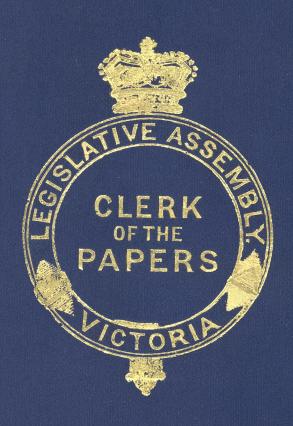
NOTICES OF MOTION & ORDERS OF THE DAY

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

SESSION 1940



Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No: 1.

TUESDAY, 7TH MAY, 1940.

Questions.

- 1. Lieut.-Col. Knox: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey-As a result of the lengthy and comprehensive experiments conducted at the Police Paddocks with regard to various chemical mixtures for the eradication of blackberries—(a) what are the trade names of chemical mixtures which have been found most effective; (b) what are the costs per acre of these; and (c) can he hold out any real hope that landholders can be assured of a cheap and effective method of tackling the blackberry menace.
- 2. Mr. Kent Hughes: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Labour-
 - 1. How many temporary employees in the Sustenance Department have left or had their services dispensed with since 1935, showing whether male or female, and giving their length of service.
 - 2. How many temporary employees have been taken on the staff of the Sustenance Department since 1935; and what are their names and addresses.
- 3. Mr. Zwar: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary-
 - 1. If it is a fact that the nursing staff in the Department of Mental Hygiene have been deprived of eight days public holiday leave each year.

 2. If so, what is the intention of the Government in regard to the payment of its liabilities.
- 4. Mr. Cain: To ask the Honorable the Premier—
 - 1. What action has been taken by the Government in connexion with the overcrowding in the public hospitals.
 - 2. If any action has been taken to provide extra accommodation for the sick poor during the winter
- 5. Mr. Cain: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer whether provision is being made during the next financial year for the supply of meals and milk for under-nourished children.
- 6. Mr. Maltby: To ask the Honorable N. A. Martin, Honorary Minister, for the Honorable the Minister of Public Instruction, what period of time elapses between the receipt of requests for repairs to State schools and the commencement of approved work.
- 7. Mr. Hodson: To ask the Honorable N. A. Martin, Honorary Minister, for the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works, how much money was expended by the Country Roads Board on roads in the Castlemaine and Kyneton electorate during the last financial year and each of the four years preceding it.
- .8. Mr. Zwar: To ask the Honorable the Premier-
 - 1. When the Slum Reclamation and Housing Act came into operation.
 - 2. How many families have been put into homes built by the Housing Commission.
 - How many of these families were transferred from slum dwellings.
 - 4. How many slum dwellings have been demolished.
- 9. Mr. Allnutt: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Labour if he will inform the House-
 - 1. The total number on the staff of the Sustenance Department.
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- 10. Mr. Allnutt: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer what are the total payments made from all Government sources to the following officers of the Public Service: -Under-Secretary, Secretary to the Law Department, Crown Solicitor, and Secretary for Lands.
- 11. Mr. Lamb: To ask the Honorable N. A. Martin, Honorary Minister, for the Honorable the Minister of Public Instruction, whether he has further considered the construction of a new technical block at the Horsham High School; if so, when the work is likely to be proceeded with.

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Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Melbourne Harbor Trust (Tolls) Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 2. Freezing Works (Overdraft Guarantee) Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 3. Public Works Loan and Application Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 4. RAILWAYS (SICK LEAVE) BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 5. Survey Co-ordination Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 6. FISHERIES BILL—Second reading.
- 7. ADDRESS IN REPLY TO THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH-MOTION FOR-Resumption of debate.

F. E. WANKE, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. SLATER, Speaker.

MEETING OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Tuesday, 7th May.

LIBRARY COMMITTEE (JOINT)—At Seven o'clock

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Coyle.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES

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- STANDING ORDERS—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Speaker, Sir Stanley Argyle, Mr. Coyle, Mr. Cremean, Mr. Dunstan, Mr. Hogan, Mr. Hollway, Mr. Kent Hughes, Mr. Maltby, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Old, and Mr. Reid.
- Statute Law Revision (Joint)—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Bailey, Colonel Cohen, Mr. Field, Mr. Hollway, Mr. Macfarlan, and Mr. Oldham.
- CHILD ENDOWMENT—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Bennett, Mr. Cremean, Mr. Dunstone, Mr. Ellis, Mr. Holland, and Mr. Zwar.



Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 2.

WEDNESDAY, 8TH MAY, 1940.

Questions.

- 1. Mr. Kent Hughes: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Labour-
 - 1. How many temporary employees in the Sustenance Department have left or had their services dispensed with since 1935, showing whether male or female, and giving their length of service.
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 - 3. The number and dates of appointments made to the Sustenance Branch staff since 1st July, 1939, together with the names, classification, and salaries received.
 - If any appointments have been made from outside the Public Service and the names of the persons
 appointed.
 - 3. Mr. Dodgshun: To ask the Honorable the Premier-
 - If the Cabinet Sub-committee appointed to report on soil erosion has submitted its report to the Government.
 - 2. Whether the Government proposes this Session to initiate any action, legislative or otherwise, for the control of soil erosion.
 - 4. Mr. Mullens: To ask the Honorable the Premier whether, having regard to impending legislation in respect of life assurance policies, and the statement in the latest published report of the State Insurance Commissioner, that in New Zealand—where all branches of insurance are transacted by the Government office—it is claimed that the savings effected to the public total the immense figure of £15,500,000, the Government will consider the introduction of legislation to authorize the State Accident Insurance Office to conduct all branches of insurance.
 - 5. Mr. Cook (Bendigo): To ask the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply—
 - 1. How many miles of the main Malmsbury-Bendigo water channel have been lined with concrete.
 - 2. How many miles of the channel remain to be concreted before the work is completed.
 - 3. Whether work is at present proceeding on the concreting of the main channel; if not, when will such work be undertaken.
 - 6. MR. CAMERON: To ask the Honorable the Premier whether the Government has considered enacting legislation giving the Farmers' Debts Adjustment Board plenary power to enable it to negotiate between debtor farmers who are not under or pending debts adjustment and creditor interests, with a view to giving struggling farmers security of tenure; if so, will he make an early announcement in order to deter evictions.
 - 7. SIR STANLEY ARGYLE: To ask the Honorable the Premier if it is a fact that the Victorian Government has refused to give its quota of assistance towards the Australian Council for Educational Research.
 - 8. Mr. Dodgshun: To ask the Honorable the Premier-
 - 1. Whether he has any knowledge of a tribunal to be appointed by the Federal Government to enquire into the disabilities of wheatgrowers arising from the acquisition of the wheat crop.
 - 2. If so, what are the terms of reference of this tribunal.
 - 9. Mr. Allnutt: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer which sections of the Public Service Act provide for the payment of the sums set out in his reply on the 7th May instant in relation to the Under-Secretary, Secretary to the Law Department, Crown Solicitor, and the Secretary for Lands.
- 10. Mr. Lamb: To ask the Honorable the Premier whether, in view of the unsatisfactory provisions of the Sessional Orders relating to Private Members' Business, the Standing Orders Committee will at an early date make enquiry into, and report to the House upon such amendments of the existing Standing Orders as will more adequately and effectively maintain the privileges of Private Members of this House.

