

16/9/19 The Committee met on this date at 9.5 p.m.

Present Mr. Welleley (in the Chair), Mr. Gilbey
Mr. Villiers, Mr. Wagstaff, Mr. Martin-Smith
Mr. Weatherby, Mr. Swift

17 members of Committee.

The minutes of the meeting held on 29/7/19 were read & signed.

Committee Duties for the ensuing work were allotted.

Change of Committee night. Owing to the Federation Swimming on Tuesday, Septh. 23rd, it was agreed to hold the Committee meeting on Monday, Septh 22nd @ 9 p.m. to be followed immediately by an Extra Committee meeting.

Closing of Club. It was also resolved to close the Club on Tuesday, Septh. 23rd.

Chin-Wag. The Editor asked that all contributions should be handed in to him on Thursday, 18th, at 9.45 p.m.

Thursday, Septh. 18th - Arrangements:-

8.30 Football Committee after Mdg.

9.0 .. Old Boys

9.30 Chin-Wag Committee

Winter Appointments

Mondays- Gymnasium

Tuesdays - Committee meeting

Wednesday - Boxing

Thursday - Swimming

Fridays - Harness

Meetings will be arranged to inaugurate these branches of the Club's activities. Members voting for Captains ^{for football} should be last year's players, or on the lists for this year

Arrears lists were handed to the Whips

New members

G. Kelly (R)	W. Carter (W)
H. Goodyear (B)	H. Copperwhite (G)
A. J. Cove (R)	C. Mercer (W)
L. Lane (B)	A. H. Barnett (G)
C. Mullis (R)	G. Westcott (W)
L. Peck (B.)	

Probationers

G. E. Ball	G. C. Kane	F. Harper
W. D. Ricol	E. W. Gibson	T. Franklin, C. Miller
A. H. Sharp	T. S. Killaway	C. Halverson
H. Cattermole	H. F. Hoakes	C. Southall, E. C. Woods
E. R. Hawkins	C. T. Hunt	L. W. Harward
W. Weeks	L. Slater	E. F. Pearce, B. Rix
J. H. D. Clatworthy		

The meeting closed with a Vote of Thanks to the Chair.

Agreeably
22. IX. 19

22/9/19 The Committee met on this date at 9 p.m.

Present:- Mr. Wellesley (in the Chair)

H. E. Swift

13 members of Committee.

The Minutes of the meeting held on 16/9/19 were read confirmed & signed.

Business arising. The Chairman congratulated the Committee men on the way they had done their duties to date.

Committee Duties for the ensuing week were allotted.

General Meeting. The date was fixed for Monday, Sept. 29th at 8.45 p.m.

Election for Committee. House meetings to be held, to elect representatives on the Committee for the coming year, immediately after the General meeting in the order.

Red, White, Blue, Green.

Subscription Books containing the names of the members of each house will be handed to the whips.

Arraials - Lists handed to whips

Final notices to be sent to

H. Beckett, J. Clark, T. Clark.

G. Cowcher, P. Doss, G. Fly, G. Hall, W. Hall, G. Hole,
E. Lawless, S. Levy, R. Low, H. Morley, H. North
G. Robinson, T. Rodman, G. Rose, A. Sims,
L. Taylor, H. Watson, M. Wisepark

Cutlery & Lockers. These matters were explained & discussed at some length.

It was decided to recommend the Chairman's proposals for an Athletic Society to the General meeting.

Otters' Punters. It was decided that Punters should pay full fare $\frac{1}{4}$ & receive half fare from either the Chairman or the Otters Secretary.

Nominees to Old Boys. The following members of the Boys' Club come up for nomination to the Old Boys on Oct 1st:-

A. Allman.	S. Herbert.	W. Richardson.
C. Barnes.	G. Hole.	W. Severs.
H. Beamish.	J. Hynes.	R. Simpson.
E. Burns.	C. Love.	A. Tilyard.
G. Collins.	R. Low.	H. Veal.
A. Fisher.	F. Mitchell.	A. Wild.

The meeting closed with a Vote of Thanks to the Chair

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A Grand meeting of the Boys' Club took place on
Friday Oct. 29th at 9 p.m.

Mr. Wellerby was in the chair supported by
Mr. Williams Mr. Wellerby knowing Mr. Kiddell &
Mr. Cooper A full number included a
number of old Boys.

The visitors of the previous meeting
were well apprised & signed.

The chairman then called upon H. Bass.

The latter read a letter which all were addressed
to all members at home & abroad during Dec. 1918
in which they were asked to contribute to a small
subscription to Mr. Wagg in recognition of his
unusual kindness & generosity to the wounded
who were often summoned to forces on active
duty during the 4½ years of the war.

The speaker dwelt on the untiring devotion
to the old citizens shown by Mr. Wagg & asked
him to accept from the numbers a silver rose-bowl
inscribed "PRESENTED TO A. R. WAGG

FROM THE ETON BOYS & OLD BOYS CLUBS
FOR HIS KINDNESS DURING 1914 - 18."

Mr. Wagg - evidently deeply affected - now a few words thanked the numbers for their gift.
assured them that nothing in life had given him greater
pleasure than his association with the club, & that
there was nothing nearer to his heart than their prosperity
& success.

Honored honours were accorded to the speaker
who bowed his thanks & so soon amidst a storm
of applause.

The chairman rose to move the closing
of the Club dinner the year.

Again is the Harlowe Cup he said in his
opinion as it was up: Experience gained
would, he hoped, enable us to carry off the
Trophy during the coming year.

The Federation football cup had not
been won, but Mr. Coddles had succeeded in
carrying off the Junior Cup. Thanks largely
to the great performance of young players in
the first.

Football committee would meet on Tuesday
at 8.30 & Mr. Hardie had kindly promised to con-
vene whenever possible.

He wished to thank Stanley Beck for an

the work he had done to keep the Boys Club football group during the war (lent classes). The example set by Stanley Park in helping to run the Boys Club on one which he hoped many other Boys would follow.

Others. The others had had a successful season thanks very largely to the work put into the team by E. Osgood who had managed them most efficiently (lent classes). He felt that it was particularly good of Osgood to find the time as he was not only a busy but also a married man.

The others had won 4 firsts, 2 seconds & 3 thirds out of the 10 Federation events.

In winter swimming will be continued on Thursday nights (either in Bow or Hackney) & he hoped there would be a large & regular attendance. A life savers class under E. Osgood would also be formed. It was no use anyone joining him who objected to have work or who did not mean to see it through.

Lockers etc. After a lot of thought the following scheme had been devised & approved by the Boys Club Committee.

Members wishing to join either or all of following sports Boxing, Running, Gym. would join the Athletic Society. Annual subscription 2/- to start for 12 months dating from day of joining.

Shows, shorts & singlets to be sold to members cost price - except in the case of new members or of those who had not been since Jan. 1st 1919 do need pay shows 2/- shorts 2/- singlets 1/- first time of purchase.

No weekly subscriptions to other sports to be levied. otherwise it will be the responsibility of each branch to be under its own committee.

These conditions could likewise require a keen & regular attendant of their branch to be allowed to purchase shows subsequently at a reduced price. Otherwise all purchases subsequent to the first to be at cost price. All goods bought to be definitely the property of members.

New keys locks etc. can best fit in all lockers on Boys side.

Mr. Villiers then spoke of the Hanniers referring to their success at Stamford Bridge. He congratulated A. Jones on his judgement.

A meeting in the $\frac{1}{4}$ mile. A meeting to end
with Honors would be held on the following
Thursday at 9 p.m. & D. Murphy who had done
so much for the Honors (lone class) had promised
to assist.

Mr. Villiers called for a view on the
slackness & disorganization present of the Wrestlers
& hoped no Honors would follow such.

