

17-9-47. Proposed National Theatre.
 The President said that this matter had also been discussed with Mr. Shannon. The Education Department had received a draft agreement from the National Theatre Committee which provided for a subsidy of £ 8000 by the Education Department and the use by the school of the proposed building during certain periods. As the agreement did not provide for control of the building by the School Council, it was not acceptable to the Education Department. The President said that he had also been informed that the subsidy of £ 8000 would be a charge against funds for school buildings and not a grant by the State Government as was expected.

The Acting Principal said that he would be definitely opposed to the agreement in its present form.

It was resolved that the matter be left in the hands of the Finance Committee to discuss with Mr. Kellock and to report at the next meeting.

(See Lederman & Nicholson)

Use of Assay Kila.

It was resolved on the recommendation of the President and the Acting Principal that Mr. D. J. Kellock be granted permission to use the gas-fired kiln in the Assay Department under the following conditions: —

1. That permission be granted for three months after which application

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2. The kiln to be used only with the concurrence of the Assay Instructor.
3. A charge of 4/- per hour of use to be paid by Mr. Kellock.
4. An account to be kept by Mr. Kellock of all firings and times thereof.
5. Mr. Kellock to be responsible for all damage to the kiln other than fair wear and tear.

(See Nicholson & Smal.)

Act School Library.

By the recommendation of the Acting Principal, after conferring with Mr. D. J. Kellock, it was resolved: —

1. That the Act School Library be regarded as a departmental library in the same sense as other departmental libraries.
2. Subscriptions and deposits to be abolished and deposits on hand to be returned.
3. No book to be loaned without receipt of a signature for same.
4. Instructors who loan books to be held personally responsible unless they hold a signature indicating where the book can be located.
5. A ~~new~~ check of all books against the book register to be made every six months.

(See Nicholson & Jones)