

25.10.1918.

Monthly Meeting of the Council held on Friday, 25th October, 1918 at the close of the Annual General Meeting of Subscribers :-
 Present :- The President (Mr. W. H. Middleton) in the chair Vice Presidents W. T. Humphreys, and J. S. Vickery Councillors F. Barrow, W. Baragwanath, J. J. Brokenshire, A. E. Cutler, J. N. Dunn, G. Fitches, F. Herman, J. Hurley, J. Kean, L. Sederman, D. Maxwell, M. Martin, The Mayor of the City of Ballarat (Mr. T. Hollway) The Mayor of the Town of Ballarat East (Mr. Mackenzie), R. Maddern, R. Stephenson, A. O. Stubbs, The Principal (Mr. M. Copland) The Art Principal (Mr. H. H. Smith) and Mr. R. A. Brown

Moved by Councillor J. N. Dunn,
 Seconded by Councillor A. O. Stubbs :-

That the retiring President (Mr. W. H. Middleton) be re-elected for the ensuing year.

Carried unanimously

Moved by Mr. J. N. Dunn,
 Seconded by Mr. A. O. Stubbs :-

That the retiring Vice-Presidents (Messrs. W. T. Humphreys and J. S. Vickery) be re-elected for the ensuing year.

Carried unanimously.

Mr. T. Hollway } The Minutes of the meeting held on Friday
 Mr. G. Fitches } 27th September, 1918 were read and confirmed
 Mr. J. Kean } Accounts amounting to £793-17-6
 Mr. W. Baragwanath } were passed for payment.

Mr. G. Fitches } The Registrar's Report was received and
 Mr. L. Sederman } adopted.

Mr. Mackenzie } The Principal's Report was received and
 Mr. R. Maddern } adopted. In the discussion that followed in connexion with the Vocational Training classes for Returned Soldiers the following questions were raised as to the age and qualifications of the men approved, what classes they had been allotted to, and what methods had been adopted in making the classification. The urgent need for a Junior Technical School building was again the subject of discussion.

The Art Principal's Report was received and adopted. In connexion with the activities of the Students' Athletic Association Councillor Baragwanath suggested that the White Fleet should be used ^{by the School} for a Sports Ground. The President (Mr. W. H. Middleton) in referring to a former proposal that the ground should be fenced off, stated that permission to carry out this work had not been granted. Mayor Hollway expressed the opinion that the absence of a fence would not interfere with the games. The Principal (Mr. Copland) considered that the use of the ground for grazing was the main objection.

It was decided that the matter be referred to the Sports' Association for consideration.

Mayor Hollway } It was resolved that a letter be
 " Mackenzie } written to the Sports' Committee, congratulating the Students' on their success in winning the "Herald" Shield at the Inter-Technical School Sports' Meeting.

The following letters were read :-

From the Hon. Sec. Technical Schools' Association

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