

Prize List 1902

Event	Winners	Prize	Amount	Total
26 April	S. J. Lancaster	1st	3. 3. 0	
50 miles	J. Green	2nd + Fastest	4. 2. 0	
unpaced H'cap	A. R. Peers	3rd	1. 1. 0	
	W. Arnold	Bronze	5 0	
				8. 11. 0
19 May	W. H. Nutt	1st + Fastest	7. 7. 0	
100 miles	T. B. King J.	2nd	3. 3. 0	
unpaced Handicap	A. J. Tonge	3rd	2. 2. 0	
	S. J. Lancaster	Standard A	10. 0	13. 2. 0
July 18. 1902				
24 Hours Ride	R. L. L. Knipe	1st Prize	5. 5. 0	
	"	Special Prize	5. 5. 0	
	"	12 Hours Record	2. 2. 0	
	"	24 Hours Record	2. 2. 0	
	R. E. Prichard	2nd Prize	3. 3. 0	
	"	12 Hours Standard C	1. 10. 0	
	"	24 Hours Standard E	1. 15. 0	
	E. H. Fox	3rd Prize	2. 2. 0	
	"	12 Hours Standard B	1. 0. 0	
	"	24 Hours Standard E	1. 15. 0	
	W. C. Humphreys	4th Prize - S. A. Tooth by		
	"	12 Hours Standard C	1. 10. 0	
	"	24 Hours Standard D	1. 12. 6	
	W. Arnold	12 Hours Standard C	1. 10. 0	
	"	24 Hours Standard A	1. 5. 0	
	M. Paquin	12 Hours Standard A	10. 0	
	"	24 Hours Standard A	1. 5. 0	

33. 11. 6

Carried Forward £ 55. 4. 6

16 August	M. Paquin	7th	3. 3. 0	
50 miles	R. L. L. Knipe	2nd + Fastest	4. 2. 0	
unpaced Handicap	F. J. Cheminai	3rd	1. 1. 0	
	W. Arnold	G.C.M.	10. 0	
	F. Roskell (Tri)	Gold medal	15. 0	
	S. J. Lancaster	G.C.M.	10. 0	
	C. E. Grisewood	Bronze	5. 0	
	E. H. Fox	G.C.M.	10. 0	
				10. 16. 0

Records

June 14th	F. Roskell	50 mile unpaced Tricycle	
		2. 43. 10.	2. 2. 0
Sept 20th	R. L. L. Knipe	Edinburgh to L'pool unpaced.	14. 49. 0.
			2. 2. 0

Attendance Prizes

15. 0

Grand Total £ 70. 19. 6

Anfield Bicycle Club.

(Formed 1879.)

Duties Appertaining to the Various Officers of the Club.

PRESIDENT'S DUTIES—

To preside over all meetings at which he is present, and to counter-sign all cheques issued. In case of any disagreement between members on matters relating to the Club business, the difference is to be submitted to the arbitration of the President, whose decision shall be final.

VICE-PRESIDENT'S DUTIES—

To act in the President's place at all meetings when he is absent, and to undertake any other of the President's duties, if deputed by the President to so act in his place upon any occasion.

HON. TREASURER'S DUTIES—

To receive and collect subscriptions and donations, and bank them to the Club's account. To make all payments by cheques duly authorised by the Committee and countersigned by the President. To be responsible for all Club monies entrusted to his care. To prepare financial statements from time to time, for the guidance of the Committee, and to render an audited financial statement at the end of the year, showing the true financial position of the Club. To conduct all correspondence with members or others so far as relates to finance.

HON. SECRETARY'S DUTIES—

To keep the Minutes of all Committee Meetings, and of all General Meetings. To read the Minutes at Meetings. To prepare the Agenda for all Meetings. To receive all nominations for membership, and bring them before the Committee. To conduct all correspondence between the Committee and members or others, except so far as relates to finance. To issue orders for printing and stationery, and check accounts for same. To conduct all correspondence relating to the arrangement and programme of Club Runs, Tours, Races, &c., as between Committee and members, or guests, hotels, or others. To compile records of the various matters usually embodied in the Annual Report, and to submit an Annual Report. To compile other such information as may be from time to time decided upon by the Committee, and generally to act under the direction of the Committee.

Minutes of a Committee meeting held at Laurence Hotel
Monday January 12th 1903

Present M^r. A. G. White in the chair
Mess^{rs}. H. M. Buck F. J. Cheminias C. J. Conway
T. B. Conway E. Edwards H. W. Keizer J. V
Marchanton E. B. Mercer W. M. Owen
H. Poole F. Roskell, W. R. Toft, & G. W. W. W. W.
Hon Sec -

The minutes of the last Committee meeting were read
& confirmed.

Special sub
Committee
Report

The report of the special sub Committee appointed
to consider the duties appertaining to the posts
of all officials was presented and unanimously
adopted on the proposition of M^r. H. Poole seconded
by M^r. H. W. Keizer and the Secretary was
instructed to order 100 printed copies for the
use of officials and to incorporate them in
the minutes as hereby appended -

A hearty vote of thanks was passed the sub
Committee for their work on the proposition
of M^r. H. M. Buck seconded by M^r. H. Poole -

Fixtures Fixtures for February were arranged as follows

- 7 Hunt Cross (Hunt Cross Hotel) Musical Sq -
- 9 Committee meeting
- 14 West Kirby (Ring O' Bells Hotel)
- 21 Croston (The Unicorn) Lantern Show by M^r. C. J. Conway
- 28 Warrington (Patten Arms Hotel) Musical Sq by Manchester members -

Resignations The Resignations of Mess^{rs}. B. H. Glover L. W. Abbott
W. Arnold F. S. Barlow and F. Cottle
from Active membership and M^r. A. Pollard from
Honorary membership were accepted with regret
on the proposition of M^r. E. S. Worth seconded by
M^r. C. J. Conway.

