Minutes of an ordinary meeting of the Kangy Shire Council held at the Shire Hall, Braidwood, on the 13th March 1899

Present C. Paterson, President, in the chair and Cs. Stel, Hall, Coutts, Robinson, Bopp, Cosser & Smith.

The minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed.

Correspondence:-

1 Cr. Beaudine stating that he is unable to attend present meeting

2 Memorial from ratepayers at East Charleston asking the Council to join the St. Annual Council in erecting a stone weir across the Araluen river. A letter on the same subject was read from the St. Annual Council stating that the engineer of that Shire will meet Mr. Chase for the purpose of reporting on the application.

Moved by C. Cosser
Sec. by C. Bopp That the engineer be instructed to meet the St. Annual Shire engineer at East Charleston and report.-
Carried

3 St. Annual Council calling attention to the dangerous condition of approach to Conn bridge
Referred to engineer with instructions to report.

4 Lands & Survey re Land Board.

5 Public Works dept. re returns of roads

6 Surv. for Lands re water reserve at Araluen.

7 Circulars from Sydney Exhibition Commissioners

8 Survey Office applying for payment of survey fees on reserve at Kingsponed
Returned to be paid.

9 Sydney Hospital Committee asking patronage at fete on St. Patrick's day.

10 Govt. Statist re agricultural statistics

11 E. Minnie applying for Hawkers licences
Granted.

12 A. Turnbull for same Granted.

13 Jas Clarke applying for permission to erect a mill on a reserve at Kingsponed
Granted subject to usual conditions and to be kept under inspection of engineer

14 D. Guthrie asking for two weeks extension of time on contract Granted.

15 Ch. Hanson, Araluen, applying for loan of Shire roller and asking terms.
Referred to engineer.

16 Pritchard & Hubbard asking payment for extra work alleged to have been done on contract near Burke's Flat.
Not entertained.

17 Nicholas Peis, asking permission to carve a road at Braidwood
Granted subject to usual conditions and supervision of engineer

18 Ratepayers asking for time to pay rates
Referred to Finance

19 Ratepayers at Tomahawk asking for an extensional thousand yards of excavation from Mr. John Martins Creek in Tomahawk
Moved by Cr. Boys
Sec. by Cr. Quirke That £30 be expended in enlarging the excavation referred to.
Other councillors expressed the opinion that it was not the duty of the Council to provide water for private use and ultimately Cr Boys withdrew his motion.

20 Secretary East Chester Mechanics Institute applying for donation to Library.
Referred.

21 Ratepayers of Ingleside asking for a track to be made in the township of Ingleside
Cr Quirke & Boys supported the application which was opposed by other councillors, and it was ordered that a statement of Receipts and Expenditure for the Ridings be submitted at next meeting before further legislation be entered.
Moved by Cr Quirke
Sec. by Cr Boys That £65 be expended in clearing out certain tanks in the North Ridings situated on reserves held under the 110th section of the Land Act 1869.
The motion was lost

22 Copy of letter addressed to the Minister of Education by residents on the East bank of the Macquarie River asking him to grant £20 towards cost of footbridge there.

23 Victorian Deaf & Dumb Institution acknowledging subscription.
24 Blind Asylum the same
25 Benevolent Asylum the same
26 Eye & Ear Hospital do
27/28 Govt. Statist acknowledging statistics
29 Secy. for Lands re road through 110th res. reserve at Symmons
30 Survey department with proof plan of Berriedale for purpose of having new roads marked thereon.
31 Thomas Cornish asking the consent of the Council to his application for ten acres of a reserve near Allot 62 on the River Clyde and for four acres at the North East angle of Allot. 57 both in the Parish of Kingsmill

Moved by Cr Boys
Sec by Cr. Redwood That the Council offer no opposition
Carried.

The Treasurer reported Receipts £191-14-6
Expenditure £307-11-10
Report adopted.

