

Annual General Meeting to the effect that a Dinner should be held at Sturcrobury on the Saturday before Whit Monday. The proposition on being put to the Meeting was carried.

Editor

Letter read from Mr S. A. Dufford explaining that owing to Business ties he was sorry he would have to resign the Editorship of the Circular, but was quite prepared to carry on until a successor was appointed. It was arranged to leave the matter over until the next meeting of the Committee.

St. G. Buckley.

Mr R. J. Austin reported that he had written to the Editor regarding the reference to Mr St. G. Buckley in the October Circular, he stated that the facts were not correct and as the Editor had not thought fit to refer to the matter in the December Circular, it was now a question for the Committee to consider.

At this stage Mr E. Buckley said he would prefer to leave the Meeting during the discussion, and did so. The matter was then fully gone into, eventually Mr R. J. Austin proposed that the following resolution should be published in the next Circular.

"The Committee regret the reference to Mr St. G. Buckley in the account of the 8th 50 in the October Circular, as it appears he was in fact suffering from a cold. Mr E. Hewitt seconded and on being put to the Meeting was carried.

Confirmed January 14th 1929 W. P. COOK.

January 1929

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at the Victoria Hotel St. Johns Lane Liverpool on Monday 18th January 1929 at 4.0 p.m.

Present

Mr W. P. Cook in the Chair

and Messrs E. Buckley, S. J. Buck, A. Davies, E. Edwards, H. L. Elston, G. H. Glover, J. S. Jones, Mr H. Kettle, R. L. Knipe, J. Long, A. Lucas, G. B. Mercer, C. Randall, Mr J. Venables, A. Wild and the Hon Secretary.

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and confirmed.

An apology for absence was received from Mr E. Hewitt.

Fixtures for February 1929 were arranged as follows:

Feb 2nd Halewood (Barby Arms)

" 9th Liscard (Swan)

" 11th Committee Meeting 4.0 p.m. Victoria Hotel Liverpool.

" 16th Dufford (Grocers Arms)

" 23rd Northop (Red Lion)

March 2nd Halewood (Barby Arms)

Alternative Fixtures for Manchester Members.

Feb 2nd Liscard (Lord Eldon)

" 16th Orkney (Rose Crown)

" 23rd Northam St. Andrew (Bulls Head)

March 2nd Marton (Lancaster Arms)

New Members.

Mr Alfred Bryant bakerhouse proposed by Mr W. P. Cook seconded by Mr A. Wild was on the proposition of Mr E. Buckley seconded by Mr H. Kettle duly elected to Full Membership.

Mr Frank Henry Smith proposed by Mr W. P. Cook seconded by Mr H. Kettle was on the proposition of Mr E. Buckley seconded by Mr H. Kettle duly elected to Full Junior Membership.

Mr C. C. News having made a request to rejoin the Club was on the proposition of Mr G. B. Mercer seconded by Mr A. Davies duly elected to Honorary Membership.

Resignation

The resignation of Mr W. Studdall was read and considered, Mr W. J. Venables proposed and Mr E. Edwards seconded that the Hon Secretary write and ask Mr W. Studdall to consider remaining.

in the Club as an Honorary Member.

The resignation of Mr G. F. Hawkes was read & accepted with regret, Mr S. J. Buck proposing and Mr L. S. Venables seconding.

Transfer.

Mr F. A. Smith was transferred to Honorary Membership.

The Hon Secretary was instructed to write to Mr L. R. Lowcock and enquire if he wished to be transferred from Honorary to Full Membership.

Struck off.
Unpaid Subscriptions.

That J. E. Shipman & Shore was struck off for non-payment of Subscription.

The Hon Secretary was instructed to write the following Members for payment of unpaid Subscriptions, J. Egan, F. Jones, H. Ladd (+5/- entrance fee for 12 Years) R. L. Rowan, F. H. Swift, J. E. Tomlin & W. E. Tenny (Honorary).

Accounts.

The account of the Northern Publishing Company Ltd. amounting to £11/- was passed for payment (January Circulars).

Editor.

Mr E. Hewitt proposed by Mr G. A. Glover seconded by Mr L. Randall was appointed Editor of the Circular for 1929.

Delegates.

The following Club Delegates were appointed.

R. R. C. Mr D. B. Beardwood

R. R. A. Mr D. B. Beardwood & Mr L. J. Neason.

N. R. R. A. Messrs R. J. Austin, S. Davies, S. E. Morton & L. Randall.

Handicapping Committee.

The following were appointed a Handicapping Committee Messrs E. Brockley, L. D. Cook, E. Edwards, L. H. Little & J. Long.

Coursing Committee.

The following were appointed a Coursing Committee Messrs A. E. Fox, G. A. Glover, E. Hewitt & L. Randall.

Club Races.

The dates of the Club Races were provisionally fixed as follows:-
1st 50 20th April. 2nd 50 4th May. Invitation 100 20th May.
Invitation 2nd 19/20 July. 12 Hours 14th August. 3rd 50
1st September.

All Night Ride.

The date of the All Night Ride was arranged for 22/23 June. Destination, Hereford. Route yet to be decided.

Public Dinner.

