

January 1908

Minutes

Of a Committee meeting held at St Georges Restaurant  
Monday Jan'y 13<sup>th</sup> 1908

Present

Mr G. B. Mercer in the Chair & Messrs J. C. Band,  
E. A. Bentley, E. J. Cody, T. B. Conway, E. Edwards,  
R. A. Dalton, A. M. Higham, N. W. Higham, H. W. Keiser,  
W. H. Owen, H. Poole, H. Pritchard, W. R. Toft, E. L. Worth  
& the Hon. Sec.

The Minutes

Fixtures

Of the previous meeting were read & confirmed  
for Jan'y were arranged as follows

- 1<sup>st</sup> Hunts Cross / Hunts Cross Hotel
- 8<sup>th</sup> Hoylake / Green Lodge Hotel
- 10<sup>th</sup> Committee meeting
- 15<sup>th</sup> Warrington (Patten Arms)
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Hinderton (Shrewsbury Arms)
- 29<sup>th</sup> Chester (Bull & Stump)

Alternative runs for Cheshire members

- 8<sup>th</sup> Frodsham (Black Greyhound)
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Allstock (Three Greyhounds)

Note of  
Thanks

A hearty vote of thanks was accorded to Messrs  
C. J. Conway, W. P. Cooke, O. Cooper, J. Van Hooydonk,  
G. B. Mercer, T. Smith, & J. H. Williams for their services  
& loan of lantern & slides at Hunts Cross on Jan'y 4<sup>th</sup>

R. R. A.  
Delegates  
N.R.R.A.  
Delegates.

Mr J. Poole, pro Mr W. R. Toft, 2<sup>nd</sup> H. W. Keiser  
Mr H. W. Keiser, pro Mr E. Edwards, 2<sup>nd</sup> A. M. Higham  
Mr A. M. Higham & the Hon. Sec. pro Mr H. Poole  
2<sup>nd</sup> Mr H. W. Keiser, were elected the Club Delegates  
for 1908.

Circular.  
Accounts.  
New Members

Mr E. A. Bentley was unanimously elected Editor for 1908  
Mr B. Jones <sup>12-4-08 from</sup> was passed for payment  
Mr G. Jackson, 12 Huntington Rd, Sefton Park, Liverpool  
pro Mr E. A. Bentley, 2<sup>nd</sup> Mr W. P. Cooke  
was elected an active member.

Transfers to  
Hon.

Resignation  
(rebb.)

Revision of  
Rules

Mr J. V. Marchanton's name was transferred from the  
active to the Hon. list.

7 Messrs W. J. Bell, E. C. Brady, J. A. Bratt, S. P. Darhurst,  
C. S. Gunton, S. J. Lancaster, W. Osborne, A. R. Peers,  
H. W. Smith, & R. Thomas, were accepted with regret.

Mr J. C. Band, pro, Mr G. A. Bentley, 2<sup>nd</sup> that it was  
carried that the 12 hrs handicap be dropped & that the  
24 hrs Road Ride be run as last year.

Mr H. Poole, pro. Mr G. T. Cody 2<sup>nd</sup> & it was carried  
that two prizes be presented, to 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> members  
attending the greatest number of runs & towns (Officers  
& Committee barred)

G B Mercer

Confirmed 10<sup>th</sup> Feb'y 1908.

February 1908

Minutes

of a Committee Meeting held at St George's Restaurant Monday 10<sup>th</sup> Feby 1908

Present

Mr G. B. Mercer in the Chair & Messrs J. C. Band, E. J. Cody, T. B. Conway, C. Edwards, R. A. Dalton, A.M. & H.W. Higham, H. W. Keiser, W. M. Owen, H. Poole, H. Pritchard, W. R. Toft, E. G. Worth, & the Hon. Sec.

