

# General Committee

1 October 1852

President in the Chair

Present

W Roberts, H Reed, J Reed, J Jones, R S Kennefick,  
A J Warren, Capt Newenham, Byrne, General Davies,  
J Henderson, Capt Whiston, W H Beamish, R Newman,  
R H Beamish, Walton, D Stoker, R Anderson,  
J Sheru, J Donovan, C Murphy, C Jarrett.

The following were elected members Messrs Russell Collock Collins & M<sup>r</sup> Aushack  
J Clarke & H B Walker.

The minutes of the last meeting were read & confirmed

Read letter from the Shorthorned Society stating that they would give a prize of £20 for the best shorthorned Bull in Munster to be competed for at the 1853 Show on the motion of M<sup>r</sup> James Byrne the best thanks of the Society were given to the a vote of thanks was passed to the society

Read letter from Anas Athleicki Club asking for a reduction in the rent which on the motion of M<sup>r</sup> R H Beamish sec<sup>d</sup> by M<sup>r</sup> J Donovan was refused

M<sup>r</sup> George Polthurst announced that the Directors had agreed to let the Box Stalls to the Race Committee for 3 years at the rent of £70 per annum on the motion of Capt Newenham sec<sup>d</sup> by M<sup>r</sup> Hogan the letting was sanctioned

Secretary read agreement which he had made with Miss Wheland for the Committee rooms, on the motion of Capt Newenham sec<sup>d</sup> by D Stoker it was decided to give a quarters notice and M<sup>r</sup> Byrne & Stoker were appointed to look out for cheaper rooms

On the motion of M<sup>r</sup> Anderson sec<sup>d</sup> by R H Beamish the following resolution was unanimously passed that we call on the Government to form an Agricultural Department in Ireland

M<sup>r</sup> Byrne read the result of his potatoe experiment, which on the motion of M<sup>r</sup> W A Beamish sec<sup>d</sup> Capt Newenham it was decided should be added to the next report of the society

On the motion of Capt Newenham sec<sup>d</sup> by M<sup>r</sup> Hogan a vote of thanks was passed to M<sup>r</sup> Byrne  
George Polthurst