

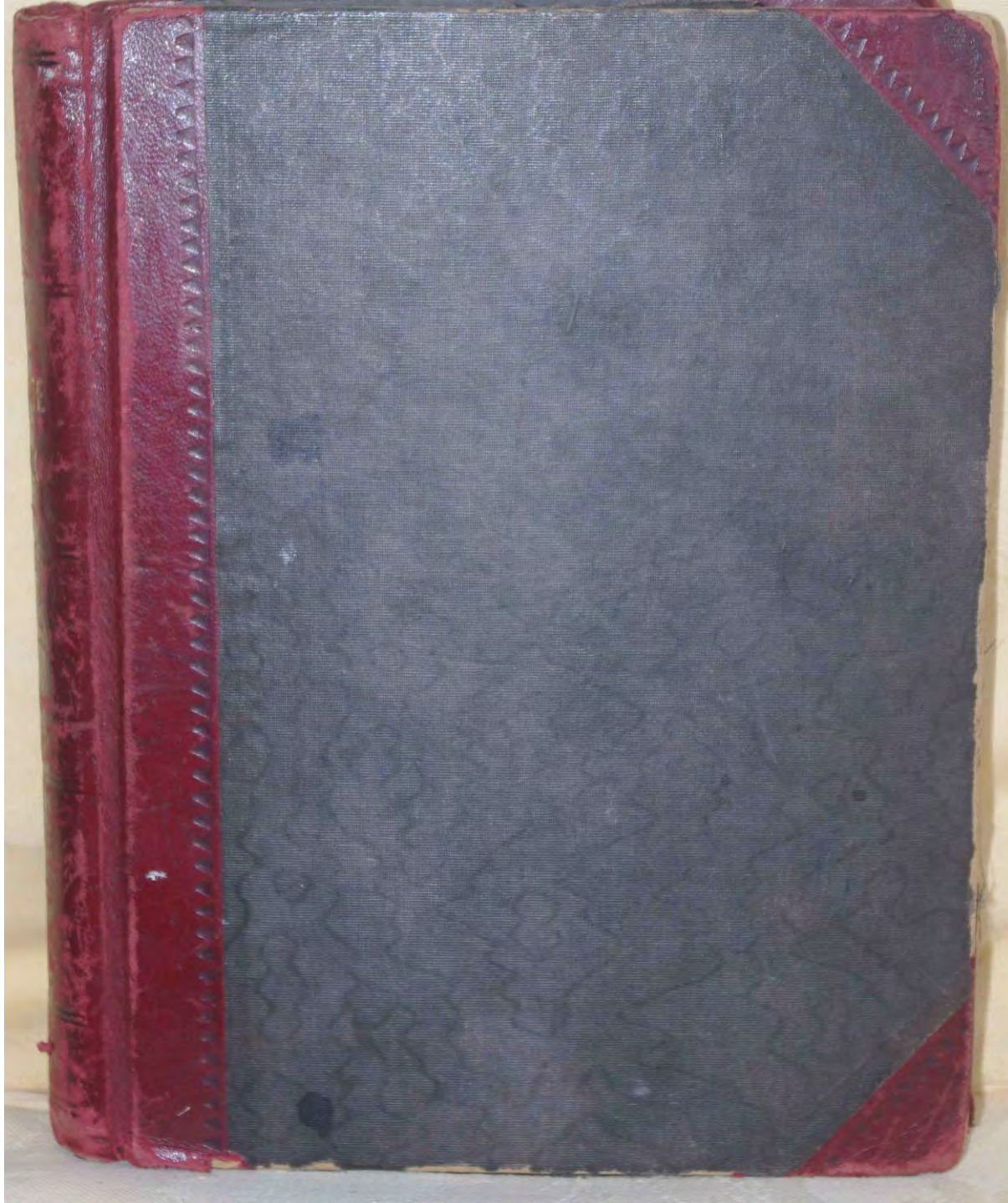
Second Minute Book

Part 3

Containing the minutes of meetings
held from
25 March 1938 to 10 April 1940

Notes

1. Although by the middle of the twentieth century a more rigid spelling of surnames had been achieved, the various secretaries of the Society often misspelt members names. In order to facilitate electronic searching though this document, **some** surnames and proper nouns in the transcription have been changed to what is thought to be the correct spelling. Where such a change has been made then the new word is shown in italics, and the actual written word may be seen in the photograph of the actual page. For example William (Bill) Beddows is often written as Beddow. All such instances have been amended to *Beddows*. A very interesting situation is that of Albert T(opham) Meens who died in 1965. During his later days within the society he was referred to as A T Means, and the timeline of the new book *Feathers and Flames* page 77 records his death as A T Means. In fact Albert was born (in Wakefield) with German grand-parents with the surname Meenz, a name which he used on the 1911 census. His death certificate is in the name of Meens and therefore this is the name which is used throughout this transcription.
2. Because of an error in the count of the Society's Annual Show (there were two 88th shows) which was not discovered until just prior to the 150th show all the counts recorded in this minute book are incorrect by one year. The transcript **has not** been amended to show the correct count.





General Meeting held Mar 25th 1938

Members Present Messrs W Beddows (Chairman)

A T Meens W Robinson G Still E H Robinson

Pro & Sec That minutes of last meeting
be past & read

The Election of officers then took place
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President Sir Daniel Hall, KCB, FRS, LLD London

Vice President

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R Robinson W Knowles (Stalybridge)

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Secretary

G Still South Avenue Horbury

Treasurer

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Minutes of Meeting held April 23rd 1938
Members Present Messrs W Beddows Chairman
W Robinson G Still A T Meens E H Robinson
Pro & Sec that Minutes of last Meeting be
past as read
Arising of of Minutes was discussion of
Vase Classes and the following minute
was past unanimously
That prize money stand as previously
but all entrys become the property
of the society, this fact to be adverted
on shedule
Pro & Sec that Class for 25 Tulips
be left in the hands of W Beddows
after judging to be disposed of as
he thinks fit
Pro & Sec and carried unanimously
That no prize money be paid for
the Needham Memorial Class
That next meeting be held on Sunday
week at dinner Time and all members
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signed) William Beddows

Members
Present

Minutes of Meeting held May 29th
