

The cttee. met on Mon. 23rd Sept. 1946 at 8pm. with Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by the full cttee. with the exception of Watts excused Smith absent. S.T. Anslow & R.K. Hayes were elected to serve as cttee. members. The following new Prob. were admitted: T.W. Beenham, M.D. Chisholm, A.C. Cooper, V.P. Edwards, S.W. Elden, S.E. Glyn, R. Hale, E.J. Hanscombe, D.G. Jones, L.J. Leach, J. Marchant, D.E. Norton, E.A.R.A. Osgood, C.E. Pitman, B.A. Read, G.W. Ridley, F.S. Tull, D.G. Veck, H.J.W. Walters, J. Wayne, R. Williamson, P.A. Woodhouse.

The following member was elected: E.C. Johnson.

The following members were struck off for arrears of subs: J. Buck, L. Chandler, C. Finch, E. Hangley, G. Millington.

Struck off for Inactivity: R. J. Lane.

The chairman informed the cttee. that the House Comps. Road Running would take place on Wed. Oct. 23rd. Squash Court. It was decided that in future no Probationers would be allowed to use the Squash Court. The chairman was asked whether the Boys would be allowed use of the wireless set in the bar Saturday evenings, this was agreed to. Duties for the ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed.

George Jackson
30/9/46

The cttee. met on Mon. 30th Sept. 1946 at 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the full cttee. with the exception of Watts excused. The following new Probationers were admitted: L.J. Baker, A.M. George, J.W. Hinton, R.A.C. Hollebrand, J.A. Perry, J. Richardson, B.E. Singleton, A. Taylor, E.W. Williams, H. Dootton. The following new members were elected: C.J. Barnett, H.A. Deeks, K.C. Gay, C.H. Hines, R.B. Sinnott, R.E. Wilson, K.G.R. Woodman. The following failed to appear & will receive a 2nd. notice: S.S. Burden, A. Coleman, A.S. Dixon, A.E. Hall.

H. W. Hendry, S.O. arrears of subs, K. Starkey, House Comps.

The chairman remarked that Quiz Comp held in the club for the first time had been a great success results being as follows: Part 1. Green 1st. 60 pts., Blue 2nd. 51., Red 3rd. 47 pts., White 4th. 25 pts. The following members were

transferred to the Ad Boys Club: H. Busby, C.D. Choat, D.J. Collins, J. Cowley, D.J. Draper, R.T. Fry, W.H. Hobbs, J. Howers, H.E. Mahoney, F.J. Methley, G.R.A. Nagel.

G.R. Pamentier, F.L. Perry, G.S. Perry, R.H. Skelsey, S.H. Smeeton, N.H. Solomons, A.F. Sykes, G.H. Watts, J.A. Weetch, N. Winslade. Elect. to serve on Boys' cttee: R. Lambourne, R.G. Lye.

Boys' Club A.G.M. for the following week was then discussed. Duties for the ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed.

Geo. Jackson
14/10/46

The Annual General Meeting of the Boys' Club was held in the hall at Riseholme Street on Monday Oct. 7th. at 8.30 p.m. with Mr. David Shaw-Kennedy in the chair supported by Mr. Villiers, Sir. Edward Cadogan, Mr. Baring Messrs. A. Thompson, E. Wilson, K. Dunstan, G. Jackson, R. Perry, A. Jacobs and approx 300 members of the Boys' Club. The minutes were read by G. Jackson approved & signed by the chairman. In his address the chairman pointed out to the members that in addition to the Club running its various classes we were also interested in members welfare and if anyone was seeking advice regarding employment, hospitals, or any such similar thing he shouldn't hesitate to contact the Management. He said that he was sorry to report that there had been bad cases of stealing in the Club and he thought it very low for a lad to steal from a fellow member. He reminded members that the Dental Clinic was still functioning and because of the long waiting list preference would in future be given to Boys' Club Members.

In his report on the club G. Jackson stated that he was satisfied with the way

most members had been paying their subscriptions and with the way they had been supporting the more popular classes, but that he was rather dissatisfied with the lack of support given to the quieter classes such as First Aid, Drawing, Chess & Draughts. He mentioned that a Dramatics Class was about to commence and that he would like to see a bumper ~~crowd~~ attendance. He said that we must do away with the very slack way members had been turning up for fixtures, be it a football match or boxing match or any other match. He stated that we would be very strict on this point during the coming year. He mentioned that House Comps. would be held for all activities during the coming year and a shield would be presented to the winning house. He then read out a recently compiled list of rules applying to the grounds. The Chairman then introduced the House Captains who spoke a few words to their Houses and introduced the committee for the coming year. B. Gatward congratulated his house ^{GREEN HOUSE} on winning the House Comps during the past year. The next speaker Mr. Thompson then gave an account of the past season's football mentioning that the Junior side had won the Federation.

and the Winchester Cup. He said that during the coming season we were running four Boys' teams and they would all be in leagues. The Juniors in the Senior Federation, Junior A in the Junior Federation and the two Senior teams in Walthamstow leagues. He advised all footballers to make good use of Mr. Duncan's running classes. Mr. Wilson then spoke on Cricket saying that we had started the Senior Team, Junior team and a mixed team. The Juniors had entered for and won the Federation, but he remarked how weak the opposition had been. The case was similar with the Senior & Mixed teams and they were consequently matched with men's teams and had fared quite well. Because the standard of the Senior Federation Cricket had been higher than was expected this year, we would be entering the Seniors in the Senior Federation next year.

Mr. R. Perry speaking on the subject of P.T., said that he couldn't give a talk on anatomy in such a short time, and ^{couldn't} give results, P.T., not being a ~~confined~~ competitive sport, but that he would like to point out that Physical Fitness was the basis of all games. He said he wished members would not adopt the attitude that they

had to do P.T., because they had to do something in the Club, he wanted members to enjoy the class. In the absence of the swimming Secretary H. Barnes was asked to say a few words on Swimming. He said that this section had had a good year winning the Federation once again with five cups out of a possible ten and a place in each of the other events. He mentioned some of the outstanding winners. He said that we would probably be entering for all galas during the coming year and that an extra Others Class would be functioning Monday evenings for advanced swimmers & polo practice. Mr. K. Duncan then reported on the Harriers Section giving an account of the past season saying that we had won the Federation Cross Country and several other individual championships which included an Essex Junior, Southern Counties Junior and a couple of L.E.C. London Athletics Championships. He went on to say that at some time or other during the season ninety members had been on the track and that sixty had been fixed up with some kind of a race. He said that we all liked wins but that the important thing was that members should come to the Harriers to enjoy themselves.

A. Jacobs then spoke on Boxing giving details of the Club's good wins in the Federation & junior championships. He mentioned J. Rood as being the season's most outstanding boxer and he was sorry to report that at present Rood was ill in hospital. He was pleased to report that 3 lads had won their Open Novice Competitions before entering the forces. He said that the Club had featured in 150 bouts during the past season winning more than half of them. S. Morley was then asked to give an account of the Club Table Tennis. He reported that we were once again running several teams with two of them in leagues. Our record for the past season was the Championship of the East London League + runners-up in the Hackney Charity Cup. Sir E. Cadogan then addressed the meeting saying that there was nothing he could really say that hadn't already been said and after hearing of the Club's many successes he would like to congratulate the members and wish them the best of luck for the future. Mr. Villiers then said he felt sure all members would join him in congratulating those concerned for the very efficient and hard working way they had carried the Club through its first year of peace. He went on to say

that certain activities such as football, cricket and other team games were confined to just teams, and members who couldn't get in these teams should take advantage of the many other classes ~~are~~ where there was no confining of members. Mr. Baring then said how pleased he was to be in the Club once again and congratulated the members on their successful year and wished them the best of luck for the coming year. The chairman then asked if there were any questions, there being none the meeting was declared closed.

W. Shaw Kennedy

6 Oct 47

The cttee. met on Mon. 14th Oct. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the full cttee. with the exception of Watts absent, Williams ^{or Turner} excused. The following new Prob. were admitted: The following new Prob. were admitted: H.W. Bevis, A.H. Chandler, F.S. Driscoll, L.F. Easlea, H.E. Evans, J. Halfpenny, N. Harris, S.C. Harris, E.W. Kingston, A.R.W. Lamond, D.W. Lofthouse, B.F. Mole, W.R. Moss, G.A. Pelaine, W. Pugh, L.S. Searle, A. Willmer, R.A. Wright. The following New Members were elected: E.W. Barrett, P.W. Bull, G.W. Carr, V.A. Clifford, W.J.W. Eastick, O.L.J. Goudie, D.J. Guy, F. Jones, A.C. Morrell, J.E. Nic, A.W. Pryor, J.D. Pulham, L.R. Russell, J.R. Wilkes, R.E. Wood, R. Edward Wood. The following failed to appear & will receive a 2nd. notice: M.J. Dear, R.H. Dulwich, R.L. Goddard, R.W. Hart, R.E. Herbert, D.J. Ives, A.W. Lawson, S.W. Payne, R.J. Penny, S.M. Pison, S.A. Rason, J.K. Spencer, J.L.H. Thyer, E. Whitehead. The following failed to pass & received a 2nd. notice months probation. R. Forshaw, H.W. Hendry, D.S. Myers, J.W. Wood. Resigned from cttee. R. Hye. ~~The~~ P.R. Rogers was struck off for arrears of subs. Misbehaviour D. Sims was suspended for a month. The chairman informed the cttee. that the House Comps Football

would be held on Sundays Oct. 20th & 27th. Council of Youth Meeting, L.E.C. R. Forster & R. Hambourne volunteered to represent the Club. Federation Senate Meeting. R.G. Smith & B. Gatward volunteered to attend this meeting. Duties for the ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed.

Geo. Jackson
21/10/46

The cttee. met on Monday 21st Oct. at 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the full cttee. The following new Prob. were admitted: D.J. Cash, J. Collins, G.A. Crooks, K.W. Cubbitt, S.G. Dekker, A.J. Gray, W. Harrington, R. King, R.E. Mont, J.R. Nightingale, J.P. Quinlan, V. Spencer, R.N. Thomas, K.E. Tomlin. The following new members were elected: J.W. Beenham, S.W. Elden, E.J. Hanscombe, J. Marchant, D.E. Norton, E.A.R.A. Osgood, R.J. Penny, G.E. Pitman, S.A. Rason, ^{R. WILLIAMSON, J. WAYE} The following failed to pass & received an extra month's prob. M.D. Chisholm, S.E. Glyn, R. Hale, G.W. Ridley, F.J. Sull, H.J.W. Walters. The following failed to appear & will receive a 2nd. notice: A.L. Cooper, V.P. Edwards, W.G. Jones, L.S. Leach, B.A. Read, W.G. Veck, P.A. Woodhouse. The following members were struck off for arrears of subs: G.R. Barnett,

G. E. Bennett, R. Bickerstaff, J. J. Jones, A. Pluckrose,
L. Wakefield, J. D. Munns, R. Parker, P. Swinburne,
L. A. Juson, H. Willows, L. C. L. Baker, E. Reynolds,
L. Bellett, R. Calvert, S. Lazarus, D. Nichols,
H. J. Tranter, J. W. Aylton. Duties for the ensuing
week were allotted. There being no further business
to discuss. The meeting was declared closed.

