

**General Committee Meeting Thursday June 17<sup>th</sup> 43.**

Present: - A Hall in the Chair.

Messrs: - C I Baker, H Cawthron, H R Schofield, F Jones, E S Jones, F Thornley, R Wood and J Gibson.

The minutes of last meeting held May 20<sup>th</sup> were read and adopted.

The Captain referred to the loss sustained by M<sup>r</sup> J H Firth and M<sup>r</sup> C I Baker and tendered the sincere sympathy of the Committee with them in their bereavement.

The following accounts were passed for payment: - Ashton Gas Co 22/19/8, J W Hall Ltd 1/6/6, Electricity 4/11/7, Hurst Laundry 1/1/-, Tom King 7/7/4, Stamford Estate 44/5/7, Royal Insurance (Fire) 1/19/9, G Downing & Sons 22/12/6. Total £106-3-11.

The following duly nominated and seconded were passed for membership by ballot: - M<sup>r</sup> R D Bruce and M<sup>rs</sup> H M Bruce.

M<sup>r</sup> Rupert Wood reported the on the interview between the Public Trustee and Surveyor to the Stamford Estate, and himself and the secretary regarding No 16 Field and stated that there would be no difficulty about the field being included in the new lease.

M<sup>r</sup> Bowler had seen both himself and the secretary, and had asked for a meeting with the secretary of the Farmers Union. It was decided that M<sup>r</sup> Wood and the Secretary keep the appointment on Monday June 21<sup>st</sup>.

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

M<sup>r</sup> H R Schofield reported respecting the Electric heating of the Smoke Room by means of plugs and heater and tubular heaters. It was decided not to entertain the question at present.

It was decided to give definitive instructions to M<sup>r</sup> Lansley re decoration of Steward's bedrooms so that same can be carried out when he can undertake the work.

**15/7/43 A Hall.**