

Minutes.

26th October 1870

It having been arranged to open the School on the 26th. A Meeting of Governors was called by advertisement in the "Star" & "Courier" newspapers and complimentary tickets were issued to the public of which the following is a copy—

"School of Mines Ballarat.

Opening Ceremony

Wednesday 26th October 1870

7.30. P.M.

Inaugural Address

By

His Honor Sir. Redmond Barry

Admit and Lady
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N.B. The Election of the Council will take place after the Address.

At the time appointed above the Lecture Hall was well filled with ladies and gentlemen representing the leading Citizens of Ballarat and the various industries—

The President Sir Redmond Barry on taking his seat was loudly applauded—He was supported