

Minutes of a special Committee Meeting held at Head Quarters on Monday  
Evening the 4<sup>th</sup> January 1886.

Mr G. B. Mercer in the Chair.

Present Messrs J. C. Robinson, Jas. St. Crooke, J. B. Beazley, D. J. Bell, W. S. Mills,  
L. Fletcher, A. Fraser, J. P. Fletcher & D. R. Fell.

On the Motion of Messrs Bell & Beazley the Prizes for the Year  
were awarded as follows:

1st Prize Long Distance Point Riding. G. P. Mills 55 points

2<sup>d</sup> " " " Sam. Fletcher 29 "

3<sup>r</sup> " " " Mr Bayly " 24 hrs medal. won by G. P. Mills. 260 miles.

And the attendance medals being tied for by G. P. Mills & St. Crooke.

The following Gentlemen were elected Active Members of the Club.

J. J. Cowell proposed by G. B. Mercer 2<sup>d</sup> by J. P. Fletcher.

R. C. Neale " H. Yerger " do.

E. Barndt " A. R. Fell. " H. Redder.

A. Norbury " A. H. Fletcher " H. Fraser.

Confirmed 11<sup>th</sup> January 1886

G. B. Mercer.  
Chairman.

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at Head Quarters on  
Monday Evening the 11<sup>th</sup> January 1886.

Mr G. B. Mercer in the Chair

Present Messrs J. B. Beazley, D. J. Bell, D. R. Fell, J. P. Fletcher,  
L. Fletcher, A. W. Gamble, F. W. Mayor, W. Downes Mills,  
& A. Fraser.

Minutes

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for Feby.

The Minutes of Committee Meetings held on 14<sup>th</sup>  
Decr. 1885 and 4<sup>th</sup> Janry. 1886 were read & confirmed.

The Fixtures for February were then arranged as follows:-

Feby. 6 Warrington

8 Committee Meeting

13 Paper Chase - Stans T. B. Conway & J. Bayly

20 Halewood -

25 Social

27 Paper Chase - Stans D. R. Fell & C. Robinson

Wm McElhinney proposed by J. P. Fletcher seconded by L. Fletcher  
Joseph Keay Jr. " S. Barker " L. Fletcher

A. Mason " " do. " A. W. Gamble

Arthur Russell " H. Russell " F. W. Mayor  
were all elected Active Members of the Club.

The following Gentlemen were elected Honorary Members  
of the Club - F. Dignum, G. A. Nicholas, & H. St. Halsall -  
all proposed by D. R. Fell & seconded by F. W. Mayor.

Mr H. Robinson having sent in his Resignation as an  
Active Member of the Club it was resolved that  
same be accepted.

The Treasurer laid the following A/c. before the meeting  
which were passed & ordered to be paid:-

Rent in lieu of notice for Old Clubhouse £6. 5/-  
N. C. U. Capitation fees £10 on a/c.

Mills & Knight printing a/c. £1. 16. 6<sup>0</sup>

Shortland C. for Stationery 19/-

J. A. Rooney, for Visitors Books for Prescot & Warrington Hotels 11/-

J. V. Restall for 2 dozen Badges £2. 16/-

Resignation of  
Mr H. Robinson

Treasurers a/c.

New Clubhouse  
Furnishing same

The Secretary reported the Sub Committee appointed 14<sup>th</sup> Dec had removed the Clubhouse to the present headquaters (36 Bedford Street North) & had to a large extent furnished the same, that £40. 19/- had been lent by members & £31. 2. 11<sup>th</sup> so far had been expended, that a few members had promised sums & not yet paid, & that there were a few also yet to pay viz. for carpets, & gas fittings &c.

Machine House  
fee

In the motion of Mr Lawrence Fletcher seconded by Mr. D. J. Bell the Committee agreed that the railings alongside path from street to front door should be removed & that a shed for shelter and storage of machines be erected at the back at a maximum cost of £10 & be paid for out of the Club funds.

