

serious dislocation to their arrangements as Cattle Exporters. After discussing the matter, it was agreed that all this Society could do is to give publicity to the letter, and to ask Producers to co-operate in every way with the Cattle trade to eliminate the irreparable harm which is being done to the industry in general.

The following new members were elected:-

J. O'Flynn, Tarkina, Bantree, Proposed by Mr. Kelleher, M.R.C.V.S., seconded by P.T. McEliden, T.D.

John O'Donoghue, Rock View House, Kilcorney, Panteen, Proposed by Mr. T. Kelleher; seconded by H. Burns.

Eugene O'Hanrahan, Ballyneekin, Kilbrittain, Proposed by P. J. O'Connell; seconded by M. Hayes.

Mrs. E. Wall, Crookstown, Proposed by F. McEll.

Seconded by D. Cronin.

D.G. McEvillan, Kilcolta, Crosshaven, Proposed by C. V. Gool; seconded by M.D. Hosford.

On the motion of Mr. H.S. Hayes, seconded by Mr. B.E. Hosford, the following cheques, as recommended by the Finance Committee, were passed:-

Inc. Tax on Rent from Storage of Blocks at Show Grounds £17. 12. 6.; Inc. Tax. (Sch.A.) Property 1bx - 253.11.10; Alliance Assurance Co. Ltd. (Fire Insurance) - 246. 6. 0; Cork Corporation (Rent) £12. 10. 0; Coras Iompair Eireann (4 tons Boiler Tubes) £36. 0. 0; Wm. Carroll & Co. £1. 15. 9.

In accordance with the rules of the Society, four members who were the longest in office, should retire, but were eligible for re-election. The following were the members to retire this year:- Messrs M.D. Hosford, T. O'Leary & P.J. O'Connell, and it was necessary to draw lots to determine who the fourth member would be amongst the following: (it being agreed that the first name out of the hat should be the member to retire):- Messrs T. Dobbins, C. Donovan, J.S. Henderon, B.F. Hosford, J. Lynch, T. O'Driscoll, & S. O'Driscoll. Mr. B.E. Hosford, being the first name out, was the fourth to retire.

The Secretary then announced that the following retire, through having the least number of attendances, and who are not eligible for re-election for one year:- Messrs W.P. Clarke, T.P.D. Gooch, P.J. McEliden, T.D., P. D. Lehane, F. Murphy & D. O'Leary. As eight members must retire, it was necessary to draw lots between the three members having the same number of attendances, to determine which two would go off, but these, in accordance with the rules, were eligible for re-election, as they had given the minimum attendances necessary, viz:- six. The following were the three members amongst whom lots were drawn:- Messrs T.N. Desmond, B.L., P.A. O'Sullivan & T.J. Spillane, it being agreed that the first two Members' names out of the lot would go off, viz:- Messrs T.N. Desmond, B.L. and T.J. Spillane.

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