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COMMITTEE NOTES.

SEVERAL members having enquired what the attitude of the Club is towards the Deer Forest Question, and whether it is correctly represented by an article on the subject which recently appeared in the *Journal*, the Committee wish to state that the article mentioned, precisely like any other article, represents no more and no less than the private opinions of the writer who signs it.

Secondly, that the attitude which they consider that our members should take up towards the owner of a deer forest is precisely the same as they would naturally adopt towards the owner of a library, a picture gallery, a garden, or any other property, the occasional use of which adds to their enjoyment of life. They feel certain that no member of this Club, whatever abstract theories he may choose to discuss, would in practice do anything knowingly to injure property or to interfere with sport, and, in shewing this consideration, each member incidentally procures better treatment for himself and his clubmates on other occasions.

There must, however, be cases where his experience is at fault, and then he can hardly do better than be guided by that of the Scottish Mountaineering Club, which has of necessity given long and close attention to the matter.

The following gentlemen were elected at the Committee Meeting on 14th February:—

Gerard F. Cobb, M.A., The Hermitage, Cambridge.

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William Lancaster, Morningside, Burnley.

T. G. Longstaffe, Ridglands, Wimbledon, Surrey.

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