The question of the Public Dinner was fully discussed and the following Sub-committee were appointed Messrs H. Rockwell, G. A. Glover and the Hon Secretary, who were to make the necessary arrangements regarding catering and accommodation at the George Hotel Shrewsbury, and also to prepare the proposed

list of Invitations relevant to Members, and report to the Committee at their next Meeting.

Prize Races.

R. R. C.

It was decided to delete Rule 10. from the Prize Rules.

Mr L. H. Little proposed that the Club accept the recommendation of the R. R. C. in regard to the open events, and that in future we do not extend invitation to ~~more~~ those who ride in events where more than 100 riders compete. Mr G. A. Glover seconded and on being put to the Meeting the proposition was carried.

2nd Hours.

The Meeting closed with a discussion on the advisability or otherwise of retaining the Race & Stirling at Chester as headquarters for the 2nd Hours.

Confirmed Feb 11. 29 W. P. COOK.

February 1929.

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at the Victoria Hotel, St. Johns Lane, Liverpool on Monday 11th February 1929 at 4-0 p.m.

Present

Mr & J. Cook in the Chair

and Messrs E. Buckley, S. J. Buck, L. Davies, C. Edwards, H. L. Elston, G. R. Glover, J. S. Jones, W. H. Little, R. L. Knipe, J. Long, L. Lucas, G. B. Mearns, E. Hewitt, C. Randall, W. L. Venables, L. Wild, & the Hon Secretary.

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and subject to a slight addition thereto were confirmed.

Distances for March 1929 were arranged as follows:-

March 2. Halewood. (Derby Arms)

" 9. Shouldsworth. (Station Hotel)

" 11. Committee Meeting 4-0 pm Victoria Hotel, Liverpool.

" 16. Salford. (Governor Arms)

" 23. Darabury. (King of Belts)

" 29/1. Easter Town. Belton-y-Bood (Glan Allen)

Alternative Town. Belsh Borden.

April 6. Rhyd-allog. (Llew Inn)

Alternative Distances for Manchester Members.

March 2. Ashton. (Lancaster Arms)

" 16. Goostrey. (Red Lion)

April 6. Northwich (Brown & Anchor)

altered to Knutsford (Lord Eldon)

Easter Town.

Days runs during the Easter Town at Belton-y-Bood were arranged as follows:-

Friday. Glanfairtalharain. (Black Lion)

Saturday. Brinsford. (George)

Sunday. Rhyd-y-Ven.

Monday. Deatigh. (Bull)

New Member.

Mr Robert Cook proposed by Mr G. B. Dwell seconded by Mr L. Davies was on the proposition of Mr L. Davies seconded Mr E. Hewitt duly elected to full Membership.

Transfer

Mr W. D. Lowcock was transferred from Honorary to Full Membership

Unpaid Subscriptions.

Mr W. Threlfall was transferred to Honorary Membership. The Hon Secretary was instructed to write again to the following Members for payment of unpaid Subscriptions - J. Edgar, F. Jones, R. L. Rudd, F. H. Swift, J. E. Tomlin, & W. C. Tierney (Honorary)

Accounts.

The Account of the Northern Publishing Co. Ltd. amounting to £2. 9. 6. was passed for payment.

Envelopes 10. 0.

A.G.M. Agenda 13. 6.

Post Cards 8. 6.

Letter Paper 14. 6.

£2. 9. 6.

Club Races

The dates of the Club Races, as provisionally fixed at the last Meeting were duly confirmed.

Alternative Easter Town.

Mr E. Buckley reported that the arrangements for the Alternative Easter Town were not yet complete, but hoped to have them ready in time for the March Circular, he read briefly the proposed itinerary.

R. R. A.

The Agenda for the Annual General Meeting of the R. R. A. was carefully considered and discussed, and as the President was attending the Meeting he undertook to convey to our Delegates the wishes of the Committee.

Jubilee Dinner.

The Sub Committee appointed in connection with the Jubilee Dinner reported the arrangements that had so far been made. They also submitted a list of names to whom it was proposed to send invitations, also a draft of the Circular which it was proposed to issue to all Members. The Committee after considering and revising same, approved.

Confirmed March 11th 1929 W. P. Cook.

March 1929.

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at the Victoria Hotel, St. John's Lane, Liverpool on Monday 11th March 1929 at 7-0 pm.

Present

Mr W. D. Cook in the Chair
and Messrs S. J. Buck, A. Davis, E. Edwards, H. L. Elton, G. A. Glover,
J. S. Jones, W. H. Kettle, R. L. Knipe, J. Long, G. B. Mercer, E. Newell,
G. Randall, W. J. Venables and the Hon. Secretary.

A vote of deep sympathy with Mr John Loft and his Sister on the death of their Brother Mr W. R. Loft was passed in silence and the Hon. Secretary was instructed to write and convey the Club's condolences.

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and confirmed.

Apologies for absence were received from Messrs E. Buckley, A. Lucas and A. Hild.

Races for April 1929 were arranged as follows:-

April 6. Rhydalltlog (Llew Inn)

" 8. Committee Meeting 7-0 pm Victoria Hotel, Liverpool.