Application by  
W. T. Hughes for use  
of room

A letter from Mr. Wilfrid T. Hughes asking the Committee to allow himself and a few friends to use a room in the Clubhouse two nights per week during the months January & February 1886 for rehearsing a farce, was read, & the request granted on the motion of Mr. D. J. Bell seconded by Mr. F. W. Mayor.

Vigilance Comt.

A further communication from the proposed Vigilance Committee for the suppression of "Makers Amateurs" was produced & the Committee resolved to take no notice of it or any further communications. On the motion of Mr. W. Downes Mills seconded by D. R. Fell, & after a lengthy discussion, it was unanimously carried that Chess, Draughts and Dominoes be furnished & allowed in the Club House & be played in a room set apart for the purpose.

Resignation from Comt.  
Mr. A. H. Fletcher

During the Meeting Mr. A. H. Fletcher handed in a letter resigning from this Committee & on the motion of Mr. A. W. Gauble seconded by Mr. F. W. Mayor the same was accepted with regret.

Mr. C. C. Stoker elected on Committee  
Messrs C. C. Stoker proposed by Mr. Bell 2<sup>nd</sup> by Mr. L. Fletcher,  
& J. K. Conway S. Fletcher " by Mr. Mills  
were nominated for the vacant seat on the Committee when Mr. Stoker was elected by a large majority -

Confirmed 8<sup>th</sup> February 1886

Sammy Cook. Chairman -

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at Head Quarters on Monday Evening, 8<sup>th</sup> February 1886.

Mr. Jas. A. Cook in the Chair

Present

Messrs J. B. Beazley, S. J. Bell, S. R. Fell, S. & L. Fletcher, A. W. Gamble, F. W. Mayor, G. B. Mercer, W. Townes Mills, H. Pedder, G. C. Robinson, C. C. Stoker & A. Fraser.

Minutes

The Minutes of last Committee Meeting dated 11<sup>th</sup> January were read and confirmed.

Fixtures for March were then arranged as follows:

Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> Warrington

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> Committee Meeting

Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> Paper Chase - Hans Meiss, T. H. Bragg & Russell  
20<sup>th</sup> Halewood

Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> Social

Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> Paper Chase - Hans Meiss, G. B. Mercer & C. C. Stoker

Mr. Stoker election  
to Committee

A letter from Mr. C. C. Stoker, dated 13<sup>th</sup> January 1886 accepting election to Committee was read.

Mr. Heapy resigns

A letter from Mr. Heapy, (elected at last Meeting) dated 1<sup>st</sup> February, resigning from Active Membership was read and on the motion of Mr. Gamble seconded by Mr. Bell the Committee resolved to accept the same.

Active Members

The following Gentlemen were duly elected Active Members of the Club

W. H. Ashley proposed by Mr. Bayly seconded by Mr. Stoker  
A. R. Cummins " Fraser " L. Fletcher  
S. Prince Heathy " do. " do.  
P. R. Edwards " Ward " Fraser  
J. H. Larson " Fell " L. Fletcher  
H. P. Newman " Bell " Fell

Hon. members

The following gentlemen were elected Honorary Members of the Club,

W. J. Jones introduced by Mr. Fraser  
George W. Kibbin " J. P. Fletcher  
W. A. Hillier " Fraser  
W. F. Fell " Fell

Race Meeting

After some discussion Mr. Bell proposed, Mr. Stoker seconded, and it was carried

That the Club have two Race Meetings in 1886, one on the 15<sup>th</sup> May and the other on 17<sup>th</sup> July

Club Tours

Road Ride

After discussion the following fixtures were made  
Easter Tour to Warwickshire

Whit Saturday Road Ride (24 hours annual)

To be ridden from Birmingham eastwards.

August Bank Holiday Fixture was postponed  
A Sub Committee consisting of Messrs Lawrence Fletcher, George B. Mercer, & Hugh Fraser was appointed to carry thru the necessary arrangements for the Road Ride.

Accounts

The following Accounts were passed & the Treasurer authorised to pay the same.

Quarters Rent of New Club House £9. 10s.  
Income tax & Poor Rates

Account due to Messrs John Riley &c

Record of  
Mr. G. P. Mills

It was decided to award Mr. G. P. Mills a Gold Medal of the value of £2. 10s. for his Record (awarded by the N.C.U. Records Committee) of 259 miles in 24 consecutive hours on a bicycle, and to place that distance along with the word "Record" on the shield opposite his ride after erasing £60 the

distance passed by this Committee.