11. Mr. Lamb: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply-

1. If it is a fact that the officers of the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission do not observe the roster maintained by the Labour Bureau of those men entitled to relief work.

2. Whether he will have an enquiry made as to why the roster was ignored at Horsham, so that men awaiting a call for over six months were not given preference over others employed as recently as a fortnight previously, notwithstanding that the former were experienced in work of a similar nature.

- 3. If he will take steps to ensure that the roster will be adhered to when further calls are made for work at Kenny's Ford, and that the pick-up take place at the police station, according to regulations.
- 12. Mr. Field: To ask the Honorable the Premier—In view of the fact that the statistics compiled by the Police or other departments show that a greater number of traffic accidents occurred on Point Nepean-road between Elsternwick and Carrum in recent months than on any other highway in the State—(a) has any report been supplied to or sought by the Government or any public department on this matter; (b) has any action been taken by any department or authority to minimize the number of accidents occurring on this road; (c) is any and, if so, what action proposed by the Government or any public department for the purpose outlined in the preceding paragraph (b); and (d) has any application been received from any and, if so, what municipalities for financial assistance in lighting and controlling traffic on Point Nepean-road; if so, what has been the result of such application or applications.
- 13. Mr. Lamb: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey-
 - 1. What was the total number of officers employed on the field staff of the Closer Settlement Commission at the time of cessation of the Commission's activities.

2. What other departmental duties those officers were engaged upon at that time.

3. How many of these officers are still employed by the Department.

4. On what duties they are now engaged

25. If any proposals have been submitted to the Government for the absorption of these men in other departmental work.

6. If so, will he make an early announcement as to the intention of the Government in regard to the future of these officers.

-14. Mr. LAMB: To ask the Honorable the Premier-

1. What is the annual salary and/or allowances paid to Professor Copland for the following offices:—
(a) as Commissioner of the State Savings Bank; (b) as Commonwealth Prices Commissioner;

(c) as Chairman of the State Economic Advisory Committee; (d) as Professor of the Melbourne University; and (e) any other public office held by him.

If it is a fact that Professor Copland also receives free residential accommodation at the University.
 Whether, in view of the public importance of the office of Commissioner of the State Savings
Bank, he considers that such office should be held as a "side-line."

15. Mr. MALTBY: To ask the Honorable the Premier-

1. What action the Government has taken to ascertain the extent of Communist activities and membership within the Victorian State Public Service.

2. What is the result of such investigations.

16. Mr. Hodson: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey-

1. If any consideration has been given to the revision of the conditions under which the inspectors under the Vermin and Noxious Weeds Act are employed.

2. If so, what action the Government intends taking to remedy the present conditions under which these inspectors labour.

17. Mr. Cremean: To ask the Honorable the Premier-

1. If the Public Service Commissioner has reported on the proposal to rearrange the present Public Service hours over five days instead of six.

2. Whether any reports have been received by the Premier's Office or the Public Service Commissioner on the operation of the five-day week in New South Wales, Queensland, Tasmania, Western Australia, and in the Commonwealth services.

3. Did these reports, if any, indicate—(a) that any inconvenience was caused to the public by the five-day week; (b) that economies could be effected by the introduction of the five-day week; and (c) that greater efficiency followed the introduction of the five-day week.

4. If he is aware that a mass meeting of 2,000 public servants yesterday offered to work on Saturday afternoon if their contention that the five-day week means greater efficiency, economy, and better service to the public could be disproved.

5. If he will take steps to have this contention investigated.

18. Mr. Denigan: To ask the Honorable the Solicitor-General-

- 1. If Mr. Freeman, retired police magistrate, is employed by the Government.
- 2. If so, is he employed under the provisions of the Public Service Act.

3. If not, by what authority is he employed.

4. What rate of salary is being paid to Mr. Freeman.

 What rate of salary is prescribed by the Public Service regulations for the office of police magistrate.

6. If it is a fact that the appointment of a properly-qualified public servant as an acting police magistrate would have been much less costly.

7. If so, is there any reason why the principle of promotion within the public service of duly qualified officers should have been departed from.

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Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. MILDURA IRRIGATION AND WATER TRUSTS BILL-(from Council)—Second reading.
- 2. DAIRY PRODUCE BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 3. FISHERIES BILL—Second reading.
- 4. Survey Co-ordination Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 5. Address in Reply to the Governor's Speech-Motion for-Resumption of debate.

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- CHILD ENDOWMENT—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Bennett, Mr. Cremean, Mr. Dunstone, Mr. Ellis, Mr. Holland, and Mr. Zwar.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 3.

TUESDAY, 30TH JULY, 1940.

Questions.

- 1. Mr. Allnutt: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary if he will lay on the table of the Library the file relating to the police departmental inquiry into the special circumstances surrounding the affairs of Mr. Robert Belt, of Elwood.
- 2. MR. ALLNUTT: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer if he will inform the House-
 - On how many occasions during the last ten years heads of Government departments have received allowances.
 - 2. The names of the departments concerned.
 - 3. The term and amount paid in each case.
 - 4. By whom each recommendation of the allowance was made.
- 3. Mr. Allnutt: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer-
 - 1. Whether the Crown Solicitor is in receipt of any payment from the Railway Department in addition to his statutory salary.
 - 2. If so, how much, and for how long it has been paid.

General Business.

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ORDERS OF THE DAY :--

- 1. Survey Co-ordination Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 2. Supply—To be further considered in Committee.
- 3. Ways and Means-To be further considered in Committee.
- 4. Address in Reply to the Governor's Speech-Motion for-Resumption of debate.

F. E. WANKE, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. SLATER, Speaker.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 4.

TUESDAY, 6TH AUGUST, 1940.

Questions.

- 1. Mr. Maltby: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture for what contraventions of the Customs Act committed on 30th November, 1939, and 1st December, 1939, the Victorian Egg and Egg Pulp Marketing Board was twice fined recently.
- 2. Mr. Cameron: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Labour if he will lay on the table of the Library the file relating to the change-over of the weekly half-holiday from Wednesday to Saturday at St. Arnaud, and the two petitions in respect thereof.
- 3. Mr. Michaelis: To ask the Honorable N. A. Martin, Honorary Minister, for the Honorable the Minister of Public Instruction—
 - 1. What steps have been taken by the Education Department to organize schools to help the National War Effort, Red Cross Society, &c.
 - 2. What sum has been raised through the Department since the commencement of the war.
 - 3. How much was raised during the Great War in 1914-18.

Notices of Motion:

Government Business.

- 1. Mr. Dunstan: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to provide Protection to Farmers in respect of Debts, and for other purposes."
- 2. Mr. Lind: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to provide for the Revocation of the Reservation of certain Land in the Parish of Conewarre permanently reserved as a Site for Public Purposes."
- 3. Mr. Martin: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to provide for the Widening of the Footways of certain Streets in the City of Melbourne."
- 4. Mr. Martin: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Section Sixty of the Superannuation Act 1928"."
- 5. Mr. Hogan: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Section Five of the Farm Produce Agents Act 1933'."
- 6. Mr. Hogan: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Marketing of Primary Products Act 1935'."
- 7. Mr. Hogan: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to provide for the Inspection and Regulation of Air and Gas Receivers, and for other purposes."

General Business.

