

General Committee Meeting Thursday Dec 8th 32.

Present: J Kershaw in the Chair.

Mess^{rs} H L Boardman, H Ridyard, J Taylor, R Wood, E S Jones, E Raines, G Robson, W H Andrew, F Moss and
J Gibson.

The Minutes of last meeting held November 10th were read and adopted.

The resignations of Miss J Fiddian and Miss B Fiddian, junior members, were accepted.

The following accounts were passed for payment: - J Andrew & Co 1/5/2, C H Bowler 1/10/-, E Marshall & Sons 7/10/0, S Sidebottom Ltd 7/9/2, Stamford Estate 47/16/2, H Ellis 1/5/2, Waterworks Land 11/0/6.
Total £77-17-8.

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

In connection with the new panels in the Dining Room it was decided that the 4 panels on the left and one on the right be reserved for the continuance of the existing Honours Board and the 2nd panel on the right be for the Payne Bowl. The Secretary was thanked for his services in designing the panels.

The Secretary reported that he had received a further supply of handbooks and it was decided to deal with them at the beginning of next season.

M^r J Taylor reported that the Annual Dance had been a success and although the Accounts had not yet been completed, he expected the profit to be between twelve and thirteen pounds.

The Captain reported that he, along with Mess^{rs} Raines and Ridyard had interviewed Brennan and discussed various propositions in regard to the Shop and the position generally, and Brennan had been told definitely that there would have to be a decided change.

After considerable discussion it was decided that Brennan be given six months on trial.

M^r Robson suggested that a plank crossing be made in suitable position on the left of No 8 Fairway over the Ditch and this was agreed upon.

The suggestion book was produced and the following suggestion signed by M^r P C Firth was found therein: - That a gateway be made through the hedge at the Dog Leg Hole for players to get through to retrieve lost balls and so prevent damage to the hedge. It was decided that the Committee had no power to interfere with the hedge as it did not belong to them and to search for balls in the adjoining field was an act of trespass and the Committee had no power to facilitate trespass.

The question of Motor Traction was discussed and it was finally decided that if we can find a suitable Tractor within our means, we purchase one.

It was decided after discussion that M^r H J Buckley's offer of a Holt Carrier (three wheel type) be not entertained.

It was decided that Mess^{rs} Andrew, Boardman, Taylor and Gibson form a Sub-Committee to view and then obtain particulars of different types of Motors.

The question of Loan or otherwise for the payment or purchase of a Motor to be considered later.

Jas Kershaw
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