

Toowoomba Philatelic Club

Meeting of 13 January 1898

A special meeting of the Toowoomba Philatelic Club was held on Thursday, 13th instant, at Carrigg's Rooms. The following members were present :—Messrs. Lewis P. Warren, jun. (vice-president, in the chair), F. Booth, W. M. Tanner, E. R. Thomas (hon. sec.), W. Farnell, D. J. Provan, J. Walker, H. Trevethan, Lightbody, jun., W. Sloman, J. T. Scully, J. C. Robertson. After the usual formal business and exchange sheets had been gone through, an adjournment for supper was made. The supper was given to the guest, Mr. W. Farnell, by the committee of the club, who had kindly brought his collection of stamps for exhibition, for the benefit of members. Mr. Farnell has a very nice collection. The chairman proposed the health of the guest, who was toasted with musical honours. Mr. Farnell suitably responded. The secretary (Mr. E. R. Thomas) thanked Mr. Farnell for his kindness in exhibiting his collection, and hoped that he would visit them again when in town. The chairman's health being proposed, a very pleasant evening was brought to a close.

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