

General Committee:

Meeting of the General Committee held on Saturday, November 16, 1957, Present - Messrs P.J. O'Connell, E. Wall, J.S. Henderson, Sean Murphy, Jas. Cashman, B.E. Hosford, M.A. O'Sullivan, J.F. Bowen, J.E. Casey, R. Good, W.W. Nicholson, L. Cashman, M. Corkery, C. Donovan, A.E. Jeffery, J.C. Murphy, Stephen Murphy, T. Quill, M. Ryan, Hugh Twomey, J.B. Barter, J. Daly, M.R.C.V.S., J. Desmond, T.N. Desmond, B.L., D. Hurley, J.R. Nicholson, H.C. O'Sullivan, J.W.F. Roberts, J.W. Young, T.J. Young,

In the absence of the President - Major W.B. Bell - Mr. P.J. O'Connell was moved to the chair, on the proposition of Mr. J.E. Barter, seconded by Mr. H. Twomey.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read, approved and signed.

The Minutes of Meetings of the Finance & Show Committees were read to the Meeting.

Cheques:

The following accounts, as recommended by the Finance Committee, were passed for payment:- (on the proposition of Mr. M. Ryan, seconded by Mr. W.W. Nicholson) -

Show Jumping Assoc. £3 (deducted from prize winner of Comp. 11; as entry in Cork Examiner's Xhampion-ship Trophy).
 J. Atkins & Co. £5. 19. 9 - materials for maintenance at Show Grounds.
 Irish National Inscce Co. £4. 5.0 (Fidelity guarantee).
 H. Cudmore & Co. £10. 18. 9 - ground rent to 1.11.57.
 Accountant, Telephones - £21. 2. 3 - period July-Sept, 1957.
 Atkins, Chirnside & Co. - £105 - audit fees, 1956.
 Cork Corporation - £11. 0. 7 - water rate - quarter ending 20.9.57.
 O.K. Garages, Ltd. - £7. 16. 10 - repairs to Tractor, etc.
 Salaries & Pension - £111.

Vacancy on Show Committee:

In accordance with Rule 25 of the Society, it has been proposed by Mr. T.J. Young, and seconded by Mr. C.V. Good, that Mr. B.E. Hosford be elected a member of the Show Committee to fill the vacancy created by the death of the late Mr. M.D. Hosford. There being no further nominations, Mr. B.E. Hosford was declared elected.

Votes of sympathy:

Mr. T.N. Desmond proposed that a vote of sympathy be extended to the relatives of the late Mr. Frank Murphy. Mr. Desmond stated that Mr. Murphy was a very valuable member of the General Committee for a number of years; he gave good service to the Society; and everybody regretted his passing. The proposal was seconded by Mr. M. Ryan, all members standing as a mark of respect.

Mr. Sean Murphy proposed, and Mr. J.E. Barter seconded that a vote of sympathy be extended to Mr. T.N. Desmond on the death of his father-in-law.

Re improvement in appearance of Show Grounds:

Mr. J.F. Bowen asked if anything could be done to improve the appearance of the grounds by way of planting shrubs and flowers. It was generally agreed by the members that these improvements were necessary. A general discussion took place on the ways and means of providing them. It was finally decided to leave the matter in the hands of the Sub. Committee and Mr. J.F. Bowen.

Dec. 21. 1957. *Therese*