George Jackson
28/10/46

The Cttee. met on Mon. 28th Oct. at 8pm. Mr. Jackson
in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the full Cttee with
the exception of Poulter excused. The following New Prob.
were admitted: C. G. J. Brown, R. Carrington,
F. J. Coxall, K. J. Hoy, F. C. Read, F. A. Taylor, A. G. Webb.
The following new members were elected: L. J. Baker,
A. M. George, J. W. Hinton, R. A. C. Hollebrand, A. D. Saylor.
The following failed to appear & will receive 2nd notice:
J. A. Perry, B. E. Singleton, E. W. Williams, H. Wootton.
House Comps. The chairman informed the Cttee that Road Running
had resulted in a win for Green, ~~Red~~ 2nd. Blue 3rd. White 4th.
Football House Comps: Green & Blue tie for 1st place, Red 3rd.
White 4th. Fed. Senate meeting. Gatward & Smith made their
report on the Fed. senate meeting held Sunday last. The thing
that struck them was the efficient way in which the meeting
the following were struck off: J. Scates. H. J. Sherriff. The former
at own request.

was conducted, especially as it was all boys & no adults.
Duties for the ensuing week were allotted. There being no
further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed
with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

E. Wilson
11/11/46

The Cttee. met on Mon. Nov. 4th. at 8pm. with Mr.
Wilson in the chair supported by the full Cttee. ~~G. D. L. L.~~
The following Prob. were accepted: R. G. Beale,
A. E. Tredgett, G. E. Martin, R. J. Sly, R. H. Stokes.
Failure turn up for football: A. Collinson & R. Collins were
cautioned the latter fined 2/6. House Comps Drawing &
Chess & Draughts were discussed and the dates fixed.
The Cttee requested that a letter be sent to the Vets. & Old Boys'
Cttee. bringing to their notice that ~~the~~ one of the Old Boys' football
teams withdrew from playing the Sen. Boys in a friendly match
an evening before the match was due to take place. Duties
for ensuing week were allotted. There being no further
business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote
of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

Geo. Jackson
11/11/46

The Cttee met on Mon. 11th. Nov. at 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by the full cttee. with the exception of Foster absent. B. Watts resignation from cttee. was accepted. Minutes from previous meeting were read approved & signed. The following new Prob. were admitted: A. J. Davies, E. J. Davies, C. Creep, D. G. Hilliard, K. W. Jones, S. W. King, H. D. Stapleton, V. F. Turner. The following new members were elected: H. W. Bevis, R. Forshaw, J. Halfpenny, H. Harris, S. C. Harris, A. R. D. Hamond, W. R. Moss, D. J. Myers, G. A. Polaine, D. Pugh, A. Willmer, J. W. Wood, R. A. Wright. The following failed to pass & were given an extra month's Prob. A. H. Chandler, L. F. Eastlea. The following failed to appear & will receive a 2nd. notice: F. J. Briscoll, H. E. Evans, H. W. Hendry, E. W. Kingston, D. W. Lofthouse, B. F. Mole, L. S. Searle, E. J. Warner. The chairman informed the cttee. that an exhibition of drawings by the Art Class would take place in the library the coming Friday. Duties for the ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss, with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding the meeting was declared closed.

George Jackson

18/11/46.

The cttee. met on Mon. 18th. Nov. at 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the full cttee. The following new Prob. were admitted: R. D. Bunker, R. K. Davies, C. Davis, R. Hilliard, R. S. Horsfeld, J. R. Kemp, H. Kentin, D. F. Plummer, B. W. G. Smith, S. E. Sturge, C. H. Summers. The following new members were elected: P. J. Cash, M. D. Chisholm, J. Collins, G. A. Crooks, S. G. Dekker, A. J. Gray, W. F. Harrington, R. King, E. W. Kingston, J. R. Nightingale, R. E. Mont, J. P. Quinlan, G. W. Ridley, R. N. Thomas, K. E. Tomlin, H. J. W. Walters. The following failed to appear & will receive a 2nd. notice: K. W. Cubbitt, S. E. Glyn, R. Hale, V. Spencer, F. J. Tull. Supernumerary Membership, Members Relatives. Certain Members having sons of Club joining age living outside London have expressed their wish that these sons become Supernumerary members without serving a month's probation. A rule was passed whereby boys be accepted ^{provided they are under 16.} but should they wish to take up active membership while of Boys' Club age they must then serve the month's Probation. The following member was elected under this new Rule: A. H. Gadeke. Inactivity. The following were cautioned: D. Olney, R. L. Turner. Old Boys' Football. Letters of acknowledgement ^{to the Boys' letter} were read to the cttee. from the

Old Boys ctee & the Football ctee. The Boys ctee. were satisfied with the reasons given in the letters.

Subs. Areas. The following members were struck off:

W.A. Ballard. J.W. Ball. E. Bridge. R.D. Clements.

D.M. Forbes. W.S. Harrison. C.H. Hines. D.M. McIntyre.

A.A. Scrivener. D.E. Murray. D. Norden. J. Osborn.

N.W. Wilkinson. There being no further business to discuss

the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

E. Wilson
27/11/46.

The ctee. met on Mon. 25th. Nov. Mr. Wilson in the chair assisted by Mr. R. Hill & the full ctee. with the exception of Eyres absent.

The following new Prob. were admitted: D.L. Clarke. R.S.C. Clifford.

K.G. Dearman. J.N. Hart. R.C. Hicks. A.D. Hambeth.

R.F. Morgan. The following new members were elected:

R. Carrington. K.W. Cubbitt. S.E. Glynn. K.J. Hoy.

V. Spencer. F.A. Taylor. The following failed to appear &

will receive & Ind. notice: C.G.S. Brown. F.L. Read. A.A. Webb.

Duties for the ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
2/12/46

The ctee. met on Mon. 2nd. Dec. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the full ctee. with the exception of Williams excused & Smith absent. L. Eyres resignation from the ctee. was accepted. S.H.W. Morley was elected to serve. The following new Prob. were admitted:

A.J. Hagger. B.R. Hill. G.A. Johnson. E.E. Redgwell.

The following new members were elected: R.G. Beale.

G.E. Martin. F.L. Read. R.J. Sly. R.H. Stokes.

A.E. Tredgett. 2nd month's Prob: F.J. Coxall. The

chairman then read out the result of the Chess & Draughts House Comps. which were as follows: Blue 1st. Red 2nd.

Green 3rd. White 4th. The date for the First Aid House Comps

was fixed for Jan. 7th. 1947. Duties for the ensuing

week were allotted. There being no further business

to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of

thanks to the chairman for Presiding.

George Jackson
9/12/46.

The ctee. met on Mon. 9th. Dec. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the full ctee. Smith's excuse for being absent the previous week was accepted. The following new Prob. were

accepted: K.A. Johnson. E.J. Woollard. The following

new members were elected: E.J. Davies. L.F. Earlea.

W.G. Hillyard. K.W. Jones. S.W. King. 2nd month's Prob. C. Greer

The following failed to appear & will receive a 2nd notice:
H.D. Stapleton, A.J. Davies, A.H. Chandler, V.H. Turner.

Resignation from Club was received from D. Ashley.

Inactivity: G. Alabaster was cautioned. Areas of subs. S. Silverstone was Struck Off. Duties for the ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

Geo Jackson
16/12/46.

The cttee. met on Mon. Dec. 16th. at 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the full cttee. with the exception of Murton & Forster absent. The following new members were elected: A.J. Davies, R.K. Davies, C. Davis, H. Kenlin. Extra months Prob: R. Hilliard. Failed to appear, to receive 2nd. notices: R.D. Bunker.

R.S. Horsfield, J.R. Kemp, D.F. Plummet, B.W.G. Smith, S.E. Sturge. Subs. Areas. Struck off: B. Jefferies, S.T. Atkins.

Inactivity. Struck off: J.A. Abbott. For the rest of the evening the Xmas Eve Comps. were discussed. Duties for the ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
30/12/46.

The cttee. met on Mon. Dec. 30th. at 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by the full cttee. with the exception of Forster absent. Turner's temporary resignation from the cttee. was accepted. The following new members were elected: D.H. Clarke, D.S.C. Clifford, R.E. Hicks, R.F. Morgan, B.W.G. Smith, S.E. Sturge. House Comps: The chairman then reminded the cttee. that First Aid Comp. was to take place on Tue. 7th Jan. & the Boxing on Fri. 3rd. Jan. Duties for the ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
6/1/47.

The cttee. met on Mon. (6th Jan. 1947) with Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the full cttee. with the exception of Anslow excused & Hambourne absent. Forster's excuse for being absent previous week was accepted. Minutes of the previous meeting were read approved & signed. The following new Prob. were admitted: F.J. Lamburn, G.K. Cox, K. Fennell, G.A.J. Hole, R.J. Johnson, C. Mapp, J.J. Reynolds, H. Rood, D.R. Wood. The following new members were elected: F.J. Coxall, C. Green, G.A. Johnson, H.A. Johnson, D.F. Plummet, H.D. Stapleton, E.S. Woollard. The following failed to appear

* will receive a 2nd. notice: K.G. Dearman, A.J. Hagger,
J.N. Hart, B.R. Hill, A.D. Lambeth, E.E. Redgwell.
 Subs. Areas. The following members were struck off:
R.A. Bolton, J.E. James, C.W. Rayment, R.S.E. Slater, J.E. Curtis
K.G. Murfet, D. Saunders. Inactivity: T. Williams was
 cautioned. House Comps. The chairman informed elec.
 that Cross Country would take place on Sun. Jan. 12th.
 at Chingford. Duties for the ensuing week were
 allotted. There being no further business to discuss
 the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks
 to the chairman for presiding.

E. Wilson
 13/1/47

The Committee met on Monday, 13th January, 1947 at
 8. PM. Mr. Wilson in the chair, supported by
 full committee, with the exception of Clark and
 Anderson (excused) and Galtward & Fowler absent.
 Lambourn's excuse for being absent the previous
 week was accepted. Minutes of the previous meeting
 were read, approved and signed by the Chairman.
 The following new probationers were admitted,
T.R. De Boeck, J.P. Fairchild, D.C. Edwards, D.C. Fernell,
K.A. Jones, W.H. Phipps, H.C. Lee, K.T. Raymond,

D.S. Smith, R. Tattershall. The following new
 members was elected, K.G. Dearman. Inactivity,
 the following members were cautioned re inactivity,
B. Schwartzman and P. Saville-King. P.A. Sims
 appeared before the Committee regarding slackness in
 paying subscriptions and inactivity, after discussion
 the case was adjourned for one week, Sims to
 appear again on January 20th. 1947. The following
 member was struck off P.J. Gibson. The
 following failed to appear and will be called for p.c.
 January 20th: A. Stonely, B.D. Smith, ~~P. Savage~~
 The following failed to appear after being sent a
 final notice and were struck off: A.R. Wright,
L. Ward, R.J. Taylor. House Competitions.
 Results were as follows:- First Aid. 1st. Red House,
 2nd. White House, 3rd. Green House. Cross Country
Running, 1st. White House, 2nd. Blue House, 3rd. Green
 House. There was some discussion concerning the
 time of closing the games room on the wilderness,
 it was agreed to defer the matter for one week.
 Duties for the ensuing week were allotted. There
 being no further business to discuss the meeting
 was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the
 Chairman for presiding.