Messrs W. Beddows (Chairman), W. Robinson
J. W. Midgley, Reg. Robinson A. Tear.
R. Robinson. G. C. Still

Minutes of last meeting past as read
Mr A. Tear proposed a Vote of Thanks for Judges
which was Sec: by Mr W. Robinson

It was pro by Mr J. W. Midgley that Bills
for printing be paid at once, Sec by Mr Reg
Robinson

It was then pro by Mr W. Robinson that small
shields be placed on base stand of open cup
for future winners names to be engraved on
arrangements for same to be made by Mr Reg
Robinson Sec by Mr J. W. Midgley

Mr W. Beddows then asked for Tulip Bulbs
to be given to Society to be sold for Society
funds Bulbs Promised Mr W. Beddows 200
Mr R. Robinson 100

It was pro by Mr J. W. Midgley that Sec
should write Ind Coop Brewery about subscription
Sec by Mr A. Tear

For the pay out of prize moneys
W Beddows

Minutes of Meeting held May 29th (ED: 1938)
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W Robinson

J W Midgley. Reg Robinson A Tear.
R. Robinson. G.C Still

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Minutes of Meeting held June 26th

Members Present } Messrs W Beddows Chairman, W Robinson
G Still, Reg Robinson, A Banks, A Tear
E H Robinson

Minutes of last meeting were read
and past as a true record.

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~~the~~

The Secretary then stated that the
society was in a very poor financial
position owing to be thought chiefly
to the two previous years, bad weather
which had no doubt interfered a
great deal with our shows

He then stated that he had done
the only thing he possibly could
after all expenses were paid he
would pay prize money to 1 quarter
of usual schedule, this was duly
accepted and paid out

A discussion then followed as to
the raising of funds

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Members Present Messrs W Beddows Chairman,
W Robinson

G Still, Reg Robinson, A Banks, A Tear
E H Robinson

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That we run a prize draw in
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R Robinson

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of 25 1d
signed) R Robinson

Minutes of Meeting held Nov 20th -38
Members Present Messrs, R Robinson Chairman
W Robinson, G Hunt, Baxendale, Robshaw,
Reg Robinson, E H Robinson
The minutes of last meeting were duly
read and past as a true record
A lengthy discussion then arose as to
classes and prize money
The secretary reported that prize money
taken in the bulk is now almost
double the amount paid out 5 years
ago, records prove this, and asks that
owing to the very poor financial position
resulting from our last show, the
matter be given the committees consideration
Several members reported their dissatisfaction
at the present state of affairs, and
the following proposition was put forward
and carried unanimously
Pro W Robinson, Sec G Hunt
That prize list open & local be fully
revised at our next meeting to be held
on Thursday Dec 8th at 7-30

