AMALGAMATED SOCIETY OF ENGINEERS, &c.

Balmoral Australia Branch.

MINUTE BOOK. To 13/8/1886

In this book must be kept a correct account of all proceedings both in Branch and Committee Meetings, such as the confirmation of the Minutes of the previous Meeting, the passing of the fortnightly accounts, admission of Members, names of the Officers present, and of those Members who may be appointed to officiate in the place of any of the absent Officers, inserting all resolutions, amendments, &c., that may be proposed and seconded at Special or General Meetings of the Branch, together with the names of the Proposers and Seconders; also the evidence given by each witness in relation to any case brought before such Meetings, and the same rule must apply to all Meetings of the Committee, and on the following Meeting Night the same must be signed by the President, provided such resolutions, amendments, evidences, &c., be confirmed by the Branch Meeting as being correctly entered. In the case of the Minutes of Committee Meetings, it must be understood that the proceedings of such Committee are subject to the approval of the Branch, before being confirmed.

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Minutes of first meeting of Balmain Branch held September 27, 1879.
Bro. J. F. Breakwell, President of the Sydney Branch, took the Chair.
The business opened by the Chairman congratulating the Balmain members on the opening of the new Branch in their district and called on the members to elect the officers for conducting the business of the Branch.

Election of officers
Proposed by Bro. J. Young seconded by Bro. J. Garrard that Bro. J. F. Breakwell be the President for the first three months Carried unanimously.
Proposed by Bro. W. Wilson seconded by Bro. J. Garrard that Bro. J. Headman be Secretary for the ensuing 12 months Carried unanimously.
Proposed by Bro. J. Garrard seconded by Bro. A. G. Allister that Bro. J. Gray be Treasurer Carried unanimously.
Proposed and seconded that Bros James Johnston be elected referee for 12 months. Carried unanimously.

Proposed and seconded that Bros A. Hughes G. Long G. Foster S. Young G. Summers be the 4th Committee. Carried unanimously.

Proposed and seconded that Bros J. W. Breckin G. Summers and J. Garrard be the 5th Committee. Carried unanimously.

Proposed and seconded that Bros A. Davies W. H. Gillow A. MacKay A. Hughes G. Foster be the five trustees for 12 months. Carried unanimously.

Proposed and seconded that Bros J. Young be the 6th. Carried unanimously.

Proposed and seconded that the Branch opens on the 3rd Monday at 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Carried unanimously.

Proposed and seconded that the vacant book of this are kept by the landlord to be signed between the hours of 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Carried unanimously.

Proposed and seconded that the accounts...
for the Branch Post of £2 15 0 be paid
Carried.

Proposed and seconded that secretary that
the 100 provide himself with a bag. for his
use.

Proposed and seconded that the officers
take necessary steps for framing Branch Emblems
and keep.

Proposed and seconded that the Secretary write to the
Sydney Branch stating the names of the officers elected
Carried
WB Breakwell Pres.

Minutes of Meeting held October 13th 1879

Proposed and carried that the Trustees
Bank 25 £ Twenty Five Pound Carried

Members Made

Edmund Crossley Titter

JWF President
Branch meeting held October 27th 1879
President in the Chair
Minutes of previous Meeting read and confirmed.

After considerable discussion by Bro. Garrard and other members it was proposed by Bro. Foster and seconded by Brother that the question of reduction of wages at Martin Dock be submitted to the N.D. Committee and Bro. Johnston’s case also be submitted to the N.D. Committee.

Meeting Closed Half past Nine P.M.

Proposed by Bro. Garrard President
Seconded by Bro. Foster that the minutes as read be confirmed

John Brown President

Meeting held Nov. 10th 1879
Minutes of previous Meeting read and confirmed
Brother John Brown in the Chair

A letter was read from the Secretary of the Sydney Branch stating that he had received a long letter from the Secretary of the Newcastle Branch in reference to the pending dispute in the nine hour shops and requested that it would be
Our Secretary then stated there was a probability of his being asked to send men to Newcastle, when it was proposed and seconded the Secretary telegraph to the Secretary of the Newcastle Branch, asking him if we would be justified in sending them.

Carried

The meeting which was rather a thin one closed at 9:30.

J.W. Breakfastwell

Meeting held Nov 24, 1878
President in the chair

Proposed and seconded that Bro. Johnston case be submitted to the Branch Committee. Carried

Proposed the report of L.D. Committee be received. Carried

Proposed and seconded the Secretary write to the Secretary of the Newcastle Branch, asking what steps have been taken in reference to the men drawn out from J. B. A. Brown's Works Newcastle with respect to support. De

Carried

President—John W. Breakfastwell.
Committee Meeting Held Nov 28 1879

The Chairman opened the proceedings by asking Bro Johnstone to state his case. Bro Johnstone then stated he had worked three weeks at the Railway Shop and four days erecting a pump at the Exhibition.

The statement of Bro Johnstone and other members being conflicting, it was proposed and seconded the Meeting adjourn to the following Wednesday and the Secretary summon the Secretary of the Sydney Branch to attend and bring his vacant book.

Carried

Minutes of Adjourned Meeting

Proposed Bro Johnstone's case be referred to the Sydney Branch he being a member of that Branch when he last came on donation.

Chairman - W.B. Breakwell Carried
Minutes of Branch Meeting Held Dec 8th 1829

Proposed & Seconded Correspondence be received Carried

Election of Officers
Proposed & Seconded that Bro J W Breakwell be the President for the next three months Carried

Proposed & Seconded that Bro Turner be Bookkeeper for the next three months Carried

Proposed and Seconded that Bros Sydney Young and Jacob Parratt be Auditors for the next Six Months Carried

Proposed and Seconded that Bro Alfred Hughes be Provisional Auditor for the next Six Months Carried

Chairman J W Breakwell Carried
Minute of Meeting Held Dec 22 1839

Proposed and Seconded the Correspondence be received. Carried

Proposed and Seconded the report of representative of the Local District Committee be received. J.W. Frank Russell, Chair Carried

Minute of Meeting Held Jan 5 1840

Proposed and Seconded the Correspondence be received. Carried

Contributions £1.18.60 Entrance £1.7.5.0

Members Made: Alexandre Theodore Bernier.

Proposed and Seconded, that the Auditor's Report be Received. Carried

Proposed and Seconded that the Local District Committee recommend the affiliation of the Colonial Branches with respect to the placing of Laws Three months after being put on at home.

President: George Forbes

[Signature]
Minutes of Meeting Held Jan 31st 1879

Proposed and Seconded the correspondence be received. Carried.
Proposed and Seconded the Secretary write to the Secretary of the Sydney Branch asking what funds are available for the Benevolent Fund. Carried.
Proposed and Seconded John Overall become a member. Carried.

Leves
3/ for Contingent Purposes Nine Hours Defence $16
For Benevolent Purposes $6

J. W. Breakwell, Chairman.

Minutes of Meeting Held Feb 2nd 1880

Proposed and Seconded the Correspondence be received. Carried.

Proposed and Seconded the report of District Committee be received. Carried.

Proposed and Seconded that a Benevolent grant of Five Pounds be given to Mr. Alexander Mackay. Carried unanimously.

Alfred Hughes Chairman.
Minutes of Meeting held 7 Feb 1880

Proposed and seconded the Correspondence be received. Carried.

Proposed and seconded the Schedule's for levies be allowed to stand over till next Meeting Night. Carried.

Member Made John Overall.

JLBreakwell

Minutes of Meeting held March 1 1880

Proposed and seconded minutes of former meeting be confirmed. Carried.

Proposed and seconded Mr. King receive his donation. Carried.

JLB Breakwell
Minutes of Meeting Held March 15

Proposed and Seconded the minutes of previous meeting be confirmed. Carried

Proposed and seconded the correspondence be received. Carried.

Election of Officers

Proposed and Seconded that Bro Sydney Young act as President for the next 3 months. Carried unanimously.

Proposed and Seconded that Bro George Forster be Vice President for the next 3 months. Carried.

Proposed and Seconded that Bro Angus McAllister be money Steward for the next 6 months. Carried.

Proposed and Seconded that Bro Nelson be junior auditor for the next 6 months. Carried.

Proposed and Seconded that Bro Hughes be elected provisional auditor for the next 6 months. Carried.

Proposed and Seconded that Bro Mackay be bookkeeper for the next 6 months. Carried.

Propose and Seconded that Bros A Hughes E Long G Foster Pimmies and J Breakwell form the Branch committee. Carried.
Proposed and seconded the present member of the L D Committee, be re-elected for the next 6 months. Carried unanimously.

Alteration of time for opening Branch. Proposed and seconded, the Branch opens at 7 P.M. and closes at 9 P.M. Carried.

Our next meeting falling on Easter Monday night it was proposed and seconded it be held on Tuesday night. Carried. J W Brecknell

Minutes of Meeting Held 30 March 1880

Minutes of Previous read and confirmed

Member Proposed Joshua Whitaker.

J W Brecknell, Chairman
Minutes of Meeting held April 12th 1880.

Officers

President: Sydney Young
Vice President: George Forster
Treasurer: Angus McAllister
Secretary: John Sellar
Treasurer: John Gray

Branch Committee

A. Hughes
G. Lingo
G. Forsster
G. Summers
G. W. Breckwell

Proposed and seconded that minutes of previous meeting be confirmed Carried

Proposed and seconded that the Auditor's report be received Carried

Received an apology from Bro Young. At work
Proposed & seconded that Bro McAllister receive his donation.

Proposed & seconded that Bro Findlay receive his donation.

Proposed that Andrew Geddes be a member of this Society.

Proposed that William James Gilchrist be a member of the Society.

Proposed that William Williamson be a member of this Society.

Proposed by Henry King, seconded by A. MacKay that Joshua Whitaker be a member of this Society. Carried.

Proposed by Henry King, seconded by Alfred Hughes that James Gilchrist be a member of this Society on condition that he produces a certificate certifying the soundness of his eye. Carried.
Minutes of Meeting held 26th April 1830

Proposed and seconded that Minutes of last Meeting be confirmed. Carried.

Proposed and seconded that William Phillips be a member of this Society.

Proposed and seconded that William Wilkinson be a member of this Society.

Proposed and seconded by John Brecknell and John Stephenson that William Wilkinson be a member of this Society. Carried.

Proposed and seconded that Bros. Peter Alexander and Henry King receive the Donation. Carried.

J. F. Young
Minutes of Meeting held May 10th 1880.
Proposed and seconded that Minutes of last Meeting be confirmed. Carried

Proposed by George Foster, seconded by John Wilson that William Phillips be a member of this Society. Carried.

George Foster

Minutes of Meeting held May 24th.
Proposed and seconded that the Minutes of last Meeting be confirmed. Carried.

Proposed by John Breakwell, seconded by John Stephenson that Andrew Geddes be a member of this Society. Carried.

Proposed by John Breakwell, seconded by John Gray that James Robinson receive a Benevolent Grant of £1 6 10. Carried.

Andrew Geddes was duly admitted a member.
Proposed by J. W. Breakevill seconded by W. Wilson that Albert William Helckers become a member.

Proposed by J. W. Breakevill seconded by W. Wilson that William Alexander French become a member.

Minutes of Meeting held June 4th 1880.

Proposed and seconded that Minutes of last meeting be confirmed Carried.

Proposed and seconded that Mr. Stokes and King received these donations Carried.

Proposed and seconded that the Election of Officers be postponed to the next meeting which shall be by Special Summon.
Minutes of Meeting Held June 21st

Proposed and Seconded that Minutes of last Meeting be confirmed. Carried.


President, Samuel Young, Vice, George Hodson, Secretary, Robert Dr. Alexander, Treasurer, William Phillips, Auditors, William Wilson and James Forsyth.

Proposed and Seconded that William Alexander become a Member of this Society.

Proposed and Seconded that a Delicate Meeting be held next Year. Carried. A Toast.
Minutes of Meeting held July 6th

Proposed and seconded that the minutes of last meeting be confirmed
Carried

Proposed and seconded that letter from Christchurch Branch be sent to Local District Committee (Carried)

Proposed and seconded that the Auditor’s report be received (Carried)

Proposed by P. Alexander seconded by A. Davie that Leonard Bennett become a member

William McAllister was duly admitted a member

J.W. Breakwell
Minutes of Meeting held July 19th 180

Proposed and Seconded that Minutes of last Meeting be Confirmed

Proposed and Seconded that the report of the local District Committee then be read. Corrected

Albert William Kelleher was duly admitted a Member of this Society

Leonard Bennett was duly admitted a Member of this Society
Minutes of Meeting Held Aug 2nd

Proposed and Seconded that the Minutes of last meeting be confirmed. Carried

William Alexander French was duly admitted a member of this Society

Proposed and Seconded that the question of overtime worked at Bothwell Saw Mill be referred to Local District Committee. Carried

Proposed and Seconded that William Lowe be exempt from contributions and leavings during passage out. Carried
Committee Meeting Held 11th August 1880

Proposed and seconded that £500 Mackay be not allowed to work overtime in future at Boat's Mill unless he receive the usual overtime rate, and £20 0re 0 be exonerated from all blame being in the position of Foreman.

Proposed and seconded that £100 Mackay and Alexander be fined £1 6 each, to defray expenses of Branch Committee, and that £50 Alexander be fined £6 extra for non-attendance. J. J. Gann.
Minutes of Meeting held Aug 16th

Proposed and seconded that Minutes of last meeting be confirmed (Carried)

Proposed and seconded that the Minutes of Branch Committee be confirmed with the alteration that Bar Rees be entitled Special hand instead of Faman (Carried)

Proposed and seconded that Bar Johnson receive his donation

Proposed and seconded that the letter from Sydney Branch be received (Carried)

J. W. Breakwell
Minutes of Meeting held August 30th, 1880.

Proposed and Seconded that Minutes of last meeting be confirmed. Carried.

President Sydney Young absent.

Proposed and Seconded that all levies arriving here from the Council in the last six weeks of the quarter be not carried as others in that quarter, but carried forward to the next quarter. Carried.

Proposed and Seconded that we celebrate the anniversary of the opening of this Branch. Carried.

Proposed and Seconded that Brother Clay receive his Education. Carried.

Proposed and Seconded that the following members act as a Committee to arrange the anniversary:

John Breakwell, William Wilson, Alex Mackery, George Forrest, Sydney Young, Hugh McAlister, John Shearman, see with power to add to the number.
Expenditure £ for last fortnight 14.6
Income 5.4.6
Branch closed at Nine O'clock
Minutes of Meeting held August 23rd Sept 12th 1880

Proposed and seconded that the Secretary of last Meeting be confirmed Carried.

Proposed and seconded that Sydney Sizik be President
Alfred Smith
George Potter Vice Pres.
John Stockman Secretary
John Stewart Rem. Asst.
William Phillips Book Keeper
J. Neil Auditor
A. Hughes Aud. Cash
A. Hughes Auditor
A. May Ass. Cash
A. McKay
A. Hughes
G. Foster
Proposed & Seconded that the present Committee stand against Carrion

Proposed & Seconded that the District Committee stand again Carrion

Proposed & Seconded that Arthur Arley be a member of this Society.