The Minutes

Fixtures

of the previous meeting were read & confirmed.  
for March were arranged as follows:-

- 7<sup>th</sup> Lynn (Church Inn)
- 9<sup>th</sup> Committee @ 7 p.m.
- 14<sup>th</sup> Kelsall (Royal Oak)
- 21<sup>st</sup> Chester (Bull & Stirrup) Weekend Nant Hall, N' Preesley
- 28<sup>th</sup> Great Budworth (George & Dragon)

Vote of thanks

A hearty vote of thanks was accorded to Mr A.M. Higham for his trouble & expense in providing the Musical Entertainment @ Sturt's Cross on 1<sup>st</sup> Feby.

Accounts

T. W. Gornall 13/- was passed for payment  
On the proposition of Mr H. Poole & 2<sup>nd</sup> Mr H. W. Keiser, the Hon. Secs. was instructed to refund to Mr A. M. Higham 16/- for Railway fares - Mr G. B. Mercer 9/- for fees, incurred at Sturt's Cross on 1<sup>st</sup> Feby:

New Members

Mr C. J. G. Boyce, The Beeches Higher Heath, Whitchurch, Salop.  
Pro E. Buckley & 2<sup>nd</sup> H. Dalton, and  
Mr J. O. Cooper, 27 Chisnut Grove, Birkdale.

Resignation

Mr. J. H. Williams & 2<sup>nd</sup> J. C. Band, were elected active members  
The withdrawal of Mr A. R. Peers' resignation was accepted & his name placed on the Honorary list.

Circulars

The Hon. Sec was instructed to put a note in the Circulars  
to proposed Sealed Handicaps in 1<sup>st</sup> "50"

Handicapping

Committee

Course

do

Messrs E. Edwards, ~~E. G. Worth~~, H. Poole, E. G. Worth & the Hon. Sec were appointed for 1908  
Messrs A. M. Higham, H. Poole & E. G. Worth, were appointed for 1908

Racing & Tourism  
Programme etc

The following programme was arranged for same 1908

16/20 April	Easter Tour at Bettws-y-creuddyn
16 <sup>th</sup> May	50 miles Handicap.
8 <sup>th</sup> June	100 miles invitation Handicap.
19 <sup>th</sup> June	All night ride, to <del>Bettws</del> G.R.M.
10/11 July	24 hours unspace Road Ride.
1/3 August	Tour in Derbyshire.
22 <sup>nd</sup> do	50 miles Handicap.
12 <sup>th</sup> Sept.	50 do

The following programme was suggested by

- 17<sup>th</sup> April, To Llanrwst & over ~~to~~ to Hawarden, & back to Bettws.
- 18<sup>th</sup> do, To Beddgelert & Mawdd Valley, & back to Bettws.
- 19<sup>th</sup> do, To Measai Bridge, & back to Bettws.

Mr Poole gall & reports of the A.G. in Committee meeting  
of same which was adopted.

Mr Toft pro & Mr Poole 2<sup>nd</sup> cte was resolved; that the  
last clause of Rule No 9. in Rules for Competition to  
read as follows:- Gold medal from Club die shall only  
be awarded for Records, fastest times, 1<sup>st</sup> Prizes Standards  
in 12 & 24 hours from Standard E & upward.

The value of the following Standards was fixed for 1908

	12 hours	24 hours	100 miles
Standard A.	15/-	20/-	10/-
do. B.	25/-	25/-	20/-
do. C.	30/-	30/-	30/-
do. D.	35/-	35/-	40/-
do. E.	42/-	42/-	-
do. F.	42/-	42/-	-
do. G.	42/-	42/-	-
do. H.	-	42/-	-

Confirmed 1<sup>st</sup> March 1908.  
S.P. Mercer

March 1908

Present.

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at St Georges Restaurant on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> March 1908  
Mr G. B. Mercer in the Chair & Messrs J. C. Band, E. A. Bentley, E. J. Cody, E. Edwards, R.A. Dulton, Mr & M. M. Higham, Mr W. Keast, W. Owen, Mr. Poole, Mr Pritchard, Mr. R. Toff, Mr. G. White, & the Hon. Sec. of the previous meeting were read & Confirmed  
for April were arranged as follows

4<sup>th</sup> Aldford (Grosvenor Arms)  
11<sup>th</sup> Loxoe Whitley (Hilltops Inn)  
13<sup>th</sup> Committee

16<sup>th</sup> Bettws-y-Coed (Glen Aber)  
25<sup>th</sup> Allerton (Three Greyhounds)

Mr A.M. Higham pro & Mr Pritchard 2<sup>nd</sup> & it was resolved: That owing to lack of accommodation in Dxford, the destination of the all night ride be changed to Gloucester.

