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Mr. D. MacDonald offered to play for them when convenient and the Secretary was instructed to write a suitable reply.

The Secretary read the Financial statement for the year 1952.

MOVED by Mr. D. MacDonald and seconded by Mr. F.J. McIvor that the report be accepted. CARRIED

The President vacated the Chair and the election of officers was held with Mr. Gordon Sinclair and Mr. Malcom Nicholson acting as scrutineers.

MOVED by Mr. C. MacKenzie that Mr. Esson be nominated for President
Moved by Gordon Sinclair and seconded by Donald MacDonald that nominations be closed. CARRIED

Mr. Esson was declared to be the President for the 1953.

Moved by F.J. McIvor that Mr. D. MacDonald be nominated for Vice President.

Moved by A. MacLean that Mr. G. Sinclair be nominated for Vice President.

Moved by R. MacVicar and seconded by Mr. D. MacLeod that nominations close.

After counting the ballots Mr. Donald MacDonald was declared elected Vice President for the year 1953.

Moved by D. MacDonald that D. Urquhart be nominated as Secretary.

Moved by Mr. Adam Bell that R. Anderson be nominated as Corresponding Secretary.

There being no other nominations D. Urquhart and R. Anderson be declared to be the Secretaries for the year 1953.

The following were chosen as members of the committee for the year 1953.
R. MacIsaac, C. MacKenzie, Gordon Sinclair, George Allan, F.J. McIvor, Hugh Aird, John MacKenzie, D. Murray and Malcom Nicholson

The following were chosen as trustees for the year 1953.
Adam Bell, D. MacLeod and A. Kirk.

Moved by D. MacDonald and seconded by D. MacKay that a financial committee be composed of Mr. D.R. MacLaren, Mr. W.A. MacAdie and the Secretary. CARRIED

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A committee composed of Malcolm Nicholson, George Allan, R. MacIsaac and Gordon Sinclair agreed to look into the matter of selecting a suitable place for the Indoor Meet and report back to the next meeting.

Mr. G. Sinclair offered to act as a committee of one to set up the Program.

Mr. D. MacDonald was chosen as Chairman of the Prize Committee with the other two members being Mr. Rod MacVicar and the Secretary.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

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The concert committee was set as follows:

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The price of the concert tickets were set at \$1.00, 1.50 and 2.00

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The President read a letter from Victoria Highland Games Association asking that our guests be present in Victoria on April 13th.

The Secretary wrote confirming this booking.

Mr. Esson said he expected to have definite word very soon regarding transportation for our three guests.

A proposed program for our concert at the Georgia Auditorium was read to the meeting and also a ticket setup with a top price of \$2. which if sold out would give us a gross of \$3625.

Moved by A. Kirk and seconded by C. MacKenzie that the decision in regard to the price of the concert tickets be left to the executive.

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A letter from a group in Edmonton requested further details of a proposed stopover in that city was read to the members. The President said that this letter had already been answered and that we were awaiting further word and that the prospects for a visit in Edmonton were good.

The President read a letter from Air Marshall Nairn in which hope was expressed that the Government would provide transportation to some extent for our three guests.

Mr. Esson reported that in regard to the concert he learned some particulars about prospective singers. Miss Doreen Hayes is a CBU artist and her fee for the concert would be \$25. Mr. John Dunbar wrote that he was open to be booked but that there was a chance that he would not be able to appear. In this event, Mr. Wood who is a very good singer would take his place. The President also heard another singer Mr. Kirkpatrick on a record. He is quite a good singer and his fee would be \$35.

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Mr. Esson said that Mr. Neil Nesbit had accepted an invitation to act as Master of Ceremonies at the concert.

Mr. George Allan agreed to contact Mr. Jack Avison with a view to obtaining his services as a pianist for the concert.

The Secretary was instructed to write to the B.C. Highland Dancing Association asking them to suggest a suitable contest to be held at our 21st Indoor Meet.

MOVED by D. MacLeod and seconded by A. Kirk that our Association hold a dinner for our three guests similar to that of last year. CARRIED

A committee to look after details of this dinner were chosen as follows:
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The President read a letter from John Dunbar who asked a fee of \$35 plus expenses as his fee for singing at our concert. He also like to have his own accompanist if possible.

The Secretary was instructed to write a letter accepting this offer.

Mr. George Allan told the meeting that Mr. Avison would not be available as a pianist at our concert.

MOVED by C. MacKenzie and seconded by Rod MacVicar that the price of the tickets to the concert be \$2, 1.50 and 1.00.

CARRIED

Mr. Nicholson agreed to see Mrs. Findlater and have the tickets printed and placed on sale by March 28th if possible.

Mr. Sinclair and Mr. Baillie agreed to contact the B.C. Highland Dancing Association in regard the dancing competitions at the Indoor Meet.

Committees to Act at the Indoor Meet.

Doormen: A. Kirk & C. MacKenzie, W.A. MacAdie & Seb Nellies.

Roundup: Rod MacIsaac

Scorers: A. Baillie and Georgina MacPhail

Prize: D. MacDonald, Rod MacVicar and Secretary

Announcer R. Anderson

Tuners for Pipes: George Allan and D. Murray

Floor Committee: Rod MacRae and George Allan with authority to call on any member for assistance.