He then presented the medals to the
successful competitors at Stanhope Bridge.

Mr. Wallerby announced a meeting of the
Boxing Club for Wed. Oct. 10 at 9 p.m.
& informed the masters that Mr. Oliver Austin Smith
had undertaken to run the Gym. Class which had
been started before the war by his brother.

Gym. would be on holidays & the meeting
of late numbers would be on Mon. Oct. 6th at 9 p.m.

Mr. Roberts had also now kindly promised to help.

He added that Mr. Gilley was now editor
Chairman & that he hoped all numbers would help him
with contributions.

The following numbers would be sent up to
the Old Boys during the week.

a. Allman	e. Love
c. Barnes	k. Low
h. Beauchie	f. Mitchell
b. Collins	g. Richardson
d. Fisher	i. Stevens
s. Hartshorn	j. Soper
a. Hole	r. Tilbury
d. Hyatt	h. Vane
	p. Will

only 'paid up' numbers would be recognized.

Mr. Wallerby is the name of the Old Boys, welcomed
the new numbers & added how glad he hoped
both non club boys would be glad to see
enough numbers. He was also afraid
that some of them thought now of a union between
them of a club badge.

The chairman made a few remarks about
payment of subscriptions, notices on boards,
& language & manners of members.

He also produced two books given him by

Mr. Graves. The other asked that men can
choose to either up Grade a possible shirts
& suggested that grades can should be
either to wear certain club rules etc. & this
numbers should not be more than the day room
or gallery afternoons. Mr. Graves particularly
stressed the Honor system for the convenience &
collective subscription.

Mr. Bellamy thanked Mr. Koddell (local
chess) for his care of the club & all the
work he was always doing for it.

In conclusion Mr. Bellamy advised
members to use the Club Bank & the Hospital
letter, particularly Dental letters, which
was available. He hoped that members
would also report themselves if they were out
of employment then the secretary would assist
in finding jobs if possible.

He could not omit all mention of the strike
which was at present having rather little as
uncomfortable as possible for everybody.

He hoped that members would listen and
think for themselves & make up their own minds as

to "the right & wrongs of such days instead of
allowing them to be made up for them.

W. Law raised the subject of the drawings
class on Friday nights & Mr. Bellamy advised
members wished to join to give their names
to Law.

D. Murphy spoke of loss of numbers
property which had somehow occurred in the
charge-room, & advised if the doors could
be locked.

The chairman responded that it is so large
a club then all those who wished to join
are admitted it is very unlikely that a trustworthy
member should have accidentally obtained
admission in the past.

It was not possible (even if it was
wished) to shut the charge room doors
over the b.c.c. regulations above locks etc.

He advised members to have their
valuables in safe keeping of a friend when they
were out.

The meeting closed at 10:10 with a hearty
vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

G. Bellamy
9/16/20

30th Sep. 1919 / The Committee met on this date at

9.30 p.m.

Present Mr. Wellesley (in the Chair) supported by Mr. Hardie and 14 members of the Committee.

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and after a slight alteration, approved and signed.

The Chairman reported that the House Meetings had elected officers as follows:-

Red House Captain

J. Law.

Vice-Captain

G. Howlett.

Whips

A. Meedon, & J. Brighton

White House Captain

A. Jones.

Vice-Captain

H. Pearcey.

Whips

Westcott, & H. Simms

Blue House Captain

T. Pettitt.

Vice-Captain

W. Woollams.

Whips

E. Henchey & Morris.

Green House Captain

J. Lester.

Vice-Captain

A. Carter.

Whips

J. Edermaniger & A. Ridgewell

Election to Committee

The names of A. Holton and H. Simpson were added to the Committee by the meeting.

The Committee Duties for the coming week were allotted.

On the suggestion of A. Meedon it was decided to place a clock in the Billiard room.

Athletic Society. The conditions of the Athletic Society as posted on the notice board were explained to the meeting, by the Chairman.

Arrears. The following members were struck off:-

H. Beckett. M. Hobbs. n.s.

J. Clark. G. Robinson.

A. Cowcher. H. Watson.

P. Doss. M. Wespark.

G. Foy.

E. Lawless

The following, who appeared before the Committee, were warned to attend on Oct. 7th:-

for election as Members: C. Miller, W. D. Nicol.

for election as Probationers: E. Wathey, T. Brierley, and A. Austin.

A. Vote of Thanks to the Chairman concluded the meeting.

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7th Oct. 1919. The Committee met on this date at 9.10 p.m.

Present Mr. Wellesley (in the Chair) supported by Mr. Swift, and 17 members of the Committee.

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and after a slight alteration, approved and signed. H. North, having since paid a part of his subscriptions due, was not struck off.

Committee Duties for the coming week were allotted.

Sunday Opening. A general conversation took place on this subject. Some of the members had expressed dissent to the Chairman.

The matter was favourably considered by the Committee, but further discussion was deferred.

Subscriptions. Arrears.

W. Hall to receive a final notice

Swimming. The Chairman informed the Committee that he had written a letter of congratulation to the Claude Elliott Club and had suggested that a cup should be competed for annually by the two Clubs (Claude Elliott & the Otters).

The Claude Elliott Manager's reply was read

and it was decided that the Arethusa Cup be allocated for this competition.

Members. The following members were elected:-

A. H. Sharp (G)	L. W. Harbant (R)
T. S. Kellaway (B)	E. J. Pearce (W)
T. Franklin (W)	G. S. Ball (G)
H. J. Noakes (R)	J. H. D. Clakworthy (B)
H. Cattermole (G)	G. C. Kane (W)
C. Halverson (B)	C. Miller (R)
C. Southall (W)	W. D. Nicl (G)

Probationers

W. Cunningham	E. Worthy	J. Briley
A. C. Kerner	T. E. Hayes	J. T. C. Bateman
E. A. Willmer	J. Horwood	A. T. Wilkins
T. Cowrie	A. Hardy	H. Payne
W. McCann		

J. Ramsden was elected a supernumerary member as from September 2nd 1919.

Xmas Concert. A concert at Xmas was discussed and it was decided that a small charge should be made and the proceeds go to the Camp Fund. It was also decided to form a small Committee to meet Mr. Gilbey.

A Vote of thanks to the Chairman concluded the meeting.

14th Oct 19. The Committee met on this date at 9.0 pm
Present Mr Wellesley (in the chair) supported
 by Messrs Wagg, Swift, Cooper, & H.
 members of the committee.

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read,
 approved & signed

Arthusa Cup. It was explained by the
 Chairman that the Arthusa Cup was
 presented by Mr Wagg, & not allocated
 by the committee, for competition between
 Claudio Eton & Eton Boys.

Committee Duties for the coming week were
 allotted.

Club Badges were awarded to A. E. Wild,
 E. Parker, W. Bridger & C. Gay

Probationers entered - H. Perry, C. Coxon, J. Wright
 H. Dickenson, A. Peck, G. Reynolds,

Transferred to Old Boys J. Hynes, G. Hole.

Whip It was mentioned that the Whip
 of Wth House, was also Librarian. His
 duties in the Library clashed with his
 efforts to collect subscriptions from his House.

The appointment of another whip was
 deferred till next meeting.

Officers & Cricket Team. Decided that a photo of these
 teams should be taken by Robinson on
 Sunday 26th Oct if possible. The photo to
 include those who entered for the open water &
 baths competitions, & the Junior cricket team.
 Weather permitting, the swimmers will be
 photoed in swimming costume which they must
 bring with them.

Employment. The Chairman mentioned
 that the practice of notifying the
 committee by members who were out of work,
 or who were in unsuitable jobs & wanted
 better ones, appeared to have lapsed.

If members did not notify one of
 the committee when they were out of work
 it was practically impossible for the
 committee to find them a job. Particulars
 of a vacancy in an office were given &
 any candidates were requested to give
 their names to Mr Wagg or Cooper.