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ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. WATER (RATES AND CHARGES) BILL—Second reading.
- 2. Administration and Probate (War Service) Bill-Second reading.
- 3. Survey Co-ordination Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 4. Melbourne Harbor Trust (Chairman) Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 5. Address in Reply to the Governor's Speech—Motion for—Resumption of debate.
- 6. Supply—To be further considered in Committee.
- 7. WAYS AND MEANS—To be further considered in Committee.

WEDNESDAY, 7th AUGUST.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :-

1. ORDINARY LIFE ASSURANCE BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.

TUESDAY, 13TH AUGUST.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. MARGARINE BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.

F. E. WANKE, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. W. SLATER, Speaker.

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CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Coyle.

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STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES.

- House (Joint)—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Speaker (ex officio), Mr. Everard, Mr. Hyland, Mr. Jewell, Mrs. Weber, and Mr. White.
- LIBRARY (JOINT)—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Speaker, Sir Stanley Argyle, Mr. Holland, Mr. Michaelis, and Mr. Moncur.
- Printing—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Speaker, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Cook (Bendigo), Mr. Ellis, Mr. Field, Mr. Frost, Mr. Hodson, Mr. Kent Hughes, Mr. Kirton, Mr. Lind, Mr. Murphy, and Mr. Zwar.
- STANDING ORDERS—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Speaker, Sir Stanley Argyle, Mr. Coyle, Mr. Cremean, Mr. Dunstan, Mr. Hogan, Mr. Hollway, Mr. Kent Hughes, Mr. Maltby, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Old, and Mr. Reid.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT)—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Bailey, Colonel Cohen, Mr. Field, Mr. Hollway, Mr. Macfarlan, and Mr. Oldham.
- CHILD ENDOWMENT—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Bennett, Mr. Cremean, Mr. Dunstone, Mr. Ellis, Mr. Holland, and Mr. Zwar.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 5.

WEDNESDAY, 7th AUGUST, 1940.

Questions.

- 1. Mr. Maltby: To ask the Honorable N. A. Martin, Honorary Minister, for the Honorable the Minister of Public Health-
 - 1. If it is a fact that an Australian-born purchaser of a hairdressing business at Drysdale, having two years experience in that calling, was refused a licence by the Hairdressers Registration Board of Victoria.

2. Whether, as a result, a monopoly in hairdressing in Drysdale has been granted to an Italian bootmaker named Lazzaro.

3. If the district in question is without a hairdresser by reason of the absence of Lazzaro in

Queensland. 4. If so, will he cause early action to be taken to remove the injustice to the Australian applicant.

2. Mr. Cain: To ask the Honorable the Premier-

1. If any increase has been made in the mileage rates paid under contract by the Government to hire-car proprietors; if so, what was the reason for the increase.

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 If any claim on behalf of public servants using their private vehicles on Government business for an increase in the mileage rates to meet war-time increase in price of petrol, oil, tires, and other accessories has been made to the Motor Transport Committee; if so, what was the Committee's decision on this application.

General Business.

Notices of Motion:

- 1. MR. HOLLAND: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the Health Acts in relation to Patent Medicines and for other purposes.'
- 2. SIR STANLEY ARGYLE: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Game Act 1928'."
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ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Farmers Protection Bill—Second reading.
- 2. Ordinary Life Assurance Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 3. Administration and Probate (War Service) Bill—Second reading.
- 4. Connewarre Land Bill—To be further considered in Committee.
- 5. Address in Reply to the Governor's Speech-Motion for-Resumption of debate.
- 6. Supply-To be further considered in Committee.
- 7. WAYS AND MEANS-To be further considered in Committee.

TUESDAY, 13TH AUGUST.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY :--

- 1. MARGARINE BILL-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 2. WATER (RATES AND CHARGES) BILL-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 3. FARM PRODUCE AGENTS BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 4. Superannuation (Life Assurance Policies) Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.

TUESDAY, 20TH AUGUST.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 2. Boilers Inspection (Air and Gas Receivers) Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 3. Melbourne (Widening of Streets) Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.

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Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 6.

TUESDAY, 20TH AUGUST, 1940.

Questions.

- 1. Mr. Frost: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Transport-
 - 1. Whether the chairman of the Transport Regulation Board, Mr. A. J. Fraser, made a public announcement on 24th July, 1940, that the applications of Messrs. Souter Bros. and J. Littlehales for renewal of transport licences to operate passenger-service vehicles between Daylesford and Melbourne had been refused by the Board.
 - 2. If it is a fact that applications for renewal of licences by these operators had not been called for by the Board.
 - 3. Whether these operators had a public hearing before the Board announced its decision not to renew the licences.
 - 4. If, in view of the fact that these licences do not expire until October, 1940, it is the usual practice of the Board to consider renewal of licences several months before the expiry date.
 - 5. If the Board has decided to cancel the heences of these operators, what are the reasons for so doing.
- 2. Mr. Frost . To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey-
 - If any finality has been reached on the claims of the inspectors employed under the Vermin and Noxious Weeds Act for a revision of their salaries and conditions submitted early in 1939; if not, what is the reason for the delay.
 - 2. Whether he refused to receive a deputation from the inspectors with regard to the delay in adjusting their conditions; if so, what is the reason for his refusal.

General Business.

Notices of Motion:

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- 6. Administration and Probate (War Service) Bill—Second reading.
- 7. Marketing of Primary Products Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 8. Conewarre Land Bill-To be further considered in Committee.
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MEETING OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

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Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 7.

WEDNESDAY, 21st AUGUST, 1940.

Questions.

- 1. Mr. CAIN: To ask the Honorable the Premier-
 - 1. When the present mileage rates payable to officers of the Public Service authorized to use their own cars on Government business were gazetted.
 - If these rates, to reimburse officers for the cost of using their private motor vehicles on departmental business, on the then ruling Government contract rates for petrol, oil, and tires, were considered excessive.
 - 3. What are the present ruling Government contract rates for petrol, oil, and tires.
 - 4. Whether an increase in mileage rates will be granted to any officer able to prove that his running costs have increased above those ruling at the date of the gazetting of the mileage rates being paid at present.
- 2. Mrs. Brownbill: To ask the Honorable N. A. Martin, Honorary Minister, for the Honorable the Minister of Public Instruction—
 - If it is a fact that there is a shortage of trained teachers in the Education Department in—
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 - 1. How many children were in attendance at all post-primary State schools other than senior technical schools—(a) on 1st July, 1939; and (b) on 1st July, 1940.
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Notices of Motion:

Government Business.

- 1. Mr. Dunstan: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to continue the Operation of the National Security (Emergency Powers) Act 1939'."
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- 11. SUPERANNUATION (LIFE ASSURANCE POLICIES) BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 12. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (RATES) BILL—(from Council)—Second reading.
- 13. SURVEY CO-ORDINATION BILL-AMENDMENTS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL-To be considered.
- 14. Supply—To be further considered in Committee.
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No. 8.

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General Business.

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- 4. POLICE OFFENCES (Dog RACES) BILL-Second reading.
- 5. Public and Bank Holidays Bill-Second reading.
- 6. Public Service Bill-Second reading.
- 7 NATIONAL SECURITY (EMERGENCY POWERS) CONTINUATION BILL—Second reading.
- 8. FARMERS PROTECTION BILL-To be further considered in Committee.
- 9. MARGARINE BILL-To be further considered in Committee.
- 10. MELBOURNE (WIDENING OF STREETS) BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 11. ORDINARY LIFE ASSURANCE BILL-To be further considered in Committee.
- 12. Superannuation (Life Assurance Policies) Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 13. Administration and Probate (War Service) Bill—Second reading.
- 14. MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 15. Conewarre Land Bill-To be further considered in Committee.
- 16. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (RATES) BILL—(from Council)—Second reading.
- 17. Address in Reply to the Governor's Speech-Motion for-Resumption of debair.
- 18. Supply—To be further considered in Committee.
- 19. WAYS AND MEANS-To be further considered in Committee.

