

General Committee:

Meeting of the General Committee held on Saturday, 20th September, 1947, Mr. E.J. Clarke, President, in the chair, also present Sir Geo. Colthurst, Bart, Major W.E. Bell, Messrs J.B. Roberts, Stephen Murphy, M. Twomey, H. Twomey, J.W. Young, J. Daly, M.R.C.V.S., C. V. Good, M. A. O'Sullivan, E. Wall, D. Cronin, M. Corkery, P. J. O'Connell, T. O'Leary, M. Ryan, T.J. Spillane, L. Dobbin, J. S. Henderson, D. Hurley, F. Murphy, T. O'Driscoll, and A.H. Moore, Hon. Secretary.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

President's thanks for vote of condolence:

Arising out of thereading of the Minutes, the President said he would desire to thank the members for their vote of condolence passed to him on the death of his brother.

New Member:

On the motion of Mr. D. Cronin, seconded by Mr. T. O'Driscoll, Mr. J.C. Murphy, of Rockgrove, Coachford, was elected a member.

Cheques:

On the motion of Mr. D. Hurley, seconded by Mr. M. Ryan, the following cheques, as recommended by the Finance Committee, were passed:-

- W.J. Hickey, Ltd. £ 36. 13. 0; Post Master General (Loss on Telegraph Office, Summer Show) £6.12. 3;
- Munster Canine Assoc. £7. 5. 9; Cork Gas Co. £27. 3.4;

Members of Show Committee to retire:

In accordance with the rules of the Society, three members of the Show Committee, having the least number of attendances, retired, but were eligible for re-election provided they were still members of the General Committee. The names of the outgoing members were Messrs J. Daly, M.R.C.V.S., E. Wall, Lots both having the same number of attendances. Mr. D. Cronin's name having been withdrawn from the hat, he was declared to be the third member to retire, in accordance with the rules.

Nominations for outgoing members:

The Secretary stated that all candidates for election on the Show Committee should be proposed and seconded by two members, and their names, with those of the Proposers and Seconders, delivered to the Secretary in writing by the 8th October, the election to take place at the next Meeting of this Committee.

Nominations were handed in for the outgoing members, on the motion of Mr. A.H. Moore, seconded by Mr. F. Murphy.

Vote of condolence:

On the motion of Mr. M. Corkery, seconded by a vote of condolence was passed to Mr. M. Ryan on the death of his mother.

Letter received in connection with the supplying of hay:

A letter was read from Verband Landw, Genossenschaft von Bern und benachbarter Kantone, Speichergasse 12, asking if this Society could furnish approximately one thousand to five thousand tons baled hay c.i.f. Antwerp, and if the Society did not deal in hay, to kindly give the address of some big wholesale dealers, together with their telegraphic address. It was also stated in the letter to please give a quotation for different kinds of hay, if possible, as well as for straw. The matter was left in the members' hands to do what they could, if interested.

Resume of attendance at Consultative Council Meeting:

The President then gave a short resume of his recent attendance at the Meeting of the Consultative Council, which was held in Dublin, and, on the motion of Mr. E. Wall, a hearty vote of thanks was passed to the President for the manner in which he detailed the business conducted at this Council Meeting.

*A.J. Clarke.
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