Minutes of Meeting held at September 27th 1880

John W. Beckwell

Proposed and Seconded that George Foster be Auditor carried

Proposed & Seconded that James Ward be provisional Auditor Carried

Proposed & Seconded that the Balmain Branch meet at the Swan with two picks, but not to take part in the Eight-hour Demonstration

Arthur Arley was fully made a member of this Society
Proposed and seconded that a hearty vote of thanks be given to our retiring friends from the Sydney Branch.

Minutes of Meeting held Oct 11th 1880

Proposed by John Gray seconded by George Sumners that James Summer becomes a member of this Society.

Proposed by George Sumners seconded by John Gray that David Murdoch becomes a member of this Society.

Proposed and seconded, that the Auditors' report pass.

Proposed & Seconded that the Treasurer receive Officers' Allowance for all meetings he attends.

Proposed & Seconded that the Secretary write for Treasurers Bond. 

Carried

Carried
Minutes of Meeting held Oct 24th 1880

Proposed by Peter Alexander seconded by J. Blackwell that Thos. Arnott become a member of this Society. Carried.

David Murdoch & James Summers were duly made members of this Society.

Minutes of Meeting held Nov 8th 1880

Proposed by Geo. Forster seconded by Willm. Wilson that Willm. J. Walker become a member of this Society. Carried.

Geo. Thos. Arnott & Willm. J. Walker were duly made members of this Society.
Proposed and seconded, that Geo Russell receive sick Benefit according to rule.

Carried

Proposed and seconded, that Brother Micholls case as regards taking contract work at Dry Dock ber, referred to S. S. Co.

Carried

Proposed and seconded, that Bros Clay receive his Donation

Carried

Proposed I sec d that the Secretary write to General Secretary to inform him that this Branch has the honour of returning a Member of the Legislative Assembly of N. S. W.

M. Young Carried
Minutes of meeting held Dec. 6th 1850

Proposed & Seconded

that the minutes of last meeting be confirmed

Carried

after which the call of members was

Duly called

Election of Officers

Pro & Seconded: That Brother

Anne McAllester President

Alexander McLauchlan Vice President

William Philips Secretary

John Stevenson Treasurer

Branch Committee

if Summers

J. W. Baskwell

J. Brown

J. Foster

J. Kay

Auditor

Pro: Br. Law

Br. Bienier

Pro & Seconded that the Treasurer

Deposit the money to the old account

Carried
Mr. I. seconded that one hundred from £100 be withdrawn from Balmain Government Saving Bank and deposited in the Sydney Savings Bank. Carried.

Mr. Garrard on behalf of the Local Distinctive Committee reported that Mr. Nichol had been doing peace work but was about to be stationed.

Mr. I. see that Mr. Finly receive his donation. Carried.

P. J. Young

The Branch closed at 9 pm.
Branch Meeting Dec 20'th

Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed.

Branch was opened at the usual 7.30 PM on January 3rd 1881.

Officers' roll being called all were present with the exception of Sydney Young, President.

Candidates proposed: Benjamin Bridgebrook and by Harrison B Irvine and seconded by A McLachlan.

Pro & Con that the Auditors report should be received.

Carried.

Centre money received £3.9.1.

The Branch closed at 9 PM.

A. McAlistair
Branch opened at the usual hour after which the officers' hall was called. All were present with the exception of the doorkeeper.

Minutes of previous meeting was read and approved. Correspondence read and received.

Proposed by Peter Alexander and seconded by Alexander McLauchlan that Benjamin Middlebrook become a member of this society. Considerable discussion took place regarding this candidate's eligibility, but it was ultimately carried unanimously that he was a fit and proper person to become a member of this society.

Be it seen that the Secretary write to the L D C Secretary that the contract work at dock is terminated. Carried.

Brought before the members that the dock labor being late in landing the goods at night, they did not get paid for it. But Brothers was of opinion that it was not a matter for the consideration.
of the Branch

Money received £5 11 7

Branch Closed at 9 P.M

Angus McAlister

January 31st 1881

The Branch opened at 7 P.M.

The Minutes of Previous meeting was read & officers roll being called the following confirmed.

Brother Robertson applied for donation which was proposed & seconded that he
should receive this donation monthly & quarterly report read.

Carried

Proposed & sec that Dr. Alexander
receive his donation. Carried

Pr & sec that Dr. S Briggs be summoned

to appear before the Branch which was

Proposed & seconded that Dr. S Briggs
be summoned before the Branch Committee

Correspondence read and received.

Carried

Pr & sec that a special summons is Meeting be

held on our next meeting to take into consideration.
The increase of contributions Carried

Proposed and Seconded that the name of the Branch be painted on the Box and kept in the hands of Dr. Wilson and McKay. Carried

Money £5 17s 9d

The Branch closed at 9.30 P.M.

Angus McAlister

February 15th

The Branch opened at the usual hour.

The President Dr. McAlister in the Chair.

Officers' roll being called, the following were absent:

Dr. Steedman, Secretary

To see that minutes of the previous meeting be confirmed. Carried.

Owing to some misunderstanding, the Branch Box was not painted. But Dr. McKay said he'd get it done in a few days.

To see that the Branch Box be repaired. Carried.
At being a special meeting the members' roll was duly called.

Pro & Sec. that the increase of Contributions to threepence per Member (as recommended by the Executive Council) to commence begin from the 17th of January. Carried

Pro & Sec. that the grant between Dr. Briggs and Dr. Alexander Lapise until Dr. Alexander comes back. Carried

Candidates. Pro. By John W. Breakwell and seconded by John Stephenson that Henry Bingley or Parlance become a member of this Society.

Money received £5 4s. 4d.

The Branch closed at 9 p.m.

Angus McAlister.
February 25th, 1880

The Branch Opened at 9 P.M.

The Officers roll being called all were present.

The Minutes of previous meetings were read and confirmed.

The monthly report was read and received and correspondence read and received.

To see that Mr. Jervis receive his due.

Paid: Benefit

To see that Henry Bingley McFarlane be initiated.

Carried.

To see that the Bill of 4/- for repairing the Branch Box be paid.

Carried.

To see that a member working in Morto dock Co. Engineering Co. Under the average wages that his case be referred to the Sydney Branch.

Carried.

Henry Bingley McFarlane was duly made a member of this Society.

Money received.

Branch Closed at 9 P.M.

Signed:

[Signature]

Andrew McAllister
March 14th
1881

The Branch opened at 7 P.M.
The officers roll being called all were present.

Minutes of Previous meeting was read and confirmed.
Correspondence read and received.

The correspondence in the case of Brother Campbell was received
on the motion of Brother Gill.
Rearmed, seconded by Brother Wilson.

Election of Officers that

For President Prop by Bro. Wilson,
read by the Chair that the
President must maintain his
Office for the ensuing three years.
For Vice President Prop & seconded
that Brother Weller be elected
that Office Carried.
For Secretary Prop & seconded
that Brother L. Headman be
re-elected Carried. For Treasurer.
Brother Neptune was re-elected, and
Son Door Keeper Promoted. Their
For next Electro Broth W. Light
Drop demanded that Brother
Loz. Officers be appointed Choristers
in place of Brother J. Robertson
retires Carries.
For Provisional Resolution it was
proposed that Brother L. Robertson act, Carried.
For Branch Committee it was
prop. recommended that
Brothers J. Semmens, Brockett
I. Clay act as such.
For Local District committee it was
prop. approved that the
Present members maintain their
offices for the ensuing new month.
Cardinals it was prop. by J. H. Butler
Seconded by J. Semmens that
Michael Mullain became a member of this society.
It was proposed that the select stewards report to second Carries.

Prop that Brother Memphi receive his due pay.

Prop and resolved that the elders of any member of the society take employment at a lower rate than the ordinary wages in latter into the consideration of their society.

Carries.

Monie Board 5th 16th 21

Annie McAlister
March 28th 1881

The Branch opened at 9. P.M.

Mr. C. A. Colston, President in the Chair.

The officers' roll being called all were present with exception of Mr. Philips.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The see monthly report be read and received.

Carried.

Proposed and seconded that Michael Moran is a fit and proper person to become a member of this Society. Carried.

After which Mr. Moran was duly initiated as a member of this Society.

Proposed and seconded that the Secretaries of this Branch call a L.D. Committee meeting to enquire into members being allowed to start work under wages.

Carried.

Proposed and seconded that Mr. Smith receive his donation. Carried.

Proposed and seconded that Mr. Long receive his donation.

Money's received £ 12 7/- F. R. Blackwell.
April 11/51

Minutes read and confirmed

Moved that Monthly Report & Correspondence be received as read (carried)

Proposed that the Auditors report be received (carried)

Vote for & against levy for Contingent Fund of £50 per member (carried unanimously 21 members being present)

Proposed that £50 be given to the donation benefit (carried)

Monies received £10 8 3

Angus McNabster
April 23/46

Branch opened at 7 P.M.

Officers roll all present excepting Bro. Keelhar, vice President who is away up country working.

Correspondence read and received. Some discussion ensued respecting Bro. Turner's application for his clearance, when Bro. Turner said he would call on the Sec. of the Sydney Branch explaining the circumstance.

Preference to Carriers subscription list, after some discussion, it was Proposed that the list be left in the hands of the Sec. so that he may receive subscriptions from the members. Carried.

Proposition of J. R. Swalling was read in compliance with rule.

L.D. Committee men gave their report. Proposed that report be received. Carried.

Proposed that Bro. Minifie receive donation benefit. Carried.

Money rec'd £6-3-7

Angus Macalister
May 9, 181

Branch opened at 7 P.M.

Officers all present except Bro. Kelvin Vice P. who is still away working up country.

Minutes read and confirmed.

Correspondence. Monthly Report & clearance of

Bro. Turner, from Sydney Branch. Received^


Proposed forms of Wollins & J. H. Berry read to branch.

Sick steward reported. Bro. Russell not so well.

Dustion respecting Mr. Swalng's conduct at the meeting and carried unanimously unanimously.

When he was duly initiated into this society.

Money ree £6 - 2 - 6

Angus McAlister.
May 23/81
Branch opened at 7 PM
Officers all present except Bro Keelham JP
& Bro Stephen Check Book Keeper, working
Minutes of last meeting read & confirmed
Correspondence & Clearance of Bro H Allerdice
from Sydney Branch, received.
Prop & Se that Bro Alexander receive donation
from the time he left off work (carried)
Prop & Se that Bro McRitchell receive donation (carried)
Proposition forms of D Hodgeskiss BD Searle
J Wilson & J Hill read in due form
Question respecting W Collins candidacy put
to meeting, carried) he was duly initiated
Prop & Se that next meeting be a special
summoned meeting to take votes for against
the necessity of holding a Delegate Meeting
Prop & Se that the minute referring to Bro Briggs
Alexander be rescinded from Minute of Feb 14
Bro Briggs having offered Bro Alexander his
employment again (carried)
Moneys received £7-14-6

Angus McAlister
June 6/81

The Branch opened at 9 PM

Officers all present except B Kelhar Jr

Minutes of last meeting read and Confirmed

Correspondence letter from Melbourne received

Members roll called in due form

Pr & Sec. that Dr. Turner receive his donation

Pr & Sec. that the R. & S. J. & J. Barley with

Candidates James Lowrey. J. B. H. J. Davies

John W. Brockwell: The question of

James Willes D. Hodgekiss & W. Willison's

Candidate put to meeting carried

After which they were duly initiated

members of this Society

Pr & Sec. that votes for delegate

meeting be taken after which votes were recorded and none against

The following members were duly

Elected officers for the ensuing quarter
John W. Breakwell President
Br. Kelhar Vice
Br. Robinson Door Keeper
Committee: Swalling
Turner
Overall
Foster

Auditors: Br. J. Anpot
Pro: Br. Brenee
Br. Foster Sick Steward

Money received: £10, 5s, 10d

Angus Br. A. Foster
Monday June 20th 1881.

All officers present.
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.
Proposed that the correspondence and reports be read as read.
On the motion of Mr. Breedsland seconded by Mr. Strachan Benjamin Seath was admitted as a member of this society.
Proposed so that the Report of the Local District Committee be received. Carried.

Money received £ 7 16.0

Angus McAlister
Monday July 4th 1881.

Officer Roll called, Brothers Breckwells and Stephen Dun are present.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and confirmed.

Proposed that the Monthly and Quarterly Reports be received and read. On the motion of B. Wilson, se. by B. Breckwells, the Auditor's Report on Balance sheet were received Carried.

Proposed that B. McFie receive his donation Carried.

James Lorriss was admitted a member of the Society.

Proposed that B. Alexander receive his donation "Carried."

Proposed that the Secretary be instructed to write to B. Rees informing him that he is injuring the Co-operative by working so much overtime at his house. "Carried."

Money received $2.60

John Wm Breckwells, Chairman
Monday July 17th 1880 —

The Branch opened at 9 P.M — all officers present except Bo'ella.

The minutes of previous meeting were read and a continuance of the story reported that the sum of £55-0-0 (fifty five) Pounds had been placed to the credit of the Balmain Branch from equalisation in the Bank. This being all the business the Branch closed at 9 P.M.

Prof. I. unseen that Bro ASmith removed his donation from the Branch.

Money Received 

£ 6-16-0

John W. Brenchell
Monday August 1st 1881

All the officers were present.

Branch opened at 7 P.M.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

Edward Woodhall was nominated as a member of the Society on the motion of Dr. Stedman, seconded by Dr. George Farster.

Resd and seconded that the Report of the Local District Committee be received. Carried.

There being no other Business to bring forward the meeting terminated at 9 P.M.

Money Received £ 8 2 0

John W. Breakevall Chairman
Monday August 15th 1881

All officers were present.
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.
Proposed and seconded that the correspondence be received. Carried.
The Monthly Report was read and received.
On the motion of B. Wilson, see by
B. Herlihy was admitted a member of this society.
Proposed and seconded that B. Alexander receive his donation. Carried.
B. Johnston proposed and B. Herlihy se
that in the care of some of our members working at Booth's Ltd and not receiving rent and quarters for services he investigated by the Branch Council.

B. Sullivan proposed T. Farley see that the District Committee investigate it as an amendment.
Our next being put forth meeting the
The proposition was declared to be carried.

Money Proceeds £ 7. 5. 3.

John Wm. Bucknell, Chairman
Committee Meeting Held
August 18th, 1881

The President opened the meeting by reading the summons:

Bro Alexander who was summoned as a witness was then called upon.

Bro Alexander stated he received overtime rates when working at Booth's while the mill was being erected but not since.

Bro Rees who was also summoned as a witness stated he mentioned the fact to Mr. Booth, who said it was not true, as he never paid any extra for overtime.