" 13th Larpodley (Swan)

" 20th Eisteddfod 50 Miles Handicap.

" 24th Northwich (Brown & Anchor)

May 4th Second 50 Miles Handicap.

Alternative Races for Manchester Members

April 6th Brompton (Swan)

Subscriptions

New Members

A list of outstanding subscriptions for 1928 was read.
Mr J. Ditchford proposed by Mr A. E. Walters seconded by Mr W. H. Kettle was on the proposition of Mr S. J. Buck seconded by Mr A. Davis duly elected to Full Membership.

Mr David Davis and Mr F. L. Street both proposed by Mr A. E. Walters seconded by Mr W. H. Kettle were on the proposition of Mr S. J. Buck seconded by Mr A. Davis duly elected to Junior Membership.

Accounts

The following Account was passed for payment.

Northern Publishing Company Ltd £8. 14. 0. (February)

Circulars £4. 4. 0. & March Circulars £4. 4. 0.)

Postblocks £1. 2. 0. for breath.

Timekeeper

H. R. R. A.

R. R. A.

R. K. C.

Mr L. Doolie was on the proposition of Mr G. B. Mercer seconded by Mr R. L. Knipe elected Timekeeper for the Club's Races during 1929.

The Agenda for the Annual General Meeting of the Northern Roads Records Association was read but it contained nothing which required any instruction being given to our Delegates.

Mr W. D. Cook reported very fully what transpired at the Annual General Meeting of the Roads Records Association.

Letter read from Mr B. B. Best regarding the Club's acceptance of the Road Racing Council's recommendation to restrict the numbers in open events and pointing out that this would deprive every entry of London Riders with the exception of the North Road, Bath Road and Century Clubs, also that at present Associations need not restrict their entries, and until they were made to accept the recommendation, he did not know how far it was wise for adherent Clubs to accept.

Letter read in reply also one in the same terms to Mr Skelton.

Mr W. D. Cook informed the Meeting that he had written to Mr J. C. Beardwood with instructions how to act at the Meeting to be held on the 19th instant.

The Meeting closed with a discussion regarding the progress that had been made with the History of the Club.

Confirmed April 5th 1929 W. P. Cook.

April 1929.

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at the Victoria Hotel, St. John's Lane, Liverpool on Monday 8th April 1929 at 7-0 pm.

Present

Mr W. D. Booth in the Chair.

and Messrs E. Buckley, S. J. Buck, A. Davis, E. Edwards, H. L. Elston, G. A. Glover, J. S. Jones, W. H. Kettle, R. L. Knipe, J. Long, A. Lucas, G. B. Mercer, E. Smith, G. Randall, W. J. Venables, A. Wild & the Hon Secretary.

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and confirmed.

Fixtures for May 1929 were arranged as follows:-

May 21. Second 50 Miles Handicap

" 11. Mouldsworth. (Station Hotel)

" 13. Committee Meeting 7-0 pm Victoria Hotel, Liverpool.

" 18/20 Whitstable. Invitation '100'.

Week End. Streveston.

" 25. Landon (Greyhound)

June 1. Nantwich. (Lamb)

Alternative Fixtures for Manchester Members.

May 25. Astoria. (Rose Crown)

The following accounts were passed for payment.

Northern Publishing Company Ltd £19-6-0.

April Circulars £3. 12. 6.

Handbook Envelopes 14. 11. 0.

Notices, Jubilee Dinner. 1. 2. 6.

£19. 6. 0.

The following Subscriptions were passed for payment.

Road Racing Council of Road Records Association 5/- and Northern Road Records Association £1.

Mr A. Davis reported what transpired at the Annual General Meeting of the Northern Road Records Association.

Letter read from Mr D. C. Beardwood reporting fully the result of the Meeting held on the 19th March of the Road Racing Council.

N.R.R.A.
A.C.M.

R.R.C.

Letter read from Mr Skillets regarding the clubs proposed limitations of Entries in open events.

A long discussion then took place as to whether the Club should still adhere to its decision to accept the R.R.C. recommendation ultimately the Chairman proposed that we insist on all Entrants signing the form to the effect that they would not compete in any open event where the number of riders was not limited to 100, Mr J. Long seconded on on being put to the Meeting the proposition was carried.

Invitation 100.

Arrangements for the Invitation 100. were considered and it was decided that the same course and conditions shall be as before. Prizes to be awarded as follows:-

First, Second & Third Fastest.

First, Second & Third Handicap.

First Second Team Prizes.

All Night Ride.

The question of the All Night Ride was discussed and it was left in the hands of Mr E. Buckley to draw the Schedule and submit it to the next Meeting of the Committee.

Jubilee Dinner

The arrangements for the Jubilee Dinner were considered.

It was decided to ask Mr George Newall if he would undertake to arrange the Musical items, and the Hon. Secretary was instructed to see him regarding same.

The following Toast List was suggested.

"The King" Proposer The President.

"The Club" " Mr F. J. Wray. The response by the President

"The Visitors" Mr F. H. Loomer. Response by Mr L. & Ball
or Mr G. H. Stanger.

