

a Professor, making a total of £260.12.1 were paid for payment

Ventilation of Laboratories, Class room, and Offices.

The Vice-President stated that he had visited the Laboratories and Pharmacy room, during Class hours, and finding the atmosphere vitiated by reason of imperfect ventilation, had communicated with the Hon. Architect Mr Caselli, with a view to adopting remedial measures: Also, that the first Offices on the north side of the main building would be rendered much more habitable by the addition of outside blinds to the windows, and a small ventilator in the ceiling of each room.— Several suggestions were offered and after some discussion the matter was left in the hands of the Architect with power

Weighing Room for Laboratories

It was pointed out that the necessity for a room of this description had been anticipated by the Architect when the Chemical Laboratory was erected; an end wall for the room having been built into the side wall of the Laboratory.— Its back wall, roof, and flooring, being all that is required for this addition, which would prove beneficial to the Students and preserve the Balances from the corrosive action of the Acid vapours, its completion was authorized.

Scientific Publications

A list of Magazines and Periodicals drawn up by Professor Smith was submitted for the approval of the Council that The School should subscribe for them, the Annual Cost being estimated at about £30.— This was agreed to, and instructions given to apply to the Secretaries of the Royal, and other Kindred Societies of the neighbouring Colonies

for copies of their 'Transactions' and other publications.

Scale of Charges for Assays and Analyses

The following Scale drawn up by the Supt of Laboratories was submitted for approval

Assay of Gold, Quartz, Blistering, Pyrites, Sulfur, &c., for Gold and Silver	10. 6
Examination of Mineral for any valuable metal	10. 6
Complete Quantitative analysis of mineral or other substance according to the number of substances to be determined from	3. 3. 0
Assay of Lead, Copper, Tin, Silver, Iron, Manganese, or other Ore for the one metal	10. 6
Assay of No. do. for 2 or 3 metals, as Lead, Silver, Gold, - Copper, Silver, Gold, etc.,	1. 1. 0
Analysis of Water for Dietetic or commercial purposes (with report)	1. 1. 0
Examination of articles of food for adulterants— from	10. 6
Examination of products of manufacture, Manures, Soils, etc., etc.,	10. 6
Other or more complicated examinations required to be made, processes to be tried and reported on, or inquiries to be conducted will be charged according to arrangement	

It was moved by Mr Caselli

seconded by His Lordship the Bishop of Ballarat, and carried

That the Scale of Charges as read be adopted.

Circulars to Miners, Manufacturers, & Agriculturists.

Two Circulars drafted by the Professors of Chemistry and Geology respectively, were read and discussed: His Worship the Mayor advising the inclusion of 'Analyses of Soils' and the word