

the subject and allowing students to travel by rail at the reduced rates charged to students of Schools of Mines.

The thanks of the Council were accorded to Dr Pinnock for obtaining recognition of The School's lectures in materia medica by the Pharmacy Board and the Registrar was instructed to convey the same by letter.

Plan of The School grounds and buildings prepared by Prof. Horwood was submitted and ordered to be forwarded to the Department with the information requested.

The previous decision in regard to excluding the report of the University Classes from the Annual Report of The School was confirmed.

Andrew Anderson

The School of Mines, Ballarat.

Ordinary Monthly Meeting } Friday 7.30 p.m.
of the Council } February 24th 1893.

Present - The President in the Chair, Vice-presidents F. J. Martell and Dr Pinnock, the Venerable Archdeacon Green, St. Shelton, B.A., R. G. Middleton, Hon. Treasurer, R. J. Vale, M.A., M. Lindsay, J. Louie J.P., J. D. Wankles, and Theo. Williams J.P. - Apology from Mr Sergeant
Minutes of previous meeting held 25th January ultimo were read and confirmed.

The recommendations submitted by Professor Smith in reference to free nominations and free scholarships being available for lecture classes only, was referred to the Education Committee to consider and report and the proposed alteration in the Scale of Fees for laboratory practice was deferred for future consideration.

The Hon. David Ham, M.L.C., was elected a member of the Council in the room of Mr Chas. Eyes, resigned.

A letter from the Education Department intimating that the Minister considered it desirable that a Conference should be held to discuss the schedule of subjects proposed to be aided in Technical Schools by State Grants, and the amount of subsidy allotted to Trade, Science, and Art subjects, respectively, was read, and it was resolved that the President and (subject to the consent of the Minister) Vice-President F. J. Martell be appointed the representatives from this Institution.

A letter was received from the Assistant Traffic Manager intimating the intention of the Railway Commissioners to call in the whole of the Railway tickets at present issued by Schools of Mines &c. to students, and substituting therefor Certificate forms to be filled up in accordance with the new regulations. - As the proposed change would seriously affect a number of students who have preferred to avail