"The Sport & Pastime of Cycling" Proposer Mr L. D. Lovcock
Response by Mr J. Burden Barnes

The Hon Secretary was instructed to write and enquire whether the various Gentlemen mentioned in connection with the Toast were willing to comply with the Committee wishes.

A request by the Brothers O'Leary, to be allowed to compete in the First 50 Miles Handicap on a Tandem was considered

and it was decided not to open the road to Landers and the
Hon Racing Secretary was instructed to reply to that effect. but
they could ride for Standard Medals if they so desired.

Confirmed May 15th 1929 W.P. Cook

May 1929.

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at the Victoria Hotel, St. John Lane
Liverpool on Monday 15th May 1929 at 4-0 p.m.

Present

Mr. E. D. Cook in the Chair

and Messrs E. Buckley, J. J. B. Smith, A. Davis, E. Edwards, H. L. Elston, G. A.
Glover, J. S. Jones, W. H. Little, R. L. Knipe, A. Lucas, G. B. Mervin, E. Newitt,
C. Randall, W. J. Venables. A. held on the Hon Secretary.

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and confirmed.

An apology for absence was received from Mr. J. Long.

Business for June 1929 was arranged as follows:-

- June 1. Stantwich (Lamb)
Attended to Liverpool (Sum) " 8. Mouldsworth. (Station Hotel) Photo Run.
" 10. Committee Meeting 4 p.m. Victoria Hotel, Liverpool.
" 15. Bavenham (Bath Road)
Mandate to be taken 50.
" 22. Lattenhall (Beas & Ragner Staff)
" 29. Rhydology (Lion)
Governor 100
July 6. Highwayside (Lancaster Road) & All Night Ride.
" 4. Alternative weekend F.O.T.C. Rally, Ripley.

Alternative Business for Manchester Members.

June 29th Gooskey. (Red Lion)

Account.

The Account of the Northern Publishing Co. Ltd. amounting to £9. 18. 0.
was passed for payment.

Envelopes	4. 6
Cards for 1 st 50	1. 0. 0.
Entry Form 100	1. 14. 6
Greenie cards Envelopes	1. 0. 0.
Verulam May.	5. 16. 0.
	<u>£ 9. 18. 0.</u>

Invitation 100

Mr. W. H. Little proposed and Mr. G. A. Glover seconded that Mr. E. Buckley
be appointed Judge & Referee for the Invitation 100 which was
carried unanimously.

1st & 2nd 50s

The Hon Racing Secretary read his Reports of the First and Second 50 Miles Handicaps which were adopted.

All Night Ride

The Schedule prepared by Mr E. Buckley for the All Night Ride was considered and adopted. Cuckshad. Supper. Century Breakfast. Stewartsbury. Lunch. & Dulford Sea.

Mr H. L. Elston proposed that the date be altered from 22/23 June to 6/7 July. Mr J. S. Jones seconded and on being put to the Meeting the proposition was carried.

Invitation 2d.

It was decided to use the same route for the Invitation 2d as last year and also to issue the usual Invitation.

The Hon Racing Secretary said that he proposed to put a clause on the cards to the effect that the club would finish the first three, but that the remainder of the competition must arrange to furnish their own checks for the finish, although the club while not guaranteeing to do so, would do their best to supply the checks.

Junior Dinner

The final arrangements for the Junior Dinner were discussed and approved.

Confirmed June 10th 1929 W. P. Cook.

June 1929.

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at the Victoria Hotel, St John Lane Liverpool on Monday 10th June 1929 at 4.0 pm.

Present

Mr W. D. Booth in the Chair

and Messrs G. J. Roberts, A. Davis, E. Edwards, H. L. Elston, G. A. Glover, J. S. Jones, W. H. Kettle, R. L. Hooper, J. Long, A. Lucas, G. B. Mercer, E. Hewitt, E. Randall, W. J. Venables, A. Wilder & the Hon Secretary.

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read & confirmed.

Fixtures for July 1929 were arranged as follows:-

July 6th Highwayside, All Night Ride & S.O.T.C.

" 8th Committee Meeting 4.0 pm Victoria Hotel, Liverpool

" 13th Stewartsbury (Barry D'Beils)

" 19/20 Invitation 2d

" 24th Dulford (Grover & Ann)

Aug 3/5 August Town, Llandudno & White Border

Alternative Fixtures

" 5 North Road 100 Speedwell 100 & East Liverpool 50

New Members

Mr Egbert Langstaffe Thompson proposed by Mr H. L. Carlisle seconded by Mr G. H. Lucas was on the proposition of Mr A. Davis seconded by Mr W. J. Venables duly elected to Full Membership.

Messrs G. J. Bell, Ed & J. Mills & S. L. & J. A. Bennett having expressed a wish to rejoin the club as Honorary Members, Mr W. D. Booth proposed that they be allowed to do so, the proposition was duly carried.

Accounts

The following Accounts were passed for payment.

Northern Publishing Company, Ltd £15-10-0.

Envelope 1. 9.

Forms 2nd 50s 1. 0. 0.

Cards 100 2. 12. 3.

Slips for Members 5. 6.

Menu for dinner 3. 4. 6.

Receipts 100 1. 9. 6.

June Circular 6. 3. 3.

9. 3.

