Meeting of the Greens Committee 6 January 1914

Present:- Rev H Parnaby presided Messers H G Hall, H G Hall, H H Knight, R Brown, & Slatter

M^r Parnaby reported progress of the work.

I reference to naming of greens it was decided to have a Social Evening on the 24 January with a competition of suggestions for names of the greens. The House Committee to make all arrangements.

Meeting of the General Committee 6 January 1914

Present: -M^r Parnaby presided. M^r Bleadale, Messrs R Brown, I Dearnaley, H G Hall, H H Knight, A Morris, R Whitworth,& Slatter

Minutes if Previous Meeting read and confirmed.

Business Arising.

The clocks had not yet been purchased. The farmers had agreed to take half their assessment.

Reports of the Committees

The Handicap Committee reported that they had co-opted as member of their Committee D^r Ross and M^r R Brown

The Greens Committee proposed to hold a competition for naming the greens. It was decided to ask M^r Kenworthy to use the basic slag ordered as it would not be convenient for us to use it this Spring. Basic slag would be spread on the fairways next autumn.

The following applicants were elected to membership of the Club.

Harold Shaw of 15 Park Rd Heaton Moor proposed by M^r Andrew, seconded H Slatter George Newton of Brentwood, Smallshaw proposed by Mr P Kershaw, seconded M^r Dearnaley M^{rs} George Newton was elected for vacancy in the Ladies List of Members.

M^r H G Hall offered to see M^r J S Hilton in reference to his overdue subscription.

M^r Parnaby proposed we pay £1-17-6 immediately and an annual fee of £9-15/- to the Post Office for the use of a telephone. Seconded by D^r Bleasdale. Passed.

Rules: It was decided to recommend the General Meeting of Members to alter rule 10, clause B so that visitors should pay for first visit; no free visits as hitherto.

Also that Local Rule 5 be altered to "A ball lying in manure may be lifted without penalty. A ball lying on or under a fence may be lifted and dropped within two club lengths with a penalty of one stroke.

A ballot was taken to decide the order of retirement of members with the following result.

To retire this year: Messrs Andrew, Dearnaley & Dean. To retire next year: Messrs H G Hall, H H Knight and T Kershaw. To retire the third year: Messrs R Whitworth, A Morris & D^r Hamilton.

A bill from M^r Bowler, farmer was presented for £2-10/- rent of tennis ground for Season 1912. Decided that the matter did not concern the Golf Club

H Parnaby 3rd Feb 1914