Read & Confirmed 8<sup>th</sup> March 1886

James Cook Chairman

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at Head Quarters on Monday Evening 8<sup>th</sup> March 1886 - Mr. Jas. H. Cook in the Chair

Present - Messrs J. B. Beazley, D. J. Bell, D. R. Fell,  
H. Fletcher, A. W. Gamble, F. W. Mayor,  
G. B. Mercer, W. D. Mills, G. C. Robinson, G. D. Stoker,  
H. Fraser

Minutes The Minutes of last Committee Meeting dated 8<sup>th</sup> Feby. were read & confirmed.

Fixtures for April The Fixtures for April were then arranged as follows: - 9<sup>th</sup> Warrington 12<sup>th</sup> Committee Meetg.  
10 Paper Chase, Hares J. C. Robinson W.M.S. Gracie  
17 Chester 23<sup>rd</sup> Easter Tour to North Wales.

New Members The following Gentlemen were duly elected Active Members of the Club

Ferdinand Vandertaelen proposed by H. Fletcher and L. Fletcher  
W. F. Thompson " H. Fraser . F. W. Mayor  
R. Hone J. Ryas " H. Fraser . A. W. Gamble  
A. W. Cox " L. Fletcher . H. Fletcher

The following Gentlemen were duly elected Honorary Members of the Club:-

F. Ashmore Introduced by L. Fletcher  
T. M. Johnson " H. Fraser

Letters A letter from the Hon. Secretary of the Manchester Athletic B.C. was read and the Committee decided to make on May 1 a Club Run to Knutsford to meet that Club.

A letter from the Capt<sup>r</sup> of the London Scottish B.C. was read & the Committee decided not to meet that Club at the Norman Cross at Easter.

Easter Tour

The Easter Tour as fixed at last Meeting was then opened to discussion and by a considerable majority it was decided to alter the Tour to North Wales.

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1886 Road Ride

The question of the route for this years Road Ride was again brought up and after a lengthy discussion it was decided to start on the old course from Knotty Ash and it was left to the Sub Committee to decide the course beyond Lichfield.

Mcs.

An account due to A short for altering Gas Fittings was passed & the Treasurer authorised to pay it.

Race Meetings

Messrs Cook, Bell, Fell, Robinson, Stoker & Fraser were appointed a Sub Committee to manage the Race Meetings of the Club.

Handicapper

Mr. Fletcher then raised the question with regard to the Appointment of a Handicapper to this local centre of the N.C.U. when Mr. Fraser proposed Mr. Stoker seconded & it was carried

"That our Delegates to the local Centre of the N.C.U. be instructed to unanimously support the nomination of Mr. J.S. Ward as Handicapper for this district"

Delegates

Mr. Robinson thereupon resigned from the post of Club Delegate and on the motion of Mr. H.T. Fletcher & Mr. Mills his resignation was accepted with regret. On the motion of Mr. Mills & Mr. Fraser Mr. J.B. Beazley was appointed to the vacant Delegateship.

Read & Confirmed

April 1886

Jas. Cook Chairman.

Minutes of a Sub Committee Meeting held at Head Quarters on Monday Evening 15<sup>th</sup> March 1886 re Race Meeting 15<sup>th</sup> May 1886.

Jas. Cook in the Chair

Present Messrs D.J. Bell, D.H. Bell, J.C. Robinson, C. C. Stoker and H. Fraser.

Events

Prizes

It was decided to have the following events and provide prizes of the respective values set forth below

100 yards flat race Handicap	3 Prizes value £10
1 mile maiden bicycle	3 Medals
½ " bicycle	3 Prizes value £8
2 " "	3 " £12
1 " tricycle	3 " £8

Prizes

It was decided to buy our Prizes from Robt. Jones & Son Castle Street.

Bands

It was decided to dispense with the services of the Band.

Officials

The following Officials were appointed it was decided that no others be allowed within the enclosure.

