

Minutes of DC Meeting held Janry 20th 1917

Present All. Cr James OShanahan in the Chair Minutes of previous meeting were read & Confirmed

Balance Sheets The various Balance Sheets for the half year ending Dec 31st 1916. was submitted & read General Funds. Gov Grants A/c. A/c A & Wire netting A/c Also Auditors report received & read Moved by Cr OShanahan "That the Balance Sheets & Auditors report as read be adopted 2nd by Cr Hall - Carried

Financial Statements submitted & read

Correspondence Letter from JM Shepperd re amount due & asked that same be sent to him.

JT. Neates A/c. Letter from Elders Executive & Trustee Co. re amount owing by JT Neate for Rates & Wire netting - received

Memo from Crown Lands Dept re noxious weeds received

Rate on 17 Mitchell Letter from W Borlace - re Rates & Etc due on Block 17 Hd Mitchell received

Letter from Lieut Young asking for use of Council Office during Recruiting Campaign Moved by Cr Laidlaw That request be granted for for a time of 2 months with a right to make further application if necessary. 2nd by Cr Forbes. Carried

Letter from EW Farmilo re a/c paid & asked that 1916 Instalment on Wire Netting be refunded him. Resolved that request could not be granted.

Order in favor of J Hammell. from J. Thorpe. received

Logs Letter from E. Simmons re logs for Roller received Resolved that Clerk reply stating price at 10/6 each at Valley Cemetery.

Netting 2nd hand letter from W Mitchell re second hand wire netting on Blks 35 & 47 Hd Mitchell

Letter from W Kerrison re Building on Blk pt 92.

Tasman Terrace Notice from Insurance Co re lapse of Policy Workmans Policy resolved that Clerk have same renewed

Rates Payment letter from A H Hurrell & J A. Fuss: asking for extention of time to pay rates. Clerk to reply that all Rates & Etc must be paid by the 15th March 1917 Gravel at

Yeelanna Letter from Yeelanna Vigilance Committee asking the Council to secure portion of Blk 3 Hd Shannon as a gravel reserve Resolved that the Overseer Inspect & report on same at the next meeting.

Memo from Commissioner of Audit & Sec Crown Lands Dept on various matter in connection with the Gov Auditors report & Inspection - received

Moved by Cr Laidlaw. That the matter of adding Fines equal to 10% on all Current rates not paid on or before the 16th day of March 1917. be advertised in the local Paper (Recorder) 2nd by Cr Forbes & Carried

Moved by Cr Hall - "That Legal advice be obtained on the matter of charging the 10%. on all rates not paid by the 16th March 1916. 2nd by Cr Morgan - Carried

Moved by Cr Puckridge "That the amount paid off Balances Wire Net a/c be sent on to Surveyor General. 2nd by Cr Morgan - Carried

Assessment of Railway Building Letter from Railways Commissioner
re assessment of Railway properties now held up. Clerk stated
that he had sent reply

Netting Instalments for 1917 Statement from Surveyor Gen Office
re amounts due on Feby 1st for Wire netting Instalments (Viz)
£3,520-11-8

Motion Moved by Cr Laidlaw "That the resolutions respecting the
Happy Valley Cemetery which were passed at Council meetings held
on December 19th 1913. and on November 20th 1914 be rescinded 2nd
by Cr Forbes & Carried

Moved by Cr Laidlaw. That that portion of Cemetery from 'The
Bridge' suitable for Burials & now closed : be made available for
burials & that the Curator of cemetery be so notified : & that

he be instructed to have some made ready for burials 2nd by Cr
Forbes - Carried

Boat Slip. Letter from Harbours Master re Boat Slip
opposite Allotment 79 Township of Lincoln Moved by Cr Laidlaw,
That the Council consider the site a suitable one for the
proposed Boat Slip & the Clerk to notify the Harbour Master to
this effect 2nd by Cr Forbes - carried

Memo from Crown Lands Dept re making a new assessment prior to
June 1918. Also from same office re new Bill altering the method
of making Assessments (received)

Letter from S G re Reserve now held by WJ Higgins at Louth Bay

Letter from Deputy Postmaster General re Closing west Coast Mails
at 11.30 in lieu of 10.15 received

Letter from Sect Commissioner of Crown Lands re Bush fire Act -
received

Transfer of Land Notification received to transfer section 144 Hd
Warrow from JW Kennett to ML Kennett

Moved by Cr Morgan, That the Clerk be authorised to make the
necessary alteration in Assessment Book 2nd by Cr Puckridge -
Carried

A/cs General Fund 67-10-7. Gov Grants A/c 23-5-. & A/c A 53 -

Moved by Cr Hall, That the accounts as read be passed for
payment. 2nd by Cr Forbes - Carried

Moved by Cr Laidlaw, That the overseer be instructed to Kerb
footpath opposite H Coles Buildings - Blyth St - 2nd Cr Forbes &
Carried

Moved by Cr Laidlaw, That Ten Pounds be set aside annually to
Kept the Happy Valley Cemetery in repairs 2nd by Cr Forbes &
Carried

Moved by Cr Laidlaw That Roll of Honor plates (Samples) be
procured & That Clerk ascertain number of men who had enlisted
from this District - 2nd Cr Forbes & carried

Moved by Cr Hall, That Tenders be called for 8 chains of
Metalling over Wildeloo Swamp request granted Cr Morgan asked
'that Catch drain now washed out on Mt Dutton Bay Main Rd be
Boxed with large stones. Also that metal be placed on washout
near Shepperds on Roads between Wangary & Edillilie - Also that

scrub be cut off Road near the 22nd Mile Post (West Main Rd) requests granted.

Cr OShanahan asked that O/S be instructed to have drain repaired on Meadows Creek Rd - Granted

Tenders were then opened & considered Resolved that the following be the successful tenderers Contract No 20 - J Thorpe @ 2/6 per chain. No 23 E Meers @ 12/6 per yard & No 24 G Schrader @ 1/17/6 per chain

Overseers report was then read & adopted

Minutes read & Meeting adjourned

J O'Shanahan Chairman Date 17.2.17

Minutes of Council Meeting held 17 -2-17

Present All. Cr James O'Shanahan in the Chair

Minutes of previous meeting read & Confirmed.

Financial Statements submitted & read.

Correspondence 2nd hand netting Letters from Wernyss Brothers & F Myers re second hand wire netting

Motion Moved by Cr Laidlaw. That Clerk reply stating price required for netting Wernyss Bros be requested to reply at once otherwise netting would be offered elsewhere. 2nd by Cr Forbes & Carried

Meeting of Creditors Letter from H. E. Turner Notifying the Council of E. W. Farmilo Meeting of Creditors - Clerk stated that accounts had been forwarded & That Messrs Joyner Shepherd & Phillips had been asked to attend meeting on behalf of the Council.

Road near Wangary Letter from E G Hetzel, asking that road be repaired east of Marble Range leading to Lake Wangary. Resolved that overseer have the work done.

Plew Bros A/cs letter from C. E. Cranston offering to pay Portion of Plew Bros A/c for 1917

Motion Moved by Cr Morgan, That the Council accept the offer made, Interest to be charged on remaining Balance. 2nd by Cr Puckridge & Carried.

Wire Net A/c letter from J Richmond Russell re J S Russells wire Netting a/c. Resolved that same must be Paid at once.

R D Hunt Rates. letter from Mrs W Hunt re R. D. Hunts a/c. received. Clerk stated that same had been attended to.

Yeelanna Vig Committee Request from Yeelanna Vigilance to Metal 30 chains of Road between Blks 2 & 5 Hd Shannon Also to metal piece of Road near Yeelanna Railway Crossing. Resolved that the matter stand over.

Workmans Compensation Insurance letter from Queensland Insurance Co re Councils liability to Sub Contractors.

Motion Moved by Cr Laidlaw, "That Clerk write for further particulars Also to get legal advice on the matter. 2nd by Cr Morgan & Carried

Letter from Thos Quinn of Edillilie re D.C. Rates & Wire Netting a/cs. Resolved that Rates must be Paid. Wire Netting A/c to be held over & Interest charged.

Letter from Thos Dyke re payment of rate & Ect, received. Logs Letter from E. Simmons Stating That he would take two logs for Roller @ 10/- each

Roll of Honor Letters from Harris Scarfe & Wunderlich Co re prices for a roll of Honor for the Dist Council. Motion Moved by Cr Laidlaw, That £40 be set aside to procure a Roll of Honor for the District 2nd by Cr Forbes & Carried

Resolved that CR Forbes waits on the Wunderlich Co while in Adelaide & procure all particulars regarding the proposed Roll of Honor.

Letter from J. H. Harvey re Balances for Wire netting on various Blocks in Hds Mortlock & Shannon Clerk stated that particulars had been sent on.

Post Card from Gust Strenstrom requesting a picture postcard of Port Lincoln. Resolved that same be destroyed.

Honor Roll Moved by Cr Laidlaw, That a committee be formed to decide on list of names for honor roll 2nd by Cr Hall - Carried

Memo from Secretary to Com Crown Lands re Proposed new Bill for making Dist Councils Assessments. received. from same office re 1914 act. from same office In reply to Mr Travis re making an New Assessment Prior to June 1918

10% charge on Rates Advice received from Messrs Joyner Shepherd & Phillips, Stating that the Council was completed

to charge 10% on all Rates not paid prior to March 15th. 1917 New Assessment Moved by Cr Laidlaw, That Tenders be call for making a New Assessment of the whole District work to be Completed by February 6th 1918. Tenderers may give seperate prices for Town & Country lands, or Tenders to complete the whole of Dist. 2nd by Cr Hall & Carried.

Pillana Rd. Letter from S. G. re new Road at Pillana Stating that It was necessary for the Council to make an order to open the said Road.

Notification of Transfers. Notification was received of the following transfers. Part Section 3A Hd Cummins. Lot 50 from AWB Walkom to E M Siviour lots 54/55. Walkom to WR Blacker lot 18 Walkom to EG Baldwin. lot 30 Walkom to B.C Black lot 21 Walkom to W P Bartley. lots 17/19/20 Walkom to BJ Hunt. lot 770 Lincoln from D Mundy to Jas Fulwood Moved by Cr Hall "That the Clerk be authorised to make the necessary alterations in Assessment Book. 2nd by Cr Puckrdige & Carried.