It was proposed by Mr. H. Pritchard & 2<sup>nd</sup> by Mr. Dulton that the 50 miles handicap on 16<sup>th</sup> May be held in Shropshire & that the time of starting be as late as possible, Carried.

100 Invitations

The Hon. Sec. was instructed to issue invitations for the 100 miles unspaced handicaps on Whit Monday as follows:-  
Bath Road Club. 6. North Road C.C. 6. Vegetarian C.C. 4  
North London C.C. 3. W'chester Wheelers 3. W'chester Web. 3  
Midland C.R.C. 3. Polytechnic C.C. 3. Unity C.C. 3  
Speedwell B.C. 2. Hees Roads Club 2. Yorkshire C.C. 2  
North Liverpool C.C. 1. Warrington C.C. 1. Congleton C.C. 1.  
Chester C.C. 1. Cheadle B.C. 1. Catford C.C. 1  
Salford Wheelers 1. Cheadle Dulme C.C. 1. Electric C.C. 1  
National Clasian 1. Mr Geo Elburn 1.

Confirmed 13<sup>th</sup> April 1908

G.B. Mercer

April 1908

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at St Georges Restaurant on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April 1908

Mr G. B. Mercer in the Chair & Messrs J. C. Band, E. A. Bentley, E. J. Cody, E. Edwards, R.A. Dulton, Mr & M. M. Higham, Mr W. Keast, W. Owen, Mr. Poole, Mr Pritchard, Mr. R. Toff, Mr. G. White & the Hon. Sec.

If the previous meeting were read & confirmed for May were arranged as follows

2<sup>nd</sup> Palford (Grosvenor Arms)

9<sup>th</sup> Bantwich (Crown)

11<sup>th</sup> Committee

16<sup>th</sup> 50 Miles unspaced handicaps

23<sup>rd</sup> Dunham Massey (Rope & Clinches)

30<sup>th</sup> Otes (Wheathead)

Dredick Ridgway, High Beech, Stretton Rd, Otes, Birkdale

Mr W.P. Cook 2<sup>nd</sup> Mr. James was elected an active member

Mr. H. Poole was unanimously elected Timekeeper & Headquarters were fixed for Shrewsbury (Elephant & Castle) but accommodation for Yatting men was fixed for Shrewsbury (Unicorn Hotel)

Mr A.M. Higham pro & Mr E.A. Bentley 2<sup>nd</sup> & it was resolved: that the Handicap for same be sealed.

The Hon. Sec. gave a report of same which was adopted  
The following were passed for payment T.W. Gorrell Northern Publishing £1.6.3 £5.0.0

The Hon. Sec. was instructed to issue further invitations for same as follows:- East Lancs Wheelers (2) Brighton Stanley C.C. (1)  
North Lancs V.M.C.A. C.C. (1) Mr. C. R.A.C. (1 extra) &  
Chester Dulme C.C. (1 extra)

Confirmed 11<sup>th</sup> May 1908

G.B. Mercer

May 1908

Minutes of a meeting held at St George's Restaurant on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May 1908

Present

Mr G. B. Mercer in the Chair & Messrs T. C. Evans  
E. A. Bentles, E. J. Cody, G. Edwards, R. A. Dalton  
A. H. Digham, N. M. Digham, H. W. Keirat, W. Owen  
H. Poole, H. Purchard, W. R. Toft, S. G. Worth  
& The Hon. Sec.