The Resignations of Mess^{rs}. T. Brooke Handley and
H. P. Spence were considered and the Hon Sec
was instructed to write asking these gentlemen
to reconsider the matter with a view to with-
drawing their resignations altogether or at
least consenting to be transferred to the Honorary
List

Transfers

M^r. R. H. Carlisle's request to be transferred from
the Honorary list to the Active list ^{was} ~~was~~
acceded to on the proposition of M^r. H. W. Keizer
seconded by M^r. H. Poole.

M^r. J. R. Thompson's request to be transferred to
the Honorary list was acceded to on the
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CAPTAIN'S DUTIES

At Club Runs, Tours and other functions of the Club, the Captain is the
General Executive Officer of the Club, taking precedence of all Officers
except the President, and he shall sit in the vice-chair, opposite the
President, and should be present in good time on such occasions. All
matters of times and arrangements occurring during the actual Club Run,
Tour, &c., are to be referred to the Captain for decision and direction.
It shall be the Captain's duty to use his influence and give his attention
to making the Club fixtures a success. He will be expected to pay
attention to new members or visitors to the Club fixtures, introducing
them to other members and generally making them welcome.

The Captain is to suggest the Annual Racing Programme, and present a
scheme to the Committee for consideration, in the months of November or
December for the ensuing year; such scheme to go forward after approval
to the Annual General Meeting, where the Captain should bring forward
the motion. It shall be the Captain's duty, once a Racing Programme is
adopted, to use his influence and devote his attention to making that
Programme a success, by inducing likely men to join as members, by
persuading members to train, himself setting the example and organising
training spins also using his influence to obtain adequate entries for the
events, and getting entries in the stipulated time for the Secretary's needs
in issuing race cards and for handicapping purposes. He should be on the
Handicapping Committee, and should make himself personally acquainted
with the form of every racing member. He should also be on the Course
Committee, and make himself acquainted with the condition of the course
shortly before a race, so as to advise his men and the Committee on any
points that may need attention. He should be on the N.E.R.A.
Committee, and watch the Club's interest there. He should be informed
by the Secretary of any notice of record attempts in our district, and
should either attend himself where practicable or arrange for a deputy to
see that the conditions are being properly carried out. He should get
into touch with all racing facilities he can hear of, and be able to advise
his racing men how best to get pacing, and assist them to get it. He
should get into personal touch with members likely to become speedy, and
try and get their confidence, counselling and encouraging them to go in
for speed work, putting suggestions before them of rides they may try for,
and help them and get others to do so. In short, he ought to be the
friend and confidant of every racing man, and help each one without
unduly favouring any.

SUB-CAPTAIN'S DUTIES

Sub-Captains are the lieutenants of the Captain, and act under his
direction. In the Captain's absence, the Senior Sub-Captain is the
Captain's deputy, and acts in his place. At Club Runs, Tours, and when
on Tour, one of the Sub-Captains should collect any monies.

A hearty vote of thanks was passed the Sub
Committee for their work on the proposition
of M^r. H. M. Buck seconded by M^r. H. Poole -

Fixtures Fixtures for February were arranged as follows

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the Honorary list was accorded to on the
proposition of M^r. E. B. Mercer seconded by M^r.
T. B. Conway.

Revision of
membership
lists -

on the revision of the membership list it was decided to strike off the names of Messrs C. J. Decker J. Fowler, and H. P. Smith.

The Hon Treasurer was instructed to write Messrs F. Shields, D. Simpson R. W. Stephenson and W. F. Collier calling their attention to the fact that their subscriptions for 1902 had not been paid and Mr. J. V. Marchant undertook to see Messrs H. B. Brentnall and H. Helier regarding their unpaid subscriptions -

R.R.A.
delegate

The Hon Sec was instructed to write the Hon Sec of the R.R.A. regarding the attendance of the club delegate with a view to the substitution of Mr. H. Fraser for the one who had attended last.

N.R.R.A.
delegates

Messrs H. M. Buck and F. Roskell were appointed delegates to the N.R.R.A. on the proposition of Mr. H. Poole seconded by Mr. W. R. Toft and the Hon Sec was instructed to arrange for Mr. S. B. Mercer to attend the special meeting of the N.R.R.A. as the club delegate in place of Mr. W. R. Oppenheimer & to give the Hon Sec of the N.R.R.A. official notice of this change - also to ask how it was the Manchester Wheelers had elected 4 delegates & under what rule this was permissible.

Prize Rules

The Prize list & rules for Competition were discussed at length, some new standards being fixed, and alterations made to comply with A.G.M. resolutions.

Accounts

The following A/c's were passed for payment on the proposition of Mr. W. R. Toft seconded by

Mr. H. Poole — Northern Publishing Coy 15/3
Mills & Knight 1/1. 2. 0 -

Transfer of
Banking A/c

on the proposition of Mr. W. M. Owen seconded by Mr. H. W. Keizer a resolution was passed authorizing the transfer of the club's A/c from the Manchester & District Bank to the North & South Wales Bank

Other business

The meeting closed with a discussion on various topics during which the Committee expressed the opinion that the reports sent the press should not contain any mention of week end tours other than those officially held, that the presence of ladies at club functions should be discouraged and that members should more regard the joining of the club at ten as essentially the club fixture rather than merely putting in an appearance at the venue.

Alfred G. White

Confirmed Feb 9th 1903

Minute of a committee meeting held at Laurence's Hotel
Monday Feb 9th 1903

Present

Mr. A. G. White in the chair
Messrs H. M. Buck C. J. Conway T. B. Conway. E. Edwards. H. W. Keizer J. V. Marchant S. B. Mercer L. Oppenheimer W. M. Owen, H. Poole F. Roskell W. R. Toft. S. E. Worth & the Hon Sec

Minutes

The minutes of the last Committee meeting were read & confirmed

Business
arising out of
minutes

Transfers

The Hon Sec reported that messrs T Brooks Handley & H.P. Spence had consented to be transferred to the Honorary membership list and their transfer was carried on the proposition of Mr. T. B. Conway seconded by Mr. L. Oppenheimer

Resignation

The resignation of Mr. R. W. Stephenson from active membership was accepted on the proposition of Mr. H. M. Buck seconded by Mr. W. M. Owen.