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- Child Endowment—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Bennett, Mr. Cremean, Mr. Dunstone, Mr. Ellis, Mr. Holland, and Mr. Zwar.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 9.

WEDNESDAY, 28TH AUGUST, 1940.

Questions.

- 1. Mr. Dillon: To ask the Honorable N. A. Martin, Honorary Minister, for the Honorable the Minister of Public Instruction—
 - 1. What was the number of permanent classified teachers employed in State primary schools on 1st July, 1938, 1939, and 1940 respectively.
 - 2. How many student teachers were employed in primary schools on temporary duty as assistants and head teachers respectively on 1st July, 1940.
 - 3. How many temporary teachers apart from student teachers have been appointed since 1st September, 1939, in—(a) primary schools; and (b) post-primary other than technical schools.
 - 4. How many applications for positions as teachers, in reply to advertisements inserted in the press and closing on 14th August, were regarded by the Education Department as satisfactory.
 - 5. If these applicants fail to supply the needs of the schools will the Minister authorize the employment of qualified married women.
- 2. Mr. Michaelis. To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary-
 - 1. When it is intended to proclaim the Motor Car (Third-Party Insurance) Act.
 - 2. What has caused the delay (if any) in the gazettal of such proclamation.
- 3. Mr. Mullens: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Transport what quantities of superphosphate were carried on the Victorian railways from the works of each of the fertilizer companies in Victoria for the year ended 30th June, 1940.
- 4. Mr. Holland: To ask the Honorable N. A. Martin, Honorary Minister, for the Honorable the Minister of Public Instruction, if he will lay on the table of the Library the file dealing with the case of Mr. Bowell.

General Business.

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- 14. Supply—To be further considered in Committee.
- 15. WAYS AND MEANS-To be further considered in Committee.

TUESDAY, 10TH SEPTEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

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No. 10.

TUESDAY, 3RD SEPTEMBER, 1940.

Question.

- 1. Mr. Dillon: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Labour-
 - 1. If it is a fact that a report on the Sustenance Branch employment service was prepared by the Public Service Commissioner.
 - 2. If so, will he lay the report on the table of the Library.

General Business.

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- 4. Supply-To be further considered in Committee.
- 5. Ways and Means—To be further considered in Committee.
- 6. Administration and Probate (War Service) Bill-Second reading.
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TUESDAY, 10TH SEPTEMBER.

Government Business.

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No. 11.

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- 9. Address in Reply to the Governor's Speech-Motion for-Resumption of debate.
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- 11. WAYS AND MEANS-To be further considered in Committee.

TUESDAY, 10TH SEPTEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. POLICE OFFENCES (RAFFLES) BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 2. Public Trustee Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.

WEDNESDAY, 11TH SEPTEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:

1. Public Service Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.

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No. 12.

TUESDAY, 10TH SEPTEMBER, 1940.

Question.

Mr. Zwar: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Labour if he will inform the House as to the cost
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WEDNESDAY, 11TH SEPTEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:--

1. Public Service Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.

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No. 13.

WEDNESDAY, 11TH SEPTEMBER, 1940.

Notices of Motion:-

Government Business.

- 1. Mr. Martin: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to make provision for Payment by the Owners of certain Lands in the City of Chelsea of certain Sums in respect of the Construction of certain Streets in the said City and to make the Payment of the said Sums a Charge upon the said Lands and to validate the Raising of a certain Loan for the Purpose of the Construction of the said Streets and to make provision with respect to the Redemption of the said Loan, and for other purposes."
- 2. Mr. Old: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to enable the State Electricity Commission of Victoria and Undertakers under the Electric Light and Power Act 1928' to trade in Electrical Apparatus and to install Electrical Wiring and Fittings and Service Lines, and for other purposes."

General Business.

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ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Police Offences (Raffles) Bill—To be further considered in Committee.
- 2. Marketing of Primary Products Bill-To be further considered in Committee.
- 3. Public Trustee Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 4. Melbourne (Widening of Streets) Bill-To be further considered in Committee.
- 5. Superannuation (Life Assurance Policies) Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 6. Police Offences (Dog Races) Bill-Second reading.
- 7. Public Service Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 8. Administration and Probate (War Service) Bill-Second reading.
- 9. Factories and Shops (Butchers' Shops) Bill—(from Council)—Second reading.
- 10. Public and Bank Holidays Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 11. Address in Reply to the Governor's Speech-Motion for-Resumption of debaie.
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- 13. WAYS AND MEANS-To be further considered in Committee.

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STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES

- House (Joint)—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Speaker (ex officio), Mr. Everard, Mr. Hyland, Mr. Jewell, Mrs. Weber, and Mr. White.
- LIBRARY (JOINT)—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Speaker, Sir Stanley Argyle, Mr. Holland, Mr. Michaelis, and Mr. Moncur.
- Printing—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Speaker, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Cook (Bendigo), Mr. Ellis, Mr. Field, Mr. Frost, Mr. Hodson, Mr. Kent Hughes, Mr. Kirton, Mr. Lind, Mr. Murphy, and Mr. Zwar.
- STANDING ORDERS—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Speaker, Sir Stanley Argyle, Mr. Coyle, Mr. Cremean, Mr. Dunstan, Mr. Hogan, Mr. Hollway, Mr. Kent Hughes, Mr. Maltby, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Old, and Mr. Reid.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT)—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Bailey, Colonel Cohen, Mr. Field, Mr. Hollway, Mr. Macfarlan, and Mr. Oldham.
- CHILD Endowment—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Bennett, Mr. Cremean, Mr. Dunstone, Mr. Ellis, Mr. Holland, and Mr. Zwar.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 14.

TUESDAY, 24TH SEPTEMBER, 1940.

Questions.

- 1. Mr. Cameron: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply if he will endeavour to expedite the drawing of the necessary plans, so as to enable a start to be made on the construction of the earthworks necessary to link up the Glenelg River water scheme to the Grampians-Taylor's Lake system, and thereby render assistance to necessitous farmers with teams, who are severely hit by the drought in the north-west.
- 2. Mr. Zwar: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Labour if he will inform the House as to the cost of administration of the Sustenance Branch during each of the following periods:—April, 1935, to April, 1936; April, 1936, to April, 1937; April, 1937, to April, 1938; April, 1938, to April, 1939; and April, 1939, to April, 1940.

General Business.

Notices of Motion:-

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ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Police Offences (Dog Races) Bill-Second reading.
- 2. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (TRADING) BILL-Second reading.
- 3. Public Service Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 4. Nurses Bill-(from Council)-Second reading.
- 5. FACTORIES AND SHOPS (BUTCHERS' SHOPS) BILL-(from Council)—Second reading.
- 6. Administration and Probate (War Service) Bill-Second reading.
- 7. Melbourne (Widening of Streets) Bill—To be further considered in Committee.
- 8. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (CHELSEA STREET CONSTRUCTION) BILL—Second reading.
- 9. Public and Bank Holidays Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 10. Address in Reply to the Governor's Speech-Motion for-Resumption of debate.
- 11. Supply-To be further considered in Committee.
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Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. ~15.