A/cs General 88-16-6. Gov Grants A/c 92-11-6 A/c A 43-10- Wire Net A/c 533-16-5 Moved by Cr Forbes "That a/cs as read be passed for payment . 2nd Cr Hall & Carried

Memo from Local District Association re various matters affecting Dist Council. Moved by Cr Laidlaw "That this Council subscribe to the Association 2nd by Cr Puck & Carried

Moved by Cr Laidlaw " That this Council is strongly opposed to the Government Bill which was introduced last session. (Viz) The Valuation of Lands Act & they consider that the local body are in a better position to make a fair & just assessment of their own District. 2nd by Cr Hall & Carried

St Johns Wort Cr Laidlaw drew attention to St John's Wort growing near Mr Seddons. Resolved that o/s have same destroyed.

Cr Morgan made enquiries regarding Mt Dutton Bay Main Road overseer stated that same had not been repaired on account of labor difficulty.

Tenders were then opened & considered. Moved by Cr Morgan " That the following be the successful Tenderers No 25 E Meers. 6/9/- per ch. (26) JS King 2/7/6 per chain (27) to be readvertised (28) A King 2/11 per yard (29) GR Langford 1/17/- per ch (30) readvertised 2nd by Cr Hall Carried

Overseers report read Moved by Cr Puckridge Seconed by Cr Morgan
"That the report as read be adopted Carried

Pipes for Meadows Creek. resolved that Clerk procure 4' pipes to
make Culvert over Meadows Creek North Main Road

Moved by Cr Laidlaw. That the whole of Councillors together with
Messrs W. H. Stock. D Drysdale I.O. Jacobs & Miss L Brougham be a
Committee to revise the Roll of Honor for the District Council of
Lincoln 2nd by Cr Morgan Carried.

Road Inspection Resolved that Councillors make an Inspection of
Principal roads throughout the Dist on March 15th 16th. & 17 th
next. Clerk to make the necessary arrangements & to notify all
Vigilance Committees.

Resolved that the Overseer accompany the Gov Road Inspector
through the new Hds.

Meeting adjourned

J O'Shanahan Chairman Date 17. 3. 17

Minutes of District Council Meeting held 17.3.17

Present All. Cr Jas O'Shanahan in the Chair. Minutes of Previous meeting read & Confirmed

Road Inspection The Chairman reported that all the Councillors had made a general inspection of all the principal roads in the District. Travelling about 250 miles & inspected most of the work done during the past year, & trusted good results would follow in anticipated works.

Financial Statement submitted & read, also Statement of Rates & Wire Netting Instalment Collected up to March 15th 1917. Resolved. That a notice be inserted in Recorder. "That all Rates & Wire netting Instalments must be paid by April 15th. After that date all account would be placed in Solicitors hands for Collection.

Roll of Honor Letter from Wunderlich Co re price of Roll of Honor. Councillor Forbes gave particulars & price of honor Roll, as obtained by him while in Adelaide.

Moved by Cr Hall, That the Wunderlich Co be asked to supply a plate suitable to take (at least) 300 names 2nd by Cr Laidlaw & Carried

Letter from Queensland Insurance Co. re Workmans liability Policy. Also advice on the matter read. Resolved that Clerk obtain advice from the Local Government Association on the matter Letter from Queensland Insurance Co stating that cover note had been extended to March 31st 1917

Letter from WR Daw - re particulars of the late John Anderson. reply sent

Letter from J Richmond Russell re wire netting Instalments on Boston House Property. received

Letter from A Hague re District Council accounts.

Notice from Joyner Shepherd & Phillips re H H Rice meeting of Creditors. Notice from HE Turner re H.C Leibich meeting of Creditors. Letter from Reinforced Concrete Co Stating that they did not have any 4' pipes in stock.

Letter from E. E. Garrett re allotments in Lincoln stating his willingness to cancel his interest in disputed allotments if he was refunded amount paid. Moved by Cr Morgan "That Mr Garrett be refunded amounts paid & that his name be erased from the Assessment Book for the said allotments 2nd by Cr Hall & Carried letters from W H Colman W J Harraway & Good Bros re rates & Wire Netting accounts. Resolved that all arrears must be paid

Letter from E & F Ward - re bad state of road between Blks 35 & 36 Hd Mortlock. Resolved that one mile of Grubbing be done along side of old road. Tenders to be called for next meeting.

letter from A H Wollaston - re bad state of road from Charlton Gully to Wanilla Siding received Letter from L R Myers re day work on West Main Rd received Letter from Liet Young asking for donation towards a Recruiting Flag for this District. Moved by Cr Laidlaw, That provided that the other five Councils Joins in 2nd by Cr Hall & Carried

Memo from Com Crown Lands re Valuation of Lands Act - received

Letter from Messrs Joyner Shepherd & Phillips re Mrs Folletts a/cs - received

List of Abandoned Lands in the District read.

Memo from Secretary Childrens Hospital asking for a donation Moved by Cr Laidlaw, That this Council donates £1-1- towards the Childrens Hospital 2nd Cr Hall & Carried Memo from Crown Lands Office re Main Rd Grant for 1917. received

Letter from Surveyor General re amount of payment on Wire Netting Loans on various Sections

Letter from Surveyor General re Instalments paid.

Transfers Section 438 Lincoln from G G Crawford to G. Sutton Lots 53 & 65 Coultas from J J Foster to HE Puckridge Sect 215 Louth from P Wyville to. S Cooper Sect 20 acres. from G Lynn Estate H.C. Wollaston Moved by Cr Forbes, That the Clerk be authorised to make the necessary alterations in assessment Book 2nd by Cr Morgan & Carried

Cr Forbes asked that gutter near North Shields Hotel be repaired also that a few loads of Gravel be placed in front of the Hotel. Granted

Account General £141-15-. Main Road £31-19-9 A/C A. £10 Wire Net A/c £640-6-6 Resolved that H.C. Wilson be asked to supply particulars of a/c rendered Moved by Cr Puckridge, That other account as read be passed for payment 2nd by Cr Morgan & Carried

Daymen Moved by Cr Laidlaw, That Daymen be paid 9/- per day & Horse & dray 4/- per day to start from March 19th 1917. 2nd by Cr Forbes & carried

Cr Hall drew attention to Main Rd East of Edillilie also to Gravel at Wildeloo & holes in Rd west

of Edillilie & Moved that the overseer be asked to inspect & report on same at next meeting - granted

Cr Puckridge asked, That Tenders be called for 10 chains of Metalling on Harris Esq Rd. at Mount Hope request granted

Cr Morgan asked, That tenders be called mfor Decking North Culvert at Woolshed Creek local Red gum Timber to be used, timber to be not less than 9" in diameter at small end granted Letter from E Meers re Contract No 14 Hd Mortlock. & asked the Council to reconsider same Moved by Cr Laidlaw, That the Contract be cancelled & fresh tenders called 2nd by Cr Puckridge & Carried Tenders were then opened & Considered

Moved by Cr Forbes, That the following be the successful tenderers. Cont 31 A.M. Wilkinson @ £2/5/- per chain No 32.33.34 & 35 J Thorpe at £2/5/-. 2/5/- & 3/12/6 respectfully.. No 36 JJ Lambert @ £3/18/- No 37 RR Lakin @ 3/- per yd. 38 FW Flavel @ 2/11 per yd. 39 FW Flavel @ 3/5 per yd & 40 E Meers @ 3/9 per yd. & That Contracts Nos 27 & 30 be readvertised 2nd by Cr Hall & Carried

Overseers Report read & adopted

Moved by Cr Laidlaw, That this Council point out to the Marine Board the necessity of having water laid on to the old Jetty for the Convenience of Fishermen & Shipping 2nd by Cr Forbes & carried

Meeting adjourned

J O'Shanahan Chairman Date 24. 4. 17

Minutes Of District Council Meeting held 21st-4-17 Present All Cr Jas OShanahan in the chair Minutes of Previous Meeting read & confirmed Financial statement submitted and read also statement of Rates & wire netting Instalments Collected

Memo from J.A.C. Newbold in H.C. Lerbich assigned estate - received

Petition from J.Newell & others Hd of Koppio asking this Council to grant a road through Block 18 Hd Mortlock provided Tumby Council would grant other portion asked for. Resolved that Clerk write Mr Newell & suggest that the new Rd be taken along the East side of Hundred line as the creek on west side would not allow a good road to be made on that side.

Memo from Crown Lands office grant for Roads in the new Hds received

Letter from Secretary Yeelanna Vigilant Committee asking the Council to metal 30 ch of Rd as Mitchells swamp. Also to drain rd between Blks 9 & 15 Shannon, also to have notice Board erected at Yeelanna for Contracts & Specifications. Also that the Council advertise all Contracts in the local paper.

Resolved that Clerk reply. That Council could not do the metalling at Present. Drain would be made when suitable labor could be procured. That a notice Board would be erected as suggested & Specifications would be sent to the Secretary of Committee & he be requested to have same placed on Bd. Also that a short notice of works comming out would be inserted in the recorder.

Letter from E.E.Garrett offering to sell allotment No 901 to the Council for Cemetary purposes Moved by Cr Laidlaw."That Mr Garrett be asked to give the Council a 3 month option to Purchase same 2nd by Cr Forbes & carried

Signed agreements from EE Garrett.Mr J.E Garrett. S Garrett. & Garrett & Walter conveying the following allotments back to the council.

No.902 903.904.905.906.907.915.918.920.937.938. 334.639.514.518.870.874.875.967.998 8 1000. Moved by 6th Hall " That the clerk be authorized to remove the above names from the assessment Book for the above mentioned allotments 2nd by Cr Puckridge & Carried Letter from was sign re Shipping falicities for stock at Tumby Bay & Port Lincoln Moved by Cr Hall That clerk write the Harbours Board on the matter 2nd by CR Laidlaw & carried

Order received from GR Langford to pay all monies for Contract No 29 to Bank of Adelaide P.L.

Letter from Rev Rooney requesting the Council 1st -to have street Lamp placed on Church Corner of Blyth & Liverpool Sts. 2nd- That the Council have lamp pillar removed from opposite Corner to Church Corner & that the Church Trustees would bear the expense of lighting same. Moved by Cr Laidlaw "That the second request be granted. 2nd by Cr Forbes & carried.

Sale of Netting Clerk reported having sold 16 Rolls of 36" Netting at Cummins @ 35/6 per roll. Moved by Cr Hall "That Overseer have Netting at Kammermans brought to Cummins for sale. Reserve of 33/- for 36" & 37/6 for 42" be placed on same. Moved

by Cr Hall "That the overseer Inspect and report on wire netting on Blk 5 Hd Mortlock 2nd by Cr Forbes & carried.

Letter from Wunderlich Limited re honor Roll received.

Letter from BS Connor re Button day for District. received.