After considerable discussion, it was proposed and seconded, the matter be referred to the Local District Committee. Carried. John W. Reedwell
Minutes of Meeting August 29th 1881

All officers were present.
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The correspondence as received from the Local District Committee was received. Carried.

Proposed and seconded that the Branch Committee meet and reply to the Local District Committee with regard to that part of their Committee reflecting upon the action taken by the Branch Committee concerning some of the members working at Booth 4 at 6: Carried.

The meeting terminated at 8:15 P.M.

Money Received £9 11s. 0d.

John Wm. Beakwell, Sec.
Committee Meeting Held
September 2nd 1881

The letter containing report of L D Committee was considered, and after some discussion it was proposed and seconded, the Secretary draw up a letter in reply, and submit same to the Committee, for the consideration of the Branch. Carried.

The charge of drunkenness, as preferred against Bro Alexander, was adjourned till Friday next to enable the Committee to obtain further information on the matter.
Minutes of meeting held September 12th 1881

All officers present under Rev. Hellen.
The minutes of previous meeting were read and confirmed. Notice of Selma and that correspondence be received as read and carried.
The meeting having been called the election of office bearers followed.

Bro. W. Backwell, President.
Mr. Allan, Vice President,
Mr. Steadman, Secretary,
Mr. Gray, Treasurer,
Mr. Stevenson, Church Book Keeper,
Mr. Robertson, Door Keeper.

Bro. Young,
Mr. Lowe, Local & Committee,
Mr. Turner,
Mr. Foster,
Mr. Hay, Branch Commit.

Mr. Wm. Brown, Auditor,
Mr. Kinnie, Superintendent, Auditor.

The above members were duly elected office bearers.
The minutes of Committee Meeting held Sept 7th having been read it was moved & seconded that the letter of the F.E.C. Committee be left in the hands of the Secretary Proposed & seconded that Bro. Clay & Race receive three donation.

After some considerable discussion it was moved & seconded that Bro. Race receive his contingent also Bro. Stevenson receive his Donation & contingent Payment and earned this being all the business the Branch closed 9-15-19

Money received £8-0-10

Proportion 51-
Ruler 44

John Wm. Brecknell Pres.
Minutes of Meeting held on Monday evening Sept 26th 1881.

All the Officers were present.
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.
Proposed that the Report and Correspondence as read be received. Carried.

Brother Alexander claims his Donations which claim was disallowed.

Brother Winder & Morris attended on behalf of the Eight hour Demonstration Committee and explained the proceedings the Committee had taken.

Proposed that the Motion receive a vote of Thanks which was carried.

Proposed that the Previous

A secretary act as Marshal on Monday October 3rd in conjunction with the Demonstration Committee. Carried.

The case of Brother Thompson a member of the Sydney Branch, going to court at Hudson's. Brother was considered an injury to the Lodge and it was proposed...
And secondly that the Local O. Con.
she called together as early as possible
to investigate the case. Carried
Here being no other business
so bring forward the meeting convened
at 9.00 p.m.

Money Receiv'd

£ 10 0 0

Contribution 9.12.10
Prop. Fees 5.
Rules 4
Pamphlets 2.0.6

Total £11.18.8

John W. Breakwell
Minutes of Meeting held October 10th 1887
The roll being called all officers were present.
The auditor having read the quarterly report
and yearly report it was proposed by Bro.
Wilton I think by Bro Davie that the report
be received as read and as endorsed. The
minutes of previous meeting were read and
confirmed. The correspondence having been read
it was proposed and seen that it be received
as read and as endorsed.
After considerable discussion arising from Bro. Alexander's case 1877, working
at the Railway Shop under lloney it was hoped
I think that Bro. Alexander agreed to comply with the
rules of the Society. Bro. Alexander promised to comply with the rules.
Duncan Smith, Philex Moncur were proposed by William Walker
and seen, by Bro. Tom and Finlay, Proposed
and seconded that Joseph Louis on a Wm.
Hansen be admitted as member of this
Society and as candidate. Proposed by Bro.
Wilson and a sec. by Bro. Stevenson that
all candidates be initiated at 8 o'clock on a
Sunday.
So, two and 11 men were duly initiated and took their seats as members of this Society. This being all the business, the meeting closed at 9-15 PM.

Money Received £7 5-6
Subscription £11 10-
Entrance £1 3-0
Rules £8
Total £8 19-2

J. W. Breakwell
Minutes of Committee Meeting

Held Oct 14, 1881, to investigate charge of drunkenness brought against Bro Alexander from injury made by members of the committee from the parties who were working with Bro Alexander at the time, it was proposed after some discussion that in the opinion of the committee Bro Alexander was intoxicated on the day mentioned, and is therefore not entitled to his donation. Carried.

The committee had also under consideration the advisability of firing Bro Alexander also, when after considerable discussion it was proposed, that he should not be fired, the committee considering his donation being stopped according to rule, would be sufficient to meet the case. Carried.

The committee also considered the case of Bro. Alexander's working at the railway under the ordinary rate of wages, he was asked if he had carried out the resolution of the branch, he said he had, and had been successful, the foreman told him to start work, and he would receive 1/2 per hour. The committee then requested him to ask his foreman for a note certifying the fact. J.W. Bealwell
Minutes of meeting held October 24th 1881

The Branch opened at 7 P.M. all officers present under Bro. Robertson. The minutes of previous meeting were read and confirmed. The minutes of committee held October 14th were read and after an explanation by members of committee it was proposed by Bro. Smith that the minutes be received as read and carried. The motion seconded, having been read, it was proposed by Bro. A. Hughes that the 14th and 15th of the second fourth (14th) and the fifth (15th) be amended and read as follows: The following rate of wages (15th) for the first $12.00, the second $12.00, the third $12.00, the fourth $12.00 and the fifth $12.00. Duncan Smith and Charles Moncur were duly admitted and took their seats as members of the Branch. This being all the business the Branch closed at 9.11 P.M.

Money received $7-6-3
Entrance money $4-8-0

Total 8-14-3
Minutes of meeting held November 7th 1881.

The Branch met at 7 PM all officers present. The minutes of previous meeting were read and confirmed. The correspondence having been read it was proposed and seconded that it be received and carried.

Some discussion having arisen from the letter from the Sydney Branch it was proposed and seconded that the Secretary write to the Sydney Branch Shapley as the envelope against Mr. Yeates was not insignificant one - the minutes introduce the idea of the Halloran Branch 2/6, who wished an increase of 1d. in his power he will be happy to do any of the members of the Halloran Branch. It was proposed and seconded that the sum of $20 (Twenty) pounds be placed for the Bank and earned. This being all the business the Branch closed at 8 PM.

Treasurer

John W. B. Brentnell

£7 - 14 - 9
Minutes of meeting held November 21st 1881

The Branch opened at 7.30. All officers present unless Bro. Robertson. The minutes of previous meeting were read and confirmed.

Adam Brookfield and A. Henry Ernest Braith were proposed as candidates of this Society. The monthly report and general correspondence was read and accepted as read. The Local Purchase committee representatives gave their report which was unanimously approved.

Proposed an a second at that Bruthott receive £5. Sick Pay and all unanimously came to this being all the business the Branch closed @ 7 30

John W. Braithwell

Committee £ 15 0 0

Rules £ 5 0 0

Contributions £ 9 6 0 0

Total £ 21 6 8
Minutes of Meeting held 4th December 5th 1881
The Branch open at 12.30. Bro. W. Mason was again in the chair on the officers roll being called all very present. The minutes of previous meeting were read and confirmed.
The correspondence having been read it was proposed and seconded that it be receive a as read and carried into a and seconded that Bro. Young's apology be accepted for non attendance at last committee meeting and carried. The 2nd committee representatives having given their report it was proposed and seconded that it be receive a and carried. The Secretary called the roll after which Charles J. Perley was proposed as a candidate for admission. Bro. H. H. and Bro. Z. were admitted as members of this Branch etc. The following Members were duly elected as Officers.
Pence and Butter to appear

V...

Money Steward... A Keller

An actor... W. Brown & J. Long

A Committee... A Smith, Wilmot & Turner

Poor Keeper... Nash

Sick Visitor... Foster

Then being no other Business the
Branch closed at 9 P.M.

Proprietor $ 0 - 5 - 0

Rules $ 0 - 0 - 4

Entrance $ 0 - 15 -

Contributions $ 10 - 12 - 6

Total $ 11 - 12 - 10

John Wm. Bradwell
Minutes of meeting held on December 19th 1881. The Branch opened at 7 P.M. Brother J. Breadwell in the chair. The Bell Officers Roll being called all present except B. Allsice, the Minutes of previous meeting were read and confirmed. Charles J. Peldon was then admitted a member of this Branch. B. Bell, being money Steward for the current quarter, and on leaving to go to sea B. McVoy was proposed, seconded, and carried, to be money Steward in his stead.

There not being present cards sufficient to carry on the business of the Branch for the current year, it was proposed, seconded and carried that there be 100 printed.

The President read the usual caution to members in arrears, and a Motion was then carried to hand £257.

Entrance 5 4
Contribution 8 5
Total 8 10 0

This being all the business the meeting closed at 9 P.M. John W. Breadwell.
Jan 2nd 1882
Branch opened at 8 PM
Officers absent Alladice, Murdoch, McKee, & Nash all fined
Minutes read & confirmed
Bro Breakwell chair, Nelson Ulman, Forster
Money Stent, Phillips door keeper
Votes for Alladice for contingent fund & for
Carson unanimously (Auditors fined)
Branch Closed at 9 PM, Long & Boyd

John Wm. Breakwell
Jan 16th 1882

Branch opened at 7PM
Minutes of Meeting read and Confirmed
Auditors report read and reserved

Unanimously.

It been proposed and Seconded That
the Secretary write home to Executors
of the London Branch and enclose copy
of the Registration act
Can read unanimously.

Money Received

Contributions £13.0.2d.

John [Signature]
Jan 30th 1882

Branch Opened at 7 PM

Minute of the previous Meeting read and Confirmed Carried Unanimously.

It is proposed and Seconded that Brother Lowe

It being proposed and Seconded that Chairman resignation be accepted carried Unanimously.

It being proposed and Seconded that Brother Lowe take the Chair for the remainder of the Term Carried Unanimously.

Branch Closed at 9 PM

It being proposed and Seconded that Bro. Brown charge against Alex McKay be

William Lowe referred to the Branch Committee

Money Received

Contribution $61.75

Propriety $0.00

Rules $0.00

Total $71.75
Feb 13th 1882

Branch Opened at 7 pm

Minutes of the previous meeting read and confirmed Carried Unanimously.

It was proposed and seconded that Henry James Nichols appointed a member of this Branch. Edward Edards proposed and seconded by John Brown. Seconded by George Foster that John Smith become a candidate of this Society. Carried Unanimously.

Branch Closed at 9 PM

Money Received

Contributions £1 1s 3d

Extraction Rules

William Lowe
Feb. 27, 1882

Branch Opened at 7 o'clock.

Minutes of the previous meeting read and confirmed Carried unanimously.

Proposed by Bro. Johnson Seconded and carried that the resignation of Bro. Foster and Bro. Whitney be received Carried.

Brother D. Carried that Bro. Johnson and Bro. Seaborg be Committee in place of Bro. Foster and Bro. Whitney Carried.

Correspondent Re做的事 4 and received.

William Lowe

Money raised:
Contribution £7 4s 6d

En. Thomas £1 1s

Total £8 5s 6d
Committee Meeting held March 3, 1882

To consider charge of slander brought by Bro Brown, against Bro McKay.

All the members of the Committee were present.

The Chairman then commenced the proceedings by requesting Bro Brown to be called. Bro Brown then stated, Bro Mackay attacked him in a lewd manner, calling him some very obscene names, and using the most filthy language, saying he was no workman, and would crawl anywhere for a job.

Bro Brown then left the room.

Bro Mackay was then called, and was about to make a statement, when one of the committee suggested, that Bro Brown be recalled, and both plaintiff and defendant be allowed to hear each other's statement. To this mode of procedure, throwing some objection, it was put to the meeting, and carried, that both parties be allowed in to settle.

Bro Brown then went over the same statement he had made previously. Bro Mackay then asked Bro Brown if he had not been drinking with him, Bro Brown said he had one drink with him, and then went home, Bro Mackay stated he had been drinking with him two or three times on the Sunday previous.
Bro Mackay did not call any witnesses, but Brown called two witnesses, who corroborated the statement that Brown made respecting the foul language. 

Then being no more witnesses the committee then went into the consideration of the evidence. It was proposed by Bro Johnston, seconded by Bro Smith, that Bro Mackay be fined $1/6, and receive a vote of Censure. After a general discussion by members of the committee, and a few remarks by the Chairman as to the provocation received by Bro Mackay, the Resolution was put to the Meeting and lost by one (yes) Bro Johnston and Smith (noes) Bro's Turner, Swallow and Munro.

The Meeting then closed.

(Signed) William Lowe.
March 13th, 1882

Branch opened at 7 P.M.

Officers Present

Red Lowe, President
Headman Lee
Stevenson Creek X

Officers Absent

B. B. MacKay, Mony H.
Murdock Air House
Nash

Minutes of Previous Meeting read & Confirmed

Correspondence read & received

The proposition that of James Brown was read & the Questions answered

The roll was called at 8 P.M.

Absent members present

The Branch Committee Minutes in the case of J. Brown & MacKay was read & discussed. It was then proposed & seconded that the committee minutes be confirmed.

Carried

Reposed & seated that a letter of recommendation be given with the thanks of the Branch. Carried
Proposed and seconded that Mr. Johnson receive 5 dollars donation Carried

Money Received
Contributions 10 $ 5 $ 6
Repatriation 5 $ 4
Total 10 $ 10 $ 10

Minutes of the last meeting

Members Proposed

President — Lowe
Vice President — Hope
Check book Keeper — Stephenson
Auditor — Boswell
Trustee I. Committee — Young
Branch Committe — Lowe
Poor Keeper — Young

William Lowe
Branch Meeting, March 27th 1888

Minutes of Previous Meeting read and confirmed.
Correspondence read and received.
James Brown added as a member.

Proposed and seconded that a call of £2.0 be placed in the Bank, and earned.
Proposed and seconded that the 5% interest raised for the Potters be placed at the disposal of the Local Executive for the assistance of other trades.

The meeting then closed.

William Lowe,

£ 5.0

Contributions £ 6.9.0

Entrance £ 1.5.0

Total £ 7.14.0
Minutes of Branch meeting held 10th April 1882. Meeting opened 4 P.M.
Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed. A letter from William Clay requesting sick benefit was then read, and it was proposed, seconded and carried that it be allowed him. Brother John N. Swallow then informed the Branch that he was leaving for Victoria upon which a motion was proposed, seconded and carried, unanimously, that the secretary give him a letter of introduction to the Secretary of any of the Victorian Branches. Brothers Foster and MacKay being absent were each fined 1s.
The Quarterly report was read, and it was proposed, seconded, and carried that it be received as such.