WEDNESDAY, 25TH SEPTEMBER, 1940.

Questions.

- 1. SIR STANLEY ARGYLE: To ask the Honorable the Attorney-General if he will lay on the table of the Library the file relating to the proceedings against Skillball Proprietary Limited in 1939 and 1940.
- 2. Mr. Hayes: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer if he will make representations at the next meeting of the Loan Council that all semi-Government loans be underwritten by the Commonwealth Bank in the same way as the Commonwealth Government and State Government loans approved by the Loan Council are at present being underwritten.
- 3. Mr. Denigan: To ask the Honorable the Premier—
 - 1. Whether the Government has been invited to an Interstate Conference to be held in Melbourne on Friday next.
 - 2. If the Government is aware of the purpose for which the conference is being called; if so, what attitude the Government proposes to adopt.

Notices of Motion:-

Government Business.

- 1. Mr. Bailey: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the Workers' Compensation Acts."
- 2. Mr. Martin: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the Law relating to Local Government."

General Business.

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- 2. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (CHELSEA STREET CONSTRUCTION) BILL (No. 2)—(from Council)—Second reading.
- 3. Nurses Bill—(from Council)—Second reading.
- 4. TRANSPORT REGULATION (COMPENSATION) BILL-Second reading:
- 5. ORDINARY LIFE ASSURANCE BILL—AMENDMENTS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL—To be considered.
- 6. FACTORIES AND SHOPS (BUTCHERS' SHOPS) BILL-(from Council)-Second reading.
- 7. Public Service Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 8. Police Offences (Dog Races) Bill—Second reading.
- 9. Administration and Probate (War Service) Bill—Second reading:
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Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 16.

TUESDAY, 1st OCTOBER, 1940.

Question.

1. Mr. Cameron: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer if he will endeavour to have funds made available to the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission so that an immediate start can be made on the Glenelg River water scheme, and thus provide drought-relief work for farmers with teams and men who are unemployed.

NOTICES OF MOTION:

Government Business.

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General Business.

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General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. HEALTH (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Council—Mr. Cain)—Second reading.

WEDNESDAY, 2ND OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:

1. Transport Regulation (Compensation) Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.

TUESDAY, 8TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:

1. Nurses Bill—(from Council)—Second reading—Resumption of debate.

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Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 17.

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Notices of Motion:-

Government Business.

- 1. Mr. Lind: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to sanction the Issue and Application of certain Sums of Money available under Loan Acts or in the State Loans Repayment Fund for State Forests."
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TUESDAY, 8TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Nurses Bill—(from Council)—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 2. ADMINISTRATION AND PROBATE (WAR SERVICE) BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 3. Workers' Compensation Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.

F. E. WANKE, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. SLATER, Speaker.

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No. 18.

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Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL-Second reading.
- 2. STATE RELIEF COMMITTEE BILL-Second reading.
- 3. Public Service Bill—To be further considered in Committee.
- 4. Transport Regulation (Compensation) Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 5. WATER BILL-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
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- 9. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—Second reading.
- 10. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (TRADING) BILL—Second reading.
- 11. Supply—Resolution to be reported.
- 12. Supply—To be further considered in Committee.
- 13. WAYS AND MEANS-To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. HEALTH (AMENDMENT) BILL—(from Council—Mr. Cain)—Second reading.

TUESDAY, 15TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. POLICE OFFENCES (Dog RACING) BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.

F. E. WANKE, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. SLATER, Speaker.

MEETING OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Tuesday, 8th October.

CHILD ENDOWMENT COMMITTEE-At half-past One o'clock.

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Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 19.

WEDNESDAY, 9TH OCTOBER, 1940.

NOTICES OF MOTION:-

Government Business.

- 1. Mr. Balley: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to make provision with respect to Industrial Life Assurance Business and for other purposes."
- 2. Mr. Old: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to further amend Part IV. of the 'Financial Emergency Act 1931'."

General Business.

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ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Public Service Bill—To be further considered in Committee.
- 2. STATE RELIEF COMMITTEE BILL-Second reading.
- 3. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL-Second reading.
- 4. COUNTRY ROADS BOARD FUND BILL Second reading.
- 5. TRANSPORT REGULATION (COMPENSATION) BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 6. WATER BILL-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 7. MARKETING OF PRIMARY PRODUCTS BILL—AMENDMENT OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL—To be considered.
- 8. Workers' Compensation Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 9. Administration and Probate (War Service) Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate
- 10. Nurses Bill-(from Council)-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 11. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—Second reading.
- 12. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (TRADING) BILL-Second reading.
- 13. Supply—Resolution to be reported.
- 14. Supply—To be further considered in Committee.
- 15. WAYS AND MEANS—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. HEALTH (AMENDMENT) BILL-(from Council-Mr. Cain)—Second reading.

TUESDAY, 15TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. Police Offences (Dog Racing) Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.

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Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 20.

TUESDAY, 15TH OCTOBER, 1940.

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- 3. Industrial Life Assurance Bill-Second reading.
- 4. STATE RELIEF COMMITTEE BILL-Second reading.
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- 6. COUNTRY ROADS BOARD FUND BILL-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
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- 13. Supply—Resolution to be reported.
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- 15. WAYS AND MEANS-To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

- ORDER OF THE DAY:
- 1. HEALTH (AMENDMENT) BILL-(from Council-Mr. Cain)-Second reading.

WEDNESDAY, 16TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL-Second reading-Resumption of debate.

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No. 21.

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Questions.

- 1. Mr. MICHAELIS': To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary-
 - 1. If the Workers Compensation Board is to be moved to the new building of the State Accident Insurance Office.
 - 2. What rent is to be paid.

 - 3. What rent is being paid at present.4. Whence the revenue of the Board is derived.
 - 5. Whether the Board is in favour of the move.
 - 6. What is the reason for the proposed change.
- 2. Mr. Field: To ask the Honorable the Attorney-General if, having regard to its desirable and noncontentious character, the Government will bring down legislation this Session, as recommended by the legal profession—(a) to provide for the survival of personal actions in certain cases notwithstanding death; (b) to amend the law relating to joint tortfeasors, as recommended by the Bar Council of Victoria; and (c) to provide for the compulsory audit of solicitors' trust accounts and to establish an indemnity fund to reimburse victims of defalcations by solicitors.

Notices of Motion:

Government Business.

- 1. Mr. Bailey: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to vest in the City of Hawthorn the Real and Personal Property governed by the Trusts contained in a certain Trust Deed relating to a Club for the Use of Hawthorn Returned Sailors and Soldiers and to provide for the carrying out of the said Trusts by the Council of the said City, and for other purposes."
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General Business.

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ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. LAND TAX BILL-Second reading.
- 2. Public Works Loan and Application Bill (No. 2)—Second reading.
- 3. WATER BILL-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 4. STATE FORESTS LOAN APPLICATION BILL-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 5. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF TAX (RATES) BILL—Second reading.
- 6. STATE RELIEF COMMITTEE BILL—Second reading.
- 7. Workers' Compensation Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 8. ADMINISTRATION AND PROBATE (WAR SERVICE) BILL-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
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- 11. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (TRADING) BILL—Second reading.
- 12. Supply-Resolution to be reported.
- 13. Supply—To be further considered in Committee.
- 14. WAYS AND MEANS-To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. HEALTH (AMENDMENT) BILL-(from Council-Mr. Cain)-Second reading.