G. H. Miller
 21/10/19

21st Oct. 19. Committee met on this date at 9.00a.m.
Present Mr Gilbey on the chair, supported
 by Mr Cadogan, Mr Wagstaff, Mr Cooper
 & 14 members of the Committee.

The Minutes of previous meeting were read
 approved & signed

Committee Duties for ensuing week were allotted.

Whip for W. House. A. Westcott undertook
 to perform this duty, as a temporary
 measure, vice H. Peach (Librarian).

Photo's of Others & Cricket Team. It was
 arranged that these teams should meet
 at the Club at 11. am. & proceed to
 Robinsons at 11.30 am for the purpose of
 being photo'd in accordance with the
 resolution passed at last week's committee
 meeting.

Transfer to O.B. A. Fisher was transferred to O.B.

New Member. W. Weeks elected member of G.House

Club Badges J. Frankor, J. Poole, H. Torrance,
 C. Chote, J. White, H. Kendrick, J. Collins,
 A. Holloway, A. Ridgwell, A. Westcott &
 T. Howlett were awarded club badges.

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War Memorial Mr Cadogan described the
 Memorial. On his suggestion, it was
 decided to place the list of members who
 served during the war, prior to the
 armistice, on the board in order that
 members might make any corrections
 or additions that were necessary.

Struck off. The case of E. Lawless for
 reinstatement was discussed. Decided
 that he be not reinstated & that the
 1/- subscription paid by him subsequent
 to being struck off, should be returned.

Sunday Opening Decided that the club
 be opened from 6 till 10 p.m. on Sunday
 next 26th inst.

The meeting closed with a vote of thanks to
 the chair.

Holloway

28.X.19

28th Oct 19 Committee met on this date at 9.10pm
Present Mr Wellesley in the chair supported
 by Messrs Badogar, Wag, Gilby, Cooper &
 16 members of the Committee.

Minutes of previous meeting were read
 approved & signed

Cricket Team Photo. Decided that junior
 Cricket team including reserves be photo'd
 on Sunday 9th Nov.

Club Badges. It was pointed out by
 the Chairman that altho' the price of
 a second badge would be 2/-, members
 who were in possession of a Club
 Badge before the cost price was raised
 to its present amount, would be
 entitled to a second badge for 1/6.

Committee Duties for ensuing week were allotted
Sunday Opening. Decided that the
 Club should be opened on the 1st
 Sunday of the month, commencing 2nd Nov,
 from 6 to 9.30 pm, the closing time to
 be extended to 10.0 pm if there are
 sufficient members present who desire to remain.
 The Committee men to be present at 5.45

p.m. to open the Club & to remain till it
 is closed.

Huchins. Decided that "Huchins night" be
 held on Tuesday & that the commencing
 night be 11th Nov 19.

Huchins Staff (to be at club at 6.15pm on
 Huchins night) Baker Sims Westcott
 Meadon Pettit Law G Beaggs J Francis
 D Joye W Lovett

Football It having been stated that the
 Old Boys were using the Juniors ground
 on Sundays thereby preventing some of
 the Boys from practising - a note
 was sent by the Chairman to Chairman
 O.B. asking that the O.B. should use
 their own ground for Sunday play.

House Competitions. H. Captains were asked to
 have their House Billiard teams ready
 to start this competition by next week

Club attendance Mr Gilby having
 spoken about the few attendances made
 by some members, a discussion ensued,
 the outcome of which was that the
 Committee should try & devise a scheme

whereby the Archie's & Members' attendances could be checked.

Chin Way The Editor called attention to the fact that he had, during the month, received contributions from only two members of the club. The chairman observed that the paper was run, not only for reading, but for members to write in, & urged that each one present should try & contribute some article, reports of matches, etc. The Editor announced that, ^{details of} a Prize Competition would appear in the next issue.

War Memorial. Mr Cadogan asked if there were any further additions or alterations to the lists that had been placed on the Notice Boards, as it was desired to proceed forthwith with the inscriptions on the Memorial.

Swimming. The Chairman announced that after Nov 1st, the swimming would be transferred from Bow to Hackney Baths.

Football Decided that football players should provide their own towels on

Saturdays, & that both home & away teams be allowed the use of the club baths after matches.

Xmas Concert It was agreed that the Boys Xmas Concert should be held on Saturday 10th Jan 1920
A vote of thanks to the chair closed the meeting.

Applause
4.xi.19

4th Nov. 19. Committee met at 9.0 p.m.

Present Mr Wellesley, on the chair
Mr Swift, Mr Cadogan, Mr Cooper &
16 members of the committee

Minutes of previous meeting were read,
approved & signed

Sunday opening. The chairman stated
that the committeemen were late on
Sunday last for the opening of the
club, & hoped it would not occur
again.

G Howlett stated
that Mrs Graves volunteered to open
the bar on the monthly Sunday
opening, & an offer which the
committee gratefully accepted.

Football ground A communication was
received from the Chairman O.B. asking
that names of O.B. infringing the
rule "that they were not to play
on the Boys' ground on Sundays"
should be reported to O.B. committee
Billiards House Competition. The
following were selected to represent

their. House in this competition, - Red &c -
Red White Blue Green
Doubles { Maedon Stone H. Simpson Partridge
 Law Kingham Pettit Edermanager
Singles - Harvey Jones Hencher Baker
- " - Wilson Westcott Bruce Lester
Reserves - Holton Jones Meadows S. Simpson

Games to be 100 up. Competition to
be decided on the League principle.

Committee duties for ensuing week were
allotted

Club Rule. An old rule of the club
was mentioned - viz - "No member of
the club is allowed to be a member
of another social or athletic club, or
to represent another club in any
manner without first obtaining
permission from the E. B. C Committee."

Stone, Meadows, Pennicutt & Herbert
attended before the committee for
an infringement of this rule. They
were cautioned. Permission was
granted them to play for "Perseverance"
F.C. when not required for E.B.C

J Graves was granted permission to swim for his Form's club on Wednesdays
Members elected. E. C. Woods, G.A. Reynolds
 E. Coxon, A. H. Peck, H. Perry, of Slater
 J. T. & Bakeman. J. Cousins, F. Brialey
 W. Cunningham. J. E. Hayes, A. C. Werner,
 A. J. Wilkins, E. A. Willmer, Henry Payne
 W. M'Cann,

Probationers admitted - E. J. Rogers, A. E. Hall
 R. Harrington, W. Ashby, A. Cathum.

W. J. Tilley, J. Collins, A. W. Raffey,
 J. Williamson, W. Turner, W. Morris
 J. T. Stambrook, J. Chamberlain,
 H. Sayer, C. Saul, W. H. Sayer.
 J. M. Reynolds, J. Williams

Club Badge was awarded A. B. Bradbrook

Club Baths It was notified that
 the Baths would be available on
 Tuesday evenings. Payment of 1^{ds} to
 be made at bar for towel.

Rifle Range Decided that the Rifle
 Range should be opened on Saturdays
 from 8.30 to 9.30 pm. Mr Cooper to
 select a committee from those interested.

Shooting Medal Major Cadogan presented
 Edomanager with the Lord Roberts'
 shooting medal.

Chess & Draughts The question of entering
 teams for the Federation matches was
 deferred till next meeting.

Cards Decided that cards be not
 played in the club till further notice.
 This does not apply to organised
 whist drives.

Whist Drive The Monthly Whist Drive
 will be held on the last Saturday
 of the month.

Football Ground It was pointed out,
 that on several occasions the gate
 of the Football ground was not
 unlocked on Sunday mornings. A Holton
 (Coco) promised to take the key &
 return it on Sundays in future.

