

General Committee:

Meeting of the General Committee held on Saturday, October 19, 1957. Members present:- Messrs P.J. O'Connell, E. Wall, J.S. Henderson, Sean Murphy, Jas. Cashman, J.P.D. Good, B.E. Hosford, T. O'Leary, M.A. O'Sullivan, J.P. Bowen, J.B. Casey, R. Good, W.W. Nicholson, L. Cashman, M. Corkery, C. Donovan, A.E. Jeffery, T.C. Murphy, Stephen Murphy, T. Quill, M. Ryan, H. Twomey, J.B. Parker, D. Cronin, J. Daly, M.R. C.W.S., J. Desmona, C.V. Good, D. Hurley, T.R. Nicholson, H.C. O'Sullivan.

In the absence of the President - Major Bell - Mr. P.J. O'Connell was moved to the chair, on the proposition of Mr. J. S. Henderson, seconded by Mr. M. Cashman.

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

The Acting Secretary stated that, consequent on the storage of grain at the Show Grounds, he had deemed it advisable to have the Fire Brigade Officials inspect the site, with a view to taking all precautions against any possible risk of fire. He had now received a report from the Chief Officer of the Fire Brigade, which he read to the Meeting. He stated that recommendations made by the Chief Fire Officer had been met as far as possible. The report was considered satisfactory.

The Show Jumping Assoc. of Ireland wrote, marking the Society for their generous subscription to the Association's funds.

Correspondence:

Re fire risk at
Show Grounds:

Election of Member
(Mr. M. Roche):

Letters of sympathy
to Society:

A communication received from Mr. M. O'Brien - a member of the Dog Show Committee - recommended that Mr. M. Roche, of Mount Pleasant, Glashan Rd, Cork, be elected a member of the Dog Show Committee. After a discussion, it was decided to accept the recommendation.

Mr. Roche - not being a member of the Society - his election to membership was proposed by Mr. E. Wall, and seconded by Mr. P. J. O'Connell, and agreed to.

Court Cork Poultry-keepers' Assoc. and the Irish Shows Association tendered their sympathy to the Society on the death of their Secretary - the late Mr. T. O'Donovan. Acknowledgments of votes of sympathy were received from the following:- Mrs. E. O'Donovan (widow of the late Secretary - Mr. T. O'Donovan); Mr. & Mrs. C. O'Donovan, Blackrock, Cork; Mr. D. Cronin, Aherns; Mrs. E. Hosford; Mr. E. Hosford; Mr. T.N. Desmond.

On the proposal of Mr. Jas. Cashman, seconded by Mr. D. Hurley, the following accounts, as recommended by the Finance Committee, were passed for payment:- Cork Examiner - £2. (advertising office costs); Electricity Supply Board - £27. 17. 1 (light - Show Grounds, Marine Hall & 21, Cook Street); Royal Insurance Co. - £15. 8. 10 (annual premium - third party policy); D.M. Sherrard & Co. £5. 7. 5 (petrol & oil for Tractor); Salaries & Pension - £11; Irish Kernel Club - £5 (affiliation fee to I.K.C.); Petty Cash £10; Royal Typewriters - £7. 4. 6 (hire of typewriter, repairs, etc.).