Judges W. J. Jones	Handicappers J. S. Ward
J. S. Hoysted	J. S. Hoysted

Starters

Timekeepers

Clerks of the Course

J.C. Robinson, S. Green, S. Barker, D. McKenzie, C. C. Stoker

Marksmen

J. H. Cook, J. P. Fletcher, & D. J. Bell

Laptaker

J. B. Beazley

It was decided to have a neat programme in Book form without Advertisements to sell at 3<sup>d</sup> and Messrs Gamble & Harrison were to be asked to look after this department.

Read & Confirmed

D. Bell.

Chairman

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at Head-Quarters on Monday evening 12<sup>th</sup> April 1886.

Mr. J. H. Cook in the Chair.

Present.

Messrs C. C. Stoker, W. D. Mills, J. P. Fletcher  
A. W. Gamble, D. J. Bell, D. R. Fell, G. B. Mercer  
L. Fletcher, J. B. Brayley, J. C. Robinson &  
H. Fraser.

Minutes.

The Minutes of the last Meeting dated 8<sup>th</sup> March were read & confirmed.

Fixtures for May.

The Fixtures for May were then arranged as follows.— May 1<sup>st</sup> Hemelsford  
8<sup>th</sup> Circular run to Prescot. 10<sup>th</sup> Committee  
Meeting, 15<sup>th</sup> Club Sports at Fairfield  
22<sup>nd</sup> Chester 29<sup>th</sup> Warrington.

New Members Active. The following gentlemen were then elected  
Members of the Club:—

W. H. Bateman, proposed by D. R. Fell seconded by H. Russell  
W. H. Walker — P. Fletcher — C. H. Fletcher  
J. H. Ashcroft — J. H. Conway — D:

The following gentlemen were duly elected  
Honorary Members of the Club:—

J. R. Russell. Introduced by A. Russell  
M. D. Rucker — P. Fletcher  
Percy Furnivall — D:

Resignations

A letter was read from Mr. F. K. Mayor  
resigning his post of Sub-Captain of the  
Club, which was accepted with regret.

App't of Sub-Capt. Mr. J. P. Fletcher moved, & Mr. Robinson seconded  
& it was unanimously carried that

Mr W. M. G. Gracie be appointed to the vacant post of Sub-Captain.

Mr Gracie accepted the post & took his seat on the Committee.

Use of Rooms

An application from Mr W. H. Hughes for further permission to use a room in the Club-House, was read; & on the motion of Mr Bell seconded by Mr Mercer, refused.

Resignation of  
McClarke

A letter from Mr Clarke resigning Active Membership on account of ill health, was read; & the Secretary was instructed to accept the same, & to add that the Committee hoped he would reconsider his decision.

Accounts

The following accounts were submitted & the Hon. Treasurer authorised to pay the same.  
Mills & Knight £9. 12. 6. Gas &c £2. 2. 11  
Rates £7. 2. 6.

Read & confirmed 10<sup>th</sup> May 1886.

Jas Stook

Minutes of a Comm<sup>t</sup> Meeting held at the Club House on Monday Evening the 10<sup>th</sup> May 1886. Mr J. St. Cook in the Chair.

Present. Messrs G. B. Mills, J. P. Fletcher, A. W. Gamble, R. Gracie, Committee Members  
J. B. Bragby, W. Towns Mills, J. C. Robinson, C. E. Stoker, Jas. R. Gill  
R. J. Bell, and H. Fraser, Secy.

Minutes. The Minutes of the last meeting were read & confirmed.

Next Month. The Fixtures for June were arranged as follows.

Jun 5<sup>th</sup> Knutsford Jun 19 Harrington

7. Comm<sup>t</sup> Meeting. 26 Chester.

12. Road Ride 24 miles.

Mr Gracie was awarded the 100 miles star & the 150 miles medal for his ride of 158 miles on 13 April.

Messrs G. P. Mills & J. H. Mayor's ride of 231 miles on Good Friday, has passed, and ordered to be placed upon the Shield (Brigade).  
Mr A. W. Gamble's ride of 158 miles on a Tricycle on Good Friday, was also passed and set to be placed on the Shield.