Urchins Staff The following duties
 were allotted in connection with Urchins
 night. Baths, G. Biggs. Boozing,
 Gates & Pettit, Ropes, Meadon.
 Rings, Westcott. Horizontal Bars, Law.

Vaulting Horse - Sims.
a vote of thanks to the chair closed
the meeting.

granted
11. x. 19.

11th Nov, 19 - Committee met at 9. 0pm
Present Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by
Mr Swift Mr Cooper & 10 members of the committee
Minutes of previous meeting were read, approved & signed
Hot Baths The chairman called attention to
the fact that shower baths were available
for use after football matches & not the
large baths. He also asked all committlemen
to assist in economising in the use of hot
water.

Committee duties for ensuing week were allotted.
New Member E Worthy was elected to Red House
Monthly Whist Drive. It was decided to hold
the Whist Drive on Saturday 29th inst
Enhance fee to be 6^d. The enhance fees
to be divided into three prizes, on the
ratio of $\frac{4}{9}$ $\frac{3}{9}$ $\frac{2}{9}$.

Rifle Range It was decided to open
the Rifle Range from 8 to 9. pm on
Tuesdays in addition to Saturdays, as
a temporary measure, for the instruction
of beginners.

Subscriptions It was decided that Whips
should hand in their books and

subscriptions to Mr Cooper in future.

Chess & Draughts. It was decided to enter the Federation Team & Individual competitions. Selection of players to be left to Mr Cooper.

Permission to play for another club. H Smrk
J Mead W J Mason G Reynolds G Turner
G Kane C Knope J Chelsom
W Cunningham, & L Childs were granted permission to play for another F.C. on Saturday next.

Concert. The question of a concert was discussed & the committee decided to stand the matter over until a suitable scheme for running one was brought forward.

Dancing. The question of a dancing night was deferred till next meeting. The meeting closed with a vote of thanks to the Chairman for presiding.

Weller
18.XI.19

18.XI.19 Committee met at 9.0 pm.

Present. Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by Mr Badgian Mr Swift Mr Cooper & 16 members of the committee.

Minutes of previous meeting were read, app'd & signed. Committee duties for ensuing week were allotted.

Smoking Concert. The holding of a smoking concert was discussed, but as no suitable scheme was put forward for running it, the matter dropped.

Dancing. Decided that the hall be used for dancing, by members who are desirous of so doing, on Sunday evenings when the club is opened.

Alfd Austin. Decided that the question of his membership be left over till next meeting.

Meanwhile a letter to be written by the secretary to the school he last attended asking for his birth certificate. If elected, it was agreed that he should pay subscriptions as from June last.

J Clark. It was decided that he be not reinstated as a member.

Towels It was suggested by the Football Committee that the club should purchase

towels & sell them at cost price to members of the club. It was agreed to do so, & tenders & samples were written for.

Cricket Team Photo. It was decided to make another attempt to get the team together to be photo'd, on Sunday 30th inst. Names of those who cannot attend to be given by the Capt or Vice Capt'n at next committee meeting. The meeting closed with the usual vote of thanks to the chair.

M.W.D
15.XI.1919.

Committee met at 9.0pm on 25th Nov 19
Present. Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by Messrs Swift Cooper & 14 members of the committee.

Minutes of previous meeting were read approved & signed

Cricket Team Photo (Juniors). The captain & vice captain reported that they had seen the various members of the team with reference to having their photo taken next Sunday, with the exceptions of E Cole & Kellyay. It was decided to write to these two members informing them that the photo would be taken next Sunday, - all meeting at Club at 11.0 a.m.

Hunt & Evans appeared before the committee & it was explained to them that whilst they were out of work no subscriptions were required from them & they could attend the club as usual.

R. Lowe & H. Murray It was decided that if these members did not reply by letter by tomorrow 26th Nov they should be "struck off."

J. Tranter was granted permission to play for Victoria F.C. on Saturday next.

Albert Winterflood appeared before the committee & was elected a member of B' House, on payment of 10² back subscriptions.

Arthur Winterflood stated that he would pay the amount of his subscriptions due, on Friday or Saturday next.

A. Austin was allowed to clear his ^{club} subscription due by payment of 1/- The question of his election to membership, was deferred till the arrival of his birth certificate.

Club Badge was granted to A Johnson on payment of 1/-.

House Competition Decided that the Double & Single Billiards should count as two separate competitions for the purpose of awarding marks.

H. Horwood. It was stated that these members of Clarendon Eliot were desirous of "transferring" to Eton Boys club. Decided to write to him,

regretting that as he was over 16, our rules would not allow him to become a member.

Faw & Wollams were appointed stewards for Whist Drive. The meeting closed with a vote of thanks to the chair.

G. Bellairs
2.XII.19

2nd Dec. 19. Committee met at 9.0 pm

Present. Mrs Wellesley in the chair, supported by Mr Cadogan, Mr Swift, Mr Coopers, & 14 members of committee.

Committee Duties for ensuing week were allotted Closing of Club. It was decided to close the Club on Friday next 5th inst, on the occasion of the Boxing Display.

House Competition. Captains of Houses were requested to select their teams for the chess & draughts competition by Saturday 6th inst.

Subscription Books The attention of Whips was called to the rule that Sub. books were to be handed in on Saturday evenings.

Football Fines It was notified that four members of the senior football team had been fined 6^d each for not observing the rule concerning the return of football shirts on Saturdays.

Sale of Towels It was decided to purchase towels from Messrs Wallis & Co Ltd, as per sample, at 18²/₉ per dozen, & to allow members to buy them at 1/- each.

Final Notices It was decided to post Final Notices to all members who are more than 1/- in arrear with their subscriptions.

Cricket Photo. It having been stated that the Cricket Team Photo was unable to be taken on Sunday last owing to fog, & that this was the fourth occasion that arrangements had been made to get the team photo'd without any result, it was decided to write to the Federation asking if the cost of the photo's could not be used for supplying medals to the team.

Probationers admitted. J. C. Henderson, W. J. Ware, M. H. J. Jones, W. J. L. Deag, S. G. Matthieu, L. Hayes, H. Dean, A. Stolle, E. Kirby, C. Grafer, W. J. Grey, S. Julians, C. C. B. Scott, A. S. Smith, W. Crowest, F. Cooper, O. T. Woodfall, L. Cattler, J. T. Cameron, F. A. Barth, W. Cornish, & A. H. White,

New Members Elected, - J. C. Henderson, W. J. Ware, C. J. Rogers, A. Hall, R. Harrington, W. Ashley, W. J. Tilley, A. Raffey, J. Williamson, W. Turner, Will Morris II., J. Shambrook, J. Chamberlain, W. H. Sayer, J. H. Reynolds, J. Mills, H. Sayer, C. Saul, Struck off, C. McCann, A. Dalton & A. Bosson. A vote of thanks to the chair concluded the meeting

9. viii. 19 (contd)

9th Dec 19 - Committee met at 9.0 pm.

Present. Mr Wellbrey in the Chair supported by Mr Swift, Coopers & 14 members of the committee. Minutes of previous meeting were read approved & signed

Cricket Photo. A reply from the Federation stating that our application for medals in lieu of photos for the junior Football team, could not be entertained. It was decided to make another attempt to get the team together on Sunday 21st Decr, & arrange if possible for Robinson to come to the club to photograph them.

Reinstatement of McCann. It was decided, after considerable discussion to reinstate C. McCann as a member, & to place on record that this case was not to be regarded as a precedent for reinstating members who had been struck off. The Committee decided that this was an exceptional case as McCann paid his subscription two days after he had

been struck off, & further that he attended the club on the first opportunity that he had.

Committee Duties for ensuing week were allotted.

A. Austin. An extract from the register of Greenwich May R^a school, giving the date of birth of this member was accepted in lieu of a birth certificate.

