

without at least assigning some reason
Mr Thomas withdrawing after an assurance
from the Vice-President that his statement
would be considered.

Call of the Council. It was resolved:—
That all members of the Council who
could be got together should be asked
to attend a meeting at the school on
Friday at 3.30 P.M. to take into consideration
the question of the Lectorial Staff and
Remuneration.

The Registrar announced that Mr Rowdell had very
kindly presented a handsome pocket set of leather
- steel instruments as a Prize to the student in
the Engineering Class who succeeded in drawing
certain Plans

Confirmed

James Odell
Vice-President
May 11th 1881

The School of Mines Ballarat
Special Meeting Friday 8th April 1881
Committee of Council } 3.30 P.M.

Present The Vice-President
Councillors J. F. Usher Esq. Rev. W. Henderson
Edoah Wilson Esq. A. Hoelscher, The Worshipful
The Mayor of the City and W. H. Barnard

The Vice-President requested the Registrar to
state the Business, which he did by saying:

1. That the Administrative Council having on
the 6th Inst. agreed to hear Mr C. W. Thomas, and
that gentleman having made certain statements
the Vice-President had caused this Meeting to be
convened to consider the Lectorial Staff and
remuneration.
2. That some action might be taken to render
the School more effective and to prevent as
much as possible outside adverse criticism.

After considerable discussion
It was moved by Mr. Edoah Wilson
Seconded by The Worshipful Mayor that a
Committee of Six members of the Council
be appointed (three to form a Quorum)
with power to make enquiry into
the management of the School and to
take evidence especially with regard to
the duties and remuneration of the several
lecturers to the School, such Committee to
report to the Administrative Council.