The Minutes  
Fixtures

Of the previous meeting, were read & confirmed  
for June were arranged as follows

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Committee
- 6<sup>th</sup> Whitchurch (Swan Hotel) Week end Shrewsbury
- 8<sup>th</sup> Invitation 100 unpaired handicap
- 13<sup>th</sup> Tattenhall (Bear Hotel)
- 19/20 Night ride to Gloucester (New Inn)
- 27<sup>th</sup> Coal Green (Kilton) Photo Run

New Member

Mrs J. H. McCann, 188 Upper Parliament St.  
Liverpool, Mrs G. B. Mercer 2<sup>nd</sup> H. Poole, was  
elected an active member

100

On the Proposition of Mr H. W. Keirat & 2<sup>nd</sup> by  
Mr N. M. Digham: Mr H. Poole was elected time-  
keeper & On the Proposition of Mr W. R. Toft &  
2<sup>nd</sup> by Mr H. W. Keirat, Mr G. B. Mercer was  
elected Judge. 9 o'clock was fixed for the  
start & the <sup>Titan</sup> Hotel Shrewsbury was fixed  
as Head-quarters.

Night Ride

The following route was fixed to Gloucester  
met on 9 o'clock New Jersey boat & proceeds  
via Chester, Whitchurch, Hodnet, Wellington  
Signal, Bridgnorth, Kidderminster, Worcester

May 1908

Tewkesbury & Gloucester. Supper to be at Hodnet  
& Breakfast at Kidderminster

Committee

The T. B. Conway's resignation from the committee  
was accepted with regret & Mr J. R. Wells was  
elected in his place

Accounts

The following account was passed for payment  
Messrs T. B. Fother £2. 10. 0

Correspondence

The Hall was read re-invitation for 100  
& The Hon. Sec was instructed to issue further  
invitations to Todmorden CC (1) Highgate CC (1)  
& Utters (Tricycle)

G. B. Mercer.  
Confirmed 2<sup>nd</sup> June 1908

June 1908

Minutes of a Committee meeting held at St George's Restaurant Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> June 1908

Present

Mr G. B. Mercer in the chair & others T. C. Bassett  
E. A. Bentley, S. J. Codd, S. Edwards, R. A. Dalton  
A. H. Digham, N. M. Digham, H. W. Keizer, W. M. Owen,  
H. Poole, H. Pritchard, W. R. Toff, T. R. Wells, S. T. Worth  
& the Hon. Sec.

The Minutes

of the previous meeting were read & confirmed

distances

for July were arranged as follows

- 4<sup>th</sup> Barton. Cock Inn
- 10<sup>th</sup> 24 hours roadside
- 13<sup>th</sup> Committee
- 18<sup>th</sup> Stock Ghalam, Black Greyhound
- 25<sup>th</sup> Wrexham

New Members

Mr J. St. Parry. 41 Beaumont Street, Chester.  
Also Mr T. Venable. 2<sup>nd</sup> St. M. Back, was elected  
an active member

On the proposition of Mr Poole & 2<sup>nd</sup> by Mr Pritchard  
Mr Radcliff's election proposal for membership he  
referred to the next meeting as Mr Radcliff had  
not attended a fixture, but that he should have  
an invitation to ride in the 100' extended to him.  
Carried

'50'

The Hon. Sec. read a report of the 50 mile handicap  
on 16<sup>th</sup> April, which was adopted.

'51'

It was resolved that the course for same be the  
same as last year except that an extension from  
Chester to the Whalebone Inn & back be added.

June 1908 (continued)

Mr W. P. Cook was unanimously elected timekeeper  
& judge & the time of starting was fixed for 9.00 PM

August Town

magistrate  
Jury  
-> Post

Correspondence

A letter was read from Mr W. P. Cook re.  
Novice Prize for 50 miles handicap & the committee  
were of opinion that the reading of the rule in  
the Handbook was quite plain & the Sec was  
instructed to write to Mr Cook to that effect.  
Also a letter from the N.C.R.A.C. with invitations  
for our men to ride in the 100'. Mr Poole was  
instructed to ask Mr Mercer to see if he could arrange  
to send a team to compete.

Confirmed 13<sup>th</sup> July, 1908

G B Mercer

July 1908

Present

Minutes of a Committee meeting held at St Georges Restaurant on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> July 1908  
W. G. B. Mercer in the Chair & Messrs J. C. Board,  
E. A. Bentley, E. Edwards, R. A. Dalton, A. M. Higham  
A. M. Higham & W. Kesser, W. M. Owen, H. Poole,  
H. Pitchard, W. R. Toft, J. R. Wells, E. G. Worth &  
the Hon. Sec.