E. Wilson
 20/1/47

The Committee met on Monday, 20th January, 1947, Mr. Wilson in the chair, supported by the full Committee with the exception of R. Foster & E. V. Dickenson, absent. B. Gattward & E. Poulter excuses for absence at the previous meeting were accepted. The minutes of the previous meeting were read, approved, and signed by the Chairman. The following Probationers were admitted: -
K. W. Boyce, J. E. Burgess, A. A. Hopkins, J. E. Hutson,
S. H. Moore, A. R. Norris, W. R. Wiles. Inactivity.
A. Stonely appeared before the Committee, and was cautioned re Inactivity. Struck Off. The following members were Struck Off for absence of Subs: - D. A. Sims,
E. J. Key, N. V. Pooley, F. Brookes, R. Luker, J. E. Nic,
G. D. Smith failed to appear and was Struck Off for inactivity.

The Committee raised objection to the use of the Committee Room for football meetings, the Chairman stated that he would get in touch with the football secretaries concerning this. The Chairman drew the Committee's attention to the efforts of the Hackney Community League who were about to form an Operatic and Dramatic Society. Golden Hamster exhibition, it was decided that the exhibition of Golden Hamsters should take place in the lower games room.

Essay Writing. The Chairman reminded the Committee of the date of the Federation Essay Writing, February 4th 1947. Lorry for use of club teams, the Committee requested that an effort should be made to get the club lorry into service for the various sections, the Chairman said that there were difficulties, but he would find out the position. Table Tennis & Games Room on Wilderness, this matter, adjourned from the previous week was further discussed, it was agreed that the room should be closed, and lights out at 10-30 P.M. except when inter-club matches are in progress, a notice to this effect to be placed in the room. There being no further business the meeting was declared closed, with a vote of thanks to the Chairman for presiding.
 E. Wilson
 27/1/47.

The Committee met on Monday, 27th January 1947, Mr. Wilson in the chair, supported by the full Committee with the exception of G. Smith and F. Clarke both of whom were excused owing to sickness. R. Foster and E. Dickenson, absent from the previous meeting were excused owing to illness. The minutes of the previous meeting were read, approved and signed by the Chairman. The following Probationers were admitted: -

T. R. Crawley, R. A. Cummings, G. W. Dawson and P. Eddington. Inactivity, the Committee went through the list of members with a view to checking on Inactivity, and a list of names was prepared for calling before the Committee at an early date: House Competitions, there was some discussion concerning the progress of the House Competitions and Committee members were asked to get outstanding games played off. Dates for the ensuing week were allotted. Provision of Stewards, etc. for the Boys Club Dance to be held on Saturday Feb 1st was discussed.

T. Edwards appeared before his own request before the Committee to tender his resignation from the Club owing to domestic difficulties. It was decided to await a letter from Edwards' father giving the reasons for the resignation, before accepting.

Wilderness Games Room after some discussion the Committee decided that the Games Room on the Wilderness should be vacated by members at 10.30 P.M. except when inter-club matches were in progress, this had been agreed upon at the previous meeting, but there had apparently been some misunderstanding among members. There being

no further business to discuss the meeting was adjourned closed with a vote of thanks to the Chairman for presiding.
E. Wilson. 3/2/47.

The Committee met on Monday, 3rd February 1947. Mr. Wilson in the chair supported by the full Committee. The minutes of the previous meeting were read, approved, and signed by the Chairman. The following Probationers were admitted:—
S. R. Boney, T. J. Gardiner, R. W. Knodes, A. W. Pettit,
D. Russell, B. Smith, W. G. Witchalls. The following new members were elected:—
F. T. Camburn, G. K. Cox,
K. Fennell, G. A. T. Holt, R. T. Johnson, C. Maple,
H. Rood, D. R. Wood. House Competitions. It was agreed to hold the second session of the Quiz Competitions on Thursday 6th February. ^{STRUCK OFF A/S.}
T. Edwards. The letter which was to have been sent by Edwards' father giving reasons for his resignation had not been received, and the Chairman was asked to write to him. A lengthy discussion took place regarding the Boys Club Dance which was considered to be a failure both socially and financially, it was agreed to cancel any dances which had been arranged for the future, and that the question of further dances should be discussed later. The Committee

Who attended the Senior Course at Woodrow, arranged by the Federation, gave the Committee an account of the proceedings. The course was voted a great success and it was recommended that further vacancies should be arranged for other Committeemen. Duties for the coming week were allotted. Provision of stewards, etc. for the divisional A.B.A. Junior Championships being held in the Club on 8th February, was made. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the Chairman for presiding.

E.A. Wilson
10/2/47.

The Committee met on Monday, February 10th 1947. Mr. Wilson in the chair supported by the full Committee. The minutes of the previous meeting were read, approved and signed by the Chairman. The following Probationers were admitted: - J.A. Atwell, G.H. Foreman, W. Greens, S. L. Kiddle, D.R. Pines, R.H. Smyth, G.F. Wigglesworth, G.B. Watford. The following new members were elected: - J.R. De Baick, K.A. Jones, H.B. Lee, T.J. Reynolds, D.S. Smith. Inactivity and Identity Checks, the following members appeared before the Committee: - D.W. Phillips, G.W. Bates, D.J. Norris, M.K. Applebee,

and L.G. Miller. The explanations of Phillips and Bates were accepted, Norris and Applebee were cautioned and placed on a months probation. Resignation, L.G. Miller's resignation was accepted, Miller informed the Committee that he had no further interest in the Club. The following members failed to appear and will be asked to attend the next meeting of the Committee: - S.R. Beales, G.F. Cooper, G.H. Fauscend. Misbehaviour, G.E. Pearce appeared before the Committee for taking part in snowballing within the Club premises. Pearce was cautioned on his future behaviour. Supernumary members the following members were transferred to the Supernumary list as they had left the London area: - A.R. White, W.A.T. Sims. House Competition, Quiz Competition. Houses failed to get teams together for the Quiz arranged for Thursday 6th February, it was decided to postpone the competition for one month. T. Edwards no letter had been received from Edwards' father and it was agreed to defer the matter until the next meeting of the Committee. Duties for the coming week were allotted. Other business, S. Moxley raised the question of transferring the best Table Tennis table to the games room at the Wildemere, as the table there was not up to inter-club match standard, it was agreed to as soon as transport was available. There being no further business to discuss the meeting closed with a vote of thanks to the Chairman for presiding:

George Jackson
17/2/47.

The cttee. met on Mon. Feb. 17th. at 8pm. with Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by the Mr. Wilson & the cttee. with the exception of E. Poulter. E. Dickenson & F. Clarke, representing the Club at Table Tennis. The following new Prob. were admitted: G. F. Anthony. H. Bigsby. J. E. Bigsby. R. Buchanan. H. A. C. Cussans. J. G. Green. G. E. Guy. D. Milton. J. Sherman. J. N. Pater. J. W. Wilson. The following new members were elected: K. W. Boyce. J. E. Burgess. J. C. Fairchild. D. C. Fennell. A. A. Hopkins. J. E. Hutson. S. H. Moore. A. R. Norris. W. R. Wiles. Subs. Areas. The following were struck off: G. Alabaster. A. D. Kemp. J. E. Rickes. D. E. Platt. G. Skipp. Removed from Supernumerary list to active: A. White. Discussions. G. Smith asked whether it was possible for a discussion group to be formed in the Club, as this was a very popular thing at the Senior Boys Course. It was decided that this should be discussed at the next meeting. Supernumerary. T. Edwards was placed on this list. Duties for the ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss, the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
24.2.47

The cttee. met on Mon. 24th. ^{Feb.} ~~Jan.~~ Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the full cttee. with the exception of Lambourne excused. Minutes of the previous meeting were read approved & signed. The following new Prob. were admitted: D. J. Abbott. L. C. Bays. R. J. Brown. E. G. Butcher. J. S. Cockey. L. C. Cowell. S. H. Hawke. L. W. Hopkins. A. J. A. Rawson. F. J. Parker. A. C. Pask. D. E. Smith. A. Spence. L. Strange. D. Thomas. H. A. Vogel. Subs. Areas. The following were struck off: S. King. F. Read. K. Rawlings. Table Tennis. A letter was read from Stan Johnson, informing the cttee. that he was compelled to resign from Secretaryship of the Boys Table Tennis, owing to pressure of other Table Tennis business. Discussions in Club. It was decided that discussions be held in the Club periodically. Prayers in Club. A circular letter was read, from the Fed. regarding prayers in clubs. The cttee. decided the matter should be deferred for a week. House Comps. Result of Boxing was as follows: White 1st. Red. 2nd. Blue 3rd. Green. 4th. Essay writing to be held on Wed. 12th. Mar. Squash on Thurs. 20th. & 27th. March. Duties for the ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
3.3.47

The cttee. met on Mon. Mar. 3rd. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson and the full cttee. Minutes of the previous meeting were read, approved & signed. The following new Prob. were admitted: G.W. Briggs. A.J. Burrows. A.E.W. Deuters. R.H. Double. R.F. Groues. D.J. Hughes. L.J. Keene. W.J. Paul. A.D. Poulter. W.H. Stayton. A.J. Wilson. The following new members were elected: S.R. Carey. J.R. Crawley. R.A. Cummings. P. Eddington. R.W. Morden. D. Russell. W.G. Witchalls. The following failed to appear and will receive a 2nd. notice: A.W. Dawson. J.J. Gardiner. A.W. Pettit. B. Smith. Subs. Absents. The following were struck off the register: K.J. Brennan. J. Cushion. A.J. Davies. Prayers in Club. The cttee reported to the chairman that having discussed this with members, their views were, that it would unwise to commence Prayers in Club. Resignation from Club was received from A.B. Wilson. Films. Mr. E. Wilson informed the cttee. that he was endeavouring to hire apparatus for a film show one Sat. evening. Work Party. The chairman asked the cttee. to round up volunteers for a working party to clean front of Club Sunday morning. Congratulations. The cttee. decided that congratulations on R. Bridges being chosen for England at Football, be recorded in the minutes. G.C. Williams asked whether a letter could be sent to the Boxing cttee. asking them to be more tidy with equipment etc. in the gym. this was agreed to. S. Morley suggested that Paddlet be added to the list of House Comps. after ~~much~~ much

discussion it was decided that an open competition be run in the summer, with house points to be awarded to finalists. Tennis. S. Morley informed the cttee. that at a recent meeting the former table tennis Secretary ^{STAN JOHNSON,} had agreed to act as adviser to captains from Boys Clubs, in charge of each Boys team, therefore doing away with Boys table tennis Secretary. Resignation from cttee. was accepted from R. Anderson. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
17.3.47

The cttee. met on Mon. March 17th. at 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson and the full cttee. with the exception of R. Lambourne & B. Gatward excused, both representing the Club in the Fed. General Knowledge. Minutes of previous meeting were read approved and signed. Following new Prob. were admitted: C. Chandler. J.J. Colley. J.D. Copley. G.W. Darcy. B.G. Gande. D.A. Hewitt. R.E. Johnson. J.R. Kyne. J.R. Brown. R.E. Lewis. G.J. Longhurst. A.E. Maddams. R. Mapp. J.A. Miller. D.S. Moore. B.F. Noble. C. Pollington. R.J. Reeder. R.S. Webb. A.M. Wood. The following new members were elected: G.F. Anthony. R. Buchanan. L.A.C. Cussans. J.G. Green. W. Greeno. C.H. Foreman. S.L. Kiddle. D.R. Pines. R.H. Smyke. G.B. Watford. G.F. Drigglesworth. A month's probation was completed satisfactorily by A.H. Gadeke who was,

previously a special member, having lived in the Country. The following failed to pass and were given an extra month's probation: G.W. Dawson.