Letter from Scout Master at Cummins thanking the Council for use of oval for Scouts while in Lincoln.

Petition from TH Proctor & others asking the Council to have sand removed off rd South of Blk 44 Hd Shannon. Moved by Cr Laidlaw "That the petitioners be asked to submit a price to clear sand off rd for a distance of 65 chains. Also an alternate price for team of 8 horses & 2 men per day 42nd by Cr Hall & Carried.

Letter from HH Voumard re netting taken from Blk 43 Hd Mitchell. received. Account (Corrected) received from HC Wilson. Letter from WB Richardson re Bad State of rd leading from Poonindie to Whites Flat. Received.

Memo from Harbours Board re having water laid on to old Jetty.

Letters from Joyner Shepherd & phillips & HE Turner re assigned Estate of HH Rice & D Siviour.

Order from J Thorpe in favor of RB Bruce. Received.

Letter from LR Myers re day work on West Main Road stating that he could not do same.

Letter from Wemyss Brothers re Attorney for RA Wemyss. Letter from W Henderson re AL Hills meeting of Creditors received.

Letter from GA Vigar re payment of rates & Wire netting Instalments received. Transfer of Lands. The following transfers of lands was submitted for Consideration. Sect 161 Hd warrow & Blk C Hd Wangary from D Morgan Deceased to GH & L Morgan. Sect 72 Hd Warrow from G Howell to Charles Shepperd. Sections 139 & 140 Hd warrow from TW Pearson (deceased) to JA Pearson Allotments 20. 115. 503. 517. 519. 613. Lincoln Township from EG Besley to EG Hewitt Lot 22 Cummins from J Margitish to JD Ettridge Lot pt 100 from EE Garrett & others to C.C. Simms. Lot 22 of Blk 1 Cummins from AWB Walkom to FW Klopp. Moved by Cr Puckridge "That the Clerk be Authorised to alter the Assessment Book accordingly 2nd by Cr Laidlaw & carried

Wire netting Instalments Letter from Secretary of Lands & Survey Dept. asking that all Instalments due for Wire Netting be paid by the 30th inst.

Letter from SG Acknowledging Receipt of money paid on account of Wire Net Instalments.

Queries from Audit Office received & read. P Kennedy A/c Clerk stated that P Kennedy offered the Council wheat certificates for payment of wire netting Instalments.

Resolved that Mr Kennedy offer be accepted provided that same covered the whole of his liability to the Council. Certificates to be sent to Dist Clerk before next meeting.

Sale of Lands for Rates & Est. Moved by Cr Hall, That all lands in the Lincoln District Council that are (2) two years in arrears for rates & Wire netting Instalments be gazetted for Sale in

accordance with Sections 200. 201. 202. & 203 of the District Councils Act of 1914. 2nd by Cr Laidlaw & carried.

Accounts. General 109-6-9. Gov Grants A/c 287-3-6 A/c A 32-10-. were read & passed for payment.

Lincoln to Cowell Rd. Moved by Cr Laidlaw "That the Clerk write to Franklin Harbour Dist Council. That this Council is in sympathy & would join in with the other Councils in petitioning the Gov for a Special Grant, to put the Overland road between Lincoln & Cowell in trafficable order. 2nd by Cr Hall & carried. Cr Hall asked that the Overseer inspect & report on road between Cummins & Yallunda Flat at the next meeting. Granted.

Resolved that Clerk write & inform Jas Cuddeford That Council valued land on Rd asked to be closed at £5 per acre & if Mr Cuddeford was satisfied with this steps to be taken to have the Rd Closed.

Netting Instalments Resolved that Clerk write Secretary Department of Lands & Survey. That this Council are taking all possible steps to collect

Instalments due. Also to point out the results of the past 2 Harvests in this Dist. Also to send a list of lands that have been left by the Farmers.

New Assessment Tenders were opened & considered for making a new Assessment of the Dist. Moved by Cr Laidlaw "That Messrs RB Bruce & AR Walters tender be accepted & that Councils Solicitor be asked to draw up the agreement for Condition of Assessment. Also that Assessors to attend & defend all appeals against the Assessment. 2nd by Cr Morgan & Carried.

Tenders for Works. Tenders for Road work was opened & considered. Moved by Cr Morgan. That the following be the successful Tenderers. Cont No 27 E Meers @ 3/-/- per chain. 30 E Meers @ 6/6/- per chain. 41 C Burnett @ 3/5/- per ch. 42 AM Wilkinson @ 1/14/6 per ch. 43. A King @ 1/17/6 per ch. 44 C Burnett @ 8/-/- Lump Sum 46 JS King @ 1/19/11 per ch & 45 to be readvertised 2nd by Cr Puck & carried.

Overseers report read. Moved by CR Forbes. That the report as read be adopted 2nd by Puck & Carried. J O'Shanahan Chairman Date 19. 5.17

Minutes of Dist Council meeting held 19/5/17

Present All. Cr James O'Shanahan in the Chair Minutes of Previous meeting was read & Confirmed.

Deputation re Lights Messrs ED Swaffer RM McFarlane and E. Phillips waited on the Council & asked that Street Lamps be placed at the following places, Post Office Corner Wylds Corner & Howells Corner. Tasman Terrace. Motion Moved by Cr Laidlaw, "That 4 lamps be erected at the most suitable places in the Town & That Same be lighted for a period of 3 months. 2nd by Cr Forbes & Carried

Financial Statements Submitted & read

Correspondence Letter from D Seddon requesting that Lamp at Tapleys Corner be again lighted received Letter from Mrs Wilson re Honor Roll & Honor Certificate

Moved by Cr Laidlaw, That a reply be sent Mrs Wilson, stating that Council will give every Consideration to the request 2nd by Cr Hall & Carried Letter from The Wunderlich Ltd re price of enlarged Honor Roll, received

Letter & quote for Grading sand off Rd from J.A. Dunn. Moved by Cr Hall, That Mr Dunn offer to remove sand off Rd @ 5/- per ch be accepted. 2nd by Cr Puckridge & carried O/S to have bars placed across the road where needed.

Letter from Secretary Yeelanna Vigilance Committee asking the Council to have road from Yeelanna to top of Hill at Skipworths repaired also to have road drained between Yeelanna & Kilto Siding

Letter from I.J. Williams asking the Council to make about 8 chs of Drain leading from Yeelanna Dam to Drain made by Meers. Also to metal Crab Holes opposite his property about 4 chains. Motion Moved by Cr Hall, "That Mr Williams be offered the work of making the drain at price stated provided that same was done to the satisfaction of the overseer 2nd by Cr Puck & Carried

Kennedys A/cs Letter from P Kennedy offering the Council wheat Certificates equal to about £34 in payment on account of rates & Wire netting Instalments, Resolved that the offer be accepted.

19/5/17 Continued

Order from G B Langford, in favor of H Langford for balance of money on Contract No 29. Also Notice that G Lock had taken over land held by Mrs Langford near 24 mile Post.

Letter from H Bascombe - re water running through property occupied by him from off New West Main Road. Overseer to attend to same. 2nd Hand Netting Letter from R Brown re wire netting on Blk 7w Hd of Shannon. Clerk stated that a reply had been sent.

Pillana Rd Letter from E & F Ward re bad state of road between Sections 34 & 35 Mortlock. Also stated that they were unable to pay Rates & Wire netting a/cs at present. Australia Day 1917 Circular from HE Winterbottom re Australia Day for Port Lincoln this year.

Moved by Cr Laidlaw "That the Chairman of the Dist Council make the necessary arrangements 2nd by Cr Puck & Carried

Letter & Cheque for full amount of arrears on various Allotments from R Correll - received

New Assessment Letter & suggested agreement for making a new assessment of the District from Messrs Joyner Shepherd & Phillips.

Resolved "That the Council expects the assessor to make the Assessment without reference to previous Assessments made by the District Council. Also that Alteration in Clause 2 be inserted as follows. That £100 pounds be paid assessors one week after ledgement of Assessment & the balance one week after appeal Cases.

Contractors Liability Opinion received from the Local Gov Association regarding Councils liability to Contractors received Memo from Crown Lands Dept re balance of Main Rd Grant being paid into Bank.

Acknowledgement of request from S.A. Harbors Board received
Audit Office Letter from Audit office re answers to queries sent.
Circulars from Local Gov Association re Subscriptions paid.
Noxious Weeds act & half yearly meeting in March last.

Letter from EJ Field re Attorney to R.A. Weymess re netting on Blk 10 Hd Mortlock & wished to know what the Council intended to do with same.

Resolved that overseer Inspect & count all netting on Blk 10. & if possible sell same.

Section A Hd Lincoln Letter from EJ Field requesting to know if the Council Considered Section A Hd of Lincoln was required for recreation or other public purposes. Motion Moved by Cr Laidlaw "that the Council do not consider that the land is required for Public purposes " 2nd by Puck & Carried

Circular from Secretary Crown Lands Dept re Subsidy a/cs Methods for making roads & Examination of Gov Grants A/c Vouchers.

Tire Act Letter from (T Duffield) Sec Crown Lands Dept) re tire act & suggest recommendations from the various Councils to determine the width of tires used on Roads & also suggests that Councillors Should be honorary Inspectors under the act. Clerk to reply, That this Council does not approve of Councillors being Inspectors as suggested.

Letter from Rioad & Bridges Dept re Inspection of roads in the District - received Transfers from W.H.Hawke to WE & AE Hawke Sections 207/8/15 220.& 214 Hd Wangary, also Sections 123.129.193.194/5.207 Hd Warrow. from AE Hamilton Lot 193 Lincoln to HR Buckerfield £450. from WH Thompson Lot 841 Lincoln to R Corred Moved by Cr Forbes, That Clerk be authorised to make the necessary alterations in Assessment Book 2nd by Cr Puck & Carried

Cr Forbes Moved That Tenders be called for about 21 chs of Gravelling on Proper Bay Rd opposite Sect 9 2nd by Cr Laidlaw & carried

A/cs General £83.12.0 Gov Grants £240.0.3 & Wire Net £160 Moved by Cr Morgan, "That the accounts as read be passed for payment 2nd by Cr Puck & Carried

Cr Hall drew attention to bad state of Well in Hd Mortlock & Moved that J Vonow offer @ 30/- to repair same be accepted, request granted.

Cr Puckridge asked that overseer be requested to inspect road between Cowans & Fosters Also road between Blks 0 & 101 Hd Warrow. request Granted.

Cr Morgan Asked that Tenders be called for about 10 chains of Gravelling between 30th & 31st mile posts west Main Road. Granted

Letter from C Burnett stating that on account of not being able to p[ro]cure Timber on reserve at Woolshed Creek, he was compelled to throw up the Contract.

