

Imlay Shire Council.

Business transacted at last Shire Council meeting :—

E. Bullivant was appointed concrete pavior.

A partition erected across the foot-way at Eden was ordered to be removed by the 14th May.

Constable Boardman was appointed inspector of slaughter-houses for the Bega area within the Shire.

Department of Lands to be requested to expedite the allocation of necessary land for aerodrome at Broadwater.

The P.P. Board to be informed that Council will remove blackberries from road near Lochiel.

Repairs to be carried out to Wallagoot-Jellat Jellat road, also to Tangi-see Creek crossing.

Blackberries near G. Holzhauser's, on Wyndham road, to be removed.

Repairs to be carried out to Look Out road, Eden, when grader next in town.

B. Hackett granted permission to remove six dead trees in Tarlinton's Lane, subject to Engineer's supervision.

Cr. Robertson and the Engineer to meet Mr. Haigh, Pambula, respecting water draining from gravel pit on to his land.

E. Cole, Lochiel, to have grader placed on his private road at usual rates of charge.

Engineer to inspect and report re an application for access to property at Eden.

Permission granted for the holding of a street stall at Eden in aid the Pambula Hospital X-Ray fund.

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Mumbulla Shire Council to be informed that this Council is not in a position to do any repairs to the Postman's Track road.

Preliminary expenses, £50, to be paid to the Bega Valley County Council.

Engineer to inspect and carry out any repairs necessary to bridge on Candelo-Wolumla road, near Mr. Gordon's. Cr. Allen offered the loan of a bullock team to assist with this work, for which he was thanked.

Permission granted for Coronation Day sports on the beach at Eden, with a charge for admission.

Engineer directed to carry out removal of briar bushes and a patch of wild onion on Tantawanglo road.

The President, Cr. Wiles, appointed delegate to Shires Conference in June.

A subdivision at Tathra was approved.

A. Thompson's application to build a bakery at Merimbula, and W. Whitby, garage at Pambula, were approved.

Suggested town improvements at Tathra—track to baths at cost of £30 and track to beach to cost about £12—to be carried out.

Left in hands of Engineer to carry out necessary repairs and concreting to the footway in the vicinity of Candelo School of Arts.

Left in Engineer's hands to give attention to wash from Tantawanglo and Wyndham roads alongside W. E. Collins' fence, Candelo.

Road to be repaired to Haslem's beach reserve, Eden.

Council agreed to fall in with Eden Advancement Association re suitable programme of events for the 150th anniversary celebrations in 1938.

Engineer to carry out necessary repairs on road to the aerodrome at Frog's Hollow.

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Letter of sympathy directed to be forwarded to Mrs. G. Armstrong, Bega in connection with the recent death of her husband.

Building, R. McDonough, at Tathra, approved.

Action directed to be taken against all ratepayers who are in arrears with rates unless same are paid within 14 days from receipt of final notice.

Accounts passed for payment, and the President's and Engineer's reports adopted.

Mr. F. M. Davidson re-appointed auditor for 1937.

The President is to instruct workmen during the Engineer's absence on annual leave.

Cr. Lee to interview Police Sergeant re car parking at Eden.

Next meeting 14th May.

LOCAL & GENERAL.

Mr. Len Collins, of "Collinswood," purchased an imported Jersey bull at Rocky Hall Jersey sale last week.

Church of England services for Sunday—Candelo 9, Tantawanglo 11, Wolumla 2, Candelo 7.30. Rev. Canon Hirst will be the preacher at all services.

Mr. Russell Thompson, a former teacher at Bega District School, died in Sydney on Saturday. His wife was Miss Mabel Toms, for whom Candelo friends will feel deep sympathy. They had not been very long married.

In reply to Mr. H. J. Bate's personal representations on behalf of Mr. John Scarvell, of Kameruka, the Minister for Education advises that he has authorised an extension to the Kameruka school and the building of a weathershed.

"Broadway Bill," to be screened at the Candelo pictures to-morrow night, is a thrilling romance woven around the "sport of kings," and is dedicated to that great Australian hero of the turf, Phar Lap. It should be a popular attraction.

Mr. Oswald Breen, well known in these parts, was killed in Sydney on Saturday, through falling from a ladder at the Eveleigh railway workshops. He was 55 years of age, and his wife was formerly Miss

age, and his wife was formerly Miss Flossie Gates, a sister of Mrs. C. McCarthy and the Gates brothers of this town.