The engineer reported that tenders have been called for works ordered and generally works in progress, that pump has been erected at tank in East Coulter road and Mr Lennon has volunteered to act as caretaker. Mr. Burn will act in the same

capacity for the large plain tank which should be fenced in at once. The cleaning out of this tank will probably cost £18 more than the amount originally voted for it. A fence has been erected at Maspin gully dam. An inspection of the Avon Forest and Kehla road has been made without discovering any place requiring a bridge, but a small deviation in the clearing is necessary at the first hill after passing Kehla creek. Report recommended that instead of erecting culverts &c on the Lennotts & Swan Bridge road the money be expended in clearing one of the higher roads in that locality. Inglewood & Maspin road reported on and no present expenditure recommended. —
Recommends that some repairs be done to the metalled road between Beaufort and Barkers on Mulch. & E. Ch. road. Also that formation on West Loddon road be rolled. And that some additional clearing be done on Inglewood & Calthorpe road by Whitehouse. Asks permission to have more guide posts made. Has had Bridges and culverts in different parts of the Shire repaired, and has surveyed road from Inglewood to Simpson's Creek plan of which is submitted. Has informed James Hannon that unless he proceeds with the cutting of the outfall drain in his contract at once the contract will be cancelled.

The Report was received and approved

The public works committee brought up the following tenders.

1 For formation on Inglewood & Bealiba road at Hospitals bridge. Estimate 66.10.0
No tender only which was too high.
A. Chesholm £105.-

2 Clearing in Thompson between Ritchies and Simpsons. Est. £30.-
John Hunter 19-15-0
H. Wedding 20.-.-
Reader 34
Hunter's tender recommended.

3 Clearing from Newbalts Rd to Thomas selection. Est. £40.-
J. Dempsey 37-10.0
R. Henderson 39.-
A. Keogh 30-
H. Wedding 45.-
Keogh recommended

4 Constructing culvert near Barkers West Loddon road. Est. £70.-.
Matthews 113.-
Hurst 89-10.-
Sullivan 102.-
Hurst recommended.

5 Clearing & forming Inglis. & Maspin roads from Spiers & Simpsons. Est. £80.-
R. Henderson 123.15.6
Bess Bros 124.5.-
D. Cuttriss & Son 104.-
A. Keogh 89-
Kenny Bros 124
Sullivan 150.12.-
D. Matthews 73-1-6
Matthews recommended.

6 Constructing culvert & filling in Darnwallock
Est. £43. —
S. M. Taylor 37-15-0
Recommended.

7 Culvert & filling near bends, Rychitella
Est. £6.5.6
S. M. Taylor £4 9 —
Recommended.

8 Forming Rd. at Aya Plains Est. £82 —
R. Henderson 93-17-0
Kinsing Bros 98. 17. —
Beer Bros. 89 —
Beer Bros. recommended.

9 Formation near Campbell's Rychitella
Est. £19. 15. 0
Ward & Robson 133. 15. 0
Kinsing Bros 149. 10. —
Ward & Robson recommended.

10 Footbridge at Leadenjoadey. Est. £80 —
John Wilson 85-15-0
Postponed until consent of St. Amaud Council obtained.

Moved by Cr. Coutts
Sec. by Cr. Richardson That the tenders of John Hunter, A. Krogh, J. Hurst, D. Matthews, S. M. Taylor, Beer Bros. and Ward & Robson be accepted as recommended by the public works committee.

Carried.

Motions under notice:-
By Councillor Richardson
Sec. by Cr. Hall That tenders be called for forming & metalling about four chains of Boyleston Rd. ~~Hamilton~~ Salisbury road from end of present metalling to bridge.

Carried.

By Cr. Richardson
Sec. by Cr. Coutts That tenders be called for clearing all fallen timber and grubbing stumps on Burgoyne & Salisbury road to present clearing.

Carried

Cr. Richardson withdrew his motion for clearing on the Green Hills road.

By Cr. Boys.
Sec. by Cr. ~~Borchelich~~ Tenders for clearing about 30 chains between Mr. Davis and Mr. Harris in North Bryan

Carried

By Cr. Boys
Sec. by President Tenders for clearing about ten miles from Rees house to Burra land in Angaston

Carried

By Cr. Cosser
Sec. by Cr. Smith Tenders for culvert and forming and draining about 30 chains on road between Yengoon & East Chertsey by Rowes & Fewes.

Carried

By Cr. Boys for Cr. Borchelich
Sec. by Cr. Smith Tenders for clearing from Mr. Wilsons to Town Hill boundary and between J. Wilson & E. Reid.

Carried

Moved by Cr. Smith for Cr. Beaudoin
Sec. by Cr. Boys That tenders be called for clearing about two miles from four mile tank to Mr. F. Kirkes in Bogan Downs.