Resolved that Clerk write Local Government Association in reference to wire netting on lands left by the Farmers.

Tenders Tenders were opened & Considered.

Moved by Cr Forbes "That the following be the successful Tenderers Cont 45 FW Flavel @ 3/- & 3/- 47. MT Morgan @ 2/5/- per chain 48 Andrew King @ £1/9/6. 49 E Meers @ £2/10/- 50 E Meers @ £2/10/- 57 JJ Lambert @ £1/16/6 52. SJ Flavel @ £5/15/- 53 GR Langford @ £4/-/- 54 JJ Lambert @ £3/16/6 per ch 2nd by Cr Hall & Carried

Overseer report read Moved by Cr Puck, "That the report as read be adopted & Clerk to write TF Dollard & request him to remove posts off Foot path at Yeelanna 2nd by Cr Morgan & Carried Resolved that Clerk procure 100 Honor Roll Certificates from Vardon & Sons.

Returning Officer Moved by Cr Forbes, That IO Jacobs be appointed returning officer to conduct the forthcoming elections at same fee as last year 2nd by Cr Puck & Carried

J O'Shanahan Chairman Date 16.6.17

Minutes of District Council Meeting held June 16th 1917

Present All. Cr Jas O'Shanahan in the Chair. Minutes of Previous Meeting read & Confirmed. Financial statement submitted & read also statement of expenditure for past year read.

2nd hand Wire netting Letter from R Brown, Stating that he would take Netting on Blk 7 Hd Shannon. Letter from H DuBois re netting on Blk 10 Hd Mortlock received

Lot 901 Letter from E.E. Garrett giving Council option over Allotment 901 up to August Meeting - received.

Honor Certificates Letter from Vardon & Sons stating that 100 Certificates would be sent to Dist Council. Gov (Local)

Association Letter from Local Gov Association stating their willingness to assist the Council regarding netting on abandoned Lands.

Boat Slip for PL Letter from Secretary Port Lincoln Mercantile Association asking the Council to approach the Harbors Bd for a definite answer regarding the application for a Boat Slip at Pt Lincoln. Moved by Cr Forbes, "That Clerk write Harbors Bd stating 'That the people are anxious for a reply to previous Correspondence on the matter Also that the matter of laying wood onto old Jetty be carried out. 2nd by Cr Laidlaw & Carried

Transfer of Netting Blk 9 Cummins Letter from Mrs AE Roe, Asking permission to transfer netting from Blk 23 Shannon to Blk 1W Cummins - request granted.

Letter from National Mutual Assoc re amounts due on Blk 9 Cummins - received. Letter & Account for 10/- from C.E. Kammerman for carting netting

Letter from C.E. Schwerdt asking for extension of time to pay Rates & Wire netting Instalments. Resolved that same must be paid at once. 2nd hand Wire Netting Letter from TH Proctor re 2nd hand netting - resolved that Mr Proctor be offered netting on Mudge land.

Letter from G Lock re Rates & Ect on Langfords land Hd Wangary. Stating that he would not pay same until Transfer had gone through.

Australia Day Letter from Mayor of Adelaide in reference to Australia Day for 1917. Moved by Cr Laidlaw, "That Council call a public meeting on July 7th at 8 oclock p.m. to consider the matter, 2nd by Cr Hall & Carried. Rates & Fines Letter from T Duffield re payment of rates & Fines according to New D.C. Act - received.

Proper Rd. Letter from J LeGallie Asking that Road be repaired opposite his property on Proper Rd. Moved by Cr Laidlaw, That the overseer inspect & report on same at the next meeting 2nd by Cr Forbes & Carried Letter from EJ Field re Netting on Blk 12 Mitchell received

Dog Disk & Receipts Circular from T Duffield re Contract for Dog Disk & Receipts given by Dist Councils - received.

Petition from EA Broadbent & others asking to have footpath leading to Bay View repaired Moved by Cr Forbes "That Mr

McFarlane be asked for a written guarantee to have same opened as a Public right-a-way. 2nd by Cr Laidlaw & Carried.

Circulkar from T Duffield re valuation of Lands Bill & asked this Council to approve delegates to attend Conference. Clerk to reply that this Council could not be represented at the Conference.

Letter from D Seddon re bad state of Road near Tapleys Corner. Moved by Cr Laidlaw, "That O/S have repairs done 2nd by Cr Forbes & Carried. Grant for New Hds Letter from T Duffield, Stating that £500 had been granted for Roads in New Hundreds.

Letter from EJ Field re Net Balance on Blk 47 Mitchell - received.

New Assess Agreement received from Messrs Joyner Shepherd & Phillips for making a new Assessment. Resolved that same be approved of & Signed. Transfers from H.A. to JD Ettridge lot 361 Lincoln from WC Cave to JR .Cave lots 16.77.81. Edillilie. from W Mundy to D Myers, lot 89 Milderth, from JW Ware to M Puckridge pt lot 66 & 67. Mil, from AJ Meikle to EM Goode Pt Paid, pt Sect 157. from ER Bartlett to WJ Bartlett Sect 19 (20 acres) Lincoln from R Correll to Lincoln DC lot 553. from AV Nairn lot 553 to R Correll. from G Cooper Sect 50-51 Hd Wanilla to Mrs WA Sampson. from DJ Murray Sect 163.329.376.343. Louth to SW Baillie. from G Roe Estate to J Roe & WA Patterson Blk 23 Shannon & 1W Cummins. Moved by Cr Forbes, That Clerk be authorised to make the necessary alterations in assess Book. 2nd by Cr Laid & Carried

Councillors Forbes Asked that Footpath from PO to Garretts & from Stockhams to Bank of Aust to repaired granted. Moved by Cr Laid, That quartz Gravel be used as top dressing for footpaths 2nd by Cr Forbes & Carried.

Coun Laidlaw Stated that road around Lake Hamilton was badly washed out. Resolved that overseer have same repaired at once. resolved that 4" pipes in Adelaide Place be taken up & 6" pipes procured for same & 4" pipes sent to Cummins for footpath.

Carbide resolved that Clerk secure 2 drums of carbide for Council, resolved that 2 Carbide Lamps be bought into Tasman terrace & 2 other Converted into same system as early as possible. Coun Hall, Asked for 7 or 8 chs of Grubbing arround Railway at Cummins. Also Spoon drain at Edillilie. Granted Coun Morgan, Asked that 4 chs be added to Contract held by MT Morgan West Main Road. granted. Cr O'Shan Asked that Road near Mrs Tucknotts be repaired. granted. Cr Puck Asked that Drain opposite his property be cleaned out - granted.

Dog Fees. Moved by Cr Puck. That Sluts be 5/- & Dogs 2/6 2nd by Cr Forbes & Carried.

Slaughtering Licence. Moved by Cr Hall, That Slaughtering Licences be 10/- per annum 2nd by Cr Forbes & Carried.

Commonage Moved by Cr Puckridge "That Commonage Licenses be granted @ a fee of 5/0- per head provided that Stock was in charge of some person while out on Park Lands. 2nd by Cr Hall & Carried.

Accounts General £97-13-1. Gov Grants A/c £161-19-8 A/c A £4-10-0
Wire Net A/c £135-1-6 Moved by Cr Puck. "That accounts as read be
passed for payment 2nd by Cr Morgan & Carried.

Tenders were then opened & Considered Moved by Cr Puck, That the
following be the successful Tenderers No 55. E Meers @ 1:19. per
ch. 56 MT Morgan @ 1:18 per ch. No 58 MT Morgan @ 2/5/- per ch &
57 to be readvertised 2nd by Cr Forbes & Carried

Overseers report read & adopted

Cr Forbes asked for a list of Lincoln Ward expenditure. Cr
Laidlaw spoke in reference to Chairman & Councillors proposed
visit to see the Com on wire net question Moved by Cr Morgan
"That the Chairman or Chairman & Councillors be authorised to
wait on the Commissioner & ask that the Council be relieved of
all liabilities for wire netting on lands that had been left. 2nd
by Cr Laid & Carried

Cr Laidlaw stated that all wire netting had been taken off fence
around blocks taken over from Mr Garrett. & Moved that Chairman
obtain legal advice on the matter, 2nd by Cr Puck & Carried

Cr Morgan Moved a vote of thanks to the Chairman for the able
manner in which he had carried out the business of the Council
during the past year. 2nd by Cr Puck & Supported by Crs Laidlaw
Forbes & Hall. Chairman suitably responded & Thanked the
officers for their assistance during his term of Office.

Minutes read & Meeting Closed J O'Shanahan Chairman Date 21.7.17

Minutes of District Council Meeting held on July 21 / 17

Present All. Elections. The Returning Officer reported results of the annual elections held on July 7th 1917 - as follows Lincoln Ward JD Bruce 109 Votes (Elected) W Hartley 39 Votes JA McGuire 40 Votes Informal 5. Louth Ward James OShanahan elected unopposed Mitchell Ward SA Puckridge Elected unopposed For Auditor FJ Johnson 55 Votes D Seddon 140 Votes Elected Informal 2 Election of Chairman Cr O.A. Hall, was elected presiding officer to receive nominations for Chairman

Chairman Proposed by Cr Puckridge "That Cr Jas OShanahan be elected Chairman for ensuing term. 2nd by Cr Morgan & Carried

Minutes of Previous meeting was read & Confirmed

Balance Sheets The following Balance Sheets were submitted & read- General Fund. Main Road Fund. Wire Netting A/c. & Account A. Also Auditors report read.

A/cs. General Funds 196-11-4. Gov Grants a/c 151-7.- Moved by Cr Morgan, That a/cs as read be passed for payment 2nd by Cr Puck. & Carried

Tenders were then opened & Considered

Moved by Cr Hall, That S.J. Flavel tender for Contracts 59 & 60 @ 2/19/6 & 3/5/- be accepted, & that Cont 57 be readvertised alternate Tenders for Metal & Gravel. 2nd by Cr Morgan & Carried

Travelling Allowance 9d per Mile.

Assessment resolved that I.O. Jacobs be appointed to revise the assessment on new Buildings in the Dist @ 2/2/-

Meetings Resolved that the Council meetings be held on the 3rd Saturday in each month @ 3.30pm.

Gun Licence Resolved that Gun Licences be 2/6 each

Solicitors. Resolved that Messrs Joyner Shepherd & Phillips be reappointed Solicitors for the Council.

Signing Cheques resolved that all Councillors be authorised to sign Cheques. Chairman Allowance resolved that same be £25 for the year.