£ 15. 10. 0.

Thaughton Lⁱ Team Sleds for 100 Lⁱ 1¹/₃.

Barley Most. Lⁱ 2. 0. 6. Feeding in 100

Chetwynd. 10. 0 do

J. H. Gowan Lⁱ 1. 5. Bananas

Cleveland Arm Lⁱ 1. 19. 9. Feeding

Subscriptions

The Hon Secretary was instructed to write to Messrs J. H. Swift & Co. Road to the effect that if they had not paid their Subscriptions for 1928 & 1929 before the 31st December 1929, their names would be struck off the list of Members.

Invitation 100

The Hon Racing Secretary read his Report of the Invitation 100 which was adopted. The Degrees of the outside riders being passed for payment. Mr A. Lucas proposing and Mr G. R. Glover seconding.

The Chairman read two letters which he had received from Mr D. M. Hays reporting the fact that when Mr A. had passed him at Water Lpton, he was being followed by a bar in which it transpired later was Mr E. G. G. Webb. He did not know how far the bar had followed him, but thought some enquiry ought to be made.

The Chairman reported that when he had finished, he himself started the bar following about 100 yards behind and immediately sent a message to Mr G. G. Webb saying that his action met with our entire disapproval. Mr G. G. Webb seemed to be very upset about it and apologized, at the same time giving his assurance that he had not followed but round the corner, neither had he rendered him any assistance. The Chairman further stated that he had made full enquiry and had come to the conclusion that he had done the thing in perfect innocence and that he had replied to Mr D. M. Hays that the Club had no legitimate grounds for action. Mr R. L. Hays proposed that the action of the President be confirmed, Mr L. J. Buck seconded and on being put to the Meeting the proposition was carried.

August Tour

The Committee considered and confirmed the proposed route and arrangements for the August Tour to Hamilton & the White Border.

12 Hours.

It was arranged that the same Route and arrangements as last year be used for the 12 Hours.

Confirmed July 8th 1929 W. P. Cook.

July 1929

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at the Victoria Hotel, St. Johns Lane, Liverpool on Monday 8th July 1929 at 7.0 pm.

Present

Mr W. S. Cook in the Chair.

and Messrs S. J. Buck, A. Davis, E. Edwards, H. L. Elston, G. H. Glover, J. S. Jones, W. H. Kettle, R. L. Knipe, A. Lucas, G. B. Mercer, E. Scott, G. Randall, W. T. Venables, A. Wild and the Hon Secretary.

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and confirmed.

Apology for absence was read from Mr J. Long.

Fixtures for August were arranged as follows:-

Aug. 3/5. August Tour. Llanddowr & Belah Border.

" 10. Mouldsworth (Station Hotel)

" 12. Committee Meeting 7.0 pm. Victoria Hotel Lpool.

" 14. Twelve Hours Handicap.

" 21. Highwayside. (Travellers Rest)

" 31. Rufford. (Ternor Arms)

Sept. 4. Dufford. (Gosvenor Arms)

Alternative Fixtures.

Aug. 5. Bath Road 100 Speedwell 100 East Lpool. 100 Miles 50.

Alternative Fixtures for Manchester Members.

Aug. 31. Goostrey. (Red Lion)

Accounts

The Account of the Northern Publishing Company Ltd. amounting to 12/10 for Envelopes was passed for payment.

Arising out of any other business the Chairman read a letter from Mr G. H. Stanger dated 5th July reporting privately what had occurred at the Birmingham Conference of the National Cyclists Union regarding the steps they were proposing to take to eventually govern Road Racing. The Chairman also read the reply he had made to Mr G. H. Stanger.

Letter read from Mr Tom Hughes of began expressing thanks to the Club for the help given to him in his recent End to End record ride and also saying that he had decided to give up Amateur Road Racing and go over to Professionalism.

Confirmed Aug 12th 29 W. S. Cook.

August 1929.

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at the Victoria Hotel, St. Johns Lane, Liverpool on Monday 12th August 1929 at 7.0 pm.

Present

Mr W. S. Cook in the Chair.

and Messrs E. Buckley, S. J. Buck, E. Edwards, H. L. Elston, J. S. Jones, W. H. Kettle, R. L. Knipe, J. Long, A. Lucas, G. B. Mercer and G. Randall

Apologies for absence were received from Messrs W. T. Venables, G. H. Glover, A. Davis and the Hon Secretary.

The Minutes of the Meeting held on the 8th July were read & confirmed.

Fixtures for September were arranged as follows:-

Sept. 4. Dufford. (Gosvenor Arms)

" 9. Committee Meeting, 7.0 pm. Victoria Hotel, Liverpool.

" 12. Thirt 50 Miles Handicap.

" 21. Highwayside. (Travellers Rest)

" 28. Mouldsworth. (Station Hotel)

Oct. 5. Acton Bridge. (Leigh Arms)

New Member

Mr John Badgway Walton, proposed by Mr R. T. Carlisle and seconded by Mr J. A. Grimshaw, was on the motion of Mr E. Buckley seconded by Mr S. J. Buck elected to Full Membership

Accounts.

The following Accounts were passed for payment.