A discussion then followed regarding the Race Meeting on the 15<sup>th</sup> and a number of minor details were settled.

Confirmed 7<sup>th</sup> June 1886

Jas Stook  
Chairman

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at the Club House, on Monday Evening the 7th June 1886. Mr. Jas. Cook in the Chair.

Present. Messrs. A. J. Bell, C. E. Stoker, H. Pudder, J. C. Robinson, W. Gracie, H. Rowles Miller, J. B. Beagley, G. B. Mercer, H. W. Gamble, A. R. Fell, & Hammer Fletcher.

Mr. Minutes of last Meeting were read & confirmed.

The runs for July were arranged as follows.

July 3 Shuteford  
10 Weston-super-Mare  
17 N.C.U. Race Meeting.  
24 Warrington  
31<sup>st</sup> B.R. Holiday, York  
2 Aug. in Lakes District }

Mr. W. A. Hallam proposed by G. B. Mercer & 2nd by A. J. Bell was elected an Active Member of the Club.

The 24 hours road race was discussed & the following arrangements made.

Aerby, Clevedon, Tuning Points.

Prize.

Bicycle - 1st Prize £5 10s. Prize if over 25 miles.  
Silver Medal to all over 200 miles  
1st Centre " 225.  
Gold " 250.  
" 225. (50/- per ft over 225 mls).  
8th Centre " 200.  
Silver " 175.

Mr. W. W. Gamble's ride of 212 miles on a bicycle was passed the  
was awarded the 8th star of the Club frame top on Shield.

The question of a Race Meeting in July was  
discussed and it was resolved to abandon  
the fixtures & permit the National Cyclist Union  
local Committee to have the Fairfield Track on 17<sup>th</sup> July  
for their Championships.

Confirmed 12<sup>th</sup> July 1886

Jas. Cook.

Chairman

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at the Club House on Monday evening 12<sup>th</sup> July/86. Mr. J. H. Cook (Chair)

Present Messrs D. J. Well, D. N. Fell, L. Fletcher, W. Gracie  
J. C. Robinson, J. P. Fletcher, G. B. Mercer  
J. W. Beazley, C. E. Stoker.

Minutes. The minutes of the last Meeting read & confirmed

Club Runs The runs for August were arranged as follows.

- August 7<sup>th</sup> Warrington  
- 14<sup>th</sup> Chester  
- 21<sup>st</sup> Lynn.  
- 28<sup>th</sup> Circular to Halewood.

Resignation The resignation of Mr. H. Fraser from the post of Secretary, having been read, Mr. Stoker proposed & Mr. Beazley seconded, that the resignation be accepted with regret.

Secretary On the proposition of Mr. D. N. Fell seconded by Mr. G. B. Mercer, Mr. Lawrence Fletcher was unanimously appointed to fill the vacant post of Secretary.

Committee Mr. G. B. Mercer proposed Mr. C. E. Stoker seconded, - it was unanimously carried that Mr. J. K. Conway be elected to the vacant post on Committee.

Records Proposed by Mr. G. B. Mercer & seconded by Mr. J. C. Robinson, that the Record Medal of the Club be awarded to Mr. G. P. Mills for his ride from Lands End to John O'Groats in 5 days

1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> hours on a bicycle & to Mr. A. H. Fletcher for his ride of 250<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> miles in 24 hours on a tricycle subject to their proving them to the satisfaction of the N. C. U. Records Committee.

August Tour

The August Tour was discussed & it was finally decided to make Warrington the Head-Quarters; & the Secy was instructed to draw up the requisite Circular & forward to Members.

Election of  
Members

Mr. Winibille proposed by Mr. C. E. Stoker & seconded by Mr. A. Mason was elected to Membership in the Club.

Confirmed 9<sup>th</sup> August/86

C. E. Stoker.

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at Head Quarters on Monday Evening 9<sup>th</sup> August 1886.

Present

Mr. J. H. Cook in the Chair.

Mess<sup>r</sup> D. J. Bell, D. R. Fell, W. Gracie, A. W. Gamble  
G. B. Mercer, H. Pedder, & C. E. Stoker & W. D. Mills.

