A letter was received from Messr Duffill and Gibson, architects, in regard to the association's proposed offices, and the meeting went into com mittee to consider same. It was solved to inform the writers that the association did not intend to employ an architect in connection with the work and to request that Messrs Duffil and Gibson render their accoun against the association, when the same would receive consideration.

The meeting then went into commit tee to open and consider tenders for the erection of the new offices, and i was resolved to accept the tender o Messrs Hobbs and Baker, the building sub-committee to have control of the

work.