

The Committee met at 9.0pm 20 Feb 1923
 Mr Cooper in the chair supported by the
 following members, C Storey W Summerfield,
 J Warrington, L Slater H Lambard
 E Wilmer, S Bayin J Lewis & Cooper. &
 E Higgins

Minutes of previous meeting were read
 approved & signed

House Competitions —

Senior Boxing results G Ho 8 pts W Ho 4 pts, R 2 pts

Reading result G .. 2 pts G Ho 1 pt

Serious Recitation would be held

tomorrow night 8.15 pm. The examiners
 had arranged to hear those members
 who were attending school, at 9.15 or
 later

E Coates & W Fox who had been
 summoned to appear & who failed to
 do so, were suspended from using the
 Club until they appeared before the
 Committee. They are to be notified of
 this decision

Committee duties for ensuing week
 were allotted

It was decided to hold a Ping Pong
Championship on a date to be decided
 at the next meeting. Knock out, 1 game
 of 21 up. Final 2 out of 3 games. Entrance fee
 2d. to be divided into 2 prizes $\frac{2}{3}$ & $\frac{1}{3}$.
 A notice to be posted & all members
 putting their names down to pay the
 entrance fee

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

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The Committee met at 9.0pm 27 Feb 1923
 Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by
 Mr Cooper & the following members
 C Storey A Bass W Summerfield
 J Warrington L Slater E Wilmer S Bayin
 G Manser J Lewis & Cooper & Coker
 W Lilley.

Minutes of previous meeting were read
 approved & signed.

House Competition. Serious Recitation results
 White Ho 2 pts G Ho 1 pt

The date for the Ping Pong Championships was fixed for Saturday next. Commence play at 7.50 pm. A notice to be placed to this effect.

E Coates appeared & was cautioned for jumping out of games room window.

Struck off arrears of subscriptions

<u>J Bastin</u>	<u>W Blows</u>	<u>A Darby</u>	<u>J Fritton</u>
<u>G Guiney</u>	<u>D Ingles</u>	<u>E Kemp</u>	<u>J Martin</u>
<u>E Hoison</u>	<u>W Wilson</u>	<u>H Coikett</u>	<u>I Dear</u>
<u>J Eddicott</u>	<u>W Fricke</u>	<u>A Rutter</u>	
<u>W Whiting</u>	<u>S Wood</u>	<u>E Foster</u>	<u>W Fox</u>
<u>A Fritton</u>	<u>S Grafton</u>	<u>A Jarvis</u>	<u>W Hurton</u>
<u>E Stokes</u>	<u>H Bije</u>	<u>C Cunningham</u>	
<u>A Dea'th</u>	<u>J Flexon</u>	<u>J G. Hley</u>	<u>E. F. Barrett</u>

Letters from S Edwards was read & it was decided that he be invited to attend the Ctee meeting next week.

A. Mc Celland for failing to appear before either the Football Ctee or general Ctee when after being summoned is to be written that he is suspended the Club till he appears before the Ctee on Tuesday next. Should he fail to appear on

that day he would be struck off.

W Tilley undertook to provide stewards from the Gym + P.T. class for Thursday next on the occasion of Fed Junior P.T. competition in the Hall.

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

G. W. L. 27.
6.iii.23.

The Committee met at 9.0 pm. 6 March 1923

Mr Wellerley in the chair supported by Messrs Skinsman Cooper & the following

members. E Storey J Warrington L Slater
W Deane E Wilmer J Francis J Lewis

F Cooper J Farmer W Tilley & E Higgins
Minutes of previous meeting were read approved & signed.

S Edwards appeared to apply for re-instatement. It was decided that he be not re-admitted to the club.

A. Mc Celland appeared & was cautioned.

He was also warned to appear before the Football Ctee on Tuesday next.

The following probationers were admitted
A Wakefield, R Benningfield A Reynolds
N J Baker a R Thompson J Millward
W Just E Clark S Sales a E Parker
W. R. Bugstock S H Modesto S E Booker
L Cockrell E H Mould A C Blackwell
J Maynard J. R. Goddard J W S Morse
C W Longley A Nichols A Coleman
W J Pammert W. Holles A. G. Maddy
L Hardy a E J Bone C H Thompson
J Ager W a Savage A Dietz
a Wentworth a J Pheby E Taylor
W a Hill E a Lakey E Hughes J Shummen
A Cousins C Campion W a Cottrell
W Dennis G Skedmore

New members elected. A F Smith J Owen
R Nelson P Brington W Boyce
C Pridmore J Orpwood J Kyne
a Drew W. a. Amor E G Leonard
a May J a Lambeth W Granston
a Scotchmer J Nash S Shroud
E Coates a Coles L Burchell
S Twine E J. Groves
A Cove & G Tomo appeared for tampering with

lockers in dressing room. a further
 complaint against H. Cove for "hanging" on
 the Piano was heard. Decided to suspend
 them both for a week & to warn them
 that if they ~~were~~ offended again they
 would be "struck off."

R Price W Watson & A Jordan appeared
 for throwing baskets & gloves about in the
 Hall. They were cautioned

L Tolaine complained that four members
 were continually swearing at him. He gave
 two names, P. Brington & W. Hill, who are to
 be summoned for next (the meeting, & also
 promised to obtain the names of the other
 two members concerned.

Committee duties for ensuing week
 were allotted.

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

g. Allen
 13. iii. 23.

The Committee met at 9.0pm 13 March 1923
 Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by Mr Cooper
 & the following members L Storey
 W Summerfield, L Slater, E Wilmet
 S Bagin G Manser, J Lewis,
 F Cooper J Baker J Farmer
 W Tilley.

Minutes of previous meeting were read
 approved & signed.

H Cove & J Toms appeared after suspension
 & were warned that, if they offended again
 they would be "struck off".

P Harrington & W Hill had been summoned,
 but did not attend. To be written that
 they are not to use the club till Tuesday
 next when they must attend before the
 Committee or be struck off.

H. Baker & W. Cranston (complaint by L Polaine)
 to be summoned to attend next meeting

The Club would be closed from 10pm
 Thursday 29th inst till 7.30 pm Tuesday 3rd April
 (Easter)

Committee duties for ensuing week were allotted
 The Ctee approved the holding of a

Long Pong Handicap but discussion of details
 was deferred till after Easter
 The meeting closed with a hearty vote of
 thanks to the chairman for presiding.

.. J. Wellesley
 20.3.23.

The Committee met at 9.0pm 20-3-23
 Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by
 Mr Cooper & the following members L Storey
 A Bass W Summerfield L Slater W Deane
 S Bagin G Manser, J Lewis, J Cooper,
 J Baker, J Farmer, & W Tilley.

Minutes of previous meeting were read
 approved & signed.

House competition. Syn & P.T. to be
 held on Monday next, Captains of Houses
 to arrange for their teams.

P. Harrington & W Hill appeared on a complaint
 by L Polaine. The case was dismissed.

H Baker & W Cranston to be warned
 to appear before Committee on Tuesday next or
 be struck off.