Clerk Moved by Cr Hall, That I.O.Jacobs be reappointed Clerk @ 180/-/- per annum. 2nd by Cr Morgan & Carried

O/S Moved by Cr Hall, That Mr C H Swaffer be reappointed overseer @ £180 per annum 2nd by Cr Bruce & Carried

Rangers Resolved that CH Swaffer be reappointed Ranger @ £5. & ET Brown assistance Ranger @ £5/-/- with half fees. Also resolved that Clerk have notice inserted in recorder, That all stock runing out must be Licensed.

Auditors Fees - £ 4-4- each for each half yearly audit.

PoundKeeper IO Jacobs appointed for Lincoln Pound @ same fee as last year & P.D.S. Cooper for Cummins Pound.

Overseers report read Moved by Cr Hall, That the report as read be adopted, 2nd by Cr Puckridge & Carried. Moved by Cr Hall, That a record be kept of all netting off of Cancelled lands 2nd by Cr Morgan & Carried. Meeting adjourned.

J O'Shanahan Chairman Date 18.8.17

Moved by Cr Laidlaw "That the auditors report acted on & with regards to Cemetery Books & that the Curator be asked to pay arrears of £1-12-. at once. 2nd by Cr Morgan & Carried. Moved by the Chairman, "That the Balance Sheets & Auditors report be adopted. 2nd by Cr Hall & Carried.

Correspondence Wire from JS Pearson re wire netting on Blk 6 Hd Mortlock - received.

Blk 9 Cummins Letter from National Mutual Assoc re amounts due on Blk 9 Hd Cummins. Moved by Cr Hall, "That legal advice be obtained regarding the Councils Claims & Clerk look up previous correspondence on the matter 2nd by Cr Laidlaw & Carried

Town Planning Circular from WH Blundell re Town Planning received. HC Leibich Letter from Clerk of Insolvency Court re liabilities on HC Liebich land Blk 7s Cummins received Pipes Letter from SA Reinforced Concrete Co re 6" pipes ordered. Moved by Cr Laidlaw, That order be cancelled & 9" Pipes be procured. 2nd by Cr Morgan & Carried

Memo from J Woods - re application for R.P.A. title for 20 acre Section No 49 & others Hd Lincoln - received.

Petition received from Ratepayers Hd Sleaford asking that Sleaford road be repaired Moved by Cr Bruce "That the overseer inspect same & report at the next Council meeting 2nd by Cr Hall & carried.

Wire netting Letters from PT Cockburn & E.J Siegle asking if the Council would purchase unused wire netting. Resolved that the overseer inspect the netting & if in good order to accept same at original price.

Letters from J.S. Pearson. A.C.Fuss. R. Brown & Good Brothers - re second hand wire Netting on abandoned Blocks, resolved that Clerk inform IW Brown : That Council would not transfer portion of loan on Blk 7 Hd Shannon.

Honor Roll Letter from Wunderlich Limited re honor roll received. Moved by Cr Laidlaw."That the Dist Council with the Honor Roll Committee approach the Institute Committee, & ask if they would have the honor roll for the District placed in some conspicuous place in or on the Institute Buildings. 2nd by Cr Hall & Carried

Letter from E A Turner re water on streets at Edillilie O/S stated that matter was being attended to.

Letter from J & M Lynch, re Rates & Wire netting a/cs resolved that Clerk write Mr Lynch & state "that the Council expect payments at an early date.

Letter from H Hill re bad state of road at Poonindie Hill, resolved that the o/s have same repaired.

Letter re Cont No 53 Letter from GR Langford asking for extension of time to complete Cont 53 Hd Kiana. Resolved that owing to the time having expired & Langford had not started the work, the Contract be cancelled & the overseer be instructed to

relet same at original price failing this, fresh tenders to be called.

Letter from J Vonow re Daywork - Clerk to repay.

Letter from JW Goddard re Daywork & Contract held by C Burnett. O/S to offer Burnetts Cont to Goddard at same prices.

Letter from FW Flavel, re bad state of road at Strawberry Hill. O/S stated that he was reporting on same.

Letter from Vardon & Son re Honor Certificates - received.

Letter from A Seager - Thanking the people of Pt Lincoln for help received on Voilet Day.

Letter from Alex Dorward, Stating that last years Committee were making arrangements to hold Australia Day on July 27th - received Netting on Blk 39 Mort & 6A Cum Letter from EJ Field - re wire netting on Blks 39 Hd Mortlock & 6A Cummins (Cancelled) & asked what the Council intended to do with same. Clerk stated that same had been offered for Sale.

Netting on Blk 6 Mort. Letter & Cheque for £38 received from JS Pearson & asked if the Council would give time for balance of payment. Moved by Cr Puckridge That only payment in full before netting was removed would be accepted. 2nd by Cr Bruce & Carried
Netting on Blk 6A Cum Letter & deposits of £5 received from A.C.Fuss for wire netting on Blk 6A Hd Cummins, & stated that balance of £50. would be forwarded next week. Accepted. P Kennedys A/cs Letter & Wheat Certificate for payment of rates & Wire Netting a/cs received from P Kennedy. resolved that same be accepted & that Councillor Hall take the Certificates & get them endorsed by Mr Kennedy & return them to the Clerk. Warrow Closed Road Letter & plans to Close road between sections 109 & 110 Hd Warrow submitted Moved by Cr Puckridge. That the plans be signed & the necessary notice be gazetted 2nd by Cr Morgan & Carried.

Wire Net Instalments Letter from EJ Field re wire netting Instalments due on abandoned Lands. received Pillana Road Letter from Sec Crown Lands Dept re opening Pillana road - received. Letter from EJ Field re rabbit destruction for year ending 30th June 1917. Clerk to reply. Federal Entertainment tax memo from F.W.Wells, asking for particulars regarding all places, or Halls for amusements in the District & that a monthly return be sent him, of all places engaged as such. Moved by Cr Laidlaw. That the Clerk furnish returns as near as possible as asked for, 2nd by Cr Bruce & Carried.

Road & drain Making Several Circulars were received from Sec to Crown Lands Dept. on Road & drain Making, also re making roads alongside of old tracks. & asked for information re Stone & Gravel quarries in this District. Also re loan of Grader & Stone Crusher to Dist Councils.

Letter from Sec local Gov association re Conference on width of tire act - received

Letter from Sec Crown Lands Dept re Sureties for Pound keepers as required by Clause 12 of the impounding Act No 8 of 1858. resolved that Clerk write for necessary forms, with a view of having the law complied with.

Gov Grants Letter from Sec Crown Lands Dept . Stating that £900 had been granted for Roads in the new Hds Also £200 Special Grant for Main Roads. Transfers of Land were received for lots 3 & 4 of Sect 3. Hd Lincoln from WL Brown to M & G Brown. lot 51. of Sect 3A Cum from WB Walkom to L Bansemer - Sect 50 Hd Mitchell from FM Adams to W.Osborne. Lots pt 54. 57. 89. 55. 56. Pt 157. 44 pt Sect 180 pt 180 from S Brougham (deceased) to ME. MA. AH. HL. JH. & EM Brougham. Sect 208 Louth from T Newell Estate to D Davies & G Dorward. Moved by Cr Hall, "That the Clerk be authorised to make the necessary alterations in the Assessment Book 2nd by Cr Laid & Carried

Removal of Netting Opinion received from Council Solicitors re removal of net from Allotment taken over from EE Garrett. Letter from H.C. Wollaston in reference to transfer of land held by GR Langford also re 2nd hand wire netting.

Letter from Local Gov Association in reference to waiting on the Commissioner re wire netting on abandoned lands - received.

Letter from R.A. Heath re payment of rates received.

Councillors Hall stated that he had let the following works repairing washout near Scotts gate Yeelanna @ 30/- repairing Spoon drain opposite Mr Williams @ 30/- & drew the Councils attention to overflow from drain made by E Meers - Also overflow from Shannon Dam. Water lying on streets at Yeelanna Also suggested that road between Edillilie & Pillana should be formed with the Grader.

Cr Morgan Asked that the Contract near Hawke Corner West Main Rd be carried out at once. Also that road leading from Mena to Warrow be inspected & reported on at the next meeting granted

Cr Puckridge Stated that Culvert near Warrow had been blocked up. & that he had let the work of Clearing same to Mr Doudle for 10/- , Also Stated that that DuBois Contract above Warrow was again in a very bad state & asked that Thatching grass be placed on about 1 ch of same, as a experiment, Also asked that Daymen be put on to repair the road between Warrow & Mt Hope at once granted Cr Bruce Asked that the Council take steps to have the Esplanade from the old Jetty to Eyre Street improved by fencing same, levelling the Sand & planting trees. & Moved that the Overseer make an estimate of the cost & place same before the Council at next meeting. 2nd by Cr Laid & Carried

Councillor Laidlaw drew attention to the proposed new Jetty in the vicinity of the suggested improvements along the esplanade & asked that the Government be requested to finalize the matter at an early date, so that the Council would know how to proceed with the improvements - Also asked that the opinion obtained on the sand drift be read. granted.

Cr Laid drew attention to bad state of road around Lake hamilton also at hill near Duck Ponds Bridge. Also to the water lying about the Town & asked that holes be sunk to let some away. Also asked that the Trees around the Town be pollared & that the overseer obtain advice as to how the trees should be treated.

Australia Day Fund Moved by Cr Laidlaw. That the Council donate £15 to Australia Day Fund. as follows £6 from Lincoln

Ward. £3 each from Louth & warrow Wards. £2. from Mortlock Ward & £1- from Mitchell Ward. 2nd by Cr Puckridge & Carried.

Cr Hall referred to road near Starkes, O/S stated that same would be repaired at once.

Cr O'Shan. asked That the O/S get an estimate for Grading the road near Green Patch also that Tenders be called for 30 chs of Gravelling between Swaffers & Coopers Poonindie Rd. granted.

Minutes of District Council Meeting held 18/8/17

Present All-Cr Jas O'Shanahan in the Chair

Minutes of previous meeting read & confirmed

Chairman stated that he had visited Adelaide & seen the Commissioner in reference to wire netting on lands that had been left vacant. The Com had promised to have these lands cancelled as early as possible. Also he would if possible visit Port Lincoln at an early date to see what he could do for the Council & suggest that the Council should apply for 1 years extention on all lands to enable them to collect the arrears.

Moved by Cr Laidlaw, "That the Chairman & Clerk draft a letter to the Government pointing out the necessity for immediate action in dealing with netting on abandoned lands & state that the Council intends to deal with the netting so far as they possible could also to point out the requirements for wire netting by Farmers in the new Hds around Minnipa Hill and Darke Peak. 2nd CrBruce supported by Cr Morgan & Puckridge--Carried.