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A Cooma football team visited Candelo on Sunday, and in a friendly match defeated the local team by 8 to 3. As is usual with the first matches in a season the game was rather slow, but the players showed promise of warming up to good work later on. For Cooma, Quail and Freebody scored tries and Freedody kicked a goal. K. Cochrane scored Candelo's try in the second half. Mr. Alf Scanes manipulated the whistle.

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Coronation Day passed off much like anyother day locally. Except for the holiday, the Diggers' flags flying at the memorial, and a church at St. Peter's in the morning, the only outward visible sign of our national jubilation was at the Candelo Hotel, which Mr. Sweeting decorated with flags. The old gentleman also distributed a bit of happiness amongst the kiddies by handing round nice little nickel pencils and small flags, which pleased the young people and made him their friend for a long time to come.

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The R.A.S. has recognised the Australian record high jump at 8ft. 3in. put up at the Tenterfield show by C. H. Perry's Lookout in February.

Mr. Bate opened the Coronation ball in Bega last night, Mrs. Bate receiving the debts.

Candelo friends are pleased to know that Mrs. V. J. Collins continues to improve in the Cooma hospital.

A big crowd attended the official opening of Adastral's new aerodrome at Frog's Hollow on Sunday. Four planes were down, giving joy rides. It is of interest to note that this service has carried over a thousand passengers from Bega to Sydney in the last three years, without mishap of any kind.

A son of Dr. Bruce, formerly of Candelo, is to be married next week to Miss Pauline Dangar, of Narrandera. The young man who was a very small boy in his Candelo days, is on the land at Narrabri.

At last meeting of the Bega District Hospital, the Secretary (Mr. Dicker) reported that the income for the past ten months of the current financial year was £4339, as against £4001 for last year.

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Morning frosts and continued dry conditions prevail in the district, but there is any amount of good pasture for the time being. Conditions on Monaro are very bad, and stock continue to be brought down the mountain for relief.

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A reminder is given of the regular monthly euhere party and dance in aid of the local Town Hall funds to be held next Wednesday night. The community's interest in the success of this function is earnestly requested. Mrs. G. Baldwin and Mrs. C. Mitchell are organising the supper arrangements, and the committee bespeaks for them the hearty co-operation of the ladies of the district in this regard.

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Local footballing spirits seem to be running pretty low so far this season. Some players who are counted on to keep the game going are not taking it very seriously, and it is difficult to get any sort of a muster for training under the coach. We understand that an effort is being made to get a satisfactory team to make a bid for the Rosenthal Shield on Sunday, and the season's football here will depend on the success of this expedition.

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The Presidents of Mumbulla and Imlay Shires and the Bega Valley

Imlay Shires and the Bega Valley County Council, the Mayor of Bega, and the President of the Bega C.W.A., are amongst 1,900 recipients of official coronation medals. The King has decided that a document in the following form is to be sent with each of the medals: "By command of his Majesty the King the accompanying medal is forwarded to (name) to be worn in commemoration of their Majesties' Coronation, May 12, 1937." The document will be headed with the Crown and his Majesty's cypher, G.R.I., and will bear the address Buckingham Palace. It will be distributed simultaneously throughout the Commonwealth on July 23. The medal will be one and a quarter inches in diameter, and will be worn suspended by a ring from a ribbon one and a quarter inches wide, with a blue centre stripe three-quarters of an inch wide and two white stripes and one red stripe on either side. The obverse side of the medal will bear a conjoint bust of the King and Queen, crowned and robed. The reverse side the Royal cypher, surmounted by the Crown, with the inscription George VI. and Queen Elizabeth. It has been classified as official, to be worn on all occasions on which decorations and medals are worn.

COUNTRY NEWS.

AIR-MINDEDNESS AT FROG'S HOLLOW.

BEGA, Monday.

Folks at Frog's Hollow, seven miles south of Bega, are becoming air-minded. When an aerodrome was opened there yesterday, four aeroplanes were unable to cope with the demand of those who wanted to make "joy rides."

The Mayor (Alderman D. C. Rosenthal), in declaring the aerodrome open, said that Adastra Airways, since commencing the Bega-Sydney service about three years ago, had travelled 270,000 miles and carried more than 1000 passengers from Bega without the slightest mishap.