Annual Elections
August 13th 1885.

North Riding

At the annual Election for councillor the North Riding Mr James Paterson and Mr Conrad Klug were the only candidates nominated and received the number of votes placed opposite their names.

James Paterson 263
Conrad Klug 291

I therefore declare Mr Klug to be duly elected.

Returning Officer
C. E. Rauschner

August 18th 85.

Central Riding

At the annual election for One Councillor for the Central Riding Mr Donald Ross and Mr John Clark were the only candidates nominated and received the number of votes placed opposite their names.

Donald Ross 364 ~~Thomas~~ J. O'Keefe 8 votes
John Clark 242

I therefore declare Mr. Ross to be duly elected.

John M. O'Keefe
Returning Officer

August 18th 85.

South Riding

At the annual election for one Councillor for the South Riding the following were the only gentlemen nominated who received the number of votes placed opposite their names.

John Catto 289
James Hedley 257

I therefore declare Mr Catto to be duly elected.

Returning Officer

August 18/85.

Local auditor

At the annual election for Local auditor held on the 13th August 1885. the following gentlemen were nominated and received the number of votes placed opposite their names.

John A. Craig 358.
Samuel A. Smith 335.
Robert Steel 358.
Charles Thomas Tait 167.
William Williams 428.

I therefore declare Mr Williams to be duly elected.

Returning Officer & President of the Council

Publicans' Licenses Vote

A ballot to determine whether or not the number of Publicans' licenses in each Riding of the Shire should be increased or not, and if to be increased then by what number, was taken on the 13th August 1885. the result being as follows.

North Riding

	Votes
For increase	25
Against increase	423
108 spoiled papers — Majority against	398

Chas. E. Barnes Returning Officer North Riding

Central Riding

For increase	40
Against increase	421
159 spoiled papers — Majority against	381

John F. Cahill Returning Officer, Central Rdg

South Riding

For increase	38
against increase	336
153 spoiled papers — Majority against	298

Richd Redwood Returning Officer South Rdg

Total against increase	1190
For increase	103
Majority against	1077

420 spoiled papers

I, Conrad King do solemnly declare that I will faithfully and impartially according to my best skill and judgment execute all the powers and authorities reposed in me as a Councillor by virtue of the Local Government Act 1874.

Declared before me at Wadeburn the 18th August 1885 } Conrad King

Richd Redwood Justice of the Peace
Councillor of the Shire of Kerry

I, Donald Ross do solemnly declare that I will faithfully and impartially according to my best skill and judgment execute all the powers and authorities reposed in me as a Councillor by virtue of the Local Government Act 1874.

Declared before me at Wadeburn the 18th August 85. } Donald Ross

Richd Redwood Justice of Peace
Councillor of the Shire of Kerry

I, John Catto do solemnly declare that I will faithfully and impartially according to my best skill and judgment execute all the powers and authorities reposed in me as a Councillor by virtue of the Local Government Act 1874.

Declared before me at Wadeburn the 18th day August 85. John Catto

Richd Redwood Justice of the Peace
Councillor of the Shire of Kerry

Minutes of an ordinary meeting of the Korong Shire Council held in the Shire Hall Wedderburn on Tuesday the 18th August 1885.

Present Crs Bourchier Coutts Redwood, Ross Cutts Martin Cahill Bourke & Kling — Cr. Kilmore in the chair.

Appointment of President:-

Cr Bourchier moved that the President's allowance for the ensuing year do not exceed 1½ per cent on the Gross Revenue. Carried

Cr. Bourchier said that in accordance with the custom of the Council the Presidentship went from Riding to Riding and as it was now the North Riding's turn he would move that Mr Martin be appointed.

Cr Martin respectfully declined and moved that Mr Bourchier be appointed seconded by Cr Kling and carried.

Cr Redwood the Retiring President thanked the Council for the courtesy shown him during his term of office and said that he had endeavored to act impartially and retired from the Office on good terms with the Council and its officers.

Cr Bourchier thanked the Council for the honour conferred on him and moved a vote of thanks to the retiring president with whose conduct he was highly satisfied which was carried Cr Ross seconded the motion and spoke in eulogistic terms of the way in which Cr Redwood had acted.