Cr Laidlaw-Suggested that the overseer spend all his spare time in getting a record of all wire netting on the abandoned lands.

Request Granted.

Letters & applications for second hand wire netting were received from the following persons. H.C. Wollaston, W.A. Shipard R Brown, J. Souter, M.R. Mitchell, J.S. Pearson, W.A. & E.H. Mudge, W Patten, J.R. Winstanley & Jas Hannan.

Letters from Mr. JM Forbes in reference to netting for Blk 6 Uley Moved by Cr Laidlaw. That clerk write & inform MF Forbes that the council do not do as he suggests. But if the council could assist him in any other way, they would do so. 2nd by Cr Bruce--& carried

Honor Roll Wire from wundulich Limited stating that honor Roll would be shipped on Tuesday next Motion Moved by Cr Laidlaw. That the councillors with the honor roll committee wait on the Institute committee & ask for permission to have roll placed on the Institute building 2nd by Cr Puckridge--& carried

A/C received from W.F. Wright for removing tree off road near 57th mile post. Clerk to reply that 2/6 was the price fixed for Sheoak trees. Also a/c from W Murray for removing trees of road.

Letters from Good Brother & J Hannan re netting on Blk 12 Mitchell & 4 Uley. Clerk stated that the matter had been attended too.

Letter from R W Ainslie re bad state of road leading to his property. Resolved that the o/s have same repaired

Letter from Robinson & Co re amount done on Blk 50 Hd Mitchell & asked that same be held over until an inspection of the land was made. Granted

Memos from H E Turner & T.A. Hall re Mitchell Brothers & H. L Hancock meeting of creditors--received

from EJ Field. re Rabbit destruction for year ending 30th June 1917. Also re arrears of wire netting instalments Also re disposal of netting on abandoned lands & asked for names of past and present owners of same.

Transfers and New Leases New lease granted to E Dorward of Blk K 26th Louth & new lease of Sect 209 Hd Louth granted to A Murray. Sect 119 26th Louth transferred from RB Bruce to A Harrowfield lots 10 & 10 Town of Bellwood from TF Dollard to S. Evans. Lots 15 & 18 Bellwood from TF Dollard to L Jones lot 756 Lin from JMB Marchell (deceased) to Elders trustees Co. Sections 204 Koppio 418/22. 149.307.304.308.309.306.303. Hd Louth from Jas OShanahan to Jms & JF OShanahan. Sect 212 26th Louth from RB Bruce to Rose McLeod. Moved by Cr Morgan. That Clerk be authorised to make the necessary alterations in assessment book 2nd by Cr Laidlaw--Carried

Cr Morgan stated that water running along road between W scrub lands was destroying the road & asked that same be drained off-request granted. Also mentioned that water was destroying road between H.C. Wilson & Hotel at Warrow.

Moved by Cr Puckridge. That a drain about 60 chains long be cut through his property to lead water off the road from near H.C. Wilsons to its natural outlet towards the swamp. 2nd by Cr Puckridge & carried

Cr Morgan- drew attention to repairs made by J Thorpe on Dutton Bay road & asked that a apron (Stoned)

be made on spoon drain. request granted

Lewis St . Moved by Cr Bruce. That about 8 chains of road in Lewis St. be picked up the full width of street & reformed gravelled & rolled Tender be called for some to be in by Saturday Sept 1st at noon. 2nd by Cr Laidlaw & carried

Cr Bruce asked that 9" pipes be procured for drain opposite Provis Gate on North Rd on conditions that Mr. Provis have the work done at his own expense- request granted

Cr Bruce Asked that a fence be erected from Harbors Bd shed to join on to old fence opposite W.R. Whites. Resolved that the road front only be fenced at present

Cr Laidlaw asked if holes had been sunk in streets to let water off. Also if O/S had got information regarding how to pollard trees. O/S stated that he had done the work & got instruction re treating trees in streets.

Cr Bruce asked if water had been turned off road opposite J Lynches property O/S stated that work was not done.

A/Cs Gov Grants a/c £566-10- General 232-14-8 A/c A.26-18-8 Wire netting a/c 188-5-7. Moved by Cr Puckridge. That accounts as read be passed for payment 2nd by Cn Morgan & carried

Letter received from TD Lynn re second hand wire netting. Cr Laidlaw. asked what had been done regarding repairs to lamp opposite Pier Hotel. O/S stated that he had been unable to get the work done.

Cr Bruce drew attention to stones being stacked along roadside in Tasman Terrace & asked that the Contractor be made to place lights on same. Also that hole in footpath near Dollards be repaired--granted

Revised Assessment revised assessment was placed before the council & considered. Moved by Cr Morgan. That the assessment as

read be adopted & That appeals day be fixed for the Sept. 15th 1917 at 3 pm- 2nd by Cr Puckridge & carried

Lot 901 Letter from EE Garrett offering the council allotment No 9 for the sum of £13-10- was considered. Motion moved by Cr Laidlaw. That the offer be accepted provided that every thing was in proper order & that Clerk have lines of same defined 2nd by CR Puck & carried

Tenders were then opened & considered Motion moved by Cr Morgan That the following be the successful tenderers- Cont 57. E Meers @ 3/9/6 per ch No. 61-62 E Meers @ 3/3/- & 2/7/- per chs 64 J Thorpe @ 4/10/- per ch 65 to be readvertised. No. 67 E Meers @ 2/14/6 per ch 2nd by CR Laidlaw & carried

Pillana Road. Letter & gazette notice received from Surveyor General re opening new road at Pillana Objections to the new road were received from AG Simpson Cummins & A Calderwood. Pillana on the grounds "That they considered that preferential treatment had been given to one or more ratepayers at the expense of the road.

Motion moved by Cr Hall "That the Council overrule the objections as they considered them not valid. 2nd by Cr Laidlaw & carried

Motion to Open Rd Moved by Cr Hall "That whereas at a meeting duly held under the provisions of the "Road Act 1884." this eighteenth day of August 1917. it appears to us the District Council of Lincoln that it is expedient and necessary that the lands hereinafter described should be opened as a new line of road and it having been proved to us that the notice required by the said Act has been duly given and that all other requirements thereof have been complied with and no valid objection to the opening of such new line of road having being made. Now therefore we hereby by virtue of the power given to us by the said Act, order that the lands comprised in about 427 chains of new road one chain wide in the Hundred of Cummins County of Flinders as hereinafter generally described namely commencing at the road at the north west corner of Section 28N and extending thence north westerly and south easterly in the said section along and adjoining its Northern boundary to its north eastern corner. Thence in Sections 5 & 4S along and adjoining their southern boundarys to join the road at the south eastern corner of the later section as delineated colored red and numbered 1.2.3. in the Survey map deposited in the Surveyor Generals office at Adelaide. Plan No. 16. folio 251. should be forthwith made an opened as a new line of road Seconded by Cr Laidlaw & carried

Estimate of Fencing Tasman Terrace Submitted. The overseer submitted estimate cost of levelling sand & fencing esplanade from Eyre Street to join old fence opposite the Castle at Cr £159-8-7 lump sum Cr Bruce asked that the matter be allowed to stand over for the present- request granted

O/S Report The overseers report was then read & considered Moved by Cr Laidlaw That the report be adopted 2nd by Cr Hall & carried Minutes read and meeting adjourned

J O'Shanahan Chairman Date 15.9.17

Sept 8th 1915 Present Cr Bruce Tenders 69 was opened & considered S.J. Flavel 14/4/4 per ch Lambert & King 13/7/6 per ch

Resolved that Lambert & King tender be accepted
J O'Shanahan Chairman Date 15.9.17

Minutes of Appeal meeting held on Sept 15th 1917

Present Cr James O'Shanahan in the chair Crs J.D.Bruce. O.A. Hall. W.S. Morgan & SA Puckridge

Appeal received from D Drysdale against assessment on pt lots No 456 & 457 Town of Lincoln on the grounds, That he considered the assessment above the value of the said allotments : also asked that the assessment be place into one assessment in lieu of 4 as at Present. After consideration It was moved by CR Bruce "That the assessment stand at present Valuation & that Clerk alter same into one assessment as asked for. 2nd by Cr Morgan - & Carried.
J O'Shanahan Chairman Date 15.9.17

Minutes of Dist Council Meeting held on Sept 15th 1917

Present Cr Jas OShanahan in the chair Crs JD Bruce. OA Hall. W.G Morgan & SA. Puckridge Cr Bruce apologized for Cr Laidlaws absence. Minutes of previous meeting read & Confirmed. Financial Statement for month submitted & read.

Moved by Cr Hall. That Clerk write Engineer of Roads & Bridges for his opinion regarding the best graders of metal for Road making. 2nd by Cr Bruce & Carried.

Letter from Auditors asking for extra remuneration for Auditing the Council Books. Moved by Cr Puckridge "That the request be not granted 2nd by Cr Morgan & Carried.

Letter from W.V. Bache applying for appeal Forms also for Particulars of wire netting on Blk 10 Hd Mitchell Clerk to reply.

Road Lease Application from M.A. King to lease Road north of Section 210 Hd Louth - request not entertained.

lot 901 Sketch of position of boundaries of Allotment
901 received from A.J. Chittleborough Resolved that legal advice be obtained regarding same. Ravendale Rd. Letter from Mrs I Heyward. Asking the Council to have Ravendale road repaired Moved by Cr Bruce. That O/S have the work done provided same did not cost more than £4 2nd by Cr Hall & Carried

Letter from W.A. DuBois re balance of amount due for Wire Netting Instalments received. Water on Rd (J Lynch) Cr Bruce asked that water be drained off road opposite J Lynch's property at once - request granted.

Letter from Thos Johnson re wire net Instalment due - received
2nd hand Wire Netting Letters received from the following persons wishing to obtain 2nd hand wire netting. W.R.Mitchell. C.V.Anderson. J Souter. N Guidera. J.G. Fisher. W.G. Tree & J.H. Proctor

Letter from M & J Lynch offering to pay £5 monthly on wire Netting Instalments. Resolved that the offer be accepted.

Netting Blk 78 Shannon Letter from R. Brown agreeing to have Wire netting granted on Blk 7W Hd Shannon transferred to Blk 42 Hd Shannon. Clerk to have matter fixed up.

Letter from A.L. Hill applying to have 2 miles of netting transferred from Blk 10 Hd Cummins to Blk 16 Hd

Cummins Moved by Cr Hall, That the request be granted (Motion Lapsed)

Letter from WA Dorward stating that he did not intend to again use Blk 10 Hd Mitchell.