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Minutes. The Minutes of the last Meeting were read & confirmed.

Road Rides

Mr. D. J. Bell proposed & Mr. A. W. Gamble seconded that the Gold Star of the Club be awarded to Mr. W. Gracie for his ride of 162 miles in 24 hrs on a tricycle, & that it be duly inscribed on the shield. Mr. A. W. Gamble proposed Mr. C. E. Stoker seconded that Mr. G. P. Mills be awarded the Record & 250 miles, Medals of the Club, subject to the ride being proved to the satisfaction of the N.C.U. Recording.

Active Members. The following gentlemen were then elected as Active Members of the Club:—

Mr. W. Corrie proposed Mr. L. Fletcher seconded Mr. A. Gamble

. T. R. Marriott . . . . . Mr. G. P. Mills  
. S. C. Higgett . . . . . N. Crooke . . . . . L. Fletcher

Mr. C. J. Large's election refused back.

Club Runs. The Club runs for September were arranged as follows:

Sept<sup>r</sup> 4. Warrington

- 11. Prescot via Farnworth
- 18. Photograph (Hunts Cross)
- 25. Warrington.

100 miles Star.

Mr. A. W. Gamble proposed & Mr. D. J. Bell seconded that Mr. W. Corrie be awarded the 100 miles Star of the Club.

Mr. Wimble withdraws.

Mr. Wimble elected as an Active Member at the last Meeting, having expressed his unwillingness to join the Club, was allowed to withdraw.

Record Medal Mr. G. B. Mercer proposed & Mr. W. D. Mills seconded, that the Record Medal of the Club be awarded to Mess<sup>r</sup> A. H. Fletcher & A. W. Gamble for the 100 Miles tandem tricycle Record, subject to its being passed by N.C.U. Records Committee.

11. 5b.

S. H. Cook.

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at Head Quarters on  
Monday Evening 13<sup>th</sup> September 1886. Mr. J. H. Cook in the Chair.

Present Miss W. Gracie, G. B. Mercer, H. Pedder, W. D. Mills  
J. B. Beazley, A. W. Gauble, D. R. Fell, D. J. Bell  
A. J. G. Robinson

Minutes The minutes of last Meeting were read & confirmed.

Runs for October were arranged as follows:-

- October 2<sup>nd</sup> Circular run to Hunts Cross.  
9<sup>th</sup> Warrington  
16<sup>th</sup> Paper Chase. Hares Meps? J. B. Conway & A. Russell  
23<sup>rd</sup> Warrington  
30<sup>th</sup> Circular run to Prescot.

Mr. Large elected

On the proposition of Mr. D. R. Fell seconded by  
Mr. J. B. Beazley, Mr. Large's election was confirmed.

Shield &  
Medals.

Mr. D. J. Bell proposed & Mr. C. W. Gauble seconded  
that the following rides be passed & inscribed on  
the Q.D. Shield. Mr. N. Crooke 218 Mr. C. Harrison 232  
Mr. A. H. Fletcher 263. Mr. G. P. Mills 227 all on bicycles.  
And that the Club 200 miles medals be awarded to  
Mr. J. B. Conway for his ride of 206 miles on a bicycle  
& Mr. J. S. Large for his ride of 205 miles also on a bicycle  
That the 250 miles Bicycle medal be awarded to  
Mr. J. R. Conway for his ride of 255 miles & Mr. G. B. Mercer  
for his ride of 261 miles.

Mr. W. D. Mills proposed & Mr. D. J. Bell seconded  
that Mr. J. R. Marriott be awarded the 200 miles medal  
of the club, ~~boxed~~ for his ride of 204 miles from  
Lands End to Cambridge, subject to his proofs being correct.

Mr. A. W. Gauble proposed & Mr. D. J. Bell seconded, that  
Mr. G. P. Mills be rewarded the Record Medal of the Club, for  
his ride from Lands End to John O'Groats in 5 days 10 hours  
on a tricycle & that ride be duly inscribed on the shield.  
Subject to the ride being satisfactorily proved to the  
N.C.U. Records Committee.