G.E. Guy, A.W. Pettit, B. Smith. The following failed to attend and will receive a 2nd. notice: J.H. Atwell, H. Bigsby, J.E. Bigsby.

J.S. Gardiner, D. Milton, J.N. Pater, J. Sherman, J.W. Wilson.

Inactivity: L.G. Rand was struck off. Congratulations, to be recorded on the boxing section's four Fed. finalists, two being winners.

Elected to serve on committee. G. Hilly, as boxing representative.

Duties for ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

G. Jackson
24.3.47.

The cttee. met on Monday March 24th. at 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson and the cttee. with the exception of S. Morley excused G. Smith absent. Minutes of the previous meeting were read approved & signed. The following new Prob. were admitted: A. Archer, A.R. Brown.

D.J. Collett, A.D. Cummings, D.P. Dawkins, B.W. Dennis,
L.J. Dewis, D.C. Field, R. Finnis, B.S. Knope, P.E. Mercer,
K.E. Pack, F.W. Savage, E. Sibbald, R.A. Smith, A.W. Stickland.

The following new members were elected: D.J. Abbott,

J.H. Atwell, L.C. Bays, E.G. Butcher, R.J. Brown

T.T. Cockey, L.C. Cowell, S.H. Hawke, R.W. Hopkins.

A.J.A. Lawson, D. Milton, F.J. Parker, A.L. Park

D.E. Smith, A. Spence, R. Strange, D. Thomas, H.A. Vogel.

J.W. Wilson. Extra month's Prob: J.E. Bigsby. Failed to appear 2nd notice: F.R.J. Parker. ^{Failed to appear 2nd notice: L. BAYS, E. BUTCHER, A. PASK} Subs. Arrests: Struck

off: K.R. Clark, S.E. Glynn, F.W. Millward, R.S. Penny.

D.P. Kearney, J.E. Puseel, A.D. Taylor. Inactivity:

Struck off D. Olney. Cautions: T. Satchell. Resigned: B. Eustace

House Comps. Result of Essay Writing: 1st. Blue. 2nd. White

3rd. Green. 4th. Red. Dates for Table Tennis were fixed for Thurs. 3rd & 5th April. It was decided that the names of all new

members elected be printed in chin wag. Transfer of houses.

G. Hilly was transferred from Green to White House.

Elected to serve on cttee. A. Walker Red House. Because

of the very large increase in new members, it was decided that no new Probationers be accepted until further notice and a large call up of present members to take place during the next few weeks. These members called up would

have their attendances checked and if they were not gaining any benefit from the Club and had no reasonable excuse for their continual non attendance, their names would be removed from the register therefore making room for the new lads.

Duties for the ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

Geo. Jackson

31/3/47

The cttee. met on Mon. March 31st. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the full cttee. with the exception of F. Clarke excused. The following probationer was admitted despite of club register being temporarily closed, because he had previously written from the country: C.W. Sargent.

The following new members were elected: G.H. Briggs, A.J. Burrows, A.E.W. Deuters, R.H. Double, R.F. Groves, D. Hughes, L.T. Keene, W.J. Paul, A.C. Pask, A.D. Poulter, D.H. Stayton, A.J. Wilson. Extra month's Probation: L.C. Bays.

Subs. Arrears. The following were struck off: W.J. Clarke, K.J. Dearman, D.B. Thompson. Failing to attend cttee. & misbehaviour, the following were struck off: K. Cubitt, V. Spence. Resignation was received from: D.F. Plummet. House Comps. ^{Green}

result, Squash: 1st. White. 2nd. Blue. 3rd. Red. 4th. Blue. Misbehaviour: The following were fined 2/6d. for kicking footballs in Gym. without presence of instructor: G.H. Kerridge, V.T. Payne.

Intermingling of members of Boys' Club and Girls' Club on Wilderness. In the light of past experiences, a ruling was passed whereby members of the Boys' Club and Girls' Club, are discouraged from indiscriminate intermingling on the Sports Ground. It was agreed that Managers & Members of the Boys' cttee., may at their discretion, request members of the Boys' Club to refrain from intermingling with

members of the Girls' Club when on the Sports Ground, particular emphasis being placed on the playing of unorganised games, viz. Netball, Putting, etc. Offenders of this ruling may be asked to appeal before the Boys' Club Cttee. The following members were transferred to the Old Boys: H.J. Barnes, G.F. Cooper, F.R. Field, G. Foreman, F.R. Gamesker, D.J. Hart, A.E.J. Holton, A.R. Howard, W.C. Iles, L.A. Payne, V.T. Payne, R.C. Pottinger, A.H. Pretlove, W.D. Price, C.H. Reid, J.E. Rood, L.S.J. Shipp, W.A.T. Sims, G.E. Smith ^{J.C. SPALL}

Duties for the ensuing fortnight were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

The following were cautioned for inactivity: I.E. Baker, J.W. Bakewell, G.H. Barbet, R.G. Beale, G.C. Buse, R.W. Davie, R.K. Davies, R. Foreshaw.

George Jackson
14/4/47

The cttee. met on Mon. April 14th. at 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson and the full cttee. Minutes of the previous meeting were read approved + signed. The following new members were elected: C. Chandler, J. D. Copley, J. J. Colley, B. G. Gande, D. A. Hewitt, R. C. Lewis, G. J. Longhurst, A. E. Maddams, R. Mapp, J. A. Miller, D. J. Moore, B. F. Noble, A. W. Pettit, C. Pollington, R. J. Reeder, B. Smith, R. J. Webb, A. M. Wood. Subs. Arrears. The following were struck off: H. C. Mansfield, D. E. Norton, G. K. Osman. Inactivity & ignoring all correspondence, the following were struck off: M. K. Applebee, F. Austin, C. Barrett, H. S. Bartlett, D. T. Berry, W. J. Bundock, M. Chisholm, J. D. Christey, R. Cole, E. S. Davies, H. Easlea, S. W. Elden. The following were cautioned for inactivity: H. E. Holmes, K. Hunt. House Comps. Result of T. Tennis: Green 1st. Blue 2nd. White 3rd. Red 4th. Chairman informed cttee. that Rifle Shooting would take place Friday next. Billiards next two Fridays and Athletics had been fixed for April 24th. 27th & 29th. Stealing in dressing rooms. Because there had been such a great deal of stealing in the dressing rooms it was agreed that a committee member should sit in there every evening, a roster was made out. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

Geo. Jackson
21/4/47

The cttee. met on Mon. April 21st. at 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson and the full cttee. with the exception of Hilly absent. The following new members were elected: A. D. Cummings, H. J. Dewis, R. Finnis, A. R. Brown. Struck off: Inactivity + failing to acknowledge all correspondence: M. K. B. Daykin, W. F. Harrington, S. C. Harris, D. Haywood, J. Howes, J. W. Jamieson, # S. Jones. Subs. Arrears: # Clark, J. Wilkes, Wood, Robert E. Misbehaviour. The following were cautioned: F. Perry, T. Stannard. Inactivity: The following were cautioned: R. K. Millett, T. S. Satchell, J. R. Nightingale, V. Chapman. The following failed to appear for election & will receive a 2nd notice: A. Archer, D. D. Dawkins, G. W. Dawson, B. W. Dennis, G. W. Doree, D. J. Collett, B. S. Knope, D. S. Field, P. E. Mercet, K. E. Pack, F. W. Savage, E. Sibbald, R. A. Smith, A. W. Stickland. Duties for the ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

Geo. Jackson
28/4/47

The ctee. met on Mon. April 28th. at 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the full ctee. with the exception of Hilly absent Morley excused. The following new members were elected: D. Dawkins, C. W. Doree, B. S. Knope, E. Sibbald, C. W. Sargeant. 2nd. months Probation: A. Archer, P. K. Mercet. 2nd. month's Prob. because of illness: R. Tattershall, failed to attend, send 2nd. notice h. C. Bays. Reinstated, because correspondence had gone to wrong address S. T. Jones who proved to be entirely in the clear with regards to his inactivity. Misbehaviour R. Lawson was fined 1/- for general misbehaviour which included continually failing to pay subs, failing to attend football match, ~~in~~ inactivity etc. J. Noble was suspended from the Club for two months. Struck off. Subs Arrears: R. D. Martineau, W. Witchalls, J. R. DeBoieck. Inactivity & failing to attend ctee: R. Mont, R. Morgan. House Comps. Result of Rifle Shooting: Blue & White tie for 1st. place. Green 2nd. Red 3rd. Cricket was fixed for: Wed & Fri. 28 & 30th May. Congrats. were recorded on the Harrier's Cross Country win in the Fed. In view of the fact that the Club register was full and so many lads were anxious to join the Club, it was decided that a waiting list be formed to commence 2nd. week in June, a week after revising of accepting Prob. No more than six lads to commence prob. weekly. Duties for ensuing week were allotted. Meeting declared closed with vote of thanks to chairman.