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W Robinson G Hunt Baxendale, Robshaw,
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General Meeting held Feb 19th 1939
Member Present, Messrs R Robinson A T Meens
Chairman, G Hunt, W Robinson, A Tear,
A Robshaw, & E H Robinson
Pro & Sec That Minutes of last meeting
be past as read
The first item on the agenda was the
election of officials for the ensuing
year, the following were unanimously carried
President Sir Daniel Hall
Vice Presidents, W K Bramham, W W Hartley,
F R Hunter, W H Midgley, R Robinson,
W Beddows, & Fox,
Chairman A T Meens
Treasurer W Beddows
Treasurer for Public Fund, W Robinson
Auditors A Robshaw A Tear
Pro W Robinson
Sec R Robinson
That small cup previously
given to the best premier
be given to competed for in Stages Class
A new prize list was then presented
to the committee which had been compiled

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Chairman, G Hunt, W Robinson, A Tear
A Robshaw, E H Robinson
W Robinson Pro & Sec that Minutes of last meeting
G Hunt} be past as read
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W Beddows, F Fox,
Chairman A T Meens
Treasurer W Beddows
Treasurer for Public Fund, W Robinson
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Pro W Robinson
Sec R Robinson}
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at a previous meeting which could not be official owing to insufficient members being present

Pro W Robinson That the following prize list be adhered to at our future shows

Open Classes				
		1 st	2 nd	3 rd
Class 1	Cup Class	15/-	10/-	5/- (Open Class)
" 2	Six Rectified	10/-	6/6	4/-
" 3	Six Breeders	12/-	8/-	4/-
" 4	Pair Flamed	5/-	3/-	2/-
" 5	Pair Feathered	5/-	3/-	2/-
" 6	Vase of 9 (English)	7/6	5/-	2/6 Own foliage
" 7	" " Twenty five "	7/6	5/-	2/6
" 8	Needham Memorial Silver Challenge Cup			
" 9	Vase of 18 Any Variety Medal	10/-	5/-	
" 10	Vase of 9 " " " "	7/6	5/-	2/6 Decoration Allowed
Local Classes				
Class 11	Cup Class	15/-	10/-	5/- Local Cup
" 12	Six Rectified	10/-	6/6	4/-
" 13	Three Breeders	6/-	4/-	2/- Silver Plate
" 14	Stages Class	7/6	5/-	2/6 Small Cup
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Novice Classes

Class 24 Stand of Three 1st 5/- 2nd 3/- 3rd 2/- Cup
 Novices Single Blooms 2/- 1/6 1/-
 Premier Blooms Open & Local 5/- Each

Total Amount allotted for
 Prize money £17 - 10 - 6
 W Beddows

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	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
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		Novice Cup	
Novices Single Blooms	2/-	1/6	1/-
Premier Blooms Open and Local		5/- each	

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 Prize Money £17 - 10 - 6

Signed) W Beddows

Meeting held Mar 29th 1939

Members Present - Messrs W Beddows Chairman, R Robinson
G Hunt, R Robinson jun, W Robinson, A Robshaw
A Tear, A T Meens, & E H Robinson
Pro, R Robinson sen, and Sec, G Hunt,

That Minutes of last meeting be past
as read
A statement of account was then read,
showing a very substantial balance in hand
created through a public subscription
organised and worked by the members
of the committee

The secretary then stated that he wished
to advertise ~~on~~ shedule, that £17-10-6 would
be paid in prize money and asked for
permission to do so

Pro A Robshaw, Sec A T Meens, That £17-10-6 be
advertised on shedule as Prize Money

Pro G Hunt, Sec A Tear,

That all Tickets for Show & Club Cards
be left in the Secretarys hands

The following three judges were appointed
for our next Show { R Robinson Sen
W Midgley
W Beddows } *A Meens*

Meeting held Mar 29th 1939

Members Present- Messrs W Beddows Chairman,
R Robinson

G Hunt, R Robinson jun, W Robinson A Robshaw
A Tear, AT Meens, EH Robinson
pro R Robinson Sen, and Sec G Hunt}

