Minutes of an ordinary meeting of the Koroing Shire Council held at Kenyonville on Monday the 8th April 1889.

Present Messrs. Roy (in the chair) Mozley, Hunter, Donovan, Griffith Coutts, Oldham, & Hegarty

The minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed.

Correspondence.

1 From Thomas Ballis complaining of the condition of Mr. Intyre's bridge.
Referred to the President.

2 From Daylesford Borough Council suggesting that a clause be introduced into the new Local Govt. Bills to provide for presents over drafts by schools containing list of same. –

3 From Mr. Lamont asking for instructions re Pauline Schuman a lunatic arrested within the Shire.

4 From Rev. Wm. Hall requesting that clearings may be made on the Old Inglewood & Kenyon & Bolinguey roads. –

5 From the engineer asking for a week's leave of absence. – Granted.

On No. 3 it was
Moved by Mr. Coutts
Sec. by Mr. Mozley That Mr. Lamont be instructed to appear for the Council in Schuman's case
Carried.

On No. 4
Moved by Mr. Hunter
Sec. by Mr. Hegarty That the engineer be instructed to call for tenders for clearing a mile of the Kenyonville & Old Inglewood road and to report on the Rev. Intyre's & Bolinguey roads with a view to a deviation thereon.
Carried

The Treasurer reported that he had visited Berlin and warned the business people there that they must take out licenses. That the necessary applications had been made in nearly every case and certificates printed. The revenue anticipated from this source he estimated at £150. –

Receipts for the month £473-18-8
Expenditure 74-14-4

Moved by Mr. Griffith
Sec. by Mr. Hegarty That the report be received & adopted
Carried

The Secretary asks for instructions with respect to the valuing of Wetzel property at Berlin and was directed to make the valuation and rate on it for six months only.-

The Secretary read a report on the new Liens Bill introduced by Mr Casey the Minister of Justice, shewing the differences between that Bill and the one previously introduced by Mr Higinbotham, & especially calling the attention of the Council to the proposed reduction of the sum to be appropriated from the General Revenue for the endowment of Liens & Road Districts.

Moved by Mr Hunter
Sec. by Mr Coutts That the report be received and the Secretary be instructed to write Mr. B. G. Davies, requesting him to watch the Bill during its passage through the House, and suggesting amendments in accordance with the report.

Carried

The President reported that in accordance with the resolution of the Council at last meeting tenders had been called for the formation of an embankment at Mahaak and that of Jas Roberts accepted by the Wardens members for £39-10-0. They had also expended £6-9-0 in the formation of a crossing at Berlin.

Moved by Mr Hunter
Sec. by Mr Hegarty That the acceptance of Jas Roberts tender for work at Mahaak amounting to £39-10-0 be confirmed

Carried

The Secretary reported that no tenders had been received for the main road work between Mylewood and Bridgewater.

Moved by Mr Hunter
Sec. by Mr Hegarty That tenders be called for the main road work in the usual way by advertisement & placard to be in at next meeting.

Carried

At the suggestion of Mr Morley placards were ordered to be supplied in each township and information forwarded of every tender

Moved by Mr Hegarty
Sec by Mr Roy That the present clearing on the Bridgewater Hawkbridge road be continued to the town boundary, the arrangement to be made by the members for the Mylewood Riding

Carried

Moved by Mr Morley
Sec. by Mr Griffith That tenders be called for clearing a mile and a half of road from Mehla toward Burkes Flat and that the engineer report on the best method of repairing the hill road near Mehla.

Carried

The Secretary was instructed to renew the application formerly made for the survey of a road along the East bank of the Avon from Avon Forest to East Charlton. -

Moved by Mr Roy
Sec by Mr Coutts That tenders be called for clearing a mile of the road from Berlin to Kingsmere.

Carried

At the suggestion of the President the Secretary was instructed to apply for police protection at Berlin

The following accounts were passed and ordered to be paid

Labour	C. Moore	7 - 4 - 0
Contract 115	J. Smith,	10 - -
Repairing	Chin Pound	6 - - -
Contract 118	Butterick,	20 - - -
Engineer		20 . 8 . 4
Labour	Mr. Gill,	1 - 10 . 0
Contract 119	Guilfoyle,	50 - - -
" 117	Boan,	45 - - -
" 118	Butterick,	23 - 18 . 7
Labour	L. Moon	1 . 4 - 0
"	Barnett Jnr.	2 - 10 - 0
"	Barnett Senr.	7 - 17 . 5
Contract 118	extra,	18 - -
Labour	Mr. P. Flight	5 - 2 - -
"	Stratford	6 - 9 - -

The next meeting was ordered to be held at Inglewood and the meeting then closed

Confirmed

J. L. Morley
Chairman
13th May 1869