George Jackson
5/5/47

The ctee. met on Mon. May 5th. at 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the full ctee. with the exception of Williams excused. Subs. Arrears. The following were struck off: G. W. H. Boieck, h. K. Holmes, G. H. Hauenee, F. Plume, J. D. Spencer. Resignation was received from D. Hughes. Misbehaviour. H. Header was suspended for a fortnight. R. Whiteford was informed that he must not play Billiards or snooker in the Club for one month because he had remained in the club playing half hour after Club closing. The ctee. asked for the P. T. Team's Fed. Final win to be recorded in the minutes. Resigned from ctee. G. Hilly. Duties for ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
12/5/47

The ctee. met on Mon. May 12th at 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by ^{Mr. Wilson} the full ctee. with the exception of Poulter who arrived late through working overtime. Reinstated. C. T. Barrett. He had been struck off for arrears of subs. but on producing his card it was proved that his subs. were paid up to date, but the duty ctee. member had failed to enter in book. Struck off. Subs. Arrears. D. R. Pines.

Reprimanded P. Ball for playing football for an outside team without permission. Suspended from the Club & Grounds until first week in Sept. W. Rood. Rood had been guilty of ungentlemanly conduct at an away boxing fixture. He had caused a fight and a scene because the officials were unable to arrange a bout for him. Struck off for ~~failing to acknowledge~~ ^{ignoring} all correspondence: N.A.W. Johnson. The Ctee. requested that the following members be congratulated on securing a place in the London Federation football team to play against the Rest of England: E. Garrard capt. R. Bridges, G. L. Kerridge, W. Hooper & S. Wilson. The chairman informed the Ctee. that Tennis class would commence on the grounds this coming Friday. Duties for the ensuing week were allotted, there being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
14/5/47

The Ctee. met on Mon. May 19th. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson and the full Ctee. with the exception of Forster excused. Inactivity, the following were cautioned: A. Willmet, W.H. Webb, J. Wray. House Comps. Result of Billiards 1st. White, 2nd. Blue, 3rd. Red, 4th. Green. Cricket dates ~~to~~ were revised to: Fridays 30th. May & 6th. June. It was decided that swimming Comp. be held at the end of June and beginning of July. Resignations ~~was~~ ^{were} received from the following: R. E. Wells, R. B. Tucker, L. W. S. Wadge. Ctee. wished Table Tennis team's victory in the Fed. Final to be recorded. Duties for the ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
2/6/47
letter of congrats
read from N. W. Dewish

The Cttee. met on Monday 2nd. June. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the full Cttee with the exception of Lambourne excused. The following new Probationers were admitted: B. T. Codd, A. C. Cosper, G. H. R. Gatioard, L. M. Hall, D. S. Oliver, J. A. Redgewell, T. C. Syfett, A. W. Trim, L. A. Wretton. The following new members were elected: P. E. Mercet, R. Tattershall. Subs. Arrears + ignoring correspondence the following were struck off: C. Chandler, R. H. Double, P. Eddington, E. H. Foreman, W. Greeno, R. E. Hunter, H. Kenlin, A. W. Lyons, S. J. Mann, A. Norris, A. Pask, R. H. Smyth, R. J. Webb, A. Collinson + P. Saville-King. For completely ignoring all correspondence the following were struck off: R. A. Wright, K. G. R. Woodman, F. A. Taylor, K. Stubbs, K. Tomlin Cautioned for being continually in arrears: E. F. Johnson + R. Daltrey. House Comps. Dates of swimming were set for June 25 + July 16th. It was decided that the waiting list for new members be commenced on 16th June. N. A. W. Johnson appealed for reinstatement into the Club and after a very lengthy discussion + a visit by Johnson's elder brother it was decided to reinstate him. D. Haywood appealed but was refused. Duties for ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
9/6/47

The Cttee. met on Monday 9th June 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the Cttee. with the exception of A. Walker excused. Minutes of previous meeting were read approved + signed. The following new Probationers were admitted: R. J. Bascombe, D. Beamish, F. A. Boyes, E. W. Bryan ^{W. B. Ellis}, J. Butler, J. H. Cawood, J. C. Chitson, L. M. Contad, T. J. Goovey, A. W. Groud, R. J. Grice, R. W. Hackel, J. S. Hales, J. A. Heard, D. J. Herring, W. Hindley, B. W. King, B. J. A. Law, K. S. Howe, T. R. Needham, D. S. J. Paskin, J. F. Piner, L. A. Rawlings, F. S. Rudgley, B. P. Seymour, J. C. H. Scollen, C. H. Stevens, E. J. Watson, G. Watson, P. W. Weller, W. H. Wells, A. E. Vale. Subs. Arrears: The following were struck off: H. Stapleton, F. Coxall, D. S. Smith. It was agreed by the Cttee. to revise present system of checking non active members + members continually in arrears. Before calling them up, a card be sent to them asking them to be more regular. It was agreed that the waiting list of members be commenced in Sept. because of Club Closing period in August. For failing to turn up for cloakroom duty S. Morley was given two consecutive duties. House Comps. Swim + Diving. Because of likelihood of it being chief decided in final position in House Comps. the chairman suggested Cttee. secure good entries. Duties for ensuing week were allotted. Being no further business discuss meeting was declared closed vote of thanks to chairman E. A. Wilson. 16/6/47

The Committee met on Monday June 16th at 8 P.M. Mr. E.A. Wilson in the chair and the full Committee with the exception of Foster (holiday). The following new Probationers were admitted: - E. J. Fitter, G. R. R. Elson, L. Harvey, R. A. James, D. C. Knightly, E. H. Martin, E. B. Thain, W. A. Skimel, H. Stratton, and J. L. Woodcock.

Subs arrears, the following were struck off for arrears of subscription. G. Davis, J. D. Foster, J. J. Keene, A. Maddams, A. W. Pryor, J. A. Savage. - Cautioned.

The following were cautioned for arrears of subscription. G. A. Johnson, J. T. Kendrick, A. A. Hopkins.

House competitions. Cricket, result: - 1st. Green, 2nd. Red, 3rd. Blue, 4th White. Athletics. No further progress made.

Swimming. Committeemen were reminded that entries for the Swimming House Competition close on 20th June, and were advised to take immediate action to ensure a representative entry. Committee duties for the ensuing week were allotted. Photography Section.

The suggestion that a photographic section be started in the Club was discussed by the Committee. It was decided that the Chairman should write to D. Ingle and invite his comments on the proposal. Payment of Subs.

The question of whether another member was allowed to pay Subs was discussed and deferred for one week. The meeting then closed with a vote of thanks to the Chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
25/6/47

The Cttee. met on Mon. June 23rd. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by ^{Mr. Wilson} the full Cttee. with the exception of Walker (Polo). The following new Probationers were admitted: A. J. Brant, S. Chipperfield, D. H. Clarke, E. Dickens, G. T. Hallford, J. F. Lawson, J. F. Marks, L. J. Mills, G. W. Masedale, R. D. Peppiatt, A. Rex, A. Trinnaman. Subs. Arrears.

The following were struck off: T. H. Baker, S. R. Beales, W. F. Freeman, L. W. Hopkins. Photographic Section. The chairman informed the Cttee. that this class would commence on Fri. ^{4th} ~~2nd~~ July. Subscriptions. The Cttee. agreed that members should not be allowed to pay one and other's subs. Cttee. The chairman asked members to look around for likely candidates to fill vacant positions. Morley was wished best of luck on entering Army. He was congratulated on his fine work as house captain & with efficient way he handled Boys Club Padder. Misbehaviour Buse was cautioned. Because of very slack way members attended for cricket matches the Cttee. decided to make an example of Garrard & Murrell. It was agreed that they should not be allowed to play cricket any more this year. Duties for the ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
30/6/47

The Cttee. met on Mon. June 30th. @ 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the full Cttee. Minutes of previous meeting were read approved & signed. The following new Probationers were admitted: H. F. Austin. V. Bell. E. Braybrooke.
K. R. Caswell. R. A. G. Crowley. A. D. Cowland. C. Donnelly.
G. Donnelly. A. Fevillade. L. P. Hoad. P. J. Mantle.
M. W. John. L. A. Jones. J. E. Maunder. G. Priest.
K. G. Ransome. A. L. F. Ryan. B. H. Sargeant. B. J. Sullivan.
R. W. Taylor. R. S. Ward. The following new members were elected: B. T. Codd. A. C. Corpet. A. H. R. Gatward.
L. M. Hall. D. S. Oliver. A. W. Trim. L. A. Wretton.
 Extra months probation: J. C. Syrett. Struck off for Subs. arrears: R. Daltrey. Cautioned for failing to attend Cricket match: J. W. Beenham. Transfer: G. Munton was transferred from ~~Blue~~^{Green} to White House & made captain of this House House Comps. Chairman asked the Cttee. to see that closing rounds of Padder were completed. Duties for the ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with thanks to chair.

George Jackson
1/7/47

The Cttee. met on Mon. 7th July @ 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson and the full Cttee. The following Cttee. members were fined 2/6. for being late: Lambourne, Hayes, Poulter. The following new members were elected: R. J. Bascombe. D. Beamish. W. B. Ellis. J. Butler. L. M. Conrad.
J. H. Cawood. J. S. Govey. R. J. Grice. A. W. Groud. R. W. Hacker.
J. J. Hales. J. A. Heard. D. S. Herring. B. J. A. Haw. K. S. Howe.
J. R. Needham. D. S. J. Paskin. J. F. Pines. L. A. Rawlings.
E. J. Watson. G. Watson. F. J. Rudgley. W. H. Wells. Following were given extra fortnight's probation: J. C. Chitson.
J. C. H. Scotter. C. H. Stevens. A. C. Vale. Following failed to appear & will receive a 2nd. notice: F. A. Boyes.
W. Hindley. B. W. King. Subs. Arrears: Struck off: C. Barrett. D. E. Smith. G. F. Wriggleworth. Failing to attend for cricket C. Green was cautioned. The chairman asked for and received volunteers to attend the Federations Thanksgiving service at St. Pauls the coming Wednesday. The draw was made for the House Comps Tennis as follows: R. V. G. B. V. W. in both Singles & Doubles. G. E. Williams offered his resignation from Cttee, as Cttee were not prepared to accept this the matter was deferred for a week. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chair.

George Jackson
14/7/47

The Cttee. met on Mon. July 14th. at 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by ^{Mr. Wilson} the full Cttee. Resignation from Cttee. was accepted from G.C. Williams. The following new members were elected: C.R.R. Elson. E.J. Fitter. R.A. James. B.D. King. D.C. Knightley. E.H. Martin. J.A. Redgewell. H. Stratton. P.W. Weller. J.H. Woodcock. Failed to appear to receive 2nd notice: L. Harvey. W.A. Skinner. Subs. Arrears. The following members were struck off: K.A. Jones. A. Spence. D. Thomas. K.W. Boyce. R.C. Gay. P. Welfare. A.M. George. C.A. Johnson. P. Russell. R.H. Stokes. E.F. Johnson. Resignation from Club was received from J.A.W.M. Clague. Duties for the ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
21/7/47.

The Cttee. met on Mon. 21st July Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by the full Cttee + Mr. Wilson with the exception of Lambourne absent. The following new members were elected: H.F. Austin. V. Bell. A.J. Brant. E. Braybrooke. S. Chipperfield. J.C. Chitson. D.H. Clarke. E. Dickens. C. Donnelly. A. Donnelly. F.A. Fenillade. G.T. Hallford. L.P. Hoad. L.A. Jones. P.J. Mantle.