Received Contributions 3 1 6

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No other business being before the meeting it was closed at 9 P.M.

William Lowe
Minutes of Branch Meeting held 24th April 1873

Meeting Opened - J. P.

Matters of previous meeting read and confirmed

The funds for misconduct Recurred

Correspondence Read and Received

Monthly Report Read and Received

Report on Sand and Gravel that the case of a member of the Sydney Branch working under wages be referred to the Local District Committee

Contributions 11-12-6

William Brown
Minutes of Branch Meeting held May 8th/82

Meeting opened by P. Mc.

Minutes of previous Meeting Read and Received

Proposed that Thomas Dick become a member of this Society.

The Monthly Report read and received

Votes of and applicants Received Read and received

Correspondence Read and received

The Case of Brother Rees and Brother Hill.

Be referred back to the Local District Committee.

Proposed and seconded that Brother Henry King

receive this donation. Carried

Proposed and seconded the case of the hammer

been working at the Railway being placed in

Smith's job be referred to the Local District Committee.

Each received 5-19-9

Pence 6-0-1

Williams Lowe
Minutes of Branch Meeting held May 22nd 1862

Meeting opened at 9 P.M.

Minutes of Previous Meeting read and received.

Proposed and seconded and carried that Thomas Dick become a member of this society.

Proposed and seconded that correspondence from the S. D. Comptons be received. Carried.

Proposed and seconded the roll be not called.

Carried.

Notes in favour of a Delegate Meeting for 1883. 24 in favour, none against.

The report of minutes of the S. D. Comptons was received and carried.

Proposed and seconded that £50.0.0. be placed in the Bank.

Branch Meeting closed at 9 P.M.

Cash received 9-7-10

William Lowe
Minutes of Branch Meeting, June 5th 1880

Meeting opened at 7 P.M.

Reading, Writting, Reading and Proceeded. Proposed and seconded that Mr. B. A. to be registered as a Sea going Member. Carried Projekt. Seconded and carried. That William Carter be adduced a member of this Society.

John Dick and William Carter were added as members of this Society.

The following Broths were elected Officers of this Branch:

President, George Long
Vice President, George Fother
Treasurer, James Ward
Auditors, George Long, Alfred Smith

Committee, Alfred Smith, John A. M. C. E. C. E. S.

Foot Keeper, John A. M. C. E. C. E. S.

Cash Balance 5 5 0

Balance 10 0

£5 15 0

Branch closed at 9 P.M. By J. W. Breakwell.
Minutes of Branch Meeting June 19th 1882

Meeting opened at 9 P.M.

Minutes of previous meeting Read & Received.

Cash Received £ 3 5 9
Entrance £ 5 0

£ 7 8 9

Branch Closed at 9 P.M.

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Minutes of Branch Meeting July 3rd 1882.

Meeting opened at 9 P.M.

Minutes of previous meeting Read & Received.

Correspondence Read & Received.

Brother Young gave the Branch the report of Local District Committee meeting held at Swan with two books on the latter subject. Overtime case $2.

Auditors report Read and Received.

Letter $2 received from Bro Geo. Bussell declaring on Sick Ben.

Proposed that Augustus Fagan became a member of this society. Bro A. Smith, Auditor was fined 11 for non-attendance.

Branch Closed at 9 P.M.

Entrance 9
Preparation 3
Rule 4
Total 16
Minutes of Branch Meeting July 19th 1832

Meeting opened at 9 p.m.
Minutes of previous meeting read and received.
Correspondence read and received.
Proposed and carried that Augustus Morgan became a member of this Society.
Proposed and carried that Mr. Blackwell receive his donation. Carried.
Cash received 7-2-0
Entrance 7-9-6

George King
Minutes of Branch Meeting held July 31st 18__

Meeting opened by P.J.

Minutes of Previous Meeting Presented and Received.

Correspondence Read & Received.

Proposed by John Stephenson, seconded by John...

Proposed that William Steward be admitted as a member of this Society.

Proposed that the wages question at Shorts Dock be referred to the Committee. Carried.

Confident 7-0-3
Affirmative 5-0

Total 4-10-3

George Long
Minutes of Branch Meeting held July 14th 1865

Proposed and seconded the passing of the minutes of previous meetings to be postponed until later in the evening. Carried.

Proposed and seconded that minutes referring to the wages question in the previous meeting be struck out. Carried.

Proposed that minutes of previous meeting be confirmed.

Proposed that the report of the members of the Local District Committee be received.

Cash received 15-3

Proposed and seconded the Local District Committee be instructed that this Branch is unanimous in asking for 2pence per hour.

Proposed that 15-0-0 be banked.

Proposed that 43-0-0 be withdrawn and remitted to the London East Branch.

Proposed that Brother Johnson be expelled from all branches.

G. H.}
Minutes of Branch Meeting held August 28, 182...

Proposed and seconded, the minutes of previous
minutes be received. Carried.

Proposed that the correspondence be received.

Proposed that the minutes of aggregate be
referred back to the Secretary of the F.O. A. Committee
for his alteration.

John Henry Maddocks was proposed a member.

Proposed and seconded that any member of the
Society can start at the A.O. Company's

Proposed and seconded that our members cut on
which are entitled to contingent and donation.

Carried.

Cont 2 - 5 - 9
Extr 5
Rues 4
7 - 10 - 4
Minute of Branch Meeting held Sept 11th 1852

Proposed: I recorded that the number of members
should be received. Carried.
Proposed: I recorded that Mr. Gray returns in
position at the mill. Carried.
Proposed that report of the local to Coore be read.

Auditor: John Bracknell and Alfred Smith.
Branch Committee: Alfred Smith and Minifie.

Cashier: John Minifie

George Long

Vice: T. Park

Secy: T. Kirkby

Chief Book Keeper: J. Lowby
Minuter of Branch Meeting held Sept 28th 1882.
Proposed and seconded that the minutes of previous meeting be received Carried.
Proposed and seconded that correspondence be received Carried.
Proposed and seconded that report of District Committee be received Carried.
Brother Johnson gave notice that he should appeal to the Executive Committee regarding exclusion of pattern makers.
Proposed & seconded that Brother Clay receive his donation according to rule, carried.

George Long
Minutes of Branch meeting held Oct 30, 1882.

Proposed and seconded that the minutes of previous meeting be received. Carried.

Proposed and seconded that correspondence be received. Carried.

The auditors read the quarterly and yearly reports and reported on the satisfactory way the Secretary had kept the books of the Society. Carried.

The report of the Local District Committee was given by the various members and their report was received.

Brother Kirby having resigned the office of Secretary, he was elected on quarterly night. Brother Redman, the present Secretary, was elected again. Proposed and seconded brother Johnson receive contingent benefits. Carried.

Brother Alexander brought in a written statement he having been sick up the country, proposed and seconded to receive the amount due to him. Carried.

George Long
Minutes of Branch meeting held Oct 23rd 1882

Proposed and seconded that the previous minute of previous meeting be received. Carried

Proposed and seconded that Correspondence be received Carried.

John Swain, David, Edwin Small, William James Dry, James Scott, were proposed to become members of this society and answer the questions on the proposition form satisfactory.

Proposed and seconded that the report of the local district committee be received Carried.

Brother Alexander declared on sick benefit.

Cir. 4. 18. 9
Prep 1. 0. 0
Rule 0. 1. 4
Total 6. 0. 1

George Long
Minutes of Branch Meeting held Nov 6th, 1882.

Proposed and seconded that the minutes of the previous meeting be received. Carried.
Proposed and seconded that the correspondence be received. Carried.

William Edward Hogg was proposed a member of this society. John Swain, James Snote, David Spence, Edward Parrar were duly elected members of this society.

Proposed and seconded that the sum of £2.10.0 be paid for room rent in connection with the late dispute. Carried.

Con 2. 16. 9
Prep. 0. 5. 0
Entr. 0. 15. 0
Total 3. 16. 9

George King
Minutes of Branch Meeting, held Nov. 20th, 1882.

Proposed and seconded, that the minutes of the previous meeting be received. Carried.

The monthly report was then read.

Donald Shade, John Lane were proposed as members of this Society, and answered the questions satisfactorily.

Brother MacKay, refused a charge against Brother Hodgkiss for accusing him of being a Blackleg, but after mutual explanations, the charge was withdrawn.

Con. 9. 11. 6
Prop. 0 10. 0
Entr. 6. 6
Total 10. 8. 0

George Long
Minutes of Branch Meetings held Dec 4th 1852

Proposed and seconded that the Minutes of the previous meeting be received, Carried.

Proposed and seconded that the Correspondence be received, Carried.

Horace Loo was proposed a member of this Society, William Edward Hogg was duly initiated a member of this Society.

Election of Officers
President, George Long
Vice President, Henry Dryden & Farlane
Money Steward, James Ward
Door Keeper, Thomas Dick
Branch Committee
Scribe, Turner, Overall,
Auditor, Alfred Smith
Post Auditor, Ann.

Con  2  0  -  1
Entrance  -  10  0
Prop  -  5  0
Rules  5  8  2  2

G Long
Minutes of Branch meetings held Dec 13th, 1882

Proposed & seconded that Minutes of previous meeting be received. Carried.

Monthly report read & received.

James Suters was proposed a member of this Society.

Horace Law and Donald Shade were duly initiated members of this Society.

Proposed that the treasurer deposit in the Bank Twenty Shillings

£30 

Carried.

Proposed that the usual Branch meeting be postponed to the 3rd of January 1883.

Carried.

Cost £ S L
11 4 9

Pro - £ 5 - 0

Rules - £ - 0 4

Entrance - £ 10 - 0 

12 = 1

George Long
Minutes of Branch Meeting
Jan. 25, 1883

Proposed & Seconded that the Minutes of last meeting be received (Carried)

Proposed & Seconded that James Fairweather be admitted a member of this Society (Carried)

James Fairweather was duly admitted the same night he being a Sea going Member

James Suters was duly admitted a member of this Society

The Auditors report was read and received

Proposed & Seconded that John Munjfei receive his donation (Carried)

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Proportions

5

Entrance

126

Rules

5 16 1

G. Long
Minutes of Branch meeting, held January 15th 1883

Proposed and seconded that the Minutes of the last Meeting be received (Carried).

William Gilbert was proposed a member of this Society.

Contributions, £10 8 7
Propositions, 0 5 0
Entrances, 0 11 0
Rules, 0 0 4
£11 5 1

George Long
Minutes of Branch Meeting held, January 29th:

Proposed and seconded that the minutes of last meeting be received (carried).

William Gilbert was duly admitted a member of this Society.

Proposal and seconded that the sum of Twenty Pounds (£20) be banked.

The Report of the District Committee was received.

Contributions, £10 12 3
Entrance, 0 15 0
Total, £11 7 3

G. Long
Minutes for Branch Meeting, Feb 13th

Agreed that the expenses of the last meeting be received by Carr. 2

Proposed that the charge of Bro. Long against Brother Boaz be referred to the Local District Committee. (Carr.)

Proposed and seconded that John Lane be allowed a month's grace.

Report of Local District Committee be received

Contributions

£ 6 7 6

Entrance 0 19 0

£ 7 6 6

G. Long
Minutes of Branch Meeting held Feb 26th 1853

Proposed that the Minutes of last meeting be received.

(Carried)

B. Smith declared off sick benefit from February 17th 1853.

Proposed and seconded that

This Branch considers that the Local District Committee is the proper tribunal to try the Case of Brother W. Swin, against B. and insist upon the Committee exercising their powers in this case.

(Carried)

Contributions £10 6s 6d

Proposition £6 5s 6d

£10 12s 0d

J. Smy
Minutes of Branch Meeting held February 12th 1885

Proposed that the minutes of last meeting be received.
  (Carried)

Proposed and seconded that the Correspondence be received.
  (Carried)

Proposed and seconded—
That in the opinion of this Branch the detaining of Brother Clark’s Clearance by the Sydney Branch is an illegal action and that the Secretary be instructed to write again for Bro. Clark’s Clearance and in the event of it not being forwarded, that the Balmain Branch appeal to the Executive Council.
  (Carried)

Election of Officers

President George Long
Vice President H Bell Fairlane
Chief Book Lowry
Don Keifer Morrison
Auditor S. Hickey
Pro Auditor J. Stevenson.

Proposed & seconded the report of the Local District Committee be received (Carried)
Proposed and seconded. That the sum of £150 (one hundred and fifty pounds) be withdrawn from the Post Office Savings Bank and be placed at greater interest in The Bank of New Zealand. (Carried)

Contributions. £5 8 0
Propositions. 0 5 0
Entrance. 0 10 0
Rules. 0 0 0 4

£6 3 4
Minutes of Branch Meeting held March 26th 1883

Proposed & Seconded that the Minutes of last Meeting be received. (Carried)

Proposed & Seconded that Brother John Thompson be summoned before the Branch Committee. (Carried)

Contributions £2 7s. 0d.
Total £2 7s. 0d

J. Long
Minutes of Branch Meeting held, April 9th, 1883

Proposed and seconded that the minutes of last meeting be received. Carried.
Proposed and seconded that the correspondence be received. Carried.
Proposed and seconded that John Dick and John Joseph Craig become members of this society. Carried.
William James Davy, James Rodgers and John Dick were duly initiated members of this Society. Carried.
John Dick was proposed and initiated the same night, he having to go to sea before the next meeting night a proposition was carried to that effect.

The Auditor's report for the quarter were duly given and received.
Proposed and seconded that the report of the Local District Committee be received. Carried.
Brother Hugh Morrison declared off sick Benefit he having recovered his health.

Contributions: £10, 0, 10
Propositions: 0, 10, 0
Entrance: 1, 19, 8
Rules: 0, 6, 8
Total: £12, 11, 2

(Signed)
Minutes of Branch Meeting held, April 23rd 1883.

Proposed and seconded that the Minutes of last Meeting be received.

Carried.

John Joseph Craig was duly initiated a Member of this Society.

George Shearer and William Ballantyne were proposed and seconded were Members of this society.

Con £ 7.11.0

Entrance 0.14.0

Proposition 0.10.0

Rules 0.0.8

£ 9 0 8

George Long
Minutes of Branch Meeting held May 7th 1883

Proposed and seconded that the Minutes of last Meeting be received. (Carried)

Andrew Meaney and Samuel Nevin were duly proposed as members of this Society.

Contributions £11 0 0
Proprieties 0 10 0
Rules 0 0 8
Entrance 0 15 0
£12 6 2

George Long
Minutes of Branch Meeting held May 21st 1853

Proposed and seconded that the Minutes of last Meeting be received

(Carried)

Samuel Niven was duly admitted a Member of this Society

Robert Pithkethly was duly proposed as Member of this Society and being about to proceed to Sea was duly admitted the same night.

Contributions £ 8 12 6
Proposition 0 5 0
Rules 0 0 4
Admission 1 5 0

£ 10 2 10
Minutes of Branch Meeting held June 4th 1853

Proposed and seconded that the minutes of last meeting were received.