Cr Coutts moved the suspension of standing orders for the purpose of alluding to certain statements made during the late election by Mr James Hedley one of the Candidates for the South Riding, to the effect that the sum of £500 had been borrowed from the South Riding to assist the North during the Water famine and had never been repaid and notwithstanding the denial to this statement given through the press by the Shire Secretary

Mr Hedley had again affirmed that he had received his information from two Councillors — he (Cr Coutts) wished to inform the Council that he was not one of the Councillors referred to, and the other Councillors averred they were not Mr Hedley's informants.

Correspondence:- Minutes of previous meeting read & confirmed

1 Ripon Shire office re Closed road question and referring for consideration a proposition to the effect that an endeavor be made to induce the Govt to pass a short Act enabling Councils to charge a rental for, and to issue annual licenses to graze over the unused roads of the Colony — Received

2 Victorian Railway Department that instructions had been issued to the effect that detention of travellers at Railway gates be made as short as possible. received

3 Inspector of Nuisances Korong Vale reporting on the general health of his district and pointing out that during the past 11 months Korong Vale had not been free from contagious diseases a fact which he attributed to the imperfect system of drainage there — he also pointed out certain improvements in this respect which he considered desirable. Received

4 Loddon Water Trust submitting for consideration of the Council Copies of the resolutions arrived at by the Conference of Water Trusts held in Melbourne on the 8th August 85.

5 Secretary Group N. Western Shires that Group will meet at Narrow on 25th August

6 Shire of Glenelg asking Cooperation in Support of an endeavor to allow Councillors deputed to attend Municipal matters outside their own Shires to travel free on the Railways.

Cr Coutts
Cr Catto } That the Council disagrees with the Proposal. Carried

7. Central Board of Health in reference to cases of Typhoid in Neals Family. Received

8 Pat K Brien reporting on Kingower Reservoir.

9. Robt Currie submitting a statement ~~of~~ shewing on what basis the Subscriptions from Shires to the North Western Troops are fixed.

Cr Ross moved that amount of £9. 9. 0 due from this Council be paid seconded by Cr Redwood an carried.

10 Thomas Shannon for permission to occupy a small portion of the roadway opposite his property. Granted

Telegram from
11 Central Board of Health re measles Boxed Flat School., attended to

12 Dr McLean relative to same

13 Rutherglen and District Vine growers Association asking Cooperation in carrying into effect certain Proposals concerning the Licensing Bill in its relation to Vineyrowers. Received

14 Municipal Association that it is expected arrangements will be made whereby the Central Committee will be enabled to meet before the end of September and enclosing copies of Business Paper for consideration

The Business Paper was then discussed in detail and the opinion of the Council recorded on it. Copy ordered to be sent to Group Secretary.

15 Secretary R. H. Society acknowledging the intimation that £5 had been voted towards the funds of the Society

16 Adam Laidlaw Buckrabanyule agreeing to accept the right to graze over the Whim Reserve on condition that he kept it free of rabbits.

17 Mr Egan offering to clear the rabbits from reserve here his land on same terms

Cr Coutts
Cr Redwood } That Sanction of the Lands Department be applied for to allot the Reserves in the Shire to landholders on the above conditions. Carried

18 Secty Port P. A. Society returning the letter advising him that Council had voted £3. to the Society and asking that the matter might be reconsidered with a view to obtaining the usual donation of £5.

Cr Martin
Cr Bourchier } That £2 additional be voted to the Port Society. lost

Amendment by
Cr Ross
Cr Redwood } That the letter be not received

For Cr Ross. Cahill, Redwood Catto Coutts & Bourke
against Bourchier, Martin & Kling

Amendment Carried

19 Secretary Bet Bet Shire with a/c for £29 cost of work on Boundary of Shire. Engineer to inspect and if satisfied with the work to pay the

20 Crown herdsman B. F. Common stating that it is impossible to keep trespassing sheep off Common

21 Mrs Complaining of Mr Truscott trespassing with sheep on the Common and asking for Instructions
Secretary had attended to the matter

22 John A. Craig
Secty Korong P.A. & H. Society thanking the Council for the votes ~~granted~~ to the Society

23 H. Lamont Inglewood enclosing Case submitted for Dr Madden's opinion re trespassing on Commons and bill of costs.

24 Donald Agricultural Society asking that Sept 5th should be appointed a Public & Bank holiday at and within a radius of 10 miles of Charlton

Cr Kling moved that holidays be appointed for the whole of the North Riding for the 2nd 9th & 16th September 2nd October
Cr Martin } Cr Coupe Seconded Cr Chalton.
Boort & Inglewood & Wedderburn show Days.