The Minutes of the previous were read & confirmed

Fixtures

for August were arranged as follows

- 1/3 Toss in Derbyshire
- 8<sup>th</sup> Whitechurch (Swan Hotel,
- 10<sup>th</sup> Committee
- 15<sup>th</sup> 50 Miles unspaced Handicap
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Peter Thunwaring Arms
- 29<sup>th</sup> Pulford Green Arms

New Members

Mr Richard Rascliffe, 233 Stanley Rd, Bootle  
pro Mr. C. Tierney, 2<sup>nd</sup> H. Pitchard,  
Frederick Board, Brightholme Egerton Park  
Rock Ferry. pro J. H. Williams 24 C. Blackburn.  
& Joseph L. Peacock, 30 Hingle Rd Birkenhead  
pro Mr. P. Cook, 2<sup>nd</sup> C. Blackburn. were elected  
active members.

August Toss

The Hon. Sec reported that he was unable to  
obtain accommodation at Ashbourne. So it was  
resolved that headquarters be fixed at Uttoxeter  
that the meeting place for tea on Saturday Aug 1<sup>st</sup>  
be Matlock (Crown Hotel)

July 1908 (Continued)

Alterations of fixtures

On the proposition of Mr. Poole & 2<sup>nd</sup> by Mr. Pitchard  
it was resolved that the date of the 2<sup>nd</sup> 50 to altered  
to the 15<sup>th</sup> Aug. & that the 3<sup>rd</sup> 50 to the 5<sup>th</sup> September.

Reports of 100 & 24

The Hon. Sec. read reports of the 100 miles invitation  
Handicap on June 8<sup>th</sup> & of the 24 hours road race  
on July 10/11 which were adopted.

Standards held The James pro & Mr. Poole 2<sup>nd</sup> it was resolved  
that Mr. Rascliffe be awarded Standard A medal for  
his ride on 8<sup>th</sup> June.

August 50

Mr. Edwards pro & Mr. Board 2<sup>nd</sup> it was resolved that  
Mr. A. M. Higham be appointed Time keeper. & that the  
time of start be 4.15 PM. it was also resolved  
that this race be run in Shropshire

Correspondence was read from the North Road C.C., The Bath Road C.C.  
& The Units C.C. & the Hon. Sec was instructed to  
reply to James.

Accounts

The following were passed for payment T. W. Gorrell;  
White Horse Inn, Dawson's, Whitechurch, Bull & Star Inn,  
Thunwaring Arms, Mrs. Massey.

End to End  
Shields

Mr. Poole reported that as ~~one~~ of the paced record  
from Lands End to John O'Groats had been beaten by this  
unpaced rider, there were now two shields for the one  
ride. So on the proposition of Mr. Poole & 2<sup>nd</sup> by Mr. Higham  
it was resolved that the paced shield be brought up to  
date & awarded to the End to End record holder. & that the  
other shield be awarded to the holder of the 1<sup>st</sup> April to Edinboro'  
unpaced single bicycle record holder. Confirmed 10<sup>th</sup> Aug 08

S. B. Mercer.

August 1908

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at St George's Restaurant Monday 10<sup>th</sup> Aug 1908

Present Mr G. B. Mercer in the Chair Messrs J. C. Band,  
E. A. Beasley, E. J. Cody, E. Edwards, R. A. Dalton,  
H. W. Keizer, Mr Poole, H. Pitchard, W. R. Toft,  
J. R. Wells, G. G. Worth & the Hon. Sec.

The Minutes of the Previous meeting were read & confirmed

Fixtures for Sept were arranged as follows

5<sup>th</sup> 50 miles handicaps  
12<sup>th</sup> Tattenhall, Bear Hotel,  
14<sup>th</sup> Committee meeting,  
19<sup>th</sup> Preston, Shelly Arms,  
26<sup>th</sup> Knutsford, Lord Eldon,

Transfers of Members Mr J. T. Marchanton name was transferred from the Honorary to the Active list.