Proposed and seconded that the correspondence be received.

Andrew Maney was duly admitted a member of this society.

Officers
President George Long
Vice-Secretary Thompson
So Nash
Auditor Maddox
Treasurer Stuart Ward
Door Steward Morrison

Contributions £11 6s. 9d. 11/6 9
Entrance 0 16 6 France 0 16 6
Post 0 10 0
Rules £ 0 0 8 0 8

Total £ 12 13 11

George Long
Minutes of Branch Meeting held June 18th 1883

Proposed and seconded that the Minutes of last meeting be received. (Carried)

Proposed and seconded that the Correspondence be received. (Carried)

Resolved, that the Secretary be instructed to write to the District Committee requesting them to call a Meeting to consider the matter of obtaining a Banner.

Field Heaster and Peter Lowe were duly admitted Members of this Society.

Con £6 4s 0d
Entrée £1 1s 6d
£7 11s 6d

G. Long
Minutes of Branch meeting held July 2nd 1883

Proposed and seconded that minutes of last meeting be received

Carried

Proposed and seconded that correspondence be received

Carried

Charles Frederick Warcup was duly proposed a member of this society

The Auditor's report were duly given for the quarter and received

Patrick Chen was duly proposed a member of this society

It was proposed and seconded that the members of the Local District Committee of this Branch secure the co-operative of a useful member of the Sydney branch to call a meeting of the Local District Committee.

Prop 10.0

Rules 8

Com 11.8.6

£ 11.18.2
Minutes of last Branch meeting held July 16th 1883.

Proposed and seconded that minutes of last meeting be received - Carried.

Proposed and seconded that the correspondence be received - Carried.

Charles Frederick Marcup was duly admitted a member of this Society.

Charles Melton was duly proposed a member of this society.

Proposed and seconded the report of the Local district Committee be received - Carried.

Proposed and seconded that a vote of confidence be accorded to Brother Grey for his straightforward conduct in his office as treasurer - Carried.

5.0
13.9.0
14.0

4
14.9.4

G. Long

1
Branch
Minutes of last meeting held July 30th 1883

Proposed and seconded the minutes of last meeting be received — Carried

Proposed and seconded the correspondence be received — Carried

Brother W.A. French declared off sick benefit be having recovered his health.

Read the clearance of George Kibble, William Clarke and James Driver.

The war Broth. Pastors present address is Waratah Cottage Short St.

Proposed and seconded the Sec be instructed to write to the Local D. Conv. requesting copy of the minutes in reference to the case of Lowe v. Boysy also in reference to the case of Garrard v. Motherhead.

Send copy of correspondence to forwarded to Executive Council.

£ 8.6.0
Cw 8.4.0
Enrol 5.6

George Gregory
8.9.0
Minutes of Balmain Branch Meeting held August 13th 1863.

The Branch was opened at the usual time. Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed.

Correspondence read and received.

Proposed and seconded that the sum of £5. be granted to Brother Clay, from the Benevolent fund.

Carried.

Proposed and seconded that the Sec be instructed to write to the Sec of the Local District Committee explaining it was not the correspondence asked for was that sent by the Sec of L. D. Committee if any.

Carried.

$4.9.6

George Lay
Minutes of Branch Meeting held August 12, 1803

Proposed and seconded that the Minutes of last Meeting be received. (Carried)

Proposed and seconded that the Correspondence be received. (Carried)

Charles Felton was duly admitted a member of this Society.

John Brown being about to proceed to sea was proposed and admitted the same night.

Proposed and seconded the question of Overdue at the Tram Shop be referred to the Local District Court. (Carried)

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George Long
Minutes of Branch Meeting held Sep 16th 1883

Proposed and seconded that the meeting of last meeting be received — Carried
Proposed and seconded the correspondence be received — Carried

Election of Officers

Secretary — Bro. J. Kirby
President — G. Long
Vice — H. Nash
Treasurer — J. Gray
Auditors — Aedie
Book Keeper — J. Lowrie
Door Keeper — Morrison

Proposed and seconded the present Officers of Branch Con tinued their office — Carried

Proposed and seconded the present Officers of D. Contrary retain their office — Carried

Thomas Powell and Rob Laird was duly proposed members of this society.

Proposed and seconded that a hearty vote of thanks be accorded to Bro. Rose for his elaborate
account of the doings of the eight hour demonstration Carried by acclamation.

Proprietor's Grant 15. 0
Rules 1. 0
£ 16. 0. 0

Frederick Coward was duly proposed a member of this Society Carried

George Long
Minutes of last meeting held Sep 14th 1883

Proposed and seconded that the minutes of last meeting be read—Carried.
Proposed and seconded that the correspondence of last meeting be read—Carried.

Thomas Powell, Rob. Laird, and Frederick Coward were duly admitted members of this society.
Proposed and seconded that a vote of thanks be accorded to our delegate Bro. Gray for his stewardship and account of the doings of the demonstration. Carried by acclamation.

Proposed and seconded that an advertisement be inserted in the daily paper calling members together on Oct 1st to take part in the procession. Carried.

£   s   d
Gang  8   14   0

Entrance  2   12   0

11   6   0

G. S.
Minutes of last Branch meeting held Oct 8th 1883

Proposed and seconded the minutes of last meeting be received. Carried.

Proposed and seconded the correspondence be read. Carried.

The Auditors report was duly given for the quarter and received.

Proposed and seconded that the case of the Teamway shops be referred to the Local district room. Carried.

Signed

George Long

£10 0 0
Minutes of last meeting held Oct 33, 1883
Proposed and seconded the minutes of last meeting be received—Carried
Proposed and seconded the report of the Local District Com. be received—Carried

Drs.
Conv 9. 4. 6
Entrance 5
9. 9. 6

George Long
Minutes of last Branch meeting held Nov 5th

Proposed and seconded the minutes of last meeting be received—Spurred

Proposed and seconded the correspondence be received—Spurred

Les J. Cavan 1810

George Borg
Minutes of plaster Branch meeting held Nov 19th

Proposed and seconded that the minutes of last
meeting be received—Carried
Proposed and seconded the correspondence
be received—Carried

Brother Hugh Morrison declared of sick pay,
being again able to work at his trade.

£ 2 0
Cow 9 0
Committee 7 0
Leaves 9 15 0

George Long
Minutes of Branch meeting held December 3rd, 1883

 Brother Long was the chair. Proposed and seconded that the minutes be received as read also that the minutes from whence he received the case of Brother Ballatynne was brought before the Branch and after being ventilated it was proposed by Bro. Gowan & Sec'y Bro. Brougham that he be instructed by the Sec'y to appear before the Branch Committee at the next meeting night to explain the case.

The Branch closed at 9 o'clock

Contribution £14 4

Entrance 1 9

Total £14 13 0

George Long
Minutes of Branch Meeting Held

December 19, 83.

Brother Long in the Chair.

Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed.

Proceeded and recorded the correspondence to receive.

Carried

Considerable discussion took place in reference to

Bro. Ballantyne's case, when it was proposed that

Bro. Ballantyne be allowed one month to pay the wages

of the part or leave the vessel.

An amendment was also before the meeting to the

effect that Bro. Ballantyne receive the wages of the part

or leave the ship at once.

The amendment on being put to a meeting was carried

by a considerable majority.

In reference to the letter received from the Secretary of the

Melbourne Local B Committee, it was proposed and seconded

the Secretary be instructed to write the Secretary of the

Melbourne Branch, calling his attention to the 15th Rule.

Carried

over
Election of Officers

President  Bro. Allardice
Vic.  Bro. Middelbrook
Treasurer  Bro. Ward
Auditor  Bro. Maddocks
Provisional  Bro. McFarlane
Bookkeeper  Bro. McLaughlin

Branch Committee
Bro. J. Beithwell
Bro. J. Stephenson
Bro. B. Middelbrook
Bro. J. Munro
Bro. J. Roberts
Bro. A. Smith
Bro. J. Young

£ 13.11.0

Entrance 3
Total 13.14.0

Branch closed at 9.30

George Long
Minutes of Branch meeting held December 31, 1883

Brother Long in the chair

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed

It was proposed and seconded that the Auditor's report be received carried

It was proposed and seconded that the Local district committee report be received carried

Contributions £3.0.0

Branch closed 9.30 pm

Prof Allanace
Minutes of Branch meeting held Jan 14, 1884.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

It was proposed and seconded that correspondence be received as read carried.

Mr. Allman's

Contributions £12.17.6

Branch closed at 9.
Minutes of Branch Meeting held Jan. 28th 1874

Minutes of previous Meeting read and confirmed.

Brothers Hebden & Maddock made application for donation benefit. It was proposed seconded and carried that they receive it.

There being no other business the Meeting closed at 9.15 P.M.

Contributions £8-19-6

Treasurer
Minutes of Branch meeting held February 11th 1886.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

It was proposed and seconded that Mr. Ballantine be excluded from the society for sailing out of the port under wages carried.

It was proposed and seconded that a vote of thanks be accorded to Mr. Gamad for his action in the matter of the immigration vote and for obtaining information with regard the glowing accounts sent home by the immigration agents carried.

It was proposed and seconded that the question of the immigration vote be referred to the local district committee carried. Considerable discussion took place on this matter.

It was proposed (and seconded) that Mr. Arnold and Adenson receive donation carried.

End of Minutes.

Branch closed at 9.20.

[Signatures and contributions total] £10 10s 0d 8th 1906.
Minutes of Branch meeting held February 25, 1884

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

It was proposed and seconded that the interest of the money in Bank be withdrawn and placed in the current account.

Wm H. Alvanage

Contributions £14.8.6

Branch closed at 9.
Minutes of Branch meeting held March 10 1881

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

Considerable discussion took place with reference to the letter sent by the secretary of the Sydney Branch with reference to a grant to the Cooper's strike and it was proposed and seconded that it be set aside till the next meeting, and it be a deferred question meeting.

It was proposed and seconded that the secretary be instructed to write to the secretary of the local district committee Sydney Branch asking what rule he has a right to demand money from the members of Branch.

Voting of Officers

Roll called at 8.45

Election of officers

President: Fred Allenby
Secretary: J. B. Mabbott
Treasurer: J. B. Strandwick

Note keeper: E. W. Langlie
Auditor  W. Farlane
Pres Audit  J. Levan

Branch Committee  J. B. Committee
Brs  J. Breakwell
J. Stephenson
B. Middelworth
J. Premium
J. Roberts
A. Smith
J. Gregory

Contrib  £ 12 5s 6d

Branch closed at 9.45

Meet at Alliance
Minutes of Branch meeting held March 24, 1884.

Minutes of preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

It was proposed and seconded that this Branch does not concur with the action of the Sydney Branch with reference to their grant to the Coopers strike carried.

It was proposed and seconded that Brothers Arrott and Dick receive donation carried.

Robert Logan was duly proposed as member of this society.

Wm. H. Armstrong

Preposition 0. 5. 0
Rols 0. 0. 4
Contributions 18. 8. 6
Total 18. 13. 10

Branch closed at 9.30.
Minutes of Branch meeting held April 7, 1882

Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed

Robert Logan was duly admitted as a member of this society.

The auditors report was read. It was proposed and seconded that it be received carried.

It was proposed and seconded that Brothers Johnson, Hebden, Adamson and John Phillp receive donation carried.

Need 12 Alumina.

Admiralty £0 " 5 " 0
9 " 18 " 9
Total £ 9 " 18 " 9
Minutes of Branch meeting held April 21st 1884.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

It was proposed by Bro Johnson and seconded by Bro Adamson that any omissions inserted in the minute book have the name of proposer and seconder inserted in the item carried.

It was proposed by Bro Johnson and seconded by Bro Maddock that the correspondence be read and carried.

A subscription list was brought forward in aid of Mr. Pickford's late President of the Trades and Labour Council. Brother Johnstone suggested that it be deferred till later in the evening on the conclusion of Branch business.

It was proposed by Bro Johnson and seconded by Bro Maddock that Brother Brennupy's donation be carried.

Contributions &c. 11s. 4d. 6d.

Branch closed at 9.20 p.m. Total 11s. 4d. 6d.

Total 16 Allmade.
Minutes of Branch meeting held May 5th, 1884.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

It was proposed by Bro. Steadman that it be recorded by Bro. Morrison that the Branch agree with disfavour any encroachments of the agreement regarding the two breaks in summer and one winter earned.

It was proposed by Bro. Lowe and seconded by Bro. Grey that owing to the Branch having no definite information with regard to voting, perfunctory assistance to other trades on strike, we deem it necessary for future guidance the secretary write to the executive council for full instruction with regard to their power in the future.

It was proposed by Bro. Maddock and seconded by Bro. Breakwell that Bro. Napier receive donation carried.

Contribution £12 0s. 6d.  
Receipts £5 0s. 0d.

Branch closed at 9.
Minutes of Branch meeting held May 19th 1884

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

It was proposed by Mrs Grey and seconded by Mrs Bradnock that the rent of the room be increased £1 one pound per annum carried.

James Ewing and George Calderwood were duly proposed members of this society.

It was proposed by Bro Buddlebrooke and seconded by Bro Morrison that Brother Johnson receive donation carried.

Rules and Propositions £0 10 8
Contributions 11 5 4
Total 17 16 0

Branch closed at 9.35 pm

[Signature]
Minutes of Brancb Meeting held June 2, 1884

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

James Young and George Calderwood were duly made members of this society.

Entrance £ 0.10.0

Contributions 14.5.6

Total 14.15.6

Branch closed 9 March 1884
Minutes of Branch meeting held June 16 & 1884.
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.
Matthew McCaw was duly proposed a member of this society.
Roll called 8. 30
Election of officers

Secretary: S. Kelly
President: Lieut. Allardice
Vice President: James O'Conor
Secretary: John Maddock
Keeper: W. McClaughlin

Branch Committee:
J. G. Logan
J. Stephen
B. Middlebush
J. Honey
J. Roberts
A. Smith
S. Young

Local District Committee:
Mrs. J. Grey
W. Young
S. Young

Auditor:
Mrs. J. Swain
Mrs. Anderson
Mrs. D. Shade
John Overall, William J. Harvey and Charles
Passmore were excluded from this society for
arrears

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Branch closed at 9.30 George Yorke
Minutes of Branch meeting held June 30th, 1884

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

Matthew McCan was duly made a member of this society.

It was proposed by Bro. Middlebrook and seconded by Bro. Sara that Bro. Napier receive donation carried.

£ 0.10.0

£ 12.3.3

£ 12.13.3
Minutes of Branch meeting held July 14, 1884

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

It was proposed by Brother Long and seconded by Brother Brown that the correspondence be received.

The audited report was read and received.

It was proposed by Brother Foster and seconded by Brother Phillips that Brother Morrison receive a grant of five pounds 5s. from the Benevolent Fund.