25 Shire of Korong Road asking this Council to arrange as speedily as possible for the construction of the bridge over the Avoca river Wedderburn & St Arnaud Road. dealt with by notice Motion

26 R. B. Rees Eaglehawk offering to act as Shire Analyst
received

27 Messrs G. & C. Freeman asking for removal of fence and Water Trough & Stand etc near their mill Charlton

Cr Kling
Cr Bonsche } That applicants be allowed to remove them at their own expense and subject to the Engineers supervision, Carried

28 Contractor Rodgers applying for extension of time on his contract ~~two months~~ granted 14 days

29 Town Clerk Melbourne with copy of petition adopted by the Council of the City of Melbourne

and presented to the Legislative Assembly opposing certain provisions in the Licensing Bill.
received & formal approval

30 P. Kaspari asking leave to rent Reserve.
Held over pending reply from Lands Department

31 R. Steel Jun. Wedderburn asking that an examination may be made of the Voting papers in Connection with the recent Election so far as concerns the Wedderburn & Korong East Booths with a view to ascertaining whether double voting has been practised at the election for auditor.
Held over

32 W. S. Steer reporting favourably on the water Supply near Wedderburn.

33 Geo. Dixon Inglewood drawing attention to the Rabbit infested lands near his property South Korong and advocating a return to the system of scalp-buying as being the most effective method of destruction
Copy to be sent to Lands Department with the Copies of Rabbit Inspectors Reports, & a request for assistance to purchase scalps.

34 Jas Dunkley applying for permission to occupy Reserve near his Selection, held over

35 E. G. Fitzgibbon re Imperial Federation and inviting the President to call Public meetings when one or more members from the League would ~~be present~~ possibly attend.

Cr Butto
Cr Redwood } That a Public Meeting be called and speakers from the League be invited to attend.
Cr Cahill & Bourke voting in opposition

36 Simon Maroney that he has completed his Contract at Powlett.
Cr Crutto stated that there appeared to a misunderstanding about this contract and wished the Engineer to inspect
agreed to.

37 Jas Bennon Charlton applying for appointment as Inspector of nuisances at Charlton.

Cr Crutto } That Bennon be appointed ~~Keeper of Office~~ Inspector of nuisances &c
Cr Kerr } for Charlton at an annual salary of £10
Carried.

38 George Bryant complaining of increase of rabbits at Conoor East,

39 H. Neal Complaining of rabbits in Southern portion portion of Parish of Borung.

40 Henry Dudley C.P.B. Charlton asking that selectors may be compelled to cooperate with his men who are clearing the Granite Range of rabbits.

41 Thos Cosh promising "particular attention" to the district referred to by Mr Dudley "during the next month ~~or so~~"

42 Pat^k Williamson re rabbits Conoor East

43 R. Mongin applying for permission to occupy the reserve near Borraree Rly Station.
not under control of Council.

44 M. Simons & 8 other Ratepayers Parish of Wahla applying for Road works dealt with later on

45 Mrs Butler W Gould Junr applying for permission to occupy reserves near ~~[illegible]~~ land
held over

Treasurers Report Receipts since last meeting £121.14.7
Expenditure £600.8.1 Bank overdraft £1281.10.5
The Report was received & adopted

The Secretary here referred to the financial position of the Council the present overdraft including accounts for payment that day amounted to £1680. the liabilities on contract now in progress amounted to £838. the second portion of Government Subsidy would pay off the overdraft but the expenditure to the end of September must be met. On the 1st April 1886 the £1500 worth of Debentures would fall due the sinking fund for which only amounted to £861. leaving a balance of £640 to be provided for as stock having been purchased since 1881
The report was adopted and the Secretary authorised to arrange for a second ape.

