

General Committee Meeting Thursday Oct 14th 37.

Present: - R Wood in the Chair

Messrs: - H L Boardman, Ja^s Kershaw, R Bennett, H Ridyard, E S Jones, S Hall, J H Barratt, Geo Robson E Raines and J Gibson.

The Minutes of last Meeting held September 9th were read and adopted.

M^r G N Allan duly nominated and seconded was passed for membership by ballot.

The following accounts were passed for payment: - Finnigans Ltd 10/16/-, Tom King 5/13/6, J Andrew & Co 17/6, J W Hall Ltd 13/6, J G Wagstaff Ltd 10/-, Borough Rates on Land and clubhouse 119/14/9, Telephone A/c 4/1/7. Total £141-16-10.

In regard to the four vacancies recently filled on the Committee Messrs H Ridyard, J H Barratt, Ja^s Kershaw and S Hall, it was agreed that M^r Ja^s Kershaw serve for one year and the others three years.

It was decided that M^r F H Crossley be again written to re arrears of subscription.

The sub-committee reported in response to the Smoke Room ventilation that it would be costly to carry out satisfactorily and that the Large Room was in need of ventilation and considered that the whole should be dealt with if possible and funds would allow. The matter was left over for presentation at the next meeting

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

The suggestions made by members at the Annual Meeting were considered: - That a refrigerator be provided, It was decided that this matter lie on the table.

In regard to lengthening and tightening up of the Course it was decided that Brooks the Groundsman, also Haslam the professional should be asked to prepare a rough report on same, also that the consideration be given to the question at a Special Meeting to be arranged later.

In regard to the par score for handicapping purposes: This was considered unnecessary.

It was decided that changes in handicaps should be posted on the notice board in the Smoke Room, but the amount of sweep money should not be posted.

The election of the Secretaries of the sub-committees resulted as follows: - Handicap Committee M^r J Taylor, House Committee M^r J H Barratt, Greens Committee M^r J Gibson.

Four members of the General Committee were elected to the Social Committee; Mess^{rs} E S Jones, R Bennett, S Hall and J H Barratt and M^r Barratt kindly agreed to act as the Secretary.

Rupert Wood
Capt. 11/11/37.