

Minutes of Ordinary Meeting (adjourned from the 18<sup>th</sup> inst.) was held after the conclusion of the Special Meeting as set forth on the preceding <sup>page</sup>, the same members of the Council being present.

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read confirmed & signed by the Mayor.

A letter was read from the Valuer-General re application for Govt. Valuation Roll for the Borough was held over.

Deposit forfeited.

A letter was read from Mr. Park Solicitor asking on behalf of Mr. C. Williams a refund of Mr. W's deposit (£3) as a candidate at the late election. It was moved by Mr. Mackenzie and seconded by Mr. Hankins and carried "That the Auditor-General be written to and his opinion asked re Mr. C. Williams' deposit, & that Mr. Williams be asked to stay proceedings for the present."

Fire Brigade

A letter was read from Mr. L. A. Bowen asking for a grant towards the upkeep of the Lein Fire Brigade. Matter held over until next meeting.

Use of Council Chamber.

With regard to a complaint by Mr. Brewster Hon. Sec. of the Lein Band, that the use of the rooms could not be always obtained it was resolved on the motion of Mr. Anderson seconded by Mr. Mackenzie "That owing to the fact that these rooms are constantly in use by the County and Borough Councils, they be reserved in future for their exclusive use."

A letter from Mr. Hislop complaining of neglect on the part of the nightman was read. It was decided that Mr. Hislop be informed that attention had been given to the matter in question.

A letter was received from Mr. F. J. Garland apologizing for breaking up footpath &c without previous permission.

*Permit asked.* A letter was read from Mr. R. Butt explaining on what authority - he erected a mandak, & also asking the Council to permit him to erect a culvert & asking the Council to pay for the labor in connection with the same. Mr. Hawkins & Pounce thought that the request should be granted but it was ultimately carried that on the motion of Mr. Mackhige seconded by Mr. Hudson "That Mr. Butt be written to stating that if Mr. Butt pay all costs he may under the supervision of the surveyor be put in his culvert."

*Removal of Tree.* Mr. Wm. Clarke wrote asking that the tree opposite the door of his shop be removed. This caused some discussion which was closed by the following motion being carried - Proposed by Mr. Levy & seconded by Mr. J. Pounce "That Mr. Clarke's request be referred to the tree planting Committee with power to act."

*map.* Letters were received from the Surveyor General & the Town Clerk of Martinsborough respectively re map & levels of the Borough. It was decided to write to Patuxent for further information.

Overhanging  
Trees.

Moved by C<sup>r</sup>. Auden & seconded by C<sup>r</sup>.  
Hankins and carried "That the Town  
Clerk give notice to all owners of properties  
where overhanging trees are a nuisance  
to the streets & roads in this Borough  
requesting them to have same topped  
& trimmed to the satisfaction of the  
Surfaceman."

Overdraft

Moved by the Mayor, seconded  
by Councillor Mackenzie and carried  
"That the Mayor and Councillor  
Auden be appointed by this Council  
to make the necessary arrangements  
with the Bank for an overdraft."

Ranger

Moved by C<sup>r</sup>. Hankins and  
seconded by C<sup>r</sup>. Palmer "That the  
action of the Mayor in completing  
the engagement of the Ranger at  
a salary of five pounds (£5) per  
annum & all driving fees be  
approved & further that the Clerk  
write to Mr. Wilson in reference to  
complaints made as to the manner  
of carrying out his duties."

Winchester St

Moved by C<sup>r</sup>. Palmer & seconded  
by C<sup>r</sup>. Hankins "That tenders be  
called for widening Winchester St  
south - about 20 chains more or  
less - formation only." Carried.

Bartholomew's  
Crossing

Moved by C<sup>r</sup>. Auden seconded  
by C<sup>r</sup>. Ryder "That Mr. J. Bartholomew  
be requested to put the footpath and  
road at Werawa where the main  
line crosses same in good order  
at once, otherwise permission to

"cuss same with hamline will be  
"withdrawn." Carried.

Moved by C<sup>o</sup>. Hankins seconded  
by C<sup>o</sup>. Hudson & Carried "That a  
"letter be written to the Kikum Light  
"C<sup>o</sup>. Complaining of the delay in  
"erecting the Lamp in Oxford St. and  
"that the Kikum C<sup>o</sup>. be informed that  
"if the work is not completed within  
"fourteen days, this Council will cancel  
"the arrangement entered into."

Confirmed. Resolved as above  
July 2. 1906.

Minutes of Meeting of Council held  
on ordinary evening of meeting - 2<sup>nd</sup>  
July 1906.

Present - The Mayor (W. Gardener) & C<sup>o</sup>s. Hall,  
Hankins, Hudson, Palmer, Levy, Mackenzie  
and Palmer Ryder.

Minutes of Special Meeting held on  
the 25<sup>th</sup> June & the adjourned ordinary meeting  
held on that date were in each case  
read & confirmed respectively.

A letter was read from the Town  
Clerk of Pahratua with reference to a  
map for the Borough. - Information noted.

A letter was read from the Borough  
Ranger complaining that he had been  
condemned unheard. On the motion  
of C<sup>o</sup>. Hall seconded by C<sup>o</sup>. Hudson