It was proposed that Brother Husler be Humes that Brother Hebden receive a grant from the Benevolent Fund.

It was proposed that Brother Isaac.secure a Traveling Card.

Jabez R. was proposed for the Society's Committee.

The amount of contributions for the year was £14, 13s. 0d.

The Society has £16.14.4d.
Minutes of Branch Meeting held July 28, 1884

It was proposed by Brother Maddock, 2nd by Brother Gray, that the minutes be confirmed.

It was proposed by Brother Swan, 2nd by Brother Maddock that the correspondence be received.

Rev. J. Rome was duly made a member of this Society.

It was proposed by Brother Maddock 2nd by Brother Breakwell that Brothers Little, Owen & Adamson received donation, discharge through slackings at mosto dock & that Brother Philips receive it to discharge through slack press. £ 29. 0. 0

Enmune 131. 6
Embline 131. 6
Contributions 317. 0. 0

Total Attendance 1417. 0. 6
Minutes of Branch Meeting held August 17th 1774

The Minutes of the previous Meeting were read and confirmed.

It was proposed by Brother Long and seconded by Brother Stedman that the Correspondence be received.

The Meeting then proceeded to the adjourned meeting. There was a discussion whether the roll be called or not, but it was proposed by P. Not Young and seconded by Ploth Johnston that the roll be called. It was carried by 12 votes to 11 voices the President Ploth Alladice giving the casting vote.

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There was no vote taken whether a Delapate Meeting be held on Whit Monday 1785. It was carried by 31 Ayes to 1 No.

Wt. 15 allowance
Minutes of Branch Meeting Held August 25th 1852

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

It was proposed by Bt. Sheldman and seconded by Bt. Jones that the correspondence be received.

It was proposed by Bt. McLaughlin and seconded by Bt. Johnston that the Secretary of the Marine Engineers, Mr. T.B. Hay, receive a letter of introduction from this Branch to the Auckland Branch.

It was proposed by Bt. Johnston and seconded by Bt. Thompson that the Roll be called carried.

This Meeting being a summoned meeting to give out votes whether the most expedient level of defence for the Contingent and
Trade funds it was put to the meeting
and was carried unanimously.

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Mrs. H Allen.
Minutes of Branch Meeting Held Sept 84

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & confirmed.

It was proposed by BSto Stedman and seconded by BSto Maddocks that the correspondence be received.

It was proposed by BSto Stedman and seconded by BSto Maddocks that BSto Johnson & BSto Holden receive donation.

It was proposed by BSto Blackwell and seconded by BSto Stedman that the case of our members going to work at shops of A.I. Clown at Westham that minute be referred to the Local District Committee.

Roll Call 8 30.

Election of Officers
Official
President D. J. Schum
Vice President J. Suter
Check Book Keeper J. Hootler
Door Keeper J. Ammije

Branch Committee
J. Ammije
J. Robertson
J. Smith
J. Young
J. Dowd
J. Stephenson
J. D. Middlebrook

Local District Fund
Mr. J. Eyer
Mr. Lown
J. Young

Antidote
Ph. M. McFarlane
Ph. A. V. Shade

Official
Secretary J. Kibby
Treasurer J. Whel

Confidants 13 19
Emblems 14 4 8
Week Alocate
Minutes of Branch Meeting held Sept 22, 1884

The minutes of previous meeting were read and confirmed.

It was proposed by Dr. Johnson and seconded by Plot Lowe that the following

It was proposed by Plot Smith and seconded by Brother Kerbel that the report of the local

It was proposed by Plot Lowe and seconded by Plot Johnson that Plot McVay

It was proposed by Brother Whitley and seconded by Plot Smith that the Branch

It was proposed to be held on Tuesday, Oct 7, 1884

in consequence of the Eight Hour Demonstration led in held on Oct. 6, our regular

Meeting next.
Thomas was duly proposed to be a member of this Society.

Contributions: 17s. 8d. 0

Shop: 5s. 0d.

Entrance: 4s.

Rules: 4s.

Total: 17s. 17s. 4d.

Met on 14th Allance.
Minutes of Branch Meeting
held October 7th 1884

Minutes of last Branch Meeting were read and confirmed.

Thomas Thomas was duly admitted a member of this Society.

William Powell was duly proposed a member of this Society.

Proposed and seconded that the Correspondence be received.

Carried.

Brother Gray brought forward for consideration at a future meeting the subject of acquiring a bed at the Hospital for the benefit of disabled Members.

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£17 19s 4d
Minutes of Branch Meeting held
October 20th 1884.

Minutes of last Meeting were read and confirmed.

Correspondence was read & received.

The Secretary was instructed to write to the Secretary
of the Balmain Half Holiday Association acknowl-
ding receipt of his letter and expressing the sympathy
of this Branch with the Movement.

Thomas Powell was duly admitted a
Member of this Society.

Henry Pitoune was duly proposed a Member
of this Society.

The following Members were duly elected to the
Revision Committee:
G. Long, J. W. Breckwell, J. Grey, G. Foster,
J. Johnstone, J. Young, William Lowe.
It was resolved that the thanks of this Branch be conveyed to the Coldstream Band for their kind services on the occasion of the unfurling of the New Banner.

Resolved that the Local District Committee be requested to consider the Matter of appropriating any funds which may accrue from the late Eight Hour Demonstration, to the purpose of procuring Beds in an Hospital for the use of Members and also that the Secretary interview Members to bring the Matter before them with a view to securing their pecuniary support.

Contributions £19 18 0
Propositions  n  5 0
Entrance  n  5 0
Rules  n  4
Emblems  n  9 0

£20 17 4

James Lofthouse
Minutes of Branch Pension Committee
held at the Club House on Tuesday 30 Oct 1874

All the members of Committee being present, viz., Brothers Lowe, Breakwell, Young, Greg, Long, Forster, Johnstone, with John Aldman, Chairman, and S. Wattle, Secretary.

Proposed by Brother Breakwell and seconded by Brother Johnstone that we refer it to the Local District Committee that we ask the Delegate meeting for the same powers as granted to the American Branches, with the consent of the Carried Australian Branches.

Seeing that there has been so much discussion about Apprentices joining our Society by the London Executive, our Local District Committee it was proposed by Brother Lowe and seconded by Brother Forster, that it be referred again to the Local District Committee, to be submitted to Delegate Meeting if they think proper.

James Johnstone
Minutes of Blanch Meeting Held Nov. 3rd.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The correspondence was read and confirmed.

There was great discussion on the case of the late Bro. W. M. Ballantyne. It was proposed by Bro. McTavish, seconded by Bro. Young that it be referred to the Local Benevolent Committee.

It was proposed by Bro. Allardice, seconded by Bro. Wilson, that the minutes of the Revision Committee be received.

It was proposed by Brother Long, seconded by Brother McMillan, that Blo. Alexander receive donation.
It was proposed 2nded that $1 be donated for the school.

Contribution 9.99
Entertainment 2.00
Total 11.99

John [signature]
Minutes of Blanch Meeting held 1837

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The correspondence was duly read and confirmed.

H. Pridoux was duly made a member of this society.

Subscription 15" 18 0

Instalment 5 0 0

Total 16 3 0

With acknowledgements.
Meeting of Blanch Meeting held Dec 17th 1874

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The correspondence was duly read and confirmed.

It was proposed by B. H. Heaterial, seconded by B. L. Breakwell, that the letter which was received by this Blanch on account of the Delegates' Meeting which takes place in London in 1875 to be given to the C.D. Committee to be dealt with.

It was proposed by B. Johnston, seconded by B. L. Breakwell, that the Local District Committee's report be received, carried.

It was proposed by B. Johnston, seconded by B. L. Breakwell, that a vote of thanks be given to our Delegate, who was on the Eight-hour Demonstration Committee.
Contributions 11 15 2
Emblems  4 1/6
Total  12 0 1/6

John Stedman
Minutes of Blanch Meeting Held Dec 5th 1884

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The correspondence was duly read and receiving.

There was a discussion on the late Mr. Ballantine's case. And it was proposed by Mr. Lowe and seconded by Mr. Johnston that the Secretary be instructed to write to the Local Council for information for further application.

James Currie was duly proposed to be a member of this Society.

It was proposed by Mr. Stedman and seconded by Mr. Hughes that James Currie be admitted in one meeting it was carried.

James Currie was duly made a member.
Roll call at 8:35.

Election of Officers:

It was proposed by Bro. Bissett and seconded by Bro. Hughes that Bro. J. Gay's resignation as Committeeman on Local District committee be received carried.

It was proposed by Bro. Hughes seconded by Bro. Seaborn that Bro. Gibbon receive Donation. Carried.

Branch Officers

President W. M. Wyman
Vice President J. Amster
Treasurer V. C. Taylor
Auditor W. B. Swain
Bro. D. Shade Bro. Auditor

Contribution $16. 12. 9
Proposition $5
Entrance $1
Rule $4
Total $19. 18. 1
Minutes of Branch Meeting Held Dec 29, 1884

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The correspondence were duly read and confirmed.

Contributions 15s 18s 3d

John Stockman

Minutes for Branch Meeting, 3rd Jant. 1885

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

Proposed and Seconded that the Auditor report be confirmed.

Proposed by Geo. McCollin

Seconded by Geo. Barnes that Thomas Allen be a member of this society.

Proposed and Seconded that the Branch Treasurer find Bonds for the sum of Fifty Pounds (£50)
Proposed, and seconded that Bro. Hobbs receive his donation.

Proposed and seconded, we draw Three hundred pounds, £300 from the Post Office Bank and place it in the Saving Bank.

Contributions 10-10-3

Receipt 5-4

£10-15-7

Proposed and seconded that the Secretary be instructed to write home for a bond form for the Treasurer.

John Heaton

Branch Meeting, Jacob 26th 1885.

Proposed and Carried that Treasurer of the previous meeting be received Carried.

That the Correspondence be received. Carried.

Contributions £8-6-0

John Heaton.
Minutes of Branch Meeting held Feb 9, 1885

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The Report of the Local District Committee Re: Extended Powers for the Australian Branch was read, received and endorsed.

Contributions £2.2.0 13s. 0d

John Rodman
The minutes of the Blanche meeting held on 29/02/15 were read and confirmed.

The correspondence was duly read and confirmed.

The report of the committee of drawing out 3,000 pounds three hundred pounds out of the post office and putting it in the savings' bank in Barrack St.

J. Robson was duly proposed as member of the Society.

Thomas & Co. was duly made a member of the Society.

Contributions 12s. 6d.

Entrance 1s. 6d.

Rules 4s.

Subscription 5s.

Total: 13s. 7d. 10
Minutes of Branch Meeting held March 9, 1885

The minutes of previous meeting were read.

The correspondence was duly read and confirmed.

Roll called 8:15 p.m.

Election of Officers

Secretary: Jane Kirkby
President: John Sethman
Vice President: James Suter

Check Book: Bro. Alex Thurs.
Door Keeper: John Minifie
Auditor: Bro. McPhee

Proposed by Brother Long, Seconded by Brother Lowe. The Secretary be instructed to write to the See of the distant branch stating that we cannot entertain the proposal to name a place for the Central District to sit as we are of opinion it will be
be better to obtain the extended powers before going into details as to where they will sit.

Proposed & Seconded that Thomas Robinson become a member of this Branch. Carried.

Contributions 12-5-6

E. H. Brown 19-0

13-4-6

John H. Brown
Minutes of a Blanch Meeting Held March 23rd.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The correspondence were read & confirmed.

It was proposed by R. Johnston, seconded by Mr. Sutro, that Wednesday April the 2nd 1877, be the next meeting night, in consequence of the Blanch meeting falling on Easter Monday.

It was proposed by R. S. Johnston, seconded by R. S. O’Laughlin, that Mr. George Cole received his donation if he can lay some substantial proof of him being out of work through sickness, being he cannot sign the Vacant Book as per Rule.

John Redman

It was proposed by R. S. Sutro, seconded by R. S. O’Laughlin, that R. S. Petkethley receive donation.

Contributions £5 2 0
Minutes of Branch Meeting held April 3rd

The previous minutes were duly read and confirmed.

It was proposed and seconded that the correspondence be received (casual).

The Quarterly Report was duly read and confirmed.

It was proposed by Mr. Swain and seconded by Mr. I. Sauplin that the letter in Re the Trade & Labour Council on a Palletment Committee, it was referred to the Local Council.

It was proposed by Mr. Robinson and seconded by Mr. G. Johnson that all the funds be called on to this end, were the subscription the balance paid.
It was proposed by B.S. Sutro & seconded by B.B. Hebdin, that the Brothers Roberts & Jack H. Naquin receive donation (carried).

Contributions: 10 a. 11 a. 3

John Hitchman.
Minutes of Blanch Act Meeting

- The minutes were duly read and confirmed.

- It was moved by W. H. Smith that the resolution
  amended the Blanch Act to be
  confirmed.

The President was duly caused and informed.

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Minutes of Branch Meeting held May 4th 1885

The Minutes of last Branch Meeting were confirmed.

The Correspondence was duly read & confirmed.

Proposed & seconded that James Henderson Stuart become a member of this Society.

The Monthly Report read & received.

Contributions £15.13.8

Propositions 5.0

Rules £15.7.10

Branch Closed at 9.30
Minutes of Branch Meeting held May 1880.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The correspondence was duly read and confirmed.

James Henderson Stuart was duly proposed and made a member of this Society.

William Fashwood was duly proposed and made a member of this Society.

It was proposed and seconded that Mr. A. R. Cooper, Mr. Kevin O'Kelly, Mr. Smith, and Mr. Kiernan receive a donation.

It was proposed by Mr. J. Hall, seconded by Mr. Kiernan that the Secretary be instructed to write to the Marine Engineers Association in the discharge of Old Platz from the C. S. Morpeth.
Contributions 21 " 18 " 4
Proposition 5 " 0
Entrance 1 " 4 " 0
Rules 4
Total 23 " 7 8

John Street
Minutes of Blanch Shetings Held June 85

The minutes of previous meeting were read and confirmed.
The correspondence was duly read and confirmed.

William Tashwood was duly made a member of this Society.

It was proposed to R. B. Walker that R. B. Walker receive donation from the time he left the S. S. Zealandia and that he receive the Society's thanks for the stand he took in the Zealandia strike. (Menaping incompetent fireman)

It was also proposed by R. H. Foster, seconded by R. K. C. Laughton that R. B. Walker and Moncur receive contingent benefit.
Contributions 10.0.0
Entrance 5.0.0
Total 10.5.8

John Stedman
Minutes of Branch meeting held June 15, 1885.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and duly confirmed.

The correspondence was duly read and confirmed.

The roll was called at 8:30.

John Davis was duly proposed a member of this society.

Election of officers at 8:40.