House Committee Room. It was decided that Captains of Houses should have the use of the inner games room for House meetings when required. Notice to be given previously & duly notified on the notice board.

War Memorial. The Chairman remarked that the O.B. were subscribing toward the cost of the Memorial. Mr Swift suggested that the boys might like to subscribe toward it also, on the grounds that they would be the Old boys of the future, & would like to be identified with the permanent memorial to those members of the club who

had served during the Great War. On the proposal of a Captain it was agreed to invite members to subscribe through their House Captains & Vice Captains, & that a list be placed on the board shewing, by Houses the list of subscribers & amount subscribed. The list to be brought up to date weekly.

Boxing. The Chairman thanked those members who assisted as stewards etc at the recent Boxing Display & expressed a wish that they would again serve on a similar capacity at a Boxing Competition to be held about the 16th Jan next. He also congratulated Ridgewell, on behalf of the club, on his display as a competitor in the competition. The Chairman pointed out that it was hoped to hold 3 meetings during this season.

A vote of thanks to the Chair terminated the proceedings.

Amstap. 16.12.19

16 Decr 19 - Committee met at 9.0pm

Present Mr Wagg in the chair supported by
Messrs badogan, Cooper & 11 members of the
committee.

Minutes of previous meeting were read, approved
& signed.

Committee duties for ensuing week were allotted
House Competition. It was decided that the
Chess & Draughts House competition should
be completed by 31st Decr. next.

War Memorial Mr badogan said he hoped
the Memorial would be soon completed
in two or three weeks time.

Whist Drive. On the grounds that the
club ^{would} might not be open on the 27th Dec
it was decided to hold the Monthly
whist drive on Saturday 28th inst. Twelve
hands only to be played. Entrance Fee 6^d.
Three prizes 1st $\frac{4}{9}$, 2nd $\frac{3}{9}$, + 3rd $\frac{2}{9}$ of Entrance Fees.
On Mr Cooper's suggestion it was
unanimously agreed to deduct 25% of
the entrance fees & hand them to
the Camp Fund. Drive to commence at 8.15pm

Club Badge J Fairbrass was awarded a club
badge (paid 1/-)
A Vote of thanks to the chair closed the meeting

Yesterdays
22 XII '19.

The Committee met at 9-0 pm. on 23 Dec 19

Present Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by Mr Cooper & 10 members of the committee.

The minutes of previous meeting were read approved & signed.

The Chairman called attention to the very poor attendance recently at the Gym class.

& the disappointment to Mr Martin Smith, who was so keen to make it a success.

It was decided to write to all members who had been irregular in their attendance stating that it might be necessary to close the class if attendances did not improve.

S Herbert was transferred to Old Boys.

Closing of Club. It was decided that the Club should be closed on the 25th, 26th & 27th Dec.

Dinner It was decided to postpone the Dinner (followed by a concert) to Saturday Jan 31st 1920. The price of Dinner tickets to be 2/- for members under 16 on 1st of October last, & 3/-

for members over that age. It was agreed, on the suggestion of the Chairman, that if any member honestly considered that he could not afford this amount, either through being out of work or other cause, he should give his name to Mr Cooper or one of the committee, who would decide whether a free ticket or one at a reduced rate should be issued to the member. A notice to this effect to be placed on the board.

Raffle It was decided to hold a Raffle in aid of the Camp Fund, during the progress of the Beef & Pudding Billiard Handicap on Christmas Eve.

A hearty vote of thanks to the Chairman terminated the meeting.

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30. xii. 19.

Committee met at 9.0pm 30/12/19
Present Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by Mr Cooper & 11 members
Minutes of previous meeting were read
 approved & signed.

Committee Duties for ensuing week were allotted. As difficulty was experienced in obtaining volunteers for Saturday Evening's Committee duty, it was decided to draw lots for duty on that night. The result of the draw is entered in the "Committee attendance book" entry of Probationers. It was decided, that in future Probationers should be interviewed by ^{some} members of the Committee on the first Tuesday of the month in the games room, at 8.45 pm.

A hearty vote of thanks to the chair terminated the meeting.

Yours faithfully
G. J. Swift
6.1.20

Committee met at 9.0pm 6 Jany 20
Present Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by Mr Swift Mr Coopers & 11 members of the Committee

Minutes of previous meeting were read
 approved & signed

Committee Duties for ensuing week were allotted. After exchanging with Holton on Saturday duty roster.

The Chairman expressed the pleasure felt by the Committee at seeing Mr Geoghegan (President F.L.W.B.C.) present at the meeting.

Probationers were entered by a section of the Committee, before the Committee meeting.— R. Egg, A.

Bundy, G. J. Collins, S. Dukes,
 C. Drake, A. J. Hartley, A. Joselin,
 C. Jameson, H. James, T. Sturges,
 W. Stokes, W. Mully, J. Nunn,

J. Quartermann, S. T. Goodyear, C. Monks
 G. Scott, T. G. Tracey, T. Tomking.

P. W. Veal, T. J. Waters, T. J. Watson,
 W. J. Dewey, H. G. Gose, J. W. Lewis,
 & A. Jacobs,

New members elected - W. J. Grey (B), T. Cooper (B), J. B. Henderson (W), W. J. Ware (R), W. J. L. Deag (B), A. H. White (B), T. A. Bartle (R), A. Dean (W), S. Julians (R), T. F. Cameron (B), A. S. Smith (G), L. Buttler (G), S. G. Matthew (B), L. Hayes (W), A. C. Stolle (R)

Dinner & Concert It was decided to sell the Dinner & Concert tickets through House Representatives. G. Howlett (R), Sims (W), Simpson (B) & later (G) undertook this duty. With regard to the tickets for the concert it was agreed that each member could purchase one for a guest in addition to his own concert ticket, & that no children be admitted. No tickets sold after 24th inst.

A Hearty vote of thanks to the chair terminated the meeting

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The Committee met at 9.0pm 13 Jany 1920
Present Mr. Wellesley on the chair supported by Mr. Badgian Mr. Swift Mr. Coopers & 13 members of the committee

Committee duties for ensuing week were allotted.

Members Boxing Tickets. The following members volunteered to sell tickets to the members of their house. Usseson (R) Webb (W) Cussans (B) Lester (G). Members Boxing Tickets to have their names written on them.

Struck off. It was decided to "strike off" the following members, they having been served with final notices re arrears of subscriptions, & not having replied, G. E. Ball, A. J. Barnett, H. Clark, H. J. Gardner, C. Hall,

C. Henkleman, W. Hodgson, T. Kelly.

~~E. Skeamore~~ ~~C. Southall~~, S. Ulmet.

~~A. G. Dawson~~, T. Popperwell, ~~J. Rodman~~.

Resignation, A letter of resignation was received from H. J. Noakes & his resignation was accepted.

Whist Drive. It was decided to hold the monthly whist drive on 24th Jany as the last Saturday of the month was the occasion of the Boys' Dinner & Concert.

Members in Arrears with their Subscriptions.

It was decided that members whose names were posted on the arrears list should not be admitted to the club until their arrears were paid. Holton Edermanylo & Simpson volunteered to attend on Friday next for the purpose of checking members on entering the club.

L. Walker A letter was received from L. Walker (who was struck off for arrears of subscriptions on 22nd July 19) asking to be re-admitted to the club on payment of back subscriptions. It was decided that he be not reinstated, (in accordance with the Club Rule regarding members struck off) a hearty vote of thanks to the chairman closed the meeting.

*Afternoon
- 20.7.19*

Green House
Signature

Proposals for committee-men.

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J. Farmer

C. Higgins.

W. Tilley

L. Isaacs.

J. H. Poole.

A. J. Cooper

John Atwell

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Election of Committeemen. Consequent on
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20 Jany 1920. Committee met at 9.0pm.

