

The following are extracts taken from the original minute book of the Orange Lodge No 251 at Holloway. It would appear that minutes were written whenever the book opened. All minutes are brief and as would testify, few of the members had very much schooling.

1863. Dec. 1.

(the old English way of writing "s" was "fs.")

moved and carried that any brother wanting to speak had to rise upon his feet and address the Worshipful Master or else be fine 12 1/2 cents.

moved and carried that we have one Glass of Licor not to exceed two on each Lodge night and have two Glasses on the twelfth of July 1864.

moved by brother Rose

seconded by brother Fulton

That brother Wilson acts as worshipful master for the coming year

moved by brother Townsend seconded by brother Rose that brother John Irvine acts as deputy master for the coming year

December ^{the} 3 1872

moved by Brother George Rose - sec by brother Squire Palliser that Brother Vandervoort should become a member of this Lodge 251 by paying one years dues

Oct. 5. 1872.

Brethren met according to appointment — a brother from 285 lost his arm in the Marmora mines & we gave him \$283 to assist him to get a cork arm. B. John. Townsend and Benn appointed to make arrangements for the dinners on 5th Nov.

Feb. 1871 paid for flag — 18. 99

" " one lock . 20.

April

5 met according to agreement — worshipful master presiding — nothing done of any account.