

General Committee:

Minutes of Meeting of the General Committee held on July 19, 1958. Present:- Messrs F.J. O'Connell, E. Wall, J.S. Henderson, J. Cashman, J.F. Bowen, R. Good, W.W. Nicholson, L. Cashman, C. Donevan, A. E. Jeffery, J. C. Murphy, Stephen Murphy, M. Ryan, H. Twomey, J.B. Barter, J. Desmond, D. Hubley, J. R. Nicholson, H.G. O'Sullivan, J. B. Casey, M. Corkery, D. Cronin, J. Daly, M.R.C.V.S., B. E. Hosford, B.J.C. Hosford, Sean Murphy, T. O'Leary, M. A. O'Sullivan, T. W. Young, T.J. Young, and Brigadier W.J. Cahill.

Apology:

Apology from the President, Major W.R. Bell.

In the absence of the President, Major Bell, Mr. P. J. O'Connell was moved to the chair, on the proposition of Mr. S. Murphy, seconded by Mr. B.E. Hosford.

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

Minutes of Sub. Committees since last Meeting were also read.

Acknowledgments of Cakes, etc. from recent Show:

The Secretary stated acknowledgments had been received from Greenmount Industrial School, Buckingham House School, and from the Home for Industrial Blind, for Cakes, Bread and Eggs handed over to these places on completion of the Summer Show.

Judges' Reports:

Reports on the Horse and Cattle classes judged at the recent Show were read. The reports were considered satisfactory.

Re: Dates of 1959 Spring & Summer Shows:

The dates of the Spring & Summer Shows, 1959, were considered, and, after a discussion, it was agreed that the exhibitors on the General Committee should consider this matter of dates for next Spring Show and report back for the next Monthly Meeting in August.

Date of Summer Show, 1959, fixed:

On the proposition of Mr. E. Wall, seconded by Mr. C. Donovan, and unanimously agreed to, the following dates were fixed for the holding of next year's Summer Show - June 23, 24 & 25.

Suggestions & Recommendations:

The members, on being invited to submit any suggestions, or recommendations, as a result of their recent experiences at the Summer Show, made the following:-

- (a) An effort should be made to have a Blacksmith available on the Grounds.
- (b) The Stewards in the Cattle Rings should not permit the Rings to be used by exhibitors for exercising Ponies or Horses.
- (c) Four-year-old horses should be stabled in East or North halls if possible.
- (d) An all out effort should be made to have the Parade of Prizewinners carried out at the appointed time.

Re holding of an Autumn Show:

Mr. J.F. Bowen asked if it was intended to hold an Autumn Show this year. It was agreed to place the matter on the agenda for the next Meeting of the Show Committee.

Accounts:

On the proposal of Mr. B.J.C. Hosford, seconded by Mr. W.W. Nicholson, the following accounts, recommended by the Finance Committee, were passed for payment:-

(as per accounts recommended for payment at Finance Meeting - see Folio 247.....)

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