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That all tickets for Show at Club Cards
be left in the Secraterys hands

The following three judge were appointed
for our next Show { R Robinson Sen

W Midgley

W Beddows

signed) AT Meens

Meeting held April 19th 1939

Members Present Messrs A T Meens, Chairman, R Robinson,
A Tear, A Robshaw, Baxendale, W Robinson, & EHR
Pro R Robinson sec W Robinson, That Minutes of last meeting
be past as read

Pro A Tear sec EHR Robinson

That Mr Meens be asked to approach Wakefield Park
Superintendent, with a view to opening Show
Pro Baxendale sec W Robinson

That Show Class Cards for Distinguishing
Classes be approved and accepted as sample
Pro & sec

That Committee meet on Wednesday next
to decide on Show date

A Meens

Meeting held April 19th 1939

Members Present Messrs A T Meens, Chairman, R
Robinson

A Tear, A Robshaw, Baxendale, W Robinson, EHR
pro R Robinson sec W Robinson,}

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signed) AT Meens

This was approved by all the committee
pro Baxendale seconded Beddow

That next meeting be held on Wednesday
May 3rd

A T Meens

This was approved by all the committee

pro Baxendale sec Beddows

That next meeting be held on Wednesday

May 3rd

Signed)

A T Meens

Meeting held May 3rd
Members Present, Messrs A T Meens Chair,
R Robinson W E Brook A Tear^{1 Hewitt} W Robinson;
Pro A Tear Sec W Robinson,
That Minutes of last Meeting be put as read
Pro R Robinson Sec A Tear,
That the following members be asked to
officialise at opening of Show
W Beddows Chairman, A T Meens, Vote of
thanks to opener and W E Brook to second
the same
Pro W E Brook Sec A Tear
That we purchase some show hand Bills
for next Wednesday
Pro W Robinson Sec W E Brook
That we leave letter for Tetleys Brewery
in abeyance until next meeting
A T Meens

Meeting held May 3rd (Ed: 1939)

Members Present, Messrs A T Meens Chair,
R Robinson, W E Brook A Tear I Hewitt W Robinson
pro A Tear sec W Robinson}

That minutes of last meeting be put as read
pro R Robinson sec A Tear}

That the following members be asked---

Officials at opening of Show

W Beddows Chairman, A T Meens, Vote of
thanks to opener and W E Brook to second the
same

pro W E Brook sec A Tear}

That we purchase some Show hand Bills
for next Wednesday

pro W Robinson sec W E Brook}

That we leave letter for Tetleys Brewery
in abeyance until next meeting
signed) AT Meens

Meeting held May 10th 1939
Members Present, Messrs AT Meens Chairman,
R Robinson sen, W Robinson, J Hunt A Tear
A Robshaw G Still & EH Robinson
The minutes of last meeting were read
and duly past by a proposition from
R Robinson seconded by A Tear
Mr Brook express a desire that the
~~Open~~ ^{Local} Challenge Cup should be won
on point, after a lengthy discussion
it was decided to leave over until
a further meeting.
Final arrangements were made for show
day three attendants were appointed
for dismantling show, and arrangements
were made for preparing show room
on Thursday & Friday
The following were past as New Member:-
W Beddows Mr Eyre
" Booth
" Summer jun
" Summer Sen
" Rushworth

Meeting held May 10th 1939

Member Present, Messrs AT Meens Chairman
R Robinson sen, W Robinson, G Hunt, A Tear
A Robshaw G Still & EH Robinson

The minutes of the last meeting were read
and duly past by a proposition from R Robinson
seconded by A Tear

Mr Brook express a desire that the
Local Challenge Cup should be won
on points, after a lengthy discussion
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a further meeting

Final arrangments were made for Show
day three attendents were appointed
for dismantling show, and arrangments
were made for preparing show room
on Thursday and Friday

The following were past as new Member:-
signed)

