

idea how many to expect. We shall arrive after lunch, tour the works and have a cup of tea, it should make an interesting afternoon.

Spring Tournament

Will members please let me have their entries for our Tournament, at Little Aston Golf Club, on Tuesday, 5th May, by the 27th April, so that catering arrangements can be made.

NORTH-EAST

By T. Oliver

Chairman:
J. SIMPSON
(Ponteland G.C.)

Hon. Secretary:
Heathery Cottage,
Heathery Lane, Gosforth,
Newcastle-on-Tyne 3.

ON THURSDAY, 20th FEBRUARY, the section Dinner was held at the Gosforth Golf Club, and owing to weather conditions I was greatly concerned for those members who had to travel some distance. Snow having fallen during the week made the roads a bit risky and as was expected we had a few cancellations. We were very happy with the attendance of thirty-three, a very good result.

We were sorry that our President, Mr. L. A. Jones, also President of the English Golf Union, could not attend owing to illness, we hope he is out and about again. He was very disappointed for I know he was looking forward to meeting us.

Mr. C. N. Storey, President, Northumberland Union of Golf Clubs paid a tribute to

Greenkeepers and their skilled job today.

Mr. Crighton, from the Durham Union of Golf Clubs, and Mr. Jack Veitch, Captain of the Gosforth Golf Club, made us all very welcome.

The Chairman, Mr. Jack Simpson mentioned that Mr. J. V. Todd, F.R.C.S., President of Durham Union Golf Clubs, owing to other engagements was sorry he could not attend and thanked Mr. Storey, Mr. Crighton and Mr. Veitch, and the Committee of the Gosforth Golf Club for the use of the clubhouse. A vote of thanks was made by the Secretary to the Chairman for the most able way he has carried out his duties, appreciated by all.

Mr. Vaughan, of Ransomes, Sims and Jefferies, was on his way to join us at the Dinner but rang up to say he couldn't make it owing to car trouble on the road, we were sorry to hear.

All our thanks to the Steward and Stewardess, Mr. and Mrs. D. Powell, for the wonderful meal they provided, and later we all enjoyed the lounge and bar, where I am sure there was never a dull moment.

Louis Lowcock

It is with great regret we hear of the death of Louis Lowcock. Many of our members knew Lou. when he was a member of our Association before the war and was with Durham City Golf Club.

All our members wish to extend their deep sympathy to Mrs. Lowcock and her daughter.

EAST MIDLAND

By S. T. McNeice

Chairman:
F. FROST
(Derby, G.C.)

Hon. Secretary:
40 Edward Road,
Clarendon Park, Leicester

Spring Tournament

THE EAST MIDLAND SECTION Annual Spring Tournament, arranged for Wednesday, 13th May, at Bulwell Hall, Nottingham, will be an 18-hole Medal Competition, starting at about 1-0 p.m.

A hearty invitation is extended to our Vice-Presidents to join us.

As catering arrangements have to be made in advance, I once more appeal to those who wish to attend to please let me know not later than Friday, 8th May. I do insist on knowing by this date. A mixed grill will be served for tea.

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