General Committee Meeting 20th Oct 1949

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

The Minutes of the last monthly meeting held September 15/1949 and Special Meeting held Sep 20/49 were read and confirmed.

Hon Secretaries to Sub-Committees were appointed as follows: Handicap Sub – W Brown House Sub - H H Cawthron Green Sub - H Swallow

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

The following accounts were passed for payment:-

Corporation Duty £1-2-6, S Hall & Son £25-0-0, T King £7-0-0, Water Rent £1-12-1, Gas £16-5-7, Electricity £15-15-0, Hurst Laundry £4-12-7, J W Edge 12/6, Waterhouse & Co 7/9, Fletcher Miller £1-9-0, Pratt & Co (Advertising) £1-18-6, J Andrew & Co £8-6-5, W brown & Son £1-19-6, S Cartwright £-15/9, H Swallow £8-10-0, N Senthouse £-16/7. Total £96-3-9.

Resolved: That the Club bear the cost of one quarter of Gas consumed on the premises.

The following nominations were balloted for, unanimously approved and the names ordered to be put on the waiting list.

Playing	Mr H Hargreaves	Astley Rd Stalybridge	(P) A V Powrie (S) A Lees
Junior	Mary Heathcote	27 Poplar Grove A u L	N Sykes F H Rowley
Junior	Connie D Howarth	18 Woodlands Rd A u L	H Howarth J H Firth
Junior	Granville B Stubbs	Lees Rd A U L	F Thornley S King

Resolved: That the Secretary be authorised to purchase crockery as required also additional towels for the locker rooms.

M^r W O Bolt was elected as this Committee's representative on the Social Committee along with the Captain who is ex-officio Chairman.

Resolved: That the application of Mr S H Prophet for refund of a portion of his entrance fee and Subscription be not acceded to.

Resolved: That no action be taken regarding the Maintenance Service of Refrigerator at an annual payment of £8.

Notices of Meetings of the Manchester Golf Alliance on October 28th & the Balfour & Houldsworth Challenge Cups Committee on October 25 were received.

Letters of acknowledgement of the good wishes of the Autumn General Meeting were read from Messrs C I Baker & W F Buckley.

Correspondence was also received from

- (A) Captain of the District Bank Club
- (B) Organising Sec of the Poppy Day Appeal
- (C) British Empire Nurses War Memorial Fund
- (D) British "Bridge" League.

Several suggestions referred from the Annual General meeting were considered and dealt with as follows:

"Men playing on Ladies Competition Days"

Attention to be called (by notice posted in the Clubhouse) to Rule on page 9 of Calendar. "That single names be accepted on Time Sheet"

It was decided that single names be allowed to stand until Thursday night after which they may be struck out in favour of a complete entry. It was also decided that in four ball competitions the intervals on the time sheet shall be 6 minutes.

No action was taken in respect of the suggestions regarding Photos of Captains or Mementos for retiring Captains.

The question of methods of marking in Stableford Competitions was left to the Calendar Sub-Ctee.

A hearty vote of thanks to the Captain for presiding terminated the Meeting.

A Hobson 23/10/49