Present Mr Wellsley in the chair,
supported by Messrs Swift & Cookes &
11 members of the committee
Minutes of previous meeting were read
approved & signed
Committee duties for ensuing week were
allotted.

Arrears of Subscriptions Headon Cates &
Holton volunteered to collect arrears
at the door on Saturday next.

Football Subs. It was agreed that a
member out of work, should not,
in future be required to pay his
football subscription

Committee Resignations. The resignations
of F Law. Jones & Woollams were
accepted. It was decided to
write to Jones asking him to
appear before the Committee on
Tuesday next.

Election of Committeemen. Consequent on
the above resignations A Westcott was

elected Captain of White House & Sims
 Vice Captain of White House. Stone to
 be a member of the committee vice Sims.
 In Red House - G Howlett elected Captain
 & Usedow vice Captain. Leathes to be
 a member of the committee vice Usedow.
 Blue House Henches to be vice Captain &
 whip & Green to be a member of the
 committee vice Henches.

A vote of thanks to the chair
closed the meeting

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Committee met at 9.0pm on 27th Jany 1920
Present, Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by
 Mr Swift, Mr Lawrence Mr Cooper & 17 members
 of the committee.

The Minutes of previous meeting were read
 approved & signed.

The chairman welcomed the new members of
 the committee, & Mr Lawrence of Claude Eliot Club.
Business arising from minutes of last meeting -
 a reply had been received from Jones
 stating that he was unable to attend
 before the committee this evening, but
 would be at the club during the week. The
 matter was stood over till next meeting.

Honorary Member, Mr Sandy Cooper was
 unanimously elected an Honorary member.

Federation Competitions. It was decided
 to enter for the Winter Federation Competitions,
 & a notice inviting members to compete
 for the Essays & Recitations should be placed
 on the board.

Simpson volunteered to collect subs for
 Blue Green House vice Henches who is collecting
 Athletic Society's Subs.

Club Badge was awarded to Wermeling on payment of 1/-

Boys Concert. It was pointed out that there were only about 90 tickets issued for the concert, which included the members who had purchased dinner tickets. It was proposed by Henchel & seconded by A Pearce that members should sell the ^{concert} dinner tickets to anyone. An amendment was moved by Holton & seconded by Lester "that the tickets be sold to anyone except Old Boys". The original resolution was carried by 9 votes for, & 8 against.

Harriss D Murphy (O.B.) appeared before the committee in his capacity as Captain of the Harriss, with reference to the supplying of towels to visiting teams (Harriss). The Chairman observed that it was a case for the Harriss Committee, but promised to go into the matter.

A hearty vote of thanks to the chair concluded the meeting.

.. Morris
3.ii.1920

Committee Met at 9.0pm. 3 Feb 1920

Present. Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by Mr Badogar Mr Coopers. & 16 members of the committee.

Minutes of previous meeting were read approved & signed.

Business arising Jones attended before the committee with reference to non attendance at club on a night when he was the committee man for duty. His explanation was accepted, but it was pointed out that if commissioners did not turn up on the nights for which they detailed for duty, it was inconvenient to all concerned & detrimental to the best interests of the club.

Cards The question was raised of the re-introduction of cards on the club. The Chairman expressed the view that in his opinion it was inevitable that this would ultimately lead to a recurrence of gambling. After some discussion it was decided that card playing be again allowed in the

club on the following conditions —

- (1) That only Whist be played
- (2) That if in the opinion of the chairman or Mr Cooper any gambling appeared to be taking place, cards should then be stopped once & for all.

The committee gave an honourable undertaking that they would most scrupulously refrain from any infringement of this rule themselves, & would immediately report any case or cases of members gambling which came to their notice.

Archivis staff Decided that only Committee men who have been selected for the duty may serve on the Archivis Staff.

Piano It was decided that the Piano should be for the Old Boys' use on Mondays Tuesdays & Wednesdays & for the Boys Club on the remaining days. The piano to be brought from one club to the other by the members. ~~when~~ on Mondays & Thursdays.

Probationers entered. The following were

entered as probationers. D. F. Levy,
W. J. Myers, Samuel Vincent, R. D. Oakley,
J. A. Rushmer, A. Elson, A. Southgate, C. Marshall,
C. Hutchings G. Dove, W. Intersole, A. Nelson
L. Wilson, A. Kelley H. Reynolds
G. Osborne J. F. McComb, J. Ladd
F. Cooper, C. Little, G. Brookes,
A. Torkington, A. Richards, W. Hill,
A. G. Simpson, C. J. Burgess J. Marvin
H. Lombard & R. Jackson

New Members The following were elected members -

R. Agg, A. Bundy, G. J. Collins, H. G. Cox.
W. J. Dewey E. Drake, J. Dukes, S. F. Goodyear
A. J. Hartley, A. Jacobs, H. James C. Jameson
D. Joselin J. W. Lewis, C. Monks J. Gunn
F. Tomlin F. G. Tracey, P. W. Veal, F. J. Waters &
F. J. Watson.

A hearty vote of thanks to the chair brought the meeting to a close

.. G. Walker
10.ii.20

The Committee met on Tues. Feb. 10th at 9 p.m.

Mr. Wallerley in the chair supported by Mr. Surfor
a Mr. Cadogan.

Present: Mr. Sibthorpe, Westcott, Morris
Holtan, Brighton, Redgwell, Calver, Howlett
Sims, Lester, Stone, Green, London

The minutes of the previous meeting were read
approved & signed.

Reference to the piano - the chairman
announced that it should be practiced by
members from the Old Boys each Monday
evening when club opened - & left back
by Old Boys each Thursday evening.

Ctee. duties for ensuing week were allotted.

Arrears of Subscriptions. The chairman announced
that it had been impossible to produce a correct
list for the meeting owing to Red House Book
not having been handed in.

Of those owing large amounts he undertook
to communicate with R. Pedler, of Mills, & F. Fisher.

The whip of Red House undertook to communicate
with L. Grimwood & J. Harsant - & Mr. Green
House whip with W. Weeks.

F. Herbert was struck off.

War Memorial collection was considered
& House Whips undertaken to collect subscriptions
on Friday & Saturday evenings following.

Piano playing. The chairman remarked that
the piano was not for learners to practice on
but for those who could really play properly.

Only those who had satisfied Mr. Cooper that
they were accomplished players would be allowed
to play - & a list of these would be made.

Boxing Competitions March 4th

Arrangements for sale of tickets
were explained.

A letter was made from Mr. Sandy Cooper
thanking the Committee for electing him an
Hon. member.

Resignation from Committee.

H. Simpson rendered his resignation which was accepted with regret by the Ctee.

W. Pennicutt was coopted to the Ctee. in his place.

Blue House Sals. W. Morris undertook the collection of subscriptions in place of H-Simpson.

Roudyism. Sibthorpe reported Stoney Cove & Rogers for roudyism in the club.

Stoney appeared before the Committee & was severely cautioned. In the absence of Cove & Rogers it was decided to summon them two to appear before the Committee at the next meeting.

Kellaway was reported for similar conduct & on appearing before the meeting was reprimanded & cautioned.

It was decided to warn two probationers Bennett & Ladd as to roudy conduct on their next appearance before Ctee.

Cards.

It was decided that it would be unfair to allow same members to play cards throughout the evening - as others might thus be prevented from getting a game & that therefore cards should be booked out to members from the bar for $\frac{1}{2}$ hour at a time. The Ctee. undertook that those on duty would see that same members did not play all the evening or get more than their fair share ($\frac{1}{2}$ hour) of cards. Only Club cards to be used.

Billiards.

The chairman announced that a fourth Billiard Table had been ordered & that he hoped it would be finished in about a month.

A discussion took place as to best means of preventing any member having more than his share of the Billiard-tables.