TUESDAY, 22ND OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Industrial Life Assurance Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 2. Police Offences (Dog Racing) Bill—To be further considered in Committee.

F. E. WANKE,

W. SLATER,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Speaker.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 22.

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- 2. HAWTHORN RETURNED SAILORS AND SOLDIERS TRUST BILL-Second reading.
- 3. Administration and Probate Duties Bill-Second reading.
- 4. STAMPS (INCREASED DUTY CONTINUANCE) BILL-Second reading.
- 5. PAWNBROKERS BILL-Second reading.
- 6. Police Offences (Dog Racing) Bill—To be further considered in Committee.
- 7. INDUSTRIAL LIFE ASSURANCE BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 8. Unemployment Relief Tax (Rates) Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 9. LAND TAX BILL-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 10. Water Bill—To be further considered in Committee.
- 11. STATE RELIEF COMMITTEE BILL-Second reading.
- 12. Workers' Compensation Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 13. NURSES BILL-(from Council)-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 14. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—Second reading.
- 15. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (TRADING) BILL—Second reading.
- 16. Supply—Resolution to be reported.
- 17. Supply-To be further considered in Committee.
- 18. WAYS AND MEANS—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. Health (Amendment) Bill-(from Council-Mr. Cain)—Second reading.

WEDNESDAY, 23_{RD} OCTOBER

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. Public Works Loan and Application Bill (No. 2)—Second reading—Resumption of debate.

F. E. WANKE, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. W. SLATER, Speaker.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

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No. 23.

WEDNESDAY, 23_{RD} OCTOBER, 1940.

Questions

- 1. Mr. Michaelis: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary how the rates for compulsory thirdparty motor car insurance, as published in the press of 21st October instant, compare with those originally framed by the Premiums Committee and returned to the committee for further consideration.
- 2. Mr. Tunnecliffe: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary if it is a fact that, while inmates of hospitals and other charitable institutions who are entitled to pensions continue to receive their pensions (part of which is retained by the institution to defray the cost of maintenance), no such allowance is made to inmates of mental hospitals, many of whom are definitely invalids, and prior to their removal to an institution were in receipt of pensions.
- 3. MR. LAMB . To ask the Honorable the Premier-
 - 1. Whether he has received any written information or correspondence complaining of alleged evasion of taxation by the official organ of the Country Party.
 - 2. If so, will he lay on the table of the Library all correspondence relating to this matter.
 - 3. If he has laid any information with the Taxation Départment relative thereto, and with what result.

Notices of Motion:

Government Business.

- 1. Mr. Dunstan: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the Superannuation Acts."
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- 3. Mr. Bailey: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to apply the Provisions of Section One hundred and sixty-three of the Property Law Act 1928' to certain Settlements made by Henry Collis Boyd and Emily Mary Boyd."
- 4. Mr. Martin: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to make Provision with respect to the Observance of certain Ceremonies in State Schools."
- 5. Mr. Martin. To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to make Provision for Building Regulations, and for other purposes."
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General Business.

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ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. PAWNBROKERS BILL-Second reading.
- 2. STAMPS (INCREASED DUTY CONTINUANCE) BILL—Second reading.
- 3. STATE RELIEF COMMITTEE BILL—Second reading.
- 4. Police Offences (Dog Racing) Bill—To be further considered in Committee.
- 5. Public Trustee Bill—Amendment of the Legislative Council—To be considered.
- 6. INDUSTRIAL LIFE ASSURANCE BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 7. Unemployment Relief Tax (Rates) Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 8. Public Works Loan and Application Bill (No. 2)—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 9. INCOME TAX (RATES) BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 10. LAND TAX BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 11. WATER BILL—To be further considered in Committee.
- 12. Workers' Compensation Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 13. Nurses Bill-(from Council)—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 14. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—Second reading.
- 15. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (TRADING) BILL—Second reading.
- 16. Supply—Resolution to be reported.
- 17. Supply—To be further considered in Committee.
- 18. WAYS AND MEANS-To be further considered in Committee.

TUESĎAY, 29TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Administration and Probate Duties Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 2. HAWTHORN RETURNED SAILORS AND SOLDIERS TRUST BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.

F. E. WANKE, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. W. SLATER, Speaker.

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STANDING AND SÉLECT COMMITTEES

House (Joint)—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Speaker (ex officio), Mr. Everard, Mr. Hyland, Mr. Jewell, Mrs. Weber, and Mr. White.

LIBRARY (JOINT)—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Speaker, Sir Stanley Argyle, Mr. Holland, Mr. Michaelis, and Mr. Moncur.

PRINTING—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Speaker, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Cook (Bendigo), Mr. Ellis, Mr. Field, Mr. Frost, Mr. Hodson, Mr. Kent Hughes, Mr. Kirton, Mr. Lind, Mr. Murphy, and Mr. Zwar.

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Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 24.

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Questions.

- 1. Mr. MICHAELIS: To ask the Honorable the Premier-
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2. Who pays for such cars.

3. What mileage was travelled by each car, including returning Members to their destinations after the vote had been taken.

4. How many gallons of petrol were used.

- 5. If, in view of the necessity of conserving petrol, he will give instructions to stop similar occurrences during the War.
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General Business.

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ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. WATER BILL—Third reading.
- 2. Police Offences Bill-Second reading.
- 3. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (BUILDING REGULATIONS) BILL-Second reading.
- 4. Education (Patriotic Ceremonies) Bill-Second reading.
- 5. STATE RELIEF COMMITTEE BILL-Second reading.
- 6. WATER SUPPLY LOANS APPLICATION BILL-Second reading.
- 7. PROPERTY LAW (BOYD SETTLEMENTS) BILL—Second reading.
- 8. INDUSTRIAL LIFE ASSURANCE BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 9. Public Works Loan and Application Bill (No. 2)—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
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- 15. Nurses Bill-(from Council)-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 16. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—Second reading.
- 17. Supply—Resolution to be reported.
- 18. Supply—To be further considered in Committee.
- 19. WAYS AND MEANS—To be further considered in Committee.

WEDNESDAY, 30TH OCTOBER.

Government Business.

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ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. PAWNBROKERS BILL-Second reading-Resumption of debate.

TUESDAY, 5TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:

1. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (TRADING) BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.

F. E. WANKE,

W. SLAŢĖŖ Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

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Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 25.

WEDNESDAY, 30TH OCTOBER, 1940.

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- 1. Mr. Dunstan: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to make Provision for the Appointment to the Public Service or the Railway Service of certain Persons resigning from the Service to contest Commonwealth Elections."
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General Business.

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- 6. Administration and Probate Duties Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 7. Nurses Bill—(from Council)—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 8. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—Second reading.
- 9. Supply—Resolution to be reported.
- 10. Supply—To be further considered in Committee.
- 11. WAYS AND MEANS—To be further considered in Committee.

TUESDAY, 5TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:

- 1. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (TRADING) BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 2. STATE RELIEF COMMITTEE BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 3. WATER SUPPLY LOANS APPLICATION BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.

WEDNESDAY, 6TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. PROPERTY LAW (BOYD SETTLEMENTS) BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.

TUESDAY, 12TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. POLICE OFFENCES BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 2. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (BUILDING REGULATIONS) BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.