Brothers:
- J. Steadman, President.
- D. Shade, S. President.
- J. Roberts, Secretary Stewart.
- J. Searl, Auditor.
- D. Shade, Pra Auditor.
- J. Hunter, Branch Committee.
- J. Roberts.
- J. Smith.
- J. Young.
- J. Stephenson.
- C. Long.
- B. Middlebrook.
Brothers J. Brown, Referee
J. Munro, Keeper

It was proposed by Brother Brown, seconded by Brother Allan, that the secretary be instructed to write to Mr. Muir to explain his laziness in not sending the customary report of the Local district committee.

It was proposed by Brother Long, and seconded by Brother Nixon, the secretary be requested to write a letter of condolence to the widow of our late brother Johnston.

It was proposed by Brother Kirkby and seconded by Brother Hunter, the secretary be instructed to write to Mr. James Ganard asking him to be one of a deputation to wait on the Government to urge the retention of contract for public works in the colony.

John Stetson

Entrance £0 0 0
Contributions 13 15 8
Reposition 0 5 4

Total 14 10 0
Ministry of Branch Meeting held June 29th 183-

The business of the previous meeting were read, and Confirmed.

The correspondence was read and received.

Proposed and Seconded that John Oliver become a Member of the Society. Carried.

Proposed and Seconded, the Secretary be instructed to write to the Local District Committee for Government Contracts. Carried.

Contribution $10 - 0 - 0

Entrance $5 - 0

10 - 5 - 6

Alexander McLeish.
Minutes of Branch meeting held July 19, 1875.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The correspondence was duly read and confirmed.

The Quarterly Report was duly read and received. Proposed by Bro. J. Sutts & seconded by Bro. Young.

It was proposed by Bro. Young & seconded by Bro. Sutts that this Branch be confirmed in our delagates and leave them full to act as they think fit in the Local District Committee & receive their report.

It was proposed by Bro. Allan & seconded by Bro. MacKay that Prof. Donnelly & Mrs. Sutherland of Bethel Church, Robinson, Middlebook, Morrison, received donation papers.

Contribution 13 4 6.

Entrance 7 6 6.

Total 13 12 6.
Minutes of Blanch Meeting Held July 27, 1865

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The correspondence was duly read and received. Be the revision of the Blanch Fund.

It was proposed by E. H. Bailey, seconded by W. L. Long, that any money used in the next hours deputationation be taken from the Blanch funds.

Passed.

It was proposed by B. L. Scott, seconded by W. L. Yarard, that there be a representative sent from this Blanch to the Trades Union Congress.

It was proposed by B. L. Laughton, seconded by W. L. Lowe, that W. L. Yarard be this Blanch's delegate to the Trades Congress.
It was proposed by Mr. Ballard that the District Committee's report be received and that its New Jersey opinion that its not time yet for the reduction of the average rate of wages.

Confessions 17 10 3

John Sullivan
Minutes of Branch Meeting Held August 10th 1895

The Branch was opened Brother Stearns on the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed. Brother J. J. Young suggested the Branch by telling us that the Branch. Runners were flying about the moors and asked members to entreat any Rumours that may be afloat. The correspondence was read and confirmed. Received 1st Bill was proposed by Brother Summers, These funds of the Society Runners again came before the meeting. Brother J. J. Young proposed and Brother ... Seemed that as Brother Clay had volunteered to settle it to the bottom the or be accepted. It was carried unanimously.

Thus being all the Runners the Branch closed at 9.30 PM.

Contributions $9 8.6
Subscriptions $5 4
Total $9, 13, 10

Hand Allardice
Minutes of Blanche Meeting Held August 24/13

The Blanche was opened by Mr. Allacci on the chair.

The Correspondence was duly read and received.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

W. Bell was duly made a member of this Society.

Cornelius S. Keep - T. James Hacker were duly proposed to be members of this Society.

It was proposed by Mr. J. Turner and seconded by Mr. W. Pyle that our Society be subpoenaed to write and send the Cheque of $3 to each member as contribution to the International Trades Union Congress to take place on October 6-12.

It was proposed by Mr. Roger, seconded by Mr. Blume that a Committee be formed to look for another Club Room.
It was proposed that Blo Foster Brown, Hustler, & Majt Redman be empowered by this Branch to find a new Club Room as this is found a great deal to small & that the Committee decision on the locality of the Room be final. Called Contributions $80. 12. 4

Instance 1. 1

Proposition 10

Rule 1

Total 18. 3. 8

Voted All in Favor
Minutes of Blanch Meeting held Sept. 7, 1885.

The Blanch was opened with Blo Alladice in the chair.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The correspondence was duly read and received.

It was proposed that Blo Philpot Minifie received a donation.

Election of Officers.

President: Blo Alladice

Treasurer: Blo May

Cheque Book Keeper: Blo Shear

Secretary: Blo Blythe

Assistant: Blo Antelode

Blanch Committee: Middlebrook

Given: Blo Roberts

Tun: Blo Smith
It has been proposed by Blo. Kerby that the room at Holtes Hotel recommended by the Committee be accepted.

It was proposed that the Committee be looking for a room be reinstated.

Hustees: Blo. Blackwell

Foster

Hughes Mackay.

It was proposed by Blo. Hustler that a Committee be made to consider something as an
social function amongst our members.

Contributions 14s 15s 10d

Emblems 9s 0d

15s 4d 10
Minutes of General Meeting held 1st Dec 1865.

The meeting opened with Eldo Young in the chair.

The Minutes of previous meeting were read and received.

The Correspondence was duly read and received.

Petition to the Hon. Keeper of Records for the admission of the name Stanley was duly made members of this Society.

It was proposed by Mrs. Kirby that the report of the Local District Committee be received.

It was proposed by Mrs. Martin that the next meeting might be postponed to Retarding October 8, 1865, in consequence of the meeting falling on the 8th when demonstration.

£ 14 6 3
Entertain 15 0
Emblems 14 6
Total 15 5 9

John Redman
Minutes of Branch Meeting held Oct. 7th 1885

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The correspondence was read and confirmed.

The increase on contribution of three pence per week was duly notified from this date.

The quarterly and yearly reports and being certified by the auditors as correct were received.

I was proposed that a vote of thanks be given to Bro. Headman on his retirement from the president's chair which was heartily responded to.

Proposed by Bro. Foster and seconded that Mrs. French, Rev. Irvine and Allardice receive donation carried

It was proposed by Bro. Gray and seconded by Bro. Young that the sum of £100 be withdrawn from the Ballaarat Bank and fixed at an increased rate of interest on one of the Ballarat Banks.

Contributions £9 12 6
Total £9 12 6
Minutes of the Branch held Oct. 19th, 1885

The minutes of the previous meeting were confirmed.

The correspondence was read and confirmed.

It was proposed that a hearty vote of thanks be tendered to Bro. Garnard for his duties for representing this Branch at the Associated Trades Congress held in Sydney in the month of October 1885.


Contribution: £1 18. 6
Proposition: 10. 0
Entrance: 3. 0
Copy of Rules: 8.
Total: £ 12 12. 2

Proposed by Bro. Summer, seconded by Bro. Hodgeson, that John Mullany, late a member of the other Society of Branch.

Proposed by John K. Brackett, seconded by John Brown, that James Stanley become a member of the Society.

Walt Allender.
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The correspondence was duly read and received.

It was proposed by Mr. Summers that if John Sutherland comes at next meeting that he be made a member of this Blackch; Joseph Shearow was duly proposed to be a member of this Society.

It was proposed by Mr. Kelman and seconded by Mr. McCaughlin that our Secretary be empowered to write to the Secretary of the Local District Committee an petition on the depression of Trade.

It was proposed by Mr. Kirby and seconded by Mr. Morrison that Blo. Foster receive five pounds from the Benevolent Fund.

The following members claim donation Blo. Shedman, Rome, Morrison.
Contributions 9 nowrap 14 nowrap 2
Entrance 5 nowrap 0
Rules 4
Total 9 nowrap 19 nowrap 10

John W. Brecknell
Minutes of Blanch Meeting Held Nov 16 1883

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The correspondence was duly read and received.

It was moved by 13th Foster and seconded by 13th Hackett that 13th Q. Cole receive his donation. Carried.

It was proposed by 13th Foster and seconded by 13th Hackett that the correspondence of the Permanent Parliamentary Committee for W. S. Rates be referred to the Local District Committee.

John Lutheland and James Hanley were duly made member of this Society.

Received a communication from the Trade Hall Committee.

Joseph Sheehan was duly made a member of this Society.

It was proposed by 13th Foy and seconded by 13th Hughes that the sheilds of the eight hour demonstration by the Trades Hall Committee be referred to the Local District Committee.
The following members claim donation:

Blo-Rome, Thompson, & Roberts.

Contribution: 12 " 3 " 4

Distance: 1 " 2 " 6

Total: 13 " 6 " 1
Meeting of Branch Meeting Held Nov 30th 1885

The minutes of Branch Meeting Held Nov 16 were read confirmed.

The correspondence was duly read confirmed.

It was proposed by Mr. Foster that Mr. Prior receive donation from the C.T. to the extent of $200.

Seconded by Mr. Husted. Carried.

Lennard, Richard, Hicklin, William, Stor, Hurd were duly proposed as members of this Society.

It was proposed by Mr. Tray and seconded by Mr. Foster that Mr. Hamlett case of fever be referred to the Local Executive Committee. Coupled with this suggestion that they would only those Shops that do not give the double time for overtime, that the Local Council at once.

It was proposed by Mr. Queen and seconded by Mr. Foster that the Secretary be empowered to write to Brother Sheen asking him what was best for how he is working as a Brother Stats that
he had to leave on account of them (the shop he last worked in) working 9 hours. The Brother was Mr. Robinson. The was grand total donation and contingent benefits. The following members placed donation: Mr. Hustler and Mr. Robinson.

Contributions 9 " 3 " 8

Exeptions 15

Ruling 1 0

Total 82 " 1 0

Entrance 5

Dr. 6

W. H. Mac Donnelley
Minutes of March held Dec. 14, 1885

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

It was proposed that the correspondence be received and considered.

It was proposed and seconded that the following become members of this society: Herbert Wulff, Phineas Miller, Edward Yaddin, Charles P. Brown, Henry Chamber, William Stover. He was duly made members of this society.

It was empowered by the society to write a reflex back to the local district committee the Halliday case of overtime.

Roll call (9:30)

Election of Officers

President, P. O. L. Donnelly

Vice President, F. J. Fitch

Secretary, W. W. Stewart

Treasurer, F. J. Roberts

Auditors, C. T. Sara

ProJudges, D. Shea

Door Keeper, J. Monihan
Local District Committee

Mrs. Maguire

Branch Committee

Mrs. Roberts

Mrs. Owen

Mrs. Smith

Mrs. Morrison

Mrs. Swallow

Mrs. Summers

Mrs. Morrison + Rob. Donnelly +
Rob. Phillips Claim Donation

Contributions 10.0.0

Entrance 1.0.0

Motion for

Rules

Total 12.3.9

Chas. Donnelly
Minutes.
Meeting of the Branch held Dec 30 1883
minutes of last meeting read and confirmed
Brother Grey wished to be allowed to retire from the office of Treasurer—a vote
of thanks was tendered to Brother Grey and carried unanimously. Brother was
proposed and Brother Craig seconded
that Brother Sedman be Treasurer
which motion was carried unanimously
Brother Long read a long report of
the Eight hour Demonstration Committee.
The balance to the Society from the Balance Sheet being a surplus of £79 0 0
The Branch received the report and a hearty vote of thanks was given
to Brother Long for his arduous and
attention. Secretary. Connection, with
the Eight Hour Demonstration Committee
Samuel Richard Esquire and
Charles R Lown were duly made members of the Society.
A letter was received from Brother
Shearer in reference to working the
57 hours a week, in which he stated
he was working 8 per week and receiving
1/3 per hour.

Contribution 9 8 11
Entrance 1 4 0
Total 10 12 11

Nicol Allardice, Minute
1st Meeting of the Branch held, January 14th,
1886

The minutes of the previous meeting read.
I confirmed.
Passed by Brother Breadvicl seconded
by Bro. Comly, jun. Referred to the
Branch Committee.
Herbt. Vergeu, William Mag.
Sarnac, Miller Miller.
The Quarterly Balance that was
read & the Auditor's report adopted.
In the motion of Brother Breadvicl
seconded by Bro. Phineas that
Minutes
of Branch Meeting held January 11th 1886.
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.
Proposed by Brother Fredrick and seconded by Brother Chas Donnelly that Brother Robertson may be referred to the Branch Committee. This motion was seconded.
A discussion then took place about the admission of William John Larmun who had to go to Jamaica on Tuesday, the candidates wishing to be proposed and admitted the same night. Finally it was proposed by Brother Peterby and seconded by Brother John Donnelly that he be admitted to the right, and that the Secretary forward full particulars of his admission to the local council with his proposition. John Seabrook, Herbert Dugan, Phillip Miller, and William John Larmun were duly admitted members of our Society.
The Quarterly Balance Sheet was read and the Auditor's Report was adopted.
On the motion of Brother Breakewell and
seconded by Brother Stockman, Brother Robertson,
the former motion being rejected,
case was reopened again. The Brother then
made a statement of his action in the shop
at Grafton in reference to his refusing to work
more than 48 hours per week and of his leaving
the shop which action the Branch cordially
approved, and the Secretary was instructed
to write to Brother Shearer how long he
worked at Mackie Donaldsons before he
was granted the 48 hours per week and
whether the shop was an Eight Hour Shop
when he first went up there. Carried.
The Branch Closed at Half past
nine p.m.

Le 1st

Contributions 16.18.6
Controverse 116
Proposition 5
Total 18.5.0

Thos J. Tomelley
Minutes of Branch Meeting held Jan 25th

The Branch was opened at 7.30 by Donnelly in the Chair.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The correspondence was duly read and received.

Edward Haddington was duly made a member of the Society.

John C. McKelton was proposed as a member of the Society.

Contributions £ 19 10
Propositions 5

Entrances 11
Rules 4

Total £ 14 2

Chas J. Donnelly
Minutes of Branch meeting held Feb 8/84

The branch was opened at 7.30
Bro Donnelly in the chair

The minutes of the previous
meeting were read and confirmed
The correspondence was duly
read and received

Thomas Dearning was proposed,
as a member of this society
John G. Wilkinson was duly
made a member of this society

Proposed seconded & carried that
Bro Morrice's correspondence relative to new
rules stand over for a fortnight

Contributions £ 17 14 3
Propositions 5 4
Entrances 1 0 4

Total £ 19 0 1

Charles F. Donnelly
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.
The correspondence was duly read and confirmed.
Adam Matthew was duly proposed a member of this Society.
Charles Edward Walker was duly proposed a member of this Society.
Adam Matthew was duly made a member of this Society according to Rule.
The money short was read and received.
It was proposed by Rob. Halland and seconded by Rob. Sedman, that our Secretary be empowered to write to the Secretary of the Local District and acknowledge the letter in the alteration of Rule in reference to the General Council Task that our Secretary write to the General Office about the meaning of the alteration of Rule also.
It was proposed by Mr. Gedman and seconded by Mr. Brown that the Secretary write the Secretary of the Local District to call a meeting as soon as possible to discuss the general view of the Executive Council.