Committee duties for ensuing week were

allotted
J.A. Simpson (re boxing) & H. Lambard (re
 C'te duties) to be summoned to attend
 next C'te meeting

Deaboro Dennis. A letter to be written
 to Mr Wrench asking if Lord Deaboro
 could attend after Easter on any
 Saturday ~~at~~ except Dance nights

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

9th March
 27.3.23

The Committee met at 9.0 pm 27/3/23
 Mr Wellisley in the Chair supported by
 Messrs Lancelot Smith, Cooper & the following
 members. A Bass W Summerfield
 J Warrington L Slater H Lambard
 W Deane, E. Welmer G Maxnes
 J Farmer W Tilley F Cooper
 Minutes of previous meeting were read
 approved & signed

J.W. Simpson sent word that he was
 unable to attend the Committee as he

had to go to Bethnal Green for his father. It
 was decided that he be summoned to attend
 on Tuesday next.

H. Lambard appeared & gave assurance that
 he could satisfactorily attend to his Committee
 duties in the future.

Baker & Cranston appeared & were
 cautioned about not appearing before the
 C'te when requested the week previous.
House Competition result, Gym G Ho 2 pts W Ho 1 pt,
 P.T. G Ho 6 pts, B Ho 4 pts, R & W 1 pt each.

The Chairman congratulated the
 House Officials, not only on the display
 given by the P.T. teams, but for getting
 each House to turn out a full team.
 It was the first time that this
 Competition had been held, & the
 fact that there should have been a
 full entry, showed that the Club
 spirit was being properly fostered by
 the House Captains
 C'te duties for ensuing week were
 allotted

It was pointed out that W French

thought he was in Green House. He is to be notified that he belongs to Red House
S. A. Sampson to be notified to attend next Committee meeting

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

J. H. Cooper
 3/4/23.

The Committee met at 9.0 pm 3/4/23
 Mr Cooper in the chair supported by
 E Storey W Summerfield J Warrington
 L Slater G Manser J Lewis F Cooper
 W Tilley E Heggins. Messrs Deane & Baes
 were at Dramatic Rehearsal & Bazin was sick.
 Minutes of previous meeting were read
 approved & signed.

J. W. Simpson did not appear as requested
 Decided that he be suspended from using
 the Club till he appears before the Ctee.
 He is to be written to this effect.

S. A. Sampson appeared after 3 months
 suspension & was cautioned regarding his

behaviour in the future. He assured the
 Ctee that he would give no cause for
 Complaint

A report from the Football Ctee that
H. Lambard had failed to pay a fine
 in the time allotted, & had also made
 no explanation why he had failed to do so,
 was considered & it was decided that
 he be not allowed to use the Club till
 the fine was paid.

Mr Villiers attended & explained
 the changes which were shortly to
 take place in the Old Boys Club, which
 was the cause in the delaying of those
 members who were now due to go up
 to the Old Boys, till a future date.
 The members warmly thanked Mr Villiers
 for his explanation.

The Chairman suggested that points
 that had ~~arisen~~ ^{arisen} concerning the status of
Ctee men who were now over age
 should be deferred till Mr Wellesley was
 in the Chair.

Probationers admitted. — →

H. A. Barnes. V. R. Beningfield W. H. Biggs
 J. St. Brodbeck J. B. Durn L. V. Gray J. Jones
 E. Macfarlane F. Macfarlane W. Patient
 A. Patterson E. Richards G. St. Saunders J. Short
 E. Spinks R. G. L. Stone L. Thacker R. A. Wye

New Members elected

J. Ager H. C. Blackwell S. E. Booker
 E. Clark L. Cockrell St. Cousins St. Dietz
 J. R. Goddard L. Hardy W. Just G. A. Lakey
 A. G. Maddy A. Mason F. Maynard
 St. Morrison R. Morrison J. W. S. Morse
 A. Nichols W. J. Parnment A. E. Parker
 A. J. Phely J. Shimmer G. Skidmore
 G. Paylor A. Wakefield A. Wentworth

The Chairman observed that the following
 House Competitions in Winter Games had still
 to be decided - Comic Recitation, Football,
 Trehand Drawing & First aid. Any
 member provided he was not 18 on 1st
 Oct 1922 was eligible to compete for his
 House in these Competitions. It was
 decided to ask Mr Liddell & Walshaw to
 fix dates for the Comic Recitation & Trehand Drawing.
 The meeting closed with a hearty vote of
 thanks to the Chairman for presiding

10.4.23 M.Way

The Committee met at 9.0pm. 10-4-23
 Mr Wagg in the Chair supported by Messrs
 Weatherby, & Cooper, & the following members
 A Bass J. Warrington L. Slater
 W. Deane E. Wilmer G. Manser J. Lewis
 F. Cooper F. Carter J. Farmer W. Tilly &
 E. Higgins. W. Summerfield & J. Bazin
 had sent notices that they were ill.

Minutes of previous meeting were read
 approved & signed

The Chairman congratulated the Committee
 on the appearance of Mr Weatherby after
 a long interval. He also congratulated
 the Dramatic Society on their recent win
 in the Federation Competition

It was notified that A. Lambert had paid
 his football fine.

J. W. Simpson appeared for -

- (a) Failing to turn up to compete in Fed. Boxing
- (b) Failing to appear before Ctee on 3rd inst after being
summoned

- (c) For taking part in a Federation
Football match whilst under suspension,
after being expressly warned that he was

not

not to do so.

He was suspended for 1 month, & is to come before the Ctee on 8th May if he desires to be re-instated.

H. Cove & J. Toms were to appear on the report of J. Lewis. H. Cove who was in the Club would not come before the Committee. J. Toms did not appear. It was decided - in accordance with the Committee's resolution of 13th March last, - that they be both struck off.

M^r Cillard who had been warned to appear, failed to do so. He is suspended from the Club till he appears before the Ctee.

In respect of a complaint made by J. Lewis A. Davies it was stated that this member could not be traced. Should he be seen in the club he is to be warned that he is not to use club till he appears before the Committee.

Decided to hold the Cycling meeting at

9.30pm. 19th inst, & the Cricket meeting on Friday next at 9.30pm.

The House Competition in Comic Recitation would be held on Thursday next.

The Rifle Range would be opened for shooting practice at 7.45 pm on Monday next.

W^m Hollis & L. N. Coleman, whose work prevented them attending last Tuesday, were duly elected members.

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

17/4/23

The Committee met at 9.0pm 17. 4. 23
Mr Gilbey in the Chair supported by
Messrs Wagg, Coops & the following members
C Storey A Bass W Summerfield
J Warrington L Slates W Deane
S Bazin G Manser F Cooper &
J Farmer & Wilmer

Minutes of previous meeting were read
approved & signed.

House Competition Result of Home Reclamation
Blue House 3 points.

A Post card was received from A. McClland
stating he was unable to attend the
Committee meeting this evening.