Dr Madden's opinion on the travelling stock question was read the tendency of which was to the effect that there was no easily available remedy
The Secretary was instructed to interview Dr Madden on the subject.

Engineer Reported:-
1 Having inspected the streets of Charlton and submitted a schedule of works calculated to improve the drainage etc of that Township the total cost of which amounted to £412.10/-
2 As the cost of asphalting footpaths in Charlton is likely ~~of opinion that the cost~~ to be too great for either the Council or property holders to afford He suggests the advisability of doing a strip along the kerbs of about 100 chains at a probable cost of £300
3 Does not anticipate ~~any~~ benefits to many Ratepayers from the survey of road from McIntyres to Burkes That but is of opinion that it had better be made
4 As instructed had invited fresh tenders for

Tank near Mr Egans in Parish of Terrapee
Mr Thos Carlon was the successful Tenderer
5 had interviewed Mr Joseph Allen relative opening a Right of way and making a drain near his allotments Koroing Dale he declines the latter proposal but will agree to transfer the Right of way on payment of £5 for Bigsby which was built prior to the survey of allotments.
6 Had examined the Dimolly road from Orville to the Shire boundary and with few exceptions it was in good order.

It was decided to consider the Charlton works in the estimate. Cr Kling suggested the extension of the metal from end of High Street towards Foremans hill.

Cr Coutts
Cr Cutts } That Engineer have Road from Burkes Flat to Mr Mc Intyres surveyed when time permits.
Carried

It was decided to hold over discussion till next meeting on the subject of Allens Right of way at Koroing Dale

Cr Ross
Cr Coutts } That Engineers Report be received and adopted

Reports were read from the several Rabbit Inspectors of the Shire —
Mr Kling was of opinion that the rabbits were gradually increasing in this Shire while in other Shires they had almost disappeared — he thought the Inspectors should summon all landholders who are not making proper efforts to clear their holdings. agreed to inspectors to be directed to inspect the list.

Cr Coutts
Cr Redwood } That the Secretary write to the adjoining Shires asking them to cooperate in the matter of rabbit destruction by recurring to the system of scalp buying and to apply to the Government for a refund of a portion of the expense if the System be adopted.
Carried

The Public Works Committee then brought up the following Tenders:—

No 1 Fencing Old Burial Ground near Geo Powers Old Inglewood
J. Walker & Co £14.. 18/- × Estimate £18.. 0.. 0
Mahomet Khan 31.. 0.. 0
Recommended Walker

2. Supplying and breaking 500 yards metal Wedderburn
Thos Carlon £37.. 10/- Estimate £112.. 10/-
Wooding 125.. 0
J. Hughes 97.. 18.. 4 ×
W. Crisp 112.. 17.. 4
J. Kenny 108.. 6.. 8
R. Henderson 100.. 0.. 0
C. Rose 106.. 5.. 0
Guthrie & Simms 106.. 5.. 0
J. Boyd 110.. 0.. 0
Recommended £97.. 18.. 4 J. Hughes

3 Grubbing by Stephens & Burrow
Estimate £5.. 8.. 0
J. Rodgers £17.. 16.. 0
not let

4 Forming & gravelling 10 Chains by Koonans and McArthurs Wychitella Estimate £83.. 5/-
W. Chambers £72.. 0.. 0
Guthrie & Simms 57.. 10.. 0 ×
John Forest 79.. 14.. 0
J. McNicol 77.. 7.. 6
Recommended Guthrie & Simms

No. 5 Forming & gravelling 25 Chains with Culvert etc by Sepworth & Cummings Neederburn & Kilbarnie Road.

W. Crisp £66.15/- × Estimate £88.5/-
Weldish & Co 75.7.6
Hooding & Co 79.12.6
R. Henderson 88.14.9
Cuthrie & Co 82.0.0

Recommended Crisp

6. 85 Chains side Drains by Mc Adams & Chamberlains Parish of E Charlton

J. Maroney £25.10/- Estimate £31.17/6
W. Crisp £17.0.0
J. Jackson 19.16.8
J. Findlay 11.13.9 ×
J. Mills 21.5.0
J. Boyd 21.5.0
C. Goodwin 25.10.0