Defaulters

The Hon Treasurer reported that he had written to Messrs F. Shields, D. H. Simpson and W. F. Collier without eliciting any replies. Mr. J. V. Marchant reported satisfactorily regarding Messrs H. B. Brentnall & H. Heller.

R.R.A
delegates

The Hon Sec reported correspondence with the Hon Sec of the R.R.A. and on the proposition of Mr. S. Edwards seconded by Mr. W. R. T. H. Messrs W. P. Cook & H. Fraser were elected R.R.A. delegates.

Fixtures.

Fixtures for March were arranged as follows: -
7th Heswall (Heswall Hotel)
9 Committee meeting
14 Helsby (Robin Hood Hotel)
21 Ormskirk (Kings Arms)
28 Warburton (Saracens Head)

New members

Mr. H. Knowles proposed by Mr. R. L. L. Knepe seconded by Mr. W. P. Cook and Mr. N. M. Higham proposed by Mr. J. V. Marchant were duly elected active members

Rushton

The proposed candidature of Mr. D. Rushton was discussed at length & the Secretary instructed to obtain particulars of what happened to cause Mr. Rushton's withdrawal from the North Liverpool B.C. -

Racing Program
Tours etc

The Racing Programme Tours etc were arranged as follows: -

April 25th 50 mile unpaired Handicap
June 14th 100 mile Invitation unpaired Handicap
June 19/20 All night ride to Abergavenny starting at 9.0 pm.
July 17/18th 24 Hours Ride
Aug 1/3rd Tour in West-Riding of Yorkshire
Aug 15th 50 mile unpaired Handicap
Sept 5 Chester - Holyhead ^{via Bellingham & Coe} unpaired Handicap ride.

Course
Committee

on the proposition of Mr. W. R. T. H. seconded by Mr. H. Poole, Messrs F. Roskell, S. G. Worth & the Hon Sec were appointed Course Committee

Handicap
Committee

on the proposition of Mr. H. Poole seconded by Mr. H. W. Deizer Messrs F. Roskell, W. R. T. H., S. G. Worth & the Hon Sec were appointed Handicap Committee

Other business

The Hon Sec was instructed to issue a circular calling attention to the Prize Fund, with the Annual Report - He was also instructed to insert in the report the names of the clubs R.R.A. & N.R.R.A. delegate & a list of members whose names had been removed from the membership list during the past year -

Alex White

Confirmed March 9th 1903

Minute of a committee meeting held at Laurence Hotel
Monday March 9th 1903

Present - Mr. A. G. White in the chair
Messrs: H. M. Buck, C. J. Conway, T. Blomway, E. Edwards,
H. W. Keizer, G. B. Mercer, W. M. Owen, H. Poole,
F. Roskell, W. R. T. O'F. E. G. Worth & The Hon Sec

Minute The minutes of the last Committee meeting were
read & confirmed.

Defaulters The Hon Treasurer reported that no replies have
been received from Messrs: F. Shield, D. H. Simpson
and F. Collier

Fixtures Fixtures for April were arranged as follows:
4th Chester (Bull Stump)
10/13 Easter Tour Bettws - 4-cwd (Glanaber)
16 Committee Meeting
18 Lower Peover (Warren de Tabley Arms)
25 50 mile Impaired Handicap

new members Mr. D. Rushton proposed by Mr. R. L. L. Knepe seconded
by Mr. F. J. Cheminai was elected an active
member after the Hon Sec had reported the result
of his enquiries regarding Mr. Rushton's expulsion
from the North L'pool Bb; which matter was
discussed at length.

Messrs: H. D. Wright proposed by Mr. F. Roskell
seconded by Mr. E. G. Worth and Mr. A. L. Thomas
proposed by Mr. W. M. Owen seconded by Mr. F.
Roskell were elected active members

Bettws 4-cwd
circular

The Hon Sec submitted draft of the proposed circular
re Easter Programme etc and on the motion
of Mr. W. R. T. O'F. seconded by Mr. E. G. Worth it was
resolved that the Saturdays ride from Bettws
be to Bangor via the Bridge and it was
also decided to hold a meeting at Bettws to
discuss the Racing Prospects under the chairman-
ship of the Captain.

Invitations
for 100

The Hon Sec was instructed to issue invitations
for the 100 mile Impaired Handicap on Whit Monday
as follows:

North Road C C, Bath Road Club - any of their
members, Yorkshire Roads Club, Manchester
Wheeler, Manchester Wednesday C C, Speedwell
B C, Irish Roads Club, Warrington C C, Midland
C & A C, Catford C C, North Liverpool Bb,
Liverpool C C, Leeds Roads Club, Vegetarian
C C, & Annerley B. C, two member races -
Crayke C C, St. Helens C C, Stockport C C,
Chendale C C, Sale C C, Wrexham C C,
Birkenhead C C, Cheshire Roads Club, Manchester
Industrial Clarion C C, Longsight B C, Alt-
-rincham C C one member race and Mr.
Wm Jolly, Adlington.

a/c

The a/c for 2/- expenses in connection with the
musical evening at Warrington was passed for
payment on the proposition of Mr. W. R. T. O'F. seconded
by Mr. H. W. Keizer it was decided that the whole
question of expenses in connection with the Winter
musical evenings be gone into before next Winter
& the matter put on a proper basis

Delstrother
+ Tooth
Special prize

The Hon Sec reported that Mr. F. C. Delstrother had presented the club with a Snuff box as a prize to be awarded at the committee's discretion and that Mr. E. A. Tooth offered a special prize to be awarded as an "aggregate prize" in some form or other and both these prizes were accepted with many thanks, details as to how they shall be awarded being left over for further consideration.