Letter from Wemyss Brothers regarding netting being removed from Blk 43 Hd Mitchell. Moved by Cr Morgan, That Clerk write Mr Voumard & request him to state where the Council netting granted for Blk 43 was used. 2nd by Cr Puckridge & Carried

Netting on Blk 46 Mitchell Letter from J.R.Winstanley stating that he would take netting on 46 Mitchell for £33- cash, offer accepted. Reserve Louth Bay Application from WJ Higgins to Lease reserve at Louth Bay (12 acres) Resolved that request be granted @ 6d per acre. Letter from E & F Ward re payments of Wire net A/cs. Cont 45 Cancelled. Moved by Cr Hall, That Flavels Contract No 45 be Cancelled & that same be offered to Ward Brothers @ original price. 2nd by Cr Morgan & Carried.

Letter from overseer re wire netting on Blks 5 & 39 Mortlock 10 & 46 Mitchell Letter from Secretary Lands Department re Stone & Gravel Quarries in the District. Transfer of Netting Transfer applications received from Good Brothers for netting on Blk 12 to Blk 22 Hd Mitchell also from N & A. Crawford for net on Blk 39 to Blk 2 Hd Mortlock.

Letter from EJ Field re removing netting from abandoned Lands & Cancellation of Blk 10 Hd Mitchell.

Memo from Lands Title Office re having road sold by Council adjoining Sects 110 & 111 brought under the R.P.A Title.

Letter from Municipal & Local Gov Association re various matters dealing with the proposed alteration to tire Act - received.

Letter from Returned Sailors & Soldiers Imperial League re Tree planting to the memory of Sailors & Soldiers received. Circular from Navy League re Button Day for Friday Oct 19th next - received. Circular from Local Gov Department re Town Planning. Letter from E.J.Field re list of Mortgage lands asked for by the Council. Stating that. That Department could not give the required information. Letter from Same office re Loans paid off - received Transfer of Lands From J Roe to AE Roe Blk 23 Shannon & Blk 1w Cummins. From H Evans to R.PL Hoepner Unley Blk 46 Hd Mortlock From O.RC Allbahrn to Kate Allbahrn (Blackwood) Lots 619-620 Lincoln From E Lock, to WR Hage pt Sect 3 £40 . pt Sect 3 £450. Hd Lincoln From P.A.Molloy (Deceased) to Lizzie (Camden) & James Molloy (Roseworthy) Blks 14 & 30 Hd Mitchell. From AWB Walkom to JC Harder (Cummins) lots 25-25 £12/10/- of Sect 3A Cummins From R Correll to CA McGuire Blk 64 £125 of Sect 66 Hd Lincoln From Elders Trustee Co to Selina Howard Lot 7 Town of Laurence. From S.A. to Commonwealth Gov pt of Gov Reserve Lincoln Township Moved by Cr Morgan, That Clerk be authorised to make the necessary alterations in Assessment Book. 2nd by Cr Puck & Carried.

Moved by Cr Hall, That Clerk make application to the Government for one years extention of time to pay off wire netting loans. 2nd by Cr Puckridge & Carried.

Councillors Cr Hall Stated that there was a very bad washout in road opposite DuBois Blk 43. Mortlock & asked that the O/S have same repaired - granted Also stated that he had let 2 small jobs of repairing Roads @ 30/- each.

Cr Morgan Asked that drains be made on either side of Mena Road - granted Also that O/S inspect & report on road leading to Fosters (Warrow- granted Also if the Culvert at Woolshed creek was being repaired (O/S stated that he was unable to procure Labot for the work). Also asked that about 35 chains of Drain be made from Couлта Township running towards the Creek - granted. Also Stated that he had let one days work opposite Couлта Hall.

Cr Puckridge asked that the O/S inspect & report on road between Blks 21 & 212 Hd Mitchell - granted

Cr Bruce Asked that the O/S have Culvert leading to Valley Cemetery repaired - granted) Also drew aattention to Big Swamp Crossing. Also to washout opposite 8th Mile post North Main Rd. Also asked that the Poonindie Bridge be painted & Tarred Resolved that the painting be held over for the present.

Cr O'Shanahan asked that Drain be made on road leading to RD McLeods request granted.

Estimate of receipts & Expenditure for year ending 30/6/18 submitted & Considered General Rate Moved by Cr Puckridge "That the General Rate be 1/- in the £ on Assessment of the District 2nd by Cr Hall & Carried.

Sanitary Rate Moved by Cr Bruce "That Sanitary Rate be 9d in the £ on the Assessment of Lincoln Township & 1d Health Rate on all outside lands. Motion Lapsed. Amendment Moved by Cr Hall, That Sanitary Rate be 10d in the £ on Lands within the Lincoln Township. 2nd by Cr Morgan & Carried. Cr Bruce wished his vote to be recorded against the motion.

Letter from J Souter asking what reduction would be made for netting on Blk 10 Hd Mitchell on A/c of the full Complement not being there - Clerk to reply that no reduction would be made. A/cs General 190-13-10. Gov Grants A/c 231-5-6 A/c A 31-3-0. Wire Net A/c 289-13-0 Moved by Cr Puck, That the A/cs as read be passed for payment 2nd Cr Morgan & Carried.

Cr Morgan Asked what time Thorpe required to complete his Contract at Wangary & asked that Thorpe be notified that he must return the Road Roller to Couлта or Warrow - Should other Contractors require same. Tenders were opened & Considered Moved by Cr Hall, That the following be the successful Tenderers - No 66 JJ Lambert @ £2/13/6 per chain No 68 JW Goddard @ 2/5/- per ch No 70 A.A. Puckridge @ 2/5/- per ch. No 65 to be readvertised, 2nd by CR Morgan & Carried.

Overseers report read Moved by Cr Hall, That the report as read be adopted 2nd by Cr Morgan & Carried.

Moved by Cr Hall - That Slaughtering Licences be granted for ½ year @ 5/- 2nd by Cr Morgan & Carried.

Honor Roll Resolved that the Honor Roll Committee be asked to have the unveiling of same on Oct 20th at 3pm if same would be convenient to them.

J O'Shanahan Chairman Date 20.10.17.

Minutes of District Council Meeting held 20/10/17

Present Cr James OShanahan in the Chair Crs. J.D. Bruce, A.G. Laidlaw W.G. Morgan & S.A. Puckridge Apology for absence received from Cr. O.A. Hall

Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed Financial statements for month submitted & read

Correspondence Road at Tulka Letter received from W Argent re bad state of road near . Tulka. Resolved that overseer inspect & report at next meeting Allotment 901 Letter from E E Garrett stating that he had sent Transfer form to Messrs Joyner Shep & Phillips Letter from Joyner Shepherd & Phillips acknowledging Same. Opinion Received from Joyner Shepherd & Phillips regarding Councils position in reference to road through Blk 901 Moved by Cr Bruce. That Council complete the Purchase of Lot 901 from E E Garrett @ £13.-10. . Seconded by Cr. Laidlaw & Carried Tree on Rd 58 M.P. Letter from W T Wright in reference to Trees Cut off Main West Rd. near 58 mile post. Resolved that 2/6 be paid for same.

Letter from Secretary Good Roads Association Received Letter from Secretary OWUM Lodge re loss of table from Council chambers. Resolved that Clerk advertise for same.

Rd Hd. Louth Letter from J H. Chapman. re bad state of Road between his place & Barrauds. Resolved that overseer inspect & report on same. Yullanda Flat & Cum Rd. Letter from W. P. Cabot, re bad & dangerous state of road between Yullanda Flat & Cummins. (Near Atkinsons) Overseer to inspect & report on Same.

Rabbit Destruction Letter from Secretary. Yaninee Agricultural Bureau re Rabbit destruction outside of Dist. Councils. To be referred to Surveyor General. Rd. Roller Letter from G. W. Goddard re having to go 36 miles for Road Roller. Moved by Cr Laidlaw That £3 be deducted from J Thorpes Contract for not having returned the roller & same be paid to Mr Goddard. 2nd by Cr Morgan & Carried West Main Rd. Letter from F B Puckridge re bad state of Mail Road between Port Lincoln & Lake Hamilton Moved by Cr Laidlaw. That immediate steps be taken to have Ruts repaired on West Main Rd. between Lincoln & Lake Hamilton. 2nd. Cr Puckridge & Carried Auditors Fees Letter from Council Auditors Seddon & Blackman Asking for an increase in Auditors Fees. Councillor Laidlaw gave notice. That he will move after the 1/2 yearly audit the matter of Auditors Fees be reconsidered

Suspension of 1 year Wire net Instal from 1/2/17 Letter from Secretary of Lands Dep. stating that one year suspension of Vermin Loans granted this Council, would be granted on Instalments that fell due on 1st Februry 1917. Resolved that Clerk write & ask that the suspension be granted on Instalments that are due on 1st Februry 1918. Transfer of Net Blk 12 Net Letter from Sec Lands Dept in reference to application from Good Brothers to have Wire netting on Blk 12 Hd Mitchell Transferred to Blk 22 Mitchell Net Blk 17} to Blk 20} net Application received from D Sampson to transfer 1 mile of netting from Blk 17 Mitchell to Blk 20 Hd Mitchell. Also application from R Brown to transfer Netting from Blk 7 Shannon to Blk 42 Hd Shannon. Applications Granted. Gov Grants A/c Letter from T Duffield asking for

particulars of Gov Grants Balances & Committments. Particulars sent on New Jetty letter from S A Harbours Board re proposed new Jetty at Port Lincoln received

Letter from Sec Town planning Association received Statement submitted of wire netting sold & transferred from Lands left in the District

Blk 8 Mortlock Letter from Sec Lands -- re Transfer of Blk 8 Hd Mortlock, & Liabilities on Same Statement sent on

2nd hand Wire Netting Letters in reference to second hand wire netting were received from the following persons. A. L. Hill. Wemyss Brothers, W. C. Bache. D J Knot. Sec Agr. Bureau Minnipa J. S. Colbert, J F Kammerman C.F.A. Hennig, J Souter. State & Agency Co. E. Hosking. Net Blk 43 Mitchell Letter from H. H. Voumard that he had only removed Private netting from Blk 43 Hd. Mitchell.