J.F. Marks. J.E. Maunder. L.J. Mills. R.D. Peppiatt. G. Priest. K.G. Ransome. A.H.F. Ryan. A. Rex. B.H. Sargeant. J.C.H. Scotten. B.P. Seymour. J.E. Syrett. E.B. Thain. A.C. Vale. R.T. Ward. Following failed to appear & will receive 2nd notice: A.D. Cowland. C.H. Stevens. R.W. Taylor. Subs. Arrears. The following were struck off: R.E. Lewis. D.D. Dawkins. J.E. Fairchild. Reinstatement: D.H.J. Godfrey appeared before Cttee. to explain that he was unable to complete his probation and appear last year because of heavy pressure of home work for exams. The Cttee. decided to give him a further month's probation commencing from September. Duties for ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson

The Cttee. met on Mon. July 20th. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Cttee. with exception of Dickenson, Clarke, Hayes & Poulter on holidays. Minutes of previous meeting were read approved & signed. The following new members were elected: A.D. Cowland. R.A.G. Crowley. R.W. Taylor. Subs. Arrears. following were struck off: G.W. Doree. J. Hayes. K.E. Hunt. E.W. Kingstone. Reinstated. J.E. Fairchild. struck off in error.

for subs. arrears. His subs were paid up to date but had not been entered in book. House Comps. Final results: Tennis: Red 6th Blue. Athletics Blue 1st. Green 2nd. White 3rd. Red 4th. Paddel. White 1st. Singles only. Doubles declared void. Attendance Points ^{2 months} Green 1st. White 2nd. Blue 3rd. Red 4th. Duties for ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
1-9-47

The Cttee. met on Mon. 1st. Sept. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the Cttee. with the exception of Forster absent and Gatward excused, attending N.A.B.C. International Fortnight. Minutes of previous meeting were read approved & signed. The following new Probationers were admitted from the waiting list: A. Cowell. D.W. Hammond. P. Muncy. L.R. Caswell. House Comps. It was decided that the decider be attendance points for month of Sept. Resigned from Cttee: A. Walker elected to serve: G. Hester F.R. Irvine. Rostars were made out for Officers duties, Cloakroom duties & Cttee. duties for ensuing weeks. E.E. Skipp. It was discovered that this boy had been struck off whilst he was in hospital. He was still in

hospital and the Cttee. agreed that he should be reinstated. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
5/9/47

The Cttee. met on Mon. Sept. 8th. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by the full Cttee. & Mr. Wilson. Murton was fined 2/6d. for being late. The following new Prob. were admitted from the waiting list. R.J. Banks. A.R. Butler. J.W. Gooch. D.G. Jennings. D.H.J. Godfrey. S.F. Knapp. A. Hayton. R. Morgan. Election to Cttee: A. Fredgett. R. Carrington & A. Wood. House Comps 1947-48. were discussed and dates decided upon. Chairman informed Cttee. that the various Boys' teams were not showing the right team spirit. He referred to the question of care of club equipment when travelling away. He asked that this bad spirit be stamped out. Duties for ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
15/9/47

The Ctee. met on Mon. 15th Sept. at 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Dixon & the full Ctee. with the exception of Forster excused. Minutes of previous meeting were read approved & signed. The following probationers were admitted from the waiting list: L. Block. R.H. Dear. J. M.C. McGarry. E.W. Seaman. E.G. Tanner. Subs. Arrears. The following were struck off: J.E. Adams. G.A. Crooks. W.D. Paul. G.F. Anthony. S.E. Sturge. Reprimanded: A.D. Murrell was severely reprimanded for failing to notify a manager that he would not be turning up as reserve for the Fed. Cricket Final. Transfer. The Ctee. agreed to allow C. Greer to be transferred to Fairbairn House. Transferred from Supernumerary list to active: J. Edwards. Football Shirts. The chairman informed the Ctee. that in future all players would be responsible for washing and taking care of their own shirts. International Fortnight. B. Gatward gave the Ctee. a very interesting account of the course explaining how the language difficulties were overcome. Duties for the ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
22.9.47

The Ctee. met on Mon. Sept. 22nd. 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson and the full Ctee. The following new Probationers were admitted from the waiting list: D.L. Evans. W. J. Jennell. R.H. Goulding. A.F. James. R.H. Mendoza. R.G. Noble. B.S. Richardson. J.E. Richardson. M.V. Saunders. F. Snelwat. Subs. Arrears. The following were struck off: R. Buchanan. R. Hamberg. V.C. Monk. A. Stonely. Application for reinstatement into Club: J. Osborne was refused. Resignation from Club was accepted from S.I. Jones. The chairman then informed the Ctee. that the draw had been made for the Boys Club T.T. championships and that the Ctee. should see that all games were played off by their correct times. Duties for the ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
29th Sept '47

The Cttee. met on Mon. 29th. Sept. 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilkin & the full Cttee. with the exception of Poulter excused. Minutes of the previous meeting were read approved & signed. The following new Probationers were admitted from the waiting list: J.W. Brooks, E.A. Harony, J.W. Brown, R. Clydes, P.F. Dyer, G.A. Foster.

J.R. Greig, J.C. Mister, F.F. Thurlow, P.D. Tringham, B.V. Williamson, A.H. Wright. The following new members were elected: L.R. Caswell, A. Cowell,

D.W. Hammond, P. Muncy. Subs. Arnears, K.A. Johnson was struck off. Elected to serve on Cttee: R. Mills, J. Greengrass, & D. Cox. Transferred to Old Boys

Club: A.J. Alexander, W.A. Atkins, A.D. Baker, C.W. Bates, F.W. Clarke, K.F.C. Elgar, R.A. Forster, E.J. Garrard, H.C. Hollands, G.H. Kerridge, L. Middleditch, S.H.W. Morley, J. Shafron, L.J. Sparkes, J. Subi Otto.

L.J. Taylor, B.V. Watts, A.R. White, G.C. Williams, D. Hooper, G. Kingham. Business for next week's

A.G.M. was discussed. Duties for ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
15/10/47

The Boys' Club Annual General Meeting was held in the Club hall on Mon. Oct. 6th. 1947 at 9pm. Mr. D. Shaw-Kennedy in the chair supported by Sir E. Cadogan, Messrs. E. Wilson, G. Jackson, F. Lee, K. Duncan, G. Medcalf, R. Hill, the Boys' Club instructors and helpers and approx. Three hundred & fifty boys. Minutes of the previous A.G.M. were read by G. Medcalf approved & signed by the chairman.

The chairman opened the meeting by informing the members that he would announce the result of the House Comps. at the end of the meeting. He reminded members that as a result of a tie between Green & White House it had been decided by means of attendance points during Sept. He also reminded members that the dental clinic was still functioning and that preference would be given to Boys' Club members. He warned members that there had been cases of stealing on the sports ground and that members should safeguard their valuables and not leave them unattended. He said that if members were ever ill they should try to arrange to let the Management know. Subs., would not be expected in these cases and furthermore the management was interested in the welfare of their members. He stressed the importance of members taking great care

of Club property and equipment in these times of shortages & high costs. He then reminded members that thing that was looked for most in this Club was the traditional "smiling face". He said that new members would soon learn what was meant by Club Spirit.

G. Jackson then spoke on the Boys' Club in general. He said that it was surprising how few members knew their own Club rules remarking that whereas the better known rules were generally known the simple rules such as entering canteen clad in training kit were often broken. He suggested that all members read list of rules displayed on the board. Whilst on the subject he stressed the importance of all members reading all notices regularly. He said that he had no complaints to make with regard to payment of subs. during the past year, no doubt this was due to strict disciplinary action taken with members who were in arrears. Referring back to the chairman's remarks about stealing on the sports ground, he said that with the possible exception of Saturdays all non-members seen wandering around the grounds should be challenged. Regarding attendances at classes during the year, they had been good at the vigorous classes but poor at the cultural classes. He said that he would like to see an improvement in attendances at these quieter classes. He informed members that on

Sat. Nov. 8th. there would be a party for the House Champions. Part of the proceedings would include a Talent Comp. which was open to the Boys' Club generally. A film show would also be shown this evening to the Club in general. He reminded members that the committee members on duty in the evenings at Club were not there solely to take subs. but to keep law and order and to help members.

Mr. Jaff Wilson then addressed the meeting on the subject of ~~cricket~~ football apologising for the fact that most of what he was about to say had been covered at the recent football meeting. Referring to last season, he said it had been in the nature of an experiment, as the Seniors were thought to be too strong for the Federation they had been entered for the Walthamstow leagues whilst the juniors played in the Senior Fed. & the junior 'A' in the junior Federation. This had proved quite successful. He was pleased to report that no less than seven seniors had taken part in Fed. trials and six had been chosen to play for the Fed. As a result of his play R. Bridges was chosen to play for England v Ireland at Belfast. He said that the coming season should be a good one. Senior footballs had a heavy fixture list and were competing in: Premier Div. of Fed. Walthamstow Lge. & Dalston & Ds Lge. whilst junior teams played in the Fed. and friendlies. He stressed the importance of footballers being physically fit and

that unless members trained they would be dropped from the teams. He congratulated the various team managers on looking after the teams so well.

Fred Lee speaking on Tennis & Squash said that after much trouble and cost both squash courts had been renovated and that members should take great care of them by obeying instructions i.e. washing hands before play so as to keep the walls white. He said that the Club court was available Tue & Thur. evenings for boys whilst the Wilderness court was available at all times. Rackets and balls would be supplied. He went on to say that whilst the elder members made full use of the courts very few new boys came forward to learn this game which is probably the finest indoor game for keeping fit. Regarding Tennis Geo. Rex and himself would be available on the grounds Tue & Fri. evenings during the summer for coaching. Once again rackets & balls are supplied but he would like to see more boys make use of this class next year.

In covering Cricket Ron Hill said that a fine summer had enabled the Boys sides to complete the majority of their fixtures. Congratulating the juniors on their 1st. victory he said that this was due

to the fact that they practised regularly at the nets. He asked however that more attention be paid to the fielding pointing out that many games were lost and won in this dept. Touching on the Seniors defeat in the final he said that he felt sure they had contributed to their own defeat by unintelligent bowling, and suggested they practise more in future. He said there might be a chance of an extra pitch for the juniors next year.

Les Golding speaking for the Harriers said that he wasn't so interested in giving results of last season although we'd had our share of wins, he was more concerned with the coming season. He said he would like to thank the backers, the people who couldn't make the grade themselves but assisted with the training of others. He said that we'd had a good cross country & winter season but it had been marred by one black spot something occurred that had never before been known in the history of the Club. At a friendly away fixture we couldn't field sufficient runners to make a race. He remarked that our club was one of best equipped in the country.