Contributions 15. 6 3
Proposition 10
Entrance's 13. 6
Rules 8
Total 16. 4 5

M. J. Donnelly
Minutes of Blanche Meeting held March 8th 1886

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The correspondence was duly read and confirmed.

It was proposed by Bro. Clarke and seconded by Bro. Houston that the candidate Oscar Price be asked to get a doctor's certificate.

It was proposed by Bro. Wicker that this candidate see Dr. Graham and get a certificate of health.

Alexander G. Wheeler, Duncan M. Cochran, Oscar Price, Robert A. Allen and were duly installed as members of this Society.

Election of Officers:

President: Bro. Connolley
Vice President: Bro. Houston
Check Book Keeper: Bro. Houston
Sor Keeper: Bro. Austin
Branch Auditor: Bro. Austin
Mrs. Austin
Mrs. Shade
Branch Committee:

- Geo. Browne
- Smith
- Morison
- Roberts
- Mr. Lauglin
- Fittet

It was proposed by Geo. Browne and seconded by Geo. Clarke that our Secretary write to the Secretary of the Marine Engineers to ask the Chief Engineers in this Port to discontinue the system of working these Engineers outside of their ships when in drydocks.

It was proposed by Geo. Browne and seconded by Geo. Clarke that our Secretary write to the Secretary of the Local District and also the Secretaries of the other Branches to set a meeting for Protection of the Iron Rails.

It was proposed by Geo. Browne and seconded by Geo. Clarke that our Secretary write to the Local District instructing them to lay down a precedent...
It was proposed by Mr. Allsop and seconded by Mr. Huttler that our Secretary be empowered to write to all the different Branches of this Society in this Colony and a united protest against the new rules of the General Council in Sydney.

Contribution 17s 10d

Entrance 1s 0d

Propriety 1s 4d

Total 19s 9d 10d

Emblem 1d 4d 6d

Total 19s 14d 14d

Charles Donnelly
Minutes of Branch Meeting held March 22nd 76

The Branch was opened in the usual manner Brown
rowned in the chair, the minutes of the previous
meeting were read and confirmed.

The correction was duly read
received.

Robert Black, Duncan McCombald
Alexander Maclethan & Oscar Roeger
was duly admitted members of this
Society.

Hugh Morrison claimed donation.

It was proposed by Dr. Swain seconded
by Dr. Alladice that our secretary write to the Local District Committee
Secretary & tell him to summon Dr. Hay to the Local District & ask him
about the discrepancies in reverence
to marine engineers working when in

It was proposed by Dr. Maclean
seconded by Dr. Young that our
secretary write to thesecretary of the
Local District telling them that
This Branch proceeds with alarm the
intimations of the Marine Engineers:

It was proposed by Mr. Young that
our Secretaries write to the Railway
Employers Association and tell them they have our
hearty approval and support also that
we write to the two Houses that so
supported Trade Unionism.

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Minutes of the Branch Meeting held
April 5th, 1896.

The Branch was opened in the
usual manner by Mr. Connelly in the
Chair. The Correspondence of the
previous meeting was read and only
received. The minutes of previous meeting was also read and
confirmed.
The Audit for the first quarter of
the year was read. Mr. Allerton
referred to.

Report by Mr. Allerton. Submitted
Receive the auditors. Bro. Lara. I
Then Craig, complimented the secretary.
I Check. Both papers for the way in
Which the Books were kept. I It was
Corrected by the brethren that it was
the first satisfactory report on. And it
Once the Board was formed.
Appointed by Bro. Allcroft that the
Secretary be seconded by Bro. Headman
That the Secretary be instructed to
Write to the secretary of Local District
Committee I instructed him to write to
Bro. Agra. I thank him for this e.
Committee. Suggested I many Business done
In the past time to us through the
Secretary of the Local District Committee.
Passed By Bro. Allcroft I seconded.
By Bro. Craig that Committee of the
Officers I both others arise. I give Bro.
Every error then of recognition.

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Emblems 46

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Minutes of Branch Meeting 11th April 1856

The Branch was opened in the usual manner

Brother Donnelly Presiding. The minutes of the Previous meeting were read and with slight alterations (Re-Number) of previous meetings being left over were confirmed.

The Business arising from last meeting. The Treasurer's Salary be Postponed till next meeting. It was Proposed + Seconded and carried unanimously that the the Foremen Name be wrote opposite the manager's name on the revised list of shops. Brother Long present of District Committee gave the report of the Business done. It was Proposed Seconded + Carried that Brother Long which he received and the due thanks of the meeting be accorded to Bro. Long, there being no other Business the Branch rose at 9.30.

Contribution, £15 6 0

Entrance 8

Total £15 14 6

Char. L. Donnelly
Minutes of Branch Meeting Hall
May 3rd 1881.

The Branch was opened in the usual manner. Mr. Donnelly President.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read. Proposed by Mr. Corrigan seconded by Mr. O’Toole. What they be removed.

Carried unanimously.

It was proposed that the Correspondence be received as read. Carried.

The Treasurer’s balance. It was proposed that the Treasurer should receive the sum of three pounds annually subject to receipting by the Hon. Executive Council. Carried by the Branch.

Meeting Contributions £5 0 0

Entrance contributions 12 4 11

Entrance £13 3 11

Charles G. Donnelly
The minutes of the previous were read and received.

It was proposed by Mr. King that part of the balance in the last meeting referring to the Treasurer's Salary be recorded. Some correspondence was duly received.

It was proposed to read the account that the letter from Mr. Burnett be acknowledged.

It was decided to receive a report from the L.L. Committee in reference to the business especially on Hay. Evidence as related in reference to working being done by employees while the ship in dock.

It was proposed by Mr. Clarke that the matter up after long discussion it was decided to a

By Mr. Allred move and seconded by Mr. Case that the matter should

With the L.L. Committee carries

In reference to working working outside
That they shall pay
Their Chop - Proposals &c. &c. so that
Mr. York receive emotion.

£ 8 0

Proposals
Contributions 12 11 0
Propositions 5 4
Rules
Statements 4 6
£ 13 0 10

It was proposed & seconded that
another be written to Dr. Hay, stating
the Secretary of the Board.

John T. Donnelly
Minutes of the previous meeting were read. Rent increased to Re 1.50.

 Sting that the Secretary of the Preacher be instructed to write. Which was done.

 Accordingly, with gratifying result, that he received, face to face.

 At meeting of the Preachers' Association.

 May 25th, 1876.

 The rainy day report was lead unanimously accepted.

 It was further. Rev. Mr. Miller, 6 communion.

 by Rev. E. Starr. Re. letter. Stonecout.

 Society that they should be privileged to seat in the Preachers' Meeting Room.


 Name inserted. of this Preachers' 4th.

 Constitution.

 Entrance 18

 15-18-7

 Chris S. Sommelly
Minutes of the Previous Meeting were read. I passed as correct.

Meeting of the Branch held June 14, 1886.

Passed by Bro. Long, seconded by Bro. Walker. That the Correspondence to receive & carry unanimously.

Election of Officers.

President: Bro. Connolly.
Vice-President: Bro. Farrow.
Chairman: Thomas. Egan. Roberts.
Auditors: John Craig. John Craig.
Treasurer: John Craig.
Committee: John Craig.

Nominated:

Secretary: Bro. Kirby.
It was proposed & carried, that the Union Managers be privileged to interview the Branch in the deficit in accounts of the English House Demonstration.

A. Early vote of thanks was given the Delegates in conclusion & carried by the Branch. After a lengthy discussion the Delegates should be left to the Local District Committee.

In the letter United Societies Hall the Branch took the Delegates into consideration. It was proposed & seconded that we should adjourn the Delegates.

After a ballot, Mr. Headman & Mr. Long were appointed.

Mr. Cabra brought before the Branch the question of breaking a member under the current wages. Proposed to the Local District Committee.

Proposed & seconded that Mr. After & Mr. Swan should grant 5 percent to members. Benefit carried. Namely.
Prop. Allowice drew the attention of the
Branch of the Continuous Nine Line,
booked in A. S. M. L. shop. Refers to
Local District Committee.

Contributions £ 9 18 1
Proposition
Contributions £ 10 12 4

The minutes of the previous meeting
was confirmed.
A peculiar of the Branch held 28th/27.
It was proposed by Bro. Gray, that
the correspondence he received be carried.
Re. the proposition from Mr. Atkinson.
Propos. unconv. 1 conv. That this
be Candidate. Sinai. Official Certificate
be proposed. That seconded that William
Haines become a member of this Branch.
He was duly initiated.

The Report of the L. O. Committee
Representatives of this Branch gave a
short review of the work. Concluded...
Meetings. Mr. Cleland moved that a letter be written to the Secretary of the Local District Committee re the details of a meeting to be held at every Publicly. Could be given to that meeting.

Mr. Allcroft drew the attention of the Branch that the Secretary should be instructed to write the secretary of the Local Club to strengthen their hands re the matter of stagnation in trade.

Proposition £ 3. 4
Entrance 1. 5. 0
Contributions 14. 13. 10
16. 4. 2
Minutes of Branch Committee Meeting
held at the Club House July 2nd 1886.

The Committee was called together to
initiate a Sea-going Candidate. Rule XVI
Clause XIII

The following members were present
Brothers J. Dunnes, Roberts, Leon,
Morrison, C. E. Laughlin; together with the
Officers of the Branch. Brother Donnelly
was in the Chair

Proposed and seconded that Arthur
William Attenborough become a member of
the Branch. Carried, after which he was duly initiated.

The foregoing being all the business
the Committee rose.

The minutes of the foregoing were read and
confirmed.

A meeting of the Branch held
July 12th 1886.

Minutes of the Branch Committee
Meeting were read and confirmed.
The regular correspondence was read and confirmed. Mr. Long gave an account of his interview with the Employers. A discussion arose as to what class of work should be built outside the boundaries of the City. The Workmen's Time was discussed. It was argued that the Employers should go on in their own time, I return in the Employers' time.

General discussion took place on placing our views before the Employers before going to the Public Meeting.

The quarterly balance sheet was read. Mr. Arthur, the Provisional Auditor spoke very highly of the Secretary. Proposed by Bro. Adams. I seconded by Bro. Roberts that it be received and carried unanimously.

Mr. Kirby moved that a Gurantee should be given to the Employers to this effect that the hours of work shall not be altered nor will the wages.
be interfered with. But individuals, rights, should be looked to. I acknowledge.

Carried by the Branch.

Hat
Proprietors
Entrance
Copy of Rules
Contributions

£ 18 7 4

Minutes of Branch meeting held July 16th 1794.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and

company - laws for ance we need the permission of
the committee. Mr. B. K. accorded. We announce when
an amendment was moved that allegiance
there be not67 allegiance and a vote and further
Committee Report was received as reported by Brother
Alliance - Brother Long then gave a very lucid report
from the Sub-Committee from the L.T. Committee
Brother Day spoke in support of the Agreement. Brother Harran
Followed in the same strain and a hearty vote of thanks
was moved by Brother Harran and was echoed by acclamation.
Brother Long then made a vote, and thanks. The letter of the
Board having arrived for himself was then brought before us.
after long hard discussion it was proposed by Brother Steadman & seconded by Brother King that the letter from the Honourable the Australian Council be referred to the LB committee for a report. The telegram from General Secretary was read & brought forward. When Brother Potter was nominated in this branch & recommended the same Brother for the LB Committee for their support.

The Branch closed at 9:55.

Entrance £1 3 6
Registration
Contributions £1 19 6
Total 10 2 6
Sydney, July 13th, 1886

Memorandum of Agreement made with the Iron Trades Employers Association of the Local District Committee of the Amalgamated Society of Engineers in regard that this society binds its members to a Reciprocal Guarantee, being given by the Iron Trades Employers Association, not to agitate for any alteration of the present minimum Rate of Wages to our members, Hours of work, Rates of Overtime, holidays, Rates of Extra pay for members going a distance of 10 miles from the General Post Office to the settled base of the Society, as at present existing.

8 Hours to constitute a Day's Work.
Each Day to stand on its own Merits.
Minimum Rate of pay 1.3 per Hour.
Individual Members to be not disturbed asking for an Increase on the Minimum Rate.
Overtime Double time. First 2 Hours. Time Frame 12am - 7am. Time Frame 7am - 12am. Double time working Sundays.
Christmas Day. Good Friday. Sunday. Eighth Hour Demonstration Day &c. And this Society requests its Members to observe this Agreement for any Employer who may have obtained Government (or other) contracts (as long as the contracts so obtained shall be in progress) during the ensuing 3 years from this date.

Signed by the Committee.

David Moreira
Secretary Sydney Local District Committee

A Minutes of the Branch X

July 8th 1878.

The Minutes of the Previous meeting were read & confirmed.

Respectfully, the Chair is seconded by Mr. H. that the correspondence be received & carried.

Mr. Cantor gave a long account of the work at the local Local Vic. Committee. The eight-hour demonstration should have a greater display for the
Committee, 1st Reference to the
Mr. Allred appealed to the Branch
that he did not receive any notice to
appear before the C.D. Committee.
It was moved and seconded, that some
changes be appointed to settle the matter.
Mr. Atwood was duly appointed.
Mr. Allred's Branch knew the value
of the Branch the Committee of some of
their fellow-men, in working one
hundred hours a week.
It was moved and seconded, that the Committee
be instructed to write to the Secretary.

\[ Entrance \quad 5.0 \\
\text{Fines} \quad 6.0 \\
\text{Contributions} \quad 18.12.41 \\
\text{Propertys} \quad 10.0 \\
\text{Totals} \quad 19.7.9 \]

Proposed and seconded, that Friday
next be a Special Meeting to Elect
Candidate for General Secretary.
Proposed and seconded the Secretary draw the attention of the Local District Committee to the letters appearing in the daily papers re the Irish Labour Branch's meeting

Proposed and seconded this branch give a vote of thanks to all officers who attended the meeting. Carried

John Y. O'Malley

Minutes of Special luminous meeting held on Friday evening, August 1846

Brother Shotman gave a report in reference to the United Societies Hall discussion earlier. Proposed by Brother O'Reilly, seconded by Brother Shade, that no further action in the Friendly Societies Hall be taken. Carried.

Proposed by Brother Long and seconded by Bro Shotman that the Secretary acquaint the Committee of the fact and this Branch forward 40s as our share of preliminary expenses. Carried.

Proposed by Bro Shotman and seconded by Bro Dodson that Bro Wilson be our candidate for General Secretary. Carried.
Proposed by Bro. Allardice and seconded by Bro. Adamson a letter be sent to the General office complaining of the laxity of the officers in not informing the Colonial Branches in matters very important for our welfare. Carried.

All the business having been transacted the Branch rose. Thos. H. O'Neal.