Northern Publishing Company Ltd. £12. 4. 9.

July Calendar (with Block) 5. 5. 3.

August do. 4. 4. 0.

Cards for 21st Hours. 2. 12. 6.

£ 12. 4. 9.

For Food & Drinks for the 21st Hours.

For 21st Hours. £ 2. 19. 8.

Hotbed Corner 18. 0.

Bylaw. 9. 0.

Donation

Donation from Family of the late Arthur Hancock.

The Hon Treasurer read a letter he had received from Mr. Hancock (the Father of the late Arthur Hancock) stating that

it was the desire of himself and his family that the Club should accept the Prize Money standing to the credit of his Son's name as a Donation to the Club's Funds. The Committee acceded to Mr Hancock's desire and requested the Hon Treasurer to write an appropriate reply.

24 Hours

Mr H. Little the Hon Racing Secretary, read his report on the Invitation 24 Hours ride held on the 19/20 July and it was noted that the amount received for Prize was £13¹²/₁ which with an amount brought forward of £43-9-6 made a total of £57. 1. 6 to the present date, not including any claims for Standard Medals which may have been won in other Club events.

Autumnal Lints Tour. The date and venue for the Autumnal Lints Tour were discussed and it was agreed that the Tour should be on the 19/20 October to Llanarmon N. G.

Testimonial to Mr E. Buckley.

A circular letter dated July 22nd issued by a Sub-Committee of the Northern Roads Records Association stating that the Committee desired to recognise the services rendered to the Northern Roads Records Association for 25 years by Mr Edmund Buckley as Hon Secretary and Treasurer and were appealing for Donations for this purpose, was read. The Chairman reported that on receipt of the letter, he had advised the Hon Secretary to write to Mr R. J. Austin (one of the signatories to the circular letter referred to) and suggest that the most satisfactory way of approaching the Members of the Club would be for him (Mr Austin) to draw up a circular letter in his own name and ask for the sanction of this Committee to its issue with the Monthly Circular, but that in the absence of the Hon Secretary from home he had no information as to whether this had been done. After discussion, it was, on the Motion of Mr E. Edwards decided unanimously that the Club do make a Donation of Five Guineas to the Testimonial to Mr Buckley, and after further discussion it was also decided that the Hon Secretary be requested to write to Mr R. J.

Letter from Mr J. H. Loenen.

Austin informing him of the Committee's decision to make a Donation of Five Guineas and that if he wishes to draw up a circular letter addressed to the Members individually, the Committee authorize its being sent out with the Monthly Circular. A letter from Mr J. H. Loenen dated 1st August forwarding two photographs he had obtained from Denzham of Mr Lawrence Fletcher and Mr G. D. Mills respectively, taken on the occasion of their rides from Llandovery Castle to John D. Groves in 1892 & 1893, and suggesting that these may be of use to the compiler of the History of the Club, or that the photograph of Mr G. D. Mills might be reproduced in the Circular with appropriate notice which he would prepare - was read, but the Committee decided not to take any action in the matter for the time being.

Confirmed Sept 9. 29. W. P. Cook.

September 1929.

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at the Victoria Hotel.

St. John Lane Liverpool on Monday 9th September 1929 at 4.0 p.m.

Present

Mr W. D. Cook in the Chair.

and Messrs E. Bushley, S. J. Buck, A. Davis, E. Edwards, A. L. Elston,
G. A. Glover, J. S. Jones, W. L. Little, R. L. Knipe, J. Long, A. Lucas,
G. B. Mercer, E. Newell, W. L. Venables. A. held on the Hon Secretary.

An apology for absence was received from Mr C. Randall.

The Minutes of the Meeting held on the 12th August were read and confirmed.

Fixtures for October were arranged as follows:-

- October 5. Acton Bridge (Leigh Arm)
- " 12. Mold (Dolphin)
- " 14. Committee Meeting 4.0 p.m. Victoria Hotel Liverpool.
- " 19. Northwich (Green & Anchor)
- " 19/20 Autumnal Link Tour. Llanarmon (West Arm)
- " 26. Moldsworth. (Station Hotel)

Nov. 2. Stalwood (Derby Arm) Musical Evening.

Alternative Fixtures for Manchester Members.

- October 12. Marton. (Davenport Arm)
- Nov. 2. Goostrey. (Red Lion)

Accounts.

The following Accounts were passed for payment.

Northern Publishing Company Ltd £1. 12. 0. back for the 12 Hours.

Stamford Bridge £1. Shawbury (Four Hounds) £2 10/4. Hotel £12/6 for feeding in the 12 Hours.

Chatter (Bull Street) £5 5/- for feeding in the 24 Hours.

Unpaid Subscriptions.

A list of unpaid Subscriptions for 1929 was read.

Racing Report.

The Hon Racing Secretary read his report of the 12 Hours handicap and it was noted that the amount involved for prizes to date was £66-10-6. plus £13-3-0. for Standard Medals making a Total of £79-13-6.

Musical Evening

A Motion by Mr R. L. Knipe seconded by the Hon Secretary that a Musical Evening be held at Stalwood on November 2nd.

R. R. C.

under the direction of Mr George Newall was carried unanimously.

