

Minutes of a meeting held in the Comrades Club  
on Wednesday, Nov 10<sup>th</sup> 1937

Present The Rev<sup>d</sup> C. J. K. Burnell, Mayor H. T. Moore, Messrs  
W. Lancaster, J. H. Cook, F. Baldwin, S. Napier

Mr. W. Lancaster was unanimously elected

1. Election of officials for 1937-8

Chairman. On the proposal of Mr. J. H. Cook seconded by  
Mayor Moore, the Rev<sup>d</sup> C. J. K. Burnell was asked and  
consented to ~~act as~~<sup>continue to</sup> fill the office of Chairman.

Hon. Secretary. On the proposal of the Chairman seconded  
by Mr. Baldwin, Mayor H. T. Moore was elected.

Hon. Treasurer. On the proposal of Mr. Napier seconded by  
Mr. Lancaster, Mr. J. H. Cook was elected.

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

3. Benevolent Cases. (a) Arising from the last minutes—

- (i) The Hon. Sec<sup>y</sup> reported that Mr. Ridler continued her  
repayment of the loan made to her & had up to date  
refunded £8-10-0 of the £15 due.
- (ii) The Hon. Sec<sup>y</sup> reported that Mr. Meek had no document in

which any ailment other than rheumatism was referred to as a cause of disability & consequently no further action regarding his pension was possible.

(b)(i) Mr. F. Dallimore. The Hon. Sec<sup>t</sup> reported that the Ministry of Pensions Office at Exeter had been asked for information as to obtaining a Medical Board with a view to obtaining an increase of pension. The answer was that the pension now issued was a final grant & the matter could not be reopened.

After discussion it was decided to refer the matter to the County Secretary.

(ii) Mr. Sutton ~~and~~ applied for assistance towards the maintenance of his son Kirby whilst a student of journalism at Bristol. It was decided to refer the case to the Regional Agent.

(iii) Mrs. Hamies (Gloucester St.) applied for assistance for clothing & boots for her children. The Hon. Sec was instructed to refer to Mr. Bisco regarding certain particulars & the Standing Committee was authorised to proceed with the case afterwards.

(iv) Mr. <sup>Williams</sup> Jones applied for assistance for special food for his wife. After discussion the Hon. Sec was instructed to ask for a new form to be completed

with up-to-date particulars.

There being no further business the meeting closed.

(Yours truly,  
Yours truly)