

School of Mines and Industries No. 161

Bendigo, 24th April 1951.

Mr. E. Hayward, Specimen Hill Road, Golden Square.

Dear Sir.

In connection with your letter from the Bendigo Historical Society, I have much pleasure in advising that the School Council has agreed to the loan of five glass cases from the old Museum.

I have also to inform you that the Council is not prepared as yet to grant the use of other frames.

The cases are loaned on the condition that if ever required they are returnable to the School.

We have also a framed picture of photographs of early Presidents and Secretaries of the Mechanics Institute which it is felt would be more beneficial to your Society than to the School and if you are interested you may also have this article.

Yours faithfully,

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Specimen Hill Road, GOLDEN SQUARE. 5/3/1951.

Mr. E.C. Thompson, Principal, School of Mines, McCrae Street, BENDIGO.

Dear Sir,

At the Executive meeting of this Society, held Friday Merch 2nd., it was decided to make a request to your Council for the flat glass cases, formerly in use at the Museum. Also, it is understood that you will be using the glass from the large show cases. If that idea is carried out, and the frames of these still be left, the same would be very acceptable to this Society, under loan or otherwise.

Trusting that this request will be favourably considered, as it is anticipated that the old Police Barracks will be available for our use at an early date, and we have a large amount of material ready.

Yours faithfully,

E. HAYWARD.

HON. SECRETARY.