Committee duties for ensuing week were
allotted

The Meeting closed with a hearty vote
of thanks to the Chairman for presiding

W. J. Cooper
24.5.23

The Committee met at 9.0 pm 24-5-23
Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by
Mr Cooper & the following members of the
Committee E Storey, A Bass, J Warrington,
L Slater, A Lambard, W Deane, E Wellmer,
G Manser, J Lewis, J Bate & E Higgins
Minutes of previous meeting were read
approved & signed
Committee duties for ensuing week were

allotted

A.E. Redgawell & R. Price appeared before
the Committee for rowdy behaviour.

Redgawell was cautioned & Price was
suspended for a week.

It was decided that A McClland
should be written that if he did not
appear before the Committee by the
8th May he would be "struck off"

L Polaine to be warned to attend before
the Committee next week.

Destoro's Dinner, On the question of the
date of the Destoro's dinner, the Chairman
pointed out that Mr Wrench had
promised to arrange a date on
which Lord Desborough could attend.
As we had heard nothing further it
was suggested that one of the
Committee should write to Mr Wrench
L Slater undertook to do this.

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

W. J. Cooper
1.5.23

The Committee met at 9.0pm. 1 May 1923
 Mr Cooper in the chair supported by C. Storey
 a Bass W Summerfield J Warrington L Slater
 H Lambard W Deane E Wilmer S Bargin
 G Manser J Lewis F Cooper T Cater
 J Farmer E Higgins

Minutes of previous meeting were read approved
 & signed.

L Polaine who had been summoned to appear,
 failed to do so. He is to be written that
 he may not use the club until he has
 appeared before the Committee.

Desboro Dinner. Mr Slater reported that he
 had written Mr Wrench on the matter &
 had received a reply to the effect that
 Mr Wrench had left the matter of fixing a
 date for Lord Desborough to visit the Club, with
 Mr Wellesley.

R Price appeared after suspension & gave
 assurances as to his good behaviour in
 future.

Committee duties for ensuing week were
 allotted

The following were admitted as probationers

J. b. Louden E. White J. H. Knight
 J. Bender J. J. Davies G. Law. T. W. Dain
 A. C. King, J. b. Swinchett E. Northcott
 J. J. Lane W. J. Humphreys T. Mundy
 New members elected. S. H. Brodrick
 L. V. Gray E. H. Mould, W. Patient
 A. Patterson E. Richards E. Spinks
 Q. A. Wye W. A. Bottrell, A. Reynolds
 W. H. Biggs, A. A. Barnes J. R. Benningfield
 A. E. J. Bone. R. G. Stone J. B. Dunn
Summer season, It was notified that the

Other Summer season would commence on
 Wednesday of next week (9th May). The club
 would be closed on Wednesdays, & would
 open at 8.0pm on other evenings
House Competition. Football. Decided that
 these should take place on Monday & Tuesday
 of next week. Kick off 7.0pm. whether
 teams are complete or not. —

Monday Red No v Blue No on Hart
 — " — Green v White. Wilderness

Tuesday Final on Hart.

First aid & Freehand Drawing to be decided
 on dates fixed by Messrs Joyce & W. Law.

R Stone appeared for rowdy behaviour & was cautioned.

D. Flescon to be summoned to appear before the Ctee on Tuesday next.

S. Tasker appeared & was cautioned for not obeying a Committeeman.

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

L Hooper
8/5/23

The Committee met at 9.0pm 8.5.23

Mr Cooper in the chair supported by C Storey
J Warrington F Cooper F Carter J Farmer
W Tilley & E Higgins

Minutes of previous meeting were read approved & signed.

Ctee duties for ensuing week were allotted.

L Polaine appeared for rowdyism & swearing as a Cteeman. He was suspended for 1 month

D Flescon & A McCalland appeared & were cautioned.

House Competition. Football result. B 40, 8pts
W 140 4 pts.

Irishland Drawing & 1st Aid would be held at 9.0pm on Friday next.

W J Murphy & J Taylor were placed on the Supernumerary List (France)

Congratulations to the Simoi Football team were received from the Old Boys Ctee.

Complaints were made that the opening of the Library was very irregular & unsatisfactory. It was decided that the Library Ctee be notified with a view to remedying it.

The Chairman called attention to the large number of arrests notices sent out (206)

A discussion as to the best method to pursue, to better this state of affairs, took place & it was decided to discuss the matter further at the next meeting

H Patient appeared with W Dalton for rowdyism both were cautioned.

S Westcott to be summoned to attend Ctee next week
J. W. Simpson appeared after suspension & gave an assurance of good behaviour in the future

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

96 members.
15.5.23.

Committee met at 9.0pm 15 May 1923
 Mr Wellerley in the chair supported by
 Mr Cooper & the following members of the
 Committee J Farmer W Deane L Slater & G Meares.
 The minutes of previous meeting were read
 approved & signed.

Congratulations were sent to the O.B. (Football)
 Committee on their success in the Walthamston
League.

S Westcott appeared for rowdyism & was
 cautioned

Messrs Storey Bazin Lewis Warrington Tilley
 Bass & Higgins arrived & took their seats
 on the Committee.

It was decided that a Library Ctee
 meeting should be called for Friday
 next at 9.30 pm. to consider the
 complaints made against the Librarian's
 Committee & duties for ensuing week were
 allotted

Arrears of subscriptions. It was
 decided that in future Members whose
 subscriptions were not paid during the
 1st month of the Quarter should be fined 3d.

House Competitions - Results. -

Freeland Drawing - R Ho 2pts B Ho 1pt

First Aid W - 2pts G - 1pt

The Rifle shooting Competition was fixed for
 Thursday 31st ~~June~~ May

A suggestion from the Harriers Ctee that
 the Athletic News be added to the
 newspapers on the boys side was approved.

S Harris A Jordan & W Watson appeared for
 rowdyism. Harris was suspended for a
 fortnight & A Jordan & Watson were cautioned.
 The Meeting closed with a hearty vote of
 thanks to the Chairman for presiding

J. Cooper
 22-5-23

The Committee met at 9.0pm 22-5-23
 Mr Cooper in the chair & the following
 members W Summerfield J Warrington
 E Wilmer S Bazin J Lewis
 J Cooper J Slater J Farmer A Bass
 W Tilley & E Higgins
 Minutes of previous meeting were read
 approved & signed.

The Chairman stated that the Library Ctee had met & had made fresh arrangements by which they hoped to meet the requirements of members. Notices giving these new arrangements had been placed in the Library & on both notice boards Ctee duties for ensuing week were allotted.

A suggestion that House Cricket should be played in the evening was stood over for further consideration.

It was notified that the Rifle Range would be open on Thursday next to give House Officials an opportunity of selecting their teams.

The Committee suggested that the Management be approached to have the Desbors' dinner on a date in the near future whether Lord Desborough could attend or not. J. Farmer undertook to inquire of the Hackney Central Schools, whether they would loan us a Tug-of-war

rope for the House Competition
Struck Off. Arrears of subscriptions
W. Amor, W. Boyce, A. Bryant, E. Coates
J. Felton, J. A. Godfrey, W. Hollis, J. Morris
H. Morrison, J. A. Sampson, A. F. Smith, A. Turner
J. Turrie, C. Wooder, J. Ball, A. Blundell
A. Elmes, J. Kirkstean, R. Wilson, A. Jones
J. Kyne, A. Mednikoff, E. Mincher, R. Newland
W. Peck, G. A. Samworth, A. Baxter, J. Burham
A. Coles, A. Dyke, P. Errington, A. & C. Green
W. Just, A. Kirk, F. Martin, W. Perham
G. Rogers, J. Wharnsby, F. Woods, G. Wotton
J. Baratinisky, J. Brodrick, G. Brown
E. Boson, W. Branstoun, A. Elliott
A. Godfrey, W. Hall, J. Hill, L. Jackson
E. Jones, G. A. Jones, S. Roakes, E. Robinson
W. Sampson, F. Spaine, J. Wood.