Recommended J. Findlay

7. Forming about 20 Chains in detached Pieces between Mc Illwaine & Boans selections Tenepee

J. Kinsey £27.0.0 Estimate £25-
J. Kane 19.0.0 ×
J. Frest 24.0.0

Recommended Kane

8. Breaking metal stacked at Bridgewater, about 700 C. yards. Estimate £86.17-

R. Lucas 3/- per yd
J. B. Smith do

Not accepted fresh tenders to be called

9. Clearing about 200 Chains by Ryans & Carlons Kingsaniel Estimate £15

John Carlon £15.0.0
Wm Horgan 10.0.0 ×

Recommended Horgan

No. 10 About 3 miles of Clearing from Winters Barrakee towards Kilburnie. Estimate £18.0.0

R. Henderson £20.0.0
C. Archer 13.18.0 ×
W. Wooding 18.0.0
R. Baker 16.0.0

Recommended Archer

11 Clearing etc by O'Briens absons & Lackhams Parish of Kingsaniel. Estimate £30.0.0

W. Wooding £25.0.0
J. Garrone 25.16.8
R. Baker 25.0.0
W. Horgan 20.0.0 ×

Recommended Horgan

12 Fencing Old burial ground Mc Intyres

J. Herand £15.0.0 Est £16—
J. Forbes 20.0.0
A. Chisholm 20.0.0 ×

Chisholm recommended

13 Culvert approaches & 6 chains of metalling South of Saunders land Old Inglewood & Kingower Road

C. Lucas £69.10.0 Estimate £85.10.0
J. Kinsey 75.0.0
W. Crisp 59.16.0
J. Walker & Co 51.1.0 ×
J. A. Jones 66.15.0
J. Hughes 81.0.0

Recommend Walker & Co

14 Widening Clearing from Nippers Gate to Skyworts, Buckrabanyule. Estimate £19.19/-

C. Lemon £8.11.0
J. Mc Nichol 17.2.0 × Recommended Mc Nichol

No 15 Grubbing etc on East & West Road by Bourchier and Lacey etc Wychitella
J.K. Baines £7.. 11.. 0 × Estimate £13.. 0.. 0
W. Baker 16.. 5/-
S. Hooding 16.. 3.. 10
C. Lemon 13.. 0.. 0
Recommended Baines or Lemon if Baines has made arrangements.

16 Forming & metalling 15 Chains and erecting 2 small culverts by Sugrams & Wilson's Meadenvale & Brightwood road. Est £138.. 2/-
W. Crisp £71.. 0.. 0 ×
J. Kinsey 99.. 11.. 0
J. Boyd 102.. 10.. 0
Wildish 107.. 10.. 0
Kutherie & 117.. 2.. 6
Recommended Crisp £71

17 Grubbing etc by Reid, Ryan, & Abbott, Powlett
C. Campbell £16.. 0.. 0 × Estimate £22.. 9
W. Lovell 30.. 0.. 0
W. Corby 36.. 0.. 0
Recommended Campbell

18 Forming 25 Chains and Culvert by Mackin Kingsbury.
£40.. 0.. 0
W. Chambers £34.. 5.. 0
J. Kinsey 33.. 0.. 0 ×
J. Forest 33.. 7.. 6
Recommended Kinsey

19 Levelling in holes and repairs to Chapel etc Meadenvale.
Estimate £22.. 10/-
Wildish & Co £15
R. Henderson 14.. 6/-
C. Rose 11.. 10/- ×
J. Smith 13.. 0/-
Kutherie & Simms 16.. 18/-
C. Archer 12.. 10/-
A. Hanson 20.. 0/-
Recommended Rose

Cr. Coutts, Cr. Redwood: That the Tenders of Messrs Walker & Co, Hughes, Kutherie & Simms, Crisp, Findlay, Kyne, Hogan, Archer, C. Lemon, Baines, Campbell, Kinsey, & C. Rose be recommended by the Committee be accepted subject to the Condition that Payments on acc of them be deferred till after October 1st. Extension of one month allowed to Contractors. Carried.

Cr. Cahill, Cr. Ross: (with leave) Tenders be called for clearing about 2 miles South from Gordons land Barraker. Carried.

— Committees —

Cr. Coutts, Cr. Bourke: That Crs Cahill, Bourchier, & Ross be the Finance Committee for the ensuing year. Carried.

