Committee Meeting Thursday April 24th 1924.

Present: J Lochead in the Chair. Mess^{rs} H Slatter, G Robson, F L Eaton, S W Herbert, J C Payne, F Moss, W H Andrew, R Bennett & J Gibson.

Minutes of last meeting were read and passed.

The following duly nominated and seconded were passed for membership:- J H Knowles, Captⁿ Arnold Taylor, Miss E Mithchell, M^{rs} Sarah Knight, Miss Joan Knight, Miss D Glazier, and M^{rs} Jo^s H Taylor

The following resignations were accepted:- J R Shaw, S Sidebottom, Frank Hall, M^{rs} B Hall, Miss L Wrigley and M^{rs} F Sidebottom,

The transfer of M^{rs} E Entwistle form playing to honorary member was agreed to.

The undermentioned accounts were passed for payment:- S Travis 5/4/3, Royal Insurance Co 17/-, Gledhill 21-10-0, Gledhill apportioned rates 6/16/1, J W Kenworthy 20/-/-, Water rate 1/7/4, Ashton Gas Co 2/2/3, J W Hall Ltd 1/7/-, T Maclean 18/1/6, S Sidebottom Ltd 11/8/8, Gas Co "Gas" 7/3/9, Telephone account 3/1/8. Total £98-19-6.

The financial statement was read over by the Treasurer who was complimented on the very satisfactory balance sheet.

A letter was read from the Groundsman H G Taylor, stating his requirements, and making sundry suggestions and same were duly considered. IN regard to the fertiliser and worm killer, a lengthy discussion took place; and it was eventually decided that the Secretary write Mess^{rs} Carters and obtain particulars and prices, also M^r John Green of Hurst and that M^r F Moss obtain particulars and wholesale prices in addition: such prices etc. to be submitted to a meeting to be held on Thursday next, Mat 1st at 8-30 p.m.

A letter from the Lancashire and Cheshire Insurance Co was read, stating that they would forward cheque for £3-10-0 for damage done to the Garage doors by Motor.

A letter from M^r J F Stott was read stating that owing to a breakdown in health, he was unable to act as Auditor, and would like to with draw his name from future nomination. It was decided that the Secretary write M^r Stott expressing the sympathy of the Committee with him, coupled with the wish that he would be speedily restored to health.

The Report of the House Committee was accepted as being very satisfactory indeed.

The Report of the Handicap Committee was approved and the draft circular prepared by the sub-committee was read by M^r Bennett in connection with the proposed Open Mixed Foursomes Competition, and after one or two minor alterations was accepted.

The Report of the Greens Committee was accepted.

James Lochead 15/5/24