The Meeting closed with a hearty vote of thanks to the Chairman for presiding.

J. W. L. L. L.
29. V. 23.

The Committee met at 9.0 pm 29th May 1923
 Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by Messrs
 Gilbey, Cooper & the following members.

L Storey A Bass W Summerfield J Warrington
 L Slater W Deane E Wilmer J Bagin
 J Manser J Lewis F Cooper J Bates
 J Farmer

Minutes of previous meeting were read
 approved & signed

Committee duties for ensuing week were
 allotted

A letter was read from the Library Ctee
 to the effect that they hoped changes now
 made in the Library organisation would
 give satisfaction to members, & that
 questions of fines arising from non return
 of books during the passed two months,
 would be gone into & each case decided
 on its merits

House Cricket Decided that this should
 be played on 25th & 28th June & the
 final on 2nd July. One innings, to be
 played out, even if extra days were
 necessary.

The Deaborough dinner was fixed for the
 30th June. The final arrangements would
 be made next week. Decided to write
 to Mr Wrench thanking him for his
 promise to attend & expressing the hope that
 his operation was successful & that he would
 soon be restored to health. A letter to be
 written to Lord Deaborough asking if he
 could possibly attend on 30th June.

Dancing in Games Room. The chairman
 called attention to dancing in the games
 room. It was against the Rules of
 the club. If Committeemen could not
 see that club rules were observed, we were,
 indeed, in a bad way. He hoped he
 would not have to call attention to
 this again.

St Lambert to be requested to attend
 next Ctee meeting re his non attendance
 to his Ctee duties.

House Competition. Rifle shooting would
 take place on Thursday next commencing 8.30 pm.
 Order of firing. B 40 R 40 G 40 W 40.
 Conditions. 10 shots (compulsory) & seven rounds to count.

Only members of the team firing & Captains of Houses or their deputies to be in the Rifle Range.

House Competition Day of War. Decided that this should be held after the Fed athletic Sports (July 7th)

The meeting closed with a hearty vote of Thanks for to the Chairman for presiding

J. Cooper 5th VI 73

The Committee met at 9.0 pm. 5 June 1923

Mr Cooper in the chair supported by
a Bass F. Baker J. Warrington W. Summerfield
~~W. Haggard~~ J. Farmer & Cooper J. Lewis
C. Storey W. Deane W. Tilley S. Buzin

Minutes of previous meeting were read approved & signed.

A. Lambert who had been summoned to attend failed to appear. Decided that he be informed that should he fail to attend next meeting he would be suspended from using the club until he satisfactorily explained his non attendance

House Competition Shooting result. Team—
G 4 to 4 pts, B 2 pts, W, 1 pt.

Individual G 4 to 2 pts. B & G to shoot off tie for remaining point

Desborough Dinner a letter from Lord Desborough regretting his inability to attend the Dinner was read. Decided that the arrangements should be as for last year - viz 200 tickets distributed by House whips among members of their Houses, & 200 to be distributed by members eligible to attend the dinner. Guests for the concert should not be under 14 years of age.

Committee duties for ensuing week were allotted.

A. Tree J. Wood F. Griffiths & A. March appeared for not attending before the Harriers Committee when requested. They were suspended from the Club till they appeared before the Harriers Committee.

A. Dalton & W. French who had been summoned to attend before the Committee failed to do so. Decided to suspend

them from the Club till they appear
before this Committee

L Polaine & S Harris appeared after
suspension & gave assurances of their
good behaviour in the future.

The following were admitted as
probationers - W Bugg, A Vincent
A Walker A Wainman J Williams

The following new members were
elected J Bender J W Dain
J J Davis J Jones J A Knight
J J Lane G Law E Northcott
R Swinikatt W G Smith

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

W. J. W. 12.06.23.

The Committee met at 9.0 pm. 12th June 1923
Mr. Willesley in the chair supported by Messrs
Wagg, Cooper & the following
members C Storey, A Bass, W Summerfield
J Warrington L Slater E Wilmer S Bazin
G Manser J Lewis & Cooper J Farmer
W Lilley & E Higgins

Minutes of previous meeting were read approved
& signed

A Lambard did not appear & it was decided
to write him that if he did not appear
before the Committee & satisfactorily explain
his non attendance, by the first Tuesday
in July, he would be struck off.

A Walton & R French appeared & their
explanation for non attendance at the
previous Committee meeting was accepted. They
were requested to attend the Harrers
Committee meeting on Friday next

House Competition. Shooting. Green Ho beat
Blue in shooting off for the Individual point
Committee duties for ensuing week were allotted
The meeting closed with a hearty vote
of thanks to the Chairman for presiding

J. Cooper 19 VI 23

The Committee met at 9.0pm 19 June 1923
 Mr Cooper in the chair supported by the
 following members J Farmer & Higgins
 F Cates H Lambard & Storey
 W Summerfield & Wilmer J Cooper
 J Warrington & J Lewis

Minutes of previous meeting were read
 approved & signed.

Committee duties for ensuing week were
 allotted

H Lambard explained his non-attendance
 to the satisfaction of the Committee.

He stated that as he had now
 found work he could give the
 time necessary to carry out his
 C'tee duties

House Competitions. Track Running etc
 on Friday 22nd. Entries close 9.30 pm
 Thursday next

Cricket 26th & 28th inst

R v G Ho on Hart B v W on Wilkesness

Commence play 7.15pm Draw Stumps 9.15pm
 unless both Captains agree to play later.
Desboro Vinner. Decided that a list

be placed on board asking for those
 qualified ~~who~~ intend to ^{be} present to put
 their names down. The list would
 close at 9.0pm on Thursday 28th inst
 Tickets for entertainment would be
 ready by 23rd inst.

The meeting closed at 9.35pm with
 a hearty vote of thanks to the Chairman
 for presiding.

G. Wellesley.

The Committee met at 9.0pm 26 VI 23
 Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by
 Mrs & Miss Rockefeller, Mr Cooper & the
 following members - C Storey W Summerfield
 J Warrington J Slater W Beane
 C Wilmer J Bazin J Manser J Lewis
 J Cooper J Cates J Farmer W Tilley &
 C Higgins.

Minutes of previous meeting were read
 approved & signed.

House Competition. It was decided to
 postpone the Cricket Final till Thursday
 12th July

Nestors Dinner. Mr Wrench had informed Mr Cooper that he would be able to attend & thanked the Committee for their invitation. The Chairman said that he was sure the Committee were pleased that Mr Wrench was sufficiently recovered from his recent operation, to be present. Tickets for the concert were ready for issue to Whips of Houses. The whole of the Committee were appointed stewards at the Dinner.