Confirmed April 16th 1903

G. B. Mercer.

16/4/03.

Minute of a Committee meeting held at Laurence Hotel
Thursday April 16th 1903

Present Mr. G. B. Mercer in the chair
Messrs H. M. Buck F. J. Cheminaiis C. J. Conway
T. B. Conway E. Edwards H. W. Keizer L
Oppenheimer W. Mowen H. Poole F. Roskell
W. R. Toft E. J. Worth + The Hon Sec

Fixtures Fixtures for May were arranged as follows:
2 Wrexham (Wynnstay Arms) week end at Shrewsbury (George)
9 Higher Whitley (The Millstone)
11 Committee meeting
16 Newburgh (Red Lion)
23 Lower Peover (Warrandale Abbey Arms)
30 Whitchurch (Dawsons) week end at Shrewsbury
(Hotel to be given on June Fixture card)

Timekeeper

on the proposition of Mr. W. R. Cook seconded by
Mr. H. W. Keizer, Mr. H. Poole was appointed
official Timekeeper for all events with Mr. J. H.
Baynes to substitute in his absence.

Referee
+ Judge -

on the proposition of Mr. T. B. Conway seconded by
Mr. F. J. Cheminaiis, Mr. A. J. White was appointed
official Judge + Referee for the 50 mile unpaired
Handicap on April 26th.

Whitchurch.

on the proposition of Mr. W. R. Toft seconded by Mr.
F. Roskell it was decided to count the Whitchurch
fixtures at Whitchurch + Shrewsbury as only
one fixture in scoring club attendances.

Badges
returned -

on the proposition of Mr. W. R. Toft seconded by
Mr. H. Poole it was decided to allow 2/6 for
club button badges returned by resigned members
with a view to preventing them being worn by
those no longer in the club.

Special
invite for
100

on the proposition of Mr. F. Roskell seconded by
Mr. W. R. Toft a special letter of invitation was
drawn up (concealing the committee's special
invitation) for Messrs J. L. Green, W. R. Oppenheimer
R. L. L. Kupe, W. Osborne J. V. Marchant + H. Fox
and R. E. Price and to compete in the 100 mile
Invitation Handicap on Whit Sunday and the Hon Sec
was instructed to send same.

Aggregate
Prizes

on the proposition of Mr. H. Poole seconded by Mr.
W. R. Toft, the special prizes ^{given} ~~offered~~ by Mr. E. A.
Tooth and Mr. F. C. Delstrother were offered as
Aggregate Prizes for which points will be scored as

follows:

1st in any event	10 points
2nd in any event	9 "
3 " " "	8 "
and soon down to the 10th place with	1 "
and all other finishers	1 "
For every Record	5 "
For every 5 Club Fixtures attended	1 "

and the Hon Sec was instructed to convey this information to the members on the back of the May Fixture card: also to notify Mr. E. A. Toth that in view of the importance of the competition the value of his prize had been fixed at £3. 3. 0 —

Account: The Account of the Northern Publishing Co
£6. 15. 6 was passed for payment on the proposition of Mr. H. Poole seconded by Mr. C. J. Conway.

A. G. White

Confirmed May 11th 1903

Minutes of a Committee meeting held at Laurence Hotel
Monday May 15th 1903

Present

Mr. A. G. White in the chair
Messrs H. M. Buck, F. J. Chennais, C. J. Conway
T. B. Conway, E. Edwards, H. W. Keizer, J. V. Marchanton, S. B. Mercer, Wm Owen, F. Roskell, W. R. Toft, E. J. Work & Hon Sec

Business arising out of minutes The Hon Sec reported that as a result of the week end run to Shrewsbury and a small informal

Committee meeting held there, it had been decided to make the George Hotel the Club's Headquarters at Whitsuntide this was confirmed.

minutes issued for 100

The Hon Sec reported that he had received application from the Cheetham B.C (one) North London C.C (two) and Mr. J. Waddington concerning invitations to compete in the 100 miles invitation imposed Handicap and in view of the urgency of these requests he had issued the invites after consulting some of the Committee and this was confirmed.

Fixtures for June were arranged as follows—

- 1st (Wednesday) 100 miles Invitation imposed Handicap
- 6 Pulford (Grosvenor Arms)
- 8 Committee meeting
- 13 High Leigh (CTC Farm)
- 19/20 All night ride to Abergavenny (see circular)
- 27 Lostock - Goulam (Black Greyhound)

New members Mr. C. A. Hurst proposed by Mr. E. J. Work & seconded by Mr. F. Roskell, Mr. A. McCale proposed by Mr. R. L. L. Knipe seconded by Mr. A. T. Simpson and Mr. Kurt Pfeleiderer proposed by Mr. F. Roskell, seconded by Mr. W. P. Cork were duly elected active members.

Transfer

Mr. J. Parks application to be transferred to the list of active members was granted on the proposition of Mr. H. W. Keizer seconded by Mr. W. R. Toft.

K. Pfeleiderer club

The question of Mr. Pfeleiderer's club designation on

The 100 mile Handicap card was discussed at length and it was decided that it should be "Empire B C and Vegetarian C C"

Further
Invitation
for 100
Bhead C C

The application from the Birkenhead C C for permission to nominate a second entrant in the 100 miles invitation Handicap was granted on the proposition of M: W R T O N - seconded by M: H. W. Keizer.

Correspondence
Humber C C

The Hon Sec read a letter from Messrs Humber C C offering a 10 guinea vase for competition among the club members & was instructed to reply declining the offer with thanks -

Jawalker
Humber C C

The Hon Sec read two letters from M: Jawalker Humber C C of Yorkshire Road Club regarding the entry of M: H. Wheeler Leeds Road Club in the 100 mile invitation unpaced Handicap and reported his reply thereto to the effect that the matter had been dealt with a year ago when M: Wheeler appeared before the Committee and made satisfactory explanations, and was instructed to write further that the matter could not now be reopened.

