

General Committee:

Meeting of the General Committee held on Saturday, September 20, 1952. In the absence of the President (Mr. E.J. Clarke), on the motion of Mr. T.N. Desmond B.L., seconded by Mr. J.S. Henderson, Mr. P.J. O'Connell was moved to the chair; also present Messrs J.B. Roberts, E. Wall, H. Twomey, W.W. Nicholson, M.A. O'Sullivan, T.N. Desmond, B.L., B.E. Hosford, T. O'Leary, M. Ryan, M.L. Twomey, J.B. Barter, C.V. Good, R. Good, H.S. Hayes, J.S. Henderson, F. Murphy, M. Corkery, D. Cronin, J. Daly, M.R.C.V.S., J. Desmond, L. Dobbin, C. Donovan, J.F.D. Good, M.D. Hosford, A.E. Jeffery, T. McGrath, J. R. Nicholson, J. O'Driscoll, J.W. Young, and Sean Murphy.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed. An apology for non-attendance was received from ^{White} Col. On the motion of Mr. T.N. Desmond, B.L., seconded by Mr. F. Murphy, cheques, as recommended by the Finance Committee were passed (see folio..... of Minute Book.)

Cheques:

Retiring members from Show Committee:

The Secretary announced that, according to Rule 22 of the Society, three members of the Show Committee, having the least number of attendances, should retire annually, and would be eligible for re-election provided they are still members of the General Committee. The names of the retiring members for this year are:- Messrs D. Cronin, J. Daly, M.R.C.V.S. J.B. Roberts and E. Wall.

Lots drawn: in connection with above:

As three members of the above tied with equal attendances, it would be necessary to draw lots to determine which one of them should not seek re-election. It was, therefore, agreed to draw lots, and that the first name out of the hat would remain on the Committee. The three names were then put into the hat, viz:- Messrs D. Cronin, J.B. Roberts, and E. Wall, and, Mr. Cronin's name being drawn from the hat, he was allowed to remain on the Committee. The three remaining members, viz:- Messrs J. Daly, M.R.C.V.S., J.B. Roberts & E. Wall, retired from the Show Committee, but are eligible for re-election. He (the Secretary) further stated that the rule also laid down that candidates for election on the Show Committee must be proposed and seconded by two members, and their names, with those of the Proposers and Seconders, delivered to the Secretary on or before Wednesday, October 8.

Vote of condolence:

On the motion of Mr. P.J. O'Connell, seconded by Mr. M.D. Hosford, a vote of condolence was passed to Most Rev. Dr. Lucey (Bishop of Cork); and to Most Rev. Dr. Cohalan (Bishop of Waterford) - on the death of the late Most Rev. Dr. D.I. Cohalan, Bishop of Cork.

P. J. O'Connell. 18. 10. 52