

General Committee Meeting Thursday Nov 12th 31.

Present: G Robson in the Chair.

Mess^{rs} F Moss, J Kershaw, H Ridyard, R Bennett, E Raines, P Tildsley, E S Jones, R Wood, J C Payne, H L Boardman and J Gibson.

The Minutes of last meeting held October 8th were read and passed.

It was decided to transfer the Rev^d F J Wharton from Temporary Member to Playing Member.

The following account was passed for payment: - R Butterworth 4^s 4^d $\frac{1}{2}$.

M^r R Wood reported that he had nothing further to say in regard to the Tower wayleave at present, but expected to have something shortly.

It was decided that we join the Manchester and District Golf Alliance, subscription £1/1/-.

A letter from M^{rs} R E Barrett was read asking for permission to form a gateway in the back fence of her residence to give access on to the Course. It was decided that we had no objection providing such gateway was made up on request from the Committee.

It was resolved that a Banking account be continued with Martins Bank Limited and that the Bank be and is hereby empowered to honour cheques drawn on the said account by Rupert Wood or other Treasurer of the Club for the time being.

It was further resolved that the account of the Ashton-Under-Lyne Golf Club at Martins Bank Ltd be overdrawn from time to time to such an extent as the Club may require and the Bank may think fit to allow and that the party authorised to sign cheques from time to time be and is hereby authorised to overdraw for and on behalf of the Club the said account accordingly.

In connection with guaranteeing of the Bank overdraft as introduced by M^r Wood, it was agreed that the Committee did not see the need of the guarantee and it was left with M^r Wood to explain and arrange accordingly.

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

The Secretary reported that he had received particulars from Ed. J Burrows & Co respecting the proposed handbook and asking for certain information so that publication could be proceeded with. It was decided that the matter be left in the hands of Mess^{rs} W H Andrew, R Bennett and the Secretary with power to act.

On the motion of R Bennett, seconded by W H Andrew it was decided to hold a meeting to discuss finance on Thursday November 19th at 8-0 p.m.

M^r R Wood the Treasurer presented a statement of account with estimated further payments and receipts to the end of the year and this was accepted and will for the basis of discussion at the Finance Meeting.

G Robson

10 Dec 1931