After considerable debate it was decided that in future no member should take part in more than one game - if there are other members wishing to play. The two

Committee men on duty each evening were empowered by the Committee to stop prevent members from taking part in further games if in their opinion they had already had their share of an evening's play.

It was decided to post a notice in the Club drawing room to this new regulation.

Ctee badges. It was decided that the two Committee on duty should wear Ctee badges. These would be obtained from the bar at the beginning of each evening & returned to bar at close of evening.

Library. In answer to an enquiry the chairman stated that the library would not be reopened until all books still out had been returned.

On the motion of E. Pettit a warm vote of thanks was accorded to Mr. Cadogan for his recent gift of books.

The meeting closed at 10.15 with a hearty vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

H. V. P. Gately

Committee met at 9.0pm 17 Feb 1920

Mr. Wellesley in the chair supported by Messrs. Swift & Cooper.

Present - Howlett, Headon, Sibthorpe, Westcott, Sims, Stone, Pettit, Henches, Morris, Lester, Carter, Ridgwell, Green & Pennicott.

The minutes of previous meeting were read, approved, & signed.

Business arising. - Peales Mills & Fisher had been communicated with. Mills & Fisher had paid their subscriptions & Peales stated he was out of work. Grinwood & Weeks had also paid their arrears.

War Memorial. The chairman mentioned that only 11 had been subscribed to the Memorial since 31st Dec last. The whips agreed to make an effort on Friday & Saturday next to collect subscriptions for the Memorial.

Struck off L W Harsant was struck off (arrears of subscriptions)

Rowdy behaviour. Gove & Rogers appeared before the committee for Rowdy behaviour

in the club & not obeying a committesman. It was decided to suspend them for a fortnight, & that they should appear before the committee on 2nd March next, when the question of their re-instatement would be decided.

Billiards. Two members of the committee admitted having played more than 1 game during the evening. This was not held to be a direct contravention of the new Billiard rule as it was claimed that there was no member present who had not already played one game. It was pointed out that if a member purchased a game he should play that game, or sell it to someone who had not played one. It was decided that the "Rule" should be given further trial & reported on later.

Supernumerary List Payne & Nichol were placed on Supernumerary List.

General Meeting it was decided to hold the next General Meeting at 9.15pm on 9th March next.

Archibald's Staff Pennicott having volunteered his services on this staff, it was decided to

accept them.

Unemployed It was decided that members out of work should report to Mr Coopers or Miss Merton ~~each~~ Tuesday mornings in the Committee room. This would ensure that subscriptions of members out of work would be paid by the club, & would also enable the secretary to notify members of suitable vacancies for employment that might occur ~~supervision will not be required in case of those who do not report.~~

The meeting closed at 10.10pm with a hearty vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding

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24. ii. 20.

Committee met on 24th Feb 1920 at 9.0pm
Mr Willesley in the chair supported by Mr
Badagan & Mr Cooper.

Present. G. Howlett, A. Usedon, Holton, Lebthorpe,
A. Westcott, Sims, Stone, Pettitt, Henchel,
Morris, Carter, Ridgewell, Green & Penman.
Minutes of previous meeting were read
approved & signed.

Business arising Re War Memorial. It
was reported that only one whip collected for
the war memorial last Friday. It was
agreed that the other whips would make
an effort to collect from those who had
not already subscribed, on Friday &
Saturday next.

General Meeting Members of the committee
desirous of placing anything on the agenda
of the General Meeting to be held on 9th March,
were requested to give same to the
Chairman or Mr Cooper.

Committee duties for ensuing week were allotted.
New Member G. Scott was elected a member of
White House. This was a special case as
Scott is unable to attend on the usual election night

Billiard Rule Jones was reported by a
committee man for playing a second game of
Billiards whilst another ^{member} player was waiting to play.
After considerable discussion it was decided
that the Chairman would see Jones & speak
to him about the matter.

House Competitions Chess & Draughts Decided that
a House, whose representative did not attend
in a reasonable time to play his match, should
lose the point. Mr Cooper to adjudicate in
these cases.

Shore Halfpenny. Captains of Houses
to give names of representatives (one double &
two singles) by next committee meeting.

Members Bocce Tickets Howlett Red,
Sims, White, Pettitt Blue & Ridgewell Green
volunteered to sell club tickets to members.

A Marsh was granted permission to play
football for another club.

Dunn It was decided to warn this
member to attend before the committee next
Tuesday. G. Howlett undertook to personally
warn him.

The meeting closed with a hearty vote of thanks
to the chairman for presiding.

G. Howlett
2.iii.20.

The Committee met at 9.0 p.m. on 2 March 1920

Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by
Mr Badoglio & Mr Cooper.

Members present. Messrs Howlett, Uxendon

Brighton, Sibthorpe, Westcott, Simms, Stone,
Pettit, Hencher, Morris, Lester, Baker,
Ridgewell, Green & Pennicott.

House Competition Show Halfpenny. The following
were chosen to represent their House in this
competition. Meadows & Woollams, Green Ho.,
Stone & Wilson, White Ho., Baker & Edermanger,
Blue Ho., Law & Wilson, for the singles & Uxendon
& Sibthorpe, for the doubles, Red Ho.

Cove & Rogers appeared before the committee
after suspension, & having given satisfactory
assurances of their future behaviour, were
readmitted.

Dunn appeared before the committee & was
warned as to his future conduct in the club.
Committee duties for ensuing week were
allotted.

Jones. The chairman announced that he
had seen Jones with regard to the Billiard

rule, & that Jones admitted he was in the
wrong by playing a second game on the night in
question.

X. Minutes of previous meeting were read approved
& signed.

War Memorial. The chairman observed that
no subscriptions were collected for the Memorial
last week, & the committee promised to
collect ^{during} this coming week.

Boxing Tickets it was decided to allow
probationers to purchase members tickets
for the Boxing on 4th inst.

Probationers entered. B. G. Brown, B. Flynn,
J. Turner, G. Manser, W. Stone, H. Mansfield,
J. A. Loundes, R. Howard, J. Scully,

H. Waughman, A. Shorter, J. Lacocke,
J. Anoin, H. Catmore, G. N. Phillips,
A. Law, W. Wright, A. W. Palmer,

A. Pain, J. Edwards, H. P. Pollok,
J. Scott, S. Tasker, & C. Stewardson,

New members elected W. J. Myers,
S. Vincent, J. A. Rushmor, A. Southgate,
E. E. Marshall, E. C. Hatchings, G. Dove,
W. Inkersole, & McLean A. Neilson,

Alf. Kelly, H. Reynolds, G.W. Osborne,
 Jas. Ladd, T.J. Cooper, G. Brooks,
 A. Yorkington, A. Richards, A.C. Simpson,
 C.J. Burgess & H. Lombard.

The meeting closed with a hearty vote
 of thanks to the chairman for presiding

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The Committee met at 9.0 pm on 9th March 1920
 Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by Mr
 Cadogan & Mr Cooper.

Members Present Messrs Howlett, Westcott, Lester
 Sibthorpe, Baker, Ridgewell, Morris, Green
 Holton, Stone, Pennicott & Pettit

Minutes of previous meeting were read approved & signed
War Memorial. The Chairman mentioned that
 G. Green, Blue House, was the only collector of
 subscriptions to the Memorial last week.

Struck off. (arrears of subs) & Boxon, E. Elgar, T. Evans
 W. Hall, J. Hodge, J.W. Hunt, E. Levy, & J. Thorne.

J. Lloyd to be warned to attend committee next week
Rowdy conduct. Gray, Veal & Copperwhite were cautioned
 Committee duties for ensuing week were allotted
 The meeting closed at 9.25 pm. with a
 hearty vote of thanks to the Chairman.

