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to fill the position. If it is found impossible to obtain a temporary lecturer, Mr. Murphy would probably be willing to carry on for a month or so, provided the Education Department would agree to that course.

It was resolved that Mr. Murphy be requested to carry on for the time being.
(Mrs George & Martin)

Official Opening of New Machine Shop.

The Chairman reported on the visit of the Hon. Sir John Harris on the 18th April for the Official Opening of the new machine shop. He said that after the ceremony was over, Sir John and the Director, Mr. Stutz, were shown over the school and their attention drawn to the unsightly buildings comprising the Blacksmithing Department and old Machine Shop, the condition of the walls and ceiling in the Chemistry Lecture Room, the state of the paintwork on the Art School and Chemistry buildings and the need for a heating service in the Science Building.

Sir John was very interested but non-committal and it remained to be seen what action he would take.

It was resolved that the Principal and Heads of Departments prepare plans for a new building on the site of the Blacksmithing Department and old Machine Shop.

(Mrs Lederman & George)

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The Trinital's Report was read received and adopted. Received: Mrs Maxwell & Smal.
adopted: Mrs Martin & George.

The Auditor's Report was read and received.
(Mrs George & Harrow)

Visiting Committee's Report.

Mr Harrow reported that Mr. Smal and he had visited the school during the month. Their first port of call was the Dressmaking Department where there was a small attendance on that particular night although they were assured that the classes generally were very well attended.

They then went on to the Art School and here also found certain classes very poorly attended while others were well attended. In the Art school room only two students were present but Mr. Procter assured them that on other nights there was a considerable number of students. In the Pottery Department they saw some excellent work which greatly impressed them. They also visited the Signwriting and Lettering classes.

Before leaving the school they inspected the grounds which are flood-lighted at night and present a very impressive appearance when compared with their condition a couple of years ago.

The report was received on the motion of Mr. Koff, seconded by Mr. George.