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Finance Committee Meeting

Held in the Council Room on Friday,
12th December, 1947, at 7-15 p.m.

Present The President C. E. J. Lippitt (Chair)
Vice-President C. A. Farr, The Hon.
Treasurer C. L. Lederman, C. M. B. John
and T. C. Jones, The Acting Principal
M. R. W. Richards.

Apology An apology was received from Vice-
President C. M. G. Bealand.

Minutes The minutes of the last two meetings
of the Finance Committee held on
the 19th November and 1st December
respectively were taken as read
and were confirmed.
(C. M. B. John & Lederman)

Accounts Accounts amounting to £2943-6-5
were examined and recommended
for payment.
(C. L. Lederman & Jones)

Business Head of Chemistry Department
The President reported that advice
had been received from Mr. E. A. Budge
who was interviewed on the 1st December
that he had been nominated for a
similar position at his own school
(Swinburne Technical College) but at
a higher classification.
The President said that as soon as
he received this information he
arranged for a letter to be

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sent to the Education Department
requesting authority to advertise
the position at the next higher
classification.

It was resolved that the action
of the President be approved and
confirmed. (C. A. Farr & Lederman)

General Appointment of Principal
Business C. A. Farr said that the tone of
the school, and the spirit of
Co-operation evident today were
better than they had been for
many years. He believed that
every member of the Council desired
the appointment of Mr. R. W. Richards.
C. Lederman endorsed C. A. Farr's
remarks and said that we had
a big building programme in front
of us and the school was very
fortunate in having one who was
so closely in touch with our
requirements. It would be a
retrograde step to have to bring
in a stranger at this important
stage.

It was agreed unanimously that
it be recommended to the Council
that the appointment of a principal
be left in the hands of the Finance
Committee with power.

This concluded the business and the
meeting closed.

C. A. Farr
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