Course & details
for 100

The details of course, cheering, marshalling & feeding arrangements for the 100 mile invitation unpaced Handicap were discussed at length and M: W R T O N was appointed to look after the interests generally of the club own competitors.

Referee
for 100 -

M: A. S. White was appointed official judge & referee in charge of the 100 mile invitation unpaced Handicap

on the proposition of M: W R T O N - seconded by M: J. Marchant.

Account

The Account of Mills Knight 15/- printing & stationery was passed for payment on the proposition of M: W R T O N - seconded by M: H. W. Keizer.

Other
business -

on the proposition of M: W. M. Owen seconded by M: F. R. R. it was decided to award standard medals in the 100 mile invitation unpaced Handicap to the club members as per Prize Rule 44 regardless of whether the members have previously won these standards or not - Prize money varied.

Standard
in '100'

Notice to
members

The Hon Sec was instructed to convey to the members in the June fixture card the fact that the Captain or in his absence one of the sub-captains, is in entire charge at all fixtures.

A. S. White

Confirmed June 8th 1902

Minutes of a Committee meeting held at Laurence Hotel
Monday June 8th 1903

Present M^r. A. G. White in the chair
Mess^{rs}: H. M. Buck F. J. Cheminai T. B. Conway
E. Edwards H. W. Keizer J. B. Mesner L
Oppenheimer W. Mowen ^{H. Poole} F. Russell W. R. T. J.
E. Gurne & the Hon Secy

Minutes The minutes of the last Committee meeting were
read & confirmed

Fixtures Fixtures for July were arranged as follows
4 Chester (Bull & Stimp)
11 Tattenhall (Bear)
13 Committee meeting
17/18 24 Hours Ride
25 High Leigh (CTC Farm) Club photo by M^r. C. J.
Conway after tea

The Secretary was instructed to write M^r. C. J.
Conway expressing the Committee's appreciation
& thanks for his continued kindness in taking the
Club photo

Allnight
ride The Secretary submitted draft of circular
& schedule for the Allnight ride to Abergavenny
& the same was approved.

New member M^r. W. H. Kettle proposed by M^r. A. G. White
and seconded by M^r. H. W. Keizer was elected an
active member -

Correspondence The Secretary read correspondence with the Secy
of the M.C. & A.C. regarding a third entry for the 100
miles unpaired Handicap and explained why this had
been granted

The Secretary read a letter from the Secy of the
Woodend C.C. regarding an invitation for the
100 mile unpaired handicap and reported that he
had refused same -

The Secretary read an account of the last R.R.A.
Committee meeting submitted by the Clubs Delegate
M^r. H. Fraser which was received with much interest.

Cause &
Arrangements
for 24

The cause arrangements for the 24 Hours ride
were reported & preliminarily discussed.

Aggregate
prize

The Secretary was instructed to credit M^r. W. Rushton
with 10 points and M^r. K. P. Fleider with 9 points
towards the Aggregate prizes for their positions in
the 100 mile unpaired Handicap -

Accounts

The following accounts were passed for payment on
the proposition of M^r. T. B. Conway seconded by
M^r. H. W. Keizer -

M^r. G. R. Hichtenberg - feeding at Edgmond 4/2 "100"

M^r. F. J. Cheminai " " Cradock 2/2

M^r. H. Poole for tuning 50 + 100 £ 1. 11. 6

M^r. E. J. Amos £ 7. 7. 0 First & Fast in 100

M^r. H. Wheaton 3. 3. 0 2nd in 100

M^r. H. Paul 2. 2. 0 3rd in 100

A. G. White

Confirmed July 13th 1903

Minutes of a Committee meeting held at Laurence Hotel
Monday July 13th 1903

Present Mr. A. G. White in the chair
Messrs: F. J. Cheminai, C. J. Conway, T. B. Conway
E. Edwards, H. W. Keyer & B. Mercer W. M. Owen
H. Poole F. Roskell W. R. Toft E. S. Work
& the Hon Sec —

Minute The minutes of the last Committee meeting were read
& confirmed

Fixtures Fixtures for August were arranged as follows:
1/3 Tour in West Riding of Yorkshire
8 Pulford (Grosvenor Arms)
10 Committee meeting
15 50 mile unpaced Handicap
22 Llangollen (Royal Hotel) weekend runs to Bettisford
(Gloucester Hotel)
29 Tarpoley (Swan)

24 Hours — The Route & arrangements for 24 Hours Ride were
discussed at length & finally arranged

August Tour The Hon Secy submitted draft of Circular for the
Tour in West Riding of Yorkshire and it was
discussed and adopted.

Bath Road
invite The Hon Secy reported an invitation from the Bath
Road Club for any members to compete in a 100
mile unpaced Handicap on Aug 3rd and was
instructed to reply thanking for same and the
Entrance forms were handed to the Captain to see
if any members could compete.

New members Messrs: S. Holt proposed by Mr. F. Roskell seconded
by Mr. R. L. H. Kuiper and C. S. Jones proposed
by Mr. R. Large and seconded by Mr. J. Green
were duly elected active members

Accounts The following accounts were passed for payment on
the proposition of Mr. E. Edwards seconded by Mr. H.
Poole —

N. R. R. A. subscription 10/-

R. R. A. subscription & delegates subscription 10/-

N. R. style Coy 2/1 Mills & Knight £ 1. 17. 6 and

Northern Publishing Coy £ 1. 19. 3.

Treasurer's
Statement

The Hon Treasurer submitted a list of unpaid
subscriptions & reported that red application
slips were being sent out with August Fixture card

A. G. White

Confirmed August 10th 1903.

