

16.9.25

Council

of one months leave of absence to Mrs. [unclear] on full pay.

On the motion of C<sup>m</sup> Kean, seconded by C<sup>m</sup> Martin — M<sup>rs</sup> A. C. Elliott was elected to the seat on the Council vacated by M<sup>rs</sup> A. Hatfield as representing the Master Builders Association.

The following members were appointed as a visiting Committee for the month — C<sup>m</sup> M. Martin, Convenor. Vice-Pres C<sup>m</sup> D. Maxwell C<sup>m</sup> H. B. Gill and W. Redpath.

At the conclusion of the meeting, the Principal, M<sup>r</sup> Herseltine, read a Report on the recent Students Educational Trip to Kalgoorlie N. A. The trip had proved a great success and the party had been received by a representative body of public men & had students whose hospitality had been most generous.

It was resolved that the Principal draft a letter of thanks to be forwarded to each of the Mine Managers and others concerned.

Middleton

21/10/25

20.9.25

Special Meeting

Special Meeting of School Council held on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> September at 8.30 pm to discuss with members of the City Council the financial position of the Museum and the steps necessary for its reopening to the public and display of War Museum Trophies.

Present The President, M<sup>r</sup> W. B. Middleton in the chair, Vice-President M<sup>r</sup> F. Bamford C<sup>m</sup> L. Lederman, M<sup>r</sup> Martin. The Principal — M<sup>r</sup> A. F. Herseltine and Asst Principal, M<sup>r</sup> H. B. Smith.

The City Council was represented by His Worship The Mayor, C<sup>m</sup> A. E. Nicholson C<sup>m</sup> G. Rolton, M<sup>r</sup> R. Elsworth, H. Mackenzie J. Harrison and the Town Clerk, Col G. F. Mouton.

The Chairman drew attention to the position regarding the War - Exhibit which had been provided for Ballarat and which had been received and handed over to the School Museum by the City Council. In rebuilding and renovating the Museum the Repatriation Department had expended some thousands of pounds. A splendid mineralogical and natural history collection had taken many years and a great amount of work to obtain.

The Museum had been closed to the public for years. It was an institution of much public interest and the City Council should afford financial help