House Comptn. Decided to hold the Leg of War Competition on Friday 13th July Teams to weigh in between 9 & 10 am Thursday ^{12th} July.

L Slater brought forward a request by Mr Cockrill to collect, on the boys club for the Metropolitan Hospital. After considerable argument for & against granting permission, it was decided that Mr Cockrill be informed that a Hospital Collection would be made by the Committee on Saturday evening next, after the

Nestors Concert. W Tilley volunteered to take the collection Mr Cockrill being allowed to help him. Mr Cockrill thanked the Committee & promised to provide the collecting box.

A suggestion that the club should form a tableau for the Carnival in aid of the Queens Hospital was brought forward. Decided to postpone discussion till next week. A sub committee consisting of Messrs Farmer, Tilley & Higgins to consult with Mr Cockrill & report at the next meeting.

A proposal that the present system of entry to Houses should be altered with a view to levelling up the numbers in each House was referred for report to the following sub committee, G Storey, L Slater, J Farmer, & J Cooper. The Sub-Committee to meet at 9.30 pm on Monday next & report to General Ctee at its next meeting.

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

W. Tilley
3. 11. 27.

The Committee met at 9.0pm 3rd July 1923
 Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by
 Messrs Cadogan, Gilbey, Swift & Cooper. & the
 following members W Deane W Lummus
 J Lewis E Wilmer W Tilley A Bass
 E Storey J Farmer G Manser E Higgins
 W Deane ~~E Storey~~ J Cooper

Minutes of previous meetings were read
 approved & signed.

The following recommendation of the Sub
 Committee appointed to enquire into the
 best way of "levelling" the numbers in
 each House was unanimously adopted -

"Commencing September next the
 House with the least new members
 should have a sufficient number of
 new boys added to bring its number
 level with the numbers in the House next
 above it. The two lowest Houses
 would then absorb all new members
 till they were level with the second
 House on the list. After this new
 members would be drafted equally
 to these three Houses till they were

level with the leading House. When all
 Houses were balanced new members
 should be drafted as at present.
 The balancing to be made every
 six months as soon as transfers
 to the Old Boys club had been completed.

The following probationers were admitted -
 E Bouchard. W E Gumble J Andrews
 Francis Coyne J Speire. R S White

New members elected. E Field A Waker
 W Bugg & J Williams.

C Rushbrook appeared & stated he
 applied for membership two years ago.

He had not been to Club since &
 now asked if he might become a
 member. As he was now over
 16 the Committee decided that he was
 ineligible.

Hospital Tableaux. It was decided
 after considerable discussion that the
 Club would not officially take part.
 The meeting closed with a hearty vote
 of thanks to the Chairman for presiding.

M. Wags 10/7/23.

The Committee met at 9.7 pm 10 July 1923
 Mr Wagg in the chair supported by Mr Cooper
 W Summerfield J Warrington E Welmes
 S Bayin G Manser J Lewis J Cooper
 J Cates W Tilley E Higgins
 Minutes of previous meeting were read approved
 & signed.

Ctee duties for ensuing week were allotted
House Competitions The attention of House
 Officials was called to the following events -
Local House Cricket on Thursday next
 commence 7.15 pm. Tug of war on
 Friday next at 8.0 pm weigh in after
 9.15 pm on Thursday. House swimming
 on Wednesday 1st August events Team
 race Senior Individual & Junior 1 length
 & ditto 2 lengths

The meeting closed at 9.15 pm with a hearty vote
 of thanks to the Chairman for presiding
Congratulations were received from the
 O.B. Ctee on the success of the Boys Club
Harvest at Herne Hill, especially J Warrington

J Cooper
 17 July 1923

The Committee met at 9.0 pm 17 July 1923
 Mr Cooper in the chair supported by ^{Messrs Walleley, Tilley & Kingman} J Barnes
 W Tilley J Warrington W Summerfield E Welmes
 G Manser L Slater J Cooper J Cates W Deane
 E Higgins A Bass J Bayin J Lewis
 Minutes of previous meeting were read
 approved & signed
 Committee duties for ensuing week were
 allotted.

House Competitions -

Cricket result. B Ho 8 points G Ho 4 pts
 Tug of war result G Ho 6 points W Ho 4, B Ho 2,
 It was decided to ask the Otters Committee
 if in the event of their not being able to
 arrange for the Diving on Wednesday the
 1st Aug, they would hold it on another
 evening.

It was also decided to remove Life saving
 from the list of House Competitions
H Lambard, who in spite of repeated
 promises to attend properly to his
 Ctee duties, had failed to do so. It
 was decided to strike his name from
 the list of Committeemen, & to inform him

At this decision

Piano. The Chairman said that he regretted to announce that owing to misuse of the piano, & failure of some members, including committeemen, to observe the Club Rules concerning dancing & singing in the games room, the Piano had been removed.

Athletic Society. Arrears. The following attended before the meeting & the Committee agreed to the arrangements as stated against each members name

W. Barker (Out of work) Will pay as soon as in work

H. A. Barnes Will pay 6^d per week

✓ J. Burgess will pay by end of month

A. Childs will pay by end of month

A. Eyres (out of work) Will pay as soon as in work
a letter to this effect was received from Eyres' father.

G. Groves will pay by end of month

J. G. Jones " " 6^d per week

✓ G. Knope " " this week

L. Polaine (out of work) will pay as soon as in work

W. Patient (out of work) will commence paying on Saturday

G. Reading stated he paid J. Hayes

A. Roffey on short time will pay after holiday
✓ N. Sayer will pay before next Tuesday
✓ J. Stroud to be paid in a fortnight
✓ G. Wellmes stated Mr Welllesley granted him a six months extension as he was unable to attend for a considerable time.

Stan Baygin had not been a member of the Athletic Society - it was a mistake for Sed Baygin

Sed Baygin stated he thought he had paid his subscription to Mr Cooper but if he had not done so would pay by end of month.

G. J. Southworth ^{s.o.} ✓ N. Mayers ✓ & J. Clements ✓
to be written that they may not attend the Club until they have been before the Committee with reference to their Athletic Society's Subscription arrears.

Mr Welllesley took the chair

A. Stolle was suspended till the first Tuesday in September & P. McNeir ✓
A. E. Redgewell ✓ R. Stone ✓ & A. Jordan ✓ were suspended for one week for rowdyism

The Meeting closed with a hearty vote of thanks to the Chairman for presiding

G.W. Minter
24. VII. 23

The Committee met at 9 o'pm 24/7/23

Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by Major Amcotts Mr Cooper & the following members G. Manser L. Slater J. Cates A. Bass J. Lewis S. Bayin W. Symmerfield J. Warrington E. Wilmer J. Cooper W. Deane.