The Chairman read a letter from Mr D. C. Beardwood asking for instructions regarding the proposals by the North Middlessex & North Cycling Association which appeared on the Agenda to be submitted to the Meeting of the Road Racing Council on 24th August. to the effect, the Meeting recommended to the Anfield Bicycle Club, that the declaration insisted upon from all competitors in their open 100 held last week Monday be reconsidered.

The Chairman read the reply he had made to Mr D. C. Beardwood.

The Minutes of the Meeting of the Road Racing Council held on the 24th August were read and discussed and it was decided that pending receipt of an official request nothing further should be done.

Mr D. C. Beardwood's report of the Meeting was read, and also a letter from Mr G. H. Stancer on the same subject.

Confirmed Oct 14-29 W.P. Cook.

October 1929.

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at the Victoria Hotel, St. John's Lane Liverpool on Monday 12th October 1929 at 4.0. pm.

Present

Mr W. D. Cook in the Chair.

and Messrs E. J. Buck, A. Davis, E. Edwards, H. L. Elton, G. A. Glover, J. S. Jonas, W. H. Kettle, A. Lucas, G. B. Mercer, E. Nevill, W. T. Venables. A. Wild in the Hon Secretary.

Apologies for absence were received from Messrs E. Buckley, J. Long & B. Randall.

The Minutes of the Meeting held on the 9th September were read and confirmed.

Fixtures for November were arranged as follows:-

Nov. 2. Halewood. (Toby Arms) Annual Evening.

" 9. Larpool. (Swan)

" 11. Committee Meeting 4.0 pm Victoria Hotel Liverpool

" 16. Sulford (Governor Arms)

" 23. Helby. (Railway Hotel)

" 30. Mold. (Dolphin)

Dec 4. Halewood. (Toby Arms)

Alternative Fixtures for Manchester Members.

Nov. 2. Goostrey. (Red Lion)

" 16. Scaisbury. (Admiral Rodney)

" 30. Archid. (Rose Crown)

Dec 4. Goostrey. (Red Lion)

Owing to the absence of the Hon Treasurer who was indisposed the Accounts for payment and list of unpaid subscriptions were left over until the November Meeting.

Third 50

The Hon Racing Secretary read his report of the Third 50 Miles Handicap, and it was noted that the total amount involved for prizes was £96-14-0.

Days.

The individual Prize List was read and approved.

Confirmed Nov 11th 29 W. P. Cook.

November 1929.

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at the Victoria Hotel, St. John's Lane Liverpool on Monday 11th November 1929 at 4.0. pm

Present

Mr W. D. Cook in the Chair

and Messrs E. Buckley, E. J. Buck, A. Davis, E. Edwards, H. L. Elton, G. A. Glover, J. S. Jonas, W. H. Kettle, R. L. Knipe, J. Long, A. Lucas, G. B. Mercer, E. Nevill, E. Randall, W. T. Venables in the Hon Secretary.

A vote of deep sympathy on the death of Mr Arthur Doherty was passed in silence.

Apology for absence was received from Mr A. Wild.

The Minutes of the Meeting held on the 12th October were read and confirmed.

Fixtures for December were arranged as follows:-

Dec 4. Halewood. (Toby Arms)

" 9. Committee Meeting 4.0 pm Victoria Hotel Liverpool.

" 14. Darkest. (King D. Bell)

" 21. Sulford. (Governor Arms)

" 26. Northwich. (Crown & Anchor)

Alternative Town.

Bretton-y-Coed. (Glan Aber)

" 28. Hooton. (Hooton Hotel)

1930
Jan 4. Helby. (Railway Inn)

" 11. Halewood (Toby Arms) Annual General Meeting.

Alternative Fixtures for Manchester Members.

Dec 4. Goostrey. (Red Lion)

" 21. Motton St. Andrew. (Bulls Head)

" 28. Botlington. (Swan with two Sicks)

New Member.

Mr Robert Chadwick proposed by Mr C. H. Carlisle seconded by Mr C. H. Turner was on the proposition of Mr E. Buckley, seconded by Mr E. Nevill duly elected to full membership.

Unpaid Subscription
Accounts.

The list of unpaid subscription for 1929 was read

The action of the President & Hon Treasurer in issuing a cheque in favour of the Northern Publishing Co Ltd for £6¹³/₁₆.

was approved. Sept: circular £5. 1. 6.
 Third 50 cards. 1. 12. 0
 £ 6. 13. 6

The following Accounts were passed for payment.

Northern Publishing Co. £3. 5. 3. Satola circular.

Raven Hotel, Ipswich Heath £3 15/- for feeding in the 100
 12 & 24.

Rose & Son, Aulid £1. Feeding in the 24.

R. R. C.

Letter read from the Hon Secretary of the Road Racing
 Council, asking for our observation of the R. R. C. recommendation
 that we reconsider our decision in regard to the declaration
 insisted upon by the Club from all Entrants in the Invitation
 100 - After carefully discussing and considering same
 a reply was drafted and approved (Mr W. J. Venables proposing
 and Mr C. Randall seconding) to the effect that so far as the
 present Committee were concerned, there was no likelihood of
 the Club's Policy being altered.

