

The School of Mines Ballarat  
 Special Meeting of Friday 5 Pm.  
 The Council of 6<sup>th</sup> Mar 1896  
 Present Mr E. J. L. [unclear] in the  
 Chair Messrs Figgis Lindsay Dumm  
 & one Williams & one R. J. Gale  
 Business - To receive and order  
 upon the resignation of  
 Mr A. Dawson, lecturer on  
 Electricity -

It was decided to accept the  
 resignation and to advertise in  
 the Argus, Age and local papers  
 for a successor  
 The President, Mr Figgis and the  
 Director were appointed to draw  
 up a suitable timetable together  
 with the conditions of employment

20 March 1896  
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The School of Mines Ballarat  
 Ordinary Meeting of Friday 8 Pm  
 The Council of 20 Mar 1896

Present The President in the Chair.  
 Cms. The Hon. E. Morey, R. J. Gale and  
 J. D. Williams Messrs. F. E. Figgis, J. Louisa  
 and Geo. Williams J.P.

Minutes of previous meetings held  
 21<sup>st</sup> Feb and 6<sup>th</sup> Mar were read  
 and confirmed  
 Accounts amounting to £348.17.8  
 were passed for payment  
 Reports from the Director and  
 Board of Examiners were received  
 and adopted -

Attention was called to the fact  
 that Miners' subject was not taught as  
 an evening subject and it was  
 resolved to ask Professor Purdie  
 to make provision for holding such  
 classes during next term -

a letter was received from Mr  
 McDougall asking for increased  
 expense - Resolved postponed  
 The appointment of a successor to  
 Mr A. Dawson Lecturer of  
 Electricity was not considered  
 when Mr W. J. Steel M.B. having  
 secured the highest number of votes  
 was declared elected

The Hon R. J. Gale M.L.A. was  
 unanimously elected to act as  
 Vice President since Mr [unclear]  
 resigned.

17 April 1896  
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