Minutes of previous meeting were read approved & signed

Committee duties for ensuing week were allotted

P. Mr. Heir A.E. Redgwell A. Jordan & R. Stone appeared after suspension & were cautioned as to their future behaviour

It was decided to send congratulations to Hoxton Manor on their successes in the Open Water swimming House Competition. Entries for the swimming would close on Friday next. The House diving competition would be

held simultaneously with the Others diving competition

G. Cooper was co-opted to the Ctee vice H. Lambert. Cooper to be written to attend next meeting

Athletic Subscriptions M.A. Barnes & J.E. Jones paid 6^d each. F. Knops to be written that he is not to use club till his subscription is paid. H. Patient to be warned to attend next committee

congratulations were received from the Old Boys Committee on our success in the open water swimming, & this committee congratulated the Old Boys on their success in these competitions

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

G.W. Minter

The Committee met at 9 o'pm 31st July 1923
Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by Mr Cooper & the following members
J. Barnes G. Cooper W. Deane A. Bass
J. Cates E. Storey E. Higgins

W Tilley J Lewis S Bazin

W Summerfield J Warrington & E Wellmer

Minutes of previous meeting were read
approved & signed

A Childs & E Groves to be summoned to
appear before next Ctee on 4th Sept
re non payment of Athletic Subs

W. Patient being out of work was excused
payment of his athletic subscription
until the autumn.

Club Badges It was decided to lobby a
notice that qualified members (6 months
membership) desirous of obtaining a
club badge price 1/6 should write
their names on list provided.

A Barker ~~who had been~~^{was} to be written to
attend before Ctee on 4th Sept.

The Committee proffered their congratulations
to the Chairman on his birthday.

The meeting's attention was called to the
irregular attendance of some members
on their duty nights. The Chairman
stated that it should be a point of
honour for a Committeeman to attend

on the night for which he was detailed.
The meeting closed with a hearty
vote of thanks to the chairman for
presiding.

Q. Wellesley.
4. 10. 23.

The Committee met at 9.0pm 4th Sept 1923
Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by
Messrs Swift, Cooper, & the following members
to Storey W Summerfield J Warrington
W Deane E Wellmer & Bates J Farmer & Cooper
& W Tilley

Minutes of previous meeting were read approved
& signed

A Barker appeared for rowdyism & was
cautioned.

A Richards was granted permission to play
for Avenue Avondale F.C. on condition that
he applied for permission to the O.B.
football Ctee when formed.

A Stolle appeared after suspension & was
severely cautioned as to his future
behaviour in the club.

Areas list ~~was~~ (Subscriptions) was submitted for the information of the Committee. Committee duties for ensuing week were allotted.

House Competition (1924) Football. Decided that this competition should be as for last year. The competition to be played as soon as the football Committee could make necessary arrangements.

The following were admitted as probationers -
F. Heales, A. Buckland, E. Bouchard,

A. G. Davis, W. Roberts, L. G. Williamson,

J. S. Brooke, S. Goldstein, L. R. Lewis,

J. A. Cook, J. Hayward, C. Edwards,

W. F. Johnson, D. Smith, A. Poole &

A. Jeffries & H. Hammond.

The following new member was elected
A. Vincent.

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

g. v. l. l. l.
 11. ix. 23.

The Committee met at 9.0 pm. 11th Sept 1923
 Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by
 Messrs Cadogan, Swift, Cooper & the following
 members L. Slater, J. Warrington, S. Bazin, Lewis,
 C. Storey, F. Bates, G. Cooper & W. Lilley.
 Minutes of previous meeting were read approved
 & signed.

It was decided to send just notices to members on the areas of Subscription list.

House swimming. As the Committee could not give the information regarding the results it was decided to ask the others (i.e. if they could give them).

Committee duties for ensuing week were allotted
club Badges. The list of applicants for these was considered & it was decided to ask H. Marsh & J. Wood.

A. Maynard to appear next committee meeting. A. Jordan & C. Lines applications were refused.

House Competitions - Chess & Draughts (same conditions as last year) to commence Monday 17th inst & to be completed before 4th Oct to enable Education entries to be made.

The question of returning the prizes to the games room was raised & the Chairman

informed the Ctee that when all the
 & members of the Ctee gave assurances that the
 Club rules re singing & dancing would be
 properly observed the piano would be
 replaced in the Games room.

The Meeting closed with a hearty vote of
 thanks to the Chairman for presiding

g. will
 19th 23

The Committee met at 9.0pm 18 Sept 23
 Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by Mr Cooper
 & the following members C. Storey W Summerfield
 W Keane J Manser J Baker W Tilley
 Minutes of previous meeting were read approved
 & signed

House Swimming result G. Ho. 9 pts, R. Ho 8 pts
 W Ho 4 pts B Ho 3 pts

Club Badges H Marsh & J Wood were awarded
 the Club badge on payment of deposit of 1/6 each
 H Maynard to appear next week

Committee duties for ensuing week were allotted,
 the Chairman called attention to the small
 number of Ctee men present. W Tilley undertook

to obtain a substitute for his tour of duty on
 Saturday next.

J Dunkley was transferred to Supernumerary list whilst
 at Oxford.

Final Notices to be sent to members who were still
 in arrears with their subscriptions

House Competition 1922-3 The Chairman announced
 that Green House had won the Championship
 The House Dinner was fixed for Saturday
 20th Oct.

A letter was read from Webb asking for fixtures
 (home & away) for boxing running & indoor games.
 It was decided to refer the letter to the Boxing
 & Harriers Ctee, & to arrange for the Indoor
 games to be played here on Saturday 13th Oct.
 The return to be at Webb on a Saturday in
 January

It was reported that the key of the games
 cupboard was missing. It was decided to
 obtain a new key, meanwhile the games were
 to be given out & collected in by the Ctee man
 on duty

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

J Cooper
 25 Sept 23

The Committee met at 9.0pm 25th Sept 1923
 Mr Cooper in the chair supported by the
 following members A Bass J Lewis
 S Bayin J Cooper W Neane E Wellmer
 J Warrington J W Tilley .. G. Summerville ^{q. w. d. m. l. y.}
 Minutes of previous meeting were read
 approved & signed.

The Committee approved a suggestion that
 the management be asked to loan the
Ping Pong table from the O.B. Club for our
indoor games v Webbe. on 13th Oct.
House Badges were awarded to J Lewis &
 H Maynard on payment of 1/6 each deposit
 A Hawton was placed on Supernumerary
 list whilst serving in the Army

Struck Off — Areas of Subscriptions —

A Bone	A Bradbrook	E Clark
A Goodship	H Lambert	A Parker W Murphy
H Reynolds	J Ager	V Benningfield
A Edgeley	A Scott	E Field J Grew
M Harris	R Luxford	H Mayers
J Orpinwood	A Pheby	H Phillips E Richards
J Shummen	J Clowes	W Cottrell E Groves
A Mansfield	J Morse	A Kicholls H Polaine

& R Swinchatt.

The cases of L Barnes & L.C. Dunn are
 to be considered at next meeting

H.S. Tree who reported that he has been out of work
 for three weeks was considered & it was decided
 that he must pay 6^d. by Tuesday next or
 be 'struck off' Tree to be informed of this
 decision.