Minutes of a Committee meeting held at Laurence Hotel
Monday August 10th 1903

Present Mr. A. G. White in the chair — Messrs: H. M. Buck
~~Mr. F. J. Cheminai~~ F. J. Cheminai, C. J. Conway & Edwards
H. W. Keyer & B. Mercer W. M. Owen H. Poole
F. Roskell W. R. Toft E. S. Work & the Hon Sec —

Before commencing the usual business of the
meeting Mr. A. G. White referred to the serious
loss the Club had sustained by the untimely
death of Mr. J. H. Cook who was one of the founders
of the club and had held most of the important offices

and he moved a resolution that a letter expressing the club's deep sympathy with the widow & family be sent, as also a wreath on behalf of the club and this was seconded by M: G. B. Mercer. It was also decided that M: G. B. Mercer specially represent the club at the funeral and that other members should attend if possible —

Fixtures Fixtures for September were arranged as follows:
 5 Chester to Holyhead back unpaced Handicap
 12 Warburton (Saracen Head)
 14 Committee meeting
 19 Farnham (The Raven)
 26 Newburgh (Red Lion)

Chester to Holyhead & back ride
 The Route arrangements for the Chester to Holyhead & back unpaced Handicap were discussed at length & adopted.

Official Judge & Referee
 On the proposition of M: W. P. Cook seconded by M: H. Poole, M: A. G. White was appointed Official Judge & Referee in charge of the 50 miles unpaced Handicap Aug 15th and of the Chester to Holyhead & back unpaced Handicap Sep 15th.

24 Hrs ride
 The H. Sec reported to the Committee the various performances accomplished by the riders in the 24 Hours Road Ride on July 17/18th and on the proposition of M: H. Poole seconded by M: F. J. Cheminacis it was unanimously decided to award M: W. C. Humphrey 2nd prize.

Accounts
 The following A/c's were passed for payment on the proposition of M: H. W. Keizer seconded by

M: E. Edwards —

Feeding expenses 24 Hours Road Ride

Chester Bull & Strump £3. 0. 0 Whitchurch

Dawson £2. 10. 0 High Leigh - CTC Farm 15/-

Newport Bailey Mow 15/- Hill Column

Old Bell 12/- Wren - White Horse 10/6

Total £8. 2. 6

Alex G. White
 Confirmed Sept 14th 1903

Minutes of a Special Committee meeting held at Laurence Hotel Tuesday Aug 18th 1903

Present M: A. G. White in the chair
 Messrs H. M. Buck F. J. Cheminacis T. B. Conway
 E. Edwards H. W. Keizer G. B. Mercer H. Poole
 F. Roskell, W. R. T. H. E. Glanville & the H. Sec

Business

The H. Sec reported that the meeting had been called to consider what should be done in view of the abandonment of the 50 miles unpaced Handicap that should have been held on Aug 15th.

and on the proposition of M: E. Edwards seconded by M: T. B. Conway it was decided to hold another event in place thereof — Considerable discussion followed and finally on the motion of M: F. Roskell seconded by M: H. Poole it was decided to hold a 50 miles unpaced Handicap on Aug 29th instead of the Tarporley fixture previously arranged with the understanding that if sufficient interest were evinced the next Committee meeting should fix another 50 miles unpaced Handicap towards the end of September in place of one of the fixtures already arranged — it was also decided

That the present Handicap should stand for 29.5 miles but that further entries would be received up to 22.5 miles, and the Hon Sec submitted draft of circular embodying the Committee's decision which was approved.

C to Holyhead
& back side

The Hon Sec submitted draft of the Route & arrangements for the Chester to Holyhead & back unpaired Handicap which was discussed and approved and permission given for the above circular to contain further mention of this event.

Alex & White

Confirmed Sep^r 15th 1903

Minutes of a Committee meeting held at Laurence Hotel
Tuesday Sept 15th 1903

Present Mr. A. G. White in the chair
Messrs H. M. Buck F. J. Cheminakis C. J. Conway
T. B. Conway E. Edwards H. Keizer J. B. Mene
L. Oppenheimer W. Mowen H. Poole F. Roskell
W. R. Toft & Glens the Hon Sec

Protest Mr. W. R. Toft protested at the meeting having been postponed but after explanations had been made the matter was allowed to drop.

Minutes The minutes of the last two Committee meetings were read & confirmed.

another so on the proposition of Mr. F. Roskell seconded by Mr. H. Poole it was decided not to hold another

50 mile unpaired Handicap as the racing members had not displayed sufficient interest.

Mr & ac
100

The Hon Sec reported having received an invitation from the M & ac for the club to nominate 4 members to compete in a 100 mile unpaired Handicap on Oct 3rd and the Hon F. Roskell having reported that Mr. R. L. L. Knipe would probably enter, it was decided to specially ask Mr. J. Park and Mr. G. N. Higham to also represent the club.

Fixtures Fixtures for October were arranged as follows:

- 3rd Southport (Bold Arms)
- 10 High Legh (CTC Farm)
- 12 Committee meeting
- 17 Pulford (Groves Farm) was run to Haysden (Royal Hotel)
- 24 Helaby (Robin Hood)
- 31 Sankay Chapel (Chapel House)

Financial
Forecast

The Hon Treasurer presented his Financial Forecast which was considered very satisfactory.

Chester to
Holyhead & back
side -

The Hon Sec submitted a report on the Chester to Holyhead & back side and on the proposition of Mr. W. R. Toft seconded by Mr. T. B. Conway it was decided that Mr. J. Park had not sufficient proofs of having ridden 162 miles in 12 hours & so could not claim Standard C.

New members

Mr. A. Marshall Higham proposed by Mr. W. R. Toft & seconded by Mr. C. Keizer was duly elected an active member.