F. E. WANKE,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

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Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 26.

WEDNESDAY, 6TH NOVEMBER, 1940.

Questions.

- 1. Mr. Barry. To ask the Honorable the Minister of Forests-
 - 1. How many orders for the completion of dug-outs have been taken out.
 - 2. How many have been completed and where they are.
 - 3. How many have not been completed and where they are.
 - 4. Whether the Forests Commission has erected any dug-outs; if not, why.
- 2. Mr. Dillon: To ask the Honorable the Premier-
 - 1. What was the total number of temporary employees, exclusive of those engaged on a purely casual basis, in the employ of the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission and the Forests Commission respectively at the date of the proclamation of the Public Service (Transfer of Officers) Act 1937 on the 28th June, 1939.
 - 2. What was the number of such temporary employees employed by the respective commissions on the 30th June, 1940.
 - 3. If it is a fact that the said Act gave power to the Public Service Commissioner to appoint to the permanent staff of the Public Service any temporary General Division employee with three years or more continuous service.
 - 4. How many such officers have been appointed to the permanent staff by virtue of the power thus conferred.
- 3. Mr. Allnutt: To ask the Honorable the Premier-
 - 1. Who was the individual and at whose direction did he visit the Ouyen district during October, and with the assistance of a police official interrogate potential witnesses in a proposed civil action by the Grain Elevators Board against Mr. C. R. Henderson, ex-member of the Board.
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- 3. STATE RELIEF COMMITTEE BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
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- 5. STOCK FOODS BILL-Second reading.
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- 7. PAWNBROKERS BILL-To be further considered in Committee.
- 8. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—Second reading.
- 9. PROPERTY LAW (BOYD SETTLEMENTS) BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 10. Supply—Resolution to be reported.
- 11. Supply—To be further considered in Committee.
- 12. WAYS AND MEANS-To be further considered in Committee.

TUESDAY, 12TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDERS OF THE DAY:

- 1. Police Offences Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 2. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (BUILDING REGULATIONS) BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.

F. E. WANKE,

W. SLATER,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Speaker.

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STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES.

- House (Joint)—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Speaker (ex officio), Mr. Everard, Mr. Hyland, Mr. Jewell, Mrs. Weber, and Mr. White.
- LIBRARY (JOINT)—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Speaker, Sir Stanley Argyle, Mr. Holland, Mr. Michaelis, and Mr. Moncur.
- Printing—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Speaker, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Cook (Bendigo), Mr. Ellis, Mr. Field, Mr. Frost, Mr. Hodson, Mr. Kent Hughes, Mr. Kirton, Mr. Lind, Mr. Murphy, and Mr. Zwar.
- STANDING ORDERS—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Speaker, Sir Stanley Argyle, Mr. Coyle, Mr. Cremean, Mr. Dunstan, Mr. Hogan, Mr. Hollway, Mr. Kent Hughes, Mr. Maltby, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Old, and Mr. Reid.
- STATUTE LAW REVISION (JOINT)—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Bailey, Colonel Cohen, Mr. Field, Mr. Hollway, Mr. Macfarlan, and Mr. Oldham.
- CHILD ENDOWMENT—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Bennett, Mr. Cremean, Mr. Dunstone, Mr. Ellis, Mr. Holland, and Mr. Zwar.
- PROPERTY LAW (BOYD SETTLEMENTS)—(Appointed 30th October, 1940).—Mr. Bailey, Mr. Cain, Mr. Dunstone, Mr. Field, Mr. Hollway, Mr. Macfarlan, and Mr. Oldham.

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Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 27.

TUESDAY, 12TH NOVEMBER, 1940.

Question.

- 1. Mr. Dillon: To ask the Honorable the Premier-
 - 1. If it is a fact that eight temporary officers of the Water Supply Department in the districts included in the Electoral District of Mildura have been appointed to the permanent staff this year.
 - 2. How many years of temporary service had each of these officers to his credit prior to his permanent appointment.
 - 3. If it is a fact that there are officers in the districts included in the Electoral District of Swan Hill with as great or even greater length of service.
 - 4. If it is a fact that their claims for permanency have been passed over.
 - 5. What is the reason for the preference shown to the officers in the Electoral District of Mildura over those in the Electoral District of Swan Hill.

Notices of Motion:

Government Business.

- 1. Mr. Old: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill relating to Soil Conservation."
- 2. Mr. Lind: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to provide for the Closing of a Portion of a certain Street and of a Portion of a certain Right-of-way in the City of Fuzroy and for the Vesting in His Majesty of the Lands upon which the said Portion of the said Street and the said Portion of the said Right-of-way are set out and for the Grant of the said Lands to the Mother Rectress of St. Vincent's Hospital and certain other Members of the Religious Order known as the Sisters of Charity administering the Affairs of the said Hospital."

General Business.

- 3. Mr. Holland: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the Health Acts in relation to Patent Medicines and for other purposes."
- 4. SIR STANLEY ARGYLE: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the Game Act 1928'."
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- 18. Mr. CREMEAN: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the 'Justices Act 1928' and the 'Landlord and Tenant Act 1928' and for other purposes."

ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (BUILDING REGULATIONS) BILL-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 2. STATE RELIEF COMMITTEE BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 3. STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (TRADING) BILL—To be further considered in Committee.
- 4. WATER SUPPLY LOANS APPLICATION BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 5. STOCK FOODS BILL—Second reading.
- 6. PAWNBROKERS BILL-To be further considered in Committee.
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- 8. Police Offences Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 9. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—Second reading.
- 10. PROPERTY LAW (BOYD SETTLEMENTS) BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 11. Supply—Resolution to be reported.
- 12. Supply—To be further considered in Committee.
- 13. WAYS AND MEANS-To be further considered in Committee.

WEDNESDAY, 13TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. Superannuation Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.

F. Ę. WANKE,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. SLATER,

Speaker.

MEETING OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Wednesday, 13th November.

PROPERTY LAW (BOYD SETTLEMENTS) COMMITTEE—At Ten o'clock a.m.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 28.

WEDNESDAY, 13TH NOVEMBER, 1940.

Questions.

- 1. Mr. Allnutt. To ask the Honorable the Premier if the copies of the minutes of the meetings of the State Savings Bank Commissioners forwarded to him reveal that defalcations have occurred in the State Savings Bank funds during the years 1938 or 1939.
- 2. Mr. Dodgshun: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture-
 - 1. Whether the Grain Elevators Board proposes to control weighbridges in the wheat-growing areas where grain elevators are established; if so, what form of control is proposed.
 - 2. If it is proposed that the control of weighbridges should pass to this Board, what is the reason for this decision.
- 3. Mr. ALLNUTT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture-
 - 1. Whether the Victorian Dried Fruits Board has any copies of altered dockets in respect of the reclassification of grades of dried fruits from any of the packing houses processing currants, raisins, or sultanas.
 - 2. If so, will he lay the copies on the table of the Library.

Notices of Motion:-

Government Business.

- 1. Mr. Bailey: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill relating to the Borrowing Powers of the Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board."
- 2. MR. MARTIN: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend Section Seventy-six of the 'Cemeteries Act 1928'."
- 3. Mr. Bailey: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the Law relating to the Appointment of certain Officers of the Supreme Court."

General Business.

