

General Committee:

Minutes of Meeting of the General Committee held on Saturday, September 20, 1958, Present:- Messrs P.J. O'Connell, E. Wall, J.S. Henderson, J. Cashman, J.F. Bowen, R. Good, W.W. Nicholson, L. Cashman, C. Donovan, A.E. Jeffery, J.C. Murphy, Stephen Murphy, M. Ryan, J.B. Barter, J. Desmond, T.N. Desmond, B.L., D. Hurley, J.R. Nicholson, J.B. Casey, M. Corkery, D. Cronin, J. Daly, M.R.C.V.S., J.F.D. Good, B.E. Hosford, B.J.C. Hosford, Sean Murphy, T. O'Leary, M. A. O'Sullivan, J.W.F. Roberts, J.W. Young, T.J. Young and Brigadier M.J. Cahill.

Apology:

Apology from Major W.B. Bell.

On the proposition of Mr. T.N. Desmond, seconded by Mr. Sean Murphy, Mr. P.J. O'Connell was moved to the chair, in the absence of the President, Major W.B. Bell.

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

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

Accounts:

The following ^{Accounts} ~~phases~~, recommended by the Finance Committee, were (on the proposal of Mr. J.F.D. Good, seconded by Brigadier M.J. Cahill) passed for payment:-

Kilmallock Co-op. Creamery (Butter boxes for shrubs)	£3. 10. 0;
Eagle Printing Co. (Printing & Stationery)	£1, 120. 8. 3;
Show Jumping Assoc. (Cork Examiner Stakes)	£ 3. 0. 0;
North Cork Show (hire of Poultry Pens)	£ 4. 12. 7;
Royal Insee. Co. (Workmen's Compensation)	£ 60. 17. 0;
Cork Gas Consumers Co. (Black Varnish).	£ 7. 6. 8;
T. Desmond & Sons	£ 7. 7. 0;
Work - Show Grounds. ^{£s. B.}	£ 75. 12. 7;
Salaries & Pension	£115. 6. 8;
Petty Cash	£ 20. 0. 0.

Retiring members:

In accordance with the rules of the Society, the Secretary announced that three members of the Show Committee, having the least number of attendances, retire, but are eligible for re-election provided they are still members of the General Committee. Messrs J. S. Henderson, J. Daly, M.R.C.V.S., & C. Donovan, having the least number of attendances, retired, and were eligible for re-election. The Secretary further stated that, according to the rules, Candidates for election to the Show Committee should be proposed and seconded by two members, and their names, with those of the Proposers and Seconders, delivered to him on or before October 8, 1958.

Re correspondence from Mr. Mahony, Blarney, in connection with trotting & galloping of horses in Ring - Summer Show.

Arising out of the Minutes of the Show Committee read at this Meeting, Mr. T.N. Desmond suggested that a letter of explanation should be sent to Mr. Mahony, of Blarney, explaining that the trotting and galloping of the horses in the Ring during the recent Show was a matter entirely for the Judges. He felt that the letter should not have been marked 'read'. It was, however, explained to Mr. Desmond that the original letter from Mr. Mahony was addressed to the President, and that the President had replied in connection with the position to Mr. Mahony. The letter was only read at the Show Committee Meeting for the information of the members.

Re date of testing of cattle for Spring Show, 1959:

Brigadier M.J. Cahill asked if any information had been received from the Department regarding the date of the testing of cattle for our Spring Show in 1959. The Secretary stated that he had written to the Department, asking for the necessary permission and other details, and, to date, had not received a reply. He said he would again pursue the matter, and see if he could have the information for our next Meeting.

Vote of sympathy:

On the proposal of Mr. M. A. O'Sullivan, seconded by Mr. J.B. Barter, a sincere vote of sympathy was passed to Mr. W. Healy (Cow-Testing Instructor) on the death of his wife. The members present expressed the wish to be associated with the vote of sympathy.

18th B. 1958

Butler J. M.