Correspondence The Hon Sec read a letter from Mr W C Humphreys
returning thanks for the Committee's decision to
award him 2nd prize in the 24 Hour Ride

The Hon Sec reported some correspondence with
the Hon Sec of the R. R. A regarding Reed
Shields & the rules governing same and reported
that Mr C Gmather had made a claim for
the hands led to John O'Grato unpassed safety
reeds which if passed would necessitate the
clubs providing a shield as promised when
unpassed reeds were established and he was
instructed to write Mr H Fraser the clubs
delegate in the Committee of the R. R. A to look
particularly after the clubs interests in the passing
of this rule.

3rd Prize
last 50

on the proposition of Mr W Mowen seconded by
Mr F. Roskell it was decided to award a 3rd
prize to both Mr A Higham and W H Kettle who
dead heated for 3rd prize in the last 50 —

Accounts

The following accounts were passed for payment
on the proposition of Mr F. Roskell seconded by
Mr H W Keizer.

Turners - Bilton - 14/2 —

Feeding expenses Chester to Holyhead & back ride —

M. Williams Holyhead 7/6 — Mr Lloyd Bangor

10/6 Mr Swans Betters & Coed 10/- Mr Robert
Glynedy & Coed 7/6 —

Mr H. Poole Timekeeper - £3.13.6 —

Following —
50

The question of competitors being followed by space
machine in the 50 unpassed Handicaps was again

brought up on the report of a Checker that Mr. Rushton
was so followed in the last 50 and it was pointed
out that the rules are very clear & it was decided
that Mr F. Roskell should call Mr Rushton
attention to them.

Mr F. White
Confirmed October 12th 1903

Minute of a Committee meeting held at Laurence Hotel
Monday October 12th 1903

Present Mr A. J. White in the Chair
Messrs H M Buck, C. J. Conway T B Bonway E. Edwards
W Mowen H Poole F. Roskell W R Tipton E. J.
Worsh & the Hon Sec

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

Fixtures Fixtures for November were arranged as follows:
7 Hunts Cross (Hunts Cross Hotel) musical evening —
9 Committee Meeting
14 Parkgate (Pen-y-Bryn)
21 High Leigh (CTC Farm) weekend run to
Cargleton (Lion & Swan)
28 Warrington (Patten Arms)

Winter Fixtures Fixtures were also arranged for Hunts Cross on
Dec: 5th and Jan: 2nd —

Prize List The Hon Sec submitted the Prize List amounting
to £59.10.6 which was passed for payment on
the proposition of Mr H. Poole seconded by Mr C J Conway

Wentworth
-ment Com.

Mr. F. J. Chennais was appointed to take entire charge of the musical programmes at the winter runs and the sum of £2. was voted to cover expenses on the proposition of Mr. E. Edwards seconded by Mr. H. M. Buck - it being decided that only formal musical evenings shall be held at Hunt Cross.

Correspondence
R. R. A

The Hon Sec reported considerable correspondence on the subject of Mr. C. J. Mathers claim for the hauls led to John O'rook unpassed safety record from which it appeared that the check book was of little value and entirely unsatisfactory as proof that the ride really was unpassed - and was instructed to advise the Club delegate on the R. R. A Committee & also the Hon Sec of the R. R. A as to the Committee's opinion that considerable further proofs should be required before the ride was passed - also to send the Hon Sec of the R. R. A three letters from Bodmin, Carlisle and Kinsale showing the true value of the checks secured at those points.

Manchester
Wheeler

The Hon Sec read a letter received by the President from the President of the Manchester Wheeler expressing on behalf of that Club their regret at the action of Mr. Hesketh in following Mr. Roswell during his attempt on the N. R. R. A 50 miles unpassed safety record and on the proposition of Mr. H. Poole seconded by Mr. H. M. Buck it was decided that the President should reply to the effect that Mr. Hesketh's action caused no annoyance or ill feeling & that the Club thought it advisable for Holders of records and others to follow anyone attempting

records as long as they kept strictly to the rules governing such following -

Accounts The following accounts were passed for payment on the proposition of Mr. E. J. Worth seconded by Mr. W. R. Toft -

Mill & Knight - £ 4. 5. 6. Northern Publishing Co. £ 1. 1. 1

Alex. G. White

Confirmed November 9th 1903

Minutes of a Committee meeting held at Laurence Hotel Monday November 9th 1903

Present

Mr. A. G. White in the chair
Messrs H. M. Buck. C. J. Conway T. B. Conway
E. Edwards H. W. Keizer J. B. Mercer L. Oppenheimer W. M. Owen H. Poole. F. Roswell
W. R. Toft E. J. Worth & the Hon Sec -

Minutes

The minutes of the last Committee meeting were read & confirmed.

Fixtures

Fixtures for December were arranged as follows
5th Hunt Cross (Hunt Cross Hotel) musical evening
12 Heswall (Heswall Hotel)
14 Committee meeting
19 Croxton (The Unicorn)
26 Lower Peover (Warren de Tabley Arms)
Boxing day Run - Leave Broadgreen (Abbey Hotel) at 10.0 am - Dinner 1.30 pm.

Freewheeling In connection with the fixture to Heavall it was decided to have a freewheeling competition on Thurstaston Hill on the proposition of Mr. H. M. Buick seconded by Mr. H. W. Keizer and it was decided to leave all the arrangements in Mr. Buick's hands -

Correspondence The Hon Sec read Mr. Fraser's report of the last Committee meeting of the R.R.A. and was instructed to notify the Club's delegate ^{on the} ~~that~~ ~~the~~ proposition of Mr. J. B. Mercer seconded by Mr. ~~J. B. Mercer~~ ^{H. Poole} that the Club strongly deprecated the multiplication of quasi classic records and therefore does not favor the suggestion that London to Dover track be recognised by the R.R.A.

Liverpool to Port
Roads - The route scheduled by Mr. Bright of the North Road C.C. for his attempt on the London to Liverpool unpaced triangle standard was mentioned & the Hon Sec was instructed on the proposition of Mr. E. G. Worth seconded by Mr. H. M. Buick to call the Secy of the R.R.A.'s attention to the fact that it necessitated the use of a ferry from B'head and was tantamount to resorting to transit and therefore should not be allowed.