The Chairman notified the committee that
 a member had sent his subscription by
 post but had not sent his name. Clerken
 were asked to trace him if possible
 Committee duties for ensuing week were
 allotted. The Chairman remarked that the
 attendance of Clerken on duty had been
 very slack recently, & asked the members present
 to do their best to improve the state of
 affairs.

House competitions It was proposed that — owing
 to the large number of the Committee who
 were shortly going up to the Old Boys;
 it would be better if the House
 Competitions were deferred until the
 new Committee had been elected. Carried.

The Chairman mentioned that it would be in accordance with precedent if the Club was opened at 7.30 pm every evening in the week ~~and~~ commencing the first Monday in October. The opening at this hour, however, was dependent on the Committeemen being present to carry out their duties. The members present agreed that they could arrive in time & it was decided to open the Clubs as stated above.

The General Meeting of the Club would be held on Friday 5th Oct. Mr Welleley suggested that the departing House Officers should look round their Houses for members worthy to take their places on the Ctee. It was decided to place a notice on the board asking for names of Candidates for the Committee to be written on list provided by 9.0 pm. Tuesday next. The question of the return of the piano to the games room was raised. The Chairman drew attention to the conditions made at the Ctee Meeting on 11th inst. under which the piano could be returned.

With a view to using the ping pong tables in the shooting gallery when the range was not required for shooting etc, it was decided to try & make some device which would prevent the balls going over the bed lights. The meeting closed with a hearty vote of thanks to the Chairmen for presiding.

... 9. Welleley.

The Committee met at 9.0 pm 2nd X 23
Mr Welleley in the chair supported by Messrs Cadogan Gilbey Cooper & the following members A Bass J Lewis E Willmes S Bayini J Baker W Summerfield J Cooper J Warrington J Lewis J Cooper.

Minutes of previous meeting were read
approved & signed

N. S. Tree, not having paid his subscription was struck off.

L Barnes to be written that his subscription should be paid to the Boys Club for last quarter.

E Knope appeared for being rude & insolent to the caretaker, by asking him

what authority he had in the club. The Committee took a serious view of the matter & suspended Knope for a fortnight.

It was decided to hold a concert after the Champion House dinner on 20th inst. The following probationers were admitted

A a Armer A Appleby A Aylott J Banks
A a Baptist S G Bridger E a Broadwater
J G Butler N Chandler L H Collins
H G Cornew W J Davies G F Dowling
C C Dunn G J Foulger J Fowler
G Gutteridge A Hetchcock W Jeffries
E Jones S Kosmian N Moggridge
A Nicholls W. B. Payne A Poole
F. G. Potter A T. Priest S. H. Pusey
R H Salmon C W Sanders W Savage
E. A. Shaer H Silver S Smith
A Spivaick A Humphrey R E Tilson
J. C. Tong A C Turrell R J Ward J W Watson
C. C. White N Williams H F Williams

The following were elected members. -
J S Brookes A W Buckland

Samuel Goldstein J B Hammond J Heales
W F Johnson L R Lewis J G Williamson

The Chairman said that as this was the last sitting of the Committee ~~as at present~~ before the election of a new one he would take the opportunity of thanking them for their help & hard work during the past year. In his opinion we had never had a better Committee & he asked those present to convey his thanks to those who were unavoidably absent.

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

g. W. M. 22.
 9-X-23.

A General Meeting of the Boys Club was held at 9.0 pm. 5th Oct 1923

Mr Wellesley in the chair supported by Messrs Cadogan Liddell Adams Hughes Cooper & 152 members.

The Chairman explained the object of the meeting, & the congratulated the Club on having won, for the fourth year in succession, the Declaro's Cup. With regard to the Declaro's & our title as Champion Club of London he was afraid he would have to tell the same old story - of looking ahead to see where we were going to get the new members who would be keen & good enough to hold the many championships that we had won.

In the Boxing we had at present very few capable ones left. Our only chance for the future was to train hard & for each member to assist by roping in keen new members. He was pleased to say that Mr Harry Mallin of our Old Boys, who held a unique record of never having been beaten & of winning the Olympic championship twice, & the Amateur Championship five times, had promised to hold

a special Boxers class & give lectures to the members.

In the swimming we had won great successes, & only last night at the Federation Championships we had set up no fewer than five new records.

Those successes however were the result of a lot of very hard work & if members wished to be up to the high standard required to win Fed Championships they must train hard during the winter in order to be successful in the summer. The Otters were expensive to run, & in order to overcome the difficulties of finance they had decided to branch out & hold two dances at the Kings Hall this winter.

Mr Wagg was unfortunately not present, but if he were here he would tell them that the Club Penny Bank was flourishing & advise them all to join it & save for a rainy day.

There were hospital letters for use of the members & their families, which could be obtained from himself or Mr Cooper. A bath chair could likewise be obtained

for the use of members their relatives & friends
The Athletic Society, which covers the Boxing
Running Gym & P.T. classes, & to which a
 member must belong before he could take
 part in either of these classes, could be joined
 through the Hon Secretary Mr Tommy Hayes. The
 subscription was 2/6 per year & this entitled
 members to belong to one or all of the classes
 mentioned, & also to obtain their gymnastic
 outfit far below cost price. If a member
 could not find Mr Hayes they could join through
Mr Willesey or Cooper.

There was also first aid & life saving classes notice
 concerning which, would be placed on the notice board.
 It was difficult to get members who would
 stick to the 1st Aid class but he hoped this
 year that members who decided to join it would
 persevere & bring back the Cup we lost last
 year.

Camp would take place next year as usual.
 It must be distinctly understood that no
 member had a right to attend Camp. It was
 a privilege. Only those members would be
 invited, who during the coming year

proved they were good keen members.
Mr Cadogan said that we had had a very
 successful season in the Boys Club. He agreed
 with the remarks the Chairman made at a
 recent Committee meeting, that this years
 Committee was one of the best the Club had
 ever had. He hoped however that the
 aspirants for the new committee just about
 to be elected would discipline the members
 into observing the very necessary rules made
 for the good of the Club generally.

As deputy assistant to the Hon secretary
 of the Harrers he would like to see
 more members running out but he
 would leave it to Mr O Murphy to
 speak on the Harrers generally. The
Gym & P.T. Classes had been most
 successful & it was very gratifying to
 see how the attendances at these classes
 were so well maintained during the
 past winter. New books had been
 added to the Library & it would soon be
 re-opened for the use of the members.
 All he asked was that members would

take proper care of the books. They were expensive, but he thought at present the expense was justified, & therefore the library would be kept going. He would like however a few reserve librarians, who could learn the duties, & act for the librarians when they were unable to be present.

He was very disappointed at the poor number of punters who turned up at the semi-final & final of the cricket cup. One of the jolliest things he remembered was the number of punters a few years ago who turned up for some of our matches. It helped the players a great deal if they were cheered on by their Club mates.

For the information of those members who were going up to the Old Boys he would say that the management had changed the system, & hoped that the new arrangement would be a success. It was very disappointing to see members who were keen & useful in the Boys Club developing into grouches & grumblers when they went to the O.B. He was certain that if the boys going up

carried the keenness they had shown in the House Competitions, with them & used their experience of running these competitions when they reached the Old Boys, the Old Boys Club would be a complete success. He congratulated them on winning the Deborahs' again.