It was agreed that the whole Council constitute the Public Works Committee and that the Crs authorised to sign cheques be Crs Martin, Ross, Cahill & Cahill.

— General Business —

Cr. Martin alluded to the desire expressed by Ratepayers to have the Windmill at the 7 mile South Mysia sold and the proceeds expended in making a tank.

Cr. Martin, Cr. Ross: That the Windmill be sold by Tender. Carried.

Cr. Kinsey instructed the Secretary to lay on the table at next meeting a return shewing number of officers employed by the Council with the amount of salary and duties attached to the various offices.

Cr. Redwood, Cr. Cahill: with leave that Tenders be called for clearing road 1½ chains between O'Keefes & Nixons parish of Korong. Carried.

Cr. Cahill (with leave) Tenders be called for about 10
Cr Ross miles of clearing in parishes of Wehla & Kerraca.
Carried.

Cr Cahill } Tenders be called for one Chain wide of
Cr Ross } clearing between Hewitts & Rinders Koroyngale
Carried.

Cr Cahill } That the Printing for ~~each~~ the Ridings during
Cr Kling } the coming year be ~~given to each~~ divided
amongst each of the local papers.
(Lost)

Amendment
Cr. Redwood } That tenders be called for the
Cr Coutts } printing from the three printing
offices (Advertiser, Star, Tribune) Carried
For amendment Coutts, Redwood, Ross, Catto
Burke against Kling, Cahill, Bourchier & Martin

— Instructions —

By Cr Redwood Engineer to prepare plans & specifications
for bridge over Bulabul Creek near Benning

By Cr Coutts Engineer to examine Country north of present
road between Inglewood & Kingower with
view to getting new track

By Cr Ross Secretary to procure a table for Reporters, extend
the Council table and procure new chairs for the
Councillors.

By Cr Martin. Engineer to have repairs effected to road
by Barlows, Huggins & Bottomleys etc and to
attend to a Dam near Chambers which overflows
the road.

By Cr Kling Engineer to have stumps removed from
road near Charlton and also near Coonooer

By Cr. Ross Engineer to report on road from
Wehla near Simons & Birthesel

Cr. Martin referred to non Completion of Contract
near Beers and it was agreed to include it
in the estimates.

Cr. Coutts (with leave) Tenders be called for clearing about
Cr. Redwood } 3 miles by Lovell's Bourchier's Kelly's etc
Powlett Carried

By Cr Catto Engineer to get day labourers for several small
works South Riding.

Cr. Ross was empowered to expend £3 in effecting
repairs to road to Meadenburrow Rly Station.

Engineer asked for Instructions relative to handrails
etc required for bridge etc near Poppers, Glenalbyn,
Ordered to stand over

Engineer also referred to Hendersons Contract for
clearing in Parish of Wehla etc where it had been found necessary to extend the work
to double the original amount of Contract. Several
~~Councillors~~ Councillors objected and Condemned
the practice of extending ~~the~~ work without authority
of ~~the~~ the Council, however as the work had been
carried out at the scheduled price of the original
Contract.

Cr. Coutts } That ~~the extension to~~ Hendersons
Cr Martin } Contract be approved. Carried

Engineer was ~~instructed~~ directed to remove obstructions
from Road near Graphats and McSteyhs

Cr. Kling } That Engineer be allowed to accept the
Cr Ross } temporary appointment of Engineer to
the Avoca Water Trust for one month.
Carried

Notices of Motion

Cr. Martin Tenders be called for clearing from Stewarts. Borung to boundary of the Central Ridge

Cr. Kleeg For the future meetings of the Council be held on the third monday instead of Tuesday in every month and that former notice of motion be rescinded

Cr. Catto Tenders be called for metalling about 80 chains of road from Kingower to Maryborough in the worst places.

Cr. Cahill Tenders be called for bridge over Avoca River Waddenburn St Arnaud road

Cr. Coutts (Postponed from July) Tenders be called for Cutting about 40 chains of drains on road running East & West between Isaac's & Gulfoyle's farms Parish of Powlett

Cr. Paterson ~~with~~ (Postponed from July) Tenders be called for pack on three chain road near Howards in lieu of track ~~at Carpenter's~~ at Carpenter's.

