

General Committee:

Meeting of the General Committee held on Saturday, 20th March, 1948, Mr. E.J. Clarke, President, in the chair, also present Sir Geo. Colthurst, Bart., Major W.E. Bell, Professor C. Boyle, Messrs P.J. O'Connell, Ml. Twomey, A. Mullins, E. Wall, D. Cronin, M. Corkery, E.E. Hosford, M.D. Hosford, T. O'Leary, M. Ryan, L. Dobbin, J.S. Henderson, Sean Murphy, F. Murphy, T. McGrath, C. Donovan, R. Good, Stephen Murphy, T. McGrath, S. O'Driscoll, J. O'Driscoll, J.B. Roberts, T.J. Spillane, H. Twomey, and A.H. Moore, Hon. Secretary.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

Cheques:

On the motion of Mr. T. O'Leary, seconded by Mr. Ml. Ryan, the following cheques, as recommended by the Finance Committee, were passed:-

Prizes - Show & Sale of Bulls.....	£ 171.	10.	0;
Eagle Printing Works, Ltd.....	£ 200.	0.	0;
Farmers' Gazette.....	6.	15.	0;
R.J. Shelton.....	6.	10.	0;
W. Marsh & Sons.....	17.	6.	6;
T. Crosbie & Co. Ltd.....	18.	0.	0;
Ellam's Duplicator Co. Ltd.....	9.	15.	6;
Imperial Hotel.....	7.	14.	6;

Election of three members on this Committee:

The next business was to elect three members to fill the vacancies on this Committee, caused by Sir Geo. Colthurst, Bart, Major W.B. Bell, and Mr. P.J. O'Connell having been elected Vice. Presidents of the Society. Mr. Ml. Ryan proposed, and Mr. Ml. Corkery seconded, Mr. H. O'Sullivan, of Faha, Inniscarra, Mr. J.B. Roberts seconded - Mr. A.H. Moore proposed, and Mr. J.B. Roberts seconded - that the three men with the largest number of votes recorded for them at the last Annual General Meeting of the members of the Society, and who were the unsuccessful candidates to be elected to the General Committee, the names of these men being Mr. J.F.D. Good, Ballintubber House, Carrigtwohill, Mr. T.W. Perrott, Brinny House, Upton & Mr. W.W. Nicholson, Hoddersfield, Crosshaven.

Election of above:

The Secretary stated that, as there were only three vacancies, it would necessitate an election by ballot. The Members then agreed that, instead of electing them by ballot, the four names should be put into a hat, and that the first name out would be declared the non-elected member. The names were then placed in a hat, and the name of Mr. H. O'Sullivan, having been drawn out, the President declared Messrs Good, Perrott & Nicholson, elected to fill the three vacancies on the General Committee.

President's inquiries for any suggestions from members of Committee in connection with list of prizes:

The President then stated that the Show Committee, after this Meeting, would be considering the List of Prizes for the forthcoming Summer Show, and asked if there were any suggestions which the members would like to make with regard to same. Mr. C. Donovan stated that, if at all possible, he would like to see the prizes in the Cattle section increased.

Vote of condolence:

On the motion of Mr. A.H. Moore, seconded by Mr. M. Ryan, a vote of condolence was passed to Mr. N. Hayes on the death of his sister, all members present standing.

P.J. Clarke.
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