Mr Cooper spoke of the Football & Rifle shooting. He emphasised the need for members to play as a team & not as individuals. He congratulated the Seniors on winning the Federation Football & Cricket Cups, & pointed out that the fielding of the Cricketers was far in advance of anything he had previously seen in Federation Cricket. This opinion was also shared by Mr Wrench the Secy of the F.L.W.B.C. He reminded the members that in 1919 when we won both senior & junior Federation Cups we only had one ground & two teams, now we had two grounds & four teams, & ought to do better. In rifle shooting we only managed to get second place altho' we beat the

existing record. Mr Sharp had undertaken to run the rifle range & he hoped members would begin to practice so that we should bring the cup back again next year.

The Chairman said it was often remarked by other clubs that Eton Francs could win at football, Bosing etc because of the excellent accommodation in their Hall & playing fields. Last year a new competition was introduced by the Federation. It was a Dramatic competition in more than one way. The Jewish clubs had exceptionally good dramatic societies & were frequently giving dramatic entertainments & they certainly expected, if only on account of their greater experience, to win this Cup. However they didn't & we did. It was due to exactly the same reason as our other successes - keenness & hard work.

Mr Liddell thanked Mr Wellesley on behalf of the Dramatics class for his kind words, & hoped this year the club would be successful in the Reading & Serious & Comic Recitation

competitions. Last year he thought the Jewish Clubs did not expect our Dramatics team to be so good as it was. Next year we should find it harder still to win as our opponents would naturally work harder - well - so must we. By way of finding new talent it was proposed to run, on Mr Gilbey's suggestion, two shows about Christmas. One would be a play, written by Mr Gilbey & the other would be a pantomime also by Mr Gilbey, which would not only amuse ourselves but would help on our dramatics class.

The Chairman asked if any member had any proposal or suggestion to make. After a few moments Mr Scrimgeour said "What about the planet coming back"? Mr Badogan thought it would be an excellent idea to remove the piano from the library. The Chairman said they were both excellent propositions but the ~~planet~~ position was as follows. The piano was not the property of the club, & these rooms were built as games

rooms. One rule of the club was that dancing was not allowed & the games rooms & dancing would not be allowed. When the new Ctee met & gave assurances that this rule would be kept & that they would make it their business to see that all members kept the rule the pears would be brought back. but not before.

Speaking of punters he would remind members of what he said last year: 'The club has a reputation for being real good sportsmen, but if we had punters who 'barracked' the referee or opposing team, this club's reputation would quickly go down. He said this not in any way to criticise our own club but merely to remind the older members that some of the newly joined ones might not remember our good name in this respect, & it was up to the older ones to check any action on their part likely to let us down.

He pointed out to members the necessity of consulting the House Board

every time they came to Club as that was practically the only means of communicating quickly with all the members.

The Chairman congratulated Green House on again winning the House Competition Championships. The House Competition had been a tremendous success, great keenness had been shown. In order to make the House Competition more fair as to numbers competing it was decided to alter the existing methods of entry to Houses & each year equalise the numbers as far as possible by allotting new members till all houses were practically of equal strength. Amidst applause he then presented the House Shield to the Green House Captain Mr J. Bates.

The Chairman ~~now~~ said that the meeting would now disperse for its House meetings to elect their new Committee. The results were as follows

R	J Warrington	Capt	A Bass	Vice	J. Broom	E Humphrey
W	P. McNeill	"	L. Tison	"	E. Johnson	J. G. Johnson
B	J. Bagen	"	J. Lewis	"	J. O'Connell	J. G. White
G	L. E. Murre	"	A. J. Cooper	"	J. Thompson	J. H. Poole

J. Willoughby
24.10.24

The Committee met at 9. pm on Tuesday, 9th October.
 Mr. Wellesley in the chair, supported by Messrs.
 J. Warrington. A. Bass, F. Broom, E. Humphreys
 P. McKeir, L. Tilson, E. Johnson, G. Johnson, S. Bazin
 J. O'Connell, A. White, L. Ennevers, A. J. Cooper,
 J. W. Simpson, & J. H. Poole.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read,
 approved & signed, & the Chairman was notified
 that L. Barnes had paid the subscription due
 to the Club.

The Chairman welcomed the new Committee and
 pointed out to them that the success of the
 Club during the coming twelve months lay in
 their hands. He hoped that they would find
 it possible to carry out their duties regularly
 and relied on them to set the right tone
 and example in the Club.

Green House Dinner. It was decided by the
 representatives of Green House that in the event
 of its being impossible to obtain a concert
 party for October 20th, as arranged, a dance
 should be held in place of the concert on
 that night.

Committee Duties. The Chairman explained

the nature of these, and members present under-
 took to carry them out on nights which
 should be drawn for by lot.

The names of the Committee were placed
 in the hat and drawn for as follows:-

A. White — A. Bass
 J. O'Connell — L. Tilson
 E. Johnson — A. J. Cooper
 P. McKeir — J. Warrington
 L. Ennevers — J. Simpson
 S. Bazin — G. Johnson
 J. H. Poole — F. Broom
 J. Lewis — E. Humphreys.

The following undertook to collect subscriptions
 from their houses:-

Red F. Broom?
 White G. Johnson
 Blue J. O'Connell
 Green J. H. Poole.

A. Stolle. The Chairman reported that the
 Secretary of the Football Committee had complained to
 him concerning Stolle's failure to turn out
 on the previous Saturday. The Committee decided
 to refer this matter to the Football Committee

and to notify Stolle that he should attend the meeting of the Football Committee on the following Monday.

Fairbairn House & St Andrews Home Club. Letters were read from these two Clubs, thanking the Managers & members for having sent a framed photograph, taken at the Federation Athletic Sports.

Rifle Range & Ping Pong. The Chairman reported that it was hoped that Ping Pong could be commenced within the next fortnight.

Piano. The Chairman raised the question of use of the piano in the Games Room and informed the Committee that the piano could only be put back into the Games Room, if they were prepared to give a serious and honourable undertaking that they would see that no singing nor dancing took place. A. Buss suggested that it would be difficult to guarantee the absence of singing. The Committee gave the necessary undertaking and the Chairman promised that the piano should be put back at once.

Loafers in the Changing Rooms. It was decided to post a notice to the effect that the changing

rooms were only intended for the use of members taking part in Boxing, Gym, or Running on the appointed nights, or making use of the Club baths. The Committee were asked to see that members did not lounge in these rooms. The Committee requested that arrangements might be made for the last man leaving the dressing room on Saturday afternoons to shut the door & it was decided to ask the Old Boys to cooperate in this.

Otters' Dance, October 18th. The Chairman invited members of the Committee to assist in posting notices and selling tickets.

Indoor Games, v. Webbe, October 13th. A letter was read from the Webbe Club & it was decided to leave the selection of members to represent the Club to a special Committee consisting of the ~~four~~^{four} House Captains. It was also decided to ask W. Tilley if he would act as M.C.

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

John Miller
16/10/23