



HON. SECRETARY'S NOTES

ANNUAL TOURNAMENT

Little Aston, August 8th to 10th, 1966.

Our Vice-Chairman, Mr F Cashmore, 76 Four Oaks Common Road, Sutton Coldfield, has been making inquiries with regard to accommodation for members attending the above Tournament.

He informs me that he has received a lot of assistance from Mr Dennant, the Secretary of the Sutton Coldfield Artisans Golf Club, who has supplied him with a number of addresses, and if any of our members have difficulty in finding suitable accommodation, Mr Cashmore will be only too willing to help if they will get in touch with him.

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By J. Parker

Hon. Secretary:

Chairman:
D. ROBERTS 8 Goit Stock Terr Harden
(West Bowling G.C.) Bingley Yorks.

Spring Tournament

WILL BE PLAYED OVER THE COURSE of the Pannal Golf Club, Harrogate, on Tuesday, 26th April, 1966 (by kind permission of the Club Committee).

Handicaps

The following adjustments have been made:—
J. H. Readhead 18 to 16, C Garnett 22 to 20,
H. Marshall 21 to 20 and A. Robertshaw 16 to 15.

Grand National Sweep

Members are reminded that the closing date for the return of counterfoils and monies for the sweep is Monday, 14th March.

January Lecture

This was held on Thursday, 27th January, in the clubhouse of the West Bowling Golf Club when thirty-two members attended. The speaker was Mr P Horner, Northern representative of Hayter Mowers Ltd., who illustrated his talk with films of the whole range of machines describing them in detail and pointing out many features. This was followed by a long session of questions and discussion. A vote of thanks was proposed and seconded by our Chairman and Vice-Chairman respectively. A most enjoyable evening was brought to a close with eats and drinks kindly provided by Messrs Hayters to whom we express our sincere thanks. I expect also there will be certain members playing in the Spring Tournament with a new ball for the first time in their lives!

Mr Leslie Bakes

It is with deep regret that I have to inform members of the death of Mr Leslie Bakes, an Honorary Vice-President of the section, at the age of 76.



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Leslie, as he was familiarly known by a wide circle of greenkeepers, was a staunch supporter of the Section and took a prominent part in initiating a pension scheme for members.

He was secretary of the Sand Moor Club and before that was Secretary at Moor Allerton. He was also Secretary of the North-Eastern Section of the Association of Golf Club Secretaries and of the Society of Leeds Golf Club Captains.

On behalf of the members I have written to Mrs Bakes offering our deepest condolences.