W Beddows Mr Eyre

" Booth

" Summer jun

" Summer Sen

" Rushworth

Show held at Whinney Moor Hotel May 20th

1939 Winners

Open Classes

- Class 1 Cup Stand 1st Reg Robinson 2nd Ellis Walker 3rd E Brook
 2 Six Rectified 1st E Brook 2nd Reg Robinson 3rd A Banks
 3 Six Breeder 1st J W Midgley 2nd Ellis Walker 3rd W Beddows
 4 Pair Flamed 1st Ellis Walker 2nd J W Midgley 3rd A Banks
 5 " Feathered 1st AT Meens 2nd Ellis Walker 3rd J W Midgley
 6 Vase Nine 1st Ellis Walker 2nd WK Bramham 3rd Reg Robinson
 7 " of 25 1st " Walker 2nd W Robinson 3rd W Beddows
 8 Needham Memorial 1st Ellis Walker 2nd E Brook 3rd A Banks
 9 Vase 18 other variety 1st WK Bramham 2nd WK Bramham 3rd T Booth
 10 Vase 9 other variety 1st G Hunt 2nd A Tear 3rd I Hewitt

Local.

- 11 Local Cup 1st JW Midgley 2nd E Brook 3rd W Beddows
 12 Six Rectified 1st E Brook 2nd A Bank 3rd No exhibit
 13 Three Breeders 1st Reg Robinson 2nd A Tear 3rd A Banks
 14 Stages Bizaes 1st " Robinson 2nd W Robinson 3rd A tear
 15 Breeder ?? 1st W Beddows 2nd AT Meens 3rd Reg Robinson
 16 Flamed 1st E Brook 2nd A Tear 3rd Reg Robinson
 17 Feathered 1st E Brook 2nd AT Meens 3rd W Beddows
 18 Breeder Biblomen 1st AT Meens 2nd JW Midgley 3rd W Beddows
 19 Flamed 1st A Tear 2nd W Robinson 3rd W Beddows
 20 Feathered 1st E Brook 2nd W Beddows 3rd Reg Robinson
 21 Rose Breeder 1st Reg Robinson 2nd E Brook 3rd W Robinson
 22 Flamed 1st JW Midgley 2nd A Tear 3rd E Brook
 23 Feathered 1st A Tear 2nd AT Meens 3rd E Brook

Show held at Whinney Moor Hotel May 20th 1939 Winners

Open Classes

Class 1	Cup Stand	1 st Reg Robinson	2 nd Ellis Walker	3 rd E Brook
2	Six Rectified	1 st E Brook	2 nd Reg Robinson	3 rd A Banks
3	Six Breeder	1 st J W Midgley	2 nd Ellis Walker	3 rd W Beddows
4	Pair Flamed	1 st Ellis Walker	2 nd J W Midgley	3 rd A Banks
5	" Feathered	1 st AT Meens	2 nd Ellis Walker	3 rd J W Midgley
6	Vase Nine	1 st Ellis Walker	2 nd WK Bramham	3 rd Reg Robinson
7	" of 25	1 st " Walker	2 nd W Robinson	3 rd W Beddows
8	Needham Memorial	1 st Ellis Walker	2 nd E Brook	3 rd A Banks
9	Vase 18 other variety	1 st WK Bramham	2 nd WK Bramham	3 rd T Booth
10	Vase 9 other variety	1 st G Hunt	2 nd A Tear	3 rd I Hewitt
Local	Local Cup	1 st JW Midgley	2 nd E Brook	3 rd W Beddows
11	Six Rectified	1 st E Brook	2 nd A Bank	3 rd No exhibit
12	Three Breeders	1 st Reg Robinson	2 nd A Tear	3 rd A Banks
13	Stages	1 st " Robinson	2 nd W Robinson	3 rd A Tear
14	Breeder	1 st W Beddows	2 nd AT Meens	3 rd Reg Robinson
15	Flamed	1 st E Brook	2 nd A Tear	3 rd Reg Robinson
16	Feathered	1 st E Brook	2 nd AT Meens	3 rd W Beddows
17	Breeder Biblomen	1 st AT Meens	2 nd JW Midgley	3 rd W Beddows
18	Flamed	1 st A Tear	2 nd W Robinson	3 rd W Beddows
19	Feathered	1 st E Brook	2 nd W Beddows	3 rd Reg Robinson
20	Rose Breeder	1 st Reg Robinson	2 nd E Brook	3 rd W Robinson
21	Flamed	1 st JW Midgley	2 nd A Tear	3 rd E Brook
22	Feathered	1 st A Tear	2 nd AT Meens	3 rd E Brook

