

The 18 Hole Medal was also won by J. R. Williams with a score of nett 66, he won the Cardiff Cup and a companion set; 2nd, D. G. Lord with a nett score of 69, canteen of cutlery; 3rd, G. Phillips with nett score of 70, a pair of waterproof trousers given by the Cardiff Golf Club; 4th, G. O'Gorman with a nett score of 71, two pairs of socks, also given by Cardiff Golf Club.

We had a very good attendance and I would like to say a word of thanks to the Head Greenkeeper and his staff, and the inside staff for the way they all looked after us and made our day a great success, also thanks to Mr. Ramsey of Ransomes, Sims & Jefferies for the work he put in, helping with the cards, etc.

#### Spring Meeting

Our Spring meeting will be held sometime in April if possible, the Club and date has not been arranged yet. We will have a committee meeting to decide this in the near future, I hope to have it all arranged by the Christmas Journal.

I was very pleased to meet Mr. Stewart Christie from the St. Pierre Golf Club, Chesham and I hope he will be able to come to more of our meetings.

We have been very lucky in signing some new members and I think that in time we will have a much stronger section, keep it up lads, we can't get too strong.

## EAST MIDLAND

By S. T. McNeice

Chairman:  
D. G. WHITEHEAD  
(Wollaton Park)

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40 Edward Road,  
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#### Autumn Tournament

THE EAST MIDLAND SECTION KEPT up its tradition by choosing a sunny day to hold their Annual Autumn Tournament which was held at Rothley Park, Leicester, on 25th September. There was a small entry and only 16 competed for the Autumn Trophy.

Results as follows:—1st, S. T. McNeice, Leicestershire, 1 Down; 2nd, F. Frost, Derby Municipal, 2 Down; 3rd, E. A. Clarkson, Leicestershire, 3 Down; 4th, P. McCarron, Leicestershire, 4 Down; 5th, B. F. Mott, Kingsthorpe, 4 Down; 6th, J. Carrick, Church Brampton, 4 Down; 7th, S. Fretter, Kirby Muxloe, 5 Down; 8th, R. Willars, Leicestershire, 6 Down; 9th, D. Bull, Bulwell Forest, 7 Down; 10th, F. Oliver, Nottingham City, 7 Down; Best First 9 Holes, F. Frost, 1 Up; Highest Score, R. Buchcannon, 17 Down. All ties decided on last 9 holes. Vice-Presidents, 1st, E. G. Ramsey.

The prizes were presented by the Captain of Rothley Park, Mr. D. H. Herbert, who was introduced by the Section Chairman, Mr. D. G. Whitehead.

The Captain said how pleased he was to be able to welcome for the first time, members of the Greenkeepers' Association and spoke



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highly of the work greenkeepers and their staff carried out to enable golfers all over the country to enjoy their game of golf on a carpet of green grass. Mr. D. G. Whitehead in reply, thanked the officials of the Rothley Park Golf Club for allowing us the courtesy of the course and Clubhouse. He thanked Mr. Herbert for presenting the prizes, the indoor staff for an enjoyable meal and congratulated the outdoor staff for the splendid condition of the course, all these remarks being heartily endorsed by our members.

We were very pleased to have our old friend Eric Ramsey with us to deputise for Mr. Cook, who was unavoidably unable to attend. I should like to take this opportunity to thank Eric for his help in checking the cards, etc., and sincerely hope we shall have the pleasure of his company in the near future.

We are indebted to the following who have kindly contributed to our Prize Fund, Messrs. Sutton & Sons Ltd., H. Pattison & Co. Ltd., W. Hargreaves & Co. Ltd., Carters Tested Seeds Ltd., Lunevale Products Ltd., May & Baker Ltd., Mr. S. C. Long, Mr. A. J. E. Cook, Mr. A. G. Beck, Mr. O. Peake and Mr. D. G. Whitehead.

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