

General Committee Meeting Thursday Feb 23rd 28.

Present: R Bennett in the Chair.

Mess^{rs} G Robson, R Whitworth, J Lohead, J C Payne, F Moss, R Wood, W H Andrew, E S Jones, H Ridyard and J Gibson.

The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

The following duly nominated and seconded were passed for membership by ballot. M^{rs} F Jones and Miss Naylor.

The following resignations were accepted with regret: - M^r Maurice Lees and M^r Lowther Lees.

The following accounts were passed for payment: - J Andrew & Co 17/6, Joseph Shaw 14/6, Audenshaw Brick & Tile Co 14/18/-, Lancashire Union of Golf Clubs 1/1/-, Mess^{rs} Bower, Cotton & Bower 12/2/-, Mess^{rs} Lord & Barker 1/7/3, Mess^{rs} Wright Woodrow & Ayson 1/15/-, S Travis 5/19/3, S Sidebottom Ltd 7/15/-. Total £46-9-6.

A vote of thanks was given to M^r Whitworth for his valuable services in obtaining a considerable reduction in the account for preparing Lease of Land.

The question of having fires merely for a few members was discussed and it was decided that the Captain interview the Ladies Secretary and point out the need for economy in this direction.

The Minutes of the House Committee were read and passed.

The Minutes of the Handicap Committee were read and passed.

The programme of events and Draft Calendar for the coming season was read and certain alterations made and accepted, and the Sub-Cmte thanked for their services.

The estimate of £13-17-6 for repairs and replacements to the Triple Mower was accepted.

It was reported that the Steward had now completed 12 months' service and that he would be glad if the Committee could see their way to grant an advance in Salary.

It was decided to defer this matter to the next meeting.

R Bennett

15.3.28.