Les Reid then spoke on behalf of the Otters. He said that although attendances were good on the average he would like to see greater numbers

during the winter months. He pointed out that the Otters were not just another section of the Club but a Club in itself and that the Otters were proud of themselves. He raised a laugh when he remarked that for the benefit of those who write under noms-de-plume that the Otters section was as good as it was years ago, he thought it was better and that he should know because at least he does attend to find out for himself. He reminded members that the Otters class wasn't just to produce champions, it was the duty of members to themselves to learn to swim just as they'd learn to walk. He said the disadvantage of not being able to swim was noticed at camp. He said that the polo section was very ambitious and for the first time in Club history they were attempting to run three polo teams.

Stan Johnson then said a few words on Sable Tennis. He remarked how this game was rapidly becoming popular and that a very high standard could be reached. He said that our own club was fast improving each year and that he was pleased to report that one of our boys, Ken Beamish, had even been recommended for an international trial. He said that for the coming season we had entered six teams in

the East London League and one in the London League and the Federation Competition. He then gave details of the various wins and championships gained last year including the Federation. He said the finals of the Boys Club singles and doubles would take place in the Club hall later in the year and that internationals would be giving exhibitions on the programme.

L.S. Hibberd then spoke on First Aid. He opened by saying that he was speaking on a 'dead horse', for some reason most members were not interested in the subject. Nevertheless, as duty to themselves all members should know a little about First Aid. He gave an account of a true incident in the Wick where a young working boy lost his life simply because there was nobody present at the accident with a little first aid knowledge, furthermore the message to the local doctor was given incorrectly. He promised members that if they would only give it a trial, along with his little band of faithfuls he would show them how interesting this subject could be.

R. Perry then spoke on P.T. He said that last year he was unable to give reports of his section's wins because P.T. was not a competitive sport. This year however it was a different story. For the first time in many years the Fed. had held a competition for P.T. and Eton Manor won it. He said his class comprised of all types of members and they all enjoyed themselves. He related an amusing incident that

occurred during the season where his team gave a display at the Town Hall and were informed after that they had won the Trophy, they did not realize that it was a competition.

K. Shipp then told members just what they should do to become members of the library. He said the library contained books to suit all tastes. Members were welcome to come along and spend a quiet evening reading books and mags. there.

The chairman then said that Mr. Villiers would like all members to know how sorry he was that he couldn't be present, he was abroad on business. The chairman informed the new members that Mr. Villiers could always be seen about the sports ground and that he himself liked to see young members there and enjoyed chatting to them.

In the absence of the rifle shooting experts Messrs Drewett and Justice. Taff Wilson spoke briefly on the subject of Rifle shooting. He said that to get this going in the club considerable difficulties had to be overcome in converting the air raid shelter back to a range. Despite little practise and poor rifles we had entered for the Fed. and met with no success. Next season would be a different story however. We now have two new rifles and with the help of Messrs Taff, Drewett and Justice

we should do well. Members must not look upon it as an activity.

Gil. Medcalf then spoke on the Penny Bank. He said that it is surprising how few members use the Club bank, in the whole of the Boys' Club there wasn't more than twelve members using the bank. He explained its attractive rates of interest and said that members could deposit anything from 6d. upwards.

Sir. E. Cadogan then addressed the members saying this year's A.G.M. was one of the best he had ever attended. He noticed that the attendance was even larger than last year. After hearing of the Club's many successes he could only say that in this year, the Federation Diamond Jubilee year, he wished the club even more successes. He said however that we must ~~be~~ not only be champions in the field of sport but champions of good virtue.

The chairman then said that Mr. E. Baring regretted not being present this evening but said that as president of the Officers he would be at the Fed. swimming finals a few days later.

The chairman then introduced the House Captains and Officers and announced that Green House had won the championship. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

- Shaw Kennedy & Abel

The Cttee. met on Mon. 13th Oct. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson and the full Cttee. The following probationers were admitted from the waiting list:

J. Beer, E. H. Dawson, E. E. Hayman, D. Hayes.

J. D. Hewitt, D. S. Jones, D. H. Page. The following new members were elected: D. H. J. Godfrey, J. W. Gooch.

D. G. Jennings, S. F. Knapp, A. Layton, J. M. C. McFarry.

R. Morgan. Following failed to pass and were given an extra month's probation: E. G. Tanner, h. Block.

Fined 5/-. A. Glynn for not returning his football shirt prior to a match. Letter congratulating B. Gatward on his fine work at International fortnight was read to Cttee.

Tredgett's suggestion that a Talent Competition be held on night of House party was accepted. Resignation from Cttee. was received from E. Dickenson. Trans. to Old Boys. F. Clarke, R. Forster. Trans. to Blue House

and made captain: R. Hambourne. Elected as senators to the London Fed; A. Tredgett & R. Hambourne.

Duties for ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
20/10/57

The Cttee. met on Mon. Oct. 20th. at 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by the Mr. Wilson & the full Cttee. with the exception of Poulter excused. Minutes of previous meeting were read approved & signed. Following new probationers were admitted from waiting list: J. J. Beech, J. A. Bland, C. W. W. Couch, F. A. Goll, P. G. Dossena, J. H. Fisher.

S. F. Noble, W. S. Oakman, C. J. Parsonsons, R. A. White.

C. F. Yeomans. The following new members were elected:

D. L. Evans, W. J. Tennell, R. H. Goulding, B. S. Richardson.

Following failed to appear and will receive 2nd notice:

A. F. James, R. H. Mendoza, J. E. Richardson, F. Snelwar.

Chairman suggested that the Cttee. try to encourage the quieter classes. Duties for ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss meeting was declared closed with vote of thanks to chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
27/10/57

The Cttee. met on Mon. 27th Oct. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by the full Cttee. Minutes of previous meeting were read approved & signed. The following new probationers were admitted from the waiting list:

J. D. Chandringboel, A. P. Kenny, D. G. Rogers, S. J. Waigglesworth.

R. P. W. Jones. Following new members were elected: J. W. Brookes.

J. W. Brown, R. Clydes, P. F. Dyer, E. A. Harvey, B. V. Williamson.

A. H. Wright, J. E. Richardson. Following were given a second month's

probation: J.R. Greig, G.A. Foster, R.A. Noble, P.D. Jainaman.
 Following failed to appear and will receive 2nd. notice: J.C. Mister,
F.F. Thurlow. Subs. Arrears. The following were struck off:
J.W. Beekham, H.G. Boston, R.A. Bower, R.J. Brotherston,
V.H. Chapman, J.E. Fairchild, P.J. Houser, R.A. James,
J.E. Reynolds, J.C. Smith, W.H. Webb. Inactivity. The
 chairman asked Cttee. to submit names to him ^{for} of members
 to be sent reminding cards, these members to be checked
 again in a month's time. House Comps. Cttee. reported
 that matches, football, had been arranged for coming two
 Sundays. Duties for ensuing week were allotted. There
 being no further business to discuss the meeting was
 declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman
 for presiding.

J.A. Wilson.
3/11/47.

Cttee. met on Mon. 3rd. Nov. Mr. Wilson in the chair supported
 by Cttee. Minutes of previous meeting were read approved
 and signed. Following new probationers were admitted
 from the waiting list: H.G. Day, S.H. Chandler, J.E. Nash,
F.H. Bushell, V.N. Swinney, A.P. White, A. Vanlint.
D.W.G. Blaney. Elections: Following F.F. Thurlow was given
 2nd. month's probation. Subs. arrears, following were
struck off: J.D. Copley, D.W. Middleditch, H.T. Robjohns.

General Business. Tredgett proposed that 2nd. month's
probation for potential members be done away with.
 After a discussion it was decided that this should be
 continued. Duties for ensuing week were allotted.
 There being no further business to discuss the meeting
 was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the
 chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
10/11/47.

The Cttee. met on Mon. Nov. 10th. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported
 by Mr. Wilson & the full Cttee. exception of Hester excused. Minutes
 of previous meeting were read approved & signed. New Probationers
 admitted from waiting list: D. Berwin, B.H. Elby, G.K. Allen,
K.A. Garry,
K.W. Mace, T.C. Schild, K.J. Wells. Following new members
 were elected: J. Beer, L. Block, E.H. Dawson, E.E. Hayman,
J.D. Hewitt, E.G. Tanner. 2nd. month's probation: D. Hayes.
 Failed to appear, to receive 2nd. notice: D.H. Page. House Comps.
Results: Road Running a complete draw between all houses.
 Football Blue & Green tie for 1st. Place Red. 3rd. White 4th.
Senate. Tredgett gave Cttee. a report on Fed. Senate meeting.
Acceptance of new members Area. The chairman informed Cttee. that
 many boys living well outside London joined Elton Manor because
 of its name but could not attend regularly. He asked Cttee. to consider
 devising a rule whereby boys outside an area could not join

unless in extra special cases. The matter was deferred so that the Ctee. could give it plenty of thought. Duties for ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
17.11.47.

The Ctee. met on Mon. 17th Nov. 2 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the full Ctee. The following probationers were admitted from the waiting list: D.T. Barnes, P.C. Dear, A. Gades, J.D. Hart, D.J. Hayes, V.C. Pontin. The following new members were elected: F.A. Groll, W.S. Oakman, C.J. Parsonsons, R.A. White, C.F. Yeomans. Following failed to appear and will receive 2nd notice: J.J. Beech, P.G. Dossena, J.H. Fisher, S.F. Noble, M.V. Saunders. Failed to pass, received 2nd month: J.A. Bland. Failing to turn up for House Comps football: K. Morton was cautioned. House Comps. Chess & Draughts result: 1st Green, 2nd Blue, 3rd. tie White & Red. Duties for ensuing week were allotted, there being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
24/11/47

The Ctee. met on Mon. 18th Nov. 2 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & full Ctee. Minutes of previous meetings were read approved & signed. Following new prob. were admitted from waiting list: J.A.T. Allen, J.J. Tenn, G.A. Riley. Following new members were elected: J.D. Cladingboel, R.P.W. Jones, A.P. Kenney, D.G. Rogers, S.S. Wigglesworth, G.A. Foster, R.G. Noble, P.D. Nisaman, J.H. Fisher. Failed to appear to receive 2nd notice: J. Grieg. Subs. Areas. The following were struck off: R.F. Brooks, D.J. Abbott, C.R.R. Elson, T.J. Govey, C. Green, A. Hillbourne, R.A. Jones, C. Mapp, P.E. Mercet, J.A. Miller, B.F. Noble, R.K. Millett, A.W. Pettit, L. Rawlings, D.J. Rowland, R.W. Taylor, H.A. Vogel. The Ctee. decided that subs fines should be double from 3d + 6d to 6d + 1/- . Hse. Comps. results. General Knowledge 1st. Blue 2nd. Green. 3rd Red. 4th. White. Table Tennis Tournament. Ctee. were elected as stewards. Duties for ensuing two weeks were allotted. Reprimanded for subs areas: C. Pearce & P. Hiscock. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

Geo. Jackson
21.11.47.