Accounts The Account of Waggon & Horses Inn 15/- for feeding on 24 Haines Road ride was passed for payment on the proposition of Mr. H. W. Keizer seconded by Mr. H. Poole.

A. G. M.
Item The meeting closed with a preliminary discussion on A. G. M. matters.

Confirmed Dec: 14th 1903

Secy G. White

Minutes of a Committee meeting held at Laurence Hotel
Monday December 14th 1903

Present Mr. A. G. White in the chair
Messrs H. M. Buick, C. J. Conway, T. B. Conway
E. Edwards, H. W. Keizer, L. Oppenheimer
W. Mowen, H. Poole, J. Roskell, W. R. T. G. H.
E. G. Worth & the Hon Sec

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

Fixtures Fixtures for January were arranged as follows:
2nd Hunt Cross (Hunt Cross Hotel) musical evg
7th Annual General Meeting
9 Hurdston (Shrewsbury Arms)
11 Committee Meeting
16 Sauxey Chapel (Sauxey Chapel House)
23 Chester (Bull & Stimp)
30 Cronton (The Unicorn)

New member Mr. E. J. Cody proposed by Mr. J. Roskell & seconded by Mr. R. L. L. Knipe was duly elected an active member.

Resignation The resignations of Mr. J. R. Thompson and Mr. S. H. Keeling from Honorary membership and of Mr. W. E. Parry and Mr. J. Craig from Active membership were accepted with regret on the proposition of Mr. E. Edwards seconded by Mr. J. Roskell.

Correspondence The Hon Sec read several letters from Mr. H. Fraser the Club's R.R.A. delegate and from Mr.

7. Wright-Humsee R R A from which it appeared that the proposed London to Dover & back record would not be adopted by the R R A and that the question of using the Birkenhead Ferry on the London to L'pool record would be specifically prohibited by a new regulation next year.

R R A
shield

The Humsee reported that the R R A had passed Mr. C. J. Mathers' claim to the unpassed safety record from hands out to John O'Grady in 5 days 5 hours 12 mins and that the R R A requested the club to provide the record shield as promised.

The Humsee reported that Mr. Wright was sending full particulars regarding the shield which would cost £7.10.0 and on the proposition of Mr. T. B. Conway seconded by Mr. H. Poole this amount was authorised to be paid for a shield which was to be seen by the Club before being sent to the R R A for the holder.

Agm
agenda

The Agenda for the Annual General meeting was discussed at considerable length and it was decided to hold the meeting at the Bee Hotel at 7.0 sharp with Tea arranged for previously at 6.0 in the hopes that the more social character of the gathering would attract a larger attendance.

Accounts

The Account of the Hesual Hotel per Mr. H. M. Buck 5/3 was passed for payment on the proposition of Mr. W. P. Cook seconded by Mr. H. W. Keizer.

Hot Pot
supper

The question of holding a Hot Pot-supper was discussed at some length and it was decided to make a special feature of a run to Hunt's Cross in February, all details of which would be left to the next Committee meeting.

Aggregate
Prize

The Humsee reported that Mr. J. Park had won Mr. E. A. Toth's special prize value £3.2.0 for highest aggregate and ^{that} Mr. R. L. L. Knipe had won Mr. Del Strother's special prize for second highest aggregate and these prizes were passed on the proposition of Mr. W. R. Toth seconded by Mr. H. Poole.

Attendance
medals

The Humsee reported that Messrs J. Laventhol and C. Keizer had won the attendance medals and the question of these medals being struck from the club die to add to their artistic value was discussed and it was decided that the club die should only be used as a reward for good performances.

Alex. White

Confirmed January 11th 1904

Prize List 1903

Event	Winners	Prize	Amount	Total
25 April	N. M. Higham	1 st	3. 3. 0	
50 miles	A. H. Maddock	2 nd	2. 2. 0	
unpaced H'cap	R. L. L. Kuiper	3 rd + Fastest	3. 1. 0	
	H. Knowles	E. C. M.	10. 0	
	H. D. Wright	Bronze	5. 0	
	D. Rushton	-	5. 0	
				9. 6. 0
1 st June	E. J. Amore	1 st + Fastest	7. 7. 0	
100 mile	H. Wheaton	2 nd	3. 3. 0	
Invitation	H. Paul	3 rd	2. 2. 0	
unpaced H'cap	D. Rushton	B	1. 0. 0	
				13. 12. 0
July 17/18	J. Park	1 st Prize	5. 5. 0	
24 Hours Ride	"	12 Hrs Standard B	1. 0. 0	
	"	24 " Standard D	1. 12. 6	
	W. C. Humphrey	2 nd Prize	3. 3. 0	
	H. D. Wright	12 Hrs Standard B	1. 0. 0	
				12. 0. 6
29 th August	J. Park	1 st Prize	3. 3. 0	
50 miles	F. Roswell	2 nd + Fastest	4. 2. 0	
unpaced H'cap	N. M. Higham	3 rd	1. 1. 0	
	W. H. Kettle	3 rd	1. 1. 0	
	D. Rushton	Silver	10. 0	
				9. 17. 0
5 th Sept.	J. Park	1 st + Fastest	7. 0. 0	
Chester to	R. L. L. Kuiper		1. 10. 0	
Holyhead & back	and S. Irving	2 nd Prize	1. 10. 0	
ride	"	12 Hours Standard C	15. 0	
	"	"	15. 0	
	S. Holt	3 rd Prize	2. 0. 0	
	"	12 Hours Standard A	10. 0	
				14. 0. 0

Carried forward

58. 15. 6

attendance Prizes

15. 0

unby J. Laverthal & C. Keizer

£ 59. 10. 6

Aggregate Prizes -

E. A. Toth's £ 3. 3. 0 - unby J. Park

Fidelstrassen special unby R. L. L. Kuiper