

*Resolved*, That Major O. R. Arnold and Captain Kinnear be requested to have the work of clearing away the trees behind the right end of the butt carried out, and also a dam constructed at 200 yards to prevent further undermining of the bank of the brook.

After a lengthy discussion it was resolved, on motion of Sergt. W. A. Lordly and Captain D. H. Fairweather,

That the number of prizes in the different matches be increased to twenty-eight or thirty, as the Council may deem feasible.

The proposal to introduce a consolation match was disapproved of.

Moved by Major F. H. Hartt, seconded by Sergeant W. A. Lordly,

That the method of selecting next year's Maritime team be referred to the Council.—*Carried*.

After some explanation and discussion the following amendments to the constitution were duly made on motion of the Secretary.

To add the following as Section 3 :

Any person, other than a commissioned officer, being a British subject, may become an associate member of the Association for the current year upon payment of the sum of one dollar and shall thereby have the privilege of taking part in the annual matches, but shall not be entitled to vote at any meeting of the Association other than a Competitors' meeting.

To substitute the following for Section 4, relating to affiliated associations :

Any County or Regimental Association in the Province subscribing five dollars towards the funds of the Association shall be considered as being in connection with it during the year in which such subscription shall be made, and shall be entitled to receive the silver medal of the Association for competition by its *bona fide* members.

To strike out Section 6, relating to persons competing who are not members of the Association.