Class 24 Novices
 Hand of three 1st A Robshaw 2 C Baxendale 3 S Hunt
 25 Best Breeder 1 C Baxendale 2 A Robshaw 3 S Hunt
 26 Best Flamed 1 C Baxendale 2 S Hunt 3 A Robshaw
 27 Best Feathered 1 S Hunt 2 A Robshaw 3 C Baxendale

Open Class Premier Breeder, Gleam, Ellis Walker
 Flamed, Cyrano, Reg Robinson
 Feathered, Gleam, Ellis Walker

Local Class Premier, Breeder, Sam Barlow, J W Midgley
 Flamed, Paxton, E Brook
 Feathered, Lucy Luard, E Brook

Cup & Plate Winners

Open Cup — Reg Robinson
 Needham Cup — Ellis Walker
 Local Cup — J W Midgley
 Stages Cup — Reg Robinson
 Silver Plate — Reg Robinson
 Novices Cup — C Baxendale
 Gold Medal — W K Bramham

Novices

24 Stand of three 1st A Robshaw 2nd C Baxendale 3rd G Hunt

25 Best Breeder 1st C Baxendale 2nd A Robshaw 3rd G Hunt

26 Best Flamed 1st C Baxendale 2nd G Hunt 3rd A Robshaw

27 Best Feathered 1st G Hunt 2nd A Robshaw 3rd C Baxendale

Open Class Premiers Breeder, Gleam, Elis Walker

Flamed, Cyrano, Reg Robinson

Feathered, Gleam, Ellis Walker

Local Class Premier, Breeder, Sam Barlow, J W Midgley

Flamed, Paxton, E Brook

Feathered, Lucy Luard, E Brook

Cup and Plate Winners

Open Cup----- Reg Robinson

Needham Cup-- Ellis Walker

Local Cup ---- J W Midgley

Stages Cup--- Reg Robinson

Silver Plate----Reg Robinson

Novices Cup---C Baxendale

Gold Medal----- WK Bramham

Minutes of meeting held June 5-1939
Members Present were Messrs W Beddows Chairman
R Robinson sen G Hunt, W Robinson, A T Meens
G Still, A Tear, EH Robinson
The minutes of last meeting were duly read and
past as a true record by a pro from A Tear
seconded by R Robinson (sen)
Arising out of minutes was the discussion
by Mr Brooks motion that the ^{Local} Challenge
Cup should be won on points
This was still left open for a further discussion
for a general meeting
The secretary reported a very satisfactory state
of affairs and reported that all prize money
was paid out on show day, probably for
the first time in the society's history
The secretary was then asked to leave the room
for a few minutes and on his return was
instructed that the committee had decided
to make a grant of 50/- for services rendered
Pro G Hunt sec A Tear that our next meeting
be called about September

W Robinson

Minutes of Meeting held June 5th 1939

Members Present were Messrs Beddows Chairman
R Robinson sen G Hunt W Robinson AT Meens
G Still A Tear. EH Robinson

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seconded by R Robinson (sen)

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Cup should be won on points
this was still left open for a further discussion
for a general meeting

The secretary reported a very satisfactory state
of affairs and reported that all prize money
was paid out on show day, probably for
the first time in the society's history

The secretary was then asked to leave the room
for a few minutes and on his return was
instructed that the committee had decided
to make a grant of 50/- for services rendered
Pro G Hunt sec A Tear} that our next meeting
be called about September

signed)

W Robinson

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Mr Lenion Horbury, W Beddows Altofts, F R Hunter
Horbury, F Fox Normanton, W H Midgley Halifax
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that E.H. Robinson be Elected Secretary for

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carried unanimously
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Members Present Messrs, T Booth Chairman
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along with secratery,
pro Mr Tear Sec Mr Hunt
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Minutes of Meeting held April 10th
Members Present, Messrs, T Booth Chairman, G Hunt
R Robinson, A Tear, N Eyre, W Rushworth, W Brook
& E H Robinson

The Minutes of last meeting were read and carried
by a proposition from A Tear sec R Robinson
Arising out of Minutes was a report from G Hunt
stating that he and the secretary were making
progress with regards to lectures.

The correspondence was then read which included
a letter from the Bulb Grower Association at Spalding
which proved rather disappointing. In view of this
the secretary was instructed to keep in touch
with them, without making any further concession
on our show this year, by a proposition from A Tear
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The show business was then discussed the first
item being the show date which was left over
until next meeting.

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report to the secretary, who will, in the
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Next meeting to be held April 24th

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