*Last Meeting*

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at St<sup>d</sup> Quarters on  
Monday Ev<sup>e</sup> the 11<sup>th</sup> October 1886. Mr J H Cook in the Chair.

Present.

Messrs G. B. Mercer, A. W. Gamble, J. B. Brazier, W. Downes Mills,  
J. C. Robinson, C. E. Stodder, A. R. Bell, W. McS. Gravis,  
J. H. Conway, H. Peader & Lawrence Sharrow.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read & confirmed.

The Fixtures for November were arranged as follows.  
10/11 Paper Chase (Lancs) Am 20<sup>th</sup> Paper Chase Hunts Cross  
13 Warrington 17 Cronton Uninstructed  
17 Social Ev<sup>e</sup> at HQ.

Proposed by Mr. A. W. Gamble. It was resolved to award to Mr. G. P. Mills a gold Medal for one  
of the undenoted Records, subject to same being passed by Council. Mr. Wm.

50 Miles Bicycling Road Record

50 " Yarden Looping " with a J. Wilson  
100 " " " "

24 hours Bicycling " "

The above means mutual points for long Distance Shield.

Mr A. W. Gamble proposed Mrs B. Mercer 2<sup>nd</sup> sit was resolved,  
that the resignation of Mr A. B. Elliott be accepted.

Mr C. A. Pearson proposed Mr. W. Conway, & W. D. Mills  
was elected an Hon. Member of the Club.

It was decided to have a Boxing Class, evg, Wednesday  
even<sup>e</sup> at HQ.

Confirmed 15<sup>th</sup> November 1886

charley cook  
Chairman

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at St<sup>d</sup> Quarters  
on Monday Even<sup>e</sup> the 15<sup>th</sup> November 1886 -  
Mr J H Cook in the Chair.

Present Messrs A. R. Bell, A. W. Gamble, J. H. Conway, G. B. Mercer  
J. B. Brazier, W. A. Mills Collector, A. J. Bell, W. Gravis & H. M.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read & confirmed.

The fixtures for December were arranged as follows.  
Dec 4 Paper Chase (Prescot)  
11 Halewood  
18 Hunts Cross.

Mr A. J. Wilson proposed by Mr. Lawrence & Mr. Fletcher, was  
elected an Active Member of the Club.

Amount £10 for 8/11 was passed & the Treasurer  
authorized to pay same.

Confirmed 13<sup>th</sup> December 1886

charley cook  
Chairman.

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at Head-quarters  
on Monday 13 December 1886.  
Mr J H Cook in the Chair.

Present

Messrs A. J. Bell, C. E. Stoker, G. B. Mercer, H. Redden,  
A. W. Gamble, A. P. Yell, J. C. Robinson, J. H. Conway,  
J. P. Fletcher, W. A. Mills, T. Gracie & Lawrence Fletcher.

The minutes of last meeting were confirmed.

The fixtures for January 1887 were arranged  
as follows:

Jan 1<sup>st</sup> Prescot  
8. Cronton  
15. Hurts Cross  
22. Stakewood  
29. Paper Chase - Prescot. <sup>stages</sup> 50 miles from

Mr J. B. Beazley's resignation from the Club  
was accepted with much regret.

On the motion of Mr Lawrence Fletcher & Mr G. Brown  
it was resolved to award to Mr Beazley a gold  
medal as an memento of his past connection  
with the Club & a special mark of recognition of  
his fine ride of 198½ miles on 11 July last 1885.

On the motion of Mr Bell & Yell it was resolved  
that the Standard 250 miles medals of the Club, shall be  
like the original Kangaroo Metal in gold, costing  
less than £3 each.

On the motion of Messrs Lawrence Fletcher & D. H. Hill it was resolved  
to allow Mr S. P. Mills to choose a gold watch instead of his

numerous Record Medals.

Messrs A. J. McHenzie and W. J. Sloan were elected  
Club Auditors for 1886.

The business of the Meeting terminated with a discussion  
upon the character which the Long Distance Prize for  
1887 should assume.

Confirmed

Sam. H. Cook.

Chairman.

A. J. Hills  
C. E. Brooke. General Active Member.