

**General Committee Meeting Thursday Aug 8<sup>th</sup> 1940.**

Present: - H Ridyard in the Chair.

Messrs: - Ja<sup>s</sup> Kershaw, R Bennett, C I Baker, G Robson, A Hall, F Jones, E S Jones, J H Barratt, R Wood, E Raines, W H Andrew, and J Gibson.

The Minutes of last Meeting held July 11<sup>th</sup> were read and adopted.

The following duly nominated and seconded was passed for membership by ballot: - Miss D Gamble and Miss J Barclay and Miss K Wood Jun<sup>r</sup> Member.

The following accounts were passed for payment: - Messrs A Morris & Co 2/4/3, Ashton Gas Co 8/14/7. Total £10-16-10.

Letters were received from M<sup>r</sup> F W Wright, M<sup>r</sup> W O Bolt, Lt. Col. Barratt, English Golf Union, British Red Cross Society and St John Ambulance Association. The letter from Lt. Col Barratt was in reference to the subscription of serving members in his Majesty's Forces. It was decided that "Officers" serving in the Army should be asked to pay half the current year's subscription.

It was decided in the case of M<sup>r</sup> W S Underwood to waive the current year's subscription.

It was reported that the Nomination Form had to be posted not later than August 31<sup>st</sup> for the Nomination of Captain and Officers and that the three retiring members of Committee were Mess<sup>rs</sup> J H Barratt, C I Baker and F Jones.

It was decided to invite M<sup>r</sup> E S Jones to allow his name to go forward for nomination as Captain. M<sup>r</sup> Jones promised to inform the Captain at an early date if he was prepared to accept the Office.

The Minutes of the Handicap, House and Greens Committee were passed as read.

It was decided that the Secretary order the various mementos as in past years in connection with the cups and which are to be presented at the October General Meeting.

It was decided that Junior Members, Children of full members shall be allowed to play for four consecutive weeks only during the Summer holidays on payment on the sum of ten shillings.

M<sup>r</sup> A Hall gave notice of motion for the Annual Autumn Meeting that the subscription of honorary members be raised to £1-1-0.

**Harold Ridyard**

**12 Sept 1940.**