50 Mr A.M. Higham was unanimously appointed timekeeper for the 50 on 5<sup>th</sup> Sept.  
The Course for same was fixed in Shropshire & the time of starting 3.45 PM.

Accounts The following were passed for payment Mr T. Gorrell 3.14.9  
& Mr B. Jones 2.1.9

R. H. Carlisle The Carlisle entry for the 50 on Aug 15<sup>th</sup> was considered & it was resolved that:- he be allowed to be timed & checked but not to compete in any way for either Standard Medals or prizes & that his name was not to appear on card

Confirmed 14<sup>th</sup> Sept 08

G. B. Mercer

— September 1908 —

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at St George's Restaurant Monday 14<sup>th</sup> Sept 1908

Present Mr G. B. Mercer in the Chair Messrs J. C. Band,  
E. A. Beasley, E. J. Cody, R. A. Dalton, Mr H. Keizer,  
Mr H. Moen, Mr Poole, W. R. Toft, J. R. Wells  
E. G. Worth, The Hon. Sec.

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read & confirmed.

Fixtures for October were arranged as follows

3<sup>rd</sup> Taradale (Race Stakes) Hotel  
10<sup>th</sup> Pufford, Grosvenor Arms, West End Langollen,  
12<sup>th</sup> Committee  
17<sup>th</sup> Leyland Church Inn  
24<sup>th</sup> Delamere Abbey Arms  
31<sup>st</sup> Chester Bell & Stirrup

Reports of 50's

Reports of R.A. meeting

Standard  
Medal

Accounts

Mr Poole gave a report of a meeting of the R.R.A. Mr N.W. Higham of the R.P.R.A. both reports were adopted.

Mr Poole £10 & Mr Keizer £10 & it was resolved that Mr R. H. Carlisle has awarded a Gold Centre Standard for his ride on 18<sup>th</sup> August.

The following were passed for payment T. W. Gorrell 2.3.6  
Mr Poole 1.11.6. Lion Hotel Shrewsbury 2.6 R.R.A. Sub. 5/-  
& N.R.R.A. Sub. 10/-

September 1908 Continued

Correspondence, letters from D.H. Keeler & the R.R.A were read & the Sec. was instructed to reply to same.

Confirmed 12<sup>th</sup> Oct 1908  
S.B. Mercer.

— October 1908 —

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at St Georges Restaurant, Monday Oct 12<sup>th</sup> 1908

Present W. G. B. Mercer in the Chair Thosson, J. C. Barr, S. A. Bentley, E. J. Cody, F. Edwards, R. A. Dalton, A. H. Digham, R. M. Digham, D. H. Keeler, W. M. Orton, H. Poole, W. R. Toft, J. R. Wells, E. G. Worth John Sec.

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved

Fixtures for November were arranged as follows

4 <sup>th</sup>	Hunts & Runs	Hunts & Runs
9 <sup>th</sup>	Committee	
14 <sup>th</sup>	Warrington	Patten Arms Hotel and Alverley Edge
21 <sup>st</sup>	Cheshire	Bull & Stirrup
28 <sup>th</sup>	Staygate	Green Lodge Hotel

Alternatives runs for Manchester members were arranged as follows

7 <sup>th</sup>	Gossetts	Red Lion
21 <sup>st</sup>	Lostock Gralam	Black Greyhound
28 <sup>th</sup>	Mobberley	Ruebeck

Hunts & Runs The Sec. was instructed to arrange for the first Saturdays in Dec & Jany on Hunts & Runs

The Resignation of Mr. Pritchard from the Committee was accepted with regret

Albrighton 100. The following video were passed

G. A. Evanson	Sept 19 <sup>th</sup>	6 hrs. 20 mins 50 secs
J. T. Rogers	Oct 10	6. 5. 29

October 1908 Continued

Treasurer Report

The Hon. Sec. has submitted a general financial statement which was considered satisfactory.

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M. Poole has M'Kenna 2<sup>nd</sup> that the price list of £79.0.0 be passed. Carried.

