

pointed out the necessity of the officers being within reach of the headquarters of the Club in order to facilitate the proper management of the affairs of the Club. The President also pointed out the desirability of the Royal Military College being recognised as an engineering institution by the Institute of Civil Engineers, and hoped that it would be arranged during the coming year. The President also spoke of the necessity of having any papers that might be read before the Club of a non-professional character, in order that such papers would be interesting to all the members and prevent the Club becoming in any sense a professional institution. The President thanked the members for having accorded him two terms of office and stated his intention of retiring from the Presidency, and closed his remarks by stating his appreciation of the efforts of the Secretary in the interests of the Club.

Mr. Dixon brought up the question of the employment of ex-cadets in the Civil Service, and the question received a great deal of discussion, but as no motion was placed before the chair on the matter, it was allowed to drop.

Moved by Mr. Dixon, seconded by Mr. Campbell,

That the following be inserted after V in the By-laws: "Gentlemen who are, or at any time have been, connected with the Royal Military College may be elected 'honorary members,' by unanimous vote, at any annual general meeting of the Club."—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Dixon, seconded by Mr. Kerr,

That By-law VIII be struck out, and the following substituted: "In addition to the officers named in By-law VI, there may be elected at any annual general meeting an 'Honorary President' of the Club, who shall hold office for the ensuing year."—Lost.

Moved by Mr. Dixon, seconded by Mr. Laidlaw,

That the following additions be made to By-law XXIII: That the word "first" be inserted after the word "must," so as to read "The case must first be investigated," etc., etc.; and that the following be added after the last word "meeting": "whose decision shall be final."—Carried.