

General Committee Monthly Meeting
17th August 1950

Present: - A Hobson (Cap), L Butlin, W O Bolt, H H Cawthron, J H Firth, J Harrop, E S Jones, H Swallow, T H E D Turner.

Apologies for absence were received from R Bennett, W Brown, N S Dale and R Wood.

The Minutes of the last Monthly Meeting held on July 20th were read & confirmed,

The Minutes of the House and Green Sub Committees were approved and adopted.

Accounts amounting to the sum of £83-14-11 were passed for payment viz: - N W Gas Board £12-11-10, R Hartley £2-8-0, Sevko Ld 16/6, J Ridyard & Sons Ld £19-17-11, Salthouses (Motors) Ld £4-1-6, W Brown & Sons Ld £4-19-0, Golf Monthly 18/-, J W Hall (AuL) Ld £2-16-9, Hurst Laundry £2-11-0, Wireless Licence £2-0-0, T King £10-15-1, Telephone £20-0-3.

The Secretary reported that the Nomination Sheet for the election of Officers and Members of the General Committee would be posted in the Clubroom on Saturday August 26th and that there would be three vacancies to fill, all for three years, the retiring members being Messrs R Wood, R Bennett & L Butlin. M^r E S Jones intimated ~~that~~ his intention to resign from the Committee, as from the Autumn General Meeting, one year before the end of the term for which he was elected. The number of vacancies will therefore be increased to four, three for three years and one for one year.

It was unanimously decided that M^r A Hobson be invited to accept nomination for the Office of Captain for a further period of one year. M^r Hobson agreed and thanked the Committee for their recommendation.

A petition was received signed by 50 members of the Club, protesting against the recent decision of the Committee prohibiting card playing in the Dining Room. After a long discussion it was decided that Card Playing in the Dining Room be permitted from 10 oc p.m. to the hour of closing the Club premises in accordance with Rule 23.

The defacement of the Notice prohibiting Card Playing in the Dining Room was discussed and it was decided that a further notice would be placed warning the offenders that any recurrence of such conduct would be severely dealt with.

The Secretary read a letter from M^r R Cordingley re fencing at Gorsey Lane Farm.

The Meeting terminated with a hearty vote of thanks to the Captain.

A Hobson
21/9/50