The Secretary was instructed to write to the B.C. Highland Dancing Association for the use of their dancing platforms.

MOVED by George Sinclair and seconded by George Allan that there be no liquid refreshments be provided by the Association at the Indoor Meet

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CARRIED

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MOVED by Mr. F.J. McIvor and seconded by Mr. Rod MacIsaac that the members of the Alec Finlay committee be authorized to meet Mr. Kirk and make financial arrangements in regard to the 1954 show to be held during British Empire Games week.

CARRIED

The President suggested that there was a possibility of bringing out Donald MacLeod for a period of perhaps three months by army plane.

MOVED by Mr. Rod MacIsaac and seconded by Mr. Rod Mac Vicar that the President contact Donald MacLeod in regard to a visit to Vancouver and if the reply is favorable take further steps to arrange Army Transport.

CARRIED

Moved by Mr. F.J. McIvor and Seconded by Mr. D. MacLeod that our Association hold a chanter recital on Friday Nov. 13th and the usual prizes provided.

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In regard to our next year's possible project of bringing out Donald MacLeod the President said he had written to Mr. MacLeod but had not had a reply as yet. He mentioned the matter to the commanding officer of the Seaforth Highlanders and he was quite favorable to the idea of such a trip if it could be arranged.

Our chanter recital was quite successful Mr. Esson told the meeting with a total of 12 competitors turning out. Another similar recital will be held in February 1954.

The Secretary read a letter from the Ontario Pipers' Society in which was enclosed a cheque for \$100.

The Secretary read a letter from the Ladies Pipe Band asking for our support as they are holding this year a group of piping competitions

MOVED by Mr. D. MacLeod and seconded by Mr. H.A. Mumford that an amount of \$10 per class be donated to the Vancouver Ladies Pipe Band up to a limit of 4 classes with a further sum of \$10 towards judges fees.

CARRIED

There was a long discussion regarding the chanter recitals and ways to improve them by means of suitable test and report forms.

A committee was formed to work on this project and the members were as follows: Mr. D. Murray, Mr. D. MacLeod and Mr. Gordon Sinclair.

The date of the chanter recital was set as Friday Feb. 19th 1954.

MOVED by D. Urquhart and seconded by Rod MacVicar that a person nominating another member for office in the general meeting must first obtain that member's consent.

CARRIED

Moved by Mr. G. Sinclair and seconded by Mr. C. MacKenzie that the sum of \$200 be paid to the Secretary as an honorarium.

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In regard to our next year's possible project of bringing out Donald MacLeod the President said he had written to Mr. MacLeod but had not had a reply as yet. He mentioned the matter to the commanding officer of the Seaforth Highlanders and he was quite favorable to the idea of such a trip if it could be arranged.

Our chanter recital was quite successful Mr. Esson told the meeting with a total of 12 competitors turning out. Another similar recital will be held in February 1954.

The Secretary read a letter from the Ontario Pipers' Society in which was enclosed a cheque for \$100.

The Secretary read a letter from the Ladies Pipe Band asking for our support as they are holding this year a group of piping competitions

MOVED by Mr. D. MacLeod and seconded by Mr. H.A. Mumford that an amount of \$10 per class be donated to the Vancouver Ladies Pipe Band up to a limit of 4 classes with a further sum of \$10 towards judges fees.

CARRIED

There was a long discussion regarding the chanter recitals and ways to improve them by means of suitable test and report forms.

A was formed to work on this project and the members were as follows: Mr. D. Murray, Mr. D. MacLeod and Mr. Gordon Sinclair.

The date of the chanter recital was set as Friday Feb. 19th 1954.

MOVED by D. Urquhart and seconded by Rod MacVicar that a person nominating another member for office in the general meeting must first obtain that member's consent.

CARRIED

Moved by Mr. G. Sinclair and seconded by Mr. C. MacKenzie that the sum of \$200 be paid to the Secretary as an honorarium.

CARRIED

There being no further business the meeting adjourned with the date of the next meeting set as December 10th instead of the 17th/

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MOVED by F.J. McIvor and seconded by Mr. MacDonald that the President get in touch with Robert Wilson and that Secretary write to Jean MacLeod.

CARRIED

Mr. Esson showed the members the forms devised by the Chanter Recital committee.

MOVED by Rod MacVicar and seconded by J. Hearn that the test proficiency forms made up by the chanter recital committee be adopted and that 100 copies be printed

CARRIED

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The President suggested that at this time we should make a donation to the staff of the Seaforth Armoury.

MOVED by C. MacKenzie and seconded by F.J. McIvor that the sum of \$20 be given to the President to be presented to the Engineering staff of the Seaforth Armoury.

CARRIED

MOVED by C. MacKenzie and seconded by F.J. McIvor that the sum of \$25 be presented to the President for his out of pocket expenses in regard to our visitors.

CARRIED

There was a long discussion as to how to handle the matter of piping lessons to be given by Donald MacLeod. The President said that in his opinion the money paid for these lessons should be handled by our Association.

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