting of the children's entertainments committee it was decided that the money should be held in hand to provide playing field equipment when it could be looked after, for a lot of money was spent on equipment which was quickly broken up by hooligans. This was the reason why no more money had been spent on equipment for the field.

Alderman John went on to comment that although there had been a lot of fuss and because people had cut grass on

the playground, he wished to point out that the grass had been cut—free of charge—every year either by the late Mr Cliff Thomas or by Mr Mansel Jaynes.

On each occasion the field was put in order, and equipment repaired hooligans came along and broke it up. This year already he had seen young hooligans at the playground.

A PROTEST

Coun. Mrs Anthony Hall commented that Alderman John "could not resist having a dig" when someone was trying to do something. "I resent very much your remarks this evening. A great many people worked hard on the field," she said.

Alderman John stressed that the present workers were not the only ones who had worked hard.

The Mayor then closed the discussion.

Cowbridge Bid To Re-Form Committee

COUN. GLYN McNEIL, J.P., the Mayor of Cowbridge, is taking the lead in a movement which has the aim of reforming the former Cowbridge and Llanblethian Children's Entertainment Committee.

The old committee, which wound up its activities some years ago, did tremendous work for the children of the borough and surrounding area, and was responsible for raising large sums of money, part of which was used to furnish the present children's playground in the Borough.

There cannot be a better person than Coun. McNeil to lead the bid to reform the committee, as for some years he was one of its joint secretaries.

Alderman Edward John, J.P., was the other secretary, a post he held for many years.

It is proposed that a meeting will be held of representatives of various organisations in the Borough and Llanblethian to discuss the formation of a new committee.

Break-In Charge

A 24-year-old collier, David William Owens, of Cairo Street, Trealaw, was remanded on bail at Ystrad Court on Tuesday until August 24 on a charge that at Trealaw on July 30 he broke into the dwellinghouse of Beryl May Hembrow with intent to have sexual intercourse with her.