Accounts

The following were passed for payment  
T. W. Gornall 1.4.0 Barley how Newport 1/4

Confirmed Nov 9<sup>th</sup> 1908

G. B. Mercer.

November 1908

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at St George's Restaurant Monday November 9<sup>th</sup> 1908

Present

Mr G. B. Mercer in the chair others T. C. Band, E. A. Bentley, E. J. Judy, S. Edwards, R. A. Dalton, A. H. Digham, N. H. Digham, H. W. Keeler, H. Poole, W. P. Toft, J. R. Wells, F. G. Worth & the Hon. Sec.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & confirmed

Fixtures for December were arranged as follows

5 <sup>th</sup>	Stainton	Stainton Hotel
12 <sup>th</sup>	Warrington	Patten Arms Hotel
14 <sup>th</sup>	Compton	Shrewsbury Arms
19 <sup>th</sup>	Hawthorn	Shrewsbury Arms
26 <sup>th</sup>	Knutsford	Lost Stock. Lunch at 1.30 PM Meeting at the Broad Green Abbey Hotel at 10 AM
		Alternate was for Manchester members
5 <sup>th</sup>	Whipping Stock	Marlborough Arms
19 <sup>th</sup>	Lower Peover	Pine Tree Cottage

Records

M. Poole has M'Kenna 2<sup>nd</sup> it was resolved that the following records be passed

5 <sup>th</sup> Sept.	R. A. Dalton & A. P. James	Tandem Tricycle 50 miles unpaced N.R.R.A record of 2 hrs. 35 m. 32 s.
11 <sup>th</sup> & 12 <sup>th</sup> Sept.	E. Buckley	12 & 24 hours unpaced Single N.R.R.A record of 199 & 347 miles
26 <sup>th</sup> Sept.	J. C. Band	100 miles unpaced single N.R.R.A record 5. 30. 6
3 <sup>rd</sup> Oct.	R. A. Dalton & A. P. James	Tandem Tricycle 50 miles unpaced N.R.R.A record of 2 hrs. 32. 36 2.

Accounts

The following were passed for payment

November continued

T. W. Gorrell <sup>1/1</sup> A.M. Higham (Chairman) <sup>1/10</sup> W. B. Jones <sup>1/9</sup>  
P. Vaughan <sup>1/6</sup>

R.A. Reports The Poole & the A.M. Higham gave reports of meetings of the R.R.A & A.R.R.A which were adopted.

A.G.M. The meeting closed with a discussion of  
A.G.M. matters

Convened 14<sup>th</sup> Dec 1908  
S. B. Mercer.

December 1908

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at St George's Restaurant Monday 14<sup>th</sup> December 1908

Present Mr G. B. Mercer in the Chair & Messrs T. C. Band, E. A. Bentley, E. J. Boddy, S. Edwards, R. A. Dalton, A. M. Higham, N. H. Higham, H. W. Keates, W. H. Ober, St. Poole, W. P. Toft, J. R. Wells, E. G. Worth & the Hon. Sec.

Distances for January were arranged as follows

2 <sup>nd</sup>	Shuttlecross	Shuttlecross Hotel
4 <sup>th</sup>	A. G. M. at	St George's Restaurant
9 <sup>th</sup>	Staygate.	Green Lodge Hotel
11 <sup>th</sup>	Committee	
16 <sup>th</sup>	Shuttlecross	Shuttlecross Hotel
23 <sup>rd</sup>	Shilderton	Shelburne Arms
29 <sup>th</sup>	Warrington	Patten Arms Hotel

Alternative runs for Manchester members

2 <sup>nd</sup>	Lower Peover	Pinewood Cottage
9 <sup>th</sup>	Oter Peover	Hawthorn Arms
16 <sup>th</sup>	Lostock Gralam	Black Greyhound
23 <sup>rd</sup>	Oter Peover	Hawthorn Arms

