

**General Committee Meeting Thursday Sept 12<sup>th</sup> 40.**

Present: - H Ridyard in the Chair.

Messrs: - Ja<sup>s</sup> Kershaw, R Bennett, E Raines, C I Baker, A Hall, F Jones, G Robson, W H Andrew, J H Barratt, E S Jones and J Gibson.

The Minutes of last Meeting held August 8<sup>th</sup> were read and adopted.

The following duly nominated and seconded were passed for membership by ballot: - M<sup>r</sup> Gilbert Greenwood and M<sup>r</sup> T T McCord.

The following accounts were passed for payment: - J W Hall Ltd 5/6, Tom King 7/5/2, W Monk Ltd 4/10/1. Total £12-0-9.

It was decided to waive the current year's subscription in the case of Miss E Travis who has left the district and not made use of the Course or Club.

The Captain reported that he had received the consent of M<sup>r</sup> E S Jones to nomination as Captain for the coming year.

A hearty vote of thanks was accorded to M<sup>r</sup> H Ridyard for his excellent services as Captain during the past two years, proposed by M<sup>r</sup> E Raines, seconded by M<sup>r</sup> R Bennett and carried and M<sup>r</sup> Ridyard made suitable acknowledgement.

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

It was decided to call the Autumn Meeting for six o'clock owing to the Special Circumstances.

It was reported that M<sup>r</sup> E C W Marshall had joined His Majesty's Forces and it was decided that part of his subscription be refunded as in the case of others.

The question of the professional "H Haslam's" marriage was introduced and it was decided to present him with a cheque for £5-5-0.

It was reported that a ledger belonging to the Club had been found on a tip. This had evidently been collected by the Dustmen and carelessly handled. It was decided that the secretary communicate with the Sanitary Superintendent.

It was decided to post a subscription list for the Ashton-u-Lyne Spitfire Fund.

**E Jones**

**10<sup>th</sup> Oct 40.**