Letter from Knox & Hargraves--asking for particulars of liabilities for wire netting on Blk 41 Mortlock. Blk 12 Cummins. 7 Shannon & 31 Shannon--A/cs sent on. Transfer of Lands The following transfers of Lands were received from Lands Title Office. From H H Miller to R M McFarlane Lots 19. 702. 703. 704. 705. 706 & 872. Township of Lincoln. From J V Lawton to Mrs C W Siviour lots 5.8.9. Sect 3 Cummins From E A Huppatz to Charles Shepperd Sect D Hd. Warrow From Thos. Knight to A H Abbot Lot 31 Edilillie. From J Ridgway {deseased} to M.E.H. Ridgway Lot 47. 48 Township of Lincoln. From A B Langford to G. Lock Sects. 261.263. 264. 265. 266. 267. 268. 269 Hd Lake Wangary. From A. A. Zanker to Geo Dorward pt Sect 189 Hd Louth. From A. R. Boehm to Emily Bansernet. Lots 64, 65, of Sect 2W Cummins. From Elders Trustee Co to Anne Marshall lot 756. Township of Lincoln. From R. H. Siviour to Mrs C W Siviour Lot 8 of Sect 2W Cummins. Blks 49 & 56 (20 acres) Hd Lincoln J Woods. Moved By Cr Laidlaw. That Clerk be authourised to make the necessary alterations in assessment Book. 2nd by Cr Morgan & Carried

Adjournment. Council adjourned to 7-15.

Rd between Sect 212 & 213 Louth Application received from Mrs Rose McLeod to lease road between Sects 212 & 213 Hd Louth Moved by Cr Bruce That the application be granted 2nd by Cr OShan & Carried

Rd from Corner 212 to Beach Hd. Louth Cr OShanahan stated That Mrs Rose McLeod wished to purchase unused Rd from South west corner of Sect 212 Hd Louth to end of road at Tod River, & Moved that Council sell same @ 30/- per acre with all Fees added. Seconded by Cr Bruce & carried.

Councillors Cr Morgan. Asked that 1 to 1½ chns of Road be made on Mena Rd opposite Grace Park. request granted

Cr Puckridge. Asked that Tenders be called to metal 7 or 8 Chs on Harris Rd. at Mt Hope -- Granted.

Cr Bruce Called attention to water in Liverpool St & Lamps on new Jetty not being lighted

Cr Laidlaw. Stated that it would be necessary to cover with a glass case. (The Honor Roll that had been handed over to the Institute Committee, & asked that the Council give assurance that

this would be done when necessary. Cr Bruce. Stated that he was not willing that the Council should provide the cover for same Cr OShan. stated that the amount from each Ratepayer would be so small & he considered every Ratepayer would feel proud to help for such a cause.

Therefore he would support Cr Laidlaws suggestion Cr Morgan & Puckridge also supported the matter.

Cr Bruce Moved That the worst places on the Patch road be repaired 2nd by Cr Laid & Carried

Cr Morgan asked when Woolshed Creek Culvert would be done (reply) when labour can be procured.

Accounts General funds 230-1-1. Gov Grants a/c 127-4. A/c A 5-18-7 Wire Netting A/C 120- 1- 6. Moved by Cr Morgan, That the A/Cs as read be passed for Payment 2nd Cr Puck & Carried

Tenders were then opened and considered Moved by Cr Morgan that Cont No 65 be let to S.J. Flavel @ 4/12/6 per chain & Conts Nos 71- 73- & 74 be readvertised 2nd by Cr OShan & Carried

Overseers report read Moved by Cr Puck That the report as read be adopted, 2nd by Cr Morgan & Carried

Minutes were then read and meeting adjourned

J O'Shanahan Chairman Date, 17. 10. 17/

Minutes of District Council Meeting held Nov 17th 1917.

Present Cr Jas OShanahan in the Chair Cr J D Bruce & A G Laidlaw
Apology received for Cr Hall

Minutes of Previous meeting was read & confirmed.

Financial Statement submitted & read.

Correspondence Letter from Burmeister submitting price & design for Honor Roll. received. Transfer of netting Application from H H Robins to Transfer wire netting from Blk 33 Hd SHannon (A E Habner) to Blk 48 Hd SHannon. Forms sent on for signature. Secondhand Wire Netting The following applications were made for 2nd hand wire netting. C Layson. Seth Joy. W.G. Tree. H.C. Wollaston & W.A. Shipard.

Letter from A Sach asking the Council to renew his bill for purchase of netting for another 3 months. Moved by Cr Laidlaw. That the request be granted & interest added. 2nd Cr Bruce & Carried.

Application for Slaughtering Licence from C .H Atkinson Cr Laidlaw gave notice. That at the next Council Meeting. He would move That the bylaw re Slaughtering Licences be amended.

Letter from A. J. Blakeway re D. C. Survey work received.

Letter from H. C. Wollaston re wire netting on Bk 42

Mortlock Moved by Cr Laidlaw that Clerk be authorised to deal with Mr Wollaston 2nd by Cr Bruce & carried.

Blk 8 Mortlock Letter from E Jukes re Balance owing Council for wire Netting on Blk 8 Hd Mortlock. (particulars sent on)

Letter from Hacket & Hunt re allotment 874. Clerk to reply

Letter from Secretary Lands & Survey Department re Transfer of Netting from Sect 130 Louth 20 SHannon 25 Mitchell 17 & 20 Mitchell 7 & 42 Shannon.

Letter from Sec Lands re Balance due on Loans granted to W. A. Dorward, J.A. & G.A. Roberts & E Cooper also stating that Blk 42 Mortlock would be cancelled.

Letter from Sec Lands Dept re plans for new Rd Hd Cummins. Received.

Transfers of Land. From A Leech to Tarnish & McLachlan Blk (20 acres) 50.51.52.58 Hd Lincoln from R.A.Heath to Geo Dorward pt 189 Louth. Resolved that Clerk be authorised to make the necessary alterations in Assessment Book.

Cr Bruce Stated that it had been reported to him that Road Contractors were not taking the necessary precautions under the fire act with their camp fires.

Moved by Cr Laidlaw that notice be put in local paper calling attention to fire act.

Cr Laidlaw drew attention to several Contract not being started & on account of being so late in the season that same be held over. Also to Contractors having 3 or 4 Contracts in progress at the one time & asked that they be instructed to complete each contract before starting another, Also asked that road material be got out during the dry season & That Tenders for Tonta Swamp be called for February Meeting. Resolved that the Overseer

hold over all Contracts that be thinks advisable until next winter. Cr Bruce drew attention to the increased number of Rubbish on Reserves & Road sides. Resolved that the Overseer take action to have same destroyed.

Cr OShan asked that 6 Chain of Gravelling be done near Blk 5 Hd Wanilla. Tenders to be called for next meeting.

Resolved that O/S have all bolts on Tod River Bridge tightened up.

A/cs General £175.2.0 Gov Grants a/c £72.4.0 A/c A £3.10.0 Wire Netting £122.13.0 Moved by Cr Laidlaw That A/cs as read be passed for payment 2nd Cr Bruce & carried.

Resolved that the Chairman approach Proprieter of Record re Council Advertisements.

Tenders were then opened & considered Moved by Cr Laidlaw that Contract No 73 be let to E Meers @ £3/9/6 per chain. No 74 G.W.Goddard @ £3/10/- per chain 76 to H H Voumard @ £4/-/- per chain, & 79 to Fitzgerald Bros @ £3/10/- per chain. COntracr 72 & 77 to be held over 2nd by Cr Bruce & carried.

O/S report read & adopted.

Resolved that Cr Laidlaw make Application for Subsidy while in Adelaide.

Minutes read & meeting adjourned. J O"Shanahan Chairman Date 15.12.17

Minutes of Dist. Council Meeting held Dec 15th 1917

Present Cr Jas. O'Shanahan (in the Chair) Crs WG Morgan & S.A. Puckridge. Apologys received from Crs. JD Bruce O.A. Hall & A.G. Laidlaw.

Minutes of previous meeting were read & confirmed.

Financial Statement submitted & read.

Correspondence 2nd hand netting. Letter from JW Kennett asking for particulars of netting on Blk 42 Mortlock , reply sent.

Letter from Elder Smith & Co. quoting price of Poison for Rabbits received.

Opinion received from Joyner Sheperd & Phillip re making drains through private properties.

A/c 2/6 from ST Wright for removing tree off Rd. Same to be paid.

2nd hand wire . The following persons made application for netting 2nd hand wire netting. W.A. Shepard, J.E. Dinsdale, R. Williams & others, P.R. Trezone, W.R. Mitchell, R. Beaford, W.G. Tree, J.H. Rosewarne, & W. Sampson.

Water on Liverpool St. Request from J.A. McGuire & others to have water drained off Rd. opposite allotments 401 & 402. Moved by Cr Morgan "That the work asked for be done" 2nd by Cr Puckridge & carried.

Letter from J. Sonter asking Council to make adjustment for netting on Blk 10 Mitchell. Resolved that full particulars be obtained & adjustment made up to £5 -

Letter from Department of Agriculture stating that the professor of Botany had identified the weed sent as Ranunculus Muricatua & that same would grow only on moist places.

Petition from A Hall & others asking to have road on Whites Hill repaired. Resolved that o/s to have work done not to exceed £10.

Transfer of Netting Application from H.H. Robins to have wire netting on Blk 33 Shannon transferred to Blk 48 Shannon request granted (All arrears had been paid)

39 Mitchell Netting Letter from W.J. Trimble giving Council permission to remove wire netting from Blk 39 Mitchell for amt. owing on same.

Letter from Sec.Lands re Commissioner visit to Pt Lincoln received

Memo from Local Government Dept on Pound Keepers Suretys Subsidy paid. Grants for Main Roads for year ending 3/6/18. £1295. Bush fire Acts & Hawkers Licenses 2.13.1

Memo from Sec Lands re Rabbit destruction

O/s submitted estimate of making drain at Warrow @ £45.

Cr Morgan asked that all Contracts not started be held over. O/s was taking action regarding this matter.

Accounts Gov Grants a/c £90.8. A/c A. 55/6/3. Gen 212-4-3. Moved by Cr Morgan. That a/cs as read be passed for Payment 2nd O. Puck & carried.

Tenders were opened & considered Moved by Cr Morgan. That Cont. Nos. 71 & 72 be let to Bache & Carey @ 2/9/6 per ch & 5/-/- Lump

sum respectively No. 80 to W Doudle @ 3/2/6 per ch & No. 78 to be held over. 2nd by Cr Puckridge & carried.

Statment from overseer on inspection of Netting on Blk 42 Mortlock & 39 Mitchell.

Overseer report read & adopted Resolved that Tenders be called for painting Council Buildings.

J. O'Shanahan Chairman Date 19.1.18