Bath Road Dinner Letter read from the Bath Road Club dated 9th November inviting
 the Club to nominate a Member to attend their Annual
 Dinner on 6th December. it was resolved to ask Mr W. J. Season
 to attend and represent the R. R. C. and the Hon Secretary was
 instructed to write him accordingly.

Letter read from Mr G. Molyneux & it was agreed that the
 Handicap Prize be allowed him, although he had not complied
 with Prize Rule No 1 by attending 20 fixtures during the year 1929.

Editor.

Arising out of any other business Mr E. Hewitt informed the
 Meeting that owing to a change of residence he would be
 unable to continue the Editorship of the Circular and proposed
 that Mr J. S. Jones be appointed Editor in his place. Mr A. Lucas
 seconded and on being put to the Meeting the proposition was
 carried.

Confirmed Dec 9th 1929 W. P. Cook.

December 1929

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at the Victoria Hotel, St John Lane
 Liverpool on Monday 9th December 1929 at 4.0. pm.

Present

Mr W. J. Cook in the Chair.

and Messrs E. Buckley, S. J. Buckle, A. Davies, C. Edwards, H. L. Elston.

& A. Glover, J. S. Jones, Mr H. Kettle, R. L. Knipe, J. Long, A. Lucas.

& B. Mercer, C. Randall & the Hon Secretary

Apologies for absence were received from Mr A. Field & Mr W. J.
 Venables.

The Minutes of the Meeting held on the 11th November 1929 were
 read and confirmed.

Fixtures for January were arranged as follows:-

Jan. 4. Helby (Barley Inn)

" 11. Halewood (Derby Arms) Annual General Meeting.

" 13. Committee Meeting 4.0. pm. Victoria Hotel, Lpool.

" 18. Harrington (New Bridge Cafe) Lincolnton Road

" 25. Lufford. (Grosvenor Arms)

Feb. 1. Halewood. (Derby Arms)

Alternation Fixtures for Manchester Members.

Jan. 25. Prestonbury (Admiral Rodney)

Feb. 1. Goostrey. (Red Lion)

Unpaid Subscriptions. The List of unpaid Subscriptions for 1929 was again read.

Transfers.

The following Members were transferred to the Honorary
 List (at their request) as from the 1st January next. Messrs
 E. L. Harley, D. Smith and J. M. James.

Accounts.

The following accounts were passed for payment
 Northern Publishing Company Ltd £4. 13. 3.

November, Circular 3. 5. 3.

3 Receipt Books. 19. 6

Postcards (R. L. K.) 8. 6

£ 4. 13. 3

Vaughtons Ltd 10/- for 3 Record Badges.

R. R. C.

The Interim Report of the Road Racing Council Meeting.

regarding the decisions of the Meeting held on the 24th
August 1929 was read

A. G. M.

Letter read from Mr J. C. Beardwood on the same subject.
The proposed Agenda for the Annual General Meeting
was read and considered.

R. R. A. Dinn.

Letter read from the Hon Secretary of the Road Records
Association regarding the Spicewine Dinner to be held at
the Courtauld Room on Friday February 1st 1930.

Confirmed Jan'y 13-30 W. P. Cook.

January 1930.

Minutes of a Committee Meeting held at the Victoria Hotel, St John Lane
Liverpool on Monday 10th January 1930 at 4-0 p.m.

Present

Mr W. J. Cook in the Chair.

and Messrs L. J. Buckle, R. H. Barltre, A. Davis, E. Edwards, H. L. Elston, J. S.
Jones, W. H. Kettle, J. Stender, R. L. Knipe, J. Long, A. Lucas, G. B. Murren,
C. H. Turnor, W. J. Venables & the Hon Secretary.

The Minutes of the Meeting held on the 9th December 1929 were read
and confirmed.

Lectures for February were arranged as follows:-

- Feb 1 Halewood (Derry Arms)
- " 8. Mold (Dolphin)
- " 10. Committee Meeting 4-0 p.m. Victoria Hotel. Liverpool
- " 15. Larpoley (Lion)
- " 22. Dufford (Grosvenor Arms)
- March 1. Halewood (Derry Arms) Musical Evening.

Alternative Lectures for Manchester Members.

- Feb 1. Goostrey (Red Lion)
- " 8. Bootham St. Andrew (Bulls Head)
- " 22. Arclid (Rose Crown)
- March 1. Goostrey (Red Lion)

New Member

Mr Geoffrey Lockett proposed by Mr G. B. Parrell seconded by Mr A.
Davis was on the proposition of Mr A. Davis seconded by Mr W. J.
Venables duly elected to Full Membership.

Transfers.

The following Members were transferred to the Honorary List.
Messrs E. Bright & A. J. James.

Resignations

The resignation of Mr A. B. Waterhouse was read and accepted
with regret. The resignation of Mr F. L. Edwards was read
& considered, Mr C. H. Turnor proposed and Mr J. Long seconded
that the Hon Secretary write and ask Mr Edwards to reconsider
the matter & remain a full member or in the alternative
to remain in the Club as an Honorary Member.

Struck off.

Mr J. L. Haddon was struck off the list of Members for