Cr. Ross Tenders be called for about 6 Chains of forming & metalling between the School and township Korong Vale.

Cr. Coutts
Cr. Bourchier } That the following accounts brought up by the Finance Committee be passed and paid. carried

		£	s.	d.
587	Con 1061 Lamplighting	4	17	6
588	Cosh salary as Rate Collector	12	10	0
589	Wages of Pipe layers	12	14	0
590	Con 1059 C. Lucas	3	4	7
591	Star Office advertising	2	16	9
	Forward	£ 36	2	10

		£	s.	d.
	Forward	£ 36	2	10
592	Felton Gunwader & Arsenic etc	7	9	4
593	Goudge Carriage on pipes etc	8	15	8
594	Carlon making drains	7	7	0
595	Constable labour salary	2	10	0
596	Goodwin labour near Charlton	4	13	0
597	Jas McMahon Compensation for horse	10	0	0
598	Sundries a/c	11	18	4
599	Goudge Carriage per a/c	3	13	0
600	Con 1088 Garland	43	5	0
601	Con 1066 John Forest	80	0	0
602	Con 1039 Rose	1	0	0
603	Inspector Delaney salary	2	10	0
604	Con 1189 Simpson	6	0	0
605	Con 991 F. Rose	5	0	0
606	Con 1025 R Baker	3	8	3
607	Con 1096 R Baker	10	14	0
608	Hansen day labour	11	14	0
609	Con 1091 Brisp	10	0	8
610	Goudge Carriage of pipes	6	14	0
611	Con 2000 James Ritchie	3	0	0
612	Edwards Compensation for land	10	0	0
613	Con 1095 Henderson	46	0	0
614	Con 1083 Duckett & Co	32	8	0
615	Duckett & Co various fits brass	4	9	3
616	Con 1095 C. Lemon	15	0	0
617	Con 1052 Garroone	10	0	0
618	Con 1019 W. Nichol	7	10	0
619	Con 1072 Wildish & Co	39	2	0
620	Jas Bennon day labor Lamplighting	28	10	0
621	Jayson Bros advertising etc	19	17	3
622	Carroll tree planting Bridgewater	2	0	0
623	Bendigo Pottery Co pipes	7	10	0
624	Duckett Lamplighting	3	18	0
625	Secretary 1 mo salary	25	0	0
		£ 525	13	11

	Forward	£ 526	13	11
627	Engineer 1 month's salary	39	3	4
628	Grant 4 weeks salary as Inspector	8	0	0
629	Gray do do	10	0	0
630	Lyle & Craig labour &c	1	12	9
631	Star Office advertising &c &c	6	3	8
632	Hemmingway & Co advertising &c	11	10	0
633	Goodwin repg works near Charlton	1	0	0
634	Derby supplying gravel Kooringkill	7	11	6
635	Connelly clerks for Water Supply	1	0	0
636	Ret Ret Shire Council	27	0	0
637	W. S. Steel day labour	4	16	0
638	Thos Cook salary as Inspector	8	0	0
639	Gray Jr 1 mo Sal as assistant Secy	8	6	8
640	Reid removing stumps Charlton	8	11	0
641	W. Jones various repairs South Ward	1	0	0
642	Lamont cost of obtaining counsel's opinion	6	19	3
643	Box 2002 Goodwin	8	0	0
644	Box 1073 B. Lucas	70	0	0
645	Box 1098 A. B. Smith	20	0	0
647	Box 1069 Gutherie & Simmes	40	0	0
648	Box 1092 Goodwin	15	6	8
649	Box 1074 Wilson	10	0	0
650	Box 1091 Crisp	5	0	0
651	Sundries Vouchers	9	10	4
652	Office Expenses per Voucher	4	5	4
653	Mr. Moncrieff Pres allowance	5	3	0
		£ 854	13	5

The next meeting was ordered to be held on the usual day and the meeting closed at

15th September 1885.

Geo. F. Blanchard President of the Council

At the close of the ordinary meeting the Council met in committee and it was decided to present an address to Mr. Hall who has retired from the representation of the South Riding.

The Secretary was instructed to prepare an address and submit it at next meeting.