New Members Mr W. D. Band 26 Longland Rd Liscard  
Mr J. C. Band 2<sup>nd</sup> J. St Williams  
Mr St. R. Band Brightholme Egerton Park Rock Ferry  
Mr T. C. Band 2<sup>nd</sup> J. St. Williams  
Mr R. J. Kettle, Oaklea, Devonshire Park Birkenhead  
Mr G. A. Swanson 2<sup>nd</sup> W. P. Cook  
Mr T. W. J. Britten, Glendalough, Caithness Drive Liscard  
Mr W. P. Cook 2<sup>nd</sup> Mr James were elected  
active members

December 1908 (Continued)

Accounts the following was passed for payment. T.W. Gorrell <sup>14</sup>

The Paal proposed Mr Keiser 2nd that it was resolved that Mr. Werner should speak to the Club re Anfield Items in North Road Gazette.

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

G.P. Heras.  
Confirmed 11th January 1909

Event	W June L June	Prize List 1908	Prize Amount	Amount Total	
				£	s
50 Miles	A. P. James	1st	3. 3. 0		
Handicap	J. C. Baad	2nd	2. 2. 0		
16th May	E. A. Beattley	3rd	1. 1. 0		
	A. Crowcroft	Bronze	5. 0		
	H. G. Bailey	-	5. 0		
	W. H. Bailey	Distict	2. 0. 0		
	G. A. Swanson	Bronze	5. 0		
	C. Blackburn	-	5. 0		
				9. 6. 0	

Invitation 100	E. A. Mealin	1st Standard	4. 5. 0	
8th June 1908	G. H. Briault	2nd	3. 3. 0	
	J. J. Rogers	3rd Standard C.	3. 12. 0	
	G. A. Swanson	Standard B	1. 0. 0	
	R. A. Dalton	- B	1. 0. 0	
	A. P. James	- B	1. 0. 0	
	R. Radcliff	- A	10. 0	
	G. E. Carpenter	- A	10. 0	27. 6. 0

24	A. P. James	1st	5. 5. 0	
July 10/11	G. E. Carpenter	2nd	3. 3. 0	
	J. C. Baad	3rd	5. 14. 0	
	R. A. Dalton	(12th Standard C. 2nd Standard E.) 24 Standard A	1. 0. 0	42. 8. 0

50	E. Buckley	1st	3. 3. 0	
18th Aug.	E. A. Beattley	2nd	2. 2. 0	
	S. J. Buck	3rd	1. 1. 0	
	G. Paal	Centre	10. 0	
	W. H. Bailey	Distict	2. 0. 0	
	J. C. Baad	Gold Star	15. 0	
	R. A. Dalton	- Centre	10. 0	
	A. Crowcroft	Bronze	5. 0	
	H. G. Bailey	-	5. 0	
	C. H. Turner	-	5. 0	
				£53 4 0

1908 Prize List Cont.

Winnings, Prize Amount ... Total  
Amount 53. 4. 0

50	J. C. Baas	1 <sup>st</sup> , fastest	5. 3. 0
5th Sept	G. A. Swanson	2 <sup>nd</sup>	2. 2. 0
	J. Baas	3 <sup>rd</sup>	1. 1. 0
	A. Crawford	Byron	5. 0
	E. Buckley	Gold Star	15. 0
	T. Peacock	Gold Centre	10. 0
	S. J. Beck	-	10. 0
	N. M. Afghan	-	10. 0
			64. 0. 0

12 hrs N.R.R.A E. Buckley 2. 2. 0

Results Sept 11

24 hrs N.R.R.A do 2. 2. 0

Results Sept 11/12

100 miles N.R.R.A J. C. Baas 2. 2. 0

Results Sept 26

50 miles N.R.R.A R. A. Dalton 1. 1. 0

Thunder Bay, etc. Results 2<sup>nd</sup> alt A. P. James 1. 1. 0

50 miles Morris J. Baas 2. 2. 0

Prize 5<sup>th</sup> Sept

Albionton 100 J. J. Rogers 3. 3. 0

Vel Shorthorn G. A. Swanson

8<sup>th</sup> June R. H. Carlisle

Standard Ride 10. 0

50 miles 18<sup>th</sup> Aug W. P. Coote 10. 0

Allendale G. A. Swanson 5. 0

£78. 18. 0