General Committee Monthly Meeting 18th May 1950

Present: - A Hobson (Cap), W O Bolt, L Butlin, H H Cawthron, N S Dale, J H Firth, J Harrop, H Swallow, T H E D Turner and R Wood.

Apologies for absence received from Messrs R Bennett & E S Jones.

Minutes of last meeting held April 20th were read and approved.

Minutes of the Handicap, House and Green Sub Committees were approved & adopted.

Accounts amounting to the sum of £155-19-9 were passed for payment as follows: - Waterworks Ctee £1-12-1, Anglo-American Oil £2-18-4, Dennis Sharratt Ld £31-5-0, R Cordingley £51-18-1, T King £13-16-2, J Waterhouse & Co £2-0-2, N W Gas Board £12-12-8, Hurst Laundry £1-11-10, R Hartley £8-1-3, Royal Insurance 14/9, J Andrew & Co £23-14-1, Falcon Oil Co Ld £5-0-5, E & A Salthouse 12/9.

The following duly proposed and seconded were admitted to membership by ballot viz -

Playing	M ^r R M Dixon, The Residence Belle Vue	T H E D Turner W Brown
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Junior	Peter E Sowerbutts 21 Pennine Grove	

The following resignations were accepted with regret: Miss Margaret Pidcock, D^r E D Edmundson & Mrs R Whitfield (Hon).

The application of M^r T Coffey to rent approx. 3½ acres of land adjoining Gorsey Lane Farm was granted on the same terms as before. £6 per annum.

A letter of resignation was received from the Steward. The position already having been advertised owing to Mrs Bennett leaving without notice, it was decided that a meeting be held on Wednesday June May 24 to interview selected candidates for the vacant appointment.

An appeal for financial aid from the National Trust was not assented to.

The Meeting terminated with a hearty vote of thanks to the Captain for presiding.

A Hobson 15/6/50

General Committee Special Meeting 24th May 1950

Present: - A Hobson (Cap), H H Cawthron, W O Bolt, J H Firth, J Harrop, R Bennett, N S Dale, R Wood, H Swallow.

The Meeting was held to interview selected applicants for the position of Steward & Stewardess.

The following appeared before the Committee and were questioned as to their qualifications and general fitness for the position viz: -

Mr & Mrs F Leighton Heaton Moor

Mr & Mrs J E Williams Flixton
Mr & Mrs J B Locke Swinton
Mr & Mrs A Farrington Blackley
Mr & Mrs H Buss Ardwick

It was unanimously Resolved: That Mr & Mrs J B Locke be appointed Steward & Stewardess at a joint remuneration of £6-10-0 per week with living accommodation, light & heating free plus profits from Catering. (Gas used for cooking to be paid for by the Steward). The appointment to be subject to one month's notice by either side, and to compliance with the General Conditions and Duties, a copy of which was forwarded to them.

A Hobson 15/6/50