

9: September 1947.

The Monthly Committee Meeting was held in the Parish Hall on the 9th September with Miss Chamberlain presiding. An apology for absence was received from Mr. Hubbard. The Minutes of the last Meeting were duly read and signed. Arising from the Minutes it was stated that Rushwork Classes had been arranged to take place on Oct. 13th, 20th, 27th and 31st and that the Smocking Class held on the day previous to the Meeting had been much appreciated. The Cete held on Bank Holiday was discussed and the Secretary was requested to write letters of thanks to Mr. Harry Aldridge and to the School Managers for their great help and co-operation. It was agreed to discuss at the next General Meeting the allocation of the profits; the following being suggested:-
Sub: to St. Osmond St. Hospital, War Graves Commission, Church Clock, new China & Library Books.

Rushwork Classes
Smocking do
Cete

Missions to Seamen
Library Books.

Monthly Letters
V.C.O.

A letter was read from the Missions to Seamen thanking the Institute for their gift of £10. Mr. Bremner said she had enquired of Elliston Davells if they had any second-hand library books for sale, but so far none were on offer.

The Monthly Letters for August & September were read & it was agreed to apply for a V.C.O to attend the Annual General Meeting. It was decided to accept the invitation for 10 members to attend the $\frac{1}{2}$ yearly

Group Meeting Group Meeting at Warborough on the 24th September.
 It was agreed to refer a suggestion from Mr. W. Aldridge to the General Meeting that a party should be formed to attend the Home Counties Inter-County Guild of Learners' Handicrafts Exhibition at Horticultural Hall, Vincent Square, London, 29th + 30th October. It was also agreed to refer a further suggestion from Mr. Aldridge to the General Meeting that Sewing Meetings ~~so~~ should be held regularly in the Hall; the Committee proposing a small Committee; Mr. W. Aldridge, Mr. C. Douglas & Miss Atkinson; and suggesting that these ^{sewing} Meetings be open to the Parish.

Whist Drive. Mr. H. Aldridge said she hoped to arrange a Whist Drive in aid of the Cancer Campaign later on October. Arrangements for the September General Meeting were completed.

New Member Mr. ^{Donna Grey} Dummer was proposed by Mr. Wood, seconded by Miss Champion, as a new member and duly elected - Members were reminded that nomination for the 1948 Committee should be brought to the next meeting.

Transport to Hospital Mr. C. Douglas informed the Meeting that anyone requiring a car in an emergency for travel to Hospital should apply to Mr. Nowell Smith of Webbs, who would also help elderly people with pensions etc.

Use of Cupboard Mr. H. Aldridge proposed the Committee agreed to allow the Pr. Legion Women's Section to use part of the Institute's cupboard.

Doris H. Chamberlain
 Oct. 14th 1947