Open
16.iii.20

General Meeting

9.30 pm 9th March 1920

Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by
 Messrs Gillies, Cadogan, Swift, Cooper.

There were present 128 members in addition
 to a few Old Boys.

The Minutes of the General Meeting held
 on September 29th 1919 were read
 approved & signed.

The Chairman stated that the object of
 the ^{present} meeting was not to elect committlemen
 or make new rules, but to bring to the
 notice of each member the "doings"
 of the club during the past six months
 & how by the experience gained we
 might be able to improve in the future.
 The cause of many vexations was the
 neglect of members to read the Notices
 on the Boards in the lobby. All members
 on entering the Club should read
 the notices. He was aware that
 there was considerable difficulty due
 to the fact that notices were not
 always placed on their proper

boards & that the chief culprits were himself & Mr Cooper. This would be remedied in future & old notices that were necessary to be retained would be placed on a file. This would give room for fresh notices to be placed on their proper boards.

The Football teams had done extremely well, both the Senior & Junior being champions of their respective divisions & he looked forward to them both being victorious in the finals for the Federation Caps. He regretted that, owing to teams dropping out of the competition the juniors had had so few matches.

The Boxing had gone very well during the season & our thanks were due to Messrs F Grace & H. Mallin. (loud cheers) for the great help they gave in training our boxers.

He regretted he could not say the same for the Gym & Physical Drill, & pointed out the

'absolute necessity for all members who put their names down for a thing, to stick to it. Unless they did we should never win the Desborough Cup. He had in the name of Mr Martin Smith recently written to members of the Gym class calling attention to the poor attendance & it was most disappointing to find that there was practically no improvement in this direction. We had just lost the Junior Physical Drill Cup but hoped the Seniors would ~~do~~ ensure that the senior Cup would rest in the club for the coming year. The sub to the athletic society was 2/6 for 12 calendar months. The Otters had gone exceedingly well & promised well for the future. They had a series of races with Claude Ebot & stood at the moment with three wins to one loss. Monthly prize handicaps had been held & very keen contests had been witnessed. The Hackney baths had been allotted to us for every Thursday during the year & he hoped that we should be

able to use the large bath that had been closed during the war. He again pointed out the necessity for members to "stick to it" if they wished to be successful.

Sunday opening of the Club had been tried as an experiment & had met with some success. It was a Winter innovation, &, as the first Sunday in April was Easter Sunday, it had been decided to discontinue the Sunday openings for the present season.

The Urchin's night had been well attended & he took the opportunity of thanking those members who had given their services to or helped these occasions. The Urchin's night would not be continued after Easter.

Regarding "Chen-Wag" he hoped to get Mr Gilbey to come down to a meeting & discuss future arrangements with for the running of the club Magazine, such as who were going

'to help, how much it should cost per copy etc. All members were asked to contribute & of their first contribution was not accepted, to try again - in other words to stick to it. There was a deficit on the Chen-Wag account for last year of over £150.

Major Villiers who was received with loud cheers, spoke of the Harriers. So far they had had a successful season being unbeaten. This result however was due to the efforts of the few more than the many. There were only about a dozen who regularly trained & he wished to "rub in" the Chairman's advice to members to stick to a thing & make it a success.

Mr Cooper spoke of the doings of the shooting, chess & draughts teams. W Morris was presented with the Daily Express medal which he won in the

recent Rifle Competition. The Roberts Medal, Keely Cup & Bell Medal would shortly be competed for, & then the team would train for the Federation Shooting Cup which they hoped to win. In the Federation Chess matches we had been beaten but in the Draughts matches we stood champions of our Division both in Team & Individual matches. Best Credit was due to H Pearch Subkhorpe & Bhole & Webb for these results which had necessitated about 20 visits to the central offices, etc. for the matches to be decided.

The Chairman then dealt with the matter of subscriptions. He pointed out that there was a great difficulty in collecting these. If a member was out of work he should report to the Secretary in the Committee room on Tuesdays, his subscription would then be paid by the club. If a member was

ill he should notify the Secretary in writing & no subscriptions would be required during his illness. He felt very strongly on the matter of these arrears of subscriptions & pointed out that some drastic action such as closing the club for a period or fining members who were over a certain amount in arrears might be necessary. This matter would be discussed shortly at a meeting of the Club Committee.

The whole burden of the War Memorial had been on the shoulders of Mr Cadogan. (cheers) who had also done so much for the Club Library. The subscriptions from the members of both clubs toward the memorial only totalled about £15- but he hoped that this amount would be greatly exceeded by the time the various portions of the Memorial were in position.

Mr Badogar - who was received with loud cheers - stated that the remaining portions of the Memorial had been completed, & it was hoped to have them in position in the near future. The Library had recently been enriched by a large number of volumes, & had recently been catalogued & card indexed. He thanked the Librarians Pearson Sharp & Pearson for their great assistance & for the interest they took in their job. He hoped members would freely avail themselves of the Library & be most careful to return their books to one of the Librarians as a number of books had been lost through members leaving them about in the club.

The Chairman then spoke about Camp for 1920. He said there seemed an impression abroad that members had a right to attend Camp. He wished to correct that & pointed

out that Members attended Camp by invitation only. The camp would only accommodate a certain number & if it was desired to invite a larger number than could be accommodated at once, two "camps" would have to be held. Invitations to Camps would only be issued to good & enthusiastic Club members. Slackers would please note that they will not be invited.

He was pleased to state that the Club Bank showed deposits amounting to over £2800 which fact spoke well for the spirit of thrift of the members. He would point out however, that it was a penny bank, & was meant to encourage saving by the members who could only afford to deposit pence as well as those who could afford to deposit shillings or pounds. He would be very pleased to see a greater number of small subscribers.

Mr H. C. Swift who was cordially received, spoke of the difficulties of the committee. He pointed out that the Members had a fine club, but it was not the building that made the club - it was the members. Those younger members who resented the authority of the committee men should remember that some of them, in the future, might be committee men themselves. They would then understand the difficulties that the committee had to contend with in running the club. Members got a good deal out of the Club & it was only fair & reasonable to expect them to put something into it - in the shape of personal service. He spoke in terms of warm appreciation of the managers of the club, & concluded by telling the members that - if they wished to win the Westborough or anything else they must stick to a thing, once they commenced it.

Dave Murphy who was, after considerable difficulty, persuaded to speak, said: "I ain't no speaker (loud cheers) but I want to say something about the Federation Sports. Last year only twelve members entered for all the running - ought to have had 36 - would like to see a different member for every race & not one member having to run in two, three, or four events. At the Federation Sports last year he heard punters criticising some of the runners & saying "they ain't no good." What he wanted to tell that sort of member was - don't find fault with the tries but get on the track & try to do better yourself & if you can't - well shut up.

The chairman spoke about Card playing in the club & that Whist was allowed. No good club allowed gambling, & if any gambling was noticed, the culprits would be expelled the club & all card

playing stopped.

He said that he noticed how few of the Boys, when they went up to the Old Boys continued their athletics. He hoped that the members who were shortly "going up" would keep up their exercises, their games & the club spirit that they had shewn in the Boys club (Chairman)

The meeting closed with a hearty vote of thanks to the Chairman for presiding. During the summer a number of members drop out of the club, carelessly he thought, through not paying their subscriptions, A certain number would come back in the winter & were surprised that they could not be re-admitted as members, as they had been struck off. He asked the members to pay the subscriptions during the summer, & reminded them that if they were once struck off they could never again be members of the boys or Old Boys Club.

Sharp as one of the Librarians appealed

to members to be tidy in the Library & to replace books on their proper shelves. If members would only do this it would be much neer for everyone concerned, & the temper of the Librarians woold improve. (laughter)

A hearty vote of thanks to the Chairman for presiding, terminated the meeting

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