- 4. Mr. Holland: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to amend the Health Acts in relation to Patent Medicines and for other purposes."
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ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

- 1. Soil Conservation Bill—Second reading.
- 2: RAILWAY LOAN AND APPLICATION BILL-Second reading.
- 3. FITZROY LAND BILL-Second reading.
- 4. PAWNBROKERS BILL—To be further considered in Committee.
- 5. NURSES BILL—(from Council)—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 6. Police Offences Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 7. SUPERANNUATION BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 8. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (BUILDING REGULATIONS) BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
 - 9. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—Second reading.
- 10. PROPERTY LAW (BOYD SETTLEMENTS) BILL-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
 - 11. Supply—Resolution to be reported.
 - 12. Supply—To be further considered in Committee.
 - 13. WAYS AND MEANS-To be further considered in Committee.

TUESDAY, 19TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. STOCK FOODS BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.

F. E. WANKE,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

W. SLATER,

Speaker.

MEETING OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Wednesday, 13th November.

PROPERTY LAW (BOYD SETTLEMENTS) COMMITTEE—At Ten o'clock .a.m.

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 29.

TUESDAY, 19TH NOVEMBER, 1940.

Question.

- 1. Mr. Allnutt: To ask the Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey-
 - 1. On what date the lease held by Melbourne Carnivals Limited of Olympic Park expires.
 - 2. If it is the intention of the Government to approve of an extension of the lease to the said company; if so, what increase in rent is proposed.
 - 3. What rental is being paid to the said company by the Commonwealth Defence Department for the use of portion of the park.
 - 4. Who are the directors of the said company.

General Business.

Notices of Motion:-

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ORDERS OF THE DAY:

- 1. FIRE BRIGADES (FINANCIAL) BILL—Second reading.
- 2. CEMETERIES (SPRING VALE NECROPOLIS) BILL—Second reading.
- 3. Supreme Court (Officers) Bill—Second reading.
- 4. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (BUILDING REGULATIONS) BILL-Second reading-Resumption of debate.
- 5. Soil Conservation Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 6. Nurses Bill—(from Council)—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 7: RAILWAY LOAN AND APPLICATION BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 8. Stock Foods Bill—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 9. Police Offences (Dog Racing) Bill—Amendment of the Legislative Council—To be considered.
- 10. LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL—Second reading.
- 11. PROPERTY LAW (BOYD SETTLEMENTS) BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
- 12. Supply—Resolution to be reported.
- 13. Supply—To be further considered in Committee.
- 14. WAYS AND MEANS-To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Field)
—Second reading.

F. E. WANKE, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. W. SLATER,
Speaker.

MEETING OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

Wednesday, 20th November.

PROPERTY LAW (BOYD SETTLEMENTS) COMMITTEE—At Ten o'clock a.m.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES AND TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES—(Appointed 1st May, 1940).—Mr. Coyle.

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Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 30.

WEDNESDAY, 20TH NOVEMBER, 1940.

Question.

- 1. Mr. Cumming: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary-
 - 1. If it is a fact that on two Sundays recently a carload of police from the Licensing Branch, Melbourne, paid visits to certain Western District towns, particularly Warrnambool, Camperdown, and Colac.
 - 2. If it is a fact that on the Warrnambool trip a hire-car was used.
 - 3. What was the cost of these trips.
 - 4. By whom or from what funds these costs are met.
 - 5. What was the net result of the visits.
 - 6. Whether these expenses could have been avoided by the employment of local police.

General Business.

Notices of Motion:-

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- 8. Supply—Resolution to be reported.
- 9. Supply—To be further considered in Committee.
- 10. WAYS AND MEANS—To be further considered in Committee.

General Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY :-

1. Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works (Amendment) Bill—(from Council—Mr. Field)
—Second reading.

TUESDAY, 26TH NOVEMBER.

Government Business.

ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. Supreme Court (Officers) Bill-Second reading-Resumption of debate.

F. E. WANKE, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. W. SLATER,
Speaker.

MEETING OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

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Notices of Motion, and Orders of the Day.

No. 31.

TUESDAY, 26TH NOVEMBER, 1940.

Question.

- 1. Mr. MICHAELIS: To ask the Honorable the Chief Secretary-
 - 1. Whether any recommendations have been made by the Chief Officer of the Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board regarding promotion to the ranks of Third and Fourth Officer.
 - 2. If so, have such recommendations been confirmed by the Board, and what are the names of the officers so promoted.
 - 3. Whether such recommendations have been notified to members of the brigade, as required by paragraph 91 of the regulations.

General Business.

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- 9. Supply—To be further considered in Committee.
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General Business.

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Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 32.

WEDNESDAY, 27TH NOVEMBER, 1940.

Questions.

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 - 1. Whether any recommendations have been made by the Chief Officer of the Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board regarding promotion to the ranks of Third and Fourth Officer.
 - 2. If so, have such recommendations been confirmed by the Board, and what are the names of the officers so promoted.
 - 3. Whether such recommendations have been notified to members of the brigade, as required by paragraph 91 of the regulations.
- 2. Mr. Maltby: To ask the Honorable the Treasurer-
 - 1. How many copies of the Victorian Parliamentary Debates are printed weekly.
 - 2. How many copies are circulated free by way of exchange or otherwise.
 - 3. How many paying subscribers there are.
 - 4. What is the rate of subscription.
 - 5. What is the total annual revenue from the sale of the Victorian Parliamentary Debates.

General Business.

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General Business.

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Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 33.

TUESDAY, 3RD DECEMBER, 1940.

Questions.

- 1. Mr. Allnutt: To ask the Honorable the Premier-
 - 1. If he will lay on the table of the Library the correspondence and evidence submitted at the enquiry held by the Hairdressers Registration Board on 12th September, 1939, into the registration of Mr. Donald Robert Duncan; together with the full report of the decision of the Hairdressers Registration Board.
 - 2. If he will lay on the table of the Library the sworn declaration by Mr. Donald Robert Duncan, as required by the Hairdressers Registration Act.
- 2. MR. ALLNUTT: To ask the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture-
 - 1. What respective amounts were paid to Mr. C. R. Henderson, ex-member of the Grain Elevators Board, as expenses and travelling allowances for attendance at Board meetings.
 - 2. What amounts were paid to date to Mr. S. Lockhart for each Board meeting since his appointment to the Board.

Notices of Motion:-

Government Business.

1. Mr. Old: To move, That he have leave to bring in a Bill intituled "A Bill to remove Doubts as to the Operation and Effect of Sub-section (5) of Section Twenty-two of the Financial Emergency Act 1931"."

General Business.

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ORDERS OF THE DAY:-

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- 2. DROUGHT RELIEF BILL—Second reading.
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- 4. Companies (Special Investigations) Bill—(from Council)—Second reading.
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General Business.

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Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day.

No. 34.

WEDNESDAY, 4TH DECEMBER, 1940.

Questions.

- 1. Mr. Reid: To ask the Honorable N. A. Martin, Honorary Minister, for the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works—
 - 1. How many persons have made application to the Architects Registration Board for registration as architects.
 - 2. How many applications have been granted.
- 2. Mr. Denigan: To ask the Honorable N. A. Martin, Honorary Minister, for the Honorable the Minister of Public Instruction—
 - 1. Whether there has been any extension of dental services to country school children since December, 1939.
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- 2. PAWNBROKERS BILL—AMENDMENTS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL—To be considered.
- 3. FARMERS PROTECTION (AMENDMENT) BILL—Second reading—Resumption of debate.
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