

## **General Committee Meeting Thursday April 8<sup>th</sup> 37.**

Present: R Wood in the Chair.

Messrs Ja<sup>s</sup> Kershaw, R Bennett, E Raines, J Taylor, H L Boardman, G Robson, H Ridyard, S Hall, J H Barratt, E S Jones, W H Andrew and J Gibson.

The Minutes of last meeting held March 11<sup>th</sup> were read and adopted.

The following duly nominated and seconded were passed for membership: - M<sup>r</sup> E Buckley & M<sup>r</sup> F C Dixon: Junior Membership M<sup>r</sup> F H Payne and Miss Judith Fiddian and Honorary Member Miss M M Humphreys.

The following resignations were accepted: - D<sup>r</sup> E L H Ellis, and H D Crowther, Country Member also Miss M Reaney and M<sup>rs</sup> Jean Lees and M<sup>r</sup> J Rowbottom Hon Member. The following transfers from playing to honorary membership were agreed to: - M<sup>r</sup> W G Baker, M<sup>r</sup> T Earnshaw, M<sup>rs</sup> T Earnshaw, M<sup>rs</sup> R Whitfield.

The following accounts were passed for payment: - J Waterhouse & Co 2/8/1, J Ridyard & Sons 5/14/10, J Andrew & Co 6/17/-, Gas Account 2/9/8 and Taylor & Fothergill 11/4. Total £18-0-1.

The secretary report that insurances had been revised and that the Third Party limit of liability had been raised to £5000. The insurances of the Caddies in the name of Brennan had been effected on the basis of 20 Caddies at £25 each or a total of £500, premium £3-11-0.

It was reported that the Ladies had applied for a further two days other than Wednesdays for Bell Cup Competition, April 6<sup>th</sup> Tuesday and Match against Fairfield at Home June 21<sup>st</sup> Tuesday and this was approved.

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

A letter from M<sup>r</sup> E Williamson was received requesting transfer of his loan of £5-4-0 to the payment of his current subscription and this was agreed to.

A letter was received from the Ladies Committee requesting that Tea, Coffee and biscuits or cake should be allowed to be served in the Club Room on first floor on Wednesdays before 8-0 p.m. and this was agreed upon.

The letter of resignation from the Club Professional J Brennan was read and accepted subject to one month's notice. In the matter of professional it was decided to fill the vacancy and to advertise in the Evening news and Chronicle.

A letter was received from Mess<sup>rs</sup> Ransomes, Sims and Jeffries was read stating that they would be pleased to give a demonstration of their Over Green mower on a date to be arranged.

M<sup>r</sup> Wood raised the question of lack of ventilation in the Locker Room and M<sup>r</sup> S Hall agreed to go into the question.

M<sup>r</sup> Robson presented and explained the statement of accounts for the Year ending March 25<sup>th</sup> 1937 and after discussion it was decided that after submission to Mess<sup>rs</sup> R Wood and E Raines the same be printed.

**Rupert Wood**  
**Capt. 13/5/37**

**Special General Committee Meeting Thursday April 22<sup>nd</sup> 1937.**

Present: R Wood in the Chair.

Messrs H L Boardman, J H Barratt, E Raines, E S Jones, G Robson, Jas Kershaw, W H Andrew, H Ridyard, J Taylor, Reg Bennett, Syd Hall and J Gibson.

The Meeting was called to receive applications for the vacancy of Golf Professional.

The Secretary furnished a list of 24 applications with particulars and after the whole list had been considered the list was reduced to five as follows: - J Weldon J<sup>r</sup>, Huddersfield; T G Renouf, Marple; C H Parker, Mellor; E Page, Didsbury; A H Haslam, Withington; and it was decided to interview these on Thursday commencing at 7.30 p.m. 29<sup>th</sup> inst.

A discussion took place regarding the employment of the new professional on the course and it was decided that the professional should not do any work on the course.

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**Capt. 13/5/37**

**Special General Committee Meeting Thursday April 29<sup>th</sup> 1937.**

Present: R Wood in the Chair.

Messrs H L Boardman, Reg Bennett, E S Jones, H Ridyard, J Taylor, E Raines, Geo. Robson, Syd Hall, J H Barratt, W H Andrew and J Gibson.

The meeting was called to interview the following applicants for the position of Professional: - J Weldon Jun<sup>r</sup>, Huddersfield; T G Renouf Jun<sup>r</sup>, Stockport; C H Parker, Mellor; Eric Page, Didsbury; and A H Haslam, Withington.

All the above were interviewed and finally A H Haslam was selected and appointed, subject to a salary of 25<sup>s</sup>/- per week and one month's notice either side.

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