

The School of Mines Ballarat
Ordinary Meeting of held Thursday Evening
The Council } April 20 1876 at

Present A. H. Cassell Esq. in the Chair
Councillors Flede Hoelscher
The Minutes of last Meeting Confirmed

Business

1. Granting Certificates

The Examiner (S. MacGowan Esq) in
Telegraph reported:

Five female and one male Students presented
of those 4 passed the examination viz

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| 128 | Jessie McPherson | } with credit |
| 129 | Emma Talloch | |
| 130 | Jessie McLaren | |
| 131 | Mary Anne Madden | |

The Examiner (W. H. Hunt Esq. & Mr. B.
Peter Matthews & Jonathan Robinson) in Engineering
and Engine Driving reported:

Three Engine-drivers presented
of these two passed the examination viz

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| 132 | Henry Henry Kendrick | } 3rd class drivers of
other than Winding Engines |
| 133 | Hugh Thomas Stevenson | |

The other Candidate having failed to furnish
answers to three of the questions did not pass.

The Registrar on behalf of the President
of the Board of Examiners recommended the
granting of Certificates accordingly.

2. Providing temporary accommodation for the conduct of the Classes in Chemistry

This matter has been referred to the
Council by the Admin. Council of April
13 1876

3. Applying to Government for further portion of Grant in Aid

The Vote for School of Mines 1875-6
is £1500 of this sum the Schools at Ballarat
& Sandhurst have received £1000. It would
appear from a Balance Sheet recently published
of the latter School that Funds are in hand
of former grants. Also that this School
has been in existence over 6 years and the
total amount of Grants-in-aid received have
been £3050 say £500 from. Thirdly that
we are much in want of Funds to provide
extra accommodation for the Students in
Chemistry and Mechanical Engineering
the class in the latter subject having been
given up chiefly in consequence of want
of means for teaching. It is therefore
suggested that application be made
to Government for the balance of the 1875-6
Vote viz £500, which will lapse if
not applied for and obtained before 30 June
next.

4. General

It is suggested that the days for the
Council must be altered from the
third Thursday in the first month of each
quarter to the first Thursday

The examinations now are held during
the last week of Term and this alteration
will prevent unreasonable delay in candidates
learning results of examinations
The Vice-President reports that the
Hon. Sir W. F. Stawell Esq. President of
the School, proposes visiting the School
next July. It is suggested that