General Committee Meeting 21st Decr 1950

Present: - A Hobson (Cap), W O Bolt, W Brown, H H Cawthron, F Cooper, N S Dale, J H Firth, J Harrop, V Haworth, H Swallow, T H E D Turner, N L Wright& R Wood.

Minutes of last Meeting held November 16th were read and approved.

The Secretary reported that he had appeared before the Magistrates and obtained an extension of the Liquor Licence to 1.30 a.m. on the occasion of the New Year Social Evening and Dance on the 29th December.

M^r Cooper asked if the question of granting the use of the Smoke Room to the Social Committee on this special occasion could be further considered and it was decided by a majority vote that the matter be not re-opened.

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

Accounts amounting to the sum of £175-4-10 were passed for payment as follows: - Course Inland Revenue £46-13-9, E Wild & Sons Ld £13-10-0, J W Hall Ld 19/-, Hurst Laundry £1-11-0, N W Gas Board £12-10-4, Harry Taylor £26-6-6, Hadfield (Signwriters) £3-6-0, Tom King £15-12-9, A Jones, £29-15-6, S Hall & Son £25-0-0.

The resignation of D^r T Sargent was received and accepted with regret.

Resolved: That the Captain, Ex-Captain, Messrs W Brown, N S Dale and J Harrop be appointed as Calendar Sub-Committee.

The Catering Sub-Committee reported that they met on Tuesday November 28th to consider a revised price list for meals &c submitted by the Stewardess when there were present Mrs H Swallow, Ladies Capt, Mrs W G Baker, Mrs Henshall, Messrs A Hobson (Cap), J H Firth, N S Dale, & H Swallow and agreed to an increase generally of 3^d per meal, coffee increased to 6^d per cup. The suggestion to increase the charge for pots of tea from 4^d to 6^d was not agreed.

The question of payment for Gas used for cooking was considered and it was decided that the Steward be required to pay 6-6-0. 75% for September Quarter.

Resolved that the usual Christmas Gratuities of £1 each be paid to E Brooks, J Lees< C Ogden, Mrs Gillett, C Gillett, Mrs Locke, Mr Locke and the waitress.

The Secretary reported that the Decorators would commence work on the 15 January and was instructed to send a circular letter to all members asking for their co-operation in clearing the Locker Rooms from all articles of clothing, shoes and golf equipment for which they had no further use. It was also arranged that gummed discs would be provided to fix over ventilation holes in locker doors to protect members effects from washing liquid which might otherwise cause damage to the contents.

A letter was received from the Ashton Boys Club requesting a donation to their Funds. Lie on the Table.

The Secretary reported receipt of a letter from Mr S King re supplies of fuel and the Captain agreed to see Mr King on this matter.

Resolved: That the action of the Captain in authorising a further extension to the Pro's Shop be and is hereby approved.

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

A Hobson 19/1/51