The Cttee. met on Mon. Dec. 8th with Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson and the full Cttee. Mr. David Shaw-Kennedy was welcomed as an onlooker. Following new Probationers were admitted from the waiting list:

R. J. Bristow. h. Fountain. K. A. Harrigan. E. W. Highfield.

J. D. Smith. D. J. Turner. The following new members were elected:

G. K. Allen. S. H. Chandler. C. W. W. Couch. H. G. Day.

B. H. Elby. J. R. Greig. D. Hayes. K. W. Mace.

J. C. Schild. V. N. Swinney. K. J. Wells. Failed to pass and received extra month's probation: F. H. Bushell. J. E. Nash.

Failed to attend, to be sent a second notice:

D. W. G. Blaney. A. Vanlint. A. P. White. F. F. Thurlow.

Subs. Arrears. B. W. G. Smith was struck off. R. Anderson

was cautioned. House Comps. Cttee. decided that the running of the Boxing be left entirely to the Boxing Cttee.

Chairman informed the Cttee. that there would be a general inactivity check next week. Duties for

the ensuing week were allotted, there being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared

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

George Jackson
13/12/47

The Cttee. met on Mon. Dec. 15th. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the Cttee. with the exception of Wood & Poulter ^{Hester & Gattward.} excused. The following new Prob. were admitted from the waiting list: C. B. Barbet. G. A. Bland.

C. E. Guy. R. J. Hooper. R. G. Bouttell. Following new members were elected: J. A. Bland. V. C. Pontin. Subs.

Arrears: S. H. Moore & R. L. Valentiny were struck off.

Failing to turn up for football. H. Rood & J. Crawley were cautioned. It was decided to postpone inactivity check until

after Xmas. Duties for ensuing week were allotted.

There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the

Chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
22/12/47

The Cttee. met on Mon. Dec. 22nd. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the full Cttee with the exception of Tredgett excused following new Prob. were admitted: R. P. Dawney. K. T. Marsh.

Following new members were elected: J. A. T. Allen. D. J. Barnes.

P. C. Dear. A. Eades. J. J. Tenn. J. D. Hart. D. J. Hayes.

G. A. Riley. A. P. White. 2nd. month's prob. A. P. White.

Subs. Arrears. Struck Off: B. W. King. Reinstated: R. A. Dover

appeared & explained that he had been in hospital & unable to inform the Club. House Comps. results: First Aid

White 1st. Red 2nd. Green 3rd. Drawing Red 1st. White 2nd.
 Duties for ensuing week were allotted. Ctee then decided
 handicaps & made draws for the Xmas Eve Comps.
 There being no further business to discuss the meeting
 was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the
 chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
 29/12/47.

The Ctee. met on Mon. Dec. 29th. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by
 Mr. Wilson & the Ctee. Subs. Anears: R.D. Sloan was struck off.
 Chairman informed Ctee. that they would be required as programme
 sellers at the Boxing Club's Tournament at the Bethnal Green Baths
 on 15th. Jan. Munton asked whether Boys' Ctee. room could
 be kept private, he pointed out that any member could walk in
 and use the room as a cloakroom. The chairman said he
 would attend to this. Duties for the ensuing week were allotted
 there being no further business to discuss the meeting was
 declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman
 for presiding.

George Jackson, Sec
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The Ctee. met on Mon. Jan. 5th. 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair
 supported by Mr. Wilson & the Ctee. with the exception of Cannington
 & Poulter absent. The following new Probationers were admitted
 from the waiting list: T.A. Cannon V.J. Streete. J. Whiting.
 Following new members were elected: E.W. Highfidd. D.T. Turner
Subs. Anears. following were struck off: E. Dickens.
R.F. Groves. B.S. Richardson. Inactivity. The following
 were struck off: R. Whiteford. R. Collins. following
 were cautioned & given 2 months probation:
V. Bell. H. Bevis. E.D. Crisp. L.A.C. Cussans.
S.H. Hawk. L.P. Hoad. C.A.T. Hole. W. Howe.
W. Howe. R. Morden. D. Paskin. V. Toogood
Suspension. D.G. Rogers was suspended for a fortnight for
 misusing billiard tables. B. Ellis requested that his
 house be changed so that he was in the same one as
 his friend. This was refused by Ctee. Duties for
 ensuing week were allotted. There being no further
 business to discuss the meeting was declared closed
 with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
 12/1/48

The Cttee met on Mon. 12th Jan. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the full Cttee. Carrington & Lambourne were excused from being absent the previous week. Minutes of previous meeting were read approved & signed. Greengrass resigned from Cttee. because he was moving out of the district, Poulter resigned because of his studies.

Following new Probationers were admitted: R.A. Bevan. R.G. Errington. R.C. Errington. J.E. Hatton. C.R. Langham. P.L. Morris. C. Roberts. G.A. Robertson. R.D. Rolt. G.H. Shaw. R.L. White. The following new members were elected: L. Fountain. T.D. Smith.

Failed to pass, 2nd month probation given: K.A. Harrigan. T.E. Nash.

Following were struck off for Subs. Areas: L.M. Conrad.

J.R. Davis. L. Perry. J.W. Wilson. Following were struck off for Inactivity: J.J. Hales. S. Chipperfield.

A. Hopkins. G.C. Buse. Cautioned for Inactivity:

B. Sergeant. C. Sergeant & R.F. Benjamin.

House Comps. Boxing. 1st. White. 2nd. Blue 3rd. Tie Green Red.

" " C. Country: 1st. Blue. 2nd. Red. 3rd. White 4th Green

Fined. 1/- for kicking bottles in bar. R. Brackenborough

Cttee. wished it to be recorded that the Drawing Class had won the Federation Drawing & were to be congratulated.

Duties for ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss, meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
19.1.48

The Cttee. met on Mon. Jan. ~~20th~~^{19th}. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the full Cttee. Minutes of the previous meeting were read approved & signed. Following new Prob. were admitted: L.A. Croucher. R.H. Janssen. R. Steadman. Following new members were elected: G.A. Bland. R.G. Boullell. C.E. Guy. R.J. Hooper. A.P. White. For misusing Billiards Tables G.K. Allen was suspended for a fortnight. For striking their names off the football teams sheets for no sound reasons, Sibbald & K. Morton were asked to appear before the Cttee.

Because of insufficient evidence Cttee. dismissed the case and left it to be dealt with by the team manager. Use Comps. Essay Writing. Cttee. were informed that in addition to House awards the individual winner would receive a prize of 2gu. that was being put up by Imperial League of British Empire. The subject would be "Imperial Affairs". Chairman asked Cttee. to nominate candidates for the Cttee. at the next meeting. Duties for the ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
26/1/48

The Cttee. met on Mon. Jan. 26th 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the Cttee. Minutes of the previous meeting were read approved & signed. Following new Probationers were admitted from the waiting list:
G.D. Barefield, D.H. Bentley, C.A. Thorpe, h.h. Tate,
S. G. Harrison. Failed to pass probation, received 2nd month K.Y. Marsh. Struck off for subs. arrears:
R.A. Bower, V.J. Soogood. Resignations from Cttee. from G. hester because he was forced to attend evening classes & B. Gatward because of his entry into H.M.F. Chairman informed the Cttee. that because Cttee. numbers had been so depleted these past few weeks the Cttee. would have to give a great deal of consideration to nominate candidates for the vacancies. A list of possible candidates were compiled & they would all be asked to appear next week. Duties for the ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

Geo Jackson
2/2/48.

The Cttee. met on Mon. Feb. 2nd. 8pm. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the Cttee. The following members were elected to serve on the Cttee: J. Burgess, H. Lee, R. Morgan, ~~D. Oliver~~ ^{D. OLIVER}, T. Perry, P. Weller, R. Wood. The following new Probationers R.R. Jones, h. H. Platt. ~~The~~ Elected as full member: V. J. Streeter. 2nd month's Prob. J.A. Cannon, J. Whiting. Subs. Arrears. A. Cowell was struck off.
 Hse. Comps. Essay Result: 1st. Blue 2nd. Red. 3rd. Six Blue & Green. Musical Appreciation Class. As a result of an enquiry made into the Club it was decided that this class be held on certain Thursday evenings. R. Lambourne agreed to undertake the running of the class. Failing to return his football shirt before the weekend when learning that he was not playing J. Syrett was fined 5/- Chairman informed Cttee. that the h.c.c. were again offering 28 day holiday courses at the Outward Bound Sea School, Aberdeeny for members of affiliated clubs. Chairman suggested that members should consider this wonderful opportunity. Dredgett reported on the Boys Senate, he asked for volunteers to attend the Senators conference which was to take place shortly, he remarked that this conference of Boys Club members was the first of its kind and asked Cttee for support, three Cttee. members agreed to attend. Duties for ensuing week were allotted. No further business meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to chairman for presiding.

Geo Jackson
2/2/48.

The Cttee. met on Mon. Feb. 9th. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the full Cttee. Minutes of the previous meeting were read approved & signed. Following new Probationers were admitted from the waiting list:

S. Brill. D. Burns. D.G. Davies. R.J. Garroway.
B. J. Goney. G.C. Hollingbery. J.A. Johnson. A.J. Moule.

R.C. Sweeting. Following new members were elected:

R.E. Bevan. R.C. Errington. R.G. Errington. C.R. Langham
P.H. Morris. G.A. Robertson. R.D. Rolt. G.H. Shaw.

R.L. White. Failed to attend to receive 2nd notice:

K.A. Harrigan. J.E. Nash. C. Roberts. Failed to pass received 2nd. month: J.E. Hatton. Subs. Anears Struck

off: F. J. Parker. Reinstated. Struck off in error: G.S. Buse &

J.J. Hales. Reprimanded for failing to attend Draughts match E. Furze. Hse. Comps. Attend. Points for period Oct. Nov. - Dec. 1st. White. 2nd. Green. 3rd. Blue. 4th. Red.

Duties for ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to chairman for presiding

George Jackson
16/2/48.

Cttee met on Mon. Feb. 16th. Mr. Jackson in the chair supported by Mr. Wilson & the full Cttee. Minutes of previous meeting were read approved & signed. Following new Probationers were admitted from waiting list: A. Hall. F.W. Wicks. Following new members were elected: C.B. Barber. L.A. Croucher. R.P. Dawney. R. Steadman. R.H. Jansley. Struck off for subs. aeneas. S.T. Wrigglesworth. Failing to attend draughts match A. Hammond was cautioned & fined 2/- for using bad language & disrespect for a Cttee. member W. Hillyard was suspended for 2 months. Hse. Comps. Squash: 1st. Blue 2nd. Red. 3rd. Green 4th. White. Cttee. decided that a letter be sent to Mr. E. Goffron thanking him for his kind donation of books to library. Duties for ensuing week were allotted. There being no further business to discuss the meeting was declared closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman for presiding.

George Jackson
23/2/48.