By Cr. Hall
Sec by Cr. Redwood That engineer employ day labour to extend drains on the roads from Wellington to Bet Bet Shire boundary and from Inglewood to Parkes Flats, making crossings, were wanted and deepening and enlarging some of the present drains.
Carried

By Cr. Hall
Sec by Cr Redwood That tenders be called for forming and metalling portion of Inglewood and Lamphurst road from Dr. Cockburn's to Bridgewater
Carried.

Cr. Hall Engineer instructed to report on cost of asphalting Bridgewater and Hope Creek bridge, & enlarging drains Caledonian St.
Instructions

President Secretary to obtain copy of water supply regulations from St. Arnaud Shire.

Moved by Cr. Stud
Sec. by Cr. Hall That the president and Cr. Smith be authorised to sign cheques if necessary during the absence of Cr. Boucher and secretary
Carried
Moved by Cr. Stud with leave
Sec. by the president That tenders be called for supplying gravel metal for repairs to street and roads near Wellington
Carried

Moved by Cr. ~~Stud~~ Crotty with leave
Sec by Cr. Hall That tenders be called for completing clearing on Kingowrie & Inkstitt road six feet, that creek on same road be cut down and all fallen timber on the highways & Bent road within certain limits be burned. —
Carried

Cr. Redwood That engineer report on necessity of water reserve opposite Lexhills on Rafter & Wellington Road, and tank on Burnings road Bakehouse creek with a view to fencing same.

Cr. Smith That application be made for reservation of 10 acres in parish of Buckrabanyule for water supply purposes. The proposal was approved and lost.

Cr Stud Secretary to bring up at next meeting statement showing expenditure in each Riding since commencement of financial year.

Cr Smith. That expenditure on culvert at Black Allan be authorised. Approved

Moved by Cr. Redwood
Sec by Cr. Crotty That fresh tenders be called for formation near Sophields Rafter and Wellington road
Carried
Moved by the president
Sec. by Cr. Stud That Mr. Lemon be appointed caretaker of tank near his house — Carried

The following notices of motion were given:-

1 C. Hall. That tenders be called for ~~cutting~~ crossing in the Inglewood and Kerrisdale road. Also for erection of bridge over Simpson's Creek on road from Kingston to Rockridge.

2 C. Steel. That tenders be called for 6 chains side cutting at Jackson's Gully about half a mile from Kings hotel. Also about three chains side cutting half a mile further South on same road and about two chains widening at same place.-

3 C. Steel That tenders be called for fencing and metalling in Inglewood & Woodbridge road near D. Ross. farm.

4 C. Smith That road from Blackstone to Sparks be closed.

5 Also that 40 chains of drains be cut from Hornsby towards Buckerbangale

6 Also that pitched crossing be made opposite Bank of British East Chester.

7 Also that 2000 be excavated in sewer at Hyde Park

Moved by the president
Sec. by C. Smith That the following accts. be passed and paid

		Carried
162	Cont. 449. C. Rose	20. 9. 6
163	Deposit Cont. 451 Office Exp. Disinfectants &c	3. 2. 0
164	Inglewood Hospital	20. —
165	Cont. 450 Longstaff & Sey	8. 15. —
		52. 6. 6

	Forward	52. 6. 6
166	Cont. 473 Kindness	1. 12. 0
167	Survey Fees Surey Reserve	4. —
168	Labour J. Lynneville	2. 16. —
169	Charitable Institutions	20.
170	Residents Allowance for L. Mandeville	9. 16. —
171	Secretary	25. —
172	Engineer	25.
173	Labour J. Oliver Admiring metal	75. 5. 0
174	Cont. 504 C. Ross	45. —
175	" 508 A. Ross	27. 6. —
176	" 509. Smith	6. 12. 6
177	" 461 & 468 Archer	1. 15. —
178	" 498 A. Watkins	12. —
179	" 497 A. Guthrie	50. —
180	Labour Cont. Steel	7. 3. 6
181	Road Survey Stone	15. 15. —
182	Advertising Barnes	2. 14. —
183	Labour W. A. Jones	2. 7. 6
184	Cont 495 Kinning	40. —
185	Cont. 507 Kinning	30. —
186	Cont 494 "	40. —
187	Labour Rogers	1. —
		497. 6. 0

The next meeting was ordered to be held on the usual day and the meeting then closed.-

Approved at Meeting
& Confirmed
James Paterson President
April 10th 1879