

General Committee.

Meeting of the General Committee held on Saturday, 16th October, 1943, Mr. T. Hayes in the chair, also present Professor O. Boyle, Messrs P.J. Good, Mr. Tronoy, H.S. Hayes, J. Dely, H.F.C.V.S., H. Thomey, E. Wall, C.V. Good, M.D. Taylor, A. Hillins, P.J. O'Connell, T. O'Leary, G. Donovan, J.S. Henderson, B.E. Hosford, E. O'Driscoll, S. O'Driscoll, T.J. Spillane, D. Cronin, R. Good, D. Hurley, J. Lehane, T. McGrath, D. O'Leary, J.B. Roberts, J.W. Young and A.F. Moore, Hon. Secretary.

On the motion of Mr. A.H. Moore, seconded by Mr. P.J. Good, Mr. W. Hayes was moved to the chair. The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

Cheques:

On the motion of Professor Boyle, seconded by Mr. D. Hurley, the following cheques, as recommended by the Finance Committee, were passed:- Cork Corporation £87.10; O'Flann's Duplicate Co. £1,10:0.

Mr. B. Bolster, Kynleeville, Crosshaven, was elected a Member of the Society, on the motion of Mr. N. Hayes seconded by Mr. P.J. Good.

Members of Show Committee retiring and eligible for re-election:

In accordance with the rules of the Society, the three Members of the Show Committee who have the least number of attendances must retire annually. The retiring Members this year are:- Messrs D. Cronin, J. Dely, H.F.C.V.S., and E. Wall, who are eligible for re-election. There is a fourth vacancy caused through Mr. F.G. Hayes not now being a Member of the General Committee. The following were proposed and seconded for the four vacancies - Messrs D. Cronin, J. Dely, H.F.C.V.S., Mr. D. Hosford and E. Wall, who were declared elected by the Chairman.

Members re-elected on Dog Show Committee.

On the motion of Mr. P.J. Good, seconded by Mr. P.J. O'Connell, the following were re-elected Members of the Dog Show Committee:- Miss M.E. McCulloch, Miss H. Patten, Dr. E.V. Cantillon, Messrs Jas. Dely, H.F.C.V.S., J. Sheehan, J. Dohlin. Power was given to this Committee to co-opt the extra number of members, as required by the rules of the Society.

Members re-elected on Horticultural Committee.

The following were re-elected on the Horticultural Committee, on the motion of Mr. P.J. O'Connell, seconded by Mr. P.J. Good:- The Hon. Mrs. Bell, Mrs. E.J. Clarke, Mrs. H.L. Matthews, Mrs. T. T. Tucker, Major R.J. Meade, Messrs J. Lehane, F. T. Allen, P.C. Hayes, I. Desmarlay, C.J. Lane, P.H. Dying.

Poultry Committee.

On the motion of Mr. P.J. O'Connell, seconded by Mr. B.H. Hosford, the following were re-elected on the Poultry Committee:- Mrs. E.J. Clarke, Mrs. T. B. Tucker, Mrs. R. H. Dying, Mrs. J.D. Sheedy, Mrs. K.A. Hodder, Miss G. Montgomery, Miss D.H. Meade, Dr. G.H.H. Crofts.

Vote of congratulation:

On the motion of Mr. A.H. Moore, and unanimously agreed to, a vote of congratulation was passed to Mr. P.J. Hillden, T.D., Mr. E. O'Sullivan (Chairman of the Co. Cork Committee of Agriculturists and Mr. P. J. Hayes, of Ballyow, for their efforts in settling the strike of Sugar Cooks at the various Best Fectories.

Paper read by Mr. F. Backworth.

Mr. F. Backworth then read a paper, the title of which was "THE LAND", at the conclusion of which a hearty vote of thanks was passed to him, on the proposition of Mr. D. Cronin, seconded by Mr. T. Dely, H.F.C.V.S. This was conveyed to Mr. Backworth by the Chairman, for which the former dutifully replied.

*S.J. Clarke.*  
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