

Special General Meeting held at Mr N Edwards 134 Elizabeth St Hobart on Thursday
the 22nd June, 1916

Present

**Mr B Harris (Chair), J Glasser (Vice), R Benjamin, Geo Benjamin, D Mendes
Myer Davis, J Levy and the acting Secretary Nat Edwards**

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The acting Secretary read a letter received from Mr John Levy in which he resigned his
position as Hon Sec to the H H C and also his position of Trustee to the Philanthropic
Society.

Moved by J Glasser and seconded by G Benjamin that the Resignation of J Levy be accepted
and that a cordial vote of thanks be passed to him for services rendered. Carried

Moved by N Edwards and seconded by R Benjamin that J Glasser be elected trustee to the
Philanthropic Society in conjunction with B Harris. Carried

Mr N Edwards then resigned his position as Committee member of the Hobart H
Congregation.

Proposed by R Benjamin and seconded by J Glasser that Nat Edwards be elected Hon
Secretary to the H H C. Carried

Mr N Edwards returned thanks promising to do all in his power to further the interests of
the congregation.

Mr Nat Edwards proposed and Mr J Glasser seconded that the alteration to the following
bye laws be adopted.

Rule 1. That the congregation be governed by the following officers: A President, a
Vice President, a Treasurer, a Hon Secretary all of whom shall be ex officio a member of the
committee and two members of the congregation, any four of whom shall form a quorum.
Carried

Rule 3. Rescind Carried

Rule 6. The annual election of officers shall take place on the Second Sunday in May.
Carried

Rule 14. That on the requisition in writing of any to members of the congregation the president shall convene a meeting or special meeting as may be required. Carried

Rule 23. Rescued Carried

Rule 37 Rescued Carried

Rule 42 That all notices of meetings shall be hung in a conspicuous place in the Synagogue Chambers.

Rule 43 That all committee and general meetings shall be held in such place as may be decided upon by the majority of the committee. Carried

Rule 49 That all cheques be signed by the President and Treasurer. Carried unanimously

Proposed by N Edwards and seconded by J Glasser that the following new Bye Laws be adopted and carried unanimously.

That the committee reserve a certain quantity of seats in the Synagogue for the free use of any person requiring them, and also make a scale of charges for the remaining seats, such charges to be legally recovered should the committee decide.

Voting at all meetings may be in person or by proxy, such proxies to be in the hands of the Hon Secretary at least 12 hours before the meeting. Should any matter that takes place at any general or committee meeting be divulged of the same has occurred and it shall be proved to the satisfaction of the majority of the committee who was the person so disclosing the information, it shall be (???) for the committee to expel such member and duly elect person to fill such vacancy and there shall be no appeals either at (???) or equity against such decision.

That the accounts of the Treasurer be made up and presented to the committee not later than the first Monday in May. Carried

Any person marrying out of the Jewish Faith and whose wife shall not have been made a convert to the Jewish Faith shall be eligible to become a member of the Hobart Hebrew Congregation.

No children shall be allowed to sit in the seating accommodation in front of the ark which shall be reserved for the use of the president and vice president but either of these gentlemen shall have power to evict any person who may attend divine service to sit there.

The President shall have power to spend out of the funds of the congregation any sum not exceeding two pounds without receiving the sanction of the committee. Such sum of two pounds not to be expended more than twice in any one year. Carried.

Read and confirmed at the Special General Meeting held at 134 Elizabeth Street Hobart on November 8th 1916.

(Sgd by) B Harris
President